## The James P. Nix Center

## November 2013

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Thursday, November 21 with the annual **Lighting of the Trees**, illuminating more than one million lights on the downtown trees! The evenings activities begin at 5:30 and the lights come on at 6 p.m. sharp. Artwork for the event this year is by Tina Powers and posters and other items featuring the artwork will be available at Lyon's Share on Delamare Street.

The weekend following the Lighting of the Trees is packed with holiday events. **Fairhope's Holiday Stroll** is Friday, November 22 from 6 to 8 p.m. Similar to ArtWalk, this night is all about the holidays, with shopping, music, food and joy.

Saturday, November 23, the Downtown Business Association hosts the annual **Movie in the Street**, a family friendly event at the intersection of Section Street and Fairhope Avenue beginning at 6:30 p.m. *How The Grinch Stole Christmas* (cartoon version) will air first, followed by *The Polar Express.* Admission is free.

The festive holiday weekend wraps up with Fairhope's **54th Annual Christmas Open House** on Sunday, November 24, from 1 to 5 p.m. Shop for Christmas, enjoy live music, sample tasty holiday treats and take part in this long-standing Fairhope tradition. For more information on all of these events, call 251-929-1466.



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### November 4- POTLUCK LUNCH; noon

Join us for our monthly Potluck Luncheon. Main entrée will be <u>Turkey</u>. Participants should bring a dish that serves at least 8 people. <u>Bring a canned good for the Ecumenical Ministries Food</u> <u>Bank and enter for free, otherwise cost is \$1.</u> Donations will be accepted through November 15. Sponsored by: **The Brennity at Fairhope** 

November 6- BIRTHDAY BASH; 10:30 a.m. Celebrate your Birthday with the Nix Center. Enjoy Birthday Cake, Ice Cream, Games and Prizes!! Sponsored by <u>Atlantes Financial Advisors Corporation</u>, Bay Eyes Cataract and Laser Center & Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

November 6- 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.

November 12- 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.

November 13- TO YOUR HEALTH; 10:00 a.m. Topic: Medicare Benefits Presented By: Robin Roberts, <u>Aseracare</u>

November 14- TEA TIME; 2 p.m. Topic: JD Crowe's Cartoon Inspirations Presented by: JD Crowe, columnist & cartoonist for Mobile Press Register and AL.com Sponsored by: Covenant Hospice 621-4200

<u>Gentiva</u>

621-0882

Montrose Bay Health and Rehab

928-2177

Optimum Asset Management, Inc.

625-8885

PNC Bank 928-8838

Thomas Hospital

928-2375

Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home

928-9555

FAIRHOPE'S FAMOUS CABARET DANCES

Cabaret dances are held the 2nd & 4th Thursday of every month at the Nix

## Refreshments Provided By: Andree's Wine & Cheese

November 21- ICE CREAM SOCIAL; 2 p.m. Join us for a Brownie Sundae, friends and door prizes! Sponsored by: PNC Bank and Kelly Dowell Financial

## November 27-BINGO; 1 p.m.

Please join us for 10 games of bingo, prizes and refreshments. Cost is \$1 for 3 cards. Sponsored by: <u>Gentiva Hospice</u> Center from

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

Costs: \$5.00 Members

\$9.00 Guests

November 14 Band: Charlie Freeman

There will only be one dance in November.

Split the pot drawing held at every dance!

## **Blood Pressure Screening**

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

## 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>November 12</u>, participants will see go to the movies. Movie and time to be announced and 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.

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

## **November Potluck**

Help Ecumenical Ministries feed the needy during the Holiday season by donating a canned good for the Ecumenical Ministries Food Pantry. By bringing a canned good, you can enter Potluck for Free! Bring your side dish and enjoy a Turkey dinner, compliments of <u>The Brennity at Fairhope</u>. Potluck is on <u>November 4 at noon</u> in the Nix Center Ballroom.

