Oneida Senior Center Advisory Meeting 100 W. Keenan St. Rhinelander Wednesday, December 11, 2013

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 12:10 p.m. by M. Meyer.

<u>Present:</u> Jean Bessert, Dorothy Bouffiou, Lois Kasmarek, Robert Krause, Maxine Meyer Department on Aging/Senior Center: Stephanie Schroeder <u>**Absent:**</u> Cindy Moore, Rhae Ellen Schnoor, Jean Schuelke, Inge Van Kampen

<u>Approval of Agenda December 11, 2013</u>: Motion to approve the agenda was made by L. Kasmarek, seconded by J.Bessert, motion carried.

Public Comment: None.

<u>Approval of Minutes from November 6, 2013:</u> Motion to approve the minutes was made by L. Kasmarek, seconded by R. Krause. Motion carried.

Date, Time and Location of Next Meeting: The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 12:00 p.m., at the Oneida Senior Center, 100 W. Keenan St., Rhinelander.

<u>New Advisory Board Members:</u> The council approved three new members to fill vacancies; Anice Stein, Alan Krueger, and Yvonne Fish. Introductions will be at the January meeting.

Senior Center Christmas Party: Final plans were made for the annual Senior Center Christmas Party on Sunday, December 15th at the Hideout Steakhouse. Cocktails will be at 4:00 p.m. and dinner at 5:00. Dave Drivas will be providing music during the meal.

<u>Activities and Volunteer Coordinator's Report:</u> Activities for November were reviewed. The annual Christmas trip to the Fireside dinner theater was on November 7 and 8. It was a busy trip with interesting tours such as the Mepps fishing tackle plant in Antigo, the "Walls of Wittenberg", Wisconsin Automotive Museum in Hartford, Brookfield Mall near Milwaukee, Bast Bell Museum; church; and an original German fachwerk house in the DheinsvilleHistorical Park. There was also wonderful food along the way.

Veterans Day was celebrated on the 11th with popular songs of WWI and WWII played on the piano by Darlene Cole. Hot cocoa and hermit cookies were served. There was also some military trivia.

The Red Hats paid a visit to the Center on November 14th with songs to sing and treats for everyone.

On November 25th, Todd Mountjoy from Nicolet College Library Services, gave an interesting and knowledgeable presentation on "Using a Nook or Kindle." Follow-up presentations are being planned.

<u>New Events</u>: S. Schroeder will be checking on a trip to see Celtic Women in Green Bay. A beef jerky fundraiser was also discussed. There is a two-case minimum order. The Center would sell one and Let's Go Fishing would take the other to sell. More on this at the next meeting. There is also a new monthly newsletter being printed by Liturgical Publications with community advertising sold by Liturgical paying for the printing. The "Best Years" articles will be included with additional info and also ADRC info.

Fund Raisers:

YTD Card Sales for 2013 — \$486.13 Misc. Funds raised to date — \$497.20 Senior Craft Sales profits — \$101.60 Rummage Sales to date — \$4,002.29

Accreditation: Still in progress.

Public Comment: None

Items for Next Agenda

Introduction New Advisory Board Members Election of Officers Beef Jerky Fundraiser Accreditation

Adjourn: Motion to adjourn at 1:10 p.m. by D. Bouffiou, seconded by J. Bessert, motion carried.

Submitted by Jean Bessert, Secretary