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# Waterford Senior Center

ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF ALL SENIORS WITHIN THE COMMUNITY

October/November 2024

#### Senior Expo Helping Seniors Live Better Friday, October 11 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Health Screenings

- Flu Shots
- RSV and COVID Vaccines
- Prescription Drug Take Back
- Health & Wellness Information
- Senior Housing Options & Information
- Community Resource Exhibits
   Box lunches available for purchase

11:30 am-12:30 pm / \$6.00 Each



#### **Fall Arts and Crafts Show**

Saturday, October 19 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

- Free Admission
- Public Welcome
- Multiple Vendors
- Unique Gift Ideas
- Lunch and Snacks Available
- Exclusive Gift Shop Specials

#FallVibes



Meet the Candidates Tuesday, October 15 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm



Halloween Party Thursday, October 31 12:00 Noon Members - \$10.00 Non-Members - \$12.00



- Pizza Party Lunch
- Costume Contest
- Musical Performance by Mark Harrington
- Dancing, Prizes and Fun!
   Spansored by

Sponsored by -Oakland Audiology RSVP by 10/17



**Veterans Day Celebration** 

Monday, November 11 12:00 Noon

Veterans - Free Members -\$10.00

Non-Members - \$12.00

- Presentation of Colors and Flag Ceremony
- POW/MIA Ceremony
- Family Style Luncheon
- Patriotic Music by Benny's Hooligans
  Sponsored by McLaren Oakland & JDog
  RSVP by 11/4

#### WATERFORD SENIOR CENTER

SENIOR expo

### Friday **October 11th** 9am - 1pm

#### Free Health Screenings



Vision & Hearing Vein Ultrasounds Stroke Screening Vitals, Blood Pressure, Blood Sugar, BMI Balance/Mobility, & More!

Flu Shots

Provided by: VNA

Covid & RSV Vaccines

Provided by: Huron Market Pharmacy



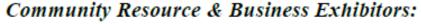
#### Medication Take Back (Pills Only)

Provided by The Waterford Community Coalition Sponsored by The Waterford Police Department



#### Senior Housing Exhibitors:

Independent Living Assisted Living Skilled Nursing Care Memory Care





Hospitals Home Health Care

Home Safety

Hospice Care

Health Insurance

Funeral & Burial Pre-planning Information

Box Lunches Available: \$6.00 Each 11:30am-12:30 pm

Waterford Senior Center - Leggett Campus 3621 Pontiac Lake Rd., Waterford 48328 Located on Pontiac Lake Rd. Between M-59 and Scott Lake Road 248-682-9450



The Waterford Senior Center is in Partnership with Members, Waterford Schools, Waterford Township, and AgeWays
Our Mission is to provide a focal point in the Waterford community for services, programs and activities associated with vital aging.

# Message from Erin

#### We're not just getting older we're getting better, and maybe louder!

According to the U.S. Census the senior population in Waterford Township is the only age group projected to grow between now and 2040. Waterford Township has more seniors age 60+ than school age children, and by 2030 will have twice as many. The current census data states that 22.82% of our Township is age 60+ and all of Oakland County is part of a national age wave. Traditionally seniors 60+ are active participants in elections both local and national. We are fortunate to have an efficient clerks office in our Township to facilitate absentee voting and provide convenient drop boxes for safe, secure collection. (You may have seen and used, as I did, the collection box in our parking lot.) With the November Election fast approaching we want to give all our members a chance to meet the local candidates and speak with them about issues that concern them. We've set up a Meet the Candidates forum here on Tuesday, October 15 at 1 pm. Each participant will be introduced and then seated at a table where voters can stop and ask the questions about issues that concern them. You may want their opinion on the future of Senior Services in Waterford. Is the candidate aware of the importance of the senior programs and services that are important to you? How does their vision of the Waterford Township 5 year Park and Recreation Master Plan reflect your interests? How do they feel about a community center that would bring the current programs of the Waterford Senior Center together with our Park and Recreation Department? Do they support the Meals on wheels program operated here under the contract with AgeWays Agency? Do you agree with their position on the continuation of the Encore Adult Day program here in our center? What's important to you? Property taxes? Garbage pick up? Transportation? Police and Fire? How do local candidates feel about policies in Lansing and Washington D.C.? Come and ask your questions. Your opinions matter and your vote counts. Get the information you need and don't forget to be an informed citizen and vote November 5, 2024.

As we progress through the activities listed in this newsletter you'll see our usual fall events will keep us all busy! We have our annual Senior Health Expo on October 11. Our Senior Center staff has brought together health screenings and resource information vendors along with the return of the popular bingo prize card so be sure to save the date. We have our Craft Show on Saturday, October 19. Our Gift shop volunteers lead the way in this very popular event to support our Senior Center operations. We'll have a super fun Monster Mash Halloween Party on Thursday October 31. We'll host our annual Veterans Day commemoration ceremony on Monday, November 11 as we express our appreciation for all who've served. As we move into the holiday season we'll celebrate with our Senior Center family with our festive luncheon on Thursday, December 12. With the coming of the New Year we'll be rolling out exciting new changes as we join forces with Waterford Township Parks and Recreation to enhance the social, recreational, service and educational programs, along with volunteer opportunities which support our healthy aging here in Waterford. Be sure to stay active and involved. We're not just getting older, together we are enjoying our active lives and lending a hand to help each other stay healthy,happy and engaged.

Erin Asdell

Waterford Senior Center Coordinator

# Stay Connected

#### We are here for you!

Senior center staff is here and available to answer your phone calls. Please do not hesitate to call us if you have questions, concerns or are in need of services or resources.

248-682-9450

### Check out our Website www.wsdmi.org/seniorcenter

You can find current online resources such as newsletters, menus and special events.
This is also an excellent place to find the most up to date announcements for the senior center.

#### **Blackboard Connect**

If you would like updates and information sent directly to your email or phone about happenings going on at the senior center, please call the office to sign up for Blackboard Connect! For email updates please email — champn01@wsdmi.org with your email address.

#### **Meet And Greet**

Join us for an informal "Meet and Greet" where you can meet with staff and other senior center members. You will have the opportunity to tour the center, check out some of our classes or activities and ask questions. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, October 25 1:00 pm

#### **Coffee With Carter**

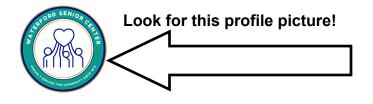
Meet State Representative of the 53rd House District, Brenda Carter. Stop by the Senior Center Bistro for conversations and coffee with your State Representative.

Monday, October 14 12:00 Noon – 1:00 pm

#### Follow us on Facebook



Look for **Waterford Senior Center**. We post photos, activities and WSC news.
We also do Facebook live activities so check back often!



#### What's New For Waterford's Seniors? Media Network of Waterford Presents: "Hello Waterford"

Watch on: Waterford Comcast TV 10 or ATT U-verse Channel 99. Watch at

www.medianetworkofwaterford.org
Or visit the website and watch "On Demand".



#### GET INVOLVED! Senior Center Advisory Board

The Advisory Board is a group of Senior Center volunteers and supporters who are dedicated to assisting in the future direction of the center. The group's input and ideas are valued by staff when considering changes, additions or deletions of programs that are offered at the center. The Advisory Board works alongside staff to support programs and services and also assist with fund raising efforts.

