

SENIOR SCRIPT

Programs and services for those 55+ -

Seniors Expo

Tuesday, May 1
9-10 a.m.-Presentation in Council Chambers
10 a.m.-1 p.m.-Exhibit Hall Open in Banquet Room
Featuring exhibitors, health screenings,
demonstrations, refreshments and prizes!

Traveling Solo

Monday, April 2, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Do you long to travel, but are either afraid or have no one to travel with? This class provides resources, packing tips, dos and don'ts, pointers on joining groups, safety tips and more.

Cost: \$2 (Course #2180417-01)

Barn Quilts

Tuesday, April 3, 10 a.m.-noon

Enjoy a virtual tour as we explore Carver County, Minn. Made for barns, not beds, "barn quilts" are quilt patterns, drawn to scale and painted on wooden panels that hang on exterior walls of historic barns. Guests will learn about the history of the farms and the stories behind the choice of quilt patterns.

Instructor: Barn Quilts-Carver County

Cost: \$5 (Course #3180419-01)

Intro to Amateur Astronomy

Wednesday, April 11, 7:30-9 p.m.

Lean about constellations by season, types of celestial objects that can be observed, equipment and technology. After a brief introduction, walk outside and join us for star-gazing with a computer-controlled telescope.

Instructor: Patrick Drigans

Cost: \$10 (Course #3180407-01)

Chow with the Chief

Tuesday, April 10, 5:30-7 p.m.

"Relish" a hot dog meal and apple cider with Fire Chief John Vance. Tour the fire department and enjoy great conversation with the firefighters.

Minnetonka Fire Station 1, park in the city hall parking lot.

Cost: Free (Course #2180418-01)

Community Ballroom Dance Friday, April 13, 7-9 p.m.

Dance the night away to the sounds of The Flames, a 17-piece big band. Free lessons at 6:15 p.m.! Register by calling 952-988-4070 or visit hopkinsschools.org/dance. Eisenhower Community Center.

Cost: \$15 (\$20 at the door)

Lunch and a Movie: Darkest Hour

Wednesday, April 18, noon

Winston Churchill's stirring defiance of the Nazi threat is the focus of this historical drama that depicts his fearless refusal to surrender Britain to Adolf Hitler and his relentless army during World War II's early days. Register by April 13.

Menu: Chicken salad croissant sandwich, fruit, chips, dessert

Sponsored by Gentle Transitions

Cost: \$6 (Course #2100204-01)

Volunteer Adopt a Highway

Wednesday, April 25, 1 p.m.

Help pick up trash along Minnetonka Blvd. between I-494 and County Road 73. Vests, bags and sticks provided. Meet at the Minnetonka Community Center. Everyone walks one mile, one way.

Cost: Free (Course #2190601-01)

Cub Brat Stand

Friday-Sunday, April 27-29

Volunteers needed for multiple shifts and roles, call for details!

Volunteer Social

Wednesday, April 4, 11:30

Volunteers, please let us show our appreciation and join us for a social event. Social at 11:30, lunch served at noon. Register by March 30.

Menu: Mongolian Beef or General Chicken, Fried Rice, Pot Sticker and dessert

Cost: Free (Course #2100104-01)

Traveling Naturalist: Bear Aware

Friday, April 20, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Join our traveling naturalist and lean about a different topic each month!

Instructor: Melonie Shipman

Cost: \$4 (Course #3181001-01)

Community Connections: A Support System

Monday, April 30, 10:15-11:15 a.m.

Explore your support system, and how your relationships with family and friends may change during times of illness. Examine what level of support you need.

Cost: Free (Course #2180409-01)

Fitness Programs

For a complete listing and program descriptions please visit eminnetonka.com/register or pick up a fitness flyer at the community center.

