

Plympton Council on Aging Minutes – August 1, 2016

Members Present: Dot Cushman, Barbara Knox, Shirley Martin, Sue Walker, Pat Mustacaros, Sandy Henry, Barbara Allsopp, Chris Maiorano, Jean Langley, Evie Hannigan

Attending: Joanne Barrow

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted with one correction. Phyllis Carrasquillo's name was omitted from attendees.

Chris Maiorano and Pat Mustacaros attended the March Against Elder Abuse in Brockton on June 15. The march was well attended.

Old Colony Elder Services – Pat Mustacaros reports that the SHINE Program is being cut and suggested the COA write a letter to our representatives to continue this program. Chris Maiorano has already taken action on the issue and wrote to Representative Tom Calter and Congressman Bill Keating. There is no report from OCES as they are on hiatus for the summer.

Woodlands – Jean Langley reports that all is going well. She has 77 people signed up for the Chicken Bake being held at the Upland Club on August 10.

Senior Aide – Jim Mustacaros reports that he has five new clients.

Chris Maiorano - reported for the Friends of the Council on Aging concerning the plans for the Craft Fair scheduled for September 24 at the Upland Club. Eleven crafters have committed. Volunteers will be needed to assist in setting up tables, baking goods and selling them.

Chris reported on closing FY16 budget. The new grant amount for FY17 is \$5880 for the Handyperson and \$5900 for the town budget for expenses.

We hope to collaborate with the Library for an event in October.

Treasurer's Report: Barbara Allsopp – Handy: \$5592.00; Town: \$5728.27

Meeting adjourned at 11:55 am.

Respectfully submitted.

Evelyn Hannigan

PLYMPTON COUNCIL ON AGING BOARD MEETING –May 2, 2016 @ 10:30
Town House 5 Palmer Rd. Plympton

Old Business:

1. Secretary Report – Evie Hannigan
2. Old Colony Elder Services – Pat Mustacaros – updates/information
3. Senior Aide Report, Jim Mustacaros – news on senior outreach
4. Woodlands status- Jean Langley

New Business :

1. Craft Fair Sept. 24th 9:30-3pm at Upland Club- Joanne Barrow will assist
 - a. Raffle – items ?? Tix to be sold, cost, Display Table, cash box, Leader ???
 - b. Bake Sale table – volunteers from Dot, cash box, platters & saran wrap, Coffee urn, water & coffee, cream & sugar, Leader ???
 - c. Advertisements- Pat for newspaper, Flyers @ Town Hse, Cafe, Library, Post Office
 - d. Table renters – Tax decution letter, how many ? - Leader ???
 - e. Disbursement of funds – overseer from Friends group, plan to follow- Sandi
2. “Emergency Preparedness” presentation by TRIAD at Carver Library Sept. 22nd 2-3:30
3. Healthy Harvest – delivery by them on 8/29 also Picked up on 8/24
4. **Apple Crisp Event** at the Library on Oct. 6th at 1pm “Let's Reminisce” Music ??
5. Senior Workoff Applications are available – left on my desk for pick up
 - a. Al Vautrinot continues to work beyond his 50 hrs requirement
 - b. Harry Weikel and Joanne Barrow may need more hours ?
 - c. Debra Freney completed 50 hrs. for Town Clerk
6. Grant application sent to establish a Walking Group - \$600 from MCOA – Pat & Sandi
7. MCOA Fall Conference at Seacrest in Falmouth – anyone interested ?? Oct. 26 – 28
8. Maxine Kilgore – issues continue / use of Handiperson account for trash removal
9. Treasurer’s Report – signatures on warrant, budget requests

BALANCES – Handi-person _____ Town _____

10. Open Discussion – issues and concerns to be addressed by the Board

ATTENDANCE :