



Fayetteville Senior Center

The Beacon

January 2022

NEW MANDATES

NYS has now enacted a mandate to wear masks indoors. Some businesses are not adhering to the mandate (that's their choice) but, because we are in a government building and because of the demographic we serve, we **will** comply. We know this is hard for everyone to seemingly go back a few steps but it is for all our safety. Because we are complying, if someone doesn't mask up while in the building, and if we are reported, we could receive a **\$1000.00 fine per incident**. That means that if someone enters our building, sees several people without a mask, and reports us, we could potentially receive a very large fine. So, if you would like us to stay open for your enjoyment, please mask up when in the building. If you do not comply you could be asked to leave. We appreciate you. Thank you!

MEMBERSHIP SIGN-UP/RENEWAL TIME

January is the start of our membership drive for 2022. The new membership form is included in this edition of the newsletter on the back page. A new form is **REQUIRED** each year so we can continue to update our data base and make sure your information is accurate. Please fill this out and send it back if you would like to continue your membership. Once we receive the form we will make sure your are marked in our data base as a member for 2022. Dues are **\$20.00** per household. Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you all.

Please observe change in prices for Membership, now \$20 per household and Thursday Dinner, now \$12.00. If you have questions please call Janet or use the form and suggestion box located in Parnell hall.

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OUR STAFF:
Director/Kitchen : Janet Best
Admin. Assistant: Gracie Redmond

IF YOU ARE UNDER THE WEATHER!

It is vitally important that if you are not feeling well you stay home or if you need to come to the center it is **MANDATORY** for you to wear a mask. We are already starting to see colds and flu in our members and we want everyone to remain happy and healthy. It is also **MANDATORY** that you sign in at our entry table. If you don't sign in, we can not keep everyone safe. We will all be here when you are feeling better and return to full health.

Snow Days

It's that time of year again!! Remember if the Fayetteville Manlius school district is closed, the Fayetteville Senior Center will be closed. Please watch your television for the school closing scroll at the bottom of the screen. If there is a delay or it is a regular day off for the school district then please call the center to make sure we're here. We are still open if there is a delay.



Rising Costs!!

Due to rising costs, decreased product sizes, and availability we have made a difficult decision with some of our programs. Starting in January we will be increasing our membership fee to \$20, and our dinner donation to \$12.00. As of Dec. 31st we will no longer be able to buy and use certain products for environmental reasons. If this causes any hardship for you or someone you know, please let us know. Again, we are so sorry for the inconvenience.

FSC Board of Directors

IMPORTANT UPDATE TO BUILDING USAGE GUIDELINES:

If tables and chairs need to be moved to accommodate your group **please ask staff first**. We have many groups and activities in the building at the same time and we have everything set up a specific way as we are still dealing with a pandemic. **We kindly ask you to move everything back after to how you found it as it needs to be sanitized in between uses, and we don't have a janitor**. Thank you for your consideration. –Staff

For updates please check our website www.faysrctr.org

Crafting and Conversation

Join us for this new group bringing crafters together every **Thursday at 10:30am**. You can bring your craft, knitting, crocheting, card making or any other craft you may be into and would like to share. Have a cup of coffee/tea and a sweet treat, and meet some new friends.

Poetry!

We have a Poetry Group that meets **Thursdays @1pm**. This is a great way to express yourself through the written word. If you are new to writing or if you are an avid writer, all are encouraged to come and are very welcome.

~A BOOK CLUB TWIST~ Tues., January 18th @1pm!!!

Welcome to our "Blind Date with a Book", book club. This month once we talk about our book we have read, "The Last Lecture", by Randy Pausch, then we will pick a mystery wrapped book based on the three clues written on the front. At our next book club, Monday, Feb. 21st at 1pm, each person can give an opinion on the story. Tell us if you would recommend it, did the book speak to you in any way or maybe did it intrigue you. Of course you may not like the book at all and that's ok, just present that. This should be an exciting and interesting new challenge. If we all like this, we can continue next month! Join in the fun! If you have any questions about this at all please call Gracie or Janet.

