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CURRENT RESIDENT OR







SEPTEMBER MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
2 CLOSED For Labor Day	3 Ahi Tuna Salad Spring Rolls Mandarin Oranges	4 Chicken Alfredo Pasta Broccoli Florets Garden Salad Coconut Fruit Salad	5 Sausage Egg Casserole Breakfast Potatoes Orange Juice Fruit & Yogurt	6 Macaroni & Cheese Italian Sausage Link (Chicken) Steamed Veggies Salad/Fruit	
9 Beef Burgundy Over Brown Rice Brussels Sprouts Garden Salad Fruit	10 Reuben Style Chicken Roasted Sweet Potatoes Green Beans Garden Salad Fruited Jell-0	11 Pork w/ Apple Chutney Mashed Potatoes Nantucket Veggies Spinach Salad Fruit	12 Chicken Pot Pie w/ Garden Vegetables Salad w/ local produce Fresh Local Fruit	13 BBQ Pulled Pork Coleslaw Fruit Brown Rice/ Roll Crinkle Cut Carrots Broccoli	
16 Swedish Style Meatballs Over Egg Noodles Broccoli Spinach Salad Fruit	Swedish Style Meatballs Ver Egg Noodles Broccoli Spinach Salad Shrimp Salad Oatmeal Bread Fresh Fruit		19 Swiss Steak Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Capri Veggies Cucumber Sala Sliced Peaches	20 Ham & Pineapple Scalloped Potatoes Caribbean Veggies Garden Salad Fruit	
23 Chicken Strips w/ Honey Mustard Potato Wedges Crinkle Cut Carrots Garden Salad Fruit	24 Beef Gyro Lentil Soup Greek Salad Chocolate Chip Cookie	25 Turkey Club Wrap Whole Grain Chips Garden Salad Fresh Fruit	26 Beef Enchiladas Spanish Rice Refried Beans Garden Salad Fresh Pineapple	27 Salmon Filet Wild Rice Pilaf Green Beans Kale Citrus Salad Fresh Fruit	
Penne w/ Meat Sauce Italian Veggie Garden Salad Sliced Pears					

SEPTEMBER ACTIVITIES

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OUR CENTER

CENTER HOURS

MONDAY—FRIDAY 8:00 AM—4:00 PM **STAFF**

MANAGER: Karma Wells manager.fsac@gmail.com ACTIVITY ASST: Ellaina Cope Activities.fsac@gmail.com CUSTODIAN: Tom Hotchkiss

ONSITE COOK: WCOA STRENGTH TRAINER: Donald Boose

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ruth Bergman Joyce Kamps

Teresa Quinn Bob Langer

Charlotte Boraker Marilyn Crape

Linda Cline Margie Andres

Maryam Whitaker Roger Engler

Ray Olson Jean Stotts

Karmas * "Korner *"

rello, September! It's a funny thing about September—I never feel ready for it's arrival... Summer flies by so fast and September always arrives like a brick wall! It's like this large speedbump at the end of the Summer "Highway".

The good news, however, is summer's warmer weather tends to linger through September, which means we don't have to stow away the yard games quite yet. Marcus has done a fantastic job leading those activities and it's been great to see our members enjoying them. The "buzz" around the center last Wednesday was Jackie's great ladder ball game! Good job, Jackie!

We will need to start thinking about indoor games that you would like to see on the fall / winter schedule to replace them. Some ideas: Bean Bag Baseball, Corn hole, miniature golf, Wii electronic games, Group games (similar to Monday Bingo) like Bunco, or something else? I would love to hear your ideas—please let either I or Marcus know.

While we are on the "games" topic—Don't forget to get your ticket for the Fall into Bingo Fundraiser! Great prizes and increased cash prizes—the jackpot win is \$200.00! Cash! Remember buying your ticket early (by Wed. Sept. 25) gets you entered into all of the pre—sale drawings and you get to avoid the long lines of those who waited.

I've run out of room, better wrap this up! Get out there and enjoy the last remaining bit of summer—while it's still here!

CLASSES, SEMINARS & PRESENTATIONS



ART CLASS: WATERCOLOR PENCIL PORTRAITS

Instructor: Mary Michaelson

**Classes start Monday, September 16th

First Class: Monday, September 16th 10:00-12:00 Cost: \$40 for the entire series (4-2 hr. classes)

All supplies will be supplied by the center, all skill levels welcome! IMPORTANT: Bring an 8x10 color photocopy of a photograph of a loved or pet with you to the first day of class. You will need this to

begin. Please see the front desk with any questions & to register.

