### **NOVEMBER 2025**

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Monday-Friday: 8:30 am–4:30 pm Saturday: 9:30 am–12:30 pm Sunday: CLOSED www.bcwpsc.org



# Friendship Flyer

### **President's Message**

As we move into the home stretch of 2025 year, I just want to highlight a few of the special activities we have planned for the remainder of the year.

Tags for the Salvation Army **Gifts for Seniors** program will be hanging in the lobby starting November 1. Please pick up one or more and return your gift(s), unwrapped with the tag attached, no later than end-of-day, Wednesday, December 4.

1<sup>st</sup> Annual Ornament Contest – Don't forget to bring in our homemade ornament December 1 thru December 5. Voting will take place the week of December 8 – 12, with the winners announced on December 15. Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places. See flyer on page 13 for more details.

Please be sure to mark your calendar to attend our **Annual Meeting on Wednesday**, **December 3 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm**. This is your chance to meet your Board of Directors and learn what happened this year, what's planned for next year and ask questions or voice your opinion about how we're doing as a Board. **The event is FREE to all members** – just be sure to sign up ahead of time so we can ensure we have a quorum and enough refreshments on hand. I've heard rumors there's going to be a hot chocolate bar this year and you'll also have a chance to win a gift card.

As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving with our friends and families, I would like to offer my thanks to all of our Volunteers, our Board of Directors, our Program Managers and our Sponsors for their support this past year. Everyone works hard to make sure WPSC provides a safe and happy environment for seniors to enjoy activities and meet new friends. I'd also like to thank you, our members, for your support of Wickham Park Senior Center.

To enable our volunteers to spend more time with their families during the Thanksgiving Holiday, don't forget that WPSC will be closed Wednesday, November 26 through Saturday, November 29.

Happy Thanksgiving everyone!



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### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Our Mission is to provide a congenial and happy environment for seniors to enjoy activities, meet new friends, and attend educational programs. Furthermore, to provide a resource for obtaining assistance and guidance in times of need.

"There are no strangers here, only friends you have yet to meet!"

## IMPGRTANT NEWS

MEMBERSHIP

### MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

The WPSC Board of Directors meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 9:30 am. The next meeting will be November 10 at 9:30 am, Room 117. All WPSC members are welcome to attend.

### **WPSC OFFERS FREE** LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP TO **ANYONE AGE 90 & ABOVE** (Effective August 1, 2025)



### LOOKING FOR A WORTHY CHARITABLE DONATION ORGANIZATION

Wickham Park Senior Center (WPSC) is a 501(c)3 charitable organization and as such is eligible to receive charitable donations. We would like to thank the following people for their generous donations to WPSC in FY2025: Thank You for your donation!

- Sharon Adams
- Janet & Vaughn Eastman
- Maria Luhn
- Carol Patton
- Gayle Schanck
- GFWC-Melbourne Woman's Club
- In Memory of Tim Olsen from Friends & Family
- **Travel Expressions**

Please consider donating to WPSC, if you find you have extra funds in your charitable donations bucket.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

- 1) Computer Support Technician to assist with Windows Computers and associated equipment. Contact John Efird, IT Administrator at **321-704-0520** or itadmin@bcwpsc.org.
- 2) Sponsorship Coordinator to promote sponsorship opportunities and coordinate activities with our Sponsors. Contact Diane Weinzierl, President, at 321-591-3966 or president@bcwpsc.org.

### **BIG PHARMA vs. THE BODY'S OWN LIGHT**

With the intense marketing that Big Pharma bombards us with every day, it's hard to know what to believe. Dr. Don Verhulst says: "Just believe the possible side effects at the end of those commercials, and then turn your ATTENTION to PREVENTION."

Dr. Don Verhulst, MD has written 5 books on preventative holistic wellness practices. He believes in holistic health and wellness. His medical degree taught him how to treat diseases, but he believes diseases can be prevented, so he has been "preaching" for the last 40 years (he is also an ordained minister) that we should stop covering up symptoms and get to the CAUSE of the problem.

### **LifeWave is a PATENTED Light Technology**

Disease begins with inflammation inside the body. The LifeWave X39 patch uses organic electrolytes and amino acids in a micro crystalline stereoisomer, which is biochemical language to say that when the body's own energy source (infrared light) hits the patch, it creates a very specific wavelength of light that has proven, with over 70 double-blind, placebo controlled, peer-reviewed clinical studies, to upgrade the body's own stem cells with a copper peptide known as GHKcu. It reduces inflammation!

