AGENDA



Council on Aging Board Meeting

Date of Posting: Monday, October 23, 2023

Date of Meeting: Thursday, October 26, 2023

Time of Meeting: 10:00 AM
Location: COA Center

Agenda

- 1. Attendance and Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Dylan Thomas, Law Enforcement Support Clinician for Walpole
- 3. Review of September Meeting Minutes
- 4. Outreach Review
- 5. Center Updates
- 6. Finance Update
- 7. Old Business
 - a. Signage out at street, front garden
- 8. New Business
 - a. Walpole Housing Authority Update
 - b. Master Plan Update
 - c. Friends of Walpole Elders Update
 - d. Select Board Update
 - e. Looking Ahead to upcoming meetings
- 9. Open Forum

Walpole Council on Aging Board Meeting

October 26, 2023 10:00AM Old Colony

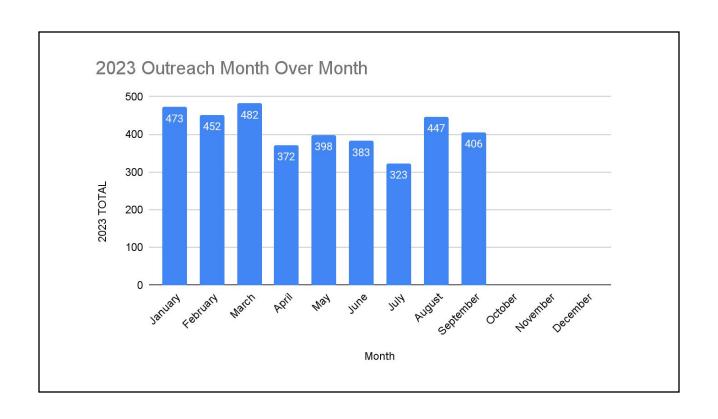
Attendance & Pledge of Allegiance
Dylan Jones, Law Enforcement Support Clinician

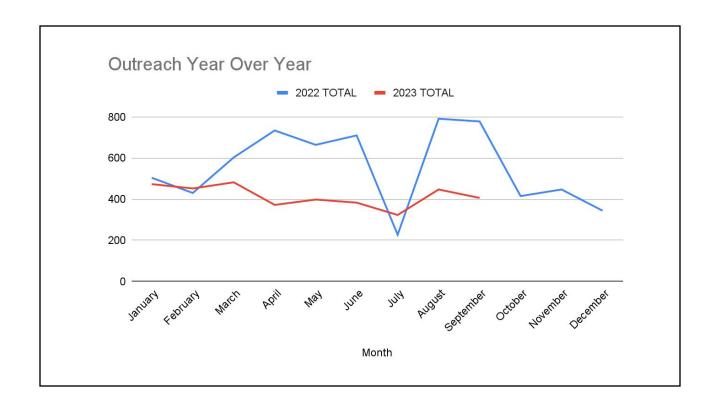
Review of September Meeting Minutes

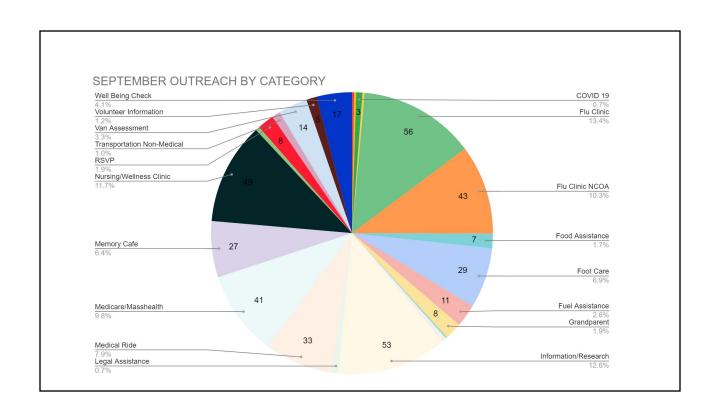
Outreach Review

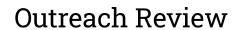
September by the Numbers:

