

Commission on Aging  
Lebanon Senior Center  
Regular Meeting  
Tuesday November 9, 2021, 1:00pm

**Present:** Jim Donnelly, Liz Shilosky, Bonnie LeBlanc, Geri McCaw, Darlene Hathaway, Marion Russo, Jane Cady and Donna Lennox

Also Attending: Darcy Battye

**Absent:** Gary Rockefeller

Meeting called to order at 1:05pm by Bonnie LeBlanc

**Approval of Minutes** Minutes from October 12, 2021 were read & accepted, motion made by Geri McCaw, seconded by Marion Russo and agreed upon by all present.

**Correspondence:** n/a.

**Treasurer's Report:** It was reported that we still have 50% of our budget remaining.

**Reports:** Director & Municipal Agent for the Elderly: The center is slowly returning in attendance, but still needs the return of several activities. Transportation has been low and we are still in need of drivers. The Friday Wellness Trips have restarted, there is poker on Tuesday night, setback on Thursdays and Tai Chi is on Tuesday & Thursday evenings.

- **Bingo:** We hope to resume Bingo fully by the 1<sup>st</sup> of the New Year.
- **Trips:** The Penn. trip was very successful. Although prices are rising, the Newport Playhouse trip will remain at & \$89 this time but will probably go up in the near future. Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> will be trip to Atlantic City, Mar. 14<sup>th</sup> will be trip to Aqua Turf, and in April there is a trip to Germany & Budapest.
- **Friends:** All members are working on our Christmas Bazaar on Sat. Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>.
- **Luncheon:** Attendance is slowly improving for lunch. We will be having our Thanksgiving dinner the week before the holiday.

**Old Business:** Open forum ....discussion about opening various events at the center.

**New Business:**

- The dates for next year's meetings were presented to members, voted on and submitted to the town for approval.

- A committee was revived of those who are working on the wording of a mission statement to be presented to town residents to inform seniors of what is available to them, as well as to revise the wording describing the actual purpose of the COA that is presently in the Charter. Members are Liz Shilosky, Geri McCaw and Donna Lennox.
- A committee was formed to produce a list of possible candidates interested in becoming an officer in the COA. Those members are Jane Cady, Darlene Hathaway and Geri McCaw.

**Public Forum:** Our guest, Selectman Kevin Cwikla discussed where our town stands in the Covid status. He stated that we are doing very well in percentage of those vaccinated.

**Adjourn:**

- Motion to adjourn at 2:05 was made by Geri McCaw and seconded by Marion Russo. All present agreed. Our next meeting will be December 7th, 2021.

Respectfully submitted  
Donna Lennox