

SENIOR EXPRESS

NEWSLETTER—NOVEMBER 2023 https://ucsac.org

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SENIOR WELLNESS FAIR NOVEMBER 3rd, 2023

AT THE

Union County Services Building

Conference Room A/B

940 London Ave, Marysville

From 12:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Free shuttle bus service to and from Windsor to Union County Services Building.



SEE PAGE 16 FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE WELLNESS FAIR.

MISSION STATEMENT

- 1. To **PROVIDE** a wide range of social services, activities, education and entertainment for Windsor Manor and the surrounding area seniors.
- 2. To **PROMOTE** good fellowship and companionship among senior citizens of the Marysville and surrounding area who will be willing to participate.

3. To **PROMOTE** and **IMPROVE** the quality of life for all senior citizens.

WINDSOR & COMMUNITY SENIORS, INC 937-644-8464 2023 BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS

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Deb Kelly



December Newsletter:

Please submit all information, ads and articles no later than:

December 19, 2023

Do you know of an upcoming community event or activity that would be of interest to Seniors? If so, please call the Activities Office:

937-644-8464.

Not a member of Senior Activities Center?

It is never too late to join and have some fun.

It is never too late to join and have some fun with us.

Single Membership - \$15.00 Couples - \$20.00

Stop by the Activities office to sign-up or call the Activities Office at **937-644-8464**.

OFFICE HOURS: 9:00AM – 2:00PM - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.



UCSAC is now accepting 2024 membership fees, starting November 1st.

Stop by the Activities Office to sign up for 2024.

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Marianne Senecal Ruth Turner Betty Michael	13	14 Rick McCoy Mary Bishop	15 Darlene Liggett Jimmy Turk	Miriam Elliott Anne Scheiderer	17 Judy Harrington Jeanne Huffman	18 Charles Calle Mary Kitsmiller Randy Miller
Chuck Burch Marty McBride Jan Smith Ron Schilling Dottie Gordon	Jennie Blankenship Debra Kelly	21 Carol Redmond	John Castle Janice Oates	23 Cathy Davis Sandy Humphrey	Connie Blankenship Karen LeGrand	Jane Blews Ann Murray
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If you do not want your birthday or anniversary listed, please call the Activities Office.





Joe & Carolyn Ohler
Brenda Thompson
Bob Duncan
Jakie Holton
Denise Lashley
Lucy Young
Rosemary Young





John & Rosemary Henault – Nov. 3rd Rick & Billie Sprowls – Nov. 24th



Thinking of our Members in Nursing Homes and Assisted Living:

Bluebird: Dorothy Cotton

Mary Jo Finney Shirley Applegate

Heritage: Wanda Patterson

Elsie Kandel

Walnut Crossing: Peggy Wells

Theda Clemans

Gables: Mary Shanks

Mary McNeal Bernice Hamilton

Friendship Village Rehab, Dublin:

Country Club, Delaware:

Monarch: Joan Finch

Prestige Gardens:

Please let the Activities Office know if our list above is current.

Call 937-644-8464 to let us know of any changes.

Remembering in Prayer:

All those that we know who have been ill, are recovering from surgeries, or for other reasons.

- Betty Stillings
- Mary Gingrey
- Joan Finch
- Doris Leistritz
- Daryl Ingram
- Harold Horch
- Karla Rawlins
- · Carolyn Wyse
- Pam Moore
- Molly Cooper
- Nancy Jeffers
- Mike Arnold
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- Janice Lewis
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- Jeanie Blankenship
- Brenda Hastings
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- James Doolittle
- Rusty Maynard
- Charles Hartman
- Sandy Williams
- Alfie Yanchik
- · Cindy Maxhimer
- Karol Strapp
- Jim Collins



Our sympathy and prayers go out to the family of:

Debbie Welch Her mom passed away

Sandy Williams
for the loss of her youngest child
(51 years old) early this month due to a stroke.





- Clothing
- Shelter
- Siletter
- Housing
- Rent or Utility Assistance
- Counseling
- Help for Substance Abuse
- Domestic Violence Services
- Sexual Assault Advocacy
- Transportation
- Support Groups
- Senior Services
- Help with Aging Parents
- Childcare
- Employment Resources
- Legal Assistance
- Health Care

- Donating food, clothing and more
- Connect with:
 - Civic Organizations
 - Youth Activities
 - Community Services
 - Schools



 2-1-1 IS YOUR NEW, FREE, CONFIDENTIAL, 24/7 INFORMATION AND REFERRAL HOTLINE BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

United Way of Union County



UNION COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICE

835 East Fifth Street, Suite B Marysville, OH 43040 937-642-7956 or 800-686-2308

We serve eligible Veterans and their families in all matters relating to possible Union County and/or Federal Benefits.

