



Chapter 3396 Newsletter

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Next Meeting: Tuesday June 3, 2014

When: 9:30 AM

Where: Dorothy Hart Community Center

**Program: Karen Koudelka, Administrator, Va Home Partners
Will speak on "Maintaining Independence"**

Greetings from your President - Kathy Corley

We are quickly approaching the summer season, although, the temperatures lately made us think we were already there. Be thinking about the July meeting as it is our picnic at Cosner's Park. It is a great opportunity to visit with other members. I hope we can have a good turnout. Don't forget the Art of Aging at the Expo Center on June 11. I understand that it is a great place to pick up good information as well as freebies. Always keep in mind that if you have any concerns related to getting on in age let us know. We can find speakers to address most any concerns you might have. Our June meeting is at the Dorothy Hart Community Center. See you there.

June Birthdays: Kathy Corley

Rose Wesson 3rd, Kirkwood Ferguson 4th, Anne Lee 4th, Mary Haines 8th, Paul Scott 8th, Tina McIntosh 19th, Mary Baffo 22nd, and Janice Davies 27th.

Fredericksburg Senior Citizens Travel Committee – Sue Dinnauer

1. Wednesday, July 16, 2014 - St. Michaels, MD. - Cost per person - \$36.00. Enjoy the history, waterfront life and excellent restaurants on your own. Bus departs Senior Center at 8:30 a.m. and returns at 5:00 p.m.
2. Thursday, August 28, 2014 - Charlestown Casino. Cost per person - \$35.00. Bus Departs Senior Center. 8:00 a.m. and returns at 5:00 p.m.
3. Thursday, September 25, 2014 - Shenandoah Valley - Cost per person -\$45.00. Buffet at the Old Schoolhouse Restaurant included. Stops at The Amish Market, The Cheese Shop and Millers Bakery. Bus departs Senior Center at 8:00 a.m. and returns at 5:00 p.m.
4. Thursday, October 23, 2014 - Graves Mountain Lodge. Cost per person - \$50.00. - this includes their famous chicken dinner. Stops at the Apple Barn, Cheese Shop and Yoders. Times to be determined.

Drivers Safety Program – Shirley Keister

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY PARKS AND REC 8800 COURTHOUSE RD SPOTSYLVANIA, VA
(540) 507-7529 (Call To Register)

06/19/2014 09:00 AM 06/20/2014 09:00 AM (4 hours each day)

STAFFORD PARKS AND RECREATION 1739 JEFFERSON DAVIS HWY STAFFORD, VA
(540) 658-5116 (Call for more information, no phone registrations accepted)

07/14/2014 09:00 AM 07/15/2014 09:00 AM (4 hours each)

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY PARKS AND REC 8800 COURTHOUSE RD SPOTSYLVANIA, VA
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07/17/2014 09:00 AM 07/18/2014 09:00 AM (4 hours each)

TREASURER'S REPORT			Current Month
- Joyce Cronk			
Beginning Balance March 18, 2014			\$4,174.77
Receipts:			
Deposit 3/31/14	Membership	\$54.00	
	Brisben Center	\$100.00	
			\$154.00
Deposit 4/3/14	Membership	\$114.00	
	50/50	\$28.00	
	Brisben Center	\$80.00	
			\$222.00
Total Deposits			\$376.00
Disbursements:			
4/1 ck#1563	Shirley Keister - stamps	\$18.40	
Total Disbursements			\$18.40
Balance April 22, 2014*			\$4,532.37

* Balance reflects Brisben money \$717.80

Community Service – Sally Cooney-Anderson

The AARP Chapter 3396 Community Service Committee has been renamed as the **AARP Chapter 3396 Corley/Burt Community Service Committee**. The Committee leads Chapter efforts to identify and respond to essential social needs in our community and to provide meaningful and rewarding volunteer opportunities for Chapter members. The Committee meets monthly, immediately after the Chapter Meetings, except for July and December. All Chapter members are invited to attend.

At our May meeting, members contributed goods valued at \$198 for the Bragg Hill Family Life Center, \$10 for the Moss Free Clinic, and \$24 for the Thurman Brisben Center. Seven volunteers signed up to assist at the Art of Aging on June 11.

In June, please bring contributions for the Interfaith Council School Dressing Days (see below), as well as for the Bragg Hill Family Life Center, the Moss Free Clinic, and the Thurman Brisben Center.

To date, committee members have chosen the following as Chapter Supported Organizations:

Thurman Brisben Center

Meeting Collection Items: food, paper supplies, lunch box items:

Sunday July 6 - Partnering with Beth Sholom Temple Helping Hand Project to do needed repairs *

Thursday July 24 – Prepare and Serve Dinner *

Thursday August 28 – Prepare and Serve Dinner

Thursday September 11 - Partnering with Beth Sholom Temple Helping Hand Project to do needed repairs/Chapter Annual Day of Service

Monday October 27 – Prepare and Serve Dinner Monday January 19, 2015 - Partnering with Beth Sholom Temple Helping Hand Project to do needed repairs

Moss Free Clinic

Meeting Collection Items: household items, paper supplies

Community Day

Rappahannock Food Bank

Meeting Collection Items: food, paper supplies

Two dates to be scheduled to work assembly line

AARP VA Statewide Food Drive

Date to be scheduled to collect food outside local grocery store

The Holiday Project

Friday October 31 -- Nursing Home/Assisted Living Resident Visits

Thursday December 25 -- Nursing Home/Assisted Living Resident Visits

Interfaith Council School Dressing Days

Bring donations to the June meeting: new boys jeans, sizes 4, 5 & 6, regular, slim and husky (no flares), 3-ring binders (1" and 2"), 3x5 lined index cards, toiletries, and gently used or new coats, jackets, hoodies, sweatshirts, school shoes, backpacks

To sign up to volunteer, go to www.SignUpGenius.com/go/9040C45AFA922A31-volunteer/17042412

Micah Ministries

Rappahannock Council Against Sexual Assault (RCASA)

Supplies for Art Therapy

Empower House

Hope Center

FB Parks & Rec

Operation Medicine Cabinet

Good Will Literacy Corps

* Sign up Sheet will be at the June meeting or contact sallycooneyanderson@yahoo.com or 540-371-7484

Membership – Steve Scheibe

Thanks to all of our members that have renewed by paying their dues. I will be calling and emailing those members that have not responded prior to the June meeting. Your dues cover production of your newsletter and enable the chapter to make charitable donations to our selected area organizations. This year brings several opportunities to participate in community service projects and I would urge all of our members to give consideration to joining your fellow members in serving the Fredericksburg area. Thanks to all who have donated door prizes that are given away at each meeting.

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DATED MATERIAL

Next General Meeting June 3, 2014
Newsletter Deadline June 18, 2014
Next Board Meeting June 23, 2014

Refreshments - Marietta D'Orsiao

Here is a list of names for those individuals providing food for our June meeting:

Sue Bird
Elsa Colt
Sue Dinnauer
Stephanie Sloan