

Chelsea Senior Center The Next Chapter

Our mission is to enhance the quality of life and well-being for area seniors and their families.

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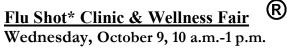


Scholarships available

• October 2024 •







All vaccines* provided & administered by UM Health. All vaccines are free! Senior *flu vaccine available for those over 65, quadrivalent flu vaccine also available, and if the most current Covid vaccine is out it will be available also. Wellness vendors will be on hand with giveaways & info about services, opportunities, & programs available to older adults in our area. Free blood pressure checks too. Chelsea Area Fire Authority will have lock box & reflective sign information & order forms available. Breakout sessions with *Posture Party*, Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program, and so much more! *To reserve your flu shot call or email CSC with your name & phone number.

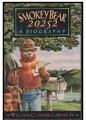


MMAP Open Enrollment Counseling Sessions



Fridays, Oct 25 & Nov 8 By appointment only

Free one-on-one MMAP counseling service provided by certified Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance **Program Counselors.** They will assist you with your Open Enrollment questions. For more information or to schedule an appointment call CSC (734) 475-9242.



Smokey Bear

Monday, October 7, 1:00 p.m.



"Only YOU can prevent wildfires." Join one of the preeminent scholars on Smokey Bear, William Clifford Lawter, Jr., as he shares his passion for and knowledge about Smokey Bear. Lawter published *Smokey*

Bear 20252: A Biography in 1994. To this day, it is considered one of the definitive histories of Smokey; both the bear we know from the advertising campaigns and the live cub who for awhile in the 1950s became a living symbol of Smokey Bear and the forest fire prevention campaign. Smokey Bear turned 80 in August. You won't want to miss learning more about this iconic American figure. Did you know Smokey Bear is the only American, besides President Dwight D Eisenhower, who has his own zip code? To register, call or email CSC with your name & phone number.

2024 Michigan New Voting Rights Presentation Wednesday, October 2, 1:00-2:00 p.m.





Presented by the League of Women Voters of Washtenaw County. Drop in for this non-partisan educational event on the 2024 Michigan new voting rights.



FANG-TASTIC FUN HALLOWEEN LUNCH PARTY

Thursday, October 31 at Noon

Celebrate the holiday at CSC and enjoy lunch, treats, and Halloween fun with friends! Lunch party includes:

- Costume Contest | winners will be awarded
- **Dessert Buffet** | bring a trick or treat to share
- Fang-tastic Fun Lunch | call to reserve your meal
- **Spooky Halloween Music** | to sing & dance to

Come in costume to be included in parade and judging for Best Costume. Bring your favorite dessert to share with others at lunch. Sing and dance along to the fun music! To sign up to reserve your lunch and bring your dessert call CSC.



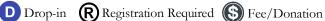


PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

Calling all Halloween Fans & Creative Types!

- Order your pumpkin by Fri 10/18, just call CSC.
- Pick up pumpkin at CSC starting on Thu 10/24, first come first pick.
- To be included in judging, decorated pumpkins are due back at CSC on Mon 10/28 by 10 a.m.
- Winner will be chosen by popular vote and announced during lunch on Thu 10/31.
- Your entry must be picked up by Fri 11/1 or it will be tossed into the witch's brew.
- Contest Rules:
- One entry per person.
- Must use CSC provided pumpkin.
- Main part of each entry must be the provided pumpkin.
- Carving is encouraged but not required.
- No flame, candles, or electrical devices.
- Entry must have a title/name.
- Accessories must be firmly attached.
- Use discretion, nothing too scary or inappropriate.









Say Yes to Seniors Washtenaw

Safe, secure, supportive seniors are good for our community. Your voice matters. Vote Nov 5! Absentee ballots mailed by SENIORS Sept 26. Early voting period Oct 26-Nov 3



October Birthdays Celebration Thursday, October 24 at Noon

Join us to celebrate and enjoy a tasty lunch and birthday cake with friends. Registration is required to reserve a meal, just give CSC a call.



Art for Life: first known paintings Thursday, October 3, 3:00 p.m. Suggested \$5 donation

Presented by Kathy Gunderson. Deep in the caves of southern France

and northern Spain are the first known permanent paintings in the world. Anthropologists still do not known the exact purpose for the thousands of images painted as both figurative images and abstract designs created by Upper Paleolithic people from 48,000-12,000 years ago. The image above is from the Cosquer Cave in Southern France. Join Kathy to learn more! To register call or email CSC with your name & phone number.



