The James P. Nix Center

July 2016

City of Fairhope Adult Recreation Center

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ACTIVITES AROUND TOWN

Celebrate 4th of July in Fairhope!

The City of Fairhope and the Baldwin Pops Band invite one and all to the annual Fourth of July Concert and Fireworks display on Monday, July 4, at Henry George Park and the Fairhope Municipal Pier Park. The Baldwin

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

Comfort Care Coastal

621-4228

Pops Band Independence Day Concert begins at 7:30 p.m. in Henry George Park on top of the bluff. The band will perform a variety of patriotic tunes before and during the fireworks display. Fireworks begin at dusk, approximately 9 p.m. "This is a wonderfully festive evening," said Mayor Tim Kant. "Everyone brings lawn chairs or blankets and picnic spreads to enjoy a delightful evening on Mobile Bay."

Listen for WABF 1220 AM for a live broadcast of the day's festivities. The north end of Fairhope Pier Park, along the beach, will be open throughout the day and will remain open while parking is available. Limited handicap parking will be available near the fountain, but if you wish to park in the handicap area, plan to arrive early and stay until the fireworks are over. Fairhope's 4th of July celebration is an alcohol-free event. Several food vendors will be located near the south beach area. For your safety, no personal fireworks are permitted at the event. For more information on Fairhope's Fourth of July Festival and Fireworks display, call 251-929-1466.

Take Full Advantage of all the Nix Center Bus has to Offer!

The Nix Center is fortunate to have an excellent bus to use for our senior community. Karen, affectionately known as "Karen The Bus Driver", drives our Nix Center bus Monday-Wednesday to help transport members to and from the Nix Center, to the grocery store and to special outings scheduled throughout the year. The bus goes to Walmart every Tuesday morning, Publix on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday mornings, to the movie theater on the 3rd Tuesday (mid-morning) and to lunch on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. The

Covenant Care 626-5255

Hartmann, Blackmon & Kilgore 928-2443

Homestead Village 929-0250

> Kindred Care 621-0882

PNC Bank 928-8838

Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home 990-7775

Country Place Living 929-3627

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

July 14

Band: JR Owen

<u>July 28</u>

bus, when available, will also pick up Nix Center members and bring them to the Nix Center for activities. For more information, see the Nix Center front desk.

4th of July Holiday

The Nix Center will be closed on Monday, July 4th in celebration Independence Day

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

There will be NO Potluck Lunch in July due to the July 4th holiday falling on the 1st Monday. Make sure to join us in August!!

July 6- 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,

The Blake at Malbis,

& Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

July 12- 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.

July 13- TO YOUR HEALTH; 10 a.m.

Topic: Advances in Hip Surgery

Band: Exit 105

Theme: Country/Western

Sponsor: <u>Comfort Care</u> <u>Coastal</u>

Split the pot drawing held at every dance!

Thanks to our dance
helpers Betty Deese, Marie
Weatherly, Bonnie
Matchey, Jerry Bergman,
Judy Simpson

Fran Hocquard &

Louise Eckman .

ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN

First Friday Art Walk

Enjoy the Arts and more in downtown Fairhope on Friday,

July 1 from 6-8 p.m. Start your evening at the Eastern Shore Art Center and then shop, dine and stroll through Fairhope.

Glow in the Park Movie Series

Presented By: Dr. Jay Savage, Bayside Orthopedic

July 14- TEA TIME; 2 p.m.

Topic: Learn About the Fairhope Museum of History

Elderberry Festival

Speaker: Donnie Barrett, Museum Director

Sponsored By: Covenant Care

July 20 - LUNCH & LEARN; 11 a.m.

Topic: Fall Prevention- Dizziness, Imbalance & Vertigo

Speaker: Jill Lott, Specialized Therapy

Sponsor: Country Place Senior Living

July 21- ICE CREAM SOCIAL; 2 p.m.

Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by: The Gardens of Daphne & PNC Bank

July 22 - FINANCIAL FRIDAY; 10 a.m.

Topic: Advanced Annuity Strategies to Help Secure Your

Retirement

Speaker: Tom Adent, Morgan Stanley

July 27 - 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: Kindred Care Home Health

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

Take your grandchildren to see the Minions movie on Thursday, July 7 at 8 p.m. Admission to the movie is free. Located at the Fairhoper's Community Park.

Kiwanis Golf Tournament

Kiwanis annual golf tournament at Quail Creek Golf Course on Thursday, July 14. Play a 4-man scramble with a 8:30 a.m. shotgun start. To participate, call 251-990-2936.

