



# THE Harbor Connection

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FAIRPORT SENIOR CENTER

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APRIL 18 - GOOD FRIDAY  
 CENTER WILL BE CLOSED

MISSION STATEMENT

"Improving the lives of adults (55+) through caring service with opportunities for social interaction recreation, basic support, programs, education, volunteering and community support."

SENIOR CENTER BOARD MBRS.

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FAIRPORT SENIOR CENTER

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 Facebook - "Fairport Harbor Senior Center"  
[www.fairportseiorcenter.com](http://www.fairportseiorcenter.com)  
[www.mycommunityonline.com](http://www.mycommunityonline.com)  
 Center has Wi-Fi

Office Hours

Mon thru Thurs 7:00am-4:00pm  
 Friday 7:00am-Noon  
 Saturday & Sunday CLOSED

Fitness Center Hours

Mon thru Thurs 8:00am-5:00pm  
 Friday 8:00am-Noon  
 Saturday & Sunday CLOSED



**FAIRPORT SENIOR CENTER MEMBERSHIP:**  
**Annual Fee: \$12 for 55 or older and \$15 for under 55**

Renew your 2025  
Membership Today!

Participants who attend the Fairport Senior Center activities, groups who use our services and those who otherwise use the facility several times a year or more are encouraged to become members. Membership is open to anyone age 55 or older and runs from January through December each year. Spouses of those 55 or older (and spouse is not 55) may become members with a joint membership at an annual cost of \$12 per person.

In addition, memberships are available for anyone under 55 at an annual cost of \$15 per person. These members may take part in all activities, except the weight room.

**\*\*\*Join or Renew Today\*\*\***



**126 NEW MEMBERS FOR 2025**

Jamie Babb  
Barbara Barshick  
Donald Barshick  
Cynthia Becks  
Karen Bricker  
Denise Carroll  
Beth Lynn Gregerson  
Geri Guelich  
Jack Hall  
Joyce Hall  
Toni Harvey  
Nancy Hawley  
Joan Hobrath  
Andrea Horrell  
Donald Jenkins  
Patricia Jenkins  
Barbara Kmetz  
Jodie Love  
Jim Luster

Pam Nick  
Bill O'Conner  
Debra Poe  
Karen Raczko  
Jennifer Rankins  
Melvin Rankins  
Janice Razek  
Marilyn Razek  
Julia Rosier  
Patti Shilander  
Kristen Skeens  
Sandra Spellman  
Marcia Swick  
James Trombley  
Christine Wilson  
Daniel Wilson  
Andrea Ziemak



**GET WELL WISHES & THINKING OF YOU**

Jackie Aplis  
Mary Beuck  
Dora Bissett  
Mary Boggs  
Joe Brys  
Renee Burry  
Denise Bushnell  
Jacki Calley  
Betty Caruso  
Lorna Curtiss  
Nancy Dalton  
Drew Davis  
Sally Dolman  
Sally Durochik  
Grace Elmore  
Ann Fairchild  
Karen Fulford  
Liz Gavlick  
Val Gavlick  
Ruth Gilmore  
Carol Hickey  
Bill Hodson  
Gail Hreha  
Bob Hunter  
Debbie Jordan

Trudy Juhasz  
Mary Kallay  
Jim Kapostasy  
June Karako  
Barb Kelly  
Alice Kidd  
Laura Kidman  
Debbie King  
Rose Kochis  
Aileen Lampella  
Marilyn LaRiccia  
Cathy Leak  
Doc Lee  
Betty Leiby  
Mary Lette  
Joan Lograsso  
Kathy Logsdon  
Laura Lonczek  
Tim Lynch  
Dave Mason  
Donna Mason  
Betsey McCormick  
Bob McKnight  
Mary Meier  
Denise Miller  
Glen Miller  
Gertrude Morabito

John Murphy  
Joanne Muzik  
John Muzik  
Lee Nimmo  
Rosa Ortiz  
Gerry Phillips  
Barb Resetar  
Chip Saalfeld  
Sam Schuster  
Jim Senter  
Grace Shupp  
Carol Skiba  
Dee Tarantino  
Jean Thompson  
Gary Toivonen  
Patrice Toth  
Dave Ulle  
Jeffrey Vencuso  
Jim Visti  
Tom Warmington  
Sam Wright



Please remember to sign in whenever you enter the Center by swiping your new key card. We are a membership-based facility, and our funds come through the *Lake County Senior Services Levy*; therefore, you must be a current member of *Fairport Senior Center* to participate in programs, cards, games, classes, trips, and the use of the exercise equipment. Membership cards are now required to enter the Center. Thank you!



**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Want to make a difference and feel good about yourself at the same time? Please consider volunteering at our Center. It's a great way to make new friends and keep our Center vibrant. We're always looking for volunteers to help answer phones in the morning, help clean up, and assist with fundraisers and potlucks among other activities. There's something for everyone!

Please contact the Center's office at 440-354-3674 and let Chris know that you're willing to help.

**"NOBODY CAN DO EVERYTHING, BUT EVERYONE CAN DO SOMETHING." ~AUTHOR UNKNOWN**

**GET WELL, THINKING OF YOU, AND SYMPATHY**

We will gladly send a card to a member who is recovering, feeling down or just needs a little sunshine in their lives. Let us know and we'll send a card.

**SYMPATHY CARDS WERE SENT TO THE FAMILY OF MEMBERS:**

Joe Belviso III, Pat Butler, Drew Davis (*brother*), Janice Kondik, Anne Lyons (*son*), Bob Myotte, Dave Ness, Joe Pappalardo, Joannie Pouewells (*daughter*), Rich Somerfeldt, and Brenda Traffis (*mother*)


WEEKLY & MONTHLY ACTIVITIES FOR APRIL

WEEKLY ONGOING ACTIVITIES

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Fitness Room 8:00am-5:00pm Watercolors 9:30am Arthritis Exercise 10:00am Bingo 12:30pm Beginning Drawing Class 1:00 pm Card Bingo 3:30pm Intermediate Drawing Class 4:00pm Line Dancing 6, 7 & 8pm	Fitness Room 8:00am-5:00pm Hand & Foot 9:00am Darts / Yoga 10:00am Weights & Bands NOON Mah Jongg 1:00pm Knitting & Crocheting 1:00pm Line Dancing 1:15pm	Fitness Room 8:00am-5:00pm Arthritis Exercise (Apr. 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30) 9:30am Balance Class (Back on May 14) 9:30am Arthritis Exercise (Apr. 2, 9, 16 & 30) 11:00am Balance Class (Apr. 23) 11:00am LCR & 31 12:15pm Bridge & Pinochle 12:30pm Stretching 4:30pm Bingo 5:30pm Yoga 6:00pm
THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Fitness Room 8:00am-5:00pm Sewing 9:00am Tai Chi 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:15am Weights & Bands NOON Cribbage / Poker 1:00pm Bunco 1:15pm Euchre 1:15pm Line Dancing 4:30pm WLW 5:00pm Country Music 6:00pm	Office Open 7:00am-Noon Fitness Room 8:00am-Noon Hand & Foot 9:00am-NOON Yoga 9:30-10:45am Chair Volleyball 11:00am Knitting NOON-2:00pm Mah Jongg NOON-4:00pm  <i>Office closed at Noon on Fridays</i> <i>Office closed April 18 - Good Friday</i>	<i>(This date only) - 4/12</i> Contra Dance Lessons [NEW] 6:30-7:00pm Contra Dancing [NEW] 7:00-9:00pm  

MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

**ATTORNEY - DEBORAH LOUGHNER.....APRIL 28 at 8:30am** (last Mon. of the month) Attorney Loughner will now meet with you to discuss your legal needs such as a will, a trust, an estate, etc. An appointment is a must! (NO FEE)

**FAIRPORT VILLAGE COUNCIL MTING.....APRIL 15 at 6:30PM** (3rd Tues. of the month)  
Council meetings are open to everyone. 

