

# BARRINGTON SENIOR CENTER

ENRICHMENT ~ ENHANCEMENT ~ ENLIGHTENMENT

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 STAFF

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Coordinator

## VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

**Thursday, April 16th at 11:30**

This is volunteer appreciation month and, once again, the Center recognizes all its volunteers by inviting them to a special luncheon. With entertainment by pianist Rodney Luther! A sincere thank you to Band Members, Knitters, Chorus Singers, Bingo Callers and Assistants, Bakers, Kitchen Helpers, Activity Club Officers, Advisory Board Members and Members of the Board of the Friends of the Senior Center.

## EGRET'S LANDING CAFE

**Monday, April 27th**  
**2:30 pm to 4:00 pm**

The new café here at the Center will be open this month on Monday, April 27th. We are excited to present, Mark Cutler, a singer/songwriter from Providence who will perform solo with his guitar. Mark leads a variety of roots-rock bands, combining powerful lyrics with memorable melodies and driving rhythm. Come enjoy a cup of coffee, pastries, relax, visit with friends and listen to Mark's music.

## THE ARTIST IN YOU

**April 27th to June 1st**  
**Mondays - 10:00am - 11:30am**

The second session of "The Artist in You," once again will be a fun, explorative experience. The classes will be taught by Taylor Terreri of the Warwick Art Museum, who brings to us her talent and exuberance for life and art.

All six classes are offered at \$10.00. The new dates are as follows:

April 27th - Drawing a Still Life  
May 4th - Drawing a Still Life  
May 11th - Painting like Pollock  
May 18th - Drawing/Painting from Nature  
June 1st - Mixed Media Collage  
June 8th - Mixed Media Collage

Please contact the front desk at 247-1926 to register.



*Say goodbye to Winter - Spring is here!*

## **JOURNEYS WITH SALLY**

**Friday, April 17th**

**Cost: \$15 with lunch as independent expense**

### ***CRANSTON!***

Historic yet contemporary, Cranston is one of the most diverse communities in the state of Rhode Island. From the regal Governor Sprague Mansion to the opulent Garden City complex, this unique municipality has something for everyone.

Today, we will explore the city's past and celebrate the present during a special spring excursion. As we begin, a tour of the distinguished Sprague Museum provides a panorama of 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> century life. Now, it is time for lunch at the acclaimed Twin Oaks Restaurant. Established eighty years ago, this fine Rhode Island tradition has countless mouthwatering specialties. Soaring into the future, we will stop at the renowned Alex and Ani World Headquarters. For a sweet finish, we will enjoy the city's finest chocolates as we visit Sweenors.

We will depart from the Center at 10:00am with a return at 4:00pm.

Please call the Center to sign up for this fun trip.

## **PAINTING CLASS**

**Tuesday, April 7th to June 23rd**

**9:30am to 11:30am**

Instructor Judy Keeley is back for 12 weeks! Come bring your water colors, oils or acrylics and join your fellow painters. Cost is \$35.00 with payment due at first class.

## **WHEEL OF FORTUNE**

**Tuesday, April 21st**

**12:15pm to 1:00pm**

Home Instead, the Home Health Care Agency, will be here again to play the family favorite television game Wheel of Fortune!  
Please come for lunch and stay to play the game!

## **BIG REWARDS - SMALL STEPS**

**Tuesday, April 7th**

**10:45am to 11:30am**

Joni Bloom of the YMCA's Diabetes Prevention Program will be at the Center to talk about how lifestyle changes such as eating healthier, increasing physical activity and losing a modest amount of weight can prevent or delay development of type 2 diabetes - important information for all. Fresh fruit, coffee or tea will be provided and family members are welcome to attend.

## **TECH TUESDAY**

**Tuesdays, April 14th and 28th**

**3:00pm to 4:00pm**

Please bring your computer questions and/or problems to the students from MTTI Technical School who will be here and will be happy to assist you.

## **ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP**

**Monday, April 6th at 1:00pm**

The Alzheimer's Support Group continues to meet on the first Monday of the month. All are welcome!

## **NEWPORT CREAMERY VOUCHERS**

Remember that vouchers for breakfast or dinner at Newport Creamery in Barrington are now available at the Senior Center. Vouchers cost \$5.00 per meal and may be purchased at the front desk of the Center.

## ACTIVITY CLUB TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES\*

**\$7.00 per year membership for people 55+**  
**(All trips are to be paid for separately. A \$10.00 deposit is due at sign-up)**

**Friday May 8th Trp to Wright's Farm. Date an**

**April 15 (Wednesday) - Newport Playhouse: "When The Cat's Away!"**

When Mildred and Ethel took off on a trip to Paris, the husbands Humphrey and George invite two charming little sex kittens over. Well, you already know what happens...the wives return prematurely! After the play, you will enjoy a buffet luncheon and Cabaret. Leave at 10:00am from the rear of Barrington Town Hall.

**Cost: \$59.00.**

**April 19 (Sunday) at 2:30pm - 2nd Story Theatre "And Miss Reardon Drinks A Little"**

A perfect blend of comedy and drama, this biting, touching and often wildly funny play probes deeply into the tortured relationship of three sisters whose lives have reached a point of crisis. It is funny and fierce and absolutely extraordinary. And maybe the best title. Ever!

**Cost: \$5.00** Transportation on your own.

**May 8 (Friday) - Wright's Farm Restaurant/Gift Shop and Dairy Farm/Bakery.**

Come, travel with us and enjoy their famous luncheon of Chicken, Macaroni Salad, Fries and Dessert. We will also visit the Dairy Farm and Bakery. Leave at 10:30am from behind Barrington Town Hall via coach.

**Cost: \$27.00.**



**"EGRET'S LANDING CAFÉ"**  
**NOW OPEN!**



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