



Castle Rock Senior Center

THE CHATTER FOR MARCH 2024

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ANNUAL MEETING REPORT

Last month we held our Annual Meeting and Luncheon on Tuesday, February 13th. We had 29 attendees. We remembered those we lost in 2023, we celebrated the highlights of the past year, we visioned for the future of the Center, we welcomed four new Board members - Dorbie MacLaren, Jack George, Louise Courtright, and Dani Foster - and we had some hearty discussion on various topics. The Annual Meeting was followed by a Subway lunch and ice cream sundae bar. It was a great time of connection with new and old friends alike.

It was also announced that the current President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer will be retiring at the end of 2024, so we welcome those who may be interested in any of these positions to seriously consider and let us know.

BOARD MEETING

The next Board meeting is on **Monday, March 18th at 10:30AM** at the Center. All new and existing Board members please plan to attend as we have some very important topics to cover.

SURVEY

In an effort to best serve you and the broader community of seniors in the Castle Rock Community, we have create an anonymous **CRSC Interest and Activity Survey**. If you have not yet taken the survey, we really encourage you to either pick up and submit a paper survey at the Senior Center, OR complete the online survey which you can do here - <https://form.jotform.com/230906065871155>. This survey takes less than 60 seconds to complete and provides valuable information that helps us set the future direction of the Center in a way that best serves you and your needs, interests and desires. Your voice matters!

NEW MEMBERS

A big welcome to **Glenn Petterson, Vicki Whitemarsh, Jeannie Kaye, Judy Ensworth, Lesli Curdy, and Heidi Lineham**.. 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.

FREE TAX PREPARATION ASSISTANCE

We had a full schedule of folks who took advantage of the AARP Free Tax Aid in February. If you would like help from the AARP Tax experts in filing your taxes, we still have one slot available on **Monday March 11th** and we have several slots available on **Monday April 8th from 10AM - 12PM**. You must make an appointment to reserve your spot. **If you would like to take advantage of this**



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valuable free service, please contact Mary Nelson at 360-274-7882 to make your appointment. **NOTE: There will be no exercise or yoga on these days**

SPRING RUMMAGE AND COOKIE SALE

Our Annual Spring Rummage and Cookie Sale is being held on **Saturday April 20th from 9AM to 3PM**. We don't accept clothing, but anything else will be accepted, so start collecting 😊 Our cookie sales are always very successful. You bakers are getting a well-deserved reputation around town. We'll provide more info next month on when and where to drop off rummage items as well as those amazing cookies!



Save The Date!

SPRING RUMMAGE & COOKIE SALE

Saturday, April 20th from 9AM -3PM

Senior Center Wednesday Lunch Menu



March 6th

Sausage Tortellini Bake, Italian Bread, Sliced Oranges, Garlic Bread, Cake

March 13th

Turkey Patty Melt, Scandinavian Blend, Orange Berry Salad

March 20th

Tomato Basil Meatballs, Sweet Potato Blend, Tropical Fruit

March 27th

Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed potatoes, Capri Blend, Orange Jello Salad

For Reservations and/or questions, please call Denise at (360) 762-3111



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MARCH BIRTHDAYS ❤️ Indicates 90+ years young

Name	Date	Name	Date	Name	Date
Bob Heuer	1	Mike Murphy	14	Susan Barker	25
Pamela Casey Steele	2	Don Anderson	14	Janis Dimmitt	25
Carol Buryard	2	Betty Culver	15	Richard (Dick) Nevers	25
Helen Breisch	3	Patrick McCourt	15	Jean Kapela	26
Butch Brenaman	3	Donna Roller	15	Babe Morant ❤️	26
Alice Peterson	3	Virgil Huff	16	Lois White	26
Frankie Sutton ❤️	6	Barbara VanLieu	16	Myrtle Pete	26
Doris Hale	6	Jerry Kelley	16	Carol Raynor	27
Pat Reilly	6	Don Caulfield	17	Lila Waite	27
Jackie Fuller	7	Marie Burnett	17	Rose Green	28
Alice Dougherty	7	Pat Lunday	17	Evelyn Montoya	28
Bessie Johnson	8	Cynthia Smith	19	Victor Holcomb	28
Nick Ablamis	10	Joel Kandoll	19	Debbie Taylor	30
Kathy Kyllonen	10	Nancy Calhoun	19	Susan Wooldridge	30
Tina Wooster	11	Harry Jones	19	Mike Shannon	30
Karen Wheeler	11	Rhonda Ivory	20	Anne Kahle	30
Glen Paget	11	Tori Teegarden	21	Verna Davis	31
Rose DeFoe	11	Ruth Walker	21	Barbara Ness	31
Pamela Paskell	11	June Beaston	22		
Vicky Hansen	12	Ann Richards	22		
Dorothy Mahar	12	Lee Doehne	23		
John Bell	12	Ryana Covington	23		



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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 just inside the door to the City Hall.
 - **Please continue to bring in your aluminum cans.** Mary and Wayne Chappell 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.
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THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

Logic will get you from A to B.

Imagination will take you everywhere!

~ Albert Einstein ~