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NORTH BREVARD SENIOR CENTER



DECEMBER 12

NBSC Board of Directors Elections at 10 AM

(Everyone may attend but only members may vote.)

Nominations will be accepted from the floor.

Slate of nominees:

President — Open
1st VP — Open
2nd VP — Bill Farrell
Treasurer — Open
Secretary — Rachel Kusterer

DECEMBER 12

Adult Christmas Party at 11 AM

$5 person

(Buy tickets no later than Dec. 7th)
Tickets @ Ops Manager's office)



Lunch served — Publix deli platters, sides, cookies.

Wear your Ugly Christmas Sweater!

Door prizes & 50/50.

Jolly Old Saint Nick himself will make a cameo appearance!

All seating socially distanced. Masks recommended.

NBSC Activities — Guests welcome!

ACTIVITY	TIME	COST MEMBER/GUEST	CONTACT PERSON	
MONDAY-FRIDAY				
Billiards	9AM-4PM	$2/$3	Debra	(321) 268-2333
MONDAY				
Board of Directors Mtg. (2nd Mon)	10AM	N/A	Cat	(321) 231-1135
No. Brevard Line Dance	10AM-12:30PM	$3/$4	Yvette	(321) 225-4872
Senior Fitness	10AM-11AM	$3/$4	Linda	(321) 383-0735
Beginner Bridge Lessons	By Appt. Only	$12 (4-week course)	Mary H.	(321) 607-2200
Tap & Jazz	11:15AM-12:45PM	$3/$4	Linda	(321) 383-0735
Mexican Train Dominoes	1PM-3PM	$2/$3	Joanne	(321) 267-5923
Spanish Class (next session TBA)	2PM– 4PM	$25 (5-week course)	Hannah	(321) 720-9062
Ballroom Dance Lessons (all levels)	6PM– 7PM	$10	Steve	(321) 269-0357
Karaoke ***(on hiatus)***	6PM– 8PM	$2/$3		
Poker	6PM-9PM	$2/$3	Bill F.	(321) 544-1430
Bunco (2nd Mon)	6:30PM-9PM	$4/$5	Sharon	(321) 383-7927
TUESDAY				
Pinochle	9AM-2PM	$2/$3	Rachel	(321) 537-5322
Memory, Movement, Balance	10:30AM– 11:30AM	$2/$3	Natine	(321) 609-0999
Connie's Card Making (2nd Tues)	11:30AM-12:30PM	$4/$5	Connie	(410) 598-3755
Mahjongg *(hiatus til Jan.)*	12:30PM-3:30PM	$2/$3	Andie	(321) 385-3595
Party Bridge	12:30PM-3:30PM	$2/$3	Larry B.	(321) 631-8061
Darling Damsels Bridge	1PM-3:30PM	$2/$3	Dotti	(321) 269-9633
Tai Chi	1PM-2PM	$3/$5	Ada	(321) 848-4689
Dinner & Movie (2nd Tues)	5PM	$5	Debra	(321) 268-2333
Computer Classes	By Appt. Only	$3/$4	Anne	(321) 544-9469
WEDNESDAY				
Hooks & Needles Knitting (1st Wed)	10AM-11:30PM	$2/$3	Anne	321) 917-1108
Hurricane Rug Hooking (2nd&4th Wed.)	10AM-2PM	$2/$3	Fonda	(321) 298-2796
Senior Fitness	10AM-11AM	$3/$4	Linda	(321) 383-0735
Warrior Bridge (1st Wed)	12:30PM-3:30PM	$2/$3	Eleanor	(321) 267-8340
Line Dance Class - Beginners	4:30PM-5:30PM	$3/$4	Ferrell	(321) 267-0195
Line Dance Class	5:30PM-6:30PM	$3/$4	Ferrell	(321) 267-0195
Line Dancing Class	6:30PM-8:30PM	$3/$4	Barbara	(321) 452-1944
THURSDAY				
Bingo (Play begins at 10AM)	9AM-2:30PM	Varies (#of cards played)	Rachel	(321) 537-5322
Sewing Lessons	By Appt. Only	$10 session	Carol	(561) 291-1329
Singles Club Planning Mtg (1st Thurs)	4PM	Call Jean for location	Jean	(321) 362-2359
FRIDAY				
Shuffleboard	10AM-12PM	$2/$3	Bill F.	(321) 544-1430
Tap & Jazz	10AM-11AM	$2/$3	Marsha	(321) 264-2776
Memory, Movement, Balance	10:30AM-11:30AM	$2/$3	Natine	(321) 609-0999
ACBL Duplicate Bridge	11AM-3PM	$2/$3	Pat G.	(321) 267-2419
Drama for Seniors	1:30PM-3:30PM	$4/$5	Janina	(321) 567-5210
Line Dance Social (4th Fri)	4PM-7PM	$5	Yvette	(321) 225-4872

