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A New Flag Flies at the Center

The Ukiah Senior Center sincerely thanks those who took the initiative to replace our beautiful American flag; Don Burgess, Jeff Fowler of Ken Fowler Motors, Charlie and Jeff of Aaction Rents, and Paula of Allegiance Flag Company.

When Don recognized that the existing flag had become faded and worn, and the solar light was no longer in working order, he set about to correct that. With assistance from his partner, Mary, he successfully erected a gorgeous, new flag along with a new solar light and new rigging.



When asked what prompted him to start this project he stated, "As a Veteran I have always loved the Flag and the colors symbolizing this very great nation. The appearance of the flag, bright and well cared for evokes a feeling that our Nation it symbolizes is still well cared for!"

The first step was finding funding for this project. Upon hearing of our need, Jeff Fowler of Ken Fowler Motors immediately offered to fund the amount estimated for all the components. He followed up as promised with a check in the amount of \$300. Thank you so much, Jeff, for your generosity and prompt action!

Aaction Rents stepped up to offer a "lift" so that Don

could safely replace the flag, solar lights and accoutrements. This huge flag could not have been erected without the lift. Thank you, Charlie and Jeff, for your help.

Please stop on your way in and out to view the finished result. The flag is 100% made in the U.S.A., "all-weather", heavy duty with embroidered stars, reinforced stitching and blazing colors from Allegiance Flag Company. Paula from Allegiance Flag Company donated the entire cost of the flag including shipping. Thank you, Paula for your generous donation.

With additional funds in the new "Flag Fund" Don was able to purchase the solar light and



new rope/rigging to complete the project and make it all new again. The "Flag Fund" reserve will allow continued maintenance. Thank you, Don and Mary, for your initiative and successful installation.

Many thanks again to all who made this possible, Lisa Silva, Interim Executive Director

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Membership Renewal

Some members may have noticed an old date close to their name label on *The Scoop*. This means your membership has expired. The Center appreciates those who keep their memberships current. To do this once a year plays a *huge* part in sustaining the Ukiah Senior Center.

Becoming a member provides support for the many programs, services and activities that we offer at little or no cost to local seniors. This enables the Center to keep its doors open. Membership benefits include meal ticket discounts for our popular Bartlett Hall Lunches, discounts for special events, discounts at the Thrift Store and copies of *The Scoop* monthly newsletter mailed to your door, sent to your personal e-mail, or both. Your memberships keep the Center vibrant and strong. Renew or become a member today!

Membership Form

Date:				
Renewal/s New Member/s (please check box) \$40 per person\$65 per household				
Name:				
Birth date: Month Day Year				
Name:				
Birth date: Month Day Year				
Address:				
City State Zip				
Phone: HomeCell				
E-mail:				

If you are joining as a **new** member, please enclose this form with your payment, or bring it with you when stopping by the Center to receive your Membership Card. Existing members do not need the form unless there is a change in information. Please make your checks payable to: Ukiah Senior Center and mail to: 499 Leslie Street, Ukiah CA 95482 We also accept Visa and MasterCard. We appreciate your membership!

Fanuary Lunch Menu

Tuesday

Monday

To reserve a meal, call (707) 462-4343 ext. 7009. Indoor seating now available.

- MEAL RESERVATIONS ARE GUARANTEED IF MADE BY 3 p.m. THE PRIOR BUSINESS DAY
- To go meals available for pickup at 11:30 a.m. Additional \$1.00 charge for containers.
- To go meals for our Center members are \$8. Meal cards can be purchased for \$40.

Sit-down meals are \$7 each for USC Members or purchase a 5 meal lunch card for \$35.

Non-member meal cost is \$8 each Dine in Monday through Friday. To go for non-members, \$9 each.

Meals are prepared by Ukiah Senior Center Chef Lisa and Staff.

All meals include seasonal fruit or dessert and are subject to change based on availability. Gluten Free meals marked GF or GF option are by request. Vegetarian by request option available.

