

Senior Citizens Friendship Center

CARROLL COUNTY OHIO

PHONES WILL NOT BE ANSWERED FROM 11:30-12:30 DAILY DURING LUNCH TIME

FEBRUARY 2025

P.O. BOX 14 100 KENSINGTON ROAD NE CARROLLTON, OH 44615

CENTER INFORMATION

HOURS

Monday-Friday 8:00 am-4:00 pm

Contact

Phone: 330-627-7017 Fax: 330-476-6402

Email:

friendshipcenter@carrollcountyohio.us

HAPPY GROUND HOG DAY



HAPPY VALETINES DAY



02/17/2025 CLOSED FOR PRESIDENTS DAY



MEALS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR ABOVE CLOSURE



INSIDE OUR CENTER

CCCOA Information & Contact



CENTER INFORMATION

STAFF

Tonya Myers, Director Jenna Aukerman, Asst. Director Darcy Plunket-Office Administrator Aneissa Randal, Activities Instructor Heather Smalley, Wellness Worker Janice Nape, Head Cook Tiffany Myers, Asst. Cook Ma Custer-Kitchen Pam Amstutz-Kitchen Anitra Meek, Kitchen Rosemarie O'Donnell, Kitchen Macy Willis, Kitchen Samantha Leddy, Sub Tiffany Parker, HDM Manager Jordan Pittman, Utility Worker James Wood, Utility Worker Patty Babe, HDM Driver #1 Freda Luyster, HDM Driver #2 Brittany Loveless, HDM #3 Cassie Cogan, HDM Driver #4 Kasey Tolley, Utility Sub Carl Leonard, HDM Driver #5 Bob Holla, HDM Driver #6 Tom Barnett, HDM Sub Driver Mike McCartney, HDM Sub Driver Sue Miller, HDM Sub Driver Joe Stitt, Sub Driver

VOLUNTEERS

Jo Albright
Cathy Carlton
Barb Cronin
Amy Harkless
Theresa Kerstetter
Jo Rinkes
Jeanne Strawder
Donna Wey
Cindy Wood

Sandy Jones-Babe Marty Colaprete Kris DeWitt Greg Harkless Chuck Lutton Denny Roudebush Annette Welch Vi Williamson

HOME-DELIVERED MEALS

The same meal served at the Center is also available for individuals or couples through our home-delivered meals program. Individuals must be 60 years of age or older, homebound, and a Carroll County resident. Frozen meals are also available for the weekend for those who want them. Regulations forbid leaving meals in a cooler, but they may be left in a refrigerator. Please communicate with your driver about the

issue. Suggested donation is \$3.00 Payable to "Carroll County Council on Aging". Post-dated checks will not be



accepted. This is also a great opportunity for a daily wellness check for a loved one!

LEGAL ASSISTANCE GET YOUR APPT NOW!

Funds are provided to pay up to \$250 per household per year for a wide variety of legal services from participating Carroll County attorneys. There is an hourly fee cap for these services. This program is a first come first served basis until funds are exhausted. Please call the Friendship Center for information

THANK YOU TO OUR PARTICIPATING ATTORNEYS:

Kelly Broadwater Maureen Stoneman Kathy Stoneman Jennifer Thomas

CONGREGATE MEALS

CURBSIDE PICK-UP: DAILY 10:30AM IN-HOUSE DINING: DAILY 11:30 AM TIME SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO ROUTE CHANGES

MALVERN: DAILY 10:30 AM
121 W. WOOD ST MALVERN
SHERRODSVILLE: DAILY 10:30 AM
80 HILL DR SHERRODSVILLE
CALL TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION THE
DAY BEFORE OR BY 8:15 AM DAY OF SERVICE.

INFORMATION & REFERRAL

This service provides specific information as to the particular agency to call regarding certain needs you may have. The Center will assist in making appointments and will follow up to ensure your needs have been met. 330-627-7017

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Our Center is designed to promote socialization and stimulate mental, physical, and emotional health. With a wide array of options, every Senior should be able to find an activity to join in with! Call with any questions and we will introduce you to the activity to get you started.

