

**Pascagoula Senior Center**  
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January, 2012

Dear Friends,

**THANKS TO THOSE WHO HELP** - Even though the City of Pascagoula is quite generous with our annual budget, others help us with projects throughout the year. We would like to take this time to thank the people, businesses and organizations that have helped us prosper over the past year. We look forward to working with each in the coming year. Pugh's Florist, Robb's "Barbeque on the Side", Turf Masters and the Bacot/McCarty Foundation are super supporters. Also many individuals have donated items, large and small as well as time; a few minutes here and there and some of you a lot! Volunteers are always needed and are very much appreciated. Various civic organizations such as the Pascagoula Men's Club, the Jackson County Evening Civic League and the Jackson County Chapter of the American Business and Professional Women's Club; we thank you all! Thanks also to those who provide services such as our blood pressure checks.

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION** - The following is VERY IMPORTANT if you plan to continue to use the FITNESS AREA at Pascagoula Senior Center OR if you live outside the city limits of the CITY OF PASCAGOULA and plan to stay on our mailing list.

**FITNESS AREA** - Your "Physical Activity Forms" are good one year from the date your doctor signed them. Everyone will be notified by mail beginning in January, when their form needs to be renewed. HealthPlex and Singing River Hospital will continue orientation for NEW and returning clients into the New Year; on Tues 8-10am.

**\$50 ANNUAL NON-RESIDENT FEE** - Due every year in January. Everyone who is a non-resident of the City of Pascagoula pays a \$50 annual fee to use the Pascagoula Senior Center or participate in any activities offered. Fees were pro-rated throughout the year of 2011 so that everyone knows fees are due again each January. Staff members are working diligently to keep records current.

**SIGN IN STATION** - Please remember to stop at the sign in station at the front door and sign in each visit.

**LUNCH BUNCH** - Friday, January 20. Leave the center at 8:30am. Cost: \$20 each. Surprise destination(s)!

**Mobile's JOE JEFFERSON PLAYERS Present:** Thornton Wilder's "Our Town". Our tickets are for Friday, January 27. We will leave the center @ 6:30pm. Cost: \$15

**Biloxi's CENTER STAGE THEATRE Presents:** "Getting Frankie Married"; another great Southern dramady by Horton Foote. Our tickets are for Thursday, February 16. We will leave the center @ 6:30pm. Cost: \$15

**TUESDAY LUNCH GUESTS** - We re-scheduled the Elementary students from Central for Tue., Jan. 17

**NEW POTTERY CLASSES** - Six weeks, Jan. 17-Feb. 23  
**"Handbuilding on the Wheel"**

This is a six-week session for \$35 and includes 25# clay, use of tools, supplies, equipment and paint. Handbuilding experience is needed. Class meets **Tuesday and Thursday** 5:00-8:00pm.

**"Beginners' Handbuilding"**

Also a six-week session for \$35 and includes all the same supplies/equipment. No previous experience necessary. Class meets **Wednesday** 1:00-4:00pm. \*Call right away if you are interested in either class. Registration begins Jan. 3. Last day to register is Jan. 13. If you have questions regarding pottery classes, call Pam on January 3; 769-8329 between 10am-8pm. Notice to the "West Wing Potters": Thanks for all the "gift and shopping opportunities" made possible to us thru your skills.

**HOLIDAYS** - **Christmas Holidays are Dec. 23 & 26. New Year's Holidays are Dec. 30 and Jan. 2. Center CLOSED.** We are here for Tuesday Lunch on Dec. 27 AND Jan. 3.

**Bible Study Class** - We meet every Thursday @ 10am. We will begin a NEW STUDY in February. This group is a wonderful combination of Christian believers from lots of backgrounds with one common goal... "The Word".

**Exercise With Tammy** - This group, with original members Neil and Anna, meets each Mon., Wed. and Fri., 8:15am. Tammy's twist on things gives us new challenges.

**DOMINOS ANYONE??** We are going to see who all we can get to start playing on Tues. and Fri. @ 1pm beginning January 10. Call us at 769-8329, or just show up. Want to start with "Mexican Train"??

**BRIDGE** - **Congratulations** to Rosalie and all the players for successfully getting organized. If anyone else is interested in playing or substituting, give us a phone call, 769-8329. January Bridge dates are the 9<sup>th</sup> and the 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**MARDI GRAS at the SENIOR CENTER** - Our fun, FUN, Annual Mardi Gras Celebration is Tuesday, February 14. We look forward to working with the Pascagoula Police Dept. and the Jackson Co. Civic League on the event. Mark your calendar and plan to come to see our parade of duchesses, the police escorts and see the NEW KING AND QUEEN crowned at our Tuesday Luncheon on Feb. 14!

**Jackson County MARDI GRAS PARADE** - Saturday, Feb. 18. Brunch at the Senior Center beginning at 10:30am, then we will leave for the parade route about 11:30am. Everyone in the court will be riding plus anyone else who would like to. We will decorate the City Trolley on Friday, Feb. 17 and enjoy pizza for lunch. Let us know if you plan to help/ride. We always have loads of fun!

**UPBEAT LINE DANCERS** - Thanks for all your performances during the past year! You make us all proud!

**2012 TRAVEL** - Brochures are being selected describing destinations for the upcoming year. Possibilities include San Antonio, Mackinac Island, Boston/Cambridge, Niagara Falls, Mount Rushmore, Chicago, Pennsylvania Amish Country. Suggestions/opinions welcome! Call Melani or Bea, 769-8329, 762-2290, 366-1551.

Sincerely, Melani J. Caver and the Senior Center Staff

# HAPPY NEW YEAR

# January 2012

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<u>1</u> 	<u>2</u> HOLIDAY (CENTER CLOSED) 	<u>3</u> Pottery 8-10am-Fitness Orientation 11:00am-Fellowship 12 -Happy New Year Luncheon-	<u>4</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise  Pottery	<u>5</u> 9:00am-Line Dance 10:00am-Bible Study  Pottery	<u>6</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise	<u>7</u> 
<u>8</u>	<u>9</u> 8:15-9:00am-Exercise 9&10-Line Dance 10:30am-Yoga  1:00-4:00-Bridge	<u>10</u> 8-10am-Fitness Orientation 11:00am-Fellowship 12 Noon-Lunch 1:15pm-Canasta Pottery	<u>11</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise  Pottery	<u>12</u> 9:00am-Line Dance 10:00am-Bible Study 11:00 Golden Age Club  Pottery	<u>13</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise	<u>14</u>
<u>15</u> "We can do no great things, only small things with great love". — Mother Teresa	<u>16</u> HOLIDAY  <u>Dr.MartinLutherKing/RobertE.Lee</u>  <u>CENTER CLOSED</u>	<u>17</u> 8-10am-Fitness Orientation 12 Noon– Lunch, Central Elem. 1:15pm-Canasta Pottery	<u>18</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise  Pottery	<u>19</u> 9:00am-Line Dance 10:00am-Bible Study  Pottery	<u>20</u> 8:30-9:00am-Exercise 8:30-Lunch Bunch Iv. Center. \$20.00.	<u>21</u>
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<u>29</u> 	<u>30</u> 8:15-9:00am-Exercise 9&10-Line Dance 10:30am-Yoga	<u>31</u> Pottery 8-10am-Fitness Orientation 11:00am-Fellowship 12 Noon-Lunch 1:15pm-Canasta	<i>"Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.."</i>  —Matthew 11:28-30			