All senior center members are welcome and encouraged to participate!
Wednesday, November 13
11:00 am

# Special Events

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Sponsored by - Oakland Audiology

Reservations are required by October 17 and seating is limited.

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Reservations are required by November 4, and seating is limited.

#### **Deck The Halls**

Join us as we decorate the senior center and get it holiday ready!

We have all the decorations—we just need your holiday spirit to deck our halls and trim our trees

Saturday, November 16 9:30 am - 12:30 pm Coffee, donuts, pizza lunch, and cookies provided!

See Donielle or Nikki if you have questions, or have a specific project or area you want to work on.

#### Treesgiving- Spreading Holiday Joy!

We are excited to once again be partnering with the Treesgiving Foundation this year to make sure seniors that want a Christmas tree will have one! You are invited to join us as



will be a fun afternoon filled with tree decorating, holiday music, and of course Christmas cookies!

Wednesday, November 20 1:00 pm

Free Event

If you are in need of a tabletop tree please call the office at 248-682-9450.

#### Save the Date! Holiday Party Thursday, December 12 12:00 Noon

Celebrate the season with us as we enjoy a traditional holiday ham dinner served family style, complete with all the delicious trimmings.

Holiday Musical Performances,

Raffles, and Prizes!

\$10.00 Members \$12.00 Non-members

Reservations are required by December 5, and seating is limited.



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Hours: 6 am—9 pm

Monday—Friday: 6 am—9 pm Saturdays: 8:00 am—4:00 pm

Cost is \$2.00 per stop.



WOTA's service area covers over 500 square miles.



WOTA can take you anywhere in our service area for any reason. Employment, doctor's appointments, grocery shopping, or visiting friends, we can do it!



Riding WOTA is easy! Register today online or by mail. Schedule your ride —please call at least 48 hours before

"New to Medicare" by appointment only. Turning 65 or retiring and need to add Medicare benefits? In Person or Zoom appointments are available.

#### 2024 Medicare Open Enrollment

October 15 - December 7
Mary Hyde, MMAP Certified Counselor will have free, in-person appointments at the Waterford Senior Center on the following dates: Friday, October 18, 25
Friday, November 1, 8, 15, 22
Friday, December 6
No walk-in appointments available.
You may begin making appointments on September 1.

Please call Mary Hyde at 248-845-8522

#### NOTE:

If you need assistance with Medicaid Please call Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP)

### Michigan Secretary of State Mobile Office

The Secretary of State Mobile Office will be visiting the **Waterford Senior Center** to provide complete Secretary of State transactions for seniors.

Date: Monday, November 18 Time: 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Location: 3621 Pontiac Lake Road

#### Book a visit to complete your transactions:

- First-time Michigan ID
- Renew driver's license or ID
- Transfer title
- Apply for or renew a disability placard

For more information or to schedule your visit during this Mobile Office event contact the Senior Center at 248-682-9450.

#### Feeling Overwhelmed? We are Here for You! Free Resource Counseling!

The Waterford Community Coalition staff will work alongside you to help identify specific needs. Our knowledgeable staff will then link you to the appropriate resources that our community has to offer.

Schedule an appointment at 947-229-7140 or email Resource@ccwaterford.org

#### **Free Notary Service**

The Waterford Senior Center is now offering a FREE notary service. Chris Shoemaker, one of our wonderful front office volunteers will be available every Thursday from 8:30 am until 2:00 pm by appointment only.

Call the main office to schedule your appointment 248-682-9450.

#### **Used Glasses & Hearing Aids**

The Lions Club is collecting used eyeglasses and hearing aids. You can drop them off at the Waterford Senior Center. These items are used for low-income people who cannot afford to get eyeglasses or hearing aids.

#### **Hearing Screenings**

Free Hearing Screenings Are Available! Oakland Audiology will provide screenings. by appointment only:

Tuesday, October 22 Tuesday, November 26 10:00 am - 12:00 pm



You must call to make an appointment.

#### **Equipment Loan Closet**

### Waterford Recreation Center 5640 Williams Lake Road

Do you need temporary use of a wheelchair, walker, cane or crutches? The loan closet will allow you to use the items for up to three months. There is a suggested donation of \$10.00 for each item borrowed.

Call Waterford Parks and Recreation for more information 248-674-4881.

#### **Grief Support**

The goal of a grief support group is to provide a safe and supportive environment for participants to express their feelings and better understand their grief experience.

Many people find relief in talking with others who have also experienced the death of someone close to them.

We will meet every Tuesday for 10 weeks. Current session: August 6 - October 8 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm.

Beginning 2025–
We will meet twice a month Jan-May.
January 14, 28 Feb 11, 25
March 11, 25 April 8, 22 May 13, 27
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Facilitated by: Mary Hyde, LMSW Registration is required 248-845-8522

#### **Taking Off Pounds Sensibly**

TOPS Club Inc. is a nonprofit weight-loss support organization. Members discuss nutrition, portion control, meal planning, exercise, and more at meetings. Consistent group support, health education, and recognition are all key components to successful weight management.

Tuesdays 9:15 am – Weigh in 10:00 am – Meeting

\$49 annual membership, \$5 local monthly dues, \$1 weekly room fee

#### In need of food assistance?

The Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) is available to low-income seniors who reside in Oakland County.

Oakland Livingston Human Services Agency (OLHSA) will be hosting the CSFP Senior Food Box. You must show your ID to prove you are 60 or older.

Call Olivia Barrera at 248-860-3152 for more information or to sign up.

#### **Food Assistance Programs**

#### Open Door Outreach Center

Open Tuesday through Friday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm 7170 Cooley Lake Road Waterford, MI 48327 248-360-2930

Call for an appointment.

**Focus Hope** recipients are eligible to receive a box of food once a month. There is a certification process that requires a person to be at least 60 and meet specific financial requirements. For more information or to sign up for Focus Hope, call 248-309-3658, Option #5

#### Oakland Hope

Open Monday through Saturday 11:00 am – 7:00 pm 20 E. Walton Blvd. Pontiac, MI 48340 248-309-3658, Option #2

#### Senior Center Gift Shop Stop in and check out our collection of gifts and more!

Local honey, hand made baby items, jewelry, floral and home décor, kitchen items and much more

Monday-Friday 9:30 am - 3:00 pm One-of-a-kind gifts! Support local crafters! A percentage of all sales support your Waterford Senior Center!

We also have a huge selection of greeting cards for all occasions.

Used Book and Puzzle Sale 4 Paperbacks for \$1.00 2 Hardcovers for \$1.00 Puzzles \$0.50 each

### Limited Time Only! While they last!

Handmade model ships in a variety of sizes from the private collection of Charlie Hall. Mr. Hall has hand created the works of art for over six decades, and each personalized boat comes with the date made and detailed description.

Visit the Senior Center Gift Shop and make your purchase before they are gone.

The Waterford Senior Center will be closed Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.



