Lewiston Senior Center

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December Newsletter



Celebrate the Season!



May you find peace and joy this holiday season! Spread kindness everywhere you go! Try not to get so busy that you forget to treat others as you would like to be treated! One kind word truly can go a long way!

Please take time this Holiday Season to check on relatives, friends and neighbors who may need assistance. You might be able to help with getting groceries, running errands or just hearing a friendly voice. Take the time to reach out to those near and far, they will appreciate your efforts and you will feel better too!

Find peace and joy wherever you can.



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Greetings Everyone

It's that time again! We will be asking everyone to provide updated information for the center. This information will be kept on hand in the event of an emergency.

We will need current health information, medications as well as an emergency contact that we can reach should it be necessary.

The information you provide should be updated as things change as they so often do with our health and current medications.

You can complete this form at the center with assistance from myself or the other staff or you may take it home and return the completed form at your earliest convenience.

All information will be kept confidential and only utilized in the event of an emergency.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in attending to this important matter.

Melinda





LUNCH PROGRAM NEWS



Please sign up for lunch by Tuesday the week before you would like to attend. Please call the center at 754-2071 Ext. 395

Merry Christmas!
Our Christmas Lunch will be served on
Wednesday, December 20th!

IMPORTANT

The Center will be closed and No meals will be served on Tuesday, December 24th Wednesday, December 25th and Wednesday, January 1st, 2025

Remember if you would like transportation for the lunch program provided by the Senior Van please let us know at the office so we can put you on the schedule.

Crazy, Pretty, or Strange Christmas Sweater Contest!

Please make plans to join us on

Wednesday, December 18th for our

Christmas Lunch and Celebration of

the Christmas/Holiday Sweater! You know you've got them now is your chance to wear them and maybe win a prize! Fun! Food!





Noon Year's Eve Party!

Tuesday, December 31st Sign up with Cheryl for Lunch!

Ring in the "Noon" Year and Welcome 2025!

Food! Fun! Friends!



ANNUAL MITTEN TREE

We are still collecting donations for the Annual Mitten Tree which provides mittens, gloves, slippers, hats, scarves and socks to those in need in our community. Thank You!



It is not too late if you would like to purchase gifts to help a family in need more information is available at the center or call (716)754-2071 THANK YOU VERY MUCH!



Thanks so
much for all
you do. You are
appreciated!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

A Very Special Thank You to Everyone that Volunteers, Helps out, Donates and makes the Senior Center a

Wonderful place!

Thank You So Very Much

For All You Do!

THE TOWN OF LEWISTON SENIOR CENTER

Will be open 8:00am-4:00pm Monday –Friday. It maintains an open-door policy creating a pleasant and healthy environment for Senior Citizens. The caring staff is dedicated to the well being of those who participate in the many programs and services offered.

Please check the calendar to see what events and activities we have planned this month.

We attempt to keep our newsletter information as up-dated as possible but occasionally changes do happen after publication. Check our website for updated information:

lewistonseniorcenter.com

You do not need to be a member of the Senior Club to participate in any of the programs offered at the Center!

The Niagara County Office for the Aging Attorney is available at the Center for Legal Services the first Tuesday of every month from 11:00am-12:00pm. Please call the center to schedule an appointment or for more information.

If you any questions or comments please feel free to contact the Senior Center.

(716)754-2071

TOWN OF LEWISTON SENIOR CENTER CAREVAN

Transportation is provided for residents who would like to attend activities at the center and for medical appointments. However, donations are greatly appreciated but no Senior will be denied service due to an inability to pay. The Senior Van is in operation Monday through Friday from 8:30 am—3:00 pm. Arrangements must be made 24 hours in advance. Senior Van funding provided by the Town of Lewiston and the Niagara County Office for the Aging.

Who may use the Senior Van: The Senior Van may be used by Seniors 60 years or older, residing in the geographic limits of the Town of Lewiston. We do NOT have a wheel chair van. If you require ANY assistance, due to liability restrictions, you must have someone accompany you to provide the required assistance.

Service Priorities: Every van rider is important to us, Medical needs will be the first priority for service. Seniors requiring hospital or doctors care will be scheduled prior to any other need. In order to accommodate as many people as possible, you may have to be picked up earlier than you think necessary if there is more than one appointment scheduled for the same time. YOU MAY HAVE TO WAIT TO BE PICKED UP for your trip home.

Due to increased demand of our Van Service, the Senior Van will provide transportation for Shopping, Banking, and Hair Appointments as van availability allows. Please call the center for more information. This service is limited to the Village of Lewiston.