## Oak Hollow Farms Trip

Visit Oak Hollow Farms in Fairhope with your friends at the Nix Center, along with the Senior Centers from Foley, Loxley, Gulf Shores, Orange Beach and Robertsdale! The Nix Center bus will take you to Oak Hollow Farms on **Friday, November 8.** The cost is \$15 per person and will include lunch, a hayride and games with prizes. Other games including dominos, horseshoes and cards will be available to play. Lunch will include a pulled pork sandwich, coleslaw, baked beans, dessert and a drink. Enjoy a day with friends at Oak Hollow Farms; an oasis in our own backyard. The deadline to sign up is November 5th. Space is limited, so please reserve your spot soon. The Nix Center bus will leave at 10:15 a.m. and return to the Nix Center around 2:30 p.m. For more information, contact the Nix Center front desk.

### ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN

First Friday Art Walk Visit the Art Center on the first Friday of the month for art, refreshments and music. Walk around downtown Fairhope and enjoy all that the

### City has to offer on Friday, AARP Driver Safety Course November 1 from 6-8 p.m. at Homestead Village Village Peddler **Cooking Class** Learn how to create healthy AARP Driver Safety classes for seniors 50 and over holiday choices will be offered at Homestead Village in Fairhope on from Sherri **November 18**. The class is from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., McCollum. Class with an hour lunch at noon. Lunch may be taken on is November 4 from 6-7:30 p.m. or off the site but those who wish to eat on the and costs \$30 per premises must reserve a lunch when signing up. To person. For more enroll, call 251-929-0250. Instructor Bill Brooke is info, call 928-4850. replacing Bill Mauer, who recently retired. Most insurance companies offer a substantial discount for attendees who present a **Baldwin Senior** credential of course completion. The class offers **Travelers Trip Enjoy a fun-filled** "open enrollment" for those who live outside the day at the Eastern Shore area. Homestead Village is located **Gravhound Park** at 924 Plantation Road in Fairhope. in Mobile on **November** 16. Call 928-8478 for more info. Come Sail Away! Boating on Mobile Bay is still sailing! Skipper Gary Gover and first mate Pat Gover will take six Nix Center Members on his sail boat at 9:00 am until 1 p.m. on Friday afternoons, weather permitting. Participants should dress with layered clothing and wear deck shoes or other soft-soled shoes and are welcome to bring snacks and treats. Please register at the front desk. Spaces are limited.

## Fairhope Museum of History Tea for Two

**November 5- Alan Lipscomb**- A life-long Fairhope resident, Alan is an attorney in Fairhope and the son of a former Fairhope High School principal. Lipscomb will discuss his life in Fairhope.

**November 12- Robin Fabel**-Robin will present a PowerPoint on the life and times of Fairhope benefactor, Joseph Fels.

**November 19-Lynne Switzky**-Lynne is president of the League of Women Voters of Baldwin County and will present a program entitled "Should Women Be Allowed to Vote?"

**November 26-Bessie Montgomery**-Bessie operates Fairhope's "Town and Country" ladies apparel and has been in business in Fairhope for 72 years!

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 November**

#### MONDAY

- 8:00-9:00 Video Exercise
- 8:00-4:00 Pool for men & women
- 9:00 Tone & Stretch with Joni
- 12:00 POTLUCK LUNCH (November 4)

