SENIOR CORRESPONDENT

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Board of Directors Update



BAD NEWS: The Coalition has stopped bringing people to and from the Senior Center and has stopped providing transportation for our monthly outings. We are working to find a solution for the monthly outings.

CALLERS NEEDED: This involves making approximately 25 phone calls each month to remind members of the catered meal. Most of the current callers say this involves about one hour a month. Please let the front desk know if you can do this.

ASPEN LEAF TOUR: Participants had a perfect day for the trip and saw some beautiful scenery.

WATERCOLOR: This continues to be very popular. Check out the bulletin board at the Senior Center for the latest masterpieces. We will now have one class each month until the late spring.

HOLIDAY BAZAAR CRAFT CLASS: There were workshops each Friday during October. Plan to come to the Holiday Bazaar on Novemeber 7th to see the wonderful results and take home your favorites.

BUNCO: This new activity on Tuesdays at 2 pm is proving to be a favorite. Come check out the fun.

TECH TUESDAY: Students from the Key Club will once again come on the second Tuesday each month to assist members in using their smart phones.

FLUID ART CLASS: Students are creating some really nice vases and other items. Jackie continues to do a great job leading this.

BUTTE THEATER: This was our first encounter with the change in the Coalition's rules. As a result, 4 people chose not to go. However, those who went enjoyed the play and the Oleo that followed.

CORE LUNCHEON: Thank you to CORE for providing the meal and for the update on the future of the Co-op.

HILDRED'S MENDING GROUP: Members continue to have clothing articles that need to be mended and Hildred continues to meet the challenge. Sign-up sheet at the front desk. Be sure to indicate what you need mended.

CATERED MEAL: Mac continues to arrange for delicious meals. Thank you to Beth O, Debbie, Patti & Lydia for the serving. The program this month was a talk by Dan Doyle on a classified mission conducted after the Korean War.

If you have suggestions for trips, please tell Trudy. She works 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.





Thanks to Aline and Tanna for the October watercolor classes. These workshops are among the best attended offerings at the center! Be sure to check out the fantastic results on the bulletin board.

Jackie's Liquid Acrylic class participants continue to create unique individual items on the third Wednesday each month. Some photos on the photo page highlight this class.

On each Friday in October, our crafty folks were at work creating fun items for our Holiday Bazaar. The results of their efforts will raise funds to continue activities at the center. Thanks goes out to all our craft leaders!

Thanks to Mac for arranging our catered meal and to Sheri, Beth O, Patti and Lydia for manning the kitchen prep and serving the meal. Thanks also to Don Doyle informed us about interesting a classified mission that occurred post Koren War.

There is a behind the scenes group of callers who keep folks informed about the monthly catered meal. They remind us of the date and get RSVP information to the front desk. These invisible folks are thanked for the service they give to the membership. Help is needed - let the front desk know if you are able to make some of these calls.

Thanks goes out to Trudy and those who have been helping with the upkeep of our landscaping.

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!

Coming in December

12/5 & 6 Holiday Home Tour

12/8 Potluck Lunch



Vicki	Ferrarello	11 - 1
Cathy	Rasmusson	11 - 5
Judith	Doop	11 - 6
Ginny	Johnson	11 - 7
Beverly	Linder	11 - 7
Bruce	Painter	11 - 6
J Paul	Sorrels	11 - 11
Laurdes	Bochelen	11 - 13
Joan	Cleckler	11 - 13
Terri	Geerdes	11 - 14
Linda	Shepherd	11 - 14
Dan	Collins	11 - 15
Jerry	Pottorf	11 - 15
Carol	Wallace	11 - 15
Terry	Barnes	11 - 16
Patrick	Pine	11 - 16
Elizabeth	Dunn	11 - 18
Sherie	Isaacson	11 - 19
Julie	Pine	11 - 19
Deborah	McCanna	11 - 21
Sheryl	Flemming	11 - 22
Kim	Prewitt	11 - 22
Miriam	Shrogin	11 - 24
Shelia	Diamond	11 - 25
Terry	Bertram	11 - 29
Paul	Hamlet	11 - 29
Penny	Moser	11 - 29