Thousands of LifeWave customers have reported miraculous healings as the body's own LIGHT goes to work doing what the body was created to do. No drugs, no injections, no chemicals. YOU are the Power Source.

Please sign up for the informational seminar on November 13 from 2pm to 3pm, or reach out to: Karen Grev Seelev at 321-537-9090; Karen@KGS4ever.com. You can read all about the research studies on the X39 patch beforehand at: www.StartX39now.com.

Karen Seeley will be there every step of the way to help you get the toxins out of your LIFE. You will hear her incredible story on November 13. Don't forget to sign up.



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## IMPORTANT NEWS









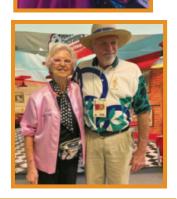






If you missed our 50's/60's Dinner Dance last month, you missed a great time. We had 86 people attend, including 20 people from the Autumn House.













## CALENDAR OF EVENTS NOVEMBER 2025

| ACTIVITIES  | MON          | TUES  | WED             | THURS                                 | FRI               | SAT                        | SUN                           |  |
|---|--------------|---|-----------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| <b>Bingo</b><br>(Doors Open at 10:00a)  |              | 11:15–2:00p   |                 |                                       | 11:15–2:00p       |                            |                               |  |
| Bob Ross Style Beginners Oil Painting with Hobo Bob (CRI) (3rd & 4th Thursdays) |              |   |                 | <b>11/20</b><br>1:00–5:00p            |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Bones & Balance<br>(Register at 9:45a)  | 10:00–11:00a |   |                 |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Bridge:<br>Beginner Class   |              | For Virtual Classes please see our website at  www.bcwpsc.org and click "Bridge" icon |                 |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Chat (Virtual)  |              |   |                 |                                       | 9:30-11:00a       |                            |                               |  |
| Duplicate On-Site:  | Noon-3:30p   |   | Noon-3:30p      |                                       |                   | Noon-3:30p                 |                               |  |
| Beginner Class  |              |   | 9:00–1100a      | 10-Week Class                         | s (\$100.00) Star | rting October 1            |                               |  |
| Intermediate Class  | 10:00-Noon   | Starting Nove   | mber 3 - \$5.00 | D Each Class                          |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Duplicate Virtual<br>Class / BBO Platform                                       |              |   |                 | 12:15p                                |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Party Bridge  |              |   | 12:30-4:00p     |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Rogue   |              | 12:15-4:00p   |                 |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Rubber  |              |   |                 | 1:00-4:00p                            |                   | 12:30–3:30p                |                               |  |
| Bunco<br>(1st & 3rd Thursdays)  |              |   |                 | <b>11/6 &amp; 11/20</b><br>1:00–4:00p |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Chair Yoga  |              | 3:00-4:00p  |                 |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Chefs for Seniors<br>Topic: Healthy Holidays                                    |              |   |                 | <b>11/13</b><br>11:00–12:30p          |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Color Pencil Portrait for<br>Beginners  |              |   | 9:40–Noon       |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Cornhole Tournaments<br>(2nd & 4th Sundays)                                     |              |   |                 |                                       | (12:30p Set-up    | & Practice)                | <b>11/9 &amp; 30</b><br>1:30p |  |
| Euchre  |              |   | 6:00-9:00p      |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Fusion Glass<br>Workshop with Lauren  |              |   |                 |                                       |                   | <b>12/13</b><br>Noon–3:00p |                               |  |
| Hand & Foot   | 8:45–Noon    |   |                 |                                       | 8:45–Noon         |                            |                               |  |
| Jazzercise Lo   | 8:30–9:30a   |   | 8:30-9:30a      |                                       | 8:30-9:15a        |                            |                               |  |
| Line Dancing  |              | 4:15–5:30p  |                 | 1                                     |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Mahjong: American   | Noon-3:30p   |   |                 | 9:00–Noon                             |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Chinese   |              |   | 1:00–4:00p      |                                       |                   |                            |                               |  |
| Pinochle  | 12:30-4:30p  |   | ·               |                                       | 12:30–4:30p       |                            |                               |  |
| Poker: Dealer's Choice  |              | 11:30-4:00p   |                 |                                       | 11:30–4:00p       |                            |                               |  |
| Friendly  | 1:00-4:00p   | <u>'</u>  |                 |                                       | <b>'</b>          |                            |                               |  |

