

Senior Center Action News



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Senior Citizens Center of Dunkirk, Inc.
45 Cliffstar Court
Dunkirk, New York 14048

February 2014



DUNKIRK SENIOR CENTER
45 CLIFFSTAR COURT
DUNKIRK, NEW YORK 14048
(716) 366-7530

The Coordinator's Message

We are beginning this month with announcements pertaining to some different programs suggested by our members. We will try out these suggestions and see where we go depending on the members participation and help.

A Rummage-Craft-Bake Sale is set for Saturday, February 15 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Tables are still available for \$15.00 each. We've had a nice response and will have a mixed offering.

Big Bingo sessions are scheduled for Wednesdays, February 19, March 12 and April 9. A complimentary meal will be served at 4:30 and bingo will begin promptly at 5:00 p.m.

We have scheduled two potluck dinners. The first will be held on Monday, March 17 at 5:00 p.m. The second will be held on Wednesday, April 30 at 5:00 p.m. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass (enough to serve 15-20 people) and \$2.00. The Center will provide tableware, meat, and beverages. These events will be limited to 60 members each. Sign up for both dinners will begin on Sunday, February 9.

Our next trip will be held Monday, February 17. We will travel to Allegany Casino. This trip is "sold out" and has a waiting list. In March we hope to contract with a smaller bus that will take 20 members to the McKinley Mall and lunch. We will pass on the information as we receive it. We may also change our Easter trip. We will plan on going to the newly renovated Batavia Downs for a little play in the morning followed by lunch, and then a stop at the Market Place Plaza in West Seneca.

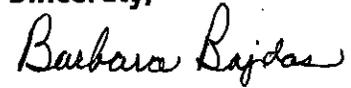
On May 7th the Allegany Casino will be hosting "The Osmonds". We are not sure how many of the original performers will be there but we are sure the show will be of the same quality as Sha-Na-Na. The cost of this trip is \$45.00 which includes \$20.00 free slot play, \$10.00 in food and the show ticket. Sign up for this event will be Monday, February 24.

We will be traveling to Atlantic City on August 24 and returning August 27. After negotiating with several casinos it is evident that "The Resorts" will give us the most for our money. The price is \$430.00 per person based on double occupancy. The price includes \$35.00 free slot bonus, 3 buffet dinners, and one show. Reservations can be made beginning January 21, 2014. A \$50.00 non refundable deposit is expected at the time of reservation. Monthly payments are due in May, June, July.

On many occasions we have asked members to serve on the Board of Directors as outlined in our by-laws. We will have several openings in May. If you are interested, please submit your intention in writing to Barbara or Carol by February 15, 2014.

Newsletters can still be picked up during regular office hours. We hope to see you at the Center. Happy Valentine's Day.

Sincerely,



Barbara Bajdas



Carol Kozlowski

Co-Coordinator

Dunkirk Senior Center



FEBRUARY 2014



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 	3 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 9-4 Income Tax Appts. in Library 10:00 Coffee Hour 1:00 Pinochle	4 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine 12:00 Mah Jongg	5 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 10:00 Coffee Hour 1:00 Lake Shore Sr. Mtg.	6 9:00 Dk. Senior Board Mtg. 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine	7 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany	8 Gala Prep
9 Sunday Gala	10 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 9-4 Income Tax Appts. in Library 10:00 Coffee Hour 1:00 Pinochle	11 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine 12:00 Mah Jongg	12 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 10:00 Coffee Hour 1:00 Lake Shore Sr. Mtg.	13 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine	14 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 	15 9:00—3:00 Rummage Sale and Bake Sale
16	17 Center Closed 10:00 Seneca Allegany Casino Trip  President's Day	18 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine 12:00 Mah Jongg	19 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 10:00 Coffee Hour 4:00 BIG Bingo	20 9:30 Aerobics w/Catherine	21 9:00 Exercise w/Tiffany 11:00 In Service Meeting Foster Grandparents	22
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INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION DAY



Gala Sunday

Sunday, February 9, 2014

Lunch served at 12:15 p.m.

