# **The Senior Connection**



June 2025

## **DEMENTIA CONVERSATIONS**

### An education program presented by the Alzheimer's Association



When someone shows signs of dementia, it's time to talk. Often, conversations with family about changing behaviors can be challenging and uncomfortable. This program offers tips on how to have honest an caring conversations to address some of the most common issues.

#### Topics covered in program include:

- O Going to the doctor
- Occiding when to stop driving
- Making legal and financial plans

### Join Us for Elder Abuse Awareness Day – June 16th! 11:15 AM (Regularly scheduled activities are cancelled.)

Let's come together as a community to raise awareness about elder abuse, its impact, and ways to prevent it. Protecting and supporting our seniors is a shared responsibility, and this day is dedicated to education, advocacy, and action.

Enjoy a **sack lunch** while we engage in meaningful discussions about safeguarding older adults. We are honored to welcome **Anne Randles from Adult Protective Services**, who will share valuable insights, and representatives from **various home health agencies and nursing facilities**, providing an abundance of information and resources.

Adding to the energy and excitement, the **Walhonding Rube Band** will be here, bringing fantastic music to the event!

**WEAR YOUR PURPLE** to show your support and solidarity. Let's stand together for a safer, more caring world for our elders!

Reservations are requested for this event. Stop by the desk or call us at **(740) 622-4852.** 

### Friday , June 13 11:30a.m.– 12:30p.m. Coshocton Senior Center 201 Browns Lane

Coshocton, Ohio 43812

Visit alz.org/CRF to explore additional education programs in your area. alzheimer's association Greater East Ohio Area Chapter

### June is Elder Abuse Awareness Month: What You Need to Know

Every year, June marks Elder Abuse Awareness Month, a time to shine a light on a serious issue affecting older adults across the world. Elder abuse can take many forms—physical, emotional, financial, neglect, or even abandonment—and often goes unnoticed.

### **Understanding Elder Abuse**

Elder abuse occurs when an older person is harmed or exploited, often by someone they trust, such as caregivers, family members, or professionals. Some common signs include:

- Unexplained injuries like bruises or burns
- Sudden changes in financial situation due to fraud or exploitation
- Social withdrawal or depression caused by emotional abuse
- Poor hygiene or untreated health conditions pointing to neglect

### What Can You Do?

• **Stay vigilant**: If you have elderly loved ones, check in on them regularly.

• Educate yourself: Learn to recognize the signs of abuse.

• **Report concerns**: If you suspect elder abuse, contact local authorities or adult protective services.

• **Support older adults**: Encourage community programs that protect and empower seniors.

Raising awareness and taking action can make a huge difference in the lives of older adults. Let's work together to ensure they are treated with dignity, respect, and care. FRAUD BUSTERS

Bingo

Learn how to fight back against medical identity theft while having fun with Bingo!

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4th

12:30 p.m. Coshocton Senior Center

For questions, see April.





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BIG MOVIE MATINEE ALERT! Get ready to laugh, cheer, and maybe even shed a happy tear—because we're rolling out the red carpet for our Father's Day Movie Matinee! Join us Wednesday, June 18th @ 1:00 for our monthly movie. Light refreshments will be provided! Medicare fraud can not only impact your finances, it can also harm your health. Sharpen your fraud fighting skills while having fun playing bingo. A representative from the Ohio Senior Medicare Patrol will be onsite Wednesday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p.m. to share more information about preventing, detecting and reporting fraud.



#### Join Us for a Craft in June!

Get creative with us this June as Vicki Young leads a fun crafting session! She'll be showing us how to make beautiful bookmarks, perfect for adding a personal touch to your favorite reads.

#### Date: June 11th Time: 1:00 PM Sign-up Required

All supplies will be provided, so just bring yourself and your love for crafting! To reserve your spot, call the center to sign up.

Don't miss this chance to unleash your creativity and make something wonderful. We can't wait to see you there!

Application portal for Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program vouchers is NOW OPEN at https://portal.homegrownbenefits.com/apply/ohio.

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#### Supporting Local Seniors with Convenient Grocery Shopping and Delivery

In our community, ensuring that seniors have access to essentials is a top priority. That's why the local senior center offers a fantastic grocery shopping and delivery service for those who may struggle to get out on their own.

With just a simple phone call, seniors can provide their grocery list, and a dedicated driver will shop for them at our local Buehler's and deliver the groceries right to their doorstep. This service not only makes daily life easier for older residents but also fosters a sense of care and support within the community.

For seniors who face mobility challenges or health concerns, this program eliminates the stress of grocery shopping while ensuring they have everything they need to maintain a comfortable lifestyle. It's a wonderful initiative that truly makes a difference in the lives of those who need it most.

