

## **SELF ADVOCACY GROUP**

### **MEETING MINUTES**

**October 12, 2010**

**Present: Mary Farkas and Stephen Farkas, Rachel F, Greg P, Ralph M, Russell G, Marissa T, Julie C, Tracey D, Jack A, Tony T.**

- **Welcome**
- **The meeting Started that 6:40pm.**
- **Mary read the minute of last months meeting and we all approved them.**
- **The group voted on the name Advocates In Motion (AIM).**
- **The next meeting we will see how this day works for everyone.**
- **We watched the movie on Freedom Tour. We talked about institutions and how awful they are for people.**
- **Talked about the Conference in Port Elgin September 24, 25 & 26<sup>th</sup>. It was good for us there and we all learned a lot about being advocates.**
- **Discussed fundraising options:**
  - **Movie boutique (ask Simon)**
  - **50/50 draws**
  - **Bake sale**
  - **Spaghetti dinner (ask Marg)**

- **Christmas basket**
  - **Bottle drive**
  - **Dance**
  - **Make buttons and sell**
  - **BBQ**
  - **Walk-a-thon**
  - **Flowers (sell them)**
- **We are going to vote on the discussed fundraising options at our next meeting**
- **The meeting was closed by Terry**
- **From the Secretary Mary Farkas**
- **Next meeting is Nov. 12, 2010 the time is 6:30pm -7:30pm.**