

## The Center Piece

August 2024

### Stay Safe in the August Heat!



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Fall Family
Craft Fair
October 18&19

Veteran's Day Luncheon November 8 Holiday
Craft Fair
December 13&14



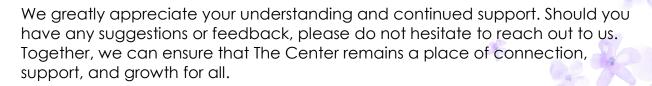
## From the CEO

I hope this letter finds you well and enjoying the summer season. First and foremost, we want to extend our heartfelt gratitude for your unwavering support and dedication to The Center. Your involvement and contributions are what keep our community vibrant and thriving.

It is with a heavy heart that we must announce the cancellation of our Casino Night, originally scheduled for later this month. Despite our best efforts, ticket sales did not meet the necessary threshold to make the event feasible. We were looking forward to a night filled with fun and great fellowship, and we share in your disappointment.

While this news is unfortunate, it does not dampen our spirit or our commitment to providing enjoyable and meaningful events for our members. We are actively exploring new ideas and planning future activities that we hope will bring our community together in the spirit of joy and camaraderie.

We also want to encourage you to continue helping us meet our fundraising goal of \$10,000. Achieving this goal is crucial for maintaining our low membership fees and affordable class costs. Without the ongoing support of our memberships and classes, The Center would not be able to continue its mission. Please check in each month to see how close we are to meeting our goal, and thank you for your continued support of The Center.



Thank you once again for being an integral part of our community. We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events and activities.

Kathy McFadden

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Join us at The Center on August 14 from 10am to 2pm for our Customer Open House! Meet with an APS representative to find ways to save on your bill. No appointment needed!





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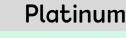
Our next event is **August 20**, from 5-7pm at The Center. Join us to learn about senior services, caregiver information and a packed evening of networking opportunities! RSVP: seniorreferralnetwork.org/events



Events at Touchmark! August 9 at 2pm - Planning Retirement with the Experts, 3150 Touchmark Blvd. August 15 @ 2pm - Sip & See Open House, 3198 Touchmark Blvd. August 23 @ 11am - Health Fair, 3150 Touchmark Blvd.

#### **Executive Platinum**











#### Gold

#### Silver











#### **Bronze**















#### **Basic**









## Join us at The Center on August 14th!



## Customer Open House

## Meet with an APS representative one-on-one to find ways to save on your bill.

Learn about bill-assistance options.

The Energy Support program offers a monthly discount up to 25% or 60% based on income. Bring income documents, such as one month of pay stubs, W-2s or last year's tax returns, for each adult in your household to see what programs you may be eligible for. Learn more at aps.com/assistance.

#### Review your bill and rate plan options.

Together, we can explore your rate plan options and find out which plan would have saved you the most money. Plus, we'll talk about energy-saving tips, rebates and programs to help you save on your bill. Find more ways to save at aps.com/save.

Wednesday, August 14 - 10am - 2pm The Center - 1280 E. Rosser Street Prescott, AZ 86301



No appointment needed. Customers will be met with on a first-come, first-served basis.

Can't make it to the Open House? No problem. We're here to help anytime. Call us at (602) 371-7171 or (800) 253-9405.

Customers must have a gross monthly household income at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines to qualify for the Energy Support Program or Energy Support with Medical Program. The discount applies to a customer's cost for electricity only, and does not apply to the regulatory assessment, franchise fee, taxes or charges found in Service Schedule 1. Individual results may vary and are dependent on a number of factors including usage. Programs are subject to change. Other restrictions may apply. Funds for Utility Bill Assistance are subject to availability. Please apply as soon as possible if you think you may qualify.

## **2024**

Mark your calendars for Fall \*Winter events at The Center!



JOIN US FOR OUR 2024

#### TERANS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8 | 11:30 AM TO 1:00 PM **Presentation starts at Noon** 

Lunch is served to all in attendance. RSVP online at www.thecenteronrosser.org/veterans or call The Center at the number below.