**BOARD MEETING.....9:30AM.....APRIL 11** (2nd Fri. of the month) Board meetings are open to all members of the Center. **Everyone is welcome to attend!**

**LUNCHES FROM 11:00AM - NOON.....\$7.00/PP**

- 04/07 - Chicken Tenders w/Pineapple Slaw
- 04/14 - Clam Chowder w/Grilled Cheese
- 04/21 - Pasta w/Meatballs and Roll
- 04/28 - Subs w/Potato Salad

All lunches include chips & a drink unless otherwise noted. **Must sign up** as only a limited number of meals will be made. **MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!**

**COFFEE WITH THE COPS.....APRIL 2 FROM 8:30 - 9:30AM** (1st Wed. of the month) Stop in for a cup of coffee and meet some of Fairport's police officers.

**RISQ TRIVIA.....APRIL 7 AT 2:00PM** (1st Mon. of the month) Let's play trivia! Come have fun while exercising your brain! We'll have lots of interesting categories along with monthly prizes. Call Dusty at 440-357-9115 for more details. **Sign up now for the 2025 Mind Challenge tournament.**

**COMPUTERS & TECH.....10:00AM-1:00PM....APRIL 12** (Saturdays) Lauren will be here for one-on-one sessions to help us with our computers, phones, and tablets. Please call or sign up at the Center for an appointment. (NO FEE)

## DINNERS

Catered dinners are the 2nd Tues. of the month & are **NOW \$15/pp** (unless otherwise noted). Tickets must be purchased in advance.

**Members 90+ get a Free Birthday dinner during their BD month.**

♦ **HAM.....5-7PM.....APRIL 8**



This month we'll feast on Ham, scalloped potatoes, veggie, dessert and beverage. After dinner, if you would like to stay, we'll play regular bingo, so make sure that you bring your nickels & a quarter. Tickets will be available March 12 and must be purchased by April 3. *Maximum 100 people.*

**No Refunds!**

♦ **FRIED CHICKEN.....5-7PM.....MAY 13**



This month we'll have Fried Chicken, potato salad, vegetable and dessert. The band *Goin Gray* will provide the entertainment for us. Tickets will be available April 9 and must be purchased by May 8. *Maximum 100 people.* **No Refunds!**

## ARTS

**DRAWING/ART CLASS.....Fee**

**Beginners - Mondays from 1:00-3:00pm**

We are starting another beginners class. Class will be \$5.00 per person per class and we will buy the basic materials for you. Please pay when you sign up. **[No class on April 7 due to a scheduling conflict.]**

**Intermediate - Mondays from 4:00-6:00pm**

*Please note that this class is not for beginners. This class will continue.*

Classes are limited to 6 students for both the beginners & intermediate classes, so please sign up & pay when you register. A list of supplies for the intermediate class is available at the Center's office. Instructor: Len Thomas.

**WATERCOLORS (Beginners to Advanced)**

**Mondays from 9:30-11:30am \$40.00 for 4 classes**

Bring to class the following items: one flat 1", 1/2" and 1/4" brushes; round brushes #10 and #7; wash brush 2"; watercolor paper 140 Cold Press and watercolor pallet. A list is available at the Center. Instructor: Connie Adams.

## CRAFTS &amp; SEW FORTH

**CRAFT-A-CARD (2nd Mon. of the month)**

**April 14 from 12:00 - 2:00pm \$5.00 per class**

Make and take three (3) cards. You **MUST PAY** when you sign up, so that there are enough supplies for everyone. Please pay your instructor directly.

**\*AFTERNOON CLASS (4th Tues. of the month - Jan.-April)**

**April 22 from 2:30 - 5:00pm \$5.00 per class**

Make and take three (3) cards. Please sign up. Only 20 spots available. Please pay your instructor directly. Teacher: Jane Conley

*\*Please note that the time has changed for Jan.-April.*

**Basic Supply Kits, (if you want your own): double-sided**

**tape or glue stick; scissors; tweezers; baby wet wipes from Dollar Tree; pop ups; and colored pencils.**

**FLEECE CRAFT.....1:00PM.....APRIL 23**

*(4th Wed. of the month)* You will need 2 yards of solid color fleece, 2 yards of printed fleece and a good pair of scissors. Your instructor will assist you with putting your blanket together. Baby blankets are 1-1/2 yards each. These make great gifts! *(No Fee)*

**JEWELRY MAKING CLASS.....2:15PM..... APRIL 15**

*(3rd Tues. of the month)* Join this fun class and make a piece of jewelry. **Cost is \$10.00** which will include all supplies. You **MUST PAY** when you sign up, so that there are enough supplies for everyone.

**KNITTING & CROCHETING**

**No Fee**

**Tuesdays from 1:00 - 4:00pm**

This group works cooperatively each week. Do you have a project that you would like to start or finish? Need help? Then this group is for you.

**Fridays from Noon to 2:00pm**

Always wanted to learn to knit? Come in and join this fun group. Bring to class 1 skein of 4 ply yarn and a pair of #8 knitting needles and start knitting. Instructor: Nancy Brosokas

**SCRAPBOOKING.....11:00AM-2:00PM.....APRIL 2**

*(1st Wed. of the month)* Are your pictures in a box? Would you like to organize them and make a beautiful scrapbook? This is the class for you! Gather your pictures, scrapbook, and colorful paper. Lots of ideas are offered. *(No Fee)*

**SEWING**

**No Fee**

**Thursdays from 9:00am - NOON**

If you have a sewing project that you have started or a pattern you are stuck on and have not finished, or have any ideas or tips on sewing to share with the sewing group, then join our sewing class on Thursdays. **Please bring your own sewing machine.** You may bring your lunch with you. Instructors: Connie Pasko & Mae Williams. *[No class April 24 due to the book club meeting.]*

**STAINED GLASS CLASSES...12:30-2:30PM...SATURDAYS**

**BASIC** cost is \$120/pp. Must prepay so instructor can purchase your materials & glass. Class will begin one week after payment. You'll learn how to cut glass, grinding, foiling, soldering, and framing. Fee includes instruction, use of special tools, practice glass, project glass, patterns & materials kit. Student must bring: scissors, black & silver sharpies, small wire cutters, small needle-nose pliers, safety goggles, terry cloth dish towel, painters tape, & 14" pizza box. **INTERMEDIATE** (10am-Noon) cost is \$60/pp. Must buy your own supplies & glass. A custom pattern is included. Must have completed the basic class. **ADVANCED** (10am-Noon) cost is \$5 per session. Must have completed Basic & Intermediate classes, have your own tools, your own glass & supplies. **Please pay when signing up. Make your check out to your instructor, Dusty Staudt.**

**YOUR HEALTH**

**BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS.....10AM.....APRIL 16**  
 (3rd Wed. of the month) - The Fairport Fire Department will be here to offer free blood pressure screenings each month. Please sign up today.



