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**Monday - Thursday
9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

Senior Friendship Club Officers

- President:** Ceil Albers
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- Veteran's Ceremony
- Mah Jongg
- Art Classes
- AARP Safe Driver

Member of:

Wisconsin Association of Senior Centers (WASC)
Wisconsin Park & Recreation Association (WPA)

Using a Sunflower Flag as inspiration, Joyce Mintzloff paints while Artist and Teacher, Tracey Ratzburg, teaches about watercolor during our Sunny September Art Class. You can join in the fun! See page 8 for more information on upcoming Art Classes.

Fun for everyone 55 years and better!

Senior Meetings

Find out what events are coming up, voice your suggestions, and meet new friends.

Next meeting: **November 12.**

Join us for our meeting followed by caramel apples and a presentation by Village Pointe Commons, Grafton's newest senior living development!

Mark your calendars: January 28, 2016 Pizza Party and 2016 Travel Show Meeting

Other 2016 Senior Meetings, April 14, August 11, and November 10.

Sign-in Policy

Please swipe your membership card at the podium near the east side entrance each day you visit the Center. Visitors are asked to sign the guest book.

2016 Senior Membership

Please note our policy requiring ALL users of the Grafton Senior Center to show proof of membership. Fees for **2016** will remain at \$15.00 for Village of Grafton residents and \$25.00 for non-residents. Each member will receive a swipe card to sign in. Five dollars of the fee will go to the Grafton Senior Friendship Club with the remainder to help offset some of the operational costs of our building. Thank you.

Welcome New Members!

Connie Bamberger
Rich Zimdars
Jeri Kunda
Diane Fuerstenberg
Mary Lou Bjorge
Kathy Pape
Jim Fuller

Penny Eichers
Joyce Zimdars
Nancy Londo
Helen Oberkirsch
Phil Dellegrazio
Loretta Fuller
Joan Amundson

TRY SOMETHING NEW

Grafton Dining News and Events

Monday -Thursday at noon; Fridays at 11:45 a.m. Ozaukee County has a meal site at the Grafton Senior Center and provides delicious meals catered by Taher Co. of Brown Deer. The cost of each meal is a donation to the program (\$4 suggestion). Dessert and Coffee are included. Catch up with friends and meet new neighbors. Call Lynn, the Nutrition Site Manager, one day in advance at 262-483-1362 by noon. Menus are available at the Senior Center or at www.qualitylifegrafton.com. **First time diners get a free lunch!** **Frequent Diner Card:** Receive a complimentary lunch after 10 visits!

Upcoming Lunch Events:

November 11 Veteran's Day Lunch
November 19 Lunch and BINGO
November 25 Thanksgiving Lunch
December 10 Lunch and BINGO
December 17 Christmas Lunch Party, 11:30 a.m.
December 30 Happy New Year Lunch

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Ozaukee County at the Grafton Senior Center.

To increase the outreach efforts to community seniors, the A.D.R.C. of Ozaukee County will have a staff person here from **11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.** Staff will answer questions about services or resources that are available to help you stay healthy and independent.

Next date: TBA FREE!

Packer Fridays

Come for lunch and get a number for Sunday's game. Winner will receive a free lunch. Packer Fridays are back! Wear your green and gold! **GO PACK!**

Veteran's Day Lunch - Wednesday, November 11.

All Veterans receive a FREE lunch this day. THANK YOU for your service!



BINGO Lunch - Thursdays, November 19 and December 10 at 1:00 p.m. Join us for lunch and stay to play BINGO at 1:00 p.m. We provide easy finger slider boards. Sponsored by Steve French. **December 10th is Christmas BINGO. Everyone gets #25 FREE that day!**

Thanksgiving Lunch - Wednesday, November 25. We have A LOT to be thankful for! Come and wish your friends and neighbors a Happy Thanksgiving!

Christmas Party -Thursday, Dec. 17, 11:30 a.m. A feast for all with appetizers, lunch and Christmas surprises. It's a holly, jolly good time! Sign up with Lynn.

New Year's Lunch - Wednesday, December 30.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

Thursday Night Sheepshead

Play starts promptly at 7:00 p.m. We suggest arriving any time after 6:00 p.m. to ensure a spot, as set-up time needs to be completed by 7:00 p.m. Please call Ron and Fay Scheel at 377-3040 for more information.

