

October 2022

Happy Fall!





Corolla update...

Corolla programming has been on pause since the Pandemic. We are now looking ahead...

We are now trying to reestablish an "Interest" list of anyone wanting to participate in Yoga. Logistics, an instructor, and other details will be worked out once we establish if there is still a need/want for this program. You must be 55+ and be a Corolla resident at least 1/2 of the year.

Please contact the **Currituck Senior Center at 252-232-3505** to have your name and contact information added to the list. Please do not contact the Corolla Library as this is not a library program.

We hope to see you soon!

Ready...set...go..

Wednesday, October 19, 2022 - Annual "Senior Health & Wellness Day!" 11am-2pm. Get your flu shot, receive information on Medicare, Albemarle Commission Services, YMCA, Animal Shelter, Interfaith Outreach, Library Services, NC Dept. of Human Services for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Social Services, Emergency Management, Cooperative Extension, Fire/EMS, Community Home Care & Hospice, Trillium, and more! Registered participants will receive a FREE boxed lunch and a chance to win a prize! You must register with the Currituck Senior Center at 232-3505 by October 11th!

Halloween FUN facts:

- Illinois produces up to five times more pumpkins than any other state.
- Candy corn was originally called "chicken feed."
- Harry Houdini died on Halloween in 1926.
- Some shelters used to suspend black cat adoptions for Halloween.
- The night before Halloween is called Mischief Night or Goosey Night in some places.
- The holiday dates back more than 2,000 years.
- Some Halloween rituals used to involve finding a husband.
- Sugar rationing during World War II halted trick-or-treating.
- Halloween is the second largest commercial holiday in the country.
- There's a traditional Halloween bread in Ireland "Barmbrock."
- The Irish brought us jack-o'-lanterns.

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Dawn's Words of Wisdom...

"Autumn is a second Spring when every leaf is a flower." -Albert Camus

Home Delivered Meals Volunteers!

A Home Delivered Meals Volunteer is the ONLY reason we are able to serve our Currituck County home bound seniors with meals throughout the week.

Volunteers play a key role in providing seniors not only with a meal, but offer much needed socialization and smiles! You may be the ONLY person that they see all day! Volunteer schedules are flexible to meet our volunteers' needs. The average route requires 1 hour of your time and you can volunteer as little or as often as you want. There are currently 10 routes throughout Currituck County serving approx. 65 Home Bound Seniors.

Currituck Senior Centers

Barco 232-3505 Powell's Point 491-8173 Knotts Island 429-3231

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Currituck Senior Center

130 Community Way Barco, NC 27917 252-232-3505

Hours of operation: Mon.-Fri. 8:00AM-5:00PM



Monday's

8-5 Billiards 8-5 Table Tennis 9– 11 Pickleball 10-12 Sewing Room 11-12 Bingo 12:30-5 Card Room

Everyday...

*10:00 Seniors meet at Albemarle Lanes to bowl

Tuesday's

8-5 Billiards 8-5 Table Tennis 10-12 Art Room 11 Exercise Tape 12:30-5 Card Room

Wednesday's

8-5 Billiards 8-5 Table Tennis 9– 11 Pickleball 9:30 Scrabble/Upwards 10-12 Sewing Room 12:30-5 Card Room

Thursday's

8-5 Billiards 8-5 Table Tennis 9-5 Horseshoes 10-12 Art Room 11 Exercise Tape 12:30-5 Card Room

Friday's

8:00-5:00 Billiards 8:00 Table Tennis 9:00 Pickle Ball 10-12 Sewing Room 12:30-5 Card Room

Special For October...

Tuesday, October 4, 2022 - Trip to IKEA at 10:30am. Cost: money for shopping and lunch at IKEA.

Wednesday, October 5, 2022 - Birthday Celebration at 12:30pm!

Thursday, October 6, 2022 - "Cake BINGO" at 11am. Play Bingo for a chance to win a cake! Deadline: October 5th!

Wednesday, October 12, 2022 - Medicare Presentation w/Sheila Gregory at 11am.

Friday, October 14, 2022 - Craft Class - Halloween/Fall Lumineers at 12:30pm. Deadline: October 12th!

