

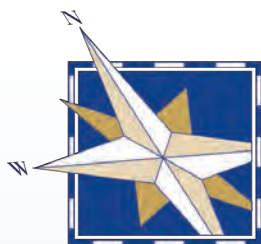
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**CENTER HOURS**  
Monday–Friday: 8 AM–4 PM

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**Evening DANCE**

Hosted on the Last Thursday.  
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## Volunteer Appreciation Celebration

Monday, April 16 - 11:30 am

For everything our devoted volunteers do - day after day - they are truly appreciated! Please join us for our annual *Volunteer Appreciation Celebration Luncheon* on **Monday, April 16 at 11:30 am.**

All Center volunteers will be formally recognized and receive a FREE lunch on this special day to show our appreciation. Lunch will feature Rigatoni with Meatballs and Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Dessert and a Beverage. Special musical guests *Sweet Adelines* will perform and **Eric Palmer** from *RSVP* will make a presentation following lunch.

We invite you to join us as together we celebrate “The Heart of our Senior Center Team”... the many dedicated volunteers who are vital in the daily operation of the Center. Let’s all take a moment during *National Volunteer Week* (April 15 - 22) to recognize and thank them!

Tickets for this event are **\$3 per person** and can be purchased from **Jackie King** through **Wednesday, April 11.**

**Lunch is FREE for all Senior Center Volunteers and Activity Leaders... just simply RSVP with Jackie King!**



# Senior Center Services

## Elder Care Law

Certified elder law attorney, **Steve Roush**, representing the law firm of **Daniel P. Seink Co., Ltd.**, is available for **free** one-on-one consultations to discuss specific legal questions with our members each month. Steve specializes in estate planning, VA benefits planning, and Medicaid benefits planning. Please contact him at **(740) 418-1840** or **1-800-393-2324** to schedule your free appointment.

## Hearing Evaluations

**Angela Thomas**, Hearing Care Practitioner with **Beltone Audiology and Hearing Care Center** will be providing free hearing consultations at the Center on **Tuesday, April 10**. Time slots available are **10:30, 11:00 and 11:30 am**. Please call **Angela** at **(740) 389-5566** to reserve a spot. If you are an **Anthem Medicare Advantage** member you may be eligible for **FREE Beltone Hearing Aides!**

## Tech Time with TJ

**T.J. Badertscher** from **Center Street Community Health Center** will be here during the morning of **Wednesday, April 25** beginning at **10:30 am** to offer free assistance to anyone wanting to learn how to better use their Smartphones, tablets, iPads and other digital devices. Please call **(740) 387-6100** to schedule a half hour appointment.

## AARP Tax Aide

**AARP Foundation Tax Aide** volunteers are once again offering assistance to the residents of Marion County with tax preparation on **Fridays** beginning in February here at the **Marion Senior Center**. Returns are prepared by **appointment only**. To schedule an appointment call the Center at **(740) 387-6100**.

## LUNCH AT THE CENTER

Hot and cold delicious, nutritious meals are available at the Marion Senior Center for anyone age 60-plus **every Tuesday-Friday at 11:30 am**. Call Life Care Alliance at 1-888-656-6831 for details. You do not need to be a Senior Center member to participate in the Dining Center program.

## FRESH PRODUCE

The Marion Senior Center distributes free produce on behalf of **Beacon of Hope Food Pantry**, two days each month. Please check with the folks at the **Volunteer Greeters Desk** by the front entrance for **exact dates/times**.

## NEW MEMBER MIXER

Hosted on the **first Friday of every even month at 11:30 am**. All new members from the previous month are invited to join staff & volunteers for a free lunch, compliments of **Primrose Retirement Communities**. Our next **New Member Mixer** is **Friday, April 6**. If you are planning to attend, please call **Annette** at **(740) 387-6100** to RSVP.



Members were "all-in" on Vegas Day fun! Special thanks to sponsor Kingston.