**BRAIN HEALTH & WELLNESS.....4:00-5:00PM.....APRIL 1**  
 (1st Tues. of the month) - Join us in a monthly discussion on how the brain works, the aging process and how to maintain mental health and wellness. This will not be a substitute for counseling. We will discuss topics to increase your understanding of memory, stress, anxiety, depression, and other topics related to promote mental well-being. Anna Tyrrell, a mental health counselor, will lead these discussions. Please sign up. (No Fee)

**AMANDA'S HEARING.....10:00AM-NOON.....NO FEE**  
 May 21; July 23; Sept. 24; and Nov. 19



A rep will be here to screen your hearing. Please sign up if you are interested in a hearing test.

**MASSAGES (Table) \$1.00 per minute**  
 April 4, 11, 18 & 25 from 10am-2pm (now every Friday)  
 Our Massage Therapist is back for table massages! Please pay when you sign up for your 15- or 30-minute session.

**PODIATRISTS**  
**Dr. Ben - Apr. 7 & 9; May 14; June 11 \$30.00**  
 Appointments start at 9:00am.

**April 7 appointments will be from Noon-3:30pm.**  
**April 9 appointments will be from 8:10-11:50am.**

**Dr. Kelly - Apr. 23; May 28; June 25 \$30.00**  
 Appointments start at 10:00am.

You may make your appointment when you visit the Center or you can also call 440-354-3674 to leave a message. Someone will call you back to schedule your time.

*Both physicians do not bill Medicare. Private pay only.*

**WEIGHT LOSS WINNERS (FORMERLY TOPS)..... FEE**  
**Thursdays starting at 5:00-6:15pm - Want to lose weight?**  
 Check out **WLW (Weight Loss Winners)** our new weight loss program here at the Center. The first meeting is free. Weekly dues are \$2.00. If you lose or stay the same, you get \$1.00 back. If interested, please call Donna Bly at 440-567-0063 for more information.

**COUNCIL ON AGING'S COMMUNITY OUTREACH SOCIAL WORKER.....11:00AM.....AS NEEDED**  
 A representative will be here on an as needed basis should you have a concern or problem that you are facing. Assistance is available to help you problem solve and come up with a solution. Please sign up at the Center for an appointment.

**SUPPORT GROUP**

**LOSS/GRIEF SUPPORT.....10:00AM..... TBD**  
 Megan from *Bella Care Hospice* will be back soon to discuss Grief & Loss. She will be here to answer your questions. Please sign up. (No Fee)

**LOSS/GRIEF SUPPORT.....11:00-NOON....APRIL 24**  
 Lisa from *Hospice of the Western Reserve* will be here to offer support, comfort, and information to those struggling with loss. This program is also for caregivers, friends, and family members. Please sign up. (No Fee)

**MUSIC**

**CLASSIC COUNTRY MUSIC.....THURSDAYS**  
 All members of the Center are invited to come in and listen to classic country music once again. Not a member? No problem...an application is included in this newsletter or you can come to the Center and sign up. Membership is only \$12.00 per year and includes all membership benefits. Please DO NOT arrive any earlier than 5:45pm as we have a class in the banquet hall that ends at 5:30pm. Thank you for your understanding and for supporting our Senior Center.  
**(No Fee, but Must Be a Member)**



## CARD &amp; GAMES

## BINGO

**Mondays from 12:30 - 3:00pm**

(5¢ per Bingo Square & 10¢ Jackpot fill up)

**Pease wipe down your table when you are done. \*\*\*MUST have own CHANGE\*\*\***

**Wednesdays from 5:30 - 8:15pm**

**Please DO NOT arrive too early due to class before!**



## BUNCO

**Thursdays from 1:15 - 3:15pm**

We are starting a bunco group. Looking for players. Everyone is welcome! Bring your quarters!

## CARD BINGO

**Mondays from 3:30 - 4:30pm**

To play card bingo you will need 3 nickels, 3 dimes, 5 quarters and 1 dollar. **Also, please wipe down your table when you are done.**

## CARD GAMES

Hand & Foot

**Tuesdays from 9:00am - 12:30pm**

**Fridays from 9am - NOON**

*If you have your own group and wish to start earlier, then just come in.*

LCR (3 games) & then 31

**Wednesdays from 12:15 - 4:00pm**

Both games are played with quarters. We will help you learn to play, if you are interested in joining us.



## CRIBBAGE

**Thursdays from 1:00 - 3:00pm**

If you are interested in playing, please come in or call the Center to sign up. Come on out and try your hand at it.

## DARTS

**Tuesdays from 10:00 - 11:00am**

If you are interested in playing, please call or come into Center to sign up. Come on out and try your hand at it.



## EUCHRE

**Thursdays from 1:15 - 4:00pm**

Come and join this fun group. Looking for additional players! Willing to teach you how to play. Please make sure we have your phone number when you sign up.

## GOLDEN GOLFERS GROUP



We are looking forward to our Spring season. Everyone is welcome! Once the schedule/teams are set, the group will be closed. Please join by signing up by April 15. See you there!

## MAH JONGG

**Tuesdays from 1:00 - 3:00pm**

**Fridays from NOON - 4:00pm**

Mah Jongg originated in China and is played with tiles representing Chinese symbols & characters. Always wanted to learn...or want to learn something new? Come and meet with this fun group.

## PENNY-ANTE POKER PARTY

**Thursdays from 1:00 - 4:45pm**

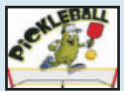
Do you know when to hold'em and when to fold'em? Put your poker face on and come out and join the fun. Please sign up at the Center.