We:

Provide no-cost transportation to Department of Veteran Affairs (VA) medical facilities

Offer temporary and emergency financial aid to eligible veterans for basic needs

Assist in applying for various benefits through the VA, such as disability compensation and VA medical enrollment

Please contact us to set up a confidential appointment Monday through Friday (closed holidays)



Book Club News: **November 9th at 1:00**. This month's book is "**Somone Else's Shoes**", by author Jojo Moyes. You can pick up a copy from the Activities Office only. If you like to read, come join the group.



- · We have new classes
- Guest Callers
- more prizes

And always lots of fun!



Tuesdays at 1:30 pm in the Windsor Dining Room.



Anyone interested in playing Euchre notify the Activities Office at 937-644-8464.



COME PLAY CORNHOLE!

Windsor has a group ready to play! There is a sign-up sheet

in the dining room. Games are on Fridays at 1:30





Would anyone be interested in starting an **Adult coloring group?** Please contact the activity office.



UNION COUNTY SENIOR ACTIVITIES CENTER Trips for 2023

"NO MEALS ARE COVERED"

Windsor Senior Trips for 2023 All scheduled trips are tentative and may change due to weather, destination, or availability of transportation. You may sign up for each trip after the first of the month the trip is in. (In other words, you may sign up for the November Trips starting November 1, etc.) You may register by using the sign-up sheet in the Community Room or by calling Patty Turner or Pattie Reisz (see below). If sign-ups exceed the seats available, we'll have a random drawing for available seats. Lunch is at our own expense on most trips.

Tuesday, November 7th - Hollywood Casino and York Steak House. (UCATS) \$5.00

Tuesday, November 14th – Crafty Country Christmas - MYSTERY TRIP; depart at 10:30 a.m. (BlueBird) \$30.00 (Includes Transportation, lunch, and More.) Limit to 12 people.

Tuesday, November 28th – Alum Creek Christmas Lights. UCATS \$5.00 leave at 4:30, Dinner at Cracker Barrel (your own expense) Limit 8 people

Tuesday, December 12th – Alum Creek Christmas Lights. UCATS \$5.00 Leave at 4:30, Dinner at Cracker Barrel (your own expense) Limit 8 people.

Friday, December 15 – Franklin Park Conservatory + mystery lunch; depart at 9:30 a.m. (BlueBird) \$\$(to be determined later) (limit 12 people and involves walking)

Questions call Patty Turner (419-961-4468) or Pattie Reisz (614-561-4186)

Looking for volunteers to do trips in 2024, interested – call Pattie or Patty or Windsor office

CARD MAKING CLASS & SCRAPBOOKING

Come join us on the **last Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m.**, to learn different techniques for making greeting cards. You will learn different folds, techniques, embossing, Iris folding, and shading. We will start off doing basic card-making and then progress depending on the skill of the class. Come and have an enjoyable time making cards and socializing. The sign-up sheet for this class can be found in the lunchroom area.



Everyone who is involved in an activity wants to enjoy themselves and have a great time. Each member is entitled to cooperation from each game player whether it is corn hole, chair volleyball, Wii bowling, or dominoes. An example would be chair volleyball. Please share the volleys so all participants get a chance to have their hands on the beach ball. This is just an example of the importance of cooperation and inclusion. We are all just big kids that want to play. Thank you for your courtesy and cooperation. Go, Teams!



Friends of Union County Senior Activities Center

"Friends of Union County Senior Activities Center" is a fundraiser that allows anyone, regardless of age, to support Windsor Seniors by donating \$25 or more.

This donation entitles you to be listed as a "Friend of Union County Senior Activities Center"

for the calendar year.

