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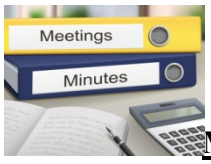
Refreshment meet and greet, President Karen Wyman called meeting to order at 7:00 PM. with 56 people in attendance. She extended a hearty welcome to all including new members and visitors. **HOUSEKEEPING ITEMS**: President Wyman introduced the Board. Activity Coordinators that attended this meeting explained briefly how their specific activity operated and President Wyman indicated there were signup sheets on clipboards in the back of the room. The activity directors would take the sheets and contact any new members interested in a particular activity. and should take photos of the signup sheets so they have access to names. President Wyman noted that membership dues are now due. A clipboard is going around with a signup sheet for those interested in attending the Cotuit for Performing Arts Play "Evita" in October. Name tags will now be on a lanyard and given to members and members are to take them home and bring them to each meeting and wear at events that BNC is hosting. Name tags were revamped by Deb Stone (Vice-President) and Ann Crosby. President Wyman is looking for someone to be responsible for the Clip Boards and signup sheets which would require bringing them back and forth. Regarding Hospitality, she noted that it would be done on a monthly basis where one person would volunteer for each meeting to be responsible for refreshments and having members volunteer to bring a goodie. President Wyman also indicated that the website had been updated and thanked Jean Guyader for all her hard work. Other items: There is also another clipboard going around with a signup sheet for the play, "Newsies" (time TBA) 7to see how many are interested. President Wyman and her hubby Peter will be singing on October 25th with a group at their church, St. Peter's Church, Osterville, MA. Bette announced that the Swap Shop at the Town Waste Station will close on October 11th.



MINUTES of May meeting…. Motion made to accept and seconded. All in favor.

TREASURER'S REPORT – The Treasurer reported that we are solvent and a motion was made to approve and second with all in favor.

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SPEAKER: Our guest speaker for the evening is Alice Mitchell from "Academy for Lifelong Learning at Cape Cod Community College. Brochures were handed out to each member and Alice and explained how the program operates.

50/50 Winner was Sharon Harrison. Congratulations!

Adjournment: Motion made and seconded to adjourn at 8:30 PM. All in favor.

Respectfully Submitted
Bette Silva
Recording Secretary