#### Waterford Senior Center



FREE ADMISSION
PUBLIC WELCOME
MULTIPLE VENDORS
LUNCH AND SNACKS AVAILABLE
EXCLUSIVE GIFT SHOP SPECIALS

Saturday, October 19 9:00-3:00



3621 Pontiac Lake Road 248-682-9450



#### **Attention Crafters**

Our Gift Shop is looking for additional consignees who offer some new and unusual items. If you are a member of the Waterford Senior Center, and feel you might be interested in becoming a consignee, please talk with us. Stop into the Gift Shop on any Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday between 9:30 am -3:00 pm. Please show us a sample of your craft and let us explain the consignee program to you. We hope to see you soon!

It is unbelievable, and we are still shocked and amazed, but \$11,234.05 was raised during the 2024 Flea Market! The three day sale included a delicious bake sale, a tasty variety of lunch choices, and of course the AMAZING FLEA MARKET SALE! We couldn't have done it without the volunteers that gave of their time and energy to make the sale a record breaking success!

Volunteers donated their time unloading vehicles, sorting and pricing items, working as cashiers, cleaning, organizing and reorganizing! Volunteers baked delectable items for our bake sale, and also donated their time to organize and sell the items. Volunteers helped in the kitchen, office, and snack bar! The senior center gift shop had a whopping \$500.00 in sales which not only benefits our center, but also members that have made the crafts. We had so many new faces visiting our senior center during the sale, and many commented on how special our center is and how friendly and fun our volunteers are!

The Waterford Community Coalition in partnership with the Waterford Police Department joined us to do a prescription drug take back where people could safely dispose of unwanted medications. They also handed out free items such as medication lock boxes and Deterra bags (which are small bags you can use at home that will deactivate medications keeping it out of the wrong hands and preventing environmental contamination).

Thank you to everyone that donated items, bought items, and stopped in to support the center! 100% of the money raised at the Flea Market supports the general fund of YOUR Waterford Senior Center! This helps with basic necessities like ensuring that the lights stay on, the phones continue to be in service, the A/C continues to keep us cool in the summer, and the heat continues to keep us warm in the winter. We couldn't do what we do without the support of our members and the community, and our amazing team of volunteers! Thank You!









## Nutrition



# Can you Benefit from Meals-on-Wheels?

#### ⇒ What are Meals-on-Wheels?

The Meals-on-Wheels program provides a tasty, hot, nutritious noon-time meal to Waterford's homebound seniors. The program is based on individual nutritional needs not income. The hot noon meal provides one third (1/3) of average daily nutritional requirements. Optional cold evening meals and frozen weekend meals are also available. Another benefit is a daily reassurance visit from our dedicated volunteer drivers.

The Meals-on-Wheels program is administered by the Waterford Senior Center.

#### ⇒ How does it work?

You may order meals to be delivered Monday through Friday between 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. A volunteer driver will deliver the meal right to your door!

#### ⇒ Who is eligible for the meals?

- A person must be 60 years or older.
- Must be homebound; does not leave the home under normal circumstances.
- Must live in Waterford.
- A person must be unable to obtain food or prepare complete meals.
- The persons dietary needs must be appropriately met by the program.
- The person must be able to feed themselves, or have a caregiver that can assist.
- A person must agree to be home when meals are delivered, or contact the program when absence is unavoidable.

#### ⇒ But what about the cost?

The meals are provided to you on a "donation only" basis. This means that it is your decision as to whether you are able to pay for the meals or not. The amount of \$3.00 per meal is suggested.

#### ⇒ Great! How do I get started?

Call the Waterford Senior Center at (248) 682-9450.

Before you know it you'll have a meal at your door!

#### Waterford Senior Center - 3621 Pontiac Lake Road – Waterford - MI - 48328 - 248-682-9450



The Senior Nutrition Program of AgeWays Nonprofit Senior Services is funded in part by the Federal Older Americans Act ,the Michigan Department of Health & Human Services (MDHHS) and the Bureau of Aging, Community Living, and Supports (ACLS Bureau) and complies with the terms and regulations of the Title V of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, and Section 504 of the Social Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and is an Equal Opportunity Employer program. Reasonable accommodations will be provided upon notification or request. Contact information: www.aaa1b.org • 1.800.852.7795

## Nutrition

#### Congregate Dining in the Bistro "Lunch is Better When We Dine Together"

Lunch will be served daily Monday- Friday at 12:00 noon. Requested: \$3.00 for persons 60 and over / \$5.00 for persons under 60

#### **October Menu**

#### **November Menu**

1 Tuesday 2 Wednesday	Chili w/ Cheese Chicken Parmesan	1 Friday	Lasagna Roll
3 Thursday	All Beef Hot Dog	4 Monday	Beef Stew
4 Friday	Fish Nuggets	5 Tuesday	Sweet and Sour Chicken
•		6 Wednesday	All Beef Hot Dog
7 Monday	Turkey Tetrazzini	7 Thursday	Chicken Tenders
8 Tuesday	Meatloaf_	8 Friday	Fish Sticks
9 Wednesday	Chicken Tenders	44 55 1	
10 Thursday	Beef Nacho	11 Monday	Veterans Day Lunch
11 Friday	Senior Expo - Box Lunch	12 Tuesday 13 Wednesday	Turkey Tetrazzini Beef Nacho
14 Monday	Chicken Alfredo	14 Thursday	Ham
15 Tuesday	Lasagna w/ Meat Sauce	15 Friday	Cheese Ravioli
16 Wednesday	Chicken Sandwich	10 Thaay	Chicoco ravion
17 Thursday	BBQ Pulled Pork	18 Monday	Chicken Sandwich
18 Friday	Macaroni and Cheese	19 Tuesday	Stuffed Pepper
		20 Wednesday	Turkey and Gravy
21 Monday	Stuffed Cabbage	21 Thursday	Cheeseburger
22 Tuesday	Turkey and Gravy	22 Friday	Macaroni and Cheese
23 Wednesday	Cheeseburger	05 Manadan	NA 4b - III / NA - viu - via - O
24 Thursday	Meatballs w/ Gravy Breakfast Sandwich	25 Monday	Meatballs w/ Marinara Sauce Chicken Alfredo
25 Friday	Dieakiasi Sandwich	26 Tuesday 27 Wednesday	Polish Sausage w/ Sauerkraut
28 Monday	Mostaccioli	28 Thursday	Closed - Thanksgiving
29 Tuesday	Crispy Chicken leg	29 Friday	Closed - Thanksgiving
30 Wednesday	Sloppy Joe		
31 Thursday <sup>°</sup>	Halloween Party		
*10/11 Box Lunches are \$6.00		*Menu is subject to change.	
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#### **Monthly Birthday Celebration-**

Cake and ice cream will be served with lunch to celebrate our monthly birthdays. You are invited to join the celebration, regardless of your birth date. Members will receive a FREE lunch on their actual Birthday! **Thursday, October 24 and Thursday, November 21** 

#### What are the benefits of dining with others?

According to a recent study from Oxford University, eating with people often **makes us feel happier and more satisfied with our lives**. It fights disorders such as anxiety and depression and helps to make relationships with others stronger.

