Social Committee General Meeting –June 12, 2023

Members Present: Mary Phelps, Cassie DeBow, Jeanie Kunz, Enid Lobel, Pat McCann, Debbie McDowell, Barbara Milligan, Lea Tyler, Millie Wallace, and Holly White. **Board Member**: Bill Schalleur

Mary Phelps called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Approval of minutes— Jeanie K. made a motion to approve the May 8, 2023 minutes. Holly W. seconded the motion, and it passed.

Treasurer's Report—Cassie D. said the May 31, 2023 account balance was \$6,479.46 less the Good Neighbor Fund of \$1,350.26 for a net balance of \$5,129.20.

Activity Reports—

- Ninety-seven RAP residents thoroughly enjoyed the May 24 Phillies game. Mary P. said there would certainly be another Phillies bus trip in 2024.
- Pat M. stated that 40 community members participated in the June 3 Community Garage Sale. Advertising prices went up significantly this year, probably necessitating a price increase in 2025.
- Enid L. said 45 residents joined their neighbors for the June 10 Regency Hills Cocktail Party. A good time was had by all.

Upcoming Events-

- Todd Welsh has received \$600 of the \$800 he expected for the June 25 Outdoor Gazebo Concert. He will email a reminder flyer the week before the event.
- Mary P. said the July 4th Party will cost \$21. Guests can begin arriving at 5:30 and Our Towne Catering will start serving the All American Barbecue dinner at 6:00.
- Barbara M. said that Dixie Picnic will cater the September 9 End of Summer Party. Jeanie K. and Mary P. will help Barbara with this event.
- George Redfern will lead the October 1 Sunday Speaker Series talk on Vocal Group Harmony-Then and Now.
- Jeanie K. said the New York City bus trip would take place on October 4 and cost \$55 per person. There will be space for 50 people. Refreshments will also be served.
- Physical therapist Jamie Colonna will give a Sunday Speaker Series presentation on October 15 on Osteoarthritis and Osteoporosis.
- Ray Buckley explained that the RAP Veterans' Day Tribute would take place on November 11 at 11:11 a. m. The local fire department will send representatives, and Millie W. suggested the police department could also be included. Coffee at the Clubhouse will be scheduled for that Saturday. Enid L. said her husband, Len, could identify a trumpet player for the event.

CAB Liaison—Bill S. reported that more than 40 residents had volunteered for AED/CPR training. Bill stated that the roofing check disbursements were complete. Lower than expected snow removal costs led to a budget surplus.

Discussion and Planning—

- Community member Ellen Sykes said a YMCA instructor would be willing to teach a strength-training course in the Sloan exercise room. Ellen explained that classes would start with six people and cost approximately \$65 per person for 4-5 classes per month. Barbara M. made a motion to approve a strength training class. Cassie D. seconded the motion.
- Cathy Sirocky and Deb Laspas met to discuss the 2023 flu clinic. The clinic will take place in September or early October.
- Millie W. explained that casinos no longer provided buses. Thus, the Social Committee would need to charge participants between \$31 and \$48 (size of bus) each to recoup the cost of securing a bus. The final bus trip price might be higher depending on the costs of the snacks and drinks provided. Mary P. will email a RAP flyer to assess community interest.
- Mary P. has reserved October 29 for a Line Dancing Party. A YMCA instructor will lead an hour class; cost will be determined
 once level of interest is assessed.

Since there was no further business, Millie W. made a motion to adjourn. Enid L. seconded, and the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie McDowell, Secretary