Wednesday, October 19, 2022 - Annual "Senior Health & Wellness Day!" 11am-2pm. Get your flu shot, receive information on Medicare, Albemarle Commission Services, YMCA, Animal Shelter, Interfaith Outreach, Library Services, NC Dept. of Human Services for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Social Services, Emergency Management, Cooperative Extension, Fire/EMS, Community Home Care & Hospice, Trillium, and more! Registered participants will receive a FREE boxed lunch and a chance to win a prize! You must register with the Currituck Senior Center at 232-3505 by October 11th!

Monday, October 24, 2022 - Cooking Class - "Cinnamon Apple Bread" at 2pm! All supplies will be provided. Deadline: October 20th! (Class is limited to 8 seniors!)

Thursday, October 27, 2022 - Trip to **Cinema Café** to see "*Tickets to Paradise,*" Starring George Clooney & Julia Roberts. A divorced couple who teams up and travels to Bali to keep their daughter from making the same mistake they think they made 25 years ago. Cost: ticket and money for lunch at the theatre. Time is TBA.

Friday, October 28, 2022 - "Oktoberfest Party" at 12pm!" Join us along with the Powell's Point Seniors for food, music, games and festivities to celebrate this German festival! Bring your BEST Beer Stein (empty - no alcohol allowed) to be judged to win a prize. Deadline: October 21st!

Monday, October 31, 2022 - Halloween Treats at 12:15pm!

October Birthday's...

Jim Courtney - 2nd
Beverly Johnson - 3rd
Rosario Vizcarrando - 4
Janice Denton - 5th
Don Forcht - 6th
Kathy Plante - 8th
Julie Wetzel - 8th
Margaret Wills - 14th
Richard Wadleigh - 16th
Hallie Firestone - 20th

Pat Keene - 22

Cooking with Latesa...

Ingredients:

- 1 (0.3oz) sugar free lemon gelatin
- 1/2 tsp ground cinnamon
- 1/4 tsp ground nutmeg
- 1 3/4 cups water, divided

<u>No-Bake Apple Pie</u>

- 5 medium tart apples, peeled & sliced
- 1 (0.8oz) sugar free cook & serve vanilla pudding
- 1/2 cup chopped nuts
- 1 (9 inch) reduced fat graham cracker crust
- whipped topping, optional

Directions: In a large saucepan, mix gelatin, cinnamon, nutmeg and 1 1/2 cups water. Add apples, bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, until apples are tender, about 5 minutes. In a bowl, mix pudding mix and remaining water; stir into apple mixture. Cook until thickened, about 1 minute, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat; stir in nuts, transfer to crust. Refrigerate at least 2 hours before serving. If desired, serve with whipped topping.

Powell's Point Senior Center

8011 Caratoke Hwy Powell's Point, NC 27966 252-491-8173

Hours of operation: Mon.-Fri. 8:00AM-4:30PM



Everyday...

Monday's

8-10 Coffee & Chat (flavor of the month "Pumpkin Spice") 10-12 Dominoes

Tuesday's

9:30-11 Book Corner

11 Exercise Ball

Drumming (Level II)

(No drumming 4th!)

1-3 Checkers & Games

Wednesday's

10-12 Dominoes 1 BINGO (*No bingo 5th, 19th, 26th!*)

Thursday's

11- Sitting Exercise Ball Drumming (Level I) (No drumming 6th!)1-3 Puzzles/Checkers/ Adult Coloring Books

Friday's

10-12 Dominoes 1 BINGO (No bingo 21st!)

Special For October...

Tuesday, October 4, 2022 - Birthday Celebration at 1pm!

Wednesday, October 5, 2022 - Medicare Open Enrollment w/Sheila Gregory 1-2pm! Reserve a time slot!

Monday, October 10, 2022 - In house movie *"Elvis"* at 12:30pm! The film follows the life of rock and roll icon, singer, and actor Elvis Presley, told from the perspective of his manager, Colonel Tom Parker. It stars Austin Butler in the title role with Tom Hanks at Parker, while Helen Thomson and Richard Roxburgh co-star. Popcorn & Soda will be served. Deadline: October 7th!

Tuesday, October 11, 2022 - **New Class! Exercise Ball Drumming Level 2** at 11am! Get that heart beating to some awesome music! Have a great cardio workout! No sitting! Let's get moving! This class is limited!

Thursday, October 13th & 20th, 2022 - *Craft Class* - Fall Gnomes at 1pm! <u>Take your pick</u>— *Spooky Gnome* or *Fall Gnome*? Knotts Island Seniors will be joining us! Deadline: October 10th!

Monday, October 17, 2022 - Diabetes Presentation w/Amy Underhill at 11am! A FREE box lunch will be provided to those who register by October 12th!

