

Beech Grove Senior Citizens July 2021 Board of Works Report

In July we transported 138
Transportation Log Below

Week	Mon Meeting	Shopping	S.Campus	Dr./Dent	Beauty Shop	Misc	Special Events	Total
July 1, 2021	0	3	1	1	1	4	0	10
July 5, 2021	0	4	0	0	1	2	20	27
July 12, 2021	0	6	1	2	1	3	19	32
July 19, 2021	0	4	0	3	1	7	18	33
July 26, 2021	2	4	1	0	1	3	25	36
Total	2	21	3	6	5	19	82	138

July has been an exciting month for us, we received a seven-thousand-dollar grant. We will use this to help Senior citizen`s in and around the Beech Grove area by giving them a free Thanksgiving and Christmas meal as well as a little gift from Santa. The Holidays are some of the happiest times of the year for many, yet it can be the saddest times for Seniors. With their family`s either living far away or have no living family left, a simple holiday meal delivered to their door with a warm smile can fill their hearts with happiness knowing they are not forgotten.

This month we received a vary lager donation of Christmas decorations, all brand new items. We decided to share with the businesses and their employees on Main St. With a completely full bus, we drove up and down Main Street offering those who were interested to climb aboard and pick out what they wanted or needed. After that we sat up a few tables in front of the center and gave the public the opportunity to take what they wanted from the donation. That was a Christmas in July we hope they never forget.

As of now we are taking trips as normal and having as many activities as the day allows. We currently have Ninety-five Seniors going on our Cape

Cod / Martha`s Vinyard trip this October. We have two charter buses with a total of four Chaperons, two on each bus. We will close the Center the week we are gone in October.

Our Senior Citizens food pantry is doing well. Having our pantry has given us the opportunity to help Seniors in and around the Beech Grove area. Our pantry has become a vital resource for Seniors that are not just low income rather then they make too much for government assistance. Some run low on money`s due to higher prices at the store and prescription cost. We are still grocery shopping for Seniors that do not want to go to the store for fear of catching Covid or Covid variant. We will continue offering this service as long as necessary. We are taking our over stocked foods and giving it to a family food pantry. We gifted over 40lbs of frozen meat this month along with fruit, veggies, and canned goods.

Respectfully submitted:
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