

PORT WASHINGTON ADULT COMMUNITY  
SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER



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262-284-5821

*Craft & Bake Corner Opens  
Mon. Nov. 10 10:30AM-6:00PM  
Register for Tues. Dec. 9 Christmas Luncheon*

Port Washington Senior Center  
403 West Foster Street  
Port Washington, WI. 53074

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Of Senior Centers (WASC),  
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Wisconsin Park & Recreation Association (WPRA)



*Craft & Bakery Items Needed  
for the Craft & Bake Corner  
with Silent Auction starting  
Mon. Nov. 10*

*Bakery Donations due Mon. Nov. 10 by  
10:00 AM*

*Craft items Fri. Nov. 7 at 9:00AM*

Please call 284-5821 to let the office know what you  
will donate!

*THANK YOU!*

*All proceeds support the senior center unfunded & under funded  
programs especially educational & wellness programs.*

*Matching funds from Ozaukee County Chapter*

*Thrivent Financial for Lutherans*

**Learning more about Tea Oct. 15 from Lisa and waiting for sample to brew!**

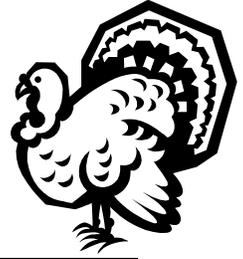




# Port Washington Adult Community Senior Center

## The Leisure Times

### November 2014



Port Washington Senior Center

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**Center Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 8:30AM – 4:00PM  
Friday 8:30AM- 2:00PM**

40 + Years as the Gem of Strength for Active Aging

**Mission: To promote healthy aging by providing cost effective programs, classes, activities and services to citizens 55 years and better. Adopted April 10, 2002**

#### Director's Report

Thank you to all the members who have begun to donate new crafts for the annual sale. The proceeds will receive matching funds from the Ozaukee County Chapter of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. The funds are used for special events, refreshments for educational programs, volunteer thank you, unfunded programs, and when the Board discounts special events.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we are thankful for your continued support of the Center.

2015 Membership renewals now accepted. Please renew by January 7, 2015!

**Snow Birds** please give us your change of address and effective dates! Your membership is an investment in the Center & the Community. It helps us do what we do as a Center and benefits everyone.

The Candy guess game in Oct. was won by Ann Lee. There were 95 taffy pieces and 28 guesses from 372 to 61pieces! Thank you all; watch for a return in December.

#### **Thought From The Senior Board Chairman – Paul Michele**

To keep Senior Centers vibrant and ongoing we need input from all the current seniors and future seniors, your parents or your children now and into 2015 and . . . Contact myself or the Center Director, Catherine for ways to get involved at the center, attend a different activity or event you normally do

not attend, or help us remain politically engaged. - Paul

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Craft & Bake Sale with Silent Auction Nov. 10 opening 10:30 AM**
- **Birthday Party Fri. Nov. 21**
- **Coffee with the Mayor Nov. 25**
- **One Day Adventures & Extended Trips: pgs. 8-10**
- **SAVE THE DATE: Christmas Luncheon Tues. Dec. 9**
- **New Year's at Noon Dec. 30**
- **Travel Show Thur. Jan. 15, 2015**

#### Senior Center Holiday Closings

**The Senior Center and Dining Site are closed Thur. Nov. 27 and Fri. Nov 28. No activities will occur on City holiday closed dates!**



#### Thank You, Thank You

#### October Newsletter Crew:

Joan Murphy, Irene Taylor, Betty Last,  
Marge Erlauer, Ruth Lorge, Donna  
Stepaniak,  
Loretta Federspiel and Rosemary Weiland.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**“You make a living by what you get, but you make a life by what you give.” --**

*Winston Churchill*

**Home Knitters & Crocheters:** *Donations for the Nov. 10 sale due to Center by Nov. 6.*

**New Craft Donations:** *Jewelers, sewers, woodworkers, etc., we need your creativity to add to our annual “fun”d raiser. Items for the Nov 10 sale due to office by Nov. 6!*

**Bakery Donations:** Breads, pies, cookies, cupcakes, etc. for Mon. Nov.10 by 9:30 AM

**Bake Corner Assistants** – If you can help price and prep bakery on Mon. Nov. 10 8:30 – 10:30 AM call the office.

**Craft Corner Assistants** – Help on Mon. Nov. 10 **at 10:30- 12:30; 12:30-2:30; 2:30-4:30** or 4:30-6:00

### **Donations, Gifts or Memorials**

Donations and gifts for the benefit of the Senior Center should be made out to the Senior Center with the designation in the memo section of the check. **Process for memorials:** The memorial is to be made to the Port Senior Center or Friends with or without a specified purpose. When specified, the Director and group review the purpose to improve or enhance the group. *You can make the Port Senior Center a recipient of a gift, any time of the year.*

**The Friends of the Port Washington Senior Center** is a 501-C organization which can accept your charitable gifts now or designated for the future. You may also choose to join as a member. Pick up an application at the Senior Center. This is a non-profit group to assist in financially supporting the senior center now and into the future, please consider joining.