Larry & Jeanne Amrine
Janet Brown
Mabel Myers and Wallace Holbrook
Rosella Renz
Russell & Virginia Miller
Butch & Sue Sawyer
Rebecca Payne

Connie Ripley
Deb Kelly
Karen and Leo Baker
Deboria and Thomas Ranney
Dick & Kathy Brake
Colleen Erickson

Volunteer Honor Roll

"Volunteer Honor Roll" is recognition for volunteers who have generously donated their services and/or their time to UNION COUNTY SENIOR ACTIVITIES CENTER.

Leo & Karen Baker Cindy Maxhimer Nancy Veeck Patty Turner Laura Paluch Thelma Ward Deb Kelly Dorothy Baughman Warm Up America Bill Brunskill Patricia Reisz Chris Plank Sue McClish Jim Scheiderer Janice Bryant Dani Plank Jeanette Fleck Mary Carpenter Carol Sitz Janet Brown Nancy Spain Idella Feeley Fred & Arthena Smith Mick McCoy Woody Wilson Rita Flory Karol Strapp Emma Stevenson

Doris Leistritz Mike Streng Daryl Ingram Bluebird Transportation

SUPPORTING WACSI

Founded in 1984 WACSI provides a wide range of social services, activities, education and entertainment for all senior citizens of Union County. Funded by annual grants on behalf of Senior Services and United Way, membership dues, fundraising, donations, business sponsorship and memorial contributions. WACSI is a non-profit organization dedicated to the well-being of all seniors. WACSI supports our community by providing programs to engage and enrich the lives of seniors and community members of all ages. We remain loyal to our mission of providing for the well-being and growth of families and individuals through activities, education, and social services. Your support as a member, friend, volunteer, or monetary contributor is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support!



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Sudoku Puzzles

5			9	4				
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2	6			1			4	
	2							8
1								
		6			7			
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	3				6			
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	1	2			3			

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From the Community Meals Kitchen

Dinning Room Serving Time
Meals are served by our volunteer staff
11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Suggested Donation Prices:

60 and over \$3.50 59 and under Guest \$5.50 10 and under \$3.50

Dine-In service ONLY.

Please make your reservations by 9:30 a.m., by calling **937-644-8459**.

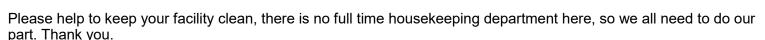
To find out more information regarding Congregate meals here at Windsor call 937-644-8459 Monday— Friday 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

NOVEMBER birthdays will be celebrated on NOVEMBER 16th.

The menu can be found on page 12 of the newsletter.

DINING ROOM RULES

- 1. During lunch 10-1 p.m., you may not have access to the drink station, only hospital volunteers may get you drinks.
- 2. Take any trash out to the dumpster
- 3. Spot sweep any debris/food on the floor
- 4. Make sure all tables are clear of any articles
- 5. If you moved a table or adjust it (round to square) please put it back the way you found it.
- 6. If you used the kitchen area, clean any dishes you use, put things away and wipe down the counter and sinks if necessary.

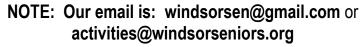




9:00 a.m.— 2:00 p.m.

937-644-8464

If no one is in the Office, please leave a message and we will get back with you ASAP!



Check out our website: https://ucsac.org
It has our calendar of events, lunch menu, trip info and much more.

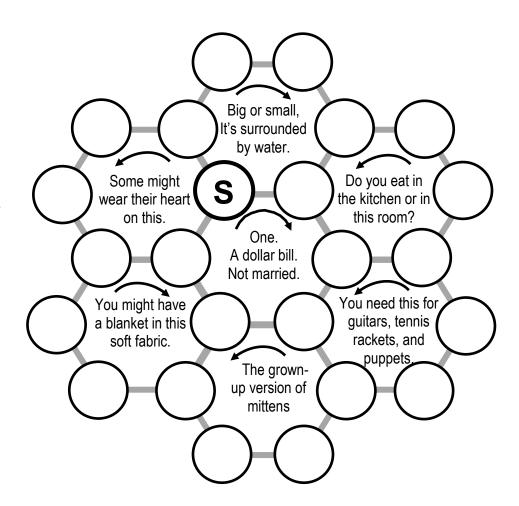
We have <u>free</u> Wi-Fi in the Dining Room. If interested check with the Activities Office for login information.

We are now on Facebook. To find, search *Windsor & Community Seniors, Inc.* and "Like" us to receive periodic updates on upcoming events, activities and pictures.



