

BUTLER COUNTY SENIOR SERVICE PROGRAM
NEWSLETTER 2019



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Memorials: In memory of Pauline Gustafson from the Gustafson family, Grubaugh family in memory of Gene Grubaugh, Morgan family in memory of Dorothy Morgan.

If we missed your name, please let us know and we will add your name to next month's list. You are a GREAT asset!!! You can volunteer and make a difference in someone's life. If you are interested in volunteering or donating, please contact Diana McDonald, for more information.

Butler County Transit Van: Operates every day the Butler County Senior Service Program is open. The van provides public transportation for all ages. The van travels to Lincoln, Omaha, Columbus, and surrounding towns, call for special rates. The hours are 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. Call Diana, Program Manager, at 402-367-6131 for an appointment. Please call at least one day in advance if possible. Busy Wheels: Also, operates every day the Butler County Senior Service Program is open. The van provides public transportation for all ages. The hours are 8:30 until 2:30 pm please call for an appointment one day in advance, if possible. This service is provided by great volunteers. Home delivered meals: Are delivered to persons who are physically unable to visit the Butler County Senior Services, due to illness, injury or disability. We have awesome volunteers that deliver these meals, for more information, please call Diana, Program Manager. Suggested contribution: \$3.75 if over 60; under 60 pays \$4.75. Congregate meals: Hot homemade meals are served at 12:00 Noon, five days a week; Monday – Friday on a reservation basis. People wishing to attend, can call or stop by the Butler County Senior Services by 9am the morning of. Suggested contribution: \$3.50 if over 60; under 60 pays \$4.50. Tuesday and Thursday we have salad bar. When there are two Entrée choices you need to sign up for your choice. Services are provided without regard to race, origin, age, sex or handicap. We are a multipurpose program. Call for reservations between 8am and 4pm. 402-367-6131 or 402-367-6132. For emergencies after hours, you can call our cell phone 402-270-4379.

Winter has arrived and we just want to remind everyone, that we will be **CLOSED** when school closes due to snow & ice. Please tune into your local radio and television stations to see school closings. If they have a late start; we will still be opened at our regular time.

Pitch night: Cards Tuesday evenings at 6:00 pm. Please sign up by noon the day of so we know if we will have enough people to make it worthwhile to open up. If you have any questions, please feel free to call. If you are not signed up and the decision has been made to cancel we will not be able to notify you.

Day's to remember: Accordion Day the 1st Friday of every month and Potato Bake Fundraiser the 2nd Thursday of every month. Alternative Hearing 9a.m. every 1st Tues & Beltone 2-4pm every 2nd Thurs. Free Blood Pressure checks by David Place 2nd Wednesday of every month from 11am-12 noon.

Speakers:

