

City of Fairhope Adult Recreation Center

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Fairhope Celebrates Arbor Day

Want to plant a Pinus palustris in your yard? At Fairhope's Arbor Day celebration, Saturday, **February 27**, there will be plenty of those trees (otherwise known as longleaf pine) and others in the annual tree seedling giveaway. The day's activities start at 10 a.m. and takes place

Phone Numbers

[City of Fairhope](#)

928-2136

James P. Nix Center

928-2835

Police Department

928-2385

Public Works/Utilities

928-8003

Recreation/Pool

990-0175

Quail Creek Golf Course

990-0240

Baldwin County
Courthouse/BRATS

928-3002

To report Medicare Fraud

1-800-AGELINE

Sponsors

Phone Numbers

[Aseracare Hospice](#)

943-6094

[Atlantes Financial
Advisors Corp.](#)

928-1616

[Southern Eye Network](#)

990-3937

[Covenant Hospice](#)

626-5255

outdoors on the Faulkner Campus in downtown, weather permitting. City representatives will recognize the winners of the fifth grade Arbor Day Poster Contest and those individuals and local businesses being honored for their environmental stewardship and landscape beautification efforts.

More than 1,000 trees seedlings will be given away

beginning at approximately 10:30 and continuing until supplies run out. Trees that are part of the giveaway this year include longleaf pine, shumard oak, bald cypress, Western mayhaw, blackgum, sassafras, Southern magnolia, and fringetree. Participants will also have a chance to talk with experienced arborists who can answer questions about planting, growing, and maintaining trees.

For more information on the Arbor Day festivities or to participate as a vendor, call 251-929-1466.

AARP Tax Assistance

Free tax assistance with AARP will start Monday, February 1 and run through Friday, April 15, 2016.

Tax assistance will be held at the Nix Center on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 8 a.m. until 11:30

Assistance is available on a first come, first served basis.

Please bring all important documents.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

February 1-POTLUCK LUNCH: noon

Join us for our monthly Potluck luncheon.

[Hartmann, Blackmon & Kilgore](#)
928-2443

[Homestead Village](#)
929-0250

[Gentiva](#)
621-0882

[PNC Bank](#)
928-8838

[Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home](#)
928-9555

[Country Place Living](#)
929-3627

[The Brennity](#)
928-5555/626-9000

[The Gardens of Daphne](#)
625-0802

[The Blake at Malbis](#)
625-6400

NIX CENTER BALLROOM DANCE

Dances are held the 2nd & 4th Thursday of every month at the Nix Center from

7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Costs: \$5.00 **Members**

\$9.00 **Guests**

February 11

Band:

Exit 105

Theme: Valentine's Day

Main entrée will be **country fried steak**.

Cost is \$1. Please bring a dish that serves at least 8 people.

Sponsored By: **Synergy Home Care**

February 3- BIRTHDAY BASH; 10:30 a.m.

Celebrate your Birthday with the Nix Center.

Enjoy Birthday Cake, Ice Cream, Games and

Prizes!! Bring a friend to celebrate with you!

Sponsored by: Atlantes Financial Advisors,

Southern Eye Network

& Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

February 9- COFFEE WITH A COP; 9 a.m.

Enjoy coffee and donuts with Chief Joe Petties as he discusses local scams and fraud you need to be aware of. Open to the public.

February 10- TO YOUR HEALTH; 10 a.m.

Topic: Glaucoma

Presented By: Dr. Amy Christmas

Sponsored By: **Southern Eye Network**

February 11- TEA TIME; 2 p.m.

Topic: What's Happening at the Fairhope Airport

Speaker: Pam Caudill, Fairhope Airport Authority

Sponsored By:

Covenant Hospice

February 18- ICE CREAM SOCIAL; 2 p.m.

Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by:

The Gardens of Daphne & PNC Bank

Sponsor: Your Choice Senior Care

February 25

Band: Charlie Freeman

Split the pot drawing held at every dance!

Thanks to our dance helpers Betty Deese, Marie

Weatherly, Bonnie

Matchey, Jerry Bergman,

Fran Hocquard &

Louise Eckman.

ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN

February 13

Champagne and Chocolate

7 p.m., Fairhope Public Library

Tickets are \$30

Sponsored by :

Friends of the Fairhope Public Library

For information, call 928-7483.

February 27

Ecumenical Miniseries

February 19 - FINANCIAL FRIDAY; 10 a.m.