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Regular Operations Closed January 1st through the 5th. Happy New Year!					
8 Hamburger Steak Onion Soup Fettuccini Veggie	9 Beef Tips over Noodles with Gravy Veggie Salad	10 Chili Verde with Beans and Rice Tortillas	11 Country Fried Chicken Steak with Buttermilk Gravy Mashed Potatoes Veggies	12 Chicken Salad Sandwich Split Pea Soup	
GF OPT.		GF		GF OPT.	
15 Turkey Ala King over Rice Fruit	16 Stuffed Pork Chops Potatoes and Gravy Apple Crisp	17 Turkey Sandwich Citrus Salad	Birthday Lunch 18 Baked Salmon with Apricot Glaze Rice, Veggies Clam Chowder	19 Chicken and Dumplings Garden Salad	
GF	GF	GF OPT.	GF OPT.		
22 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Garlic Bread Garden Salad	23 Korean BBQ Chicken Very Veggie Stir Fry Pork Fried Rice	24 Lasagna Veggies Garlic Bread Green Salad	25 Oriental Cashew Chicken Salad with Honey Mustard Dressing Won Ton Soup	26 Fried Chicken Mac and Cheese Green Salad	
GF OPT.	GF	GF OPT.	GF OPT.		
29 Chicken Teriyaki Chow Mein Pot Stickers	30 Patty Melt Potato Soup Fruit	31 Pot Roast over Noodles Veggies Roll			

Fanuary 2024 Activities

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

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8	9	10	11	13
9:30 - 10:30 Card Games	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab	11	12 10:00 Board/Card games
9:30 - 12:00 Beading Class	11:30 - 1:45 Singing	9:00 Walking Group at Todd Grove	1:30 - 3:30 Card Table Bingo	1:00 - 2:00 CalFresh Q&A
10:00 - 12:00 Quilters Group	2:00 Write it Down!	Park	1.50 5.50 cara rable bings	2:00 Movie Matinee
12:30 - 4:30 Duplicate Bridge	Room 5	9:30 Costco Outing		
	2:00 - 3:00 Senior Aerobics	2:00 - 3:00 Line Dancing		My Sailor, My Love 4:30 - 5:30 Loteria
	Creative Movement	Beginners 1:00		4.30 - 3.30 Loteria
	6:00 - 9:00 Bingo			
15	16	17	18	19
9:30 - 10:30 Card Games 9:30 - 12:00 Beading Class	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab 11:30 - 1:45 Singing	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab 9:00 - 12:00 Women's Book Group	1:30 - 3:30 Card Table Bingo	10:00 Board/Card games 1:00 - 2:00 CalFresh Q&A
10:00 - 12:00 Quilters Group	2:00 - 3:00 Senior Aerobics	9:00 Walking Group at Todd Grove		2:00 Movie Matinee
12:30 - 4:30 Duplicate Bridge	Creative Movement	Park .		Uncharted
5:30 - 8:30 Bunko ★	6:00 - 9:00 Bingo	2:00 - 3:00 Line Dancing		4:30 - 5:30 Loteria
		Beginners 1:00		
22	23	24	25	26
9:30 - 10:30 Card Games	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab	1:30 - 3:30 Card Table Bingo	10:00 Board/Card games
9:30 - 12:00 Beading Class	11:30 - 1:45 Singing	9:00 Walking Group at Todd Grove		1:00 - 2:00 CalFresh Q&A
10:00 - 12:00 Quilters Group	2:00 Write it Down!	Park		2:00 Movie Matinee
2:00 - 3:00 Ice Cream Social 🖈	Room 5	10:00 Rock Painting		The Guernsey Literary
	2:00 - 3:00 Senior Aerobics	2:00 - 3:00 Line Dancing		and Potato Peel Pie
	Creative Movement 6:00 - 9:00 Bingo	Beginners 1:00		Society 4:30 - 5:30 Loteria
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29	30	31		
9:30 - 10:30 Card Games	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab	9:00 - 11:00 Computer Lab		
9:30 - 12:00 Beading Class	11:30 - 1:45 Singing	9:00 Walking Group at Todd Grove		
10:00 - 12:00 Quilters Group	2:00 - 3:00 Senior Aerobics	Park		
10:30 Nutrition Presentation		2:00 - 3:00 Line Dancing		
12:30 - 4:30 Duplicate Bridge	6:00 - 9:00 Bingo	Beginners 1:00		



Ticket sales 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Games Begin I:00

Minimum buy in \$15, includes every game Payout depends on attendance Minimum payout \$35 every game A chance at 3 - \$250 BLACKOUTS

\$6.00 Lunch Served 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Chicken Fried Steak with Gravy, Mac and Cheese, Veggies

Snack Bar with Hot Dogs and Potato Salad, Chips, Soda, open all day! Non-smoking. Any adult 18 years and older.



