

APRIL 2012 MINUTES
BETTER LIVING FOR SENIORS MONTHLY MEETING
APRIL 18, 2012

MEETING HELD:

- Our location was The Meadows at Cypress Gardens and a wonderful breakfast was served by our hosts.
- The Meadows at Cypress Gardens

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

- Meeting called to order at 9:18 am by Cindy Clouse, President.
- **MOTION PREVAILED:** The minutes from the March BLFS meetings, now posted on the website at www.BLFSPolk.com, were approved with no changes.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT (1/1/12- 4/17/12) GIVEN BY RANDY BROCK:

- Total Period Inflows (membership dues and web ad income): \$14,988.36
- Total Period Outflows (Member Clicks, phone, postage, etc.): \$1,882.60
- Overall Period Total: \$13,105.76
- Account Balances: \$20,511.18 in checking
- **MOTION PREVAILED:** Treasurer's Report was approved as given.

COMMITTEE REPORTS AND BOARD UPDATES:

- Cindy Clouse announced our new print directories are here. Members are welcome to take some for their organization today.
- Randy Brock gave membership and website update we have 159 active/friends and are encourage all our members to us our website and invite guests to our meeting.
- Cindy Clouse gave meetings update. We will be at Highlands Lake Center in May. If you are interested in hosting or being a location contact russell@mulberrypharmacy.com.
- Ashley Vogel spoke on Education Committee encouraged members to schedule in-service for their staff. Contact her at ashley@agingcarepartners.com to set up your office/facility.
- Joy from Mulberry Pharmacy introduced first time attendees.
- Stefanie Thompson gave update on *Think About It* Dementia Care Conference. They had a great turnout and encourage those who participated to respond to Stephanie's internet survey to help make next year even better.
- Temi Charrier announced outreach marketing blitz for members interested in getting into places they wouldn't normally have an opportunity to see. Sign-up sheet was passed around. For more information contact temic@homeinstead.com or lapow@verizon.net.
- Members introduced themselves.

HOST:

Lois McClosky spoke on behalf of The Meadows at Cypress Garden and introduced community and offered members a tour. Thank you for the wonderful breakfast and hospitality, especially the Fruit Room!

GUEST SPEAKER:

- Our speaker Wilna Daniels with the Polk Healthcare Plan discussed their program as an option for Polk County residents who have no health insurance and don't qualify for Medicare, Medicaid or other health insurance. For more information call 863-534-5387.
- **MOTION PREVAILED** to adjourn.

Minutes Respectfully Submitted by: Temi Charrier, Secretary

NOTE: Any changes, corrections or additions, please call the BLFS office at 863.248.1475.