# Girls Night Out! Thursday May 10

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If you would like to receive your newsletter electronically, just stop by the front desk or phone us at (251) 928-2835 with your e-mail address.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



<u>May 2 — BIRTHDAY BASH; 10:30 AM</u> Celebrate your Birthday with the Nix Center. Enjoy Birthday Cake, Ice Cream, Games and Prizes!! Bring a friend to celebrate with you! Sponsored by <u>Atlantes Financial Advisors,</u> <u>The Brennity at Fairhope & Wolfe-Bayview Fune</u>ral Home

#### May 3—Free Blood Pressure Screening 9-10 am

#### May 7—Pot Luck Luncheon 12-1

Join us for our monthly Pot Luck Luncheon. Only \$1.00 Bring a side for 8 people and sign up at the front desk. Sponsor: Baldwin House Entrée: Fried Chicken

May 8 — 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.



#### <u>May 9 – TO YOUR HEALTH; 10 a.m.</u> Topic: TBD

Speakers: TBD

May 9—Bring Your Own Bingo; 1-3pm \$1.00 for 3 cards, 10 games. Each player brings one small gift for prizes!

#### May 9-Lunch Trip; 10:45-12:30

May 10—Tea Time 2pm Speaker: TBD

<u>May 11—Billiard Tournament 1-5 pm</u> Sponsored by Synergy Home Health Care Sign up at the front desk.

#### May 15—Movie Trip—11:00 a.m.

May 16—Lunch & Learn 11 am Speaker: Andrew McNair Topic: Veterans Benefits Sponsor: Country Place Senior Living

<u>May 17 — ICE CREAM SOCIAL; 2 p.m.</u> Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes! Sponsored by: <u>St. Joseph Hospice & The Brennity in Daphne</u>

#### May 18—Field Trip on the Duck Boats!

#### <u>May 23 — BINGO; 1 p.m.</u> 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

<u>May 25—Financial Friday 10:00-11:00</u> Topic: Reverse Mortgages Speaker: Danny Phillips-South Chase Mortgage

May 28—Closed for Memorial Day



## <u>Nix Center Ballroom</u> Dances

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of every month at the James P. Nix Center: 7 p.m. – 10 p.m. Costs: \$5.00 Members \$9.00 Guests

Thanks to our dance helpers Louise Eckman, Fran Hocquard, Nancy Miller and Dolly Guy.

> May 10 JR Owen

May 24 Exit 105 (USO Theme)



## **ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN**

## **First Friday Art Walk**

Enjoy the arts and more in downtown Fairhope on Friday, **May 4 from 6-8 p.m**. Start your evening at the Eastern Shore Art Center and then shop, dine and stroll through Fairhope.

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# James P. Nix Center **Daily Activities for May**

### MONDAY

- 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women
- 9:00-10:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni
- 12:00-1:00 Pot Luck Lunch—Sign-up requested. 12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$3.00 per game. For more information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109. www.easternshorebridgeclub.com Open Cards, Mahjong 1:00-4:00
- 1:30-4:00 Hand, Foot & Knee

## TUESDAY

#### Nix Center Golf Mixed Scramble at Quail Creek

- 8:00 Reservations required, fee to play is \$3. If you would like to play, call Bob Mull at 990-9958. Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class 8:00-9:00 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women 9:00-10:00 Coffee with a Cop (May 8) 9:00-10:00 Low Impact Aerobic Class Jam N' Folks Music Group 9:00-12:00 **TUESDAY MOVIE (May 15)** 11:00 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. Open Cards, Hand & Foot, Party Bridge, Scrabble, Cribbage, etc. 12:30-4:00 (Must bring your own foursome) 12:30-4:00 299 Duplicate Bridge For more information, contact Janet Anderson at 251-990-5114. 1:30-3:30 Bridge Lessons 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. Spanish Class. \$5.00 fee required. TO YOUR HEALTH (May 9) LUNCH TRIP ON THE BUS (May 9) 10:00-11:00 10:00-11:00 10:45 Ride the Nix Center bus to Lunch on the Eastern Shore! LUNCH & LEARN (No Lunch & Learn this month) BIRTHDAY BASH (May 2) Sponsored by <u>Atlantes Financial Advisors, The Brennity at Fairhope &</u> 11:00-12:00 10:30-11:30
  - **Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home.** 12:30-4:00 Open Cards, Mahjong, and Other Games. (Must Bring your own foursome). 12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$3 per game. For information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109. www.easternshorebridgeclub.com
  - 1:00-3:00 **Bring Your Own Bingo (May 9)** Bingo (May 23)
  - 1:30-4:00 Hand, Foot & Knee

# The Nix Center will be closed Monday May 28 for **Memorial Day.**





## THURSDAY

8:00-9:00 8:00-4:00	Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class Pool/Billiards for men & women
9:00-10:00	Low Impact Aerobic Class
9:30-11:00	Spouse Grief Support Group
	(May 3, 10, 17, 24)) sponsored by Covenant Care
10:30-11:30	Tai Čhi
12:30- 4:00	Open Cards & Other Games (Must bring your own foursome)
12:30- 4:00	Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$3 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—Assorted Topics
2:00-3:00	ICE CREAM SOCIAL (May 17)
	Join us for Ice Cream, friends and door prizes!
	Sponsored by St. Joseph Hospice & The Brennity at Fairhope
5:30-6:30	Dance Lessons with Skip. See schedule below.
7:00-10:00	FAIRHOPE'S FAMOUS DANCES (May 10, 24)
	(see information on page 2)
FRIDAY	
8:00-4:00	Pool/Billiards for men & women
9:00-10:00	GOLD ZUMBA with Joni (May 4, 11, 18, 25)
10:00-11:00	Financial Friday (May 25) See "Mark Your Calendar"

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- 12:30-4:00
- 12:30-4:00 Mexican Dominos

# **Dance Lessons Schedule** Thursdays 5:30-6:30pm

May 3-June 7





# Go to the Movies with the Nix Center!

On the third Tuesday (May 15) 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 the movie date. Check with the Nix





Center for possible changes. Participants are responsible for admission fee and refreshments. Only preregistered participants will be guaranteed a seat on the bus.

#### Ray's Casino Bus Every 3rd Wednesday

\$10 (Includes \$15 for casino play) Call to reserve your spot @ (251) 458-0233

The bus leaves from the NW corner of the Walmart parking lot at 8:00 a.m. sharp!





### Read any good books lately?

We now have a "free library" in the Nix Center library. Come and check out a book or donate one for others to enjoy.

#### Have you moved lately? New telephone number? Started using E-mail?

Stop by the Nix Center front desk to update your membership information.



## Brick Paver Program at the <u>Nix Center</u>

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.

## Baldwin Pops Memorial Day Concert Monday May 28 6:30 PM on the Bluff



## <u>Friends of the</u> <u>Fairhope Museum of History</u>

Consider joining the Friends of the Fairhope Museum of History. Volunteer Opportunities, Special Events and so much more! Membership is only \$20 per year! Call 929-1471 for more info.

#### **Donations and Dues**

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.

Please remember that you must be a Nix Center Member to participate in our exercise classes and other daily activities so please make sure that your memberships are current. Thank you for your cooperation!



*Field Trip* Duck Boat Trip Friday May 18 11:30 am \$25 per person Seating is limited so please pre-register



<u>Location</u> One Bayou Drive Fairhope, Alabama 36532 (251) 928-2835 Fax: (251) 990-0207

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

> Website www.cofairhope.com

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