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#### **A NOTE FROM NANCY**

# WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> DRACULA

Pickerington Central High School's Theater Department has invited the senior center to the preview night. Doors open at 6:30pm and the play starts at 7:00pm. Admission is free. If you would like donations are accepted.

#### **THANK YOU**

Big thanks to the Friendly Ties Square Dancers for the generous donation of \$600.00 towards the new ice machine.

# PANCAKE BREAKFAST – NO BREAKFAST IN NOVEMBER DECEMBER IS BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

# MEDIGOLD SEMINAR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST AT 10:00AM

They will be discussing enrollment periods and all of Medigold's Plan benefits for 2019. They will touch on Part D prescription coverage as well. Call the center to sign up 614-837-3020.

## COFFEE CLUB FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND AT 9:30AM

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.

# SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

"Spring forward fall back." This day is held annually when Daylight Savings Time ends the first Sunday in November. Set your clocks back one hour before retiring for the night on Saturday. This is the time to check your batteries in smoke detectors, carbon monoxide detectors, and other electronic devices. Please do not climb on ladders or chairs to change them. Have one of your kids, or neighbor come over and take care of it for you. If you can't find someone to help you call us and we will find someone to help you. 614-837-3020.

# TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH GENERAL ELECTION DAY

#### WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON – NOVEMBER 7TH

Luncheon is at 11:30 am. Cost is \$6.00 per person. MENU: Spinach Salad with Raspberry Vinaigrette Dressing, Pork Chop, AuGratin Potatoes, Sautéed Vegetables, Cheese Cake w/strawberry topping Coffee & Iced Tea. No tickets sold after Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>.

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

We welcome the following new members to the senior center and hope they join us for some of our activities: Carol Ardrey, Linda Barber, Bernice Booker, Judy Hemphill and Michael Searfos and Cliff & Linda Smith.

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# VOLUNTEER DINNER THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH

Fairfield National Bank is sponsoring a dinner for all the volunteers here at the center. This is for anyone who has volunteered for anything, crafters, set up, pancake breakfast workers, noodle makers, office volunteer, kid's party, and dinners for the shut-ins, or anything else that you have helped out with. The only thing they ask is for you to sign up. If you have to cancel please let us know ahead of time. They have to pay the caterer for the guaranteed amount. ONLY VOLUNTEERS CAN ATTEND THE DINNER. Entertainment will follow after dinner. Dinner is at 5:00p.m.

**MENU: Thanksgiving Dinner Theme** 

#### **SOUP SUPPER AND BINGO**

It was a great turn out. We served over 90 guests. Thanks to Annabelle Marion for being in charge. Thanks to Jeannie Carroll, Deana Dillon, Ann Harper, Jerilynn Heskett and Kaye Howard for all your help. Thanks to Carmen Tracy for the vegetable soup and Jamie Neutzling for the bean soup. Thanks to John Samborsky for calling Bingo. And thanks to everyone who stayed to clean up.

## <u>TITLE BOXING</u> <u>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH</u>

Maria Manzo from Title Boxing will be here from 9:00-9:45am. Sessions are around the Rock Steady Boxing curriculum that increases the neuroplasticity of the brain aka help produce healthy brain cells. The exercises are designed to improve quality of life, have fun, and get results all at the same time. The **cost is FREE.** If you join the class she will supply the Boxing kit that includes a bag and gloves or you can also purchase your own the cost is \$20.00.

#### **MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVE PROGRAM**

Any member that signs up four new members will receive a \$25.00 Visa Gift Card. Tell the office staff

to put your name on the form when you sign up a new member. All you need is four members!!



# FOOT CARE THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH & 29TH

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 \$30.00. It includes a 30 minute treatment. A complete foot assessment, expertly trimmed, thinned & filed nails, corns & calluses filed & buffed. All tools are sterilized for each patient. Call 614-837-3020 to sign up. Gift Certificates now available!

# THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH

The luncheon starts at noon. Please bring the following: A-G a salad, H-M a dessert, N-S a meat, and T-Z vegetable. 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. Thanks to Wesley Ridge for sponsoring the pies and gift cards for the luncheon. Entertainment: Pickerington North High School. A lot of work is involved in this luncheon. If you would be willing to help out please give us a call.

# CENTER IS CLOSED NOVEMBER 22ND & 23RD HAVE A HAPPY THANKSGIVING

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## BINGO TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH

On the fourth Tuesday of every month we play Bingo!! At noon there is a potluck to include homemade ice cream. Bingo starts at 1:00p.m.

#### **VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH**

The center would like to honor Jeannie Carroll as Volunteer of the month. Jeannie is very active here at the center as she helps every month in the kitchen for the monthly luncheon as well as helping with the carry out dinners for Thanksgiving & Christmas. Jeannie makes homemade ice cream every month for bingo, donates pies for the Music Series & other events. Jeannie loves to decorate the outside for holidays. That's just a few of the things she helps out with. She will receive a \$10.00 gift card to Steak 'N Shake. Enjoy your reserved parking space the month of November. Thanks for all your help.

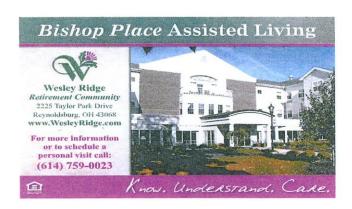


#### **BOARD NOMINEES**

At our December luncheon we will be electing two members for the Board of Trustees to serve for the next three years. The following board members are up for re-election, Ted Hackworth, and Jerilynn Heskett. If you would like to run for the Board or know someone that would please let us know so we can put them on the ballot.

### **EUCHRE FOR BEGINNERS**

If you are interested in learning how to play Euchre or you are still learning and need a slower pace, we would like to host beginners Euchre games starting in January. Please call the office if interested. Once we get a few tables reserved we will set up the dates and times for Beginners Euchre!



#### 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. There are no requirements, previous training, or talent, just the desire to express yourself with "Paints and Brushes. " The class is free to members. Call Lois at 614-837-0266 for a list of suppies needed.

#### STRENGTH CLASS

Join the strength class every Monday and Wednesday from 10:00-11:00am. The class is free to members. The class focuses on building upper and lower body strength, a good stretch and improving your balance.

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

Exercise starts at 9:00am. Registration, sign up at 8:30am. It is a 45 minute class. It's a total workout; see the power you've got and make great things happen for your health and well-being.

#### **BLANKETS FOR THE HOMELESS**

Seton Homeless Comfort Crew is still collecting old bedding, curtains, material, and etc. They 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.

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# LANCASTER-FAIRFIELD PUBLIC TRANSIT IMPORTANT INFORMATION

They just implemented a new trip scheduling software (Ecolane) and they are pleased to report it is allowing them to provide more trips than they have done in the past! What does this mean for you. You will need to book your trip at least one day in advance for the cheaper fares \$1/\$2 versus a \$5.00 same-day fare. You are still able to book your trips up to two weeks in advance. They will continue to take reservations Monday thru Friday from 8:00am until 4:00pm via telephone, or you may use a new "self-service" portal that allows you to book/manage your own trips! In addition they will be adding a feature that will allow you to receive a text message alert and/or a phone call to remind you of your trip or the location of your bus. They thank you for your patience and support during this transition. They are very excited to implement this new software product that will become the backbone of Fairfield County transportation system. As always, should you have any questions regarding these changes call them at 740-681-5086 or email cwoody@ci.lancaster.oh.us.

# UPCOMING EVENT WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup> THE DIVINERS

Pickerington North High School Theater Department has invited the senior center to the preview night. Doors open at 6:30pm and the play starts at 7:00pm. Admission is free. If you would like donation are accepted.

