

5/11 22 Plainfield COA Board Meeting Agenda;

April minutes presentation/approval

Welcome new board members – Bonnie Phillips, Mary Potter

1. Coordinator Update

- Consortium meeting summary
- Budget
- Learning curve

2. Newsletter and Plainfield Post content

- Introduce new coordinator & office hours
- Walking Map

3. Events for summer – need volunteer programmer

- Lady Bea boat excursion – August – Lina Bernstein
- Coffee hours & games – Game afternoon - 2-4 afternoon – town hall – reserve with Paula – once a month 4th Thursday – Bring your board games/cards, we'll supply coffee, tea and treats
- Luncheons – June jello salad, July orange BBQ chicken, coleslaw,
- Exercise classes – Monday zoom Joan Griswald...have her survey in person participation Sue will do it

4. How to survey Plainfield's over 60 needs – go through file!!!!

5. Updates for Senior Services folder –

Gail Fusco does brown bag in Plainfield

Consortium meeting summary -

Consortium dues are going up from 50 to 75 cents per elder. Plainfield Population is 617 and 346 are 60 and over. That's \$259.50 owed and the check must be made out to Town of Chesterfield NHCOA.

Big discussion on future of newsletter. Funds are good for one more year...discussion was about how to keep it funded. Reach out to people in Plainfield who sent letters supports to ask if we can publicize portion of their letter and send thank you cards. I received one letter from Bonnie Beth Pierce.

Only need to keep COA records 7 years, except for meeting notes are forever! Do we know all the rules?

Jan Gibeau request that all COA Coordinators pool a list of people who've done event COA events and their fee as reference material for all of us.

Want to meet with Deb Hollingworth to learn specifics on HVES Elder Connector services.

How many Plainfield residents benefit from HVES meals...Should we advertise this benefit in newsletters? Sandy Powers.

New COA coordinators in Goshen and Worthington.

Events – May 18th, Elder Law Zoom meeting at 10:30 coordinated by Chrisoula (Cummington COA Coord.)

May 26th at 1pm in Worthington Town Hall – rag time quintet

June 16th, Williamsburg COA Coord. Melissa Wilson has volunteered to do Tech support workshop at the library.

Housekeeper needed in for person in Cummington 8 hrs/week...contact Chrisoula.

Budget -

What is the last line in the movie Casablanca?

"Louis, I think this is the beginning of a beautiful friendship."

Where is Rick going at the end of Casablanca?

Louis says he can arrange for Rick to escape to **Brazzaville, another French colony in Africa**, and then announces he will go, too. The movie ends with Rick saying the famous final line, "Louis, I think this is the beginning of a beautiful friendship."

What did Rick have that everybody wanted?+

Letters of Transit

Why did Ilsa leave Rick waiting at the train station?

She was married

Where was Rick born?

When Major Strasser first asks Rick his nationality, Rick replies, "I'm a drunkard". Rick later advises Strasser that he was born in New York City, and warns the major that there are certain parts of that city the Germans should not try to invade.

Health Hampshire research