

**MOOSE JAW & DISTRICT SENIOR CITIZENS
ASSOCIATION INC.**

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MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday
9:00a.m. to 4:00p.m.

Activity Centre

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
8:00 a.m.- 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday & Friday
8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

MAY 12—MOTHER'S DAY

MAY 20—VICTORIA DAY (CLOSED)



KITCHEN HOURS:

Mon. Wed. Fri. 8:00am-2:00pm * Honour system 2:00-4:00pm
Tues. and Thurs. 8:00am-4:00pm

May is the fifth month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars. Its length is 31 days. May is a month of spring in the Northern Hemisphere and autumn in the Southern Hemisphere.

May is likely named after the Roman goddess Maia, who oversaw the growth of plants.



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We are in need of spray bottles. If you have any empty, clean spray bottles, can you bring them to MJDS.
THANK YOU



Congratulations to our April Winners

Coffee Card: Margaret Kupper

Monthly 50/50: Karen Anderson \$585.00

Spring Gift Basket : Karen Sinclair

Mother's Day Basket

Draw Date May 10,2024

Includes: Bailey's; Pinot Grigio; set of cosmetic bags; gardening gloves; \$20 Reitman's gift card; triple wick lavender candle; mug with coffee candies; Belgian chocolates and Merci; Spiced gummies; I phone cover; exfoliating towel; Fridge towel; Avon socks; Avon necklace, bracelet and watch; eco strips
Laundry detergent;



A General Message to All Participants

We greatly appreciate your enthusiasm for the activities you enjoy at our venue. Your participation brings vibrancy to our community, and we value your dedication.

As we strive to maintain our venue for hosting activities, we kindly request your understanding in allowing us to utilize the time during your activity for additional functions. Your cooperation in this matter will enable us to generate the necessary resources to sustain our venue and continue providing a space for our community's enjoyment.

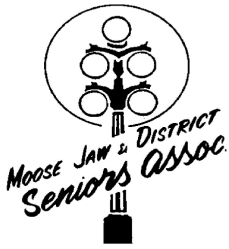
Thank you for your ongoing support and understanding. We remain committed to ensuring that our venue remains a welcoming and vibrant space

Craft sale

Thank you to everyone who supported our Spring Craft Sale. We appreciate all the vendors as well as those who donated baking for our bake table. **Special thanks to everyone who attended** and supported our fundraiser....we wouldn't be successful without you!

Our fall/Christmas craft sale will be held **November 30, 2024**. For information regarding table rentals etc. please contact the Center at **306-694-4223** or drop in and speak to our front desk personnel. We hope to see you there!





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Restaurant Certificate Raffle

16 restaurants -16 prizes to be won

Tickets 3 for \$5.00

Montana's	Crushed Can	Grant Hall	Bobby's
Golden Lux	Cornerstone	Flats	Jade Garden
Landscape	Veroba's	Western Pizza	Nits Thai Food
Rosie's	Smitty's	Houston Pizza	Tunnels of Moose Jaw

DO NOT FORGET

our

LIVE AUCTION

Cut off for donations: May 11, 2024

Auction date: June 15, 2024

New, unused Items

Also Gift Cards or Gift Certificates

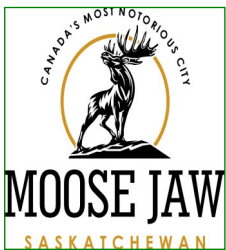
Promissory notes to exchange for Service

Handmade Creations.

Income tax receipts are available

Help us renovate the kitchen with New Floors, Counter Tops and Stand Up Freezers

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED



Tina is enjoying her new kitchen tap, installed April 4, 2024. Your donations to and your participation in our Live Auction will help us fund more much needed kitchen renovations.



