The James P. Nix Center

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City of Fairhope Adult Recreation Center

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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

Fall Into Fairhope!

The first weekend of October signifies it is time to "Fall into Fairhope" with multiple festivals and events, offering something for everyone to enjoy. The **Grand Festival of Art** will celebrate its 31st year in downtown Fairhope on October 5 and 6. The festival will feature 100 artist exhibitors from the Southeast and takes place on Fairhope Avenue, between Church and Bancroft Streets. The festival is free to the public. Alabama Coastal **Birdfest** will be on Saturday, October 5, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Birdfest includes 23 guided trips and evenings events, all requiring registration. For more information, call 625-0814. The Grand Festival of Books, also held on October 5, brings readers and authors together with signings, discussions and other activities. This year the event takes place on the grounds of Faulkner State College. For more information, call 928-5295. Sharing in the fun on Saturday, October 5 is the **Fairhope** Mullet Run. The 6th annual Mullet Run, a 5K race and one-mile fun run/walk, benefits the Bay Art Project. Runners can register in advance at www.FairhopeMulletRun.com or on the day of the race from 7:15-8:15 at the Mullet Run fountain at the Fairhope Museum of History. Wrap up a fun-filled weekend with the Baldwin Pops Concert on Sunday, October 6 at 6 p.m. in Henry George Park. Bring your chairs, blankets, picnic baskets and coolers and enjoy music from the talented members of this allvolunteer organization while the sun sets over Mobile Bay. For

Sponsors

Phone Numbers

Aseracare Hospice

943-6094

Atlantes Financial Advisors Corp.

928-1616

Baldwin

<u>House</u>

621-1717

Bay Eyes

990-3937

Fairhope Health and Rehab 928-2152 more information visit www.BaldwinPopsBand.com.

Covenant Hospice

626-5255

<u>Hartmann, Blackmon & Kilgore</u>

928-2443

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Homestead Village 929-0250

October 2- BIRTHDAY BASH; 10:30 a.m.

Celebrate your Birthday with the Nix Center.

Enjoy Birthday Cake, Ice Cream, Games and Prizes!!

Sponsored by Atlantes Financial Advisors Corporation,

Bay Eyes Cataract and Laser Center

& Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

Mercy Medical

621-4200

Gentiva

621-0882

Montrose Bay Health and Rehab

928-2177

Optimum Asset Management, Inc.

625-8885

PNC Bank

928-8838

October 2- KARAOKE; 11:30 a.m.

Sing Karaoke with your friends at the Nix Center in a casual, fun environment! Karaoke will begin right after Birthday Bash in the

ballroom.

October 7- POTLUCK LUNCH; noon

Join us for our monthly Potluck Luncheon. Main entrée will be <u>Fried Chicken</u>. Participants should bring a dish that serves at least 8 people. Cost is \$1. Play games for a chance to win a

cash prize!

Sponsored by: **Southern Care**

October 8- COFFEE WITH A COP; 9:00 a.m.

Enjoy coffee and donuts with Chief Petties and a

Fairhope Police Officer every second Tuesday of the month

to discuss scams, fraud and other issues of interest.

October 9- TO YOUR HEALTH; 10:00 a.m.

Topic: Flu Prevention

Presented By: Ashley Dalhberg, RN and Marketing Liaison for

Montrose Bay Health & Rehabilitation

October 10- TEA TIME; 2 p.m.

Topic: Bellingrath Gardens-Fall Foliage & Holiday Lights

Presented by: Tommy McGehee Sponsored by: <u>Covenant Hospice</u>

Refreshments donated by Calvin Hunt, on behalf of the "Do Blue"

Men's cancer awareness program.

Thomas Hospital

928-2375

Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

928-9555

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

Join us for a Root Beer Float, friends and door prizes!

Sponsored by: Montrose Bay Health & Rehab and PNC Bank

October 23-BINGO; 1 p.m.

Please join us for 10 games of bingo, prizes and refreshments.

Cost is \$1 for 3 cards. Sponsored by: **Gentiva Hospice**

October 30 - FREE Concert: Atkinson Duo; 3 p.m.

Enjoy a FREE concert by the Atkinson Duo. Playing a harp and violin, the duo will tell the stories of the songs played and

historical background on the instruments.

FAIRHOPE'S FAMOUS CABARET DANCES

Cabaret 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**

October 10 Band: Sonny Tanner

October 24
Band: Exit 105
Theme: Halloween

Blood Pressure Screening

Montrose Bay Health & Rehab offers the screening On the 2nd Monday of each month at 9 a.m.

