

DICK EARDLEY SENIOR CENTER

CITY of BOISE

APRIL/MAY 2026

MISSION: To provide a safe and supportive environment where older adults can engage in activities that promote physical, intellectual, and social wellbeing.

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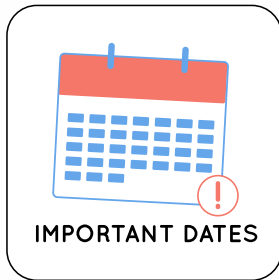
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Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.



The Senior Center will be closed for the following:

Monday, May 25
Memorial Day

Upcoming Events

- * Veterans Coffee
Friday, April 3 & May 1
10-11 a.m.
- * AI and Scam Awareness
Thursday, April 16
1-3 p.m.
- * Senior Health & Resource Fair and Drug Take Back
Tuesday, April 21
10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.
- * Mother's Day Celebration
Friday, May 8
12:00 p.m.
- * Planning for Peace of Mind: Final Arrangement Options
Monday, May 4, 1-2 p.m.
OR
Tuesday, May 26,
10:30-11:30 a.m.
- * Red Cross Blood Drive
Friday, May 29
10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Conversations, Crafts, & Cultural Sites

Wednesdays, 1-2:30 p.m.

April 22, July 22, August 26, & October 28

Do you enjoy connecting with others, hearing meaningful stories, and creating with your hands? Join us to explore two of the City of Boise's remarkable cultural sites: the James Castle House and the Erma Hayman House.

In this welcoming and interactive class, participants will gather for conversation, creativity, and community while learning about the people and places that have helped shape Boise's cultural heritage.

The **James Castle House** is a historic site and museum dedicated to the legacy of self-taught Idaho artist James Castle. His work beautifully documents the spaces and landscapes around him, offering a powerful look at how place influences creativity.

The **Erma Hayman House** preserves and shares the history of Boise's River Street neighborhood and honors the life of Erma Hayman, whose strong connection to her neighborhood highlights the importance of community and belonging.

Together, we will explore how identity and life experiences are shaped by the places we call home. Through conversation and hands-on activities, participants will reflect on how homes, neighborhoods, and communities influence who we are; just as they did for Erma Hayman and James Castle. No prior crafting experience is needed; just bring your curiosity and creativity. **You may attend one or all sessions. To register, please call 208-608-7580. It's FREE!**

This class is in partnership with:



James Castle House



Erma Hayman House



Veterans Coffee

Friday, April 3 & May 1, 10-11 a.m.



All veterans are invited to join us for Veterans Coffee the **first Friday** of each month. This is an opportunity to connect with fellow veterans, share stories, and build friendships over a cup of coffee. Whether you served recently or many years ago, all are welcome! Stop by and spend some time with others who understand the shared experience of military service. We hope to see you there! **FREE!**

Hosted by:

Air Force Veteran, Ashley Revaul
Marine Veteran, Travis Farber



AI and Scam Awareness

Thursday, April 16, 1-3 p.m.

Learn how artificial intelligence is being used in everyday life and how scammers are using it. This **FREE** interactive class will share simple tips to recognize scams and protect your personal information. Sponsored by Hewlett Packard, Meals on Wheels, and the Idaho Commission on Aging.

To register, please call 208-608-7580.

Tech Classes with LEARN

Mondays, 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Opportunities to enhance your technology skills are made possible through a partnership between LEARN Idaho and AARP's Senior Planet. **FREE!**

April Classes:

- 4/06 - Hosting on Zoom
- 4/13 - iPhone Contacts App
- 4/20 - Downloads & Uploads
- 4/27 - Lyft "Silver" Rideshare



May Classes:

- 5/04 - Senior Planet Online Classes
- 5/11 - Podcasts
- 5/18 - Smartphone Settings
- 5/25 - No Class-Center Closed for Memorial Day



Growing Old Ain't for Sissies

Friday, April 17 & May 15, 2-3 p.m.

Let's face it, getting older isn't for the faint of heart. Whether you're navigating loss, caring for a loved one, or simply feeling the weight of time, this space is for you.

In partnership with ANCORA Health Services, this group will be led by Karen Midlo, Certified Grief Educator, End-of-Life Doula, and Community Educator.

Join us every third Friday of the month for real talk about aging, grief, and caregiving. **It's FREE!**
To register, please call 208-608-7580.

