

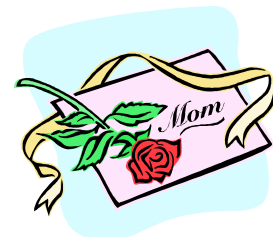
DALLAS AREA SENIORS NEWS

May 2007

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HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAY!



Hurray for May Flowers, Mothers and Happy Birthdays to:

Mary Davis	Sharon Eshelby	Nina Forsythe	Shirley Fulford
Hellen Hayward	Miki Higashi	Jim Hurst	Phil Kaltenbach
Lona Libolt	Dale Long	Dorothy Mason	Betty Krebs-Brennan
Mike McOwen	Karen Rempel	Fern Rogers	Jay Roy
Bertha Sloan	Ray Smith	Pearl Steffen	

ANNUAL GIGANTIC SENIOR CENTER RUMMAGE SALE MAY 16 & 17

Bring your friends to our Annual Gigantic Garage Sale Fundraiser which is slated for Friday and Saturday, May 16 & 17 from 8:30am-3pm at The Center. This year we have a storage unit for our donations, so bring them in! Questions? Contact Chairman Don Berg at 831-0690.

Old Time Fiddlers at the Civic Center

It's time once again for our Annual Concert by the Old Time Fiddlers, **Saturday, May 3 at 1pm**. Led by Lew Holt, this group, which may be as large as 25 players, are providing the concert free of charge. We will be selling cookies, coffee and other goodies at the concert as well. This is always a fun time.

MAY JAM SESSION

Our April Jam was really fun. We are hoping to make our May 22nd Jam Session the **BIGGEST** and **BEST** of the year, as the Jam may take a break for the summer. The Jam begins at 6:30pm, and is free, but donations are appreciated! Questions or requests, please call Michele at 503-623-2157.

MAY IS OLDER AMERICANS MONTH

We thought we would mention this in case you know an "older American" and might want to pass this information on, and celebrate being an Older American!

1st Anniversary of "You've Still Got It" On WEDNESDAY May 7

Who are the contestants for the 1st anniversary of "You've Still Got It"? Why Mayor Fairchild, of course! We will also finally have a chance to learn more about John and Shirley Braden. There may be another mystery guest; you'll have to come to find out! There will be a "potluck" style lunch, you bring the sides, and we'll bring the rest! We have changed the day to WEDNESDAY, May 7, so that we can free to enjoy the Perrydale "Spring Fling" on Thursday, May 8.

MAY TRIPS

The Annual Perrydale Spring Fling, Thursday, May 8, is our feature trip in May. The fee for this trip is **\$5.00**. This is a fun outing. The Perrydale students make and serve lunch, and will be entertaining with scenes from "Alice in Wonderland". The program begins at 12:30pm at Perrydale School. Our bus will leave at Noon, right after "You've Still Got It". Our monthly trip to Spirit Mountain Casino will be on Friday May 9. The bus fee will be \$5.00; Come join us! Sign up and pay for trips at the Center. We will leave Dallas at 10:30 and return about 2:30 from the casino.

Candy's Corner

We were very sad to learn that the City of Dallas has decided to eliminate our Activities Coordinator from their new Budget. Michele Campione has worked very hard to bring us together, to develop fun activities, and really put us on the map! If this happens, I will really miss her. I for one want Michele to stay with us. Her last day will be June 1.

BINGO, BUNCO and MORE!

Come on down for **Bingo on Friday, May 2!**

This will be the only Bingo in May, as the **Annual Rummage Sale Fundraiser will be at the Center on May 16 & 17.** We are so pleased to see so many folks coming to bingo. On May 2nd we will add a new feature, progressive black out pot. We will sell single tear sheet for \$1. If you bingo in 53 numbers you will win the pot, each time we play we will add one more number till the pot is won. A consolation prize will be given if nobody blacks out in the designated numbers. You must play the regular games to be eligible for the progressive game. So bring your dabbers with you on May 2nd, and a few extras if you have them till we get this thing rolling. Must be 18 to play. FUN FUN. See you there June and Sharon

Big Success with the Fabulous Breakfast!