Ask an Expert: Gout Wednesday, October 9 an **EXPERT** 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.





Facilitated by Sophia Speroff, MPH, RD & Betty Chaffee, Pharm D. Revisiting topic from last month. Gout is a form of arthritis, or joint inflammation. It can be quite painful, but is often treated successfully with medications and changes to diet. Join us to learn more about how to prevent the symptoms of gout. To register, call or email CSC with your name & phone number.

- Genealogy Help Group returns Oct 14.
- Happy Trails Hikes return Oct 30.
- Square Dancing Fridays: Singles are welcome! You do not need to be a 'couple' to participate, so join us!
- CSC will be CLOSED on Tuesday, Nov 5, due to WSEC being a polling location.





Friday, October 25, 4:00 p.m.

Enjoy drinks, food, and fun conversation with friends at Aubree's Pizzeria & Grill, 8031 Main St, Dexter. Registration is required so we know how many seats to reserve. Call or email CSC with your name and phone number.



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Making Decisions About Assisted Living Care Residence

Tuesday, October 8 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Presented by Justine Bykowski, MA and Barbara Zaret, MSW. As retired professionals specializing in long-term care, Justine & Barbara are advocates for older adults & family members who are searching for unbiased information about licensed assisted living in Michigan. Join them to learn the parameters of assisted living, where to find HFA regulations and violations, and redressal options. To register, call or email CSC with your name and phone number.

Happy Trails Hikes



Wed Oct 30; Discovery Center+ lower lot, Bush Rd Wed Nov 13; Park Lyndon North*, N. Territorial Rd Wed Dec 4; Baker Woods Preserve, Trinkle Rd 2:30 p.m. hike start

Led by Sharon Kegerreis. Let's take a hike! Meet Sharon at the park to soak up autumnal scenes, reconnect with nature and enjoy camaraderie on the trails. Each hike is between 1.5 and 2 miles. *Note: Park

Lyndon North has a rolling terrain and is for the more intermediate hiker who can keep a steady pace. Hikes will go in any fall or winter weather except icy conditions. +Must have MI Recreation Pass. To register for a hike call or email CSC.

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Chelsea Community Senior Services C2S2

CSC has been offering services beyond our walls since 2013. We

provide referrals & resource lists for many requests including in-home care, house cleaning, handyman services, and transportation needs. For more information call, email, or stop by CSC.

CSC continues to connect area seniors to transportation options. The WAVE is our



Rural Older Adults in Motion ROAM

go-to option and operates within the Chelsea & Dexter School District boundaries. To schedule a ride with **WAVE call (734) 475-9494.** CSC has free WAVE passes available for seniors 60+ years of age. When there is a need that WAVE cannot meet, CSC can connect seniors with other options. For more information on transportation options for seniors please call CSC or email ROAM@chelseaseniors.org.



Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition *Program* provides meals to seniors who are

60 and better.

Senior Café: Lunch is served each weekday in the cafeteria at Noon. Doors open at 11:45 am. See page 15 for this month's menu . Please call to reserve a meal.

Meals on Wheels: Home delivered meals is an option available for seniors who are homebound. The program delivers meals in Chelsea five days/week and in Manchester two days/week. If you know of someone who could benefit from a friendly check in and a hot meal delivered, call CSC for more information.

Cost per meal is \$5 if you are under 60 and a \$3-\$5 suggested donation if you are 60 or better.

Senior Nutrition Program is supported by Area Agency on Aging 1B and Washtenaw County OCED in partnership with Chelsea School District.

The Trinh Pifer *Intergenerational* Garden provides space & activities for multiple



Intergenerational Garden

generations to engage and collaborate. We always need extra hands! See Page 12 for more information.

Chelsea Senior Center

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Welcome to our monthly column highlighting YOU!

- CSC Member: Bill Ryan -

Since Bill started attending CSC's Tuesday and Thursday Movin-Groovin exercise class more than a year ago, he has only missed one or two classes. "I will not miss the class, if I can help it. I must go", says Bill.

Ballet Chelsea instructor Macks Kreps leads a lively seated movement class adapted for those with limited mobility and balance. Bill recalls attending his first class when another participant said, "This is the dance class, right?" For a moment, Bill feared he had entered the wrong class. "No pirouettes, thankfully", he laughs.

