BRANT SENIOR CITIZENS’ ORGANIZATION

Wednesday, March 1, 2023 Minutes

We started our meeting by playing Wheel of Fortune. Sheila Rauker played Vanna White.

Call to Order: President DeLong called the meeting to order at 1pm

Prayers were said for: Gerri DePovelo, Arica Clear Family, Marilyn Corida, Lynn Whitworth, John

Roll Call: 27 Seniors are present

Secretary’s Report: Secretary Ostrowski read the Minutes. A motion to accept the minutes was made by Dolly Huffnagle and seconded by Dennis Rubeck. Approved.

Treasurers: Diane Czyz reported that we have in our Operating Account: $1651.26

and in our Travel Account: $2798.86 She mentioned to Barb Daniel about our gift from the Town of $6000.

Faith said we will have guest speaker Taylor be at our next meeting to talk about Palliative Care.

Marie Lalka volunteered to make salad for our April meeting.

Joe Ostrowski said the By-laws Committee met on February 9th. Suggested changes will be sent to all voting members. A discussion and vote will take place at our next meeting.

Celebrating birthdays this month: Joyce Cureo, Neil Ross, Lynda Ostrowski

50/50 Winners: Sheila Rauker, Marion Berns, Dennis Rubeck, Meg Pantera, Free lunch went to Dennis Rubeck.

Barb Daniel said the painter, Ramona, would love to have a class. Barb is looking to see how many people would be interested in attending. We need a count. If you’re interested, let us know. The class will probably take place in the middle of summer.

Neil Ross spoke about the fundraiser that was held. He said they raised $2000 to benefit the Fleet Reserve Association. Marie Lalka won one of the cash prizes.

We thanked Faith and all who helped with this special lunch celebrating St. Patrick & St. Joseph.

Trips: We need 30 people. $35 is the cost for Brant Residents. If you don’t show up the Seniors still have to pay for your trip.

**Tuesday, April 25**: Motown Years. Going to Seneca Niagara Casino. The show is at 2pm and features songs from those years. Everyone will receive $20 in slot dollars and $10 food credit and free general admission to the show. We leave at 9:15am and return about 6pm. This trip MUST be paid at our next meeting.

**Tuesday, May 16**: Country Fun: Travel to Cuba NY to enjoy county music adventure at Moonwinks which is a premier restaurant. Lunch is a choice of Chicken Parm with a side of spaghetti & vegetable, Scampi-style Haddock Fillet with baked potato & vegetable or Mediterranean Pasta with asparagus, diced tomatoes, kalamata olives, fresh spinach, fresh garlic, and feta cheese. We will also be stopping at Cuba Cheese Shoppe. We leave at 9:15am and return about 6pm

**Tuesday, June 27:** The Gambler Returns: We are going to Seneca Allegany Casino. The Gambler Returns is a Kenny Rogers tribute and starts at 2pm. Everyone will receive $20 in slot dollars, $10 food credit and a ticket to the show. We leave at 9:30am and return at 6pm.

**Wednesday, July 26:** The Chicago Speakeasy: We are going to The Station Dinner Theatre in Erie PA. We have a family style lunch during the show. We then go to Presque Isle Downs Casino or Shopping at Millcreek Mall. We leave at 10am and return around 7:30pm.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dolly Huffnagle and seconded by Rosemary Hauser. Carried.

Respectfully Submitted

Lynda Ostrowski

Secretary