

# Golden Times

August 2025  
Issue VIII

## Madison County Senior Citizens Center



Here we are on a fast track to the end of summer. It has been a very hot summer so far, and it doesn't look like it will cool down anytime soon. But time is flying by, I can't believe they haven't brought the pumpkin spice out yet! (sarcasm) Keep enjoying the beauty summer brings, and embrace each day we are blessed with.

I wanted to take a moment to thank our generous members. Almost every day, someone shows their kindness and support to the center in some way, such as making monetary donations, donating items for our adult care program, or contributing to the café. Right now, when you come in the front doors, there is usually fresh produce on the table from someone's garden. It's just the small things, but all of those small things mean so much. All of this is very important to our continued success. In most cases, and I would love to post it everywhere, they want no recognition for their kindness. **So, I just want to say thank you for your kindness; you know who you are, and we appreciate all of you. "There is nothing more beautiful than someone who goes out of their way to make life more beautiful for others."**

Along the donation lines, thanks to some generous donations, as I mentioned last month, we were able to proceed with our order of two new pieces of exercise equipment for our expanded exercise room. The current update is that they should be here in the next couple of weeks. Is this a good time to mention we will need to replace our day trip vans in the very near future? As always, I will be researching grant opportunities and reaching out to local car dealerships as potential contributors; any donation toward the cause would be greatly appreciated. Our vans are both 2008 models, and as many of our members who regularly go on day trips will attest, the ride is becoming a little more squeaky and bumpy. All of our vans are inspected annually and well-maintained; however, nothing lasts forever—the safety of our members while on our vans is a top priority. We are exploring various style options to replace them.

Just a reminder: if you or a senior you know needs a fan to help with the summer heat, please stop by or give us a call. We love that our activities help so many of you socialize, stay involved, and stay active. The primary reason for our existence is to help seniors in our community live healthy, happy, and independent lives.

The following will serve as my monthly reminder through November: Please actively and optimistically promote the levy **renewal** on November 4<sup>th</sup> and its importance to the center. We have many new people moving into our community; they may not be aware of the center or realize its importance to the senior citizens of Madison County. **Please share with your family, friends, and neighbors just how important the center is to you.** The most important thing to remember is that without our levy funding, which accounts for 93% of our revenue, the Madison County Senior Center would **not exist**. Yes, it's that important. NO NEW TAXES, just a renewal of the existing .8 mill levy that has been in place since 1997.

Thank you for the laughter I hear every day, and thank you to everyone who helps at the center every day!

*Misty*



Find the baseball hidden in this newsletter. When you find it call the center at 740-852-3001 by Friday, August 15th and tell us where it is located. If correct, your name will be entered into a drawing to win 5 free lunches. Remember it may not be on a color page. Last month the ice cream cone was on page 2. Congratulations to Betty Welch, the lucky winner!



Above: Forty folks really enjoyed our trip to Lancaster, Pennsylvania. We saw a fantastic play, Noah, at the Sight and Sound Theater. It was just amazing! Pictured above left is part of the group hanging out at Cracker Barrel. Everyone got along great and we had lots of fun too.



Above: The Adult Day Center made these cute little lady bugs.



Lydia Kaverman of Clark County Blazin Bacon 4H Club quilted these beautiful pillows and donated them to the Senior Center. She is the granddaughter of Greta Call.

Below: Our first Matter of Balance class of 2025 wrapped up on July 9th. We have another one that started on July 30th. Thank you to Jane Acri of COAAA for facilitating this great program.