500 and Canasta

Do you or someone you know play 500 or Canasta? 500 is now played on **Tuesday afternoons at 1:00 p.m.** Call Ruth Patterson with any questions 377-1757. Canasta is played on Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m. Please join us!

Needlework **Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.**

Thank you to everyone who has donated yarn! Donations of any color or length are appreciated. We have a group of talented, caring seniors who enjoy knitting hats and booties for newborns at hospitals, gifts for nursing homes, and necessities for those less fortunate year-round. Come join them!

Talents to Share?

Do you have a special talent or skill you would like to teach others? If so, contact Karin or Janelle to set up a time to showcase your talent. Examples include craft projects, musical entertainment, teaching a new game etc.!

Senior Scrapbook **Mondays, 1:00 p.m.**

Help preserve some great memories at our Senior Center! We have photos and newspaper articles we would like to display in our scrapbooks. We will provide the materials. No experience necessary. **Free activity!**

Mah Jongg **Mondays & Thursdays, 1:00p.m.**

A fascinating rummy-like game played with tiles rather than cards. The game originated in China. Norma and Ann will teach you how to play.



A Special Thank You

Thank you to ALL who helped with our Senior Center Bake Sale on Saturday, October 17th during Grafton's Pumpkinfest! Celia Albers, Evelyn Nowak, Jodie Wolf, Nancy Milbauer, Kitty Tector, Sally Chiddister, Connie Bamberger, Lu Newberry, Barb Natoli, Genee Brukwitzki, Judy Wendtlandt, and John Albert.



Thank you Volunteer Leaders!

500: Ruth Patterson. **Bingo:** Ann Haugstad and Lu Newberry. **Sheepshead:** Ron and Fay Scheel. **Crafts/Decorating:** Lu Newberry, Carol Polster, Nancy Milbauer, and Pat Baumann. **Dominoes:** Carol Polster. **Parties:** Pat Baumann, Lu Newberry, Lucy Prucca. **Bocce:** Lu Newberry. **Bridge:** Elaine Korten Hof. **Meal site:** Pat Baumann, Lu Newberry, Janet Traxel, and Norb Studelska. **Mah Jongg:** Ann Haugstad and Norma Petersen. **Office:** Penny Eichers. **Looking for volunteers to lead:** Wii, Ping Pong and Generations OnLine

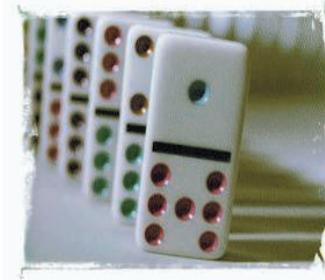
ONGOING ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)

Dominoes

Monday and Wednesday afternoons at 1:00 p.m.

Chicken Foot is a fun domino game that is easy to learn and can be played with different numbers of players. No partner is needed and there is no pressure to win.

Mexican Train is a fascinating and challenging domino game. Domino sets are available in the dining room so you may play any day of the week. Rules for both games are available in the dining room.



Bingo

The last Thursday of the month at 1:00 p.m. We provide easy finger slider boards. Prizes sponsored by Steve French. Questions? Call the Grafton Senior Center office at 375-5311.



GOLDEN TONES CHORUS

The Golden Tones Chorus is a mixed choir led by Director Sarah Roesch. Rehearsals are held on **Tuesday mornings from 9:30-10:30 a.m.**

Fee is \$1 per rehearsal. New voices are always welcome! Come join the fun!

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS



Senior Exercise Class

Stop in and visit our most popular class. Our instructor is Evelyn Nowak. Classes are held every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Class fee is only \$1 whenever you come. The first half

of class includes seated stretches, use of Thera bands and light hand weights followed by low impact aerobics to music. Fun!

Silver Belles

Currently looking for new members to join our existing group. These ladies love to dance! Participants of the Senior Exercise class perform for retirement homes, assisted living centers and nursing homes. Performances are twice per month and they take time off during the summer. The group is choreographed by Evelyn Nowak.