President-Harold Johnson  
Secretary – John Maynard  
Treasurer – Meg Adams

### **Center Operations & Procedures**

We encourage our members who **may need** special assistance living on their own to

register for events, programs, and trips **with a friend, family member or caregiver to provide the assistance** they may need. Due to the limit of staff, the Center cannot provide one-on-one assistance during the event, class, or trip. Please register with staff so we can be aware of individual needs. **Members who reside in care settings, such as group homes, must attend Senior Center programs with a caregiver.**

**Sign in:** Members and guests must sign in each visit whether once a day, week, month or 2 or 3 different times a day. This is important for the City annual report statistics.

### **Regular Center Activities & Special Events:**

There are times when a special event or new program is offered that may impact the location of a regular program or its start time. All members’ cooperation is appreciated when offering events.

**Membership-** Annual membership is from January to December. **Individual fee is \$17.00 and Couple \$22.00** for City and Town of Port Residents & since 2012 membership the Village of Fredonia!

**Out of town individuals to receive membership the fee is \$37.00 per person or \$64.00 per couple per year,** it includes the newsletter and may be paid quarterly; or may subscribe to the **newsletter for \$12.00 per year.**

***Non-member weekly fee for guests in town is \$2.00 and out of town \$4.00. All members must assist with the enforcement of the fee paid in the office prior to participation.***

***Value of membership in the Center*** offers you a place to read the Journal Sentinel, Ozaukee Press, News Graphic, & a variety of magazines saving you money on subscriptions; discounts on classes; and use of laptops and WiFi.

**Recyclables** – There is a container on both levels for aluminum cans. The can should be rinsed then deposited in the container.

Clean cans are preferred for recycling.  
Thanks to all who help.

**Senior Center Board of Directors:**

*Paul Michel, Chairman; Bonnie Knaub  
Vice-Chairman; Bob Clearwater, Secretary;  
Roberta Blumenberg, Peggy Maynard,  
Sharon Swatek, John Jacque, Carol Conrad,  
Sandi Preisler*

**Programs & Classes for  
Healthy Living**

*What is one word that can help reduce risk  
of falls? FITNESS!*

**PHYSICAL WELLNESS**

**Aqua Exercise Class**

Dates: Tues., Thur, and Fri at 6:40 AM  
You do not need to get your hair wet, bring  
a towel & suit, and increase your flexibility.  
Class is held at the District Aquatic Center  
TJ School on Holden St.  
**Cost:** \$6.00 for member and \$10.00 for  
non-member per month. Register monthly at  
the Center or call 284-5821.

**Strength with Bands**

Dates: Wed & Fri to Nov. 7 at 11:00

**Strength with Bands Session VII**

**Dates: Wed & Fri Nov. 12- Dec 19 at  
11:00**

Instructor, Holli Parker will use primarily  
exercise bands & balls in this class for  
novice, intermediate, or experienced  
participants.

**Cost:** \$50.00 per member/ \$60.00 Guest  
Minimum 6 students Maximum 15

**Beginners Tai Chi with emphasis on  
Arthritis – Session IV**

**Class Dates: to Dec 22 at 9:00 AM**

Tai Chi is an ancient practice proven to  
reduce pain and improve your mental and  
physical well-being. The Arthritis  
Foundation Tai Chi Program developed by

Dr. Paul Lam, uses gentle Sun-style Tai Chi  
routines that are safe, easy to learn and  
suitable for every fitness level. Open to  
adults 55 and better with or without arthritis!  
Participants must be independent and able to  
follow directions.

Instructor: KT Rusch is a certified teacher  
from the Tai Chi Center of Milwaukee,  
where she has studied and practiced for over  
18 years. Her classes are known for a  
personal touch and a sense of humor  
**Cost:** \$95.00 per member & \$105.00 for  
Non-members.

**Circuit Training IV -Women 40 & Older**

Dates: Tues & Thur to Nov 25  
Tues @ 9:00AM & Thur. @ 8:30

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**Dates: Dec 2 – Jan 15**  
**Tues @ 9:00AM & Thur. @ 8:30**

A release form must be completed for all  
new participants or present members with  
physical or health changes.

Instructor: Tina Mach  
Cost: \$30.00 member/\$40 guest.  
Class size: max. 15

*New*

**Tai Chi Continuing Course Session IV**

**Dates: Mondays to Dec. 22 at 10:00**

Tai Chi promotes balance, flexibility, &  
good overall health. Meets 1<sup>st</sup> floor level of  
Senior Center at 11:30 AM.

