# **Board of Directors:**

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**Lorraine Moulton** 

#### **Welcome Desk Volunteers:**

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# Office and Lounge Open Mon-Fri 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Yearly Membership: \$35 Single / \$70 Couple

Beautiful Function Hall available for rent

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Have an idea for an Article? Contact Rita Sevigny

### Hello Members!

It is hard to believe another year has gone by, but here we are coming into 2022! What an amazing and busy year 2021 has been at the Wells Ogunquit Senior Center. The Board of Directors began the year not knowing if COVID was going to continue to be a problem in 2021, and how we could prepare our budget to keep us moving forward (and pay our bills) in such an uncertain environment. As well, the safety of all our members, staff and guests was a continued factor to keep our programs, services, functions, fundraising and our facility funded in a healthy and happy environment.

A proposed budget based on using a combination of income and expense guidelines from the year *before* COVID and the year *of* COVID, as a mixed goal of growth with caution, was created and passed by the Board. Our Budget for 2021 was the projected total cost/expenses of \$153,500 and a proposed total income goal of \$154,900. Our means to attain our income goals included several recently tried successes... the four "Fairs"...a new adventure, a very successful Golf Tournament, and reliable successes such as Bingo (our top income event), the Pancake Breakfasts, 100 Club Raffles, Clynk, a fundraising bulk mailing, and a come-back out of the past - our annual Fashion Show. We also need to acknowledge our community supporters like the Varano Family, with their three hosted fundraisers, and the many, many businesses who contribute to our Senior Center.

It is with pride and pleasure the Board announces that we not only met our budgeted income goal, but surpassed it with a total accumulated income to date (with one week left in December) of \$158,966 brought in this year of 2021!!! Our expenses will likely be about \$157,000 - meaning we held our costs to be less than our income and we will end in the black for 2021 and right on target with our budget!!!

In this topsy-turvy last two years, the Center could not have been as successful without the strength, support and help of our Members, our Staff, our Board and our Community. We are indeed Blessed.

Thank you all for a terrific 2021, and the Board looks forward to serving you in 2022.

# Happy New Year all!

The Wells/Ogunquit Senior Center Board of Directors

Kathy Chase, Greg Cuzzi, Ray Farnham, George Hersom, Ann Lamberti, Lorraine Moulton, Jennifer Sylvester, Susan Terwilliger and Judy Vincent



# BABY BOOMER'S BLOG January 2022

### Peace, Harmony and Family

Wow, can you believe it's 2022 already? Some of you are saying, "Hooray – I couldn't wait for 2021 to end and 2022 to begin"! There were so many changes in 2021 that at times I could not keep up with it all. Wear a mask – don't wear a mask, eat inside a restaurant – only eat outside, schools are remote – schools are welcoming all children in the classroom, and don't even begin to explain the Presidential Election, Olympic Games in Tokyo, and let's not leave out the climate changes. Through all the changes we still found ways to connect. Alleluia!!

2022 will continue our journey to connect with family and friends. Let's find our family harmony again. Let's search for balance, peacefulness and make every effort to de-stress. In the upcoming months we will sort through all the changes that we need to continue to keep in order to stay safe and healthy.

I see us coming together as a community. WOCAM is one of those places that never stopped trying. It takes a village and the Senior Center allows us to do just that...come together to support one another. The events never stopped! Sometimes the lunch was 'pick-up and go' and other times we just had to wear a mask and yell "B-I-N-G-O" through our covered mouths/ noses. Yoga, exercise and line-dancing are there to keep us coming together...for the health of it. Card games, Book Clubs and social events are stronger than ever.

In 2022 please continue to:

Work toward something meaningful.

Strengthen relationships, social circles and your stability to stay connected.

A new year means a new chapter. I hope 2022 is an incredible part of your story. Wishing you a happy New Year!

What will your word for 2022 be? Send me a message!

Janine Robichaud from Soulful Pathways

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Look for Zoom and in-person classes at the Senior Center.



### **Volunteer Opportunities:**

Days of Warming –Host or Hostess Helping serve on Days of Warming

## **New Members to our Center -**

# **Please Welcome:**

Donna Rousseau Son mi Winters Jacqueline Millett

### **Artist Take Note:**

The Wells/Ogunquit Center at Moody (Senior Center) is offering the opportunity to area artists to display their artwork as follows:

2 artists per month to display up to 10 paintings (each) for a 2 month period (min) and 4 month (max per 12 month period)
Jan Feb/Mar Apr/May Jun/Jul
Aug/Sep Oct/Nov Dec/
\$25 per month per artist 10% commission on sales.
Please contact Lisa Roderick
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To promote the well-being of Senior Citizens in Wells and Ogunquit, regardless of sex, creed, race, religion, or the ability to pay.

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