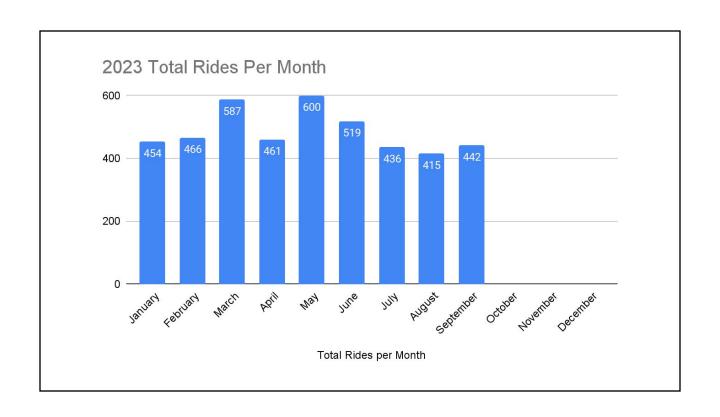
- 404 Total Outreach to 241 Unique Individuals
- Most Common Outreach methods
 - Phone 210 calls
 - o In Person Office Visit 162 visits
- Most Common Referral method
 - o Self 281
 - o WCOA Staff Member 9
 - o Family Member 22

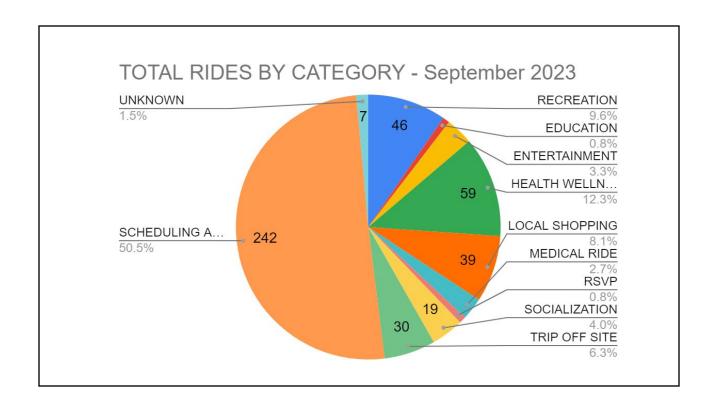


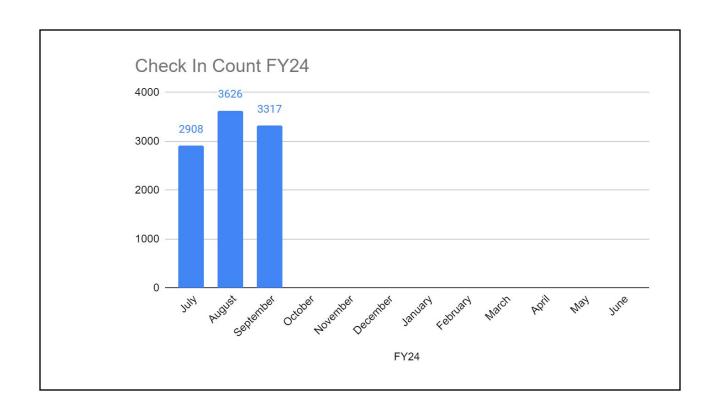


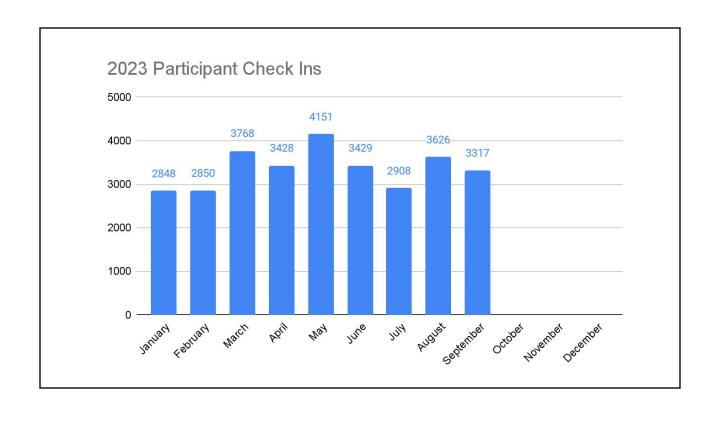


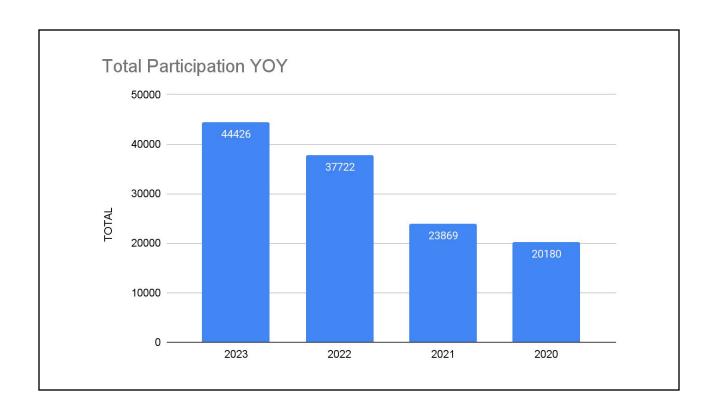


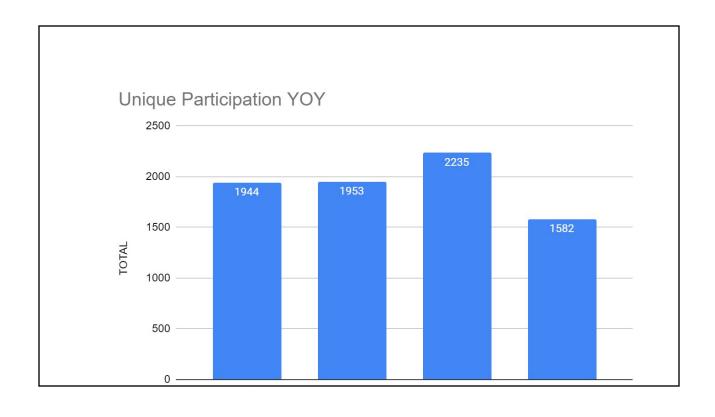


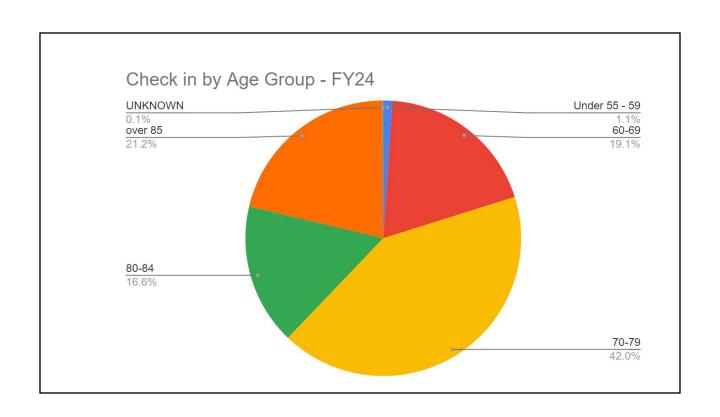


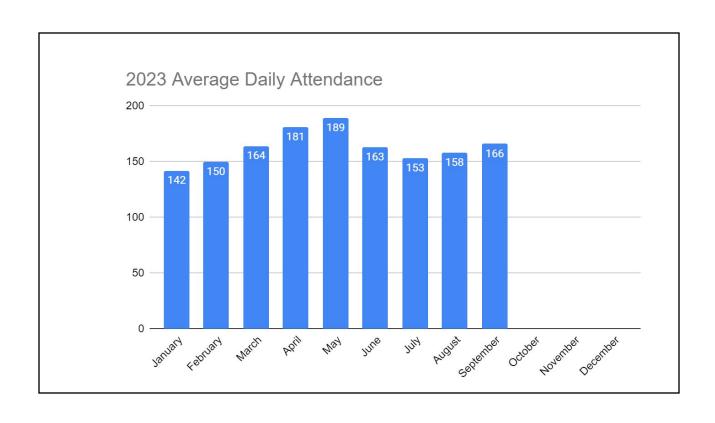