Menu Featuring:

SOLD OUT
Chef
Ho...erves...Punch...Bingo...Cards...Prizes

Doors open at 11:00 a.m.

Cost: \$5.00 per member

Sign-up will begin Sunday, January 12, 2014

Dunkirk Senior Center

45 Cliffstar Court

Dunkirk, New York 14048

(716) 366-7530

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. weekdays

First 100 Reservations Accepted

No Refunds

Menu Subject to Change



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NOTICE

**Effective February 10, 2014, the Co-Coordinator
of the Dunkirk Senior Citizens Inc. have decided
to temporarily discontinue the Sunday Galas.**

**This decision was made because of the time it
requires and the physical capabilities that our
volunteers are faced with. Please be assured
that we are continually seeking other avenues of
socialization such as Potluck Dinners.**

**We would like to express our appreciation and
thanks to our current volunteers for all of their
past service.**

Sincerely,

Barbara Bajdas

Barbara Bajdas, Co-Coordinator

Carol Kozlowski

Carol Kozlowski, Co-Coordinator

Dunkirk Senior Citizen Craft - Rummage - Bake Sale

to be held at

The Dunkirk Senior Center
45 Cliffstar Court
Dunkirk, New York

on

Saturday, February 15, 2014

From 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Fresh Baked Goods

Paparazzi Jewelry

Glassware

Something for all Ages

Variety Rummage

CD's

Cookbooks

Knit & Crochet

Homemade Pierogi

Theme Baskets

Scentsy Candles

Prayer Shawls

Dunkirk Board of Directors
Sponsored Bus Trip to:

SENECA ALLEGANY CASINO

Monday, February 17, 2014

Cost: \$25.00 per member

Departure Time: 10:00 a.m.

Return Time: Arrive Dunkirk 4:30 p.m.

SOLD OUT

Trip to include:

Bus Transportation & Tip

\$35.00 Free Slot Play

2 - \$5.00 Cash Prizes

Goodie Bags - Prizes - Games - Fun

Registration for trip will begin Monday, January 13, 2014

The Dunkirk Senior Center

45 Cliffstar Court - Dunkirk, NY

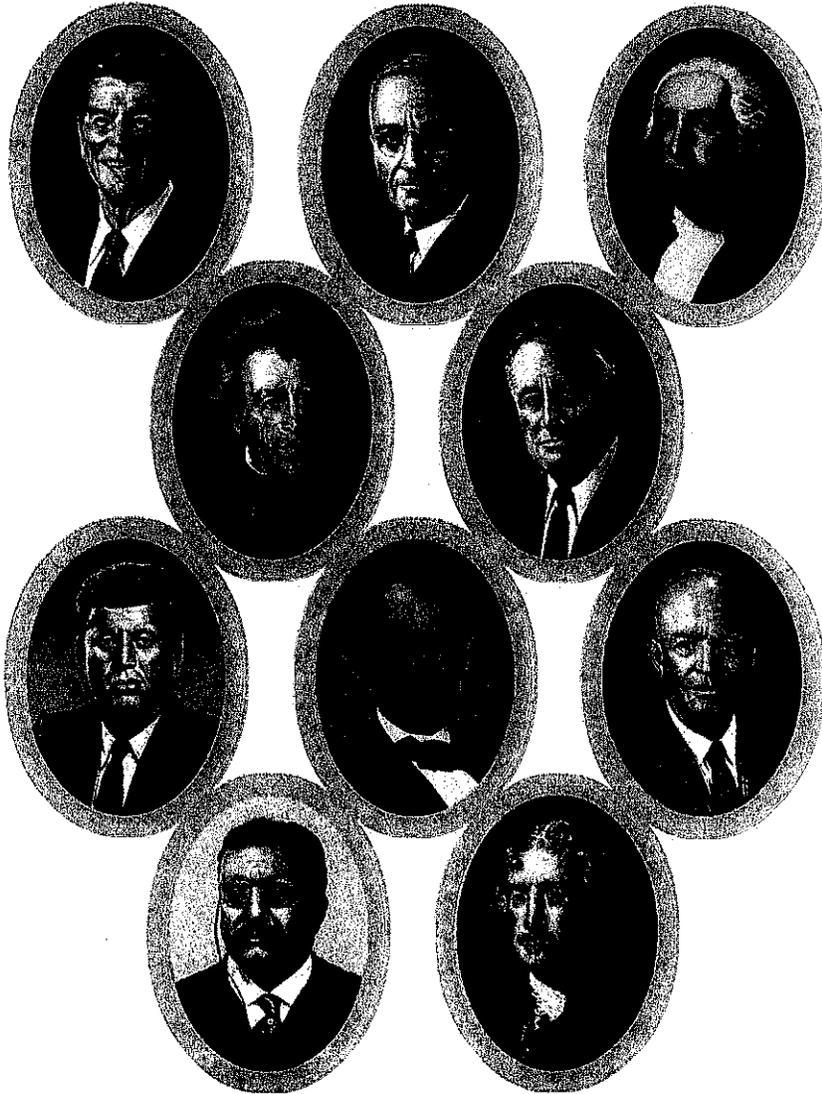
9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon weekdays