SENIOR HEALTH + RESOURCE FAIR

and Drug Take-Back Event

APRIL 21 | 10:30AM-12PM

- Enjoy **HEALTH + SAFETY-RELATED INFORMATION** and displays
- Meet local **SERVICE PROVIDERS**
- Sample **HEALTHY SNACKS**
- Take home **FUN GIVEAWAYS**
- Vaccines: **COVID, SHINGLES, PNEUMONIA, TETANUS, and RSV**

Presented by:
LEARN IDAHO & BOISE POLICE

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Papercraft Classes

Papercraft instructor Sunmi Choi has expanded her popular classes! Class details and projects are shown below. **Please register in advance at 208-608-7580.**

Origami: Introductory class for beginners
Free - 11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.



April 23: Tulips



May 21: Dandelion and Panda

Intermediate Papercraft: Advanced level class
\$2 - 12:30 - 2 p.m.



April 23: Receipt Holder



May 21: Panda Tissue Case

Paper Folding for Tremor Prevention and Fine Motor Skill Development:
For those who need such support
Free - 12:30 - 2 p.m.



April 9: Easter Bunny



May 14: Panda & Tulips

Bae's Brother's Origami School: Fun for all levels
\$2 - 4-5 p.m.



April 17: Easter Bunny



May 15: Panda & Tulips



Join us in wishing these amazing couples a Happy Anniversary!



Pamela & Phil Wickstrand
March 3rd - 50 Years



Bing & Bill Ringert
March 26th - 67 Years

A BIG Happy Birthday

to everyone who celebrated with us!

FEBRUARY

Cindy Rosen
Wes Underwood
Glenn Allen
Ian Riley
Faithe Manning

MARCH

Lilly Rodriguez
Julie Robinson
Betsy Hayes
Beverly Jamison
Dave Mastachae



Celebrate your special day with us on the second Friday of every month at 12 p.m.

Note: Regular lunch rates apply.

A big thank you to our Birthday Friday Sponsor:



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M, F 9 - 11 a.m.
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Planning for Peace of Mind: Final Arrangement Options



Monday, May 4, 1-2 p.m. **OR**
Tuesday, May 26, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Have you ever wondered what would happen if something unexpected occurred? Would your family know your wishes or feel prepared to make important decisions during an already difficult time?

This **FREE** educational workshop is designed to help individuals and families better understand the choices involved in end-of-life planning. You'll learn the importance of documenting your wishes ahead of time and how thoughtful preparation can ease emotional, financial, and legal burdens for those you care about.

Planning in advance helps ensure that your final wishes are clearly known and carried out. By making these decisions now, you can remove uncertainty and reduce the possibility that loved ones may struggle or even disagree about the best way to honor, mourn, or celebrate your life. Taking a little time today to plan ahead can bring lasting peace of mind for both you and your family. **To register, call 208-608-7580.**

Presented by: Bonnie Masoner
Neptune Cremation Service

Collette Travel Meeting



Tuesday, May 12, 10-11:30 a.m.

Interested in traveling but not sure where to begin? Join us for an informative session with Collette, a leader in guided group travel. Learn about upcoming trips and connect with others who share your interest in exploring the world.

Whether you're traveling solo or as a couple, this meeting is a great opportunity to meet potential roommates and like-minded adventurers. We'll be highlighting four exciting journeys: Wonders of Ancient Greece, Discover New England Holiday, Essential South America, and Shades of Ireland.

Reserve your spot today and start planning your next adventure! **To RSVP, call 208-608-7580.**

Mother's Day Lunch Celebration



Friday, May 8, 12 p.m.

Attention all moms! Join us for a special Mother's Day celebration and let us honor you! Thanks to our sponsor, Blue Cross of Idaho, every mom will receive a beautiful long-stem carnation.

It also happens to be Birthday Friday which means cake for everyone!

Celebration is free; however, regular lunch rates apply.

American Red Cross Blood Drive



Friday, May 29, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

The Senior Center is hosting a Blood Drive. Did you know approximately 29,000 units of red blood cells are needed every day in the U.S. and that just one blood donation can save up to three lives?! Here's your opportunity to make a life-saving difference! **Call the front desk to schedule your donation, 208-608-7580.**

FREE Movie Days!