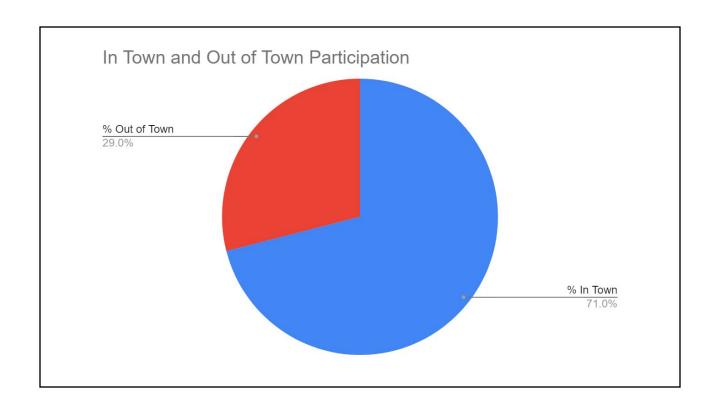


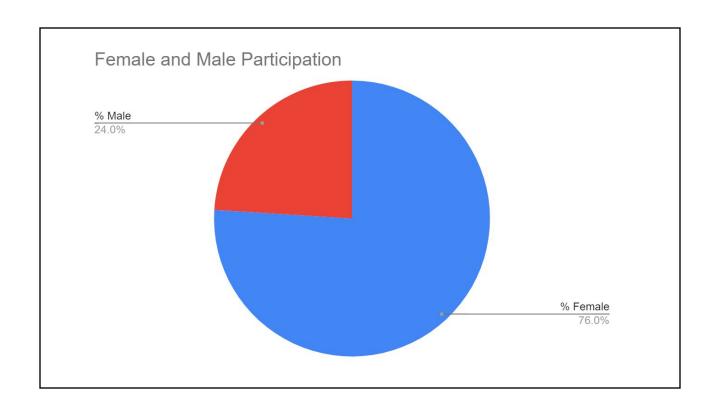


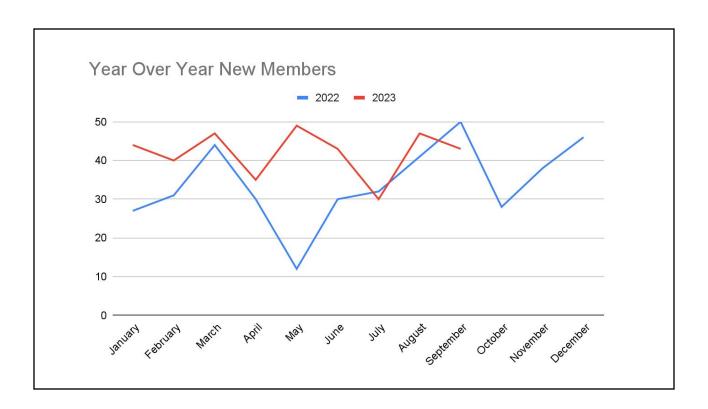












Center Update

NCOA Vaccine Initiative

- We received \$10,000 into our account from NCOA, created a purchase order for 421 \$25 gift cards (5% discount for bulk orders through BigY), and then picked up gift cards from Walpole location with a physical check
- we were able to spend every penny of the grant for this initiative and still have cards left
- Thus far we have provided 320 gift cards to the community with proof of flu vaccination

Upcoming

-Staffing Update

- During the month of September and continuing into October we had some staffing shortages, mainly in the area of Outreach (September was unplanned, we did anticipate vacation time for MOST of October)
- Jill generously flexed her schedule and worked up to 19 hours once that was approved by the Town and that assisted the Department in managing the challenge
- we are hopeful to be at "fully staffed" status for the foreseeable future with no additional planned time off that will negatively affect the Department