You may sign up yourself and one (1) member

First Come - First Served
No Refunds

President's Day

February 17th



How Well Do You Know Your Presidents?

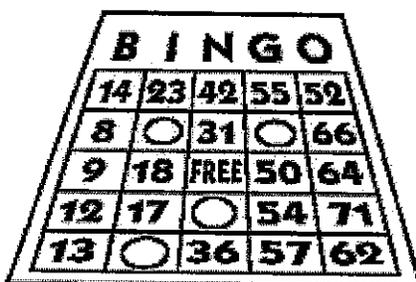


George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, John F. Kennedy, Abraham Lincoln,
Harry Truman, Theodore Roosevelt, Andrew Jackson, Ronald Reagan, Franklin D.
Roosevelt, Dwight D. Eisenhower (Find each President by drawing a line to the name)

**THE DUNKIRK SENIOR CITIZEN'S
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
ARE SPONSORING**

“BIG BINGO”

**Wednesday, February 19th
Wednesday, March 12th
Wednesday, April 9th**



**Dunkirk Senior Citizen's Center
45 Cliffstar Court
Dunkirk, NY
366-7530**

**Doors open at 4:00 p.m.
Complimentary lunch, snacks & beverage at 4:30 p.m.
Bingo will be played at 5:00 p.m.**

**Come down and enjoy an afternoon of fun
and please bring a friend.**

Bingo boards must be purchased at the door

Please bring your own daubers if you have them!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!



February Birthdays



Audrey Begier	(February 2)	Janet Nevinger	(February 12)
Skeeter Tower	(February 2)	Joyce Blodgett	(February 13)
Lisa Jaeckle	(February 3)	Virginia Kelley	(February 14)
Patricia Sievert	(February 3)	Patricia Pleszewski	(February 14)
Joseph Tobiczuk	(February 3)	Dolores Griewisch	(February 16)
Gregory Adamczak	(February 6)	Mary Jochym	(February 16)
Arlene Buckley	(February 6)	Anita Brown	(February 17)
Phyllis Fellingner	(February 6)	Evelyn Hadley	(February 17)
Ruth Karin	(February 7)	Patricia Sysol	(February 17)
Cherrie Torres	(February 9)	Thomas Dascenzo	(February 18)
Irene Christopher	(February 10)	Ruby Lampert	(February 18)
Marguerite Fancher	(February 10)	Kevin Ahlstrom	(February 19)
Mark Woods	(February 10)	Darleen Michalak	(February 19)
Nancy Jager	(February 11)	Linda Wingfield	(February 22)
Jean Morse	(February 11)	Becky Dix	(February 23)
Val Pietrkiewicz	(February 11)	Ronnie Ginley	(February 24)
Ruth Bolles	(February 12)	Laural Kszos	(February 26)
Kathy Falco	(February 12)	Nancy Rozen	(February 28)
Janet Kyte	(February 12)		

Note: If we missed your birthday, please let us know. Thanks!



IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Dunkirk Senior Center.....	366-7530
Dunkirk Luncheon Site.....	363-3844
Chautauqua County Office for the Aging.....	363-4471
Dr. Mary Ann Spanos	
Chautauqua County OFA Senior Services.....	363-3865
Kate Finch	
Chautauqua County Veterans Services.....	363-3842
Jim Hurley	
CARTS.....	366-4500
Newsletter Coordinator.....	366-9885
Patricia Pleszewski	

Do you enjoy playing pinochle?? If you do, why don't you join the Dunkirk Senior Pinochle group that meets on Mondays at the Dunkirk Senior Center, at 1:00 p.m. They have a great time and it is not expensive. Just 25¢ a week and that is all returned to you in the form of table prizes. There is a prize for the monthly high score. So think about it and come down and join the fun. The following is the latest weekly winners.

High Score for the month of December: Marion Genovese 6070

December 23, 2013

Jack Hood 5420
 Dolores Griewisch 5160
 Ray Dudek 5080
 Betty Korzeniewski 4910
 Double Pinochle: Emily Wilcox

December 30, 2013

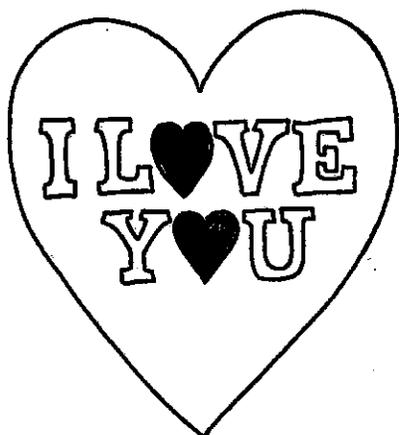
Nancy Crandall 5480
 Betsy Standera 5420
 Ed Long 4940
 Paul Luczkowiak 4880
 Double Pinochle: Nancy Crandall

January 13, 2014

Josie Wierczynski 5850 (tie)
 Paul Soper 5850 (tie)
 Joni Bennett 5550
 Sara Azeez 5450
 Dolores Griewisch 5380
 Barb Szocki 5320
 Double Pinochle: Jug Jensen

January 20, 2014

**NO PINOCHLE
 CENTER CLOSED**
 Martin Luther King Day



Pinochle Players Quote:

"Life is like a hand of cards. You have to play the hand you're dealt, you can't win by folding, and sometimes you must take chances in order to win."

Author Unknown

ATTENTION MEMBERS !!

The Dunkirk Senior Citizens Center
Board of Directors Are Sponsoring



St. Patrick's Day Potluck Dinner

Monday, March 17, 2014
5:00 p.m.



Bring a dish to pass (enough to serve 15-20 people) and \$2.00.
The Center will provide tableware, meat, and beverages.

We will have a 50-50 drawing and a special prize drawing. This event will be limited to the first 60 members.

Suggested Items to Bring:

Appetizers	Casseroles	Salads	Desserts
Potatoes	Stuffing	Fruit	Soup

Sign-up will begin Sunday, February 9, 2014
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Spring Potluck Dinner

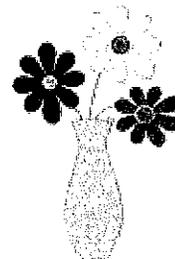
Wednesday, April 30, 2014
5:00 p.m.

Bring a dish to pass (enough to serve 15-20 people) and \$2.00.
The Center will provide tableware, meat, and beverages.

We will have a 50-50 drawing and a special prize drawing. This event will be limited to the first 60 members.

Suggested Items to Bring:

Appetizers	Casseroles	Salads	Desserts
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**A Senior Moment
Is just a
Wrinkle
in Time**

You MIGHT BE OLD IF . . .

Everything hurts, and what doesn't hurt, doesn't work anyway.

The gleam in your eyes is from the sun hitting your bifocals.

You feel like you really hung one on the night before, and you were in bed asleep by eight.

You get winded playing chess.

You join a health club and don't go.

You begin to outlive enthusiasm.

Your mind makes contracts your body can't meet.

You know all the answers, but nobody asks the questions.

