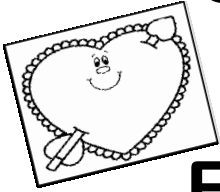


# MIAMI TOWNSHIP SENIOR CENTER NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 2020



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Center's hours are from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM. Doors will open at 8:45 AM (unless otherwise noted) so members can get prepared for 9:00 classes. For exercise members the gym will open at 8:00 and close at 3:45.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

\$5.00 for Miami Township residents

\$7.50 for all non-residents

Same rates apply to gym members. Gym members under the age of 55 do not receive newsletters etc. Center members benefit by receiving the monthly newsletter, priority sign up for trips, classes and special events. Membership money goes to support the activities enjoyed by its' members. Support your local Senior Center. Come visit often! ***The temperature in the Center varies. Please dress accordingly.***

**In case of inclement weather, we follow Three Rivers on school closings and delays. (On a 2 hour delay we open at 11:00)**

# FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Birthday Party is on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month. Starting at 11:00 AM with horse racing, followed by lunch and bingo. **Order your congregate meal by Wed, Feb 19<sup>th</sup>.**

Mary Pieczonka	04	Mary Lauer	20
Nancy Groll	04	Helen Henle	22
Martha Montague	06	Christine Schwettman	23
Joyce Barnhorst	07	Vicky Jones	23
Joan Reckers	08	Robert Jacobs	23
Alice Blessing	08	Barbara Zepf	25
Judy Uckotter	09	Carol Graham	25
Betty Gottmann	09	Linda Morgan	25
Brenda Bruns	10	June Loring	26
Judy Sharp	14	Deborah Kerr	26
Elizabeth King	15	Marion Merten	27
Dianne Koch	16	Connie Meeks	28
Gail Renneker	17	John Lewis	28
Sue Booth	19	Jack Weber	29
Barbara Marbut	20		





**CENTER  
CLOSED  
February 17th**

### **AARP TAX DAYS**

This year's tax days are scheduled for Feb 13<sup>th</sup> and Mar 12<sup>th</sup> at the Miami Township Community Center. Call the Center to make an appointment (941-2854) Fills up fast!

### **CINCINNATI REDS TICKETS**



All tickets have been sold for this year. Thanks to all who purchased tickets. Hoping for a great year!

### **VALENTINE LUNCHEON** **FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Come join your friends for a yummy Valentine Luncheon. Party starts at 11:00 with food to follow. \$5.00 donation. Please sign up by Feb 11<sup>th</sup>.

### **CONGREGATE MEALS**

Each day we serve a meal between **11:30 and 12:00** to those that sign up. If you can't make it, please call by 11:15. You need to make your reservation two days in advance. The normal suggested donation is \$1.00 per meal. I invite you to give it a try. **Due to CASS's time schedule we don't get the menu in time to send out with the newsletter so please pick up the February menu at the Center.**

## **\*\*QUILTING CHANGE FOR QUILTERS\*\***

Any quilter wishing to use the longarm themselves must bring their own thread for top and bobbin. This change is due to the cost of thread. Everything else remains the same. Thread size needs to be 40 or 50 weight

## **SENIOR CENTER BOUTIQUE**

We have ceramic pieces, baby or lap quilts, beaded bracelets, hand crafted greeting cards, and more. If you need a quick gift or just something for yourself, stop in and shop.

## **MOVIE DAY** **FEBRUARY 12TH**

This month's movie will be "The In-Laws" starring Michael Douglas, Albert Brooks and Ryan Reynolds. Popcorn and drinks served to all movie goers. Movie starts at 10:00. The movie this month is on a Wednesday.

## **"ASK NURSE JANET"**

The third Friday of each month from 10:00 to 11:00 AM bring your medical questions to our nurse. Sponsored by Hillebrand Home Health. Nurse Janet can also do blood pressure screenings.