Tom Henry Presentation

Welcome to 2022. Join us on **Tuesday, Jan. 25th at 12:30pm** for the continuation of our conversation on Vietnam. Join us for lunch. ****MUST RSVP****

"Let's Sing" with Walt Price

Friday, Jan. 14th at 10:30am. No sign up required, a mask is REQUIRED.

NEW GROUP, "BUNCO BUDDIES"

Come and play the classic dice game BUNCO Thursdays @1pm It is loads of fun and even if you do not know how to play, it's quick and easy to learn. This new group is a revival of the group from the past. Let's have some fun and meet new people.

GAMES!!

SIGN-UP REQUIRED



Hand and Foot Monday's: A fun card game similar to Canasta, easy to learn and fun for everyone! The group meets at 10am every Monday. Call for more info.

Pitch Tuesday's: Come play pitch with your friends every Tuesday at 11am, have lunch and play into the afternoon. Sign up required!

Mexican Train Wednesday's: Come play this creative domino game every Wed. at 12:30pm. If you would like to have lunch ahead of time with your friends, call to sign up.

Duplicate Bridge: We have 2 different groups that play Monday, and Friday, call for info.

Party Bridge: 2 groups that play every Wednesday, call for info.

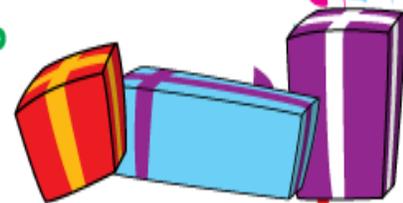
We have plenty all types of games available for use. If you have a group that needs a space, speak to Gracie or Janet about using one of our available rooms free of charge. We would love to have more groups use our facility.

January Birthdays

Karin McCadam	1/1	Richard Greene	1/17
Madeline Bort	1/2	Marian LaPierre	1/18
Corinne Kraus	1/4	Herbert May	1/19
Christa DeBottis	1/5	Laurie Walter	1/19
Cyril Freeman	1/5	Jacky Robisch	1/20
Linda Sofranko	1/6	Christine Johns	1/21
Barbara Hadley	1/8	Cora Reals	1/23
Rosie McMahan	1/8	Ed Ryan	1/23
Laurell Huff	1/11	Steven Schroeder	1/23
Lois Murphy	1/11	Annette Fudesco	1/25
George Cady	1/12	Peg McCarthy	1/25
Margaret Barry	1/13	Mildred Owens	1/26
Carol Shoudy	1/13	Elizabeth Wychowski	1/26
Eileen Lowell	1/14	Patricia Curtin	1/27
Richard Liss	1/14	Dee Fix	1/29
Bette Wood	1/15	Elaine Corcoran	1/30
Joanne Greenhouse	1/16	Karen Meiner	1/30
Ann Scofield	1/17		



Happy Birthday!



Come one, Come all to celebrate

Come join us on **January 28th @12pm** for lunch and musical entertainment! **If it is your birthday month you get a free lunch, just make sure to let us know! Everyone is welcome to attend, even if it's not your birthday month. You must sign up.** Call 315-637-9025. **Let us know it's your birthday so we can celebrate YOU.**

Jan. 2022 Menu



M Tues \$5.00 Wed \$5.00 Thurs \$12.00 Friday \$5.00 S S

	4 Chicken Salad Sandwich Salad Fruit Dessert Beverage	5 BLT on white Chips Fruit Dessert Beverage	6 Meatloaf & Mashed Potatoes w/ gravy Glazed Carrots Fresh Fruit Roll w/ Butter Dessert	7 French Toast Casserole Bacon/Sausage Fruit Beverage	8	9
10	11 Hamburgers Macaroni Salad Fruit Dessert Beverage	12 Egg/Tuna Salad Sandwich Chips Fruit Dessert Beverage	13 Chicken Parmesan Spaghetti Salad Fresh Fruit Italian Bread w/Butter Dessert	14 Breakfast pizza Fruit Coffee Cake Beverage	15	16
17	18 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Salad Fruit Dessert Beverage	19 Turkey/Ham Sandwich Salad Fruit Dessert Beverage	20 Baked Ham Baked Potato w/ Sour Cream Brussel Sprouts Fresh Fruit Roll w/ Butter Dessert	21 Pancakes & Sausage Fruit Donuts Beverage	22	23
24	25 Hot Dogs Fries Fruit Dessert Beverage	26 Sloppy Joe Fries Fruit Dessert Beverage	27 Individual Chicken Pot Pies Fresh Fruit Salad Roll w/ Butter Dessert	28 BDAYS! Scrambled Eggs Hash Browns Toast Fruit Danishes Beverage	29	30
31	1 Hot Turkey sandwich Chips Fruit Dessert Beverage					

