

Programs are Jumping in January...

Beginner Bridge

Learn to play bridge...this year a number of members learned to play under the tutelage of Geneva resident Lois Hoyer. The free lessons will be held again on Mondays from 1:30-3:30 beginning January 14th. Each of the sessions build on knowledge from earlier sessions. Call Sherri Weitzl at 630-232-3602 to register.

Party (Chicago) Bridge

For bridge players who are part of a group or are looking to meet other bridge players, Monday afternoons offer organized games beginning Jan 14th from 1:30-4:00 pm. Tell your friends to meet you at the Senior Center for a game or call Sherri Weitzl at 630-232-3602 by Friday afternoon to register and Lois will try to locate a

partner for your game.

Art & Craft Classes

Geneva artist Janice Mayerhofer will begin the second session of Art & Craft Classes on January 3rd. They will run through April 10th from 1-2:00 each Thursday. The free classes will cover two dimensional art and seasonal crafts including drawing, painting, crafts and sculpture. Call 630-232-3602 to register by January 3rd.

B-I-N-G-O!

Join us Wednesday afternoons from 2-3:00 for bingo! We provide free game cards and markers...you bring along your friends. The more, the merrier! You can win all types of prizes as you meet new friends and enjoy complementary snacks. Pre-registration is not needed.

Deli Luncheons

The Deli Luncheons are held Tues, Wed and Thurs in our dining hall. The meal is served from 11:30 to 12:15 and the dining hall is open until 1:00. The suggested donation is \$3 for those age 60+ and \$6 for others. Each day there is a complete salad bar, soup, bread, dessert, coffee and milk. Tue and Wed features a hot entrée and Thurs features gourmet sandwiches. Make your reservations by noon on Thursday the week before you plan to attend. Call Sherri Weitzl at 630-232-3602 to make reservations.

Happy New Year!



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Looking Ahead to Fabulous February...

Art Insights: "Asian Odyssey: China, India, Tibet" Wednesday, Feb. 6

Asian Odyssey: China, India, Tibet features pictures of Asian art objects including early Chinese tomb sculptures, food vessels, porcelain vases and enamel decorated dishes. You'll see a beautiful 19th century silk robe, a pair of jade dragon pendants and a 17th century hanging scroll entitled *Strange Rocks*. Bronze and

granite sculptures of Hindu gods made in the 12th-14th centuries and colorful thangka (scroll paintings) created by Tibetan artists will be featured.

Fox Valley Volunteers for Art Insights for Seniors will present this free program on Wed., Feb. 6 from 10-11 am. The program is funded by the Hulda B. and Maurice L. Rothchild Foundation grant. Reservations: call Sherri Weitzl at 630-232-3602.

Hearing Loss Uncovered Monday, Feb. 11; 9:00 am

Find out about hearing loss and the latest in hearing instrument technology. This informal/ interactive session provides information on anatomy, hearing evaluations and features of hearing instruments. If you have questions about hearing aids, this is the perfect time to get answers. Free hearing screenings following lecture. Reservations: 630-232-3602.



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Live Life to the Fullest



Hours:

Mon-Fri 8:30-4:30

Weather-Related Closings...

Winter has arrived and with it snow and sparkling ice that turns the scenery outside our windows into a wintry wonderland. It's pretty to look at but sometimes treacherous under foot — and we want everyone to be safe. So, the Geneva Township Senior Center will conduct regular business hours from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday unless inclement weather makes travel too hazardous. On those severe weather days, all activities and programs will be cancelled and the Center closed. Check local radio stations and television broadcasts for information.



Monday and Friday Movies!

Movies will be shown on Mondays at 10:00 am and on Fridays at 1:30 pm. We'll even pop up a bowl full of popcorn and give you a bagful to enjoy. Check out the scheduled movie titles below!

Monday Movies: 10:00 am —

Jan. 7 *It's a Wonderful Life*: James Stewart, Donna Reed; Christmas angel visits

Jan. 14 *The Super*: Joe Pesci; urban comedy about a slum landlord

Jan. 28 *Bulletproof*: Gary Busey; action/adventure; CIA agent on assignment

Friday Flicks: 1:30 pm —

Jan. 4 *Three Men and a Little Lady*: Tom Selleck, Ted Danson, Steve Guttenberg

Jan. 11 *One-Eyed Jacks*: Marlon Brando, Karl Malden; Western action

Jan. 18 *Running on Empty*: Christine Lahti, Judd Hirsch, River Phoenix; drama

Jan. 25 *Erin Brockovich*: Julia Roberts; a mother fights for justice

Senior Center News You Can Use

Well Being Check Calls

Those signed up to receive Well Being Check phone calls can change the days/times or temporarily cancel the calls by calling 630-587-1068. The recorded message will give directions about how to make desired changes. If you aren't signed up, call Sherri Weilt at 630-232-3602 to register.

Lost and Found

Are you missing a glove or umbrella? The Lost and Found basket is in the Senior Center Office by Sherri's desk.

Vial of Life Program

Included with this newsletter is a clean Vial of Life form so you can update the information on the form you presently have in the vial in your refrigerator. If there are two people in your household with information in the vial, please make

a copy of the clean form before filling it out with the second person's information. Take a moment right now to fill out the form (one per person) and replace the old one with your new information. All forms should be in only one vial and placed in your refrigerator on the left side of the top shelf.

The Vial of Life program provides seniors with a vial that is used to store a medical information form that emergency medical personnel will find in a resident's refrigerator when they see the Vial of Life magnet posted on the front of the refrigerator. Your private medical information never leaves your possession until it is needed by emergency personnel.

If you haven't signed up yet, get your Vial of Life packet today at the Senior Center or call Sherri Weilt at 630-232-3602.

Deli Luncheon Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help serve Deli Luncheons Tuesday through Thursday from 10:30 to 1:00. Shifts are flexible; you could work one day or all three; choose whatever days during the month are convenient to you. The luncheon is free for volunteers on the days they work. Call Sherri Weilt at 630-232-3602 to volunteer and for details.

Beginner Computer Class

The new Beginner Computer Class session will begin on Tuesday, January 8. Volunteer Ken Johnson will address beginner questions and offer hands-on practice from 9-10:00 am each Tuesday. From 10-11:00 am, slightly more advanced students will pose questions and be able to practice on the computers during the Intermediate Computer Class. Both classes are offered free of charge.

