Senior Calendar

#### September Calendar

2024

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Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday	,	Friday	
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CLOSED	-	Poker	9:00	Mahjongg	9:00	Defensive Driving	9:00	Open Play	8:00
Al Ves	MO	Chair Yoga	9:45	Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Woodcarvers	9:00	Brain & Body	9:00
ΗΔΡΡΥ		Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Genealogy	10:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Happy Feet	9:00
	(10)	Bingo	12:30	AA/Al-Anon	10:30	Cribbage	10:00	Over 50 & Fit	9:00
labor	C.	Tale Spinners	1:00	Tonka Trek to DQ	10:30	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Blood Pressure	9:30
		Memory Café	1:30	Social Bridge	12:00	Dominos	1:00	Computer Club	10:00
		Single Mingle Group	5:00	Slow Flow	6:00	Line Dancing	1:00/2:00	Bird Club	10:30
				500 Cards	6:30	Name That Town	6:00	Strength & Balance	11:00
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								Pinochle	1:00
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Art Studio	9:00	Open Play	8:00	Mahjongg	9:00	Woodcarvers	9:00	Brain & Body	9:00
Men's Discussion	9:00	Pilates Matwork	8:10	Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Crafting for a Cause	9:00
Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Blood Pressure	9:30	Caregiver Conversation	ons 10:00	Happy Feet	9:00
Ham Radio	10:00	Advisory Board	10:00	Indigo Shibori Dyeing	9:30	Cribbage	10:00	Over 50 & Fit	9:00
T'ai Chi Chih Practice	10:00	Veteran's Boat Tour	10:00	AA/Al-Anon	10:30	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Computer Group	10:00
Tech Series: Scams	10:30	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Travelogue: Faroe Islands	10:30	Monthly Party	12:00	Landmark Tours	10:30
Open Play	10:45	Bingo	12:30	Social Bridge	12:00	Bunco	1:00	Strength & Balance	11:00
Cardio Drumming	1:00	Beginning T'ai Chi Chih	1:00	SCS Technology	1:00	Line Dancing	1:00/2:00	Art Studio	1:00
Garden Club	1:00	Bulls & Bears	1:00	T'ai Chi Chih Practice	1:00	Yoga & Strength	6:00	Pinochle	1:00
Hand, Foot, & Toe	1:00			Pilates Matwork	2:15				
Defensive Driving	5:30			Single Mingle Group	6:00				
				Slow Flow	6:00				
				500 Cards	6:30				
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Art Studio	9:00	Pilates Matwork	8:10	Mahjongg	9:00	Woodcarvers	9:00	Brain & Body	9:00
Men's Discussion	9:00	Poker	9:00	Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Happy Feet	9:00
Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Sparkling Feet	9:00	Cribbage	10:00	Over 50 & Fit	9:00
Facebook for Computers	10:00	Facebook for Computer	s 10:00	Senior Chorale AA/Al-Anon	10:15 10:30	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Blood Pressure	9:30
T'ai Chi Chih Practice	10:00	Shutterbugs	10:00	Medicare 101	10:30	Book Club	1:00	Computer Group	10:00
Coffee & Conversations	10:30	Day Trip: Vineyard	10:30	Senior Outreach	10:30	Dominoes	1:00	Women's Discussion	10:15
Open Play	10:45	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Social Bridge	12:00	Parking Lot Bingo	1:00	Strength & Balance	11:00
Medicare Counseling	11:30	Bingo	12:30	Sound of Music	1:00	Line Dancing	1:00/2:00	Art Studio	1:00
Cardio Drumming	1:00	Beginning T'ai Chi Chih	1:00	T'ai Chi Chih Practice	1:00	Dementia Friends		Pinochle	1:00
Hand, Foot, & Toe	1:00	Tale Spinners	1:00	Pilates Matwork	2:15	Cribbage at Night	6:00	Single Mingle Group	5:30
SCS Technology	1:00	Memory Cafe	1:30	Slow Flow 500 Cards	6:00 6:30	Yoga & Strength	6:00		
					2.00				
23		24		25		26		27	
Door County Departs	7:00	Open Play	8:00	Mahjongg	9:00	Woodcarvers	9:00	Open Play	8:00
Art Studio	9:00	Pilates Matwork	8:10	Over 50 & Fit	9:00	J J	9:45	Happy Feet	9:00
Men's Discussion	9:00	Chair Yoga	9:45	Senior Chorale	10:15	-	10:00	Over 50 & Fit	9:00
Over 50 & Fit	9:00	Senior Housing Fair	10:00	AA/Al-Anon	10:30		10:00	Computer Group	10:00
T'ai Chi Chih Practice	10:00	Intermediate Yoga	11:00	Presidential Series	10:30	J J	11:00	Strength & Balance	11:00
Open Play	10:45	Bingo	12:30	Social Bridge	12:00		1:00	Lunch & Movie	12:00
Cardio Drumming	1:00	Beginning T'ai Chi Chih	1:00	SCS Technology	1:00	U U	1:00/2:00	Art Studio	1:00
Facebook for Phones	1:00	Facebook for Phones	1:00	T'ai Chi Chih Practice	1:00	Single Mingle Group	4:00	Bucket List Book Club	1:00
Hand, Foot, & Toe	1:00	Defensive Driving	5:30	Pilates Matwork	2:15	Yoga & Strength	6:00	Pinochle	1:00
		Yoga Beginner Worksho	p 6:00	Art with Ashley: Wood	5:30	Door County Returns	7:00		
				Slow Flow	6:00				
				500 Cards	6:30				

