



The Center Newsletter



Geneva Township Center

400 Wheeler Drive
Geneva, IL 60134
630/232-3602
Hours: 8:30-4:30 M-F

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- Scott Queen, Trustee
- Sheri McMurray, Director



Important Dates	
Wheeler Walkers	6/3, 10, 17, 24
Gals' Chat	6/5
Phase 10 Card Game	6/5
BINGO	6/6
Friday Movies	6/7, 14, 21, 28
Paramount Theatre Trip	6/12
BUNCO	6/13
Swedish Days Lunch	6/19
Card Bingo	6/20
Lifelong Learning Institute	6/26
Book Club	6/26
8-Ball Pool Tournament	6/27
Cougar's Game	7/10
Hand & Foot	Tues. & Fri.
Train Dominoes	Mon. & Fri.
Poker	Tues., Wed., Thurs.
Pinochle	Tues.

8-Ball Pool Tournament

Members are invited to shoot some pool at this informal, coed, just-for-fun competition on **Thursday, June 27 at 11:00 am**. A lunch buffet and drinks will be available in the dining room for players to enjoy during the competition. You'll play as singles with double elimination. All skill levels are welcome. If you'd rather not play, come to watch, and cheer on the participants. Trophies will be awarded to the top three shooters. **You must call to sign up for the tournament and lunch no later than Thursday, June 20 by calling the Center at 630/232-3602.**

Cougar's Summer Outing

It's official; there's a lot of interest in a coed outing to a Cougar's baseball game! The Center has reserved a private party suite on **Wednesday, July 10 at 11:30am** for the game against the *Cleburne Railroaders*. The game begins at 11:30am and members are asked to meet at the stadium. You may wish to carpool with friends. Parking passes will be provided to attendees. We'll watch them play in the comfort of a party suite on the upper deck. The suite features indoor (climate controlled) and outdoor seating, two flat screen televisions with satellite capability and in-stadium audio. A complimentary lunch of hamburgers, hot dogs, brats, chips, and drinks will be served in the suite. This event is free to Center members; however, space is limited. Call the Center at 630/232-3602 to make a reservation. **If you called in May about your interest, please call again to confirm that you're able to attend on July 10.**

NEW Learn Phase 10

We have so many card playing members! If you'd like to add another game to your list, stop at the Center on **Wednesday, June 5th at 10:00am** to learn about **Phase 10**. **Eileen** will introduce this Rummy-type card game that's limited to six players. With a challenging and exciting twist, be the first player to complete all 10 phases.

Book Club

On **Wednesday, June 26 at 10:30 am** the book club will meet and discuss this month's choice: *The Trackers* by **Charles Frazier**. Hurtling past the downtrodden communities of Depression-era America, painter Val Welch travels westward to the rural town of Dawes, Wyoming. Through a stroke of luck, he's landed a New Deal assignment to create a mural representing the region for their new Post Office. **Copies of the book are available June 3rd at the Geneva Library.** Novels are in the book club holding area (1st floor) for 10 days. New readers are always welcome!

Gals' Chat in June

On **Wednesday, June 5 at 1:00 pm** join other Center gals in the social hall for an informal, topic-based discussion. Join this NEW monthly group devoted to the "Gals"!

Paramount Theatre Trip Reminder

The trip to the Paramount Theatre for *Beautiful – The Carole King Musical* and lunch on **Wednesday, June 12 is FULL**. If you are registered for this outing but haven't paid, please do so right away. **Payment must be received no later than Monday, June 3.** After that date, we'll go to the waitlist. The total cost of the trip (coach bus transportation, lunch, and show) is \$70. Cash or a check made out to Geneva Township will be accepted. The bus departs the Center at 11:30a.m. Call the Center at 630/232- 3602 if you have questions.

Swedish Days Lunch

On **Wednesday, June 19 at 12:00 pm** the Geneva Lion's Club will again be grilling up some delicious Ream's bratwurst and beef hot dogs for Center members. Chips, a cookie, and cold beverages are included. This year members may even see a "Lion" or two in the dining room including an entertainer. As many of you know, the Lion's Club supports local charities with the proceeds of the lunch sales during Swedish Days. Seating will be available on the back patio and in the dining room. Reservations are required and limited. **Please contact the Center at 630/232-3602 to register and let us know whether you'd like a brat OR a hot dog.**

Lifelong Learning Institute

On **Wednesday, June 26 at 1:00pm** Center members are invited to hear a presentation about the Lifelong Learning Institute (LLI). This group is an open membership organization for adults aged 50 and older who are actively engaged in the pursuit of knowledge. As a peer-learning program, its members plan, lead and participate in courses, course-related trips, and social events. LLI courses are held on Waubensee's campuses and at locations throughout the area. The Center has hosted LLI courses on several occasions over the years. Call the Center at 630-232-3602 if you'd like to attend.

