

The James P. Nix Center

August 2017

City of Fairhope Senior Activity Center

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Fairhope Elderberry Festival at the Museum of History

The Fairhope Museum of History invites everyone to celebrate the 8th Annual Elderberry Festival on Saturday, August 12 beginning at 10 a.m. Festivities include demonstrations, tastings, pie-eating contest, music and more! The public is invited to submit their best homemade elderberry goody for the Elderberry Cook-off Contest, with categories including pie, cake, bread, jam, jelly, juice, Jello and butter.

There will be music all day on the museum grounds, art vendors on the lawn and much more to enjoy! The event is free and open to the

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

**Atlantes Financial
Advisors Corp.**

928-1616

Covenant Care
626-5255

**Hartmann, Blackmon &
Kilgore**
928-2443

Homestead Village
929-0250

Kindred at Home
621-0882

**Wolfe-Bayview Funeral
Home**
990-7775

Country Place Living
929-3627

Synergy Home Care

public. To enter an item in the cook-off contest, bring your entry to the museum by 5 p.m. on Friday, August 11. For more information, call the museum at 251-929-1471.

Nix Center Coffee With a Cop

The Nix Center program "Coffee With a Cop" enables seniors and others to meet face to face with Chief Joseph Petties and a Fairhope Police officer to ask questions and learn about how to deal with scams, fraud, and other issues of interest. The program is held on the second Tuesday (August 8) of each month at 9 a.m. This event is open to the public, so bring your friends and neighbors! Call 928-2835 for more information.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

August 2- BIRTHDAY BASH; 12:00 noon

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

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August 7-POTLUCK LUNCH; noon

Join us for our monthly Potluck luncheon.

Main entrée will be Grilled Chicken.

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

Sponsored By: Baldwin House

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August 8- COFFEE WITH A COP; 9 a.m.

621-1900

The Brennity at Fairhope
928-5555

St. Joseph Hospice
675-7555

The Brennity at Daphne
626-9000

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**

August 10

Sonny Tanner

August 24

J.R. Owen

August 31

Exit 105

"A Country Western Theme"

Split the pot drawing held at every dance!

Thanks to our dance helpers Frankie Hyde.

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.

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August 9- TO YOUR HEALTH; 10 a.m.

Topic: Four Bases for Living

Speaker: Wendy Brown 1st Light Home Care

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August 10- TEA TIME; 2 p.m.

Topic: Milkweed: The importance of Monarch Butterflies

Speaker: Melissa McCarty

Sponsored By: Covenant Care

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August 16 - LUNCH & LEARN; 11 a.m.

Topic: African Violet Growing Tips

Speaker: Jere Trigg

Sponsored By: Country Place Senior Living

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August 17- ICE CREAM SOCIAL; 2 p.m.

Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by: St. Joseph Hospice & The Brenny in Daphne

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August 23 - 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 Home Health & Hospice

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August 25- FINANCIAL FRIDAY; 10 a.m.

Topic: Focus on Fixed Income

Louise Eckman, Fran Hocquard, Nancy Miller and Dolly Guy.

ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN

First Friday Art Walk

Enjoy the arts and Fairhope on Friday, August 4 while you shop, dine & stroll through the streets of downtown. Start your journey at the Eastern Shore Art Center!

Glow in the Park Movie Series

Take your grandchildren to see the movie **SING** on Thursday, August 3 at 8 p.m. Admission to the movie is free. Located at the

Fairhope's Community Park.

JAMES P. NIX SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

Location
One Bayou Drive
Fairhope, Alabama 36532
(251)928-2835

Speaker: Matt Blevins, Edward Jones Financial

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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 will include your main entrée, drink and dessert. Please sign up in advance and pay at the door. This month's Lunch & Learn will be on **Wednesday, August 16** at 11:00 a.m. Our topic for Lunch & Learn in August will be Jere Trigg with a talk on African Violets. Please register in advance with the Nix Center front desk.

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 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.

Basic Ballroom Dance Lessons !

Skip Smith, Ballroom Dance Instructor, will start a new series of basic ballroom dance lessons on Thursday, September 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

Fax (251)990-0207

Hours

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

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up at the Nix Center front desk to participate.

Brick Paver Program at the Nix Center

The Nix Center has a brick paver program similar to the one in downtown Fairhope. The program is designed to honor or memorialize friends or family members by placing a 12x12 limestone paver at the entrance of the Nix Center. The bricks can have up to six lines of text with 17 characters on each line. Each brick costs \$100 and will arrive up to three months after ordering. If you have any additional questions, stop by the front desk or call 928-2835.

Go to the Movies with the Nix Center!

On the third Tuesday (**August 15**) 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.

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.

**JAMES P. NIX CENTER
DAILY ACTIVITIES
FOR AUGUST**

MONDAY

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

9:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni

10:00 Tai Chi

12:00 POTLUCK LUNCH (AUGUST 7)

ENTRÉE: Grilled Chicken

SPONSOR: Baldwin House

12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2.00 per game.