Art Studio **Men's Discussion** Over 50 & Fit 10:00 T'ai Chi Chih Practice 10:45 **Open Play** Adopt A Highway Cardio Drumming Hand, Foot, & Toe

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# **Interest Groups**

Interest groups are coordinated and led by seniors in the community. All groups meet at the Minnetonka Community Center, unless noted otherwise. There are more than 30 different interest groups. Annual Registration Required.

#### Advisory Board

2nd Tuesday, 10 a.m. Advises and recommends goals, policies and objectives to Minnetonka Senior Services and Minnetonka City Council.

# A.A./Al-Anon

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. AA supports those who may have alcohol addiction. Al-Anon supports friends and family members of those with alcohol addiction. All ages welcome.

#### Art Studio

Mondays, 9 a.m.-noon Fridays, 1-4 p.m. Informal drop in and create! This group



welcomes artists of all abilities. Participants socialize while working independently. New members welcome!

# **Bike Club**

April- October with various start times. Visit us on our blog to see what rides we have been up to! mtkabikerphotos.blogspot.com

#### Bingo

Tuesdays, 12:30 p.m. BINGO Enjoy a fun game of Bingo with a friendly social group! Cards are a nickel each per game.

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# Program Spotlight

**Event** 

#### **Senior Housing Fair**



Wednesday, August 21 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. FREE | No Registration

#### **Bird Club**

1st Friday, 10:30 a.m. (Sept. - May) Meet once a month and enjoy a variety of bird topics throughout the year. Cost is \$20/year. >>Topic: Ben Douglas presents Shorebirds: When, Where, and How

# **Book Club**

3rd Thursday, 1 p.m. Each month we read a new book and discuss. This month's book: >>Dinners with Ruth by Nina Totenberg

#### Bucket List Book Club

4th Friday, 1 p.m. (Sept. - May) Start to check off some of your bucket list books. Each month we read a new book and discuss. >>Captain Corelli's Mandolin by Louis de Bernieres

# **Bulls and Bears Investment Club**

2nd Tuesday, 1 p.m. Do you know the difference between bull and bear markets? Study different investment trends and learn how to navigate the markets.

#### Bunco

2nd & 4th Thursdays, 1 p.m. Drop in and play the fun game of bunco. No experience? No problem! We'll teach you.