ROUND AN ROUND

Spell out the six-letter answer to each clue in the circles around it; the arrow indicates the directions in which the word will read, but not where the word begins. When you're done, all the circles will be filled in with one letter each. We have started for you one circle with the letter "\$".



MAKING 100

By using each of these numbers **one time**, you can create three sets of numbers that add up to 100. What are the groupings.



NUMBER RIDDLE

TURN ME ON MY SIDE

AND I AM EVERYTHING,

CUT ME IN HALF AND I

AM NOTHING. WHAT

AM I?

Solution on page 20

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HOSPITAL REVIEW















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reservations by Please make 9:30 a.m.

NOVEMBER 2023 — COMMUNITY MEAL MENU

reservations by Please make 9:30 a.m.

Richwood: 614-949-4382 Plain City: 614-873-8870 Windsor: 937-644-8459

Available Milk Choices: 2% Milk, Low Menu subject to change based on availability and weather. **Fat Chocolate**

WEDNESDAY, November 1 Fried Chicken Leg Green Beans Coleslaw

2 oz. Biscuit Fruit Mix

THRUSDAY, November 2

Haystacks (2oz. beef, lettuce tomato, cheese & 1 oz. of Mexican Rice Tomato Juice Oranges chips)

FRIDAY, November 3 Salisbury Steak/Gravy

Cranberry-Apple Jell-O Spinach Bake **Baked Potato** 2 in. Brownie WW Bread

MONDAY, November 6

Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy **Breaded Chicken Breast** 2 oz. Banana muffin Italian Green Beans

TUESDAY, November 7

Au Gratin Potatoes **Graham Crackers** Baked Fish Lima Beans WW Bread Peaches

WEDNESDAY, November 8

Cranberry-Pear Crisp Veal Parmesan over Garlic Breadstick Tossed Salad Spaghetti Carrots

THURSDAY, November 9

Seasoned Sweet Potatoes Kyoto Vegetables **Bourbon Chicken** Dinner Roll Pineapple Cake

FRIDAY, November 10



FRIDAY, November 17

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION THURSDAY, November 16

Bratwurst on Lg. Bun Scalloped Potatoes **Braised Cabbages** Oranges

Mashed Redskin Potatoes w/

Gravy

Roast Beef

Prince Charles Vegetables

Creamy Fruit Salad

Dinner Roll

Cake & Ice Cream

Roasted Potatoes on Lg. Bun

MONDAY, November 13

TUESDAY, November 14

WEDNESDAY, November 15

Taco Bake

Sweet Potato Casserole

Meatloaf

Green Beans

Pistachio Fruit fluff Angel Food Cake

Cinnamon Apple Slices

Tossed Salad

Garlic Breadstick

Dinner Roll

Hot Shredded Chicken Pear Slice Corn

TUESDAY, November 21

Cheeseburger on Lg. Bun

Potato Soup

Broccoli Salad Fruit Cocktail

MONDAY, November 20

MONDAY, November 27

TUESDAY, November 28

WEDNESDAY, November 29

Chipped Beef Gravy

Over 2 oz. biscuit

Fried Potatoes

Mixed Vegs

Peaches

Navy Bean Soup w/Ham

Tossed Salad/HB Egg

Fruit Mix

Roasted Root Veggies

Pear Slices

Au Gratin Potatoes

BBQ Ribs

Gingersnap Cookie

Dinner Roll

2 oz. Cornbread Muffin

Hash Brown Casserole Egg Casserole Sausage links Orange Juice Pancakes Fruit Cup

WEDNESDAY, November 22

Corn Casserole (1/2c. corn) Mashed potatoes w/Gravy Roast Turkey w/stuffing Pistachio Fruit Fluff Dinner Roll

THURSDAY, November 23

HAPPY THANKSGIVING CLOSED

FRIDAY, November 24

HAPPY THANKSGIVING CLOSED



THURSDAY, November 30 Macaroni & Cheese

Scallop Pineapple Green Beans WW Bread Coleslaw

CANCELLATION NOTICE When Community Meals closed for holidays, all inclement weather or are canceled due to

activities will be canceled

Activity Coordinator Windsor & Community Seniors, Inc. 376-C Rosehill Drive Marysville, Ohio 43040 937-644-8464

NOVEMBER Activities

Activities Subject to change due to weather or needs of Activity Events.

Activity Calendar is always subject to change.

