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### **Hours**

Monday-Friday 8:00am - 4:00pm

### Our mission

The Steuben County Council on Aging's mission is to keep seniors active, involved and independent! To provide access to the entire community through Public Transportation.

Heritage Club Members,

I often say time is a thief and it definitely is. I have no idea how we are already into June. I must however admit I am very welcoming of this warmer weather and being able to be outside.

This is a very exciting month for me personally, my son is graduating from high school, he is preparing to leave for Marine Corp bootcamp and all of my family is coming to visit from Kansas. I am excited to announce that my family will be coming for a meet and greet on Friday June 3rd. I am so excited that my family has the opportunity to meet you all. I talk so much about the joy you members bring me and they too are excited to meet you all.

I hope June brings you all good health, warm and happy hearts. I am so blessed to be here with you all!

Jami Woodyard

**Executive Director** 

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MON	TUES	WED 1	THURS 2	FRI 3			
Hello		9:00am Bible Study 10:15am Exercise Class 12:30pm Canasta 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong	9:00am Yoga 9:00am Party Bridge 9:00am Pinochle 9:30am Hair Salon/Call for Appt.	10:15am Exercise Class 11:00am Meet ED Family 12:30pm Hand & Foot 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong			
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10:15am Exercise Class 12:00pm Shanghai Rummy 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong 11:30am to 12:30pm— Featured Food of the Month: Pie	9:30am Tai Chi 10:00am Grief Counseling 12:00pm Bid Euchre 1:00pm Cardio Drumming 1:00pm Mah-Jongg	9:00am Garden Club 10:15am Exercise Class 11:30am Senior Advisory Mtg 12:30pm Canasta 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong	9:00am Party Bridge 9:00am Pinochle 9:30am Hair Salon/Call for Appt.  Alzheimer's/Dementia Support Group—Call Heritage Club for more details.	8:30am 2nd Friday Breakfast/Courtesy of Northern Lakes Nursing Home—Guest Speaker: Denise Hunter 10:15am Exercise Class 12:30pm Hand & Foot 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong			
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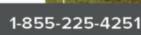
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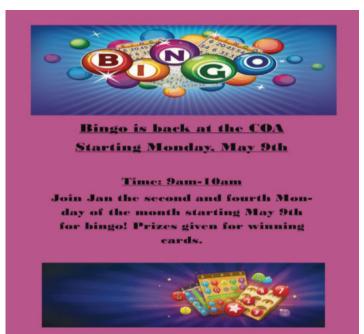
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\*\*\*\*MEMBERSHIP EXPIRATIONS\*\*\*\*

We still have several Members that have let their Membership Dues lapse. Please stop at the Front Desk to see that your dues are upto-date. Thank You SO MUCH!!

### **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

Join Jonathon Jeran, RN from
Heartland Home Health and Hospice every other Tuesday in the
Serenity Room. Please check
Newsletter Calendar for listed
dates. 10:00 AM—11:00 AM



# The History of Father's Day

It was while listening to a Mother's Day sermon in 1909 that the idea of Father's Day suddenly struck Spokane, Washington resident Sonora Dodd. She wanted to honor her own father, William Smart, who was well-deserving of a special day as a widowed farmer left alone to raise his six kids single-handedly. One year after, residents embraced the ideas so warmly that by June 19, 1910 the first Father's Day celebration was proclaimed in Spokane because it was the month of Dodd's father's birth. Decades later, the first presidential proclamation honoring fathers was issued in 1966 when President Lyndon Johnson designated the third Sunday in June as Father's Day. Father's Day in America has been officially celebrated annually since 1972 when President Richard Nixon signed the public law that made it permanent. Then the whole world celebrated it too. Due to her efforts, Sonora Dodd is known today as "the mother of Father's Day".

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### MEMBERS HAPPENINGS & BIRTHDAYS

