

Newburgh Senior Center

December 2022 Newsletter

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Manager's Corner

Can you believe it's December already? 2022 is speeding by like Santa's reindeer on Christmas Eve! As the holidays draw near, we tend to get caught up in the hustle and bustle. Take time to stop by the Senior Center to unwind. The coffee is on, and there's always someone to talk to, and friendly games and activities. If holiday treats are becoming a temptation, keep in mind we have a daily exercise class at 10:30 am to help work off those calories. We hope to see you soon!

Plans are in the works for our festive Christmas party on December 20. Get your reservation in early for good eats, caroling, and holiday cheer! Everyone is welcome; we just need to know you are coming, so we can prepare accordingly. Call us at 812-853-5627.

I would like to personally wish each and every one of you a joyous Christmas and New Year, filled with love, laughter, and all of your favorite things.

You're Invited!

We're celebrating December birthdays on Tuesday, December 6. Come in to wish our friends a happy birthday, and stay for a slice of cake and fun & games!

We're Throwing a Holiday Party!

Save the Date! Our Holiday Party is on December 20 this year. Get ready for festive food, holiday cheer, and a Christmas carol sing-a-long. Meet your friends at the Center for a good time! Please RSVP by December 13. Call 812-853-5627 or sign up in person at the Center.



Newburgh Senior Center will be closed for the holidays on Friday, December 23 and Monday, December 26. SWIRCA will also be closed, with no meals offered on those days.

Have a safe, warm, and very merry Christmas from all of us at Newburgh Senior Center!



December Birthdays

Theresa Durst	12/01	Susan Poindexter	12/12
Peggy Shelton	12/03	Betty Hendrickson	12/15
Cheryl Bauer	12/03	Mary Wilzbacher	12/15
Bob Morgan	12/03	Diane Jones	12/17
William Bruns	12/04	Doylyn Neiswinger	12/18
Barb Silvers	12/04	Pat Wittenbraker	12/19
Rita Wilson	12/05	Lynne Greenfield	12/21
Nancy Lybarger	12/08	Gayle Osborne	12/22
Fran Getz	12/08	Jackie Mills	12/25
Fran Sites	12/08	Richard LeDuc	12/29
Linda Etheredge	12/09	Debra Rothermel	12/29

Wishing You a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

When we count our blessings, we count you twice.

Have a wonderful holiday season.



Holiday Treat Bags - Your Help is Needed!

We will be making holiday treat bags for our friends in the Meals on Wheels program. Donations of wrapped candy, individual packages of pretzels, crackers or chips, and other goodies are much needed and very welcome. Please drop off donations at the Center by December 12. If you would like to help make the treat bags, meet at the Center at 11:30 am on December 14. We will be decorating and filling the bags at that time. Refreshments will be provided, and it's always a good time!

You're Invited to Our Holiday Party!

Get your Christmas sweater out of storage and join us at our Holiday Party on December 20! Bring your old friends and meet new ones for a festive lunch, holiday cheer, and a fun Christmas carol sing-a-long. Get your reservation in early—no later than December 13—by calling us at 812-853-5627 or signing up in person at the Center. Our committee is working hard to make this the party of the year, and we can't wait to see you!

Thank You

TO OUR SPONSORS



We Love and Appreciate Our December Day Sponsors!

December 3 is sponsored by **Colleen and Dennis Martin** in celebration of their daughter Maureen Martin's milestone birthday. We send birthday wishes to Maureen from Indiana to California!

December 8 is sponsored by **Don Brooks** in celebration of Pat Brooks' birthday. Don says Pat is the best thing that ever happened to him! Happy Birthday, Pat! Thank you, Don and Pat, for being such wonderful supporters of the NSC.

December 13 is sponsored by **Diane Shinn** to celebrate the birthday of her husband, Bill Shinn. Diane says Bill is just "plane" wonderful! Thank you, Bill and Diane, for your support. We wish Bill a happy birthday!







December 23 is sponsored by **Bill and Carol Woerz** in celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Bill's brother and sister-in-law, Paul and Trudi Woerz. What a wonderful occasion and milestone! Best wishes to Paul and Trudi for many more happy Years. Thank you, Bill and Carol!

December 28 is sponsored by **Teresa O'Rourke** in celebration of her dear husband Mike's birthday. Happy Birthday, Mike! We wish you many more years of good health and vitality. Thank you, Mike and Teresa, for all you do for Newburgh Senior Center!



CHRISTMAS

CONVERSATION STARTERS

 <p>What is your all-time favorite toy?</p>	 <p>If you could be invisible for a day, what would you like to observe?</p>	 <p>If you had a private plane for a day, where would you fly to?</p>	 <p>It would not be Christmas without...</p>
 <p>What is your favorite thing about the person sitting next to you?</p>	 <p>What is the nicest thing the person across from you had done?</p>	 <p>What is the best thing about being your age at Christmas?</p>	 <p>Hardest you laughed this year</p>
 <p>Who is the funniest person sitting at the table and why?</p>	 <p>Share a Christmas shopping fail</p>	 <p>Describe where you see yourself 10 years from now</p>	 <p>If you could only eat one dish for the rest of the year, what would it be?</p>
 <p>Would you rather attend a Christmas party or a Christmas parade? Why?</p>	 <p>What can you do to make Christmas better for someone in need?</p>	 <p>What's your favorite Christmas Carol? Sing the first verse</p>	 <p>What's on your Christmas wish list?</p>

Activities Sponsors, Thank You for a Great Year!

