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Bermuda Senior Islanders' Centre AGM Report May 2017-2018

We published tributes on our website in memory of the late Marlene B. Landy, JP, and Eugene Carmichael. Mrs. Landy co-hosted the government-sponsored Sixty-Something Radio Programme with our director for over two decades. Mr. Carmichael who passed away in Spain was helpful in getting BSIC minivans when he was with the End-to-End charity and was the guest speaker at last year's April Island Wide Social.

Government Funding

The Bermuda Senior Islanders' Centre signed the following compliance filings with the Ministry of Health & Seniors, 2017: Annual Report, Financial Statements, Grant Application and a Semiannual Report for 2017-2018. We also signed a Letter of Offer from the Ministry for a contribution of \$41,690.00.

Private Donations & Sponsorships

Lucy Souza and her colleagues at Zurich celebrated seniors as part of their firm's international week of community giving. Michael Deevy, CEO of Zurich Insurance Company Limited and his obliging staff, hosted 155 seniors in St. Mary's Church Hall. Seniors were entertained and served sumptuous goodies and won grocery vouchers. E & Y sponsored the Christmas luncheon; it was attended by Governor John Rankin CMG, Premier the Hon. David Burt, JP, MP, and Jessel Mendes, Country Managing Partner of E & Y. We're particularly appreciative of Eugene Joell's solo performance of contemporary music on the bass guitar during the meal.

This year's Donors

New donors for the past fiscal year were the American Society in Bermuda, Amlin, Bermuda Community Foundation, Orbis LTD and GAM.

Newsletter

We see a wider distribution of the monthly newsletter with mail outs to supporters, government, collection sites include Admiralty House Park, Senior Clubs, Department of Community Affairs and the Department of Health. Guest writers this year were Dr. Jackie Outerbridge who did an instructive on Executive Function and the late Eugene Carmichael who wrote of his life in Valencia, Spain.

School Involvement

Choirs and dramatists from Dellwood and Clearwater Middle Schools and East End School all performed for seniors at the Joy Club November Island Wide. Cedarbridge Academy students waited on seniors at the February island-wide at the Devonshire Recreation Club. Berkeley Institute students volunteered for the Christmas luncheon at Admiralty House.

Crafty Bunch

Tuesday's crafty bunch instructors, Kathy Faries, Lynn Spurling and Louise Langley continue to stimulate seniors with their creative crafts. New features of the class include exercise with Patsanee Budtarapun and Yvonne Treacy's Digital Drop-In. We thank them for helping Adrienne Jones with the craft group.

BSIC's Finances

Ray Jones of Faro Management Solutions has produce our Profit & Loss Statement and Balance Sheet (pro bono) for a decade. We thank and applaud him for his unwavering commitment to the Centre.

Senior Club Developments

We commend the leaders and members of the Special Peoples, Joy Club, Each One Teach One, Smiling Glee, Golden Hour, Senior Islanders, Hamilton Happy Seniors, Young at Heart, 50 Plus Seniors, Crown of Glory, Sunshine, Devonshire Circle, Golden Elite, Mount Zion, BIU and Pembroke Seniors on the Roll for all they do to keep the groups active.

BSIC Board thanks donors and supporters

On behalf of the Board and the Bermuda Senior Islanders' Centre, I wish to thank you for your cash and donations of goods and services this past fiscal year.

Fredrick R. Hassell, MBE, Director

Mission of the Bermuda Senior Islanders' Centre

We aspire to create and maintain a community programme for the physical, cultural and spiritual well-being of seniors, children and persons on the Island and to organize and operate a Centre for the benefit of the public. Honorary Chairman Canon Thomas Nisbett, OBE, Myra Bristol, Deputy Chair, Winston Butler, Shawn Smith, Fredrick R. Hassell, MBE, Frederick Ming, MBE, are directors of the Bermuda Senior Islanders' Centre. Jeremy Hassell helps BSIC with Special Projects.

AGENDA

Annual General Meeting

Tuesday, May 29, 2018, 2:15 p.m.

Opening Prayer

AGM Minutes

Matters Arising

Director's Report

Treasurer's Report

Election of Officers

AGM chaired by _____

Director _____

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