<u>Aseracare Hospice</u> offers the screening on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. at 9 a.m.

Split the pot drawing held at every dance!

Thanks to our dance
hostesses Gloria Davis,
Betty Deese, Marie
Weatherly & Bonnie
Matchey.

GO TO THE MOVIES WITH THE NIX CENTER

On the third Tuesday of each month the Nix Center takes a group to the movies in Daphne. Participants ride the Nix Center bus to the movie theater, space is limited to the first 11 people and you must pre-register. Only pre-registered participants will be guaranteed a seat on the bus.

On <u>October 15</u>, participants will see go to the movies. Movie will be <u>Captain Phillips</u>. Time to be announced and movie subject to change. Check with Nix Center personnel for change. Participants are responsible for admission fee to movie and refreshments.

Please register at the Nix Center Front Desk at 251-928-2835.

Nix Center Monthly Coffee With a Cop

The Nix Center program "Coffee With a Cop" enables seniors and others to meet face to face with Chief 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 (October 8) of each month at 9 am.

For more information on Coffee With a Cop at Nix Center, call 928-2835.

FLU SHOTS AT THE NIX CENTER

The Nix Center is hoping to offer Flu Shots in October through the Baldwin County Health Department or a local pharmacy. Look for updates around the Nix Center for dates and times. In the mean time, we encourage you to talk to your doctor or pharmacist about getting a Flu Shot. Most local pharmacies are offering Flu Shots including Publix, Walgreens and CVS. To keep well this Flu season, remember to wash your hands. Stay Healthy!

Foley Senior Center Halloween Party ACTIVITIES
AROUND TOWN

First Friday Art Walk Friday, October 4, 6-8 pm beginning at the Eastern Shore Art Center. Call 928-2228 for info.

Baldwin Senior Travelers

October 12- Beach Boys Concert at the Beau Rivage. For more 8th Annual Foley Senior Center Halloween Party on October 31st at noon in the Foley Civic Center. Enjoy lunch, costume contest and door prizes! Cost is \$3 plus a non-perishable food item. Ride the Nix Center bus to the Halloween Party. Please register at the Nix Center front desk or call 928-2835. Space is limited.

info, call 928-8478.

Village Peddler Cooking Class
Monday, October 21 at 6 p.m. featuring the chefs from R.
Bistro. For reservations, call 928-4850.

Fairhope's Fall Farmer's Market

Fairhope's Fall Farmer's Market is in full swing! Open every Thursday, **September 26 through November 7** behind the Fairhope Public Library on Bancroft Street from 3 p.m. until dark. Local farmer's will sell produce, flowers, honey and more!

Theatre 98 Presents Night Watch

Theatre 98 will present *Night Watch*, by Lucille Fletcher and directed by Leslie Johnson on **October 17-20 and 23-27**. In this gripping thriller, an emotionally fragile woman recovering from a nervous breakdown believes she sees a murder victim in the house across the street. But when the police investigate they find nothing. Is she imagining it, or is she the victim of a plot to send her back into madness? And if so, who is responsible: her loving husband, her devoted best friend, the peculiar and rather sinister man next door, or perhaps the nosy maid? You may think you've figured it out, but there is a twist at the end that you won't see coming! Tickets are available online at www.theatre98.org, or at the box office (928-4366) after October 13. Performances are 8 p.m. every day but Sundays, when they are at 2:30 p.m. Seniors are invited to a FREE dress rehearsal on **October 16**. Please call the theatre for more info.

FREE Concert by the Atkinson Duo

Enjoy a Free concert by the Atkinson Duo on Wednesday,

October 30 at 3 p.m. The duo will be performing from their Fall Concert Series, *The Streets of Madrid*. The Atkinson Duo is a brother/sister team (violin/harp) based out of Mobile, AL.

Rebekah & Matthew Atkinson both hold music degrees and have been making music together for over a decade. For more information on this free concert, call the Nix Center front desk

at 928-2835.

Ray Hall Casino Trips

Wednesday, Oct 16
Palace Casino

Wednesday, Nov 20 IP Casino

To reserve your spot, call Richard at 928-0672.

JAMES P. NIX SENIOR ACTVITY CENTER

Brick Paver Program

at 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.

The bricks cost \$100 each and take up to three months to come in once ordered. For questions about the bricks or an order form, stop by the front desk or call 928-2835.