50 members attended our evening Sock Hop! Special thanks to sponsor Primrose.



# Upcoming Events

## Seeking Pearl Roberts Award Nominations

We are currently accepting nominations for the **Pearl R. Roberts Award**, which will be presented as a part of our annual *Senior Citizens Day Celebration* hosted at the Center on **Monday, May 14**.

This award recognizes outstanding community service by a senior citizen. All nominees must be at least 55 years of age and a resident of Marion County. Nominations can be for an individual or a married couple.



Nomination forms must be submitted by **Monday, April 16**, and can be obtained from any staff member at the Center, or by sending an email request to: [info@marionseniorcenter.com](mailto:info@marionseniorcenter.com)

## Mark Your Calendar!

We are busy planning many big social events for the coming months! Please mark the following dates on your social calendar so you won't miss out on the fun:

- **Volunteer Appreciation Day** - Mon., April 16
- **Evening Dance (Spring Fling)** - Thurs., April 26
- **Sr. Citizens Day Celebration** - Mon., May 14
- **Evening Dance (Pre-Memorial Day)** -

Thurs., May 24

## Dessert From Our Neighbors!

Our "neighbors" from *Marion County Board of DD* will be joining us here next month on **Monday, May 7 at 11:30 am** to share some information and sweet treats. Please stop by their table near the fireplace to receive your **FREE** dessert!



# Senior Center Classes, Clubs & Activities

## Craft Class (Monday)

Instructor **Sue Rodman's Monday** class will meet at **12:30 pm** in the *Craft Room*. Monday's class will be finishing projects. A picture of upcoming projects is displayed on the bulletin board near Kristi's office. Cost for upcoming projects is \$10.

## Craft Class (Thursday)

Instructor **Barb Heimlich's** class meets on **Thursdays at noon** in the *Craft Room*. Classes will resume this month. Samples of the new hand-crafted card project are displayed on the bulletin board near Kristi's office.

## 'Working with Yarn' Club

Interested in learning how to crochet and/or knit? Participants will work on a variety of fun projects. Class will meet in the *Craft Room* on **Tuesdays from 1 pm to 3 pm**. There is no cost for this class.

We were deeply saddened to learn of the recent passing of **Sue Bumgarner**, a devoted volunteer, gifted knitting & crocheting instructor, and a friend to us all. She will be dearly missed.

## Sewing Class

Sewing class with **Paula Barron** meets on **Wednesday** afternoons at **12:30 pm**. The class is currently in need of more pillowcases for their "pillowcase dress" mission project. **If you would like to donate** some new or gently-used pillowcases, please see **Paula** or **Kristi**.

## Photography Class

Instructor **Royce Farson** will teach you how to use your camera. Her photography class has a new assignment each month and meets in the *Card Room* from **2-3 pm** on the **first Wednesday of each month** to share their photos. The April assignment is "things you have to have electricity to use".

## Liquid Stained Glass

Join instructor **Dee Harshfield** as you create beautiful liquid stained glass projects. This class meets **on Tuesdays at 1:30** in the *Craft Room*. Cost for the class is \$10, which covers the cost of materials.

## Heartland Trivia

**Lauren Armstrong** from *Heartland* will be hosting "Trivia" games on the **second Wednesday of each month at 9:30 am** in the *Craft Room*. Heartland also provides breakfast goodies!

## Monday Mind Games

**Carla Poston** from *ProCore Health Brokers*, will host *Mind Games* on **Monday mornings**. This class meets in the *Craft Room* at **9:30 am**. Carla also provides delicious "Tim Bits" for everyone attending her activity!

## Breakfast for the Brain

Jump start your day—and your brain—at **9:30 am** on **Thursday mornings**, as **Bonnie McKee** from *Community Care* discusses fun trivia questions over orange juice and *Andrew's* pastries.

