



Dear Friends,

Riding a Bike. It is one thing in life that everyone has experienced. When you are little it is a three wheel version. You learned to ride it as quickly as you learned to walk. The joy of moving from place to place by just moving the peddles was wonderful. Then came the two wheel bike which was a bit more intimidating. For safety sake you may have had training wheels on the back to steady your balance. Away you went, hair flying in the wind. Then came the day that the training wheels came off. You were assured that you can do it. And someone ran along side of you to keeping you from falling. Then at the right moment it all felt right and you were on your way with your confidence of control and balance. From that time on, riding a bike became second nature. It became a way of life. You rode it to school, to the store, to a friends house and in time maybe with a bike club. Your bike became a best friend. In college it got you from class to class. It is a memory and experience that can be shared from generation to generation, the stories sounding very similar.

The thoughts of your bike may bring many more fond memories. It could be of a birthday or Christmas when you received it as a gift. It could be the time you found it at a sale. It could be a treasure that was handed down to you by a family member or friend. Whatever the case, your bike is something in your life that you never forget and cherish the times you spent riding it and the places it took you.

Life is like riding a bicycle. You slow down and finding it harder to do those things that you love to do. It becomes easier to sit and wonder than to get up to be part of an active life. It is good to reflect back on days gone by, the when you got on your bike and traveled to events that made your life exciting and special and work to continue to have that internal drive that helps you to enjoy and explore those things that still are to be done. There are a lot of things that put energy in your step, family activities, church, gardening, grand and great grandchildren. And yes, the Loose Center with all the programs, events and social activities it offers. It matters not how old we may be, it matters not how physically capable we are to get around, it matters not how many friends and family are left in our life, what matters is that we keep moving and not miss those things that make life better and keep us young in spirit and mind. So, get back on that bike and go out and find the love, fun and excitement that waits for you.

"Life is like riding a bike. To keep your balance, you must keep moving."

All is well!

Carl Gabrielson Executive Director

PLEASE TAKE OUR SURVEY

Stop by the office and ask for a hard copy or visit our website@

www.loosecenter.org and click on the survey link.



Look Rummage Sale

Friday, August 21 & Saturday, August 22

t has been a while, but we have a PLAN and are ready to tackle the return of the *RUMMAGE SALE* challenge.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Gather up your gently used good stuff. No clothing, LARGE appliances or LARGE furniture - please
- We will collect donations beginning June 17.
- We will be accepting donations each week on Wednesdays and Thursday's ONLY.

We still don't have ideal storage and sort area, so we would appreciate your help in adhering to the Wednesday/ Thursday drop off schedule. Thank you!



During the month of JUNE, EACH time you come to Loose, be sure to put your name in the drawing for the Card Shop Give-a-way. Everything you need will be located by the My Senior Center Computer. We need your name and phone number and at the end of the month, the winner will be contacted. Come often, enter often. GOOD LUCK!





RHUBARB LEAF STEPPING STONE

Wednesday, June 3, 12:30 pm, \$5 (Limit 8) Bring your garden to life with a handmade rhubarb stepping stone. You will need to bring a



pair of rubber gloves, a large, recycled pizza box and a large plastic bowl. All other supplies will be provided. Because cement will be used, you may want a mask to protect from the dust. This project will be off-site at the residence of the instructor. It is very easy to find and very close to the Center; directions will be given at the time you register.





Tuesday, June 9, 6 - 8 PM, ONLY \$5

Live Variety Music by: Jim Hedrich Line Dancing & More!!!

Music for your listening and dancing enjoyment. A great time for singles & couples! Includes: Snacks & Beverages. You do not need a ticket in advance, just come & have Fun!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, call Loose @ (810) 735-9406 or Jim & Betty Hedrich @ (810) 659-2240.

Welcome New Members

We Invite you to join us for coffee, pastries, introductions, information and a time to chat on, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 9-10 AM In the LOOSE ANNEX

Thursday, June 25, 1-5 pm, \$20 This hands-on skills training Can Do | prepares you to respond to breathing and cardiac emer-

gencies. It also teaches the skills and knowledge needed to provide care for victims of sudden cardiac arrest through the safe use of an automated external defibrillator (AED). Limit 8



Friday, June 26, 5 pm \$7 Entry Fee, 25¢/Euchres GREAT Prizes, Food & Drink and more! All are WELCOME!

AN ENTERTAINING AFTERNOON

Tuesday, June 18, 2015, 1 - 4 PM, FREE (transportation can be arranged, Fee \$5)



Please call Loose by June 12 to reserve your spot.

1:00 PM Entertainment Express Concert at The Whiting (lobby) 1:45 PM Self-guided tour Collecting Flint, A to Z at Sloan Museum * Snacks provided in the Half Way Cafe 3:00 PM Planetarium theater show at Longway Planetarium

This is the first of a series of FREE events sponsored by The Whiting and Sloan Longway. Watch for more opportunities.



ilt Raff



Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5

These beautiful quilts were made by the Loose Threads group which meets at Loose each Tuesday morning. The material was donated, their time, effort, imagination and hard work was also donated. They then donated the guilts to be raffled off with the proceeds going to benefit Loose.

The drawing will take place on Tuesday, July 28 during the Caretel/Loose Picnic. No need to be present to win. The winner will be contacted.

"Keeping the Body Clear of Anxiousness & Anxiety, Using EFT Tapping".