Cost: \$95.00 per member and \$105.00  
guest.

**Zumba Gold Classes (Session VII)**

Dates: Tues, Wed, Fri, & Sat to Nov 29 or  
Weekly registration available

**Cost:** \$15.00 for Senior Center members or  
Friends of the Senior Center for Course or  
\$3.00 per class. **Non-members cost:**  
\$25.00 course or \$5.00 per class!

**Zumba Gold Classes (Session VIII)**

*New*

**Dates: Tues, Wed, Fri, & Sat Dec 2 – Jan 17 or Weekly registration available**

Meet 1<sup>st</sup> floor south end at 8:15 AM  
The low impact, easy to follow, Latin-dance inspired fitness party... Keeps you in the groove of life! This is the newest aerobic routine designed for adult beginners and participants with physical limitations. The 30-45 minute workout class is led by a Certified Instructor, Tina with DVD instructor on Wednesday's.

**Cost:** \$15.00 for Senior Center members or Friends of the Senior Center for Course or \$3.00 per class. **Non-members cost:** \$25.00 course or \$5.00 per class!

### **Strong for Life with Betty**

Dates: Mondays to Nov. 24 at 1:30

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**Dates: Mondays Dec. 1- Jan 5 at 1:30**

This 6 week class will take you beyond "silver sneakers" exercises and provide you with age appropriate stretches and movements to facilitate you keeping up with outdoor activities and more.

Cost: \$15.00 member & \$25.00 guest

Maximum is 12 students

No fee for demonstration members/\$2.00 guests

### **Hatha Yoga**

**Dates: Wednesdays Jan 14 – Feb. 25, 2015**

**Time: 5:15 PM or 6:45 PM**

**Registration open to 12 and older**

**The benefits of yoga include tension relief, deep breathing, and stress management.**

This popular 7-week class will be held at the Port Adult Community Senior Center. Bruce Van Dyke returns to teach this level one Yoga course. Bring a beach towel or your own mat, water bottle, and wear loose fitting clothes. He is certified. He has been on PBS and students look forward to his classes.

**Cost:** \$50.00 for Senior Center Members and \$60.00 for the general public. Fee increases after Jan. 12 to \$65.00 and



**New**

\$75.00. **Register** by calling the center or e-mail [ckiener@ci.port-washington.wi.us](mailto:ckiener@ci.port-washington.wi.us) and specify class time. Student maximum 25.

### **RICHMENT**

**each Thursdays**

**Dates:** Nov. 13 & 20 at 3:15 PM-4:30

Computer Small Group Classes for the Novice with High school students focusing on Computer basics, E-Mail & Facebook Set-Up, What are Search Engines & other Terminology or questions

Cost: \$3.00 per week or \$5.00 for 2 weeks members/\$10.00 guests for 2 weeks.

Register with fee by Nov. 11.



### **Computer Lab on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Mezzanine**

Tues, Wed, and Thurs 9-3 must demonstrate ability to use independently (turn on & off properly, etc).

Sign in and out in the office!

No fee members/guests \$5.00



### **Friday Book Talk**

**Date:** Friday, Nov. 14 at 9:30 at the library

The Language of Flowers by Vanessa

Diffenbaugh reviewer is Jan Meyle.

*Preview Friday, Dec. 12: Planning session for 2015 and Living a Country Year by Jerry Apps.*

### **Ceramics & Clay- ALL Skill Levels**

**Fall & Winter Décor or Gift Items**

**Dates:** Thursdays from 9:15 – 11:00 AM

for new students; please register by Nov. 6.

Paint a pre-formed piece or hand build your own to learn the properties of clay. The fee is \$2.00 per week for members plus glaze,

firing, and green ware piece! Non-member fee is \$4.00 per week plus supplies.

Discount for items made for the Center showcase sales.



### **Chicks with Sticks (Handiwork group)**

**Meets:** Wednesday at 1:00

**New**

Do you embroider? Sew? Knit? Crochet? You are encouraged to join this group. Come share your patterns and ideas. Non-member fee is \$2.00 per week.

### **Painting Class – All Media**

**Dates: Wed. Oct. 29 – Dec. 3 at 3:15 – 5:15**

This diverse class offers beginners and intermediate students a chance to work in their preferred media with individual instruction on a painting of choice. 6 classes for cost of 5!

Instructor: Laurie Sucharda

**Cost: \$50.00/member and \$60 guest**

### **Handcrafted Greeting Cards (Make-n-Take)**

**Date: Wed. Nov. 5** at 1:30-3:00PM

Instructor Jennifer will have everything you need to make Christmas Holiday Cards. Samples will be on display at the Center.

Register with fee by Mon. Nov. 3.