MONDAY, January 8

Held at Bartlett Hall, 495 Leslie St. 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Raffle Prizes

\$12 per person includes: Door Prizes, Buffet, Bunko Game and Bunko prize

RSVP with Jan Tipton (707) 462 - 0004

Open to the Community. Any adult 18 years and older. Proceeds benefit The Ukiah Senior Center.

Fanuary Movie Matinee!

Fridays, 2:00 p.m. Bartlett Hall Donations Appreciated!





January 12 - *My Sailor, My Love* (2022) PG-13 1 hr. 43 min.

A retired sea captain embarks on a new romantic relationship with a widowed housekeeper, leading his daughter to reevaluate their tense relationship.



January 19 - *Uncharted* (2022) PG-13 1 hr. 56 min.

Treasure hunter Victor "Sully"
Sullivan recruits street-smart
Nathan Drake to help him
recover a 500-year-old lost
fortune amassed by explorer
Ferdinand Magellan. What

starts out as a heist soon becomes a globetrotting, white-knuckle race to reach the prize before the ruthless Santiago Moncada can get his hands on it.



January 26 - The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society

(2018) NR 2 hr. 4 min.

In 1946, a London-based writer begins exchanging letters with residents on the island of Guernsey, which was German-

occupied during WWII. Feeling compelled to visit the island, she starts to get a picture of what it was like during the occupation. ticket of a lifetime.

Board News

Hiring of New Executive Director

The Board will begin its recruitment process for an Executive Director in January 2024.

Salary Range: \$66,560-\$82,560 Job description and applications can be found on our website: ukiahseniorcenter.org or at Admin. Office. 499 Leslie Street in Ukiah. For more information, call (707) 462-4343 ext. 7002

The Board wishes to thank Lisa Silva for her willingness to act as Interim Executive Director these past six months.

Board Member Recruitment:

Board member recruitment will take place in the Spring after the new Executive Director is hired.

Next Board Meeting:

January's regular Board Meeting will take place on Wednesday, January 17 at 2:30pm in the Lunch Bunch Room.

Bartlett Hall Activity News

Wednesday, January 10

A Costco Outing will meet at 9:30 a.m. in Bartlett Hall. For transportation sign up, please call the Center. Seating is limited. 707 - 462 - 4343 EXT 7003

Wednesday, January 24

Rock Painting with Dora at 10:00 a.m. in Bartlett Hall. Supplies will be provided.

Monday, January 29

Linda Ayette, dietician, will present an informative talk on nutrition. 10:30 a.m. in Bartlett Hall.



Heather Haydon Outreach Manager (707) 462 - 4343 ext.7006



outreach@ukiahseniorcenter.org Information representative for CalFresh Heather will be available to answer your questions in Bartlett Hall, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Fridays.











Happy Fanuary Birthday to You!



Susan Boling-Guhlke

Marie Bolstad

Brian Burke

Janette Bylund

Donna Callander

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Marilyn Cowen

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Chris Slotte

Dennis Smart

Don Smith

Theresa Staber

Robert Sturges

Eloise Twining

Peggy White

Ice Cream Social

The Ice Cream Social will be held on Monday, January 22, from 2:00-3:00 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by Patrick Nagel.
The Ice Cream Social is a community event and all are welcome to come and enjoy a dish of ice cream with toppings and pie or cake for \$3.00.



Members over 90 years old or those coming to the Social in their birthday month will enjoy free admission.

This event has a \$50 raffle grand prize sponsored by this month's Selzer realtor, Erin Corely. Door prizes will include a breakfast for two at Windmills Café!

Thanks to the donors and volunteers who set up and serve for the Ice Cream Social held in Bartlett Hall, (707) 462-4343.