## Kingston Bingo

**Tammy Millisor** of *Kingston Residence of Marion* hosts Bingo at **10 am** in the morning on the **second Friday** each month. Lots of fun and prizes!

## Senior Center Bingo

**Florence Wright** will call Bingo at **12:30 pm** on the **third Wednesday** each month. Lots of fun!

## Left, Right, Center (LRC)

**Dani Woosley** of *Kindred at Home/Hospice* hosts this wildly popular dice game that's easy to learn and simple to play (with lots of prizes to win). The group usually meets out front the **second Thursday** and **fourth Tuesday** each month at **2:30 pm**.

## Jam Session

An amazing group of talented local musicians and vocalists meet and perform at the Center on the **last Wednesday** of each month. Lunch is available for **\$3.50** and is served at **noon**. Music is performed from **1 to 3 pm**. Public welcome!

## Mah Jongg

Mahjong is a traditional Chinese tile game, played by four people around a table. The group has a lot of fun and welcomes beginners. They meet near the *Kitchen* on **Thursdays at noon**.

## Scrabble

Learn to play *Scrabble*®, a word game in which players score points by placing tiles, each bearing a single letter, onto a game board. The tiles must form words which, in crossword fashion, flow left to right in rows or downwards in columns. The group meets out front on **Fridays at 11**.

## Beginner & Advanced Line Dance

Have you ever thought about learning to line dance? You can learn the basics on **Monday** mornings at **9 am**. Once you get the hang of it, you will be able to join our more advanced class that meets on **Friday** mornings at **9 am**. This class is for people that have been dancing for a while and are interested in learning new dances. Instructor **Royce Farson** always welcomes new class members in both classes .

## Zumba® Gold Toning & Strength Training

Certified Zumba Instructor **Michelle Del Valle** will lead the **Zumba Gold - Toning** classes every **Tuesday morning at 10 am** followed by **Strength Classes at 11 am**. Cost is \$3 for each class. Both classes are FREE for Silver Sneakers members.

## Afternoon Line Dance

Instructor **April Morrison** teaches a line dance class on **Tuesday** afternoons at **2 pm**. This class is strictly for beginners. Anyone is welcome. There is no cost for this class. April also teaches an “Advanced Class” immediately following the Beginners Class at **3 pm**.

## Coloring Club

Adult coloring books are available in the *Craft Room* on **Wednesdays at 1:00**. A perfect way to unwind and socialize with friends.

## **New!** Pickleball is Back!!!

Our brand new pickleball courts are ready... are you? Pickleball games will take place on **Monday** and **Wednesday** mornings at **9 am**. Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in America! It is a combination of tennis, badminton and ping pong. It is less strenuous than tennis, but just as much fun! The Center has extra paddles and balls available for those just getting started. We'll also teach beginners how to play this fun game.

## Fitness Room

Our well-equipped **Fitness Room** is open to members at no additional cost, and boasts a variety of **Schwinn®** fitness equipment, including treadmills, traditional and recumbent exercise bikes, Airdyne, and elliptical machines. **The Fitness Room is typically open to members anytime the Center is open**. Please consult your physician before beginning any exercise activities.

## Choir Practice

Director **Ednita Vaflor** and our choir “*Seniors in Song*” practice from September through May on **Thursdays at 9:45 am** in the *Multipurpose Room*.

## Bridge

If you like to play Bridge, there are two opportunities to play. Bridge is hosted every **Monday** and **Tuesday at 10am**. Everyone is welcome to play!

## Pinochle

There are also two opportunities to play Pinochle at the Center: **Mondays at 12:00 pm** and also **Wednesdays at 12:30pm**. Everyone is welcome to play!

## Euchre

*Progressive Euchre* is played on **Mondays at 12:00 pm** and *Bid Euchre* plays on **Thursdays at 12:00 pm**. Both groups meet out front. Everyone is welcome to play!

## Hand & Foot Card Game

This group will meet in the *Game Room* on **Mondays at 12:30pm**. Anyone interested is welcome to join in the fun!