For more information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109.

www.easternshorebridgeclub.com

1:00-4:00 Open Cards, Mahjong

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

7:30 Nix Center Golf Mixed Scramble at Quail Creek

**Reservations required, fee to play is \$3. If you
would like to play, call Bob Mull at 990-9958.**

9:00 Coffee with a Cop (August 8)

9:00-10:00 Low Impact Aerobic Class

9:00-11:00 Bridge Lesson with Frank Walsh

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

11:00 TUESDAY MOVIE (AUGUST 15)

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

Space is limited to 11 people.

Participants are responsible for admission

**is fee to movie and refreshments. Pre-registration
required.**

12:30-4:00 Open Cards, Hand & Foot, Party Bridge, Scrabble, Cribbage, etc. (Must bring your own foursome)

12:30 299 Duplicate Bridge

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

1:30-3:30 Bridge Lesson with Frank Walsh

WEDNESDAY

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

9:00-10:00 LINE DANCING. No Reservation required; \$5 fee is required.

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

you Bring your own craft or hobby and socialize while do your own project.

You do not have to bring a project- just come & chat!

10:00-11:00 Spanish Class-Resuming classes August 2.

10:00 TO YOUR HEALTH (AUGUST 9)

10:45 LUNCH TRIP ON THE BUS (AUGUST 10)

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

11:00 LUNCH & LEARN (AUGUST 16)

12:00 AUGUST BIRTHDAY BASH (AUGUST 2)

at Sponsored by Atlantes Financial Advisors, The Blake Malbis & Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home.

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.

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

1:00-3:00 BINGO (AUGUST 22)

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

9:00-10:00 Blood Pressure Screening with Crowley Home Care

9:30 Spouse Grief Support Group

(AUGUST 4, 11, 18 & 25) sponsored by Covenant Care

10:30 Tai Chi

12:30- 4:00 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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www.easternshorebridgeclub.com

1:30-3:30 COFFEE & CONVERSATION. Come and join in on an afternoon of fellowship and stimulating conversation.

All are welcome to add their own information

or opinions and to listen to those of others.

2:00-3:00 TEA TIME (AUGUST 10)

Sponsored By: Covenant Care

2:00 ICE CREAM SOCIAL (AUGUST 17)

Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by St. Joseph Hospice & The Brennity

at Daphne

7:00-10:00 FAIRHOPE'S FAMOUS DANCES (AUGUST 10 & AUGUST 24)

(see information on page 2)

FRIDAY

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

9:00-10:00 GOLD ZUMBA with Joni (AUGUST 4, 11, 18 & 25)

10:00-11:00 FINANCIAL FRIDAY (AUGUST 25)

Topic: Focus on Fixed Income

Speaker: Matt Blevins, 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

Happy Birthday August Babies



Aug 1 Carolyn Singletary, Thomas Ellis
Aug 2 Gene Morace, Jim Huggins, John Gammner, Limaye Arun, Norma Gilbertson, Valerie Kayser
Aug 3 Anita Decker, Betty Lay, Claudia Fortis, Kay Speir
Aug 4 Ann Luscombe, Carol Zimmerman, Nathan Cox, Tami Green
Aug 5 Tom Holloman
Aug 6 Joe McGilberry, Laura Pryor, Mary Blackman
Aug 7 Carol Carmody
Aug 8 Anne Armstrong, Margaret Wilson, Ruth Geraci
Aug 9 Darlene Anderson, Jane Jensen, Joe Wood, Lamar Baker, Roger Schmare
Aug 10 David Strassburg, Larry Bardwell, Sharon Lee
Aug 11 Betty Houston, Cecelia Frego, Debra Barone, Janet Anderson, Kathy Mattox, Linda Laney, Meriam Neise, Sam Johns
Aug 12 Cheri Forti, Joanne Dorman, Mike Seibert, Peggy Fuquay
Aug 13 Anne Tripp, Eugene Jones, Glenda Patterson, Irene Shetler, Marie Joyner
Aug 14 Anne Nix, Betty Jane Bowdoin, James Dorman, James E. Wilson, Roger Iburg, Roy Walker
Aug 15 Dorothy Chandler, Jim Daves, Jim Parnell, Lucille Moccio
Aug 16 Jo Ann Stubbs, Patsy Holtman
Aug 17 Carolyn Patterson, James H. Duncan, Mac Golson
Aug 19 Lloyd Smith, Savan Wilson, Susan Sanders
Aug 20 Jack Wyrle, Micky Goff
Aug 21 Larry Jayjohn, Becky Harris, Sally Clark, Virginia Stabler
Aug 22 Melanie Maples, Paul Smith, Ray Hamilton, Sally Ansell, Steve Allen, Thomas Beaudrot, William Heath
Aug 23 Barbara Gutierrez, Charles Brantley, Patty Box, Sue Wood
Aug 24 Angele Baker, Anna Carol Fogle, Brenda Rollins, Joam Gentry, Sam Comly, Vera Gilles
Aug 25 Danon Atkinson, Gloria Davis, Jean Patterson, TC Johnson
Aug 26 Hilda Mitchell, Jerry Ellis
Aug 27 Ann Young, Becky Sappington, Eugene Wilson, Thelma Kattan
Aug 28 Betty Vaughn
Aug 29 Jerry Dixon, Larry Dotson, Nancy Grassley, Sandy Fraillie, William Terry
Aug 30 Marisha Chavers, Rose Mary Heveran
Aug 31 Bruce Currie, James Schiebert, Sandra Mallette, Sharon Allen