SEPTEMBER 2022

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SENIOR CENTER CURRENTLY OPEN FOR CONGREGATE LUNCH, HOME DELIVERY AND PICK-UPS



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.

Events

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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-to-day 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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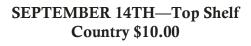
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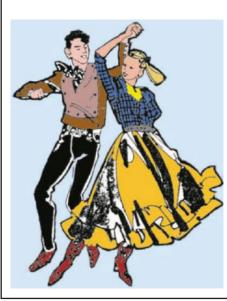
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SEPTEMBER

Menu

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MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE			1 SHRIMP HASHBROWN CASSEROLE SUGAR SNAP PEAS PEARS	BBQ BEEF SANDWICH CHUNKY POTATOES BAKED BEANS APRICOTS
CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY	6 BEEF AND NOODLES MASHED POTATOES BRUSSEL SPROUTS COTTAGE CHEESE PEACHES	7 BAKED CHICKEN AU GRATIN POTATOES PEAS AND ONIONS PINEAPPLE	8 HOT PORK SANDWICH MASHED POTATOES WITH GRAVY WAX BEANS MANDARIN ORANGES	9 MEATLOAF BAKED POTATO CAULIFLOWER WITH CHEESE PEARS
12 CREAMED CHICKEN OVER A BISCUIT MASHED POTATOES MIXED VEGETABLE CHEESE CUBES PEACHES	BBQ PORK RIB SANDWICH TATOR TOTS CORN ON THE COB FRUIT COCKTAIL	14 HAM SWEET POTATOES GREEN BEAN CASSEROLE PINEAPPLE	SUPREME CHICKEN BREAST RICE WITH GRAVY ASPARAGUS PICKLED BEETS PEARS	TAVERN FISH MACARONI AND CHEESE PEAS AND CARROTS STEWED TOMATOES MANDARIN ORANGES
CHEESE OMELET SAUSAGE PATTY CHUNKY POTATOES TOMATOES WITH ZUCCHINI APRICOTS DANISH	20 MUSHROOM STEAK MASHED POTATOES WITH GRAVY GREEN BEANS FRUIT COCKTAIL	21 GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST AU GRATIN POTATOES CORN PEACHES	22 CHILI DOG STEAK FRIES 3 BEAN SALAD PEARS	23 BIRTHDAY PORK CHOP MASHED POTATOES WITH GRAVY WINTER BLEND DINNER ROLL TROPICAL FRUIT CAKE AND ICE CREAM
26 CABBAGE ROLL PARSEY BUTTERED POTATOES BABY CARROTS PEARS	POLISH DOG MASHED POTATOES SAUERKRAUT FRUIT COCKTAIL	28 CHICKEN STRIPS SCALLOPED POTATOES BEETS PINEAPPLE	PORK CUTLET MASHED POTATOES WITH COUNTRY GRAVY PEAS PEACHES	30 BEEF BURRITO SPANISH RICE BLACK BEANS LETTUCE SALAD MANDARIN ORANGES





RECIPE

Brasato al Barolo - Braised Chuck Roast in Red Wine

Ingredients

- 1 (2 pound) beef chuck roast
- 1 onion, cut into 8 pieces, layers separated
- 2 large carrots, cut into 1-inch pieces
- 2 ribs celery, cut into 1-inch pieces
- 10 whole black peppercorns
- 5 whole cloves
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1 cinnamon stick
- 1 sprig rosemary
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 (750 milliliter) bottle Barolo (dry Italian) red wine
- 3 tablespoons olive oil, or more to taste
- 1 teaspoon salt

Directions Place chuck roast, onion, carrots, celery, peppercorns, cloves, garlic, cinnamon stick, rosemary, and bay leaves together in a

- stockpot. Pour wine over meat and vegetable mixture to cover entirely. Cover stockpot and marinate for 6 hours in the refrigerator. Turn meat in marinade to make sure it is completely covered; return to refrigerator to finish marinating, about 6 hours more.

 2. Transfer chuck roast from marinade to a plate to rest; pat dry thoroughly with paper towels. Pour marinade through a strainer and
- into a bowl to separate vegetable mixture from wine, reserving both vegetable mixture and wine.
- 3. Heat olive oil in the stockpot over medium-high heat. Brown chuck roast on all sides, 4 to 6 minutes per side. Reduce heat to medium. Add strained vegetable mixture to stockpot; cook with the chuck roast until fragrant, adding more oil as necessary to prevent burning, about 8 minutes.
- 4. Pour reserved wine back into stockpot; add salt. Reduce heat to medium-low, cover, and simmer without removing cover for 2 hours. Remove cover, stir, and cook until meat easily shreds with a fork, 10 minutes to 1 hour longer. Transfer meat from cooking liquid to serving platter; tent with foil to keep warm.
- 5. Return cooking liquid to a boil over medium-high heat; simmer until reduced to sauce consistency, 20 to 30 minutes. Discard



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

Rebecca Blume 308-532-6544

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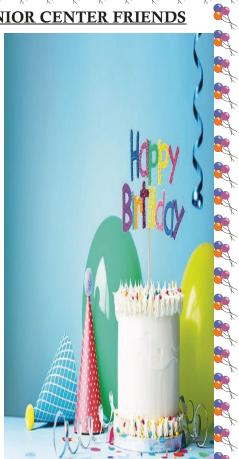
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