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|---------------------------|---|-------------|------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-----|--|--|--|
| Pool (Billiards)          | 8:30-4:30p  | 8:30-4:30p  | 8:30-4:30p | 8:30-4:30p    | 8:30-4:30p | 9:30-12:30p |     |  |  |  |
|                           | Tournament: 2nd Wednesday of the Month November 12 @ 11:00 am |             |            |               |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| QiGong-TaiChi             | 8:30–9:30a  |             | 8:30–9:30a |               | 8:30-9:30a |             |     |  |  |  |
| Rummikub                  |   |             | 1:00-4:00p |               |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| Senior Law                |   |             |            |               | 2:00-4:00p |             |     |  |  |  |
| (4th Friday of the Month) | No Workshop   | os in Novem |            |               |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| Senior Stitchers          |   |             |            | 10:00-Noon    |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| SHINE                     | 9:00–Noon Call for appointment first.                         |             |            | ntment first. |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| Strength / Flexibility    | Class is Full – Contact PM for wait list.                     |             |            | 9:30–10:30a   |            |             |     |  |  |  |
| Shuffleboard              | 9:00-11:00a   |             |            | 6:00-8:30p    |            | 9:00–Noon   |     |  |  |  |

REMINDER: THE WICKHAM PARK SENIOR CENTER WILL BE CLOSED WEDNESDAY THRU SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26-29.

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TUESDAY & FRIDAY—Open to the Public! Doors Open @ 10:00 am Cards Sold @ 10:30 am-11:15 am Early Bird Starts @ 11:15 am



Effective January 2025, we will no longer accept anything larger than \$20 bills.

Join us and play 29 games including Early-Bird, 50/50, Winner-Take-All and Progressive games. Minimum package starts at \$6. Bingo payouts adjusted based on attendance. Kitchen open from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. For more information, contact Brenda Clarson at 321-258-8837.

### **Bones & Balance**

Mondays @ 10:00-11:00 am Cost: \$5.00 Members / \$7.00 Non-Members



Start your week with healthy aging exercise. Chairs, weights and exercise bands will be used to improve your core strength, posture and balance. All major muscles will get a workout. Certified personal trainer and certified group fitness instructor with 29 years of experience at Pro Health/Health First. Please wear comfortable shoes! For more information, contact **Marcia Luhn** at 321-543-6358.

# **Bob Ross Style Beginners Oil Painting with Hobo Bob (CRI)**

3rd & 4th Thursdays: November 20 @ 1:00-5:00 pm Cost: \$50.00 PP (Includes All Supplies & WPSC Costs) Sign-Up Sheet at Front Desk-Limit 6 People per Class



These classes are easy and fun!! Paint a beautiful landscape painting with us. Classes will be held on the third Thursday of each month; an overflow class will be held on the fourth Thursday of the month if there is enough

interest. Please call the Center 321-425-5533 or come into the front desk and sign up.

For November we'll be painting Autumn Mountains. This painting is good for beginners, and you should be quite pleased with your finished painting. This painting



will bring out the inner artist you may not even know you have. All supplies, brushes, canvas, and aprons are provided, and you'll walk away with a wonderful finished, unframed oil painting that you will be quite proud of. Remember to wear your painting clothes. The class is small, with just six participants, so Hobo Bob (CRI) has plenty of time to work with you as you paint your masterpiece.

### **Duplicate Bridge**

On-site Games: Mon., Wed. & Sat. @ 12:00-3:30P Cost: \$7.00 Members / \$9.00 Non-Members

- Beginner Bridge Class: Wednesdays @ 9:00-11:00 am 10-Week Class (\$100.00) Starting October 1
- Intermediate Bridge Class: Mondays @ 10:00 am-Noon Starting November 3 @ \$5.00 each class
- Online Virtual Classes: Thursdays @ 12:15P on the BBO platform / Online classes \$5.00

On-site Duplicate bridge games are on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Virtual online classes are also available. For the online schedule, please check out the latest on the website under the



Bridge tab. Contact **Pam Page** at 321-537-0907 or pam.page@bellsouth.net for bridge-related questions.

### **Party Bridge**

Wednesdays @ 12:30-4:00 pm Cost: \$5.00 Members / \$7.00 Non-Members

Please contact **Tom Sanders** at 321-960-1894 prior to coming to this bridge for the first time.

