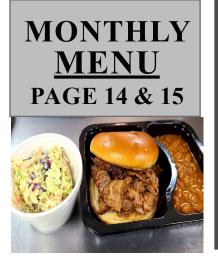




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Our Opry is always the 1st Tuesday of every month, benefiting Meals On Wheels.
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November 7th
Josh Peek

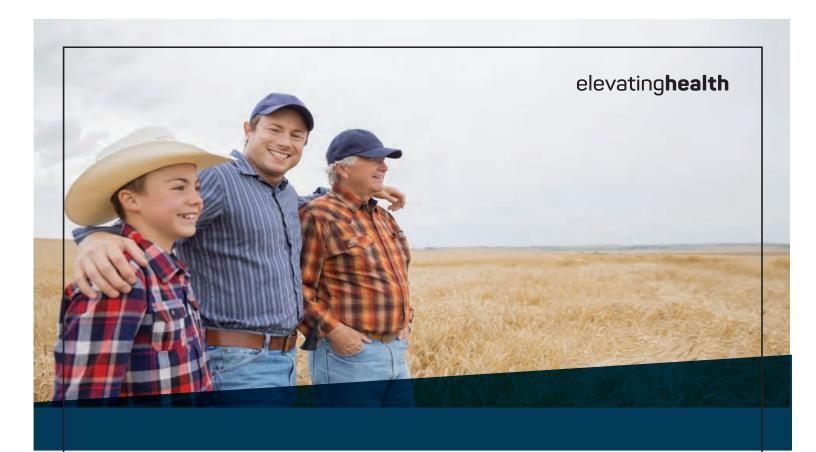
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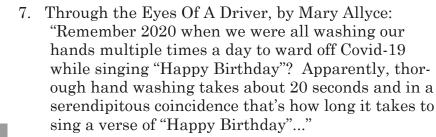
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Quilters Welcome!! Every Wednesday 9:30am

Do you know how to sew? Do you have a quilt you want to do for a family member? Do you have a project to share? Above all would you like to meet new people? If you answered Yes to any of the above questions please contact our Center at 830.796.4969

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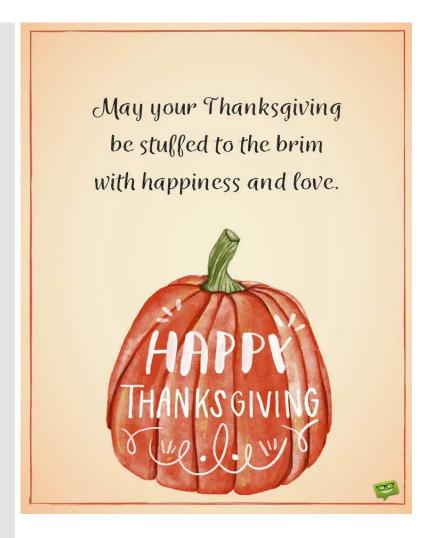
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The flu vaccine is very important for older adults and people with chronic health conditions. Please get your seasonal flu (influenza) vaccine by the end of October or soon after.

LAKEHILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH VACCINE CLINIC

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Lakehills United Methodist Church will be partnering with The Silver Sage, in an effort to stop the spread of preventable diseases. Enrollment assistance for local, state and federal benefits will be available.

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COVID-19

If you have not gotten a COVID-19 vaccine since last fall, you can get one now. If you are over age 65 or are immunocompromised you may want an extra shot about 4 months after getting your last one.



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THROUGH THE EYES OF A DRIVER By Mary Allyce

Remember 2020 when we were all washing our hands multiple times a day to ward off Covid-19 while singing "Happy Birthday"? Apparently, thorough hand washing takes about 20 seconds and in a serendipitous coincidence that's how long it takes to sing a verse of "Happy Birthday".

It got old, fast.

Singing "Happy Birthday" is harder than it sounds when coming out of the mouths of real singers. It's difficult enough that it often shows up as an audition number when casting singers in the entertainment business. Since most of us do not fit into the singer category, adding a lot of annoying off key humming compounded the indignity.

Our hands got chapped, cracked and dry from all the washing, especially when we added the extra precaution of squirting on hand sanitizer. No one was sorry to relax back to a more reasonable amount of hand washing and to lose the humming.

