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**Commission Notes** 

# MORRIS SENIOR CENTER COMMISSION

Minutes of March 16, 2018

The meeting of the Morris Senior Center Commission was called to order at 1:40 PM by Harriet Ellis, Chairman.

Present were: Harriet Ellis, Bev Huntley, Carol Anderson, Marge Lilley, Dot DeLuca, Linda McMaster and Kristen Davila.

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Bev Huntley made a motion to amend the agenda to include adding the minutes of the December 15, 2017 meeting. The motion was seconded by Marge Lilley, and passed.

The motion to approve the minutes of December 15, 2017 was made by Bev Huntley, seconded by Marge Lilley, and passed.

### Communications:

None

## Old Business:

- a. The Walk With Ease program has been well received. Many would like to continue walking after the program ends. Dot DeLuca suggested walking around the Senior Center and Eldridge. Harriet Ellis reported that the custodian at James Morris School would open the school early for walking, but the request must come from Kristen Davila.
- b. Kristen was asked to contact the scouts to help clean out the Senior Center basement. New shelves would be needed. The basement could be used to store items for Beach and Recreation, as well as the Senior Center.

#### **New Business:**

- a. The dishwasher in the kitchen is not working properly. A repair service was called. The temperature probes were cleaned but the issue persists. A temporary solution is to use plastic silverware and cups. Kristen will look into the possibility of buying a sterilizing dishwasher or a household dishwasher with a sanitary rinse cycle.
- b. The fund raising appeal sent out in the mail raised \$210. Kristen will also email this appeal.
- c. Suggestions were made to do a Senior Outreach to promote the Senior Center. Dot suggested that Kristen attend one of the monthly meeting at Eldridge and talk about what is available at the Senior Center. Kristen suggested that commission members could make scripted calls to seniors in our town.
- d. Spring and summer programming will include the Ice Cream Social and the Lunch and Learn programs.

Director's Report - January / February, March 16, 2018 January 12 - Movie Matinee: Maudie, PG January 16 - Lunch and Learn: Hypno-Tapping January 18 - The Prospector Theater, Ridgefield January 23 - Tea & Paint with the JMS 6th Graders January 25 - Potluck & Trivia January 26 - Movie Matinee: Battle of the Sexes, PG-13 February 1 - Christmas Tree Shop, Orange February 8 - Thrift Store Tour, Waterbury / Southbury February 9 - Movie Matinee: Victoria & Abdul, PG-13 February 20 - Lunch & Learn: Mary Todd Lincoln February 22 - CT Flower & Garden Show, Hartford February 23 - Movie Matinee: The Glass Castle, PG-13

**BUILDING MAINTENANCE** 

Replacement of the exterior kitchen door in Spring

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

March 7 and ongoing - Walk With Ease, JMS gym March 20 - Lunch & Learn: Estate Planning March 22 - NB Museum of American Art, New Britain March 23 - Movie Matinee: The Mountain Between Us, PG-13 March 29 - A Chorus Line at the Westchester Broadway Theater April 5 - Spring Wardrobe Spruce Up, Milford April 11 - Gold & Silver Guy April 12 - Seven Angels Theater, Waterbury April 13 - Movie Matinee: Roman J. Israel, Esq., PG-13 April 17 - The Divine Miss M at the Aqua Turf Club April 19 - Potluck & Trivia April 26 - Mark Twain House and Museum, Hartford April 27 - Movie Matinee: Lady Bird, R May 3 - Spring Luncheon at Hopkins Inn

A motion to adjourn was made by Dot DeLuca, seconded by Carol Anderson, and passed.

The meeting adjourned at 3:08 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Linda McMaster Secretary

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