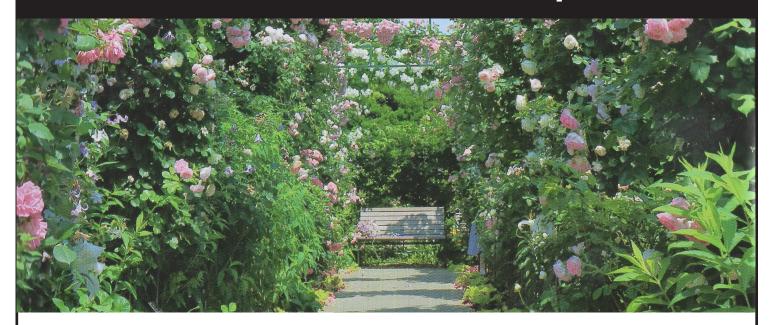
Fallbrook Senior Center Chronicle

September 2023





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Fallbrook Area Organizations You Should Know Part 2





This is the second in a series of articles to introduce our members to other local organizations that may benefit them. As mentioned last month, there are some situations or circumstances that the Senior Center is just not capable of handling. The Senior Center strives to keep our members active mentally and physically for as long as possible. But what happens when we are somewhat active, but no longer able to drive, or cook, or keep up with necessary housework? That's when Seniors Helping Seniors may be just what you need.

Senior Helping Seniors is an in-house care service organization founded in 1998. Their main goal is to help seniors stay in their own home for as long as possible. I remember hearing a story years ago from a realtor friend of mine who was engaged to sell the home of an acquaintance of hers. She knew that the lady client loved her home and had previously told her that she planned to stay in her home for as long as she lived. When the realtor questioned her client as to why she was now selling, the lady told her that she could no longer bend down low enough to plug in her vacuum. The realtor arranged for a handyman to come to the lady's home and raise some of the electrical plugs a few feet off the floor. Her client was then able to continue to live in her home. Had this homeowner had access to an organization such as SHS, she wouldn't have had to consider selling her home, nor would she have had the expense of an electrician. There is a wide range of tasks that Seniors Helping Seniors (SHS) may be able to help you with that would allow you to stay where you are.

Seniors Helping Seniors was started with two simple ideas in mind:

- Seniors can help each other age more happily and gracefully.
- Seniors who give, and those who receive, benefit equally.



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The Fallbrook Senior Center Form 990 can be viewed and printed from the guidestar website: www.guidestar.org

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THRIFT STORE

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Monday-Friday 9am - 3pm Closed Saturday & Sunday

Manager: Saliha Raddini Driver/Sales: Robert Mesquita Seniors Helping Seniors continued...

This program matches seniors who need help with seniors who want to help, creating a friendly and supportive relationship between the caregiver and the client. They offer a variety of non-medical services to assist seniors with their daily living needs, such as:

- Companionship and conversation
- Personal care and hygiene
- Light housekeeping and laundry
- Alzheimer's and dementia care
- Cooking and Shopping
- Respite care for family caregivers
- Transportation and errands
- Light Handyman Services and Small Repairs
- Pet Care

Yard Work

Seniors Helping Seniors was originally begun at a single location in 1998. Since then, it has grown to hundreds of locations throughout the United States and internationally. Close to home there are locations in Escondido and Fallbrook. This organization is a win-win for those seniors who need some assistance to stay in their homes, and for seniors who want to provide services to others. They offer reasonable hourly rates for seniors who need help and reasonable hourly wages to seniors who provide them. You can learn more about getting help or providing help by contacting them at (760) 884-4111 or by visiting them online at www.shshomecare.com.

Join Us for Mexican Independence Day Fiesta!

Mark your calendars for a fun celebration! We're happy to invite you to our Mexican Independence Day lunch on Friday, September 15th.

Enjoy mouthwatering fish tacos and immerse yourself in the festive atmosphere with lively mariachi music. It's an occasion you won't want to miss!

—— Date: Friday, September 15th ——

Time: Doors open at 10:30 and the band will already be playing. Lunch served at 11:15 a.m.

Location: Community Center Auditorium

To ensure we have enough tacos for everyone, lunch reservations are required for this special day. Secure your spot by either calling our office at 760-728-4498 or signing up at the lunch table Monday – Friday.