# Encore Adult Day Services

#### **Encore/Affordable Adult Day Services**

#### Who are adult day services designed for?

- Older adults with memory impairments and/or physical disabilities who are unable to initiate their own activities
- People with Alzheimer's, Parkinson's disease, dementia patients or stroke victims
- · Families and caregivers

#### Benefits of adult day care:

- · Reduces social isolation
- Restores and maintains highest level of individual function
- · Enriches quality of life
- Helps prevent nursing home placements
- · Gives family and caregiver peace of mind

#### Services & Activities:

- Professional care and supervision
- Comfortable and safe environment
- · Nutritious meals and snacks
- Structured recreational activities
- Transportation available through WOTA
- Support Groups

#### **About the Program**

We provide a warm, caring environment for seniors who need supervision during the day. We welcome adults who have cognitive problems common to types of dementia such as Alzheimer's Disease or who have medical conditions that make it unsafe to be home alone. Caregivers enjoy the scheduled respite and are able to catch up with other responsibilities. Participants enjoy a rich variety of activities and sense of belonging.

#### **About our Staff**

Our Encore staff are trained to guide participants through daily routines, assisting with daily activities, treating them with respect, and protecting their dignity. Medication reminders and personal care are provided in a professional manner that supports self-care.

In Encore we honor the individual and provide an opportunity to remember, sing, laugh, stay physically active and have fun! Laughter, music and conversation really are the best medicine!

#### **Encore Activities**

### October

Oktoberfest

Laugh for Health Day

United Nations Day

College Pride Day

Halloween Fun

#### **November**

Fall Back Party

**Encore Band** 

Thank you Veterans

Homemade Bread Day

Thanksgiving Memories



The Walk to End Alzheimer's will be held on November 2 at the Detroit Zoo. You can go to alz.org/walk and look for 'Erin Asdell Encore Adult Day Care' or just check in with Erin to see how you can participate.

# Support

## Caregiver Support

Our Caregiver Groups are sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association and designed to provide emotional, educational and social support for caregivers. They help participants develop methods and skills to solve problems and deal with the stress of caregiving. The group provides information and resources, as well as, a safe place to speak freely with others who understand their situation. Members are encouraged to maintain their own personal, physical and emotional health, as well as, optimally care for the person with dementia.

You can reach the Alzheimer's 24/7 helpline at **800-272-3900** for assistance, tips and support. They are here for you! Their website is easily accessed for information at alz.org/gmc.

We meet on the second Tuesday of each month at noon and on the third Monday each month at 7 pm. We are still enjoying a special caregiver meal grant so plan on enjoying a light meal during the meeting. We have two days and times to choose from! Join us October 8 & November 12 at noon and October 21 and November 18 at 7pm. No registration necessary walks in are welcome! Please also save the date the Walk to End Alzheimer's will be held on November 2nd at The Detroit Zoo. Check in with Erin to see how you can participate and support our walk team!

### alzheimer's 95 association®





A new, online educational platform offered by AgeWays Nonprofit Senior Services (formerly called the Area Agency on Aging 1-B) offers caregivers an easy way to get information and advice online. It's also free!

Trualta's learning modules, on subjects ranging from handling a loved one's resistance to taking medications to managing pressure wounds can be read, listened to or watched. There are resources, articles, checklists, videos, quizzes, and webinars to choose from. There is a chat function so caregivers can learn from each other and support groups. Trualta has recruited experts for the platform. For example, Teepa Snow, a renowned expert on dementia caregiving, offers her tips for a positive approach to caregiving. Trualta keeps content up to date and adds new learning opportunities (in Spanish, too!) each month.

To use Trualta, the family caregiver and/or the older adult (60 and older) must live in one of the six counties served by AgeWays (Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, and Washtenaw).

To sign up, visit ageways.trualta.com. You'll be asked to answer a few eligibility questions and to create a login to enter the platform.

For additional information or questions, call 833-262-2200 or email trualta@ageways.org.

Caregiver Connections: Learn, Link, and Lunch Hosted by- AgeWays Nonprofit Senior Services Saturday, October 5 10:00 am - 1:30 pm Suburban Collection Showplace in Novi.

Features WDIV-TV4 anchor Christy McDonald, who will speak about her experience caring for her late husband. Jim Mangi, a longtime caregiver for his wife and spokesperson for the Alzheimer's Association, will talk about communicating with someone who has dementia. Attorney Jason Tower will speak about legal documents caregivers should have. The day will be rounded out by lunch, exhibitors, raffles and giveaways.

A \$10 entrance fee will support the agency's Holiday Meals on Wheels program.

To register- <u>YouAreACaregiver.org</u>. If cost is a barrier, fee waivers are available. Contact us at -

communications@ageways.org.

# Flight Simulator Flight SIMS For Seniors Mind and Body in Action

Experience the joy of learning to fly a "simulated 172 Cessna" from our local "simulated Pontiac Airport", all while sitting in the comfort and safety of the Waterford Senior Center. Our *SIMS for SENIORS* computerized flight simulator is built with our seniors' needs in mind and is also wheelchair accessible. It provides a great activity for former pilots or just "pilot wannabes". Neurological studies indicate that doing something different and in a new way has positive benefits for the senior brain.

One hour sessions are available.
Tuesday & Thursday
9:00 am - 2:00 pm
\*Try your first session for FREE!
Purchase a punch card for \$25 (good for 5 sessions) in the front office, then schedule your simulator sessions.
Virtual Flight Instructors—
Darryl Smith, Susin Siporin

#### Reminiscing Club

Enjoy an afternoon of conversation between friends, and take a walk down memory lane, recalling life's special moments and silly adventures. When sharing stories in a group setting, you often realize that people have more in common than you could ever imagine! All are invited and welcome to participate in this good time!

Wednesday, October 30 Wednesday, November 27 1:00 pm \$1 Drop-in Fee

#### **Waterford Garden Club**

Attention all Green Thumbs! Join us for informative workshops and fun workdays.



For more information and work day times and locations visit:
Waterfordgardenclub.org and/or
Facebook.com/waterfordgardenclub

#### Jam Sessions

The Senior Jam Session is for all seniors who play an instrument or sing (even if you are a bit rusty). The group has a range from beginning levels to advanced players. Everyone has one purpose and that is to have fun making music together. The JAM is open to all instruments and to all types of players. So look around in the attic, under the bed or in the basement for that old instrument that you would like to bring back to life and join us!

Thursdays at 1:00 pm Meet in the Studio \$1 Drop-in Fee

#### **Computer Club**

Our mission is to meet monthly to provide a friendly environment where members can improve their computer skills and assist each other with digital challenges. We welcome visitors and new members fostering a supportive community dedicated to lifelong learning and camaraderie.

#### Facilitator-Ron Estrada

Come and see!

Tuesday, October 8 Tuesday, November 12 10:00 am - Noon \$1.00 Drop-in Fee

#### **Book Club and Chat**

The Book Club meets once each month. Books are available in the main office, or you can call 248-682-9450 to find out what the current book being read is.

At the meeting you will be able to pick up the next book.

Monday, October 7 Monday, November 4 Monday, December 2 10:30 am - 12:00 pm Facilitator- Donna Koan

#### Yoga

This class will move your body through a complete series of seated and standing yoga poses. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Restorative breathing exercises and a final relaxation will promote stress reduction and mental clarity.