The class is a perfect fit for Bill. Ballet Chelsea's Adaptive Dance Program, called Movin'-Groovin' at CSC, is a seated movement class that hums along to a fun, singalong playlist. While playlists often repeat, which many participants love, Macks also routinely changes up the upbeat playlist.

Singing along, stomping, stretching, and swirling colorful scarves make the half-hour seated class fly by. Attend the class and you, too, will be singing along to Elvis, Johnny Cash, Beach Boys, Louis Armstrong and Nancy Sinatra while improving coordination, and building strength and balance. Listening to familiar music and singing along has many cognitive benefits as well.

Movin-Groovin is a vital part of Bill's week. At age 19, Bill was diagnosed with a benign tumor along his spine that soon multiplied. After five surgeries and decades later, he knows the best way to maintain a healthy quality of life is to keep moving six days a week. He rests on Sunday to be ready for billiards at Chelsea Senior Center on Mondays at 9:00 a.m.

Bill is among the regulars who play every Monday. The group always welcomes new participants. And while playing the game and the social time are a draw, it's the two-and-ahalf hours of up-and-down movement and stretching to strike and sink the ball that Bill benefits from the most. 'Just keep moving' is a mantra that Bill lives by.

Raised in the downriver region south of Detroit, Bill has been in the area for 30 years and, specifically, in Chelsea for the

last 10 years. His career included teaching, working as an insurance agent and helping customers at Lowe's. Once fully retired, he joined the CSC, a vital connection for his

well-being.

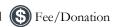
Bill encourages others to join CSC and participate in the many activities offered by the center.



Movement & Support Services



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<u>Yoga Nidra Power Rest</u> every other Wednesday 11:00 a.m.



Instructor Dianna Kause. Participants can choose to either lay down or sit in a seated position on floor or in a chair. Option to bring a yoga mat, pillow, blanket or eye cover if desired. Dianna will guide you into a deep level of relaxation that will create numerous benefits such as improved memory, a decrease in blood pressure, better heart health, emotional stability, a boost to the immune system and many more! Caregivers, you are welcome to bring your loved ones who will benefit from the safe & nurturing environment of CSC's Ease the Day adult day program while you enjoy the class. *Pre-registration and screening is required for respite care, call or email CSC with your names & phone number and Ease the Day staff will contact you to confirm.



Blood Pressure Checks

See calendar for dates & times. Thank you to our volunteer nurses for their time & service!



Massage (chair) w/ Jenny Miller (R)

Enjoy a relaxing, seated chair massage by licensed massage therapist Jenny Miller by appointment-only. Fees determined by Jenny. To schedule an appointment call Jenny directly: (734) 645-6166.



Nurses Footcare

w/ Ava Passino R.N., BCGN 📵 🕄 This service is available by appointment-only. Fees determined by Ava. To schedule an appointment call Ava directly: (313) 303-7836.



Travel Committee recent trip to Toledo Zoo



Legalities: Q&A on Estate Planning Wednesday, Oct 16, 11 a.m.-Noon

Presented by Leigh A. Beauchamp, Estate Planning Attorney. Drop in and join us for this general Q&A. It is not intended to replace meeting with a lawyer regarding your specific needs.



Technology Support

D(\$) Wednesdays, 10:00 a.m.-Noon Need help with your computer, laptop, phone, or tablet? We have expert

volunteers who can help and offer guidance; bring in your passwords and/or log-in IDs so they can better **assist you.** Donations to our C2S2 program appreciated.



Mending Service

*This service is for CSC Members Simple repairs, hemming, simple zipper replacement. Clothes must be freshly cleaned,

placed in a bag with your name, phone number, description of repair needed clearly labeled on bag. Drop off the bag to CSC Front Desk. Donations to C2S2 program appreciated.



NOTARY Notary Public Service

CSC has two Notaries on our team. Call CSC for an appointment.

Donations to our C2S2 Program appreciated.

Rankin Hearing Checks: Rankin Audiology & Hearing in Chelsea will

provide, at their office, complimentary hearing screening. Give Rankin a call: (800) 437-9923.

Silver Solutions Network: Whatever you are considering when you retire, be part of the repurposing for your next chapter. Reach Silver Solutions Network through the Chelsea Senior Center (734) 475-9242.