Topic: Behavioral Financing

Speaker: David Chielli, Financial Advisor with **Merrill Lynch**

February 24 - BINGO; 1 p.m.

Play 10 games of Bingo at the Nix Center!! Cost is \$1 for 3 cards. Refreshments served and prizes after each game!

Sponsored By: **Gentiva Home Care**

February 26 - FINANCIAL FRIDAY; 10 a.m.

Topic: Market Conditions

Speaker: Chase Smith, **Edward Jones Financial**

DAILY DONATIONS

Just a reminder to please donate to our refreshments fund when you are enjoying the coffee, cookies and many other refreshments we serve around the center. These donations are what we use to purchase the snacks and coffee you are served at the center everyday. Thank you for your ongoing support of the Nix Center and our programs.

Lunch & Learn

The Nix Center and **Country Place Senior Living** will host a "Lunch & Learn", featuring a different speaker or demonstration each time. Lunch will be \$2 per person and will include your main entrée, drink and dessert. Attendees must sign up in advance and pay at the door. This month's Lunch & Learn will be on **Wednesday, February 17 at 11:00 a.m.** Lunch diners will learn about The Veteran's Benefit Project with Andrew McNair. You may "brown bag" your lunch and receive a drink and dessert for no additional charge.

Chili for Charity

11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Oak Hollow Farm

Admission is \$30 and includes a

handmade bowl or \$10 admission for adults and \$5 for children.

For information, call 251-928-3430.

JAMES P. NIX SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

Location

One Bayou Drive
Fairhope, Alabama 36532
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Fax(251)990-0207

Hours

8:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m.
Monday-Friday

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cofairhope.com

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[sarah.smith@](mailto:sarah.smith@cofairhope.com)
cofairhope.com

Website

www.cofairhope.com

Personnel

**Director Community
Affairs & Recreation,
Sherry Sullivan**

**Facility Manager,
Sarah Smith**

Danon Atkinson
Karen Beauchamp
Peggy Hall
Josh Graham
Marguerite Peterson

Please register in advance with the Nix Center front desk.

Nix Center to Host Volunteer Fair

The Nix Center will host a Volunteer Fair on **Monday, February 15 from 1 - 3 p.m.** With the New Year upon us, now is the perfect time to get involved and give back to your community. Local groups are looking for all types of volunteers with many different talents to offer. Local organizations who are in need of volunteers will have booths setup with information about their group and what kind of volunteer they are looking for. You can sign up to volunteer at the fair or take home information to make sure you find the right fit. The Volunteer Fair is open to the public and admittance is free of charge.

Community Blood Drive

The City of Fairhope will host a Community Blood Drive on Friday, **February 13th** from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Public Utilities Warehouse located at 555 South Section Street.

The blood drive is sponsored by Life South Community Blood Services, who are in need of all blood types. Please plan to attend and give the gift of life to those in our community.

Valentine Art Program

The Nix Center will offer a Valentine craft class on Tuesday, February 9 at 10 a.m. The Class is free and available to Nix Center members. Please sign up in advance with the Nix Center front desk.

Sponsored by The Blake at Malbis

Theatre 98 to Present

Mona Schoenrock
Paige Crawford

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Plaza Suite

Theatre 98 will present "Plaza Suite" by Neil Simon and directed by Brenda Hedstrom, Heather Delker, and Robin Ann Page. Each of the three self-contained acts is set in the same suite of the Plaza Hotel in New York, but on different days with different guests-who have very different dilemmas. There will be three directors, one for each act making their Theatre 98 directorial debuts.

Performances are February 19-21, 26-28, and March 4-6. All evening show times are 8 p.m. and Sunday matinees are at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$12 dollars for students. Adult season tickets are \$60.

For more information visit www.theatre98.org or call the box office at 251-928-4366. Theatre 98 is located on the corner of Morphy Avenue and Church Street in Fairhope.

Free Dress Rehearsal on Thursday, February 18 at 8 p.m.

Go To The Movies With The Nix Center

On the third Tuesday (**February 16**) of each month members ride the Nix Center bus to the movie theater in Daphne.

Space is limited to the first 11 people who register. Movie to be announced. Time to be announced closer to movie date. Check with Nix Center personnel for possible changes. Participants are responsible for admission fee to movie and refreshments.

Only pre-registered participants will be guaranteed a seat on the bus.