You look forward to a dull evening.

Your favorite part of the newspaper is "25 years ago today"!

You sit in a rocking chair and can't get it going.

Your knees buckle and your belt won't.

You're 17 around the neck and 42 around the waist.

You are startled the first time you are addressed as "Old Timer".

You burn your midnight oil after 9:00 p.m.





"THE OSMONDS"

WEDNESDAY - MAY 7, 2014

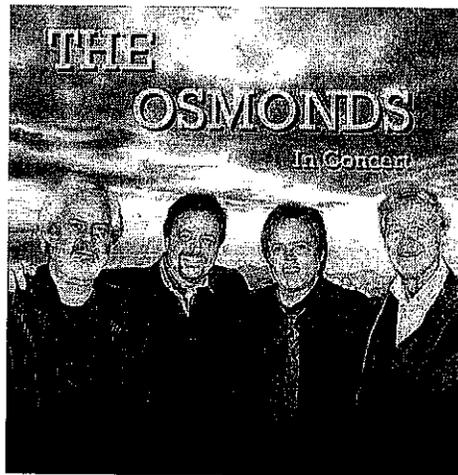
THE OSMONDS *** ARE AN AMERICAN FAMILY MUSIC GROUP WITH A LONG AND VARIED CAREER—A CAREER THAT TOOK THEM FROM SINGING BARBERSHOP MUSIC AS CHILDREN, TO ACHIEVING SUCCESS AS TEEN IDOLS, TO PRODUCING A HIT TELEVISION SHOW AND TO CONTINUED SUCCESS AS SOLO AND GROUP PERFORMERS

- Departs at 10:30 from Dunkirk Senior Center
- Arrive at the Casino at 11:30am
- Take your seats for a 1:30 Performance of the Osmonds
- Don't forget to enjoy your \$20 in Slot Dollars and \$10 Food Voucher!
- Departs at 5:30pm

\$45 Per Person

+

**(Receive \$20 In Slot Play
& A \$10 Food Voucher)**



(Photo ID Required)

For Further Information

Call

366-7530

Barb



Sign-up Starting Monday, February 24th

NO REFUNDS

The Dunkirk Senior Citizen's Board of Directors
Are Sponsoring a

THIRD ANNUAL TRIP TO
ATLANTIC CITY
RESORTS HOTEL & CASINO
August 24 - 27, 2014

TRIP WILL INCLUDE

Transportation and Baggage Handling
Room Accommodations
Bus Driver Gratuity
\$35.00 Slot Dollars
3 Buffet Dinners

4 - \$10.00 Cash Drawings
Prizes and Snacks
Movies and Prize Drawings
3 Scheduled Stops Each Way
1 Revue Show (as available)

COST: \$430.00 per person for a double or triple occupancy - \$730.00 for a single occupancy.

DEPARTURE FROM SENIOR CENTER ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 24 - 7:00 A.M.
HOTEL CHECK OUT & DEPARTURE ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27 - 9:00 A.M.

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

Registration limited to members only. Registration on a first come first served basis. Sign up begins on Tuesday, January 21, 2014

\$50.00 Non-refundable deposit due time of sign up.

