## PLAINVILLE SENIOR CENTER COMMITTEE ON AGING JUNE 8, 2023 MEETING MINUTES

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Director: Shawn Cohen, Assistant Director: Ronda Guberman, Sue DesRochers, Brenda Tella, Charlotte Politis, Betsy Creswell, Kathy Pugliese

MEMBERS ABSENT: Joan McBain, Soni Sperduti, Kathie Marsan

MEETING WAS OPENED AT 12:00 PM by Charlotte Politis

THE MEETING WAS OPENED WITH A PRAYER by Charlotte Politis

**MOTION** was made by *Sue DesRochers* and seconded by *Betsy Creswell* (vote unanimous to accept the minutes of May 11, 2023) as corrected

TOWN OF PLAINVILLE TREASURER'S REPORT read by Ronda Guberman

**MOTION** made by *Brenda Tella* and seconded by *Brenda Betsy Creswell* (vote unanimous to accept the report as read).

THE SENIOR CENTER STATEMENT OF CASH BALANCE ENDING June 06, 2023 was read by Ronda Guberman.

**MOTION:** was made by: *Brenda Tella* and seconded by *Betsy Creswell* (vote unanimous to accept the report as read)

**EXPENDITURES:** Upcoming: Thank You to Us in memory of Sally Miller.

**MOTION ON EXPENDITURES: N/A** 

## **DIRECTORS REPORT:**

- A. <u>Future ARPA</u>: need opinions, have committees, surveys, new sound system, programs, etc. Senior Centers are not for people who need care, must be independent!

  Get a sound system for hard of hearing people!
- B. <u>Tile Floors</u> just had our tile floors done: Blue Room, Kitchen, Café, 2 Bathrooms, Green Room, Nurse's Room.
- C. <u>FOA</u> Bonnie Soucy recently retired from State of CT, teaches Yoga. Handles banking, reports, checkbook, reconciliations, also is volunteer coordinator. Getting oriented.
- D. <u>Jason Coppola</u> is back (Veteran Service Officer)

  Jason's job was to make sure our vets are getting the services they need. He is a purple heart veteran himself so is familiar with how it all works. Appointments are on 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays.
- E. Strawberry Shortcake COA to host for volunteers.
  - 6/21 Wednesday at 2PM to cut strawberries serving 2:30 PM to help serve. (6/22) <u>Lion's Picnic</u> 6/09 Thursday at 12:00. Hot dogs and hamburgers and ice cream truck. Senior Center to make the salads and baked beans. Entertainment will be provided. Volunteers to help serve!
- F. <u>Future Fundraisers</u> no tag sale this year!

Fair – November 4. Quilts by our instructor to raffle off; money tree, Hoping to get caregiver presentation in September.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Caregivers grant distribution from the Plainville Community Fund at the Main Street Community Foundation in the amount of \$1,586.00. Hoping to schedule caregiver presentation in September.

- **NEW BUSINESS:** Nominating Committee

  1. Sue DesRochers for Chairman
  - 2. Charlotte Politis for Vice President
  - 3. Betsy Creswell for Treasurer
  - 4. Tina Wishart for Secretary

MOTION TO ADJOURN was made to adjourn at 1:13 by Tina Wishart, seconded by Sue DesRochers.

## **NEXT MEETING**

Thursday, September 14, 2023 11:30 AM

ALL COA MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Minutes by Secretary: Tina Wishart