FREE Blood Pressure Checks

Wednesdays, November 4, December 2, and January 6, 9:45-10:45 a.m. Meadowmere Northshore in Mequon is proud to sponsor free blood pressure checks on the first Wednesday of each month.

Ping Pong Anyone?

We would like to get a Ping Pong league started up again. Please stop in the office or call to let us know if you are interested in playing on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month at 10:00 a.m. FREE!

Swimming at the Grafton High School Pool, 1950 Washington Street

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Town/Grafton School District: \$45

Non-Resident: \$90

ADULT LAP SWIM

Mondays and Wednesdays: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

OPEN SWIM

Saturdays: November 14, 21, December 5, 12, 19 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

AQUA DYNAMICS and DEEP WATER AEROBICS

Register at Grafton Parks and Recreation, 262-375-5310. Certified Instructors Jan Hill and Evelyn Nowak. Fee: \$48 Village / \$59 non-residents.

Next sessions:

Session 5: November 2 - December 9, 2015.

Session 1: January 6 - February 15, 2016.



Toe Nail Trimmers Foot Clinic

At Grafton Senior Center Tuesdays, **November 24, 9:30-2, and December 22, 9:30-2.** Cost: \$27 for a 30 minute appointment. Call ahead to make a reservation.

Fitness Room

The Fitness Room is OPEN to all members of the Grafton Senior Center for no extra fee! All users are required to sign a waiver and sign up for an orientation to learn how to use the equipment correctly. The Fitness Room helps keep our seniors healthy and active!

Wii

Come Play! Wii is fun, improves your range of motion, standing and balance, endurance, posture and socialization. Play virtual bowling, golf, tennis, baseball and more! Open gaming is on the third Thursday of the month from **10-11a.m.**

Shuffleboard

Keep active this winter! Shuffleboard League will begin on **Wednesday, October 7** and run through **April 13, 2016.** Games are played on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. This is a fun and easy game, no experience is necessary. You don't have to play every week. You can ask a sub to cover for you. Or just sign up to be a substitute! We will not play on days with inclement weather. Sign up in the office for this fun league! FREE activity!

Flu Clinic

The Ozaukee County Public Health Department, Pick 'n Save and Walgreens Pharmacies offer the flu shot.

Open Basketball

Practice your free throw shot, play H-O-R-S-E, or pick-up half-court basketball on certain Tuesday evenings. Location: Grafton Elementary School Gym from 7:15-8:45 p.m. on Tuesday evenings November 10, 2015 - January 19, 2016. No open gym on December 22 or 29. Fee: \$3 per night. Gym supervisor will be on duty.

PICKLEBALL!

What is Pickleball?

Pickleball is one of the fastest growing sports in the country, especially with seniors! It is a sport for all ages similar to tennis, but on a court the size of a badminton court.

Warning: This game may be addictive!

Adult Pickleball program is offered through the Grafton Parks and Recreation Department, 375-5310.

Drop-in Pickleball, is played on **Saturday evenings from 6:30-8:30 p.m.** at John Long Middle School, 700 Hickory Street. There are four regulation-size Pickleball courts at this gym with one court dedicated for novice play. Richard Cook will teach you how to play. Four pickleball paddles are available for use if you do not have your own. Fee is \$3 per night. Try it!



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Stay Fit during the colder months!



See Karin or Janelle to sign up for a free orientation appointment to utilize the Fitness Room any time the Senior Center is open.

Yoga

Saturdays: October 31 - December 12. (no class 11/28). 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Fee: \$20 Village; \$24 Non-residents. Instructor: Renee Jacque.

Morning Cardio Tone

November 16-December 21 on M,W,F. (no class 11/25&11/27). 8:15-9:15 a.m. Fee: \$39 Village; \$48 Non-resident. Instructor: Evelyn Nowak.

Senior Exercise

M, W, F 10:30-11:30 a.m. \$1 per class. Instructor: Evelyn Nowak.

Zumba

Thursday mornings: November 5 - December 17, 2015 (no class November 26). 9:15-10:15 a.m. (6 classes). Fee: \$20 Village; \$24 Non-resident. Instructor: Melissa Finn Meyers.

Pickleball

Saturdays: 6:30-8:30 p.m. at John Long Middle School, \$3 per night.

