

**Director's Report submitted by
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- The month of March was a busy, considering the weather we were handed once again. Our numbers are beginning to climb as we head into spring!!!.
- This month I was faced with having to replace our phone system. Verizon came in and told us our master board had issues and needed to be replaced as well as the phones. The system that we have been using was here long before me which over 16 years ago.....it was time to move up to the 21 century. So within two weeks of finding the issue we have new phones and an up to date system. It is so nice to have such a great system to help run this department.
- Our home cooked meals have become VERY, VERY, VERY popular with a wait list!!!! These meals are also listed in the newsletter in our monthly menu and are running on our local cable station monthly. These meals have grown so large we now need to move into our large room off of the kitchen area. We must have a week notice in order to buy the correct amount of food for all to enjoy!!
- Tiny's has really grown in popularity with our gang on Monday nights. Many NEW folks are getting together and making new friends. I am thrill this idea has been so well received and growing.
- All monthly bills paid on time.
- All monthly reports written and submitted on time.
- Monthly newsletter written and out into the community before the beginning of the new month. New drop off location have been added around town. I have also increase our number to be given out by 200.
- Our newsletter is now on our town website for those that want to read it on line, very exciting to be able to bring to folks all over with the use of the computer.
- Our Exercise class continues to bust at the seams and everyone is having a BLAST. New friendships and lots of laughter!! People from surrounding communities are joining in the fun weekly.
- I attended all of my monthly meetings.
- I attended the monthly Master Plan Committee meeting. This group is working towards the future needs in Ayer. This is the right committee to be working with when looking for a new, bigger home for the Ayer COA. This is a very active group of people and should be interesting to work with.

- Our Meals on Wheels (MOW) program is still very busy helping so many folks out in our community that cannot get out of their homes.
- Shop and Save is giving us wonderful baked goods and breads three times a week. FREEEEEEEEEEEE here at The Center and additionally to Pleasant Street School residents. Every Mon-Wed-Fri for our over 60+ers. These will be delivered **AFTER 9AM**.
- Our Police Liaison Officer Matt Callahan keeps in check with my department almost daily. It is comforting to know we have such GREAT support from my local PD :-). We are so lucky to have him on our TEAM!! He is so in tune to our 60+ers Thank YOU!!
- Our AARP TAX program is winging down for another year. This program is completely booked through the end of tax season. It is a wonderful FREEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEE program for our 60+ers. We are so lucky to be able to offer such an awesome program for our 60+ers.
- Jean, our Outreach Coordinator is continuing to gather information for our Town Emergency Management Team. I hold a seat on this committee and we are putting together a call list of those who are living alone in our community. This will be put into place in case of a community wide emergency. We gather information and I turn it in monthly.
- Our St. Patrick's Day Luncheon with Sean Patrick's was a HUGE SUCCESS. There was not an empty seat to be had. The food was awesome and the company was better. Every year gets better and better and bigger and bigger. Our Town Administrator Robert and his assistant Carly join us for the fun also as well as Officer Callahan and his little girl. It was such a special day for all of us!!!!
- We are excited to have accepted a letter of intent for the 5th open seat of our COA Board. It takes very special people to work together for the right reasons with our 60+ population and Susan Copeland is very interested in the future of the COA. We look forward to our April meeting to welcome her.
- There are many activities and events planned for the upcoming months ahead here at The Center!!!
Our Mexican Fiesta, Spring Fling, Summer Brunch and Foster's Lobsta Trip are all planned through the middle of July. We will also be in the upcoming 4th of July parade also with our MART Van. We have great energy here at The Center and are looking forward to continuing with fun, quality events for all our 60+ers.