

FORTUNA SENIOR CENTER

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The Fortuna Senior Bike Club meets on Fridays for rides of about 8-12 miles over generally low relief, low traffic areas around Humboldt County. Before the covid pandemic, we enjoyed a brunch and coffee after our bike trips. We have been able to go on rides like the Eureka Waterfront Trail where we stop at Ramones in Old Town and have our snacks at the corner park.

When the rains began this winter we put off bike rides until spring. Now that the weather is nicer and covid pandemic is less threatening, we will begin our biking once again. A ride down Pleasant Point Road is a possibility in a couple of weeks. Unfortunately, rain is predicted for the latter part of next week so we will have to watch the weather carefully.

For more information, please contact Pat Greene at greenedudester@gmail.com. or call Pat —@ cell 707-496-5277 or and line 707-725-3602.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is starting to feel like we are finally getting back to normal.... Or whatever the new normal will be.

We are happy to announce the land at 3811 Rohnerville Road is now owned free and clear by Fortuna Senior Center. We also own the metal building on site. Everything that is on the property belongs to FSC. We are still in the process of finding the funds to finish the building.

Please stay well and enjoy this spring. Hopefully, we will be in full swing before too long.

Marsha

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April 7th, there will be qualified instructors here to teach the basics of the game. They will be playing from 12-2 and then be here for a beginner class. The class will be from 2-4 pm. No need to register- just come !

First Pot Luck will be on April 16th at 11:00am-1:00pm

PLEASE NOTE!!!!

YOU MUST HAVE A TICKET TO ATTEND THE POT LUCK. The Board has decided this first Pot Luck will be by pre-purchasing a ticket **ONLY!!!!** We will sell only **80** tickets which must be pre-purchased. Due to Covid restrictions it has been decided that we can not have this room overcrowded. Please do not come to the door without a ticket. Please bring enough to share with at least 8 people.

It will be the normal pot luck procedure as before. The cost of the ticket will be \$1.00 each

A-F-DESERT

G-R- MAIN DISH

S-Z- SALAD

ALSO.....

We hope to share with you the paintings from the **ART CLASS...** the ladies will have a showing of their Wednesday Art Class.

Opportunity Drawing tickets will be 6 for \$5.00

PLUS.... We will have our **GOLF BALL TICKETS** for purchase.

The Golf Ball Drop is our biggest fundraiser and this helps to maintain our inexpensive membership fee. Please support this project!



DON'T FORGET TO CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS!!!! March 13th



The winners from the monthly
Pinocle Tournaments are:

January winners

Women

1st - Birdie Brownfield
2nd - Nancy Harrold

Men

Dick Wall
Evelyn Colivas

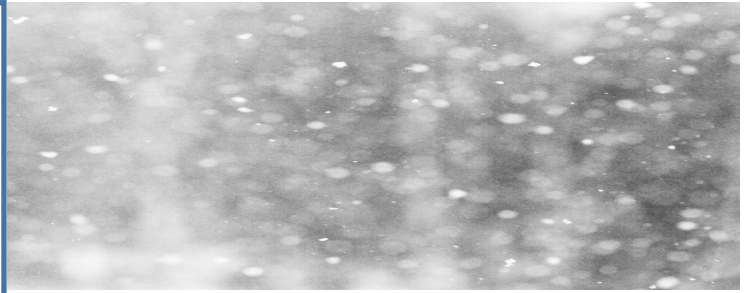
February winners

Women

1st - Marilyn Forsell
2nd - Gladys Burres

Men

Dick Wall
Bernice Reynolds



Now just what are these “things”??? Why of course they are **GOLF BALLS...** and we want to make sure that all members have a ball for the drop

Please support this annual fundraiser and buy a ball or go with a friend and buy a half ball!! Contact the office or any member for a ticket. 707-726-9203.

Our yearly budget is about \$60,000 and this is the largest fundraiser for us. Please be supportive!!

