### HAYSVILLE SENIOR CENTER

## LIVE YOUR LIFE & FORGET YOUR AGE!

MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER

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#### **UPCOMING HOLIDAY**

The Haysville Senior Center & Haysville Hustle will be closed on Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day.

There will be no Meals on Wheels/Friendship Meals available.

#### **MONTHLY DINNER**

Moving forward, we are going to require that participants do not arrive for our 6:00 p.m. monthly dinner until 5:30 p.m. or later. Each month, we are seeing more people arriving from 4:45-5:00 and are opening food containers, drinking down the punches, taking dessert, moving decor, etc. Also from 5:00-5:30 staff is still preparing the warming pans and putting food out, so it makes it difficult when we have to check people in during this time.

We appreciate your understanding.
-Center Staff





### STEAK | CHICKEN | ALL THE TOPPINGS!

Join Us For The Best Taco Bar Around!

Friday, May 10th | 6:00 P.M. \$8.00 Per Person

Register By May 3rd At 4:00 P.M.

### ANNUAL PLANNING COMMITTEE ELECTION

The Haysville Senior Center Planning Committee consist of (6) <u>current</u> members that are in good standing. The Committee meets once a month on the first Monday at 1:00 p.m. They assist with cooking the quarterly breakfast, some special events and are encouraged to bring recommendations to staff of activities that may be of interest to members.

If you're interested in serving on this committee, please contact Kristen or Cynthia by Friday, May 10th to be added to the ballot.

Ballots will be available from May 13th to 24th.

The six members who receive the most votes will be presented to Mayor Kessler for appointment at the June 10th City Council meeting.

Members serve (1) year terms. June 11, 2024 - June 9, 2025

Only ACTIVE members may vote one time. Please turn ballots directly into staff.





# Sponsored by Insured With Jake

May 23rd | 1:00 p.m.

Come Decorate Some Cute Spring Cookies!

Free To Our Members
Maximum Of 30 Participants

Sign Up Required By May 16th





FRIDAY, MAY 24TH | 2:00 PM

No Charge To Current Members.

Learn The Best Gardening Practices
With This HANDS ON Class.

Limited Spots. Sign Up By 5/22/24



Monday, May 13th | 1:00 P.M.

\$5.00- Members Only

Pick A Sunflower or Butterfly To Paint Class Is Limited To (5) Of Each First Sign Ups Get The First Pick!

No Instructor To This Class- Just Come Have Fun & Let Your Creativity Flow!













### SEDGWICK COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

# Fresh Conversations

### **About The Program**

The Fresh Conversations cirriculum is a FREE program provided by the Sedgwick County Extension Education Center. Fresh Conversations (FC) targets behaviors known to reduce chronic disease burden and promote healthy aging. It promotes healthier food and beverage choices across the food groups to move to move closer to Dietary Guidelines for Americans. Each lesson is 30–45 minutes and meets once monthly. Most lessons include a taste test to go along with the topic of the month. Each session is organized in a similar way and includes six sections to facilitate a group discussion, conversation, introduction, physical activity, tasting activity and a take action element.

#### **MAY 21ST - CANCER: PREVENTABLE, NOT INEVITABLE**

JUNE 18TH- ARE HEALTHY BONES IMPORTANT?

JULY 16TH - SUMMER CHECK-UP

AUGUST 20TH- FRESH HERBS: DON'T MISS OUT ON SUMMER FLAVOR

SEPTEMBER 17TH- HOW MUCH IS TOO MUCH?

PLEASE SIGN UP FOR EACH CLASS BY TWO DAYS PRIOR

# **Alzheimer's Association**

Lunch & Learn

Thursday, May 30th- 12:00 p.m.
Registration with the Alz. Association Required
\*See Staff For More Details\*



### ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM STAFF

#### CARD MAKING WITH DIANA HENLEY

Diana will be back on Tuesday, May 14th at 1:00 p.m. to provide us with another card making class!

Learn to make (3) personalized cards for only \$6.00. You will pay Diana directly at this event. Please sign up by Friday, May 10th

#### YOGA CLASS UPDATE

Our Yoga Instructor, Marianna Evans, will be having surgery so she will tentatively have to cancel Chair Yoga from May 13th - June 17th.

Marianna plans on returning for her normal 10:00 a.m. Yoga Class on Monday, June 24th. Please call us prior to confirm her return date.

#### KIDS AT BINGO

At our April 18th Bingo, staff took a vote to address some remarks that had been made to us regarding some members bringing grandchildren to Regular Bingo and Card Bingo.

We had 35 participants at Bingo on this date so we thought this would be an ideal time to have those participants vote. With a LARGE majority voting no, we are going to follow the wishes of our members and <u>not</u> have grandchildren at either regular and card Bingo moving forward. We will try to occasionally hold a special event to allow members to bring their grandkids.

We appreciate your understanding.

#### Senior Center Hours Of Operation

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

#### Haysville Hustle Hours Of Operation

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

#### Annual Senior Center Membership

\$5.00/Year | 55+ Renewal Due Each January



## Friendly Reminders

- Payments for all programs that require a fee are due at time of sign up. Fees are non-refundable or transferrable to another program AFTER the sign up deadline has passed as food/supplies have already been purchased. After a deadline has passed, you may give your ticket to another member.
- Credit card transactions are now accepted for all programs, membership & rentals. Please note that
  refunds for credit card transactions will be submitted through the City and can take up to two weeks
  before a check will be mailed to your home address.
- We offer two different Bingo games:
  - Regular \$2.00 Bingo
  - \$3 Card Bingo. This game is played with playing cards and each player must bring (1) Dollar Bill &
     (8) Quarters. The center will not break change.
- Want to be added to our monthly newsletter distribution list? Please let staff know. (Email only, not residential mailing).
- We pride ourselves in obtaining a clean facility and having respectful members. All members are held to the Senior Center policies that they have agreed to follow when registering as a member. These policies are posted just inside the front entrance. Please see Kristen or Cynthia with any questions.