Cost: \$10.00 per member and \$15.00 for guest. Maximum is 12!

### **Handcrafted Greeting Cards**

**Date: Wed. Dec. 3** at 1:30-3:00PM

*Use for yourself or give as a gift!* Instructor Jennifer will have everything you need to make Christmas Holiday Cards. Samples will be on display at the Center. Register with fee by Wed., Nov. 26.

Cost: \$10.00 per member and \$15.00 for guest. Maximum is 12!

### **Basics of Drawing People Explored & Incorporating Watercolor** with Erin Callahan Blum

Dates: Tuesdays at 3:00-5:00 to Nov. 18, 2014

Starting with charcoal or pencil, we will go through the proper dimensions of the human figure and face. Eventually, watercolor flesh tones will be incorporated. All levels welcome!

Call the Port Washington Adult Community Center for payment info, to register, and obtain supply list (262) 284-5821.

Cost: \$55.00/member or \$65.00 guest

### **Senior Singers –A Community Service**

**Dates: Mondays at 9:00**

*Meets on the mezzanine (2<sup>nd</sup> floor).*

This is the Center community service group with performances to be scheduled in the community. Join for fun, improved breathing, or joy of music. New singers register for fall session in the office.

Cost: No charge members/\$15.00 guest



### **“Hand and Foot” or Canasta**

Players meet at 7:00 PM on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Mondays: Nov 3 & 17

Everyone is welcome!

**Non-member fee applies per week.**

### **Cribbage –Tuesdays at 1:00**

Hands on cribbage learning sessions the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month during regular cribbage at 1:00. Introduce yourself to the group!

No fee for members, guests \$2.00 per week.

### **Pinochle**

This card game is played Wednesday at 10:00 AM. If interested, come to the center on Wed. There is no fee for members and non-members pay \$2.00 per week.

### **Dominoes & Mexican Train Game Day**

Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays at 11:00

Dates: Nov. 13 & Dec 11

Volunteer facilitated: Domino games.

**Monthly Prize drawing for gift certificate to a local store compliments of Comfort Keepers.**

Cost: No fee for members; guests pay \$4.00 per month unless registered for lunch.



### **Monday at the Movies**

**Feature Film: Bears**



**Date: Monday, Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:40**

**Rated G, 78 min, Documentary**

Synopsis: A Disney documentary that follows an Alaskan bear family as its young cubs are taught life's most important lessons.

## LEAGUES

### Green Felt 8-Ball Fall Season

**Fall Session dates:** Sept 10 – Dec 17; no league Dec 24 & 31; **2<sup>nd</sup> Session** Jan 7-May 27 **Cost:** Member of PWACSC in good standing plus league fee of \$15.00.

### Silver Strikers – Wii Bowling Session III

**Dates: Tuesdays to Dec 9**

Tuesday is for current continuing players.

**Cost:** \$5.00 per couple member or \$12.00 per non-member couple.

\*New players contact office for available days to start another league.

## Weekly Ongoing Activities

**Aqua Exercise** –Tues., Thurs., Fri., at 6:40AM

**Senior Singers** (Chorus) –Mondays 9:00

**Piano Lessons**- Tuesdays by Appointment

**Green Felt Club** – Senior 8 Ball League Wed., open play Mon & Fri. after 2:00, and Sat. at 9:00am

**Chicks with Sticks**- Wed. at 1:00PM

**Ceramics** – Thurs. at 9:15AM

**Wellness Classes**–Aqua Ex, Tai Chi, Exercise for All - Arthritis, Lift to Live, Zumba Gold and more various days check details above in wellness section. For information on class cost please call the center at 284-5821!

**Monthly Blood Pressure Checks** – See Calendar Page

**Leagues (Seasonal)**–Green Felt; Wii Bowl; Horseshoes; & Bocce Ball

## Card & Game Clubs

There is **no charge for members** as your membership assists with center operations.

## Non-members & out of town participants

contribute \$2.00 per week in the office!

Bridge – Tues. Ladies & Fri. at 1:00PM

Cribbage – Tues. at 1:00PM

Sheepshead – Mon (no cards Nov. 11) & Thurs. at 1:00PM

Dominoes Day – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs. at 12:30

Try joining Canasta, Tues. Public Sheepshead, or refresh at Thurs. sheepshead, cribbage, pinochle, and Fri. Bridge.

Looking for other games, check out dominos on game day!



## Public Card Parties:

Canasta 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Mon. 7:00PM

Sheepshead – Tues. 7:00 PM

Pinochle- Wed. 10:00 AM

## Clubs and Organizations Meeting

### At the Center

Open 8-Ball/Green Felt Club –Mon.-Fri. at 2:00PM (except when needed for special program space) And Sat. at 9:00AM.

