




Greetings friends and neighbors! Welcome to our November Newsletter! I am thrilled to announce that other than Sit N Get Fit, Bunco, and Drum Fun, all other activities will be held at the Wiesemeyer Building!! Renovations are wrapping up. It is beautiful! I can't wait for you to see it! Please pay close attention to the key on your calendar this month, letting you know where the events are being held. Thank you to all involved with the renovation project! Job well done!


 Special thanks to all who participate in the center's activities! It's people like you that make our center a fun place to be! Your smiling faces add so much light to our giant family of friends! Thank you!


 **NEW THIS MONTH:**

We will be collecting **Sweats for Vets** all month long. Any color, any size (although we probably should focus on larger sizes), **NEW** sweatshirts and pants are appreciated. We will be delivering them to the Senior Care Division at John Cochran Hospital. They serve a large portion of homeless veterans. You can bring your donation to the center at 409 Collinsville Rd , or to any event this month. **THANK YOU** in advance!


Hand & Foot Card Game – We are gathering a new group to play Hand and Foot! I understand it's much like Canasta. We'll play this month on Nov. 2nd (due to lunch move) and Nov. 9th from 1- 3 PM at the Little House at 409 Collinsville Rd here in Tri-Township Park. We'll then resume our normal schedule of the second and third Thursdays of the month from 1 -3 PM at the Little House. You don't need to know how to play! No cost to play...bring a drink and a snack if you like! See you there!


Our next Day Trip is Sunday December the 3rd. We are going to **Christmas Traditions on St. Charles Main Street**. This is bus transport only! You will have a map to guide you to attractions, restaurants, and shops. Nonrefundable tickets go **on sale Nov. 6th @ 10AM**.


 Bingo continues every Monday at 12:30 at Wiesemeyer. We'll have a light snack and there is no cost to play, and no RSVP required. Cedarhurst of Troy provides snacks the first Monday of each month! Thank you to Cedarhurst of Troy!

 Our "Sit n Get Fit Class" continues every Wed. at 10 AM at the Little House at 409 Collinsville Rd here in Troy. This 30-minute chair exercise class is designed for all abilities. We've added an 80's music routine! Come try it out! No cost to attend. Space is limited so please RSVP!

 Drum Fun continues Fridays at 9 AM at the SKATING RINK!! Thank you so much Lisa Edwards our interim class leader!

 Our next Monthly Luncheon is November 16th at NOON. Note the date change! We'll be at Wiesemeyer. We have the SAFB Airlifter Brass Band entertaining. We will recognize veterans from all branches of service in honor of Veterans Day. I can't wait! We're serving ham, au gratin potatoes, green beans with bacon, and dessert. \$10 at the door. **RSVP IS VERY IMPORTANT** If you RSVP'd and can no longer make it, **PLEASE** call the center at 618.667.2022, and let us know! Many Thanks!

 Pokeno is Nov. 15th at 12:30 at Wiesemeyer. We'll serve a light snack, and there is no cost to play. No RSVP required. Hospice of Southern Illinois is sponsoring. Cambridge House has agreed to provide snacks for the year! THANK YOU TO ANGIE at CAMBRIDGE HOUSE IN MARYVILLE!

 Bunco is on the 30th from 1 PM until about 3 PM at the little house. \$5 to play, cash prizes for most Bunco's, Wins and Losses. Snacks provided! Our seats are currently full, but please call to be placed on the waiting list, or the sub list!

As always, my hours are generally Mon. Wed. Thurs. from 9 am till 2 pm. Please know, if I am in the office at the "house" my door is always open! If not at the "house" you can always leave a message at 618.667.2022 and I'll get back with you as quick as I can!

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