27 RAGTIMES FOLDING 10:00 — Chair Exercise 11:00 Union Co. MOVES 1:30 — Warm Up America/ Charity Crochet 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Card Making 1:30 — Mahjong	20 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Warm Up America/ Charity Crochet 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Mahjong	13 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Warm Up America/ Charity Crochet 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Mahjong	6 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Warm Up America/ Charity Crochet 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Mahjong	** Please NOTE: Chair volleyball at 2:00 pm location Walnut Crossing ,they will furnish bus if driver is NO EARLY CARD PLAYERS IN BACK ROOM	MONDAY
28 10:00 — Chair Volleyball 1:30 — BINGO	21 10:00 — Chair Volleyball 1:30 — BINGO	14 10:00 — Chair Volleyball 1:30 — BINGO MYSTERY TRIP 10:00	7 10:00 — Chair Volleyball 1:30 — BINGO TRIP HOLLYWOOD CASINO and	NOTE: pm location Walnut nish bus if driver is ERS IN BACK ROOM	TUESDAY
29 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Crochet Buddies 2:00 — Chair Volleyball @ WC	10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Crochet Buddies 2:00 — Chair Volleyball @	15 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Crochet Buddies 1:30 — Card Players 2:00 — Chair Volleyball @	8 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Crochet Buddies 1:30 — Card Players 2:00 -Chair Volleyball @ WC	1 10:00 — Chair Exercise 1:30 — Crochet Buddies 1:30 — Card Players 2:00 — Chair Volleyball @	WEDNESDAY
30 10:00— Wii Bowling 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Dominoes	23 ACTIVITY CENTER WILL BE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING DAY	16 ★ 10:00 — Wii Bowling 1:00 — Craft Class 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Dominoes RAGTIMES DEADLINE FOR ARTICLES	9 ★ 10:00 — Wii Bowling 1:00 — Book Club 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Dominoes	2 10:00 — Wii Bowling 1:00 — Board Meeting 1:30 — Card Players 1:30 — Dominoes	THURSDAY
	ACTIVITY CENTER WILL BE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING DAY	17 10:00 — Wii Bowling 1:30 — Dominoes 1:30 — Line Dancing 1:30 —Card Players 1:30—Corn Hole	CLOSED VETERANS DAY VETERANS DAY	3 10:00 — Wii Bowling 1:30 — Dominoes 1:30 — Line Dancing 1:30 —Card Players 1:30—Corn Hole	FRIDAY



November 2023





940 London Avenue, Suite 1800 Marysville, OH

Voice: 937-644-1010 Option 5

Fax: 937-644-8700

https://www.unioncountyohio.gov/senior-services-home

Medicare

Protect yourself against Fraud:

Marketing rules for Medicare plans NOT allowed:

- Ask for your personal information (Medicare, Social Security, bank account, or credit card numbers) over the phone. Plans don't need your personal information to give a quote.
- Call you unless you're already a member of the plan. If you're a member, the agent who helped you join can call
 you.
- Ask you for payment over the phone or online. The plan must send you a bill.
- Come to your home uninvited to sell or endorse anything.

Protection Against Medicare Fraud

Report improper agent activity to 800-686-1527 such as:

Door to Door sales

Giving out cash gifts or gifts exceeding \$15

High pressure sales tactics

Misrepresenting a plan or giving incomplete information Representing themselves as Medicare

ProSeniors is Ohio's Senior Medicare Patrol who responds to Medicare fraud. Call 800-488-6070 to report suspected fraud.



Medicare Open Enrollment is October 15th through December 7th. During Open Enrollment, trained Senior Services staff at Union County Senior Services can assist you with reviewing options and making Medicare selections. You can schedule a free, unbiased, private consultation by calling 937-644-1010 option 5.

- Review and compare 2024 Part D plans
- Review and compare Medicare Advantage
- Learn ways to save on Prescription and Medicare costs

An OSHIIP rep will be taking appointments on October 27th, 2023 at Union County Services Building 940 London Ave Marysville, Oh 43040. By appointment only, to RSVP call 937-644-1010 option 5.