Main Entree: Turkey

Sponsor: The Brennity at

#### Fairhope

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

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### TUESDAY

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

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

Ray Hall Casino Trips

Wednesday, Nov 20 IP Casino

Wednesday, Dec 18 Hard Rock Casino

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

JAMES P. NIX SENIOR ACTVITY CENTER

### Location

One Bayou Drive

Fairhope, Alabama 36532

(251)928-2835

8:00	Nix Center Golf Mixed Scramble at Quail Creek Reservations required, fee to play is required.	Fax(251)990-0207
	If you would like to play, call Bob Mull at 990-9958.	<u>Hours</u>
9:00	FREE Blood Pressure Screening with	8:00 a.m5:00 p.m.
	Aseracare Hospice (November 19)	Monday-Friday
9:00	COFFEE WITH A COP (November 12)	wonday-i nday
9:00-10:00	Free Low Impact Aerobic Class	Email
9:00-12:00	Jam N' Folks Music Group	
12:30	Tuesday Movie (Novmeber 19)	sherry.sullivan@
	Ride the Nix Center bus to the movie theatre in Daphne.	cofairhope.com
	Movie TBA. Space is limited to 11 people.	OR
		sarah.smith@
	Participants are responsible for admission fee to the	cofairhope.com
	movie and refreshments. <u>Pre-registration is required.</u>	
12:30-4:00	Open Cards, Hand & Foot, Party Bridge,	Website
	Scrabble, Cribbage, etc.	www.cofairhope.com
	(Must bring your own foursome)	
1:00	BALANCE CLASS REUNION (November 12)	Personnel
-		Director, Community
WEDNESDA	<u>1Y</u>	Affairs,
8:00-9:00	Video Exercise	Sherry Sullivan
8:00-4:00	Pool/Billiards for men & women	Danon Atkinson
9:00	Line Dancing with Carolyn. No Reservation required;	Karen Beauchamp
	\$5 fee is required.	Peggy Dews
9:30-11:30	"Arts & Crafts & Chat"	Josh Graham
	Bring your own craft or hobby and socialize	Sara Hann
	while you do your own project just come & chat.	Marguerite Peterson
10:00	TO YOUR HEALTH (November 13)	Sarah Smith
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Topic: Medicare Benefits

Presented by: Robin Roberts, Aseracare Hospice

### 10:30 NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY BASH (NOVEMBER 6)

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 (NOVEMBER 6)

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 (NOVEMBER 27)

Please join us for 10 games of bingo, prizes

and refreshments. Cost is \$1 for 3 cards.

Sponsored by Gentiva.

#### THURSDAY

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

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Hartmann, Blackmon & Kilgore, P.C. & Homestead Village.

- 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women
- 9:00-10:00 Free Low Impact Aerobic Class
- 9:30 Widowed Persons Support Group Sponsored by <u>Covenant Hospice</u>
- 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

626-5109.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 (November 14)

Topic: JD's Cartoon Inspirations

Speaker: JD Crowe

Please register at the front desk.

Sponsored by Covenant Hospice

2:00 ICE CREAM SOCIAL (November 21) Join us for a Brownie Sundae, friends, door prizes

and much more!

Sponsored by PNC Bank and Kelly Dowell Financial

7:00-10:00 Fairhope's Famous Dances (November 14)

FRIDAY

8:00-9:00 Video Exercise

- 8:00-4:00 Pool/Billiards for men & women
- 9:00 GOLD ZUMBA with Joni
- 10:00-11:00 FINANCIAL FRIDAY (OCTOBER 25)

Topic: The Danger of Investing in Bonds During a Low

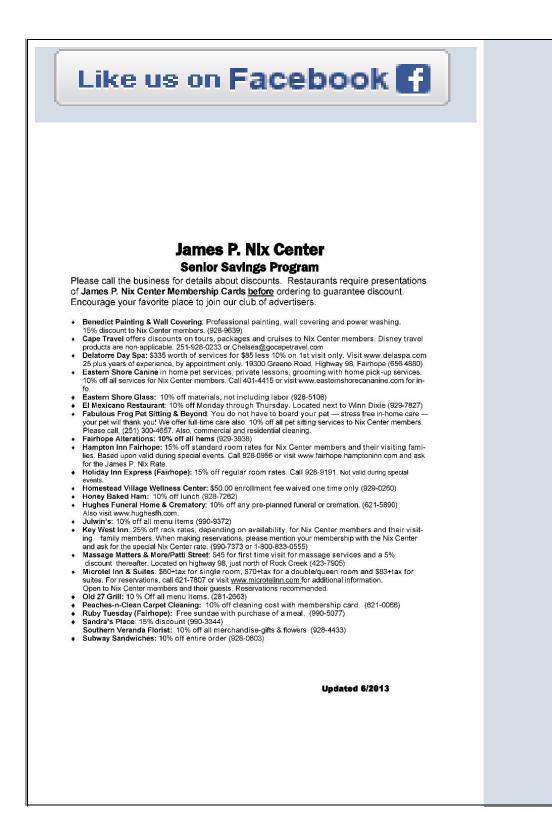
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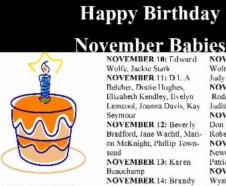
Speaker: Eric Nager, Southern Capital Services