ENERGY HEALING WORKSHOP

Thursday, June 18, 2-4 pm, Sunroom, \$35 See page 15 for details





Potluck

DAILY LUNCH AT LOOSE!

Monday through Friday, 11:30 am, Annex Suggested donation for those 60 and over: \$2

Ages 59 and under: \$3.50

GCCARD provides daily congregate lunches at the Center. They are tasty and nutritionally balanced. If you plan on attending, please call the Center at 735.9406 by 12 noon the day before. Sharing a meal with others is a great way to make friends. Menus are available in the office.

POTLUCK DINNER

2nd Friday of each month, 5 pm, Annex

Bring your favorite dish to share, along with your days along with a setting and enjoy the fun and fellowship that goes along with a good old-fashioned potluck gathering. Loose Potlucks are among the best, so don't miss out! We also invite you to stick around after dinner and enjoy one of our many games.



Tuesday, June 9, 4:30 pm, \$6

Grilled dogs & burgers, baked beans, salad, chips, dessert & beverage

It is the best deal around and there are no strings attached. Just a time to eat and enjoy the company of friends.



Angels

Terry Thomas was a person who saw the needs of others and spent much of his life dedicated to helping those in our commu-

nity. In 2008, he established a group called the Loose Community Angels. It is time for the Angels to meet and rededicate Terry's beliefs and establish a positive direction to help others.

On Wednesday, June 3 at 10 am in Hall B, we will be reviewing his leadership, his commitment to organization and reestablishing his dream. Please come with ideas, comments and questions.

PLEASE RSVP to Loose by Monday, June 1.

BIRTHDAY BASH!

Wednesday, July 22, 12 noon ~ 1 pm, Hall B
Help us celebrate EVERYONE'S Birthday
with cake and ice cream

you're invited!



PROJECT FRESH COUPONS AVAILABLE LATE JUNE

Project FRESH provides participants with coupons to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables at local farmers' markets. Seniors 60 and older with incomes of 185% of poverty or less and living in Genesee County are eligible for Senior Project FRESH. Each eligible household will receive coupons to use throughout the summer to purchase fresh, nutritious, unprepared, locally grown produce from authorized Michigan farmers' markets and roadside stands.



Pen Pals Needed

PLEASE CONSIDER
BEING PART OF THIS
WONDERFUL PROGRAM.
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This is one of the most personally

rewarding programs that Loose offers. PLEASE, stop by the office for a pen pal application, fill it out and return it ASAP so that we can match you up with a local third grader with similar interests. This is a fun, interesting and rewarding activity that takes place from June until August culminating in a pizza party where you can meet your pen pal! The goal of this unique program is to increase communication skills and bridge the generation gap between third grade children and older adults. This is accomplished through written communication and the sharing of experiences between generations.



PICKLEBALL

Monday & Wednesday, 6:15 - 9 pm, Sunday 2 - 5 pm, \$3 Friday, 11 am - 4 pm, RESERVATION REQUIRED!

Try out the fastest-growing sport around! Pickleball! Similar to ping pong, badminton, and tennis, Pickleball is a fun, active game that can be mastered by anyone. We have a wonderful and welcoming group playing, stop in and watch and give it a try.

FITNESS ROOM

- ♦ Call Loose @ 735-9406 and reserve your time.
- ♦ Drop-ins on availability only.
- ♦ Usage limited to 30 minutes when people are waiting
- ♦ All participants must sign a consent form.
- ♦ Donations accepted for the use of the equipment

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION EXERCISE PROGRAM

Meets Mondays, 2:30 pm, FREE, Drop ins Welcome

This program is a low impact physical activity program proven to reduce pain and decrease stiffness. The routines include gentle range-of-motion exercise that are suitable for every fitness level. The program will help you keep joints flexible and muscles strong, sleep better, increase energy, improve your overall outlook. *Paid for with funding from VAAA & OSA*

BEACHBALL VOLLEYBALL

Monday, 6 pm

A fun, indoor activity meant to improve your level of fitness. Open to men and women. Join us on Monday at 6 pm at Linden Elementary school located at 400 South Bridge Street in Linden.

BIKING BUNCH Wednesday, 9 am.

If you are interested in the Biking Bunch, please contact the Loose Center at 735.9406, leave your name and contact information: phone number and/or email address. Ride leader Ann Walker will get in touch with you about riding events.

PLEASE CHECK THE MASTER CALENDAR FOR SPECIAL CLOSINGS.

TUESDAY

9:30 am Zumba Gold
1:00 pm Cornhole
2:30 pm Arthritis Exercise
4:00 pm Yoga (gentle flow)
5:00 pm Zumba
6:15 pm Pickleball

LINDEN ELEMENTARY 6:00 pm Volleyball

MONDAY

9:30 am Zumba Gold 10:30 am FIT⁴EVER 12:00 pm Beg. Line Dance 1:00 pm Adv. Line Dance 4:00 pm Chair Yoga 5:00 pm Yoga (gentle flow)

FRIDAY

9:30 am Yoga (gentle flow) 11:00 am Pickleball

WEDNESDAY

9:00 am Biking Bunch 9:30 am Yoga (gentle flow) 5:00 pm Zumba 6:15 pm Pickleball

SATURDAY

9:00 am Yoga (gentle flow) 10:15 am Zumba

YOGA \$5 per class

GENTLE FLOW YOGA Strengthen your mind and body through yoga, helping with your balance while strengthening your back, abdominals and legs. Afternoon classes help take the stress out of the day for a peaceful nights sleep.