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1ST BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

This will be the 15<sup>th</sup> annual breakfast with Santa. To purchase your ticket you need to go to the Park & Recreation Dept. at City Hall. The cost is \$6.00 per person (children 2 years and under are free.)

No tickets sold at the event. Tickets are a must and they will go on sale starting Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Cash, checks made payable to City

of Pickerington, Visa and Master Cards are accepted. There will be a bake sale and the Craft Ladies will have a Secret Santa Gift Shop. The Parks and Recreation Dept will be helping the kids make a craft item to take home. Seating times are at 8:00am, 9:30am and 11:00am. Tickets go fast. If you want to bring your grandkids don't wait until it's sold out. This is a very busy day. If you would be willing to help work the breakfast, bring in baked goods, or help wrap the kid's gifts please give the office a call. Marian Reitano, HER Realtors is the December breakfast sponsor.



# TRIPS PRESENTATION ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH AT 2:00 P.M. EXPLORE TUSCANY November 2-10, 2019

Highlights include Montecatini Terme, Florence, Lucca, Gothic Line, Pisa, Cooking Class, Sienna, Choice on Tour, Winery Tour, Cheese Farm and more. Cost is Double \$2,999.00, Single \$3,299.00. Triple \$2,969.00 for bookings made before May 3, 2019. Not included in price is Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$315.00 due on sign up.

## LANCASTER, PA., FEATURING "JESUS" AT SIGHT & SOUND

November 13-16 – The motor coach will leave the center at 7:30a.m. Please arrive 15 minutes before departure time to check in. This trip is sure to put you in the spirit of the holidays. The highlight is the performance of "Jesus" at the Sight & Sound Millennium Theatre.

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# THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4<sup>th</sup>

Join us as the Taylor Family Trio, lifts their voices in praise in this Celebration of the REASON FOR THE **SEASON.** The Taylor's ministry in music has touched the hearts of audiences everywhere. Their spirit filled message delivered through their beautiful harmonies. Singing heartfelt Christian music and old-time Christmas favorites, the sibling trip will entertain you and lift your spirits in song...an outstanding tribute to the Reason for the Season! Addition to this Heart Warming Holiday Celebration, the cost of \$70.00 per person includes transportation, a hearty family-style lunch at Der Dutchman with two meats and all the trimmings, dessert, beverage and a 20% off coupon to use in the Carlisle Gift Shop. Payment due on sign up. Space is available.

# LACOMEDIA DINNER THEATRE WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5th "WHITE CHRISTMAS"

Returning to LaComedia for the holiday season is the most popular show of all time, the classic musical "White Christmas." The holiday film classic starring Bing Crosby, Danny Kaye and Rosemary Clooney is the inspiration for this blockbuster musical. Two veterans have a successful song-and-dance act after World War II. With romance in mind, they follow a duo of beautiful singing "Sisters" en route to their Christmas show at a Vermont Lodge. The cost is \$60.00 Payment due before November 1<sup>st</sup>.

# HOILDAY LIGHTS DECEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>

Join us as we travel to Middletown, Ohio. At your first stop you will enjoy a talk by a horticulturist about the myths and misconceptions of Poinsettias. Also on display are thousands of Christmas gift ideas, trees, wreaths and so much more. When you depart you will receive a Christmas Poinsettia which will be wrapped and

protected. The next stop is Beau Verre Stained Glass Studio. You will enjoy a Tea Party among the stained glass windows. Following the tea party you will enjoy a tour of the oldest continually operating stained glass studio in the country which was established in 1838. You can view stained glass windows as the sun cascades through and cast different hues of colors on the floor. Learn how they create stained glass windows and see the great gift shop. The last stop you will enjoy a driving tour of nearby Light Up Middletown. Enter through the tunnel of lights to enjoy a sparkling fantasyland. Light of Middletown is a driving tour through a 100 acre park. Several themed displays include a floating Sea Serpent in the reflecting lake, Santa's Workshop, American Flag, Penguin Village, Deer Leaping Over the Roadway, Helicopter, Whales and much more. All animated displays are lighted with thousands of twinkling LED lights. The cost is \$81.00.

