

Approved
10-9-2018

Council on Aging Board Meeting

September 11, 2018

In attendance: Kathy Keiser, Judy Cyr, Heidi Whear, Ruth Iarrobino, Mary Cobbett, Bill Hyde, Marilyn Cassidy, Marilyn Hurwitz

Minutes of previous meeting reviewed and accepted.

- I. Old Business
 - A. The Friends barbecue and Lobster Lunch were very successful.
 - B. Medical Rides are up and running / 2-4 Wednesdays / \$2.00
 - 1. Centennial Park and Mass General have been added to destinations
 - C. New phone system and computers received.
 - D. AC is being worked on in order to regulate it better.
 - E. New classes: Mahjong, Canasta and Chair Yoga
- II. New Business
 - A. The Grant Allocation was passed out for review and now goes to the state.
 - B. The budget was passed out and reviewed.
 - C. On 9/13 the "Parents do not want to be parented" dinner will be held, 5-6:30.
 - D. The Age Friendly Community was discussed as the town has been given a \$30,000 grant for a study. Heidi Whear and Bob Powell will be the official reps from the council. There will be a leadership of figureheads with a task force of workers.
 - E. A Transportation policy was discussed. Some longtime residents have moved out of town and thus, are no longer eligible for transportation. A motion was made and passed to grandfather previous Swampscott residents within ¼ mile to be eligible for pick-up.
 - F. Lock Boxes for Seniors.....Heidi presented that Swampscott Rotary will do a grant for lockboxes. Gina will make a recommendation.

Meeting adjourned 9:30

Next Meeting October 9, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn L Cassidy