



Castle Rock Senior Center

THE CHATTER FOR September 2024

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ANNUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE RESULTS

Thank you to everyone (you know who you are) who contributed to this year's Red Canoe Credit Union "Fill the Canoe" School Supply Drive. Also, a special thanks goes to **Roy and Penny**, who spearheaded this project. A job well done! We collected \$1563 in donations which is a new high for the Castle Rock Senior Center. With the matching fund from the Red Canoe, that makes \$3126 that was donated in support of the Castle Rock School District.

BAKED POTATO DAY

We are having another **Baked Potato sale on Tuesday, October 22nd**. Coni Bush is once again heading up this important fundraising event, and she will be reaching out for volunteers to assist with the baked potato prep, assembly, and delivery. The community always looks forward to our baked potato days. With your help, it could be the most successful one yet!

NEW MEMBERS

A big welcome to **Robert Chandler and Ginny Seyhanli**, who joined our Center in July.

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED FOR MONDAY CINNAMON ROLL/AMBASSADOR DUTIES

A great big thank you to all who have already volunteered to help on Mondays, we so appreciate you: **Louise Courtright, Loretta Brice, Alice Carrick, Sue and Karen, Tamara Bryan, Sandi Boardman, Mary Rosen, Pamela Casey-Steele, Louise Anderson, and Kysa Danford**. However, volunteers are still needed for the following Mondays in December, the 2nd, the 9th, the 16th, the 23rd, and the 30th. A sign-up sheet is on the table, so come on members, help out! It's only one day for a few hours, and how hard can it be to make coffee, serve cinnamon rolls, wash a few dishes and empty trash. Responsibilities and directions are posted on the cabinet doors in the kitchen.

FALL RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE

The date for our Annual Fall Rummage and bake sale has been set for **Saturday, November 9th from 9AM to 2 PM**. Stay tuned for more information in our October Chatter as to when we will start collecting items.



**START TIME FOR THURSDAY NIGHT PINOCHLE HAS CHANGED
NOW 4:30 PM - MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**



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JOB DESCRIPTIONS - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Many of you have asked if there is a job description for our Board of Directors' officer positions. **And, yes there is, see below!** Now's the time to give back and help set the direction for the future of our Senior Center. We need volunteers to commit to the next three years by taking one of these positions. Nominations are being accepted now, and an election will be held at our next Annual Membership meeting in January 2025. Contact **Diane Johnson**, Nominating Committee Chairperson, by phone, email, or just drop in.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

- Conduct one annual membership meeting, and at least once every quarter conduct a Board of Directors meeting
- Provide agendas of such meetings for distribution to attending members
- Act as coordinator to ensure duties and functions of the Senior Center are implemented
- Appoint and coordinate committees as required for proper function of the Senior Center
- Assist in coordinating fundraisers held by the Senior Center, to include but not limited to:
 - Baked Potato Day
 - Quilt Raffle
 - Rummage and Bake Sale
 - AARP Tax Aid
 - Bridge the Generations with Castle Rock High School
- Provide assistance (if able) to other members as required

OFFICE OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT

- Ensure all duties of the President are implemented, should the President be absent or disabled
- Coordinate volunteer staff
- Perform other such duties, as directed by the President
- Provide assistance (if able) to other members as required

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

- Keep minutes of all meetings
- Organize and keep records of any Senior Center business
- Maintain membership database, and send out renewal notices of membership dues
- Assist in creating monthly CHATTER and calendar
- Perform other such duties, as directed by the President
- Provide assistance (if able) to other members as required

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER

- Receive and be accountable for all funds belonging to the Senior Center
- Be accountable for payment of obligations incurred by the Senior Center
- Render periodic financial reports and/or any other reports required by the Board of Directors
- Perform other such duties, as directed by the President
- Provide assistance (if able) to other members as required



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RED CANOE COMMUNITY IMPACT DAY

On **Monday, October 14th** from **2-4:30 pm**, the Red Canoe Credit Union is sponsoring a bingo day for our group. As part of their Community Impact Day, their branches will be closed and staff will be supporting non-profit organizations in a day of service. Snacks, drinks and prizes are provided by Red Canoe Credit Union. Bingo cards will cost \$1 each (maximum of 4) with the monies being donated entirely to the Senior Center. As mentioned above, prizes for bingo winners will be provided by Red Canoe Credit Union.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