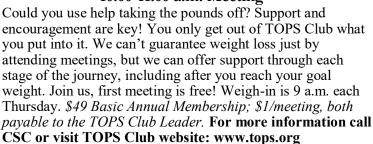




TOPS Club Take Off Pounds Sensibly **Thursdays**

9:00 a.m. Weigh-In

Real Weight Loss.® 10:00-11:00 a.m. Meeting



Support Services



Ease the Day:

Caregiver Respite Support Program

Are you at home caring for a loved one? Looking for a break from the routine, a little time to yourself and a social opportunity for the person for whom you care? This break from caregiving is powered by CSC staff and outstanding community volunteers. If you know of someone who could use a break, wants to give their loved one a fun, engaging time with others, and lives in our area, call us. We have options to help.

To register for services, or if you want more information, contact the Chelsea Senior Center (734) 475-9242

Or email: caregiversupport@chelseaseniors.org More information also available at www.chelseaseniors.org

Community caregivers looking for a comfortable, safe change of environment look no further. The respite program is designed to give the caregivers peace of mind to have some time, up to 9 hours a week, to call their own. Tuesday and Thursday mornings are filling up but we also offer an additional option on Wednesday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Exhale, the Family Caregiver Initiative, is dedicated to offering innovative solutions that give caregivers of older adults an opportunity to breathe a little easier. Visit www.exhaleforcaregivers.org to learn more.



CSC Memory Support Programs are funded by 5 Healthy Towns Foundation





Connections Memory Café

Held monthly

Wednesday, October 2 12:00-1:30 p.m.



Who: Individuals living with cognitive changes and mild memory loss PLUS their caregivers.

What: Enjoy a fun time together away from the stresses at home. We will have lunch, games, and activities for you to enjoy.

How: Registration is Required Each Month. For more info or to register call CSC.

This month we will enjoy BINGO!



Cranium Crunchers

Held every Monday 12:45-1:45 p.m.



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Facilitated by Gina Frankhart

Join us for games and activities designed to improve cognition, memory function, and foster discussion. Games - Discussions - Exercises - Fun & More!

(R) Loss & Healing Group Every other Tuesday, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Facilitated by Gina Frankhart & Ginnie Hartman. Are you coping with a loss and need a place to talk, share, listen, and heal? Join us to learn about the stages of grief, coping skills, and creative expression. To register call or email CSC with your name & phone number.



<u>A Moment For Me:</u> A Caregiver Support Group Every other Wednesday, 11 a.m.-Noon

Facilitated by Ginnie Hartman. Group is open to any family caregiver who could use a break & benefit from the support of others with similar changes to their lives. Caregivers, you are welcome to bring your loved ones who will benefit from the safe & nurturing environment of CSC's Ease the Day adult day program while you build a support network.

**Pre-registration is required for respite care. To register call or email CSC with your name & phone number.

All Memory Support Programs are open to anyone in the community. Please contact CSC if you have questions, concerns, or would like more information.



Chat to Heal:

A Caregiver Group Support Program Every other Wednesday

4:00-5:00 p.m.

Facilitated by Deana Fisher, LMSW, Certified Montessori Dementia Care Professional. Program is for Caregivers caring for people living with cognitive changes and mild memory loss. Join us for an hour-long, facilitated support group. Talk, support & share resources with people who are living with the same struggles as you. Know that there are people and tools to help. **Pre-registration is required for respite care. For more information or to register call CSC with your name & phone number. **Let us know if you plan to bring your loved one.

Gather, Create, Expand Your Mind

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Drop-in and try new games & meet new people! \$ optional pay-to-play for prizes

BINGO

Mondays & Fridays, 9:00 a.m. \$

Bingo cards and place markers available, members available to teach you how to play.

Pool/Billiards

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m.

Table in Room 113, drop-in play, all skill levels welcome, cues available and members available to teach you how to play.

Hand & Foot Mondays, 12:30 p.m.

Drop-in card game, all skill levels welcome, members available to teach you how to play.

Mexican Train

Tuesdays, 12:30 p.m.

Try this modern version of traditional dominos game, members available to teach you how to play.

Game Time

Wednesdays, 12:30 p.m.

Your choice of *Mah-Jongg*, *Pinochle*, *Scrabble*, and more, all skill levels welcome, members available to teach you how to play.

Bridge

Thursdays, 12:30 p.m.

Trick-taking card game, all skill levels welcome, members available to teach you how to play.

Cribbage

Fridays, 10:00 a.m.

Involves playing & grouping cards in combinations to gain points, all skill levels welcome, members available to teach you how to play.

Euchre

Fridays, 12:45 p.m. \$

Trick-taking card game, all skill levels & new players welcome, members available to teach you how to play.



