**Walden Woods Social Committee Meeting Minutes 7/12/22**

In Attendance: Brigida Dora, Ann Etre, Corinne Baker, Linda Ferola, Ken Forrester, Dick Armstrong and Joyce Armstrong

Excused: Michelle Kronick and Shayne Newell

Events through December 2022:

7/29 Adult Gathering at Pool, 530-8:00pm. Pizza paid for by committee funds. Attendees asked to bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Bring own drinks. Check for paper goods at Meeting House.

8/5- 8/8 School Supplies and Back Pack Drive. Items can be left at Armstrong front porch in large plastic bin. Social Committee will get together on 8/9 to pack bags so they can be brought to Town of Windsor Social Services for distribution.

8/26 Adult Gathering at Pool, 5:30-8:00pm. Pizza paid for by committee funds. Attendees asked to bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Bring own drinks.

9/17 Bunko, 7:00-10:00pm, at meeting house. Attendees asked to bring appetizer or dessert to share and own drinks.

10/22 Food, Coat and Sock Drive for Windsor Food and Fuel Bank. Meet at pond at 10am.

10/30 Child Halloween Party, 2:30-4:00pm. Outside of Meeting House if weather is good. Costume parade, candy and party favor like a small toy or stickers.

11/29 Decorate Meeting House, 6:30pm. Ask for other volunteers - maybe Meeting House Committee.

12/3 Adult Holiday Party, 7:00-10:00pm. Catering probably from Dom’s, for entrees, to be paid for by Social Committee. Paper goods may need to be purchased if not at Meeting House. Attendees bring appetizers and desserts to share. What drinks do we want to include? Non-alcoholic, wine? Yankee swap with a different twist. Bring wrapped item from your home that you no longer want. Unusual, funny items encouraged. Will need volunteer in charge of signup for this event.

12/4 Children’s Holiday Party, 2:00pm-4:00pm. Look for volunteers to do it with guidance from those of us who have run it in the past. Will need money from Social Committee for cookies, small cupcakes and drinks. May also need to purchase crafts to do if we have nothing left at meeting house.

12/9-12/12 Toy Drive, Toys can be left in bin on Armstrong’s front porch. Will be donated to organization(s) in town that provide holiday toys.

Flyers will need to be made. Discussion was had about giving out paper flyers vs. just using email to send out flyers. Wondering if we should distribute paper flyers for Food, Coat and Sock Drive and just emails for everything else?