SSPRPA Adult / Senior Committee Meeting

Date: March 18, 2024

Happy March!

Attendance

1. Devin Frendreis – HF
2. Kristine Walgreen – Romeoville
3. Sarah Carr- Plesentdale Park District
4. Martha Zubarty – Worth Park District
5. Renee Beck- Wilmington Park District
6. Stacey Proper – Frankfort Park District

Topics:

1. Summer Registration: Brochure Goodness and Summer Program Ideas

Devin Frendreis – Working on corrections for the Hybrid brochure / Offering a lot of drop in programs / Registration is not open yet

Sarah – Bingo and Lunch / Field Trips in August / Not a lot of programs / not printing brochure / seniors part of the membership will mail them out if they pay for the membership / membership 20.00 R / $25.00 / discount on trips if part of the membership

Stacey – Working on brochure / Printing and Mailing to residents / Registering starts in April / Senior Lunch Buddies / 400 copies on hand at the park district office / Trips with New Lenox

Martha – Working on brochure / Mid-April to public / print and mailed to the residents / hand delivered them to residents / Maybe looking at printing less / Working on getting trips off the ground 1 a month / Bingo once a month / out for lunch once a month.

* Don’t have a seasonal registration date / once the brochure gets to residents they can start to register

Kristine – Working on brochure / printing as usual / going to the printer soon / no registrations for summer yet / Monday and Tuesday Bingo / Golden Age Club – on Thursday and then Bingo (they have their own board and programs / Have seen different people attend different days of Bingo!

No Name Game - The No Name Card Game

Renee – Brochure came out last week / was mailed out / share the brochure with the library / share cost / that is a huge benefit / First Bingo last week / Family Feud Program on Friday / Farmers Markets – encouraging seniors to attend those market days / In the process of purchasing a bus

Open registration – Not a certain day of the week

1. Planning for Fall 2024

No one is planning for Fall 2024 on paper/ just a lot of ides rolling around / working on getting summer off the ground / will table information until June meeting

Devin- Offering 1 trip a month / brochure information is due in May / open to suggestions

1. Trip Ideas: Tea Rooms & More

Morton Arboretum: Tea Room

Tour – tour guides will jump onto your bus and do the guided tour. Their buses break down often.

Call a Lilly Tea Room – Free Public Parking, $30.00 a person

<https://callalilytearoom.com/>

The Little Traveler - $14.00 a person

<https://www.littletraveler.com/dining/>

Mules and Mimosas – I&M Canal

[Canal Boat Tour – I & M Canal (iandmcanal.org)](https://iandmcanal.org/boattour/)

1. Staffing on Trips

Martha: How many staff members are going on your trips?

Sarah – 1 normally

Devin – 2

Kristine – 1 sometimes 2 (depends on location of the trip)

Stacey – 1 person (co-op with New Lenox)

Renee – Getting wheels (not sure what we are going to do)

1. Fall Ideas / Joint Bus Trip

**SSPRPA Movie Day**

* Rent a theater at E-magine
* November 13th
* A Day at The Movies
* $7.00 for movie / $7.00 food
* Pay deposit
* Then bill
* Min of 50 - Devin will check on that
* Meal package
* Sponsorship!
* It’s A Wonderful Life / White Christmas

1. IPRA Call for Presentations

“ Not Just Bingo” – Senior Presentation for Jan 2025

IPRA would like to see more senior presentations.

Devin will send out information about the sub group that should start meeting to get something off the ground

1. Ideas For Next Meeting

* Sponsorships ( how to)
* Photography and Seniors

**Next Meeting April 15th at 3:00pm on Zoom**