### High Euchre Score

6-23-25 Cheryl Holland 83

6-30-25 Cheryl Holland 100

7-7-25 Todd Martin 88

7-8-25 Bev Evans 88

7-14-25 Bev Evans 93

7-15-25 Gary Walker 86

### High Bridge Score

6-18-25 Jerry Cummins 5070

6-25-25 Kay Majka 5130

7-2-25 Mary Locke 5210

7-9-25 Jerry Cummins 5050

7-16-25 Greg Merritt 4760



### Welcome 21 New Members!

Gale and Diane Pence

Nancy and Phil Wall      Jean Comshaw

Georgia Scaggs      Joan Cox

Betty Peyton      Ginny Olff

Peggy Schertzer      Clayton Scott

Renee Lutz      Patricia Glispie

Mark and Kathy Erbaugh

John and Patty Sifrit

Steven and Barbara Mills

Ronald and Angela Harps

### 2025 Governing Board Members

Donna Sheridan-President

Jerry Tompkins- Vice President

Loretta Anthony—Secretary

Sharon Manion

Dennis Park      Tom Lawrence

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE



#### Monday:

9:00 a.m.—Chair Volleyball

10:30 a.m.—Sitting Exercise/ Strengthening

1:00 p.m. – Euchre

2:00 p.m.—Diabetes & Weight Loss Support Group

#### Tuesday:

9:00 a.m.— 3 p.m. Quilting Class

10 a.m.-12:00 p.m.—Bowling at Madison Lanes

1:00 p.m.—Hand & Foot Cards

4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.—Billiards, Workout Room Open.

4:00 p.m.—Euchre August 12 and 19

5:00 p.m. Members Only Line Dancing August 5 and 26

#### Wednesday:

9:00 a.m.—Chair Volleyball

10:30 a.m.—Aerobics/Strengthening Class

12:00 p.m.—Bridge

1:00 p.m.—Hand & Foot Cards

#### Thursday:

9:00 a.m.—Chair Volleyball

#### Friday:

10:00 a.m.— Tai Chi

1:00 p.m.—Free Movie and Popcorn at the senior center.



**The Center's Fitness Room** is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Tuesdays until 7 p.m.

We have 3 treadmills, 2 exercise bikes, a weight machine for upper body, a seated elliptical, and hand weights.

Please wipe down the machines you use when you are finished. Thank you!



## UPCOMING DAY TRIPS!!

**Columbus Clippers vs Omaha Storm Chasers Game—Thursday, August 21st.** Trip fee is \$21 due by July 25th. We will leave the Center at 10:45 a.m. for the noon game. Lunch will be on your own at the ball park. We will be in Section 5. Don't forget your sunscreen and sunglasses.

**August Mystery Lunch—Tuesday, August 26th.** Trip fee is \$5. We will leave at 9:45 a.m.

**Snooty Fox Stores thrift shopping—Friday, September 19th.** Trip fee is \$40. We will leave the center at 8:45 a.m. and return around 6 p.m. We will pass an envelope for the driver tip. Lunch will be on your own at our 2nd stop. **Payment due by August 8th.**

**September Mystery Lunch—Wednesday, September 24th.** Trip fee is \$5. We will leave the Center at 10:30 a.m.

**Amish Country Trip! - Wednesday, October 8th.** Trip fee is \$45 due by September 1st. We will leave at 8:00 a.m. Lunch will be first at Mrs. Yoder's Kitchen. After that we travel on to Heini's Cheese Chalet, Sols in Berlin, Coblentz Chocolates & Hillcrest Orchard. We plan to return home by 6:30 p.m. We will pass an envelope for the driver tip. Please bring an insulated bag or cooler if you plan to buy cheese or anything else that needs to be kept cold.

**Scrooge at the LaComedia Dinner Theatre—Wednesday, December 3rd.** Your trip fee of \$98 includes motorcoach transportation, your buffet lunch and dessert at LaComedia and the Christmas classic Scrooge! We will leave the Center at 9:30 a.m. and return between 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.

**88 CLUB We are taking trips to all 88 counties!**

**Miami and Clark Counties Thursday, August 7th Leaving the Center at 9:15 a.m.**

**Trip fee is \$5 and \$8 at the farm.** We will be visiting Johnston Farm and Indian Agency near Piqua, Ohio. We will also enjoy a ride aboard the General Harrison of Piqua, a replica 70-foot-long canal boat. In Clark county we will visit Hartman Gardens. *Bring a brown bag lunch and a drink.*

**Marion County Wednesday, September 17th Leaving the Center at 8:30 a.m.**

**Trip fee is \$5 and \$15 at the door.** We will be touring the home of President Warren G. Harding in Marion, Ohio. You will also tour the museum and we will visit the Harding Memorial/Tomb. President Harding was our 29th President of the United States, from March of 1921 to August 1923 when he died suddenly at the age of 57.