Reservation Deadline: September 8th

Let's come together to celebrate Mexican culture, indulge in delicious food, and enjoy the spirit of independence.

See you there!

Fallbrook Senior Center Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop has a large variety of medical and convalescent supplies for 20% off our low prices. Includes: Wheelchairs, walkers, canes, underwear and pads for incontinence, braces, and commodes.













Hours Monday - Friday 9am - 3pm 760 723.4602



Honoring our Veterans

In our upcoming November newsletter issue, we will have a page dedicated to honoring the veterans who have served our nation. To make this edition truly special, we invite all veterans to stop by the office Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and no later than September 30th to have your picture taken.

Your presence and participation would mean a lot to us. Don't miss this opportunity to be a part of our special Veterans' feature.

Please call **760-728-4498** if you have any questions.



Unleash your Creativity at Paint n' Sip

Join us on **September 18, 2023, at 12:15 p.m.** in the Senior Center Auditorium for a delightful Paint n' Sip event. Channel your artistic spirit as we guide you through an autumn painting while enjoying a sip of wine. Limited space available, so secure your spot for this artistic journey. RSVP at 760-728-4498 or drop by the office today!



Happy Birthday



Alicia Contreras August 9



David Cervantes August 29



Estela Ramirez August 27



Lisa Boonstra August 11



Mari McComb August 29



Ned Richard August 19



Nieves Olivas August 5



Carmen Sanchez from
Right at Home
provided the Birthday
Cupcakes

Fallbrook Ukulele Strummers provided the entertainment.

A special Thank You to the Strummers for donating \$200.00 to Samaritans Purse for Maui relief.

O N E N 2023 SEPTEMBER CENTER SENIOR ROOR

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Mexican Independence Whole Wheat Roll - Grapes **Grandparents Day** Yogurt w/Strawberries Corn with red peppers **Baked Potato Fries** Whole Wheat Roll Celebrating Whole Wheat Roll **California Blend** RID **Roasted Potato Baked Pollock** Fish and Chips Fish Veracruz **Brown Rice Black Beans** Fiesta Blend **Crab Cake** Fish Taco's **Ambrosia** Colesiaw Colesiaw **Ambrosia** Broccoli Colesiaw Colesiaw Colesiaw Quinoa Broccoli ш Tortilla Mango 5 Serving Lunch at the Fallbrook Community Center - 341 Heald Lane Mixed Green Salad w/red peppers Mixed Green Salad w/garbanzos > Mixed Green Salad w/beets Birthday Lunch 4 Doors open at 10:30 760-728-4498 Whole Wheat Pasta SD Meat Loaf w/gravy Mixed Green Salad Whole Wheat Roll **Mashed Potatoes** Whole Wheat Roll **Roasted Turkey Beef Stroganoff** Chicken Fajitas **Baked Potato** THUR **Green Beans** Strawberries **Baby Carrots** Blueberries Fiesta Blend Cantaloupe Cantaloupe **Brown Rice** Mixed Green Salad w/garbanzos Mixed Green Salad w/beets Mixed Green Salad w/ garbanzos Whole Wheat Quesadilla with > **Turkey Stuffed Bell Pepper Yogurt with Strawberries** Mixed Green Salad w/beets **6** Sweet and Sour Chicken 4 **Honey Mustard Chicken** Vegetable Noodle Soup Δ Whole Wheat Pasta **Butternut Squash** S Canned Peaches Ш Winter Blend **Black Beans** Z **Brown Rice** Meatballs Δ Orange Spinach Cheese **ME** Apple Farro 20 Monday - Friday 27 Mixed Green Salad w/garbanzos Fallbrook Regional HEALTH DISTRICT Mixed Green Salad w/red peppers Whole Wheat Sandwich Roll **Roasted Brussels Sprouts** Mixed Green Salad w/beets Chicken Salad Sandwich > TUESDA Whole Wheat Roll Mixed Green Salad Whole Wheat Roll **Baked Chicken Sweet Potato** Sweet Potato **Teriyaki Beef Tropical Fruit Sweet Potato** Capri Blend Asparagus **Beef Stew** Banana Barley Apple Apple Corn 0 Mixed Green Salad w/garbanzos FALLB Suggested contribution: \$5.00 per Whole Wheat Garlic Bread non-seniors. Meals include small notice. ▲ denotes meal ≥1,000 meal for seniors 60 and older. salad, bread, and milk. Menus are subject to change without **Yogurt with Blueberries** There is a \$10.00 charge for > Chicken Cordon Bleu **Egg Plant Parmesan** Whole Wheat Pasta 4 **Mixed Green Salad** CLOSED Labor Three Bean Salad Day Honeydew Mellon O Z O Beef Lasagna **Collard Greens** Cauliflower mg of sodium Orange Σ