Questions? Call OSHIIP 800-686-1578

Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program (OSHIIP)

Adult Protective Services

Do you have concerns that a senior, 60 or over, is being maltreated? Examples include physical harm/injury, neglect, self-neglect, financial exploitation, verbal/emotional abuse, sexual abuse. Contact the Abuse Hotline at 937-644-1010 Option 1

Daily internet use may reduce dementia risk in seniors

Mark Huffman, reporter of Consumer Affairs

A study published in the Journal of the American Geriatrics Society found that seniors who use the internet regularly can reduce their risk of dementia by as much as 50%. Even after allowing for other factors that could affect cognitive ability, the researchers discovered that browsing the web for six minutes to two hours a day appeared to provide the most protection

This isn't the first study to explore this area. Previous studies have shown that being engaged online can reduce aging's natural tendency to produce cognitive decline. Some studies have also shown that internet users display better verbal command and memory than those who seldom or never use the internet.

Researchers point out that the study was conducted over a 17-year period and involved thousands of participants between the ages of 50 and 65, giving it added credibility. None of the participants displayed any signs of dementia at the start of the study period.

"Regular internet users experienced approximately half the risk of dementia than non-regular users," the authors concluded. "Being a regular internet user for longer periods in late adulthood was associated with delayed cognitive impairment, although further evidence is needed on potential adverse effects of excessive usage."

The authors said the difference in risk between regular and non-regular users did not vary by educational attainment, race-ethnicity, sex, and generation.

According to the Alzheimer's Association, dementia is an overall term for a particular group of symptoms. The characteristic symptoms of dementia are difficulties with memory, language, problem-solving and other thinking skills. Dementia has several causes reflecting specific changes in the brain.

ALZHEIMER'S PL ASSOCIATION

The Alzheimer's Association care and support programs including the 24/7 Helpline (800.272.3900), care consultation, and Community Education programs are open to anyone who needs assistance. The caregiver support groups are open to the public without eligibility requirements. The Central Ohio Chapter supports Union County seniors and their caregivers, call 614.457.6003 for more information.

Winter Crisis Program

The Winter Crisis Program provides a one-time emergency gas/electric payment to eligible households that are without heat, in danger of having their heat disconnected, or in danger of running out of fuel in their tank. The program runs from November 1 to March 31.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- Total household income must be at or below 175% of federal poverty guidelines
- · Gas and/or electric service is currently off, in disconnection status, or needs started
- Bulk fuel (propane, fuel oil, wood, coal, etc.) is at 25% or less OUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about eligibility requirements, how to apply, or services provided, please contact Bridges Community Action at 937-642-4986.

Union County Meal Services

Memorial Community Meals: <u>Richwood Civic Center Meals</u> - 235 Grove St. Richwood, OH (614)949-4382 Pleasant Valley Senior Center Meals - 390 B

Allgyer Dr. Plain City, Oh 43064 (614)873-8870 Windsor Senior Center Meals—376 Rosehill Dr. Marysville, Oh (937)644-8459

Hope Center Community Meals Marysville Church of the Nazarene– 1126 N. Maple St. Marysville, Oh (937)303-4209 Monday– Friday 4:30-6:30pm

Happening Events:

October 15th, Open enrollment starts for Medicare. Senior services have started scheduling appointments.

October 27th, OSHIIP rep will be taking Medicare appointments, Union County Services building 940 London Ave, Marysville, Oh. To RSVP call 937.644.1010 option 5.

November 1st, Deadline for Care Train applications

November 3rd, 12:30pm—3:00pm Wellness Fair by Union County Activity Center, Union County Services building 940 London Ave, Marysville, Oh, Conference room A/B



is published monthly and mailed to Union County seniors and community members. If you would like to be added to the mailing list please contact Union County Senior Services at 937-644-1010 **Option 5**. If you would like to receive an electronic copy via email contact janell.alexander@jfs.ohio.gov.

SENIOR WELLNESS FAIR NOVEMBER 3rd, 2023

AT THE

Union County Services Building

940 London Ave, Marysville

From 12:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Wellness Fair Participants

Bridges Community Action
Care Train of Union County
Eufinger Law Offices
Hospets
Hospice Loving Care
Interim Health Care
LINCARE
Marysville Division of Fire-Smoke
Detectors
Marysville Library

Memorial Hospital Fitness
Memorial Massage
Memorial Physical Therapy
Neighbor to Neighbor
Union County Health Dept.
Union County Senior Services
United Patient Care
Windsor Manor Apartments
Warm-up America

Union County Health Dept. will be giving Flu and Covid Shots at the Health Fair. People interested in a flu or Covid shot will need to call ahead and schedule a time for their shot on NOVEMBER 3rd. You also need to take a photo ID and insurance card to the appointment.