Call us at **(740)622-4852** for more information or to schedule a delivery.



### Grandma's Peanut Butter Fudge

Original recipe (1X) yields 24 servings

- 4 cups white sugar
- 1 (12 fluid ounce

can evaporated milk

- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup peanut butter

(creamy or crunchy your preference)

• 1 (7 ounce) jar marshmallow crème (or 4 large marshmallows= 1 oz)

Butter a 9x13 inch baking dish and set aside.
 Butter a 3 quart saucepan.

2. Place buttered saucepan over medium heat, and combine sugar, evaporated milk and 1 cup butter within. Heat to between 234 and 240 degrees F (112 to 116 degrees C), or until a small amount of syrup dropped into cold water forms a soft ball that flattens when removed from the water and placed on a flat surface.

 Remove from heat and stir in peanut butter and marshmallow creme. Beat vigorously until smooth.
 Pour quickly into prepared baking dish. Let cool completely before cutting into squares.

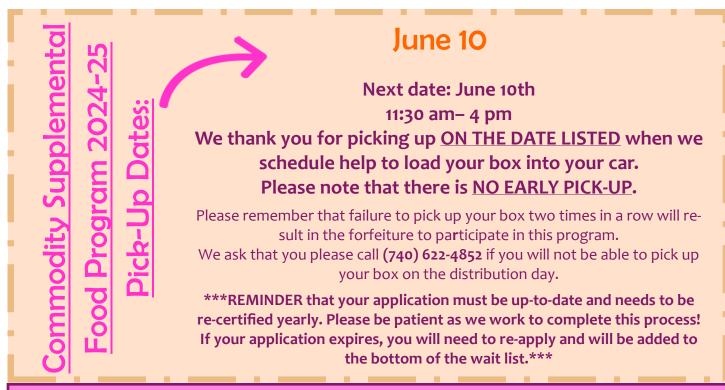
### FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

### **FRIDAY JUNE 13, 2025**



COME CELEBRATE FATHER'S DAY WITH US HERE AT THE SENIOR CENTER!! LIGHT BRUNCH WILL BE READY AT 10, AND SALISBURY STEAK WILL BE SERVED AT NOON!

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<u>IMPORTANT REMINDER</u>: Meals can NOT be left behind at the home if the client is not at home to receive it in person. If you know your are not going to be home or you wish to cancel for that day, Please call the Senior Center. Your courtesy call and respectful efforts help us to eliminate and reduce unnecessary food preparation and packaging cost as well as lower fuel usage and other delivery related expenses, which helps us as a non-profit to curtail expenses so we can continue to serve our seniors while also reducing waste. WHEN CANCELLING, CALL (740) 622-4852, PRESS 1 AND LEAVE A MESSAGE!

### For more information on any of our services, please call us at **(740) 622-4852**. Our business hours are Monday-Friday 8AM-4:30PM.

**CONGREGATE MEALS:** Served to seniors 60 & over at 12:00PM. Voluntary contribution of \$5.00 is suggested.

**HOME DELIVERED MEALS:** Delivery of hot, wellbalanced nutritious meals, a friendly visit and a safety check to qualifying seniors.

**NUTRITION EDUCATION:** Scheduled to present nutrition information specifically for seniors.

AAA 9 PASSPORT SERVICES: Ohio Medicaid waiver program helping individuals who qualify to receive care and support services. We make referrals.

**SOUPS/SALADS:** Available Monday thru Friday between 11:00 am and 1:00 pm - \$3 for a 16 oz. cup of soup or a salad.

**GROCERY ORDERING & DELIVERY:** Call us with your order, we will shop for and deliver your groceries.

**EXERCISE CLASSES:** There are a variety of classes available; please see activity calendar to learn more or stop in for brochures.

**GOLDEN BUCKEYE CARD:** If you are 60+, or if you are 18–59 and can show proof of being permanently disabled, we can assist you with getting a Golden Buckeye Card.

**COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM** (CSFP): Monthly food program for those age 60+ who live in Coshocton County and meet income guidelines.

**INFORMATION & REFERRAL:** Assistance with senior services in our community. Information and referrals available.

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Menu subject to change.

To access ingredient content, visit www.knohoco.org or call 740-622-4852. Choice of bread & milk with meal. There are no substitutions available.



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All of our senior programming is provided at no charge for seniors, and no senior will be denied services due to an inability or unwillingness to contribute toward the cost of any service. Voluntary contributions are encouraged and enable us to serve a larger number of seniors in Coshocton		Renee RaberHDM Driver John BurtHDM Driver Rick PhelpsHDM Driver			
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