

SENIOR CITIZEN COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
July 21, 2008

A meeting of the Senior Citizen Commission was held July 21, 2008 at the Velasco Community House following the 3rd Monday event.

Attendees:

Mary Darnell, Chairman
Martha Sue Westbrook, Vice Chairman
Dorothy Pirruing
Jim Pirrung
Carol Rangel
Mary Talbert
James Saccomanno

Absent:

Beverly Garrison
Joan Stovall

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Mary Darnell.

The minutes for the June 16th meeting were approved on a motion by Martha Sue Westbrook, seconded by Carol Rangel.

Chairman's Report

Mary Darnell reported that she was contacted by a person that wanted to give a program on training seniors on getting back in the workforce. It was decided that our group of seniors were not able or would not be interested in going back to work.

Also, Linda Runnels from Sweeny Community Hospital called about their Heritage Program (a mental health program) and wanted to present a program. We had this program about 5 years ago and we did not want to repeat it.

We have to reschedule the September 15th game day to September 22nd. Because of the trip to the Painted Churches.

Mary talked to Stuart Dornberg, BISD head of Human Resources about renting school buses. This has not been presented to the School Board for their approval. As soon as it is approved then we can discuss a local trip.

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS

ADVERTISING: Dorothy has concerns about the Facts not putting in the correct information on senior meetings.

SPECIAL PROGRAM: Mary Talbert contacted Nola. Copus, Brazosport Medical Center, to confirm the August Program and will check to see if she needs any special equipment. Jane Hawkins will also be on the program.

BINGO We had over 60 people in attendance.

GAME DAY: Last month's picnic was a great success.

TRIPS: We started signing up for the trip to the Painted Churches at today's meeting

FOOD: Same menu as usual

PHONE: Mary requested that you let her know of changes on your call list.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by:
Mary Darnell, Chairman