CHAIR YOGA Discover the health benefits of yoga while honoring your strengths and limitations. Strengthen your balance and increase your range of motion with the assistance of a chair, a wall or a block to learn a pose or to get deeper into one.

ZUMBA & ZUMBA GOLD \$5 per class

Low-impact dance/exercise class that includes stretching, balance and easy dance moves. GOLD is a specially designed class for the active, older adult or unconditioned person. Wear comfortable clothes and smooth-soled athletic shoes and bring a water bottle.

FIT⁴**EVER** \$5 per class A fitness program of gentle exercise and movement that improves strength and balance while increasing energy and stamina. Men and women are invited to attend.

LINE DANCE Tuesday Class - \$5 Thursday Class - \$5

Exercise your body & mind by dancing to lively, upbeat music. Line Dancing is a fun way to dance socially without a dance partner. Many dancing styles are covered and fun is had by all. Drop-ins welcome!

GOLF AT SHIAWASEE SHORES Loose members can golf for \$100 for the season, \$5 for individual rounds or for guests. Loose members MUST sign in at Clubhouse each and every time they golf.

Wii BOWLING Organized Wii play is held on Thursdays, and open play is available when there is no schedule conflict. The next 8 week league begins on June 11. **If you are interested in Wii bowling, please contact the Loose Office.**

THURSDAY

9:30 am Chair Yoga 11:45 am Wii Bowling 10:15 am Zumba Gold 10:30 am FIT⁴EVER 4:00 pm Yoga (gentle flow)

6:00 pm Beg Line Dance 7:00 pm Adv. Line Dance

<u>SUNDAY</u>

2:00 pm Pickleball





ARTSY & CRAETY



"ANYONE CAN PAINT" Class Minimum: 6

2nd Monday of each month, 12-2 pm, Sunroom, \$20

Award-winning artist Steve Wood combines painting tips and techniques with humor and encouragement, providing a relaxing, enjoyable experience for beginning to intermediate painters. By the end of class, participants will have completed an 11"X14" acrylic painting. Please call and register.

WOOD CARVERS

Wednesdays, 12 - 2 pm, Sunroom, FREE

Loose wood carvers have an immeasurable amount of knowledge for their craft/hobby and they LOVE to share their knowledge and passion. If you have thought about taking up this craft, please feel free to stop by and learn from the best.

PAINTING GROUP

Mondays, 10 am, Hall A, FREE

The Loose Center is the perfect place for painters of all levels to meet and work on their projects. We have a wonderful volunteer instructor available to help. The group which meets regularly, is very excited to share, so pack up your project and bring it to the Center!

SCRAPBOOKING

3rd Tuesday of each month, 1 pm, Hall A, FREE

Whether you have pictures from a recent event or from a storage bin, set this time aside to meet other scrapbookers for conversation, inspiration and fun! Bring your photos, scissors or paper trimmer and adhesive of choice. Workshop is open to beginner and experienced scrappers.

YARN RECYCLERS

Fridays, 10 am, Annex, FREE

We are always in need of volunteers who would like to help with lap robes, which are donated to local vets, nursing homes and others with special needs. Our knitting and crocheting group meets every Friday to knit or crochet needed items.

LOOSE LAPGHANS

Fridays, 1 pm, Hall A, FREE

The Lapghan group meets to work on a variety of projects, many of which are donated to local charities. Come and join in on the current project or bring your own. Stuck on a project? Stop by! Someone will help you to get going again.

LOOSE THREADS Tuesdays, 10 am, Sunroom, FREE

Anyone is welcome to join this talented and dedicated group that is currently working on a quilting project. This group gives of their time and donates the quilts back to Loose to raffle off. Feel free to come and work on your own projects in the company of people who are willing to share their time and talent with others.

WATERCOLOR CLASSES

SUNFLOWER, June 29, July 6, 1 pm, \$15 This class is for all who have a desire to try something new or for those who are experienced and want to try something different.



Class size is limited, so register early and at registration time be sure to pick up the supply list and additional information for the class. Instructor, Peggy Mattson.

IEWELRY CLASS

Thur., June 25, 1 pm, Sunroom, \$15

Learn how to make rings using jewelry wire and Swarovski crystal cubes. We will create rings using "frames" to enhance the crystals. Come on in and enjoy the fun. No experience necessary. Cost includes the cost of the tool key to create these beautiful rings which will be yours to keep.

CARD MAKING WITH CAROLINE

Monday, June 15, 12:30 pm, Sunroom, \$7 (class limited)

Caroline Rohde, card extraordinaire, will lead the class in creating unique and beautiful cards. All materials will be supplied, along with detailed instructions. Participants will go home with at least two handmade cards and envelopes. Take the time to enjoy this special time to learn and connect with others who share a like passion.



CRAFTS AT CARETEL

Tuesday, June 24, 10 am, \$8

Join us to create a wonderful patriotic wreath. All supplies are provided.

Come and enjoy a peaceful time to be creative

and enjoy the company of others. This event will be held at Caretel Inns, 202 S. Bridge in Linden. Class size is limited to 8, so sign up early.

