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**DONATIONS**

Just a reminder you can donate any amount you would like to our center. The money donated helps with the purchase of items needed for our kitchen, office, and other supplies.



Lawrence & Cheryl Fergus, Brenda Hirsch, Cindy Marn, Cheri Marquardt, Dora Moore, Bernie Ryznar, Carolyn Scarsella, Nide Scavedna , Jay & Lynda Sharrett, Jerry Smith, Vernon Toelle, Amy Wood, Janet Young.

**VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH**

Our Center would like to honor Bill Dunnette as the

volunteer for the month of October. Bill is active in Cornhole, Friday Euchre and Special Events. He always stays to help tear down and clean up after events. He is always willing to help us. Bill will receive a $15.00 gift card. Enjoy your reserved parking space for the month of October.

**FRIENDLY TIES SQUARE DANCING**

Fall dance lessons resumed on Tuesday 2023 from 7-9 p.m. as of September 13, 2023, to May 21, 2024, except November 7th (Election Day) and December 26th (holiday break). All our dances are on Sundays from 7-9:30 p.m.

**FLU SHOTS**

**OCTOBER 11TH**

**11:00AM – 1:00PM**

**TITLE BOXING**

**Thursdays / October 5th, 12th, & 19th**

Maria Manzo from Title Boxing will lead the class at our Center from **9:15 to 10 a.m.** Sessions are around the Rock Steady Boxing curriculum which increases the neuroplasticity of the brain to help produce healthy brain cells. The exercises are designed to improve quality of life, have fun, and get results - all at the same time. You can purchase a bag and gloves for $25.00 at the class.

**CRAFT/GARAGE SALE**

**Saturday / October 14th / 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.**

Cost for tables: 12-foot table - $15.00

6-foot table - $10.00

Card Table - $5.00

You can set up your table and merchandise on Friday from 12:00pm - 3:00p.m. If you’re unable to do your set up on Friday, you can set up Saturday morning at 7:00 a.m. Our Garage Sale last year was a great success.

**HEAL2TOE FOOT CARE SERVICES**

**Thursday / October 19th & 26th**

Tonia is a State of Ohio Registered Nurse. She charges $35.00 for the following:

* 30-minute treatment – Trim, thin & file nails
* Corns & callouses filed & buffed smooth
* *All* tools are sterilized for each patient
* Payment due at time of service – Self-pay only
* No Medicare or Insurance will be billed

To schedule an appointment at our Center call: HEAL2TOE FOOT CARE SERVICES (614) 686-3646.

**ANNUAL SOUP DINNER & BINGO**

**Thursday / October26TH**

Your choice of either bean or vegetable soup. Let us know which you would like when you purchase your ticket. You’ll turn in your ticket when you get your soup. The cost is $7.00 for soup, dessert, coffee or iced tea, and bingo. If you’re only playing bingo, the cost is $3.00. Soup will be served from 5-6 p.m. Bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. We will have two groups working, one for dinner and the other for bingo. If you’re willing to help, please call Annabelle Marion at (614) 866-7339.

**EUCHRE TOURNAMENT**

**Saturday / October 28th / Lunch noon / Euchre 1 pm**

Patty Bond and Sunny Schewe will be hosting our 15th Euchre Tournament at our Center. The cost is $5.00, **to be paid in advance**. Tickets are now on sale in our office. You do not need to be a member to participate. Lunch prepared by Patty Bond.

**UP COMING BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTION**

We will be electing 4 members to our Board of Trustees for 2024. If you are a member of our Center and are interested in running for our Board of Trustees, please call the office by October 13th @614-837-3020 to get your name on the ballot.

**SELF PRESERVATION/PERSONAL SAFETY CLASS**

**Tuesday / October 17th / 2:30 - 4 p.m.**

The Fairfield County Sheriff’s Office will be holding this class at our Center. It will begin with a Power Point presentation discussing situational awareness and personal safety tips and then turn to hands on self-defense instruction led by a certified Gracie instructor. It will be tailored for seniors.

**PICKERINGTON FOOD PANTRY**

Some of the most needed items are personal hygiene products, soap, paper towels, toilet paper, toothpaste, toothbrushes, spaghetti & sauce, juices, condiments, tomato (paste, sauce or diced), baking & pantry staples (flour, sugar, salt, baking soda & spices), peanut butter & jelly, bread, and butter. We have a collection container in our library.