## **INVESTMENT CLUB**

Investment Club meets the first Friday of each month at 9:00 AM. Join Jason Murray of Edward-Jones to ask questions and discuss money/investments. **Next meeting – Feb 7<sup>th</sup>.**



## CARD & SCRAPBOOKING

Bring your own cards and quilling supplies and get over to the Center on Thursdays from 9:00 to 12:00. Learn, practice and create projects. Work on your own with support from classmates. Pack your lunch and eat with the group.

## ACRYLIC PAINT CLASS

Classes are on Thursdays at 1:00. You use your own surface and brushes. \$5.00 per class. **No paint class on Feb 7<sup>th</sup>.**

## LOW IMPACT EXERCISE

Classes are on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:00. We are using low impact DVD's and stretching moves. It's free and it's open to everyone. It's important to stay flexible and strong.

## CHAIR VOLLEYBALL

Each Thursday morning at 11:00 AM we play chair volleyball. It's fun and great exercise. We use a beach ball so there is little chance for injury. Six people on a team. Come try it out.

## YOGA

Thursdays at **9:00** come try "Gentle Chair Yoga" This is a video led by a 79 yrs. young yoga teacher, Paula Montalvo. Anyone can do yoga.

## WII BOWLING

Do you enjoy sporting competition? Come be a Wii bowler. Join us for a game on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at **10:00.**

## **PAPERBACKS & PUZZLES**

Paperback books and puzzle exchange area has moved to the greenhouse. Brighter light for choosing the books you'd like to read. Just pick out books and/or puzzles you want, take them home, and bring them back when you're finished. Donations accepted. No sign in or out required

### **\*\*\*\*\*NOTICE\*\*\*\*\***

- All reservations for lunches and trips must be made in person and paid for at that time. See office if you need further details.
- We now have crib and lap quilts for sale! Made from our brand -new long arm.
- Please be aware in the parking lot to pull all the way up to the tire stops. This prevents the driveway from being blocked. Thank you.

## **SHOPPING**

C.A.S.S. Transportation Program takes Miami Township participants shopping on every Monday from 10:30 – 1:00 PM. Please call C.A.S.S. at 721-0375 to make your reservation or for more information.

## **C.A.S.S. SOCIAL WORKER**

If you have any questions regarding any social issues, or help with filling out forms and/or filing you can call Cheryl Bolender from C.A.S.S. 559-4523. You can also call Council On Aging at 721-1025.

**\*\* SAVE AND CHECK OUT OUR TRAVEL BOOKLET FOR TRIPS, OR STOP BY THE OFFICE FOR INFORMATON. UPDATED BOOKLETS WILL BE SENT OUT AS NEEDED.\*\***

# Township Café

## FEBRUARY MENU

### February 14<sup>th</sup> – Valentine Luncheon

Chicken noodle soup, small hoagie, strawberry pretzel salad.  
**\$5.00 donation. Sign up by Feb 11<sup>th</sup>.**

### February 21<sup>st</sup> – Birthday Party

Order your congregate meal by Wednesday, Feb 19<sup>th</sup>





MIAMI TOWNSHIP  
SENIOR CENTER  
TRAVEL CLUB  
2020-2021

YOUR TICKET TO FUN  
AND ADVENTURE



# **Niagara Falls & Toronto**

**June 8-12, 2020**  
**(Mon – Fri)**

**\$499**

**Per person, Double Occupancy**

- Motorcoach transportation
- 4 nights lodging
- 8 meals: 4 breakfasts and 4 dinners
- Guided tours of Niagara Falls and Toronto
- A visit to Casa Loma; Canada's most magnificent castle
- A visit to Niagara-on-the-Lake & Queen Victoria Park
- A journey to The Falls on a "Hornblower Niagara Cruise
- *and much more*

A \$75 deposit is due by January 3, 2020.

