



TOWN OF MIDDLEFIELD  
COUNCIL ON AGING  
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December 05, 2018  
Senior Center  
Minutes

**Members present:** Chair Judith Hoag, Sharon Barry, Laurie Lafreniere. Administrative staff: Lois Leonardo-Bell.

**Regrets:** Crystal Main, Noreen and Priscilla Suriner.

**Guest:** Patricia Jones

The meeting was opened at 1:55

**Bright Nights:** Chester COA offered van to transport residents to Bright Nights at Forest Park. Will notify Chester of availability on the 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> to coincide schedules. A count will be taken next week.

**Minutes:** A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of 11/07. Motion approved unanimously. Tom Austin will be consulted about the Silent Call Procedure before the next meeting.

**Locks:** Nate Kruszyna has accumulated all of the locks needed except the front door locks.

**Thermal Window Treatments:** Appreciation was shown for Laurie Lafreniere for all the time and effort that she has put in to get our window treatments installed.

**Bingo:** Scheduled for January 9. Lois will pick up Bingo prizes.

**Transportation:** Drivers are needed. Anyone interested can contact our COA at 623-9990.

**Food Pantry:** Discussion occurred and will be further evaluated. Also discussed privacy re. Brown Bags.

**Cookie Swap:** Lois will pick up cider. Need to schedule Cookie Swap and Foot Clinic for the 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Christmas decorations:** Laurie will pick up a wreath. Christmas garland may be used in lieu of the tree.

**Handyman:** The lock on the small bathroom is working. Insulation blankets discussed. Need to consult Skip. Privacy partitions are needed for the nail clinic.

**Appointments:** Potential members were discussed.

**Dump Run Café:** Laurie is hosting the 30<sup>th</sup>, Lois the 16<sup>th</sup> and Judy the 9<sup>th</sup>.

Motion was made and seconded at 3:02. Motion approved unanimously.  
Next meeting: 2019-01-02

Respectfully submitted,

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