

Carry On Shop netted \$98,724.90 in retail store sales through March'2020, a 40% increase from 2019. Additional revenues through April,20 added \$22,139.12 and included successful pop up stores at DC Best Flea, Elkrigde Club and the Best Dressed Sale ,online sales through RealReal, Olives and EBay, Gift Shop sales of Carry On jewelry and handbags and Hanover Uniforms' scrubs.

Carry On Shop had its official closing March 23, 2020 due to COVID 19. Luckily, the Bank of America checking account had a healthy balance of \$30,205.04 to pay the ongoing cost of salaries, benefits and operations. Hopefully, Carry On will reopen in June 2020 not only at the Monument Street location but also at Kenilworth Mall!

Highlights of the 2019-2020 include the Eco-Chic Model Campaign spear headed by Sandy Seward, the fabulous store windows created by Laurie Glassner, Ellen Meyer and Sandy Seward, social media outreach on Twitter, Linked In and FaceBook thanks to Deb Fanshawe and the pop up stores manned by Kathy Abbott ,Pam Hindsley and COS committee where the Carry On Shop is developing a niche market for estate linens and jewelry. John Sizemore and Kelly McCloud are to be recognized for persevering to keep our Carry On Shop open online during the pandemic through EBay and RealReal and for their ongoing months of service at the Carry On Shop.

Finally, gratitude goes to Bert Ficke for leadership and support and for the many downtown delivery of donations!

With the motto for which Carry On Shop was named by our own Bobbie Gutman, our thrift store will KEEP CALM AND CARRY ON

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Hindsley
Carry On Shop