\$130.00.....Due by Monday, April 14, 2014

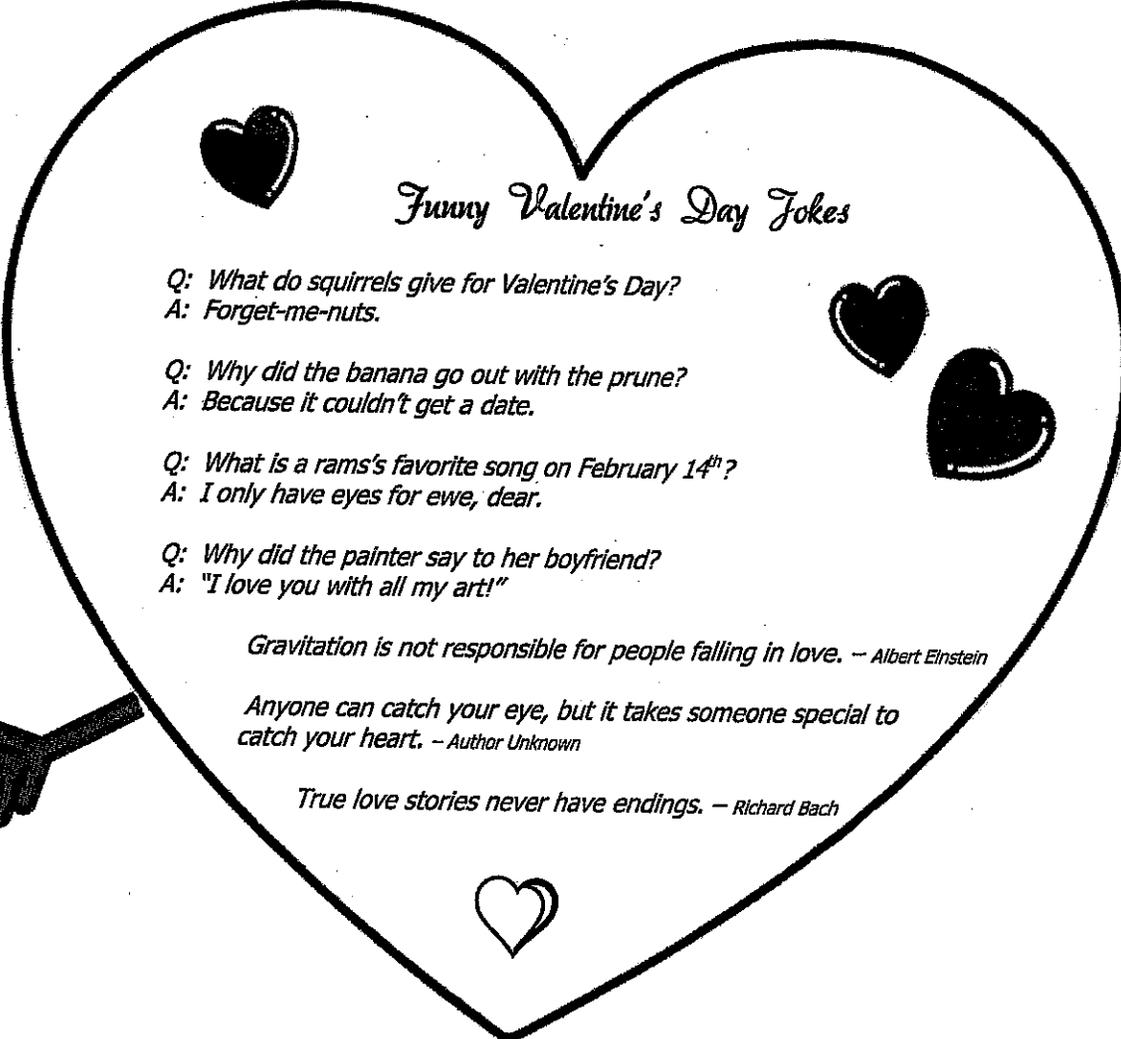
\$28.00 Optional trip insurance due on April 14, 2014.

\$130.00.....Due by Monday, May 12, 2014

\$120.00.....Due by Friday, June 13, 2014

PAYMENT IN FULL IS ACCEPTED AT ANYTIME!

You may bring 1 regular size suitcase and 1 carry on. Should you have any questions, call the Dunkirk Senior Center at 366-7530.



Funny Valentine's Day Jokes

Q: What do squirrels give for Valentine's Day?
A: Forget-me-nuts.

Q: Why did the banana go out with the prune?
A: Because it couldn't get a date.

Q: What is a ram's favorite song on February 14th?
A: I only have eyes for ewe, dear.

Q: Why did the painter say to her boyfriend?
A: "I love you with all my art!"

