

BETTER LIVING FOR SENIORS MONTHLY MEETING

March 17, 2021

Board Members Present:

- Donna Kay Dinkins Membership
- Lacey Gardner Speakers/Venues
- Jay Dee Hackney Sergeant at Arms
- Tammy Rodgers Directory
- Tasha Saca Communications Kari Ann Gomez – Treasurer
- Carol Hornsby Education

Absent:

- Nicole Ramer President
- Michelle Shiver Secretary

Meeting Location and Sponsor:

Due to Covid-19 this meeting was held via the Zoom application.

Call to Order:

• The meeting was called to order by Tasha Saca, Past-President at 9:04 am

Meeting Minutes

 A motion was made to approve the February 2021 Monthly meeting. The minutes were motioned by Lacey Gardner and seconded by Tammy Rodgers. Approved.

Sponsor Recognition

Thank you to all of our BLFS Sponsors!

• Gold Sponsor – Helping Hand, ElderCare Guide

Speaker: Leslyn Diaz-Polk Health and Human Services

Presentation: Polk Healthcare Plan

Treasurer's Report - Nicole Ramer

• Incoming: \$ 993.87 (Membership)

 Outgoing: \$ 667.92 (Storage Unit Rental; Zoom membership, Ligon for Website, Polk Senior Games, Board headshots for website, PO Box annual renewal)

Available Balance: \$15,385.91Available Balance: \$15,385.91

Committee Reports

Directory – Tammy Rodgers

- Go to the BLFS website <u>www.blfspolk.com</u> and check your directory information for accuracy.
- Two was to make changes. 1. Login and make changes 2. Use the request changes button to have an administrator make the changes for you.

Education Committee –No Report Membership Report – Donna Kay Dinkins

- New Member Spotlights
 - Astoria Assisted Living
 - Optum
 - Holley Financal Services LLC
- Thank you to members who renewed/rejoined
- Renewal Reminder for March:

CarePlus Health Plans, Savannah Cottage of Lakeland,

• Renewal Reminder for April:

CaptionCall

• Renewal Reminder for May:

Healthy Transitions Massage Therapy for Seniors & Those Living with Cancer, Relive Sports Medicine, Mulberry Pharmacy

- Agency Introductions
- Poll Result: 63% (23 votes total) chose to have a hybrid model for meetings (assuming we find somewhere appropriate)

Events:

- Calendar is now live on BLFS, ElderCare Guide and Age Friendly Lakeland
- Senior Helpers Tepa Snow save the date: January 27, 2022, Highland Park Church, Lakeland
- Walk to End ALZ- October 30th in Lakeland. Register your team and for those that want to sponsor- contact Tasha.

Next Meeting

- April 21, 2021 Via Zoom.
- Meeting adjourned at 10: 25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Tasha Saca, Past-President, March 17, 2020.