Town of Newburgh—Provides our building, grounds, maintenance, supplies, and services

Bayer's Plumbing (812) 853-2305—Sponsors "Fruitful Fridays" and "Sundae Fridays"

Heritage Federal Credit Union (812) 253-6928—Our Internet Café and printer sponsor

Titzer Family Funeral Home (812) 853-8314—Sponsors our monthly birthday cake and prints our newsletter each month

Mike and Linda Andreas—Landscaping, garden, and flowers sponsors

Kaiser Aluminum Warrick, Bill & Suzie Byers—Activities sponsors

King Mechanical Specialty, Zion United Church of Christ, Dave & Marsha Lambert—Hospitality sponsors

We greatly appreciate the commitment of those in our community who sponsor our projects and programs. If you would like to support the efforts of the Newburgh Senior Center, please call (812) 853-5627 or email manageratnsc@gmail.com

December's Real and Ridiculous Holidays

- *Bartender Appreciation Day: 1
- *Clark Kent's Birthday (Superman): 1
- *Rosa Parks Day: 1
- *Earmuff Day: 2
- *National Mutt Day: 2
- *Safety Razor Day: 2
- *Special Education Day: 2
- *World Pear Day: 2
- *Be a Blessing Day: 3
- *International Baboon Day: 3
- *National Cookie Day: 4
- *National Dice Day: 4
- *National Sock Day: 4
- *World Wildlife Conservation Day: 4
- *AFL-CIO Day: 5
- *Bathtub Party Day: 5
- *International Ninja Day: 5
- *International Volunteer Day: 5
- *Mitten Tree Day: 6
- *National Pawnbrokers Day: 6
- *St. Nicholas Day: 6
- *Chanukah: 7-15
- *National Cotton Candy Day: 7
- *Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day: 7
- *Pretend to be a Time Traveler Day: 8
- *Toilet Paper Appreciation Day: 8
- *Gingerbread House Day: 9
- *Dewey Decimal System Day: 10
- *Human Rights Day: 10
- *International Animal Rights Day: 10
- *Nobel Prize Day: 10
- *Worldwide Candle Lighting Day: 10
- *World Choral Day: 10
- *International Mountain Day: 11
- *Kaleidoscope Day: 11
- *National Sobriety Day: 11
- *UNICEF Birthday: 11
- *National 12-hour Fresh Breath Day: 12
- *National Ding-a-Ling Day: 12
- *National Cocoa Day: 12
- *Poinsettia Day: 12
- *Day of the Horse: 13
- *National Guard Birthday: 13
- *Monkey Day: 14
- *Yoga Day: 14
- *Bill of Rights Day: 15
- *Cat Herders Day: 15
- *National Cupcake Day: 15
- *National Wear Your Pearls Day: 15
- *National Ugly Christmas Sweater Day: 15
- *Wreaths Across America Day: 16
- *Underdog Day: 15
- *Barbie and Barney Backlash Day: 16
- *Chocolate Covered Anything Day: 16
- *A Christmas Carol Day: 17
- *Wright Brothers Day: 17
- *Answer Phone as Buddy the Elf Day: 18
- *Games Day: 19
- *National Sangria Day: 20
- *Poet Laureate Day: 20
- *Celebrate Short Fiction Day: 21
- *Crossword Puzzle Day: 21
- *Forefathers Day: 21
- *Humbug Day: 21
- *Winter Make Music Day: 21
- *National Flashlight Day: 21
- *Short Film Day: 21
- *Short Girl Appreciation Day: 21
- *Winter Solstice: 21 9:26 pm CST
- *Yule: 21
- *Be a Lover of Silence Day: 22
- *Family Roots Day: 23
- *Festivus: 23
- *Human Light Celebration: 23
- *Christmas Eve: 24
- *Egg Nog Day: 24
- *Christmas Day: 25
- *Kwanzaa: Begins 26
- *National Candy Cane Day: 26
- *National Thank You Note Day: 26
- *National Whiners Day: 26
- *Howdy Doody Day: 27
- *Radio City Music Hall Day: 27
- *Visit the Zoo Day: 27
- *Endangered Species Act Day: 28
- *National Chocolate Day: 28-29
- *Pledge of Allegiance Day: 28
- *No Interruptions Day: 29
- *Tick Tock Day: 29
- *YMCA Day: 29
- *Bacon Day: 30
- *First Night: 31
- *Leap Second Time Adjustment Day: 31
- *Make Up Your Mind Day: 31
- *National Champagne Day: 31
- *New Year's Eve: 31
- *New Year's Eve Banished Words List: 31
- *Universal Hour of Peace Day: 31