**Franklin County Tuesday, October 14th Leaving the Center at 9:00 a.m.**

**Trip fee is \$5.** We will be visiting Blacklick Metro Park to explore their treetop canopy walk and observation deck. There is an elevator for those that need it. Some walking required for this trip.

**Holmes County-** The Amish Country Trip listed under Day Trips will be counting toward our 88 club.

## Delightful Dining

**Don't forget to call the Center and let us know if you plan to come, so we can give the restaurant an accurate count. Sign up early! Sometimes late reservations cannot be accommodated at the restaurants.**

**Monday, August 4th—Cracker Barrel, 1313 Hilliard Rome Road, Columbus, OH.** Trip fee is \$5.. We will leave the Center at 4:00 p.m. and arrive around 4:30. Let us know if you are driving yourself so we can include you in the count.

**Monday, September 8th—LaCarreta Mexican Restaurant, 1092 Eagleton Blvd, London, OH.** No vans for this trip. Please meet at the restaurant at 4:00 p.m. Let us know if you are coming so we can have an accurate count.

When you sign up for a day trip, you are expected to pay for the trip when signing up. If the purchase of tickets is involved in the cost of a trip, no refunds will be issued for the cost of the ticket purchased. If the purchase of tickets is not involved in the cost of the trip no refunds will be given if you cancel within two weeks of the trip's departure or by a deadline stated in the newsletter. If we are taking a motorcoach, the cost of the coach is not refundable within 30 days of the trip. If you have questions please contact Janisse at 740-852-3001.

**\*\*\*Please remember to park at the back of the parking lot when going on a day trip. This saves the closer parking spaces for those coming in for daily activities!!**

**Remember...you don't have to be a member of the Center to go on overnight trips. Tell your friends!**

**Treasures of Quebec by Rail Trip**

**September 3rd—9th, and 5th—11th, 2025**

The **Pre Departure meeting** will be **Friday, August 22nd** at 9:00 a.m. Please call the Center if you are unable to attend.

**Christmas in the Smokies**

**November 18-21, 2025**

**This trip is full!**

**This trip includes:** Smoky Mountain Christmas at Dollywood, Country Tonite Christmas Show, Dolly Parton's Christmas Stampede Dinner Attraction, Smoky Mountains, Hatfield's & McCoy's Christmas Dinner show, Pigeon Forge, Gatlinburg.

**Tour includes:** Motorcoach transportation, 3 nights lodging, 3 breakfasts and 2 dinners, all shows & admissions, tips for local guides & porters, baggage handling, professional tour manager.

**Tour Fare:** A \$100 deposit will hold your reservation. Double \$899 pp, Triple \$869 pp, Single \$1199. Final payment due by September 15th.

**Mid-Atlantic Rail Adventure/Washington D.C.**

**March 25-28, 2026**

This trip includes: Pittsburgh, Gateway Clipper Cruise, Cherry Blossoms in Washington D.C., Union Station, Monuments & Memorials, Amtrak's Capitol Limited, Harper's Ferry, Arlington National Cemetery, Smithsonian Museums and more!

Tour includes: Motorcoach transportation, Rail transportation aboard Amtrak, 3 nights lodging, 5 meals-3 breakfasts and 2 dinners, all sightseeing & admissions, baggage handling, gratuities for city guides and porters.

Tour Fare: A deposit of \$100 per person will hold your reservation. Double \$1249 pp, Triple \$1199 pp and Single \$1649 pp.

**New York, New York!**

**June 15-18, 2026**

Trip includes, Midtown Manhattan, Times Square, Broadway Musical, Statue of Liberty, Rockefeller Plaza, St. Patrick Cathedral, 911 Memorial and more!

Tour includes: Motorcoach transportation, 3 nights lodging in Manhattan, Broadway musical performance, 2 dinners, all sightseeing and entrance fees, baggage handling, tips for local guides & porters.

Projected Tour Fares: A deposit of \$250 will secure your reservation. Double \$1799 pp, Triple \$1749 pp, and Single \$2599 pp.

