

Meeting of the Council on Aging

May 8, 2018

The role of the Northborough Council on Aging is to maintain or increase the quality of life for the mature citizens of our community. We do this through support advocacy, planning, coordination, and implementation of programs that bring mature citizens together for social recreational and educational purposes. We seek to educate the entire community and enlist its support and participation.

1. Call to order: A meeting of the Council on Aging of the town of Northborough was called to order at 7:00 PM by Adrienne Cost, Chair with the following present:

Alice Stapelfeld, Member

Anita Hagspiel, Friends

Phylis Muthee, Member

Kelly Burke, Senior Center Director

Tony Pini, Member

The following members were not present: Jerry Anderson

Guest: Lynn Li

2. Approval of the minutes:
The minutes of April 10, 2018 were approved.
3. Friends' Report
The Friend annual meeting will have refreshments and entertainment. Anita reported that the Friends have received a bequest of \$46,000 which was placed in a 2 year CD. The talent show has been postponed to 2019. The Fair is in the planning stages. October 5th the Friends will hold a spaghetti sauce fund raiser. They will also hold a Luau fund Raiser at Whitney place in August.
4. Director's Report
Kelly reported that the Volunteer breakfast will be held on June 22. The Volunteer Ice Cream Social will be held on Jun3 19th. The two events are held so that all volunteers have two time slots to choose to attend. Some of volunteers are unable to attend daytime events.
In keeping with the cultural competency, the center will host an Indian luncheon with Indian food and entertainment. She has hired an instructor for a new exercise class which is chair tap dancing. The Daybreak program is going well and the facilitator is wonderful.
5. WRTA Advisory Report – The WRTA has financial woes, but will not effect the Senior Center Services..
6. Bay Path Report
No report.
7. Old Business/ Community Awareness.
None.