

SEPTEMBER 2023

Random Acts Of

Kindness Rock

Join the Lancaster Community Center Team at The Horse Shed Fair



Let's show our love for our community! Paint a kindness rock and place for our friends and neighbors to find

September 30, 2023 We hope you can join us!

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ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Center hours:

Monday-Thursday 8am-5pm Friday-8am-4pm Saturday 8am-

12pm

Closed Sundays

CENTER ACTIVITIES

Pickleball | Ballroom dancing | Tai Chi | Stitch & Sew | Bingo

Chair and Standing Yoga | Cribbage | Zumba | Open Mic Nights

Lunch Club | Meals | Trips | Veteran Benefits | Well Clinics | Trans-

portation | SHINE | Agency Referrals | Bridge | Gardening | Mah-

jong | Scrabble | Educational Series | cake decorating

| internet cafe | arts and crafts





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a strength, balance, and fitness class for adults 654

One-hour classes will be held...

Lancaster Community Center

39 Harvard Road, Lancaster, MA

Wednesdays

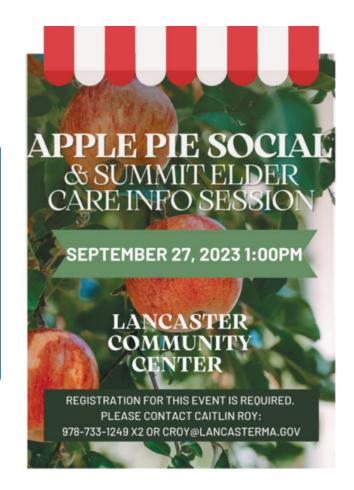
1:30-2:30

For more information:

Caitlin Roy, Outreach & Activities Coordinator CRoy@Lancasterma.gov or (978) 733-1249 x 2

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As we age, we have a lot to share. The experience and wisdom we have gained over the years are truly more valuable than we know. We may not

realize it, but there are people who need us, people who can learn from us and people who admire us. Nashoba Neighbors is based on the belief that everyone has something to offer and there is no limit to the effect we can have on others. We are never too old!!!

We have people who are members and those who are volunteers AND members who are also volunteers! Would you like to learn more about how you can join us in our goal of making a difference in the lives of those we serve while making a positive difference in your own life? We would love to tell you more about us, no pressure at all! If you know someone who could benefit from Nashoba Neighbors, please help us spread the word.

Call us anytime at 978-226-8844 or stop by our table at Backyard Bolton on Saturday, September 16 at the Bolton Town Common. At other tables, you will also be able to enjoy work by creative local artists, farm fresh vegetables, and some sweet treats.



Well-Being Total Home Care 978-877-3748 or

info@wbtotalhomecare.com

Well-Being Total Home Care services seniors and disabled individuals that choose to live independently in their homes.

We provide property services such as handyman odd jobs, air conditioner installation, grab bar installation, gutter cleaning, lawn care, pressure washing and more!!! Call now!!!

The Lancaster Community Center (LCC)

An <u>all-ages</u> center for community events

www.ci.lancaster.ma.us Or call—978-733-1249

The LCC is open from 8am-5pm M-F, 8am-5pm Friday and 8am-12pm on Saturdays Where: The Community Center is behind the Town Green (behind Prescott Building). The lower level has handicapped access. What: The Center is home to many special events and open to all ages. A full schedule is on the town website, under Community Center. The LCC is home to Lancaster Social Services offices. Each office keeps their own office hours; Veterans Affairs, Council on Aging, Recreation and Board of Health. The LCC is home to the Senior Center, and offers meeting space for boards, commissions, and non-profits.

Rentals:

We rent our facility for reasonable fees! The Center is popular for Parties, Cookouts, Reunions, meetings and more! Check the calendar for availability, and the website for our rental forms (call to be sure). There are a variety of spaces including game and meeting rooms, a gym and a lovely shaded patio. The Center is a great space for birthday parties, family gatherings, club meetings and more! Let us show you our space!

Contact: croy@lancasterma.gov or 978-733-1249 x2



The Meals on Wheels program is offered through Making Opportunity Count (MOC), helping older adults to eat nutritiously and stay safe in their homes. Each meal meets one-third of the USDA's daily recommended dietary allowances for adults. Questions for yourself or a loved one? Give us a call at 978-733-1249 x2.

