



Beaverton Senior Citizen's Advisory Committee

Tuesday, May 11th, 2010, 2:30 p.m.
Beaverton City Hall
First Floor Conference Room

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 PM by Michael Heart, Chair

Roll Call

Member Present: Judith Auslander, Cathy Leong, Michael Heart, Cheryl Gill-Shelton, Minnie Stoumbaugh, Helen Robinson, William Johnson, Joan Lampert, Gail Miller, Robert Marchbank

Members absent:

Council Liaison: Cathy Stanton - absent

Staff Liaison: Jim Brooks

Elsie Stuhr Representative: Laurel Reilly

Guest: Melissa Crocker

Opening

Call to order

Introductions of Committee Members

Moment of silence for Councilman Bruce Dalrymple who passed away in April.

Special Presentation by Melissa Crocker – 211 Info and Housing Connection Jim is going to check to see about getting 211 info put on our website. Can take a tour of 211 on the last Thursday of the month from 10:30 to noon.

Approval of April 2010 Minutes – It was moved and seconded to approve the April 2010 minutes as corrected.

Old Business

SCAC Forum – Evaluation

Thanked Bill and Bob for all their hard work on the Forum.

Positive Comments: Singing, Exercise, Bringing people in the door to sign in and fill out surveys, Volunteer help, Venue, Having questions prepared in advance and papers for people to ask questions, extra meetings on forum only. Recognizing council members in their audience and their support.

Less Positive: Have healthy foods next time, Water, Better Advertising and more in advance, Better communication between organizer and Jim.

Advertising: Need information about what speaker will be talking about, Need everything more in advance, More advance time, Find out what works in advertising, Spending money on postcards going to places where seniors are not going to probably come. Need to find a person who has an interest in marketing and advertising to work directly with Jim. Maybe use Elsie Stuhr mailing list.

Suggestions for next forum – videotape so can put on website and TVCTV.

Evaluations and Survey's – People did not fill out the second side- do not double side print. Passed out Evaluation and Survey.

Do we want to do more forums? Motion and 2nd and approved to have another forum. Suggested that it be a forum which invites SHIBA and talks about scams. Will talk to Ann Satterfield regarding timing with Elsie Stuhr Health Fair.

Mentoring – Minnie Stoumbaugh

Asked to provide a speaker for July the mentoring program. Edgewood Downs had a senior fair with things for sale. Minnie had a booth to find mentors. Many thought it was a good idea but did not get people to sign up.

Minnie is going to Council Meeting tonight to talk to mayor and council members about mentoring. Also, will check with Elsie Stuhr.

Suggested that summer may be a good time to have senior mentors working with children.

Michael asked Minnie to bring more information for next time.

Senior Discounts – Still looking for more places. Need to create a list.

New Business

Next meeting – talk more about advertising for future forums. Talk to Ann Satterfield of Elsie Stuhr about forum timing.

Group Project - Michael suggested that we find a group project we can do together. Judith and Helen to find places. Moved and 2nd that we find a project that we can do together. Others with suggestions will send to Judith and Helen. Volunteer Match, Hands on Greater Portland, DAVS have lists of places to volunteer.

Speakers - Judith told about a senior fair where talked about woman she met who had pin – purple ribbon with Fall Prevention on it. Maybe ask her to come to speak.

Program Chair – May want to have someone take this position.

Closing and Adjournment

Adjourned at 4:04 PM

Next Scheduled Meeting on Tuesday, June 8th, 2010, 2:30 PM, at City Hall in the First Floor Conference Room