

AFDICA Dallas-Fort Worth Members Keep Rolling with Money Smart-Older Adults!

AFDICA DFW members Lewis Hunter, Scott Taylor, and Jim Belich conducted another Money Smart Older Adults (MSOA) on St Patrick's Day, March 17, 2019. The session was conducted at the Richardson Church of the Nazarene (to which Lewis is a member) and eight students participated. The session began with a pre-course survey to determine participant knowledge of the topics to be discussed and followed with the eight core modules of MSOA, which also included four activities. The session was concluded with a post-course survey which again indicated a marked improvement in participant knowledge of the topics presented.

As this was the second Money Smart presentation by DFW members, the team again was attuned to feedback contained in the evaluations, which indicated improvement from the first session, a pleasing result! The MSOA provides participants with a "Resource Guide" booklet which follows the presentation and participants can take with them. From one participant's feedback, we learned that the Guide will be useful for future reference, a positive indication that our program elevates financial literacy awareness beyond the course itself.

For this session the team also surveyed participants as to which of the eleven extended modules were of greatest value. This feedback allows them to focus only on those topics which they believe will be most beneficial to future audiences, which may have stricter time limitations. The team is now planning for an upcoming MSOA event in Addison TX., where other AFDICA members will be participating, a trend we hope continues! Please contact Jim, jbindallas@msn.com, Lewis, lewis_hunter@verizon.net or Scott jstcfe@verizon.net for more information.