#### **OBERAMMERGAU, GERMANY & PASSION PLAY**

June 26-July 8, 2020-Some inclusions of this once in a lifetime trip include: Vienna, Danube Cruise, Salzburg, Mozart Dinner Concert at St. Peter's Restaurant, Munich, Oberammergau Passion Play, and much more. Includes roundtrip air, 19 meals, 11 nights, all taxes & gratuities on included items. The Passion Play (the story of Jesus) only comes around every 10 years and we need to reserve seats now for 2020. Stop in for a brochure with all the details of your day by day itinerary.

When a trip is in the newsletter and a deposit or payment due on sign up you have to come in to sign up. If payment is due at a later date you can call us to sign up.

A member can only sign up one other person.

Remember when you go on a trip please park along the side or in the back of the building. Please arrive at least 15 minutes before departure time.

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#### FROM DEANA

REMEMBERING EVERYONE WITH WARMEST THOUGHTS ON THEIR BIRTHDAY!!

#### "HAPPY BIRTHDAY"

(1)Bettie Hurley, Ann Budreau, Michelle Acquista, Danny Mathew, Douglas Keadey-Smith (3) Daniel Murphy, Mary Stemen (4) Melissa Bechtel, Ruth Ann Garand, Fran Skinner (5) Sharon Greedy (6) Judy Creviston, Bill Taylor, Eleanor Berry (7) Marti Fisher (8) Janet Ladd, Marlene Mueller (9) Pam Cheek, Magdalena, Haney, Kay Vankeuren, Catherine Hritzo (10)Brenda Albertini, Ellen Laughery, Ray Crane, Polly Kupniewski, Karen Callahan (11)Susan Carr, Tom Legg (12) Josie Conforti, Debbie Lemaster, Jeannie Mathew (13) Mary Jane Brandt, Dianne Parker (14) Margaret Wolfinger, Bessie Miller, Byron Thompson (15)Kathy Colon, Charlene Newlon, (16) Maggie Arendt, Paula Gross, Patricia Lucas (17) Sylvia Chadwell (18) Becky Ashcroft, Larry Larson, Sunny Schewe, Mary Jane Sheline, Denise Reibold (19)Selma Kelly, Rosalee White (20)Brenda Dunnette, Becky Todd, Melody Fuller (22)Mike Kilroy (23) Jennie Chrysler, Edward Akers (24) Ann Hackworth, Sherry Neeper, Patty Schlager, Vikki Perry (25)Donna Carr, Maryann Trouten, Cheryl Lewis (26) Floyd Collins, Susan Fetters, Cheryl March, Sara Schwab (27)Stan Runyan, Jean Cox, Joyce Collins, Doris Moore (28) Maria Capriotti (29) Janet Kuhn, Frances Marchese (30) Nancy Johnson, Rex Bentzinger, James Northrop

### HAPPY THANKSGIVING



#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Ruth Ann Cuttingham's brother, Russell Betty Kristoff Tom Smith Marie McCann Clark Carter

#### **MEMBERS KNOWN ILL:**

Jerry Parker- Shoulder surgery, home recovering Ben Snyder- Heart valve repair & pacemaker Janet Connell- Knee replacement, home recovering

#### **THANK YOU:**

A special thank you to Jeanne Carroll, Kaye Howard and Ann Harper for all the cute Halloween decorations outside. They did a wonderful job and worked hard for hours. Also thanks to Susan Lobdell for the beautiful Halloween basket she donated to be raffled off at the Halloween Party.

#### **HAPPY VETERANS DAY:**

Thank you to our soldiers for standing in the line of fire. You are the best example of what this country can acquire. I know that being away from your family isn't easy, thinking about your sacrifice always makes me feel queasy. The battle that you are currently fighting in makes day to day feel like such a win. Without you our eagle would not soar, thank you very much for fighting this war.



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