SLEEP MATS

Mondays, 10 - 11:30 am, SUNROOM

The 2nd Monday of each month, this activity begins at 10:15 am Join a team of people who are helping with the pre-assembly process in creating the wonderful mats being made and donated to those in need. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY! Volunteers will cut and loop grocery bags in preparation of the crocheting process. If you crochet and would like to make a mat, it's easy, just single crochet your way to a complete mat.

Please donate CLEAN plastic SHOPPING bags ONLY.

HYPERTUFA PLANTER

Wednesday, July 29, 12:30 pm, \$20 (limit 5)

Hypertufa is a mud-pie recipe that is used to make all sorts of garden art objects. Sign up and make your own planter. Class will be offsite at the home of the instructor. A supply list and directions to the class are available at the Center. You must register in advance.



oose computer classes are especially tailored to the needs of older adults. Class sizes are small and the instructor, Kelly O'Connell, is well versed in the subject. COMPUTER CLASSES ARE HELD @ THE LOOSE CENTER. You must bring your own computer are your san and take notes. All class

Computer Classes

or you can opt to observe and take notes. All classes will also be projected on the screen.

PLEASE PREREGISTER FOR ALL CLASSES

COMING THIS SUMMER

LEARN YOUR LAPTOP

Wednesday, June 3 & 10, 4 - 6 pm, \$20

Take the time to learn and understand and make the most of your laptop. Learn to navigate, how to log into wireless internet, what programs you have, changing appearance and more. *Bring your laptop with you, expand your knowledge and make new friends*.

WINDOWS 8

Wednesday & Thursday, July 8, 9, 15, 1-3 pm, \$30

Windows 8: kind of confusing, right? There's no Start button, no straightforward way to shut it down, perhaps worst of all, there's no instruction manual. So how exactly are you supposed to learn your way around the new operating system? Sign up today! If you have a laptop, bring it to class and get yourself set for this new adventure.

WORD PROCESSING

Wednesday & Thursday, July 22, 23, 29, 1-3 pm, \$30 IPAD 1

Wednesday & Thursday, August 5 & 6, 1-3 pm, \$20 IPAD 2

Wednesday & Thursday, August 12 & 13, 1-3 pm, \$20 SOCIAL MEDIA & WHY

Thursday, July 30, 1-3 pm, \$10

INDIVIDUAL COMPUTER HELP SESSION (by appointment)



Mondays, 3 pm, Loose Sunroom

Don't miss out on the chance to be a part of this exceptional group of people who enjoy making music together. The choir rehearses and works to prepare for many special

events. They go into the community, sharing their talent locally with those who can use some good old-fashioned cheer. They also perform at Loose during special events and are a wonderful addition to any gathering. The choir is a very welcoming group; stop by and see!



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GAMES

POOL PLAYERS Bring a friend and play anytime.

BRIDGE Monday & Wednesday, 8 am - 2:30 pm

OPEN GAME PLAY Friday, 1:00 pm (bring a friend)

CHICAGO BRIDGE Tuesday & Friday, 1 - 4 pm

CHESS Wednesday, 12:30 pm

DOMINOES Wednesday, 12:30 pm

MAH JONGG Tuesday, 3 pm, Friday, 10 am

PINOCHLE Monday & Wednesday, 12:30 pm

EUCHRE Tues. & Thurs., 12:30 pm, Sat., 10 am

CARDS & MORE Thurs. 10:30 am

JIGSAW PUZZLES Browse through our puzzle selection located in the Annex; take them out on loan, or if you have puzzles that you would like to donate, they can find a home at Loose.

Tuesday June 9 7 pm EMIC enight

Friends, an **Open MIC event** is a LIVE show
where audience mem-

bers may perform their talent at the MIC.

THE RULES ARE SIMPLE:

- If you are interested in just listening, please grab a friend, come in, and enjoy.
- If you are interested in performing, come in, sign up, and the master of ceremony will guide you from there.
- Be encouraging and respectful of the performers.

HAVE FUN!

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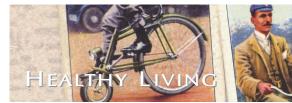
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ONE-ON-ONE FINANCIAL HELP

Wednesday, June 3, 10:30 am

Financial Advisor Chad Robinson is available for free financial consultations at Loose Center the 1st Wednesday of each month. This service is available by appointment only. To schedule an appointment, call Loose Center at 735.9406.

ALZHEIMER SUPPORT GROUP

Every 4th Tuesday, 2 pm

The Loose Senior Center is home to an Alzheimer's Support Group. Support Groups are the heart of the Alzheimer's Association and are attended by families, caregivers and friends of persons with Alzheimer's disease, as well as other related dementia disorders. The group welcomes new people at all times.

WRITE YOUR LIFE STORY

Every 2nd & 4th Friday, 10 am, Sunroom

Join us on the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month as we share anecdotes and memories from our lives. There are plenty of helpful tips and class discussions that make the process of putting our memories into writing fun.

LOOSE BOOK CLUB

Every 2nd Monday, 1 pm

This well-read and energetic group meets once per month to explore and discuss a variety of literature. New folks, visitors and guests are always welcome. Come and join us!

LISTENING EAR

Every 1st Monday, by appointment Are you working to navigate rough waters in your life? Could you benefit from some one-on-one sharing time? Would you like to talk to someone who



will listen and help you calm your waters? Call Loose and sign up for share time with Peggy Fulcher. Peggy is trained in counseling with a certificate in Gerontology, and has also been through the extensive Stephen Minister Program. Take time for yourself, and share in this safe space to calm the rough waters of your life.