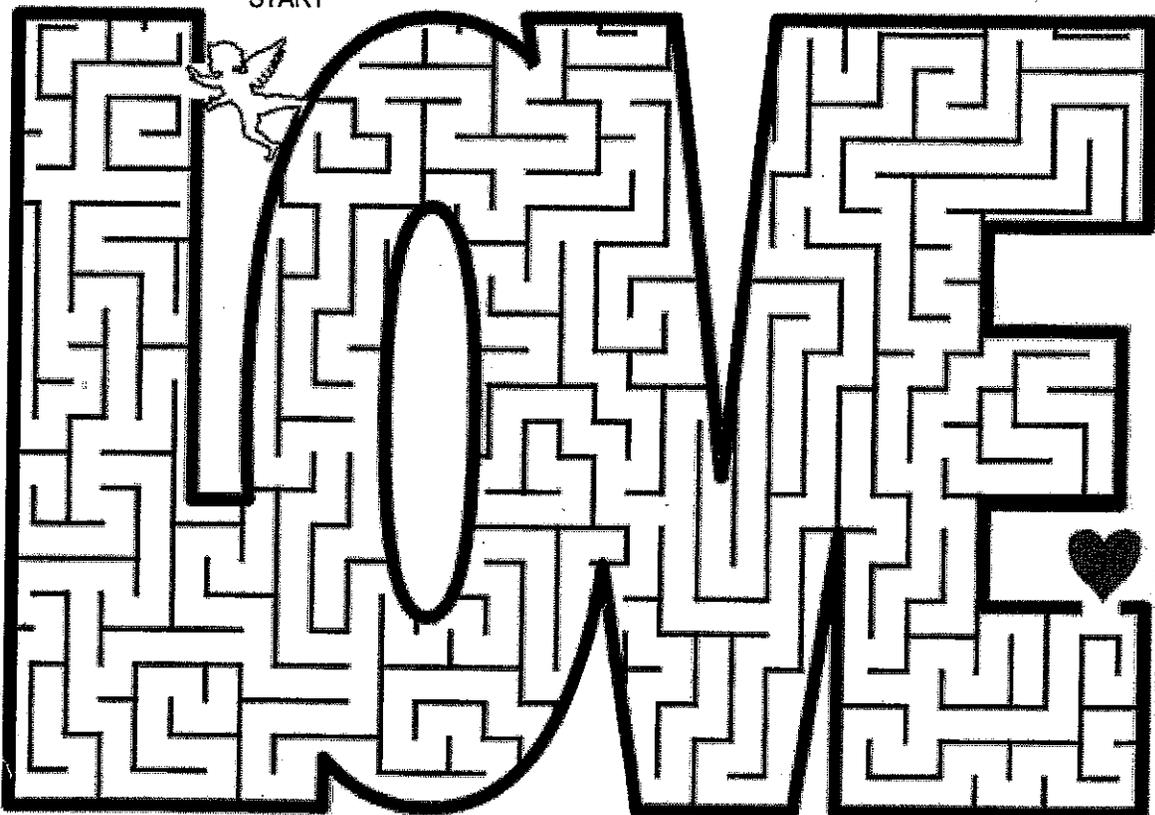
Gravitation is not responsible for people falling in love. — Albert Einstein

Anyone can catch your eye, but it takes someone special to catch your heart. — Author Unknown

True love stories never have endings. — Richard Bach

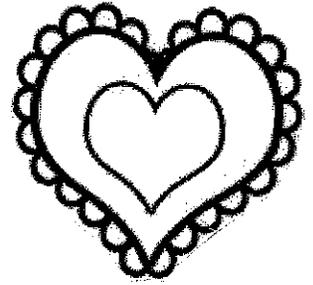


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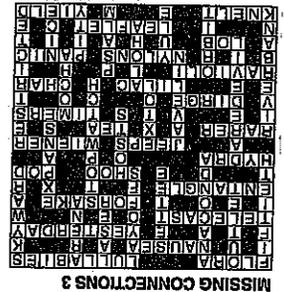
FINISH

Valentine's Day Word Search Puzzle



I L P D C D Y U E D T K J S Y
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 J I Z G X Z R V D T S C J P D
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 L Y I J W O B H U G S E S O R

- Arrow
- Bow
- Cards
- Chocolate
- Cupid
- Dances
- Dinner
- Family
- February
- Flowers
- Friendship
- Fun
- Gifts
- Hearts
- Hugs
- Kisses
- Love
- Rings
- Roses
- Teddies
- Valentines



Missing Connections 3

Using only the letter given below, fill in the diagram to complete words that read across and down.