Computer Help & Support Friday, September 13 1:00-3:00

Appointments with Chuck Papeleux

• Kindles • Android Tablets • Windows Laptops

Have a computer question or looking for some addi-

tional help or training on one of your devices? Chuck is here to help with free technical support. Sign up for one of the hour appointments at the front desk. Please list device type and brief description of problem.



Thursday, September 12 at 1:30

Thanks to everyone that took the time to sign the interest sheet for the new writing group— we had a great response! We will be adding this new writing group starting in October and have scheduled this planning meeting to hear your input & ideas on this new activity.

We are interested to know if this should be a weekly group, bi-weekly or monthly? How closely does the group want to follow the suggested book (Legacy...writing your personal history)?

We hope you can attend this meeting- we would love your input!

OUR CENTER

BOARD PRESIDENT MESSAGE



Clickity Clack, Clickity Clack. That's the sound of September whizzing past, so look out because October is right behind it.

Better yet, a small chunk of news. There is 86 days left till Christmas. NO! No! NO! it can't be that close!

I'd like to acknowledge a neat lady who you see keeping busy helping out wherever she is needed plus she is always looking for something else to do. - who is this wonder woman? Oh My, I do believe it is "Mary Jane Brown".

Thanks MJ - we appreciate everything you do. By the way - you are loved! Mary Jane. I'm out of town until the middle of October so I'll se you all when I get back. Till then - Hugs to all, Ruth

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS & FUNDRAISERS



"FALL" INTO BINGO FUNDRAISER

WHEN: Saturday, September 28 Doors open at 1:00 - First game called at 1:30

COST: \$20 Admission which includes 3 cards for each of the 8 games AND the final JACKPOT Game.

Additional card packs available for \$15.

Special drawings for players who bought tickets on presale (Pre-sale ends 9/25), Door prize drawings, lucky loser drawings, Pre-sale Ticket Drawings- Plenty of opportunity to win!

Concession stand open during intermission; Hot Dog, chips, Root Beer Floats, etc.





- OCTOBER 9TH AT 5:00: OKTOBERFEST POTLUCK WITH LIVE ACCORDION MUSIC
- OCTOBER 11 AT 6PM: PASTA WITH A PUR-POSE
- SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9: ANNUAL GALA FUNDRAISER WITH DINNER, ENTERTAIN-MENT AND SILENT AUCTION.
- SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7: CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR & BAKE SALE



BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS COMING IN THE FALL

We will be having our annual Board election in a couple months which means that we are looking for new volunteer "recruits" for the board. If you are interested in getting more involved or would like to know more about it- please see Charlotte Boraker or Joyce Kamps. Be on the lookout for the ballots in the October Bulletin. Last day to vote: Friday, Nov. 1st

SEPTEMBER CELEBRATIONS



Due to the rise in scams & fraud targeted to seniors, we will no longer be publishing the birth year of our members.

John	Garner	9 / 1
Rae	Gardner	9 / 1
Linda	Birman	9 / 2
Jack	Flancher	9 / 4
Karen	Nesvold	9 / 4
Ronald	McKay	9 / 5
Linda	Cline	9/6
Mary	Hedges	9 / 8
Elizabeth	Dean	9 / 9
Merilee	Erchinger	9 / 12
Jody	Johnson	9 / 20
Joug	Jeimsen	9 / 20
Dan	McGee	9 / 20
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Dan	McGee	9 / 20
Dan Sue	McGee Norman	9 / 20
Dan Sue Helen	McGee Norman Pulído	9 / 20 9 / 22 9 / 24
Dan Sue Helen Ladon	McGee Norman Pulído Taylor Gardner	9 / 20 9 / 22 9 / 24 9 / 24
Dan Sue Helen Ladon Jack	McGee Norman Pulido Taylor Gardner Stone	9 / 20 9 / 22 9 / 24 9 / 24 9 / 25
Dan Sue Helen Ladon Jack Richard	McGee Norman Pulido Taylor Gardner Stone Gillmere	9 / 20 9 / 22 9 / 24 9 / 24 9 / 25 9 / 28



September Birthday Lunch

Members celebrating birthdays this month are invited to enjoy a complimentary Lunch.