**Northern Ireland & Scotland**

**September 8-18, 2026**

Trip includes: County Donegal, Belleek Pottery, Blue Stack Mountains, Giant's Causeway, Belfast City, Titanic Belfast, North Atlantic Ferry to Scotland, Alloway, Glasgow City, Fort William, Glasgow Cathedral, Ben Nevis Distillery, Isle of Skye, Loch Ness, Inverness, Edinburgh City, Edinburgh Castle, Spirit of Scotland Show, Sheep Dog Demonstration.

Tour includes, Round trip air transportation, deluxe motorcoach transportation, 16 meals-9 breakfasts and 7 dinners, 9 nights lodging, all sightseeing & admissions, baggage handling.

**Projected Tour Fare:** A \$500 deposit secures your reservation. Double \$6499 pp, Single \$8199 pp. We are not able to get airfare pricing yet. This is why the price is projected.

**Optional travel insurance is available through USI Affinity Travel Insurance Services. Please call 1-855-874-0156 and provide the customer service representative with account number 50096.**

## Adult Day Center

Hello August! Back to school time and all that good stuff.

Our patio furniture arrived and is in the process of being assembled!

In August we will be celebrating 3 birthdays. Sandy D. on August 17th, Kit S. on the 23rd and Regina C. on the 24th. Happy birthday to these wonderful ladies.

Thank you Kay Majka for bingo prizes, Chris Webb for ice cream, Marilyn Henry for donuts. And everyone else that has supported us in anyway, shape or form. We are always in need of bingo prizes.

Until next month, happy August!

**Beth, Patsy, Regina and Debbie**



## Holiday Craft Bazaar Saturday, November 1, 2025

Our annual Craft Bazaar is coming up! Well, in a little over 4 months. The hours will be from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

We are now taking reservations for Crafters. Space is limited. The fee for a table is \$15 for Senior Center members and we charge those who aren't members \$20.

We always have a good turnout. Last year we had 180 people come in and shop. We also have breakfast and lunch items to buy at our Café.

If you are interested in signing up, pick up a contract at the office or we can email one to you. Call Janisse at 740-852-3001.

## Free Friday Movies at 1:00 p.m.

## Members Only

August 1 – Miracles from Heaven – Jennifer Garner – Martin Henderson – 2016 – PG - Inspiring

August 8 – Penguin Bloom – Naomi Watts – Andrew Lincoln – 2021 – TV-14 – Inspiring

August 15 – The Burial – Tommy Lee Jones – Jamie Foxx – 2023 – R – Comedy/Drama

August 22 – Old Yeller – Dorothy McGuire – Fess Parker – 1959 – G - Adventure \*Requested

August 29 – My One and Only – Kevin Bacon – Renee Zellweger – 2009 – PG-13 Comedy/Drama



## Bowling at Madison Lanes, Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

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Andrix, Barb	95	Glass, Denise	114	Kidd, Roy	141	Pickens, Ann	135
Binns, Mary	96	Glass, Duane	204	King, Carl	170	Ridolfo, Linda	175
Bluhm, Fred	182	Goff, Terry	165	King, Karen	140	Stout, David	178
Burdett, Diane	150	Gonsalves, Laura	70	Krivicich, Dave	164	Turner, Paul	130
Cooper, Barb	94	Gonsalves, Michael	131	Marcum, June	136	Weisman, Debbie	105
Dillard, Darlene	135	Hawkins, Don	157	Marcum, Howard	159		
Eseman, Brenda	151	Henry, Diane	130	Miller, Charles	160		
Florence, Barb	106	Irvin, Meldoy	117	Noble, Gene	122		

# ❖The Café❖

Open Monday thru Thursday ♦ 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

