SUN LAKES COMMUNITY THEATRE' GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING SAN TAN BALLROOM, COTTONWOOD February 9, 2017 – 6:30 p.m.

Call to Order: Sandy Pallett, President, called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M. and thanked Judie Janowski for the wonderful decorations.

Approval of January 12, 2017 General Membership Meeting Minutes: Members will have to approve the minutes at the March Membership Meeting as they were not put in the Asides.

Entertainment: Sandy Pallett turned the meeting over to Phyllis Novy, Program Director. Phyllis introduced Rod Hayword a Professional Published Playwright from Canada. Rod's subject was titled **"Who Killed the Play".** He explained that to have a successful play everyone must work together. Rod was a very dynamic speaker. Phyllis gave Rod 2 tickets to Aspirins and elephants.

Summer Show/Hallelujah Girls: Linda Caton will Direct the Summer Play. Linda explained what her play was about. Auditions will be on Saturday February 25, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in A6, Dance Room.

New Members: Sandy asked if there were any new members. Merrie Crawford introduced Lauren who was in her Beginning Acting Class. Lauren had read the article in the Splash

Spring Play/Aspirins and Elephants: Play will run March 21 - 25. The Matinee will be on Friday. Grace Geisinger will be the Producer.

Fall Play: Carol Horowitz will Direct the fall play. Her auditions will be on April 22 at 2:00 p.m. in room A-6. Scripts will be available sometime in March.

Jim Nielsen: Tickets for Aspirins and Elephants will go on sale March 1, 2017 at Cottonwood from 1-3 p.m. and Oakwood March 2, 2017 from 1-3 p.m. Jim asked for volunteers to help sell tickets and handed around a sign-up sheet.

Facebook: Barry Berger has set up a Facebook page for SLCT.

Talent Show: April 13, 2017 General Membership Meeting will be a Talent Show. Roger is looking for anyone interested.

Board of Directors Elections: Jim Janowski announced that the Board elections will be held at the March General Membership Meeting. There are two members running for the Board of Directors, Carol Horowitz and Rick Whitney.

Rick Whitney: Rick is honored to be nominated for the Board. He gave a very enjoyable speech.

Carol Horowitz: Carol Horowitz gave her qualifications. Carol is highly skilled in writing grants and writing plays.

Fun Script Reading Group: SLCT will start a Fund Script Reading Group in the evening for those who can't come in the afternoon. The nighttime group will be held on February 22, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at Sandy Pallett's house.

ImproVables: The ImproVables performed at Oakwood in February. The show was very successful. There will be another show in March.

Asides: Sonja White, who is in charge of the Asides, told members to check their spam folder if the Asides doesn't show up in the e-mail folder.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.