Noteable

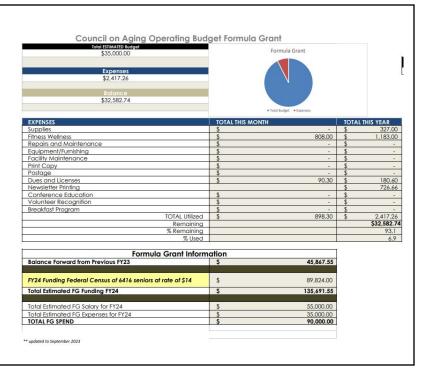
- Center Closed for Veterans Day on November 10th, early closure the day before Thanksgiving, closed for Thanksgiving and the day after Thanksgiving
- Soup Lunch beginning on Thursdays through a collaboration with New Pond
 Village, tasting again this week and then official start next week with cups of soup
- Flu Clinic successfully provided flu vaccine to 160, smaller clinics held at DPT and NVT earlier this week
- Two more trips for our travel season; Newport Playhouse in November and Newport Christmas in early December. Already planning schedule for next season with late March start date.
- Holiday Open House, Friday, December 15th
- Working on finalizing the Department Budget for FY25, will review with Sandhya prior to submission if possible

Finance Update



EXPENSES	TOTAL THIS MONTH		TOTAL THIS YEAR		APPROPRIATION		EMAINING	% REMAIN	% USED
Electricity	\$	728.37	\$ 1,470.06	\$	11,000.00	\$	9,529.94	86.64	13.4
Water	\$	-	\$ 987.33	\$	4,000.00	\$	3,012.67	75.32	24.7
Equipment and Repairs	\$		\$	\$	3,000.00	\$	3,000.00	100.00	0.0
Training and Development	\$	9.	\$	5	1,500.00	\$	1,500.00	100.00	0.0
Postage and Courier	\$		\$ 19.14	\$	400.00	\$	380.86	95.22	4.8
Printing and Copying	\$	23.80	\$ 45.83	5	1,200.00	\$	1,154.17	96.18	3.8
Gas & Oil	\$	697.04	\$ 1,243.71	\$	8,000.00	\$	6,756.29	84.45	15.5
Office Supplies	\$	148.93	\$ 365.73	\$	7,000.00	\$	6,634.27	94.78	5.2
Travel In State	46		\$ 17.03	\$	500.00	\$	482.97	96.59	3.4
Due and Memberships	(0)		\$ 1,539.84	\$	3,500.00	\$	1,960.16	56.00	44.0
Meetings and Conferences	46		\$	\$	500.00	\$	500.00	100.00	0.0
Miscellaneous	16		\$	\$	750.00	\$	750.00	100.00	0.0
Office Equipment	\$	61.99	\$ 61.99	\$	1,250.00	\$	1,188.01	95.04	5.0
	\$	1,660.13	\$ 5,750.66	\$	42,600.00	\$	36,849.34	86.50	13.5
*Updated to September 30, 2023									

Finance Update



Finance Update GIFTS SEPTEMBER 2023 GIFTS RECEIVED S - GIFTS (1) S 15/12 00 PREVOVOS BALANCE S - GIFTS (1) S 15/80 0 GIFTS UTILIZED (1) S 15/80 0 Breakfast Cafe Expenses TOTAL S - TOTAL S 15/80 0 EXPENSES EVENTS ITEMAZED S 125.00 Breakfast Cafe Expenses TOTAL S - P-CARD Inchesis for Caffee and Conversation TOTAL S 15/80 AND.D - 55/8 Broakfast Rems BREAKFAST CAFE EXPENSES ITEMAZED S 125.00 AND.D - 55/8 Broakfast Rems

Old Business

Signage out at Street, front garden

New Business

- Walpole Housing Authority Update
- Master Plan Update
- Friends of Walpole Elders
- Select Board Update
- Looking Ahead to Upcoming Meetings

Open Forum

NEXT MEETING

November Meeting

November 30th at 10:00AM