Final payment due March 16, 2020

*\*\*Passport needed\*\**

# Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, & Plymouth

**September 13 – 19, 2020**

**(Sunday – Saturday)**

**\$610**

**Per Person, Double Occupancy**

- Motorcoach transportation
- 6 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in the quaint Cape Cod area
- 10 meals: 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners
- A visit to lovely, artistic Martha's Vineyard
- A guided tour of the historic seaside towns of Hyannis and Sandwich
- A guided tour of the "Outer Cape", including Provincetown and Chatham
- A visit to Plymouth, MA and famous "Plymouth Rock"
- A visit to the JFK Museum and Sandwich Glass Museum
- *And much more*

A \$75 deposit is due by May 6, 2020

Final payment is due June 24<sup>th</sup>



# HAWAII

With Norwegian Cruises on The Pride  
of America

November 7-14, 2020

**8 Days/7 Nights**

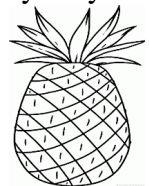
Inside Cabin Category IC \$3,647  
Inside Cabin Category IB \$3,817  
Balcony Cabin Category BB \$4,407  
Balcony Cabin Category BA \$4,677

Honolulu, Oahu  
Kahului, Maui  
Hilo & Kona, Hawaii  
Nawiliwili, Kauai

Rates are per person double occupancy and include roundtrip airfare from Cincinnati, cruise, port charges, government fees, taxes, and transfers to/from ship.

An initial deposit of \$350 per person double occupancy or \$700 per person single occupancy is required in order to secure reservations and assign cabins. Final payment is due by May 31<sup>st</sup>.

*Detailed flyers at the Center*



# VENICE TO ROME

## WITH OCEANIA CRUISES ON THE MARINA

OCTOBER 25 – NOVEMBER 4, 2020

11 Days/10 Nights

\*Escorted by Grand American Tours\*

Venice, Split, Croatia, Heraklion (Crete), Greece  
Ephesus (Kusadasi) Turkey, Santorini, Greece  
Messina Italy, Naples/Pompeii Italy  
Rome Italy

Balcony Cabin Category	B3	\$5,500
Balcony Cabin Category	B2	\$5,550
Balcony Cabin Category	B1	\$5,600
Concierge Balcony Cabin Category	A4	\$5,800
Concierge Balcony Cabin Category	A3	\$5,850

Rates are per person, double occupancy, and include round-trip airfare from Cincinnati.

An initial deposit of \$850 per person double occupancy or \$1700 per single occupancy is required in order to secure reservations and is due February 1, 2020. Final payment is due June 19, 2020

**\*\*PASSPORT IS REQUIRED\*\***

Detailed flyers are available at the Center

# **SOUTHERN CARIBBEAN**

WITH ROYAL CARIBBEAN  
CRUISE LINE ON THE  
GRANDEUR OF THE SEAS

13 DAYS/12 NIGHTS  
**FEBRUARY 6-18, 2021**

**Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas**  
**Philipsburg, St. Maarten**  
**Castries, St. Lucia**  
**Bridgetown, Barbados**  
**Basseterre, St. Kitts & Nevis**

Inside Cabin – 6V	\$1,078
Inside Cabin – 2V	\$1,098
Outside Cabin – 6N	\$1,308
Outside Cabin – 2N	\$1,358
Balcony Cabin – 4B*	\$3,505

Rates are per person double occupancy and include cruise, port charges and government fees.

An initial deposit of \$550 per person double occupancy or \$1100 per single occupancy is required in order to secure reservations. Final payment is due by October 1, 2020

**\*\*PASSPORT IS REQUIRED\*\***

Detailed flyers are available at the Center

**\*\*We will need our own transportation to ship\*\***

These trips are open  
to you, your family,  
friends and  
neighbors.

THE MORE THE  
MERRIER!!

*and  
so the  
adventure  
begins*

# *Places we have traveled...*

Nashville, Chicago  
Salem MA, Boston, Pigeon Forge,  
Gatlinburg  
England, Ireland, Scotland  
Bahamas, Miami, Port Canaveral, Parris  
Island  
Charleston, Savannah, St Simon Island,  
Jekyll Island, Biltmore, North Carolina  
Frankenmuth, MI  
Vincennes, IN  
New Orleans  
Alaska

More bus tours and cruises to come.  
Always check our newsletter for  
upcoming trips!