Swimming at the G.H.S. Pool. Monday & Wednesday 6:30-8 p.m. and Saturday 1:00-3:00 p.m. Closed 11/28 and 12/24-1/2/16.

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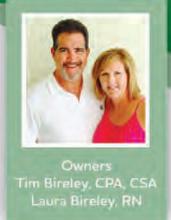
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THE FIRESIDE DINNER THEATRE

A Wonderful Life

Thursday, November 19 and Thursday, December 10, 2015. Depart 8:15 a.m.

"Remember, no man is a failure who has friends." Tens of millions wait every Christmas to see Frank Capra's classic film of dreams and the power of love. The story of George Bailey and his wonderful life in Bedford Falls has brought hope and inspiration to every heart with its celebration of the goodness in all of us. It is the perfect message for the Christmas season. The Fireside continues its long tradition of bringing you the finest in Christmas entertainment with a stunning, live stage version of this beloved film. Written by Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award winning lyricist Sheldon Harnick, one of the creators of FIDDLER ON THE ROOF, and Grammy and Emmy Award winner Joe Raposo whose music from SESAME STREET and THE ELECTRIC COMPANY has inspired generations of young people, A WONDERFUL LIFE captures all the magic of the film and so much more. With humor, pathos, beautiful dancing, and a brilliant musical score this Fireside production will shine with the true spirit of Christmas. Menu: A Gift From the Sea: Fresh Atlantic Diver Scallop surrounded by Shredded Idaho Potatoes, sautéed to a crisp golden brown, presented on a Sun Dried Tomato Beurre Blanc Sauce. Freshly Baked Breads from our Artisan Bakery. Roast Holiday Capon Chicken, Chef Carved over Mushroom and Herbed Stuffing, glazed with a Rich Stock Gravy, full of flavor, Served with Whipped Potatoes, Fresh Asparagus, Brandied Cranberry Sauce and Baked Southern Style Corn Pudding. Trilogy of Sweet Tastes: Warm British Sticky Date and English Toffee Pudding Cake, Pecan Caramel Turtle Ball Sundae and Lemon Mousse Cheese Cake. Coffee, Tea and Milk. Cost: \$89.

Legends in Concert

Thursday, January 21, 2016. Depart 8:15 a.m.

Imagine seeing not one, not two, but six of the biggest acts in show business in one great performance! We're talking about artists that have gone well beyond the designation of superstar. We're talking about LEGENDS! Carrie Underwood, Neil Diamond, Elton John, Buddy Holly, Whitney Houston, Elvis Presley. Now you can see these great stars re-created LIVE on The Fireside stage! Direct from Las Vegas, LEGENDS IN CONCERT presents dynamic and talented performers re-creating the unforgettable concert appearances of these show biz immortals. Using only their natural voice and talent they create a performance so real that you would swear that these legends are right there in front of you. Surrounded by a dazzling array of singers, dancers, glittering costumes, and sensational lighting, these LEGENDS put on a show as big and as spectacular as any you'll find on the fabled Vegas strip.

Menu: Tropical Salad: Pineapple, Mango, Peaches, Papaya, Strawberries and Dried Cranberries over Fresh Garden Greens, sprinkled with Walnuts and our famous Papaya Chutney Dressing. Freshly Baked Breads. Chicken Monterey and Barbecued Ribs: Lean Pork Back Ribs alongside a skinless Breast of Chicken, dipped in buttermilk and egg, lightly breaded with Panko Crumbs, sautéed to a golden brown, topped with a blend of Spinach, Artichoke, Parmesan, Monterey Jack and Cream Cheese, finished with Jarlsberg Swiss Cheese and presented on an Irish Mustard Sauce. Scalloped Potatoes and Fresh Green String Beans. Pecan Turtle Ball Sundae: Homemade Vanilla Bean Ice Cream rolled in Roasted Ground Pecans served on Hot Fudge and Caramel Sauce. Garnished with an Almond Lace Wand dipped in Chocolate. Cost: \$90.

Peter Pan

Wednesday, March 9, 2016. Depart 8:15 a.m.