## PICKLEBALL

Sign up now for free lessons this Spring & start getting your team together now! A new website

will be announced very soon for you to use when signing up to reserve your court time. Members get first choice on court time. *More information to come.*



## PINOCHLE &amp; BRIDGE

**Wednesdays from 12:30 - 4:00pm**

## POOL ROOM

**Mondays-Wednesdays-Thursdays**

**from 8:00am - 3:00pm**

**Tuesdays from 8:00am - 1:00pm**

**Fridays - 8:00am - 1:00pm**

**Ladies...if you would like to learn to play pool or just brush up on your skills, Dusty Staudt would be glad to give lessons on a Wednesday afternoon. Please sign up so that it can be scheduled. (No Fee)**



## WII BOWLING

**Mondays thru Thursdays**

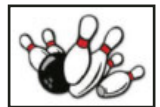
**from 8:00am - 3:00pm**

**Fridays - 8:00am - 1:00pm**

**Cost is \$10.00 per bowler**

Our Winter league ended in March. **The banquet for the league members is scheduled for April 22 at 4:00pm here at the Center.** A shout-out of thanks to Gary Bly who has been in charge of the stats. Gary does a great job for us!

The Fall league will start in September, so keep practicing. If you have never tried it, come in, and someone here is always willing to teach you how to play. Then sign-up to join the September league.



## WII GOLF

**Mondays thru Thursdays from 8:00am - 3:00pm**

**Fridays - 8:00am - 1:00pm**

EXERCISE PROGRAMS

**ARTHRITIS EXERCISE** NO FEE  
**Mondays @ 10:00 - 11:00am**  
**Wednesdays @ 9:30 - 10:30am; & 11:00am - NOON**  
 This program works muscles & joints to encourage strength & balance. Aaron Cook, owner of *Fysical Therapy & Balance Center*, will be back here on **May 14 from 9:30-10:30am** to teach different exercises for balance. He will also be here on **April 23 from 11am-NOON** and he will teach balance exercises. These classes will be in place of our regular arthritis exercise class on both days. You are welcome to join either or both classes. Instructors: Dick Rodstrom, Monday & Wednesday's early class; Bob Wayner, Wednesday's 11:00am class. **[Please note that Aaron will not be here for the balance class on April 9. It will be a regular Arthritis class. He will return May 14.]**

**CHAIR VOLLEYBALL** NO FEE  
**Fridays from 11:00am - NOON**  
 Chair volleyball allows those with physical limitations to participate in this fun game played weekly. Come on out and try this fun class! No experience necessary. Please sign up as teams are being formed now! Must have a minimum of 10 to play.

**LINE DANCING** \$3 per class paid to instructor  
**MONDAYS**  
 ⇒ **Basic Beginner from 6 - 7pm**  
 Learn the basics of line dancing along with the steps, terminology, and different dance rhythms. Wear shoes with a slick bottom that can't be kicked off. Please "no slip-on-sandals/flip flops" or "high-heels" for your safety.  
 Instructor: Tina Foster

⇒ **Beginner / Improver from 7 - 8pm**  
 After 6-months of a basic beginner class, you're ready to take line dancing to the next level. Instructor: Tina Foster

⇒ **Intermediate from 8 - 9pm**  
 This class is for those who wish to challenge their dance skills with more dancing and less learning time.  
 Instructor: Tina Foster

**TUESDAYS**  
 ⇒ **Intermediate from 1:15 - 2:15pm**  
 Lynn will teach you the intermediate steps to line dancing! Join the fun!

**THURSDAYS**  
 ⇒ **Experienced from 4:30 - 5:30pm**  
 Tina will teach you the advanced steps to line dancing! Join the fun!



**STRETCHING CLASS** NO FEE  
**Wednesdays from 4:30 - 5:30pm**  
 Please bring your own mat to class & wear comfortable clothes. We will also be including floor exercises & weights.

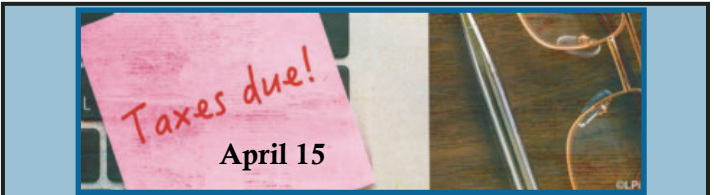
**TAI CHI** \$4 PER CLASS  
**Thursdays from 9 - 10am** *[Minimum 5 students]*  
 This class is gentle and not strenuous and can be done seated. It has been shown to have a positive effect on muscle strength, flexibility, and balance. It is an activity that is widely endorsed by the medical profession as being of great value to people as they age. Instructor: Denise Molesch

**WEIGHTS & BANDS ADVANCED** NO FEE  
**Tuesdays & Thursdays from NOON - 1:00pm**  
 This is an advanced class that uses weights and bands to achieve strength and tone muscles. Please wear comfortable clothes. Instructors: Dale Kerver on Thursdays & Nick Vaccariello on Tuesdays.

**YOGA** \$10 PER CLASS  
**Tuesdays from 10:00 - 11:30am**  
**Wednesday from 6:00 - 7:15pm** *(east side of big room)*  
**Fridays from 9:30 - 10:45am**  
 Stretch and relax. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a mat. Please sign up today. Instructor: Lyndsey Stropkey.



**CHAIR YOGA** \$10 PER CLASS  
**Thursdays from 10:15 - 11:15am**  
 This class is for all levels of chair yoga. Nurture your joints, take care of your spine, learn to breathe deeply and practice deep relaxation. No experience necessary. There will be options to stand & get down on the ground if you choose. Please sign up today. Instructor: Lyndsey Stropkey.



**Don't forget...**...we're a warming center!  
 So come in from the cold, read a book or just enjoy the company of friends...  
 we're here to keep you warm!



**Fitness Center Hours**

Mon-Thurs	8:00am to 5:00pm
Friday	8:00am to NOON
Saturday	Closed

We ask that you bring clean, dry shoes so that the dirt doesn't damage the equipment. **Please wipe down equipment after usage.** Thank you!

**BUS TRIP GUIDELINES:** When signing up for a trip, you must be able to climb the three bus steps on your own without assistance to ride the bus. Please know your limits. If you rely on a wheelchair, or feel you need any assistance physically or cognitively, you must have your own able bodied caregiver for all trips.

- ◆ **Please pay for all trips when signing up & write a separate check for each trip.**
- ◆ **Refund:** If you must cancel a trip, we will attempt to sell your seat when possible so that you can be refunded.
- ◆ **Trip Insurance:** Please inquire about insurance when booking a trip.
- ◆ **A complete list of trip policies & procedures is available at the Center's office. Please pick up your copy today.**

➔ **NEW POLICY: Please arrive 30 minutes before the bus is to depart!**

**Don't forget!** Please park in the back overflow lot (northeast of building)  
for ALL trips!! Remember...space is at a minimum. Thank you!



### CLEVELAND PLAYHOUSE

- ◆ **Temptations & Four Tops** (Keybank).....\$98.00/pp.....April 10  
The bus will leave the Center at 4:30pm, so that you can have dinner on your own before the show. Only 40 tickets are available. You may sign up for the waiting list now.
- ◆ **Kimberly Akimbo** (Connor).....\$78.50/pp..... July 24  
A new musical about growing up and growing old (in no particular order). The bus will leave the Center at 4:00pm, so that you can have dinner on your own before the show. Limited tickets. You may sign up now.  
*Please pay when signing up to ensure your seat.  
Make your check out to "Fairport Senior Center".  
When signing up, please let us know if you plan to sit with a friend(s) so that your tickets can be grouped together.*



### ERIE STATION DINNER THEATER

Cost for each show \$60.00/pp (includes tip) or until sold out.