Birthday raffle sponsored by: Lee Manor Birthday Cake donated by Silverado





MONDAY BINGO DONATIONS NEEDED

Our Prize table for Monday Bingo could use some help! Your dona-

tions of knick-knacks, candy, chocolate, small gift items would be greatly appreciated! Thank you for supporting this fun activity!

September (Anniversaries

Tracy	9	Mark	Willaims	9	/ 22	/	2001
Curtis	4	Carolyn	Hull	9	/ 15	/	1990
Jody	4	Steve	Johnson	9	/ 16	/	1978
Ronald	4	Penny	McKay	9	/ 8	/	1963
Roger	4	Virginia	Taylor	9	/ 14	/	1957
Donald	4	Shirley	Stone	9	/ 25	/	1954



STRENGTH TRAINING CLASS

Strength Training Course: **Fall / Winter Course Interest Sheet

Add your name to the interest sheet if you would like to register for a Strength Training Course this Fall. If there is enough interest (minimum of 4 registered participants), we can start new course in October.

Our Strength Trainer, **Donald Boose**, will work with you to develop a work out plan that's customized for your individual needs.

The course is \$60 and meets twice a week for 4-6 weeks.



Free REIKI Treatments

Reiki Practitioner: Sally Ledgerwood

1st Friday & 3rd Wednesday of the month at 12:30

Reiki is a Japanese technique for stress reduction and relaxation that also promotes healing. No Cost (Donations gratefully accepted)

FLU SHOT CLINIC PROVIDED BY WALGREENS

Wednesday, September 18 at 9:00am

Walgreens can administer other vaccinations that are due, such as pneumonia, shingles, etc.... If you are interested in receiving these in addition to you flu shot – please check "other vaccinations" when you sign up, Please bring your Medicare card with you. **We need a minimum of 25 signed up

FOOT CARE

Richelle Shields, LPN Friday, Sept, 7 Friday, Sept. 27



Richelle is medically trained to address foot & nail problems, including:

- Nail Trimming (Thick Nails, Hard to cut toenails)
- Ingrown Toenails
- Callouses, Bunions & Corns
- Hammertoe

\$35 Cost Paid to Nurse at time of service

Free Blood Pressure Checks Every 3rd Thursday 11:00am Provided by the Ferndale Fire Dept.

Meals on Wheels: Drought Protection...Do you have Enough?

The drought I am talking about is the water level in your body, not the water table in the ground or the snow-pack in the mountains! Water is the essential transport of nutrients, especially glucose, to your muscles and other organs. Optimal energy levels for daily activities as well as for exercise hinges on your fluid intake. Do you ever experience fatigue, mild headache or "lack of energy" in the middle of the day? It might be due to dehydration. Drinking an extra glass of water each day may be the "pick-me-up" that you need.

The body in drought (dehydration) is just as devastating as drought in your lawn! People tend to ignore the signs of dehydration and do not realize the long term effects it can cause. If you think about the percentage of water in our critical organs (lungs and liver 85%, kidneys and blood 83%, brain, heart, and muscle 75%) you can understand how depriving these organs of optimal hydration over time can cause damage to them! The kidneys and liver are particularly at risk since they rid the body of waste products. When we feel thirsty we are already dehydrated! Mild to moderate signs of dehydration include thirst, fatigue, dry skin, headache, constipation, and dizziness. Extreme dehydration includes extreme thirst, confusion, dark urine, low blood pressure, rapid heart-beat and/or rapid breathing.

How much fluid is enough? The recommendation of 2 quarts (8 cups) of fluid per day is a good general guide. However, men need more water than women as a general rule because men have a higher percentage of muscle than women! Exercise, body weight, heat exposure, certain medical conditions or medications can also affect your fluid needs.

Carry water with you to sip if you are engaged in a physical activity for more than 30 minutes. Be careful with caffeinated beverages during exercise. In the short term, caffeine can make your exercise seem easier but on the downside it also acts as a diuretic, increasing your risk of dehydration.

As we age our sense of thirst diminishes as does our body's ability to conserve water. Sip water throughout the day to stay hydrated. If plain water is not your thing, motivate yourself to drink more by flavoring it with lemon, mint or other fruits or herbs! Eating foods high in water such as fruits, broth based soups and vegetables can also help prevent dehydration. Avoid the drought. Don't wait until you are thirsty to drink fluids.

-From the archives of Carol Simmer, RDN