We have received our SLGA license to offer **Monday after-noon Bingos**. In order to make this a success we will **require volunteers** for the following jobs: Callers, paper/ card sellers, Cashier, Runners, and Nevada ticket sellers. Please consider giving us a few hours of your time (Mondays from 1:00–3:30 p.m.) so that our Bingos will be a successful fundraiser. Our start date is June 3, 2024 If you are able to help please contact the front desk to have your name added to our list. 306–694–4223. Your help will be most appreciated.

Elaine has threatened to pester, harass, and hound so please volunteer today! The more volunteers that step up the fewer times you will need to work.





MILITARY WHIST TOURNAMENT

Moose Jaw & District Seniors

#101 – 510 Main St N.

(Timothy Eaton Gardens)

Moose Jaw, SK



10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 25, 2024

Only **\$20.00 per person** this includes coffee and muffins in the a.m. & a soup, sandwich, salad and dessert for lunch.

To register please call (306) 694-4223 or email;
mjsenior@shaw.ca

MUST – Sign up by 4pm on Thursday May 23.

MUST – Find own replacement if someone can't make it

Happy MAY Birthday to these Members!

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|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Brunet, E. | Graham, C. | Power, K |
| Cartman, E. | Holmberg, D. | Rhodes, D. |
| Dowling, L. | Irvin, R | Sawers, B. |
| Drake, M. | Keen, L | Silzer, Marilyn |
| Duckworth, D. | Klippenstein, B. | Smith, Bona |
| Duzan, N. | Konihowski, B. | Ward, Mary |
| Dyck, J. | Lawrence, WB | Weber, Yogi |
| .Fitzpatrick, M. | Linsley, V. | |
| Friedrick, C | McEwen, K. | |
| Gibson, D. | McGinnis, R | |



MAY FACTS:

Flower: Lily of the Valley and hawthorn. Some say that Lily of the valley appeared where Eve’s tears fell after she was evicted from the Garden of Eden. Traditionally it is known to symbolise humility, sweetness, the return of happiness and motherhood.



Birthstone: Emerald and Agate—emerald is a symbol of rebirth and is believed to grant the owner foresight, good fortune and youth, Agate is believed to transform negative energy into positive energy.

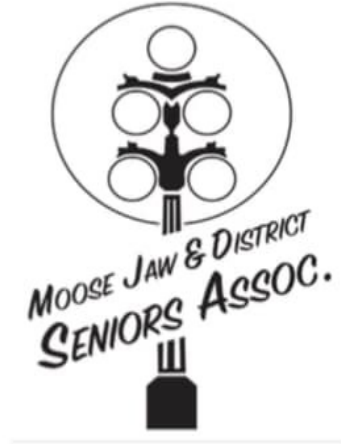


Zodiac – Taurus (April 20– May 20)

Gemini (May 21—June 20)



MAY
Draw
is
MAY 31
2024



MOOSE JAW & DISTRICT SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOC. INC.

Will be having a Monthly 50/50 Draw

Beginning September 1, 2023 & Concluding August 30, 2024

12,000 tickets sold for \$5.00 each.

- Ticket sales to commence on the 1st of every month from September 1, 2023, and conclude at noon on the last Friday of each month with the draw to follow at 3:00pm until August 30, 2024

Draw Location: 101-510 Main St N

ANYONE CAN BUY A TICKET!!! (In Saskatchewan Only & must be 19)

Prize value, can be up to \$30,000

50% Paid to winner 50% To MJDSA

Winner does not need to be present, will be notified by phone

Tickets Available @ #101-510 Main St. N.

(Timothy Eaton Garden Building – Main Floor)

Or you can purchase by E-TRANSFER to: mjsenior@shaw.ca

If you E-TRANSFER, please send an email with your

Puzzle Lottery

1st place



7-night stay at Grandview Resort in Las Vegas

(\$2,890) *Not Redeemable in cash*

+\$2,500 cash

Some Blackout Dates and Conditions apply.

2nd place



2-night stay at South Point hotel in Las Vegas

(\$700) *Not Redeemable in cash*

+\$2,500 cash

Some Blackout Dates and Conditions apply.

