**AARP CHAPTER 1917**

**General Meeting Minutes**

**April 11, 2019**

President Bob McCluskey opened the meeting at 10:05 AM and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Bob then introduced our guest speaker, Ms. Jill Kenney from the Salisbury MAC Center. Ms. Kenney gave a presentation on several free programs offered to seniors in Somerset, Wicomico, and Worcester counties. These programs focus on chronic disease management, fall prevention, and medication information. Another program in development is “Pearls” which helps people better deal with emotional issues most relevant to the senior population.

**Treasury:** The Treasury report was given by Sandy Kvech. NOTE: Ending balances reflect numbers for February and March. **General Funds - $$10,242.04; Scholarship - $834.32; Health Fair - $6,239.58; Travel - $43,103.99.**

**Travel:** Sandy provided an update on the 2019 remaining travel:

* NYC – Please pick up luggage tags and parking passes. Park in the rear lot of St. Luke’s, by the bank of trees
* Music, Monuments, and Memorials – trip has been cancelled
* Dover Downs- 6/4-6/5; includes $50 free play, show “Sounds of Doo Wop”; photo ID required; payment is due today
* Nova Scotia – 8/22-8/28; wait list only; payment is due by June; Parking will be on lot at rear of St. Andrew’s
* Annapolis Fall Foliage – 10/23, includes three hour boat cruise and bus tour, includes box lunch, $125 per person
* Christmas on the Potomac – trip will be announced in May

**Lunch Bunch:** Today – Blue Fish $11 per person

May – Crab Cake Factory on Rte. 54 $15 per person

**Holiday Party:**  The holiday party will be held on December 12 at the Clarion.

**Shredding:**  April 17, Bank of Ocean City, 3 bag max, donations for Diakonia

June 29- OP Library, time 9-1

**Health Fair:**  The Health Fair will be held on Tuesday, May 7th from 8-12:30. Anyone wishing to volunteer for either the health fair or the set up on May 6th at 11:00 AM may sign up today

**President’s Report:**

* Last day for taxes at Ocean City is April 13 th and April 15th at OP.
* Our Scholarship fundraiser has been postponed until the fall and it probably will be held at Outback
* Personnel Change – Garry Fox who has been our webmaster has resigned and Charlie Herbert has volunteered to take the position
* Our June luncheon will be held on June 13th. Our chapter will provide soda, water, subs, and chips. Please sign up if you would like to bring a side dish
* Please sign up for May meeting refreshments
* Our guest speaker in May will be from the Living Legacy Foundation and Michael LeCompte will return in September

50/50 in the amount of $42 was won by Grace Jenkins

Shorebirds tickets for the April 16th game were won by Betty Bandell

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 11:30 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Debi Cluskey, Secretary

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