## Texas Hold ‘Em

This group will meet in the *Game Room* on **Tuesdays** and *Multipurpose Room* on **Thursdays (except for Movie day) at 12:30pm**. Everyone is welcome to play!

## Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a low-impact, slow-motion exercise, described as “meditation in motion”. Tai Chi helps reduce stress while increasing flexibility and balance. Instructors **Steve and Marlene Renick** host classes twice a week on **Wednesdays at 2:00 pm** and **Fridays at 1:30 pm** in the *Multipurpose Room*.

## Dominoes

Dominoes is a game played with rectangular "domino" tiles. It is an easy game to learn and lots of fun! The group meets out front on **Tuesday afternoons at 12:15 pm**.

## Rummikub

Learn to play the popular tile game *Rummikub*, hosted in the *Game Room* on **Tuesdays at 2pm**.

# April 2018 • Calendar of Events

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
<b>9:00-New! Pickleball</b> <b>2</b> 9:00-Exercise 9:00-Beginner Line Dancing <b>9:30-Mind Games*</b> 9:30-Line Dancing 10:00-Bridge <b>11:30-Lunch</b> 12:00-Pinochle 12:00-Euchre 12:30-Hand & Foot Cards 12:30-Craft Class	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>3</b> 9:00-Books, Balance & BS 10:00-Bridge 10:00-Bible Study 10:00-Zumba Gold Toning 11:00-Strength Training 12:15-Dominoes 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em 1:00-Yarn Club 1:30-Stained Glass 2:00-Rummikub 2:00-Line Dancing*	<b>9:00-New! Pickleball</b> <b>4</b> 9:00-Exercise 12:30-Pinochle 12:30-Sewing Class 1:00-Coloring Club 2:00-Tai Chi* <b>2:00-Photography Class*</b>	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>5</b> <b>9:30-Breakfast for the Brain*</b> 9:45-Choir Practice* <b>12:00-Craft Class Resumes*</b> 12:00-Bid Euchre 12:00-Mah Jongg 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em
<b>8:30-Volunteer Greeter Meeting</b> <b>9</b> 9:00-Exercise <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> 9:00-Beginner Line Dancing <b>9:30-Mind Games*</b> 9:30-Line Dancing 10:00-Bridge <b>11:30-Lunch</b> 12:00-Pinochle 12:00-Euchre 12:30-Hand & Foot Cards 12:30-Craft Class	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>10</b> 9:00-Books, Balance & BS 10:00-Bridge 10:00-Bible Study 10:00-Zumba Gold Toning <b>10:30-Hearing Evaluations*</b> 11:00-Strength Training 12:15-Dominoes 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em 1:00-Yarn Club 1:30-Stained Glass 2:00-Rummikub    2:00-Line Dancing*	<b>9:00-Exercise</b> <b>11</b> <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> 12:30-Pinochle 12:30-Sewing Class 1:00-Coloring Club 2:00-Tai Chi*	<b>8:00-Vera Bradley Day Trip*</b> <b>12</b> 9:00-Aerobics <b>9:30-Breakfast for the Brain*</b> <b>T</b> 9:45-Choir Practice* 12:00-Craft Class* 12:00-Bid Euchre 12:00-Mah Jongg <b>12:30-Popcorn &amp; Movie*</b> 2:30-LRC*