**August 2025**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
4 HOT DOGS W/CHILI/CHEESE & ONIONS PASTA SALAD POTATO CHIPS DESSERT	5 CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	6 RUEBENS FRENCH FRIES SIDE & DESSERT	7 BEEF & NOODLES MASHED POTATOES VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	8 <b><u>CAFÉ CLOSED</u></b>
11 GRILLED CHICKEN SANDWICH STEAK FRIES COLE SLAW DESSERT	12 SAUSAGE GRAVY OVER BISCUITS FRIED POTATOES SIDE & DESSERT	13 CHEESE STUFFED SHELLS ROASTED VEGETABLES TOSSED SALAD DESSERT GARLIC BREAD	14 FRIED CHICKEN AU GRATIN POTATOES VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	15 <b><u>CAFÉ CLOSED</u></b>
18 EGG SALAD SANDWICH SOUP POTATO CHIPS SIDE & DESSERT	19 LIVER & ONIONS MASHED POTATOES VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	20 LAZARUS CHICKEN & BROCCOLI CASSEROLE TOSSED SALAD SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	21 SMOKED SAUSAGE & SAUERKRAUT PARLSEY POTATOES SIDE & DESSERT CORNBREAD	22 <b><u>CAFÉ CLOSED</u></b>
25 <b><u>BIRTHDAY MONDAY</u></b> SALSBURY STEAK MASHED POTATOES VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	26 SPAGHETTI W/MEAT SAUCE TOSSED SALAD SIDE & DESSERT GARLIC BREAD	27 ROAST PORK STUFFING GLAZED CARROTS SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	28 CHICKEN STROGANOFF VEGETABLE SIDE & DESSERT BREAD & BUTTER	29 <b><u>CAFÉ CLOSED</u></b>

***PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO AVAILABILITY OF PRODUCT***

SOUP DAILY      BOWL \$2.00 OR CUP \$1.50

## ***ENTRÉE SALAD FOR MONTH***

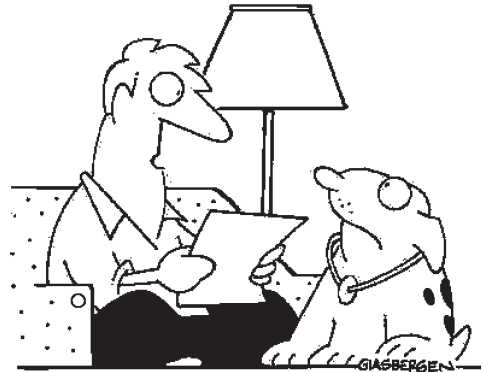
WEEK OF 08/04/25  
WEEK OF 08/11/25  
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WEEK OF 08/25/25

CHEF SALAD  
GRILLED CHICKEN SALAD  
TACO SALAD  
BLT WRAP

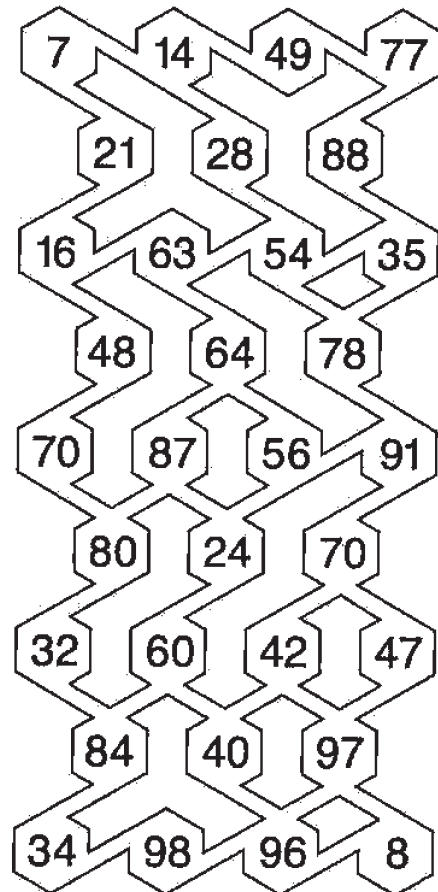
# This Feels...

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Bumpy	Fluffy	Rigid	Spongy
Bristly	Gelatinous	Rough	Sticky
Corrugated	Grainy	Serrated	Syrupy
Damp	Moist	Silky	Velvety
Flaky	Mushy	Soft	Viscous



"Have you been bragging about how many bones you have buried in the yard? You're being audited."