3rd place



One night stay at Dakota Dunes Resort in

Whitecap, Saskatchewan (\$169)

4th place



One night stay at Gold Eagle Lodge in

North Battleford, Saskatchewan (\$163)

Lottery Tickets are \$100 each.

Draw date: July 31, 2024

Time: 6:00pm

Draw Location: 510 Main St N, Moose Jaw

Licence Number # RR23-0457

Website: moosejawseniors.ca

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We offer a wide range of activities for our seniors in the community.

We have a FITNESS LEVEL which includes, indoor walking track and gym equipment. Our Timothy Eaton Café is open to everyone.

2024 Memberships Fees

Membership is valid January 1st to December 31st

Regular \$50 Enhanced \$75

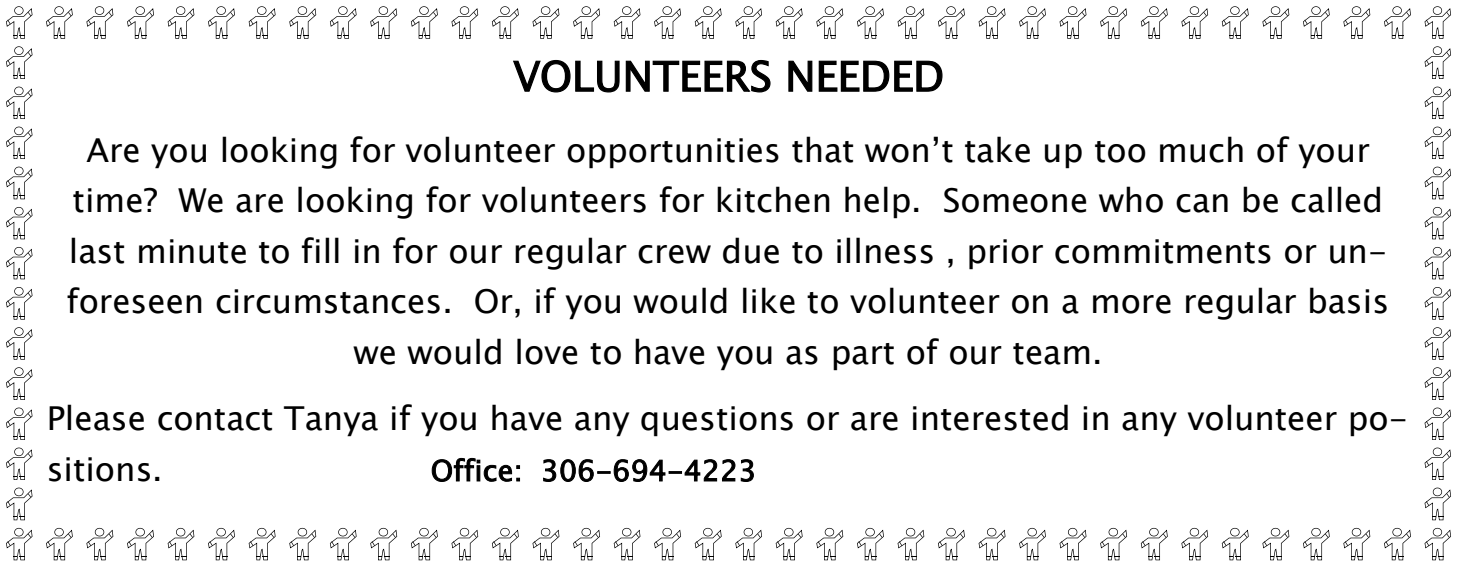


STILL Looking for Volunteer Coordinator (s)

MJDSCA is seeking one or two volunteer coordinators to assist with volunteer services. A volunteer list is completed. Role of volunteer coordinator(s) is to assign people and tasks to assist with functions and events.

