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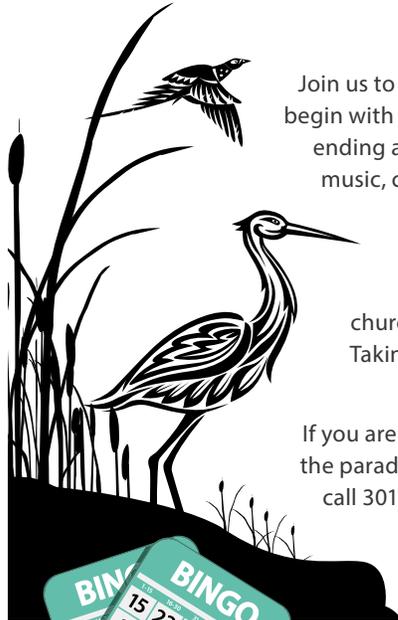
NANJEMOY Community CENTER

Activity & Event Newsletter

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Hours: Monday & Wednesday: 8:30 a.m.–8 p.m. • Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday: 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m. | www.CharlesCountyMD.gov

16th Annual Nanjemoy Heritage Day

Saturday, Oct. 8 • Noon-3 p.m.



Join us to celebrate the amazing heritage of Nanjemoy. The day will begin with a lively parade starting at the Nanjemoy Fire Department, ending at the Community Center. Events at the Center include live music, crafts for the kids, face painting, area artists, local heritage displays, classic cars, games, and much more.

Plan to attend this fun-filled day with local area businesses, organizations, family farms, fire departments, and churches. Refreshments and souvenir T-shirts will be available. Taking part in this special event will provide you with a deeper understanding of this local community.

If you are interested in being a vendor, exhibitor, or participating in the parade with a classic vehicle or antique farm equipment, please call 301-246-9612. In addition, this year we are searching for families with deep roots in the community who are willing to share family photos and artifacts. See center staff.

CASH BINGO

Senior Services Fundraiser

Wednesday, Sept. 7, 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. • Waldorf Senior Ctr.

Admission: \$20 for regular games and specials with additional packs for \$5/ea. Early Birds and Cover All for \$2/ea.



Charles County Fair Sept. 15-18

Residents of Charles County that are 60 years of age and older may enter their exhibits in the Senior Building. Two entry maximum per class.

Entry selections include: Needle Arts: crocheting, knitting, needlepoint, sewn garments, decorated baskets, pillows, embroidery, counted cross stitch, quilting, rugs, decorated accessories, dolls, and more. Arts & Crafts: watercolors, oils, acrylics, drawings, ceramics, pottery, woodcarving. Christmas decorations, toys, decorative items, photographs, calligraphy, jewelry, and more

Collections: scrapbooks, stamps, coins, and more.

Entries must have been completed Sept. 2015-Sept. 2016, excluding collections with new additions. Persons are encouraged to take part in this community event. Fair books will be available at senior centers and libraries.



Activities & Classes

Putt-Putt

Join us for a trip to the Fun Haven Golf putting range, followed by lunch at a popular local restaurant.

Thursday, Sept. 1 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Fee: FREE

Back To School

September is generally remembered as "back to school" month. We will reminisce and talk about our school days in the past.

Tuesday, Sept. 6 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Council Meeting

This is a very active group in the community who also sponsors activities at the center. They meet the first Tuesday of each month.

Tuesday, Sept. 6 1-2 p.m.
Fee: FREE

National Waffle Week

We will have a waffle breakfast with blueberry topping. Waffles will be served with turkey sausage, juice, tea, and coffee.

Wednesday, Sept. 7 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: \$3

Nickel Bingo

Come and join this lively group of seniors having fun in the afternoon playing bingo.

Wednesdays, Sept. 7-28 1-2 p.m.
Fee: 5¢/card

Boost Your Vocabulary

How many of these poly words do you know? We will take our chances guessing the meanings of some of the words.

Thursday, Sept. 8 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Waiting for a School Bus

Did you ride a school bus? This is the time to share your life experiences. We will compare the old days with a trip today to school.

Thursday, Sept. 8 12:45-1:45 p.m.
Fee: FREE

Grandma Moses

Anna Mary Robertson was a painter born in 1860 in Greenwich, New York. We will research how she was given the name of Grandma Moses.

Monday, Sept. 12 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Rainforest

Christine Gonzales (Humane Society) will visit the center to discuss the rainforest... the oldest living ecosystem.

Tuesday, Sept. 13 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Clothesline Fair

During the clothesline fair seniors will hang up some of their paintings, pictures they colored, and photographs.

Wednesday, Sept. 14 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Road Trip to Chesapeake Beach

Join us for a trip to the Rod 'N' Reel and Trader's Steak & Ale Restaurant. The day will be filled with a variety of games, including Bingo and Keno. Contact the center to reserve your seat.

Thursday, Sept. 15 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Fee: \$15/pp

Classical Music Month

We will listen to classical music and talk about some of the arrangers.

Monday, Sept. 19 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Consolidation & Mud

This is a story about people who had to walk to school in the mud because they did not live on cemented roads.

Tuesday, Sept. 20 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

To Drink or Not to Drink

A nutritious breakfast is a great way to start the day, especially during September, since it is the official Breakfast Month.

Tuesday, Sept. 20 12:45-1:45 p.m.
Fee: FREE

Do You Know your Rights?

Citizenship Day and Constitution Day are celebrated in September in the United States. A discussion will follow about our rights.

Wednesday, Sept. 21 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Food Safety & Sanitation

Lisa Furlow (Nutritionist, Aging Division) will discuss food safety and sanitation.

Thursday, Sept. 22 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Information & Assistance

A representative will be here to assist seniors and community members with necessary information on available services. Be sure to bring all of your information and ID cards.

