

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

# NOVEMBER 2025



#### A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Hi YAAS family,

Happy November! As we head into the holidays, I want to remind everyone of our #1 purpose: make friends and have fun. Every event we host is designed to help you meet people who "get" you—and to give you simple ways to keep the connection going outside the club.

It's totally okay—and encouraged—to make your own hangouts with people you meet here. If you find someone interesting, try the simple plan outlined on the right under "MAKING FRIENDS".

We've planned two events this month where you can shop for Christmas gifts for loved ones while hanging out together. Think handcrafted items, local makers, and festive vibes.

You belong here. Whether you're coming to shop for gifts, to say hi, or to plan your first 1-on-1 hangout, we're cheering you on. Friendships grow when we spend regular time together—one text, one plan, one hello at a time.

See you this month!



YAAS
DIRECTOR
DARUS JUAREZ

# **MAKING FRIENDS:**

How to exchange phone numbers (step-by-step)

- 1. Notice & choose: "I liked talking with you about \_\_\_."
- 2. Ask clearly: "Can we exchange phone numbers so we can hang out sometime?"
- 3. Share & confirm: Read the number back to each other: "I have 541-\_-... Is that right?"
- 4. Save contact: Add their name and "YAAS" in your phone (e.g., "Alex YAAS").
- 5. Send a quick intro text right away:
- 6. "Hi, it's \_\_\_ from YAAS. Great meeting you! ""

What to do after you have the number

- 1. Pick an activity you both like (keep it simple): coffee, short walk, arcade, bowling, movie, thrift run, or video games.
- 2. Offer 1–2 specific options (date, time, place):
- 3. "Want to meet Saturday at 2:00 PM at [Coffee Shop]?"
- 4. or "I'm free Wednesday 5–7 PM—mini-golf?"
- 5. Confirm the plan the day before:
- 6. "Hi! Just checking in—are we still on for tomorrow at 2 PM at [place]?"
- 7. Meet in a public place & handle your own ride (for safety). Be on time, say hello, and do the activity.
- 8. Send a thank-you text after:
- 9. "I had fun today—want to do this again next week?"
- 10. If they can't or don't reply: Wait 48–72 hours, then try one more simple option ("No worries—want to try next Saturday 2 PM?"). If not, invite someone else—keep going!



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#### **GLASS FORGE - MAKE YOUR OWN ORNAMENT**

WHETHER YOU MAKE AN ORNAMENT, PAPERWEIGHT, OR BOWL, YOU GET TO KEEP WHAT YOU MAKE. THE PIECE OF ART YOU END UP MAKING TAKES ABOUT 24 HOURS TO COOL BEFORE IT WILL BE READY TO PICK UP OR CALL DARUS WILL BRING TO MEDFORD YAAS HQ FOR YOU TO PICK UP.

COST:\$20 (BRING MONEY FOR FOOD AFTERWARDS)
YAAS REP: DARUS

501 SW G ST, GRANTS PASS, OR 97526

## 12:00 NOON - GRANTS PASS

# 15 OVEMBER

#### **LUNCH AT THE HORNY GOAT GASTRO PUB**

THE HORNY GOAT IN GRANTS PASS IS A FUNKY LITTLE FAMILY-OWNED GASTROPUB RIGHT IN DOWNTOWN (234 SW 5TH ST) THAT LEANS "FUN FIRST" BUT STILL COOKS LIKE IT MEANS IT. IT'S THE SPOT PEOPLE SEND OUT-OF-TOWNERS TO WHEN THEY WANT SOMETHING MORE INTERESTING THAN A BASIC BURGER-AND-FRIES PLACE.

COST: FREE TO SIGN UP, BRING MONEY FOR FOOD YAAS REP: CALKING

234 SW 5TH ST, GRANTS PASS, OR 97526

## 12:30 PM - MEDFORD

#### **ROGUE MAKERS HOLIDAY FAIR 2025**

**NOVEMBER** 

HOLIDAY SHOPPING EXPERIENCE UNLIKE ANY OTHER. OVER 175 CAREFULLY CURATED LOCAL VENDORS, YOU ARE SURE TO FIND THE BEST GIFTS OUT THERE FOR EVERYONE ON YOUR LIST. CHECK OUT OUR FREE PHOTO BOOTH AND TAKE SOME SWEET SHOTS OF THE WHOLE FAMILY! OR STOP BY THE BAR TO GRAB A SEASONAL BEVERAGE AND SIP WHILE YOU SHOP. WE GOT LUNCH COVERED AS WELL WITH THREE FOOD TRUCKS AVAILABLE. AND DID WE MENTION THIS EVENT IS FREE ENTRY! OUR AMAZING LINEUP OF VENDORS FEATURES A WIDE RANGE OF GOODS FROM FINE ART, TO BAKED GOODS, AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN! REMEMBER TO BRING MONEY FOR ANY PURCHASES YOU WANT TO MAKE!

COST: FREE, BRING MONEY TO BUY GIFTS YAAS REP: SERENA

ROGUE X, 901 ROSSANLEY DR, MEDFORD, OR 97501, UNITED STATES

SIGN UP AT YAASCLUB.ORG





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# **VEDNESDAYS**

### 3:00 PM - MEDFORD

#### **BOWLING WITH IMPACT**

JOIN US EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 3 PM TO 5 PM AT LAVA LANES IN MEDFORD FOR BOWLING WITH FRIENDS! THIS IS A FUN, DROP-IN LEAGUE WHERE YOU CAN BUDDY UP WITH FELLOW BOWLERS AND ENJOY SOME FRIENDLY GAMES TOGETHER.

COST: \$4 PER GAME (INCLUDES SHOES) • NO SIGN-UP NEEDED—JUST SHOW UP AND SAY YOU'RE WITH BOWLING WITH FRIENDS TO GET THE DISCOUNTED RATE.

2980 CRATER LAKE HWY, MEDFORD, OR 97504

## 4:00 PM - MEDFORD

#### **BOWLING WITH FRIENDS**

RIDAYS

JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY FROM 4 PM TO 6 PM AT LAVA LANES IN MEDFORD FOR BOWLING WITH FRIENDS! THIS IS A FUN, DROP-IN LEAGUE WHERE YOU CAN BUDDY UP WITH FELLOW BOWLERS AND ENJOY SOME FRIENDLY GAMES TOGETHER.

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