Wednesday, October 19, 2022 - Annual "Senior Health & Wellness Day!" 11am-2pm. Get your flu shot, receive information on Medicare, Albemarle Commission Services, YMCA, Animal Shelter, Interfaith Outreach, Library Services, NC Dept. of Human Services for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Social Services, Emergency Management, Cooperative Extension, Fire/EMS, Community Home Care & Hospice, Trillium, and more! Registered participants will receive a FREE boxed lunch and a chance to win a prize! We will leave the center at 10:30am. Deadline: October 11th!

Monday, October 24, 2022 - "Bingocize" Falls Prevention every Monday & Wednesday at 1pm! A 10-week program to include light chair exercise, bingo and learning about preventing falls! (You must register in person at the Powell's Point Senior Center on Friday, October 14th at 2pm to participate!) This class is limited!

Friday, October 28, 2022 - "Oktoberfest" Party at 12pm! We will join the Barco seniors for food, music, games and festivities to celebrate this German festival! Bring your BEST Beer Stein (empty - no alcohol allowed) to be judged to win a prize. We will leave the center at 11:15am. Deadline: October 21st!

October Birthday's...

Mary Fowler - 2nd Joyce Pugh - 18th



Laughing with Lorraine...

"Its officially sweater in the morning and regret it in the afternoon weather."

-Unknown

Knotts Island Senior Center

126 Brumley Rd Knotts Island, NC 27950 252-429-3231

Hours of operation: Mon.-Fri. 9:00AM-3:30PM



Everyday...

Monday's

9-3 Puzzles/Games 9:30 Chair Exercise

Tuesday's

9-3 Puzzles/Games9:30 Walking Exercise

Wednesday's

9-3 Puzzles/Games **9:30 Chair Exercise**

Thursday's

9-3 Puzzles/Games
9:30 Walking Exercise

Friday's

9-3 Puzzles/Games
9:30 Exercise Drumming

Special For October...

Monday, October 3, 2022 - Knotts Island Scrapbook Online at 1pm! Volunteer Shaun Kane will be back to continue our journey into the online Knotts Island Scrapbook. Bring your old photos and documents to be scanned and added to the scrapbook!

Thursday, October 6, 2022 - Birthday Celebration at 1pm!

Tuesday, October 11, 2022 - **Bonsai Time at 1pm!** Bring your bonsai trees-in-training and we'll learn how to prepare them for the fall and winter months. Don't have a tree? There will be extra ones available!

Thursday, October 13, 2022 - Craft Class at Powell's Point! (Part One) - Take your pick: Spooky Gnome or Fall Gnome? Don't forget to order your congregate meal the day before or bring your own. We will leave the center at 10am! Deadline: October 10th!

Monday, October 17, 2022 - Movie at Cinema Café in Edinburgh! Cost: ticket and money for lunch at the theatre. Time TBA.

Wednesday, October 19, 2022 - Annual "Senior Health & Wellness Day!" 11am-2pm. Get your flu shot, receive information on Medicare, Albemarle Commission Services, YMCA, Animal Shelter, Interfaith Outreach, Library Services, NC Dept. of Human Services for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Social Services, Emergency Management, Cooperative Extension, Fire/EMS, Community Home Care & Hospice, Trillium, and more! Registered participants will receive a FREE boxed lunch and a chance to win a prize! We will leave the center at 10am. Deadline: October 11th!

Thursday, October 20, 2022 - **Craft Class at Powell's Point!** (Part 2) - We'll continue to work on our Spooky/Fall Gnomes. Don't forget to order your congregate meal the day before or bring your own. We will leave the center at 10am! Deadline: October 17th!

Monday, October 24, 2022 - **Decorate for Halloween** at 1pm! Let's scare up some skeletons, black cats and pumpkins to get ready for Halloween! Hot chocolate, coffee and some scary treats will be served.

Wednesday, October 26, 2022 - Field Trip to the Museum on the Albemarle & Lunch at Pineapple Café! Cost: money for lunch. We will leave the center at 9:30am.

Friday, October 28, 2022 - Game Day at 1pm! Join us for Bingo, Card Games, Board Games, Mahjong & More!

October Birthdays

Brenda McLaughlin - 3rd Glen Dixon - 26th



"You must remember this" with Mari...

"I'll stop wearing black when they make a darker color."

~ Wednesday Adams, The Addams Family.