Every Wednesday
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Pre-scheduled CANCELLATIONS:
\*November 27\* Instructor unavailable

\*December 25\* Building closed for holiday
\*January 1\* Building closed for holiday

#### FREE Sponsored by:

The Alliance of Coalitions for Healthy Communities



#### **Facilitator-Instructor Katy Miller**

Katy Miller is dedicated to sharing her experience, knowledge and passion for all who wish for a healthy and happy life. Katy is a National Personal Training Institute Graduate, AFAA Certified Group Fitness Instructor, and a NASM Certified Nutrition Coach. She has continuing education certifications in AFAA Yoga Essentials 1 & 2 and Golden Hearts Senior Fitness and is also currently pursuing a Yoga Alliance Yoga Teacher certification.

### Body Management Exercise AKA Moan-n-Groan Body Management

Join in on the fun while stretching, toning, moaning and groaning. It is a great class to get more limber and fit while exercising with new friends. Wear comfortable shoes and clothing... and a big smile.

Monday & Friday 9:10 am - 10:10 am \$4.00 per class Facilitator- Ann Swanson

#### Mindfulness Meditation

Meditation is an age-old practice of intentionally focusing the mind. This highly researched method of quieting conditioned and habitual patterns of thought leads to awareness and reduction of stress. The quieting of the body and mind has been shown to boost the immune system and reduce cardiovascular risk. It is useful for managing high blood pressure, sleep disorders, lifestyle changes and pain. The enhanced awareness that comes with meditation practice supports a shift from habitual reactivity to more conscious choice.

Thursdays 9:00 am - 10:00 am \$1 Drop in Fee Facilitator Jerry Cleland

#### Tai Chi

Do you want to improve your movement and balance? Do you want to do something healthy for your body and mind? Try our Tai Chi class. Wear comfortable clothes, and meet us in the gym.

#### Drop In Tai Chi -

For Health, Arthritis, and Fall Prevention Informal meet up to practice your Tai Chi moves. This is an instructor led class, with facilitators on hand to answer questions and assist.

Fridays 10:30 am
7 Week Instructor Led Class
September 6 - October 25
(No class on 10/11)
November 1 - December 20
(No Class on 11/29
Members \$21 / Non-members \$26
Or \$5 Drop-in Fee Per Day
Facilitator- Carrie Sue Cempura

Tuesdays 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm \$1.00 Drop-in fee

Daily activity calendars and large print lunch menus will be available in the main office. Stop by today!

#### **Cards**

Poker - Tuesdays & Thursdays at 9:00 am Euchre - Wednesdays & Fridays at 9:00 am Euchre - Mondays at 1:00 pm \$1.00 Drop-in Fee

**Mexican Train** 

Thursday, October 17
Thursday, November 21
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
\$1.00 Drop-in Fee
Facilitator – Laurie Nickson

Join us to play the domino game Mexican Train. No previous experience required and rules will be explained.

Bring your own drinks and/or snacks. There will be token prizes!

Chicken Foot

Thursday, October 3
Thursday, November 7
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
\$1.00 Drop-in Fee
Facilitator Laurie Nickson

Chicken foot (also known as Chickie Dominoes) is a fun and easy to learn domino game. No previous experience required and rules will be explained.

Bring your own drinks and/or snacks. There will be token prizes!

#### **Good Old Fashioned Game Time**

Enjoy an afternoon of fun and games with your Senior Center staff. Enjoy friendly competition with a chance to win bragging rights.

Token prizes for the winners! Wednesday, October 2 Wednesday, December 4

1:00 pm

\$1.00 Drop In Fee

No Game Time in November

### Wii Bowling Join our Wii Bowling Party!

Wii is an interactive game that with the help of our projector and large screen, will make you feel like you are in a real bowling alley! Join our fun group for some friendly competition.

Fridays 1:00 pm \$1 Drop-in Fee

#### **Bunco**

Tuesday, October 22 - Halloween Costume Thursday, November 14 - Wild Turkey Tuesday, December 3 - Christmas Sweater 1:00-3:00 pm

#### \$5.00 per person at the door

Bunco is a fun social dice game involving mostly luck and little skill! It's easy to learn and play! Enjoy light refreshments and a fun time with friends.



\*Bring a "dollar store" type gift for a fun gift exchange game! \*Please sign up one week prior to reserve your spot!

The Waterford Senior Center in partnership with the Alliance of Coalitions for Healthy Communities and the Waterford Community Coalition invites you to join us at the Senior Center for the following *FREE* programs and activities that will help older adults build and maintain social connections, as well as improve emotional and physical health.

#### **Mah Jong**

Participants will play a game alongside peers, getting a mental workout to help keep their brains in peak condition. Mahjong is a Chinese game played with tiles.

Friday, October 4 / Friday October 18 Friday, November 1 / November 15 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm



#### BINGO

Join us for a fun game of FREE BINGO! Friends, Fun, Prizes! Fresh popped popcorn & beverages included.

Monday, November 25 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm RSVP by 11/18



#### **Anyone Can Paint**

If you have ever considered painting, we have the class for you! Mr. Steve Wood's unique ability to blend humor and encouragement results in a very enjoyable and relaxing experience! At the end of each two-hour session you will have a complete painting! Please sign up one week prior to class.

Friday, October 25 Friday, November 22 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Members \$25 / Non-Members \$30 Facilitator – Steve Wood Sign up in the main office to reserve your spot at least one week prior. Space is limited.

#### **Acrylic Painting**

Mary Catherine is an artist and certified painting instructor who uses acrylic paint on canvas to create beautiful works of art. Try this new class where you can have fun learning to paint. All supplies are included.

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Monday, October 7 Monday, November 4 Monday, December 2

Members \$32 / Non-Members \$35 Facilitator - Mary Catherine Heaton Sign up in the main office to reserve your spot at least one week prior. Space is limited.

#### **Rock Painting Class**

Instructor Susana Woloson will be teaching you the art of rock painting! She will bring examples for you to duplicate or you're welcome to let your creativity run wild. 2-3 rocks per person depending on size and design. All painting supplies included.

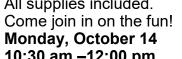
Thursday, November 7 1:00 am-3:00 pm \$5 Members / \$7 Non-Members All finished rocks can be shellacked with a protective clear coat if you choose and then picked up at the senior center one week after class.



Registration is done through Waterford Senior Center. The location for these workshops will be at Waterford Senior Center.

#### Fall Themed Door Hanger Class

You will be making a beautiful Fall themed door hanger that will look awesome on your front door, inside above your fireplace, or just about anywhere! The facilitator, Donna Wall, will teach you how to create a one of a kind design and you will leave with your Fall masterpiece! All supplies included.



\$10 Members / \$12 Non-Members RSVP with payment to the main office one

10:30 am -12:00 pm week prior to the class.

#### **Christmas Ribbon** Wreath Class

You will be making a beautiful Christmas themed ribbon wreath pictured to the right. The facilitator, Donna Wall, will teach you how to create a one of a kind design and you will leave with your work! All supplies included. Come join in on the fun!

Monday, November 25 10:30 am -12:00 pm

\$24 Members / \$25 Non-Members RSVP with payment to the main office one week prior to the class.



