

## **Connections**

### **Membership Meeting – Zoom**

**November 17, 2020**

**Attendees: 48**

Donna Singer reminded members about the **upcoming social hours**. There is a Happy Hour tomorrow night hosted by Margie Battaglia, Happy Hour on 11/24 hosted by Linda Bakian and a coffee on 11/20 with Donna. Margie is also hosting a PBS chat on December 3 (The Trouble with Maggie Cole and Roadkill) and Linda Bakian will host the inaugural meeting of the Stitch and Chat group on December 8.

Lee Atieh gave the **treasurer's report** for the period ending October 31, 2020. There is a balance of \$7,868 in the Connections checking account. To date, 81 members have paid dues for 2021.

Margie Battaglia reported that there are currently **200 members in Connections**. Lucie Fedeli, a new member, was introduced to the attendees.

**Steve Holder** was the featured speaker for the meeting. He owns **Fix My PC2** in Midland Park where he offers computer support of all kinds. He spoke about cyber security, recommended anti-virus software; reviewed the types of online calendars available, recommended using a cloud based calendar, like Google; talked about the issues involved in switching email providers, recommended not using an internet provider for email; outlined the differences between, and the pros and cons of using a tablet versus a PC. The power point presentation he used for the session will be available on the Connections website. Steve's email is [steve@fixmypc2.com](mailto:steve@fixmypc2.com) and his phone number is 201-294-8355.