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NEWSLETTER

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A NOTE FROM NANCY

Anna Bernotas will be 99 years old on May 26th. If you would like to send her a birthday card her new address is: 7 East Pine Street, Carolina Shores, NC 28467. I would like to **THANK** everyone who worked so hard for the Breakfast w/The Bunny. It was a very busy morning. We served 355 adults & children. Without all of the many volunteers it wouldn't be possible.

LADIES AFTERNOON TEA THURSDAY, APRIL 27TH

You are invited to join us from 1:00-3:00p.m. for an afternoon Tea Party. You will be served finger sandwiches, assorted cheeses, fresh fruit and fancy pastries. Please feel free to dress up, wear your fancy hats and gloves. FREE! Pick up a ticket in the office.

Dear God, In Sunday school they told us what you do. But who does it when you are on vacation?
From Jill, Age 8.

MAY 3RD

WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON

Luncheon is at 11:30 a.m. No tickets sold after Wednesday, April 26th. Menu: Tossed Salad, Fried Chicken, Cheesy Potatoes, Vegetable Medley, Red Velvet Cake, Coffee and Iced Tea. Cost is \$6.00.

COFFEE CLUB

FRIDAY MAY 5TH AT 9:30A.M.

Join Mike Mitchell's Coffee Club for an informal gathering where he will discuss the economy, the financial markets, interest rates and other relevant investment topics. Be a part of the next discussion.

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NEW MEMBERS

We welcome the following new members to the senior center and hope they join us for some of our activities; Carol Hannan, Donald Kramer, Gloria Patterson, Nadine Stack, M. Joyce Steinbrink, George & Alta Stumpf, Susan Strup,

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HAWAIIAN LUAU PARTY

THURSDAY, May 11th at 2:00p.m.

Brookdale Lakeview Crossing and MGM Healthcare will sponsor the 1st Annual Luau Party here at the center. You can savor the flavors of Hawaiian and Polynesian culture: exotic food-tastings, "Island Music". Hawaiian –Tiki décor, games, and prizes. You can sit back and relax while sipping on your favorite tropical drink and taking your taste buds on spring break by sampling some great eats. Sign up and get your ticket to attend in the office.

Everything is FREE!!!

MOTHER'S DAY & MEMORIAL DAY LUNCHEON

TUESDAY, MAY 16TH

The luncheon starts at noon. Please bring the following: A-G a dessert, H-M a meat, N-S a vegetable and T-Z a salad. Be sure the covered dish is large enough to share. Bring your own table service. Money donated in the basket on the table will be donated to the Pickerington Food Pantry each month. We will be entertained by Robert Brugler. Robert is an excellent Abe Lincoln presenter and he is keen on his knowledge of Lincoln. Thanks to Wesley Ridge for sponsoring the pies and gift cards for the luncheon. May's lunch Sponsor is Eric Brown, New York Life. (April's lunch sponsor was Nova Care Physical Therapy.)

OLDER AMERICAN MONTH

90+ CELEBRATION AT THE MAY LUNCHEON

We have several members that have reached the age of 90 and we would like to celebrate with them. We will honor all the 90 & 90+ at the May Luncheon. Please join us in celebrating this wonderful group of senior citizens. We will be sending all of them an invitation.



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VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

The center would like to honor Jan Knauff as volunteer for the month of May. Jan is a great volunteer, she works the pancake breakfast including Breakfast w/The Bunny. She is on Team 2 for clean up at the monthly luncheon. She helped with getting carry out dinners for the shut-ins and delivered some of them. That's just a few of the things she helps out with. She will receive a \$10.00 gift card to Cracker Barrel. Enjoy your reserved parking space the month of May. Thanks again for all you do at the center.



SCHOOL LUNCHEON

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17TH AT 11:45A.M.

The senior luncheon is scheduled at Lakeview Jr. High at 11:45A.M. The Student Council will pay for your lunch. For the new members the Jr. High Schools have lunch once a month for the seniors.

THURSDAY, MAY 18TH & 25TH

Everyday Divinity provides nail and foot care services by State Certified Foot Care Nurse, Heather Wilson, RN. She will be at the center for a foot care clinic from 9:00am-2:00pm. The cost is \$27.00. It includes a 30 minute treatment, complete foot assessment, expertly trim, thin, and file nails. Tools are sterilized for each patient. Call the center at 614-837-3020 to sign up.

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KNITTING AND CROCHETING

FRIDAY, MAY 19TH AT 11:00A.M.

For anyone who would like to learn to knit or crochet. From experienced to beginners come in and join Denise Morris. Denise will be happy to teach you if you are a beginner.

