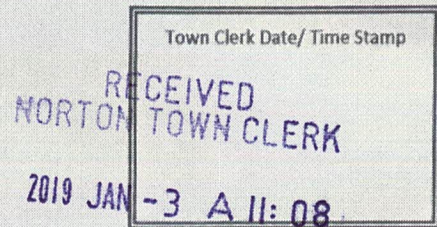




MINUTES

TOWN OF NORTON



Board/ Committee: Council on Aging

PM

Meeting Date: November 8, 2018

Meeting Location: ² Norton Senior Center . 55 West Main St.

Members & Staff Present: Kathy Eno, Carol McLaughlin, Beth Rossi, Judy Leroux, Natalie Lima, , Mary Ann Dempsey, Paul Wanamaker, Robyn Lovering , Pat Zwicker. Joan DeCosta. Ruth Schneider

The meeting was called to order at 3:33 PM and adjourned at 4:35 PM

Minutes from the 10/11/2018 meeting were reviewed & approved as written.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Approved by Judy and seconded by Joan

TREASURER'S REPORT:

General Fund: \$9787.06
Formula Grant: - \$5463.97
Gift Account: \$3426.46
Revolving Account: \$5430.22

Approved by Natalie and seconded by Judy

OLD BUSINESS:

*The Autumn Trip to the Salem Cross Inn was enjoyed by all.
The Halloween Party was a "blast" accompanied by lots of laughs.
Our gift of gratitude will be presented to our emergency responders before Thanksgiving.*

NEW BUSINESS:

*The Center will be closed for Thanksgiving on Thursday and Friday of the holiday week.
The Center will also be closed on Monday and Tuesday of Christmas week.
The Senior Surveys concerning the needs in a new Senior Center are available online and distributed to local establishments. Please have your friends and neighbors also fill them out and return them to the Center. The collection of surveys will end on November 19, 2018. The many paper surveys are kindly being inputted to the system by Dinah O'Brien.*

Senior School Function Passes will be available at the Center.
It was suggested that we have an Open House, speak at the Lion's Club, appear on Cable, incorporate working with the schools, scouts, etc., to enhance our relationships with the sandwich generation and a variety of all citizen's in Norton.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

The Tree Lighting Ceremony will be celebrated on December 7, 2018.
The Christmas Party at the Chateau will be on Sunday, December 16, 2018. It cost \$30 and is open to all. Sign up @ the Friends drop box. See you all there for Santa, spirits and jingle bells.
A free Balance Class is being offered November 5 to see how many would be interested in an ongoing program.
We need a substitute teacher for the line dancing class.
One of the Wheaton Students has offered to help us in online fund raising. We will continue networking with the Wheaton Students.
Five members of the C.O.A. will attend a training session Wednesday 11/14/18.
Kathy Varnum has received " THE EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH AWARD " Well deserved, Kathy!
The Girl Scouts will adopt a senior for Christmas.
State Senator Paul Feeney has made it possible for the seniors to purchase a generator to help us stay warm for the cold winter months ahead.
Human Service needs remain high and the need for assistance non-stop.
Uber service for the needy will continue.

The next meeting will be December 13, 2018, 2018 @ 3:30 PM.

Meeting dismissed
at 4:35 PM.

Approved by Natalie and seconded by Judy

Minutes submitted by :

Carol Mc Laughlin

Minutes Approved by Committee on:

12/13/18

Chairman Signature

Kathleen Eno