**Menu is subject to change, substitutions are available for dietary restrictions only.
Veggie burgers are available for an alternative, please ask in advance.**

Jan. 2022 Events

M	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Friday	S	S
3 10- Duplicate bridge 11:30am—Hand and Foot 12:30—Movie	4 10- Exercise 11-Pitch 12-Lunch 1pm Advocates art Group	5 10:30-Party Bridge 12-Lunch 12:30 –Movie 12:30– Mexican train	6 10-Exercise 10:30– Crafting and Conversation 1pm– Poetry 2:30-3pm To Go Dinners	7 12– Mah Jong 12-Duplicate Bridge 12-Free Brunch <u>12:30 Scrabble</u> 12:30 Seminar on Medicare plans	8	9
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17 11-6pm Doug’s Fish Fry 10- Duplicate bridge 11:30am—Hand and Foot 12:30 –Movie <u>1-Book club</u>	18 10- Exercise 11-Pitch 12-Lunch 1pm Advocates art Group	19 10:30—Party Bridge 12-Lunch 12:30 –Movie 12:30– Mexican train	20 10-Exercise 10:30– Crafting and Conversation 12:30 “Bunco Buddies” 1pm– Poetry 2:30-3pm To Go Dinners	21 12– Mah Jong 12-Duplicate Bridge 12-Brunch <u>12:30 Scrabble</u>	22	23
24 10- Duplicate bridge 11:30am—Hand and Foot	25 10- Exercise 11-Pitch 12-Lunch 12:30 –Tom Henry	26 10:30—Party Bridge 12-Lunch 12:30 –Movie 12:30– Mexican Train	27 10-Exercise 10:30– Crafting and Conversation 1pm– Poetry 2:30-3pm To Go Dinners	28 12– Mah Jong 12-Duplicate Bridge 12-Brunch B’day celebration with entertainment	29	30
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WELCOME TO THE MOVIES

Movies are free and open to anyone. Popcorn and beverage are provided.



Wed., Jan. 5 12:30pm, “Wild Mountain Thyme”, PG-13, 102 Minutes Starring Emily Blunt & Jamie Dornan
Rosemary Muldoon is a stubborn Irish farmer who has her romantic eyes and heart set on her neighbor, the strapping Anthony Reilly. However, Anthony seems oblivious to the fact that a family curse seems to haunt him. Meanwhile, Anthony is distraught by his father's plans to sell the farm that has been in their family for centuries to his faraway nephew, who lives all the way in the United States.

Wed., Jan 12, 12:30pm, “The Last Vermeer”, R, 118 Minutes Starring Guy Pearce & Claes Bang
A failed Dutch artist takes up the business of selling art during the tumultuous years of World War II. Hans van Meegeren is able to acquire masterpieces, especially those painted by 17th Century master Johannes Vermeer. He sells them at lavish prices to the Nazis. His primary client is one of Hitler's top men, Hermann Goring. After the war ends, van Meegeren finds himself in hot water for dealing in ill-gotten art and for collaborating with the monstrous Nazi regime. He is arrested and placed on trial but might van Meegeren be innocent after all?

Wed., Jan. 19 12:30pm, “Pinocchio” PG-13, 125 Minutes Starring Federico Lelapi & Roberto Benigni
Poor Italian carpenter Geppetto decides to build a puppet to tour the country with when it surprisingly comes to life. The carpenter decides to take puppet named Pinocchio as a son. After several mistakes, such as letting Pinocchio almost burn, the carpenter decides that the puppet needs to be educated. Throughout Pinocchio's adventures, he learns how the world works, gets kidnapped, gets chased by bandits, and even gets eaten by a sea-monster. All this happens while Pinocchio struggles to achieve his dreams - to become a real boy.

