

FREDERICKSBURG SENIOR CITIZEN
408 CANAL STREET, FREDERICKSBURG, VA 22401
 Senior Center Located at the Corner of Canal & Charles St.

NEWSLETTER

VOL. XXIII, NO. 11 **November 2015**

Greetings from the President

The leaves are falling and the weather is much cooler. Our Thanksgiving luncheon will be on November 4, 2015. Mary Anne Dent, Karen Fichtner, Madolyn Jenkins and Mary Sullivan will prepare the turkey. The host and hostesses will provide the cakes and pies. **All other members are asked to bring the vegetables, salad and cranberry sauce, enough to feed six or more people.**

371-2429
 OFFICE HOURS
 MONDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY
 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
 EMERGENCY NUMBERS ONLY
 President, Betty Lee Sprinkle
www.fredburgseniors.org



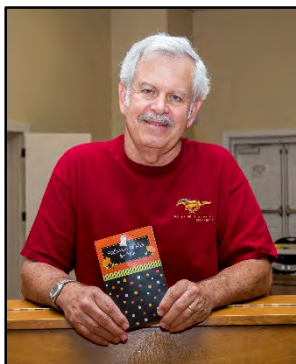
Thanks to Sue Eley for donating the door prizes, which went to Nelly Waetjen, Rosezell Jeffries and

Marilyn Graves.



(Linda Long (r) with Betty Lee)

(Dorothy Mills)



A surprise award went to Ken Loucks *(pictured left)*. The 50/50 of \$21.00 went to Dorothy Mills. Linda Long received a belated award for the June and July Membership Drive. Congratulations to all!

Remember someone is needed for Recording Secretary and for Parliamentarian for our group.

I will see you at our November luncheon on **November 4th**. Have a great month. Happy Thanksgiving!

Thanks to Dora Holman and Nell Poates for decorating our luncheon tables. They were magnificent, and received compliments from many of our members.

Betty Lee

**Statement of Income & Expenses
September 2015
GENERAL FUND**

September 2015 Starting Balance \$15,898.86

INCOME

Membership Dues	\$ 67.50
Interest	.12
Lunches Bought	91.00
50/50	17.41
Postage Stamp	.50
Chicken Bought	10.00
Rebate (Printer Cartridge)	<u>6.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$ 192.53</u>

EXPENSES

Luncheon	\$ 109.00
Bingo	50.00
Newsletter	52.70
Office Supplies	24.06
John Tinder – Reimbursement	82.65
Deposit Slips	9.09
Refund of Overpayment Of Dues	<u>7.50</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$327.50**</u>

Bank Balance

As of September 30, 2015	\$15,763.89
Check Book Balance – September, 2015	\$15,763.89
CD Balance	\$39,563.35

News from the Travel Committee

A big thank you to Betty Lee Sprinkle for leading 48 of us on an entertaining afternoon at the Riverside Dinner Theatre on September 30. The play was marvelous!

A big thank you to Jan Sullivan for successfully leading 37 of us on a delightful trip to Graves Mountain Lodge on October 13.

**Riverside Dinner Theatre – Mame
Wednesday, November 18 – 11:30 AM – 4:30 PM
\$50.00/person, all inclusive.** Transportation to the theater on your own. Money is due immediately.

**Fredericksburg Trolley Tour
Thursday, December 10 – 12:00 PM – 4:30 PM
\$20.00/person with lunch at your own expense**
The Trolley, all decorated for the holiday season, will pick us up at the Dorothy Hart Community Center parking lot; take us on a 75 minute tour of downtown; then take us to Olive Garden for lunch (on your own); and return us to Dorothy Hart after lunch. Join us for a festive afternoon!

**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.

Sue Eley, Chairman

Happy Birthday cards this month were mailed to Katherine Haynes, Doris Coble, Rita Morin and Jack Brodie. If a member is 90 years old or more, we are pleased to mail a card.

Get Well wishes were extended to Billy Burruss, Sue Bowie and Peggy Johnson.

Thank you for helping us to send “cheers” to our members.

Mary Sullivan, Corresponding Secretary

NEW MEMBERS

*Welcome to Frances Marchand-Chute,
Vernon Chute, III, Janice Lee Sembower, and
Theresa Knight*

Effective October 1, **new members** will pay \$15.00 and this will cover dues until December 31, 2016. Present members, please wait until January to renew your membership.

The host and hostesses will Virginia Austin, Annie Blankenship, Bernadine Crown, Anna Cox, Catherine Bullock, Debbie Kay, Lowell and Lillian Self. 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: **November 2nd - 1st Monday of the month**
 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

Please Note: The Fredericksburg Seniors Travel and Membership Offices will be closed November 11th (Veterans Day), November 25th and November 27th.

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee, which consisted of Barbara Johnson, Linda Long, Kathy Snider, Mary Sullivan, and Madge Haynes, worked hard to find a slate of volunteers to be on the Board

of Directors for 2016. Many suggestions and calls were made and we've come up with the following people to sit on the Board. This slate of officers and members-at-large were given to the members at the October luncheon meeting with additional nomination requests made from the floor by President Betty Lee. This is the current slate of officers and members-at-large: President – **Nancy Griwsold**, Vice President – **Sue Eley**, Corresponding Secretary – **Karin Fichtner**, Treasurer – **Ruth Skinner**, Historian – **Madge Haynes**, Chaplain – **Rev. Ben Kistler**, Members-At-Large – **Peggy Atkins, Madolyn Jenkins, Mary Sullivan**. The following two positions are vacant – Recording Secretary and Parliamentarian.

I wish to sincerely thank Barbara Johnson, Linda Long, Kathy Snider, and Mary Sullivan for the giving of their time in helping with this difficult process of trying to fill these positions of the Board of Directors.

Madge Haynes, Nominating Committee

Birthday flowers were given to Rita Morin, Madge Haynes, Kitty Durity, Mary Anne Dent, Jack Brodie, Nelly Waetjen, Hans Waetjen, Doris Gardner and Joann Potter.



Happy Birthday you lovely October Birthday babies!

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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. 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 37 lbs. of non-perishable items to the Food Bank in October. 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 November 13, 2015
Newsletter Mailing November 23, 2015**