**** * * CENTER WILL BE CLOSED ON DEC. 24 & 25. * * ****



DINNER & MOVIE

TUESDAY, DEC. 8

$6 PERSON

(Doors open at 4:45 PM)

(Sign up @ Reception Desk by Dec. 3)

"THE MAN WHO INVENTED CHRISTMAS" (2017—rated PG)

MENU: Sam's Club Rotisserie Chicken, Potato Salad, Veggie
Dessert by Dotti

CAST: Dan Stevens, Christopher Plummer, Jonathan Pryce

Based on Les Standiford's 2008 non-fiction book, this wonderful movie tells the magical journey that led Charles Dickens to the creation of Ebenezer Scrooge, Tiny Tim and the other classic characters from "A Christmas Carol". An entertaining and amazing film sure to delight all. Most charming Christmas movie you'll see this year!

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FULLY EQUIPPED KITCHEN



SAMPLE—DECORATED AREA



SAMPLE—DECORATED AREA





Thursdays @ 10AM
(Doors open @ 9 AM)

*** Smoke Free Environment ***

Bring in a canned or boxed food item for donation on 1st Thursday to St. Gabriel's Seniors Food Pantry and get a free Speedy game paper!

Only $8 to play 16 regular games
(7 hard cards).
Additional hard cards $1 each.

Specials only $1 per sheet
6 cards per sheet
Special paper games payout

ATTENTION FIRST TIME PLAYERS!
Bring this ad & get FREE play of 7 Hard Cards all day!

Free hot coffee.
BRING YOUR OWN SNACKS & LUNCH.



Island Party & Silent Auction

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23 @ 3-5 PM
$5 person



Featuring the fabulous sounds of **Tim Reynolds on the Steel Drum!**
Great tropical & other genres of music, too!

Silent Auction so be sure to bring $$$ or your checkbook. *(List of items to be auctioned will be available one week before the event.)*

Bring your own snacks — BYOB. **50/50 Drawing**

All proceeds benefit the No. Brevard Sr. Ctr., a 501(3)(c) non-profit.



The NBSC is planning an ISLAND PARTY ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 23.

We are asking members who aren't able to attend to DONATE gift certificates or new/unused ITEMS for our SILENT AUCTION. The auction will feature items for bid as well as other items that can be won by drawings.

Donors are asked to bring all items to the Center no later than January 8 so we have time to organize displays for the event.

All donations are fully tax-deductible under IRS code, and donors may receive a receipt for their item(s) upon request.

A MESSAGE FROM MANAGEMENT



A whiff of fragrance is nice… but just a whiff.

Please be thoughtful of others when using fragrance. We have members with allergies, COPD, etc. Thanks!

Newsletter Boosters 2020

Be a Booster for only $10/year.

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JOANN BAXTER	JIM KIENER
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BETTY WILSON BRAY	BOBBY MARTINEZ
RAYMOND LEE BRAY	MADELEINE MORRIS
NANCY FARRELL	ANDREW OLSHAUSKY
SUSAN FRANK	JUDY SCHMIDT



LINE DANCE SOCIAL

(properly distanced, of course!)

SATURDAY, DEC. 5
6-9 PM

ONLY $5 PERSON

Come dance to all genres of music — great for everyone, beginner to advanced!

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STRAY THOUGHTS

- I'm making a big To-Do list today. Just not sure who's going to do all of it.
- My mom didn't raise any dummy! (And if she did, it was my brother.)
- I want the job where I push scared skydivers out of planes.
- Feeling really lazy today; my goal is to be as useless as the 'g' in lasagna.
- If the Earth were flat, cats would have pushed everything off of it by now.
- Am I the only one whose GPS has learned to say, "Nooo, your OTHER left!"
- When I was a kid, I wanted to be older. But THIS crap is NOT what I expected!
- Since there's only one of me, am I an endangered species or a limited edition?
- Anybody else reached that age yet where you gain weight if you breathe?
- If one door closes, and another opens, you're probably in prison.
- Age 60 might be the new 40, but 9 PM is the new midnight.
- When I ask for directions, please don't use words like "east".
- My luck is like a bald guy who just won a comb.

Membership

DUES SPECIAL (limited time)

Renew your dues or become a member of the NBSC for only $10 (reg. $20) by Jan. 31, 2021.