But recently, for 10 days out of the month, I'm back to washing my hands an inordinate number of times in a given day. Why? I have pets, dogs specifically. I also have retinopathy in my right eye and the full page of precautions from the retinal specialist detail all the "do's and don't's" of procedure prep and aftercare, including minimal contact with pets. I understand the need for stringent hygienic precautions when you're getting injections in your eye and some of them, like handwashing, are easy: No Make-up for 1 week before and after injections. Since I don't wear much makeup to begin with, foregoing the little I do wear is not a problem.

Another one shouts in bold and capital letters: No Yard/Ranch Work for 5 days post injection. This one's a great excuse to put off mowing, weeding, pruning, and whatever else needs doing outside.

No Swimming for 10 days is also easy. No pool, no swimming.

Then there's the one about pets. It warns, Use gloves when handling pets for 10 days, followed by, If pets sleep on the same bed with you CHANGE OUT SHEETS and DO NOT allow them to sleep on same bed for 10 days. Have to pay attention to all that bold type and capitalizations. Unfortunately, my dogs can't read and my other pets are horses who neither read nor sleep with me. Both dogs and horses do, however, insist on eating and as we also discovered during Covid-19, remembering to glove or not, when and how is tricky.

The doctor and his staff remind at each appointment about the restrictions and importance of frequent hand washing and I promise I do pay attention to both. I also pay attention to my animals' needs and here is my solution: safety goggles! I have several pair and aside from making me look like a displaced laboratory scientist, they get the job done. I can't unconsciously touch my eyes, I can see just fine, and they fit neatly over my prescription or reading glasses. I even wear them when I go to bed at night. I'm feeling rather smug. How often you can please a doctor's office, dogs, horses, and yourself with something as simple as \$5 plastic eyewear?

So if you see me out and about wearing goggles over glasses, or in the ladies room scrubbing my hands like a mad scientist, I haven't gone all eccentric. And no worries - I won't be singing "Happy Birthday". Maybe a few bars of "Turkey In The Straw" in honor of Thanksgiving. Which reminds me . . .

Happy, Grateful Thanksgiving to all and see you in December!



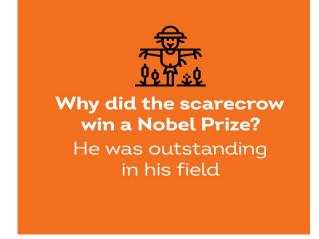








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HEY, WHAT'S HAPPENING?By Lisa Crawford (Activities Director)

We made it! Fall is finally here. Isn't it lovely?

Thursday, November 2nd is a trip to the Boerne AMC Movie Theater to see the movie AFTER DEATH. We will leave the center at 2:15. Please arrive by 2:00 p.m. to pay the bus fee and load the bus. The movie is set to start at 3:30. We should have plenty of time to get our tickets, snacks and get a good seat. Ticket prices are \$5.19 for seniors

and there is a \$5 fee for the bus ride. AFTER DEATH: Scientists, authors, and survivors of near-death experiences discuss the spiritual and scientific dimensions of mortality and the afterlife.

Tuesday, November 7th is the Cowboy Capital Opry. Our guest this month is Josh Peek. Doors open at 6:30 and show starts at 7:00. Popcorn, sodas and water are available for purchase. As always, we appreciate our musician volunteers for donating their time and talents. We also appreciate YOU. There would be no show without you. Bring the whole family and enjoy an evening of wholesome entertainment.

Josh Peek: Born and raised a Texas cowboy, loves God, Country, and the American way of life.