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PLAZA

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BREAKFAST CLUB-FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH
MOUNTAINSIDE CAFE

LUNCHEON CLUB—FOURTH FRIDAY—

SANDEES

DIVINE DINNING-SECOND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH - FUNKY MURPHYS



47th Annual **Horseshed Fair**

Saturday September 30, 2023 10am – 4pm

Over 60 crafter and artisan booths Dakota Chili and Burgers Live Music Homemade pies Craft Beers Kids Korner with Pony Rides and more...



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Friends Annual Book Sale

Sept 29-30, Oct 1 & Oct 7-8, 2023

Friday 3-7 pmSaturdays 9 am - 4 pm Sundays 12 - 4 pm

Lancaster old Town Hall



Fri, Sept 29th \$30/bag

Sat, Sept 30th \$25/bag

Sun, Oct 1st \$20/bag

Sat, Oct 7th \$15/bag Sun, Oct 8th \$10/bag

Members receive \$5 off/bag

\$2 hardcover, \$1.50 softcover, \$.50 paperbacks Credit cards accepted

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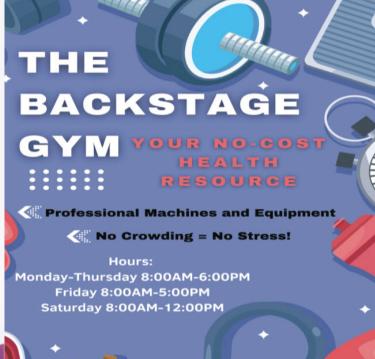




Both Fridays & Saturdays 9:00AM LCC gym

Join us for a 45-minute class combining aerobic conditioning, strength training, core, and flexibility. Designed for max results and appropriate for all fitness abilities! This class helps to strengthen and tone, using body weight, weights, and other fitness equipment.

Bring your will and determination!







Its BAAACCCKKKK

Ball Room Dancing Lessons

With Jim Cole of Sunstrike Thursdays at 7pm



This 4-week program runs on Wednesday evenings from September 6th through September 27th. Cost is \$40.

5:00-5:45 in the LCC Activities Room



Certified yoga instructor, Liz Garreffi, RYT, will emphasize breathwork along with refreshing and strengthening movement including sun salutations, core exercises, balancing poses, stretches, and ending with a feel good meditation and restorative Savasana pose.

Please register using MyRec:

https://lancasterma.myrec.com/info/activities/program_details.aspx ProgramID=29846

STITCH & SEW FREE

- Thursdays 10:00-11:30
- Come stitch, sew, chat, and enjoy a cup of coffee with friends!





Hatha Yoaa Chair and Standing Mondays at 11:15



In the Activites Room

Welcoming all ages and abilities!

Yoga is widely recognized as a way to improve balance and posture, maintain range of motion and reduce stress. Come join us!

First class is free! \$5 per class or 6 classes for \$25 Mats provided

The Lancaster Police Department's Community Policing initiative is happy to announce the opening of our new satellite office at the Community Center. Let's work together to understand law enforcement's role in making today's Lancaster all that it can be. Together we can!



TUESDAYS

___10:45AM-11:45AM

Lancaster Community Center Gym

\$5.00 PER

Caitlin Roy at 978-733-1249 x2

TUESDAY 6:00PM-8:30PM THURSDAY 12:30PM-3:30PM FRIDAY 1:00PM-3:00PM

KINDLY REGISTER FOR THE TUESDAY AND THURSDAY SESSIONS USING THE FOLLOWING EMAIL ADDRESS: playbridge.lcc@gmail.com

> **ALL SESSIONS ARE IN THE** LCC ACTIVITIES ROOM

CRAZY CRAFTERNOONS!

CARD MAKING CLASS -2nd Friday Instruction, Materials, laughs just

Class begins at 10 a.m.

EVENTS & PROGRAMMING



Friends with a Purpose

The Friends of the Lancaster Seniors is a 5013C Corporation whose purpose is to raise and collect funding and decide how to use these funds to improve the lives of Lancaster Seniors.

Become a member and help us to best meet the needs of our Seniors.

