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Making a Difference in our Communities

May 27th, 2014

11:00 AM – Super 8 Motel

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Attendance

Robert Schulz
Donna McKelvie
Sue Drew

Kim Tarrant
Erma Armit

Regrets: June Caul, Josie Miller, Nell Laur, Jolene Quast, Gloria Bergner and Anne McCoy

- 1. Welcome & Introductions** – Robert welcomed everyone to the meeting and the attendance sheet was circulated.
- 2. Approval of Minutes** – Donna McKelvie made a motion to approve the minutes of April 29th, 2014. Sue Drew seconded the motion. All were in favour.
- 3. Financial Report:** Wilson's Credit \$6.74
Seniors' Account \$4,433.10

- 4. Update: Business and Community Expo May 16th and 17th.** 1100 people attended (including exhibitors). The Victoria Day long weekend may have been a contributing factor to the low attendance. SALT and ALAG shared a booth, which had a lot of valuable/useful information. The SALT/ALAG committees would like to thank everyone for their support and volunteering their time at the booth. Congratulations go out to Mrs. Helen Forsythe, winner of our door prize. Robert will submit a request for the same booth location at the 2015 expo.
- 5. Eager B's:** Seniors games will be taking place on June 25th, 2014 at the Sister Kennedy Centre. Last day to register for this event is May 31, 2014, by contacting the Sister Kennedy Centre. Donna McKelvie reported that on June 21, 2014 a free bus ride to Kenora is available for those interested in attending the Kenora "Swinging Seniors" event. There will be entertainment, games and food to name a few of the activities. Those interested are invited to contact the Sister Kennedy Centre in that regard. Sue Drew reported that a "Walking Group" will start on June 10, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. and running to 10:30 a.m. at the Big Red Chair at the Point Park. Sue also made an inquiry as to the possibility of conducting the Eager B's regular meetings at unit #201 Green Manor. Keys for that purpose may be obtained from Robert Schulz, Erma Armit, Nell Laur or June Caul.

6. **Update: Kiss and Ride Program** – Robert advised that he will be meeting with Tom Foley at 1:00 p.m. on May 27th, 2014 with regard to creating a video of the Kiss and Ride program at Robert Moore School.
7. **Update: Newsletter** – tabled.
8. **Update: Safe Communities** – next partners meeting will be held on June 17th, 2014 at 11:30 a.m. at the Ambulance garage.
9. **Update: Senior’s Community Grant Program** – Erma Armit reported the grant application was submitted before the end of March 2014 and we have received confirmation that the application has been received. Erma will send an email requesting an update as to the status of the application. Applications for the New Horizons Seniors Funding Grant are to be submitted no later than July 4th, 2014. We are waiting to hear from Anne McCoy as to how to proceed, otherwise, we will wait for the next opportunity.
10. **Update: Elder Abuse** - Robert Schulz reported that he attended a “Power of Attorney” workshop on May 13th, 2014, sponsored by the Royal Bank of Canada. Many good points were noted which will be useful when conducting our elder abuse presentations.
11. **Update: Meeting locations** – Donna McKelvie reported that she has obtained permission from Sister Kennedy Centre to conduct SALT meetings at their facility at no charge.

12. **Other Business:** The “Hike It & Bike It” event will run from June 1st, 2014 to June 20th, 2014. Anyone interested in obtaining more information or registering for this event may do so by contacting the Northwestern Health Unit.
Anyone interested in the “Walking School Bus” program may obtain more information from Jolene Quast at the Northwestern Health Unit.
13. **Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 11:50 a.m.. There will be no meeting in June. The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, August 26th, 2014 at 11:00 a.m.** at the Sister Kennedy Centre.