



Board of Directors Update

Well we are still being advised to be "Safe at Home" - especially us seniors. It is notable that of the number of Colorado Covid-19 cases those infected that are 60 or older make up 20% of the total. However when looking at those who have died, the 60 and over population makes up 78% of deaths in Colorado. Please do not become lax in taking every precaution to protect yourself from being infected.

As we are all getting a bit cabin crazy and as it seems we will not be able to open the center for several more weeks, efforts are beginning to offer ways to connect virtually for those fortunate enough to have internet connection through computers or smart phones. We started virtual Bingo using the ZOOM application. Plans are being made to start some additional virtual connection activities. Please call the center with ideas - art, crafts, other games, maybe just a social hour. We can easily set up ZOOM meetings and hope to have at least 3 virtual events each week throughout the remaining "Safe at Home" time.

The Silver Key frozen meals will continue until we can again open the center. This program is open to anyone 60 or older regardless of financial need. There are folks helping to deliver these meals if you can not come on Monday for pick-up. Please take advantage of this program to help minimize your trips to the grocery stores. Call the center by Tuesday at 1:00pm to make your reservation.

We have a community dance being planned for July! We hope we will be back to normal by then and able to celebrate! Mark your calendar for July 18 and plan to dance to the music of the decades. We are preparing a play list for this event so call the center with your favorite songs!

We have folks wanting to help our population! Please call the center if there is anything you need! Stay safe and healthy. Plan to join some online socializing. Keep your spirits up with at least one laugh a day!

Woodland Park Senior Organization (aka Club) was formed July 12, 1973, to bring together seniors *age 50 and over*, in Teller and adjoining counties, to promote the well-being of senior citizens and adults with disabilities by providing social interaction, mental stimulation and healthful activities. When we reopen, stop by any weekday between 9am and 1pm to check out activities we currently provide that might interest you and to suggest additional activities for our community!



Thanks to our volunteer of the month, Steve Frick, who makes the trip to Manitou to pick up our Silver Key lunches. Also thanks to Bud Jans, Dave Jordan, George Caley, Patti Metz, Nancy Lambert, and Jeanette Zupancic, who along with Jerry Burnham have unloaded, sorted and distributed the lunches on Mondays at the center.

Thanks to Jerry for manning the center phone each weekday. Also thanks to Jeanette Zupancic for calling Bingo for us every week and now virtually online.

Thanks to all the folks making the outreach calls to our seniors. Keeping in touch during these trying times is essential to fighting isolation. Thanks to each of you!



Membership Dues

Due to being closed for these past weeks, many folks have not been able to renew their membership at the Senior Center. You can mail a check to WPSO, PO 5813, WP 80866. We will fill out your membership form and update your status in the data base.



Coming when we can Reopen

Irish Dancers (maybe)
AF Museum Planetarium
Pro Rodeo Museum
Willow Stone Flea Market
"Dance through the Decades"



Arlie	Kyzer	5 - 1
Bianka	Townsend	5 - 3
Ed	Blakley	5 - 4
Owen	Fahey	5 - 5
Kenneth	Lewis	5 - 6
Sue	Frindt	5 - 9
Chuck	Gardner	5 - 11
Dora	Wolfe	5 - 14
Joyce	Johnson	5 - 15
Sherry	Johnson	5 - 15
Bev	Jones	5 - 16
Martha	George	5 - 19
Anna May	Hoffman	5 - 20
Greg	Hudgins	5 - 20
Doug	Gilliam	5 - 20
Scott	Mosher	5 - 20
Margaret	Ochsner	5 - 20
Jan	Williams	5 - 20
Donald	Henecke	5 - 22
Ernie	Moser	5 - 23
Kathy	Avery	5 - 24
Sharon	Pruitt	5 - 25
James	Distel	5 - 26

Happy Birthday to all our May Birthday Babies!



Remembering Dee Tucker

Dee and Sandra Tucker had been Senior Center members for many years until Dee's health kept them from their annual Colorado summers. Dee loved to play cards with the guys in the morning. Sandra liked to do the line dancing classes whenever we had an instructor and also for various exercise classes over the last several years. Dee also played in the band that played at the 4th of July Celebration here every year for many years. He loved music and played brass instruments. They used to go square dancing with a group that they belonged too on every Friday night, out of town. They loved it. The last two years he began having breathing problems and last year he was on oxygen all of the time. Sandra will still be coming here in the summers from Texas a be staying in their home in Columbine Village.



First Annual
"Dance Through the Decades"
 is in the works
 --a community dance
 and fundraiser for Woodland
 Park Senior Organization.

The tentative date is Saturday, July 18th, 2020, depending on the status of the Covid 19 virus and Safer-at-Home requirements. If we are free to move about the country by then, it may be time to kick up our heels and celebrate. If not, we'll can it until the coast is clear.

Have a favorite song or three? If you can name it, we can find it on the internet and will include it in our song list for the occasion, whatever the date may be. Any decade, any genre, any beat, just keep it clean! If you are picking up lunches on Mondays, write your song faves on the provided form. You can also call them in and we will add them to the list for you.

Let's create our own signature summer event that our entire community can enjoy and look forward to each year. Stay tuned for more info.

ZOOM Bingo

Virtual Bingo has started! We will be playing Bingo every Thursday at 10:30 am. Download ZOOM on-to your computer, IPAD, tablet or smart phone.

Pick up your bingo cards at the center on Monday during lunch pick up or download some from the internet. Then look for the Bingo invite email on Wednesday morning. Click on the link in the email and join in on the fun! Winners can pick up prizes at the center during Monday lunch pick-up. See some faces, hear some voices, visit with friends, join the fun!



Yesterday my husband thought he saw a cockroach in the kitchen. He sprayed everything down and cleaned thoroughly. Today I'm putting the cockroach in the bathroom 🤪🤪🤪



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ZOOM Bingo April 30

Weekly Monday Lunch Pick-up





JOIN THE FUN

**WOODLAND PARK SENIOR CLUB
TOP 10 MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS**

1. SOCIAL ACTIVITY
2. CLUB HOUSE
3. INCREASE KNOWLEDGE
4. REGULAR ACTIVITY
5. FITNESS & WELLNESS
6. SPECIAL DISCOUNTS
7. SPECIAL EVENTS
8. NETWORKING
9. VOLUNTEERING
10. FUN, FUN, FUN



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All members are encouraged to join a committee where their interest lie. Please contact any of the board members with any concerns or suggestions.

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