



CIVIC CENTER NEWS

Monthly Senior Activities

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Let's Start Off Right

We have cleaned the building and are ready to restart our senior activities. Come join the group and let's make the rest of the year a busy and exciting time. This month we will have five Wednesdays; that means we will have more opportunities to enjoy each other. We will restart our Tuesday Morning breakfast and I'll be offering more things to do. Read on and see for yourself. I always say "come often and stay long."

August is Membership Month

Our annual membership drive begins in August. This year I have made some changes. Please read the enclosed Membership Information to see what's changing. Then if you decide to join our group, fill out the Application and return it with you dues. While membership is not required to be a part of the group, it does offer some benefits. It is your decision but I hope you'll consider becoming an active member.

Monthly Birthday Party

This month's birthday party will be for our August members on **August 2 at 1:30.** August is a good month for a Birthday so we will celebrate in style. We will offer a good Cake, Ice Cream, Snacks and Games. Get ready to Party big time.

First Breakfast

Is anyone ready to start having breakfast with me? I am ready to have my schedule return to normal and be able to visit with each of you. I have missed getting to see you. Our first breakfast will be **August 8th @ 8AM.** This is a couple of weeks earlier than past years but I am ready to go. As always, I need volunteers to help in the kitchen. Even if you don't have a partner, I can match you up with someone. If you can help, let me know.

Lunch Bunch Trip

One of our favorite places to eat is the Shrimp Basket in Foley. That is where we are going for our monthly lunch trip. This will take place on **August 9th.** We will leave the center at **10:30** to eat at 11:00. Their food is good and you can always get the AYCE popcorn shrimp basket. No telling how long we will be there eating with that order.

Regular Activities

- **Breakfast—Tuesdays**
- **Coffee & Tea—Fridays**
- **Digital Camera Club—Tuesdays**
- **Painting—Mondays**
- **Yoga—Monday & Thursdays**

Dinner B 4 Dark

Dinner B 4 Dark will be on **August 16th**. We will be going to Wintzell's Oyster House in Fairhope. Their lunch menu is offered from 11 -4 and we will plan to be there about 2. There should be less of a crowd and we may even have the place to ourselves. Plan to board the bus at 1:30 and we will head west to see what the place is like. Sign up early to guarantee your seat for the ride.

Happy Birthday

8/3 Jimmy Hoover
8/5 Gene Morrow
8/7 Ruth Spicer
8/9 Bea Snoke
8/13 Don Tyson
8/16 Nelson Barnett
8/21 Larry Jayjohn
8/21 Robert Laarman
8/28 Ron Wiggins

Senior Trip

Now that school is back in session, we will be doing some things toward the beach. Our trip is to go to the Gulf Shores Museum. The unique building has been restored and the museum has artifacts that tell the store of our area. There is also a fully functioning butterfly habitat located in the back. The plan is to leave here at **9:30 on August 23**, see the museum and eat at Desoto's. Be sure to sign up early since this is going to be a fun trip.

Pot Luck Lunch

Mark you calendar for **August 30th @ Noon**. That will be our Pot Luck Lunch date for the month. The meal is always a surprise since no one coordinates the foods. We never know what combination we will have but it is always good. Bring a dish and come enjoy.

Kitchen Staff Meeting

We will meet on **August 1st at 10 AM** to schedule our time to cook. Please let me know you are coming. (964-4995)

Medicare Rights

Dan Roberson with Mainstay Financial Group will be offering a presentation on Medicare Rights & Protections on **August 10th from 10-11:30**. He will be sharing information to help protect yourself and you health. He will talk about the laws and how they can help you as well as what to do if there is a problem. Invite your friends and neighbors to this informative meeting. Sign up today.

Coffee & Tea Again

Coffee and Tea is fun. Every **Friday from 9-11AM** we enjoy a cup and conversation. It is always a surprise to see who is here. Come see for yourself.

Painters

We are at it again. We meet on **Mondays 1-3** and paint up a storm. Come check out our pictures. I have finished one and am working on another already. Come see.

Camera Club

The Camera Club is planning to start their meeting after breakfast. If you are interested let them know. They are always looking for new members and ideas.

