

Age-Friendly Community Committee
Meeting Minutes
May 10, 2022

- I. Attendance: Leroy Walker, Jan Biron, Dana Morrell, Cindy Larrabee, Diane Vincent, Sally Gagnon, Bob Cavanagh, Larry Pelletier, Donna Wallace, Tina Eugley and Jamie Longley.
- II. The meeting opened at 6:01 p.m. with the review of the April 12 minutes. Motion by Diane Vincent to accept the minutes as presented. Second by Larry Pelletier. All in favor.
- III. Movies
 - A. 5/17 “Here Today” – An Alzheimer’s story. Ham Italian sandwiches from Roy’s Foodland will be served at 11:30 a.m. 38 people are signed up for the movie.
 - B. 6/17 “Dolphin Tales” will be shown at 1:00 p.m. for kids. There will be no Lunch & Learn. Popcorn, juice and water will be available. Box cars will be decorated by the kids so they can watch the movie sitting in their cars.
 - C. 7/19 “My Big Fat Greek Wedding” will be shown at 1:00 p.m. Jamie will check into a Lunch & Learn subject.
- IV. There will be no pancake breakfast
- V. Future Events Update:
 - A. Balloon Festival will be held on August 19, 20 & 21. Jamie will put a schedule together for people to sign up to work.
- VI. Old Business
 - A. Potatoes – Leroy met with Dave Bell to set up a program with Age-Friendly. He agreed to give us bags of potatoes to give away until June, when they will be all gone. In the fall, he will have a new crop and will sell them by the pound (.20/lb.?) Leroy will talk to the city manager and CDBG to get funding.
 - B. Age-Friendly stickers will be placed on each bag to identify where they came from. Liz is getting the stickers made up and will put out something to the newspaper.
 - C. Bell’s may also offer us string beans and corn on the cob. Other local farmers may want to donate as well.
- VII. New Business
 - A. Larry Pelletier contacted the high school to get volunteers to help seniors to rake their yards, put in air conditioners, etc. The only date they will do it is May 20th. Not many are participating. Leroy will mention it at the next FASC meeting.
 - B. Jamie reported that Poland Spring has agreed to give us another 1800 bottles of water.
 - C. Donna Wallace mentioned that the library is fostering a 26 lb. cat named Junie. If anyone is interested, contact the library.
 - D. Reading challenge – Library will take picture of people reading books for their Facebook page.
 - E. The Library will have its kick off for summer programs “Oceans of Possibilities” which will be held at Festival Plaza.
 - F. Leroy reported that the city wants to re-do Festival Plaza. He wants us to write a letter to the city manager and councilors to make sure they include real bathrooms – NOT potties. The project will cost around \$2,000,000.00.
- VIII. Next meeting date is 6/14/22, 6:00 p.m. in the **HASTY COMMUNITY CENTER**. Please enter from the back side.
- IX. Adjournment 6:45 p.m. on a motion from Diane Vincent. Second by Larry Pelletier. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,
Jan Biron, Secretary