<b>9:00-Exercise</b> <b>16</b> <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> 9:00-Beginner Line Dancing <b>9:30-Mind Games*</b> 9:30-Line Dancing 10:00-Bridge <b>11:30-Volunteer Appreciation Celebration Lunch*</b> 12:00-Pinochle 12:00-Euchre 12:30-Hand & Foot Cards 12:30-Craft Class	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>17</b> 9:00-Books, Balance & BS 10:00-Bridge 10:00-Bible Study 10:00-Zumba Gold Toning 11:00-Strength Training 12:15-Dominoes 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em 1:00-Yarn Club 1:30-Stained Glass 2:00-Rummikub 2:00-Line Dancing*	<b>9:00-Pickleball</b> <b>18</b> 9:00-Exercise <b>9:30-Heartland Trivia*</b> 12:30-Pinochle <b>12:30-Senior Center Bingo*</b> 12:30-Sewing Class 1:00-Coloring Club 2:00-Tai Chi*	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>19</b> <b>9:30-Breakfast for the Brain*</b> 9:45-Choir Practice* 12:00-Craft Class* 12:00-Bid Euchre 12:00-Mah Jongg 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em <b>12:30-LifeCare Volunteer Lunch Event*</b>
<b>9:00-Exercise</b> <b>23</b> <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> 9:00-Beginner Line Dancing <b>9:30-Mind Games*</b> 9:30-Line Dancing 10:00-Bridge <b>11:30-Lunch</b> 12:00-Pinochle 12:00-Euchre 12:30-Hand & Foot Cards 12:30-Craft Class	<b>9:00-Aerobics</b> <b>24</b> 9:00-Books, Balance & BS 10:00-Bridge 10:00-Bible Study 10:00-Zumba Gold Toning 11:00-Strength Training 12:15-Dominoes 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em 1:00-Yarn Club 1:30-Stained Glass 2:00-Rummikub 2:00-Line Dancing* 2:30-LRC*	<b>9:00-Board Meeting</b> <b>25</b> 9:00-Exercise <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> <b>10:30-Tech Time with TJ*</b> <b>12:00-Lunch*</b> <b>1:00-Jam Session*</b> 12:30-Pinochle 12:30-Sewing Class 1:00-Coloring Club 2:00-Tai Chi*	<b>8:30-Scioto Downs Trip*</b> <b>26</b> 9:00-Aerobics <b>9:30-Breakfast for the Brain*</b> <b>T</b> 9:45-Choir Practice* 12:00-Craft Class* 12:00-Bid Euchre 12:00-Mah Jongg 12:30-Texas Hold 'Em <b>6:00-Spring Fling Evening Dance*</b>
<b>9:00-Exercise</b> <b>30</b> <b>9:00-Pickleball</b> 9:00-Beginner Line Dancing <b>9:30-Mind Games*</b> 9:30-Line Dancing 10:00-Bridge <b>11:30-Lunch</b> 12:00-Pinochle 12:00-Euchre 12:30-Hand & Foot Cards 12:30-Craft Class <b>F</b>	<b>Recognizing &amp; Thanking All Center Volunteers!</b>  <b>Volunteer Appreciation Celebration</b> <b>Monday, April 16 - 11:30 am</b>	<b>Evening Dance</b> <b>"SPRING FLING"</b>  <b>Thursday, April 26 - 6 pm</b>	<b>Save the Date!</b> <b>Senior Citizens Day</b>  <b>Monday, May 14 - Noon</b>