Coffee & Conversation

Looking for a new group to join? Join us for coffee and conversation every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. No reservation is required!

Dementia Support Group

Magnolia Springs Wesleyan Church
12233 Magnolia Springs Highway, Magnolia Springs

Thursday, February 18

Meets every third Thursday of the month

2:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.

For more information, call 251-599-2856

or 251-752-1937.

State of the City Address

Fairhope's State of the City address will be held on Sunday,
February 22 at 2 p.m. at the Fairhope Civic Center.

Mayor Tim Kant will give an overview of the City, upcoming plans and review the finances for the past year.

For more information, call 251-990-0100.

Membership Information

Have you moved lately?
Have a new telephone number?
Started using E-mail?
Stop by the Nix Center front desk to update your
membership information with Sarah Smith.

JAMES P. NIX CENTER DAILY ACTIVITIES FOR FEBRUARY

MONDAY

8:00-4:00 Pool for men & women

9:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni

12:00 **POTLUCK LUNCH (**

February 1)

Main Entree: Country Fried Steak

Sponsor: **Synergy Home Care**

12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club

\$2.00 per game. For more information, call Art

Meyers at 626-5109.

www.eastenshorebridgeclub.com

1:00-4:00 Open Cards, Mahjong, Canasta

1:30-4:00 Hand, Foot & Knee

TUESDAY

8:00-9:00 Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class

8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women

8:00 **Nix Center Golf Mixed Scramble at Quail Creek**
Reservations required, fee to play is required.

If you would like to play, call Bob Mull at 990-9958.

9:00 **COFFEE WITH A COP (February 9)**

9:00 FREE Blood Pressure Screening with

Aseracare Hospice (February 16)

9:00-10:00 Low Impact Aerobic Class

9:00-12:00 Jam N' Folks Music Group

11:00 **TUESDAY MOVIE (February 16)**

Ride the Nix Center bus to the movie theatre in Daphne.

Space is limited to 11 people. Participants are responsible for admission fee to movie and refreshments. Pre-registration is required.

12:30-4:00 Open Cards, Hand & Foot, Party Bridge, Scrabble, Cribbage, etc.

(Must bring your own foursome)

12:30 299 Duplicate Bridge

For more information, contact Janet Anderson at 251-990-5114.

WEDNESDAY

8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women

9:00-10:00 **LINE DANCING** with Donna! No Reservation required; \$5 fee is required. For questions, call Donna Snedecker at 251-989-2570

9:30-11:30 **"Arts & Crafts & Chat"**

Bring your own craft or hobby and socialize while you do your own project. You do not have to bring a project- just come & chat!

10:00 **TO YOUR HEALTH (February 10)**

Topic: Glaucoma

Speaker: Dr. Amy Christmas, Southern Eye Network

10:30 **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY BASH (February 3)**

Sponsored by **Atlantes Financial Advisors, Eye Network & Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home.**

10:45 **LUNCH TRIP ON THE BUS (February 10)**

Ride the Nix Center bus to Lunch on the Eastern Shore!

11:00 **LUNCH & LEARN (February 17)**

Topic: The Veteran's Benefit Project with Andrew McNair
Sponsored by Country Place Senior Living

- 12:30 Open Cards, Mahjong, and Other Games.
(Must Bring your own foursome).
- 12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2 per game.

For information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109.
www.easternshorebridgeclub.com

1:00 **BINGO (February 24)**

- 1:30-4:00 Hand, Foot & Knee

THURSDAY

- 8:00-9:00 Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class

- 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women

- 9:00-10:00 Low Impact Aerobic Class

- 9:30 Bridge Lessons with Frank Walsh

- 9:30 Spouse Grief Support Group

(February 4, 11, 18 & 25)

Sponsored by **Covenant Hospice**

- 12:30 own Open Cards & Other Games(Must bring your
foursome)

- 12:30- 4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2 per game.

For information call Art Meyers at 626-5109.

www.easternshorebridgeclub.com

- 1:30 **COFFEE & CONVERSATION.** Come and join in on an
afternoon of fellowship and stimulating conversation.
Men and Women are welcome to add their own information
or opinions and to listen to those of others.