### **Rogue Bridge**

Tuesdays @ 12:15-4:00 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members Contact Patricia Rosenthal at 321-626-5419.

### **Rubber Bridge**

Thursdays @ 1:00-4:00 pm & Saturdays @ 12:30-3:30 pm Cost: \$2.00 Members / \$4.00 Non-Members

Come on out for an afternoon of enjoyment at the bridge table. The Thursday point of contact is **Janet Walker** at 321-242-3173 and the Saturday point of contact is **Gayle Schanck** at 541-821-7070.



### **Bunco**

1st & 3rd Thursday, November 6 & 20 @ 1:00-4:00 pm Cost: \$6.00 Members / \$8.00 Non-Members



Please join us every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month for Bunco and arrive by 12:45 pm. Don't forget to bring your current membership card. Bunco ends about 3-3:30 pm. Please contact **Lisa Hofmann** at 760-717-6049 for more details and reservations (for

set-up purposes). See you there for this fun activity. All you have to know is how to throw three dice.

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The body achieves what the mind believes.

### **Chair Yoga**

Tuesdays @ 3:00-4:00 pm/Sign-in @ 2:45 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

This class is designed to help with overall wellbeing for the body and mind. Stretches and movements that will help increase mobility, flexibility, strength and balance. A focus on posture and breathing



helps calm the mind, helps reduce stress and increase oxygen flow. Contact **Shelly Anderson** at 321-626-1969.

### **Chef for Seniors**

Classes @ 11:00 am-12:30 pm Cost: \$6.00 Members / \$8.00 Non-Members

• November 13: Healthy Holidays

Join **Chef Jillian** for a Cooking For Seniors Class. Each Class includes an interactive cooking demonstration, free recipes, cooking tips and food tasting.



Please sign up at front desk to reserve your spot. All proceeds are donated by Chef Jillian to The Children's Hunger Project, Brevard County's Backpack Program.

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## **Color Pencil Portrait Class for Beginners**

Wednesdays @ 9:40 am-12:00 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members



Learn how to create a beautiful drawing from your favorite photograph! Bring your own portrait photograph to copy—Size: 5x8 (or other appropriate copy size). Supplies you will need to bring: Prismacolor Color Pencils, Watercolor Paper, Eraser, Pencil Sharpener (optional).

For more information contact **Ann Armerding** at 321-541-7027.

### **Cornhole Tournaments**

Sunday, November 9 & 30 @ 1:30 pm Setup & Practice Starting @ 12:30 pm Cost: \$6.00 Members / \$8.00 Non-Members (Annual Membership for 50+ is \$20)

Cornhole is welcome to all ages! Cornhole Tournaments will be held indoors at the WPSC every 2nd and 4th Sundays (excluding conflict with holidays). Don't forget to scan your membership card

at the front desk.

September 14 Winners
1st Place: Dale & John W.
2nd Place: Johnna &
Richard M.

September 28 Winners

1st Place: Johnna & Daryl 2nd Place: Jeff & Fred Pile-On Winner: Fred October 12 Winners

1st Place: Dale & Amy 2nd Place: John W. & Scott Pile-On Winner: Dale Rules for Senior Center:





- Age 50 to 69: 27-ft. front edge to front edge
- $\bullet$  Age 70 to 79: 25-ft. front edge to front edge
- Age 80 to 90: 23-ft. front edge to front edge
- Age 90 Plus/Non-Ambulatory: 21-ft. front edge to front edge

For any questions, please contact **Jay Koeller** at 321-794-6400 (jkoeller18@gmail.com) or **Amy Longtin** at 321-205-5161 (ajgclrt@yahoo.com).

### **Euchre**

Wednesdays @ 6:00-9:00 pm Cost: \$5.00 Members / \$7.00 Non-Members Members must scan their card when entering and nonmembers must sign in.

Euchre has been a great success and as our Euchre continues to grow, it is now common to have 5-6 tables in action. We try to promptly start by 6:00 pm which means we should be signed in no later than 5:50 pm to allow time to set up the correct 3/4 player table configuration and draw for your seats. The payout structure has been altered so more people are sharing the prize pool. That means if there are up to 30 players even eighth takes home a piece of the purse. For more information, contact **Jay Koeller** at 321-794-6400 (jkoeller18@gmail.com).