# Birthdays & Anniversaries

## FRIDAY

6

9:00-Line Dancing  
9:00-Exercise  
9:30-Line Dancing  
11:00-Scrabble\*  
**11:30-New Member Mixer\***  
1:00-Card Game 31  
1:30-Tai Chi

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9:00-Line Dancing  
9:00-Exercise  
9:30-Line Dancing  
**10:00-Kingston Bingo\***  
11:00-Scrabble\*  
1:00-Card Game 31  
1:30-Tai Chi

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9:00-Line Dancing  
9:00-Exercise  
9:30-Line Dancing  
11:00-Scrabble\*  
**11:30-Line Dancers Potluck**  
1:00-Card Game 31  
1:30-Tai Chi

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9:00-Line Dancing  
9:00-Exercise  
9:30-Line Dancing  
11:00-Scrabble\*  
1:00-Card Game 31  
1:30-Tai Chi

**F** = Food Box Day

**P** = Produce Day

**T** = Trip Departure

**D** = Thursday Evening Dance

\*See Article Inside for Details

## April Birthdays

Delores Abbott	06	Larry Geissler	30	Pat Neutzling	26
Mike Alic	30	Laurel George	14	Kenneth Palmer	20
Kaki Anderson	03	Phyllis Glasco	18	Charlotte Rowe	05
Barb Arms	10	Stanley Griffith	03	Judy Scheff	04
Joan Ault	19	Bill Groll	01	Trudy Sherer	07
Ron Baxter	05	Debb Henderson	13	Gloria Short	15
Michael Bowe	28	Howard Huston	28	George Shoup	17
Peggy Bond	17	Shirley Johnson	30	Dixie Snyder	15
Clara Bronson	20	Karen Jolliff	23	Bertha Stansbery	14
Bill Brown	02	Virgie Kinsler	10	Albert Steinman	15
Maureen Brown	24	Bonnie Klages	24	Janice Stewart	11
Ethel Butcher	06	Betty Knaul	07	Milly Stockdale	16
Jim Caldwell	01	Michelle LaBarge	05	Paul Tevis	27
Mabel Cheetham	11	Roger Laws	21	Gary Tumbleson	12
Connie Colbree	21	Deb Lewis	30	William VanBuskirk	12
Patricia Durkin	06	Beth Martin	09	Loretta Faye Waddell	26
Bruce Edwards	23	Faye Martin	26	Marsha Wall	08
Zhulin Fields	09	Nancy Jane Mash	25	Linda Welch	18
Rose Fiedler	27	Brenda McElroy	15	Sue Williams	02
JoAnn Frericks	24	Cleon McGlothlin	17	Ronald Wise	06
Blaine Fulton	12	Antoinette Mellini	25	Sue Wisebaker	14
Nancy Garrett	03	Pat Miller	30		
Glenette Garver	20	April Morrison	26		

## April Anniversaries

Kenneth & Janice Linstedt	April 25, 1953	65 years
Jerry & Mary Steiner	April 16, 1955	62 years
Rudy & Patricia Schneider	April 02, 1956	61 years
Butch & Velma Steinman	April 19, 1964	54 years
Bruce & Jerri Edwards	April 26, 1964	54 years
Lynn & Helen Slemmons	April 16, 1966	52 years
Cleon & Doyle McGlothlin	April 24, 1971	47 years
Gregory & Barbara Klee	April 14, 1979	39 years
Steve & Marsha Longberry	April 03, 1982	36 years
Richard Cooper & Mary Donaldson	April 23, 1983	35 years
David & Beth Mansperger	April 03, 2006	12 years

## New Members

Howard & Cathy Bard	Judy Delauder	Evelyn Lowry
Sheila Barry	Karen Fletcher-Bollinger	Skip & Pat Miller
Darlynn Blessing	Jan Hanshaw	Gretchen Murphy
Sandi Brown	Cheryl Huffman	Karen Nance
Richard Byrd	Pauline King	Barbara Reece
Robert Claypool	Franie Landon	Sheryl Skidmore

# Volunteer of the Month

## MEET MIKI ZEIGLER

By Anne Marie Bailey

Miki Zeigler is the Community Relations Manager of DeWolfe House and has been for over a year. She came on board from her previous experience of three years at Carlisle Place. She has built her expertise in the health care field for twelve years, starting with attaining her State Tested Nurse's Assistant certificate and working in Altercare of Bucyrus where she transitioned into Social Services there.

Her main role at DeWolfe is establishing relations with referral patients, residents and family members. Referrals come from Senior Centers, home health care, doctors, hospitals, hospice, and church referrals. DeWolfe is one of four assistant living units in Marion. The most important segments of her assignment cover building community relationships with not only residents and their families but nurturing the closeness of friends within the home, building trust based on honesty, cooperativeness, and opportunities to engage in such activities like Bingo, card games, board games, arts and crafts, happy hour, popcorn and movie nights, church services, computer time, and in good weather, entertainment in the beautifully landscaped courtyard where residents can work in the garden and have cook-outs.

