BrooklineCAN Membership Committee Notes from May 7, 2018 Meeting

[prepared by Barbara Cone]

Attending: Molly Turlish, chair; Karen Fischer, Melissa Trevvett, David Trevvett, Marsha Frankel, Ellen Young, Linda Richards, Andrea Meyers, Ellen Bick and Barbara Cone

Molly reported current active membership at 343, up from 336 in April.

The primary business of the meeting was to review tasks and logistics for the member celebration on May 10:

- Molly reviewed the logistics meeting with Julie Washburn, which was also attended by Barbara and Linda, including access to the facilities and AV hookups.
- Ellen Bick reviewed the food and drink selections donated by Stop & Shop, Star Market, Party Favors, Whole Foods and Trader Joe's. David and Melissa have volunteered to assist Ellen with the pick-ups from the various locations.
- Linda confirmed that she was in touch with Brookline Booksmith about handling sales of Nancy Linde's books.
- Molly reviewed the timeline for the pre-event set-up with David, who had done it the previous year and all seemed to be in order. Barbara and Linda are responsible for the program timeline.
- Ellen Young, Andrea and Marsha volunteered for the registration team. Ellen and Andrea will handle current members who pre-registered; Marsha and Molly, members not pre-registered and non-members. Name tags will be color-coded to designate different categories of membership: blue border for current members, plain for non-members, green line under name for former members, and a green dot for people who join that night.
- David volunteered to post arrows to indicate the way to the event on the 3rd floor.

For the remainder of the meeting, Molly asked for reports from the calls to new and renewed members. Barbara then asked what programs the membership dues went to, which opened a discussion postponed to the June meeting, when we will review pie charts for income and expenses.

The next event on May 24 features Paula Span, a NY Times writer, on the "New Old Age." David and Linda agreed to sign in participants. The next committee meeting in Monday, June 11, 3-4:30 at the Senior Center. Marsha will take notes.