ONE STOP GENESEE

Monday, 10 am - 2 pm

A Program of



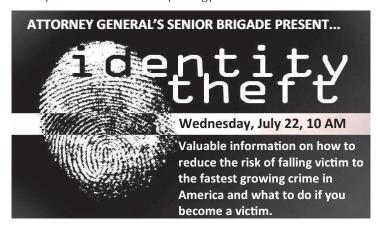
Loose welcomes ONE STOP GENESEE to the Center each Monday. The goal of this new program is to provide assistance to atrisk individuals and families. Services include; counseling, long term housing placement, emergency solutions, medical care, utility and water assistance, referrals for services and other services to work toward creating a pathway to stability and independence. For information call One Stop Genesee directly at 810 600-4525 or call Loose at 810 735-9406. Walk-ins welcome!

YOUR HEALTHY LIFESTYLE TOOLBOX

Wednesday, July 29, 10 am, FREE What items are "in" my toolbox? Why should they be in there (i.e. nutrition, endurance, range of motion, balance and more)?



How much potential do I have to keep these tools "sharp"? How can I go about doing this? This workshop will be lead by Leah Tanton who is trained in Exercise Science and currently teaches Exercise Physiology at U of M.



SAFER DRIVING CAN SAVE YOU MONEY

Refresh your driving skills and you could save money on your car insurance!* Take the NEW AARP Smart Driver™ Course.

AARP SMART DRIIVER COURSE

August 12 & 13, (Wed. & Thurs),11:30 am - 3:30 pm \$15 for AARP members/\$20 for non members

The AARP Driver Safety Program is the nation's first and largest refresher course for drivers age 50 and older. In class there will be discussion, laughter and sharing on Road Rules, Safe Driving, and talking to a friend or relative about their driving. You must be on time and in attendance both days. Please call or stop by the Loose office to register for this class. (Please make checks payable to AARP.)



HONEST TALK ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

Monday, August 10, 2 pm Loose is excited to have attorneys Seth Neblock (Elder Law Attorney)

and Andrea Rossi (Public Benefits/Disability/Social Security Attorney) come and share information on SS retirement benefits and survivors benefits. Seth and Andrea will also be available to answer questions. This is a golden opportunity, call and sign up today!





MASSAGE

By appointment each Monday & 1st & 3rd Thursdays

Massage increases circulation,

reduces inflammation and renews your mind, body and spirit. Enjoy a chair massage for as low as \$5. Table massages are also available. Call Loose at 735.9406 for details or to schedule your appointment with Donna.

PODIATRIST

Tuesday, June 30, by appointment, Annex

Dr. Koehler from Holly Foot & Ankle Specialists will be accepting appointments at Loose. Services will include toenail trimming, corn and callous removal, diabetic foot care and more. Billing will be made to Medicare. Please bring a list of all your medications and your insurance cards. Call Loose to set up your appointment.

FREE HEARING CLINIC

3rd Friday of each month, 10 am (by appointment), Annex

Hearing Tests and Evaluations, Hearing Aid Checks and Hearing Aid Cleaning by Hear Clear, David Wizgird, BC-HIS. If you have a hearing aid issue or hearing difficulties, David will be happy to assist you. Call the office for an appointment.

MANICURES

Wednesday, by appointment, beginning at 9 am, \$10, Annex MANICURE WILL INCLUDE:

- Polish removal
- Filing and shaping of nails
- Cuticle maintenance
- Refreshing fingertip soak
- Hand massage with lotion
- Polish application

Plan on a 1/2 hour manicure.

Please call Loose to set up your appointment.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE AND **BLOOD GLUCOSE TESTS - Annex**

1st Tuesday of each month, 2-3 pm NEW TIME! 2nd Wednesday of each month, 9 - 10 am

3rd Thursday of each month, 11 - 12 noon (BP only)

4th Monday of each month, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm



Do you have email? If so, please consider stopping by and update your files or send us an email at LSCC@looseseniorcenter.org

ENERGY HEALING WORKSHOP

"Keeping the Body Clear of Anxiousness & Anxiety, Using EFT Tapping".

Thursday, June 18, 2-4 pm, Sunroom, \$35

Christine will be teaching a EFT Tapping protocol to use daily, to eliminate the addiction of these two emotions that keep our system in a fearful state. Using this 15 minute protocol will bring calm and balance to the body.





HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY SIGNING PARTY

Tuesday, August 4, 11 am FREE Attorney Sharon Miner will guide the participants in a step-by-step process

in completing this very important document and each will leave with a complete legal copy, signed by a witness and notarized. This is such an important part of healthy planning, don't put it off, call Loose and sign up today.

MTA/LOOSE TRANSPORTATION

Our partnership with the MTA allows us to offer transportation services to you at a discounted senior rate. If you need a ride to any Loose event, please call the office at 735.9406. Roundtrip transportation costs \$4.50. A monthly pass is available for \$40 and can be purchased through the MTA. The pass provides unlimited access to MTA services, 7 days a week. Please call Loose if you have any questions regarding the MTA/Loose transportation program.

WEEKLY SCHEDULED VAN DESTINATION

Please call 24 hours in advance to schedule a ride.