- "Murder Among Friends" (a murder mystery comedy thriller)... April 2
- "Holy Cannoli" (a comedy/farce).....June 4
- "Keep on Laughing" (comedy).....Aug. 27

Enjoy dinner and a play in an expanded vintage train sleeping car! We have 35 tickets for each show, so please pay when signing up & make a separate check for each show that you are attending. **Make your check(s) out to Fairport Senior Center.** The bus will leave the Center at 9:45am. Reserve your tickets now!

### CASINO TRIPS

**\$10.00/pp**



- ◆ **Hollywood Gaming** (Youngstown).....April 9  
(\*We'll pick up at the Center at 8:30am & then at Madison at 9:00am.)
- ◆ **Thistledown**.....May 14  
All departure times on casino trips are 9:00am unless otherwise noted. **Must pay when you sign up!**  
Leave casino at 3:00pm. No incentives unless listed.  
(Gambling Problem? 1-440-255-0678 or www.beforeyoubet.org)

### MEN & WOMEN WHO WINE

- ◆ **Ferrante** in Geneva ..... Wed. April 16  
The bus will leave the Center at 11:30am.
- ◆ **Laurentia** in Madison..... Wed. May 21  
The bus will leave the Center at 11:30am.
- ◆ **Northeast PA Wineries**.....Thurs. June 19  
(See information on page 9.)

Lunches are on your own for all wine trips. All trips are \$10/pp (unless otherwise noted) and must be paid when signing up.

*Wine trips fill up fast, so sign up & pay early!*



### JOHN ROBERTS' TRIPS

- Cape Cod/Martha's Vineyard/Plymouth.....Aug. 24-30
- Hawaii Cruise.....Nov. TBA

For information and reservations,  
please contact John Roberts at 440-346-6060

### LAKEVIEW CEMETERY.....APRIL 24

Cost is \$20.00/pp or until sold out. We will have a step-on-guide for a tour of the *Lakeview Cemetery*. Come and see the beautiful *Wade Chappel* and other landmarks. Afterwards, we will stop at *Cracker Barrel* for lunch (on your own). The bus will leave the Center at 9:00am. **Please make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.**

### ST. AUGUSTINE TRIP.....APRIL 27 - MAY 3

Cost is \$935.00/pp (dbl. occ.) or until sold out. Trip includes RT motorcoach; 6 nights; 10 meals; highlights include a visit to the *Fountain of Youth*; Narrated Cruise on the *St. John's River*; guided tour of *Amelia Island, St. Augustine*. Flyers are available at the Center. **For those who have signed up, FINAL PAYMENT is due NOW.** Please make your check out to **Diamond Tours.**

➔ **The trip meeting will be held on Saturday, April 12 at 10:00am.** Please plan to attend this important meeting to receive your itinerary and luggage tags. If you are unable to attend, please make other arrangements.




DAY & OVERNIGHT TRIPS


**CLEVELAND POPS ORCHESTRA.....MAY 2**  
**Cost \$77.00/pp or until sold out.** We'll attend "The Golden Age of Sinatra" with Grammy Nominated Vocalist, Steve Lippia who will join the Pops for a night filled with music spanning Frank Sinatra's incredible 60-year career. Please sign up today. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** The bus will leave the Center at 6:15pm and go straight to *Severance Hall*. Only 30 tickets available.

**CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY..... MAY 8**  
**Cost \$15.00/pp or until sold out.** Our December trip was cancelled due to the weather and has been rescheduled. Now is your chance to get a guided 1-1/2 hour tour of the Cleveland Public Library. Only 30 people maximum. The first group of 15 people will take the tour first, while the other group of 15 people will go out to eat in the arcade (*on your own*); and then they will switch with the other group. Please sign up today. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** The bus will leave the Center at 10:00am. (*Lots of walking!*)

**NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER, NY.....MAY 30**  
**Cost \$89.00/pp or until sold out.** We'll have a guided tour of the *National Comedy Center* which is dedicated to the art form of comedy, while we take an interactive journey through comedy history, from early vaudeville acts to the latest viral memes. We will also stop at the *Lucille Ball / Desi Arnaz Museum* and have a town tour. Lunch is included on this trip. Please sign up today. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** The bus will leave the Center at 7:30am.

**CLEVELAND GUARDIANS.....JUNE 11**  
 **Cost is \$40.00/pp or until sold out.** Come cheer on the *Cleveland Guardians* vs the *Cincinnati Reds* at Progressive Field with your friends from the Senior Center! Price includes the bus and printed ticket. Please pay when signing up. The bus will leave the Center at 11:15am. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** *Please note that Progressive Field is now cashless.*

**WINERIES IN PA.....JUNE 19**  
**Cost is \$25.00/pp or until sold out.** We'll head to *Arrowhead Wine Cellars* in PA for a tour along with some wine tastings (*included*). Then we will head to *Arundel Cellars & Brewing* where you can have lunch and sample their wines on your own. Please pay when signing up. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** The bus will leave the Center at 9:00am.

**CLEVELAND GUARDIANS.....AUGUST 27**  
 **Cost is \$40.00/pp or until sold out.** Come cheer on the *Cleveland Guardians* vs the *Tampa Bay Rays* at Progressive Field with your friends from the Senior Center! Price includes the bus and printed ticket. Please pay when signing up. The bus will leave the Center at 11:15am. **Make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.** *Please note that Progressive Field is now cashless.*

**LADY CAROLINE LUNCH CRUISE.....SEPT. 18**  
**Cost is \$75.00/pp or until sold out.** This trip will include a lunch cruise on Lake Erie while aboard the new ship "Lady Caroline". Price includes bus, lunch & tip. Limited seating, so please sign up early. When signing up, you **MUST** pay to hold your seat. We'll depart from the Center at 10:15am. Steps are required on the ship. **Please make your check out to Fairport Senior Center.**

**NASHVILLE SHOW TRIP.....~~SEPT. 29~~ OCT. 6-10**  
**Cost is \$875.00/pp (dbl. occ.) or until sold out.** Trip includes RT motorcoach; 4 nights; 8 meals; highlights include shows at the *Grand Ole Opry & Nashville Nightlife Dinner Theater*; a guided tour of Nashville & the *Belle Meade* historic site & winery; admission to the *County Music Hall of Fame & Museum*; a *Behind the Scenes Tour*; and *Madame Tussauds Wax Museum*. You may sign up now. Travel insurance is available & recommended. Flyers are available at the Center. Please make your check out to **Diamond Tours.** **[Please note the date has been changed to October 6-10 & a second bus has been added.]**



*April is a reminder that something better is always around the corner.*

**Remember...WE DO NOT close when school closes. If in doubt, please call the Center as an instructor may not be able to make it in, but the Center will be open. We always have the fireplace going and coffee made. So come in and enjoy the company of others!!**

HAPPENINGS

**BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS!**



We are celebrating our members that are 90+ years young. We invite you to a free birthday dinner at our monthly dinner held at the Center on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month. The Center would like to provide you with a free ticket for dinner during the month of your birthday. So...if your birthday falls in April, let us know at the Center by April 3, and you will be given a ticket for the April 8 dinner. We'll continue to do this each month.