Program	Instructor	Dates	Day	Times	Fee	Course #
Over 50 and Fit	Jean McSwiggen John Nally Julie Fleischhacker	Jan. 3-Dec. 31	M, W, F	9-10 a.m.	\$12 (annually)	4090702-03
Chair Yoga	Elizabeth Kelly	May 9-June 27	W	5:30-6:30 p.m.	\$48	3090101-05
Dance Series: Ballroom	Tricia Wood	May 5-26	SA	10-10:55 a.m.	\$56	3091006-01
Dance Series: Swing	Tricia Wood	April 7-28	SA	10-10:55 a.m.	\$56	2091004-01
Dance Series: Latin	Tricia Wood	May 5-26	SA	11-11:55 a.m.	\$56	3091002-01
Dance Series: Wedding	Tricia Wood	April 7-28	SA	11-11:55 a.m.	\$56	2091002-03
Intermediate Yoga	Nancy Holasek	May 8-June 26	T	11 a.mnoon	\$48	3090201-01
Intermediate Yoga	Nancy Holasek	May 10-June 28	TH	11 a.mnoon	\$48	3090201-02
Line Dance: Beginner	Tricia Wood	April 5-26	тн	2-2:55 p.m.	\$38	2090601-04
Line Dance: Beginner	Tricia Wood	May 3-24	TH	2-2:55 p.m.	\$38	3090601-03
Line Dance: Intermediate	Tricia Wood	April 5-26	тн	1-1:55 p.m.	\$38	2090602-04
Line Dance: Intermediate	Tricia Wood	May 3-24	TH	1-1:55 p.m.	\$38	3090602-02
Meditation	Susan Nelson	April 13-May 18 (No Class May 4)	F	10-11 a.m.	\$30	3091101-01
Strength and Mobility	Dr. Anna Hagens	April 3-May 8	Т	1–2 p.m.	\$74	2091301-03
T'ai Chi Chih: Workshop	Susan Sobelson	June 11	М	10-11:30 a.m.	\$5	3090301-01
T'ai Chi Chih: Beginner	Monica Campbell	June 6-July 11	W	9-10 a.m.	\$30	3090303-01
T'ai Chi Chih: Open Practice	Monica Campbell	June 6-July 11	w	2:15-3:15 p.m.	\$40	209303-02
T'ai Chi for Health and Wellness	Ron Erdman-Luntz	April 5-May 10	TH	6-7 p.m.	\$54	2090401-03
Yogilates	Elizabeth Kelly	May 9-June 27	W	6:45-7:45 p.m.	\$48	3091201-01
Zumba Gold	Renee Rahimi	April 9-May 21	М	12:45-1:45 p.m.	\$42	2090501-02

Indoor Pickleball

October-May

Try the fun and social game of pickleball. Limited raquets and balls are available.



- Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 6-10 a.m.
- Thursdays and Fridays, 6-9:30 a.m.
- Saturdays, 1-3 p.m.

Free for Williston Fitness Center, Silversneakers and Silver and Fit members. \$5 per day for non-members. Williston Fitness Center, 14509 Minnetonka Drive.

Golf League

Mondays, April 30-Aug. 27, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

A great way to meet new people; informal 16-week co-ed league plays at four courses: Glen Lake, Braemar, Baker and Eagle Lake. Participants rotate with different players each week. No league play May 28 and July 2. Register by April 9.

Cost: \$240 (Course #3120401-01)

Senior Softball

Mondays and Wednesday, April-Oct., 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Slow-pitch softball at Big Willow Park. Modified rules allow for competitive play without the risk of serious injury. Registration accepted throughout the season.

Cost: \$25 (Course #3120201-01)

Art Color Wheel Application Wednesday, April 18, 1-3 p.m

Review/learn to use a color wheel to plan color schemes, harmony and contrast in your work. Use colored pencils or watercolor to create examples of monochrome, complementary, analogous and cool/warm color schemes. Please bring a set of colored pencils.

Instructor: Gin Weidenfeller

Cost: \$20 (Course #3130105-01)

Fun with Watercolor Thursdays, April 19-May 17, 1-3 p.m

Techniques to loosen and simplify your paintings. You will learn wet-inwet, glazes and washes techniques for successful under-paintings, landscapes, still life and florals. Each class starts with a demo and continues with guidance through the painting process. Supply list provided upon registration or available online.

Instructor: Vera Kovacovic

Cost: \$50 (Course #2130103-01)

British History The Celts

Thursdays, April 5-26, 1-3 p.m.

Why are these early people given so much credit and blame for the settling of the island before the arrival of the Romans? Who were they? What can the Celts tell us even today?

Instructor: Terry Kubista

Cost: \$28 (Course #2180101-06)

Bike Club Kick-Off

Thursday, April 5, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Great co-ed senior group that bikes at various scenic metro locations. Ride as often as your schedule permits. Visit www.mtkabikers.org for more information.

Cost: Meeting is Free, yearly cost

History Franco-Prussian War of 1871

Wed., April 11, 10:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m.

A conflict between the Second French Empire of Napoleon III and the German states of the North German Confederation led by the Kingdom of Prussia. Caused by Prussian ambitions to extend German Unification and French fears of the shift in the European balance of power that would result if Prussians succeeded.

Instructor: Dan Hartman

Cost: \$5 (Course #2180207-01)

The Holocaust in Europe

Wed., April 25, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The Holocaust was a genocide in which some six million European Jews were killed by Adolf Hiltler's Nazi Germany and the Nazi collaborators. The victims consituted about two-thirds of the nine million Jews who had perviously resided in Europe.

Instructor: Dan Hartman

Cost: \$5 (Course #2180208-01)

Bridge II

Monday, April 23-May 21, 1-3 p.m.

