



# The Senior Buzz

NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY/MARCH 2025



Mayor Jensen

Dear Seniors,

Happy New Year and welcome to 2025! As we step into this new year, it's a time for fresh starts, new beginnings, and opportunities for growth. This sentiment rings true not only for us as individuals but for our Senior Center as well.

In 2025, we are excited to embark on a journey of improvement. We are dedicated to introducing new programs and events that will enrich your lives and provide new opportunities for fun, connection, and learning. Our goal is to create an environment where every senior can feel supported, valued, and engaged.

I want to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for being such an important part of our community. Together, we will make 2025 a year of growth, health, and happiness. I look forward to seeing all the wonderful things we will accomplish together in this exciting new year.

Wishing you all the best for a happy and healthy 2025!

Bryan K. Jensen

## Special Thanks to the following for donating raffle items for our Annual Holiday Party!

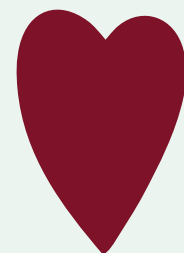
Home Instead Senior Care  
O'Neill Healthcare  
Embassy of Rockport  
Nivalis Health  
Infinite Helping Hands  
Rose Senior Living  
Declutter with Devon LLC  
Seniors Helping Seniors

My New Villa  
Craig Snodgrass & LC Auditor's Office  
(Dessert)  
Craig Witherspoon (Entertainment)  
Svette Signers (Entertainment)  
Avon Senior Center Staff  
Mayor Bryan Jensen

## You're Invited:

### BE MY VALENTINE SWEETHEART SOCIAL

THURSDAY  
FEBRUARY 13  
AT 1:00PM



### MARDI GRAS/ FAT TUESDAY CELEBRATION

TUESDAY,  
MARCH 4  
AT 11:00AM





## Winter Hours & Cold Weather Reminders

- If the weather is very bad, we will cancel all Senior Center activities for the day.
- We do NOT follow the Avon Schools snow policy.
- For folks who are newsletter or e-newsletter subscribers, you will receive an automated phone call indicating that the Senior Center is closed.
- Senior Center staff will be in the office (if possible) as soon as we are able.
- Transportation services and/or trips will run if road conditions are deemed safe.
- Things happen; in the event of phone or technical issues with the automated system, please exercise caution and common sense before leaving the house in inclement weather.

### Subscription Information

- The newsletter subscription fee for 2025 is \$15/household. Subscriptions are on a 12-month renewal.
- The mailing label on your newsletter will show your expiration date.
- Folks wanting a single issue or replacement copy of the newsletter — individual printed copies are available at the Reception Desk for \$2.
- Those wanting the newsletter emailed can subscribe to our e-newsletter for free.
- There is no form to fill out for newsletter subscriptions. Just stop in or mail a check for \$15, payable to **City of Avon** and write “newsletter” on the memo line. Credit card payments also accepted.

### Important Information

According to food service guidelines from the Lorain County Health Department, the City of Avon Senior Center is prohibited from having patrons take prepared food home from our facility. There are no exceptions.



**Lorain County  
Public Health**  
For the Health of Us All

### Lock Boxes

Lock box applications are available at the Senior Center. After your application is processed, the Fire Department will contact you for installation. The cost is \$35.

### Durable Medical Equipment Loans

Avon residents can borrow donated medical equipment on a short-term, temporary basis while recuperating from surgery or an injury. **A security/damage deposit per item is required.** Wheelchairs, transport chairs and rollators require a **\$100 deposit**, and all other equipment is **\$40**. Deposits are refunded after equipment is returned in the same condition as when it was loaned. Items kept longer than 3 months forfeit security deposit. Residents must call the senior center to check inventory. No drop-ins. **For those outside of Avon:** *Neighborhood Alliance offers medical equipment rental for Lorain County residents. Call 440-233-8768 for info.*



**PLEASE REMEMBER TO CHECK IN WITH YOUR KEY TAG AT THE KIOSK EVERY TIME YOU ENTER THE BUILDING. THIS HELPS US KEEP TRACK OF ATTENDANCE AND INTEREST IN PROGRAMMING!**

