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Pursuing Life!

October 2022

Thunder Bay 55 Plus Centre, 700 River Street www.thunderbay.ca/55plus 684-3066

ENGAGING • EXCITING • ENERGIZING



Daily Activities, Drop In

Nominal fee applies to all.

Activities are subject to change based on special activities and events.

Monday

1 pm - Cribbage

1 pm - Guitar Jam

1 pm - Painting (Sept-June) 1 pm - Beginner Line Dancing

2 pm - Beginner Plus/Intermed. Line Dancing

6:30 pm - Euchre

Tuesday

12:15 pm - Badminton

12:30 pm - Whist

1 pm - Quilting

1 pm - Rug Hooking (Sept-June)

1 pm - Bridge

5 pm - Ukulele

5:30 pm - Sewing Needle Arts (1st & 3rd)

6 pm - Pickleball

6:30 pm - Canasta

Wednesday

8:30 am - Beginner Billiards

12:30 pm - Drawing & Sketching

12:45 pm - Floor Shuffleboard (Sept-June)

1 pm - Mahjong

3:15 pm Pickleball (Sept-May) 6:30 pm - Bid Euchre

Thursday

9 am - Watercolours Painting (Sept-June)

9:30 am - Knitting & Crochet

1 pm - Oil & Acrylic Painting

1 pm - Swedish Weaving

1 pm - Euchre

1:30 pm - Badminton (except 4th Thurs)

5 pm - Quilting (2nd & 4th)

6:30 pm - Cribbage

7 pm - Intermediate Line Dancing

Friday

All Day - Ladies Only Billiards

12:15 pm - Badminton

12:45 pm - Contract Bridge

1 pm - Bid Euchre

2:15 pm - Floor Curling

Saturday

9 am - Quilting (1st & 3rd) 12:00 pm - Pickleball

"Drop In Activity Coupon Booklets available at the Main Office for \$20. Cash or Cheque"

Health & Wellness Services, Meetings, Presentations

Blood Pressure Screening, 10 am, 1st Wednesday Hearing Screening Testing, 10 am, 2nd Tuesday, call 684-3471 for appt. Caregivers Support Group, call 684-3471 for more information Respiratory Clinic, call 684-3471 for more information Grief Support Group, 1:30 pm every 2nd Friday, call 684-3471 to register Senior Social & Fix-It Club Meeting, 10 am, 2nd & 4th Wednesday

25th Annual **Harvest Craft Market**

Sunday, October 30

10 am to 4 pm

Admission: \$3 for Adults; Children under 10 are FREE

Over 50 local crafters, 81 tables Shop early while hand-crafted items last!

Annual Fundraising Blitz

October 11 - October 21 All donations welcome! Income Tax receipts issued. Help support your Centre.



OACAO Workshop

EXPLORE the Body, the Mind and Technology Saturday, October 22, 8:30 am - 3:00 pm Thunder Bay 55 Plus Auditorium *Lunch provided* Learn about: the science of the body and mind; how stress can impact the body and mind; preparing healthy meals with strategies to make cooking safer, easier and more enjoyable; accessibility features built into you cellphone and tablet; scams and frauds that can affect you emotionally and financially.

For more info or to register, please call 684-3276

Workshops

Trio Fabric Pumpkin

Oct. 7, 1 - 4 pm

Cost: \$40 + tax Code: 7777 Using a variety of fabrics, ribbons, wood sticks, pinecones and leaves, you will create 3 unique fabric pumpkins (small, medium, large). No sewing experience necessary

Center Tray Fall Decor

Oct. 14, 1 - 3:30 pm **Cost:** \$50 + tax

Code: 7771

Using paint, decoupage, vinyl and other supplies, vou will create a unique Fall tray!

Skull Decor

Oct. 28, 1 - 3:30pm **Cost:** \$40 + tax

Code: 7775

Using paper and napkins in black and white colours, you will cover a skull and then decorate it with flowers

Lunch & Learns

Oct 6 - Introduction to the Ontario Caregiver Organization

Oct 13 - Caregiver 101: Understanding Roles, Expectations and Getting Support

Oct 20 - Caregiver Stress and Burnout

Oct 27 - Contingency & Emergency

Planning for Caregivers

For more info or to register, please call the Support Services Program office at 684-3276. 12 - 1 pm, free lunch provided

Recreation 55 Plus

Indoor Walks - FREE!

Tues (Oct 4 - Dec 12), 2 - 3 pm Thurs (Oct 6 - Dec 14), 10 - 11 am Lu Hangar, 955 Oliver Rd Parking Pass Needed: \$1.25 / hour

Outdoor Walks - FREE!

Mon. Sept. 12 - Nov. 21 9:30 - 10:30 am Marina Park Splash Pad Wed. Sept. 14 - Nov. 23 9:30 - 10:30 am Chapples Park Soccer Field

Photography Club - FREE

Mondays, Sept. 19 - Nov. 21 1:30 - 2:30pm (No instruction) Bring your own camera/devices

Wit Knits - FREE

Thurs. Sept. 22 - Nov. 24 1:30 - 3 pm Mary J L Black Library - 901 S Edward St.

Five Pin Bowling - Mario's Bowl

Tues. Sept. 13 - Nov. 29 11 am - 1 pm

Cost: \$14.99 (Bowling Shoes Included)

Darts Group

Wed. Sept. 14 - Nov. 30 2:30 - 3:30 pm, Galaxy Lanes

Cost: \$2.00 *Bring own darts if possible, supplies are limited*

Retirement Explorers

Fridays, Oct. 21 - Dec. 9 1 - 2:30 pm

Mary J L Black Library - 901 S. Edward St.

For more information or for locations of Photography Club, see Centre bulletin board or contact Lily at lily.zaina@thunderbay.ca