For over 100 years children and adults alike have been enchanted by JM Barrie's magical tale of pirates, Indians, Lost Boys, fairies, Neverland, and Peter Pan, the boy who never grew up. The story has been told and re-told in multiple film versions including a classic Disney film; in countless books, and as an unforgettable musical comedy which has had four big Broadway productions and three live TV offerings including the original Mary Martin version which so many baby boomers grew up with and NBC's recent blockbuster special. Now The Fireside presents, for the very first time, this timeless musical fantasy in a sumptuous new production. It's all there – the dazzling dances, the adventures, and the great music with such wonderful songs as "I Won't Grow Up," "I Gotta Crow," "Never Never Land," and many more. So come with us where dreams are born and time is never planned and enjoy this sensational show that will delight the entire family! Menu: Tomato Bisque accompanied by a Grilled Cheese Slider. Freshly Baked Breads from our Artisan Bakery. Pretzel Crusted Stuffed Chicken: Skinless Breast of Chicken stuffed with Havarti Cheese, dipped in buttermilk and egg, rolled in Pretzel Crumbs and sautéed to a golden brown, baked and served with a Balsamic Raspberry Sauce. Accompanied by Creamy Garlic and Asparagus Risotto and a Baked Stuffed Tomato with Herbed Croutons, Bacon, and Feta Cheese. Lemon Ice Cream Pie: Our homemade Lemon Custard in a Pecan Meringue Crust topped with Strawberry Coulis and Fresh Whipped Cream. Coffee, Tea and Milk. Cost: \$90.

More 2016 Fireside Shows! **Sister Act** on Thursday, May 5. **Rockin' at the Fireside (Live Band)** on Wednesday, July 6. **Million Dollar Quartet** on Thursday, September 8. **The Collingsworth Family Christian Concert** on Friday, October 7. **Fireside Christmas** on Thursday, November 17 and Thursday, December 8!

The Fireside Dinner Theatre is proud to accommodate those customers with hearing aids with the Loop broadcasts. If you are not sure if your hearing aid has the Loop, check with your audiologist.



TRIPS / EVENTS

Day Trip Policies

Please park your car farthest from the entrances.

Policy: We have the right to cancel the trip if we do not have the minimum number of participants to cover the cost, so please sign up before the deadline. Cancellations within three weeks will be refunded only if someone fills the spot. Due to the limit of staff, the Center cannot provide one-on-one assistance.

Ho-Chunk Casino

Friday, November 6. depart 8:15 a.m. This trip will have one casino stop at Ho Chunk Casino in the Dells with a stop at Baraboo Candy on the way home. Cost: \$33.

Shopping Trip to Fox River Mall

Monday, November 16, depart 8:15 a.m., return 6 p.m.

Enjoy great shopping at over 180 of your favorite stores. This trip includes a deluxe motor coach, coupons, snacks and a beverage. Stop at the Kris Kringle House in Fond du Lac on the way to the Mall. Lunch is on your own. Door prizes will be drawn on the bus. Fee: \$25. Payment is due on November 2.

A Christmas Portrait

Tuesday, December 15. depart 9:30 a.m., return 7:15 p.m. Enjoy over 1,300 acres of festive light displays and elaborate holiday exhibits at the Grand Geneva Resort. Inside, the scents of fresh holiday pine and a roaring fire-place make "A Christmas Portrait" a spectacle to behold. Enjoy a three course luncheon. After the show enjoy tea and cookie served in the Forum Theater. Return to the Main Lodge to view Holiday Displays and Gingerbread Houses. You will have time to browse the unique shops of the Grand Geneva Resort. Depart the Grand Geneva Resort and drive to view over 500,000 brilliant lights throughout the grounds. Cost: \$85.

Annual Pizza Party and Travel Show

Thursday, January 28, 1:00 p.m. Quarterly Senior Friendship Club meeting begins at 1:00 p.m. Find out where in the world we are going to tour in 2016 and avoid the wait list. Day trips to fun theatre favorites, ball games, fun things to see and do in Chicago, casinos and more! Find out about exciting extended trips through Mayflower Tours too! Please sign up in advance in the office. Only \$6 for all-you-can-eat pizza, soda, and dessert!

Oneida Casino

Monday, March 14. depart TBA

Includes deluxe motor coach transportation and \$10 in player credits.

