JANUARY 2022

NORTH PLATTE <u>SENIOR CENTER CURRENTLY OPEN FOR</u> <u>CONGREGATE LUNCH, HOME DELIVERY</u> <u>AND PICK-UPS</u>



The North Platte Senior Center is funded in part by the West Central Nebraska Area Agency on Aging under the authority of the Older Americans Act and the generous contributions of our clients and those who support our programs including Mid Plains United Way.

The North Platte Senior Center is administered by Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska, a private, non-profit organization. The Senior Center provides information and referral services, health programs as well as many different programs for you to participate in.

We serve individuals sixty years of age or older and also welcome anyone of any age for meals and friendship. Congregate meals and Home Delivered Meals are served Monday through Friday at a suggested rate of **\$5.00** for persons over 60. Persons under the age of 60 are charged a set price of **\$7.00** per meal. Children age 5 to age 10 is \$5.00.

Consider making a Charitable Gift to benefit the North Platte Senior Center. These contributions and memorials allow the Center to use your donations where it is needed most. Unrestricted gifts allow us to continually enhance our programs for the elderly. The North Platte Senior Center is a 501(c)3 nonprofit agency and your gift is tax deductible.

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Events		JANUARY 2022		
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 LUNCH 11:30 AM– 1:00 PM PITCH LADIES 12:30 PM MERRY WIDOWS 12:30 PM	4 LUNCH 11:30 AM– 1:00 PM TUESDAY CANASTA 12:00 PM	5 FLYING NEEDLES 9:00 AM—2:00 PM LUNCH 11:30 AM– 1:00 PM DANCE 7:00 PM– 10:00 PM RAY MULLEN	6 LUNCH 11:30 AM– 1:00 PM PENNIES 1:00 PM	7 FLYING NEEDLES 9:00 AM- 2:00 PM LUNCH 11:30 AM- 1:00 PM BRIDGE CLUB 12:30 PM OPEN CARD PARTY 6:00 PM
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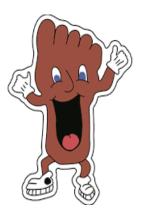
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Community News



Community Connections Mentoring is a communitybased program for youth ages kindergarten through 7th grade. Mentoring pairs have the flexibility of meeting at any of your favorite public locations around town or during school lunch and time together can include our monthly group activities and community service projects.

Research confirms that quality mentoring relationships have powerful positive effects on young people in a variety of personal, academic, and professional situations. Unfortunately, one in three young people will grow up without any type of mentor. And with each additional risk factor a young person experiences, the less likely he or she will connect with a mentor. To close this gap, it will take everyone from parents, students and teachers to counselors, coaches and family friends – anyone who has a touch point in a young person's life.

What does it take to be a mentor?

- Have the willingness to listen and offer encouragement
- Ability to share what you've learned about life
- Be 18 or older and reside in Lincoln County
- Complete the application and matching process
- Spend 4 to 8 hours a monthly interacting with your mentee learn a new skill together, walk the dog, run errands, have ice cream, get to know each other and have some fun!



Be consistent and reliable, expect some ups and downs, and be willing to learn as you go

When youth in our program were asked "What is the best thing about having a mentor?" they responded:



"Being nicer, being happier, being more responsible."

"That adults don't have to be just family. They can be friends and help you out."

"I'm more confident. I used to think I didn't deserve a spot in the world, but now I do."

"I've learned how to golf, kinds of trees, different restaurant. I've learned to compare books I've read to movies that I see with my mentor."

Mentoring, at its core, guarantees young people that there is someone who cares about them, assures them they are not alone in dealing with day-today challenges, and makes them feel like they matter.

Call 308-696-0975 for information or go to www.CommunityConnectionsLC.org

Community News

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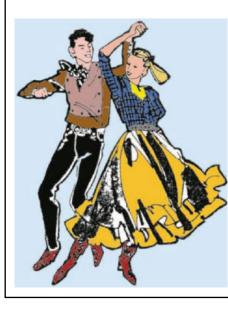
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JANUARY 12TH—Top Shelf Country

JANUARY 19TH—Ray Mullen

JANUARY 26TH—Mike Berry & Friends

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Community Events

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Should auld acquaintance be forgot, And never brought to mind? Should auld acquaintance be forgot, And auld lang syne?

For auld lang syne, my jo, For auld lang syne, We'll take a cup of kindness yet, For auld lang syne!

And surely ye'll be your pint-stowp, And surely I'll be mine. And we'll tak a cup of kindness yet, For suld lang syne!

Creamy Crockpot Hot Chocolate

-b cups of milk -1 1/2 cups heavy cream -1 can of sweetened condensed milk (14or -package milk chocolate chips (12or) -1 teaspoon vanilla extract

RECIPE

King Crab Appetizers

Ingredients

- 2 (12 ounce) packages refrigerated biscuit dough
- 1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
- 1 (6 ounce) can crab meat, drained
- 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese
- ¹/₂ cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 2 tablespoons thinly sliced green onion
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 pinch paprika



Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees F (190 degrees C). Lightly grease 12 tartlet pans.
- 2. Divide rolls in half and press into the prepared tartlet pans. Set aside.
- 3. In a large bowl, combine cream cheese, crab, mayonnaise, Parmesan cheese, Cheddar cheese, green onions and Worcestershire sauce. Spoon 1 teaspoon of mixture into tarts and garnish with paprika.
- 4. Bake at 375 degrees F (190 degrees C) for 15 to 20 minutes, or until light brown. These freeze wonderfully. Just reheat before serving.