L	R				U	L	B	I	E		
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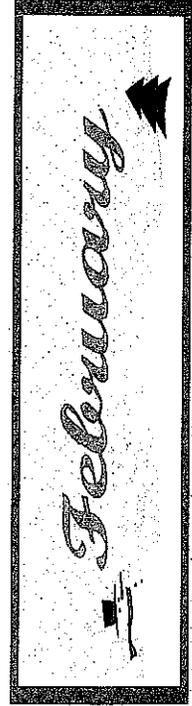
CALL 363-3844
 FOR RESERVATIONS
 LUNCH SERVED AT 11:30 A.M.

CHAUTAQUA COUNTY OFFICE FOR THE AGING
 SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAM

HOT
FEBRUARY 2014 - Hot Noon Menu

1/2 pint 1% Milk served with each meal / Meals subject to change

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Chicken Noodle Casserole Apple Slices Mixed Vegetables Bread (Margarine)		5 Hawaiian Chicken Buttered Rice Oriental Vegetable Muffin Gelatin		7 Meatloaf w/ Gravy Mashed Potatoes Zucchini w/ Stewed Tomatoes Bread, Fruit Chocolate Milk / M: White (Margarine)
10 Baked Ham Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans, Bread Cake/M: No Icing (Margarine)		12 Stuffed Chicken Breast w/gravy Mashed Potato Spinach, Bread Brownie/M: Graham Square (Margarine)		14 Polish Sausage w/ Sauerkraut Mashed Potatoes Mixed Vegetables, Bread Baker's Choice Dessert (Margarine)
OFA SITES CLOSED 17 Chicken Ala King Corn Biscuit, Juice 24-Hour Dessert (Margarine)		19 Turkey w/ Gravy Stuffing Winter Squash Juice, Cranberry Sauce Apple Pie/M: Fruit		21 Salisbury Steak w/Gravy Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Bread, Cookie (Margarine)
24 Goulash Carrots Biscuit Applesauce (Margarine)		26 Spaghetti & Meatballs Italian Vegetables Bread, Toss Salad Pudding /M: Diet (Margarine, Dressing & Parmesan Cheese)		28 Pork Roast w/ Gravy Mashed Potatoes Red Cabbage Bread, Applesauce (Margarine)



COLD**FEBRUARY 2014 - Alternate COLD Noon Menu**CHAUTAQUA COUNTY OFFICE FOR THE AGING
SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAMCALL 363-3844
FOR RESERVATIONS
LUNCH SERVED AT 11:30 A.M.

1/2 pint 1% Milk served with each meal / Meals subject to change

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Egg Salad Sandwich Mixed Vegetable Salad Juice Cake /M: no icing		5 Bologna & Cheese Sandwich Potato Salad Fruit, Gelatin (Mustard)		7 Seafood Salad on Croissant Coleslaw Fruit Chocolate Milk/M: White
10 Roast Beef Sandwich Marinated Vegetables Fruit Cake /M: no icing (Horseradish Sauce)		12 Tuna Salad Sandwich 3-Bean Salad Fruit Brownie/M: Graham Square		14 Cold Meatloaf Sandwich Fruit, Pasta Veg. Salad Baker's Choice Dessert (Ketchup)
OFA SITES CLOSED				
17 Seafood Salad Croissant Coleslaw Fruit Dessert		19 Egg Salad Sandwich Pickled Beets Juice Pie /M: Fruit		21 Sliced Ham Sandwich Carrot Raisin Salad Fruit Cookie/M: Diet (Mustard)
24 Salami & Cheese Sandwich Potato Salad Applesauce Gelatin (Mustard)		26 Chicken Salad Sandwich Tossed Salad Fruit Pudding/M: Diet (Dressing)		28 Cold Meatloaf Sandwich Tomato Juice Applesauce Baker's Choice (Ketchup)