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Open Painting Studio w/Chelsea Artists Guild

Thursdays, 12:30-3:30 p.m. Enjoy open painting studio time and artistic fellowship for free with CSC

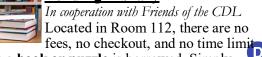
membership. Bring your own materials. No instruction provided.

Newsletter Assembly Join us as we fold and label each newsletter for monthly

mailing to CSC membership. See calendar for date and time.



Lending Library



when a book or puzzle is borrowed. Simply return when finished!





Genealogy Help Group

Monday, October 14, 1:00 pm

Gather to share ideas & techniques on tracing your family history, for all levels of understanding & research. Next session Dec 2.

Community Computer Use

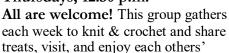
Weekdays, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



CSC's community computers w/internet & printers are available for CSC Members to use in Room 113 during our regular business hours.

Knit & Crochet Group

Thursdays, 12:30 p.m.



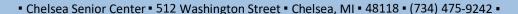
company. They work on individual projects or pieces to donate using donated yarn. Check out their hand-crafted items for sale in Room 112! All are invited, even if you don't knit or crochet, to have a seat, visit, and enjoy a treat!

Sewing Group

Wednesdays, 1:00 p.m.

This dedicated group of sewers gather to make needed items for underprivileged youth in developing countries. Using mostly donated materials, they create "Little

Dresses" for young girls, shorts for boys, and long, ankle length skirts, and feminine pad kits for older girls. If you are looking for a way to get involved, consider volunteering to help! Join us to iron, cut, sew, and smile!



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Woodcarving

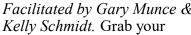
Fridays, 10:00 a.m.-Noon

This group meets to carve each week. Everyone brings their own materials and tools for individual projects. Many wood

carvers have basic tools on hand to share and are happy to provide instruction. Stop in and check it out!



12:30 p.m.



instrument, bring your musical talents and enjoy some time to jam! All musicians are welcome: vocalists, woodwind players, string players, brass players, percussionists, fiddlers, guitarists, etc. Drop in and join



Paper Crafts: Card Making 2nd Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.

Taught by Camille Bauer. Creative instruction & all materials provided. Leave with 3

personalized cards unique to the current month and general themes. \$10 class fee payable to Camille. To register call or email CSC with your name & phone number.



Ukulele

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

New players always welcome!

Group meets weekly to practice & learn new songs. CSC has ukuleles to borrow if you want to try playing before you buy one, just

stop by CSC office to sign one out.

Quilting

Tuesdays, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

All are welcome!

Ouilters work on either personal or collaborative projects made from donated fabric and materials. Join us for All-Day Quilting on last Tuesday of each month 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



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Silver Maples & Friends Choir

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Located at Silver Maples' Maple Room All seniors, CSC members & Silver Maples residents, are welcome to add voices to the

mix and enjoy the fellowship that sharing a love of music brings. Choir meets at Silver Maples Retirement Neighborhood. For more information or to register contact choir director Jeff Crowder: jdcrwdr@gmail.com

Stained Glass (





Wednesdays, 9:00-11:30 a.m.

Join us and create a piece at your own pace under the supervision of a patient instructor. Glass, all materials, and tools provided. All levels of skill are welcome. Great gift idea! \$3 per class fee.







A Joyful Noise Size D 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 12:45 p.m.

Facilitated by Marilyn Kuehl & Gary Munce. For people who love to sing along to songs they hear. No

voice training or choral experience needed. On 1st Tuesday Marilyn has YouTube videos to sing-along with and on 3rd Tuesday Gary has live guitar music. We'll sing to different genres, and when all the words don't come flooding back when you start, lyrics will be provided. Worried about singing? Drop in to dance or just listen and enjoy the music!

Writing Memories Writers Group 3rd Wednesday, 1:00 p.m.







Facilitated by Jan Bernath.

This active group of writers write about their memories and meet once a month to share them with each other. The purpose is to share not critique. Although writing is a solitary act, having a willing audience to read and listen to what a writer wrote can be motivating.



Red Hat Ladies Meets monthly





Group gathers monthly to connect, engage, have fun and enjoy friendship.

This month's gathering is Tuesday, October 15, 11:30 a.m., Knight's Steakhouse, 2324 Dexter Ave, Ann Arbor. For more information call coordinator Babette (734) 904-8718.