## Sudoku 1

9	5	6	1	8	2	3	7	4
8	4	1	7	3	5	2	6	9
3	7	2	6	4	9	8	5	1
1	8	3	2	7	4	5	9	6
4	2	5	9	6	1	7	8	3
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Difficulty Level ★★

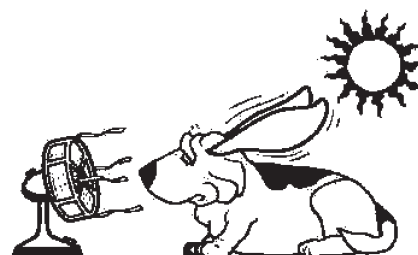
## Sudoku 2

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6	7	2	3	5	8	4	9	1
9	1	5	4	2	7	3	6	8
8	4	3	6	1	9	7	5	2
1	6	7	9	4	5	2	8	3
3	8	9	2	7	1	5	4	6
2	5	4	8	6	3	1	7	9

Difficulty Level ★★★

## NUMBER MAZE

Find your way through the maze. Start with the 7 in the upper left corner and finish with the 8 in the lower right corner. Move only through spaces containing numbers that are multiples of either 7 or 8.





# ★Planetarium I by John M. Samson

## ACROSS

- 1 Egg on
- 5 Turns hard
- 9 Indian silk center
- 14 Homely fruit?
- 15 Parisian papa
- 16 Facial cosmetic
- 17 "\_\_\_\_, poor Milan!": Prospero
- 18 Detrained, e.g.
- 19 Trainees learn these
- 20 Ford Escape cousins
- 23 Calligrapher's need
- 24 Swear to
- 25 How Theda Bara acted
- 29 1972 David Bowie hit
- 32 Be on cloud nine
- 33 "Heat Wave" singer Waters
- 35 "To Autumn," e.g.
- 36 Annoy greatly
- 37 All-encompassing
- 38 Fresh thought
- 39 Dracula, on occasion
- 40 Dueling sword
- 41 Showed obeisance
- 42 Shoes without laces
- 44 Frozen spikes
- 46 Shed feathers
- 47 "\_\_\_\_ a perfumed sea": Poe
- 48 1948 Ava Gardner film
- 56 Diameter halves
- 57 Slack off
- 58 Flight prefix
- 59 Jazz groups
- 60 Poker stake
- 61 Swedish car
- 62 Meager
- 63 Full of good advice
- 64 Fanning in *Super 8*

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59						60						61		
62						63						64		

## DOWN

- 1 Marianas island
- 2 Amorous glance
- 3 Winged
- 4 Matthew or James
- 5 They fly in arguments
- 6 Long and slippery
- 7 Light haircut
- 8 Bee bristle
- 9 Landing
- 10 At an earlier date
- 11 Heidi Klum, for one
- 12 Antiquing "cheater"
- 13 Clutter
- 21 Infantry group
- 22 Gave a "G" or an "R" to
- 25 Action words
- 26 Located along a central line
- 27 Like the iPad
- 28 Chervil and mint
- 29 Lewis with Lamb Chop
- 30 "Set Fire to the Rain" singer
- 31 \_\_\_\_-foot oil
- 34 An area of Italy
- 37 Swazi, e.g.
- 38 Boost
- 40 Recital performer
- 41 Ukrainian city
- 43 Witch's brew
- 45 Arabica or robusta
- 48 Table scraps
- 49 Traffic cop
- 50 Crab feature
- 51 Hagar's daughter
- 52 Mister Ed's lunch
- 53 Elise in *Hustle & Flow*
- 54 Eurasian range
- 55 Beverage with a lizard logo



# Recess Games

P G T C E S U O M D N A T A C  
 C D A A N S S E O K U U H A A  
 A O G S R W P D N R F C P S S  
 P D T T I O G O E I T T G E T  
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 U C C P B K O A C R D S T T E  
 R H M A O R M S E O A M E A B  
 H U L U D R P T D C O E Z T A  
 J L T E E O H C A T A N E S L  
 R Q R H H E L I C O P T E R L  
 J U T R F O U R S Q U A R E F  
 U O O L L A B L E N N U F M T  
 M F A F Z P O O H A L U H P L  
 P G L L A B L L A W E K A N S  
 R L L A B K C I K L H C F R E