COOKING WITH DOTTI



APPLE PIE CAKE MIX CAKE

2 (21 oz each) cans apple pie filling
1 box yellow cake mix (2-layer size)
1/2 cup butter, melted

Preheat oven 350 degrees.

Pour pie filling into 9 x 13 inch baking pan. Sprinkle cake mix evenly over apple pie filling.
Top with melted butter.

Bake in preheated oven until top starts to turn brown, about 40 minutes. Cool cake 15 minutes before serving.

NOTES:
Any pie filling will work.
I purchased the apple pie filling at Sav-A-Lot. I mention this because almost everyone who ate this cake asked where I purchased the filling as it was delicious. Not too sweet.
I also found when serving to use a large serving spoon instead of trying to cut it in pieces.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

(Guests welcome at all events!)

FEBRUARY 13 – Swing & sway (or simply listen) to the fabulous sounds of **The Jazzy Boys** (think Duke Ellington, Benny Goodman & so much more!) as we celebrate **Valentine's Day**.

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CHRISTMAS FUNNIES

For the holidays one year, rather than sending gifts, my friend decided to enclose checks in her greeting cards. Inside each card she wrote, "Buy your own presents" and then mailed them off.
A few months later, she discovered the checks she'd 'mailed' under a pile of papers on her desk.

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I'd always wanted a beautiful shawl to wear with my winter dresses so, when I opened the present from my sister and saw that it was a white-and-silver shawl, I was so very delighted.
"I LOVE it!" I told my sister late that afternoon when she came over for Christmas dinner.
"I wore it all morning."
"You wore it???" asked my sister, smiling broadly. "It's a skirt for the Christmas tree."



Don't you hate it when you go out to look at Christmas lights, and all you hear is, "How did you get in my living room?"



ELF ON A SHELF — FLORIDA STYLE!



BORED?

- When you go out to eat, order diet water with a straight face.
- In the middle of a conversation, announce the color of your toothbrush.
- Go to McDonald's and ask for a Happy Meal with an extra side order of Happy.
- Put plastic wrap over an open doorway and wait for someone to walk into it.
- Walk thru Walmart and randomly say "Marco" to see how many respond "Polo".

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BUS DAY TRIPS

St. Augustine "Night of Lights" **Mon, Dec. 21 OR Wed., Jan. 6** **$79**

Enjoy a day of shopping and then tour the city by horse & carriage ride at night to see one of the largest displays of Christmas lights in North America. Meals on your own this year.

**** * * Trip cost includes round-trip motorcoach, taxes & driver gratuity. * * ****

Pick-up at Titusville Home Depot

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

Egypt & Sail the Nile River **Fri-Sun, Mar. 12-21, 2021** **$2,131***

Globus has brought us Egypt again, and I feel it's safe to go now. From the Pyramids to the Valley of the Kings & Queens to the Temple of Horus and so much more! Price based on double occupancy. Single rate $2,023. ***Price does NOT include international airfare.**

Northern Italy & Gourmet Tuscany **Fri-Sun, May 21—Jun 6, 2021** **$4,278***

Explore northern Italy and Cinque Terre. Spend the last week in a villa in Tuscany with day trips to different areas. ***Price is land only.**

Glacier Nat'l Park & Canadian Rockies **Sat-Sun, July 17-25, 2021** **$2,942***

We are traveling North America for those of you who prefer to stay closer to home. See some of the most beautiful places in North America. If it didn't snow in Montana, I'd live there but, since it does, we'll go in July and see snow-capped mountains. Price based on double occupancy. Single rate $3,946. ***Price does NOT include airfare.**

CRUISES

Carnival Liberty Super Bowl **Fri-Mon, Feb. 5-8, 2021** **$346-468**

Join Jean's Super Bowl Group and watch the game in style — Sail from Port Canaveral to Nassau. Price based on double occupancy. ***$150 deposit, final payment due Nov. 13, 2020.***

CANCELLED

Valentine's Day Cruise **Sun-Sun, Feb. 14-21, 2021** **$891-1,261**

Sail from Miami aboard the **MSC Meraviglia**. The itinerary features Honduras, Belize, Mexico, and the Bahamas. We'll have a private cocktail party! Price includes round-trip bus transportation to/from the port, the Easy Drink Package, standard Wi-Fi, all taxes/fees, and a $50 per cabin onboard credit.

Avalon River Cruise **Mon-Thu, Apr 26-May 6, 2021** **$4,870***

Enjoy an escorted tour with Jean on Avalon's northbound sailing (Burgundy & Provence). Enjoy one night in Marseille and two nights in Paris. *Cruise with land package starts at $4,870 per person. Airfare not included. ***Call for deposit information.***