Check out Senior Services on the Web.
<http://townofloxley.org>.

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I need your help . . . Since most of my planning committee is either moving away, too tired to come up with ideas or out of town too much, I need your help. We will hold a **"brain storming"** session after breakfast on **August 15th**. This will be your chance to offer your ideas, suggestion, likes and dislikes. I will use them to come up with our future activities. Your help and participation will be greatly appreciated. Thanks in advance.

August 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Kitchen Staff Meeting 10AM	2 Birthday Party 1:30 	3 Coloring Day 1-3 PM Yoga 3PM	4 Coffee & Tea 9-11AM	5 Private Use
6	7 Painting 1-3 PM Yoga 3PM	8 First Breakfast 8 AM Camera Club 9 AM	9 Lunch Bunch Trip 10:30 AM	10 Medicare Rights 10-11:30 Game Day 1-3 PM Yoga 3PM	11 Coffee & Tea 9-11AM 	12 Private Use
13 Private Use	14 Painting 1-3 PM Yoga 3PM	15 Breakfast 8 AM + Brain Storming Session Camera Club 9 AM	16 Dinner B 4 Dark	17 Coloring Day 1-3 PM Yoga 3PM	18 Coffee & Tea 9-11AM 	19 Private Use
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Tina Harris 964-7733

Beryl Allen 964-4995

Membership Information

The membership goal is to keep our prices as low as possible. With today's economy we know that prices continue to rise. We want all seniors to enjoy our events at a reasonable cost. The Town of Loxley sponsors our program and we want to use our budget wisely.

Senior membership is **completely** voluntary. Non-members are invited to attend and participate in our activities; however there are benefits to becoming a member. Membership affords you discounted pricing on our weekly breakfast, our transportation, you will receive our monthly newsletter and calendar via e-mail or postal service, you will receive a birthday gift at the monthly party, and a Christmas gift at the Senior Christmas party. Non-members can find a copy of the newsletter on Town of Loxley's website (townofloxley.org) or they will be available in hardcopy at the Civic Center.

With your membership you will be allowed to bring a guest at membership prices for any event. The application process is an easy form you complete, turn in with payment and is in effect from August 1 thru July 31 each year.

Who can become a member? Anyone. Everyone visiting our facility will be offered membership. Acceptance is an individual decision. Seniors 90 year old or older are exempt from membership fees and are considered honorary members. Volunteers are exempt from the fee so feel free to volunteer. I need people to cook in the kitchen, collect funds at breakfast, split the pot and serve at special events. Talk to me and we will see how you can help.

How much does it cost? This year there is a surprise in store. Everyone wishing to become a member will only pay \$5.00. This is a reduction from \$15.00 per couple and \$10.00 per individual. The reduction is due our using the budget offered by the Town wisely and your help in keeping cost down.

What happens to my money? The funds raised from our membership drive and the split the pot drawings are set aside to be used for Senior Projects that will benefit the group. Things we have purchased are the bus cover, the vent fan in the kitchen, a refrigerator, a projector, camera and several smaller items used by us at seniors events. We want to make your experiences at the Civic Center great and we want to encourage you to be an active member.

Example of Membership Discounts

Event	Member	Non-member
Breakfast	\$4.00 (honorary \$2.00)	\$5.00
In County Transportation	\$2.00	\$3.00
Out of County transportation	\$3.00	\$4.00
Out of State transportation	\$4.00	\$5.00

If you have any questions, please call me at (251) 964-4995.

Loxley Senior Membership Application

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(251) 964-4995 (Beryl) or Cell Phone: (251) 747-0027
Fax: (251) 964-5097

Please Print:

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone # _____ E-Mail _____

Date of Birth _____

Spouse's Name _____ Spouse Birthday _____

In the event of an emergency, please notify: _____

Relationship _____ Phone: _____

Physician's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Medical history you wish to share that might aid the staff or ambulance personnel during an emergency: _____

Activity Suggestions: _____

Type of membership: Single \$5.00 _____ Couple \$5.00 each _____ Volunteer _____