

**Montgomery Township Senior Volunteer Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**January 10, 2013**

*The Reorganization Meeting was held at 7:00 PM, Wednesday January 09, 2013 at the Montgomery Township Building. The members of the Montgomery Township Senior Volunteer Committee in attendance included Peg Azarian, Helen Haag, Marian Pinkerton, Ralph Schurr, Jackie Volk, and Rich Roller. Also present was Laura Duff, Stacy Crandell, and Jeffrey McDonnell.*

**Call to Order:** Chairman Helen Haag called the Reorganization Meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

**Business:** Helen Haag was re-elected as chairman for the year of 2013 unanimously by all committee members present. Ralph Schurr was re-elected as vice chairman for the year of 2013 unanimously by all committee members present.

**Adjournment:** The Reorganization Meeting was adjourned at 7:02 PM

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**Call to Order:** Helen Haag called the regular meeting to order at 7:03 PM

**Approval of minutes for the November 14, 2012 Meeting:** Minutes were approved as submitted.

**Public Comment:** No public comment was heard.

**New Business:**

Stacy Crandell was thanked for her service to the committee by all members present, and Laura Duff was introduced as the new committee liaison and Public Information Coordinator.

Upcoming seminars were brought up by Helen and the possibility of Rosemary Ferrino coming in to discuss the new rules and regulations for nursing home facilities and assisted living facilities. Helen also stated that if a time could be determined for Ms. Ferrino to speak, there was the possibility of including a representative from Elm Terrace or another similar local facility.

Stacy brought up that the Parks and Recreation department was looking for speakers on May 16<sup>th</sup> from 1 pm to 3 pm and that Ms. Ferrino could be brought in to speak then. It was agreed that this was a good idea, and that Ms. Ferrino would be approached on her availability for that date and time.

It was also brought up that AAA speakers could be brought in as speakers in the future, with a focus on their discussions on Tips for Trouble-free Travel, a Packing Seminar, and Keeping the Keys (how senior drivers can be proactive in managing their driving careers).

The vacancy on the senior committee board was brought up. Jeff recommended advocating to the Board to allow the Senior Committee to interview individuals. It was discussed that since all members would be available following the Baby Boomer event on January 17<sup>th</sup> that Patricia Forbes, who had previously submitted a request to be considered for the position, could be brought in for interview during that time. Peg contacted Ms. Forbes and it was agreed that she come in to meet with the board on the 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Old Business:**

Seminars in the spring were also discussed. It was thought that seminars be held off on until the fall. The Medicare seminar was discussed and all agreed that it should be held again in the fall after hearing when enrollment is to be this year (usually towards the end of October). Dates of the 23<sup>rd</sup> or 24<sup>th</sup> were discussed.

Event participation by the Senior Committee was also brought up by Ralph. It was addressed that the Committee plans to participate in the Fall Fest, planned seminars, House Tours for the 300<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, and the Baby Boomers events.

**Adjourn:** The regular meeting was adjourned at 7:40 PM by Helen and seconded by Ralph.