2:00 **TEA TIME (February 11)**

Topic: What's Happening at the Fairhope Airport

Presented by Pam Caudill, Fairhope Airport Authority

2:00 **ICE CREAM SOCIAL (February 18)**

Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by **The Gardens of Daphne & PNC Bank**

- 7:00-10:00

NIX CENTER BALLROOM DANCES

(February 11 & February 25)

FRIDAY

8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women

9:00-10:00 **GOLD ZUMBA** with Joni **(February 5, 12, 19 & 26)**

10:00 **FINANCIAL FRIDAY (February 19)**

Topic: Behavioral Financing

Speaker: David Chillelli, Financial Advisor **Merrill Lynch**

10:00 **FINANCIAL FRIDAY (February 26)**

Topic: Market Conditions

Speaker: Chase Smith, **Edward Jones Financial**

12:30 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2 per game.

For information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109. www.easternshorebridgeclub.com

12:30 Open Cards

12:30-4:00 Mexican Dominos

James P. Nix Center Senior Savings Program

Please call the business for details about discounts. Restaurants require presentations of **James P. Nix Center Membership Cards** **before** ordering to guarantee discount. Encourage your favorite place to join our club of advertisers.

- ◆ **Benedict Painting & Wall Covering:** Professional painting, wall covering and power washing. 15% discount to Nix Center members. (928-9639)
- ◆ **Cape Travel** offers discounts on tours, packages and cruises to Nix Center members. Disney travel products are non-applicable. 251-928-0233 or Chelsea@gocapetravel.com
- ◆ **Delatorre Day Spa:** \$335 worth of services for \$85 less 10% on 1st visit only. Visit www.delaspa.com 25 plus years of experience, by appointment only. 19300 Greeno Road, Highway 98, Fairhope (656-4880)
- ◆ **Eastern Shore Canine** in home pet services, private lessons, grooming with home pick-up services. 10% off all services for Nix Center members. Call 401-4415 or visit www.easternshorecanine.com for info.
- ◆ **Eastern Shore Glass:** 10% off materials, not including labor (928-5108)
- ◆ **El Mexicano Restaurant:** 10% off Monday through Thursday. Located next to Winn Dixie (929-7827)
- ◆ **Fabulous Frog Pet Sitting & Beyond:** You do not have to board your pet — stress free in-home care — your pet will thank you! We offer full-time care also. 10% off all pet sitting services to Nix Center members. Please call, (251) 300-4657. Also, commercial and residential cleaning.
- ◆ **Fairhope Alterations:** 10% off all hems (929-3938)
- ◆ **Hampton Inn Fairhope:** 15% off standard room rates for Nix Center members and their visiting families. Based upon valid during special events. Call 928-0956 or visit www.fairhope.hamptoninn.com and ask for the James P. Nix Rate.
- ◆ **Holiday Inn Express (Fairhope):** 15% off regular room rates. Call 928-9191. Not valid during special events.
- ◆ **Homestead Village Wellness Center:** \$50.00 enrollment fee waived one time only (929-0260)
- ◆ **Honey Baked Ham:** 10% off lunch (928-7282)
- ◆ **Hughes Funeral Home & Crematory:** 10% off any pre-planned funeral or cremation. (621-5890) Also visit www.hughesfh.com.
- ◆ **Julwin's:** 10% off all menu items (990-9372)
- ◆ **Key West Inn:** 25% off rack rates, depending on availability, for Nix Center members and their visiting family members. When making reservations, please mention your membership with the Nix Center and ask for the special Nix Center rate. (990-7373 or 1-800-833-0555)
- ◆ **Massage Matters & More/Patti Street:** \$45 for first time visit for massage services and a 5% discount thereafter. Located on highway 98, just north of Rock Creek (423-7905)
- ◆ **Microtel Inn & Suites:** \$80+tax for single room, \$70+tax for a double/queen room and \$83+tax for suites. For reservations, call 621-7807 or visit www.microtelinn.com for additional information. Open to Nix Center members and their guests. Reservations recommended.
- ◆ **Old 27 Grill:** 10 % Off all menu items. (281-2963)
- ◆ **Peaches-n-Clean Carpet Cleaning:** 10% off cleaning cost with membership card. (821-0088)
- ◆ **Ruby Tuesday (Fairhope):** Free sundae with purchase of a meal. (990-5077)
- ◆ **Sandra's Place:** 15% discount (990-3344)
- ◆ **Southern Veranda Florist:** 10% off all merchandise-gifts & flowers (928-4433)
- ◆ **Subway Sandwiches:** 10% off entire order (928-0803)

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