WELCOME AND WELLNESS

We offer a supportive social structure with wellness employee, Heather Smalley. We are available through the week to provide positive interactions with seniors in Carroll County. Through on-going assessments and recurring home and telephone visitations, the program identifies client's unmet needs and offers ongoing assistance in securing access to appropriate health and social resources. Call in for more information at (330) 627-7017.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

FEBRUARY

Exercise Classes & Health News



COULD YOU USE OUR NUTRITIONAL AND AFFORDABLE MEALS FOR BETTER HEALTH?!? BUT YOU HAVE A LOT OF APPOINTMENTS AND/OR WORK SO THE DELIVERY OPTION IS HARD FOR YOU???

PLEASE CALL 330-627-7017 FOR CURBSIDE PICK UP INFORMATION IN YOUR AREA

Le Exercise Classes.

GERI-FIT

Come join licensed instructor Aneissa for weekly exercise that provides multiple health and emotional benefits! Tuesday & Thursday EARLY BIRDS: 8:30 AM-VIRTUAL

LATE FLIERS: 9:30AM

Hey Snowbirds & homebound clients!

We have a virtual exercise option! If you would like to know more...give us a call! 330-627-7017





PRO SENIORS



LEGAL
HELPLINE
1-800-488-6070
CALL FOR ANY LEGAL SERVICE
NEEDS OR QUESTIONS

CAREGIVERS GROUP

A virtual meeting will be held on every 3rd Monday of the month. Call to register today!

Register at: 1(800)945-4250





SORRY!!! OUR CAFE WILL CLOSE IN 2025!!

SENIORS WILL HAVE A GRILLED CHEESE OPTION FOR LUNCH DAILY

Watch for our Meals on Wheels Fundraisers Quarterly in 2025!!!

GROCERY ORDERING

If going to the store is becoming a challenge, let us help! Call the center and give us your grocery list with either Sanders or Discount Drug Mart. Prescription pickups at either Discount Drug Mart.

Order Monday and Wednesday Shopping is Tuesday and Thursday





AULTMAN

Come Visit RN CATHY on 02/11/25 starting at 10:30

for Health education and blood pressure screening.

BOOST/ENSURE

DUE TO SUPPLY CHAIN ISSUES
PLEASE CALL FOR INVENTORY AND
PRICING. WE WILL CONTINUE TO
PURCHASE AT THE BEST RATE POSSIBLE AND OFFER YOU THE BEST
DEALS DAILY! 330.627.7017

GLUCOSE \$33 BOOST PLUS \$27 REGULAR \$25 ENSURE \$27

LINE DANCING

Line dancing classes are held each Wednesday at the Carrollton Friendship Center. Beginners to advanced are welcome! Come join Sue Frase and the dancers for a fun time!

Wednesday 8:30-10:30

SENIOR DRUMMING

New exercise class for all skill levels using music, memory, and motion creating a fun social atmosphere.

Monday 12:30-1:00 NEW!!! Wednesday 9:00-9:30am

Matter of Balance

MOB is specifically designed to reduce the fear of falling and improve activity levels.

The program includes eight two-hour classes. Participants learn the importance of exercise in preventing



MAGING CONCERNS ABOUT FALLS

falls and practices to improve strength, coordination, and balance.

NOW TAKING SIGN UPS FOR SPRING

EXERCISE ROOM IS OPEN ANY TIME DURING BUSINESS HOURS IF YOU OR A SMALL GROUP WANT TO DO A TV WORKOUT VIDEO...JUST ASK!

ACTIVITIES

\$\$MONEY-MONEY-MONEY\$\$



INCREASE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 8 YEARS
SUGGESTED MEAL DONATION = \$3.00/MEAL
\$4.00 ON BIRTHDAY DINNER

SOUPS & SWEETS
STAFF VALENTINES FUNDRAISER
FOR MEALS ON WHEELS



"SHARE THE LOVE"

FRIDAY 2/14/25 10AM TO 2 PM

FRIENDSHIP CENTER DINING ROOM

COMMITTEE OPPORTUNITY!!!

IF YOU HAVE INTEREST OR AN OPINION ABOUT OUR MEALS OR ACTIVITIES PLEASE FEEL FREE TO ATTEND OUR COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR SUGGESTIONS. THE LAST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 9:30 AND 10:00AM



The grant we used for CRAFTS is completed. Starting March 2025 we will be posting the CRAFT and PRICE in the newsletter and you will be responsible for the entire cost at time of RSVP.

