

VALENTINE

SWEET TASTING

2/14/2024

1:00-3:00

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SENIOR CENER

503 S. GALLITIN

MARION



Please help us with our "Pass the Hat" Campaign.
We are trying to raise monies to support our mission here at the Marion-Grant County
Senior Center to enhance the quality of life for all Grant
County Senior Citizens.
Please given generously to-day!
Special Thanks to all those generous donors who are making this a successful campaign for us.

We do not receive money from the city, county or state.



#### STATE HEALTH IN-SURANCE PROGRAM (SHIP)

We have a trained (SHIP) Counselor available to answer your questions and assist you in enrolling in the best possible Medicare Part D plan and supplemental health insurance. Please call the Center @ 662-6772 and leave your name and phone number to receive a call back or to schedule an appointment.



# The "Bifocal"

Enhancing the quality of life for Grant County's senior citizens through social, recreational, nutritional, and health programs

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#### **ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE**

Bingo: M/Wed 12:15 (\$1.00)
Euchre: Tue/Thu12:00 (\$1.00)
Brain Aerobics: Wed at 10:00
Art Class: Wed 12:15-\$5/wk
Sing-a-long: Tue 10:00
Dominoes/JigSaw: Most Mornings

<u>IWU Physical Therapy:</u> Tue 12:45

SHIP Counselor: (Help with Medicare by appt. only)
Legal Aid: call for appointment.
Lawyer from Indiana Legal Services

TRIAD: (programs to protect seniors)

<u>Foot Care-</u> By appointment. By retired foot care RN.

## 1st Friday Breakfast/Bingo –

9 am –Breakfast thanks to Angels of Mercy Home Health.
Bingo-Stillwater Hospice and
Greg Palmer

<u>Bingo & Donuts:</u> 2nd Fri 9:30 am by Wyndmoor . **Bingo & Breakfast:** 3rd Fri

9:30 am by Aperion.

<u>Birthday Celebration:</u> Last Friday @ 10:30 for those born during current month.

**Grocery Pickup:** 1st Wed 10

### MARION-GRANT COUNTY SENIOR CENTER

As we reflect on last year's activities, we are thankful to all those individuals, organizations and companies that helped us enhance the quality of life for our Grant County Seniors. The Center has a safe and clean environment for programs, events and numerous activities.

The Center's programing is geared toward Seniors aged 50 and up. The Center offers a balanced lunch Monday thru Thursday (donation basis), many daily activities and classes, free legal aid, community resource referrals, medicare insurance counseling, free income tax preparation, volunteer opportunities, health screenings, a foot clinic and many other programs and social activities. On a quarterly basis, we hold special educational programs to address current senior related topics. We try to make sure our events are posted in the Chronicle Tribune, as well as, mentioned on WBAT "Good Morning Grant County" and in Greater Grant County newsletter.

Like many of our seniors, inflation has deeply affected the Senior Center's bottom line. We are constantly looking for funding sources through grants, donations and fund raising efforts. This year we will need to increase our yearly dues to \$20.00. going into affect on June 1st. We are still continuing our pass the hat campaign and have included an envelope for your benefit.

If you haven't visited recently, please come and see what we have to offer at 503 South Gallatin Street, Marion, Indiana.

Looking for additional assistance or help? Dial 211 for information regarding services needed. Dial 664-4759 for Meals on Wheels, 1-800 -589-1121 for LifeStream or 668-4445 for Marion City Bus. Call the Center, 662-6772 to set up appointments for legal aid assistance or Medicare help.

# HEARTFELT THANKS to Donory (10/14/23)-(2/1/24)

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#### **BOOK CLUB:**

Book Club normally meets the last Thursday of each month at 10:00 am

You're welcome to sit in on our book discussion even if you didn't read the book

#### **AFFILIATE MEMBERS**

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