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Our Mission : The Leicester Senior Center enriches the lives of the seniors by providing opportunities of volunteerism, education, recreation and social engagement

## **JUNE 2017**



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#### THANKS

As your professional journey in Leicester ends and another begins in Shrewsbury the Leicester sen-

iors wish you success and happiness. We all thank you for being a presence at our monthly breakfasts and "Chat with Kevin."

## **COMING ATTRACTIONS**

FABRINA FELICIANO GUEST SPEAKER ON SOCIAL SECURITY JUNE 6 10:30 A.M.



Call for reservations. \$3.00 per person



Senator Michael Moore will be here on Monday June 26 at 12:30 p.m. to hold an icecream social. If you plan on having lunch on that day please call Donna at 508-892-7016.

#### PREMIER ENTERTAINMENT



NAME THE TV THEME on JUNE 14 at 10:30 a.m. Call Donna if you want lunch

at 508-892-7016



Kevin Mizikar will be here at the senior center on June 14 at 9:00 a.m. for his last "Chat with Kevin".

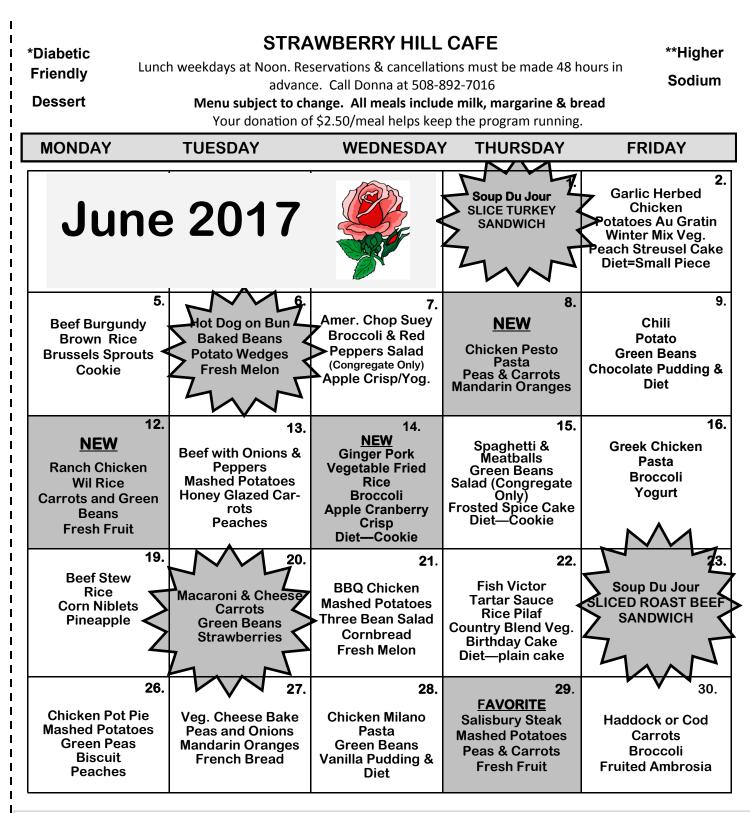
Please feel free to come by and bid him farewell. Call if you plan to attend at 508-892-7016. Coffee and donuts will be available.

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# **Fitter and the Senior** to Senior Prom



Thank you to Harry Brooks, Leicester High School Seniors and photographer Lee Whitney



