



Castle Rock Senior Center

THE CHATTER FOR September 2023

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ANNUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE RESULTS

A BIG Thank You to everyone who contributed to this year's Red Canoe Credit Union "Fill the Canoe" School Supply Drive. We collected \$1520 in donations which is a new high for the Castle Rock Senior Center. With the matching fund from the Red Canoe, that makes \$3040 that was donated in support of the Castle Rock School District.

BAKED POTATO DAY - OCTOBER

We are having another **Baked Potato sale on Tuesday, October 17th**. Coni Bush is once again heading up this important fundraising event, and she will be reaching out for volunteers to assist with the baked potato prep, assembly, and delivery. The community always looks forward to our baked potato days. With your help, it could be the most successful one yet! 😊

IN MEMORIAM

We were so saddened to lose Jerry Todd last month. He was a valued member of the Senior Center. He was always willing to volunteer when needed, he was a fixture at Wednesday lunch and was an avid pool player every Monday, Wednesday and Friday and donated the pool table to the Senior Center. He is survived by his son and daughter and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

REMINDER ABOUT RED CANOE COMMUNITY IMPACT DAY

As mentioned last month, on **Monday, October 9**, the Red Canoe Credit Union is sponsoring lunch and bingo for our group. As part of their Community Impact Day, their branches will be closed and staff will be supporting non-profit organizations in a day of service. Lunch, bingo, and prizes are provided by Red Canoe Credit Union.

Lunch 12 pm-1 pm
Bingo 1 pm-3:30 pm

This event can only accommodate 30 participants, **and we have our 30**. We had a lot of interest, and space filled up quite quickly. Of those who have, if you're going to be unable to make it, please let Alice know so we can open it up to others who would like to attend.

Bingo cards will cost \$1 each, the monies being donated entirely to the Senior Center. As mentioned above, prizes for bingo winners will be provided by Red Canoe Credit Union.



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Mark your calendars for our next
Baked Potato Day on Tuesday, October 17th.

NEW MEMBERS

A big welcome to Janice Davis, Pamela Casey Steele and Georgina Cayan. We hope you got your free cinnamon roll and coffee. If not, take your free certificate to the Senior Center any Monday between 9 and noon. You'll be welcomed and will have the opportunity to meet many other members.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS



♥ Indicates 90+ years young



- Georgia Cox 3rd ♥
- Dave Vorse 5th
- Jerry Jones 9th
- Rita Beck 10th
- Rosey Cherrington 10th
- Mary Chappell 13th
- Ruth Wilkerson 13th
- Julia Sinkler 15th
- Patty Keatley 20th
- Myron Nelson 24th ♥
- Richard Hallett 26th
- Ad Stinger 27th ♥
- June Hastings 29th



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Senior Center Wednesday Lunch Menu

September 6

Chicken and Noodles, Winter Blend, Orange Berry Salad, Peach Crisp

September 13

Meatloaf, Baked Potato, Sliced Carrots, Mandarin Oranges

September 20

Beef Gravy over Mashed Potatoes, Capri Blend, Spinach Strawberry Salad

September 27

Tomato Basil Meatballs, Sweet Potato Blend, Orange Parfait

Remember to **call Denise at (360) 762-3111** for reservations.



Just a quick reminder that school starts up again this month in Castle Rock, so please watch out for the kiddos.



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Important Reminders

- **Make sure you sign the Sign-In Book** located on the table each time you come into the Center. This is important, as the number of people who use the Senior Center are counted.,
- **Please bring in your unwanted yarn** for Mary Chappell. Mary is the talented lady who makes the beautiful lap robes we sell.
- **Drop off any of your unwanted medications** in the box in the main room at the Center marked for this purpose.
- **Please continue to bring in your aluminum cans.** Mary and Wayne pick them up, and money collected goes to benefit the Senior Center.
- **Donate your unwanted greeting cards** to the Senior Center.
- **Donate your glasses**, cases, etc., for the Lions Club.
- **Please consider buying raffle tickets for the quilt** hanging on the wall. Tickets are \$1 each, 6 for \$5. You can buy tickets anytime you are at the center.
- **Potluck 3rd Friday of the month.** Hope to see you there!
- **Commodities are delivered on the 3rd Thursday** of every month to our parking lot. Have your CAP ID card.
- **The Lions Food Bank delivers to the Eagles every Thursday** from 1-2 PM. Bring ID showing you live in Castle Rock or Toutle.



THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

You can count the number of seeds in an apple, but you can never count the number of apples in a single seed.