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|------------------|-------------|----------------|----------|
| Capture the Flag | Freeze Tag  | Jump Rope      | Snake    |
| Castle Ball      | Funnel Ball | Kickball       | Statues  |
| Cat and Mouse    | Helicopter  | Knockout       | Switch   |
| Dodgeball        | Hopscotch   | Mother, May I? | Tag      |
| Foursquare       | Hula Hoop   | Red Rover      | Wallball |

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Difficulty Level ★★★

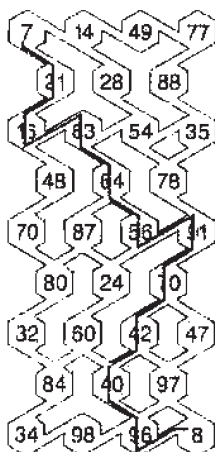
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				9		1	
6		8	5				

Difficulty Level ★★

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## Number Maze



## Planetarium I

G	O	A	D	S	E	T	S	A	B	S	A	M	
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## One Bowl Blackberry Cobbler

- 4 c. fresh or frozen blackberries
- 1 c. white sugar
- 1 c. flour
- 1 large egg
- 6 T. butter, melted
- 1 t. vanilla



Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Spray an 8x8 inch baking dish with nonstick cooking spray. Evenly distribute blackberries in the dish; set aside.

Combine sugar, flour, egg, butter and vanilla in a bowl and stir until well combined. Drop by spoonfuls over fruit and spread with a spatula.

Bake in the preheated oven until fruit is bubbly, 38 to 43 minutes.



## One Day Only, Monday, August 11

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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## Easy ways to support the Center!

**Kroger**—We have joined the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Please add us to your Kroger rewards card, we receive a donation every time you shop, easy-peasy. (It doesn't add to your bill, I promise) You can find us under our name Madison Co Sr Citizens Center Inc. What an easy way to support the Madison County Senior Center! If you need help signing up for this, come in to the Center and we will try to help you.

**Planned Giving**—What is it about? It means you are planning to give a gift later. It is a plan that you put in your will, an item that is worked out with your family and attorney. From time to time, the Senior Center receives such gifts. Whether these amounts are small or large, they are extremely important.

If you would like more information, please contact Misty Bradley, Executive Director, at 740-852-3001. Your call or meeting is strictly confidential. This is one of the easiest ways to leave a legacy to the Senior Center.

**Required Minimum Distribution from your IRA**—If you have an IRA and are required to take a mandatory distribution, did you know that you can make a transfer directly from your IRA to a charity of your choice and the contribution is not taxed? You can give up to \$100,000 from your IRA to a charity and it will be counted towards your RMD but isn't included in your adjusted gross income. If you want further information on how you can make a gift to the Senior Center from your IRA, please contact your financial advisor.

## August Birthdays!

Patron	Birthday	Patron	Birthday	Patron	Birthday
Bard, Sondra	08-02	Weimer, James	08-11	Clarridge, John	08-21
Dwyer, Sally	08-02	Canney, Melissa	08-11	Martinez, Cris	08-21
Popovich, Steve	08-02	Conrad, Dwight	08-11	Denen, Gladys	08-22
Bloomfield, Wayne	08-02	Yoakum, Diane	08-12	Furbee, Diane	08-23
Walker, Susan	08-02	Lowery, Diane	08-12	Tindle, Debby	08-23
Godden, Jean	08-04	Miller, Marvin	08-13	Hall, Deborah	08-23
Pickens, Maxine	08-04	Londergan, Beverly	08-14	McKenzie, Melinda	08-24
Ailes, Aleita	08-04	LaVange, Kolin	08-14	Isaacs, Sylvia	08-24
Hart, Christina	08-04	Roberts, Carl	08-15	Weaver, John	08-24
Hilsheimer, Bertha	08-04	Rowley, Nancy	08-15	Mitchell, Donnie	08-25
Lynch, Mike	08-04	Robinson, William	08-16	Laird, Terry	08-25
Stewart, Shirley	08-05	Stephenson, Ronald	08-16	Isaacs, Phil	08-25
Holley, Barbara	08-05	Homeier, Cheryl	08-16	McNamara, Twyla	08-25
Streit, Richard	08-05	Isaacs, Janisse	08-16	Blake, Joyce	08-26
Clarridge, Brenda	08-05	Darlington, Sandy	08-17	Crabtree, Joan	08-26
Amling, Martha	08-06	Bates, James	08-17	Pickens, Ann	08-26
Bigham, Jo Ann	08-07	Cordell, Steve	08-17	Binns, Mary	08-26
McFarland, Theresa	08-07	Thompson, Betty	08-18	Miller, Dianne	08-26
Wilson, Gail	08-07	Devore, Martha	08-18	Lindsey, Jackie	08-26
Thomas, Bob	08-08	Neff, Linda	08-18	Breeding, Patricia	08-27
Goff, Cathy	08-08	Hout, Jo	08-19	Feyh, Grace	08-27
Pham, Carolyn	08-09	Miller, Ed	08-19	Hawkins, Alene	08-28
Smith, Anita	08-09	Dyer, Terry	08-19	Forster, Lynn	08-29
Serafinas, Marie	08-10	Mason, Kelly	08-19	Chamberlin, Millie	08-29
Maxwell, Debbie	08-10	Feyh, Glenn	08-19	Hastings, Judy	08-30
Lloyd, Joyce	08-10	Crawford, Danny	08-19	Mark, Linda	08-31
Weber, Jerilyn	08-10	Evans, Panda	08-20		
Johnson, Ruthanne	08-11	Schickedantz, John	08-21		