- 10:30 Oak Hollow Farms Trip (November 8)
- 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
- 1:00-4:00 Open Cards, Mahjong, Hand & Foot, Canasta, etc

The Nix Center will be closed on Monday, November 11 in observance of Veteran's Day.

The Nix Center will be closed on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29 in celebration of the Thanksgiving Holiday.





NOVEMBER 1: Charles McInnis, Donna Aman, Lisa Roussel NOVEMBER 2: Ann Williams, Elsie Mosher, Lucille Ganus NOVEMBER 3: Ann Fortier, Ivan Dumph NOVEMBER 4: Audrey Taylor, James Jackson, Marguerite Peterson, Pat Allen NOVEMBER 5: Audrey Murphy, Dorothy McClure, Mike Hendrix NOVEMBER 6: Stan Grubin NOVEMBER 7: Bill Yost, Pat Tippir NOVEMBER 8: Fred Greenwood, Nancy Morris, Suzanne Simms, Wanda Beasley NOVEMBER 21: Mary Jones

NOVEMBER 11: D.1. A Belcher, Dottie Hughes, Elizabeth Kendley, Evelyn Lemcool, Joanna Davis, Kay Seymour NOVEMBER 12: Beverly Bradford, Jane Wachtl, Marion McKnight, Phillip Townsend NOVEMBER 13: Karen Beauchamp NOVEMBER 14: Brandy Haas, Julie Curran, Kathryn Stanford NOVEMBER 15: Gilbert Wright NOVEMBER 16: Arlene Ballow, John Morahito NOVEMBER 17: Delhert Armstrong, Maud Van Eysbergen, Phil Webb NOVEMBER 18: Helen Cherkofsky, Ronna Field-Yeager, William Bradford NOVEMBER 19: Audrey Smith Javne Margaret

Meggin, Millie Clay. Waylan Helms NOVEMBER 20: Harry Kohler

NOVEMBER 22: Clady Woltman, Jane McLendon, Judy Gray, Sylvia Largay **NOVEMBER 23:** Amalia Rodriguez, Gayle Read, Judith Wilder, Thomas Semmes NOVEMBER 24: Charles Blaes, Don Delarlais, Ottilie Halstead, Robert Moffitt NOVEMBER 25: Charlie Newcomer, George Sullivan, Patricia Grubbs **NOVEMBER 26:** Barbara Wyatt, Lynn Rosen NOVEMBER 27: Andre DiMatreo

NOVEMBER 28: Belly Baldwin, Cindy Wilkinson, Joe Melntosh, Linda Hutchinson, Linda Glover, Mark Bemasconi NOVEMBER 29: Ann Pierce, Claudia Ainsworth, Sharon Sharp

NOVEMBER 30: Kelsey Bryant, Kenneth Krawczyk, Lois O'Konek



Happy Thanksgiving



# EVERY DAY IS VETERANS DAY



Enjoy lunch and the unveiling of our Wall of Heros Join The Brenn ty at Dachne for Ive music and a chef

prepared lunch in honor of Veterans Day. We will honor the men and women at The Brennity who have served our country with an unveiling of our Wall of Heros, join us for ceremony and stay for a delicious lunch!

> Monday, November II 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

For more information, call (251) 626-9000

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