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Greetings from the President

We had an attendance of 80 at our September luncheon meeting.

Thanks to
Margaret Mi for selecting
the Historyland
Barbershop Quartet for
our September
entertainment. The old
songs brought back



memories for many of our members.



This month I want to give special thanks to Dora Holman and Nell Poates for picking up and bringing the chicken each month for our luncheon. They also

have been so great in decorating our tables. Thanks also to Virginia Austin for being the stand by to

pick up our meats for the luncheon. A special thanks to John Tinder for getting articles in our local newspaper, for donating flowers for the birthdays and for all the beautiful table and room decorations last year.



Thanks to Sue Eley for donating the door prizes, which went to Bernadine Crown, Elsie Carney and Barbara Johnson (pictures in next column).

371-2429 OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

EMERGENCY NUMBERS ONLY

President, Betty Lee Sprinkle www.fredburgseniors.org



Our 50/50 Winner was Susan Trunzo (shown at left).

Thanks to the Activities Committee and Lara Lewis for the lovely King and Queen Luncheon. We had 50 in attendance. And congratulations to **Dorian Myers** and **Peggy Atkins**, our 2015 King and Queen.

Our next monthly meeting is Wednesday, October 14th. **Please note our November luncheon will be on Nov.** 4th. And I hope to see you on some of our trips.

Betty Lee

Statement of Income & Expenses August 2015 **GENERAL FUND** July 2015 Starting Balance \$15,891.13 INCOME Membership Dues \$142.50 Lunches Bought 35.00 Interest .12 50/50 41.00 Transfer from Petty Cash 53.90 **TOTAL** \$ 272.52 **EXPENSES** Luncheon \$88.16 Bingo 50.00 Newsletter 53.60 State Corp. Comm. 25.00 Entertainment 30.00 Office Supplies 10.53 Refund of Overpayment Of Dues 7.50 TOTAL EXPENSES \$264.79 **Bank Balance** As of August 31, 2015 \$15,898.86 Check Book Balance – August 31, 2015 \$15,898.86

The Seniors extended birthday wishes to Daniel Perret, Dorothy Grizzle, Carolyn Fadely, Mattie McCall and Louise Stephens! Mike Milstead received thanks for our August entertainment. Also we appreciate the toaster oven donated by Beverly King and Sandra Saunder's donations of a vacuum and microwave.

Get-well wishes were mailed to Debbie Hatcher.

Please continue to remind us to send cards to our members.

Mary Sullivan, Corresponding Secretary

News from the Travel Committee

A big thank you to Ruth Skinner for successfully leading 34 of us on a delightful day in Staunton, VA, on September 8! The glass blowing demonstration and shop was amazing. The food at Mrs. Rowe's was worth a trip in and of

itself; and the tour of Woodrow Wilson's birthplace and Presidential Library was most interesting.

Graves Mountain Lodge, Syria, VA Tuesday, October 13 – 9:30 AM – 4:30 PM Cost \$56.00/person, (includes the cost of the fried chicken dinner).

Lunch at the Lodge, a stop at the Apple Barn; Yoder's Market on Route 29 in Madison County and the Country Store & Bakery on Route 29 in Culpeper County. Be sure to bring a cooler for your purchases.

Charles Town, WV, Casino
Thursday, October 22 – 8AM – 5PM
\$35.00/person (\$20.00 slot play given by casino). Join us for a fun day at the casino.

See the musical, *Mame*, at Riverside Center Dinner Theatre. We have reserved a matinée, 11:15 AM – 4:15 PM, on Wednesday, November 18, 2015. Your \$50 price per person includes luncheon, performance, tax and gratuity. Money needs to be in **immediately** to reserve your seat. Sally Struthers will play Agnes.

Charleston, SC, Historic Festival of Lights Wed., Thurs., & Fri. - December 2, 3, & 4 Cost \$349.00/person double occupancy.

