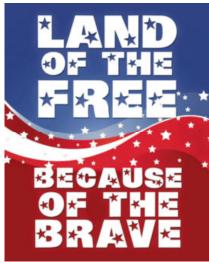
G@LDEN YEARS



_ This year on Memorial Day may you remember those who have paved the way of FREEEDOM in America. We have become very nonchalant about our freedoms. The war in the Ukraine has shed a light on what freedom truly means and what the catastrophe of war really is. Memorial Day is set aside to HONOR all those who gave their lives so that we may be free. Families grieve from their loss but as Americans we should bow our heads and thank God for those brave enough to be in any branch of the Military. There are many unsung heroes that have fought drug lords, saved children

from harm, busted up the cartel, fought in combat, were imprisoned when captured by the enemy. Many soldiers suffered from PTSD, lost limbs, lost their families due to their service. Memorial Day is not just a day off from work but a day set aside to thank those who gave their lives in various ways to the service of their country. Please take a moment on Memorial Day to say a prayer of thanks to all who have served our Country and for their loved ones who miss them.





Bucky Badger Contest :

We have hidden a Bucky Badger somewhere in this newsletter. If you have the patience to hunt for it, and are lucky enough to find it, drop a note in the box in the office. Include your name, phone number and where the logo was located. We will have a random drawing of all correct entries to win a free lunch card to use for senior dining at Germantown Senior Center. Please submit your entries by the 9th of each month

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INFORMATION

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SENIOR CENTER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Trustee: Dennis Myers, Trustee: Jan Miller Citizen Representative: Norine Janzen Senior Representative: Jackie Shebesta Senior Representative:: Faye Price

CENTER OPERATION & PROCEDURES Wheels for Germantown

Need a ride to the grocery store, bank, shopping, doctor, dentist, or to the Senior Center? Wheels for Germantown is just for you! The van service is provided by our volunteer drivers for Germantown residents 55+ and operates Tuesday - Fridays from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. On Mondays from 9-1. Call 262 -253-7799 for more information and/or to make a reservation.

Germantown Senior Dining

The Germantown Senior Center meal site is run through the Washington County Aging and Disability Resource Center. A nutritious meal is served Monday through Friday at 11:30 a.m. To make a reservation call (414) 380-8666 by 12:00 (noon) the day before Diners must be 60 or older. A donation of \$3.60 is suggested.

Meal Reservations : (414) 380-8666 Senior Dining Site Manager: Monica Cammack

Just an FYI Due to the limit of staff at the Center we cannot provide one on one assistance during events, classes, or trips. It is your responsibility to provide your own assistance if needed.



Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County 1.877.306-3030 or 262.335.4497

ADRC BENEFIT SPECIALIST -

Jennifer Fechter –no in house appointments at this time but Jennifer is available by phone. 262.335.4497 or 1.877.306.3030

Washington County Shared Ride Taxi Service 262.338.2908

Washington Co. Interfaith Caregivers Van Service 262.365.0902

Germantown Senior Van Service

262.253.7799 Monday– 9-1 Tues- Friday 9-2:30 reservation 24 hours prior to service required.

Just an FYI *****We do not provide pillows, adaptive chairs etc at the Center. If you need something special you are required to bring it with you.



Gambling Trips to HO-Chunk Casino

Thursday, June 30, 2022

Join us for a one day get away to HO-Chunk Dells. You will receive \$25 in credits on your players club card at Ho-Chunk. You don't have a player's club card? No problem they will sign you up when you get there, and you can enjoy the free credits also. You must bring a valid ID with you and use your players card at all times while at the casino. The departure is from Germantown Center Mall parking lot at 8 am sharp! Return about 5:30 pm

Cost: Residents: \$36.00 Non-residents: \$46.00 Please register by June 19 Maximum: 10 Sign up is open. Almost full so don't delay in making reservations .



Comedy Sportz Night Friday August 12, 2022 6 pm-9 pm

Join us for an evening of great food, great entertainment with lots of laughter and if you wish, adult beverages. Tickets for this event will go on sale the beginning of July. This event is sponsored by The Germantown Recreation Dept/Sr. Center and will be held at the Senior Center. This event is open to those age 21 +. Cost: \$22.50

Your meal will consist of two entrees, potatoes, vegetable, cole slaw, side salad, and pie for dessert.