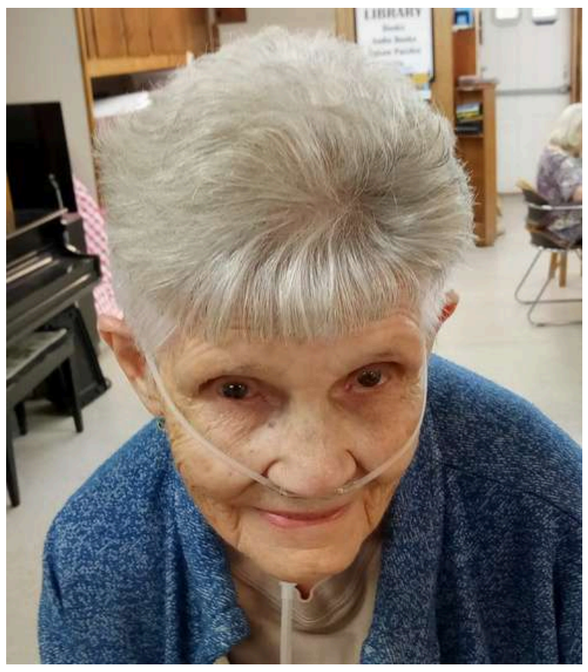


Fridays at 10:00am

Plan to join this fun group of card players at the Senior Center

All new players are welcome to help shuffle and deal out the cards!

October Volunteer of the Month



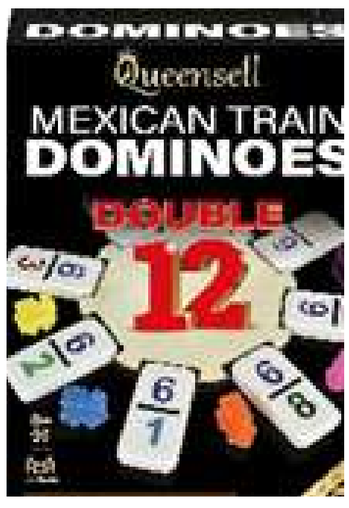
Hildred Davis

If you drop in to the center on Monday mornings, you will see Hildred working along with our quilters producing the wonderful quilts we are able to offer folks a chance to take home.

Need something mended? Hildred is our resident seamstress. She gathers up items folks need mended and brings them back ready for continued use by their owners.

Outside of her time at the center, Hilred works with some delightful kids in the 4H program. At least once a year she brings in the 4H kids to share their accomplishments.

Be sure to thank Hildred for her contibutions to our club when you see her at a potluck, catered meal or one of the fun club activities.



Mexican Train Dominos

Every Monday at 10am.
It is easy to learn this game
We welcome new players!

Join us for this fun way to meet new friends!



Holiday Bazaar Volunteers Needed

Thur, Nov 4 - Bakers to bring in goodies for the bake sale

Fri Nov 6 - helpers to get setup

Sat, Nov 7 - helpers at the Bazaar and with cleanup after

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

Historic Park Walking Tour

Friday, November 20, 11:30



We will go to Vista Lounge for lunch
Call 719-687-3877
or sign-up at the front desk



Candy Wrapper Craft Workshop

Friday, December 11
1:00 - 3:00 pm

Join us to make fun wrapped candy favors to use during your holiday season

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



Holiday Jewelry Donations Needed

If you have serviceable Christmas jewelry that you no longer want, please bring to the Senior Center front desk. Thank you.



THEATER GROUP

We meet at the center on the third Friday of each month from 1:00 until 2:30 or 3. We are looking for more people to join in the fun! No experience necessary!!