January 4th - 2:30 pm Prairie Village bringing snacks after Accordions

January 16th – Pot Luck – Bring your favorite dish to share with all

January 17th – David Place – Brain Trivia & Dessert

January 21st – Closed for Martin Luther King Jr Day

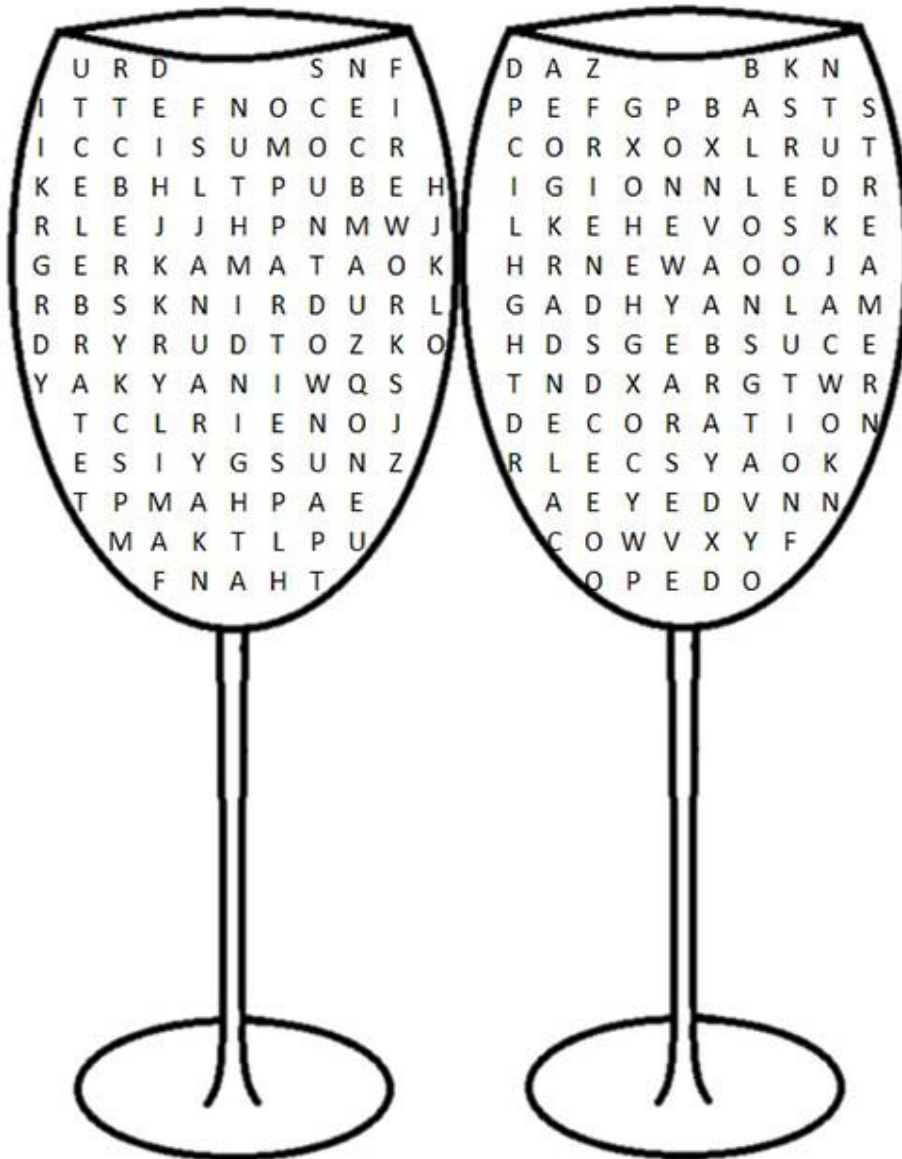
Tai Chi – CeCe Bechtel will be starting a 12 week Tai Chi class on January 9th. It is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday's and Friday's from 2-3pm. Class size is limited, so please sign up ahead of time.

Free groceries – Four Corners Health Department has coupons available for \$192 or more off of your groceries every year. Call 402-362-2621 to apply, reference to SNAP. There are no income guidelines, as long as you are over 60 years old.

Donations:

It has been suggested that we put an entry way on the East side of the building, like we have on the front. With our handicap entrance being on the Eastside, the door stays open longer, which in turn lets the heating and air escape. I will work on getting 3 bids so we have a better idea on how much money we need to raise. I talked to the Senior Advisory Board and it was suggested that we try and raise 50% of the cost and the Senior Center would pay the other 50%. Also, anyone that donates over \$100 will get their name put on a plaque that will be displayed in the dining room. Thanking you all in advance.





2016 Word Search

- BALLOONS
- CALENDAR
- CELEBRATE
- CONFETTI
- COUNT DOWN
- DECORATION
- DRINKS
- FAMILY
- FIREWORKS
- FRIENDS
- JANUARY
- MIDNIGHT
- MUSIC
- NEW YEARS EVE
- PARTIES
- RESOLUTION
- STREAMER

We would like to take a chance to thank everyone for their support throughout 2018. With our amazing volunteers and your support we have been able to make some improvements to the Senior Center. Your donations and continued support make our job easier. We look forward to serving you in 2019. We appreciate each and everyone one of you and we hope you enjoy the time you spend here at the Senior Center.

Happy New Year