Client Location Conditions: Clients are expected to keep driveways clear of any obstacles (low hanging tree branches, ice/snow, and any other obstruction). If your location is determined by the driver to be impassable or hazardous, arrangement will be made to pick you up at another location.

Suggested Donations for Service: Travel within the Town of Lewiston will be at the rate of 50 cents per one trip and \$1.00 round trip. Travel outside of the Town of Lewiston will be at the following rates:

Summit Mall Medical \$4.00

Niagara Falls \$4.00

Youngstown \$3.00

His. the season to be jolly Happy Holidays!

No Senior will be denied service due to an inability to pay.

The Van Drivers would like to remind you to "Buckle-Up" when you ride in the van.







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| Party Parcy | 31 9:30AM Band Ex Noon Year's Eve Party | 24 Cent Clos | 17 9:30 Band Ex 10:30 BP Screening 12:30-3PM Euchre Holiday Craft and Ve | 10 9:30 Band Ex 12:30-3PM Euchre 1PM Tech 101 | 3 9:30 Band Ex 10:30 BP Screening 11-12 NCOFA Lawyer 12:30 Senior Club 12:30-3PM Euchre 12PM Bridge | TUE |
| HANUKKAH | 1/1/2025 Center Closed January 1st Happy New Year | er Christmas | 17 9:30 Band Ex 10:30 BP Screening Sneakers 12:30-3PM Euchre Christmas Lunch Holiday Craft and Vendor Fair 10AM-2PM | 119:30AM Silver Sneakers 10:30AM Larks 11AM Larks Concert 1:00 BINGO! 12-3:00 Mahjongg | 4 9:30AM Silver Sneakers 10:30AM Larks 1:00 BINGO! 12-3:00 Mahjongg | WED |
| Lunch Program Monday-Friday 11:00-12:30PM | 1/2/2025 8:30 Mahjongg 9:00 Wood Carvers 1PM Exercise w/Kathy | 26 8:30 Mahjongg 9:00 Wood Carvers 1PM Exercise w/Kathy 1-3PM Grief Support | 19 8:30 Mahjongg 9:00 Wood Carvers 12PM Music w/Mike and the Kids! 1PM Exercise w/Kathy | 12 8:30 Mahjongg 9:00 Wood Carvers 1PM Exercise w/Kathy 1-3PM Grief Support | 5 8:30 Mahjongg 9:00 Wood Carvers 1PM Exercise w/Kathy | THU |
| Fun! Football Friday's | 1/3/2025 9AM Quilters 9:30AM Chair Yoga 12:00 Trivia 12:30-3:30 Bridge | 27 9AM Quilters 9:30AM Chair Yoga 12:00 Trivia 12:30-3:30 Bridge | 20 9AM Quilters 9:30AM Chair Yoga 12:00 Trivia 12:30-3:30 Bridge 1PM Flower Arranging | 13 9AM Quilters 9:30AM Chair Yoga 12:30-3:30 Bridge 12-1PM Jazz Music Live Concert | 6 9AM Quilters 9:30AM Chair Yoga 12:30-3:30 Bridge | FB. |
| | Super Fun Trivia Every Friday! | Hapy water solution | 21 11AM Music 12/19 Music w/Mike and Kids | 3 11 | Birthday's celebrated the 1st Tuesday of each Month! | SAT |
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Weekly Activities December



Monday 9:30AM Chair Yoga 1:00PM Afternoon Art Pinochle (Looking for new players !) 12:00PM 9-12:00 **Ieff Lewis BC/BS** (The 4th Monday of each Month) **Tuesday Resistance Band Exercise** 9:30AM 10:30 B/P with Joyce (1st & 3rd Tuesday of each Month) 11-12:30 Lawyer NCOFA (1st Tuesday of Each Month) 12:30PM Senior Club (1st Tuesday) Travel Club (4th Tuesday) 12:00PM Bridge (1st Tuesday of Each Month Only) 1:00PM Technology 101(2nd & 4th Tuesday of Each Month) **Euchre** 12:30PM Book Club (3rd Tuesday of Each Month) 1:00PM Wednesday 9:30AM Silver Sneakers 10:30AM Larks 1:00PM **BINGO** 12:00PM Mahjongg (Looking for new players ♥!)

Thursday 8:30AM Mahjongg

9:00AM Wood Carvers (6:30-8:30PM 3rd Tuesday of each Month!)

1:00PM Exercise with Kathy

1-3:00PM Grief Support Group (2nd & 4th Thursdays)

Friday 9:00AM Quilters, Knitters, and Crochet

9:30AM Chair Yoga

12:00PM Trivia

12-3:00PM Bridge (Looking for players 2!)