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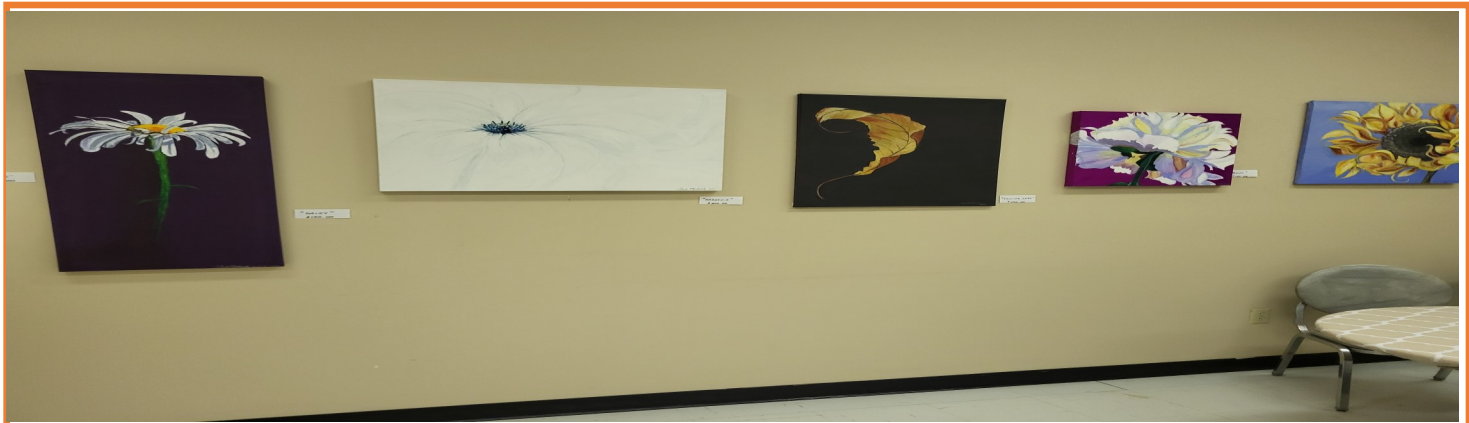
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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you looking for volunteer opportunities that won't take up too much of your time? We are looking for volunteers for kitchen help. Someone who can be called last minute to fill in for our regular crew due to illness , prior commitments or unforeseen circumstances. Or, if you would like to volunteer on a more regular basis we would love to have you as part of our team.

Please contact Tanya if you have any questions or are interested in any volunteer positions. Office: 306-694-4223



Welcome to the Moose Jaw Art Guild who will be sharing our gallery space in the lounge. Watch for new exhibits every couple of months.

Currently we showing the Artwork of Barb Markewich

**A NEW SUGGESTION BOX IS ON THE
TABLE OUTSIDE
ADMINISTRATOR DOOR NEXT TO
THE
SUGGESTION SLIPS.

PLEASE ALL
SUGGESTIONS MUST BE SIGNED**

MEMBERS
We are encouraging you to sign
in a friend or a guest next time
you come.
**All ages welcome. Show them
what we have.**

Activity fee applicable



MJDSCA
Cribbage Tournament
Saturday June 8, 2024
10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Only \$20.00 per person, this includes coffee and muffin in the morning and lunch at noon