BINGO TUESDAY, MAY 23RD

On the fourth Tuesday of every month they play Bingo!! At noon they have a potluck to include Homemade Ice Cream. Bingo starts at 1:00p.m.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SATURDAY, MAY 20TH

(Last breakfast until September)

This will be the last pancake breakfast until September. Enjoy some hot pancakes (all you can eat), sausage, orange juice, milk, coffee, tea. We will be serving from 8:00-11:00 a.m. The cost is still only \$4.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children 5-10, under 5 is free. Thanks to Spence Funeral Home for sponsoring this month's breakfast.

WATERCOLOR CLASS IS FREE TO MEMBERS

Join Lois Clark every Monday from 1:00-3:00pm here at the center for adventures in watercolor painting. Lois is a great teacher and no requirements, previous training, or talent, just the desire to express yourself with "Paints and Brushes."

EUCHRE

Come in any Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. and join the many Euchre players. The cost is only \$2.25 and it includes the loner pot.

FITNESS FIRM - EVERY FRIDAY MORNING- CLASS IS FREE TO MEMBERS.

Exercise starts at 9:00a.m. Registration, sign up at 8:30a.m. It is a 45 minute class. It's a total workout; come see the power you've got and make great things happen for your health and well-being. We have plenty of room for you to move and groove to great music. A certified instructor will guide you through a safe and effective workout.

FOOD PANTRY FOR ANIMALS

It's run by Tricia Gerencser, a member of the center. It is available to anyone who has a companion animal and might be struggling to make ends meet. If you have not been inclined to seek assistance in feeding your pet and you're in need of assistance contact Tricia at 614-863-1891.

BLANKETS FOR THE HOMELESS

Seton Homeless Comfort Crew is still collecting old bedding, curtains, material and etc. to make sleeping bags for the homeless. When the product is finished it is given to the Holy Family Soup Kitchen who distributes them to the homeless. If you have any questions about this project, call Elaine Fairchild at 614-864-2637.



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LANCASTER-FAIRFIELD PUBLIC TRANSIT IMPORTANT INFORMATION

There will be hourly loops running (one north, one south). These two loops will meet in three locations to transfer passengers between the routes. No reservations required.

1. It's a set schedule that will not change.
2. The fare is only \$.50 for general public or \$.25 for mobility program passengers.
3. If you don't have access to the route, they can deviate up to $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile to still pick you up at the cheaper fare!

The routes are super easy to use! For more information or to get a route schedule contact the LFPT office at 740-681-5088.

HONOR FLIGHT

Honor Flight is currently seeking Veterans from World War II, the Korean War and terminally ill Veterans from all wars. They will fly you to Washington, D.C. at no cost to you so you can visit your Memorial and all the Memorials as a **Thank You** for your service to our country. For more information on these flights call 614-284-4987 or visit the web site at www.honorflightcolumbus.org.

HONOR FLIGHT SCHEDULE FOR 2017

May 13th, June 10th,
Sep 9th & 30th, and October 21st

CENTER CLOSING DATES

Monday, May 29th – Memorial Day

Thursday, June 1st – They will be stripping and waxing the floors

CORVUS JANITORIAL

The center has hired Corvus Janitorial Service. They will be cleaning the center every Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings. With the help of everyone we can keep the building clean,

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUMMER MUSIC SERIES

Thursday, June 22nd
5:30P.M. Baked Potato/Salad Bar with all the toppings for your salad and potato, assorted desserts, coffee and iced tea. Catered by Wendi's Kitchen. 7:00 – 9:00P.M. The Diamond Brothers. Tickets are on sale in the office, the cost is \$8.00 per person,

Thursday, July 6th – Life Line Screening – We will have flyers in the office next week, if you want to do early sign up.

Thursday, July 27th – Ice Cream Social

Saturday, August 5th, Kids Party

Thursday, August 24th – Smorgasbord Dinner Buffet

Thursday, October 12th Soup Dinner /Bingo

JUST A REMINDER

If you go to Mt. Carmel East to visit or for any test remember the Mount Carmel East Main Entrance is closed for one year. During construction patients and visitors please use the Heart Center entrance.

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TRIPS

BRANSON MISSOURI & THE OZARKS

MAY 14TH - 20TH – World-class entertainment at magnificent live performance theatres includes shows to many star-spangled performers. Check out Branson Landing, a multi-themed entertainment and retail complex. Browse the shops in historic downtown Branson. Trip includes 6 nights lodging, 6 breakfasts, 6 dinners and 7 shows to include Shoji Tabuchi, Showboat Branson Belle, Baldknobbers Jamboree, Doug Gabriel, Clay Cooper's Country Music Express, Red, Hot & Blue Shoe, and Great Passion Play. Cost is \$799.00 Double occupancy, single occupancy \$969.00
Space available, payment due on sign up.