Extended Trips

See trip flyers for detailed itineraries with pricing.

Gulf Shore Breezes (Mayflower Tours)

April 9, 2016. 8 Days. Huntsville, Orange Beach, Mobile and Fairhope, AL; Nashville, TN.

Washington Waterways & National Parks

(Mayflower Tours) September 15, 2016. 9 Days. Featuring Mount Rainier and Olympic Mountains National Parks.

Did you know we have more opportunities if our selected trips do not meet your needs? Stop in for a travel book. Thank you for choosing travel with the Senior Center through these providers. Our senior center **does** receive marketing credit!

~ Trips and Events ~

2015

November 6	Ho Chunk Casino
November 10	Veterans Salute Ceremony at 1:30 p.m.
November 12	Senior Friendship Club Meeting at 1 p.m.
November 16	Shopping Trip
November 19	A Wonderful Life at The Fireside
December 8	Christmas Party!
December 10	A Wonderful Life at The Fireside
December 15	A Grand Geneva Christmas

2016

January 21	Legends in Concert at The Fireside
February 16	Valentines Party
March 8	St. Pat's Party with Beglan Irish Dancers
March 9	Peter Pan at The Fireside
March 14	Oneida Casino
April 9	Gulf Shore Breezes ~ Mayflower
April 21	Brewers v. Twins
May 5	Sister Act at The Fireside
June 30	Brewers v. Dodgers
July 6	Rockin' at The Fireside
July 12	Senior Picnic at Zaun Pavilion
July 28	Brewers v. Diamondbacks
September 8	Million Dollar Quartet at The Fireside
September 15	Washington Waterways ~ Mayflower
October 7	Collingsworth Family Christian Concert
November 17	A Fireside Christmas
December 8	A Fireside Christmas

Please let us know if there is somewhere you would like to go and we will look into it. Save \$\$\$ and travel with our Senior Center! Many more trips in the planning process.



KEEP LEARNING

Generations on Line

Generations on Line is a national non-profit program that promotes Internet access and literacy to elders 65 and over who are not familiar with computers. It provides simplified Internet access and on-screen basic training for elders for **FREE!** We have a computer set-up for this program in the dining room where you can learn at your own pace.

A few benefits it offers:

- Simplified email, with a free email account
- Internet searching in 36 languages
- Intergenerational section
- Easy links to other websites: Medicare, Social Security, Veterans information and newspapers from around the world.

We are in need of a volunteer to help anyone who would like to try this program.

Book Discussions

This group meets on the **first Thursday of the month at 1:00 p.m.** Please meet us to chat about upcoming books!

November 5, *Light Between the Oceans* by M.L. Steadman. December 3, *The Beekeeper's Ball* by Susan Wiggs. No Book discussion in January. Sign up in the office. **FREE!** Questions call: 262-375-5311.

Let's Talk

Every Third Thursday, Monthly. 10:30 -

11:30 a.m. "Let's Talk" is a small group discussion opportunity which is held on the third Thursday of each month from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. in the conference room. If you like a lively and data driven conversation, then this is the group for you. We will reference verifiable information along with a dash of humor! You are asked to bring in an article of interest to share with the group. For more information about the "Let's Talk" group, see or call Carol Polster at 377-1553 and sign up in the office.



AARP Driver Safety Course

Tuesday, December 1, 2015

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Grafton Senior Center. Lower Level, elevator available.

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Don't miss out on **FREE** technical education and help! Reference Librarian, Leslie Jochman, from the Grafton Public Library will be here to give information on the following computer programs and topics:



November 17: Organize & Share Photos with Google Photo

January 19: Facebook

March 15: Online Safety

Organize & Share Photos with Google Photo: Learn how to organize and share your photos with family and friends online. This class will teach you the basics of Google Photos. This includes how to upload, organize, edit, and share your photographs. A Google account is required to use Google Photos.

Facebook: Learn how to set up a Facebook account, change your settings and create posts. Get tips on what to do and what not to do with your Facebook account.

Online Safety: Learn important information about how to protect yourself and your data while you surf the internet.

Please sign up in the office for these **FREE** informational sessions.

E-Readers and E-Book Help

Utilize "Book-A-Librarian", a free service from the USS Liberty Memorial Library at 375-5315 for a one-on-one lesson.

