

Seekonk Human Services Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 23, 2017 @ 3:30pm
Seekonk Human Services Conference Room 108
540 Arcade Avenue, Seekonk, MA 02771

Attendance: Irene Andrews, Guy Boulay, Beverly Della Grotta, Josephine Veader, Anne Libby, Christine Allen, Bernadette Huck (Director), Ashley Cartwright (Senior Secretary)

Absent: Anita Gendron

1. Open Meeting at 3:35pm
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of minutes from September 25, 2017
 - a. **MOTION:** Anne made a motion to approve the minutes
 - b. **SECOND:** Chris second the motion
 - c. **VOTE:** 5 yeas & 1 abstain
4. Old Business
 - a. Annual Pasta Fest, October 25th
 - i. Sold approximately 140 tickets
 - ii. Raffle baskets must be brought to the high school by 4:00pm
 - b. Thanksgiving Baskets and Meals
 - i. 60 Baskets total from Personal Best Karate
 - ii. 31 Meals
5. New Business
 - a. Christmas is for Kids
 - i. Adopt a family, contact Bernie
 - ii. Families can fill out an application and bring back to Human Services
 - iii. Clarion Inn Adopted 7 families in 2016
 - b. Christmas Baskets and Meals
 - i. Move to November Agenda
 - c. Veteran's Day Celebration
 - i. Bombshell Betty USO review
 - ii. Turkey Dinner from
 - d. Christmas Party
 - i. December 13 @ 11am
 - ii. Roast Beef Dinner
6. Directors Report
 - a. Southcoast Medical Van October 24, 2017 from 9am – 12pm
 - b. November 1st Step on It Wrap up program, lunch will be free
 - c. Let's Learn Together, Computers 101 with the Library on November 15 at 2pm
 - d. Safe Strides by Kindred Health on November 15th
 - e. Stress for Seniors by Catholic Memorial Home on November 29th
 - f. Newport Playhouse – SOLD OUT
 - g. Water Colors begins November 7th
 - h. Oil Painting started September 28th
7. Other Business

- a. Discuss Other Topics Not Reasonably Anticipated by the Chairperson 48 Hours before the Meeting
8. Members Speak
 - a. Anne: Castle In the Clouds was an extremely long day from 7am to about 8:30pm
 - b. Put newsletter/draft in meeting packets
 - c. Kiwanis put up a donation bucket for the Izzy Foundation
 - d. Digital sign will be going up at the end of 2017
9. Public Speaks
10. Next Meeting
 - a. Monday, November 27, 2017 @ 3:30pm
11. Motion to Adjourn
 - a. **MOTION:** Rene made a motion to adjourn at 4:56pm
 - b. **SECOND:** Chris second the motion
 - c. **VOTE:** Unanimous