**NOTARY PUBLIC.....AS NEEDED**



Lenore Berzanske will be available on an as needed basis to notarize your documents. Please contact her directly at 440-376-3227 to make arrangements to meet her at the Center. (No Fee)

**MEDICARE CHECKUP.....BY APPT..... WEDNESDAYS**

Lorna Curtiss, our OSIP volunteer will be available here on Wednesdays, by appointment, to help you with all of your Medicare needs. Please call the Center to make an appointment today. (No Fee) **[Lorna is off on leave until October.]**

**INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE....8:30AM-2:00PM.... APRIL 4 & 11**

AARP Tax Preparer Volunteers are here **until April 11** from 8:30am to 2:00pm, **FRIDAYS only**. They will assist you in preparing your 2024 tax returns at no cost to you. **Appointments are a must!** Please bring with you your 2024 W-2's, 1099's, all forms indicating federal income tax paid, previous tax return 2023, and photo ID. If you are expecting a refund, you must have a voided blank check with account information. **If you need to cancel, please call in advance as we always have a waiting list.**

**UNITED WAY FOOD DRIVE..... MARCH 3-APRIL 17**



Please bring in non-perishable food items such as canned meats, pancake mix, syrup; cereal; powdered milk; canned chili & stew; canned fruits & vegetables; spaghetti sauce & pasta; canned pasta with meat sauce; peanut butter & jelly; and canned & boxed soup. All food items and dollars stay in Lake County. Give where you live! One "CAN" can make a difference!!

**PANCAKE B'FAST..... APRIL 6**

The Fairport Harbor Police Association & the Fairport Harbor Fire Association will host a pancake breakfast at the Fairport Senior Center. The breakfast will run from 8:00 a.m. until NOON. Donations taken at the door.

**ACRYLIC PAINT CLASS AT THE FAIRPORT SENIOR CENTER.....5:00PM.....(2nd Tues. of the month) ..... APRIL 8**

Cost is \$25.00/pp. You will be provided with everything to complete your masterpiece. You MUST PAY when you sign up, so that there are enough supplies for everyone. Instructor: Connie Adams



**CONTRA DANCING.....\$5 per class paid to instructor April 12, 2025 (2nd Sat. of the month)**



Free Lessons from 6:30-7:00pm prior to class; Dancing 7-9pm Come & try this new active, aerobic social dance activity. No partners needed. Dance will include teaching by Bill O'Connor. Live music will be provided by the band "Mr. Haney." The caller who prompts & teaches this dance will be Al Pavlinak. Please sign up now.

**2025 MIND CHALLENGE TRIVIA TOURNAMENT**

**(Teams still forming); April 14-May 29..... No Cost to Play**

The Mind Challenge is back for its 7th year. This mind stimulating event grows each year. Our teams will compete against teams from other cities all across NE Ohio. **Our monthly Risq Trivia group is great practice! Next meeting is April 7.** Here is the schedule to help you decide. We will be in the Kirtland division and will play until the 3rd round. All of our games will be played on **Thursdays** at 9:30am until the 4th round. If we make it that far, the game will be at **9:30am** at Kirtland. If you can't make all of the games, but would like to be an alternate, we would welcome your participation. Here is the schedule:

- Practice Round - April 24; Knockout Round - May 8;
- Smart 16 Round - May 15; Elevated 12 Round - May 22 at 9:00am;
- Semi-Finals - May 29 at 9:30 in Parma; and
- Finals May 29 at 11:00am in Parma.

**(Usually we are OUT by the 4th Round.) If interested in representing our Center, please call the Center ASAP to sign up! [Please note that some dates & times have been corrected.]**



**BOOK CLUB.....10:30-11:30AM.....APRIL 24**

**(4th Thurs. of the month)** The Fairport Harbor Library is hosting a



monthly book club for seniors at our Center. If interested, please call the Center & leave a message so that someone can call you back.

**PUTTS-ING AROUND**

Our new **Putts-ing Around** season will be starting soon. The schedule will be out soon. Please sign up today. *More information to come.*



**Happy Easter**



**A MATTER OF BALANCE....12:30-2:30pm....Starts May 9**

This award winning program is designed to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels among older adults. Classes will meet on Fridays for 8-weeks at the Center. Please sign up now to reserve your spot as space is limited to a maximum of 15 people. *(No Fee)*

**May 9, 16, 23 & 30; June 6, 13, 20, & 27**

**SENIOR DAY AT THE GREAT LAKES MALL.....MAY 20**

This day is to celebrate seniors in our community! Doors open at 8:30am. Admission includes: presentation of the Outstanding Senior Awards, vendors, breakfast, bingo, giveaways, live entertainment by *Rick Smith Jr*, and magician/illusionist. Free transportation provided by the senior services levy through Laketrans. Call 440-354-6100. Tickets are \$1.00 and are available at the Center now or at the door. Come support our *Senior of the Year!*



**Save the Date for These Upcoming Events**

◆ **Fairport Sr Ctr Grandparents Pancake B'fast...Sept. 14**

*More information to come.*

**PLEASE NOTE: Call the Center first to see if an event and/or class has been cancelled due to inclement weather.**



**Please make sure that the Center has your current address, email, phone number, etc. You can either call the Center or stop in.**



The **Fairport Historical Society/Lighthouse** is looking for volunteers and members who would like to keep the history of the Lighthouse alive. Season opens May 25. If interested, please call Marty at 330-853-1827.

**BINGO BASH.....1-3:30PM..... AUG. 24 & OCT. 19**



The Fairport Senior Center will be holding a **Bingo Bash**. Doors will open at Noon. Tickets are \$10 and includes bingo cards for 20 games and dauber. Extra paper sets are \$10. *(One dauber per person.)* Refreshments will be available for purchase. Tickets will be available at the Center! **INCREASED PRIZES!**



**Sudoku**

Fill in the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9.

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*Answers on page 14*



Welcome to Spring! After a long winter, now is the perfect time to get out and socialize with new friends. Our pickleball courts will be opening soon...with members receiving first choice. Watch for more details coming soon!

Are you interested in line dancing, yoga, weight training, resistance bands, or any other exercise class that we offer? Join a class and take advantage of these great opportunities.

I recently learned that Senior Centers in Florida are called **Friendship Centers** for their 55 and older members. I believe our Centers should adopt a similar name, as everyone can benefit from meeting new friends.

So many exciting things are happening at the Center. Please watch for updates.

