

## NOVEMBER 2020 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **THANKSGIVING DINNER PLANNED FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

Our annual Thanksgiving Dinner is planned for Thursday, November 19. Please note, *the suggested contribution for this special menu day is \$5.00 per meal.* The groceries are expensive and we hope you'll support your senior center with your generous contributions toward the cost of this meal. Thank you!

### **MEDICARE PART D OPEN ENROLLMENT IS NOW THROUGH DEC. 7**

For 2020 Medicare coverage, open enrollment is in the fall of 2020, from **October 15 to December 7.**

During this annual enrollment period (AEP) you can make changes to various aspects of your coverage.

- You can switch from one Medicare Part D (prescription drug) plan to another
- You can switch from Original Medicare to Medicare Advantage, or vice versa
- You can also switch from one Medicare Advantage plan to another
- And if you didn't enroll in a Medicare Part D plan when you were first eligible, you can do so during the general open enrollment, although a late enrollment penalty may apply.

It is important, especially if you take several medications, to have this reviewed each year.

You may get help with your review by calling Aging Matter at 573-335-3331, Exts. 104, 114 or 113.

Or, you may call the APPLE Project Paperwork Service at 573-651-5467, leave a message and they will return your call.

You will need your Medicare card, a list of all medications you take and include how often or when you take them and the strength of dose.

There is no cost for this service.

The review will tell you which type of plan is best for you to help you save money. This is a wonderful service, so take advantage of it during this open enrollment period.

### **THANKSGIVING IS A TIME TO REFLECT ON OUR BLESSINGS**

As we approach Thanksgiving, this is a good time to reflect on our many blessings. From the staff here at the Center, we are thankful to have the opportunity to work with such wonderful people. Each of you are special in your own way, and we enjoy getting to see you through the drive thru. You are counted as one of our many blessings.

Peace to you during this Thanksgiving season.

### **MEAL TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE**

As we have always done, we have red meal tickets available for you. The same suggested contribution applies to these meal tickets and there is no expiration date on them.

You can get as many as you want at a time and use 1 meal ticket each day for your meal. You drop in the contribution bucket just like you would your cash. If you get two meals, you drop in two tickets.

These are so convenient and you don't have to worry about having exact change or getting money back at the drive-thru.

They are available at the desk in the drive-thru.

### **THERE ARE NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO REOPEN THE DINING ROOM FOR INSIDE DINING**

As we see a local rise in COVID-19 cases, there are no immediate plans to reopen the dining room for inside dining. The mandatory mask order, social distancing of 6-feet, and other guidelines we would have to implement are just prohibitive for a reopening at this time.

Mask up everyone, and stay safe!

The Senior Center is always in need of your time and resources.

Please remember your Senior Center when making your final arrangements, and letting your family members know your wishes.