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Yarnell Regional Community Center

Serving the Weaver Mountains' Communities

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The Yarnell Regional Community Center hosts local events and regular activities, and serves weekday lunches, operates a thrift store, promotes fun and quality of life for our neighbors, and manages programs to aid the food insecure in our area. **Visit the website for current events, information, and much more.**

Welcome to the dog days of summer!! With the heat, many of you may find yourselves taking things a little easier, just trying to find ways to stay cool. Well, here at the Community Center, things are still heating up!! Many changes and improvements are already taking place or are in the works. Our Meals on Wheels program has recently grown to an additional route every day of the week to support our growing client base. Thank you to those serving as drivers! Our new menu board has arrived, and should be installed very soon. Look for it during the month of August! The Thrift Store is now accepting credit cards as a form of payment. For any purchase \$10 and up, you can just swipe and go! No more trips to the ATM! Planning is well under way for our annual Country Fair to be held from 10am-4pm on September 15th at the historic Peeples Valley School on Highway 89. Mark the date on your calendar, and keep an eye on the website for more details!

As we continue to move forward with these projects, we do run into the occasional speed bump. During the month of July, we had a couple surprises to work through. Our website program became inaccessible, forcing us to rethink, redesign, and rebuild. Check it out when you get a chance. All your favorites are there including updated menus, current and past newsletter issues, volunteer information, a live donation link, and much, much more!! Also during July, we were forced to replace our walk-in cooler. At a cost of over \$6,600, this expense was most certainly NOT in our budget. But guess who is coming through for us? ALL OF YOU!!! As of the writing of this article, we have raised \$4,300!! Donations are still being accepted in store, by mail, or online. Our location, mailing address, and website can be found at the top of this page. Thank you to everyone for supporting our mission!!

We have no plans of cooling down as the summer continues to heat up. As the needs of the community continue to grow, so must we. Support your community by supporting your community center. Stop by for lunch, and check out all the new items in our thrift store. Don't forget, membership is only \$15, and includes a lunch as well as thrift store discounts. Get a membership application in store or online today!! See the July Lunch Menu for **CLUB YARNELL EVENTS**.

Mike



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Honey Mustard Grilled Chicken

Serves 4 / Calories 222 / Fat 2.4g / Saturated Fat 0.5g / Protein 30.5g / Carbohydrate 20g / Sodium 280mg / Fiber 0.6g

2 boneless, skinless chicken breast, 8-10 oz each, cut in half
2 tablespoons Dijon mustard
1 teaspoon fresh thyme

2 tablespoons honey
2 cloves garlic, crushed
ground black pepper, to taste



Microwave the chicken, covered, for 2 ½ minutes on high. Pat dry. Mix remaining ingredients and brush on both sides of chicken. Grill 5 minutes on each side or until done, brushing on more honey-mustard mixture, if desired.

SAVE THE DATE – The YRCC 2nd Annual Country Fair is coming on September 15.

This year's Fair promises to be bigger and better than last year. Held at the historic Peeples Valley School on Highway 89, this fun event will feature music, games, food, contests and more. If you would like to volunteer to help with this event, or for more information, or to be a vendor, please call Phyllis at 916-960-6663.



The August YRCC Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 15th at 9:00am. All meetings are open to the public and we would love to have you attend and learn more about YOUR Community Center.

Become a Service Area Ambassador. SAA's attend our board meetings and help with our outreach, programming and planning. We would love to have SAA's from Skull Valley and Kirkland. If you would like to be an SAA, contact Michelle at 614-353-4271.

Free Blood Pressure Checks Every Tuesday 11am-12 Noon - Provided by the Yarnell Fire Department

THRIFT STORE Mon–Fri 9am–2pm and Sat 9am–1pm

\$5 Bag Days – August 24 & 25 – All the clothes you can fit for \$5.00

Furniture discount days: August 17 & 18 - 50% off furniture.

Shop www.smileamazon.com — choose Yarnell Senior Citizens, Inc., as your charity. A per. purchase will be sent to us every quarter.



Steven Paul Mauk, age 53, passed away on June 28, 2018, at his home in Prescott, Arizona. He was born to Jerrie and Carol (Alvey) Mauk on July 17, 1964, in Phoenix, Arizona. Steve attended Oak Creek Elementary School in Cornville, Arizona, and graduated from Camelback High School in Phoenix in 1982. He moved to the Prescott area in the early '90s and worked 19 years for Yavapai County Development Services, where he was known for his exceptional work as a public servant. Steve was a passionate advocate for those in need and was instrumental in helping the Yarnell community recover from the 2013 Yarnell Hill Fire. His work in Yarnell is now considered to be the gold standard for a community recovering from disaster. He was a loving father, brother, and son, and a generous soul. Steve is survived by his three children, Erica, Tyler and Alex Mauk; his sister, Jeri Kramer; brother, Ben Mauk; his mother, Carol Cook, and father, Jerrie Mauk; one very special grandson; and a dear niece. He will be deeply missed. Please log on to www.ruffnerwakelin.com to sign the guest book. A Celebration of Life will be held on Aug. 19, 2018, at 10:30 a.m., at the Highland Center for Natural History, 1375 S. Walker Road, Prescott, AZ 86303. Light meal will follow. Parking at the Highland Center is very limited. Please make every attempt to carpool. The family requests that in lieu of sending flowers, anyone who wants to honor Steve and his family, please donate as you choose to the Yarnell Community Center Meals on Wheels program.: www.yarnellcommunitycenter.org.

