



Monthly Committee Report – December 14, 2021
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Committee: Community Services & Outreach

Officer/Chair: Patricia Jackson

Committee Members: Anna Marie Baity, Amelia Dent, Barbara Jamison, Barbara Johnson, Brenda Johnson, Patrina Johnson, Mae Redden, Sherry Slater, Merrill White, and Dorothy Wright

1. Activities Completed for the Previous Month:

- Attended monthly COE meeting on November 9, 2021.
- Attended Candidate Spotlight meeting November 16, 2021
- Community Services & Outreach Committee met on November 11, 2021, at 3:00pm via Zoom platform.
- Caregivers Initiative. Committee finalized plans for December Holiday meeting on December 1, 2021. The following games, Scavenger Hunt, Name That Tune and Guess the Gift would be done on Zoom along with an Ugly Sweater Contest where committee members would be judges. DeKalb for Seniors would provide game prizes.
- Vaccine Initiative. Barbara Jamison reported on the various locations available for the booster shot such as Kroger, Publix, Walmart, Walgreen, CVS, etc.
- Holiday Outreach Initiative. Committee members decided to proceed with article entitled “Individual Acts of Kindness” written by Brenda Johnson. This article has been submitted to LWSC staff for dissemination in Lou Walker newsletter and on website.
- Senior Reach Out Initiative. Pat Jackson and Merrill White met with Center Director, Erica King and COE President Charleen Knox on November 9, 2021, at 2:00 pm to answer questions and concerns, and finalize program logistics, recruitment plan,

application, flyer and referral process of seniors agreeing to have volunteer give them a weekly call. Once all documents, etc. have been approved, we hope to roll out program this month.

2. Activities Planned for the Future:

We will be holding our final Committee meeting on December 7, 2021, for an end of the year holiday celebration.

3. Motion/Statement for COE Executive Committee Consideration, Resolution and/or Recommendations: none

4. Action/Approval Required by the COE Executive Committee: None

5. Action/Approval Required by the LWSC Staff: Approve documents for Senior Reach Out Initiative so program can begin.

6. Opportunities for Celebration: Thanks to our COE President Charleen Knox for supporting us and allowing us to provide outreach events for members of Lou Walker Senior Center. It has truly been a labor of love!