### **Fusion Glass Workshop w/Lauren**

Cost: \$70 PP (Includes All Supplies & Kiln-Firing of Project & WPSC Costs)

Are you in search of a delightful and soothing way to express your creativity? Join us for an interactive fused glass workshop tailored for inquisitive beginners—no need for any artistic skills! If the term "fusible glass" is new to you, fear not—I'll guide you through the entire process step by step. We'll kick things off with a short introduction to kiln-fired glass and learn how to cut basic shapes. Then comes the exciting part: crafting your unique glass piece using a vibrant array of materials. Your completed project will be kiln-fired offsite and will be available for pickup at WPSC (for members) or at my studio in Merritt Island. Prefer shipping? That's available too!

This Workshop is friendly for beginners, creative and stress-free. Classes are limited to 16 participants, with a minimum of 4 required to run. Registration closes one week before the workshop date, so be sure to reserve your seat early and invite your friends to join. For more logistic details visit: https://www.glassbylauren.com/wpsc-workshop-sign-ups.

Closed-toe shows required for safety. For questions, call or text 310-483-3229. Reserve your spot today and discover the enchantment of fused glass! All essential supplies are included.

### **Upcoming Fusion Glass Workshops:**

Saturday, December 13, 2025 @ Noon-3:00P

Project: Fused Glass Christmas Tree or Wreath Plaque

On December 13th, we'll be making either a Fused Glass Tree or Wreath design on a plaque. You can choose to hang this





plaque on a wall or showcase it on an easel. All essential supplies are provided. To book this workshop, email: <a href="mailto:info@glassbylauren.com">info@glassbylauren.com</a>

**Sign up deadline is December 6.** The sign-up sheet can be found in the WPSC lobby.

### **Hand & Foot Card Game**

Mondays & Fridays 8:45 am-Noon / Setup @ 8:30 am Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members



Join this group of friendly and competitive players for a time well spent. Contact **Beverly Morgan** at 303-458-8273 for more information.

### Jazzercise Lo

Mon. & Wed. @ 8:30-9:30 am and Fri. @ 8:30-9:15 am Members: \$60.00/Month & Walk-ins \$15.00/Day

Join us for a fun and energized Jazzercise Lo class. Dance away those extra calories using <u>Low Impact</u> moves that yield MAXIMUM results! We use muscles, not momentum, to get a total body workout without the impact on your joints. For more information, contact **Ginny Parker** at 321-698-0445.

### **Line Dancing**

Tuesdays @ 4:15-5:30 pm Cost: \$6.00 Members / \$8.00 Non-Members



FALL into LINE and come in and enjoy our Fun for Health and Exercise Line Dance Class every Tuesday from 4:15–5:30. Line Dancing stimulates our brains and increases our balance as we enjoy making new friends. Did you know that every grapevine and pivot turn pumps your heart rate and boosts your circulation! We enjoy all levels of dancers from the true beginner to more advanced. Just remember, this is a FUN class! For more information, call **Sue Duncan**, Instructor and Choreographer for over 60 years at 321-505-0846.

### **Mahjong**

American: Mondays @ Noon-3:00 pm &

Thursdays @ 9:00 am-Noon

Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

Chinese: Wednesdays @ 1:00-4:00 pm

Cost: \$5.00 Members / \$7.00 Non-Members

Mahjong is an activity that fosters friendly comradery and stirs the brain. Come join the fun! Contact

**Patricia Rosenthal** at 321-626-5419 (American) or **Hugh McPhee** at 321-423-7698 (Chinese).

Pinochle

Mondays & Fridays @ 12:30-4:30 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

For more information, contact **Bill Mueller** at 321-242-4999 (Mondays & Fridays).

**Poker (Dealers Choice)** 

Tuesdays & Fridays @ 11:30 am-4:00 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members Contact Bill Seigel at 813-416-0428.

**Poker (Friendly)** 

Mondays @ 1:00-4:00 pm

Cost: \$1.00 Members /\$3.00 Non-Members

Attention: Players Needed! Pennies Only. Call ahead to attend. Contact **Beverly Morgan** at 303-458-8273.

**Pool (Billiards)** 

Monday thru Friday @ 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Saturday 9:30 am-12:30p

Tournaments: 2nd Wednesday of Every Month @ 11:00 am

Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members Plus \$ .50 per Day or \$2.00 per Week

YE OL Pool Room 8-Ball Tournament Oct. 8 Results:

1st: Sam Campese 2nd: Bob Furlong 3rd: Paul Monti

4th: Kerry Barfield Next tournament is

November 12. Questions? Contact **Wally Topinko** at

321-622-4977.