## RESOURCE SPOTLIGHT:

## Alzheimer's Association



The Alzheimer's Association Cleveland Area Chapter provides free care and support services to individuals and families living in Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake and Lorain counties. Support and resources for individuals who have been diagnosed with Alzheimer's or another dementia include knowing what to expect, programs and support, living well, and planning for the future. Caregiver support and resources include care options, stages and behaviors, caregiver health, and daily care. Some programs and services offered by the Alzheimer's Association include:

- Alzheimer's and Dementia Support Groups (in person & virtual)
- Education Programs (online)
- Dementia Care Coaching
- Direct Connect Rapid Referral
- The Jan & Josephine Castora Family Caregiver Relief Program

**For additional information or if you need assistance, contact the Alzheimer's Association at 216-342-5556 or 800-272-3900 (24/7 helpline) or visit [alz.org/Cleveland](https://alz.org/Cleveland).**

## EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT:

## Karen Reppucci, Activity Planner



*Karen Reppucci*

Karen Reppucci has been the City of Avon Senior Center Activity Planner since October of 2020 after leaving her job of 16 years in healthcare as an activity director. She came to our center during Covid and helped provide drive by events and check in on Senior Center members. Since Covid, Karen has brought educational and fun activities and events that are inviting for adults 55+. Karen is always planning the next fun event, trip or program.

Karen and her husband will celebrate 45 years of marriage in September and he still gives her butterflies! They have a daughter who is an Avon teacher. Karen is excited to become a first time grandmother in April!

Karen works with a fantastic team that helps her brainstorm and implement future activities and events. The seniors are the best part of her job. She could not be happier in her role and is so grateful for the opportunity to work at the Avon Senior Center.

Thank you so much Karen for all that you do for the seniors in Avon!

## Lorain County Senior Network



# Here's What's Going On At The Center...

## REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

|            |                                |         |                  |                                        |      |
|------------|--------------------------------|---------|------------------|----------------------------------------|------|
| MONDAYS    | Chair Yoga                     | 9AM     | SILVER SNEAKERS  | Monday, Wednesday & Friday             | 10AM |
|            | Pinochle                       | 1PM     | COFFEE & DONUTS  | 1st & 3rd Thursday                     | 10AM |
| TUESDAYS   | Beginner Mahjong               | 10AM    | BOOK CLUB        | 2nd Thursday                           | 10AM |
| WEDNESDAYS | Paint<br>(1st & 3rd Wednesday) | 10AM    | MOVIE DAY        | 1st & 3rd Friday                       | 1PM  |
|            | Mahjong                        | 12:30PM | JIGSAW PUZZLES   | Ongoing                                |      |
| THURSDAYS  | Cards                          | 12:30PM | CHAIR VOLLEYBALL | 1st & 3rd Wednesday<br>(sometimes 5th) | 1PM  |

## BINGO

1:00PM \*

### February

Wednesday, February 12

Wednesday, February 26

### March

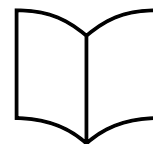
Wednesday, March 12

Wednesday, March 26

\* Please RSVP for each Bingo event no later than 2 days prior.

*Sponsored by The Northridge Health Center, the Woods on French Creek will be on site for blood pressure checks.*

## Second Thursday Book Club



10AM – 11AM \*

We'll read a book every month and discuss it together.

### February

*The Housemaid is Watching* by Freida McFadden

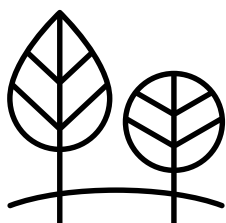
### March

*The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah

### April

*A New Earth: Awakening to Your Life's Purpose*  
by Eckhart Tolle

\* Please RSVP before each book club meeting.



## Parks & Rec

There are a lot of great programs through our Parks and Recreation Department. Residents can choose from a variety of classes and programs like yoga, performing arts, dance, basketball, and much more. For an up to date list of programs for grandkids and families, please scan QR code.