Learn bidding, scoring and playing strategies for the challenging and fun game of bridge. Bring a deck of cards, pen and notepad.

Instructor: Lee Solee

Cost: \$36 (Course #2190301-01)

Mahjongg

Wed., April 11-May 23, 10 a.m.-noon

Learn to play the ancient Chinese game of Mahjongg, a tile game of chance and skill, using American rules. If you have played previously, this is a great class for refreshing your skills.

Instructor: Carole Harris

Cost: \$63 (Course #2190201-01)

Day Trips

More detailed descriptions and day trip menus can be found in the recreation brochure, online or in-person at the Community Center. To view online visit eminnetonka.com/recrbrochure.

Lakewood Cemetery and Lakes of Minneapolis

Thursday, June 7, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tour Lakewood Cemetery and the Memorial Chapel. Leave Lakewood on a sightseeing tour around the lakes of Minneapolis with your tour guide. Have lunch at Patrick's Bakers and Café, after lunch enjoy shopping at Bachman's Gift Store in Minneapolis.

Menu: Soup and Sandwich Special with beverages and dessert

Cost: \$63 (Course #3110110-01)

Register by May 4

Spirit of the Water Cruise: Red Wing

Thursday, June 21, 10:15 a.m.-4 p.m.

Arrive at the marina to board the yacht. Enjoy a relaxing cruise down the Mississippi River. Water levels determine accessibility.

Menu: A luncheon buffet with beverages and dessert

Cost: \$76 (Course #3110109-01)

Register by May 18

Defensive Driving

Register through MN Highway Safety Center, 1-888-234-1294, or visit mnsafetycenter.org for all classes.

4-hour renewal session:

April 5 or 17, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., \$22

Hands-Only CPR

Monday, April 23, 10:15 a.m.-11 a.m.

Learn how to preform hands-only CPR from the Minnetonka Fire Department. Practice this easy-tolearn, lifesaving technique.

Cost: Free (Course #2180401-04)

Memory Cafe

Third Tuesday of every Month, April 17, 10-11:30 a.m.

A welcoming place for people living with dementia and their caregivers to socialize and share experiences, facilitated by a licensed social worker. Participate in an art activity led by an instructor from the Minnetonka Center for the Arts.

This program is made possible by a grant through the Minnesota Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

Cost: Free (Call 952-939-8393 to register)

Dementia Friends

Tuesday, April 3, Noon-1 p.m.

Learn what is normal aging and the early signs and symptoms of Alzheimer's Disease. Learn helpful communication, everyday tasks and conversation hints for those living with dementia.

Cost: Free (Course #4180702-04)

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. For a complete list of groups, visit eminnetonka.com/interestgroups. More detailed information can be found on our calendar insert page located at the Community Center or

Bird Club

1st Friday, 10 a.m. Clinton Nienhaus, Hawk Ridge Bird **Observatory in Duluth**

Book Club

3rd Thursday, 1 p.m. LaRose by Louise Erdrich

Bucket List Book Club

4th Tuesday, 7:15 p.m.

American Sphinx - The Character of Thomas Jefferson by Joseph Ellis

Garden Club

2nd Monday, 1 p.m.

Mushrooms

Bunco

2nd and 4th Thursday, 1 p.m.





Purchase items handcrafted by Minnetonka residents.

11280 Wayzata Blvd.

(Near 394 and Hopkins Crossroads) 763-591-4868

Hours: Wednesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Register in person, over the phone, online or by mail



14600 Minnetonka Blvd., Minnetonka, MN 55345



eminnetonka.com/register



952-939-8393

Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

To develop and promote programs and services in our community to meet the diverse needs of those 55 and older.

Program Locations

Meet at Minnetonka Senior Services at the Minnetonka Community Center, unless otherwise noted.

Cancelation Information

Program Cancelations

Refunds will only be made if registration is withdrawn before the advertised deadline. If no deadline is given, registration must be withdrawn at least two business days prior to the start date of the program.

Trip Cancelations

Refunds only granted prior to the registration deadline or in the event that a replacement is found, minus a \$5 administrative fee.

Services

Blood Pressure Screenings

1st and 3rd Fridays; 2nd Wednesday 9:30-11:30 a.m., Free!

Provided by volunteer nurses.

Happy Feet

Fridays, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., \$37

Provided by nurses specializing in foot care. For appointment call 763-560-5136.

Medicare Counseling

1st and 3rd Mondays, Free!

Discuss Medicare, supplemental insurance, Part D coverage, billing issues, resources and more. Call 952-939-8393 to schedule an appointment. Provided by Metropolitan Area Agency on Aging.

Senior Community Services

Senior Outreach Social Worker Lisa Engdahl

2nd and 4th Tuesdays, Free!

