



# The Senior Star



410 N. Pearl Street

A monthly publication for The Wayne Senior Center

April, 2011

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### Friday, April 1st

12:45 "Strokes" by Connie Vogt, RN

### Tuesday, April 5th

11:30 Pat Cook, piano

1:00 Card Making

### Wednesday, April 6th

11:30 & 3:00 Ray Petersen,  
Accordion

Birthdays Party Celebration

Noon Volunteer Appreciation

### Tuesday, April 12th

11:30 Connie Webber, Piano

### Wednesday, April 13th

11:30 Cyril Hansen, Organ

### Thursday, April 14th

11:30 Ray Petersen, Accordion

Noon: Volunteer Appreciation

### Friday, April 15th

2:55 p.m. Coffee Chat,

by Stacey Kraft

### Monday, April 18th

1:00 p.m. Board Meeting

### Tuesday, April 19th

12:45 p.m. Library Corner

Historical Homes in the Midwest

By Julie Osnes

### Wednesday, April 20th

11:30 Harpist, Nancy Musil

Noon: Easter Celebration

& Special Luncheon

### Thursday, April 21st

11:30 Pat Cook, Piano

Noon Elderfest Dinner at Center

### Friday, April 22nd

**CLOSED FOR GOOD FRIDAY**

### Monday, April 25th

11:30 Ray Petersen, Accordion

Noon Volunteer Appreciation

### Tuesday, April 26th

11:30 Connie Webber, Organ

### Wednesday, April 27th

12:45 p.m. Rita Sparr

"Medicare Fraud"

### Thursday, April 28th

11:30 Deb Dickey, Piano

### Friday, April 29th

11:30 & 12:45 Phil Pfaltzgraff &

WSC Students

"Spotlight on Promise"

1:15 pm Bingo Every Friday

2:00 pm Chicken Foot Dominoes

Every Friday



Wayne Senior  
Center  
Wishes All Seniors  
A  
Happy Easter  
Gathering  
With  
Family and Friends



April Brings More  
Guests to our Center

Welcome Oaks and  
Careage Residents for  
coming & eating your  
noon meals with us, we  
enjoy your company.

Welcome back Snow  
Bird Seniors who have  
been away but have  
returned to us. We are  
happy to see you again.

Remember to call for  
noon reservations the  
day before. 375-1460



## *The Feel of Being Happy*

*By Grace Noll Crowell*

*The Feel of Being happy  
Is a lovely thing and light,  
Like a leaf upon the wind,  
Like a flying kite.*

*Like glad children playing  
Beside a spring street,  
Laughing, skipping, running there  
With wings upon our feet.*

*The feel of being happy  
Is a singing thing;*

*Like a fountain leaping up,  
Like a sparkling spring,*

*Like the glowing color  
Of sunset on the lake;*

*As beautiful as bubbles  
Just before they break.*

### **April - Volunteer Appreciation Month**

We give tribute to our volunteers who give their time and effort so willingly to help activities and programs go so smoothly at the Wayne Senior Center. You bring sunshine to the community.

Please enjoy a complimentary meal from the Wayne Senior Center as our way of thanking you for your thoughtfulness.

You are our Sunshine in Spring! Look for your dinner Invitation and meal certification in the mail. Please notify staff if you did not receive your letter.

**Thank you from the Wayne Senior Center Staff**

**Entertainers:**

Pat Cook: April 5th,  
Connie Webber: April 12th, piano  
April 26th, organ

Cyril Hansen: April 13th, organ

Back by Popular Demand:  
Deb Dickey: Thursday, April 28th

**Volunteer Appreciation Dates:**

*Featuring Ray Petersen on  
Accordion*

*Wednesday, April 6th*

*Thursday, April 14th*

*Monday, April 25th*

*Please call in your reservation  
If the designated date for your  
Volunteer luncheon does not  
Work for you then select a  
different date to come eat.*



**Attention**

**Card Makers- Easter & TBA**

*Please come: Tuesday,  
1:00pm, April 5th*

*The Wayne Senior Center was honored to  
be the recipient of the  
Memorials from Leona Hagemann.*

*She was a dedicated quilter and was  
considered to be the head of the quilter  
volunteers for many years.*

*The family has selected an outdoors  
bench to be placed on the East patio.*

**April 6th Birthday Party**

**Featuring :**

**Ray Petersen,**

**On Accordion**

**Beginning at 11:30**

**Dance your favorite Polkas**

**3:00pm More Polka**

**&**

**All Seniors Bring a Treat**



Wednesday, April 20th



**Special Easter Entertainment:**

*Nancy Musil on her harp.*

*This angelic music will give you shivers, it is so glorious.*

*Music Begins at 11:30 a.m.*

*Easter Dinner at 12:00 Noon*

*Dinner Music Again at 12:45 p.m.*

*Make your Dinner Music Reservations Early: 402-375-1460*

*Seating for 100*

**Easter Dinner Menu:**

*Country Beef Steak*

*Mashed Potatoes with Country Gravy*

*Corn*

*Coleslaw*

*Fresh WW Bread & Promise*

*Peach Pie*

*Milk, Coffee, & Water*



*All Seniors 60 and over are invited to our Center Elderfest Turkey Dinner  
Limited Seating up to 100, so make your reservations early.*