# FEBRUARY

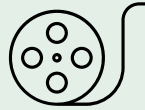
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| 23                       | 24<br>9AM Chair Yoga<br>10AM Silver Sneakers<br>1PM Pinochle<br>3:15PM-4PM Tech Support w/ Sam | 25<br>10AM Beg. Mahjong<br>1PM Birthday Celebration | 26<br>10AM Silver Sneakers<br>11AM-1PM Tech Support w/ Dan<br>12:30PM Mahjong<br>1PM Bingo                                   | 27<br>12:30PM Cards                                                                             | 28<br>10AM Silver Sneakers              |     |

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## Movie Fridays

1ST & 3RD FRIDAY, 1:00PM



### Friday, February 7

**Something Borrowed** — Though Rachel (Ginnifer Goodwin) is a successful attorney and a loyal, generous friend, she is still single. After one drink too many at her 30th-birthday celebration, Rachel unexpectedly falls into bed with her longtime crush, Dex -- who happens to be engaged to her best friend, Darcy (Kate Hudson). Ramifications of the liaison threaten to destroy the women's lifelong friendship, while Ethan (John Krasinski), Rachel's confidant, harbors a potentially explosive secret of his own. PG-13 (1HR 52MIN)

### Friday, February 21

**Love Happens** — Dr. Burke Ryan (Aaron Eckhart) is a self-help guru who is on the verge of a lucrative multi-media deal. But there's a problem: though he advises his patients to confront their pain, Burke has never come to terms with his wife's death. Eloise Chandler (Jennifer Aniston) has had enough of men and dating and is busy concentrating on her floral business. When they meet, Burke and Eloise feel an instant attraction but wonder if they'll be able to let go of their painful pasts and embrace the future. PG-13 (1HR 49MIN)

### Friday, March 7

**Carry-On** — A young airline security guard is blackmailed by a mysterious passenger who threatens to smuggle a dangerous package onto a plane on Christmas Eve. PG-13 (1HR 59MIN)

### Friday, March 21

**It Ends with Us** — Lily Bloom moves to Boston to chase her lifelong dream of opening her own business. A chance meeting with charming neurosurgeon Ryle Kincaid soon sparks an intense connection, but as the two fall deeply in love, she begins to see sides of Ryle that remind her of her parents' relationship. When Lily's first love, Atlas Corrigan, suddenly reenters her life, her relationship with Ryle gets upended, leaving her with an impossible choice. PG-13 (2HR 10MIN)

- Seating is limited — please RSVP for movies.
- You must be present and seated no later than 12:55 PM or you forfeit your seat to a walk-in.
- To prevent disruptions, no one will be admitted into the movie after 1:05 PM.

*Snack sponsored by Embassy of Rockport*

## Programs

### Technology Support with Sam

3:15PM-4:00PM

Wednesday, February 12

Monday, February 24

Monday, March 17 & 24

### Technology Support with Dan

11:00AM-1:00PM

Wednesday, February 12 & 26

Wednesday, March 12 & 26

Join Sam Cecil and Dan White, technology support volunteers, who will help answer your questions related to your electronic devices (cell phone, iPad, tablet, laptop, etc.).

There is no cost for this service. No need to RSVP.

### Monthly Discussion Group with Carrie

10:30AM

Thursday, February 20

Protecting Yourself from Scams

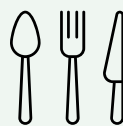
Thursday, March 20

Depression in Older Adults

Group discussion facilitated by Staff Social Worker, Carrie Rae.

RSVP by the day before the group to 440-934-2417.

## Senior Supper Club



Seniors can eat at the cafeteria of St. John Medical Center's Terrace View Café for a discount. Anyone over 60 can pick up a card from the front desk and receive a 40% discount on all food items (except bottle beverages and "Simply to Go" items). There is a \$10 limit.

# Events Calendar

## February

### 4 Tuesday

#### BACKSEAT TRAVELS NATURE PAM

1:00PM

Nature Pam will take us on a journey to Yellowstone National Park with her program Yellowstone: Hooves, Paws & Claws. Yellowstone has the largest concentration of mammals in the lower 48. Bison, elk, wolves, bears and bighorn sheep all reside there. Sign up to attend and find out more about the animals of Yellowstone. *Nature Pam includes photojournalism, personal experiences and historical facts in her slideshow presentations that explore our national treasures.*

**Deadline:** January 28

### 6 Thursday

#### SOUP-ER BOWL LUNCHEON

11:30AM

Join us for food, friends, fun & football! We will be hosting a "Soup-er Bowl" luncheon. Luncheon kicks off at 11:30AM. Join in the excitement of the "big game" and wear your favorite football jersey.