We also offer...

- Congregate Meals
- HD Meals
- Educational Speakers
- Exercise Programs
- Exercise Equipment
- Puzzles
- Games
- Bingo
- Indoor Sports
- Outdoor Sports
- Monthly Day trips
- Charter Bus trips
- AARP Tax preparation
- Health screenings
- Weekly BP checks
- Quilting/Sewing
- Bell choir
- Wet Paint Society
- Musical entertainment
- Sr. Games Participation
- Are you OK Program
- CDSMP, DSMP, Tai-Chi for Arthritis & Walk with Ease Programs
- "Walking Paws" Volunteer Program
- Assistance and Referrals
- Volunteer Opportunities
- Much More!

Stay Informed:

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Questions:

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Meet the Staff...

Stacy Joseph

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Dawn Hamilton

Administrative Supervisor

Latesa Moore

Site Manager/Nutrition - Barco

Lorraine Fitchett

Site Manager - Powell's Point

Mari Mann

Site Manager - Knotts Island

Statement of Purpose

Senior Centers are a community focal point on aging. It is a unit where senior persons can meet, receive services and participate in activities that will affirm the dignity and self worth of the senior adult. Within this atmosphere the center staff creates opportunities for the senior adults to apply their wisdom, insight and exercise their skills. The center plays an integral role as a resource for the entire community and assist other agencies in serving individual and group services and activities.

Did You Know ...

You Must be 55 years or older to join the fun at the Senior Centers!

You must be 60 years or older to eat!

The Senior Centers of Currituck
County are a place for Every
Senior (with varying backgrounds
and personalities) to have fun
and feel welcome and at ease.
This is accomplished when
people are courteous,
accommodating, respectful of
other's feelings, use appropriate
language and do not let their
emotions get out of hand. Let's
all work together to make the
senior centers an "enjoyable and
happy place" for EVERYONE!

Thank you Senior Services Staff

Need Transportation...

Inter County Public Transportation provides services to all ages! (fees may apply) ICPTA services are intended to transport the general public to nutrition sites, medical appointments and other locations in order to access services or attend activities related to daily living, while promoting quality of life.

ICPTA 252-338-4480

To receive transportation to a nutrition site please call the senior center you are interested in attending to receive more information!





Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Salisbury Steak & Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Peas & Carrots, Pineapple, Roll, Apple Crisp & Milk	Chicken Salad, Macaroni Salad, Three Bean Salad, Crackers, Jell-O, Fruit & Milk	5 Baked Ham, Cabbage, Sweet Potatoes w/Marshmallows, Pears, Roll & Milk	Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, Tossed Salad, Fruit Cocktail, Cake & Milk	7 Oven Fried Chicken, Buttered Potato, Peas, Pears, Roll, Cookie & Mill
Sausage & Peppers, Roasted Potatoes, Carrots, Roll, Peach Cobbler & Milk	Southwest Chicken Salad w/ Black Beans & Corn, Rotini Pasta Salad, Pineapple, Pudding & Milk	Chili, Baked Potato, Cornbread, Jell-O, Fruit & Milk	Chef Salad w/Ham & Cheese, Potato Salad, Strawberries, Crackers, Cookie & Milk	Pork Chop, Scalloped Potatoes, Collards, Fruit Crisp, Roll & Milk
17 Cheeseburger, Baked Beans, Cinnamon Apples, Cake & Milk	Ham & Cheese Hoagie, Tossed Salad, Cake, Milk & Pineapple Juice	19 Meat Loaf, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Pineapple, Roll & Milk	Chicken Salad, Pasta Salad, Broccoli Salad, Crackers, Cake, Milk & OJ	Turkey Breast w/Gravy, Stuffing, Carrots, Brown Rice, Cranberry Sauce, Pudding & Milk
Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, California Blend Vegetables, Baked Apples, Garlic Bread, Pudding & Milk	25 Roast Beef & Cheese Sub, Tossed Salad, Fruit Cocktail, Cake & Milk	26 BBQ Sandwich, Coleslaw, Buttered Potatoes, Fruit, Cookie & Milk	27 Tuna Salad, Pasta Salad, Pea Salad, Crackers, Cake, Milk & OJ	28 Beef Tips w/Gravy, Brow Rice, Sauteed Spinach, Peaches & Milk
Salisbury Steak & Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Peas & Carrots, Pineapple, Roll, Apple Crisp & Milk Happy Halloween!	TRCk TRUT			