City Commission on Aging – 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. at 7:00PM in the lower level

VFW – Last Wed. at 7:00PM

## *Special Events*

### LAKESIDE TEA SOCIETY

**Thankful for: New Members & Cranberries Tea**



**Date: Wed. Nov. 19 at 1:30**

New Center Members in 2014 please join us for tea to get to know you! We also will talk about the Cranberry, a favorite fall flavor. A Cranberry tea will be served with a sweet. Registration includes the program and tea; participants **must** pre-register by Mon. Nov. 17

**Cost:** \$3.00 members, and \$5.00 for guests. *Preview for Dec. 17 at 1:30: Down Memory Lane Christmas with Rochelle Pennington as featured in Tea Time Magazine!*

**Monthly Birthday Party Sponsored by Friends of the Port Senior Center**



*This is to celebrate with members and friends your special day. The celebration will be in conjunction with the dining site lunch. Reservations to Jill by noon Thurs Nov. 20 for party Fri. Nov. 21!*

**Cost:** Donation for lunch!

### **Senior Dining at the Center**

The Center is a site for the Ozaukee County Senior Dining Program. This is available to Seniors 60 and older. The meal is served at noon with a suggested donation of \$4.00 per meal. Reservations are required the day before by noon; call Jill, dining manager, at 262-483-9753 to reserve a spot!

### **Port Washington Senior Center & Port Washington Dining Site Events:**

*Join us for lunch, fun and learning!*

- 3 – Make a Gratitude Log
- 5 – Blood Pressure
- 5 – Commercials and Advertising Jingles Day
- 10 – Money Bingo & Monica I&A
- 12 – Word Trivia
- 13 & 27 – Game Day at 11:00
- 14 – Prize Bingo and National Pickle Day
- 17 – Cliché Day
- 17 – Movie: Bears
- 18 – Foods of the 70's and 80's
- 19 – Thanksgiving Dinner
- 21 – Birthday Party –sponsored by Friends of the Senior Center

### **Tuesday Night Sheepshead at 7:00 PM**

OPEN to the PUBLIC – Please encourage friends and family to check it out!  
The cost is \$1.50 with prize money paid out to the top scorers. Players assist Building Volunteer with scoring.

### **Lunch Bunch at Pizza Ranch**

**Date: Wed. Nov. 26 at 11:30**

Join members for lunch and conversation for this monthly dining out group. Meet at

Pizza Ranch or to car pool at the Center by 11:00, to drive to pizza ranch, for conversation and new connections! Register by Mon. Nov. 24.

Cost: On your own.

*New for 2015- the Lunch Bunch will feature guest hosts/hostess so plan to join for our kick off at Newport Shores in January.*

**Coffee Chat with Mayor Mlada**

**Date: Tuesday, Nov. 25 at 9:30 AM**

The guest will be announced.

Cost: No fee for members or community

**PLEASE RSVP by Thur. preceding.**

### **Tuesday Night Sheepshead at 6:45 PM**

OPEN to the PUBLIC – Please encourage friends and family to check it out!

The cost is \$1.50 with prize money paid out to the top scorers. Players assist Building Volunteer with scoring.

### **Annual Christmas Luncheon**

**Date: Tues. Dec. 9**

**Times: Doors open 11:00 AM for cocktails & silent auction; Lunch at 11:45 AM, and entertainment at 12:30 with the High school Madrigal singers followed by door prizes.**

The catered buffet lunch of tenderloin tips, spaetzle, Roast Turkey, potatoes with gravy, whole green beans, salad and dessert, will be followed by entertainment, door prizes, silent auction, and social time to celebrate friendships and the season.

*The Office will be closed 9:30-2:30 Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>.*

**Location:** The American Legion in Saukville on HWY 33 (Dekora St.)

**Cost:** \$15.50 (a \$2.00 savings due to the fundraiser & sponsor) members & \$20.00 for guest. **Reservation due with payment by Tues., December 2.**



## **Community Events & Information**

**Delta Kappa Gamma Book Discussion**

**Date: Tues. Nov. 25 at 3:00**

*New Time*

*Time Change  
Nov only*

The group will discuss The Art of Racing in the Rain. Pick up a copy to borrow at the Center and return to Center. Open to interested adults. The coordinator is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. The group reading list books available in paperback, hardcover, Large Print or on tape/CD. *Preview Dec. no meeting and Jan.: To be announced* **Cost:** NO FEE members and \$3.00 per guest monthly.

### Gold Card for High School Events

Contact Heidi at the District office 268-6005 or

[mailto: Heidi.Belohlav@pwssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:Heidi.Belohlav@pwssd.k12.wi.us)

There is no charge, based on age for older adults, for the card which gives you access to home sporting events and theater at no charge.