#### Wood Shop

Are you an experienced wood crafter looking for a great place to work on your projects? Have you never worked in wood crafting but are interested in learning the skill of how to make your own wood crafts? You need to check out the Senior Center Wood Shop!

Wood shop fees: You must be a member of the senior center. There is a \$20 bi-annual shop fee.

\$1.00 Drop-in Fee

#### **Wood Carving**

Join our Wood Carvers on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 am in activity room #2. If you are interested in learning something new or are a carver already, come in and join the group!

Wednesdays 9:00 am - Noon \$1.00 Drop-in Fee

#### Quilting Bee

Join our Quilting Bee. We work together to hand stitch quilts and will turn unfinished tops into quilts. Beginners to skilled quilters are welcome to join us.

Mondays, noon - 3:00 pm Fridays, 9:00 am - noon \$1 Drop-in Fee

#### **WSC Comfort Makers**

Join us as we learn to make fleece blankets that we will be donating to local charities. Anyone and everyone is invited to get involved. Making fleece blankets is simple to learn and Janie McGee, the class facilitator will be on hand to give instruction and answer questions.

Fridays 9:00 am

\*Donations of fleece are now being accepted at the center.

# MEET THE CANDIDATES



TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

JOIN US FOR COFFEE AND COOKIES AND A
CASUAL MEET AND GREET WITH THE
CANDIDATES. SIT AND TALK, ASK QUESTIONS,
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YOUR VOTE MATTERS!

CANDIDATES ARE ASKED TO RSVP BY 10/10/24

#### FREE EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS

Take advantage of these great opportunities to get informed!

# Annual Enrollment Period Sessions With Brad Bonner Estate Preservation Agency

Ask the questions and learn about your Medicare open enrollment options.

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm on the following days:

Tuesday, October 1 Tuesday, October 15 Tuesday, November 5 Tuesday, November 26

#### **Brad Bonner**

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#### S.A.Y. Seniors And You! Video Group

We are looking for those interested in learning how to:

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Sign up by calling Denise at 248-682-0401



#### **Oakland Literacy Council**

Have you ever thought about becoming a tutor for adults? Join the Oakland Literacy Council for this introduction seminar and learn how you can help other adults in our community learn and grow!

Thursday, October 17 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm Register in the main office by 10/10

### Financial Abuse Vibe Credit Union

Do you worry about protecting your bank accounts and personal information as you get older? Join us for a discussion on what elder financial abuse is, why elders are targeted, red flags, common scams, and what to do if you encounter a scammer.

Thursday, October 24 1:00 pm-3:00 pm Register in the main office by 11/17

## Ask a Lawyer Daudi & Kroll, P.C.

Do you have questions about estate planning or are you worried about the possibility of a probate court issue? Come speak with the attorney's at Daudi & Kroll, P.C.

Monday, November 18 12:30 pm-1:30 pm



## BUCKET OF LOVE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you have time to make a positive impact on youth?

Needed: Caring volunteers who have an hour to spare for an elementary school child who needs a little extra tender loving care. For one hour per week, you will engage with a child doing activities such as crafts, games, puzzles and building a personal relationship with them.

Bucket of Love is sponsored by Waterford Youth Assistance, Waterford Senior Center, Waterford

School District and the Waterford foundation for public education. The program runs from September to May.

If you are interested in Bucket of Love, please call WYA at 248.618.7383 or email waterfordya@msn.com.





Are you looking for an easy way to support your Senior Center?
Do you already shop at Kroger?
If you do, then you should check out the Kroger Community Rewards
Program!

To get started with the Kroger Community Rewards Program visit <a href="http://www.kroger.com">http://www.kroger.com</a>.

- 1. Create or sign in to your online Kroger account
- 2. Click my Account
- 3. Look for the profile tab, make sure that your Kroger plus card # is linked to your account.

If it's not, click edit, and add the # on the back of your Kroger Plus card.

- 4. Look for the Community Rewards Tab
- 5. Search for "Waterford Senior Center" or enter code JT422.
- 6. Click Enroll

Once enrolled, a percentage of the proceeds from every shopping trip will benefit your Waterford Senior Center!

### **Volunteer Opportunities with the Waterford Senior Center:**

**Kitchen Help**- Assist in the kitchen with food preparation and cleaning tasks.

**Meals on Wheels Drivers**– Assist with delivering meals to home-bound seniors in Waterford.

**Encore Adult Day Program**– Assist staff with music, games, and activities.

Please call the main office if you would like more information about volunteering with us. 248-682-9450

#### NEW! Seniors Helping Seniors

We are looking for seniors interested in learning about a new friendly visitor program with the Waterford Senior Center in partnership with the Waterford Community Coalition.

Volunteers are needed to assist local homebound seniors right here in Waterford. Volunteer tasks would include visiting and socializing with lonely seniors, light house work, and running shopping type errands.

All volunteers participating in this program must pass a mandatory background check.

### **CLERK'S CORNER**

# 2024 Election Information from your Waterford Township Clerk's Office

By Kim Markee, Township Clerk

ICHIGAN now offers three options for voting: EARLY VOTING, ABSENTEE VOTING and ELECTION DAY VOTING

- Absentee voting begins approximately 40 days prior to an election. Early voting begins the second Saturday prior to an election and concludes the Sunday before Election Day. Waterford Township voters may vote early at the Waterford Township Library. All Oakland County voters may also vote at the Waterford Oaks Activity Center. Hours for early voting are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., every day except Thursday, when the hours are noon to 8:00 p.m.
- You may register to vote up to 8 p.m. on Election Day. There are specific requirements 14 days prior to an election so contact your clerk for details. Requesting and returning your application and/or ballot early avoids issues. Please remember that a ballot that has been turned into the Clerk's Office or drop box cannot be spoiled after 4 p.m. the second Friday prior to Election Day (the day before Early Voting begins).
- A Clerk's Office is ALWAYS open for eight hours the weekend before an election for absentee voting. Call your local Clerk's Office for specifichours.
- You can request an absentee ballot at the Clerk's Office window up to 4 p.m. SHARP the

- Monday before an election.
- We verify your signature against your driver's license signature or state ID. The name does not have to be exactly as it is on your ID. However, we must be able to tell it's your signature. Your clerk's office will make every effort to contact you to cure a missing signature or a signature that does not match.
- If you rely on the mail, allow ample time for your application or ballot to arrive at the Clerk's Office, Prepaid postage is included. Better yet, use a drop box! They are available 24/7 but please use a drop box for your own municipality! Voters now have the option to take their absentee ballot to their available early voting sites or to their polling location on Election Day and feed their ballot into the tabulator. An advantage of turning your absentee ballot into an early voting or Election Day ballot is that if you make a mistake on your ballot (e.g. overvote, crossover in a Primary Election, etc.), you have the opportunity to spoil the ballot and receive a newballot.
- Sample ballots for each election will be available at the Clerk's Office or online at the Michigan Voter Information Center (Michigan.gov/vote). You can also track your absentee ballot application and ballot at the same website. You may also request to be on the Permanent Ballot List.



If you request to be on the Permanent Ballot List, you will automatically receive an absentee ballot for every election you are eligible to vote in. Contact your local clerk's office for details or check the applicable box for Permanent Ballot Liston an Absentee Voter Application.

