

Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Minutes - March 15, 2007

Members Present: Kathy Liberman, Chairperson; Donna Matteson, Claire Mehan, Joe Mehan, Christine Taylor, Carol Tedone, Grace Piencikowski, Bertha Keenan and Kathleen Bagley, Director, Parks and Recreation Department. Guests Present: Honorable Robert A. Randich, Judge, Probate Court; Maribeth Dwane and two Wethersfield High School students, Sal Soomso and Mark Raucer.

1. The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. by Chairperson Kathy Liberman. She introduced the Honorable Robert A. Randich, Judge, Probate Court for the tri-town area. Judge Randich explained the workings of the Probate Court to members and answered questions about the process. He was informative and committee members thanked him for visiting with them and providing information on the Probate Court.
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Grace Piencikowski moved to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Carol Tedone and approved unanimously.

3. Old Business - Brochure Reprint Status.

Donna Matteson reported that she has the proof back from the printer for the brochure. She asked for another volunteer to help review this document. Joe Mehan volunteered to help proof this brochure.

4. New Business - No New Business.
5. Reports.

- a. Wethersfield Housing Authority.

Kathy Liberman reported that the Housing Authority will have a mobile food operation that will come once a month to Lancaster Road. Individuals eligible for the food bank will be able to visit this mobile food operation and get fresh produce. This program was set up by the Social and Youth Services Department.

- b. Elderly Services Coordinator.

Christine Taylor reported on a variety of programs ongoing at the department. She gave committee members an update on a Medicare scam. She reported that the state was notified of this scam and that they will be informing the public. Ms. Taylor handed out a variety of information to committee members.

- c. Wethersfield Senior Club.

Carol Tedone reported that they held a pizza party and that the Wethersfield Health Care provided the dessert. The club made donations to the VNA and Dollars for Scholars.

- d. Senior Center.

Donna Matteson reported that the March programs have been going well. One of the programs they did was the "Brain" games that was very popular. She has future programs coming up that are listed in the Senior Newsletter for the April 2007 issue. The next session of classes will be starting in April and these can be checked in the newsletter. She also reported that the cost for the Rare Reminder ads have gone up. The funds in the budget will take the remainder of the money to pay for the ads for the Rare Reminder. Committee members felt that if there was any money leftover, it could be donated to the Volunteer Recognition Dinner.

6. Adjournment.

The meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Bagley, Director, Parks and Recreation Department