### Retirement 101

Dates: Second Wed of each month Jan. 14; Feb 11; at 1-3 PM

Location: Ozaukee County Admin Center  
121 W. Main St. Port Washington

Thinking about retiring? This will cover social security for 62 and over, Medicare, WI Senior Care, Medicare Advantage Plans and more.

Call 262-284-8120 to reserve a spot.

No fee program by the ADRC of Ozaukee County.

### Toe Nail Trimmers Foot Clinic

**Date:** Mon. Dec 22 by appointment 9:00 – 12:00. This service the Center will host on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor in the mezzanine room even months of the year. Appointments will be taken by the Nail Trimmers.

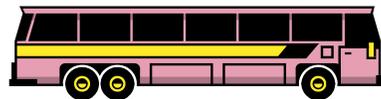
**Cost:** \$25 member/ \$30.00 guest.

**Reservations:** Call Nail Trimmers at 262-719-0336 and Next date is Feb. 26, 2015

**Take the step to become a tax volunteer – a chance to touch many lives**

Ever thought about volunteering to help people with their tax returns? The Tax Aide program, a nationwide tax preparation program offered by the AARP Foundation and the Internal Revenue Service is in need of volunteers in the Cedarburg and Port Washington areas. The program assists people with low-to-moderate income, especially those over the age of 60 in the preparation of their personal tax returns.

If you like helping others, have basic computer skills and some tax knowledge, then this is the volunteer opportunity for you! The 2014 tax season runs from February 3 through April 8, 2015. Training and certification occur in December and January and all resources, support and materials are provided for you. For more information on the program and how you can become a part of this fun and rewarding opportunity, please call Kathy Maglio at 414-759-9689. Or for more information about the Tax Aide program you can go to [www.aarp.org/taxaide](http://www.aarp.org/taxaide).



### One Day Adventure Trip News

**Trip Payment & Refund Policy: Prices are quoted for center members; guests add \$4.00 for day trips or as quoted for a specific trip as a non-member price. Sign up is on or after the call in day listed with each trip. You must register in advance and pay by the deadline or your name may be dropped from the list!**

***Cancellations are not guaranteed a refund. Cancellations within FOUR weeks will be refunded only if someone fills the opening! There are trips we reserve the right to advertise which are sponsored by travel agencies. It is for your convenience that we advertise them. All other information is handled by the agency.***

**Contact the office regarding any special needs you have.**

**PARKING FOR DAY TRIPS:**

WHEN LEAVING ON A DAY TRIP  
**PLEASE PARK YOUR CAR ½ block and further from the Center or west of the alley on Foster St.**

**Ho Chunk Casino**

**Date: Friday, Nov. 7 – Waiting list only**

Depart 8:00 AM return approx. 7:30 PM  
Includes: Deluxe motor coach transportation \$25 in credits on your player's club card at the machines 10% off meal when using your player's club card.

**Fox River Mall Shopping Appleton**

**Date: Mon. November 17 -5 seats**

**Payment due by Nov. 1.**

We will again be shopping until you drop at the Mall in Appleton. The **Cost:** To be announced - for a deluxe motor coach bus, snacks, and beverage. Door prizes will be drawn on the bus. Depart Port at 8:30 AM. Return approx. 6:00 PM.  
Cost: \$25.00 member \$28.00 guest.



**Fireside Christmas**

**Date: Thur. Nov. 20 – Waiting List accepted**

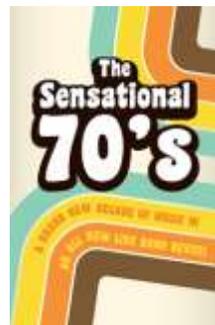
See description under Dec 10  
Cost: \$89.00 member/\$93 guest  
Includes: Deluxe motor coach, escort, admissions, lunch, and gratuities.  
Depart Port: 8:00 AM Return approximately 6:30PM.

**Fireside Christmas**

**Date: Wed. Dec. 10 -6 seats only**  
**Payment due with registration**

Named one of the country's finest attractions by the American Bus Association, The Fireside's Christmas show has become a must see tradition for tens of thousands of people throughout the nation. It's our mission each holiday season to bring

you a show that will re-ignite the true Christmas spirit in all of us. Through songs, stories, and dances – both traditional and original – we commit ourselves to capturing the very heart and essence of the holiday season. Each show is new and exciting, with beautiful new costumes and settings, glorious singing and breath-taking dancing, and new ways to tell the familiar stories of the season. What never changes is our faithfulness to the traditions and memories of this most joyous of seasons.  
Cost: \$89.00 member/\$93 guest  
Includes: Deluxe motor coach, escort, admissions, lunch, and gratuities.  
Depart Port: 8:00 AM Return approximately 6:30PM.