Wheeler Walkers Schedule Change

In recognition of the warmer weather, the Wheeler Walkers will now start walking earlier in the morning. **Every Monday at 9:30am, weather permitting, join the group for a refreshing walk on the paths in Wheeler Park.** Don't forget, you can walk at your own pace! After walking, stop at the Center for some refreshments.

Newsletter Delivery

Mail delivery across the country has slowed. We want you to receive information in a timely way. Until delivery times improve and if it's an option for you, we will be glad to add you to the newsletter email list. Call the Center or send your email address to Sheri at smcmurray@genevatownship.com. **If you are no longer interested in receiving the monthly newsletter, please let us know.** You may pick up a copy of the calendar and newsletter at the Center. Finally, the monthly newsletter and calendar are available on the website at www.genevatownship.com.

MOVIES continued from last page...

JUNE 21

BEFORE SUNSET (2004)

1:20 Hours * Rated R

Starring Ethan Hawke and Julie Delpy

Nine years ago, two strangers met by chance, spent a night together in Vienna, and parted before sunrise. Now they're about to cross paths again in Paris, where they will get the second chance, we all wish we had.

JUNE 28

LEGENDS OF THE FALL (1994)

2:13 Hours * Rated R

Starring Brad Pitt & Anthony Hopkins

This is an epic story of three brothers bound by loyalty, tested by war, and torn apart by love. Brad Pitt stars as Tristan, the wildest of the Ludlow sons, whose failure to protect his brother puts his entire family on a path of betrayal and self-destruction. From the battlefields of

Daily Drop-In Activities

The following activities are available whenever the Center is open, Monday through Friday, 8:30-4:30. It's all free; no need to sign up!

- **Billiards:** 8-ball and 9-ball, on the porch when the porch is not scheduled for other activities.
- **Shuffleboard:** The table is on the porch.
- **Crossword Puzzles.** New every day.
- **Magazines:** the latest are in the lounge area.
- **Newspapers:** Daily Herald, Chronicle, Tribune. Wall Street Journal. New every day.
- **Jigsaw Puzzles:** One is always underway and anyone can help solve it.
- **Games:** Bridge, card bingo, pinochle, poker, cribbage, train dominoes, chess, mah jongg and other board games.
- **55" Big Screen TV:** When the TV room is not otherwise in use, you can watch our movies or bring in one of your own.
- **Computer Access:** Drop by and log on.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Geneva Township Center shall be to act as the primary community resource to serve all citizens of Geneva Township by enriching the social and intellectual life of our older adults; helping our older adults contribute to the well being of our community as effective and useful citizens of the township; helping those approaching or in retirement to plan appropriately; organizing community interest in improving the overall climate of living for our older residents; decreasing the sense of isolation and dependence that often accompanies old age; and, helping our older adults meet practical problems attendant with aging.

Europe to the farthest reaches of civilization, **LEGENDS OF THE FALL** follows Tristan's turbulent journey.



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JUNE 2024

FRIDAY MOVIES

@ 1:00PM

ON THE BIG SCREEN!

WITH POPCORN!

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. Seating is limited. If you plan to attend one or more of the Friday movies, please call the Center of- fice at 630/232-3602.

JUNE 7

FINDING NEVERLAND (2004)

1:41 Hours * Rated PG

Starring Johnny Depp & Kate Winslet

This charming account of a period in the life of author J.M. Barrie (Johnny Depp) reveals the real relationships and events that served as the basis for the author's most iconic work, "Peter Pan."

JUNE 14

LAST CHANCE HARVEY (2008)

1:33 Hours * Rated PG-13

Starring Dustin Hoffman & Emma Thompson

In London for his daughter's wedding, a

DON'T FORGET OUR FREE SERVICES

Services are typically free of charge to Geneva Township residents age 55+!

- Hearing Screen (Quarterly)**
- RTA Senior Citizen Fare I.D. Photos & Cards. (Age 65+ only!). One stop. (*\$5.00 charge for non-residents*)
- Personal Document Shredding
- Senior Services Associates, Inc. Caseworker
- Central Kane County TRIAD
- Free Eye Care & Glasses. (financial qualification).
- Lunches**
- Computer Access

** Not currently offered

struggling jingle-writer, Harvey Shine (Dustin Hoffman), misses his plane to New York, and thus loses his job. While drowning his sorrows in the airport pub, Harvey meets Kate (Emma Thompson), a British government worker stuck in an endless cycle of work, phone calls from her mother, and blind dates. A connection forms between the unhappy pair.

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