Friday, April 24 & Friday May 29
2 p.m.

Join us for free movie days at the Senior Center. Sit back, relax, and enjoy a movie with friends. We'll even have free popcorn ready to make it feel just like the theatre! Keep an eye out for event flyers at the Senior Center where we will announce movie titles at a later date. **To register, please call 208-608-7580.**



Lifetime & Leisure Trip BIRDS OF PREY-



Up Close and Personal!

Thursday, April 16, 9:30 a.m.-1p.m.

Experience the awe-inspiring world of raptors right here in Boise at the World Center for Birds of Prey! This unique visit gives you the chance to meet live birds of prey up close—including majestic California Condors—and explore the fascinating Archives of Falconry. Whether you're a bird enthusiast or just curious, this is an unforgettable opportunity to connect with some of nature's most powerful hunters. Transportation is provided from the Senior Center.

Resident \$30/Non-resident \$45.95

2 Shoes: long periods of standing, light walking

To register, please call 208-608-7580.

CASINO Night

25 JUNE 6-9 PM | **TICKETS \$12 EACH OR 2/\$20**
Advance purchase required by 5 PM, June 11.

DOORS OPEN 5:30 PM • DINNER SERVED 6-7:30 PM

NO-HOST BEER + WINE BAR

Lasagna Dinner • Entertainment • Souvenir Photos
No-Cash Casino Games • Raffle

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Summer Activity Guide Registration Begins

Check out the great activities offered by Boise Parks and Recreation! Boise residents can register beginning March 30 and non-residents can register beginning April 1. **Register online at cityofboise.org or call 208-608-7580.**

Activity Guide SUMMER 2026

REGISTER FOR CLASSES STARTING AT 7AM ON:
MARCH 30 RESIDENTS
APRIL 1 NON-RESIDENTS

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE: CITYOFBOISE.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS

Summer Bocce League

Bocce is a game anyone can play! Senior Bocce league will run for 4 weeks with 2 games per night with playoff games the final week. All players must be age 50 or over. Teams must have 4 players. Team captains are responsible for registering the team and paying league fees. Subs or single players can register on the sub list. Play is not guaranteed for subs.

Mondays 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Session 1: June 8-29

Session 2: Aug 31- Sept 28

Fees per 4-week session:

Team fee is Resident \$48/Non-resident \$73.85.

Sub fee is Resident \$6/Non-resident \$9.30.

Register online at cityofboise.org or call 208-608-7580.



Bridge

January

Mon. - Steve 3070
Thurs. - Jessie 4860

February

Mon. - Ann 3190
Thurs. - Jessie 3540

Pinochle

January

Judith 6940

February

Pat 7010

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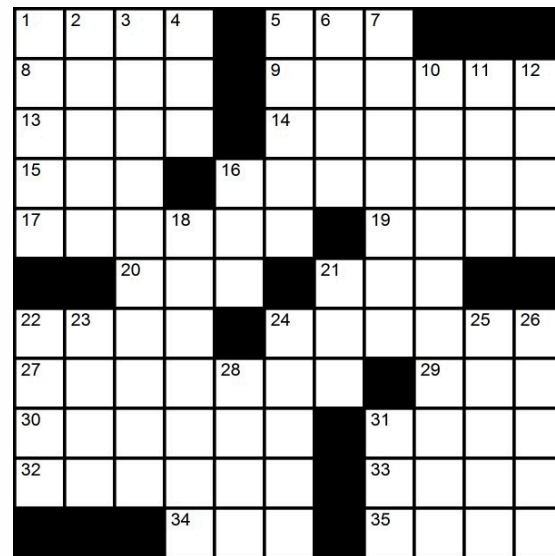
CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Across

- 1 Greatest part
- 5 Pull laboriously
- 8 Fuzzy red monster
- 9 It's on top of the world
- 13 --- Turing, of "The Imitation Game"
- 14 Dark
- 15 Abner's intro
- 16 Ladies' man
- 17 Scold
- 19 Basic unit of heredity
- 20 Average
- 21 Fondle
- 22 Supercilious manner
- 24 Discontinued Chrysler marque
- 27 Bewitched
- 29 One circuit
- 30 Deliver to a judge
- 31 Opportune
- 32 Not destroyed or lost
- 33 Way out yonder
- 34 Defiant exclamation
- 35 View from Los Alamos