If you are unable to join, please consider donating. You may fill out the information below and send it with your check (Payable to Friends of the Lancaster Seniors, Inc.) to:
Friends of the Lancaster Seniors, Inc.
P.O. Box 173
Lancaster, MA 01523

Name:	
Address:_	
Email:	

Enclosed is my TAX DEDUCTIBLE contribution of \$

___General Fund ____Senior Tax Relief Fund You will receive a receipt. Thank you for supporting Lancaster Seniors!

For more information about the Friends, Contact Denise Hurley at 978-257-2849 or Deehurley@hotmail.com
or visit our website: www.friendsofthelancasterseniors.com

Attention Veterans/Surviving spouse

Did you know the VA has presumptive conditions that are attributed to Agent Orange exposure for Veterans that served in Vietnam. Conditions covered, Diabetes, Ischemic Heart Condition, Parkinson's, Hypertension, and many types of cancer. A surviving spouse may be entitled to VA Widows benefits if any of these conditions contributed to their death.

Please contact VSO Rick Voutour at

978 534 7538 for more information! WE THANK YOU!!!!!

September 2023

By all these lovely tokens September days are here With summer's best of weather And autumn's best of cheer Helen Hunt Jacks

PlayTime Scheduler for Pickleball

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2
	Tai Chi 9:30am			Strength & Cardio 9:00	
	Scrabble 2-4	MAHJONG 930am	BRIDGE - 12:30pm	BRIDGE - 1pm	Strength Class 9:00
	BINGO! 1pm	LPD hours	STITCH & SEW 10am		
	BRIDGE 6pm	YOGA 5pm	Dirty Gardening 10am	breakfast club 9AM	
4	5	6	7	8	9
PICKLEBALL:	Tai Chi 9:30am	MAHJONG 930am	STITCH & SEW 10am	Strength & Cardio 9:00	Strength Class 9:00
9:30-11:30	Scrabble 2-4	CAKE DECORATING 1pm	BRIDGE - 12:30pm	elder law 10am	
1-3PM	BINGO! 1pm	YOGA 5pm	Dirty Gardening 10am	BRIDGE - 1pm	
6PM-9PM	BRIDGE 6pm	LPD hours	Divine dinning club	Crazy Crafternoon 10A	
		SAIL program 1:30pm	Ballroom Dancing 7pn	1	
11	12	13	14	15	16
PICKLEBALL:	Zumba Gold	SAIL program 1:30pm	BRIDGE - 12:30pm	Strength & Cardio 9:00	PTSD WALK 2-4
9:30-11:30	Scrabble 2-4	YOGA 5pm	Dirty Gardening 10am		Strength Class 9:00
1-3PM	Tai Chi 9:30am	Talking book library	STITCH & SEW 10am	BRIDGE - 1pm	ESSEX RIVER CRUISE
6PM-9PM	BRIDGE 6pm	MAHJONG 930am		national grid connect	& LUNCH
	BINGO! 1pm	LPD hours	Ballroom Dancing 7pn	to caring 10-1	
18	19	20	21	22	23
PICKLEBALL:	Tai Chi 9:30am	assistive technology		Strength & Cardio 9:00	Strength Class 9:00
9:30-11:30	BINGO! 1pm	YOGA 5pm	STITCH & SEW 10am	TRIVIA & Lunch 12pm	
1-3PM	Scrabble 2-4	MAHJONG 930am	BRIDGE - 12:30pm		VANCE GILBERT
6PM-9PM	BRIDGE 6pm	LPD hours	Dirty Gardening 10am	BRIDGE - 1pm	Concert on the green
	Zumba Gold	SAIL program 1:30pm	Ballroom Dancing 7pn	1	2-Nov
25	26	27	28	29	30
PICKLEBALL:		apple pie social 1pm	STITCH & SEW 10am	Strength & Cardio 9:00	Strength Class 9:00
9:30-11:30	Tai Chi 9:30am	MAHJONG 930am	BRIDGE - 12:30pm	Lunch Club 12pm	
1-3PM	BINGO! 1pm	LPD hours	Dirty Gardening 10am	BRIDGE - 1pm	Horseshed Fair &
6PM-9PM	BRIDGE 6pm	YOGA 5pm			Kindness Rocks
	Scrabble 2-4	SAIL program 1:30pm	Ballroom Dancing 7pn	1	10am-4pm
	Zumba Gold				

Thu: 9:30-11:30, 12-2p Mon: 9:30-11:30, 1-3, 6-9pm sign up at

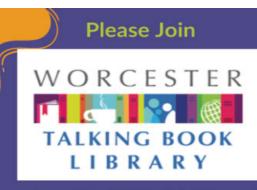
Tues: 12-2pm Fri: 10:30-12:30;1-3; 3:30-5:30

Sat: 10:30-12:30p & for LCC fun! 8:30-10:30, 1:30-3:30pm; 6:00-9:00pm

PICKLEBALL FALL SCHEDULE

1:00-3:00p

EVENTS & PROGRAMMING



September 13, 2023 11:00 at the LCC

Do you struggle to read standard print or hold a book comfortably?