James P. Nix Center

Daily Activities for October

8:00-9:00 Video Exercise

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

9:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni

9:00 FREE Blood Pressure Screening
with Montrose BayHealth & Rehab
(October 14)

12:00 POTLUCK LUNCH (October 7)

Main Entree: Fried Chicken
Sponsor: Southern 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

MONDAY

1:00-4:00 Open Cards, Mahjong, Hand & Foot, Canasta, etc

TUESDAY

3:00-9:00 Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class

8:00 Video Exercise

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

: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 FREE Blood Pressure Screening with

<u>Aseracare Hospice</u> (October 15)

9:00 COFFEE WITH A COP (October 8)

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

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

12:30 Tuesday Movie (October 15)

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

Movie will be $\underline{\textbf{Captain Phillips}}.$ Space is limited to 11 people.

Location

One Bayou Drive

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Hours

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

Monday-Friday

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Participants are responsible for admission fee to the 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) **WEDNESDAY** Video Exercise 8:00-9:00 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women 9:00 Line Dancing with Carolyn. No Reservation required; \$5 fee is required. 9:30-11:30 "Arts & Crafts & Chat" Bring your own craft or hobby and socialize while you do your own project-- just come & chat. 10:00 TO YOUR HEALTH (October 9) Topic: Flu Prevention Presented by: Ashley Dahlberg, RN & Marketing Liaison for Montrose Bay Health & Rehabilitation OCTOBER BIRTHDAY BASH (OCTOBER 2) 10:30 sponsored by **Atlantes Financial Advisors** Corporation, Bay Eyes Cataract & Laser Center & Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home. Nix Center member, Jack Lynch, will entertain the group with his harmonica. 11:30 KARAOKE (OCTOBER 2) Join your friends in singing karaoke! Note the new date and time. Karaoke will start immediately following Birthday Bash. 12:30 Open Cards, Mah Jong, Cribbage, Pinochle & more (Must bring your own foursome or stop by for a list of people who may be interested in creating a foursome) 12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2 per game; for information, call Art Meyers at 625-5109. www.easternshorebridge.com 1:00 BINGO (October 23) Please join us for 10 games of bingo, prizes and refreshments. Cost is \$1 for 3 cards. Sponsored by **Gentiva**. FREE CONCERT- ATKINSON DUO (October 30) 3:00 Come listen to the musical styling's of the Atkinson Duo playing a harp and violin. **THURSDAY** Helen McKee Senior Stretch Class 8:00-9:00 8:00 Video Exercise

8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women 9:00-10:00 Free Low Impact Aerobic Class 9:30 Widowed Persons Support Group (October 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31) Sponsored by **Covenant Hospice** 12:30- 4:00 Open Cards, Pinochle and Games (must bring your own foursome) 12:30-4:00 Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club \$2 per game. For information call Art Meyers at $626\text{-}5109.\underline{www.easternshorebridgeclub.com}$ 1:30 Men's Coffee Group. Come and join in on an afternoon of fellowship and stimulating conversation. All are welcome to add their own information or options and to listen to those of others. 2:00 **TEA TIME (September 12)** Topic: Bellingrath Gardens -- Fall Foliage & Holiday Lights Speaker: Tommy McGehee, Director of the Museum Home at Bellingrath Gardens Please register at the front desk. Sponsored by **Covenant Hospice** ICE CREAM SOCIAL (October 17) 2:00 Join us for a Root Beer Float, friends, door prizes and much more! Sponsored by PNC Bank and Montrose Bay Health & Rehab 7:00-10:00 Fairhope's Famous Dances (October 10 & 24) <u>FRIDAY</u> 8:00-9:00 Video Exercise 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women 9:00 GOLD ZUMBA with Joni (October 4, 11, 18 &25) 10:00-11:00 Pocket Billiards Class --please register at the front desk. (September 20- November 8) 10:00-11:00 FINANCIAL FRIDAY (OCTOBER 25) TWO GUEST SPEAKERS! Topic: Ocercoming Obstacles -Finding Income in the Current Environment Speaker: Sue Cade, **Edward Jones Financial** Topic: Get Your Estate Legal Questions Answered Speaker: Laura Livaudais, **Davis & Fields** Eastern Shore Duplicate Bridge Club 12:30 \$2 per game. For information, call Art Meyers at 626-5109. www.easternshorebridgeclub.com 12:30 Open Cards 12:30-4:00 Mexican Dominos Boating on the Bay with Gary & Pat Gover 4:00

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