#### Chorale

journey.

Wednesdays, 10:15 a.m. (Sept. - May) Do you love to sing? The Chorale sings in a 4 part harmony and performs throughout the year. The Chorale is an ensemble of the Music Association of Minnetonka.

**Caregiver Conversations** 

Explore the challenges, rewards and

resources in navigating the care giving

2nd Thursday, 10 a.m.

#### Computer Group

Fridays, 10 a.m. Join this social group as we discuss trends and learn new skills. Visit mscig.wordpress.com to learn more!

# Crafting for a Cause

2nd Friday, 9:30 a.m. Craft items for local nonprofits! New members are always welcome.

#### Cribbage

Thursdays, 10 a.m. Come join us! Bring a cribbage board and a deck of cards.

# Cribbage At Night

3rd Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. Come join us once a month for a game of cribbage in the evening!

#### Dominos

1st & 3rd Thursdays, 1 p.m. Never played? We'll teach you. Please join us.

# Education

Name That Town!

#### >> W/ Doug Ohman



Thursday, Sept. 5 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. \$10.00

#### **Fitness Beginning T'ai Chi Chih** >> W/ Cindy Nelson



Tuesday, Sept. 10-Oct. 29 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. \$40.00

Art

#### **Indigo Shibori Dyeing**

>> W/ Connie Ortberg



Wednesday, Sept. 11 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. \$15.00

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# Special Interest Groups

#### Garden Club

2nd Monday, 1 p.m. Do you love to garden? Join us for monthly gardening topics and field trips. >>Topic: Plant Exchange & Fall Gardening

# **Genealogy** Club

1st Wednesday, 10 a.m. Exciting topics each month. Speakers present throughout the year. Join



fellow enthusiasts at any point of your genealogical journey.

#### Ham Radio

2nd Monday, 10 a.m.

Join us for some amateur radio discussion, share of knowledge and practice. Look to "Minnetonka MN Radio Club" Facebook Page for Updates!

#### Hand, Foot, and Toe

Mondays, 1 p.m. Players must have a basic knowledge of Hand & Foot- we'll teach the Toe!

# Mahjongg

Wednesdays, 9 a.m. Join in the fun with fellow players of mahjongg. Please bring your own set.



# Men's Discussion Group

Mondays, 9:00 a.m.

Join us for coffee and conversations in this new weekly men's discussion group. Meet and connect with new people while discussing a variety of informal topics.

# **Open Play**

2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 10 a.m. Come play any game of your choice! Enjoy a game of 500, Scrabble, Canasta, or any small group games that you bring.

#### Pickleball Open Play

Indoor at Williston. For more information call: 952-939-8341. To join the email list, email Boris at Bgonikman@minnetonkamn.gov

#### Pinochle

1st & 3rd Fridays, 1 p.m. Join us for a good game of pinochle. One game takes three hours to play.

#### Poker

1st & 3rd Tuesday, 9 a.m. Join us for a good game of poker! Play a variety of games.



# Single Mingle Group

Looking for new friends and fun? Join us for outings or other fun activities in this group for singles. September Meetings: 9/3 at 5pm- Taco Tuesday & Trivia at Wayzata Legion, 9/11 at 6pm -Open Jam at Excelsior Brewery, 9/20 at 5:30pm - Prime Rib and Steak Night at American Legion Hopkins, 9/26 at 4pm -Horse Racing at Canterbury Park

# Shutterbugs

3rd Tuesday, 10 a.m.

This group focuses on a different topic each month and is open for the novice photographer and professionals. Photos taken by members that are Minnetonka residents can be purchased at The Landing Shop.

# Social Bridge

Wednesdays, 12:00 p.m. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes are awarded. No partners are needed and new members are always welcome. Join in the fun as your schedule allows.

# **Tale Spinners**

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 1 p.m. This is a casual group of writers who work together to improve their skills, provide motivation and ideas, critique

and offer feedback; all to achieve individual writing goals. Whether you are a poet, short story writer,



essayist, novelist, or recording family anecdote and histories; please come by and bring your words to life!