Art Classes Beginning!



Tracey Ratzburg, a local freelance artist, is our new Art Teacher! She is skilled at teaching art in many different mediums such as acrylic, pencil, pastels, oils, watercolor and glass painting. Classes: **November 11, Frost on the Pumpkin or Snowman Acrylic on Slate, \$32. December 16, Santa or Snowman Recycled Pallet and Paint, \$32. January 20, Cardinal Pastel and Watercolor, \$27. All classes held from 1:00-3:00 p.m.** See flyer for further description and pictures of these fun projects. Sign up in office!

Treasure/Jewelry Box Art **Wednesdays,**

November 25, December 2 and 9, 1:00 p.m. Join Peter Swatek in painting a Treasure/Jewelry Box. Great idea to give as a Christmas gift to a grandchild! Sign-up in the office. Cost: \$7

PARTIES

Christmas Dinner Party! **Tuesday, December 8, 3-5 p.m.**

Enjoy a delicious catered Christmas dinner and hear our very own Golden Tones Chorus. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Cost: \$10 for Members / \$13 for Guests.

Pizza Party and Travel Show **Thursday, January 28, 1:00 p.m.**

The day everyone's been waiting for...The 2016 Travel Show! Come find out where in the world we're going! We will hold our quarterly Friendship Club meeting, present the 2016 trips, and enjoy pizza, soda and dessert! Purchase tickets in advance, \$6.

Valentine Party **Tuesday, February 16, 5:00 p.m.**

Entertainment by the *Kennedy G Group*. Menu: Chili Supper, Italian Bread, Salad, Dessert, Coffee and Punch. Advance ticket required, \$8.

St. Patrick's Party **Tuesday, March 8, 4:00 p.m.**

Catered Irish Dinner. Entertainment by the Beglan Academy of Irish Dance. Menu and ticket prices coming soon.



Veteran's Ceremony **Tuesday, November 10 1:30 p.m. Dining Room**

The Cedarburg American Legion Peter Wollner Post 288 Post Commander will speak about the history of Veteran's Day. Other Veterans will be introduced, followed by a Flag Folding Ceremony.

See Lynn if you would like to have lunch prior to this important 45-minute presentation.

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November Events

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Mah Jongg, Dominoes, Scrapbooking	3 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	4 9:30 Shuffleboard 9:45-10:45 BP Check 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes	5 9:00 Needlework 9:15 Zumba 1:00 Book Discussion 1:00 Mah Jongg, Sheepshead 7:00 Sheepshead	6 8:15 Ho Chunk Departs 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
9 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Mah Jongg, Dominoes, Scrapbooking	10 9:30 Chorus 1:30 Veterans Salute 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	11  9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes 1:00 Art Class	12 9:00 Needlework 9:15 Zumba 1:00 Friendship Club Mtg. 1:00 Mah Jongg, Sheepshead-Lower Level 7:00 Sheepshead	13 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
16 8:15 Shopping Trip Departs 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Mah Jongg, Dominoes, Scrapbooking	17 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Tech Tuesday 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	18 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes	19 8:15 Fireside Departs 9:00 Needlework 9:15 Zumba 10:00 Wii w/ Friends 10:30 Let's Talk 1:00 Bingo 1:00 Mah Jongg, Sheepshead- Lower Level 7:00 Sheepshead	20 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
23 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Mah Jongg, Dominoes, Scrapbooking	24 9:30 Chorus 9:30-2 Foot Clinic 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	25 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes 1:00 Treasure Box Art	26 	27 CLOSED
30 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Mah Jongg, Dominoes, Scrapbooking				

Birthdays



6 Eunice Westcott	27 Sal Natoli
8 Judie Braam	28 Florence Rathke
8 Irene Kiehnau	28 Bob Sommer
10 Bette Carr	29 Connie Bramberger
11 Karen Grady	29 Richard Victoria
11 Janet Traxel	30 Judy Ferlemann
12 Jodie Wolf	30 Scott Kennison
13 Lu Newberry	
14 Celia Albers	
15 Trudy Zarleng	
16 Nancy Londo	
16 Violet Roeske	
22 Phyllis Blanc	
25 Eunice Leemon	

Special Events:

Blood Pressure Check, November 4, 9:45 a.m.

