

# Loxley Civic Center News

December 1, 2019



- Birthday Party
- Lunch Bunch Trip
- Pot Luck Lunch
- Games
- Coffee & Tea
- Painting
- Camera Club



## December Birthdays

- 12/10 Jim Brown  
12/11 Dale Dentaman  
12/21 Maxine Patton  
12/21 Nell Slauson  
12/24 Millie Byrd  
12/25 Dave Phillips  
12/27 Katherine Breeden  
12/27 Butch Turner  
12/29 Wilma Jayjohn  
12/29 Marlene Cottet

## Senior Activities

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### The Holidays are here, are you ready or not

Did you know Santa Claus is coming to town? Another year is almost gone and we still have things to do. We have a short month with only two breakfast meetings, the Birthday Party and our Senior Christmas party. We will still have games and coffee & tea until the 13th. Check out the calendar and make sure you are here as much as possible.

### Breakfast News

This month we will only have two opportunities to enjoy a breakfast together. That will be December 3rd and 10th. The Civic Center stays very busy during the holidays and since we get to use it all the time, I guess we need to share. Plan to come enjoy the fellowship while we can. **Be sure to tell our cooks how much you appreciate them preparing our breakfast. Mary & Roger Barnhill, Pat Dunbar, Pat Hawthorn, Shirley Parker, Rita & Butch Turner, Marlene Cottet and Juanita Young are the ones that get a big THANK YOU.**

### Birthday Party

The birthday party for our December folks will be **December 4th at 1:30**. Come celebrate in style with Cake, Ice Cream, Snacks and Games. We all get to enjoy their birthday month, so let's Party big time. You know that I love to party, right? We have several with birthdays, so let's enjoy.

### Senior Christmas Party

Every year we have a **Senior Christmas Party** so get ready to party on December 11th at 1:30. You get to bring your favorite finger food and we get to sample it. We have door prizes and gifts so you don't want to miss this event. It is the last party of the year and we will have the building decked out for Christmas and fancied up just for you. I hope to see everyone here.

### Cookie Swap

For the last several years we have enjoyed a **Cookie Swap** before Christmas. We bring our favorite cookie ( or a new recipe we want to try) and exchange with the ones who are participating. Each year I have not been disappointed since it looks like I have baked and baked when I only cooked once. We will do this again this year on **December 17th at 10:00**. Please sign up so we will know how many we need to make. Package them 6-8 per person and bring an extra so we can sample with our coffee and hot chocolate. Once we finish with the cookies, we can all go to lunch together and continue the fun.

### Painting Class

Painting class is growing. We paint **Thursdays 9:00-11:00** and enjoy it. Our last class will be December 12 for this year. I hope you will consider coming and join our group in 2020.

### Games are a must

Our games continue to be one of the popular events offered at the Center. We meet each Thursday at 1:00 and play until we are ready to go home. Our last games of the year will be on December 12th but we'll get going again soon.

### Coffee & Tea

We enjoy coffee, tea and snacks each **Friday from 9-11**. It is good to enjoy each others company and be a part of the fellowship. Our last get together will be December 13 so save all the "info" until next year.



## Christmas is for Family

Once all the Christmas shopping is over and the cooking or traveling is completed it is time to enjoy the family get together. The fun part is seeing the excitement and joy in the faces of your loved ones. I don't have a lot of company during Christmas but I do a lot of traveling. I consider you my family too so I hope you enjoy your holiday. It will be lonesome without you for the three weeks we will not have activities. Keep me in mind and if you get lonesome too, come see me.

**Merry Christmas to you and yours!!!**

### Exercise

Since this is a short month, be sure to check with Barbara Lovell about when she will be leading the exercise classes. There will be court on December 5th. Contact Barbara about the other times.

### One of my favorite Christmas memories


As a child it was always fun riding around the neighborhood to see the out door decoration during the Christmas Season. I have seen that there are Christmas light at Hank Arron Stadium in Mobile and I would gladly take the bus to see them. If you are interested, let me know and we will get some additional information. According to the Web Page the cost is \$7.00 per person. I would schedule the trip on December 17 and leave the center at 5:30. Let me know if you are ready to make the trip.

### A Message from me

Every year I strive to make things better for us as seniors. My goal is to keep us active and motivated. In my opinion this is the best way to stay young and healthy. I need you to be around as long as possible. Christmas is the time of year when we celebrate with family and friends and since you are all a big part of my life and I will miss having the chance to be with you during the next few weeks. Be prepared to start the year off on the run with me. I look forward to another wonderful year. If you think of things you are interested in doing or places you want to go, let me know and I'll see if you can get it done. **Have a safe and Joyous holiday and I will see you come 2020.** Love you, Beryl



# December 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Senior Breakfast 8AM Camera Club 9 AM	4 Birthday Party 1:30	5 Painting 9-11 AM Game Day 1-3 PM Court 3 PM	6 Coffee & Tea 9-11AM	7 Private Use
8 Private Use	9 Light Exercise 3 PM	10 Last Senior Breakfast 8AM Camera Club 9 AM	11 Senior Christmas Party @ 1:30 PM 	12 Painting 9-11 AM Game Day 1-3 PM Light Exercise 3 PM	13 Coffee & Tea 9-11 AM	14 Town Christmas Parade  Big Band Dance
15 Private Use	16 Light Exercise 3 PM	17 Cookie Swap @ 10 AM 	18 No Senior Activities	19 No Senior Activities	20 No Senior Activities	21 Private Use
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