#### Women's Discussion Group

3rd Friday, 10:15 a.m. Discuss different topics each month with other senior women. >>Topic: "Herself Health"

#### Woodcarvers

#### Thursdays, 9 a.m.

Socialize, share ideas and work independently. All abilities are welcome, including beginners! The first Thursday of the month is show and tell. Come join the fun!

#### 500 Cards

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. Join in the fun, new members are always welcome!



Blood Pressure Screenings: U 2nd Wednesday and 1st & 3rd Friday of the month, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

#### **Foot Care Services:**

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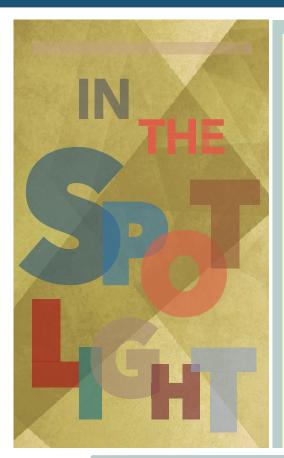
**Household and Outside Maintenance** for Elderly (H.O.M.E.): Get help with household chores. Call 952-746-4046 for more information.

Medicare Counseling: We provide Medicare Counseling to those who currently have medicare, are new to Medicare, or are planning for the future. Call the Senior Linkage Line at 1-800-333-2433 for an appointment.

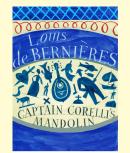
Senior Outreach: Get help with learn about trusted resources for housing, transportation, legal, medical, etc. Contact Sara Roberts with Senior Community Services at 612-868-6720 or stop by the community center the 3rd Wed. of every month 10 a.m. - Noon.

Transit Link: Transportation from your home to events. Call 651-602-5465.

# Spotlight!



# Special Interest Group: Bucket List Bookclub 4th Fridays, 1 p.m. (Sept - May)



September Pick: *Captain Corelli's Mandolin* by Louis de Bernières

It is 1941 and Captain Antonio Corelli, a young Italian officer, is posted to an island of Greece as part of the occupying forces. At first he is ostracised by the locals but

over time he proves himself to be civillised, humorous, and a consummate musician. Not only that he may even find him self in a bit of a love-affair!

#### Welcome Back Bucket List Bookclub!

This group is a good way to check off some of the books that we have missed during our busy lives! We read all types of literature - novels, non-fiction, short stories, and more and then enjoy a lively discussion.

#### **Farmers Market**

#### Ridgedale Commons, 12590 Ridgedale Drive

Every Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Find locally produced groceries, farm products and handmade crafts! Plus live music, community booths and activities.

#### **Entertainment In The Park**

#### *Civic Center Park, 14600 Minnetonka Blvd.* Movie in the Park, Thursday Nights

9/6 - 7:55-10:10 Little Mermaid | the live-action version of the tale of a mermaid who desparately wanted to experience the world of humans 9/13 - 7:40-9:05 Migration | a family of ducks decide to leave the safety of home for an adventurous trip to Jamaica!

# Fall Special Community Drop-off Day

#### Public Works Facility, 11522 Minnetonka Blvd.

Saturday, September 7th, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. For a small fee, dispose of unwanted household junk, including scrap metal, appliances, mattresses and more. Prices and details are available on: *minnetonkamn.gov/services/recycling-garbage/special-drop-off-day* 

# **The Landing Shop**

#### 11280 Wayzata Blvd. | 763-591-4868 | Open Thurs.-Sat. Noon-5:00 p.m.

Browse and buy handmade items crafted by Minnetonka residents ages 55 and older. A great location to find all the perfect and unique holiday gifts for your loved ones! 9/28 - Stop by to get ahead on all your Holiday shopping from 10:00-5:00 for the Annual Outdoor Craft Fair and see all the amazing handcrafted items.



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