

**AGE-FRIENDLY ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA**

**Date & Time:** Monday June 15th, 2026 | 10:00 am

**Location:** Council Chambers | 341- 10<sup>th</sup> Street | For virtual attendance please notify [lregier@hanover.ca](mailto:lregier@hanover.ca) within 24 hours of meeting.

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**1. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

**2. DELEGATION**

**3. ADOPTION OF April 13th, 2026 MINUTES**

**4. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

**4.1. World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) | June 15<sup>th</sup>**

4.1.1. Town of Hanover Flag Raising ceremony | 3:00pm

4.1.2. Social media scheduled

4.1.3. Graphic included in June Age-Friendly Connections

**4.2. Lunch & Social | June 18<sup>th</sup> | 12:30pm |P&H Centre**

**5. SENIORS ACTIVE LIVING CENTRE GRANT (SALC)**

**6. HANOVER AGE-FRIENDLY CONNECTIONS**

**6.1. Previous Posts**

6.1.1. May 2026

6.1.2. June 2026

**6.2. Discussion | July & August Content**

**7. OTHER BUSINESS**

7.1. Committee member roundtable – ‘eyes and ears’ for age-friendly notes in our community

**8. NEXT MEETING – September 21st, 2026**

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

AGE-FRIENDLY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

**Date & Time:** April 13, 2026 | 10:00 am

**Location:** Council Chambers and Zoom

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**MEMBERS PRESENT**      Loretta Dunn | Cassondra Dillman | Kaela Sales | Karen Otterbein | Warren Dickert (Council Rep) | Pat Butler | Susanne Kunkel | Sandra Hong | Laura-Lee Ribey

**OTHERS PRESENT**      Brandon Dobson | Lyndsay Regier | Susan Sakal

**REGRETS**                      Harold Fleet

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**1. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST – Nil.**

**2. DELEGATION – Nil.**

**3. ADOPTION OF THE March 16, 2026 MINUTES**

**Moved by P. Butler | Seconded by S. Kunkel**

THAT the minutes of March 16, 2026 meeting be approved as circulated. **CARRIED.**

**4. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

Included in the Age-Friendly package emailed on April 8, 2026 and copies were available to committee members.

4.1. Article in Post | Active Aging Expo Recap

4.2. Ontario Age-Friendly Communities | Aging Resources

4.3. Grey County Age-Friendly

4.3.1. Grey County Newsletter | Subscribe at <https://www.grey.ca/newsletter>

4.3.2. Grey County - Age-Friendly Business

4.3.3. Grey County Progress Snapshot 2026 | <https://www.grey.ca/government/strategic-planning-and-studies/age-friendly-communities>

4.4. Grey-Bruce Geriatric Education Cooperative | May 20, 2026

4.5. Healthy Communities Partnership Conference | April 27 & 28, 2026 – Registration is open until April 20<sup>th</sup>.

## **5. COMMITTEE MEMBER UPDATES**

### **5.1. Committee Appointment | Chairperson Appointment**

B. Dobson opened nominations for chairperson.

#### **Moved by C. Dillman**

THAT Kaela Sales be nominated for chairperson. Kaela Sales accepted the nomination.

With only one candidate, no voting was required. Kaela Sales was appointed the position as chairperson. Loretta Dunn will continue on as vice chairperson.

## **6. Active Aging Expo – Seniors Community Grant**

6.1. Wrap Up - Committee members discussed the Active Aging Expo successes and improvements for future expos.

## **7. HANOVER AGE-FRIENDLY CONNECTIONS**

7.1. Discussion | May Content – Committee members discussed content for the May newsletter and future newsletters.

## **8. SPRING CLASSIC & SENIOR GAMES**

8.1. Hanover Senior's Spring Classic – The local senior games changed the name from 'Local Senior Games' to 'Hanover Senior Spring Classic Games' to possibly reduce the confusion between the local senior games and the district senior games. Local senior games will begin on Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup> with bid euchre at the P & H Centre.

8.2. OSGA 55+ District Games – Registration is open now for OSGA games. Registration forms are available at the P & H Centre since registration is required in person. Payment by cheque or cash. Registration open until April 24<sup>th</sup>.

## **9. Other Business**

9.1. Committee member shared the Walk for Alzheimer's is Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at Sulphur Springs Conservation Area. Registration available online at <https://alzheimer.ca/en/ways-give/fundraise-participate/walk-alzheimers>

9.2. Committee member shared that on Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at the St. Matthew's Church from 2-3pm Sandra Hong will be doing a presentation on Memory and Aging with Alzheimer's.

9.3. Committee member shared upcoming Library programs for adults & seniors. For an up to date list of programs go to <https://hanoverlibrary.ca/calendar/> or contact the library.

9.4. Committee member shared that the Library will be having a Poetry Open Mic Night on April 17<sup>th</sup> in honour of Poetry month.

9.5. Earth Day is on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. There will be a Community garbage pickup on April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00pm. Meet at the P & H Centre to pick up your map with locations for garbage pickup. Hallman's will be bringing a truck to fill with garbage bags. There will be pizza available for those who participate.

**10. NEXT MEETING** – Monday June 15, 2026 | 10:00am

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

**Moved by P. Butler | Seconded by W. Dickert**  
THAT the meeting be adjourned at 11:00am.