We thank everyone who has donated to the Food Pantry. These items are very much needed and greatly appreciated! We hope you will continue to support us to aid those in need at this time.

**UPCOMING ANNUAL BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

We are accepting donations for gifts for the children to “shop” for during the party, for presents they can give to their family members for Christmas. Some suggestions: puzzle books, jewelry, knick-knacks, figurines, empty Pringle cans. Please bring your donations to our Craft room. If you have any questions, contact Jeanne Carroll at (740) 862-6055.

**STRENGTH CLASS**

**Mondays and Wednesdays / 10 - 11 a.m.**

Come join our strength classes led by Kelley Deibert. The focus is on building upper and lower body strength, stretching, and improving your balance. If you have weights, please bring them with you.

**LINE DANCING**

**Mondays / 11:15 a.m. – noon**

**No Intermedite Classes in Oct or Nov**

**The current 12-week session will end in October.**

**There will be 3 more classes this year in Nov. $1.00 per class option for the remeainder of the year. Classes will resume in January 2024.**

**BID EUCHRE**

**Mondays / 12:30 p.m.**

We play bid euchre every Monday.

**WATERCOLOR CLASS**

**Every Monday / 1-3 PM**

Join Jenene Warmbier for adventures in watercolor painting. Jenene is a great teacher. No previous training, or talent necessary, just the desire to express yourself with “Paints and Brushes.” You can stop in our office and get a list of supplies you will need for the class.

**CORNHOLE**

**Every Tuesday / 11 a.m.**

We play Cornhole every Tuesday. We have a tournament on the last Tuesday of each month. *The winning team for the month of August was Art Jones and Gene Montgomery.* Cornhole is open to both men and women.

**TUESDAY AFTERNOON MATINEE**

**October 10th / 1:15 p.m.**

Join us for our Classic Movie. We will be showing “True Grit” starring John Wayne, Glen Cambell, Dennie Hopper, Robert Duvall and Kim Darby. We supply movies, popcorn, snacks, coffee, and water. You may use our chairs or bring your own folding chair.

**CRAFT GROUP**

**Every Wednesday / 10 a.m. – noon**

**On October 18th Darlene is returning with her Diamond Painting Dot Kits at 1:00 pm. Kits are usually $3.00 each with all that you need to make a beautiful project.**

Our craft group offers fun activities for our members, but also raises money for our Center. They provide tray favors for two carry out meals which our Center provides for our shut-in members. Anotherimportant fundraising activity the Craft Group participates in is our Breakfast with Santa, usually held on the first Saturday of December.

**SEWING CIRCLE**

**Every Wednesday / 1:00 – 2:30 or 3:00 p.m.**

We now have a sewing circle and would love to have anyone interested in sewing, knitting, crocheting, cross stitch or needlepoint come and participate. We get together to sew and to socialize in our craft room. Bring along your own project and materials and join us.

**DUPLICATE BRIDGE**

**WEDNESDAY / 9:30 a.m.**

**AND**

**BRIDGE – THURSDAYS / 12:30 p.m.**

We are looking for more members to play Bridge. Anyone interested in joining us, please call our Center and give your name and phone number. The cost to play either Bridge or Duplicate Bridge is $1.00 per week.

**EUCHRE**

**Every Wednesday / 12:30 p.m.**

Join your friends and play some Euchre. We start playing at 12:30 p.m. The cost is only $2.25 which includes the games and the loner pot. Please be here at least 10 minutes ahead of time to get signed up so we can begin on time at 12:30.

**CHAIR VOLLEYBALL**

**Thursdays / 11:30 a.m. / October 5th, 12th, & 19th**

We play Chair Volleyball on Thursdays. It’s led by Darie Wilson. We now have 2 nets. If you have any questions, please call Darie at (740) 358-6394.

**BINGO**

**Tuesday /October 24th / 1:00 p.m.**

No Potluck this month. Bingo starts at 1:00 p.m. The cost is $1.50.

