

COUNCIL ON AGING BOARD

January 4, 2017

Meeting opened at 1:31pm

Members present: David Ketchum, Michelle Foley and Chris Asselin

Staff present: Chris Hottle

Public Speak: None

Motion was made by Michelle to approve minutes from December 7, 2016. Motion seconded by David. Vote was unanimous.

Director's Report:

- Mobile pantry new name "Healthy Food in Motion" and is to start Wednesday, January 25th from 9am to noon .It will be held the fourth Wednesday of month and is starting with seniors. Two volunteers needed to bring refrigerated and food items to individuals' car. No delivery service provided.
- Holiday programs went well. Spring programs being set up. Goal: hosting more support groups. Clinic room is being reconfigured to provide better atmosphere for group meetings. Grief support group, hosted by Beacon Hospice is starting in February and is open to public.
- Podiatry Program discussed. Outer Cape no longer has podiatry in Provincetown.
- Barnstable County Department of Human Services had strategic planning meeting to see how to make Cape viable for all ages. Five year plan will focus on aging with a Task Force unit bringing issues to the County.
- First follow up meeting with CCRTA will discuss transportation for older adults
- New town community nurse: C. Altieri

Old Business:

- Wellness programs continue.
- Goal: Partnerships with community health based associations. Presently partner with 24 entities.
- Marketing discussed.
- Facebook to be event based.

New Business: None

Next meeting will be February 1, 2017 at 1:30 pm. Motion made by David to Adjourn at 3:06 pm. Motion seconded by Michelle. Vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

Chris Asselin