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Leona Benedict	1-Jun	Vicki L Watts	12-Jun	Sandy M Rozell	21-Jun
Diana L Reynolds	1-Jun	June Julien	13-Jun	Dianne Hicks	22-Jun
Carolyn Palmer	2-Jun	Jane Dunlap	14-Jun	Lori L Hickey	22-Jun
Walter J David	2-Jun	Laura K Lovell	14-Jun	Susan R Secor	23-Jun
Beverly A Gerner	2-Jun	Enos Wengerd	14-Jun	Tom O Secor	24-Jun
Paul E Summers	2-Jun	Joyce E Gutstein	15-Jun	Dixie D Orr	25-Jun
Neil A Doty	3-Jun	Nancie L Zielke	15-Jun	Karen E Schweitzer	26-Jun
David R Keipper	3-Jun	Cheri A Mattox	16-Jun	Eloise A Quinn	26-Jun
Carolyn A Fry	3-Jun	Lorene Penick	17-Jun	Frances M Ort	27-Jun
Cathy A Ryan	3-Jun	Harry E Krebs	17-Jun	Carolyn E Mellinger	27-Jun
Dareen K McClelland	3-Jun	Arlene J Wells	17-Jun	Sandra M Leamon	27-Jun
Dan S Pulver	4-Jun	Kenneth L Shelton	18-Jun	Judy H Astle	27-Jun
Roger N Baker	6-Jun	James W Voelz	18-Jun	James W Sircey	28-Jun
Marcia E Silberg	7-Jun	Dale G Caudill	18-Jun	Carl E Smith	28-Jun
Constance L Downey	8-Jun	Debbie J Tyler	19-Jun	Joni J Timpe	29-Jun
Jana M German	8-Jun	James R Horein	20-Jun	Rick Koehler	29-Jun
Vida Besherse	9-Jun	Albert A Guilford	20-Jun	Karen W Shelton	30-Jun
Jan McDevitt	9-Jun	Janie C Copeland	21-Jun	John E Claydon	30-Jun
Vicki G Peters	10-Jun	Stephanie E Feller	21-Jun	Jennifer L Martin	30-Jun
Donna J Holcomb	11-Jun	Betty J LaFever	21-Jun	Alan E Oury	30-Jun
Barbara A McNeish	11-Jun	Sarah J Beckman	21-Jun		



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Transportation
Clients
Served.....106

Total Trips Made....1069

New Transportation Clients....4

Jami joined 850 transit members from throughout the US last month in Louisville Kentucky. The CTAA Transit National Conference was 5 days and consisted of many great workshops. In the coming months there will be new things rolling out with STAR. First thing will be servicing our Vets more through a partnership with the local American Legion. This will include reduced rates for vets.









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Heart disease is the leading cause of death for both men and women worldwide. Research shows that 1 in 4 deaths can be attributed to heart disease. Experts say it doesn't have to be this way. Many risk factors that contribute to cardiac diseases can be controlled with a healthy lifestyle.

In honor of National Heart Month, recognized in February each year, we are sharing steps you can take to lower your risk for heart disease.

### 9 Steps to Promote Heart Health

- 1. Eat a healthy breakfast: Start the day off right with a well-balanced breakfast. This sets the tone for the food choices you'll make all day. A breakfast high in fiber and protein, such as a bowl of oatmeal or a smoothie, will also keep you feeling full longer. That makes you less likely to reach for sugary treats midmorning.
- 2. Sweets in moderation: Everyone likes a sweet treat now and then. The key is to indulge only in moderation. Elevated blood sugar levels are linked to heart disease, especially for women. The American Heart Association guidelines recommend no more than 6 teaspoons per day of added sugar for women, and 9 teaspoons for men.
- 3. Skip processed foods: Western diets are often filled with packaged and processed foods. Though they may be convenient, most are high in sodium, trans fat, and calories. Too much sodium increases blood pressure putting you at a high risk for cardiac-related illnesses. The added calories and fat can also contribute to weight gain and obesity.
- **4. Limit alcohol:** You may be surprised to learn that overindulging in alcohol can increase your risk for heart disease. While some studies seem to indicate red wine is good for your heart, it's important to limit how much you consume. Ask your physician for advice on how much alcohol is safe considering your personal medical history.
- **5. Stay active:** A sedentary lifestyle, especially when combined with a lack of exercise, also raises your risk for heart disease. In fact, researchers say sitting too much can be as dangerous for your health as smoking! Lower your risk by exercising at least 150 minutes a week and avoid sitting for long periods of time. It might help to invest in a fitness tracker that counts the steps you take, as well as alerts you if you've been sedentary for too long.
- 6. Sleep well: Many adults underestimate the importance of a good night's rest. Too little sleep leaves you tired and groggy. That can cause you to make bad choices during the day, such as watching too much television or indulging in too many carbohydrates. If you aren't able to sleep well or if you feel tired when you wake up, talk to your physician. You might have a medical issue that needs to be addressed.





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### Men's and Women's Health Talk

Thursday, June 30th 11:30-12:30

#### Presenters:

Ryan Sheets, Wellness Coordinator Hailey Meert, Registered Dietitian Nutritionist From Cameron Memorial Hospital

### Topic:

Focused on general diet and health measures. The importance of having a relationship with a family physician, importance of preventative health screenings, how to get activity in your lifestyle, good foods to look for,

Light Snacks Provided-Courtesy of Cameron Hospital



### Second Friday Breakfast Friday, June 10th @ 8:30am

Sponsored By: Northern Lakes Nursing and Rehabilitation

**Guest Speaker: Author Denise Hunter** RSVP by calling into the Heritage Club or in person at the

#### Short Bio

Denise Hunter is the internationally published bestselling author of more than 40 books, three of which have been adapted into Hallmark movies. When Denise isn't orchestrating love on the written page, she enjoys travel-ing with her family, playing drums, and reading as much as humanly possible Denise makes her home in Indiana where she and her husband have raised three boys and are currently enjoying an empty nest