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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A CHESS CLUB OR GROUP?

We would love to bring new groups to the Senior Center and we think Chess would be a great way to get to know each other while playing your favorite past time throughout the week.

If you have any interest in getting together with like-minded chess players please give a call!!

We would love to get this fun activity going for you!

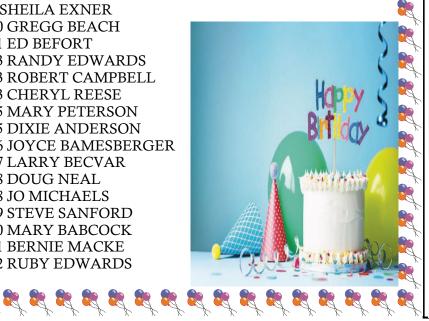
If you have any other ideas for new activities and hobbies please call!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY SENIOR CENTER FRIENDS

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Community Connections Drug

Collection

Community Connections is offering a drug disposal program at the Platte River Mall, 1000 South Dewey Street, on the 3rd Saturday from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. This program is an excellent way to dispose of prescriptions & over the counter medications that are expired or no longer needed. The medications are turned over to the Nebraska State Patrol who destroys them in an environmentally friendly manner.





MUST BE 18 & OVER TO PLAY 3 TV SCREENS!! EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT!! EARLY BIRD GAME AT 6:30 PM BINGO BEGINS AT 7:00 PM CASH COW!! SPECIAL GAMES!! FLASH BINGO CARDS!! NORTH PLATTE SENIOR CENTER 901 EAST 10TH ST ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE SENIOR CENTER

Senior Center News

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FACTS ABOUT JANUARY The name for January comes from the Roman God, Janus, who is always depicted with 2 heads. He uses 1 head to look back on the year before, and the other head to look forward into the New Year! Oddly enough, couples tend to iook forward into the New Year! Oddly enough, couples tend to separate or divorce more so in January than any other month of the year. In Pasadena, California, there has been a Rose Parade held every year since 1890. It has since been broadcasted worldwide and is typically viewed in over 100 countries around the globe. 4. If you were born in January, you're birthstone is Garnet, which 2. 3. 5. In Leap Years, January always starts on the same day as April and In Leap Years, January always starts on the same day as April and July.
 London is famous for its extensive subway system, nicknamed "The Tube". This makes sense because they're also responsible for opening the 1st operational underground railway on January 10, 1863.
 Some historical names for January include "Wulfmonath," which come from the Angle Sayone because it was the month the hungry. 6. 7. Some historical names for January include "Wulfmonath," which came from the Anglo-Saxons because it was the month the hungry wolves would come scavenging. King Charlemagne would call it "Wintermanoth" meaning "winter/ cold month."
 Originally, the Roman calendar had only 10 months, and it excluded January and February.
 King Numa Pompilius, the 2nd King of Rome, is responsible for adding both January and February to the calendar. He did this so calendars would be equivalent to a lunar year. Even so, it only had 30 days 10. Finally, Julius Caesar added the 31st day to the month.
11. January was a monumental month for Alaska. January 3, 1959, Alaska officially became the 49th state of the United States. Generally, January is the coldest month in the Northern Hemisphere.
 The equivalent month of January in terms of temperature the Southern Hemisphere is July. Southern Hemisphere is July.
14. Referring back to the Julian and Gregorian calendars, January is the 1st month of the year and the first of 7 months to be 31 days long.
15. In the United Kingdom, some people practice "Dry January." This is a movement to encourage people to quit drinking alcohol for the month in order to encourage public health.
16. January has 2 Zodiac Signs— Capricorn, which is until January 19th, and Aquarius, which is for the rest of the month.
17. The Dianthus Caryophullus is the birth flower of January— more commonly known as the Carnation The Dianthus Caryophulius is the birth flower of January— more commonly known as the Carnation.
 One of the most influential events in the U.S. happened in January— on January 1, 1892, Ellis Island opened, allowing for the immigration of over 20 million people.
 The 1st Penal Colony in Australia was established in January 1788 by the British in order to relieve overcrowded English Prisons.
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 January is National Donate Blood Month.
 January 1st is Polar Bear Plunge Day.
 January 3rd is J.R.R Tolkien Day.
 January 8th is War on Poverty Day and Earth's Rotation Day.
 January 9th is National Static Electricity Day.
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 27. January 11th is National Human Trafficking Awareness Day.
 28. January 12th is Dress Up Your Pet Day and Kiss a Ginger Day.
 29. January 15th is Martin Luther King Day.
 30. January 16th is Religious Freedom Day and Appreciate a Dragon Day.
 31. January 18th is Thesaurus Day.
 32. January 19th is World Day of Migrants and Refugees.
 33. January 22nd is Answer Your Cat's Question Day.
 34. January 28th is Rubber Ducky Day.

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