**2015 Fireside**

**Shows:**

**Sensational Seventies**

**Date: January 22, 2015**

The surest way to lose the cold winter doldrums is to enjoy the hottest music from one of the most exciting decades of

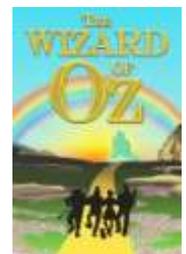
the 20th century. You've loved THOSE FABULOUS 50'S and SOLID GOLD 60'S and now The Fireside brings you a super-charged show like no other. Neil Diamond; Bruce Springsteen; Stevie Wonder; Queen; Fleetwood Mac; the Bee Gees; Elton John; Aerosmith; Chicago; Donna Summer; Led Zeppelin; Earth, Wind, and Fire; James Taylor; Jackson Five; and ABBA are only some of the great artists who will be represented in this explosive musical celebration featuring the Fireside Band led by the ever popular Steve Watts.  
Cost: \$89.00 SAME as 2014!

Depart: 8:00 AM Port

**Payment due December 22, 2014**

**Wizard of Oz**

Date: Wed. March 11, 2015



We're off to see the Wizard! Over ten generations have grown up loving this classic tale of an enchanted land - first as a beloved children's book, then as an iconic Hollywood film. And now the Fireside is bringing you an exciting stage adaptation of this legendary musical. It's all there - good witches, wicked witches, [munchkins](#), a cowardly lion in search of courage, a tin man in search of a heart, a scarecrow in search of a brain, and a young girl from Kansas in search of home. It's a show for the entire family filled with eye-popping costumes, rib-tickling humor, breath-taking adventure, and an immortal [musical score](#) including one of the greatest hit songs in musical history - "Over the Rainbow." So this spring just follow the yellow brick road to The Fireside.

Payment due January 28, 2015

### **2015 Fireside Trips to be announced:**

May 7 - All Shook Up

July 9 -Guys on Ice

August 20 - Pump Boys and Dinettes

Sept 10 - West Side Story

Nov 19 & Dec 10 - A Wonderful Life Musical.

### **A Talent for Murder – 20 seats Badger Bus 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Trip Event Date: Sunday, Feb. 8, 2015**

Join Badger Bus Tours as we celebrate our 95th Anniversary by traveling to the Beloit Civic Center for our own exclusive performance of A Talent for Murder. A Talent for Murder is a suspenseful drama featuring an internationally successful mystery novelist whose relatives would not mind killing her to get their hands on her extensive art collection. Other characters include a live-in doctor who was once her lover, and a savvy Indian butler. The play includes plenty of comic relief from the mayhem being planned by the family. Come

along for the ride and enjoy the plot twists as found in every great murder-mystery. A buffet lunch featuring two pasta entrees, vegetable, salad, cookies and non-alcoholic beverage is included prior to the performance at Domenico's Italian Ristorante.

Depart Port at 9:15AM Return approx. 8:00PM

Cost: \$84.00

**Payment due Dec. 30, 2014**

### **Ho Chunk Casino**

**Date: Friday, March 6**

Ho Chunk Casino is located in Baraboo, WI approximately two hours from Milwaukee. Ho Chunk has added a Poker room and a bar/lounge area plus over 1,000 new machines – even penny slots! Ho Chunk offers a non-smoking area in the casino, a large array of nickel machines, an Off-Track betting parlor and all Las Vegas-style gaming. The Standing Rock buffet is excellent and they also offer a cafeteria-style restaurant with burgers, tacos, breakfast, etc. Depart 8:00 AM return approx. 7:30 PM Includes: Deluxe motor coach transportation \$25 in credits on your player's club card at the machines 10% off meal when using your player's club card.

Cost: To be Announced

Payment due Feb. 6.

### **Billy Elliot the Musical**

**Sunday, April 19. Depart TBA.**

Based on the internationally-acclaimed film, the smash hit musical Billy Elliot follows a young boy as he trades in his boxing gloves for dancing shoes. In a small town in the English countryside, Billy discovers a passion for dance that inspires his family and his whole community, and changes his life forever. The musical phenomenon is set to an explosive hit score by Elton John. Don't miss this joyous celebration of one

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boy's journey against the odds to make his dreams come true!  
Venue: Drury Lane at Oakbrook Terrace with 10-Station Gourmet Sunday Brunch.  
Cost: \$125. Departure time to be announced.

**Brewer's Baseball**  
**Thur. April 23**  
To be announced

### **2015 Extended trips:**

These tours are offered with Grafton and Cedarburg to provide more travel options to you our valued travel partners! *Did you know we have more opportunities if our selected adventures do not meet your needs? Stop in for a travel book. Thank you for choosing travel with the Senior Center through these providers as we do receive Marketing credit!*

#### **Australia & Fiji**

**"A Taste of the South Pacific"**

**Dates: February 9 -21, 2015**

Collette Vacations will be at the Center to present information on this popular travel destination. Deposit \$250.00 due at booking.