Happy Birthday





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### MCSCC ADULT DAY CENTER SERVICES

The Adult Day Center supports families and caregivers of older adults who cannot be left alone during the day but do not need 24-hour nursing home care.

The program is designed for individuals aged 60 and over, allowing families to take a break while their loved one enjoys a day filled with activities and medical supervision. The Adult Day Center program offers participants the chance to socialize, receive support from peers, and access health and social services in a vibrant and supportive environment.

A variety of funding sources are accessible to assist with the client's care, including Title III, Passport, the National Caregiver Program, the Alzheimer's Respite Program, and Self-Payment options. For clients whose income does not meet the criteria for these funding sources, we offer a sliding scale based on the COAAA Cost Share Guidelines. We want to emphasize that no client will be denied services due to their ability to pay.

MCSCC offers a dedicated space for Adult Day Center Services that prioritizes confidentiality and safety during activities. Our adult day center program provides enhanced services; therefore, clients must be capable of managing their own self-medication and personal care independently. Assistance is available as needed in these areas.

If you are interested in our services or know a family in need, please contact the center at 740-852-3001.

## HearingLife

Christine Walters will be at the Center on August 13th.

For a free hearing assessment, please call 614-991-5948 to make an appointment with her.

## MEDICARE HELP

Andy Haggard of Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging will be coming to the Center on Friday, August 8th to help anyone with Medicare questions. Please call for an appointment—740-852-3001.

Andy will be coming once a month.



## Community Service Project – London Lions Club

The London Lions Club understands that seniors often have small home maintenance projects they need assistance with, and they are happy to offer their time to help you.

Here are a few examples:

- Window Screens
- Cleaning gutters
- Painting exterior doors
- Moving furniture
- Changing light bulbs

If you have a small project that requires assistance, please call the center at 740-852-3001. We will take your name, phone number, and your project information. A member of the London Lions Club will follow up to schedule your project for September.



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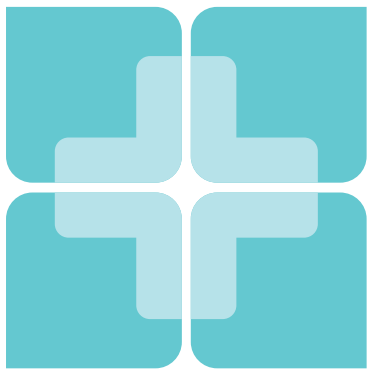
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**August 2025**

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### **COAAA Advisory Council Meetings Open to Public**

The Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging (COAAA) Advisory Council will meet the first Thursday of each month.

Advisory Council meetings are scheduled from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. All meetings except for December are held at the COAAA office, 3776 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio.

The council is comprised of volunteers from eight Central Ohio counties who represent the views of older adults in their specific communities and advise the Area Agency in its operations.

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