THURSDAY - Flint Farmers' Market 10:45 am departure, return 1:30 pm, \$4.50 roundtrip

RESERVATIONS ARE NOT GUARANTEED UNTIL PAYMENT IS RECEIVED

Loose Senior Citizens Center acts only as an agent for the independent suppliers that provide hotel accommodations, transportation, sightseeing activities, or other services connected with these tours. All such services are subject to the terms and conditions of those suppliers. LSCC, its employees, agents, directors, representatives, and assigns are not responsible for any injury, damages, expenses, or losses of any kind sustained by any person as a result of participation in these tours.

NOTE: All persons traveling to Canada must have a passport or an enhanced driver's license. All casino packages are subject to change without notice. Proper identification and Social Security Card required to collect prizes over the amount of \$1,199. Call for information about travel insurance or any other questions.

To avoid waiting lists or finding out that a trip has been canceled, sign up early. Travel programs have registration deadlines. At deadline time, the trip will be canceled if we do not have enough committed travelers.



GENESEE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS SERVICES

2nd Tuesday of each month, 9 am, Annex

Bob Rasche and his over 20 years of working for veterans is available to assist local veterans and their families in obtaining veteran benefits from Federal, State and County agencies. Although walk-ins will be seen, it is best to call Loose for an appointment.

LEGAL ADVICE

3rd Wed. of the month, 9:30 am -12:30 pm, Annex

Attorney Sharon Miner will be at the Loose Center to offer free consultations on estate planning. This service is available by appointment only. To schedule an appointment, call the Loose Center at 735.9406.

CONSUMER FRAUD ASSISTANCE

1st Wednesday of each month, 10 am -12 noon, Annex

If you are having any problems with a place of business or are wondering if you have been scammed, call for an appointment or stop and talk with a representative from the office of the Genesee County Sheriff Consumer Fraud Division. Their mission is to protect the citizens of Genesee County by gathering, processing and investigating consumer complaints and attempting to resolve them.

AMVETS

1st Thursday of each month, 10 am - 12 noon, Annex

Nathan Pierpont is here to meet with veterans and/or their families to answer questions about compensation, pension, widows' pension, education, burial, medical needs or any other VA-related matter. Drop-ins are welcome!

DISPOSAL OF THE AMERICAN FLAG

American flags that are tattered or torn can be placed in a plastic bag and dropped off at the Senior Center. We will make sure it is disposed of properly.

MEDICARE/MEDICAID/FOOD STAMP ASSISTANCE (MMAP)

Our MMAP Counselor, Ann Walker, will be available to see Medicare beneficiaries by appointment only. The Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program is a free service that can help you make health insurance decisions. MMAP's mission is to educate, counsel and empower Medicare beneficiaries and their service providers so they are able to make informed health choices. If you need assistance, call the Center at 735.9406 to schedule an appointment, or call MMAP at 1.800.803.7174, ext. 247.

Please remember to call and register and then sign in for all Loose events. It helps with planning and funding.

COUPON CLUB

2nd Wednesday of each month, 3:15 pm, Annex

Join others who enjoy saving money and making the most of available resources. Bring a friend, your coupons and the excitement that comes with getting a good deal!

WATCH REPAIR

2nd Wed. of each month, 10:30 am - 1 pm, Annex

Specializing in battery replacement and/or adjustment, Angela Waldowski has over 30 years of experience in the trade. *There is a cost for most repairs, so please inquire prior to the service.*

MICAFE The Michigan's Coordinated Access to Food for the Elderly (MiCAFE) project makes it easier for seniors to get the food they need to live healthy lives through the Food Assistance Program. This program helps low-income households buy the food they need to maintain their health and independence. Assistance is provided through a Bridge Card that can be used just like cash at most grocery stores. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact the Center at 735.9406.

COMMODITIES SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM (CSFP & TEFAP)

2nd Monday of each month, 9-10 am, Annex

Loose Center is a distribution site for emergency food assistance program. For more information, please call Loose at 735.9406.

TOPS (*Take Off Pounds Sensibly*)

Mondays, 6:00 pm, Annex For information, please contact the Loose Center at 735.9406.

LOAN CLOSET If you have need for some medical equipment, please contact Loose at 735.9406. Equipment is loaned without conditions. If you have equipment to donate, feel free to drop it off during business hours.

AARP TAX-AIDE Consider volunteering as a Tax Assistance Counselor or a Leader Coordinator. To join our team of volunteers, call the Flint/Genesee Area District volunteer coordinator at 810-344-7281 or toll free at 1·888·OUR·AARP (1.888.687.2277), or use the online registration form on our website at http://www.aarp.org/money/taxes/info-2006/volunteer aarp tax aide.html

SUNSHINE GREETINGS

Our Sunshine Greeting Team, Janet Green and Marcia Brasher, would like everyone to know they are ready and willing to share greetings from Loose with those folks who might need a



pick-me-up, are facing surgery, are suffering a loss, are homebound, are recovering from surgery or need cheering up for any number of other reasons. If you know someone who would benefit from a card, please contact Loose at 735.9406 or email lscc@loosescenter.org so we can spread the sunshine.

FREE BREAD Volunteers pick up day old bread each Monday and Wednesday from VG's. It is available on a first-come, first-served basis at the Loose Center from 8:30 - 10am.