Free shuttle service to and from the Wellness Fair and Windsor Senior parking lot. Please note that the company supplying the shuttle van, is not a wheelchair or motorized scooteraccessible vehicle.

Sponsored by:



Call Windsor Senior for additional information about the Wellness Fair at **937-644-8464**.



Union County Moves Coalition Vision is to enhance and develop infrastructure where transportation is accessible to all people for all reasons.

Our Mission is to advocate and plan for transportation systems that balance convenience and efficiency.

Jennifer from the Moves Coalition will be here at our location on the **4th Monday** of every month starting at **11:00 AM**. Feel free to stop in and to get more information about the Moves Coalition.

Union County MOVES Coalition

940 London Ave., Suite 1100 Marysville, OH 43040 PH: (937) 645-2063



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CALL TODAY TO SCHEDULE YOUR FREE HOME ASSESSMENT!

Light housekeeping and Meal preparation

Help with bathing, dressing And personal care

Mobility assistance

Medication reminders

Companionship

Fall and injury prevention

COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM

The Community Food Box Program has a few spaces available. If you need this 30 lb. box each month, call Dorothy (Dottie) Gordan at 937-210-0577 for more information.

If you know of someone in need or need more information contact the

Activities Office, 937-644-8464

or call CASC at 937-594-0161

DO YOU WANT TO DO SOMETHING THAT COUNTS?

Become a Hospice Volunteer

Loving Care would like volunteers to become a bedside vigil. Someone to just be there, hold a hand, read scripture or just pray for them.

If this is something you would like to do, call Loving Care at 937-644-1928.



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Email: ucats@unioncountyohio.gov

A WAY OUT Call: 614-381-1979

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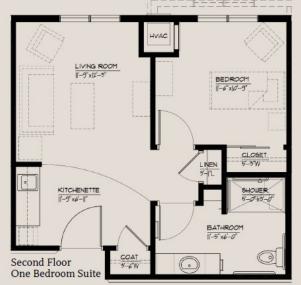
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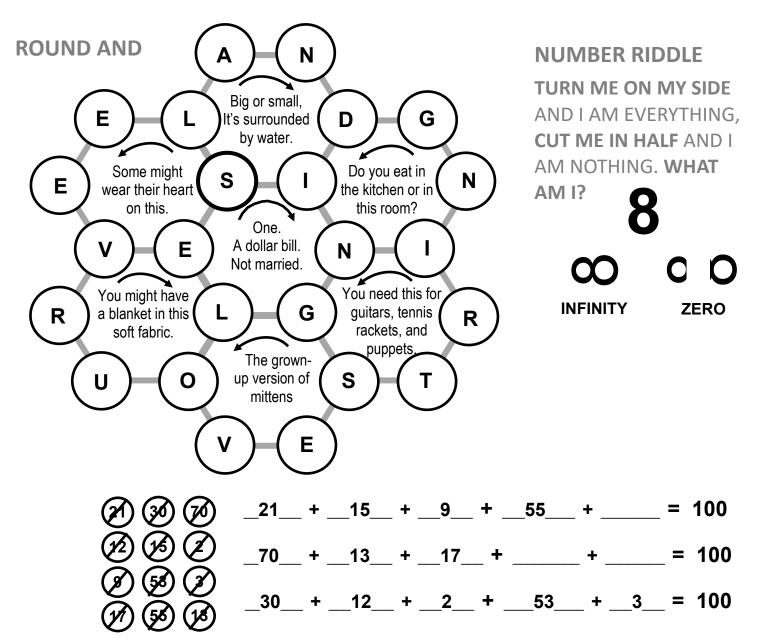


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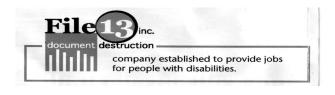
BECOME A FRIEND OF WINDSOR

It is a good time to become a "Friend of Windsor". To become a friend of Windsor, a donation of \$25.00 or more entitles you to have your name listed in the newsletter for a calendar year. This money is used to support Windsor and our activities.



Do you have old records that you would like to shred but don't have a shredder? We now have a receptacle in the Lobby of our Senior Center for documents to be sent to File 13 to destroved. bring in your records, place them in the receptacle in the foyer and they will be picked up.