Thank You for supporting our Dining Room and Ice Cream Socials!







Transportation Update

We want to make sure you know that our transportation program has brought back the Wednesday bus and van service. Beginning in January we've expanded our service area to include Hopland on Wednesday only. We are so excited to be able to meet the needs of our passengers who have been requesting door - through - door assisted senior and disabled service on Wednesdays. The hours are just like the other days of service in the week, first pick up at 8:15 a.m. and last drop off at 4:30 p.m.

Call and make your reservation for shopping, medical or beauty appointments, coming to the Center, or visiting friends and we will be happy to take care of your transportation needs! For more information and to schedule a ride call us at 707-462-4343 extension 7004. Our drivers are happy to help. Please limit your bags to 3 per passenger.

Welcome New Members!

Lisa Bregger Diana Josephson Langley Hellen Brostoff Anita McAvoy Brian Burke David Mondragon Viki Chaudrue AliDaryl Rust Joe Ferraiuolo Steve Vanderhorst Leota Garner Barbara Vaughn Judith Goldman Charles Vaughn Faye Hefte Cathleen Waraner Allen Janusz Dan Jaynes

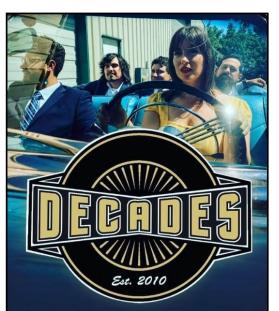
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Meal cards and Bus passes are also available to purchase for a senior.		
# Meals X \$8.00 = # Rides X \$6.00 =		
Mail your donation with this coupon to: Ukiah Senior Center 499 Leslie Street Ukiah, CA 95482 or Bring to Bartlett Hall Monday - Friday		
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9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sponsor a Senior Health Ride				
Help a senior with transportation to medical appointments, locally or out of town.				
Ukiah Willits Santa Rosa Other	\$6.00 \$30.00 \$70.00			
Donations can also be made online at: www.ukiahseniorcenter.org				

An Affair to Remember...

The band, *Decades*, sold out our Valentine's Dance Party in 2023, and this year we are taking the dance to a new level in a larger venue. This is a major fundraiser for the Center. It will be held at the Redwood Empire Fairgrounds in Carl Purdy Hall on Saturday, February 10th. Guests will enjoy a no-host full service bar and appetizers by Chef Lisa, while socializing and viewing silent auction items. The Dinner menu includes Prawns and Tri Tip, Baked Potatoes, Salad and Rolls with Garlic Rosemary butter prepared by Redwood Empire Lions Club. A dessert auction will immediately follow dinner. Tickets will go on sale January 8, 2024. Ukiah Senior Center members cost is \$65.00 Non Members \$75.00 Tickets will be available at Bartlett Hall - Check, Cash, Credit Card or at Mendocino Book Company - Check and Cash only and online at *eventbrite.com* Information: (707) 462-4343 ext.7009 We hope you will be able to attend or be one of our <u>major sponsors</u>. To find out more about the event <u>sponsorships</u>



in support of the Center, call Sheryl Mitcham (707) 391-2485.

Since 2010, *Decades* (based in Chico, CA) have been working (and rocking) around the clock to learn material spanning from the 1940's (Glenn Miller's Orchestra's "In The Mood") to today (Bruno Mars & Mark Ronson's "Uptown Funk"). The band has played over 1000 shows all along the West Coast, and are well on their way to booking another 100+ shows for 2024, earning their place as one of California's most in-demand bands. Throughout a single show, they'll swap between several instruments (including saxophone, harmonica, penny whistle, accordion, and trumpet to name a few) and belt out four-part harmonies, showcasing each

members' musical versatility, while continuing to put on a highly energetic live show.

Members of the *Decades* band are:
Jennifer Benoit - Vocals, Penny Whistle,
Harmonica, Accordion, Keys, Bass
Tobias Brooks - Bass, Trumpet, Vocals
Billy DiBono - Drums
Webster Moore - Vocals, Keyboards, Synth,
Rhythm Guitar
Will Watje - Lead Guitar, Saxophone,

Slide Guitar, Keys, Vocals





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