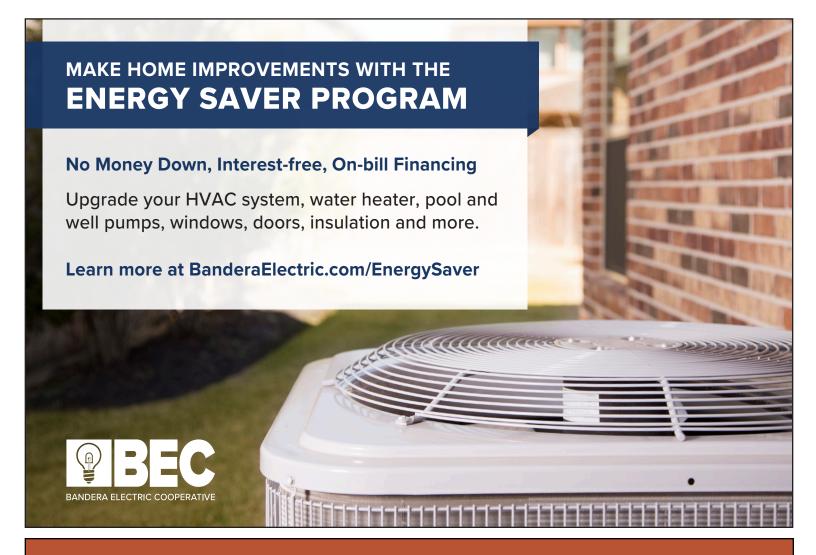
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In House Movie: Tuesday, November 14th at 2:00 p.m. in the dining room we will show the movie TRUE SPIRIT. True Spirit is based on the true story of Jessica Watson, an Australian sailor who became the youngest person ever to sail around the world, solo, when she was 16 years old.

Birthday Bash will be held on Wednesday, November 15th this month.

Who wants to go SHOPPING? Monday, November 27th we will leave the center at 9:30 a.m. and make our way out to the Shops at La Cantera Mall for a FULL DAY of shopping. If you sign up for this trip you will need to be prepared to be at the mall until 4 p.m. All shoppers will be on their own the entire day and that includes making your own lunch arrangements. There are many restaurants in the mall and a food court as well. This is an OUTDOOR mall. Meaning, you walk along outside between each store. Be prepared if it's cold by bringing a jacket and an umbrella if rain is expected. If heavy rain is expected we will have an alternate date of Thursday, November 30th.

Let's remember that we have so much to be thankful for. I for one am thankful for each and every one of you. Speaking of Thankful, we would like to give thanks to HEB for giting us with gift cards that we used for our Halloween Party!



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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
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8:00 Ejercicio en	10:30 Estiramiento y	8:00 Ejercicio en	12:30 Juegos	8:00 Ejercicio en
video	fortalecimiento con	video	1:00 Grupo de debate	vídeo
10:00 Yoga con Willie	<u>Ida</u>	9:30 Acolchar	sobre preocupación y	12:30 Juegos
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		12:30 Poco Loco	manualidades	
			2:15 AMC Boerne	
			Película: Después de la muerte	
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8:00 Video Ejercicio	fortalecimiento con	vídeo	Iron Thanksgiving	video
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10:00 Yoga con Willie	1:00 Grupo de	Outreach		
12:30 Juegos	<u>Escritores</u>	12:00 Charla Bienestar		
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6 Palitos de Pescado con Salsa Tarter Ensalada picante de repollo Tator Tots	7 Albóndigas suecas con salado Salsa de crema Fideos de huevo con mantequilla Calabacín calabaza	8 Sándwich de cerdo desmenuzado Papas fritas tipo gofre Frijoles Homeados a la barbecue	9 Enchilada De Pollo Al Horno Arroz español Frijoles refritos salsa	10 Cremoso De Patata Y sopa de jamón
13 Pollo naranja Arroz Blanco Al Vapor pegatinas	14 Sándwich de hamburguesa derretida Papas fritas Postre elegido por el chef	15 pollo Cacciatore Pasta de cabello de ángel Brócoli cocido al vapor	Espaguetis de jardín con Carne Molida, Jardín Verduras y hierbas frescas Pan de ajo	Pollo Fresa Ensalada de nueces sobre cama de espinacas tiernas vinagreta de frambuesa galletas saladas
20 Filete De Pollo Frito/Salsa Pure de Papas al Ajo Judías verdes con ajo	21 Ensalada de pasta del suroeste con frijoles negros, maíz, cebolla morada y tomates sobre una cama de pasta fresca Verdes, galletas saladas CENTRO DE ACCIÓN DE GRACIAS	22 Comidas sobre ruedas Acción de Gracias CENTRO CERRADO	23 CENTRO CERRADO	24 Comidas a domicilio Cazuela De Pavo Y Arroz CENTRO CERRADO
Costillitas BBQ Ensalada de papas Frijoles pintos	28 Galleta y salsa Empanada De Salchicha Patatas fritas con queso Fruta fresca	29 Pollo Salteado Al Pesto Con Queso parmesano Fideos Rigatoni Zanahorias con mantequilla	30 hamburguesa y Todas las fijaciones Menú sujeto a cambios según disponibilidad.	Area Agency on Aging Prode trough to Translation of Governments Joyce D. Lamilla, LD Llame a la entrega de Meals On Wheels (830) 796-4969

