

Commission on Aging
Meeting Minutes
Lebanon, Connecticut
June 11, 2012

Members present: Ellen Bauwens, Jane Cady, Jim Donnelly, Donna LaFontaine, Bonnie LeBlanc, Geri McCaw and Marion Russo. Members absent: Russ Blakeslee and Darlene Hathaway. Also attending; Darcy Battye, Senior Center Coordinator and Municipal Agent.

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chairman Geri McCaw.

Donna LaFontaine moved, seconded by Bonnie LeBlanc, to accept the minutes of the May meeting. Motion passed.

Darcy discussed the budget status; purchase of a new Toyota mini van; several on-going repairs and maintenance, to include attic organization, at the Center; purchases to be made prior to the end of the fiscal year on June 30; the annual senior picnic will be held on Tuesday, June 19. Geri requested additional help for set-up, serving and clean-up. Discussion was held on connecting the septic alarm to the fire alarm panel, to be done before June 30, if possible.

Condolences will be sent to Joan Merritt. Also thank you gift will be given to Richard Chabot, who will be resigning as Senior Center custodian at the end of June.

Jane reported that the weekly bingo program is going very smoothly; and the June 8 evening Bingo had 24 guests, including some new faces. Next evening Bingo will be on Friday, July 13.

Marion reported that Setback finished their season with a pizza party and the awarding of prizes. A total of 44 players participated. Drop in setback will be held on Thursdays at 1 p.m. through September. Next evening drop-in setback will be Friday, July 6.

The presentation program for the February 2013 cruise was held on June 7, and was very well attended. Cruise is now nearly booked to capacity. She reminded members of all trips planned for the remainder of 2012 (see May minutes). Marion also reported profit from The Friends May tag sale to be \$2100. A jewelry sale is planned for June 20, an Octoberfest Dinner will be October 19 and a Christmas Bazaar on December 3.

Discussion was held regarding the feet on the chairs in the hall. The felt pads placed on the legs to prevent scratching the floor are not working. No solutions are available at this time.

The afternoon Tea for June 27th will feature a pianist, iced tea, as well as hot will be served. Members were asked to provide sandwiches and dessert. There will be no Tea in July or August.

Bob Cady will attend the Emergency Planning meeting on June 19, in place of Darcy, who will be on vacation. Geri reminded members to vote on the budget on Tues. June 12.

Marion moved, seconded by Jim, to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 7:07.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jane Cady, Acting Secretary