The Worcester Talking Book Library (WTBL) can help!



Learn more about this free service that loans accessible reading materials, including audio and large print books, via postage-free mail.

Please contact Caltlin Roy to register: 978-733-12-19-x2 or Croy@Lancasterma.gov

Elder Education Series at the LCC

September

September 8th 10:00AM-12:00PM Drop-in Elder Law Mini Meetings, second Friday of every month

September 13th 11:00AM Worcester Talking Book Library

September 15th 10:00AM-1:00PM National grid Connect to Caring third Friday of every month.

September 20th 10:00AM Assistive Technology and Apps for Caregivers, presented by JHC LifeCare Management

September 22nd 12:00PM Lunch & Trivia, presented by Fitchburg Healthcare

September 27th 1:00PM Apple Pie Social and
Summit Elder Care Presentation

October

October 16th 10:30 AM Alzheimer's Association- Managing Money:

A Caregiver's Guide to Finances

October 18th 10:00AM Manor on the Hill Adult Day Health and
Assisted Living Information Session

October 25th 10:00AM SHINE Medicare Open Enrollment Presentation

Stay tuned for additionally scheduled programs!

Questions? Would you like to register? We are happy to help! Contact Caitlin Roy at 978-733-1249 x2 or CRoy@lancasterma.gov The LCC is on the road!

Join us for

Lunch and a Narrated Sightseeing Cruise in Essex, MA

Saturday, September 16, 2023

9:30AM departure from Lancaster

11:00AM Early Lunch at Woodman's

1:00PM-2:30PM River Cruise

\$28 per person includes transportation and River Cruise (lunch is not included in cost)



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Space is limited and payment is due upon registration before 9/8/23. Please contact Caitlin Roy with any questions or to register.

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PICKIEDAII at the LCC!

Sessions on Pickleball Scheduler are currently live through 10/14/23! \$3 per session

Please pay via check to add to your My Senior Center account

Monday: 9:30-11:30 1:00-3:00 6:00-9:00

Tuesday: 12:00-2:00

Wednesday: 8:30-10:30 1:30-3:30 6:00-9:00

Thursday: 9:30-11:30 12:00-2:00 Friday: 10:30-12:30 1:00-3:00 3:30-5:30 Saturday: 10:30-12:30 1:00-3:00

All sessions will be entered on the same 8 week rotation.

https://playtimescheduler.com/index.php?go=next&startDate=2023-08-14



Appointments are available to assist you!

First Time Applicants:

Wednesdays at the LCC starting in October 9:00-12:00 by appointment ONLY

Please contact MOC in September at 978-342-4520 to schedule your appointment.

Recertifications:

Drop-in appointments available at MOC: 165 Mill Street, Suite B, Leominster, MA. Monday-Friday 8:30-4:30

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- . Budget Billing
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If you are looking for assistance, we're here to help.

For more information, please visit ngrid.com/heretohelp

Life can be hard but finding assistance shouldn't be

Lancaster **Community Center** 39 Harvard Road Lancaster, MA 01523

3rd Friday of every month 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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Questions? Contact Caitlin Roy, LSW: 978-733-1249x2 or Croy@lancasterma.gov

MINI MEETINGS

ELDER LAW

Archdeacon Law Associates

Philip Arcidiacono MA, MFA, MArch, JD Attorney at Law



The second Friday of every month 10:00AM-12:00PM

Older adults are welcome to drop-in with questions about elder law or estate planning for a brief, no-cost meeting with Attorney Philip Arcidiacono. Your meeting does not enroll you as a client of Attorney Arcidiacono. It is an opportunity to learn about fundamental issues relevant to your questions.

HAVE A CUP OF COFFEE
WITH BETH WALSH,
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1ST TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH 11:00AM-12:30PM

Lancaster Community Center Cafe'

Cake Decorating



September class: Wednesday, 9/6

October class: Monday, 10/2
(please note the october day change)

(please note the october day change)
Please kindly register
48 hours in advance with Caitlin Roy,
978-733-1249 or CRoyelancasterma.gov