Reservations

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Celebration

FALLBROOK SENIOR CENTER SEPTEMBER 2023 ACTIVITY SCHEDULE 399 HEALD LANE FALLBROOK CA 92028 760-728-4498

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Intergenerational Activities

We enjoyed a delightful summer filled with intergenerational activities that brought joy to all ages. Here are a few snapshots capturing the memorable moments from these events.





















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Old Friends

Try to remember these advertising mascots from 60 or 70 years ago shown below. You must identify the product being advertised and the name of the mascot if you can. Answers are shown later in this Chronicle issue. You probably will be able to identify most of them without looking at the answers. Good Luck.











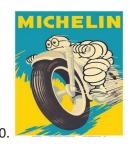
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Don't forget to save your receipts from Major Market and bring them into the Senior Center.

We total all of the receipts and submit them to Major Market in return for a donation each month. Every little bit helps.



FALLBROOK SENIOR CITIZENS SERVICE CLUB

The mission of the Fallbrook Senior Center is to promote healthy aging, independence and well-being of active, older adults in the communities we service. We will provide programs and services which support the dignity and enrichment of life for seniors fifty (50) and above. The Center provides a place to gather with activities and services including:

- Nutrition Services including lunches
- Health Education and Exercise Classes
- Legal and Financial Services
- Educational and Cultural Programs
- Recreational and Social Activities such as bridge, bingo and pool

The Center is a membership organization but has a goal to coordinate services, skills and knowledge to benefit our seniors in the wider community

New Beginning Line Dance Class - "Mastering the Basics"

September's almost here. It's time for a new Ballroom Line Dance class again. The Fallbrook Senior Center will again offer a beginning line dance class starting September 5th. These classes provide a completely different kind of mental and physical exercise that will bring new life to your old bones. Whether you're 50 or 80, man or woman, you will notice improvements in a few short weeks. **The classes are every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m. The Tuesday class is one hour. The Thursday class is a half hour.** Our previous beginning classes have been very successful, with many participants going on to continue dancing in our advanced class. We have dancers who never danced before tell us that this class changed their life and they are now in better shape than they have ever been before. There are many studies that show that your health can be greatly improved by dancing, even if you can't tell your left foot from your right.

We have over 125 different choreographed songs that we teach, including waltz, cha cha, mambo, country, soul, tango, salsa, and traditional songs. These songs utilize a variety of about 47 different steps that you will learn. Our main objectives are to keep you healthy and to have fun. Call the Center at (760) 728-4498 to register. We have a maximum number of participants that we can accept. The classes are free of charge, however we do encourage donations of \$2 to \$5 per class for the use of the hall.

Old Friends - Answers

1. Cracker Jacks – Sailor Jack, 2. Sugar Smacks – Dig-Em, 3. Borden Dairy – Elsie the Cow, 4. Chef Boyardee Pasta – Chef Boyardee, 5. Charmin Tissue – Mr. George Whipple, 6. Phillip Morris Johnny Roventini, 7. Frito Lay – Frito Bandito, 8. Squirt – Lil Squirt, 9. Rice Krispies – Snap, Crackle & Damp; Pop, 10. Michelin Tires – Michelin Man, 11. Alka-Seltzer – Speedy, 12. Pancake Mix – Aunt Jemima, 13. Gerber Strained Foods. – Gerber Baby (Ann Turner Cook), 14. Morton's Salt - Sarah Peldon, 15. Pillsbury – Poppin' Fresh, 16. Hawaiian Punch – Punchy, 17. Stay Puft Marshmallows – Stay Puft, 18. Sunbeam Bread – Little Miss Sunbeam, 19. Sambo's Restaurants – Sambo & Dannas – Miss Chiquita