Silver Sage ~ November 2023 Lunch served from 11:30am-1pm

	27 BBQ Baby Back Ribs Potato Salad Pinto Beans 28 Bis Ch	20 Chicken Fried Steak/Gravy Garlic Mashed Potatoes Garlic Green Beans Green Beans CF	13 Orange Chicken Pa Steamed White Rice Potstickers Ch	6 Fish Sticks w/Tarter Sauce Sw Tangy Cole Slaw Tator Tots Zu	Alamo Area Council Of Governments	MONDAY
	28 Biscuit & Gravy Sausage Patty Cheesy Hashbrowns Fresh Fruit	21 Southwest Pasta Salad with black beans, corn, red onions and tomatoes on a bed of Fresh Greens, Crackers CENTER THANKSGIVING	14 Patty Melt Sandwich French Fries Chef Choice Dessert	7 Swedish Meatballs w/savory Cream sauce Buttered Egg Noodles Zucchini & Squash	SAN Antonio SAN ANTONIO SERVING SOUTHWEST TEXAS	TUESDAY
	29 Sauteed Pesto Chicken w/ Parmesan Cheese Rigatoni Noodles Buttered Carrots	22 Meals On Wheels Thanksgiving CENTER CLOSED	15 Chicken Cacciatore Angel Hair Pasta Steamed Broccoli	8 Pulled Pork Sandwich Waffle Fries BBQ Baked Beans	1 King Ranch Chicken Borracha Beans	WEDNESDAY
Menu subject to change according to availability	30 Hamburger & All the Fixings	23 CENTER CLOSED	16 Garden Spaghetti with Ground Beef, Garden Veggies, and Fresh Herbs Garlic Bread	9 Chicken Enchilada Bake Spanish Rice Refried Beans Salsa	2 Spice-Rubbed Pork Tenderloin Roasted Root Veggies Cornbread	THURSDAY
Joyce D. Lamilla, LD Call Meals On Wheels delivery (830) 796-4969	Mrea Agency on Aging on Aging Traded through the Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services Alamo Area Council of Governments	24 Meals On Wheels Turkey/Rice Casserole CENTER CLOSED	Strawberry Chicken Salad with walnuts on a bed of baby spinach Raspberry Vinaigrette Crackers	10 Creamy Potato and Ham Soup	3 Chef Salad with Hard Boiled Egg on a bed of Baby Spinach Ranch Dressing Crackers	FRIDAY





10 tips Nutrition Education Series



Based on the Dietary Guidelines for Americans

Vary your protein routine

Protein foods include both animal (meat, poultry, seafood, and eggs) and plant (beans, peas, soy products, nuts, and seeds) sources. We all need protein—but most Americans eat enough, and some eat more than they need. How much is enough? Most people, ages 9 and older, should eat 5 to 7 ounces* of protein foods each day depending on overall calorie needs.

Vary your protein food choices
Eat a variety of foods from the Protein Foods Group
each week. Experiment with beans or peas, nuts,
soy, and seafood as main dishes.

Choose seafood twice a week

Eat seafood in place of meat or poultry twice a week.

Select a variety of seafood, including those that are higher in oils and low in mercury, such as salmon, trout, and herring.

Select lean meat and poultry
Choose lean cuts of meat like round or sirloin and
ground beef that is at least 93% lean. Trim or drain
fat from meat and remove poultry skin.

Save with eggs

Eggs can be an inexpensive protein option and part of a healthy eating style. Make eggs part of your weekly choices.

Eat plant protein foods more often
Try beans and peas (kidney, pinto, black, or white beans; split peas; chickpeas; hummus), soy products (tofu, tempeh, veggie burgers), nuts, and seeds. They are lower in saturated fat and some are higher in fiber.

* What counts as an ounce of protein foods? 1 ounce lean meat, poultry, or seafood; 1 egg; ¼ cup cooked beans or peas; ½ ounce nuts or seeds; or 1 tablespoon peanut butter.

Consider nuts and seeds
Choose unsalted nuts or seeds as a snack, on salads, or in main dishes. Nuts and seeds are a concentrated source of calories, so eat small portions to keep calories in check.