LACOMEDIA DINNER THEATRE

"SISTER ACT"

June 2nd-Sister Act is the feel-good musical comedy smash hit based on the hit 1992 film. Featuring original music by Tony-and eight-time Oscar winner, Alan Menken. This uplifting musical was nominated for five Tony Awards, including Best Musical. When disco diva, Deloris Van Cartier, witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she won't be found: a convent! Disguised as a nun, she uses here unique disco moves and singing talent to inspire the choir and breathe new life into the church and community. Sign up for this trip is Monday, April 3rd and the cost is only \$60.00 and includes transportation, buffet luncheon and the show. Payment is due before May 1st.

Space available

CINCINNATI REDS GAME

JUNE 8 - Join your fellow baseball fans as we travel to The Great American Ballpark to see the Cincinnati Reds take on St. Louis Cardinals! The cost is \$46.00 which includes transportation and your game ticket. Lunch will be on your own.

Space available

CREATION MUSEUM & NOAH'S ARK

JULY 11-12 - Come along with us as we travel to the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky area for a "Tour of Biblical Proportions". We will spend the first day touring the Creation Museum. Be prepared to experience history in an unprecedented way as the museum brings the pages of the Bible to life as you stroll through the Garden of Eden, the Cave of Sorrows and so much more. The next day you will go on a tour of the Ark Encounter, the largest timber frame structure in the world. There are scores of exhibits about the Flood. Animatronics version of Noah that are designed to answer your questions about the biblical account of Noah's Ark. There is so much more about these two places that it can't be put in this article. The trip also includes transportation, hotel accommodations, a dinner cruise on the river, a full breakfast and more. The cost is \$249.00 per person double occupancy with a \$100.00 deposit due on sign up. Final payment due by June 1st. Space available

SPOTLIGHT ON SOUTH DAKOTA

THE BLACK HILLS & THE BADLANDS

SEPTEMBER 8-14 - HIGHLIGHTS: Mount Rushmore, Crazy Horse Memorial, Black Hills Gold, Needles Highway, Custer State Park, Pine Ridge, Badlands National Park, Wall Drug, Deadwood, and Spearfish. Cost: Double: \$2,399, Single: \$2,949, Triple: \$2,369. Insurance \$240.00. A deposit of \$500.00 due on sign up.

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FROM DEANA DILLON

May Your Birthday Be Just The Beginning Of A Year Filled With Happy Memories.

1)Jo Lott 2)Rosemarie Drignat, Jeri Heskett, John Feyko 3)Ely Kleszczelski, Teresa McGrath, Linda Beal 4)Linwood Connell 5)Jimmy Moore, Mary Ann Green, Ruth Plaucher 7)Karen Virden 8)Tim Shaw, Dick Henley, Lois Clark 9)Norman Stanski, Gene Ebert, Barbara Acker 11)Ruth Snyder, Nora O'Reilly, Mike Hussey, George Johnson, Sharon Quin 13)Kathleen Murphy, Arin Anderson, Lucy Helligas 14)Susie Schreiber, Tom Kane, Roberta Penwell, Joe Speakman, Wanda Harvey 15) Arlene Kroll, Norma Boyd, Diane Johnson 16)Linda Weltlich 17)Paul Muncy, Carmen Tracy, Mary Rykowski, Coletta Sneddon. Dorothy Johnson 19)Donald McKittrick 20) Rod Griffin, Barbara Freeman, Tom Kovitya, Karen McLain 21)Mary Ann Johnson, Marian Reitano, Jean Cores, Kathy Filippelli 22)John Rice, Dottie Seitz, Betty Knowlton 23)Jack Riordan, Sandra Frazer, Mary Bauman 24)Sharon Leasure, Evelyn Reiss, Gloria Patterson, Mary Ann Gravenkemper, Beverly Lundgren 25)Marie McCann, Thelma Foltz, Dorothy Ford, Sharon Lewis 26)Don Barnhouse, Flo Burke, Lucy Lehman, Donna Keller, Ray Shook, Mary Boyd 27)Shelia Campbell, Caroline Weiland 28)Barbara Seidler, Larry Harlan 30)Vickie Witten, Pat Smith, Debbie Hulvey 31)Peggy Poenisch, Diana Kovitya, Betty Jane Toman.

MEMBERS IN SORROW:

Dayna Toliver (Nancy's niece/Deana's cousin)
Jan Miller's son, Jeff
Carol Kauser's sister, Louis Swartz

MEMBERS KNOWN ILL:

Anna Weber- Fell
Jack Kuhn – Pneumonia
Marilyn Harmon – Kidney Failure
Jean Sharp- Broken Leg

THANK YOU:

A special thank you to, Jeannie Carroll for the cute Easter decorations on the porch, we had a lot of compliments on how nice it looked and the kids loved it.

KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS:

If you are on prep or clean up for the monthly luncheons and are unable to make it, please let me know. Thank you and thanks for all your help.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY:

Mom is such a special word
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I've ever heard.

A toast to you
Above the rest,

Mom you're so special
You are simply
The best.



HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY:

