

First and Last Name:	<input type="checkbox"/> New Member <input type="checkbox"/> Renewing Member	I would like to donate: <input type="checkbox"/> \$25 Individual <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 Couple <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Additional \$____
Address:	Would you like a membership card? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Phone:	Email:	
Birthdate (or birthday month):	Veteran: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Emergency Contact:		
Interests:	Program/Activity Suggestions:	

Attendance volunteers

Keeping accurate program attendance is essential for securing funding for the Community Center and its programs. We're looking for a volunteer from each group to help by recording attendance numbers at each meeting.

As we continue to grow, we're also exploring the possibility of adding a barcode check-in station in the future to make the process quicker and easier for everyone.

Thank you for helping us support and strengthen our programs!

Membership renewals:

If your information hasn't changed, you don't need to fill out the form.

You may simply clip it out with your address label on the back.

Please feel free to add interest and program recommendations.



Volunteer Opportunity: Rental Helpers

We're looking for volunteers to help with **opening and closing the Community Center** for events. You won't need to stay on-site—just open, close, and be on call in case renters have questions. Staff will be available to assist you whenever needed.

It's an easy way to help the center and support our community!

*Training provided until volunteers feel comfortable.

Last year the Community Center and its volunteers accommodated 163 rental events!



Painting Cass

Tuesday, April 21

4:00-6:00pm

Montevideo Community Center

\$32/person

Register with Community Education:

320-269-5026

55+ Driver Discount Program 4-Hour Refresher (In-Person)

Wednesday, March 18th 1:00pm

Wednesday, May 20th 1:00pm

Wednesday, August 19th 1:00pm

Sign up and pay with the

Mn Driving Precision Center

1-888-234-1294 or 1-320-308-1400

*Payment may be due prior to the class

Sweet & Sourdough Co.

Sourdough 101

Saturday, March 7

9:30-11:30am

\$75/person

Sourdough Discard

Saturday, March 21

9:30am-Noon

\$65/person

Register with Community Ed.

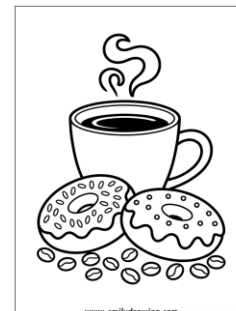
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Coffee with Kiona

Join us during our regular 9:00 AM coffee on **Wednesday, March 4** at the Montevideo Community Center as Kiona from Countryside Public Health joins us to talk about her work around **Adult Mental Health and Stigma**.

She'll share what's been happening across the county, what communities are saying, and ways we can continue strengthening adult mental health and wellbeing locally.

Thanks to grant support from the Minnesota Department of Health, coffee and a meal will be provided. We hope you'll stop in and listen in on the conversation.



Coffee with Jessica

Wednesday, April 1

9:00 AM

Jessica Dahms, the city's Community Development Coordinator, will join us for coffee to talk about developing a new Comprehensive Plan.

Stop in to learn what a Comprehensive Plan is, how it will help guide the City's future, and what it means for our community.

Montevideo Leos Club Project

Plastic Bag Recycling

The Leo's club has set a goal of collecting 1,000 pounds of plastic bags for recycling.

Once they reach their goal, they will receive an earth-friendly composite bench to be placed in the community.

Help support their efforts by saving and donating your clean plastic bags!

2025 Annual Report

Our 2025 attendance numbers are in! Check out this issue to see how active and engaged our members have been this year.



Weekend Activities – We Want Your Input!

We've had a few members ask about offering occasional Saturday or Sunday activities.

If you'd be interested, please let us know! We'd love to hear what programs or activities you'd like to see weekends, as well as any ideas to help make weekend offerings meaningful, enjoyable and successful.

Newsletter & Calendar Updates

We've adjusted our **newsletter and calendar layouts** to make them easier to use. Similar items—like food, activities, education, and updates—are now grouped on the same page for quick reference.

Calendar: Each day's schedule is listed at the top, while special or occasional events are shown directly on the calendar itself.

These changes are designed to help you find what you need quickly and stay up-to-date!

