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### **Board of Directors Update**

<u>Membership:</u> Several people have not renewed their membership. If you are not sure, please check with the front desk.

**<u>Elections:</u>** There will be an election of board members at the June 24 membership meeting. If you are interested in running, please let Mac or Jerry know.

**Monthly Outing:** There are just a few seats left on the bus for our June 6th trip to Rock Ledge Ranch. \$5.00 will reserve you a seat.

<u>Watercolor:</u> Aline and Tanna continue to do a great job with this popular activity. Both classes each month are well attended.

**Bingo:** We are constantly having our 30 people to play Bingo each week. Mac continues to do a great job providing the prizes

Rummage Sale: Our annual sale is on June 7th, 9am to 2pm. Sign-up to help! Friday, June 6th setup times are 11-1 and 1-3. Saturday help is needed starting at 8am and finishing at 3pm.

<u>Catered Meal:</u> May's catered meal was catered by the market in Divide. Mac does a great job scheduling these with help from the ladies in the kitchen providing the side dishes and dessert

<u>Fabric Painting:</u> Several ladies participated in this activity. Not sure when they plan to model their creations. Some might be found on the sale tables at the Rummage Sale.

<u>Mural Completion</u>: Now that the weather is warmoing up, Aline will be coaching the final touches on our outdoor mural. Volunteers are needed for both morning and afternoon shifts: 10am - noon and 1-3pm.

<u>Pancake Breakfast:</u> Our July 4th Pancake breakfast will need volunteers to help serve. Look for a sign-up sheet at the front desk.

If you have suggestions for trips, please tell Debbie or Beth. They work very diligently to provide trips of interest to the members.

Please record your volunteer time in the book at the front desk. This includes time you spend at home preparing for activities. Volunteer time is very useful when we apply for grants.

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. 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!



Thank you to Teller Senior Coalition for providing transportation for our Old Colorado City History Museum trip. Their continued support helps us to be able to provide these outings.

Watercolor classes offered by Aline and Tanna are a highlight of our activities each month. These classes are now being offered twice each month. Thanks Aline and Tanna.

Fabric painted provided by Patti and Cheryl was enjoyed by several of our ladies. Look for some of their creations at the Rummage Sale. Thanks Patti and Cheryl.

Beth is busy getting our landscaping cleaned up and new plants into the ground. Along with a few volunteers to help, she is brining spring to the front of our building. Thanks Beth!

Our wonderful ladies who help in the kitchen for our potluck and catered meal each month include Sherry, Pattii, Nancy and Brenda.

Bingo draws a big crowd each week. Thanks goes out to George who keeps the everyone in line as he calls the numbers and awards the Dunce cap when an error is made.

There is a new quilt on display. Thanks to all our quilt ladies who keep us supplied with these beautiful quilts as fundraisers for the club.

Our Boutique has many knitted and crocheted items for sale thanks to the ladies who gather on Wednesday mornings to work their magic on skeins of yarn. Thanks Ladies!

## **Coming in July**

- 7/4 Pancake Breakfast
- 7/8 Potluck Lunch
- 7/12 Picnic in the Park
- 7/18 American Market Place Trip
- 7/22 Catered Meal



Geralyn	Roland	6 - 2
Vickie Jo	Huffer	6 - 4
Kimberly	Allen	6 - 5
John	Graham	6 - 6
Sue	Stern	6 - 6
Sue	Stern	6 - 6
Monica	Donovan	6 - 9
Maggie	Becker	6 - 10
Paul	Petty	6 - 10
Christi	Marquardt	6 - 12
Jeniene	Robinson	6 - 12
Wally	Banzhaf	6 - 13
Doug	Crockett	6 - 13
Allison	Stacy	6 - 13
Lee Ann	Brown	6 - 17
Steve	Shepard	6 - 17
Michael	Lott	6 - 19
Roger	Qualls	6 - 19
Kandi	Hedges	6 - 20
Susan	O'Neal	6 - 20
Beth	Weikel	6 - 20
Cindy	Connors	6 - 21
Mary Lou	Trigg	6 - 21
Carrie	Douglas	6 - 22
Randy	Bennett	6 - 23
David	Hogehoom	6 - 27
Barb	Riley-Cunningham	6 - 28

June Catered Meal is FREE for June Babies!

# May Volunteer of the Month



Sheree LaQuey

Sheree is one of those folks who see what is needed and jumps in to help. She regularly helps out in the kitchen for potlucks and catered lunches.

When our Landscaping project got underway, Sheree painted the railings to help get our front entrance in order.

When somebody needs a ride to a doctor or needs a meal Sheree's always there to take care of their needs.

A true angel to all! If Sheree is a stranger to you, be sure to take time to get to know her, just her smile will brighten your day!



Friday, June 6 10:30am - 3:00pm Call 719-687-3877 or sign-up at the front desk.

# Mosaic Art Workshop



June 13 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Join our crafters to create a treasure from seashells, gem stones or ceramic chips. Call 719-687-3877

or sign-up at the front desk.



# **WPSO Board of Directors Election**

# June 24 - Annual Meeting

The terms for four members of our Board of Directors expire in June. Nominations are cur-

rently being accepted. If you are interested or know an individual who is interested please let any board member know. At the June 24 membership meeting, a paper ballot will be distributed to the members present at the meeting. Sign-up for the Catered Meal and stay for the Annual Meeting.





