

COMMITTEE ON AGING MINUTES
AUGUST 2, 2007
SENIOR CENTER

Attendance: Jo Golec, Mary Ellen Klinck, Alice Sabo, Rosalie Hoffman, Jovita Cozean, James O'Brien, Joanne Roczniak.

Excused: Ron Brennan, Joy Campbell, John Pagnani

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Pres. Jo Golec.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The minutes of the July 5th meeting were read and Alice Sabo made a motion to accept, seconded by James O'Brien. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Joanne Roczniak reported on the web cam. 2 classes with 7 people now taking classes. Web Pages are now on a disc including menu and calendar of events and sample has been given to the town.

Purchase of tape recorder was discussed again and it was decided to wait on the purchase for Jovita will loan the committee hers for a trial.

Alice Sabo remarked on the papers giving us better publicity.

NEW BUSINESS

Jo Golec discussed the membership appointments with Linda in the Selectman's office. There will be a third for a 3 year term, a third for a 2 year term, a third for a one year term including alternates. Any errors will be corrected on new appointments.

Joanne Roczniak gave her monthly report listing all attendees and events.

The center has a DVD explaining the new voting process.

Make A Difference Committee was discussed with the idea that a walking track could be built around the perimeter of this property with the help of possibly the Lions and Rotary for use by all the towns people to improve our health through exercise. MOODUS MOVES may be a good title for the project with the Senior Center as the Guiding Light. The committee was very enthusiastic.

October 27th a bake sale will be held to help fund the Fuel Bank & the Food Bank.

Bids are being received to build a Bocci Court and a horseshoe pit. It is expected to cost about 6-7 thousand dollars. We also anticipate we will have to replace the TV. It is old

and was donated. We have about \$20,000 left in our fundraising account which must be used for furnishings and equipment for the center. It was decided to look into the cost of purchasing or renting a commercial buffer so that after the town completes the professional job which is greatly needed at this time we may possibly be able to recruit a volunteer to keep it up once or twice a year.

Joanne is looking into purchasing a commercial sink dish sprayer to be installed so that it is easier to rinse dishes when we have dinners and use our china. In October we will have our spaghetti dinner which was very successful last year.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted

Mary Ellen Klinck, Secretary