### **QiGong-TaiChi**

Mon., Wed., & Fridays @ 8:30-9:30 am Cost: \$5.00 Members / \$7.00 Non-Members



For over 50 years, scientists at the Institute for Aging Research, an affiliate of Harvard Medical School, have been studying what causes falls among the elderly, and how to prevent them. One of the most promising interventions is TaiChi. It offers senior

practitioners inner peace and improves balance, flexibility and mental agility. It also reduces death due to falls and injury among older adults. We focus more on the Healing Art of QiGong of TaiChi. **Laura Parsons**, Certified Instructor at 321-474-5374.

### **Senior Law**

4th Friday of the Month @ 2:00-4:00P NO WORKSHOPS IN NOVEMBER OR DECEMBER

Cost: Free to All WPSC Members

The Slonim Law Firm invites you to attend a FREE seminar and question/answer session on the 4th Friday of each month at WPSC Room 117.

### **Topics**:

- Last Will & Testament & Trusts
- Durable Power of Attorney & Healthcare Directives
- · Digital Assets
- Medicaid and Asset Protection Options
- General Dementia Issues
- Guardianships
- · Probate Matters
- Living Wills

Seating is limited. Please sign up at the front desk. Any questions, call the Law office at 321-757-5701.



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### Rummikub

Wednesdays @ 1:00-4:00 pm Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

Rummikub is a tile-based game combining elements of the card game rummy and mahjong. It's an easy game to play and if you don't know how to play, our group will be happy to teach you. Come join us for a fun afternoon. Contact **Peggy Miles** at 732-688-6268.

### **Senior Stitchers**

Thursdays @ 10:00 am-Noon in Room 114 Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

Would you like to learn to Knit or Crochet or do you already know how to Knit or Crochet? If so,



please join us for a morning of friendship and pleasant conversation while learning new skills and stitches while helping each other to share and improve our skills. What to Bring: If you are already experienced, please bring a WORK IN PROGRESS that you'd like to work on. If you're a beginner, please bring some worsted yarn and some Size 8 knitting needles or a Size G crochet hook. For more information contact **Laurie Liguori** at 917-882-9898.

### **Shuffleboard**

Open Play: Monday 9-11:00 am Open Practice: Thursday 6-8:30 pm

Saturday 9:00 am-Noon

Cost: \$1.00 Members / \$3.00 Non-Members

For more information on learning how to play or participating in tournaments, call **Tom Winkelspecht** at 321-446-3283 or email: tawinkii@me.com



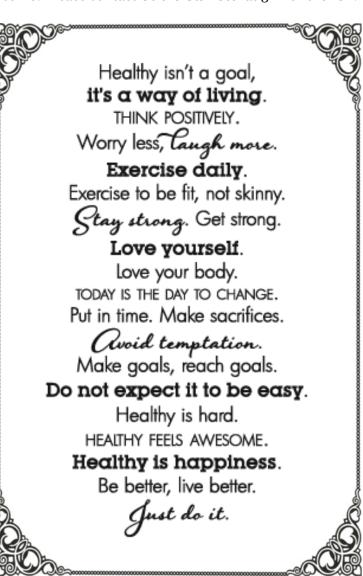
### Strength/Flexibility

Thursdays @ 9:30-10:30 am Cost: \$4.00 Members / \$6.00 Non-Members

This is a class you won't want to miss and has everyone talking! This class will introduce greater strength and flexibility that your body will love and you will love going to. It also helps posture and alignment of the spine, helps us stay limber, agile, strong



and keeps our balance in check. We work core, arm and leg strength. This class gets full so call before you come! Please contact **Susie Salvetti** at 321-626-0282.



# TRAVEL NEWS

### Hard Rock Hotel & Casino, Hollywood, FL

Date: November 6, 2025

Cost: \$69 PP (with copy of Driver's License or Unity Card)

Time: Leaves WPSC at 7:30 am / Returns at 5:30 pm

Casino perks included with this trip: \$25 Slot FREE Play for each person on trip, 20% OFF Hard Rock Cafe bill OR 25% OFF Rise Restaurant OR 25% OFF Kitchen & Deli Restaurant OR 25% OFF Constant Grind plus whatever daily casino promotion is available on that day.