- Military and Overseas ballots may be accepted up to six days after Election Day as long as the postmark is before or on Election Day.
- Please be aware that ballots DO NOT forward in the U.S. Mail. If you will be at a temporary address, please contact the Clerk's Office to ensure we send your ballot to the correct location.
- DON'T FORGET TO SIGN AND DATE YOUR ABSENTEE BALLOT ENVELOPE IN THE DESIGNATED LOCATION!!!

We are always recruiting new election workers. Call (248) 674-6266 and ask how you can get involved.



## Travel

#### Day Trip Intensity Key

To better assist our members in knowing the intensity of each trip we have come up with a code for our trips.

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**Light -** trip will have some walking and low physical endurance. (Ex. Casino or play)

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Moderate - mild physical intensity required. Some stairs are possible and walking with few stops.

(Ex. Museum tour)

999

Vigorous - Intense physical endurance. May be uneven walking surfaces, extended walking distances, or climbing of stairs. (Ex. Garden, nature hikes)



### ADVENTURE

-Avaits-

Hi! Let me introduce myself. My name is Katie, and I am your travel escort at the senior center. I will be your travel companion as we go on all of our fun and interesting excursions. I cannot wait to get on the move with all of you on the exciting trips we have planned!

#### **Day Trip Information**

- **Trip Parking** <u>Unless otherwise noted</u>, all trips leave from the Central United Methodist Church, 3882 Highland Road (M59). Please park on the west end of the parking lot near the home. You should arrive 15 minutes prior to your departure time.
- Refunds A full refund, less a \$5.00 administration fee, will be given if a refund is requested
  prior to the RSVP date of a trip. After the RSVP date and tickets have been purchased the
  ticketed amount cannot be refunded unless someone replaces you from the waiting list.
  Replacements are not guaranteed. Some events are non-refundable.
- Registration Deadlines are important for planning purposes for all involved. If there aren't
  enough participants by the deadline, we may have to cancel trips and programs.
   Please, avoid disappointment and register early!
- **Payment** Please note we only accept payment via cash or check. Checks that are returned with an NSF will be subject to a \$35 administrative charge.

Be sure to be on the look out for the new "Dynamic Duo" logo! Waterford Senior Center and Waterford Parks & Recreation will now be partnering on some trips. When you see the Dynamic Duo logo you only need to be a member of either the Waterford Senior Center OR Golden Age Club to enjoy the member pricing on those specific trips!



# Day Trips

#### Let's Win Big! Soaring Eagle Casino Thursday, October 10

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Luxury Motor coach transportation, \$20 Premium play to be utilized within the casino, \$10 food voucher (loaded onto card), \$10 Bingo Bucks, and an additional \$10 in play can be received if 600 points are earned! It's SENIOR DAY too! Folks that are 55+ will also receive an additional \$5 off of food, Bingo, and \$5 match play on Blackjack along with a \$0.55 donut or ice cream! Driver gratuity not included.

Cost: \$55.00 Members \$60.00 Non-Members Departs: 8:00 am Returns: 5:00 pm RSVP by 10/1

This trip is hosted and escorted by the Waterford Senior Center. Trips will leave from the Central United Methodist Church.

#### Let's Explore! Detroit Institute of Art Wednesday November 13



Explore the Detroit Institute of Art and see the rich history it provides. Lunch will be on your own at either the Café DIA or Kresge Court. Your trip includes: round trip luxury motor coach transportation, entrance to the museum, and travel escort. You will receive a coupon for a free cup of coffee or tea and one free cookie to be redeemed in the Café DIA and a 10% coupon for the DIA Gift Shop.

Powerchairs and wheel chairs are available on a first come first serve basis.

Cost: \$5.00 Members \$7.00 Non-Members Departs: 12:00 pm Returns: 4:00 pm RSVP by 11/1

This trip is hosted and escorted by the Waterford Senior Center. Trips will leave from the Central United Methodist Church.

# Let's Explore! Bronner's and Cracker Barrel Wednesday, November 6

Come explore the world famous Bronner's Christmas Store and stock up on all kinds of personalized ornaments and unique treasures just in time for the holidays!

Lunch will be on your own at Cracker Barrel where you can find all the southern comfort food your heart desires!

Round trip luxury motor coach transportation

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$35.00 Non-Members Departs: 10:00 am Returns: 4:00 pm RSVP by 10/30

and driver tip included.

This trip is hosted and escorted by the Waterford Senior Center. Trips will leave from the Central United Methodist Church.

#### Let's Explore! Detroit Symphony Orchestra Friday, December 13



The DSO and special guests play all your holiday favorites in the warm and wonderful orchestra hall. Make the season bright and create memories of a lifetime! After the show, lunch will be included at a Detroit original, Buddy's Pizza. Pizza, pasta, salad, and bread buffet. Round trip luxury motor coach transportation and driver tip included.

Cost: \$65.00 Members \$70.00 Non-Members Departs: 9:00 am Returns: 3:00 pm RSVP by 11/29

This trip is hosted and escorted by the Waterford Senior Center. Trips will leave from the Central United Methodist Church.

# October Birthdays

- 1– Sylvia Ashton
  Elizabeth Barrager
  Bonnie Fox
  Dennis Haywald
  David Lisac
  Debra Metler
  Joyce Payne
  George Rock
  Norma Smith
  Jean Wilson
- 2– Pamela Manel Teresa Ogg Lisa Perrett Rita Stevens-Collier Ann Swanson Christia Yahner Dennis Yahner
- 3– Jean Craven
  Jane Kennedy
  Donna Lang
  Robert Nichols
  Sarajane Schaefer
  Marlene Roy
- 4– Sharon Carene
  Pamela Fox
  Lorraine Graham
  Robert Kress
  Larry Quick
  Charlotte Rasberry
- 5- Robert Slack Bridget Scully
- 6– Russell Frick David Kramer Janet Matsura
- 7- Harold Donaldson Donna Donner Krystal Edwards Judy Kelly Helen Kobylik Coleen Parker Betty Seymour
- 8– Larry Buettner
  Dianne Eastham
  Regina Johnson
  Clayton Jones
  Patricia Ragan
  Betty Taylor
  Julie Wareck
- 9– Ronald Arnold Stephen Lewis
- 10–Jim Bugg
  Clarence Millen
  Betty Rawls
  Donald Sawdon
  Jeff Swanson
  Dorothy Tate

- 11–Amy Annett
  Sondra Barrett
  Linda Cueny
  Kim Gawry
  Avis Hermans
  Laura Raupp
- 12- Lori Jean Holland Peggy Surdu Belinda Trudell
- 13-Patrick Allsteadt John Cutcher John Dixson Karen Franklin Doug Shearer Sybil Winters
- 14- Joe Beauvais
  Ardis Hollingsworth
  Linda McCauley
  Dorothy Wolf
- 15- Cathy Balent
  Robin McGregor
  Stephen McNaney
  Madelene Neaves
  Gary Pinner
- 16–Sandy Blanchard Stephen Bradshaw David Pence George Vihonsky James Weninger
- 17-Rita Irwin
- 18–Suzanne Arendsen Ron Estrada Donald Pittman Marie Saukko
- 19-Lee Brown
  Lawrence Dillon
  Christine Major
  Mary Selep
  Richard Woudstra
- 20-Linda Dauzy
  Linda Didio
  Joan Ham
  Shirley Hunt
  Edward Neaves
  Jan Shewalter
  Charles Steeber
  Barry Weddle
- 21- Sandra Chasteen Ron Czapla James Smith Edward Tilton Shirley Watts
- 22- Kim Hugelier
  Mary Ellen Madary
  Rosezina Sheilds
  Sherry Vanhaverbeck

