

Minutes of the Council on Aging Meeting

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

Town Hall

Meeting called to order at 10:45 a.m.

Present were: Georgette Kinney, Carolyn Palmucci, Cory Hines, Chet Delaney, Helen Krancer, Eve Goldberg, and Peg Muskrat, Adm. Asst.

Helen requested a full meaning of "Villages" from Bruce to be included in the minutes.

Minutes from April 15, 2019 COA Meeting were approved.

All COA Board members requested to be re-appointed this June. Peg will let Mary know.

The May Luncheon was a success. Bob Climo did a great job and everyone in attendance was pleased to thank our out going Police Chief, Eric Josephson, for a job well done.

The June Luncheon will be at French Park. A one mile "walk around the park" will take place before lunch is served. Participants will receive a "Be Safe, Be Seen" vest. Liz Keen, Indian Line farm, will be distributing plants to those present. Mt. Washington contributed \$200 towards the COA lunches and the plants. Eve will pick up bagged sandwiches from GB Bagel. Peg will make sure vests are available.

Senior Coffee Hours are continuing. This month's was at the Egremont Village Inn and approximately 6 people attended. Next month (June) will be back at Mom's Café. We will try alternating between the two restaurants.

The new program to collect used eyeglasses and hearing aids to be recycled by the Lions Club has begun. 11 pair of eyeglasses have been collected so far. Peg will see they get to the Lions Club.

The May 29th Senior safety Lunch at the Claire Teague Senior Center is being heavily promoted. They are hoping for a big turnout.

Elaine Ireland will be available for an exercise class next season. Sandy French will not be available due to health issues. A search for a second exercise trainer/teacher will be underway.

The 2019-2020 calendar of COA events is being reviewed. Peg will present a rough copy at the June meeting.

Next meeting is June 19th at 11:00.Meeting adjourned at 12:10.

Respectfully submitted,

Eve Goldberg