## ICE! at the Gaylord Palms, Cirque Show & Lunch at the Olive Garden

Date: November 20, 2025

Cost: \$199 PP

SOLD OUT! WAIT LIST ONLY

ICE! will be back this year. The signature holiday attraction will feature "Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer" in a dazzling, immersive story driven holiday showplace complete with larger-then-life ice sculptures, thrilling frozen slides, and awe-inspiring tunnels. We will have reserved seating for the showing of The Cirque Show which will feature dazzling acrobatics, feats of flexibility, and high-flying stunts.

### **Mount Dora Christmas**

Date: December 5, 2025

Cost: \$69 PP

Time: Leaves WPSC at 2:00 pm / Returns at 10:00 pm

Celebrate the 2025 holidays against a backdrop of over 2 million sparkling lights in beautiful downtown Mt. Dora. Contact the WPSC Travel Office for more information.

### **Saint Augustine Christmas Lights**

Date: December 9, 2025

Cost: \$89 PP

Time: Leave WPSC at 12:00 pm / Returns at 8:45 pm

Sign up now for our exciting one day excursion to St. Augustine, our nation's oldest city. We will be stopping at Bucees in Daytona for lunch on your own. We should arrive at St. Augustine about 3:00 pm. You will have from 3:00 pm to 5:30 pm to shop and eat. At 6:00 pm we will meet at the Visitors Center for a 45-min. narrated Trolley Tour through the historic district. We will depart for home at approx. 7:15 pm.

### **Sleuths Mystery Dinner Shows**

Date: February 5, 2026

Cost: \$169 PP

Join us for a comedy mystery show where you become the detective and solve the crime! Sleuths Mystery Dinner Shows over two-hour long experiences will keep you talking for years to come! Enjoy a delicious dinner as you formulate insightful (and not so insightful) questions for the live interrogation. It's improvisational comedy that will have you in sidesplitting laughter!

### Silver Spurs Rodeo

Date: February 22, 2026

Cost: \$99 PP

Since 1944, the Silver Spurs Rodeo is a semi-annual event of America's original extreme sport. The Silver Spurs Arena is an indoor, climate-controlled arena with stadium seating, meaning there really isn't a bad seat in the house! It can get cold, there could be loud bangs at the beginning of the performances, and the lights do go out for a few minutes. Lunch and beverages will be on your own.

## Mount Rushmore & the Black Hills & Badlands of South Dakota

Date: September 21-27, 2026

Cost: \$2,067 PP Double / \$2,567 Single Occupancy \$200 Deposit / Final Payment Due August 1, 2026

### Package includes:

- RT Airfare from Orlando Airport to Rapid City
- 6 Nights Deluxe Accommodations in Rapid City
- 10 Great Meals
- Mount Rushmore (Day & Night)
- · Devil's Tower National Monument
- · Crazy Horse Memorial
- Fort Hays
- Badlands National Park
- Wall Drug Store
- Custer State Park
- Buffalo Jeep Safari
- State Game Lodge Dinner
- · 1880 Train & Deadwood
- The Mammoth Site
- The Journey Museum
- · Black Hills Gold Factory
- · K-Bar S Ranch Dinner
- Chuckwagon Supper & Cowboy Show

Participants MUST be able to travel independently or bring a companion who can assist. NO refunds once the vendor has been paid.

# The Wickham Park Senior Center Ornament Contest



### December 1-December 5

- Bring your homemade ornament(s) to the WPSC Front Desk.
  Your ornament(s) will be given a number and placed on the tree.
- Ornaments must be family-friendly and cannot exceed 5 inches in height.
- Ornaments may be made out of any material. A fillable ornament ball can be used as part of your creation.

### December 8-December 12

Vote for your favorite ornament.

### December 15

- Winners will be announced and contacted.
- Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.





# **OUR SPONSORS**

The Officers and Membership of Wickham Park Senior Center appreciates the continued support of our many Sponsors. As an all volunteer-run organization, their continued financial support allows us to offer Activities and Social events for our members.