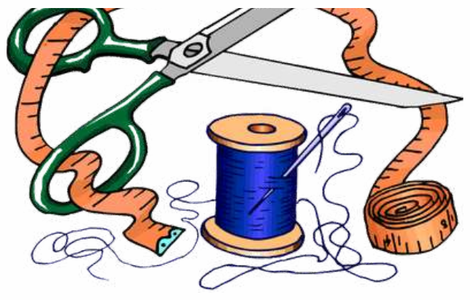
Fluid Art Craft Class
November 18

Jackie will be providing a new technique in this fluid art class using acrylic paints. This is NOT a learn to paint class. This is learning new ways to use acrylic paints to create beautiful artwork.
Check out the photo pages to view the vases completed last month.
All are welcome! Please sign up at the senior center or call in to register. Class will be from 1:00 to 3:00.
Hope to see you there!



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!)



Hildred's Mending Service

Third Friday of each Month
Drop off your items that need mending by **12:30pm on November 20**

Include your name and phone number. Hildred will call you when she has your items mended and ready for pickup at the Senior Center



Wednesdays 10:00 - 1:00

Beginners welcome
We will teach you how to play this fun card game!



Zumba Gold

Every Friday
10:00 am

Zumba is a fitness program that involves cardio and Latin-inspired dance. Instructor, Treese, will lead us through this beginner level workout concentrating on matching the class to our abilities.
Call 719-687-3377
or sign-up at the front desk.

Watercolor Class



Monday, November 9
1:00 – 3:00pm

Join Aline as she guides us through the basics of watercolor painting.
All Supplies provided.
Call 719-687-3877 or sign-up at the front desk.



BUNCO

Every Tuesday at 2pm.
Come play this easy to learn dice throwing game.
New players are most welcome!

Join us for the fun, meet some new friends and you may be the lucky one to go home with the weekly prize

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Tuesday and Thursday
at 11:30
Wednesday at 11:15



Come join the fun, socialize and grow those brain cells.

Woodland Park Senior Organization

Holiday BAZAAR & Bake Sale

SATURDAY. NOVEMBER 7H

9AM TO 1PM

WOODLAND PARK SENIOR CENTER

321 N PINE STREET

SE CORNER OF LAKE AVE & PINE ST

HANDMADE & GENTLY USED

HOLIDAY DECOR

HANDCRAFTED ORNAMENTS

HomeMade Goodies



To thank you for your service, let us now serve you!

All Veterans and their dependents are invited to the Senior Center at
321 Pine Street in Woodland Park for a
FREE Chili Lunch
from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Veterans Day
Wednesday, November 11, 2026

VFW
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
Florissant-Lake George Post #11411
and its Auxiliary



Woodland Park Senior Organization

FALL PHOTO CONTEST



Submit by December 16, 2026

Voting on December 18, 2026

Prizes for the Top Three Pictures.

Registration & Contest Rules

at the Front Desk.



Halloween greetings from our Zumba group

Driver's License Renewal at the Senior Center

The Driver's License Renewal folks now 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 are about 15 minutes.
Time: 1pm – 3pm
2026 Dates (4th Tuesday of each month)

November 24, December 22

For an Appointment call 719-687-3877 or sign-up at the Senior Center front desk





October 1



October 8



October 15



October 22



October 29

Acrylic Paint Fluid Art workshop











Catered Meal







October Dunce

Jerry accepting a $2000 check from the Osborne Foundation





Don Doyle presented about a post Koren war classified mission during the Catered meal

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WOODLAND PARK SENIOR CLUB TOP MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

1. CLUB HOUSE
2. SOCIAL ACTIVITY & NETWORKING
3. INCREASE KNOWLEDGE
4. AVOID ISOLATION & LONELINESS
5. FITNESS & WELLNESS
6. SPECIAL DISCOUNTS
7. SPECIAL EVENTS
8. VOLUNTEERING



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

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Like to contribute to the Senior Correspondent? Submissions for the newsletter are due by the ***25th of each month***