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If you are at the Center and hear a WHISTLE blowing, IMMEDIATELY drop what you are doing and proceed to find the area where the noise is coming from! We have placed whistles at various places at the center and will be using them if someone should have a problem. Go to the problem and either help or call 911.

The Mission of the Fortuna Senior Center is to
“Enrich, Empower, and Involve Boomers and Beyond

It is the time of year again that we are looking for folks that are interested in joining the Board. It is a 3 year commitment and a minimum monthly meeting . This is a great time to join the group.

Please consider being part of the group. You are welcome to attend any Board meeting and see just how we make decisions.

Bring your **brown bag lunch** on Wednesday at noon and have lunch, enjoy a sing-a-long with Nola Sharp playing her guitar, and finish with the art class (see below). **Lunch 12-1 pm.**

WEDNESDAY.. 1-3 pm



Come to the ART room for a sessions on Wednesdays. No need to bring any supplies as we have oils, water-colors, acrylics, pencils, chalk, etc. It doesn't matter what your ability is at this time.... Come and learn. We have Peggy Murray and she is a wonderful instructor, or just come and watch and enjoy the company of others.

Estate Sale

One of our previous members passed away last fall and willed to the seniors her entire house contents.

The member was Jan Syverston and she lived at 546 Guido Avenue here in Fortuna. The furnishings will be sold by donations and any “reasonable” offers will be accepted.

If you have any items you would like donate to the FSC, please let the office know what you will be dropping off on the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the sale. We will give you a donation receipt for your tax write-offs. You will expected to take back any of your items that have not sold. We will be asking for help to sort, sell and help the week of the sale. Please sign up to help. All the money will go to the Building Fund.

As soon as the family gives me a date, it will be announced to the membership.

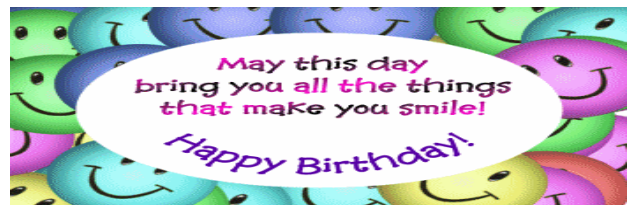
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MARCH

1. Cathy Bryant
2. Gloria Gold, Becca Baker,
Wanda Rigby
3. Janet Whitworth
4. David Hash, Ed Paul
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20. Lee McDowell, David Scott
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Glen Howard
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23. Christine Frey, Jane Guy,
Jackie Wales
24. Kathy King
25. Faith Ellison, John Senestraro,
Ron Lewis
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27. Becca Baker, Judy Kocheiser.
Kathy Moeller.
26. Dorothy Riffenburg
27. Bill Stoltz
28. Linda Crozier
29. Joy Wotherspoon
30. Rick Vavak

APRIL

1. Gloria Malcomb, Anne Nicksic
2. Laura Fallon
3. Carolee Thrift
4. Suzanne Flocchini, Patricia Hudler,
Sharon Holtz
5. Ruth Allen
7. Elaine St. Albin, Lydia Reiman,
Jim Thomson
8. Christine Mengel
9. Marla Markegard
10. Valerie Hauger
11. Marion Jorgensen
12. Gary Markegard, Lewis Richey
13. Jim Cady, Dale Harris
17. David Milton, Sharon Rodgers
18. Lavina Kinch
19. Delores Scales
20. Harolyn Salter..... "70".....
21. Pat Cavanagh, Ranada Laughlin
22. Katy Garrison
23. Norlene Gregory
24. Mary Thomas
26. Jan Overby
27. Mark Larsen
29. Peggy Colina, Bruce Krasinski,
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30. Ted Silva, Diane Porter, Mary Wynne



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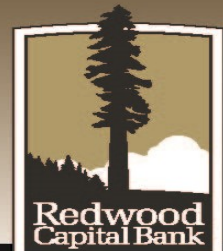
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