Dulcimer Jam Sessions 1st & 3rd Mondays 2:00-3:00 p.m.



Facilitated by Sharon Broyles. Drop in

and enjoy jamming with other mountain dulcimer players! All players need to bring their own dulcimers & music stands. If you are a non-player you are welcome to join too; Sharon will show you something easy to do to play along. For more information just give CSC a call.



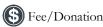
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Exercise & Movement







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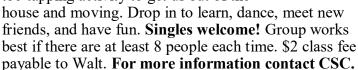
Line Dancing

Mondays, 8:30-9:30 am, \$3 per class Drop in and join us for great exercise with toe tapping music & fun times!



Fridays, 1:00-2:30 p.m. \$2 per class

Facilitated by Walt Zatorski. Join Walt, square dance caller, each week for this toe-tapping activity to get us out of the





Enhance Fitness Exercise Mon-Wed-Fri; 9:45-10:45 a.m. \$2/class suggested donation

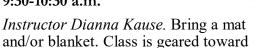
Enhance Fitness is an evidence based fitness program geared toward improving the overall functional fitness and well-being of older adults. Classes focus on cardio vascular conditioning, strength training, flexibility, and balance training. Instructors are certified. Bring your



n own water bottle. The Friday classes 9/13-12/13 (no 11/22 or 11/29) are free III thanks to Washtenaw Community College Senior Emeritus Program!



Gentle Yoga Mondays, thru Dec 2 9:30-10:30 a.m.



students who can work on the floor. Traditional poses, stretches, breathing work and savasana, the resting and restorative pose, to end. Classes are free thanks to Washtenaw Community College Senior Emeritus Program!



Tai Chi

Fridays, thru Nov 22 (no 10/18) Beginning Level: 10:30-11:30 a.m. Intermediate Level: 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

Instructor Karla Groesbeck. Reduce stress & increase vitality through these natural & compelling movements. No matter age or fitness level, the practice of meditation and mind-body exercise can bring calm, improve your flexibility, balance, motor skills, & mental focus. Classes are free thanks to the Washtenaw Community College Senior Emeritus Program!



Walking Halls at WSEC

Weekdays, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Check-in at CSC Kiosk before you begin.

10 laps around Rooms 100/101 is one mile. Grab a friend and get moving!



Chair Yoga Thursdays, thru Dec 5 11:00 a.m.-Noon

Instructor Dianna Kause. Bring a

mat. Yoga promotes strength, balance, flexibility, mobility, & a sense of calm. A gentle approach makes this class accessible to all experience levels to help keep you moving. Classes are free thanks to Washtenaw Community College Senior Emeritus Program!



Senior Fun Bowling at Chelsea Lanes

Wednesdays 1:00 p.m., Aug-May Join the gang at the alleys for fun & friendly competition. Consider joining a team or even

being a sub! For more info call Chelsea Lanes (734) 475-8141.

Movin' & Groovin' Tuesdays, 11:00-11:30 a.m. Thursdays, 9:45-10:15 a.m.

Get a great workout with this

30-minute adaptive movement exercise class provided by Ballet Chelsea. Sit, stand, move & groove to the music, & have fun!





CSC Indoor Pickleball Club

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. \$25/year CSC Membership AND \$10/year Pickleball Club Fee

Indoor play at WSEC. Both drop-in and court sign-up sessions available. Remember to always sign in at a CSC kiosk each time you come in to play and make sure your memberships are current. For more information contact CSC.



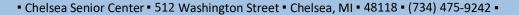
Cardio Drumming

Tuesdays, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Thursdays, 12:45-1:45 p.m.

\$1 suggested donation to cover equipment

Cardio Drumming provides a whole brain & whole body workout that promotes cognitive, physical, social, & emotional health at all life

stages. You can participate at your level: seated or standing. We have balls & tubs to use or you can bring your own. Drumsticks are available to purchase for \$3.





CSC Travel Opportunities



Important Information

You must travel with the group to and from CSC in order to participate in these trips.

All trips leave from the CSC's large Eastside Parking Lot unless otherwise noted.

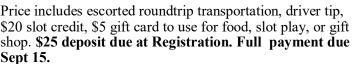
Arrive 30 minutes early to insure a prompt departure. Travelers of all ages are welcome.

Please do not wear fragrances (perfumes, colognes, lotions, sprays, etc.) on the trip due to sensitivity issues of travelers.



Firekeepers Casino Battle Creek

Tuesday, October 15, \$60/person Depart 9:45 a.m., Return 5:15 p.m.