FREE MAGAZINES Feel free to drop off current magazines in Annex. We have many of the latest popular magazine titles for you to enjoy. Please feel free to take them home.

COMPUTER & FREE WiFi We have secured wireless Internet and a computer available for member use. Stop by the office for information.

FREE LENDING LIBRARY The library is located in the Activity Center. Come and take a book home with you. Donated, gently-used books are always welcome; drop them off in Annex.

MEMBERSHIP Loose Senior Citizen Center is open to anyone 50 years of age and older. Anyone participating in Loose Center activities, programs or services is considered a member. *There is no annual membership fee for Genesee County residents.* Members living outside of Genesee County pay an annual fee of \$25.

A REMINDER TO OUR OUT-OF-COUNTY MEMBERS.

The annual membership fee of \$25 per person is due for 2015. If you have not paid your membership, please mail your payment or stop by the Loose Office to pay in person. Thank you!

THE LOOSE COMMUNITY ANGELS

The Community Angels are a group of Members from the Loose whose mission is to assist community organizations that are helping those in need. If you are interested in becoming a Loose Angel, call or stop by the Center and indicate your interest. Look for our Angels supporting community organizations/agencies with their charitable causes.

SCHOLARSHIPS are available to low-income seniors for assistance to participate in many Loose Center programs. You may qualify for transportation to Loose programs, educational classes or health and wellness programs. Income guidelines are available in the office.

UPS STORE DISCOUNT CARD

Receive 10% discount on UPS Shipping, Copies, Color Copies, Signs and Banners, Rubber Address Stamps and more. Stop by the Loose office for a discount card.

Visit Loose online at www.loosecenter.org

WE SAVE...

ALPINE will donate 1% of the total of any cash register receipts turned in to our office. Please remember to turn in the whole receipt. Partial receipts often have vital information torn or cut off, making them useless. Thank you!

SPARTAN STORES will donate \$20 for every 1,000 Spartan UPC labels. Drop them off at the Loose office.

VG'S donates a percentage from sales when using the 'YES' card during designated dates. Be sure to designate Loose as the recipient of the points from your VG's 'YES' card.

GREETING CARDS

If you have **new** greeting cards that you are not going to use, help us rebuild our selection and drop them off at the Loose Office. Our volunteer will recreate a sales area, and cards will be sold for .25 or 5/\$1.

RECYCLING Drop your newspapers, magazines, office paper, school paper, catalogs and junk mail in the green and yellow Abitibi bin in the parking lot.

CELL PHONES We are collecting used cell phones. Please drop them off at the Center in the drop box.

EYE GLASSES Deposit your used glasses in the Lions box, located in Annex.

FUNDING The Loose Center is funded in part by the Genesee County Senior Millage, the Southern Lakes Regional Metropolitan Parks and Recreation Millage, a Community Development Block Grant from the City of Fenton, the Harding Foundation and donations from individuals.

RUMMAGE SALE is scheduled for August 21 & 22. Donations will be collected beginning Wednesday, June 17 through August 13. We ask that you please drop off donations on Wednesdays and Thursdays only. Thank you!

PLEASE REMEMBER...We welcome you to call in your reservation for any of our activities, but until payment is received, we cannot guarantee your spot.

PLEASE HELP US KEEP OUR FILES UP-TO-DATE Stop by and get your picture taken, make sure we have updated contact information including cell phone # and emergency contact information.

"The mission of the Loose Senior Citizens Center, Inc. (the Corporation) is to provide and coordinate responsive programs and services which enhance the dignity, support the independence, and offer stimulating and meaningful opportunities for adults age 50 and older living in the Southern Lakes region."







Complete trip flyers and travel policies may be picked up in the Loose Senior Center.

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| June 1-2 | Mackinaw City & Mackinaw Island | \$189 |
| lune 16 | Caesars Windsor | \$18 |
| lune 18 | Flint Farmers Market | \$2 |
| June 18-22 | New York City | \$1034 |
| June 26 | Monroe County Country Adventure | \$79 |
| lune 29 | FireKeepers Casino | \$32 |
| July 6-7 | Quilt Gardens Tour | \$264 |
| July 15-16 | Kewadin | \$119 |
| June 18 | Flint Farmers Market | \$2 |
| July 7 | Johnny Cash Tribute | \$5 |
| July 14 | Persuasion - Motown Revue | \$5 |
| July 20 | Soaring Eagle Casino Sinatra Forever | \$32 |
| July 21 | Bob Seger Tribute | \$5 |
| July 23 | Lions, Tigers & Boats, Oh My! | \$81 |
| July 22-27 | Boston (Tiger Game Included) | \$1,204 |
| July 29 | Shania Twain Tribute | \$5 |
| August 4 | Gun Lake Casino | \$35 |
| August 4 | Magic Bus - Tribute to Woodstock | \$5 |
| August 6 | Detroit Tiger vs. Kansas City Royals | \$69 |
| August 11 | Jimmy Buffet Tribute | \$5 |
| August 12 | Bay City | \$78 |
| August 817 | Oregon Coast | \$3,299 |
| August 25 | Jackson Historic Prison Tour | \$102 |
| August 26-28 | Untouchable Chicago | \$424 |
| August 31 | Greektown Casino | \$28 |
| Sept. 6-7 | Mackinac Bridge Walk | \$180 |
| Sept. 8-17 | Shades of Ireland | \$3,699 |
| Sept. 9-11 | Lake Geneva, Wisconsin | \$569 |
| Sept. 15 | Applewood Tour | \$5 |
| Sept. 15-22 | National Parks | \$2899 |
| Sept. 17 | Viva Italiano | \$72 |
| Sept. 22 | King Tut Grand Rapid Public Museum | \$87 |
| Sept. 24 | FireKeepers Casino | \$32 |
| Oct. 10-17 | Vermont-New Hampshire | \$1,799 |
| Oct. 12-13 | Little River Casino | \$120 |
| Oct. 15 | Stratford Festival "Sound of Music" | \$145 |
| Oct. 28 | Caesar Windsor Casino | \$18 |
| Nov. 10-19 | Reflections of Italy | \$4,249 |
| Nov. 17 | Greektown Casino | \$28 |
| Nov. 28-Dec. 3 | Christmas Extravaganza | \$1,249 |
| December 7 | Soaring Eagle & Brenda Lee Show | \$32 |
| December 29 | California (ROSE BOWL PARADE) | \$2,579 |
| January 21 | Florida (14 days, 13 nights) | \$2,399 |
| February 18-25 | California (7 nights) | \$2,799 |
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Detailed flyers are available at the Loose Center.