#### TO CANCEL MEALS ON WHEELS YOU MUST CALL ELDER SERVICES OF WORCESTER AT 508-852-3205

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Calendar of Programs and Events				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
JUN	NE 20	17	1.8:00COA Board Meeting10:00Cribbage11:00Chair Yoga/Ann12:45Bingo	2. 10:00 AM to Noon– Drop in Coloring Session 10;30 Tai Chi 1:15 Chair Yoga with Jessica
5. 9:00 Art –Genevieve 10:00 Zumba Gold 10:00 Sen. Moore Office Hours 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 1:15 Line Dancing	6. 10:00 Senior Group 10:30 Sabrina Feliciano On Social Security 11:30 Golden Needles 1:00 Exercise 6:30 Fiber Group	7. 9:00 SHINE 10:30-11:30 Pen Pals Meet-Call Nancy Lamb Outreach Coordinator for more information 1:00 Balance	8. 10:00 Cribbage 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 12:45 Bingo	9. 10:00 AM to Noon– Drop in Coloring Session 10:30 Tai Chi 1:15 Chair Yoga with Jessica
12. 9:00 Art –Genevieve 10:00 Zumba Gold 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 1:15 Line Dancing	<ul><li>13.</li><li>11:30 Golden Needles</li><li>1:00 Exercise</li><li>6:30 Fiber Group</li></ul>	14. 9:00 a.m. Kevin Mizikar "Chat With Kevin" 10:30 a.m. Premier En- tertainment "Name that TV Theme" 1:00 Balance	<ul> <li>15.</li> <li>9:00 Fathers Day Senior Breakfast</li> <li>10:00 Cribbage</li> <li>11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann</li> <li>12:45 Bingo</li> </ul>	16. 10:00 AM to Noon– Drop in Coloring Session 10:30 Tai Chi 1:15 Chair Yoga with Jessica
19. 9:00 Art –Genevieve 10:00 Zumba Gold 10:30 SENATOR MOORE 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 1:15 Line Dancing	20. 10:00 Senior Group 11:00 Blood Pres- sure with Nurse Judy 11:30 Golden Needles 1:00 Exercise 6:30 Fiber Group	21. 10:00 a.m. Grief Session 1:00 Balance	22. 10:00 Cribbage 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 12:45 Bingo	23. 10:00 AM to Noon– Drop in Coloring Session 10:30 Tai Chi 1:15 Chair Yoga with Jessica
26. SENATOR MOORE ICE CREAM SOCIAL AT 12:30 P.M. 1:00 P.M. Book Club	27. 11:30 Golden Needles 1:00 Exercise 6:30 Fiber Group	28. 10:00 Make a Flower Pin Drop In 1:00 Balance	29. 10:00 Cribbage 11:00 Chair Yoga/Ann 12:45 Bingo	30. 10:00 AM to Noon– Drop in Coloring Session 10:30 Tai Chi 1:15 Chair Yoga with Jessica

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It is **JOYOUS JUNE**. For senior center staff it is a very busy month as we reconcile our books, prepare reports to our funding sources, create new spread sheets for next fiscal year based on budget appropriations and put together new color folders to hold senior center information, etc. For school kids, it means school is almost over, there are graduations and a time to celebrate as Summer is near. In other parts of the world, in the Southern Hemisphere school ends in January since for them Summer begins.

There are stories about this month called June. Thousands of years ago Ancient Romans named this month after the goddess **Juno**. It also comes from the word "juvenis" which means **Young People**. The month of June includes the custom of marriage "Marry in May and you'll surely rue the day. Marry when June roses grow and over land and sea you'll go."

June is Dairy, Great Outdoors , National Adopt-A-Cat, National Ice Tea, National Tennis, National Zoo and Aquarium Month. WOW!!

It is Fathers' Day month. If he is still here celebrate him. If he is no longer here remember him with great joy. We will be having our Father's Day breakfast on June 15 at 9:00 a.m. \$3 per person. Please call to reserve

#### **OUTREACH—LAMB BYTES**

I'm back again, aren't you lucky.



Remember to trot over to your favorite doughnut shop June 3rd and 4th-it's National Doughnut Weekend. If you eat the doughnuts with your eyes closed, that makes them calorie free. Ha! Ha!

The month of June is named after Juno—The Goddess of Marriage. The birth flowers are honeysuckle and the rose. Any takers for a Loveknot. If you like the colors red, green and yellow, you'd make a good hummingbird. They are attracted to these colors. A hummingbird can also fly backwards. Handy if you miss your turn and need to reverse direction. Oops!

