
Meeting Minutes

Call to order

A meeting of **Chesapeake Task Force on Aging** was held at **Willow Creek** on **Friday, May 04, 2018**

Attendees included:

- Marlene Ryan
- Iris James
- Kristi Massey
- Pam Matson
- Alisa Lofton
- Vivian Henderson
- Nicole Jones
- Sonya Meade-Settles
- Jenny Fertig
- Janie DeSio
- Cody Punt
- Mary Dorss
- Diane Perrot
- Pam Creef

Members not in attendance included [no complete list of members available].

Approval of minutes

Minutes from April, 2018 were not available.

Reports

- Treasury: \$422.91 Balance
 - o Checks can be made out to CTFOA and mailed to 919 Chattanooga St. Chesapeake, VA. 23322 757-777-2656 or through the PayPal account on the website.

Unfinished business

The All-City Task Force met in April. It was clear that the other cities have a stronger grasp on their committees than the CTFOA.

- Each committee needs to have at minimum 4-5 members. (Advocacy, Programming, and Community Service)
- Think about who you work with and who you know would benefit the Task Force and who would be benefited by the Task Force.
- It is suggested that we begin involving seniors and / or caregivers in our task force to help us figure out how best figure out where we can be helping the community.
 - o “What are the things that you face on a daily basis that you feel you need help with?”
- Currently the committees are:
 - o Programming – Iris James
 - o Advocacy / Legislative – Marlene Ryan
 - o Community Service – Vivian Henderson
 - Volunteers

Motion

No motions were made.

New Business

No new business.

Announcements

- Kim Smith, RN will unfortunately not be able to join us today. There was a family emergency. We are working to reschedule her.
- Next month we will be signing a Thank You card for Officer Smith of the Chesapeake PD.
- We continue to have website concerns. We are working diligently to get that fixed.
- A Board Meeting will be held following today's meeting.
- The Week of September 26th – Commonwealth Senior Living at Georgian Manor, in conjunction with Dr. Paul Aravich and (Tidewater Arts Outreach) will run an all-day workshop with the Virtual Dementia Tour. We can make this a Task Force event.
- May 23rd – 8:30 am – Panera Bread (Battlefield & Cedar) – Chesapeake 55 and Better will be holding their meeting with the Triad and Task Forces
- If you want more information about volunteering, go to the website, volunteerhr.org. This site can also help us with volunteer background checks. (Iris will be setting the Task Force up with that organization.)
- Disabled American Veterans have an Outreach Organization that helps other disabled American Vets.
- The Rotary Club also has an outreach called Paint Your Heart Out who paints houses for older adults who cannot do for themselves as well.
- South Hampton Roads Omega House has a meeting the fourth Tuesday of every month in Virginia Beach. They are a specifically community service fraternity and sorority. Vivian will be sending us the information.
- SSSEVA has the annual Day of Caring in September
- Give Local 757 is Tuesday, May 8th. This is a great opportunity to sprinkle your love to the seniors in the Hampton Roads area. #SprinkleTheLoveCTFOA
- The Art of Healthy Aging is November 14th in Virginia Beach – They are in need of volunteers.
- May is National American Older Adults Month
- SSSEVA is hosting a free “You’re Never Too Old For Technology” where they will be teaching older adults to utilize Skype, FaceTime, and Facebook etc. Thursday, May 17th
- It’s not too late to donate to the March of Dimes
- The Alzheimer’s Association will be hosting their Caregiver Boot Camp on June 5th and June 7th. The fee is \$10 – breakfast and lunch are included.
- The next meeting will be Friday, June 1st at The Reserves of Greenbrier
- There will be no meeting in July.

Adjournment

Meeting Adjourned at 10:10 am.

Kristi K. Massey
Secretary

04 May, 2018
Date of approval