Discuss finances, transportation, personal care, medical care, home maintenance and more. Call 952-939-8393 for an appointment.

HOME

Household and Outside Maintenance for Elderly (HOME) is available for Minnetonka residents 60 and older. For information call 952-746-4046. Some things HOME can help with include:

- Housekeeping
- Household repairs

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Men's Disscusion Group 8:30 Pilates 8:30 Art Drop In 9:00 Exercise 9:00 Tai Chi Chih 10:00/11:30 Traveling Solo 10:30 Bulls and Bears 1:00 Medicare Counseling 1:00 Rummikub 1:00 Billiards 1:00	Barn Quilts 10:00 Poker 10:00 Yoga 9:45/11:00 Dementia Friends 12:00 Bingo 12:40 Strength and Mobility 1:00 Tale Spinners 1:00 Billiards 2:15	Exercise 9:00 Mahjongg 10:00 Chorale 10:15 A.A./Al-Anon 10:30 Volunteer Social 11:30 Social Bridge 12:45 Tai Chi Chih /Open Practice1:00/2:15 Billiards 3:30 Chair Yoga 5:30 Yogilates 6:45 500 Cards 6:30	Yoga 9:45/11:00 Defensive Driving 9:00 Bike Club Kick-Off 9:30 Cribbage 10:00 Genealogy 10:00 Woodcarvers 10:00 British History 1:00 Dominos 1:00 Line Dance 1:00/2:00 Billiards 3:00 Duplicate Bridge 6:00 Tai Chi 6:00	Exercise 9:00 Happy Feet 9:00 Blood Pressure 9:30 Bird Club 10:00 Computer Club 10:00 Billiards 1:00 Oil Painting Drop In 1:00
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Group	Meeting day	Information		
Advisory Board	2 nd Tuesday at 10 a.m.			
AA/Al-Anon	Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m	All ages welcome. New members welcome!		
Art Drop In	Mondays from 9 a.m. to Noon	Informal, drop in and create!		
Billiards	Every afternoon - time varies	See calendar page for times.		
Bingo	Tuesdays at 12:40 p.m.	Join the fun!		
Bird Club	1st Friday of the month at 10 a.m.	Clinton Nienhaus, Hawk Ridge Bird Observatory		
Book Club	3 rd Thursday of the month at 1 p.m.	LaRose by Louise Erdrich		
Bucket List Book Club	4 th Tuesday at 7:15 p.m.	American Sphinx-The Character of Thomas Jefferson by Joseph Ellis		
Bulls & Bears Investment Club	1st & 3rd Monday of the month at 1 p.m.	Learn about investing!		
Social Bridge	Wednesdays at 12:45 p.m.	1st, 2nd, 3rd place and grand slam prizes awarded.		
Bunco	2 nd & 4 th Thursdays at 1 p.m.	Don't know how to play? They will teach you.		
Caregiver Conversations	2 nd Thursday at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Chorale	Wednesdays at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Computer Club	Fridays at 10 a.m. Website: mscig.wordpress.com	This group examines topics of interest. Experience ranges from beginner to expert.		
Crafting for a Cause	2 nd Friday at 9 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Cribbage	Thursdays at 10 a.m.	Bring cribbage board and a deck of cards.		
Dominos	1st & 3rd Thursdays at 1 p.m.	New members welcome!		
Duplicate Bridge	Thursdays at 6 p.m.	Partners needed.		
500 Card Club	2 nd & 4 th Tuesday at 10 a.m.	Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.		
Garden Club	2nd Monday at 1 p.m.	Mushrooms		
Genealogy Club	1st Thursday at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Ham Radio	2 nd Monday at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Hand, Foot, & Toe	2 nd & 4 th Monday 1 p.m.	We'll teach you how to play!		
Mahjongg	Wednesdays at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Men's Discussion Group	Mondays at 8:30 a.m.	Weekly men's discussion group		
Oil Painting Drop In	Fridays at 1 p.m.	New members welcome!		
Pickleball Open Play	Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 7:30-10 a.m. Thursdays and Fridays, 7:30-9:30 a.m.	Williston Fitness Center: 14509 Williston Dr. League Play: Wednesdays, 1-4 p.m.		
Poker	1st & 3rd Tuesday at 10 a.m.	Join us for a good game of poker.		
Rummikub	1st & 3rd Monday at 1 p.m.	We'll teach you how to play!		
Shutterbugs	3rd Tuesday at 10 a.m.	New members welcome!		
Tonka Tale Tellers	2 nd Monday at 10 a.m.	Tells tales at elementary schools.		
Tale Spinners	Tuesdays at 1 p.m.	Story writing group. New members welcome!		
Woodcarvers	Thursdays at 10 a.m.	Group members share ideas and work independently.		