Chair woman, June Krause, wants to extend her thanks to all the volunteers who worked so hard at our very successful Fabulous Breakfast on Saturday, April 5. Thanks also to those of you who came to the breakfast to support our center. We also want to thank our anonymous sponsor!

ARTS, CRAFTS and COMMERADERIE

Blanche Pryor is doing a great job putting together our crafting classes. This month, those who sign up for the project will be making Beaded Jewelry, necklaces and earrings. The jewelry projects will take both the **Tuesday, May 6** and **Tuesday, May 20th** to complete. Material fee is \$4.00 and covers both sessions. Sign up sheet is on the bulletin board.

MAY MONDAY MORNING MOVIE

Star Hepburn and Bogart in "African Queen"
Ship captain and drunkard Charlie Allnut (Humphrey Bogart), picks up Rose Sayer (Katharine Hepburn), the sister of a missionary, to take her back to civilization. Florence Hildebrande is making the soup, and Russ, as always, the bread for the Soup and Bread lunch that follows the movie. The movie and popcorn are free, Soup & Bread lunch \$2.

SIT DOWN AND REST THOSE FEET!

While visiting the Polk County Home and Garden Show, our center was awarded a FREE Medi-Rub Massager. It's that green footrest looking thing over in the couch area. Feel free to plug it in and use it. It even works with your shoes on! Thanks Medi-Rub Company!

GIFT OF MUSIC

Virginia Quigley's daughter has donated a very beautiful accordion to the center. We hope that folks might like to play it at the Jam, rather than having to lug their accordions down to the Center. Maybe we should find an accordion teacher to teach us how to play this lovely instrument!

DALLAS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AWARDS DAS \$3,500

At a ceremony in the library in April, the Dallas Area Seniors were awarded a grant from the Dallas Community Foundation of \$3,500. Our grant request said that we would spend this money on cordless microphones, a computer system, printer/copier and promotional materials. We bought one cordless microphone already and it really made the Jam Session even more fun! Thank you Dallas Community Foundation!


A Note From Michele

You all must know what an honor it has been to for me work with all of you, building programs and interest in the Dallas Senior Center. You have all taught me so much, and I am truly grateful to have spent this time working with you. You have changed my life. Thank you.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 1:00 p.m. Bridge	2 Pinochle 12:30 p.m. BINGO Doors Open 6:30pm Games 7pm	3 Old Time Fiddlers Concert 1pm at the Civic Center
4 	5 1pm Table Games	6 Hearing Aid Service 10:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. Craft and Sew "Beaded Necklaces 1" \$4 Supplies	7 <u>10am</u> "1 st Anniversary <u>You've Still Got It</u> " <u>With Mayor Fairchild</u> Pinochle 1:00 p.m.	8 <u>Depart for</u> <u>Perrydale</u> <u>Spring Fling at</u> <u>Noon</u> \$5 Bus Fare 1:00 p.m. Bridge	9 Casino Trip Depart 10:30 \$5.00 Pinochle 12:30 p.m.	10 11:00 a.m. General Meeting 12:00 Potluck followed by Bingo White Elephant
11 <u>Mother's Day</u> 	12 1pm Table Games	13 Hearing Aid Service 10:00 a.m. ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE 10:00 Bunco 1:00 p.m.	14 Pinochle 1:00 p.m.	15 Set Up for Annual Senior Center Rummage Sale (Bridge will be held at an alternate location)	16 Annual Senior Center Rummage Sale 8:30am-3pm <i>No Pinochle</i> <i>No Bingo</i>	17 Annual Senior Center Rummage Sale 8:30am-3pm
18 	19 Monday Movie "African Queen" 10am Soup and Bread Lunch \$2 1pm Table Games	20 Hearing Aid Service 10:00 a.m. DAS BOARD MEETING 10:00a.m. 1:00 p.m. Craft and Sew "Beaded Necklaces 2"	21 Pinochle 1:00 p.m.	22 1:00 p.m. Bridge <u>SENIOR</u> <u>MUSIC JAM</u> <u>6:30 pm</u>	23 Pinochle 12:30 p.m.	24
25 	26 Center Closed for Memorial Day 	27 Hearing Aid Service 10:00 a.m. Bunco 1:00 p.m.	28 Pinochle 1:00 p.m.	29 1:00 p.m. Bridge	30 Pinochle 12:30pm	31