Miki's other responsibilities entail coordinating with local providers to residents that need in-house care such as podiatry, dentistry, ophthalmology and hospice care. She glows when she asserts that their small home-like environment makes their lives not only comfortable and safe, but warm, calm and cheerful. Another component is her ability



to give educational information talks on DeWolfe House to places like the Senior Center of Crawford County – Council on Aging when invited.

When she is not at DeWolfe House, she is home in Bucyrus with her 18-year-old son, who will be graduating this year from Wynford and heading to Marion Technical College in the fall to pursue a Law Enforcement program. Other “family members” include her three fur-babies: Roxy, Beau, and Boots: 2 dogs and a kitty! Her recreational hobbies are crafts, painting, and string art. She makes room for volunteering at our center working planned events. Other interests include traveling back to visit her home state of Alabama, and vacationing in her favorite place in South Carolina – Myrtle Beach.

It is, however, a telling profile of warmth and dedication and joy in her position at DeWolfe that impresses one when you talk with her. She glows and smiles when describing the homey feel of her duties at the assisted living community. She says it is a very special place, even though it is small in numbers. But, she adds, it is a hidden gem in the Marion area where residents can safely relax, enjoy healthy life style, the very close-knit care of the staff, and where “everybody knows your name,” to quote a happy living experience.



# Evening DANCE



## ◀◀ Popcorn & Movie ▶▶ Thursday, April 12 - 12:30 pm

Experience the fun of an afternoon matinee, complete with a complimentary box of popcorn during this monthly event! We set up theater-style seating in the *Multipurpose Room*, then lower the shades and dim the lights to create a movie theater atmosphere for you to sit back, relax, and enjoy watching a newly released movie on our big screen TV! Feel free to come alone, or join some friends! Please see the poster located on the activity board near Kristi's office for movie details.



**Thursday, April 26 6 - 8:30 pm**

The theme of this month's evening dance is "*Spring Fling*", and will feature DJs **Tim and Vickie Craft** of *CraftworX Karaoke & DJ*.

The dance will be hosted at the Center from **6 - 8:30 pm** and light refreshments will be served at intermission. Cost is **\$5** and public is welcome.

Special thanks to **Carla Poston** of **ProCore Health Brokers** for sponsoring this month's dance.



# *Trips on the Horizon*

## **Vera Bradley Outlet Sale**

***Thursday, April 12***

This **Brewster Tours** motorcoach trip will depart at **8 am**, taking us to Fort Wayne, IN for the **Vera Bradley Outlet Sale!** We will enjoy a VIP shopping experience from 11 am - 1:30 pm, and then stop for lunch (*on your own*) at Ruby Tuesday's en route back to the Center. **Cost is \$75 Members/\$79 Non-members. Sign up NOW!**

## **'Buckin' Ohio' Ranch Tour**

***Tuesday, June 19***

Join us for a day trip to Lodi, OH, where we'll experience life on a Bucking Bull Ranch from a cowboy's perspective. We'll meet a Pro bull rider, an all American cowgirl, and get an insider's view of bucking bulls being worked by cowboys and dogs. We'll receive a hayride tour of the ranch prior to enjoying a delicious, down home BBQ dinner - with dessert, of course - and entertainment! We'll also spend a little time shopping at the **Lodi Outlet Mall** (where you'll receive a gift bag with coupons) before our return trip back to the Center. **Cost is \$79 Members/\$89 Non-members. Sign up for this trip NOW** with \$20 non-refundable deposit.

