

Advisory Committee for Senior Citizens

A regular meeting of the Advisory Committee for Senior Citizens was held on Thursday, Nov. 1, 2007 at the Troy Community Center. Chair Bud Black called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM.

Present: Jo Rhoads, Member
James Berar, Member
David Ogg, Member
Bud Black, Member
Frank Shier, Member
Pauline Noce, Member
JoAnn Thompson, Member
Merrill Dixon, Member
Betty Coven, Member
Carla Vaughan, Staff

Absent: None

Visitors: None

Approval of Minutes

Resolution # SC-2007-11-001
Moved by Jo Rhoads
Seconded by JoAnn Thompson

RESOLVED, That the Minutes of Oct. 4, 2007 be approved as submitted.

Yes: 9
No: 0

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Visitor Comments

None.

Old Business

Lunch Visits: Betty Coven visited Royal Oak. The food was good, but she had the last table number drawn and felt rushed. The fee is \$3.

Path at Athens High School: Carla reported that she did contact the Streets Department who has responsibility for that path, via email, but has not heard back from them. She will follow up today and report next month.

New Business

Suggestion Box: Carla reported that there were no suggestions regarding the senior program this month.

Airport Rides: JoAnn Thompson reported on various services available for transportation to the airport. Bud Black is going to contact airport transportation services to get their rates for possible inclusion in the senior newsletter.

Cancellation of December Meeting: Merrill Dixon suggested cancelling the December meeting. The majority of the committee wanted to have a meeting, so it will be held.

Reports

Park Board: No report.

Senior Program: Carla reported that the Broadway Memories variety show will be held tomorrow and Saturday. Seventeen people attended the first Caregiver's Support group meeting. Future topics for that group will include community resources, hospice, activities for those with dementia, and medication management.

Medi-Go: Jo Rhoads reported that Medi-Go is talking about merging with another group to cut costs. The service is going fine.

OLHSA: Pauline Noce reported that they had a speaker on identity theft.

Oakland County Senior Advisory Board: No report.

Comments

Merrill Dixon announced that the flu shot clinic and health fair will be November 14.

Jo Rhoads suggested that contact information about attorneys that specialize in elder law be listed in the newsletter. Jim Berar asked about the possibility of them placing ads, and Carla reported that at this time, we do not accept ads for the newsletter.

David Ogg commented that the committee should not keep rehashing things. They should decide what action to take, take that action and move on.

Jim Berar asked about where the committee should get items to talk about.

Betty Coven reported that her Cross Train Your Brain program is going great with 32 enrolled.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Bud Black, Chair

Carla Vaughan, Secretary