Wed., Jan 26 12:30pm, “Nomadland” PG-13, 108 Minutes Starring Frances McDormand & David Strathairn
For one woman in her sixties, life has been a fairly straightforward set of steps to her goals. But when the Great Recession hits, she suddenly finds that all of her well-laid plans have been destroyed. With her finances in tatters, she decides to take to the roads on a grand journey. Living as a nomad in the American West, she starts to discover things about herself that she never knew.

Monday Afternoon Comedy, 12:30 pm free and open to everyone

Mon. Jan 3 12:30 pm “Isn’t She Great” R 1hr 36 Minutes Starring Bette Midler & Nathan Lane
Outrageous comedy based on the life of Jaqueline Susann an ambitious woman of dubious talent who writes for “Valley of the Dolls”.

Mon. Jan 17 12:30 pm “Mona Lisa Smile” PG-13 120 Minutes Starring Julia Roberts
Progressive art professor Katherine Ann Watson accepts a position at the prestigious Wellesley College in the 1950s. She is a step ahead of the times, and this does not fit so well with the conservative environment of this women's college. In her classroom, she encourages her students not to see higher education as a means to marriage but to truly explore their potentials. Katherine inspires her students with her unusual ideas, but the school does not approve of her methods and message, and many of the young women still don't see eye to eye with her. In the midst of disappointments, she must decide whether it is worthwhile to try instilling her values in these old-fashioned students.

A FEW REMINDERS:

- ◇ **Sign in whenever you enter the building. Mask wearing is mandatory until further notice.**
- ◇ **Make sure you sign up for ALL events.** If you are unable to come, please call to tell us.
- ◇ **Please sign up for your lunch at least 24 hours ahead.** We don't have items readily on hand. If you have allergies or dietary restrictions, we can

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MEMORIALS

The Fayetteville Senior Center's Building and Memorial Fund is a living memorial to our friends. Gifts may be given on the occasion and in memory of anniversaries, birthdays and for get well wishes as a means of sharing happiness or times of sorrow. These tax deductible gifts are used to enhance the lives of the seniors in our community.



The Staff, Members and Board of Directors of the Fayetteville Senior Center offer their sincere condolences to the families of our honored members.

Ruth Ware

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NEED A MEDICARE CHECK-UP OR UPDATE?

Join us Friday, January 7th for a free lunch and seminar

It's never too late to examine and check you Medicare plans and benefits. Randy Loomis from RMR Insurance Agency, will be joining us for a seminar on ALL Medicare plans There are no sales, only information to better your benefits. **Registration is required as lunch is included in this program.**



Newsletter Subscription/Membership Form 2022

584 E. Genesee St., Fayetteville, NY 13066

**** Please complete the entire form and return to the Center****

*****Must Answer*****

***Registrant #1:** _____

***Date of Birth (M/D):** _____

Registrant #2: _____

Date of Birth (M/D): _____

***Email:** _____

***Address:** _____

***City:** _____

***State:** _____ ***Zipcode:** _____ ***Phone #:** _____

Winter Address: _____

Newsletter to be delivered to winter address from: _____ **to** _____

We offer a variety of activities, please check any you may be interested in:

Art Classes _____ Tech Classes _____ Exercise Classes _____

Book Club _____ AARP Classes _____ Card Games _____

Board Games _____ Movies _____ Suggestions _____

Are you interested in volunteering and helping out the center? Yes _____ No _____

***If yes, please list what your interests are (ex: Kitchen, Newsletter, Fundraisers, ect.):**

***Emergency Contact and Phone#:** _____

***Registrant #1 Signature:** _____

Registrant #2 Signature: _____

\$20 Per Household



FAYETTEVILLE SENIOR CENTER



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If interested in joining our Board, please contact Janet or one of our Board members for information. Members are welcome to attend.

Mission Statement

The Fayetteville Senior Center meets the challenges facing the senior community by offering social activities, education, health and recreation programs, nutritional programs and other activities in friendly comfortable surroundings.

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