This service is free of charge.
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PROJECT SAFE HEAT: A Grant from Union County Seniors Services was awarded to Bridges Community Action to assist Union County Seniors with furnace cleaning and tune-up. **For help, contact Community Action at 937-642-4986.**

Christmas Party

December 9 from 12:00 — 2:00

Members Only

Catered by Robinson and Flowers. Sign-up sheet available 11-1 - 11-13

This year there will be a \$5.00 fee per person, non-refundable payable at the time of sign-up.

Choice of chicken or beef to also be made at the time of sign-up.



Come visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clause, and enjoy some music, a 50/50 drawing, and door prizes.

Policies - Members and Non-Members

Membership

Annual membership dues for ages 55+ are \$15.00 for a single and \$20.00 for a couple. As a member you will receive the newsletter "Senior Express", which showcases current information about the wide variety of free and fee-based programs available. Membership dues are for one year, starting on January 1st of each year.

Photos Taken by Staff

During programs or activities, participants may be photographed by a staff member of Windsor & Community Seniors, Inc. for publicity purposes. These photos may appear in "Senior Express", on the WACSI web site, or in other publications. If you do not want to have your photo taken and/or published, please tell the photographer. You may also contact the Activities Office at 937-644-8464.

Trip Policy

A reservation for all trips must be made in advance. The reservation must be paid in full by the advertised cutoff date in order to be able to pay the discounted amount. After the cutoff date, there will be a \$10.00 additional fee added to your reservation. If you find you must cancel a trip, please let the Activities Office know as soon as possible. Please see Refund Policy if you need to cancel your trip and remember we have to pre-pay for all trips.

All travelers MUST submit a File of Life to the Trip Coordinator upon entering the bus. Files of Life will be kept in a locked container and returned to their owners upon arrival back in Marysville. If you don't have this form, stop by the Activities Office and pick one up prior to the trip. In addition, if we are going on a gambling trip, you MUST bring a valid Driver's License or State Photo ID with you or you will not be able to gamble.

In the event of illness or injury that cannot be resolved by basic first aid procedures, the emergency squad will be called. Depending on the recommendation of the EMT, the traveler will be allowed to continue on the trip or be transferred to the nearest hospital by the squad. For those who are able to continue the trip safely, either the designated driver or the emergency squad will be called when the bus approaches Marysville. Who is called will be at the discretion of the Trip Coordinator with input from the traveler. In case of illness or injury which involves medical intervention at a hospital, WACSI will not be responsible for the traveler's transportation back to Marysville. The traveler will have two options:

1) Bring the name and phone number of a person whom the traveler contacted <u>prior</u> to the trip to ensure the contact person will be available to transport the traveler; <u>OR</u> 2) use the driver designated by WACSI. The traveler must pay the driver for the round trip (from WACSI to the traveler's home and from their home back to WACSI) using the standard mileage defined by Union County.

A lift bus will be reserved when possible for the accommodation of travelers using a wheelchair or walker. Travelers in a wheelchair will be required to bring an aide of the same sex or a spouse/significant other to assist them during the trip. If a spouse or significant other is used as the assistant, the traveler must have another designated traveler of the same sex to assist him/her in the restroom. If an aide is used rather than a spouse, the traveler will pay the same amount for the aide's trip fee as they have paid for their own fee (regardless of the aide's membership status). If a traveler is able to transfer safely to a seat, they may do so.

Non-Member Fee

Non-members will pay an additional \$5.00 per trip. No refunds will be given to non-members for cancellations that they initiate. No exceptions.

Refund Policy

If a participant cancels a trip or activity, his or her seat may possibly be filled from a waiting list (if we have one). In addition, the participant can find a replacement for their seat in order to qualify for a refund. Because our fees are based on minimum participation numbers and are paid to the travel company in advance, refunds must be requested at least 30 days prior to the trip. Consideration will be given to written requests for refunds in cases where there has been an injury or unforeseen problem not within your control. If your written request is approved we will refund as much as possible for the trip after all bills are paid, minus a \$10.00 processing fee. If Windsor & Community Seniors, Inc. cancels a trip, everyone who has signed up and paid will receive a full refund.

UCSAC is now accepting 2024 membership fees, starting November 1st.

Stop by the Activities Office to sign up for 2024.

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