Phone Technology Class Every Thursday in May from 10 am to 11:30 am . Tressa will be teaching you how to use your smart or your I phone to its capability. What does that mean? What do I do with my pictures on the phone. How do I get pictures off of text messages, how do I access my email, how do I program the phone to do what I want? This class is free but you must register to attend. When you register you can also submit what it is that you exactly want to learn so the instructor will be ready for you. This is a group setting but help will be individualized to meet each persons needs. FREE

<u>Computer Assistance Every Friday in May</u> from 10 am to 11:30 am Tressa will be available to assist you with your I pads or on the computers in the computer lab at the Senior Center. You will be ask her to teach you how to do what it is that you want to learn. These are not individual appointments but rather help in a group setting but individualized to meet your needs. You must pre-register for the day that you would like help. FREE

Bocce Join us on Friday afternoons starting in June for Bocce (lawn bowling, Italian style) Teams are formed each week. Bring along a lawn chair and your own cold beverage. Game play starts at 1 pm. sharp. We have a beautiful bocce court, hope you come and enjoy it. FREE. No registration is needed. FREE



"What Happens in Vegas"

June 15, 2022 \$90.00 per person

For over 70 years Las Vegas has been the entertainment capital of the world. Just about every great entertainer has appeared in Las Vegas over the last seven decades.



The world's best singers, dancers, musicians, and comedians have flocked to this city where dreams become reality. Now The Fireside will pay tribute to many of those legendary performers in an all new live band show featuring Steve Watts and the celebrated Fireside Band. From the early days with Frank Sinatra and the Rat Pack to the contemporary artists of today, we'll feature the work of many Las Vegas favorites in the most spectacular band show yet. What happens in Vegas won't stay in Vegas. It will be here for all to see and enjoy on the stage of The Fireside Theatre Sign up for this trip closes on May 9, 2022.

"GREASE" Oct. 12, 2022

Join Sandy and Danny in this wonderful musical about growing up in the 50's. Includes your transportation, your meal, the show and all gratuities. Sign up is now open \$90.00 per person



Fireside Christmas "White Christmas" Wednesday, December 7, 2022

\$90.00 per person Enjoy the Music of Erving Berlin's White Christmas . Includes transportation, your meal, the show and all gratuities. Sign up is now open.



The Golden Tones Choir will be at the Senior Center on Wednesday, May 18, 2022 at 10 am. for their Spring Concert. Come and join us for a fun filled (free) morning. Refreshments will be served. Please call the Center to sign up to attend.

TRIPS

Gangster Boat Tour– Lake Como Thursday, June 9, 2022

Depart from the G-town Senior Center at 10 am Enjoy lunch at Mars Resort on Lake Como. After lunch we will enjoy a pontoon ride on the lake with journalist Tom Laughlin. He will tell us all about when Lake Como was host to the gangsters : Bugs Moran, Baby Face Nelson, John Dillinger and a host of others. Cost is \$69.00 which includes transportation, lunch, tour, and all gratuities. Sign up closes May 16

Milwaukee Lakefront Fireworks Sunday, July 3, 2022

Sign up is open now, we do know that the fireworks will not be cancelled this year. We go to the War Memorial via



motor coach and are dropped off 1 block from the entrance. At the Memorial you will enjoy a buffet dinner of picnic items, all you care to eat, wine and beer. Then sit back, relax and enjoy the spectacular fireworks which are shot off from barges right in front of where you are sitting. Reminder do not wear white.

Brewer's Game Wednesday, July 27, Brewer's vs. Minnesota Twins 1:10 pm game time

Attend a Brewer's Game with Family and Friends and you won't have to worry about the parking. We arrive in grand style on our motor coach and are dropped off at the handicapped entrance on the first base side of the park. Our seats are located in the shade, close to restrooms and food vendors and very few steps to do. The motor coach departs from the Germantown Center Mall at 11:15 am and returns about 5:30 pm depending on the game! Sign up opens April 4 and closes on June 10. Cost: \$50.00 per person



Germantown Senior Center Van Rides <u>Monday—Friday</u> Van Service Information:



(Reservations are only taken Monday -Friday ... no calls accepted Sat or Sun)

- Van operates <u>Monday 9-1 Tuesday through Friday</u> <u>9 am-2:30 pm</u>
- <u>Must call 24 hours in advance to book a ride (weekdays only)</u>, phone calls need to be received between 8 am and 4:15 pm the day before the ride you desire. 262.253.7799
- <u>Must reside in the village for ride pick up</u>
- When you make a reservation, please have the address of where you are going,, where you are being picked up and your phone number.
- You are charged according to the mileage involved in the trip there and back
- We try to get as close to your desired time as possible, <u>please be on time as we book many</u> rides a day.
- Must be 55 years of age or older to use this service.
- Driver's cannot enter passengers home, a rider must be able to get out to the van on their own or have a caregiver with them.
- We cannot transport people home from the hospital or ER after a procedure,
- We also cannot transport large items in the van such as furniture, televisions etc.
- If the Center is Closed due to weather or a holiday, there is no van service.