Thank you to all the volunteers that have made our **AARP Tax Site** one of the best! Without all of the volunteers, this would not be possible.

Membership dues are only \$12.00 for 55 or older and \$15 for under 55 for the year (*can take part in all activities, except the weight room*). Come in and join the fun! We look forward to seeing you soon.

Best regards,

**Chris**



### **Home Weatherization Assistance Programs are back!**



Applications are being accepted by *ACCAA*. For more information or an application, call 440-997-5957 ext. 553 or 554 or visit [www.accaa.org](http://www.accaa.org) to see if you qualify. You may also be eligible for a free efficient replacement refrigerator. To qualify your income must be \$29,160 for one; \$39,440 for two; etc. Applications for both programs are available at the Center. Please check to see if you qualify. *Refrigerator applications are on hold until more funding is available.*

***Lifeline*** also offers a *Diabetes Assistance Program* which can assist diabetics with medication and/or supplies up to twice annually. Each voucher can assist with up to \$100. Requirements for both programs: Must be a Lake County resident whose household meets income guidelines of 175% of the federal poverty guideline.

**Lifeline is also looking for volunteers.**

For more information, please contact Jason Shaw, Program Coordinator, at 440-354-2148 x201.

**Lake County Phone Pal** is a program for adults 60+. Enjoy a friendly chat with a phone pal twice a week to help reduce loneliness. Must meet financial criteria & reside in Lake County. Please call 440-350-2020 for a referral and additional information. Sponsored by the *Lake County Board of Commissioners*.

**Moving Home** - *Fair Housing Resource Center (FHRC)* has received funding from the Lake County Board of Commissioners to assist low to moderate income seniors age 60+ with moving and cleaning costs. They can provide help with the cost of movers and a truck when relocating to a new home in Lake County, Ohio. They also can provide help with the cost of cleaning services to maintain the health and safety of your home. Call 440-392-0147 today to see if you qualify!

**Helping Hands for Seniors** is a program for seniors who are 60+ that will help them with minor repairs, outside maintenance, tech services and in-home services. Must meet financial & nonfinancial criteria & reside in Lake County. Please contact Andrea Johnson at 440-354-2148 ext. 207 for additional information. Sponsored by *Lifeline*.

**HEAP Applications:** *Lifeline* continues to be the grantee for the federal **HEAP** programs as we have for many years—this includes both Summer Crisis and Winter Crisis programs. Lake County residents can **ONLY** apply for the SCP and WCP through our *Lifeline* **HEAP** intake staff who have been trained by the *Ohio Dept of Development* and use the state mandated application system. Appointment are available both in person and over the phone, but they have to be completed with our **HEAP** staff—applications for SCP and WCP cannot be taken by CoA staff, despite what is implied on their materials.

### **FAIRPORT RESIDENTS**

If you are interested in a lockbox for your home, the cost is \$30.00. Please call the *Fairport Fire Department* at 440-352-6922 for more information. If you do not live in Fairport, please call your city Fire Department for information.

Lake County Dept. of Utilities has a **30%** (increased from 25%) Water & Sewer Fee Discount for Seniors (65+) with owner-occupied residences who meet the limited income threshold set forth by the **Ohio Homestead Means Testing**. Please call the **Lake County Dept. of Utilities** at 440-350-2070 for more information and an application. **Discount will automatically increase for current recipients.**

#### **NEED A "FREE" RIDE TO THE CENTER?**



The Senior Levy will now pay for trips to/from the Center if you are a Lake County resident & age 60 or older. Call **Laketran's Dial-a-Ride service** at 440-354-6100 to reserve your trip to the Center. Laketran will directly bill the Senior Services Levy. Laketran will NOT drive thru for the produce pickup.

**WELFARE CHECKS** - As of January 2022, the *Fairport Harbor Police Auxiliary Unit* has been conducting weekly welfare checks on our most vulnerable senior citizens. This could include seniors with long distance family contact or limited mobility. The program is available as a public service and consists of an *Auxiliary Police Officer* coming to the door as a friendly visit and making sure everything is okay. They will not enter the home (*unless under certain circumstances*) due to COVID-19 restrictions. You must live in Fairport Harbor. If you, or a family on behalf of our seniors wish to sign up, please contact the Police Department at 440-352-3150.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Call the Center first to see if an event and/or class has been cancelled due to inclement weather.

#### **WE ARE RECYCLING the following items:**



**CELL PHONES & INK CARTRIDGES:** When you bring your items to the Center, the *Cleveland Escrap Donation Program* & *The Cleveland Clinic* will use them to assist amputees with prosthetic limbs. We are also collecting **EYE GLASSES** for the *Lions Club of Painesville*.

**Lottery Tree Tickets** are on sale Mon-Thurs from 8am until 4pm. See the sales desk in the lobby. Tickets are six (6) for \$5.00 or \$1.00 each. A ticket will be drawn for the winner on the first Monday of each month.

Congratulations to ***Joni Frank*** for winning February's Lottery Tree.

**April Lottery Tree tickets are on sale now.**



**REMEMBER** to scan your card **ANY-TIME** you enter the Center including weekends and after hours. This scanning process is for helping to determine the funding we get for the Center. Please help us get these funds by doing this. It is very important!

#### **PHONE PAL VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

Do you enjoy talking on the phone? This is a flexible volunteer opportunity that can be done without leaving your home. If you are interested, please contact our Center so that we can connect you with *Cristen Kane* from the *Lake County Volunteers Network* at the *Board of Lake County Commissioners*.

#### **DEXTER'S SENIORS FOR SENIORS**



Are you 60+ and interested in adopting an older dog or cat? In "Dexter's Memory," the *Lake Humane Society* has a program that covers the costs of adoption for Canines 6+ years of age or Felines 8+ years of age. Please contact the *Lake Humane Society* for more information.

#### **PAINESVILLE CITY SENIOR CITIZENS**

The *Painesville Fire Department* offers free smoke detector installation in partnership with the *American Red Cross*. They will come out and install up to 3 new smoke detectors for any senior (*or any resident*) who does not have smoke detectors. They will also come out and help with changing batteries in existing smoke detectors. They can offer guidance on purchasing and installing carbon monoxide detectors (*they currently do not provide those, but they are working on plans to do so*).

They offer annual fire safety discussions at our Senior Citizen living facilities (*Heisley Park Senior Apartments, Wesley Village, Jackson Towers and Washington Square*). They have *Safe Senior* literature and will hand it out at events. They can also offer a courtesy safety inspection to any resident to help them with fire and general safety.

For more information, please contact the *Painesville City Fire Department* at (440) 392-5852.

