

DECEMBER 2020

CHRISTMAS DINNER PLANNED FOR DECEMBER 17, PLEASE BE GENEROUS WITH MEAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The center's Christmas dinner is planned for December 17. We will have plenty of food and will serve up to and past 12:30 until everyone has gotten their meal. You do not have to be here at 11:00 to get the meal... space out and stagger times until 12:30 to help with the line and traffic flow.

This is an expensive meal to serve, so we ask that you be generous with your Christmas dinner contributions. Every dollar over the already suggested \$3 help pay for the meal.

Thank you!

INCLEMENT WEATHER MAY CAUSE CENTER TO HAVE TO CLOSE

There may be times when inclement winter weather may cause school to cancel, and to close the senior center. The Cape Senior Center follows the Cape Public Schools closing schedule for weather, so if they close due to winter weather, we will also close. If the schools are closed due to COVID or holiday break, we will make our own decision call as to close or remain open.

Many times it may not be the parking lot or the streets that may be bad, it is the sidewalks, steps and porches of over 200 homes we deliver meals to. We do not want to put our volunteers in harm's way to deliver meals and have to walk on dangerous conditions. PLEASE, watch KFVS12 or listen to AM960 radio for school closings, but just know that if the Cape Public Schools close, we will, too.

GIFTS GIVEN TO OUR CENTER DURING THE PAST MONTH

An honorarium gift was given for Rob Weeks' birthday, from his sister, Melissa Weaver.

Memorial gifts given in memory of our faithful volunteer Dave Schaffner, by Phil and Evelyn Finney, Fern Schlimme, Jerry and Doris Emerson, Linda Tansil and Mike Matzen.

Memorial gifts given in memory of Bradley Bock were given by Lorine Palisch, Joan Weeks and Rob Weeks.

WANT TO GET A JUMP ON THE NEW YEAR? JOIN BUCK-A-MONTH NOW!!!

Since we are unable to hold the weekly raffles and other in-house fundraisers, the Foundation depends on your financial support for repairs and upkeep of our wonderful building now more than ever. A simple way to give is to give \$1 a month (or more).... a simple \$1 per month or more! Everyone can do that much!

If 150 people would give just \$1 a month that would add up to \$1,800 a year!

If 200 people would give just \$1 per month, that would be a wonderful \$2400 per year! WOW! Look what the foundation could do with repair and upkeep funds!!!

Just this month we had to do a major repair on the HVAC system and that was \$8,800! Even though the dining room is closed, life inside the building is still going on! Kitchen equipment needs repairs or replaced, so you can see the financial income is still vital to our survival!

Please, remember us with the Buck-A-Month giving OR your end the year giving for a tax deduction.

The Senior Center Foundation challenges you and your friends to join now and give today!!!

MILK USE IS INTENDED FOR YOUR NOON LUNCH MEAL

Just a reminder that the actual cost of your meal is over \$6.00, we ask that you contribute at least \$3 toward the cost of the meal. You are not "paying" for the meal unless you are giving the center the full cost of the meal.

With that said, just a reminder that the milk that is offered for your noon meal beverage is for that purpose. It is not intended to be your breakfast milk for cereal or oatmeal, coffee creamer, milk for your grandchildren, etc.... it is your noon meal beverage that you get with the meal you pick up curbside.

If you do not drink the milk with your noon meal, just refuse it when Dara asked you about the milk.

Please help the center by using the milk for its intended purpose....

REMEMBER.... the center's noon meal is a program, not a restaurant.

Thank you!

MEAL TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE THROUGH CURBSIDE PICKUP

The meal tickets are still available through the drive-thru for your convenience.

The suggested contribution applies and they never expire. This is a great way to get enough for your meals for a week or a month and not have to worry about having cash or small bills when picking up your meal.

Just tell the workers at the curbside pick-up that you would like some red meal tickets and they can help you with them right there on the spot.

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS FOR THE MONTH

Just a reminder that the senior center will be closed December 24 and 25 for Christmas break, and then again on January 1, 2021. These dates are also marked on the menu.

MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM ALL OF THE EMPLOYEES AND BOARD MEMBERS OF YOUR SENIOR CENTER. May you have a Christmas season filled with abundant blessings that overflows into the new year. Merry Christmas!

The Senior Center is always in need of your time and resources.
Please remember your Senior Center when making your final arrangements.