# July 4th Decorations

June 27 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Join us as we get ready for the holiday celebration. Take home your finished product for your home or leave it for our July 4th Pancake Breakfast décor!

Call 719-687-3877 or sign-up at the front desk.

### **Watercolor Class**

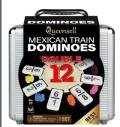
Mondays, June 9 & 23 1:00 – 3:00pm



Join Aline as she guides us through the techniques of watercolor painting.

All Supplies provided.
Call 719-687-3877

## Mexican Train Dominos



Every Monday at 10am.

Join us for this fun way to meet new friends.

It is easy to learn this game and we welcome new players!



Beginning line dancing right here at the Senior Center every Wednesday:
ten to eleven in the morning

(Join in for physical and mental exercise and a lot of fun!)

# Bridge at the Senior Center



Join us for friendly Bridge games every Wednesday at 12:30.



# Mahjongg

11:30am on some Tuesdays & Wednesdays 11:30am on most Thursdays.

Check the Activity Calendar for exact dates!



### Zumba Gold

Every Friday - 10:30 am

Are you working to improve your overall fitness? Join us for this beginner level workout.

# Driver's License Renewal Now available at the Senior Center

The Driver's License Renewal folks have arranged to come to the Senior Center on the fourth Tuesday of each month to enable Teller County drivers to renew their license without needing to go to Colorado Springs.

The appointments will be about 15 minutes.

Time: 1pm – 4pm 2025 Dates (4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month)

June 24, July 22, August 26, September 2, October 28, November 25, December 23

For an Appointment call 719-687-3877

# Our Local Food Pantries Our Need Help!

Our area food pantries need help providing shelf stable foods to the needy in Teller County. Our Board of Directors is asking our membership to help.

We will have a basket/box by the front door for donations of shelf stable food items. Each month we will collect food for a different partner. Aspen Mine Center, Little Chapel in Divide, Community Cupboard, and Community Partnership are some of the pantries in the area we will support.





### 2025 Rummage Sale

June 7: gam - 2pm

Woodland Park Senior Center

Pine & Lake Streets





START YOUR 4TH WITH A HAPPY TUMMY.





FOR THE OLD FASHIONED 4TH OF JULY IN MEMORIAL PARK NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE PARK AT THE SENIOR CENTER 8:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

ALL YOU CAN EAT \$10 - KIDS 6 & UNDER \$2 PANCAKES, SCRAMBLED EGGS, LINK SAUSAGE, BISCUITS & GRAVY SUICE, FRUIT & COFFEE OR TEA

# **American Classics Marketplace**



Friday, July 18 10:30am - 3:00pm Call 719-687-3877 or sign-up at the front desk.





# You're Invited

# Senior Center PICNIC

Who: Club Members & Their Guests
What: Pot Luck - Bring your favorite side dish to share
Club provides BBQ Ribs, drinks, plates, napkins & utensils
Bring a Lawn Chair or Blanket to sit & relax on
Why: Get to meet & greet your fellow members
Where: Memorial Park Pavilion

When: Saturday, July 12 – 10am – 2pm RSVP at front desk or call 719-687-3877

Lawn Games for your enjoyment
Come Join the fun and learn some new games!



# SPRING PHOTO CONTEST







Submit by June 20, 2025 Voting on June 24, 2025

Prizes for the Top Three Pictures.

Registration & Contest Rules

are at the Front Desk.

# **Snapshots of March**





May 1



May 8



May 15



May 22



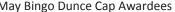




Beth & John working to clean up our landscaping

















May Bingo Dunce Cap Awardees



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### 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



#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Jerry Burnham, President Mac McCauley, Vice President Sheri Coleridge, Secretary Wally Banzhaf, Treasurer Steve Frick, Director-at-Large Beth Weikel, Director-at-Large Tim Miller, Director-at-Large Patti Metz, Director-at-Large

#### **COMMITTEES**

Operations, Jerry Burnham
Catered Lunch Coordinator, Patti Metz
Transportation, Steve Frick
Public Relations, Rose Banzhaf
Cents for Seniors, Steve Frick
Building Use, Jerry Burnham
Grants, Jerry Burnham
Historian, Karen Gilliam
Activities, Debbie Martin & Beth Weikel
Librarian, Peggy Vogt
Marketing/Advertising, Pamela Argo
Data Entry/Membership, Mac McCauley

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

# **2025 SUPPORTING MEMBERS**

Any individual, business, or organization helping to support the Senior Club with a cash donation or a gift in kind

### **SPONSOR - \$1,000 & UP**

City of Woodland Park
The Blackbaud Giving Fund
CORE

Cruise Above the Clouds
Mountain View Independent Living
Newmont Mining
Next 50 Initiative
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VFW POST 11411

Woodland Park Convention & Visitors Bureau

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Mountain View United Methodist Church
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Theresa Williams - Francis Young

### **DONOR - \$1 to \$49**

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Carl & Carmen Rhoda - Barbara Royal

### **ASSOCIATE MEMBERS**

An associate Member is a business/organization who supports the Club and would like to offer a Special Discount or Service for Club Members. If you know a business/organization that is interested in supporting the club this way, please contact the office.