#### **STAY CONNECTED**

Now more than ever, it's important to stay connected within your community. You can stay in touch by going to [www.mycommunityonline.com](http://www.mycommunityonline.com)

(formerly *ourseniorcenter.com*) to sign up to receive our monthly newsletter delivered straight to your inbox. Just search for our center's name and click ***Subscribe***. **If you want to receive your newsletter via email, please provide the Center with your email.**

## Free Fresh Produce at Fairport Senior Center 1380 East St., Fairport Harbor, OH

The Fairport Senior Center will continue teaming up with the Greater Cleveland Foodbank to provide fresh, nutritious bulk produce and other items to Lake County seniors. The Senior Market is normally available the 4th Monday of each month from 11:30am until 1:00pm, but the schedule is subject to change. Here are some upcoming dates:

**April 28;**      May 19;  
June 23;        July 28

Pet Food  
Giveaway:  
May, June,  
Aug. & Sept.

This is first come, first served. No reservations are needed, but please bring your photo ID for onsite registration along with bags for produce. Please have your trunk empty and open. Participants must certify annual gross household income is at or below **\$30,120** for a household of 1 and **\$40,880** for a household of 2. Income is self-declared; verification is not required. One box per household.



Please note that the amount  
of gross household income  
has increased.

**We** now have a new *Fairport Harbor Senior Center* Facebook group page. To join our group, simply search for **“Fairport Harbor Senior Center”** on Facebook. Members are encouraged to share photos that capture the essence of our Center & its activities. Please NO political beliefs, negative or hostile posts. Let’s showcase the pride we have in our Center and its members!

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Answer to Sudoku

Answers to Sudoku on page 11



Celebrating  
St. Patrick's  
Day at the  
Center



**Fairport Harbor Senior Citizens Center**  
**Membership Form for the Year 2025**  
 Membership Dues: Resident/Non-Resident - \$12.00

New Member  
 Renewal

**Please Print all Information**

Personal Information	
Name:	
(First)	(M.) (Last)
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Telephone:	Cell Phone:
Birthday Date:	Anniversary Date:
Email Address:	
Spouse/Partner:	
Emergency Contact	
Name:	Relationship:
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Telephone:	Cell Phone:
Dues Payment	
Check No. & Amount:	Cash Amount: \$

Your Interests:

Any Special Needs:

**Participation Waiver and Agreement**  
**Please read and sign**

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_, a participant in activities, including pickleball, programs, and trips sponsored by Fairport Senior Center, do hereby acknowledge that I am voluntarily participating. I recognize that in any activity program or trip, there are certain risks of injury to myself. I declare that my health and physical condition is adequate to meet the physical requirements of activities, programs, and trips in which I participate.
2. I agree to hold the Fairport Senior Center, their respective agents, representatives, instructors, volunteers, and participating companies and agencies harmless and indemnify them from any and all claims for damages to persons and property caused by myself or for any and all injuries sustained by me during my activities, programs and trips.
3. I agree to obey and abide by the rules and regulations of the Fairport Senior Center and to follow said instructions of same.
4. I further acknowledge the I am becoming a registered member of the Fairport Senior Center in reliance upon this waiver of liability.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*For office use only:*  D/B  Label  
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**Please Print all Information**



**ATTENTION “ALL” VETERANS!!** You are invited to Leroy Thompson VFW 7939 (12827 Painesville Warren Rd, Leroy Twp. 44077) | 440-254-0609) for a “Veterans Get Together” on the last Tuesday of every month. **The next meeting is April 29 at 6:30pm** .



**“April Showers Bring May Flowers” - Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery (Rittman) Floral Policy**

- ◆ Up to two floral arrangements accompanying the casket or urn at the time of burial will be placed on the completed grave and removed when they become unsightly.
- ◆ Artificial flowers are permitted on graves November 1 through April 15.
- ◆ Seasonal: Holiday Adornments such as Christmas wreaths (*Wreath Across American*) and grave blankets may be placed on graves from Dec. 1 through Jan 20. To maintain the dignity of the cemetery, permanent plants, statues, balloons, pinwheels, vigil lights, breakable objects, and similar items are not permitted on the graves.
- ◆ The cemetery does not permit adornments that are considered offensive, inconsistent with the dignity of the cemetery or considered hazardous to cemetery personnel (*example: items incorporating wires become entangled in mowers or other equipment and cause injury*).

**Happy Easter  
Happy Passover**

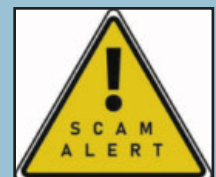
## **AVOIDING SCAMS**

### **HERE ARE SOME WAY TO AVOID SCAMS AND MAKE SURE YOU AND YOUR FAMILY MEMBERS ARE NOT VICTIMS OF FINANCIAL FRAUD:**

- ◆ **DESIGNATE A TRUSTED CONTACT.** Financial institutions like *Charles Schwab* provide an option to designate a trusted contact — a person who can speak to your financial services provider in the event of an emergency, such as financial exploitation.
- ◆ **GET YOUR FINANCIAL AFFAIRS IN ORDER.** Understand your full financial situation, including locating and filing key financial records, creating or reviewing wills, establishing trusts and power of attorney declarations, and updating account and insurance policy beneficiaries as your life situation changes.
- ◆ **GUARD YOUR PASSWORDS.** To protect your online financial accounts, create unique passwords and never share usernames, logins, passwords or personal identification numbers.
- ◆ **GET SMART WITH YOUR SMARTPHONE.** Scammers can mask their phone number to make it appear that a call is local or from a trusted party. Prevent telemarketing scams by joining the National Do Not Call registry and let calls from unknown phone numbers go to voicemail.
- ◆ **UP YOUR TECHNOLOGY GAME.** Local recreation centers and libraries offer technology and digital literacy classes to help older adults and their family members protect themselves online and learn about the latest financial schemes.

To learn more about how to educate yourself and your older family members on the latest financial schemes, visit: <https://www.schwab.com/resource-center/insights/section/resources-for-senior-investors>.

(Courtesy of Brandpoint)







**04/01**

Laux, Daniel  
Mason, David  
Reed, Nancy  
Rippin, Larry  
Rolls, Fred

**04/02**

Arcadi, Carm  
Cartwright, Margaret  
Durochik, Sally  
Jones, Josephine  
Morley, Barbara  
Moyer, Amy  
Noble-Bell, Diane

**04/03**

Blake, Cil  
Harting, Darlene  
Honkala, Richard  
King, Daniel  
Pillo, Ed  
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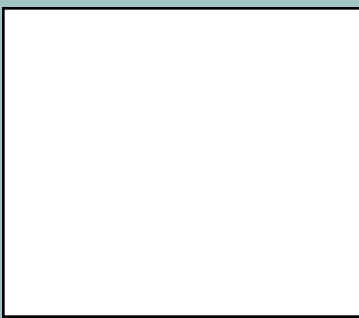
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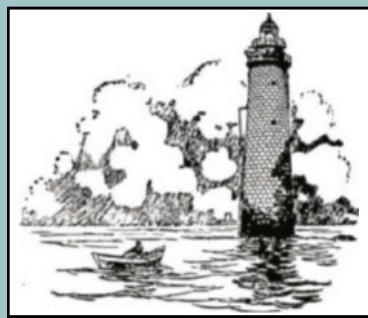
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