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September 2015

Greetings from the President

Fall will be arriving soon with all its beautiful colors. If you are not already signed up for a trip, come and check out some of our trips.

Our Nominating Committee will be working to fill open positions on the Board for 2016. If you are approached, please consider a position on the Board.

This month I want to thank Pierre Payette for helping to plan the 2015 budget, arrange the busses for many of our trips and escorting our casino trips.

I want to thank Virginia Estes and Mary Anne Dent for purchasing and preparing turkeys for our 2014 Thanksgiving dinner. Mary Ann also prepared the dressing and gravy. Thanks Mary Anne for faithfully calling Bingo each month. Finally, thanks to Leon Williams for always being there to fill vacuum duties. He has prepared the coffee, worked in the kitchen and worked in the travel office.

Hugs and kisses go to Marilyn Graves for providing the flowers and vases for our August birthday raffle.

Our August picnic was a success, thanks to all of you. We had our largest crowd this year. Keep up your good work!

Special thanks goes to Lara Lewis for helping to plan the King and Queen Luncheon.

Betty Lee

371-2429

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

EMERGENCY NUMBERS ONLY

President, Betty Lee Sprinkle

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Vice President Greetings

Monthly Luncheon: Birthday Vases were given to Louise Stephens, Catherine Bullock, Charlene Hogue, Barbara Johnson, Debbie Kay, and Shirley Buongiorno, and Lowell Shelf. Door prizes were won by Dottie Tollberg, Sue Eley and Margaret Dix. The 50/50 drawing for \$20.50 was won by Rose Marie Schlemm and generously donated back to the Center (*pictures on page 3*).

The office staff is joyously using the brand-new vacuum, brand-new toaster oven and like-new microwave, which were generously donated. Thank you Beverly King for the toaster oven, and Sandra Saunders for the microwave and vacuum cleaner. They are greatly appreciated. We are in need of a new mirror for the bathroom and a new wastebasket and vanity set.

As Chairperson for the two holiday luncheons, I need help with putting tablecloths on the tables, help in the kitchen to give our kitchen staff a break, and help cooking turkeys and hams and slicing them. Look forward to your call at 540-286-2535. In addition, when you get out your holiday decorations please bring a few to decorate your luncheon table (and take them home afterwards).

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The Historyland Barbershop Quartet is our luncheon entertainment for next month.

Marge Mi

**Sympathy was extended to our President, Betty Lee Sprinkle, who attended her aunt's funeral.

Mary Sullivan, Corresponding Secretary

Statement of Income & Expenses	
July 2015	
<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	
July 2015 Starting Balance	\$16,282.80
INCOME	
Membership Dues	\$112.50
Lunches Bought	35.00
Interest	.12
50/50	<u>21.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$218.62</u>
EXPENSES	
Luncheon	\$109.95
Luncheon Supplies	8.53
Newsletter	51.80
Bingo	50.00
Bulk Postage	300.00
Ink Cartridge	41.58
Office Supplies	<u>48.43</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$610.29</u>
Bank Balance	
As of July 31, 2015	\$15,891.13
Check Book Balance – July 31, 2015	\$15,891.13
Petty Cash	\$82.90
Transfer to Checking	50.00
Chicken Sold	<u>21.00</u>
Balance July 31, 2015	\$53.90

News from the Travel Committee

A big thank you to Ruth Skinner for successfully leading 45 of us on the Cobb Island trip on July 28. Good job, Ruth!

Charles Town, WV, Casino

Thursday, August 20 – 8AM – 5PM

This trip is now full. Thank you for your support!!

Staunton, VA

Tuesday, September 8 – 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Cost \$43.00/person with lunch at your own expense.

Registration deadline: August 24.

We will see a glass blowing demonstration at Sun Spots Glass Factory; stop for lunch at Mrs. Rowe's, a Staunton landmark featuring home-style meals and irresistible desserts (both can be purchased frozen for take home; coolers will be available); and tour *The Manse*, President Woodrow Wilson's birthplace, before heading home Gift shops at Sun Spots and *The Manse*.

Riverside Dinner Theater, *Sister Act*

Wednesday, Sept. 30 – 11:15 AM – 4:15 PM

Cost: \$50.00/person

There are only a few seats left, so sign up today!!

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).

Registration deadline: September 23.

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.

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.

The September Travel Committee meeting is Monday, September 21, 2015, at 1:00 PM

Since mid-July we have remembered the following: two Get Well cards were mailed to Ada Flippo who is now at home; Phyllis Pickens, Barbara Yancey and Imogene Driver received Get Well wishes; birthday cards (90 years old and older) were sent to John Williams, Jean Lewis and Ida Ansell**

A sincere thank you card was mailed to Dottie and Stan Tolberg for entertaining us last month with their dancing.

A big thank you to each member who submitted the members' names and also for the cards and stamps donated.

Sue Eley, Chairman

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to Carol King, Donald Rice, Donna Rice, Dot Novacek, Lorraine Haggerty, Elsie Carney, Gay Reagon, Sylvia Van Dyke, Parviz Zeinali, Mike Milstead, and Judith Mitchell

New members only pay \$7.50 for the month of September.

Next Meeting and Holiday Closing

SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2015
Noon – 2:00 PM

**The Senior Center will be closed on Labor Day,
Monday, September 7th**

The host and hostesses will John Tinder, Anna Cox, Catherine Bullock, and Virginia Austin. 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

DATE: **September 14th ***
2nd Monday of the month-due to Holiday)

TIME: 1:00 PM

PLACE: Auditorium
Come enjoy playing Bingo & 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

Budget and Finance Committee

The Committee members are Ruth Skinner, Pierre Payette, Marian Saunders and the President.

August Luncheon Photo Gallery



**Rose Marie Schlemm,
20/20 Winner**



**Door Prize
Winners**



**Giving Special
Thanks**



**Musical Guest,
Mike Milstead**



August Birthday Celebrants

**FREDERICKSBURG SENIOR CITIZENS
ASSOCIATION, INC.
408 CANAL STREET
FREDERICKSBURG, VA 22401**

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ORGANIZATION
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DATED MATERIAL

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.

The Fredericksburg Senior Singers want to start practicing in September. 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

FOOD BARREL

We delivered 29 lbs. of non-perishable items to the Food Bank in August. 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.

NEWSLETTER

**Newsletter Items Due September 11, 2015
Newsletter Mailing September 23, 2015**