JAMES P. NIX SENIOR ACTVITY CENTER

Location

One Bayou Drive Fairhope, Alabama 36532 (251)928-2835 Fax(251)990-0207

Hours

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

<u>Email</u>

sherry.sullivan@ cofairhope.com

OR <u>sarah.smith@</u> you for your ongoing support of the Nix Center and our programs.

Lunch & Learn

The Nix Center and Country Place Senior Living host a "Lunch & Learn" on the 3rd Wednesday of each month, featuring a different speaker or demonstration. Lunch is \$2 per person and includes your main entrée, drink and dessert. Lunch entrée will be announced closer to time. Attendees must sign up in advance and pay at the door. This month's Lunch & Learn will be on **Wednesday**, **July 20 at 11:00 a.m**. The topic for Lunch & Learn in July will be Fall Prevention: Dizziness, Vertigo and Imbalance. Our guest speaker will be Jill Lott with Specialized Therapy Services. Please register in advance with the Nix Center front desk.

City of Fairhope Farmer's Market Ending Soon!

The City of Fairhope Summer Farmer's Market will be wrapping up soon so don't miss these last few weeks! The market is held on Thursday afternoons from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. behind the Fairhope Public Library on Bancroft Street in downtown Fairhope. The market began on Thursday, April 28 and will run through July 7 offering fresh Baldwin County produce, fresh cut flowers, local honey, a large variety of plants, baked goods and more! The Haven will also be on hand with pets up for adoption. For more information, call 251-929-1466.

Fairhope Museum of History Tea For Two

July 5-No Tea for Two. 4th of July Holiday

<u>July 12-</u>Fran Morley will present her program, "Mothers, Teachers and Suffragists: Early Women

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of Fairhope", telling stories of Lydia Comings, Marie Howland and Marietta Johnson.

July 19-Mike Brown, Executive Director of the South Alabama

Chapter of the American Red Cross, will share the activities and

services that the Red Cross is involved in along the Gulf Coast.

<u>July 26</u>-Doris Bishop, a life-long Fairhope resident, who was recently featured in an Alabama Public TV program "Journey Bound", which is about Jubilees, will tell her best Jubilee stories!

Tea for Two is held every Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Museum Council Chamber. Call 251-929-1471 for more information.

Go To The Movies With The Nix Center

On the third Tuesday (July 19) of each month members ride the Nix Center bus to the movie theater in Spanish Fort. Space is limited to the first 11 people who register. Movie and time to be announced closer to movie date. Check with Nix Center 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.

Theatre 98 Presents

Absurd Person Singular

For their summer production, Theatre 98 will present Absurd Person Singular by Alan Ayckbourn, directed by Marcus Wills on July 15-17, 22-24 and 29-31. Three couples entertain each other at three successive Christmas eve parties where hilarious kitchen disasters and reversals of fortune ensue. A wild, wacky comedy from an Olivier and Tony Award winning playwright. Performances are at 8 p.m. and Sunday performances are at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$12 for students. Theatre 98 graciously invites senior citizens to their dress rehearsal for FREE on July 14. Limit of 2 tickets per person. Tickets are handed out on a first come, first served basis beginning at 6 p.m. at the theatre the night of the dress rehearsal. Theatre 98 is located on the corner of Morphy Avenue and Church Street in Fairhope.

FREE Taiji at the Nix Center

Elliott Lauderdale, Taiji instructor, will offer FREE Taiji classes at the Nix Center this summer. The classes are on Thursday mornings from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Nix Center ballroom from July-August. After August, free classes will be held at the Fairhope Recreation Center. Classes are open to the public.

Basic Ballroom Dance Lessons

Skip Smith, Ballroom Dance Instructor, will start a new series of basic ballroom dance lessons on **Thursday, July 7** at 5:30 p.m. The six-session, one-hour class is \$35 for Nix Center members and \$40 for non-members. Please sign up at the Nix Center front desk to participate.

Ann's Alone Free Calling Service

The Nix Center offers a free telephone calling program, Ann's Alone, for seniors who live alone and want someone to check in on them daily. Volunteers will be calling participants by 9 a.m. each day. You must register and provide some personal information and emergency call information. Participants are also responsible for advising callers when they will be out of town. If a volunteer does not get an answer from a participant, then their emergency contact or the police will be notified. To sign-up for the program, see the Nix Center front desk.

To beat the heat, the Nix Center golfers will start at 7:30 a.m. beginning in July

Free Blood Pressure Screenings!