Visit beautiful Charleston during the holiday season! (Trip insurance is available.) A lunch and wine tasting (if you wish) stop is planned at a North Carolina winery on the way down and at the Ava Gardner Museum on the way home.

Fredericksburg Holiday Trolley Tour Thursday, December 10 – Noon – 4:30 PM Cost \$20 (trolley) with lunch at your own expense.

This 75 minute Fredericksburg trolley tour will pick us up and return us to the Dorothy Hart parking lot, and will include lunch at the Olive Garden (not included in price). Sign up deadline is November 19th.

The Committee is looking at an additional trip or two For 2015. We welcome your suggestions for 2016 trips.

Sue Eley, Chairman

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to Greg Wilson, Theresa Blanchfield, Barbara Newlond, Kenneth E. Sangery, and Marie Thomas

Membership Drive Contest Winners

Linda Long and Lorraine Haggerty. Congratulations!

Next Meeting and Holiday Closing

OCTOBER LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2015 Noon – 2:00 PM

The Senior Center will be closed on Columbus Day, Monday, October 12th

The host and hostesses will John Tinder, Anna Cox, Debbie Kay, Donna Farmer, Katherine Bullock and Kathy Snider. Please be at the center by 10:30 AM to set up and help clean up after the luncheon meeting. The host and hostesses will provide the desserts, and the organization provides the meat and beverages. All members are required to bring a covered dish (vegetables, gelatin or salads) to serve at least six (6) or more people. Our members look forward to some good home cooked meals.

We ask members to **NOT** bring in opened boxes of crackers or cookies.

Remember, you may bring a guest one time. If they are of age, they need to join the organization. If a member chooses not to bring a covered dish, the price for lunch is \$7.00.



BINGO

Monday of the month TIME: 1:00 PM PLACE: Auditorium Come enjoy playing Bingo

DATE: October 5th - 1st

& win some money. We have lots of fun.

SAMBA (Canasta Variant)

DATE: Every Friday
TIME: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

PLACE: Room #3 Bring a snack & drink.

We are still looking for new members. Come on in and join us.

Joanne & Incigul

Nominating Committee

The Committee is still at work and would love to have your support. A full slate will be formally

presented at the October luncheon where additional nominations may be made from the floor. The election for our Board will be held in November.

The current state consists of:

Nancy Griswold President **Karin Fichtner** Corresponding Secretary Treasurer **Ruth Skinner** Madge Havnes Historian Chaplain Rev. Ben Kistler Parliamentarian **Sue Eley** Peggy Atkins Members At Large **Madolyn Jenkins** Mary Sullivan

Currently these Board positions are open: **Vice President** and **Recording Secretary.**

Madge Haynes, Nominating Committee

Special Activities is
presenting a Halloween Party on
Friday, October 23rd from
12:30 – 2:30 PM. There will be a
\$1.00 charge and a light lunch
will be available. So wear your

costume and you could win a prize. Games will be played too. Pick up your ticket, starting on September 28 through October 16, so you won't miss out on this fun filled afternoon.

Happy Birthday greetings were extended to the following who were born in the month of September: Kay Loucks, Jimmy Dillard, Bob Scott, Grace Harper, Bernadine Crown, Parviz Zeinali, Dottie Dillard, Marge Pulliam, and Lillian Self.



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THRIFT SHOP

The Thrift Shop is in need of some new or slightly used items to sell. Come into the shop and you might find something to buy. The Travel Committee will provide money from Thrift Shop sales to provide the monthly birthday flowers.

FOOD BARREL

We delivered 18 lbs. of non-perishable items to the Food Bank in September. Please don't forget to bring in non-perishable items for the food barrel. We can make a difference if everyone coming to the luncheon will bring in a food item.

The Fredericksburg Senior Singers want to start practicing. We need a pianist! If you are one or know of someone, please get in contact with Naomi Allen at 540.374.0477.

Naomi Allen

NEWSLETTER

Newsletter Items Due October 16, 2015 Newsletter Mailing October 23, 2015