

2020 Annual Report

Committee Members



Left to Right:

Samson Santimano -Cultural Secretary; Ruby Moraes - Communications Director,

Tony Braganza – Committee Member; Leslie de Souza – General Secretary;

Aggie D'Mello – Treasurer; Lydia Nazareth – President;

Norman da Costa – Vice President; Christine Rodrigues – Social Secretary;

Romeo D'Souza – Asst. Communication Director; Ida Gomes – Asst. Social Secretary

The picture was taken in December 2019

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Reflecting on the past year 2020, it has been a roller coaster ride with the pandemic looming over us.

We started out the year with guns blazing and hosted two events (Whist and Bunco) to a sold-out crowd. There after we were hit by COVID-19 and due to lockdowns and strict health regulations and limits to numbers for gatherings, we were unable to host anything else and that included the AGM.

Due to the continued COVID-19 restrictions, the remainder of 2020 was quiet, and we were only able to hold a few virtual Executive Committee meetings.

Your executive:

Norman Da Costa (Vice-President) although only a couple of events were held, Norman was always available to be my sounding board and never hesitated to provide his support when needed.

Leslie de Souza (General Secretary) continues to manage the administrative end of the association and keeps all records in a meticulous fashion.

Aggie D'Mello (Treasurer) despite there being only two events, Aggie maintained the association's finances in his usual efficient and thorough manner. He was once again commended for his presentation and record keeping skills.

Christine Rodrigues (Social Secretary) at the start of 2020, Christine very successfully ran a Whist and Bunco, assisted by her husband Rudi.

Ida Gomes (Assistant Social Secretary) she is always the first to offer her assistance at a drop of a hat.

Ruby Moraes (Communications Director) continues to provide her expertise. She goes above and beyond to ensure that all information sent to our members is accurate and timely.

Romeo D'Souza (Assistant Communications Director) has assisted our Communications Director in making sure we are up to speed. Due to the shut-down, Romeo was unable to double up as a photographer. In addition, he ensures that all the association's computers are updated and secure.

Tony Braganza (Member) continues to be of assistance whenever asked upon.

Thanks go to our auditors Alcino Rodrigues and Alvito Fernandes. They continue as our auditors for the third year in a row. Aloysius Mathias continues to represent the association at the Seniors Council within the City of Mississauga. He is proactive in forwarding any pertinent information that would benefit our members.

Finally, on behalf of my Executive Committee, I wish to take this opportunity to wish you all continued good health and stay safe.

Lydia Nazareth – President

PS. In closing, I can't help but mention that with the year 2020 going by with only two events, the committee brain-stormed and decided to have virtual bingo sessions. The first two sessions in 2021 were on a trial basis. They were a big hit with our members, so the bi-weekly Bingo was born. Christine, with assistance from Tony Braganza are doing a splendid job with conducting the Bingo sessions. We are continuing to explore other possible events to hold virtually.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of 55 Plus Goan Association – West G. T. A. Inc.

We have audited the Income Statement, Balance Sheet and Statement of Changes in the Financial Position of the 55 Plus Goan Association – West G. T. A. Inc. (55PGA) as at December 31, 2020.

The Executive Committee is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the Canadian generally accepted accounting principles and for such internal controls it deems necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatements.

An audit involves examination on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

In our opinion these financial statements present fairly, in all material aspects, the financial position of 55PGA as at December 31, 2020 its financial performance and its changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Alcino Rodrigues (Hon. Auditor)

Toronto, Ontario

April 19th, 2021

Alvito Fernandes (Hon Auditor)

55 Plu	s Goan Associa	tion			
Balance Shee	t as at Decemb	er 31, 2020			
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ASSETS					
Current Assets					
Bank Balance (RBC)	\$	43,974	\$	43,732	
Petty Cash	\$	94		-	
Total Current Assets	Ş	44,068	\$	43,732	
Accounts Receivable	\$		\$	650	
Other Current Assets					
Prepaid Insurance	\$	907	\$	910	
Prepaid Expenses	97948 10000	(4)			
Total Other Current Assets	\$	907	\$	910	
Fixed Assets					
Computers	\$	1,808	\$	1,808	
Less Depreciation	\$	(1,806)	\$	(1,806)	
Total Fixed assets	\$	2	\$	2	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	44,977	\$	45,294	
LIABILITIES & EQUITY					
Current Liabilities					
Deferred Revenue (Fees for 2020)	\$	130	\$	3,490	
Total Current Liabilities	\$	130	\$	3,490	
Net Funds					
Opening Balance	\$	41,804	\$	41,339	
Net Surplus/(Lass)	\$	3,042	\$	465	
Total Net Funds	\$	44,847	\$	41,804	
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Mrs. Lydia Nazareth	-	Aggie D'Mello			
President		Treasurer			

		55 Plus Go	an Assoc	iation					
Pr	Profit & (Loss) for Fiscal Year Ending 2020								
	Budget 2021		Actual 2020		Actual 2019				
Revenue									
Membership Dues	\$	15 0 .8	\$	6,710	\$	7,980			
Total Dues	\$	**	\$	6,710	\$	7,980			
Net Income/(Loss) on Events	\$	188 <u> </u>	\$	428	\$	(1,129)			
Total Income	\$	(=)	\$	7,138	\$	6,851			
Expenses									
AGM	\$	9 5 4	\$	=	\$	730			
Bank Charges	\$	150	\$	127		146			
Computer Services	\$	500	\$	512	\$ \$ \$	646			
Exec. Committee Meetings		323	\$	104	\$	683			
Depreciation	\$ \$ \$	<u>(2</u>)	\$	2	\$	23			
Donation	\$	(- 74)	\$	250					
Liability Insurance	\$	2,500	\$	2,417	\$	2,692			
Mass Cards	\$	100	\$	45	\$ \$ \$ \$	225			
Misc. Expenses		19 <u>4</u> 49		2	\$	137			
Office Supplies	\$	75	\$	47	\$	440			
Postage & Mailing	\$	75	\$	21	\$	117			
P O Box Rental	\$	230	\$	225	\$	220			
President's Discretion	\$	500	\$	348	\$	350			
Total Expenses	\$	4,130	\$	4,096	Ś	6,386			

55 PGA Goan Association Summary of Events & Net Surplus/(Loss) for 2020 Whist Drive Bunco Afternoon YTD 2020 26-Jan-20 01-Mar-20 Ticket Price 25 20 Attendance 56 60 Income Ticket Sales \$1,120.00 \$1,500.00 \$2,620.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 (Refunds) 50/50 Sales \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Raffle \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Food/Water Sale \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Adverts - Booklet \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 TOTAL INCOME (A) \$1,120.00 \$1,500.00 \$2,620.00 Expenses \$0.00 \$0.00 Hall & Catering \$0.00 Catering \$896.00 \$896.00 \$1,792.00 50/50 Prizes \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Bingo Prizes Other Prizes \$200.00 \$200.00 \$400.00 Bar Tenders \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Music \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Sound System \$0.00 \$0.00 Entertain. \$0.00 Cutlery/Croc. \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Decorations \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Tea/Coffee/Water \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Misc. \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Raffle \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Printing-Tickets \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Printing-Booklet \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 TOTAL EXPENSE (B) \$1,096.00 \$1,096.00 \$2,192.00 NET SURP/(LOSS) (A-B) \$24.00 \$404.00 \$428.00

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