



BETTER LIVING FOR SENIORS MONTHLY MEETING DECEMBER 18, 2013

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

Board Members Present

Cindy Clouse, Randy Brock, Larry Powell, Temi Charrier, Greg West, Liz Craven. Absent was Dorene Yates

Meeting Location & Host

Christmas Social this year was again hosted by The Estates at Carpenters, 1001 Carpenters Way, Lakeland, FL

Call To Order

Call to order was at 9:10 AM by Cindy Clouse, President:

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made that the minutes from the November 2013 meeting, now posted on the website at www.blfspolk.com, be approved. The motion was seconded, a vote taken and the minutes were approved unanimously with no changes.

Treasurers Report

Because this was our Christmas Social there was no official Year to date report. The annual Treasurers report will be given at the annual meeting in January 2014

Committee Reports

The only committee report was from Better Season for Seniors. Gift distribution will be happening on Friday, December 20. At this point it looks as though gifts dispersed will be between 450-500. Tamera invited any member to join them at the distribution prep site to help put all of the deliveries together.

BLFS Gives Back

We gave out four \$500 grants to member non-profits that have ongoing projects for seniors. Those receiving grants at the meeting were

1. Center for Independent Living of Central Florida
2. West Central Florida Area Agency on Aging
3. Lakeland Habitat for Humanity ReStore
4. Angels Care Center of Eloise – Project Love

Yankee Gift Exchange

The remainder of the meeting was taken up by the Yankee gift exchange with Greg West hosting as Santa Claus. Ho Ho Ho!

Special thanks to The Estates for once again rolling out the red carpet and providing a wonderful breakfast and comfortable room for our social. The Estates have been long time supporters of BLFS and we appreciate all they do for the seniors in our community. They care!

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn at 10:35 AM, seconded and carried.

*Respectfully submitted by Randy Brock on December 18, 2014,
acting secretary in Dorene Yates absence.*