Try grilling, broiling, roasting, or baking—they don't add extra fat. Some lean meats need slow, moist cooking to be tender—try a slow cooker for them. Avoid breading meat or poultry, which adds calories.

Make a healthy sandwich
Choose turkey, roast beef, canned tuna or salmon, or peanut butter for sandwiches.Many deli meats, such as regular bologna or salami, are high in fat and sodium—make them occasional treats only.

Think small when it comes to meat portions

Get the flavor you crave but in a smaller portion.

Make or order a small turkey burger or a "petite" size steak.

Check the sodium
Check the Nutrition Facts label to limit sodium.
Salt is added to many canned foods—including soups, vegetables, beans, and meats. Many processed meats—such as ham, sausage, and hot dogs—are high in sodium. Some fresh chicken, turkey, and pork are brined in a salt solution for flavor and tenderness.

YOGA WITH WILLY EVERY MONDAY

Location: Great Room @ the Silver Sage - Time: 10:00am



Bring your yoga mat and enjoy one hour of eclectic instructor-led yoga with Willie. This multi-level class is suitable for all abilities and ages. Class consists of simple breathing exercises, stretching, and forced relaxation (smile!) that are beneficial for both physical and mental health. Classes are held on holiday Mondays! Willie has been a certified Yoga instructor with over 20 years experience in body, mind, and spirit work. \$8 per class.

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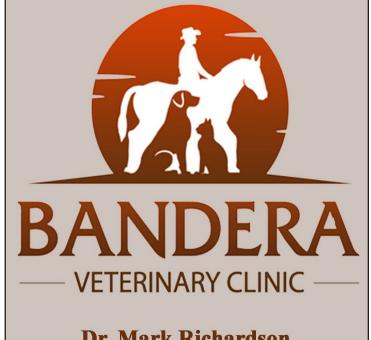
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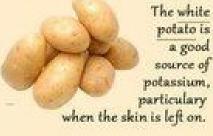


One medium banana is high in potassium, providing 9% of the Recommended Daily Intake (RDI). Avocados are a rich s ource of potassium. A 100 gram serve of avocado provides about 485 mg of potassium.





Salmon is a good source of potassium. It's also an excellent source of Omega-3 fatty acids which have anti-inflammatory effect.



Beans are potassium rich foods. They are also a good source of protein and contain the essential amino acid lysine.



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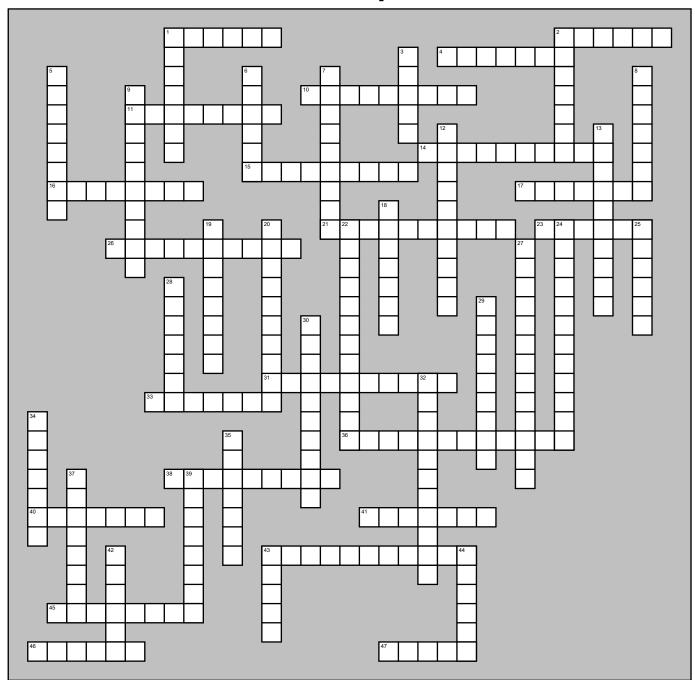
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10 Alzheimer's Communication Tips



Never argue, instead **AGREE**

6 Never say "I told you", instead **REPEAT**

Never reason, instead **DIVERT**

- Never say "you can't", instead do what they **CAN DO**
- Never shame, instead **DISTRACT**
- 8 Never command, instead **ASK**
- Never lecture, instead **REASSURE**
- Never condescend, instead ENCOURAGE
- Never say "remember", instead **REMINISCE**
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