

Town of Dunstable Council on Aging Meeting Minutes



COA meeting March 13, 2024

Grange Hall: 9:15

Next meeting April 17 2024

Present : Anne Fenochetti , Jean Haight , Joan Simmons, Barbara Martin , and Mary Dow

Absent : Don Pottle

Jean has offered to take on the responsibility of sending out either get well wishes or sympathy cards to seniors when needed. She will have the cards at the Wednesday meeting so everyone can sign them.

Anne , Jean , and myself will be doing 4 centerpieces for Easter at the March 29th meeting. They will then be raffled off at the meeting and 4 lucky seniors will be able to take one home to enjoy.

The Dunstable Fire Dept. did 3 visits to seniors and either updated the detectors with replacements or replaced the batteries in them. There is a list if any seniors would like this service.

May is older American Month and we have scheduled a date of going out to eat lunch at the Greater Lowell Vocational school May 15th.

We are trying to decide what we might do for seniors turning 90 this year .

According to Barbara there are 4 people reaching that milestone.

Sue Tully has a group that will be making special cards for the people turning 90.

Anne has received many calls from people needing some type help or to see if there is any type of service available to help them. Anne has told them if they need a ride for medical appointments to call Wally to see if he is available.

We are using the money received from Lowell 5 for flowers for the Easter centerpieces and meals for the seniors.

The town has received a grant from the state of Elders affairs for 5229.00 dollars . The money is used for Anne salary.

The seniors replaced the refrigerator in the community room and paid for it out of the donation account.

Respectfully submitted

Mary A. Dow

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