(Highlight = 90+ years young)



| Name | Date | Name | Date | Name | Date |
|----------------------|------|-------------------|------|------------------|------|
| Deana Ruppel | 1 | Jamie Scott | 12 | Esther Jump | 20 |
| Nancy Boyce | 1 | Vronia Lee Bailey | 12 | Sharon Parsons | 20 |
| Franklin Day | 2 | Ruth Wilkerson | 13 | Sharon Bishop | 21 |
| Rose Gratreak | 4 | Sharon Peroutka | 13 | Marian Copp | 22 |
| Barbara Catlin | 4 | Mary Chappell | 13 | Helen Netter | 24 |
| David Vorse | 5 | Sandy Grasseth | 14 | Kathy Bussard | 25 |
| Vern Wheeler | 7 | Frank Netter | 14 | Richard Hallett | 26 |
| Colleen Amos | 7 | Julie Sinkler | 15 | Gladys Gardner | 26 |
| Luverne Fox | 8 | Ruth Blackard | 16 | Atherton Stinger | 27 |
| Russell Erbstosser | 8 | Della Vaughn | 17 | Mark Nord | 28 |
| Warren Reeves | 8 | Rose Duke | 17 | Les Green | 28 |
| Gerald Jones | 9 | Jeanne Wall | 18 | Donald Swift | 28 |
| Ruth Bell | 9 | Tom Golden | 19 | June Hastings | 29 |
| Rita Beck | 10 | David Schooling | 19 | Chuck Alderman | 29 |
| Roseanna Cherrington | 10 | Owen Bartlett | 19 | H.O. Curtis | 30 |
| Maxine Branch | 10 | Helga Primm | 19 | | |
| Janet Olson | 11 | Patty Keatley | 20 | | |
| Larry Harris | 12 | Marlys Garner | 20 | | |



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| B I N G O | | | | |
|-----------|----|------|----|----|
| 1 | 27 | 33 | 48 | 75 |
| 8 | 19 | 45 | 56 | 61 |
| 3 | 18 | FREE | 49 | 69 |
| 15 | 26 | 41 | 53 | 66 |
| 2 | 21 | 37 | 46 | 65 |

**BINGO IS BACK - BEGINS SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH
AT 12 NOON**

Senior Center Wednesday Lunch Menu

September 4

Pasta Primavera with Chicken Sausage, Caesar Salad, Berry Parfait,
Garlic Bread,, Brownies

September 11

Pulled Pork, Capri Blend, Southern Macaroni Salad, Mandarin
Oranges

September 18

Tomato Basil Meatballs, Sweet Potato Blend, Tropical Fruit

September 25

Lemony Tortellini Soup, ½ Chicken Salad Sandwich, Summer
Watermelon Salad

Remember to **call Denise at (360) 762-3111** for reservations



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Important Reminders

- **Make sure you sign the Sign-In Book** located on the table each time you come into the Center. This is important, as the number of people who use the Senior Center are counted.,
- **Please bring in your unwanted yarn** for Mary Chappell. Mary is the talented lady who makes the beautiful lap robes we sell.
- **Drop off any of your unwanted medications** in the box located in the City Hall lobby.
- **Please continue to bring in your aluminum cans.** Mary and Wayne pick them up, and money collected goes to benefit the Senior Center.
- **Bring in your Oregon recyclable plastic bottles.** Mary Nelson will collect and donate money collected to the Senior Center.
- **Donate your unwanted greeting cards** to the Senior Center.

MAKE SURE ALUMINUM CANS AND PLASTIC BOTTLES ARE PUT IN SEPARATE BAGS FOR COLLECTION.

- **Donate your glasses**, cases, etc., for the Lions Club.
- **Please consider buying raffle tickets for the quilt** hanging on the wall. Tickets are \$1 each, 6 for \$5. You can buy tickets anytime you are at the center.
- **Potluck 3rd Friday of the month.** Hope to see you there!
- **Commodities are delivered on the 3rd Thursday** of every month to our parking lot. Have your CAP ID card.
- **The Lions Food Bank delivers to the Eagles every Thursday** from 1-2 PM. Bring ID showing you live in Castle Rock or Toutle.



THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

You can count the number of seeds in an apple, but you can never count the number of apples in a single seed.