**BOOK CLUB**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26TH**

**“KILLERS AT THE FLOWER MOON”, by David Gram.**

The meeting is at the Senior Center in the Library at 9:30am. New participants are welcome. If you have any questions call Carole Pruiksma, 614-558-2190.

**FRIDAY FITNESS CLASS**

**Every Friday / 9:15 – 10:00 a.m.**

This is a 45-minute Cardio Class. It’s a total workout. Come see the power you have 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 with instructor Maria Manzo.

**PICKLEBALL**

**Every Friday /10:30 a.m.**

Join your friends for this fun game of Pickleball. If you have never played our instructor Fred will be happy to teach you.

**SOCIAL EUCHRE**

**Every Friday / 11 a.m.**

This is a relaxed pace Euchre game where we can meet and play cards non-competitively. If you like to play cards for fun and you don’t mind teaching others when needed, then please join us. We welcome anyone who wants to play cards.

**GAME ROOM**

Our Game Room is open all day, Monday through Friday. We have shuffleboard and a dart board.

**LIBRARY**

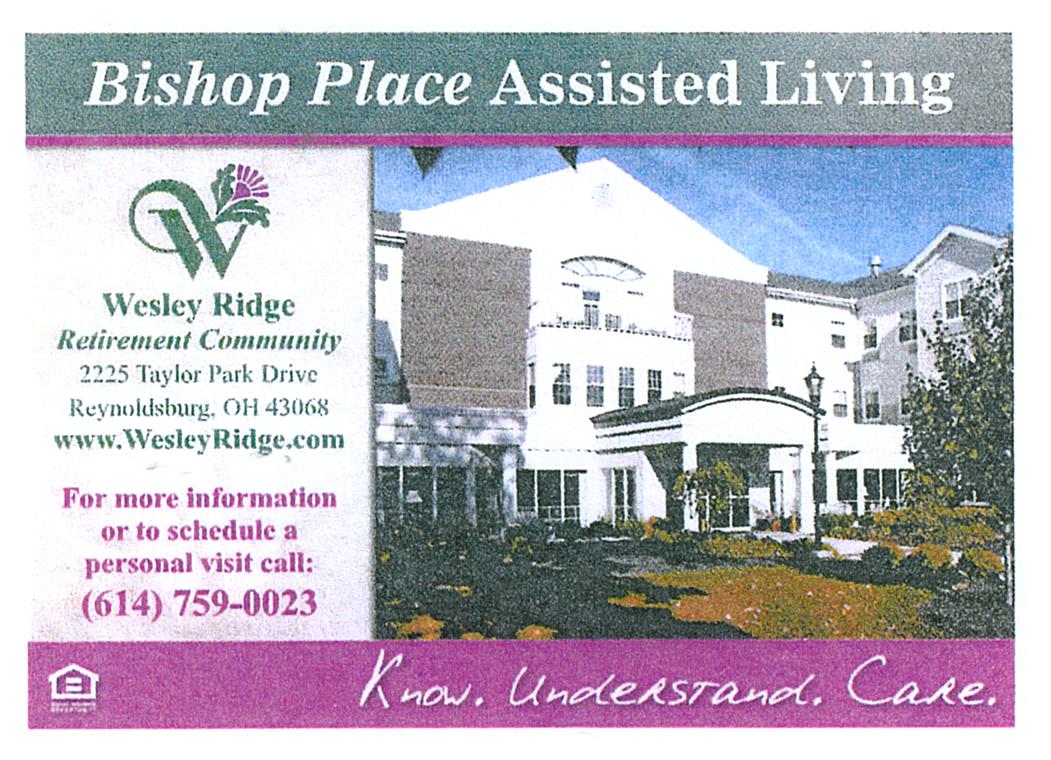
We have videos, puzzles, and a large selection of books to choose from. We are currently in need of large print books. If anyone has any large print books to donate, we would appreciate it. We have a puzzle started in the library feel free to stop in and work on the puzzle.

**EQUIPMENT**

Our Center has several walkers and a wheelchair that are available for our members to borrow. Just give us a call at (614) 837-3020 to check availability and we will have it ready for you to pick up.

**INFORMATION**

At one time we tried to get MAH-JONGG and HAND & FOOT started. If anyone would like to oversee trying to get those games started up again, please let the office know and we will get it in the next newsletter and give it another try.