- 23- Joann Griffith Duane Haddon B.J. Karwas Linda Macunovich Michael Murray
- 24-Barney Arendsen
  Deborah Bradley
  Barbara Broker
  Norma Cassidy
  Kathy Krenz
  William Oberlin
  Linda Neussendorfer
  Martha Preston
- 25- Tanya Chapman James Irwin Linda Moehlman Alicia Sandoval
- 26- Charles Gordon Steve Kavouras Maurice Nolin Karen Prentice
- 27- Beverly Donaldson Nancy Donaldson Vicky Vaillancourt
- 28- Carol Ann Brantley
  Paul Breininger
  Robert Hrynyk
  Steve Hyde
  Patrick Karbon
  Michael Odle
  Patricia Pearson
  Jim Poupore
  Kathleen Wiegand
- 29–Roger Holm William Kobe Rob Seeterlin
- 30- Lolita Hernandez Lawrence Poland Walter Schoenbach
- 31–Richard Harrington Betty Roberts John Young

# November Birthdays

- 1– Shirley Collom Oliver Lowery Carolyn Roltsch
  - Marybeth Maxim-Smith 16- Mar Lawson
- 2- Margaret Gilliland Frank Lombardi Rudic McGregor Barbara Miller William Regentin Nancy Sulisz Ronald Topolewski
- 3– Robert Harris Don Hicks Garry Weideman
- 4- Linda Calder
  Yolanda Chapa
  Vicki Clark
  Judy Goshen
  James McIlrath
  Ella Stellmach
  Patricia Wenner
- 5- Susan Jordan Stefan Kowalik Christopher Ottolini Barb Thomas
- 6- Steve Brooks
  Robert Cikalo
  Diana Collette
  Mary Mullin
  David Rowinski
- 7- Paul Hartman Mary Olari
- 8– Renee Giroux Gene Hooper Julie Ronguillo
- 9– Lee Crandell Christopher Healy Patricia Klinkovsky Norma Williams
- 10- Shirley Clowes Marilynn Larvick Jean Lovell
- 11– Kathy Gauronskas John Nelson Frank Schmaltz Larry Smith John Styles
- 12– Nancy Čampo Nancy Peters
- 13- Maurene Brown Norma Christenson
- 14– Ursula Cecile
   Joanne Dennis
   Don Letang
   Caroline Roberson
   Richard Weaver

- 15- Jeri Burger Louis Campbell Dan Graham 16- Mar Lawson Alfred Smith Sr.
- 17– Dewey Brake
  Sue Cartwright
  Robert Lomerson
  Thomas McKeown
  Doris Quick
  Ron Santavicca
  Arlene Schell
- 18– Joanne Charboneau Sandy Druar Jerry Harnack Virginia Lividotti Janis Matta Cindy Pinner Kathy Shaffer

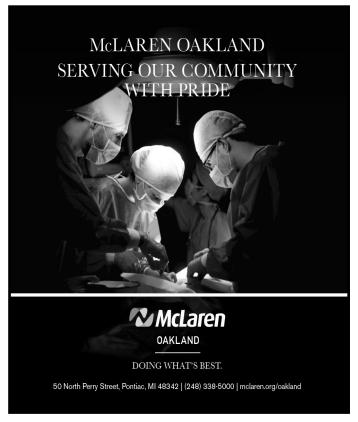
Kathleen Spence

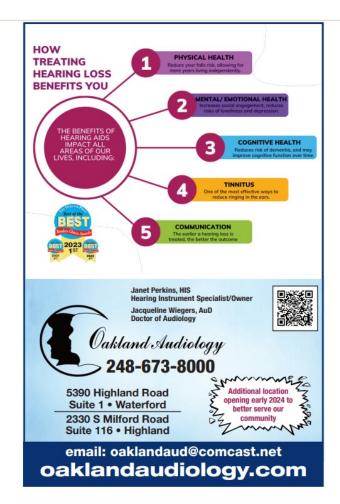
Rosemary Wojcik

- 19– Donna Elliott Jerry Nichols Daniel Wiegand
- 20– Beth Cushman Kathy Lemon Carol St. Dennis Ellie Tomkow
- 21– Carol Hess-Kalinski Betty Marcks Louise Martin
- 22– Michele Baydown Patricia Budd Charles Kreminski Dianna Tracy Gary Truhn
- 23- Rose Bastain
  Richard Boylan
  Thomas Dahlem
  Carrol Goodell
  Frank Hupka
  Margret Partaka
  Michael Piper
  Rose Winslow
- 24– Michele Kotlarsky Nicole Middleton Maryann Nagel
- 25- Monika Horak
- 26- Micaela Benavidez Sandra Bevak Jim Bugg Bonnie Herrera Robert Jurek Joanne Slater Carole Tadavich Kaye Wisenbaugh

- 27- Margaret Evans
  Joan McCabe
  Karen Salswedel
  Matt Wisenbaugh
- 28- Rebecca Benavidez Cheryl Brumley Paul Breininger Mary Jo Rogers
- 29– Terry Biggerstaff Larry Christenson Marilyn Emmert Bill Gesaman Susan Ngo
- 30– Edward Rascjke Sr Marion Rowland Jeanne Woodard









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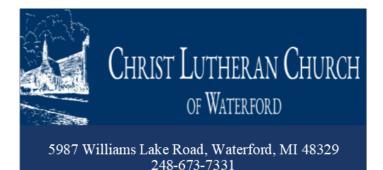
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## Reindeer Bucks

### Support Your Waterford Senior Center

As you plan your end of year holiday giving please consider supporting your Waterford Senior Center. Our mission is to be the focal point in the Waterford community for services, programs, and activities associated with healthy aging.

Your donation can help us achieve our goals!

Reindeer Bucks can be donated to the service, program, or activity of your choice!

	Meals on Wheels		
	Encore Adult Day Services		
	Activities -Maintenance and upgrades. Please select one.		
	Flight Simulator Wii Bowling WoodShop WSC Comfort Makers		
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	Other -Please specify		
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#### Save the Dates – 2024 Special Events

September 28- Walk & Roll for Meals

October 11– Senior Expo

October 19- Craft Show

October 31– Halloween Party

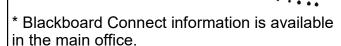
November 11– Veterans Day Lunch

December 12- Holiday Party



The Waterford Senior Center will be closed if the Waterford School District closes for inclement weather. Please watch your local news for school district

closure information or sign up for Blackboard Connect to get automated alerts.



#### **Waterford Senior Center Staff**

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#### Sandra Elka

Assistant Superintendent of Business & Operations

## Time to Renew Your Membership?

Check the date on your address label to see if your membership is up to date. Thank you for your support!



The Waterford Senior Center will be closed Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.





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