COMMISSION ON AGING MEETING

Tuesday, January 19, 2016

Present: Sharlene Copeland, Ann DiMauro, Peggy Shanahan, Joan Cominotti, Sandy

Alexander

Scribe: Joan Cominotti

The meeting was called to order at 1:20 p.m.

Sharlene called Sandy Alexander to invite her to attend our meeting to see if she might want to become a Commissioner. Sharlene explained what would be expected of her. She has to consider her other obligations before she makes a commitment.

Old Business:

On December 23, the HarwinTONEs gathered and sang and enjoyed hot chocolate and cookies.

The Senior Center was closed Dec. 24 for winter break and reopened Tuesday, Jan. 5, 2016.

Wednesday, Jan. 6, 2016, it was pizza and movie day at the Senior Center. The movie shown was "McFarland USA." Most seemed to enjoy it. We will do more movies and serve pizza first.

Thursday, Jan. 7, we toured the new Winsted Tort Museum. We enjoyed it and found that if you have a guide, it makes the visit more interesting.

Friday, Jan. 8, 19 of our seniors attended the Senior Citizens Prom at Lewis Mills H.S. It was very enjoyable.

Wednesday, January 13, we held our Souper Wednesday and Trivial Pursuit.

Thursday, January 14, 2 buses of our seniors enjoyed a trip to the Christmas Tree Shop in Danbury.

New Business:

Sharlene and Suzanne decorated the dining room for the Winter Wonderland Party.

Wednesday, January 20, 2016, we will have the Winter Wonderland Party at the Senior Center. Our lunch will consist of beef stew, mashed potatoes, bread and butter, and dessert. Our favorite songs will be sung by Bob Lupi.

Thursday, January 21, Trish Hine will provide us with supplies to make sweet and sassy Valentine cards. They can be taken home or donated to a resident at Arden Court in Farmington. The HarwinTONES will be singing at the facility in February.

Wednesday, January 27, Lunch Bunch at the Saybrook Fish House.

Wednesday, February 3, Cowboy Boots and Country Ballads Party with campfire grub (barbequed pork on a bun with sides and ice cream.) After lunch Larry and Doreen Ayce-Crasill will perform their great country music.

Wednesday, February 10, Souper Wednesday and trivial pursuit.

Wednesday, February 17, We will return to the Southbury Jewish Federation for a "love & Knishes" lunch followed by entertainment.

Wednesday February 24, For our February lunch bunch, we will enjoy a buffet at the Log House.

A Wednesday early in March we will be bused to Meriden Mall to shop at the new Boscovs (like Kohls)

Wednesday, March 16, Pierre Campbell will perform at our St. Pat's party.

Bobby Ether, a member, is looking for assistance. Peggy suggested he contact the CT Community Care, Inc.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

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