Down

- 1 Soft, dry and friable
- 2 Skateboard maneuver
- 3 Contract details
- 4 Weight unit: may be long or short
- 5 Illumination



- 6 "Daily Bruin" publisher
- 7 Composer --- Bizet
- 10 Perk up
- 11 So be it
- 12 Funerary bonfire
- 16 Amtrak unit
- 18 Urgent sale words
- 21 Write
- 22 His name is on a stadium in Queens
- 23 Large-screen format
- 24 Pool dimension
- 25 Spanish appetizers
- 26 Musical drama
- 28 Sushi option
- 31 Run into

Solution available at the front desk

Puzzle made available by our sponsor, Jim Starr

Jim also sponsors Birthday Friday and the center's weekly Bingo game, and he calls Bingo on the 3rd Thursday of each month. Give Jim a call if you have questions regarding Medicare or want to compare notes about this month's puzzle, 208-713-3166

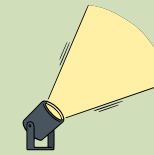


CONNECT HEALTH



Volunteer Spotlight

Gloria Arriaga



Gloria's path to volunteering at the senior center started by chance. After arriving for an activity an hour and a half early, she offered to help staff with whatever they needed and that simple gesture turned into an ongoing volunteer role.

Today, she volunteers in the warehouse and thrift store. She enjoys knowing her efforts help the thrift store run smoothly and benefit seniors in the community.

Originally from Santa Clarita/Valencia, California, Gloria moved to Idaho four years ago looking for a change of scenery; somewhere with four seasons, more activities, and a friendly environment.

She enjoys staying active and participating in senior center activities like canasta, mahjong, day

trips, and international travel through Collette Travel. She also loves walking, reading historical fiction, knitting, jigsaw puzzles, and learning new games.

Before retiring from a career in accounting, Gloria raised three children; two daughters and a son. Today her family is spread across Montana, California, and Idaho. She also shares her home with her two dogs, Mylo who came with her from California and Archie who she adopted here in Idaho.

Gloria loves meeting people from all walks of life and values genuine friendships. Her passion for travel and learning about different cultures reflects her belief that sharing experiences and perspectives can help make the world a better place.

We are so happy to have Gloria as part of the Senior Center community and are grateful for the time, energy, and kindness she brings through her volunteer service.



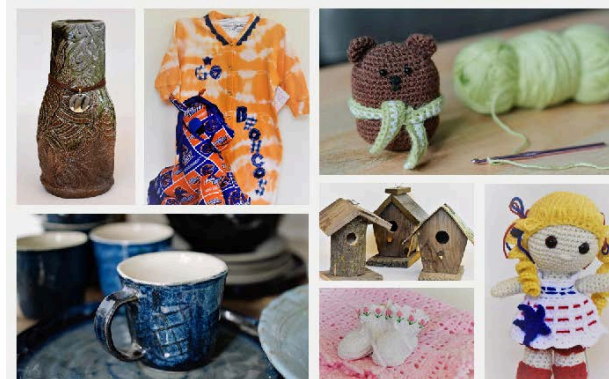
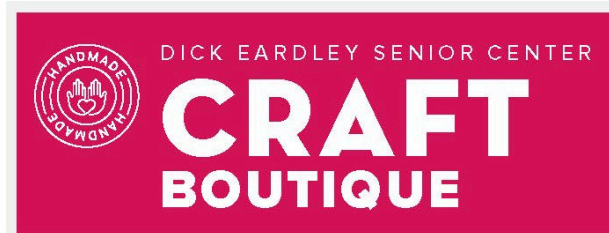
National Volunteer Month



April is National Volunteer Month, a time to recognize and celebrate the incredible people who give their time and talents to make our Senior Center such a welcoming and vibrant place. We are grateful for the many volunteers who selflessly support our programs, assist staff, and bring warmth and energy to our community every day.

In an average month, 45 volunteers contribute more than 425 hours serving in a variety of roles throughout the center and an additional 25 volunteers serve in the dining room with Meals on Wheels, giving an average of 275 hours each month. **That's an average of 700 volunteer hours per month! Amazing!**

Your generosity, kindness, and commitment truly make the Senior Center an amazing place to be. Thank you for all that you do; we appreciate you not just this month, but all year long!



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