

BARRINGTON SENIOR CENTER

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Telephone 247-1926

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281 County Road
Barrington, RI 02806

Center Hours
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Monday - Friday

SENIOR CENTER CLOSED

Friday, January 1st for New Year's Day

Monday, January 18th for Martin Luther King Day

FACES AND PLACES - Highlights from the RISD Museum Collection

6 Sessions, January 20th - February 24th at 10:15 am

Cost: \$35.00

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Activity Club

The popular Carol Villuci, former Curator of Education at RISD Museum, will teach this class. The first session will be a discussion of the program at the Barrington Senior Center and the following four sessions will take place at the RISD Museum, with the final session back at the Center. We will look at art from many cultures, time periods, and media. We will learn, engage and enjoy the works of art on view in the galleries - your perceptions will be enhanced and your imagination will be stimulated. We will begin our journey in the galleries of Ancient Art and travel through time and place each week.

Wednesday, January 20 Center- Overview of the Program

Saturday, January 23 RISD - Ancient Art

Saturday, January 30 RISD - Medieval and Renaissance

Saturday, February 6 RISD - Eighteenth Century

Saturday, February 13 RISD - Impressionism and Modern

Wednesday, February 24 Center - Reflections and Discussion

The Center van will be available to bring participants to the RISD Museum and will depart from the Center at 10:15 am each Saturday. Please call to register! Payment is due at time of registration.

EGRET'S LANDING CAFÉ



Monday, January 25th at 2:30 pm

Margaret Ferri will be back at the Café by popular demand! Margaret's musical roots are in folk music. She will sing and play classics on her acoustic guitar by artists such as James Taylor, Joni Mitchell, Carole King, Paul Simon and others. She has performed at several events and benefits in Rhode Island and Massachusetts. Join friends and neighbors as you enjoy dessert, coffee, and beverages while listening to the lovely music of Margaret Ferri.

Egret's Landing Café is open to music fans of all ages. It is located on the lower level of the Barrington Public Library.

ARTIST IN YOU

Mondays, January 25th - March 14th at 10:15 am

Cost: \$35.00

Whether you are just starting or mastering your craft, this class with Taylor Ferreri is a great opportunity to explore your creative side! Learn the basics of drawing, painting, and mixed media techniques all in a relaxed and innovative environment. Participants will have the opportunity to look at works created by various artists to help further their skill sets and set their imaginations.

The topic of the first class in January is "Drawing Basics." Other topics are posted on the bulletin board in the Senior Center and, of course, a syllabus will be distributed at the first class. Please call the Center to make a reservation! . Payment is due at time of reservation.

FLOWERS FOR EVERYONE

Friday, January 22 at 1:00 pm

SYMBOLS OF CELEBRATION

Did you know that balloons go back in history to ancient Mexico, where the Aztecs used them as part of an offering to their gods? Would you believe that the old English tradition of a birthday cake properly contains a coin or other symbolic object (baked right in the batter!)?

Please join us as we travel around the world, exploring customs of one of the most honored days of celebration—the birthday. As students enjoy a truly international learning experience, they will start their own "tradition" with a charming balloon floral arrangement. Participants will receive a bounty of brightly colored flowers including orange spray rose, green button mum and purple statice. "Balloon" treat sacks and other surprises round out this fun and festive class. Come join the party - sign up today! **Cost \$16.00.**

2ND STORY THEATRE

Sunday, January 24th at 2:30 pm

***"HYSTERIA"* by Terry Johnson**

Egos run quite amuck when Sigmund Freud and Salvador Dali meet at the psychoanalyst's home. Throw in a scantily clad, rain-soaked girl and comedy morphs into brilliant farce: one that sparkles, shines and lights up the mind.

Get your tickets here at the Center! The cost per ticket is \$7.00. Please note that tickets are limited to two per person and membership in the Senior Center Activity Club is required.

NEW MEMBERSHIP FEES BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2016

Beginning October 1, 2016, new membership fees will take place at the Barrington Senior Center.

Barrington Resident Participants: No Fee per year

Out of Town Participants: \$12.00 per year

Please note that this Out of Town fee applies only to those participating in programs other than the federal lunch program. The fee does not apply to those who participate only in the federal lunch program.

This new fee structure will replace the Activity Club fee. Beginning October 1, 2016, Activity Club trips and events will be open to all in town and out of town members.

ACTIVITY CLUB TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES

\$7.00 per year membership for people 55+ (September to September)

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, March 10, 2016 - St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's Day Gala at West Valley Inn

Wednesday, April 27, 2016 - "Tribute to Kenny Rogers and Dolly Parton" at Foxwoods

Wednesday, May 11, 2016 - Newport Playhouse

Details to be Announced

SENIOR SERVICES BUS GUIDELINES

In order to ensure the safety of both our drivers and our passengers, the following guidelines will go into effect on December 1, 2015.

SERVICES

1. Reservations are required by noon of the day prior to the date of the requested service. Call 247-1926.
2. Service is curb to curb. Our Drivers are not permitted to drive onto private property or enter the home. If riders require physical help getting to or in and out of the bus and reaching their appointment site, they will need to provide their own companion to assist.
3. Passengers must use seatbelts at all times.
2. Drivers are not permitted to lift passengers. They may assist with a hand under the rider's arm, but may not boost people into the bus. The driver may lift light mobility devices, such as walkers into the bus.
4. Drivers are not permitted to carry grocery bags or other bags/packages.
5. Drivers must never leave the bus unattended.
6. When the driver picks you up at your home, please be prompt. Delays cause setbacks for other passengers. The driver will not leave the bus to knock on the door or ring the doorbell.
7. Walkways must be clear of snow and ice prior to pick up.

Please Note: Passengers are not allowed to operate any bus equipment. Only the driver will operate the wheelchair lift or doors.

GROCERY DELIVERY

Patrons not eligible for the bus services may receive assistance with grocery shopping with Stop & Shop's "PEAPOD SERVICE." You may order on your computer at www.peapod.com or call 1-800-573-2763 to place and order and schedule a delivery time of your choice (delivery charges are \$6.95 for orders over \$100 or \$9.95 for orders under \$100). A computer is available at the Senior Center to place your order.

SCHEDULING

Reservations must be made by noon of the day prior to the requested service. Please call 401-247-1926.

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