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.lpicommunities.com Germantown Senior Club, Germantown, WI A 4C 01-1438

Computer Room– The room is open for use. Copies or printed pages are 10 cents each.



****We have computer/device instruction available for individuals/couples at this time. Please call Mary for more information to set up an appointment for assistance. This is fee based instruction. The instructor is a computer guru.

Visit The Seven Continents ... from a chair.....

Join us on **Friday, June 24, 2022** at 1 pm for an armchair travel presentation by John and Cathy Ley, they will share their travel experiences from all seven continents. They have a passion for travel and most of their travels are unique because they plan their own trips and adhere to a "shoe-string budget." Not only are they interested in landscapes and wildlife, they also enjoy experiencing native cultures. This program is free but pre-registration is required. **Sign up begins April 4 and closes on June 10th**

Strider's Adventures Group ******

If you like to walk but you don't like to walk alone then join us in this new activity. Kathy will be our leader, We will pick various locations go walking, our first organization information meeting will be held on Thursday, June 2 at 10 am at the Senior Center, we will walk the area in and around Firemen's Park and then have a fruit and beverage snack in the Senior Center after the walk to discuss future adventures. This group will meet every Thursday morning at 10 am. This is a walk at your own pace and you will log in your individual steps. There will not be a commitment of how many days you need to participate, it is your decision. After one year, awards will be given out for various STRIDER accomplishments. Any questions, call Mary at 262.253.7799



JACKPOT BINGO Wednesday, MAY 19 1:00 pm \$3.00 to play (please pay in 1 dollar bills)



THE "BIG" EVENT ...

Join us for a delightful summer evening at the Senior Center! We have the band, BIG BASS TRIO booked for a splendid fun filled evening. This trio plays a variety of music from Johnny Cash to rock to folk music to Elvis. This is one group you do not want to miss. A guitar, a standup bass and drums complete the Trio. This group has played many festivals and venues in the south east area of Wisconsin. You will be singin' along while enjoying delectable, luscious gourmet

delights. This event is free but requires pre-registration. Event open to those who are 55 or better. 5 –8 pm August 24



Goin' on a Safari....in Germantown Put on

your animal print clothing and join us for a fun filled and informative afternoon all about the animal kingdom. We will have a guest speaker Hear the wonderful stories about the animals and how they are cared for and what it takes to run a wildlife zoo. Hopefully we will have some four-legged guests as well. After the educational program you will be served a special edible treat. (no wild animals) This program is free but pre-registration is required. Date to be determined.

Starting in June, the G-town Library will be doing a special program 1 x month at the Senior Center. The first one will be flower arranging. Watch the calendar for details. This will be every month on the 4th Wednesday at 1 pm. Welcome! Please call the center to sign up to attend.

MAY 4, 2022 1:00 pm Movie - "Cry Macho" 2021 2 H 1 M PG-13

Written by N. Richard Nash before his death in 2000, it is based on his 1975 novel of the same name, with Nick Schenk being credited as a co-writer. The plot follows a former rodeo star (Eastwood) who is hired to return a young man (Eduardo Minett) in Mexico back to his father in the United States.

Bring your own beverage...a snack will be served, please call 262.253.7799 to sign up to attend.





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Germantown Senior Center Presents: Diamond Tours BRANSON SHOW EXTRAVAGANZA OCTOBER 3-8, 2022 Monday-Saturday \$597.00 6 days 5 nights Double Occupancy

- Motor coach Transportation
- 5 nights lodging including 3 consecutive nights in the Branson area
- 8 meals: 5 breakfast and 3 dinners
- Admission to 6 fabulous shows including: ALL HANDS ON DECK, DOUG GABREIEL MORNING SHOW & A NEIL DIAMOND TRIBUTE SHOW
- Three evening shows: THE HAYGOODS SHOW, PRESLEYS COUNTRY JUBILEE SHOW & JESUS Show at the Sight & Sound Theatre
- And much more

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\$75.00 Due upon Signing. *Price per person, based on double occupancy. Add \$179.00 for single occupancy.