Thank you for understanding!!!

Birthday Celebration

Every **2nd Tuesday** of the month come join us for our Birthday Celebration! We will celebrate ALL birthdays for the month. Our oldest birthday attendee will receive a flower. Suggested donation for the Birthday dinner is \$3.00.

This month's birthday lunch will be **FEBRUARY 11TH, 2025 AT 11:30AM FOLLOWING LUNCH: SOCIAL MEDIA WORKSHOP WITH JORDAN/TIK TOK VIDEO**

FREE COFFEE TIME

We offer free coffee every morning from 8:00-9:00 AM. Fridays will include a light breakfast in the large dining room! Please stop by for a bite to eat, some conversation, and a look at the morning paper.

BINGO & ACTIVITIES WITH PRIZES

Come join in for an after lunch BINGO game! We appreciate our generous sponsors for providing the time and prizes: Arbors, Traditions Hospice, Summa, Crossroads, and The Friendship Center. Thank you to our sponsors!!

BRIDGE / EUCHRE/ GAMES DAILY 1-3 PM

Come in and socialize around a card table! We provide the table & treats.

Start coming for game day to socialize around the table and have a few laughs!

Featured game is Very Sorry, but other suggestions are welcome! Bring a game & your friends. Bridge on Thursday.

CARDS WITH THE COOK

Come play "Show me the Friend" after lunch with our head cook! This month it will be the 1st Tuesday of the month! It's like bingo, but with cards! Prizes will be given.

CRAFT

On the 2nd Wednesday of each month, 4th Street Art hosts a build your own craft. The craft is made for everyone, whether you are "crafty" or not. **FEBRUARY 12TH @ 10:00 AM**

LENDING LIBRARY & BOOKMOBILE

Keep your mind sharp and sit down with a good book! We always provide a rotating Lending library stocked with multiple genres. Come in and borrow a book and return when you're finished! No rush or deadlines. Can't find something? No problem, the **BOOKMOBILE** visits from the Carroll County District Library at Carrollton and Malvern with fun reads. Carrollton: Wednesdays 10:50-11:15AM, Sherrodsville: Wednesdays 11:00-11:45AM, Malvern: Thursdays 11:45-12:30PM

MOVIE TIME-AT YOUR REQUEST (Mon-Thurs)

RAINY DAY AND YOU NEED SOMETHING TO DO?!?! Come in and ask us to set up the tv for a NEW or OLD Movies played at your request or we can find you one!

SENIOR MUSIC NIGHT "MUSIC FOR MEALS"

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening of the month from 6PM-9PM musicians come together for open Mic night and dancing. You can sign up to sing or come in to simply enjoy the entertainment. Coffee and punch will be provided. There will be a 50/50 raffle with all donations going to home-delivered meals for seniors in need!

Social room open for cards and games 6-8 PM.
SUSPENDED IN! WILL RESTART IN MARCH 2025

SEWING QUILTERS GUILD

Meets 2nd Tuesday of Month.

TV CLUB OR MOVIE OF THE WEEK

Join in a group setting to continuously watch a featured show together. Enjoy snacks and conversations! **VIRGIN RIVER IS BACK**

Wii BOWLING OPEN Wii ANYTIME- TENNIS, BOWLING, JUST DANCE, FAMILY FUED ***Get a group together on Monday's at 10am***

DID YOU KNOW?

Here is the QR code for virtual for exercise



OR TYPE IN THE DIRECT LINK BELOW IN YOUR BROWSER:

https://us05web.zoom.us/j/89641279131? pwd=qMWYPdgllyopdGZNRb3JW62feKy3eq.1

OR GO TO ZOOM.COM AND TYPE IN THE INFORMATION BELOW:

Meeting ID: 89641279131

Passcode: 686466



SUPPER CLUB

WILL BE ON YOUR OWN FOR THE
WINTER MONTHS!!!
MAKE PLANS WITH YOUR FC
FRIENDS !!! WATCH FACEBOOK FOR
UPDATES

THESE SENIOR SERVICES ARE PROVIDED IN PART BY THE OHIO DEPARTMENT ON AGING THROUGH AREA AGENCY ON AGING REGION 9 AND CARROLL COUNTY LEVY FUNDS FOR NON-MEDICAID CLIENTS





Carroll County Transit provides transportation in the village of Carrollton and outside of Carroll County.