Fall Color Tour Clare, Michigan

Thursday, October 10, \$94/person Depart 7:30 a.m., Return 6:00 p.m.





Michigan Capitol & Michigan History Museum Lansing

Wednesday, November 20, \$50/person Depart 9:00 a.m., Return 3:30 p.m.

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<u>Branson, Missouri</u>

December 2-7, 2024, \$1499 Double





Christmas in the Air Potter Center

Saturday, December 7, \$99/person Depart 5:00 p.m., Return 10:30 p.m.

Price includes roundtrip transportation, driver tip, and ticket to performance. No Meal Stop. \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Nov 7.



It's a Wonderful Life Reford Theatre Saturday, December 21, \$50/person Depart 11:00 a.m., Return 5:30 p.m.

Price includes roundtrip transportation, presentation before movie, ticket to movie. Optional \$10 box lunch available. \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Dec 6.

Traveler Automated Reminder Calls

CSC sends AUTOMATED CALLS before ALL TRIPS!

These calls show up on caller ID as "Somerville, MA" or "Suspected Spam".

Travelers make note that a day or two before the trip, you will receive a call -PLEASE ANSWER IT- because answering machines and voicemail boxes do not handle these messages well.



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Footloose the Musical Meadow Brook Theatre Wednesday, January 15, 2025, \$135/person

Depart 10:00 a.m., Return 6:00 p.m.

Price includes escorted roundtrip transportation, driver tip, lunch in Auburn Hills, and entrance into performance. NOTE: Please review cancelation policy on trip

flyer. \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Dec 15.



Broadway Love Songs

Detroit Symphony Orchestra



Friday, February 14, 2025, \$118/person Depart 8:30 a.m., Return 4:00 p.m.

Price includes escorted roundtrip transportation, lunch, tips, and ticket to performance. \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Jan 14.



Flying High in Dayton

Dayton, Ohio

\$475 single/\$405 Dbl

March 31-April 1, 2025 Price includes escorted roundtrip transportation, accommodation in Dayton, 3 meals, Conservatory & Botanical Gardens, and so much more! \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Feb 14.



Let's Misbehave: Songs of Cole Porter

Detroit Symphony Orchestra

Friday, June 20, 2025, \$118/person Depart 8:30 a.m., Return 4:00 p.m.

Price includes escorted roundtrip transportation, lunch, tips, and ticket to performance. \$25 deposit due at Registration. Full payment due Jan 14.



Canadian Maritimes & Coastal Wonders

featuring the Cabot Trail



Sept 21-Oct 1, 2025 \$5899 Single/\$4899 Dbl Booking Number: 1248779 This trip is organized and booked through Collette Travel. Contact Collette for details. Chelsea Senior Center WILL NOT be handling any reservations or money. See trip brochure in CSC office for more information. Call Collette Travel directly (800) 581-8942, or use this link to book: https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1248779



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Connections and Community

Don Cole Community Thanksgiving Lunch

Friday, November 22 Doors open at Noon Register by Nov 8



Presenting sponsor Cole Funeral Chapel. Join friends for this annual traditional meal at CSC for a time to reflect and to give thanks! Registration is required to

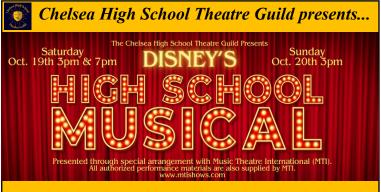
reserve a meal. Space is limited.

Register by Nov 8 by calling CSC.





Saturday, October 5, 10 am-4 pm, Silver Maples of Chelsea



CSC SENIOR DISCOUNT TICKETS

\$8.00 each available for purchase at CSC office for Sunday, October 20, 3 p.m. Limited Supply. First come, first served. No holds or reservations.

> Cash or check only made payable to Chelsea High School Theatre Guild





Adult Learners Institute's October Classes

Oct 11, 18: Vampires in Folklore and Culture Oct 15, 22, 29: Zeitgeist. Middle Ages-19th Century

Classes listed above start at 1:00 p.m. and are in-person at Chelsea Senior Center. Registration is required to attend. Do so by mail or register online at www.alimichigan.org. For a complete listing on all A.L.I. class offerings consult Fall A.L.I. catalog, copies available at various locations throughout Chelsea, or visit their website at www.alimichigan.org. For more information call A.L.I.'s office phone 734-292-5540.