**TRIPS FOR 2023**

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**LACOMEDIA DINNER THEATRE**

**OCTOBER 6TH**

**GRUMPY OLD MEN**

The motorcoach will leave the center at 8:00a.m.

Please arrive 15 minutes early so we depart on time.

**THREE NEW TRIPS ADDED**

**SNOOTY FOX**

**Wednesday / NOVEMBER 1ST**

Join us as we venture to the Cincinnati area for a shopping adventure full of fun, food, and great deals! We will visit 4 upscale clothing and furniture thrift stores and enjoy beverages, danish, snacks, a boxed lunch, dessert, and wine tasting along the way. Different items at each stop but beverages at all of them. They accept cash and major credit cards, no checks. This trip will be a blast so grab your friends.

**Sign up starts Wednesday, October 4th the cost is $41.00 per person due on sign up.**

**LACOMEDIA DINNER THEATRE**

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH**

**“MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET**

The story of the real Santa Claus. Miracle of Christmas is one of the most beloved holiday films of all time and one of the most popular

shows ever produced. The touching musical

version of the classic holiday film proves that

miracles do happen and is sure to fill both the

young and the young at heart with the Christmas

Spirit.

**Sign up starts on Wednesday, October 4th the Cost IS $63.00 per person – due on sign up.**

**LANCASTER, PA**

**MONDAY 12/4 -12/7**

**FEATURING**

**MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS AND THE FIRST NOEL**

2 Nights Lodging

2 Breakfasts

2 Dinners including a Smorgasbord Dinner

Guided Tour of the Amish Countryside, including stops at an Amish Craft Farm and Bake Shop.

“The First Noel” at the American Music Theater

“Miracle of Christmas” at Sight & Sound

Tanger Outlets

Kitchen Kettle Village

Sign up starts on Wednesday, October 4th. A $200.00 Deposit due on sign up. Balance is before November 1st.

Cost: Single $848.00

Double: 649.00 per person

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**NOTES FROM DEANA 😊**



(1) Robert Cubra, Nellie Nihiser, Maggie Shinn; (2) Nancy Busack, Martie Dillon, Susan Mason, Candi Moore; (3) Debbie Joseph, Angelo Manzo, Lisa Stoklosa;

(4) Jeannie Paul, Marilyn Spence; (5) Susie Mueller; (6) Wallie Carpenter, Faith Hoek, Gertrude Stacoffe; (7) Lilia Checca, Sandy Mohr, Susan Wolfe; (8) Julie Larson, Annie Vigil; (9) Joann Westlake; (11) John Iarussi ; (12) Brenda Duncan, Linda Frazee, Kay Skibo; (13) Sudie Hall, Wayne Schultz, Larry York; (14) Margaret Centofanti; (15) Betty Burk, Donna Short; (16) Marianne Elizondo J. Elaine Greiner, Charles Guinstead; (17) Lauretta Bain, Ken Ellinger, Carol Francis; (18) Carol Focke, Bill Haislet; (19) Jeanne Carroll, Duane Dailey, Jim Joseph; (21) John Gregory, Sharon McDougal, Jerry Pocta, ; (22) Rita Clutter; (23) Mary Fenneken, Thomas Laughery, Patty Moone, Grace O’Connell; (24) Rod Frazer, Howard Illian, Debra Sherman; (25) Ellen Amland, Joseph Douglas, Dee Machinski, Mike Welling; (26) Martha Gravatt, Ann Harper, Connie McClellan; (27) Barb Smithberger; (28) Julia Archer, Susan Pocta; (29) Pat Roper;

(30) Mike Aurnou, Lynn Wilcox; (31) Richard Erwin, Chris Foley, John Samborsky.

**MEMBERS IN SORROW**

Don McKitrick

Ray Knights Brother, Sam

Ray Shook

**MEMBERS KNOWN ILL**

Janet Connell -Knee Replacement

Roger Peacock – Fell, Home doing better.

Sue Santo – Daughter Heidi passed.

Darie Wilson

CONGRATULATIONS

Jan & Gary Knauff

On their first Great Grandson

Macallan Thomas

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