**Cost:** \$10/person

**Deadline:** January 30

*Thank you to our soup sponsors The Woods on French Creek, Home Instead, and O'Neill HC.*

### 13 Thursday

#### RESILIENCY BUILDERS- THINGS TO DO TO HELP ONESELF THROUGH DIFFICULT TIMES

10:00AM

"Sweet Talk with Bob" is part of Far West Center's Senior Strong Program. Bob Piovarchy will present ways to manage challenges seniors face and identify healthy coping options. Sweet treats provided. Senior Strong's goal is to inform and increase awareness of challenges the older adult community faces, improve coping skills to better manage the stressors of aging, and to increase a sense of belonging and contribution in the community. Come and enjoy some educational information and a sweet treat to help improve your life and enhance your mental health.

**RSVP BY:** February 6

### 13 Thursday

#### BE MY VALENTINE SWEETHEART SOCIAL

1:00PM



Join us for a "hopelessly romantic" sweetheart social. We will enjoy a delicious slice of cheesecake topped with sweetened strawberries and a "kiss" of whipped topping! We will enjoy

reminiscing to a medley of love songs by our very own Gene Braden and his delightful "rowdy" Caroline.

**Cost:** \$5/person

**Deadline:** February 6

*Sponsored by O'Neill Healthcare.*

### 20 Thursday

#### GOLD & SILVER EVENT

10:00AM-1:00PM

Bring your items and get a price on jewelry, diamonds, or flatware that you no longer want. Gold & Silver Events is a reputable precious metals dealer that specializes in senior centers, home parties, and school fundraisers. No obligation to sell! If you have any questions, please call Sheila Wayne at 440-725-9100.

**Call the Senior Center to make an appointment and walk-ins are welcome.**

### 25 Tuesday

#### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

1:00PM



Music & trivia provided by DJ Chop (aka Gary Chopinski).

**Cost:** \$5/person

**Deadline:** February 18

*Sponsored by Infinite Helping Hands.*



## March

### 4 Tuesday

#### MARDI GRAS/FAT TUESDAY CELEBRATION

11:00AM

"Laissez Les Bon Temps Rouler" Join us for Mardi Gras celebration!

We will have a pancake, sausage, fresh fruit breakfast & beverage bar. Entertainment by Patrick Jensen. Limited Seating.

**Cost:** \$10/person

**Deadline:** February 25

*Co-sponsored by O'Neill Healthcare.*

### 13 Thursday

#### CHALLENGING ONE'S THOUGHTS TO PROMOTE HEALTHY THOUGHT PATTERNS

10:00AM

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**RSVP BY:** March 6

### 13 Thursday

#### "LUCK OF THE IRISH" MEET & EAT AT JOE'S DELI

11:00AM-1:00PM

Back by popular demand & as luck would have it, we are headed to Joes Deli to celebrate everyone being Irish! Please remember to tip your servers. *\*This is not a bus trip – meet at the restaurant.*

**Cost:** Reservation deposit of \$5/person payable in cash, which will be returned upon arrival at the restaurant.

**Deadline:** March 8. Space is limited.

### 18 Tuesday

#### JACK CLEVELAND CASINO – DOWNTOWN

10AM-3:30PM

Feeling Lucky? We're heading to Jack Casino in Cleveland. We will leave the Senior Center at 10AM and drop you off at the door of the casino. You will have all day to have lunch and try your luck at slots, video poker, roulette, blackjack etc. Enjoy lunch at an eatery of your choice. Hours & availability will vary. We will pick everyone up around 3:00pm to head back to the Senior Center.

**Cost:** \$10/person

**Deadline:** March 11

### 25 Tuesday

#### "TALK OF A LIFETIME"

10:00AM

**Sally Tomko, Director of Provider Relations**

#### Infinite Helping Hands

Our lives are tapestries of experiences. The landmark events like graduation, first jobs, marriages and the birth of children stand out in our memories. Yet, it's the everyday encounters and the people we meet that truly define us. These interactions shape our values and our essence. While we may be familiar with the significant events in our lives, the smaller moments that influenced them often remain unknown to our loved ones. Engaging in conversations about our life stories can deepen our connections, revealing the events, people and values that have left an indelible mark on our hearts. Join us to learn how you can start your own "Talk of a Lifetime".