Thursday, Sept. 22 10 a.m.-Noon
Fee: FREE

Have You Had Your Fruits & Veggies Today?

How much do you know about some of the hybrids or newer fruits and vegetables? These should be at the top of our grocery list.

Monday, Sept. 26 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Leaf Craft

Fall leaves will be painted on canvas.

Tuesday, Sept. 27 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Bulletin Board Decorations

Seniors will cut out pictures and decorate the bulletin board for the fall season.

Tuesday, Sept. 27 12:45-1:45 p.m.
Fee: FREE

Harvest Time Quiz

Autumn is harvest time. Seniors will have fun with this multiple choice quiz.

Wednesday, Sept. 28 10-11 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Movie Matinee

"90 Minutes in Heaven" is about a man declared dead after a traffic accident. He experiences love, joy, and life like he's never known.

Thursday, Sept. 29 10-11:30 a.m.
Fee: FREE

Open Games

Seniors can play the games of their choice.

Thursday, Sept. 29 12:45-1:45 p.m.
Fee: FREE

HAPPY Grand PARENTS DAY

Grandparents Day is celebrated on the Sunday after Labor Day. Seniors will unscramble the Grandparents Day puzzle.

Tuesday, Sept. 13

12:45-1:45 p.m.

Fee: FREE



September 2016

Event Calendar

 Programs for All Ages
 Youth

 Tots & Younger Children
 Adults
 Seniors

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Computer Lab ... 8:30-8:00 Fitness Room ... 8:30-8:00 Billiards Drop In 8:30-8:00 Walking Club ... 9:15-9:45 Fitness with LaMont 11:00-11:45 Board Games ... 9:30-11:00 BINGO 1:00-2:00 Fitness Orientation 3:00-4:00 Video Fit 6:30-7:30	Computer Lab ... 8:30-4:30 Fitness Room ... 8:30-4:30 Billiards Drop In 8:30-4:30 Walking Club ... 9:15-9:45 Board Games ... 9:30-11:00 Tai Chi 11:15-11:45 Card Games ... 12:30-1:30 Breathe Easy ... 1:00-1:45	Computer Lab ... 8:30-8:00 Fitness Room ... 8:30-8:00 Billiards Drop In 8:30-8:00 Walking Club ... 9:15-9:45 Board Games ... 9:30-11:00 Fitness Orientation ... 10:30-11:30 Strength Training 11:00-11:30 Bingo 1:00-2:00 Video Fit 6:30-7:30	Computer Lab ... 8:30-4:30 Fitness Room ... 8:30-4:30 Billiards Drop In 8:30-4:30 Walking Club ... 9:15-9:45 Board Games ... 9:30-11:00 Card Games ... 12:30-1:30	Computer Lab ... 8:30-4:30 Fitness Room ... 8:30-4:30 Billiards Drop In 8:30-4:30	
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					Reminder: Council Meeting Tuesday, Sept. 6 • 1 p.m. • Fee: FREE

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The Charles County Department of Community Services is pleased to offer this edition of the Nanjemoy Community Center Newsletter, a monthly publication listing events and programs.

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Mission Statement – The mission of Charles County Government is to provide our citizens the highest quality service possible in a timely, efficient, and courteous manner. To achieve this goal, our government must be operated in an open and accessible atmosphere, be based on comprehensive long- and short-term planning, and have an appropriate managerial organization tempered by fiscal responsibility. We support and encourage efforts to grow a diverse workplace.

Vision Statement – Charles County is a place where all people thrive and businesses grow and prosper; where the preservation of our heritage and environment is paramount; where government services to its citizens are provided at the highest level of excellence; and where the quality of life is the best in the nation.

Americans With Disabilities – The Department of Community Services welcomes the participation of individuals with disabilities. As with all County Government, we comply fully with the Americans With Disabilities Act in making reasonable accommodations to encourage involvement. If you require special assistance and would like to participate in our programs, please contact the Department of Community Services.

Road Trip to Chesapeake Beach

**Thursday, Sept. 15, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Fee: \$15/pp**

Play pay-as-you go Bingo at the Rod 'N' Reel from 10:30 a.m.-Noon. Bingo is \$1 for three cards. Lunch will be at Trader's Steak & Ale Restaurant, with lunch prices ranging \$10-\$20/meal. We are making reservations at this restaurant for the entire group. The Trader's Restaurant has a game room which offers electronic gaming such as Keno, Racetrax, MD lottery, and electronic Bingo Bridge.

Danny Thomas is providing transportation with limited seating. Be sure to sign up early to save your space. 15 Tokens will be given to each paying guest at the Rod 'N' Reel. Lunch price and other games on your own.

Reservation deadline: Tuesday, Sept. 6.



Energy Assistance

The Electric Universal Service Program (EUSP) is a state program to assist eligible customers with paying their bills. It is administered by the Department of Human Resources, Office of Home Energy Programs. The programs help with following:

- Financial assistance with current electric bills
- Settling past unpaid electric bills
- Weatherization services to reduce further bills



Eligibility information and application assistance is available at all Senior Centers. Senior citizens who have questions or wish to participate in this program can contact Senior Information & Assistance staff at 301-934-6737, ext: 5737. Julie Hammonds, ADRC Program Specialist, has monthly visits to the Nanjemoy Senior Center. You may stop in and see Julie on the fourth Thursday of each month. The visit date for this month is Thursday, Sept. 22, 10 a.m. to Noon. **This service is FREE and open to eligible persons.**

A Sneak Peek At Upcoming Events

**Oct. 8: Indian Head
Breast Cancer
Awareness Fitness Walk**

Oct. 8: Heritage Day

**Oct. 14: Monster
Mash Dance**

**Oct. 21: Family
Bingo**