### **Diamond Level Sponsors**



























### **Gold Level Sponsors**







### **Meet & Greet Schedule**

Our monthly Meet & Greets with our sponsors have been scheduled for Tuesday and Friday mornings from 9–11:00 am. Each sponsor will have a table set up just outside the front door or inside the lobby to provide you with information, fun giveaways, and someone knowledgeable to answer your specific questions. Please mark your calendars and come up to meet them:

- Better Health Group (BHG) 3rd Tuesday:
  - Nov. 18, Dec. 16 @ 9-11:00 am
- Brookdale West Melbourne 3rd Tuesday:
  - Nov. 18, Dec. 16 @ 9-11:00 am
- Freedom Health 4th Tuesday:
  - Nov. 25 @ 9-11:00 am
- Health First 1st Tuesday:
  - Nov. 14, Dec. 2 @ 9-11:00 am
- LiveWave 4th Tuesday:
  - Nov. 25, Dec. 2 @ 9-11:00 am
- Moore Insurance 2nd Tuesday:
  - Nov. 11, Dec. 12 @ 9-11:00 am

- Narlock Insurance/United Healthcare 3rd Friday:
  - Nov. 21, Dec. 19 @ 9-11:00 am
- Physician Partners 2nd Tuesday:
  - Nov. 11, Dec. 9 @ 9-11:00 am
- My Memory Clinic 1st Friday
  - Nov. 7, Dec. 5 @ 9-11:00 am
- RVH Insurance 4th Friday:
  - Nov. 7, Dec. 5 @ 9-11:00 am
- Tiny Dog Cleaning 2nd Friday:
  - Nov. 14, Dec. 12 @ 9-11:00 am

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### **New Members in September**

Andres, Edward

Aran, Terry

Arthur, Carole

Bellissimo, Frances

Boisseau, Robert

Brown, Claudia

Burdette, Charmaine

Burg, Anita

Caldwell, Brenda

Chasey, Gigi

Davis. Daniel

Deneute, Carol

Deneute, William

Fisher, Jeff

Fisher, Patricia

Flotte, Ann Raley

Fonte, Chris

Frye, Ray

Frye, Stacie

Grenfell, Sara

Guth, Nicole

Hall, Ann

Hotz, Barbara

Kallish, Anne

Kilian, Mary Lou

King, Don

Lillibridge, Paul

Manzoni, Maria

Milardo, Josephine

Miller, Gwendolyn

Miller, Marlee

Nieves, Steve

Oram, Chris

Paz, Diana

Paz, Victor

Pryor, Joyce

Salemmo, Anne

Sherard, Betsy

Siptroth, Elaine

Smythers, Barbara

Stephenson, Tanif

Strickland, Stace

Todd, Christine

Todd, James

Trexler, Karen (Pat)

Turigliatti, Linda

Viglione, Terry

Wellman, Charles

Wellman, Linda

Wittenberger, Cathy

Wood, Lauren

Yalcinsoy, Ibrahim

Zynko, Susan

## Wickham Park Senior Center Holiday Closures for 2025

To enable our volunteers to spend more time with their families during the upcoming holiday season, Wickham Park Senior Center will be closed on the following dates:

### Thanksgiving Holiday:

- Wednesday, November 26, 2025(Day before Thanksgiving)
- Thursday, November 27, 2025 (Thanksgiving Day)
- Friday, November 28, 2025(Friday after Thanksgiving)
- Saturday, November 29, 2025

### · Christmas Holiday:

- WPSC will be closed the entire week of Christmas – Monday, December 22 through Sunday, December 28.
  - We will re-open Monday, December 29

### • New Year's Holiday:

- Wednesday, December 31 Closing at 12:30 pm
- Thursday, January 1, 2026 (New Year's Day)

### NEED TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT WITH SHINE?



The WPSC SHINE Group is available Tuesdays from 9:00 am to 12:00 Noon in Room 104. Anyone interested can call 407-514-1800 to schedule an appointment. No fee required!

## COMMENTS? We Value Your Opinion!

There's a SUGGESTION BOX in the lobby for your feedback or ideas on how we can enhance the experience at the WPSC!



Deadline for copy submission to the newsletter is the 15th of each month. Please email copy to: news@bcwpsc.org

Wickham Park Senior Center is not equipped, nor intended to be a senior care facility. WPSC activities are geared toward independent adults who are able to manage their own care, decisioning making and safety. WPSC's insurance prohibits, and WPSC cannot be responsible for, the provision of physical assistance to individuals on the premises. If an adult companion is needed, the companion may participate in the activity if they desire, regardless of age, and must pay all fees associated with the activity. WPSC reserves the right to prevent persons from being on premises if the WPSC leadership believes that person would cause harm to themselves or others.



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