Comfort Care

Offers the screening on the 1st Thursday of the month at 9 a.m.

Aseracare Hospice

offers the screening on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 9 a.m.

JAMES P. NIX CENTER
DAILY ACTIVITIES
FOR JULY

MONDAY

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

9:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni

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

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

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.

COFFEE WITH A COP (JULY 12) 9:00

9:00 FREE Blood Pressure Screening with

Aseracare Hospice (JULY 19)

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

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

11:00 **TUESDAY MOVIE (JULY 19)**

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

Space is limited to 11 people. Participants are

for admission fee to movie and responsible

refreshments. Preregistration 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 (JULY 13)

Topic: Advances in Hip Surgery

Speaker: Dr. Jay Savage, Bayside Orthopedic

10:30 JULY BIRTHDAY BASH (JULY 6)

Sponsored by:

Atlantes Financial Advisors, The Blake at Malbis

& Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home.

10:45 **LUNCH TRIP ON THE BUS (JULY 13)**

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

11:00 **LUNCH & LEARN (JULY 20)**

Topic: Fall Prevention: Dizziness, Imbalance & Vertigo

Speaker: Jill Lott, <u>Specialized Therapy Services</u> 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. <u>www.easternshorebridgeclub.com</u>

1:00 **BINGO (JULY 27)**

Sponsor: Kindred Care Home Health

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

(JULY 7, 14, 21 & 28)

Sponsored by Covenant Care

12:30 Open Cards & Other Games (Must bring your

own foursome)

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

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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 (JULY 14)**

Topic: Learn About the Fairhope Museum of History

Elderberry Festival

Presented by: Donnie Barrett, Museum Director

Sponsor: Covenant Care

2:00 ICE CREAM SOCIAL (JULY 21)

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

(JULY 14 & JULY 28)

FRIDAY

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

9:00-10:00 GOLD ZUMBA with Joni (JULY 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29)

10:00 FINANCIAL FRIDAY (JULY 22)

Topic: Advanced Annuity Strategies to Help

Secure Your Retirement

Speaker: Tom Adent, Morgan Stanley

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

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12:30 Open Cards

12:30-4:00 Mexican Dominos

Happy Birthday July Babies



JULY 1: Teri Odell

JULY 2: Marsha Jones, Olivia Powell
JULY 3: Bill Carpenter, Priscilla
Richard Gethers
JULY 18: Alan Cupples, JULY 4: Dickie McAleer, Jean Erwin, Sally Godard JULY 5: Diane Nematz, Elizabeth Byars JULY 6: Cardle Dorgan, Tom JULY 7: Betty Kempton, Jenny Slay, Mary Thurk, Richard Cote, Sandie Schneider JULY 8: Tooky McLeod, Greg Laker, Pam Fagan, Paul Uffman JULY 9: Mary Lon Mundy JULY 10: Lucy Ladd, Robert

JULY 11: Caryl McCleskey, Jeri Edge, Marge Pearson, Tom Holland, Tom Rotch JULY 13: Catherine Gibson, Donald Hicks, Monica Morgan JULY 14: Rhett Walker JULY 15: Gary Klussman, Marsha Sanders, Marvin Robinson, Tucker Luscombe, Vermelle Draper JULY 16: Geneva Phillips, Paula Teipel, Ruth Balzli, JULY 17: Betty Suddeth, Billy Summerlin, Claudetta Watson, June Wright,

Dana Roberts, George Hommes, John Meyer, Patricia Smith, Sandra Glazner, Sue Nelson, Ted

Thomas
JULY 20: Birdie Botos, Carol Taylor, Shirley Snypes JULY 21: Agnes Bickham, Pete Sanders, Ted Clayton JULY 22: Jim Merrihew



JULY 23: Jack Cummings, Peggy Harkness JULY 24: Christine Kendall, Hugh Foster, Joan Nuber, Kate Settles JULY 25: Claude Marquette, Joan Fasanello, Mike Anderson JULY 26: Kathleen Brown, Mary Buchanan, Nancy Thom, Sybil Owen, Virginia Gillen JULY 27: Carol Cleveland, Dwyer, Wayne Stuart Mike Chaney
JULY 19: Linda Foster, Rita
JULY 28: Cindy Webster, Mary Brown JULY 29: Bruce Hankins, Chris Pappas, Randy Laney JULY 30: Hazel Moore

JULY 31: Cheryl Johnson, James Nix, Pat Hurley

