

**Oneida Senior Center Advisory Meeting**  
**100 W. Keenan St., Rhinelander**  
**January 23, 2013 (rescheduled from 1/9/13 due to lack of quorum)**

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 12:40 p.m. by R. E. Schnoor.

**Present:** Jean Bessert, Lois Kasmarek, Maxine Meyer, Ruth Musson, Rhae Ellen Schnoor, Inge Van Kampen  
Department on Aging/Senior Center: Stephanie Schroeder

**Absent:** Claire Kupczak, Cindy Moore

**Approval of Agenda for January 23, 2013:** Motion to approve the agenda was made by I. Van Kampen, seconded by M. Meyer, motion carried.

**Public Comment:** None.

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion by M. Meyer to approve the minutes from December 5, 2012, seconded by L. Kasmarek, motion carried.

**Date, Time and Location of Next Meeting:** The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 6, 2013 at 12:30 p.m., at the Oneida Co. Senior Center, 100 W. Keenan St., Rhinelander.

**Activities and Volunteer Coordinator's Report:** Monthly activities from December 2012 were reviewed. They included a huge Craft sale put on by the Oneida County Fair at the Center, a trip to Appleton to see the "Nutcracker" ballet at the Performing Arts Center, the annual Senior Center Christmas Party which was held at the Hideout Steakhouse, Dale Caskey's Historic Round Table presentation on "Ethnic Christmas Traditions," the Senior Center Book Club, and an intergeneration activity with Old School Arts and Learning.

**Rummage Sale Storage:** R. E. Schnoor, I. Van Kampen, M. Meyer, and S. Schroeder attended the Health and Aging meeting on January 17 as the Senior Center rummage sale storage was on the agenda. D. Jacobson and S. Schroeder passed out point/counter point informational handouts. The possibility of transferring storage to the old Daily News building (which the county now owns) and possibly holding the sale there was discussed. It was decided to request the matter be on the agenda for the Solid Waste and Buildings and Grounds Committee meeting, January 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Accreditation:** The process is coming along. S. Schroeder had passed out samples of mission statements from 18 other centers from which the board forged one to be forwarded to E. Brewster at UWEX. (She also has the sample list).

**Alive to Life:** The Department on Aging will be resurrecting the Alive to Life program which has been dormant for the last two years. Advisory board suggestions for presenters will be forwarded. The event is now targeted for some time in May.

**New Fall Event:** Ideas were discussed for a fall event. Some suggestions were to revisit some form of the Senior Olympics, special speakers for activities such as demonstrations on composting and trimming bushes. Forth Floral may be a good source for speakers. Another comment was made on the popularity of the pontoon boat ride we had on Boom Lake at the old Center.

**Valentine's Day & St. Pat's Activities:** There will be some trivia and activities for Valentine's Day. Louise Perreault will have her kids decorate the brown home delivered lunch bags. For St. Pat's day, individual butter mints and pin-on buttons with Irish sayings will be distributed in the home delivered meal bags. The annual St. Pat's bake sale on Friday, March 15 was discussed. We will need another volunteer for the "calling committee" to call people to bake or donate as Ione Schoeneck passed away last year.

**Wii Bowling League:** Scheduled to start the week of February 18. We hope to have 14 teams (two people per team). We will also need to solicit donations to sponsor the teams with the money going toward trophies and a banquet for the participants.

**Fund Raisers:**

YTD Card Sales for 2012 — \$710.71, Purchases — \$94.95 = \$615.76

No January report at this time.

The craft room display units are coming along. Starting in 2013, all crafters will be getting a breakdown with their payment that lists the 10 percent commission to the Center and the sales tax.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** None

**ITEMS for NEXT AGENDA:**

- New Advisory Board Members
- Accreditation
- St. Pat's Bake Sale & Activities
- Rummage Sale
- Fall Event
- Popcorn Popper

**ADJOURN:** Motion to adjourn at 2:15 p.m. by I. Van Kampen, seconded by M. Meyer, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by  
Jean Bessert, Secretary