To register please call (306) 694-4223 OR
EMAIL MJSENIOR@SHAW.CA

DREAM CATCHER CLASS

MAY 7 & 8TH

1 - 3 PM

Led by Joy Strueby

\$5/member ; \$8/non member

Can be paid at class

Please supply own metal ring and special doily, other materials will be supplied



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June 2, 2024

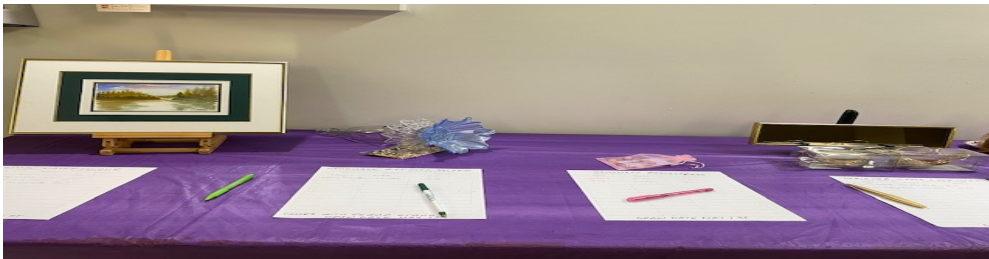
 **Dance** 

Time: 2:00pm-5:00pm
Band: Two Stepp
Price: \$15 at the Door
Refreshments Available



Don't forget we have a silent auction at the center every month. Come down and check it out, you never know what you may find. Everyone is welcome to enter a bid.

The current silent auction ends May 1,2024. There is 1) original water color 2) hand made bird feeder 3) handmade bracelet 4) mirror and tea lights; There is always a large selection of arts and crafts items for sale.



Mothers Day: Mother's Day is celebrated on the second Sunday in May, which makes it the same day as International Mother's Day.

Carnation's are traditionally the official flower as they signify purity, faith, love, beauty and all the traits that represent the virtue of Motherhood. Pink carnations symbolize gratitude, Red carnations represent your admiration for the recipient while White carnations are typically worn in remembrance of a mother who has passed away.



MJDSC leased areas in BUILDING -

All issues with the building (bathrooms, XYZ Auditorium, card room, craft room, etc.) are to be brought to Tanya. As tenants, MJDSC must have any renovations or changes to any part of the space approved by our landlord.

If there is something that needs repaired please pick up a maintenance report at desk. Complete it and return to Tanya
Thank you

FITNESS AREA

Please be considerate of all members who are using the fitness area. **Please wipe down ALL gym equipment after using it.**

If you are using the walking track and want to stop and talk or visit with someone please move off the track and chat. Rejoin the track when you're finished talking.

HALL RENTALS AVAILABLE

1 staged Large Hall

1 Small Hall

2 Meeting Rooms

***Podium**

***projector and screen**

***Bar**

***Microphones**

Convenience of Main street. Plenty of parking evenings and week-ends.

Rice and Salmon Casserole:

- 3/4 c dry rice
- 1 can (213 g) Salmon & liquid
- 1 can mushroom soup
- 1/2 c. milk
- 1 med onion chopped
- 1/4 cup grated cheddar cheese
- Salt and pepper to taste

Cook rice according to package directions. Fluff with fork and put in a greased casserole. Add salmon (with liquid), soup, milk onion, salt and pepper. Stir together and bake covered t 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Uncover and sprinkle cheese on top. Return to oven until cheese melts.

Did you hear about the first restaurant on the moon? **It had great food but no atmosphere.**

Why don't scientists trust atoms? **Because they make up everything.**

Do you want to hear a construction joke? **Sorry, I'm still working on it.**

What did one ocean say to the other ocean? **Nothing...it just waved.**

Why do ducks have feathers? **To cover their butt quacks.**

I entered ten puns in a contest to see which would win. **No pun in ten did.**

Why are toilets so good at poker? **They always get a flush.**



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To keep up with what's going on at Moose Jaw & District Senior Citizens Assoc. check out our website at <https://moosejawseniors.ca>

Moose Jaw & District Seniors Citizens Association has developed a website.

Our website can be viewed at:

<https://moosejawseniors.ca/>

Information on the site includes:

- * Our Activities
- * Café
- * Our History
- * Catering
- * Hall Rentals
- * Newsletter
- * Events
- * Volunteer Opportunities
- * Board of Directors

Moose Jaw & District Senior Citizens Centre activities and announcements are updated daily on our Facebook page. Follow us and keep updated on what is happening here.

Follow us on Facebook & our website

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offers competitive advertising rates for our monthly newsletter. If you have a special event, announcement

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