Final payment is due: 7/27/22

If you are interested in participating in this trip please pick up a copy of the registration form at the Germantown Senior Center

The Amazing Race...Senior Style Wednesday, September 14

Sign up is not quite open yet, but mark your calendars so that you can sign up for a challenging adventure. <u>Teams of 2 people</u> will be exploring the Germantown Area during the Amazing Senior Race. Yes, you must be able to drive, have a phone that takes photos and are clever so you can figure out clues. Do you fit that bill with a partner? Then don't miss this event. This event is open to those age 55 and better. More details to come next month. Sign up will open July 1. FREE and there are cash prizes



Take a Walk Back in Time....Amish Country Kingston, Dalton Area June 7, 2022 the van is not

handicapped accessible. Cost: \$25.00per person (photos cannot be taken at the Amish stops) Trip is full.



America





Eyeglass Donations-We are accepting eyeglass donations. If you have glasses that you cannot use any longer, donate them for the Lion's Club Vision Mission. This is on going throughout the year.

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS ARE ACCEPTED M-F AT THE GERMANTOWN SENIOR CENTER. All donations go to the Germantown Food pantry. Non-perishable please!

Please note that if you sign up for an activity or event and are unable to show on that day, we request that you contact the Senior Center Office. We keep a waiting list of folks who would like to participate and if you do not cancel your reservation, another person is deprived of attending. We purchase food based on attendance and do not want to waste our dollars on excess.



MAY 2022					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
2 1:00 Billiards 1:00 Corn Hole 1:00 Open Sheepshead 1:00 Wii Bowling	3 9:00 Deco Art 10:00 Zumba 1:00 Tournament Sheepshead 1:00 Polish Poker	4 10:00 Cooking Class Quick Hacks Sign up required Limited to 12 people 1:00 Movie "Cry Macho"	5 9:30 Chat n Crafts 10:00 Phone Technology Class Sign up 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Dartball	6 10:00 Computer Assistance Class Sign up 1:00 Canasta 1:00 Hand & Foot 3:00 Billiards	
9 1:00 Billiards 1:00 Corn Hole 1:00 Open Sheepshead 1:00 Wii Bowling 1:00 Club Board Mtg	10 9:00 Deco Art 10:00 Zumba 1:00 Tournament Sheepshead 1:00 Polish Poker	11 9:00 Fireside Trip 12:30 Club Meeting & Club Bingo (Wear nametag)	12 9:30 Chat N Crafts 10:00 Phone Technology Class Sign up 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Dartball	13 10:00 Computer Assistance Class Sign up 1:00 Hand & Foot 3:00 Billiards	
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30 Memorial Day Sr. Center Closed	31 9:00 Deco Art 1:00 Sheepshead Tournament 1:00 Polish Poker 2:30 Yoga	MEMOR Remember AND Honor			

Senior Club News

The next Club meeting is May 11 at 12:30 pm. <u>Please be sure to wear your nametag</u>. If you do not have a nametag, please contact Susan at the Senior Center 262.253.7799 so we can have it ready for you on the day of the meeting. Bingo will be played after the meeting for Club Members only. Make sure you have your 2022 membership dot on your badge. You may get one from the office.

Senior Club 5th Wednesday Events

Club Picnic will be Wednesday, June 29, 2022 at 11:30 am. August 31st is a Fifth Wednesday, no details yet. Club Christmas Party will be on Wednesday, November 30th

Club Membership is \$18.00 per year: membership provides that your newsletter is mailed to you, you get a reduced price on Club 5th Wednesday events, you can attend Club meetings once a month which includes Club bingo and your birthday listed in newsletter.

SENIOR CLUB BOARD

President: Sue Hafert Vice-President: Barb Schultz Secretary: Lori Hoft Treasurer: Della Rogers Membership/Sunshine: Renee Stuesse



Club Members Birthdays for May

2– Shirley Schroeder	12–Allan Christenson	14– Richard Saeger
18– Phyllis Nault	19– Gail Hanson	19– Ted Torcivia
20– Lucille Kiltinen	22 -Kenneth Thom	22 -Wayne Nelson
23– Patricia Kramp	27– Markie Meyer	28 Terry Cyra

The Club Picnic will be held on June 29th at 11:30 am at the Senior Center. Enjoy a picnic type lunch with entertainment by Rick and Dave after lunch. They regularly entertain at Honecor Golf Club. Sign up opens May 1st and closes on June 9, 2022. The cost: Club Member: \$12.00 Non-Member: \$20.00

*Payable in cash or check written out to The G-town Senior Club. (register at the receptionist desk)

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