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Intergenerational Garden

UPDATE

It has been a record-busting year, with our garden manager calculating that starting in mid-April through mid-September, has produced a whopping 1,178 pounds of produce! This food was used by the Senior Nutrition Program, Gabika cooking classes, the CSC Volunteer Appreciation Event buffet, and, of course, the farm stand. As we go into October, gardens around the area are wrapping up their growing seasons, but at the Intergen Garden, we'll still be harvesting crops from the hoop house for at least another month, including fresh salad greens and tasty radishes that have, as one Ease the Day friend and radish aficionado says, "just the right amount of bite!" Our Garden Work Bees are on Tue & Thu at 9 a.m.



Contact Us:

CSC office (734) 475-9242 intergengarden@chelseaseniors.org Follow us on Facebook:

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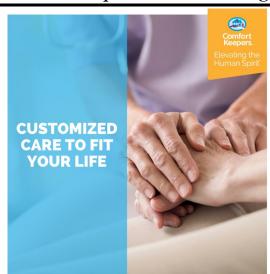


Got Medicare Questions? We can help! The Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) is available to help individuals understand their health coverage options including Medicare Part D, Medigap plans, and Medicare Advantage Plans. MMAP can also assist current Medicare beneficiaries understand their benefits including possible fraud or abuse by a medical provider. Call CSC to set up a phone call appointment with a MMAP Volunteer or call 800-803-7174.

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SENIOR CENTER MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
30	1 Beef Stroganoff Noodles Three Bean Salad Banana WG Dinner Roll	2 Sweet & Sour Chicken WG Brown Rice Peas Com Orange	3 Cheesy Chicken & Rice Broccoli Beets Fruit Punch WG Bread	4 Turkey Reuben on WG Bread Mixed Vegetables Grape Juice
7 Chicken Patty Redskin Potatoes Corn Orange WG Bun	8 Ravioli Spaghetti Sauce Carrots WG Sliced Bread Apple	9 Beef Hot Dog Baked Beans Mixed Vegetables Orange WG Bun	10 Pork Riblet Potato Wedges Coleslaw Grape Juice WG Bun	11 Chicken Tenders Broccoli Salad Beets Watermelon WG Dinner Roll
14 Hamburger Tater Tots Peas Watermelon WG Bun	15 Tacos Lettuce/Tomato Shredded Cheese Black Bean Fiesta WG Tortilla 2 Banana	16 Raspberry Vinaigrette Chicken Breast Rosemary Potatoes Carrots Apple WG Bread 2	17. Sloppy Joe Potato Wedges Colesiaw Orange WG Bun	18 Meatloaf/Gravy Whipped Potatoes Green Beans Applesauce WG Bread 2
21 BBQ Pork Baked Beans Tater Tots Applesauce WG Bun	22 Chicken Pannesan Spaghetti w Sauce Carrots Grape Juice	23 General Tso's Chicken Brown Rice Peas Com Apple	24 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION Pork Chops Mashed Potatoes Gravy Green Beans Apple sauce WG Bread 2	25 Goulash Carrots Banana WG Breadstick
28 Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potatoes Gravy Corn Orange	29Chicken Alfredo Rotini Pasta Mixed Vegetables Grape Juice WG Dinner Roll	30 Kielbasa Sauerkraut Redskins Potatoes Grape Juice WG Bun	31 <u>Halloween Party:</u> Monster Meatloaf & Gravy Smashed Ghosts (Potatoes) Witch Fingers (Green Beans) Applesauce WG Bread 2	1

<u>News</u>

To order lunch to eat at CSC call (734) 475-9242 at least one day in advance.

Remember to bring a to-go container for leftovers from your lunch.

The Senior Nutrition Program is funded by Washtenaw County OCED, Ageways, and other state and federal agencies.

If you would like more information about Meals on Wheels delivery call (734) 475-9242.

Fresh produce from the Intergenerational Garden will be added to the menu when available.

The Menu is subject to change without notice.

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In memoriam:

Pauline 'Pinky' Bauer Joan Hoffmeyer Deborah Oakley

Mark your Calendars:

Nov 5: Closed for Election Day Nov 11: Veterans Day Honor Lunch Nov 22: Don Cole Community Thanksgiving Lunch Nov 28 & 29: Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday Dec 13: Mitchell Family Community Christmas Lunch Dec 23-25: Closed for Christmas Holiday Dec 30-Jan 1: Closed for New Year's Holiday

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