Potlucks:

All Potlucks start at noon

Tuesday, March 10th (Baked Potato)

Friday, March 20th (Regular)

Tuesday, April 7th (Childhood Favorites)

Friday, April 17th (Regular)



Signup sheets for the baked potato and taco theme potlucks will be posted on the announcement board.

New Potluck Theme: Childhood Favorites!

Bring a dish you loved growing up and share a taste of your memories with us. We're excited to learn more about our members and swap stories and recipes together!

April Birthdays

Dar Black
Janey Ruether
Mary Ann
Nordaune
Judy Ronning
Barb Schacherer
Avis Peters
Janice Anderson
Ardy Eekhoff
Steve O'Connell

Birthday Party Dates

12:00PM (noon) on 4th Tuesdays

Signup sheets are posted on the white board each month. We look forward to celebrating together!

March 24th, 12:00pm
April 28th, 12:00pm

March Birthdays

Duane Johnson
LaVonne Sundlee
Arlene Banken
Deb Larson
Duane Folkestad
Pam Smith
Joe Keller
Bob Ronning
Peggy Danielson
Marilyn Kvanli
Dick Ryman
Gary Smith

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Meals	22	32	39	21	25	19	23	25	130	27	19	36	418
Pool/Ping Pong	19	22	24	28	37	24	38	43	40	44	40	19	378
Yoga	47	49	73	53	43	54	48	44	46	55	39	45	596
SAIL Exercises*		153	164	119					87	67	50	47	687
Game Day/Cards	61	71	65	82	73	99	90	69	106	107	78	85	986
Line Dancing	81	95	97	97	82	81	82	85	73	83	44	72	972
Chair Exercises	49	20	27	28	106	91	112	100	66	111	77	67	854
Bridge	42	36	48	52	56	48	60	44	48	40	24	16	514
Penny Drop	23	32	34	34	37	32	37	32	41	32	21	30	385
Knit and Crochet	25	29	33	38	35	31	36	33	138	33	24	20	475
Hand, Knee, Foot	65	51	89	81	111	109	107	114	138	129	89	93	1176
Morning Coffee	45	44	52	47	24	44	53	49	45	49	47	57	556
Mexican Train	30	26	33	35	30	7	37	29	32	32	25	22	338
Cribbage**									9	22	14	25	70
Healthy Habits			16	15	11	8	10	5	11	6	7	2	91
Mah Jongg	12	15	14	21	27	10	4						103
Bingo	71	52	61	52	71	66	42	75	65	68	40	43	706
Board Meetings	9	10	11	6	10	9	6	7	9	11	9	10	107
Book Club	9	10	12	13	7	9	9	10	11	12	12	6	120
Book Clubs (other)	6	5	6	5	4	5	6		4	5	6	7	59
Birthday Party (additional)	4	1	7	1	4	3	3	3	1	4	1	6	38
55+ Driver Discount Program	20	30		18				15					83
Potlucks (regular and themed)	20	30	58	60	35	94	55	38	30	35	25	28	508
Happy Together	11	6	14	8	7	0	7	7	8	10	7	8	93
Newsletter Assistance		7		5		5		6		3		3	29
Apple Crisp	3										6		9
Dementia Friends	1												1
Event Planning Meeting			7										7
Open House					60								60
Flower Planting					10								10
Bingo Fundraiser						77				60			137
Horticulture Night							4						4
SAIL Volunteer Training								16					16
Coin Error and Collecting Class								12					12
Prairie Five's Senior Expo									100				100
Barn Theatre Trip									30				30
Art Class										14	10		24
Lefse Prep											18		18
Market and Lunch											125		125
CentraCare Grief Support***												19	19
Dinner and a Movie: Wicked II												6	6
Annual Meeting												20	20
	675	826	984	919	905	925	869	861	1238	1059	857	792	10940

***Stay Active and Independent for Life (SAIL)-Newly implemented exercise program that focuses on stretching, balance, strength training, and health education**

****Cribbage became an official activity in September 2025**

*****Hospice support group became a non-rental event this year**