The Senior Center continues in a forward direction. We now have a "drop-in" color group on Fridays, 10AM to 12:30PM. If you bring your favorite CD we'll play it king day fun.

Do you feel you could use some hints or relaxational techniques? Join us June 8th and listen to a presentation by Robert Harrington. Check the sign up sheet.

Come and meet Senator Moore 6/26 and enjoy some ice cream. Keep an eye on our sign up sheets in the reception area. You never know what may pop up!

We'll—guess it's about time for my "lamb shampoo" and to get my hooves polished. Stay frisky and healthy.

See you next month

#### Lambie Pie

#### Friends of the Leicester Senior Center Membership

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Note: Membership renews annually September 1

Name(s)

Street\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_State \_\_\_Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. No.\_\_\_\_

\$5 Individual

\$10 Couple

Payable to: Friends of the Leicester Senior Center. Mail to: 40 Winslow Ave. Leicester, MA 01524

Please note: THE ABOVE IS NOT A SUBSCRIPTION TO THE NEWSLETTER.

Renewals for the newsletter is on the back of the Newsletter and costs \$6 per year.

## REMINDER

The Senior Center will be closed on holidays during the summer months; Independence Day, July 4, and Labor Day, September 4.

#### Genevieve's Art Studio-

If you enjoy art or wish to learn call 508-892-7016. Classes are limited to 9 people so call early. \$20 for FOUR classes.

#### **Monthly Grief Session**

No Grief Sessions June, July and August

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**BOOK CLUB** On June 26 at 1:00 p.m. members of the Book Club meet at the Leicester Senior Center to discuss a book.. Please call the Senior Center to find out the book selection.

#### FRIDAY COLORING DROP-IN PROGRAM



**10:00 AM TO NOON** 

We supply the material ,the coloring pencils and markers. Bring your companionship and

good sense of imagination and fun!

#### **GOLDEN NEEDLES KNITTING**

MEETS EVERY TUESDAY AT 11:30 A.M. COME, STAY FOR LUNCH \$2.50. CALL ELDER SERVICES TO RE-SERVE YOUR LUNCH AT 508-852-3205.

We are in need of baby yarn.

**DR. LACONTE PODIATRY APPOINTMENTS** June 23, 2017 at the Leicester Senior Center. Call

508-752-9444 to schedule appointments or make any changes.

**FISH PROGRAM** - transportation for individuals to doctors' appointments only. FISH drivers stay with you at your appointment and return YOU home safely. Call Mary Johnson at 508-859-8308. **Need Drivers.** 

#### **UPCOMING TRIPS:**

- June 19 "Boston's Tall Ships", Boston Harbor, departs 8:00 AM, \$79 per person
- July 21 "Gloucester Lobster Cruise" departs 9:00 AM, \$89 per person.
- August 18 "Cape Cod & Bass River Tour, departs 8:30 AM, \$89 per person
- October 1-7 "Myrtle Beach Show Trip & Charleston, SC , departs 8:00 AM, \$600 per person, price based on double occupancy. \$75 due at upon signing.

Call Joan Wall for additional information at: 508-892-3967. Make all checks payable to her.

#### WRTA PARA TRANSIT WILL BE INCREASING THEIR FARES EFFECTIVE JULY IST. THE IN-CREASE WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE JULY NEWSLETTER.

#### WRTA NON ADA SERVICE



Service available for residents of Leicester age 60 or over, and under 60 with a Qualified Disability. **Call 508-752-9283** 48 hours in advance of a trip.

ONE WAY FARE			
In town			
\$1.25			
Out of Town			
\$1.50			



**CRIBBAGE WINNERS**: 5/4/17-First Place, James Durant, Second Place, Rose Kowal, Third Place Bob Tolman, 5/11/17, First Place, Rose Kowal Second Place, Nancy Willard Third Place, Theresa Kowal.



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DON'T FORGET TO RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION. CALL THE CENTER TO KNOW WHEN YOU LAST PAID. THANK YOU.

### STILL TIME TO SUBSCRIBE

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