Trip departs Feb 9-21, 2015 for a double cost \$5,149; single \$6,149.

#### **Flavors of the South – Mayflower Value Tour '15**

**Dates: April 18 –April 25, 2015**

2 nights in New Orleans; National WWII Museum; School of Cooking; 2 nights at Isle of Capri Casino Hotel with guided tour of Lake Charles Historic District; decorate a King Cake; Creole Nature Trail; Duck Dynasty Store; 2 Nights in West Memphis; Visit Elvis' Graceland, Gibson Guitar Factory and Dinner at Alfred's on Beale Street!

8 Days and 13 meals/ Free home or local pickup Twin per person \$1,339 (with \$75 savings cost is 1,264) or single \$1,858 (with

\$75 savings \$1,783) travel by Deluxe motorcoach.

Final payments due March 1, 2015.

#### **Canadian Capitols of the East**

**Date: Depart August 7 (9 days), 2015**

Join others from Ozaukee County and the Midwest on this trip to Canada! Enjoy 12 meals (4 dinners -1 from the CNN Tower, 1- in a Sugar Shack with entertainment); Montreal, Quebec, St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine, Ottawa with Parliament Hill, the House of Commons, the War Memorial, 2 nights in Toronto, so much more includes \$45 in Mayflower Money.

#### **Discover Switzerland, Austria, & Bavaria**

Date: September 24 –Oct 3, 2015

Travel with Collette to the heart of Europe for 10 days with highlights of Bern Chateau de Chillon, Montreux, Golden Pass Panoramic Train, Gstaad, Lucerne, Innsbruck, Austrian Alps, Salzburg, Mirabell Gardens, St. Peter's Restaurant, Bavaria, Oberammergau, Tyrolean Folklore Show.

BOOK NOW for a \$200 savings! Double 3,749 (regular price 3,949) includes local pick up, round trip air from Chicago O'Hare and 12 meals. Pick up brochure at center for more details!

### *Welcome New Members*

We look forward to seeing you at the Center! Stop in and reintroduce yourself or use your free coupon for lunch!

*Ina Wenzler, Joan Thill & Patricia Villeneuve*

#### **Monthly Birthday Party –Celebrate You!**

**Sponsor: Friends of the Port Senior Center**

Friday, Nov 21st. all November birthdays will be celebrated! Reservations are due in to Jill by noon Thursday, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>!

Cost: Lunch Donation!

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Happy Belated Birthday to *Bob Kattner* Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>!

**Please join us to Celebrate**

### *Happy Birthday November!*

- 1 *Barbara Aagerup, Dean Shaver*
- 2 *James Koellner, Thomas Murphy*
- 3 *Cynthia Kolter*
- 4 *Muriel Ford*
- 5 *Irene Taylor, Karen Uselding*
- 6 *Esther Ritke, Jerry Wilde*
- 7 *Lois Greisch, Lois Schmidt*
- 10 *Lloyd Smith*
- 11 *Sue Didier*
- 12 *Suzanne Bruner*
- 13 *Pat Conry, Karen Nerbun, Donna Stepaniak*
- 15 *Marilyn Nelson*
- 17 *Rosemary Sparks*
- 18 *Vern Forman*
- 20 *Roberta Blumenberg, John Torke, Marion Wicinski*
- 21 *MaryJo Bichler, Michele Schmitz, Linda Werner, Alvin Schumann*
- 22 *Gene Streff, Suzanne Mayhew*
- 23 *Dale Blaubach, Marge Tamblingson*
- 24 *Donna Nehrbass*
- 26 *Beth Beecher*
- 27 *Nancy Nelson*
- 28 *Terri Meyer*
- 29 *Ann Peters, Dawn Roemhild*
- 30 *Judith Hansen, Sharon LaPicola*

### **Find Us on Facebook**

For those who liked our page, please check back and like various posts to help the center stay connected to you on Facebook.



For the rest of the members on Facebook, we only have 50 likes help us reach 100 by December! The Senior Center has a Facebook page under "Port Washington Adult Community Senior Center". Please be sure to "like" the Center page when you are on Facebook.

### **Smile of the Month – This Owl**



**Secret To Happiness:** Wisdom, grace, refinement, and a philosophical temperament.

**Favorite Thing:** Eating small rodents.

### **Senior Center Vision 2015 & Beyond**

Are you interested in helping create ideas for future programs and events? Did the Chairman's thoughts on page 1 interest you? Contact the office to be part of this new planning group by Nov. 10.



Casino Night Fun at Black Jack  
THANK YOU Volunteers: Donna Yellen, Amy Luft, Todd Luft, Beth Smyth & Melanie Kaster

