

Harvard Senior Center Activities for Feb. 2012

Thursday, Feb. 2nd

9:30 Bingo*

12:30 Decorating Committee ****NEW****
~ Valentine Decoration Making

Monday, Feb. 6th

10:00 Knitting and Crocheting ****NEW****
~ Teach. Learn. Share. Socialize

1:00 Cards ~ Choose your favorite cards game

Thursday, Feb. 9th

9:30 Bingo

12:30 Movie
~ Bring a snack

Monday, Feb. 13th

10:00 Dominoes

1:00 Cards ~ Choose your favorite cards game

Thursday, Feb. 16th

9:30 Bingo*

12:00 Valentine Celebration

Monday, Feb. 20th

10:00 Dominoes

11:00 Social Circle ****NEW****
~ sit, relax and socialize

1:00 Cards ~ Choose your favorite cards game

Wednesday, Feb. 22nd

Get Involved! Community Education Program

~ RSVP Community Volunteer Program, information session and volunteer sign-up

~ This program is for those 55 and over wishing to assist in various ways throughout our community

Thursday, Feb. 23rd

9:30 Bingo*

1:00 Farkle

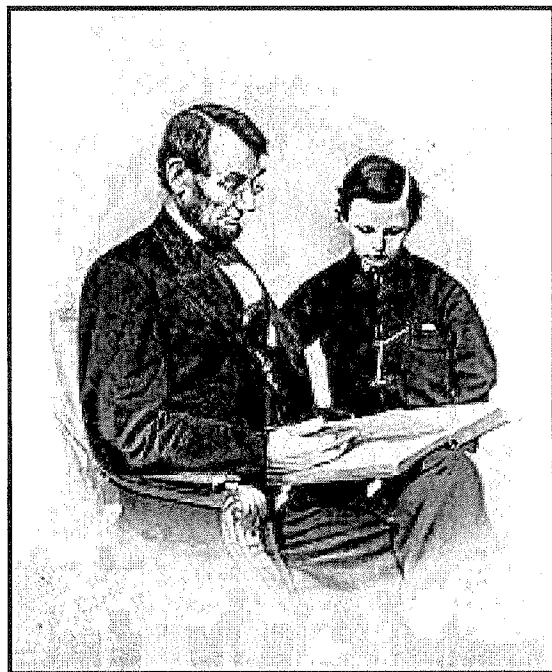
Monday, Feb. 27th

9:00 Circuit Breaker and Energy Assistance ****NEW****

10:00 Dominoes

1:00 Cards ~ Choose your favorite cards game

***There is a \$1.00 fee per player for bingo**



Abraham Lincoln's Birthday February 12th

A father noticed that his son was spending way too much time playing computer games. In an effort to motivate the boy into his schoolwork, the father said to his son, "When Abe Lincoln was your age, he was studying books by the light of the fireplace." The son replied, "Dad, when Lincoln was your age, he was the President of the United States!"

Senior Center Hours

Monday 9:30 am – 2:30 pm

Thursday 9:00 am – 2:30 pm

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WANTED: New People and New Ideas

The Harvard Senior Center is currently open 2 days per week, on Mondays and Thursdays with planned activities. Jacque Maguire Gratz, lifelong Harvard resident, is the new Activity Director and is working hard to help create programs you will enjoy. Top on her list of needs right now is more seniors to participate and more ideas of what you would like to do. Any knitters and crocheters out there that would like to get together and share your skills, or learn a new one? How about you Bridge or Pinochle players, want to start a group for regular play? Feel free to drop in on Mondays and Thursdays to join the current activities and talk to Jackie about starting some new ones! You can leave a message for Jackie at 815-943-6844 or email her at: harvardseniorcenter@gmail.com.

Income Tax Assistance

For those of you that need to file income taxes or are not sure if you need to file, AARP has tax-aides to assist you in filing electronically at no charge. The nearest location to Harvard is at the Woodstock Public Library. These tax-aides are prepared to assist senior citizens of low to moderate incomes. To make an appointment, call 815-344-3555.

RSVP Community Volunteer Program

If you are at least 55 years of age and are interested in assisting in various ways in our community, please plan to attend an informational meeting on **Wed, Feb. 22nd at 7 p.m.** at the Senior Center. Debbie Danitz, from McHenry County Senior Services will be here to introduce all to the RSVP Community Volunteer Program. *Hope to see you there!*

Board of Directors Notes

These are some of the areas the Harvard Senior Citizens Board of Directors is working on:
1) noon meals at the center 2) transportation issues 3) interior maintenance 4) room rental possibilities 5) telephone and internet access 6) forming a 501.3c corporation
7) exploring opportunities for additional grant funds.

The Board meets at the Center on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m.

WISH LIST

Here are some items needed for the Senior Center you may wish to donate:

DVDs (the center has a DVD player & big screen TV), magazine subscriptions, digital/video camera, CD player, Karaoke machine, Wii and Wii games

If you would like to donate any of these items, please leave a message at City Hall, 815-943-6468. Thank you.