- ALL MEDICAID Clients PLEASE CALL 330-627-2571 to schedule a ride.
- Seniors who reside within the Village of Carrollton, and over 60, please call Transit at 330-627-1900 to schedule village to village transportation for medical and/or errands.
- For seniors traveling outside of the Village of Carrollton and over 60, please call Senior Friendship Center at 330-627-7017 to schedule a ride.
- It is your responsibility to notify transit no later than (two) 2 hours prior to your scheduled pick-up time if you need to cancel your transportation.

TRANSIT SCHEDULING TIPS

CALL AND SCHEDULE AS SOON AS YOU KNOW ABOUT AN UPCOMING APPOINTMENT—THE SOONER THE BETTER, NO LATER THAN 3 BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR APPOINTMENT IS A REQUIREMENT BY TRANSIT.

BEFORE CALLING THE FRIENDSHIP CENTER TO SCHEDULE YOUR APPT. YOU WILL NEED TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION: WHERE YOUR APPOINTMENT IS (INCLUDING FACILITY NAME AND DOCTORS NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER,), APPOINTMENT DATE, TIME, AND ESTIMATED LENGTH OF APPOINTMENT.. **IF YOU HAVE AN AIDE GOING YOU WILL ALSO NEED THEIR NAME, DATE OF BIRTH, PHONE NUMBER, AND ADDRESS.

- IF YOU HAVE AN APPOINTMENT OUT OF TOWN TRY SCHEDULING IT BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9:30 AM-2:30 PM MONDAY-FRIDAY.
- NEED ASSISTANCE TO AN APPOINTMENT OR THE STORE, BRING ALONG AN AIDE, FRIEND, OR FAMILY MEMBER TO HELP. THEY RIDE FREE OF CHARGE, JUST LET SCHEDULER KNOW SO WE CAN ENSURE THERE IS ROOM.

Changes may be coming in 2025 due to INCREASED COSTS, PLEASE plan trips accordingly. ALWAYS have a back-up plan!!! Please ask FAMILY to help when possible.

CARROLL CO COUNCIL ON AGING

Meeting is the first Thursday of the month.

The Carroll County Council on Aging Board meets the 1st Thursday of each month at 9:30 AM at the Friendship Center. The next meeting will be held **FEBRUARY 6TH, 2025.** These are open to the public and we encourage your participation. NEW OFFIC-ERS STARTING 02/01/2025: President -Bob Herron, Vice President-Elaine Myers, Secretary-Rose Weiss, Treasurer-Amy Harkless, and 3 Trustees Doris Logan, Mark Spears, and Cindy Hervey

For your information

The Carroll County Council on Aging is a local, non-profit 501(C)(3), senior services provider serving Carroll County senior citizens aged sixty and older. Due to a growing need for senior based services and programs, the services provided include congregate meals, home delivered meals, transportation services, and more. Private, tax deductible contributions greatly assist us in providing reliable quality services to senior citizens living throughout Carroll County. We are asking for your help in continuing our services and programs by making a donation in support of our mission of serving seniors. Growing expenses require us to share this reminder about how crucial your donations are and how they go directly toward the mission of serving our senior citizens. Together we can better serve aging adults living here in our very own community, helping those who once operated our farms and factories, maintain an independent life in their own home as long as possible. Please remember the work of the Carroll County Council on Aging in all your giving, in the structure of your will, and when memorials are appropriated. Your gifts will aid and assist many and will be

appreciated for years to come by a senior population in need of a helping hand to remain independent and in their own home as long as possible. Thank you!

SOCIAL SECURITY AND MEDICARE

The New Philadelphia Social Security Office is located at 1260 Monroe St., Suite 1C and can be reached at 1-866-731-4236. The Steubenville Office is located at 500 Market St. on the 4th floor and the number is 1-866-253-6889. The Medicare number is 1-800-633-4227.

Golden Buckeye Cards

Applications are available at the Senior Center. You must present proof of identity and age (60 or older). Suitable forms of ID include a driver's license or birth certificate.



Call for more info! 330-627-7017

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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