## **Lancaster, PA Show Trip Sight & Sound Theater:**

***"Jesus"***

***5 days/4 nights June 11 - 15***

We will depart the Center via **Diamond Tours** motorcoach at **8:30 am** to visit Lancaster, PA. This trip includes a guided tour of **Lancaster, PA**, including a visit to the **Kitchen Kettle Village**, a charming marketplace of shops and restaurants; Admission to the musical **"Jesus"** at the **Sight & Sound Millenium Theater**, the **"Songs of the Silver Screen"** show at the **American Music Theater**, **"Jacob's Choice"** at the **F/X Theater**, a tour of **"The Amish Experience"** attraction, and a guided tour of **Philadelphia, PA**. Along with four nights lodging, eight meals (four breakfasts/four dinners) are also included in this trip. Cost of the trip is **\$539 per person\***. **Sign up for this trip NOW** with \$20 non-refundable deposit.

\*cost based on double occupancy

## **Scioto Downs - Columbus**

***Thursday, April 26***

We will depart the Center via Lakefront charter coach at **8:30 am** to visit Scioto Downs. Cost of the trip is **\$30**, which includes \$20 slot play and \$5 food voucher.

## **Indians vs. Reds Baseball Game**

***Tuesday, July 10***

We will depart the Center via **S&S charter coach** at **2 pm** headed to Progressive Field in Cleveland, OH to watch the Indians play the Cincinnati Reds. We'll stop at **Cracker Barrel** (*on your own*) prior to the evening game, scheduled for a **7:10 pm** start. We have **great seats** located halfway down the left field line, with minimal steps. **Cost is \$79 Members; \$89 Non-members.** This trip is **limited to 35**, so **sign up NOW** with \$20 non-refundable deposit.

## **Clippers Dime-a-Dog Night**

***3 Trips this Summer!***

Due to popular demand, we will have three opportunities to enjoy 10 cent hot dogs on "Dime-a-Dog Night" while watching the **Columbus Clippers** baseball team play these opponents on the following dates:

**Monday, June 25** - vs. Louisville Bats

**Monday, July 30** - vs. Indianapolis Indians

**Monday, August 13** - vs. Rochester Red Wings

All trips will **depart the Center at 4 pm** for each game, and return immediately after the game ends. Cost for each game is **\$20 Members/\$30 Non-Members**, which includes transportation and ticket to the game. **Sign up NOW!** Space is limited to 22 passengers on each trip.

## **Wright-Patt Airforce Museum**

***Tuesday, July 17***

We will depart the Center to visit the **Wright-Patterson Airforce Museum** in Dayton, OH, to see thousands of historical items on display that bring history to life and connect the Wright brothers' legacy with today's stealth and precision technology. We'll also enjoy lunch at the museum and a stop on the return trip home at **Young's Dairy** for ice cream (*both on your own*). **Cost is \$39 Members; \$49 Non-members.** This trip is **limited to 35**, so **sign up NOW** with \$20 non-refundable deposit.

## **'Senior Day' at Ohio State Fair**

***Tuesday, July 31***

We will depart the Center at **8:30 am** via the Center's Transportation Vans as we travel to the Ohio State Fairgrounds in Columbus. Enjoy a free concert, the famous butter cow, exhibits, displays, shopping, rides, delicious food, and much more. Cost is **\$20 Members/\$30 Non-Members.** Space is limited so **sign up NOW!**

## Marion Senior Center

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### **Need a Ride? Transportation Available for Seniors**

If you, or someone you know age 60 and older, are seeking transportation for needs-based appointments, the Marion Senior Center is here to help. We provide transportation (on a donation basis) to and from appointments in Marion County. Transportation is available every **Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 am & 3:30 pm**, excluding holidays. **To learn more, contact the Center's Transportation Desk at (740) 387-5444 or Ohio District 5-Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-522-5680.**

***\*Handicap-accessible transportation is now available!***

### **Need a Personal Shopper?**

We have a personal shopper available to help homebound Seniors age 60+. If you, or someone you know, could use ongoing assistance with shopping needs, **please contact Social Services Coordinator Annette Hartman at (740) 387-6100.**

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