Book Discussion, November 5, 1:00 p.m.

Veteran's Ceremony, November 10, 1:30 p.m. Meet local Veterans, Flag folding ceremony and more. Free.

Art Class, November 11, 1:00 p.m. Frost on the Pumpkin or Snowman Acrylic on Slate.

Senior Meeting, November 12, 1:00 p.m. Friendship Club meeting followed by Caramel Apples and a presentation by Village Pointe Commons.

Tech Tuesday, November 17, 1:00 p.m. Organize and Share Photos with Google Photo.

Wii Gaming, November 19, 10:00 a.m.

Let's Talk, November 19, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Conference Rm.

BINGO, November 19, 1:00 p.m.

December Events

2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1 8:30-12:30 AARP Smart Driver Course 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	2 9:30 Shuffleboard 9:45-10:45 BP Check 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Bridge, Cribbage, Dominoes 1:00 Treasure Box Art	3 9:00 Needlework 1:00 Book Discussion 1:00 Sheepshead 7:00 Sheepshead	4 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
7 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Dominoes, Scrapbooking	8 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead 3:00 Christmas Party	9 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Bridge, Cribbage, Dominoes 1:00 Treasure Box Art	10 8:15 Fireside Departs 9:00 Needlework 1:00 BINGO! 1:00 Sheepshead-LL 7:00 Sheepshead	11 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
14 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Dominoes, Scrapbooking	15 9:30 Grand Geneva Departs 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	16 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes 1:00 Art Class	17 9:00 Needlework 10:00 Wii w/ Friends 10:30 Let's Talk 11:30 Lynn's Christmas Lunch 1 & 7 p.m. Sheepshead	18 9:00 Hand and Foot 10:30 Exercise
21 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Dominoes, Scrapbooking	22 9:30 Chorus 9:30-2 Foot Clinic 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	23 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Cribbage, Bridge, Dominoes	24	25
28 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Bridge, Dominoes, Scrapbooking	29 9:30 Chorus 1:00 Canasta, 500, Sheepshead	30 9:30 Shuffleboard 10:30 Exercise 1:00 Bridge Cribbage, Dominoes	31	



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Birthdays

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| 1 Cathy Race | 17 Kay Wienke |
| 1 Sandy Patterson | 17 Barbara DeBroux |
| 2 Ronald Carr | 20 Lorrie Clayton |
| 5 Kathryn Schultz | 21 Juergen Haber |
| 8 Karen Schmidt | 21 Marion Pinzer |
| 9 Earl Witte | 22 Edith Stefaniak |
| 10 Ruth Ellen Zack | 26 Ellen Holyoke |
| 11 Wayne Herder | |
| 12 Darlene Sukowski | |
| 12 Ruth Ann Hurt | |
| 14 Vivian Sherman | |
| 14 Marion Meganck | |
| 16 Nancy Anderson | |
| 16 Richard Lally | |



Special Events:

AARP Smart Driver Course, Tuesday, December 1, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. AARP Members \$15 Non-members \$25

Blood Pressure Check, December 2, 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Book Discussion, Thursday, December 3, 1:00 p.m.

Christmas Party, Tuesday, December 8, 3:30 p.m.

Art Class, December 16, 1:00 p.m. Santa or Snowman Recycled Pallet and Paint.

Wii Gaming, December 17, 10:00 a.m.

Let's Talk, December 17, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Conference Room.

BINGO, Thursday, December 17, 1:00 p.m.

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Attention Collectors!



Do you have a collection of some kind that you'd like to share with others by putting the items on display for everyone to see? Now is your chance! Nancy Milbauer (a member of the Senior Center Dining Room Decorating Committee) would be happy to help you display your collection (or at least some of it). If you are interested, please contact Nancy at 377-2261 and she will put you on the schedule for displays. Each collection will be up for 3-4 weeks. **REMINDER:** Grafton Senior Center is not responsible for any items while on display.

Gift Certificates

When your families are wondering what to get you for your birthday or holiday, tell them to get a gift certificate from the Grafton Senior Center. Gift certificates can be purchased for any amount and used for any day trip, party or special event.