Please note: A reservation is made only when a deposit has been received.



Thursday, June 18, 2015, \$2

Leave 10:30 am, Return 1 pm (limit 8)
We are partnering with Caretel Inns of
Linden and enjoying time at the Flint
Farmers Market. The

Market should be in BLOOM and filled with wonderful fresh morsels. Sign up and enjoy lunch and browsing in our beautiful market. Space is limited, call and sign up today.





Tuesday, September 15 \$5 (transportation) Leave Loose at 9:30 am return 12:30 pm

Applewood is the estate of the Charles Stewart Mott Family, built by Mr. Mott in 1916 in Flint. It is 34 acres of beauty and is now a part of the Ruth Mott Foundation.



The estate's beautifully landscaped 18 acres weave together the Mott family's past and present dedication to serving the needs of the community through convening and public programs. *The tour is free, however Applewood does encourage participates to donate to their favorite charity.* Limited to 10.



ART À LA CARTE FLINT INSTITUTE OF ART

A series of informative programs focusing on the arts will be offered free of charge on Wednesdays at 12:15 pm. Programs last approximately one hour. Visitors are encouraged to bring lunch. Coffee, tea and cookies are provided.



Leave Loose at 11:15 am. Cost: \$4.50 (transportation)

| June 3 | Velasquez: The Painter of Painters |
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June 10 Le Violon d'Ingres
June 17 The Power of Art: David

June 24 Degas and the Dance: The Man Behind the Easel





In order to secure a spot all travel reservations must be accompanied with a payment.

Monroe County County Adventure June 26 \$79 Returns 5:30 pm

INCLUDES: Round Trip Motorcoach Transportation, Learn the rich history of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Motherhouse, Lunch at Dolce Vita Restaurant (voted #1 in fine dining), Ice cream & shopping at the General store at Calder Dairy Farm & a guided tour of the Four Star Greenhouse gardens. Sign up & ENJOY the rich history right here in Michigan.

Quilt Gardens Tour - July 6- 7, \$264 double



INCLUDES: Round Trip Motorcoach Transportation, 1 night lodging, Breakfast, Thrasher dinner, Haystack lunch at Amish Home, Quilt Garden Tour, Shopping in Shipshewana.



Tour Includes Transportation *PLUS* Four nights lodging, four breakfasts, two dinners, **Tigers vs. Yankees at Yankee Stadium,** Grand Central Station, 9/11 Memorial & Museum, Ellen's Stardust Diner, Empire State Building, Time Square, Double Decker Bus Tour, John's Pizzeria, Shopping



Thursday, October 15, 2015Departs: 6:15 am - Returns 10 pm

Pick up at Kmart, Silver Pkwy,

Required (one of the following)

Valid Passport, Passport Card, Enhanced Drivers License or Certificate of Naturalization

CALL LOOSE FOR DETAILS!



Stratford FESTIVAL

> \$145.00 Includes Transportation, Queen's Inn Buffet Lunch, Shopping, Festival Theater, Sound of Music, staring

July 22 - 27, \$1,204 (double)

Tour Includes Transportation *PLUS* Four five lodging, five breakfasts, three dinners, \$15 dinner voucher. **Tigers vs. Boston Red Sox @ Fenway Park**, Boston Duck Tour, New England Aquarium, Dinner at Cheers, National Baseball Hall of Fame & Museum, Skywalk Observatory, Tour of USS Constitution & Museum, Turning Stone Casino Resort.



Tour Includes Transportation (air and motorcoach) PLUS nine nights lodging (2 nights San Francisco) 7 breakfast, 1 lunch, 5 dinners, Sightseeing Tour of Seattle, Seattle's Pike Place Market, Mount St. Helen's Visitor Center, Timberline Lodge Tour & Chairlift, Bonneville Dam and Lock, Whale Watch Cruise, Oregan Sand Dunes Buggy Tour, Heceta Head Lighthouse, Jet Boat Ride Through Hellgate Canyon, Redwood National Park, Trees of Mystery Gondola Ride, "Avenue of the Giants", Drive Though Sonoma Valley Wine Country, Leisure Day in San Francisco, Luggage Handling, Tax & Tip on included meals.



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