*Arrive early at 11:30 a.m. for Pat Cook's Spring Piano Tunes*

**Elderfest Dinner Menu at the Center:**

*Sliced Roasted Turkey and Turkey Gravy*

*Sweet Potatoes*

*California Blend Mixed Medley*

*WW Dinner Roll & Promise*

*Pineapple Chunks*

*Milk, Coffee, and Water*

*Center Contributions: Quilters did hand quilting on Elderfest Quilt & Sponsored Red Johnson*



**March: Thank you to Careage of Wayne  
for sponsoring**

**14 Special Luncheon Certificates**

**Thank you Oaks Retirement Center for 3 Century Club Certificates &**

*Wayne Public Transit is a great mode of  
transportation*

*for you to get to appointments & to run  
Errands for \$1.50 one way.*

*Hours: 9:00am—4:40pm*





**Please Call and Volunteer!**

Calling for Helpful Hands

**Quilters Needed!!**

If you are interested in volunteering and learning hand quilting then you are invited to come. This is a very important and rewarding service so please call the Wayne Senior Center at 375-1460.

**Volunteers, You are our "Valued Quilters"**



**Mary Nichols, RN  
Health Care Screens**

**Wednesday, April 20th**

**9:30a.m.—12:00, Blood Sugar and Blood Pressure**

**Gift Certificates to 14 Lucky Winners  
Sponsored by Oaks Retirement Center**

**Hear Ye! Hear Ye!  
April 18th at 1:00p.m.  
Wayne Senior Center  
Board Meeting  
Open to All.**



**Special Entertainment: Nancy Musil, Harpist**

**Easter Celebration & Special Luncheon Combined**

**Library Corner  
By Julie Osnes**



**"Historical Houses in the Midwest"**

This will be a screen show of beautiful historical homes from Julie's travels.

**Date: Tuesday, April 19th**

**Time: 12:45 p.m.**

***Coffee Chat***

*By Stacey Kraft (co-owner of Coffee Shoppe)*



**Friday, April 15th at 2:55 p.m.**

*Fun Demonstration about Coffee Beans,  
Types of Coffee: Mochas, Lattes, Macchiato  
Samples are offered at Coffee Social*

**April Fools Day: April 1st  
Connie Vogt, RN will present**

**"Strokes Prevention and Signs"  
Important Health Info. At 12:45 p.m. Please Come.**

**Wayne State College Music Students are Proud to Present their-**

**"Spotlight on Promise"**

**Friday, April 29th**

**1st Set: 11:30 a.m.  
2nd Set: 12:45 p.m.**

**Accompanied by Phil Pfaltzgraff  
On Piano**



**Northeast Nebraska Area on Aging  
Ombusman: Rita Sparr  
Presents-**

**"Medicare Fraud"**

**Wednesday, April 27th at 12:45 p.m.**

**Important Health Information that will affect you.**

**Escape from Fire! One & You Fire out!  
STAY OUT!**

***Easter Brunch Fruit Cup***

**Your favorite fruit medley:**

- Example-**
- Fresh Strawberries**
- Blueberries**
- Raspberries**
- Peach Slices**
- Banana Slices (dredged in fresh lemon juice)**

**Serve in Large Fruit Compote Dish  
Or  
Individual Sauce Cups**

**Sour Cream Sauce:**

- In mixing bowl beat with electric beaters-**
- 1/3 cup butter**
- 1 cup powdered sugar**

- Add 1/2 cup sour cream**
- 1/2 tsp. lemon juice**
- 1/4 tsp. vanilla**

**Cover & Chill & Serve on Fruit**

**REFRESHING & PRETTY**



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### Cash Donations:

Hallie Sherry  
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Viola Meyer  
Marilyn Morse

Cash Memorial in Memory of Dorothy Meyer  
from Alta Meyer.

Cash Memorials in Memory of  
Leona Hagemann from Family of Leona plus  
Ruth Korth, Lee Larsen, Rick and Bonnie Lund.

### Coffee Donations:

Gloria Evans  
Janet Reeg  
Duaine Jacobsen  
Lester & Donna Hansen  
Tom Rose  
Lanora Sorensen  
Marv Nelson  
Delvin and Mardelle Mikkelsen

### This & That

Marj Porter: Paper Dollies  
Joann McNatt: Card Display Shelf  
Lucile Luhr & Jude Milliken: Cheese &  
Sausage

Thank you to those of you who take the time to  
bring in baked items, ice cream  
and all the other  
goodies for 3:00  
coffee.



Thank you Wayne Senior Center Participants:

We made the incentive for Congregate Average in  
February  
&  
Hopefully in March. It's so close again.  
Wayne Senior Center continues to be the "Place to Be"



### Century Club Movie—April 12th

If you attend the Century Club Movie, make plans to have  
lunch afterwards! You won't be late. Serving time is at  
12:05 to 12:15 on this day. Reservations made the day  
before. March sponsor will be *Careage of Wayne*

### Word List:

Archie, BC, Beetle, Bugs, Calvin, Dagwood, Davis, Doonesbury, Fox,  
Grimm, Jerry, Lois, Marmaduke, Menace, Schultz, Walt

Penny Vollbracht	Coordinator
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Dave Headley	Van Driver
Lori Dickes	Part-Time Custodian
Gloria Leseberg	President
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Norma Backstrom	Treasurer

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or sex. The Wayne Senior Center is funded by the City of Wayne,  
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### Senior Center Hours

Monday – Friday  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
AM Walk at 8:30 a.m.  
Van Rides over at 4:40 p.m.

Meals are served at noon. Please make your  
meal reservations & cancellations by noon  
the day before.

For van transportation or  
meal reservations call 375-1460.



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