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### Summer Ice cream Word Search! RWNNKXBCBBBOVNTXNXVCUVKE OPXLEDEARUMENDNRIDAEWBEK GQFOKLAVOTAFOULIVMRBY HFFZEGUTZEQUPSMIAEGLCTEP RXNSEEIEXWDMQJQRMWRUGAVSE V U W M E R C L W H E F T E E Y Z N V L P K M R V W A C S E U A V T A P J L P P M C O R E C N Q YPHCYRREBWARTSPJICJMAPZB AOWHSMELFHDVREPOSE BTFOAVKAXAOOAGPHDYTPHDZE CWWNKTIOJYVJNFCUKPDAMDCP NBAGNWZBZDONIZACIP ONZHPYCMTOJOLXTVIOQGFHQK ZAOGNAMBHDZTJLNEIMCBBDPIN CHERRYGGOVRNAVJEXXEX V I Q Q M B V A N R F P A S K G C V O J F ESXYBUBBLEGUMDTCHLAMEATBL IKPMUPJJKZFUSVISLGQFQFEK XOSMFBZRCLYRQNALXYXB PUUUHOHKGSYKXZOIVONIHQINT ANXVIHLPYQYSGGTNGPFKDCWY BMOQHQSGPIQMQHCRTGAQGZOW ZXFZCSUKUGLVZPTZFZWOEAPRT QCSQOOWABLDZFXVLEFOQUNDBX MVNMBQCVVLODWQEDNVHSJCNIV Chocolate Peach Banana Coconut Peppermint Brownie Coffee Pistachio Bubblegum Butterscotch Mango Pumpkin Strawberry Caramel Maple

Neapolitan



Cherry

Vanilla

# Mother's Dary







We had a beautiful Mother's Day tea, thanks to our sponsor Lakeland Rehabilitation center in Angola. Around forty-five moms enjoyed a presentation from Toni owner of Just Breathe Salt Room. She spoke about the health benefits of pink Himalayan salt and even gifted all the ladies with some goodie bags. Members also ate some delicious food and sipped on different varieties of tea while enjoying each other's company.









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### DID YOU KNOW?

### ...these fun facts about our staff:

### This Month—Kelly McKee—Star Transportation Scheduler

- \*Where was your first Job? K-Mart
- \*How do you wind down after work? Coffee and sitting outside
- \*What is your favorite thing to do when you're not working? Anything with my family
- \*If all jobs had the exact same salary, which career would you want? Own a farm animal sanctuary
- \*How do you describe what you do for a living to your family and friends? I schedule trips for public transportation
- \*What's a topic you wish you knew more about? Politics
- \*Where are you in birth order (Oldest, Middle, Youngest)? I'm the baby
- \*How many different states have you lived in? One
- \*What kind of pet(s) do you have and how did you choose name(s)? 2 cats & 2 dogs
- \*If you could choose any age to be forever, what age and why? 35
- \*What are 3 items you would take with you to a deserted island? Chapstick, fishing line, matches
- \*What's your favorite sports team? None
- \*If you could only eat one meal for the rest of your life, what would it be? Filet Mignon, baked potato
- \*What TV show or movie do you absolutely refuse to watch and why? Most reality shows
- \*What is the furthest you've ever been from home? San Antonio, Texas
- \*What characteristic do you like most about yourself? Being helpful
- \*If you could live in any city, where would it be and why? Bryson City, NC in the mountains, small town
- \*When you were in elementary school, what did you want to be when you grew up? Teacher

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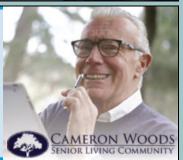
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## **SECOND FRIDAY BREAKFAST**

It was a beautiful sunny day for our May Second Friday Breakfast. Members ate biscuits and gravy, fresh fruit, bakery breads and pastries. The fabulous ladies from Northern Lakes Nursing and Rehabilitation cooked all morning. We always appreciate them making this great event possible. Our guest speaker was Executive Director of the Steuben County Humane Shelter, Adrienne Long. Members enjoyed her presentation and had a lot of great questions for Adrienne. Be sure to sign up for the June breakfast as these special events do fill up fast.









# FOOD OF THE MONTH









We had a big treat for Mays food of the month celebration. Bobbi Lane from Astral of Auburn treated members to a boxed lunch made by the chef at Astral. Lunches included brick yard sandwiches, homemade chips, pasta salad and cookies! We had around 50 members in attendance for this wonderful event. Thank you again to our sponsor. Be sure to sign up for our June Food of the Month which will be a pie baking contest.

### Father's Day Celebration



Friday, June 17th 11:30-12:30pm



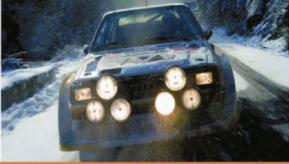
Join us for a Father's Day celebration. Members will enjoy a hotdog cookout and a car show at the COA. Be sure to sign up by stopping into the center or calling 260-665-8191.





Happy Father's Day!





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