

Lisa Anthony called the August 4, 2016 Senior Commission meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Members present: Kitty Greenwood, Mike Vallone , Ruth Schwab & Sheree Victorian.

The minutes of the July 2016 meeting were reviewed by the members. Motion by Ruth Schwab and seconded by Sheree Victorian to accept the minutes as presented. Motion carried and the minutes were accepted as presented.

St. Vincent DePaul report by Mike Vallone. Still have a lot of people coming in for food and money. They give out about 40 bags of food every Monday. Hope Novembers donations will help rebuild their supplies.

American Legion report by Mike Vallone. Did a service in Melrose Park for Veteran's Memorial. The pancake breakfasts will start in October.

Relay for Life report by Kitty Greenwood. The Relay will hold a wrap up meeting on September 12th. The turnout of teams was disappointing only 2 teams were there. Seven teams that signed up didn't show on the night of the relay.

The Towers report by Sheree Victorian. They have started to make some of the empty apartments handicapped accessible. Spoke with the building manager about using a room in the building for choir practice. Sheree spoke about Well care, which has entered into a contract with Oak Street Health Clinics to help have positive outcomes for Medicare recipients.

Ruth Schwab commented that Leyden Township has a lot of programs for the senior citizens.

Lisa reminded everyone we will be hosting along with AT & T a Shred Day on August 27th in the old police station parking lot from 10am to 12pm. A representative from Leyden Family Services will be at the Village Hall every other week from 9:30 to noon starting on August 3rd to help seniors apply for different programs and assistance such as Medicare, Medicaid, SNAP, LIHEAP, help with prescriptions or help understanding doctor bills.

The Senior Commission meeting adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Anthony