**Deadline:** March 18

### 27 Thursday

#### HANNA THEATER

10:00AM

**Twelfth Night – Shakespeare Romantic Comedy**

**BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE**

**Directed by Sara Bruner**

A shipwreck throws lives into disarray, where mistaken identities lead to hilarious havoc and unexpected connections. Viola, stranded and disguised as a boy, falls for the Duke, who pines for Olivia. However, Olivia, in mourning, finds herself smitten with Viola, setting off a comical chain of romantic entanglements. This delightful gem brims with wit, wordplay and whimsy to tell a timeless tale of love, loss and the joyous absurdity of life.

**Cost:** \$35/person

**Deadline:** February 24

## Events Calendar (continued)

**28** *Friday*

**PODIATRIST**  
**11:00AM**

Dr. Hosking will be here for those wanting foot care.

**Pre-registration REQUIRED**

Call Dr. Hosking's office at 440-282-1312.

*April*

**15** *Tuesday*

**JACK THISTLEDOWN RACINO – NORTH RANDALL**  
**10:00AM-3:30PM**

Feeling Lucky? We're heading to Jack Thistledown Racino. We will leave the Senior Center at 10am and drop you off at the door of the casino. You will have all day to have lunch and try your luck at slots, video poker, roulette, blackjack etc.

Enjoy lunch at an eatery of your choice. Hours & availability will vary. We will pick everyone up around 3:00pm to head back to the Senior Center.

**Cost:** \$10/person

**Deadline:** April 8

## Save the Dates:

*Wednesday, May 14*

**GUARDIANS GAME**

*Thursday, July 24*

**GUARDIANS GAME**

**REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY FOR PROGRAMS, EVENTS AND TRIPS:** Programs may be cancelled and refunded if minimum participation is not met. If you paid for a program but need to cancel, you may receive a refund if you cancel before the "registration deadline" listed in the newsletter for that event or trip (if over \$5). Refunds for \$5.00 or less will not be processed. After the "registration deadline" date we are unable to process refunds unless there is a wait list and the spot is filled and paid for by another patron. Trip refund and cancellation policy is 30 days before the date of trip unless otherwise stated. **Trips are noted with return times as accurately as possible, with information supplied by the contact at host locations. Things happen — Please be flexible. We apologize in advance if the return time of a trip runs later than expected.**

## Avon Senior Center Holiday Party





## Holiday Wreath Craft



## Leaf Rake Up 2024



## Silver Sneakers



## Pine Tree Barn





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### Avon Senior Center Staff

|                  |                                                                                                                     |
|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mayor            | <b>Bryan K. Jensen</b>                                                                                              |
| Activity Planner | <b>Karen Reppucci</b><br>440-934-6452<br>kreppucci@cityofavon.com                                                   |
| Transportation   | <b>Caryn Tovtin</b><br>440-934-7433 (RIDE)<br>ctovtin@cityofavon.com                                                |
| Receptionist     | <b>Sandy Palmieri</b><br>440-934-2417<br>spalmieri@cityofavon.com                                                   |
| Social Worker    | <b>Carrie Rae</b><br>440-934-7975<br>crae@cityofavon.com                                                            |
| Drivers          | <b>Bret Bartolovich, Bob Broberg,<br/>Terri Griffore Pam Kelly, Mike Kerecz,<br/>Toni Konowal, Michele Richards</b> |
| Event Set-Up     | <b>Michelle Wintrose</b>                                                                                            |
| Trip Escort      | <b>Nancy Gelston</b>                                                                                                |

### City of Avon

|                         |                                        |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Avon Parks & Rec. Dept. | 440-937-6106                           |
| Avon Senior Center      | 440-934-2417                           |
| City Hall               | 440-937-7800                           |
| Fire Dept.              | 440-934-1222 <i>Non-Emergency Line</i> |
| Police Dept.            | 440-934-1234 <i>Non-Emergency Line</i> |
| Service Department      | 440-937-5729                           |
| Utilities Department    | 440-937-5740                           |

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## Thank you

Thank you so much to Cindy Alspach, Tari Belpulsi, and the employees of Aircraft Wheel and Brake by Kaman (located in Avon), for sponsoring 2 of our seniors during the holiday season. We truly appreciate your kindness and thoughtfulness as you made the holidays brighter for our seniors with your generosity. Thank you!