| Day       | Program/Activity  | AM/PM    | Members   |            |
|-----------|---|----------|-----------|------------|
| MONDAY    | Movin' w/June   | 8:30 AM  | \$8       |            |
|           | In the Middle Line Dance w/Cindy                                | 9:30 AM  | \$8       |            |
|           | Strength & Balance w/Joy  | 9:30 AM  | \$9       |            |
|           | Summer Art Class w/Corinna (Tentative)                          | 10:00 AM | \$25      |            |
|           | ZUMBA w/Stacey  | 11:00 AM | \$8       |            |
|           | Hand & Foot Canasta   | 12:00 PM | \$5       |            |
|           | ACBL Sanctioned Bridge  | 12:00 PM | \$7       |            |
|           | Non-Sanctioned Bridge   | 12:00 PM | \$6       |            |
|           | Integrated Exercise Yoga/Qigong/Pilates w/Roma (Cancelled 8/12) | 12:15 PM | \$8       | 7          |
|           | Raskins Jewelers - Cleaning & watch repair (8/19)               | 12:30 PM | Free      | lor        |
|           | Tai Chi & Qigong w/Roma (Cancelled 8/12)                        | 1:30 PM  | \$8       | Ž          |
|           | Beginning Radical Rebounding w/Dr. Kimberley                    | 2:15 PM  | \$25      | em         |
|           | Intermediate Radical Rebounding w/Dr. Kimberley                 | 3:00 PM  | \$25      | Non-Member |
|           | All Levels Yoga w/Katy  | 8:40 AM  | \$9       | Pr         |
|           | Meditation w/Peg  | 9:00 AM  | \$5       | Price      |
|           | Upper Body & Core Strengthening w/Joy - 1 Hour                  | 9:00 AM  | \$9       | for        |
|           | Harmony Flow Tai Chi w/Joy - 30 minutes                         | 10:00 AM | \$5       |            |
|           | Basic Beginner Line Dance w/CindyLou                            | 10:00 AM | \$8       | τίν        |
|           | Weights w/Balls & Chair w/Katy Kolasa                           | 10:00 AM | \$9       | Activities |
|           | Tai Chi Chuan w/Bryan   | 10:30 AM | \$8       | \$         |
| TUESDAY   | Chair Yoga w/Joy  | 11:15 AM | \$9       | 10         |
|           | Center Connect (8/20)   | 11:30 AM | Free      | 7          |
| l E       | ACBL Sanctioned Bridge  | 12:00 PM | \$7       | Non-Member |
| <b>—</b>  | Lunch & Learn w/Desert Fin 'Wealth Management' (8/27)           | 1:15 PM  | Free      | ₹          |
|           | Movin' w/June   | 1:30 PM  | \$8       | em         |
|           | Intermediate Line Dance w/Barb                                  | 3:00 PM  | \$8       | ber        |
|           | Acrylic Pours w/Julia (8/27)                                    | 3:00 PM  | \$15      | for        |
|           | Senior Referral Network (8/20)                                  | 5:00 PM  | Free      |            |
|           | Fox Trot Lesson w/Dawn  | 5:15 PM  | \$8       | Bridge     |
|           | Swing w/Ronnie - Night Club Two-Step Basics & Beyond            | 6:30 PM  | \$15/\$40 | je \$      |
|           | Intermediate W. Coast Swing w/Ronnie                            | 7:30 PM  | \$15/\$40 | 10         |
|           | Social Security Seminar (8/13)                                  | 6:00 PM  | Free      | 10.50      |
|           | Strength & Balance w/Joy  | 9:30 AM  | \$9       | to         |
|           | Zumba Gold w/Kay  | 10:15 AM | \$8       | \$1        |
|           | Mat Pilates w/Denise  | 10:30 AM | \$8       | 2          |
| >         | All Levels Yoga w/Katy  | 11:00 AM | \$9       |            |
| Q         | Intermediate Line Dance w/Diane                                 | 11:45 AM | \$8       |            |
| WEDNESDAY | ACBL Sanctioned Bridge  | 12:00 PM | \$7       |            |
|           | AZ Territorial Society - "Who is Don Maguire?" (8/21)           | 1:00 PM  | Free      |            |
|           | Zumba Toning Class w/Stacey                                     | 1:30 PM  | \$8       |            |
|           | Beginning Radical Rebounding w/Dr. Kimberly                     | 4:45 PM  | \$25      |            |
|           | Intermediate Radical Rebounding w/Dr. Kimberly                  | 5:30 PM  | \$25      |            |
|           | Social Security Seminar (8/21)                                  | 6:00 PM  | Free      |            |

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|----------|--|----------|------------|--|
|          | ***Video Filming in The Center*** (8/1)                            |          |            |  |
|          | Strategic Network Partners   | 7:30 AM  | Free       |  |
|          | Movin' W/June (Cancelled for August)                               | 8:30 AM  | \$8        |  |
|          | All Levels Yoga w/Katy   | 8:40 AM  | \$9        |  |
|          | Lower Body w/Back & Core Strengthening w/Joy - 1hr                 | 9:00 AM  | \$9        |  |
| ₹        | Balance Class w/Joy - 30 Minutes                                   | 10:00 AM | \$5        |  |
| RSD      | Beginner Line Dance w/Sandi  | 10:00 AM | \$6        |  |
| THURSDAY | Tai Chi Chuan w/Bryan  | 10:30 AM | \$8        |  |
| •        | Blood Pressure Checks (8/8)  | 10:45 AM | Free       |  |
|          | BINGO - Games start at 1:30 pm, Doors open at Noon                 | 12:00 PM | Per Game   |  |
|          | Chair Yoga w/Joy   | 12:00 PM | \$9        |  |
|          | Hand & Foot Canasta  | 12:00 PM | \$5        |  |
|          | American Mahjongg - Beginners Welcome                              | 1:00 PM  | \$5        |  |
| >        | ZUMBA Gold w/Kay (Center Closed on 8/30 - No Class)                | 10:15 AM | \$8        |  |
| FRIDAY   | Intermediate Line Dance w/Diane (Center Closed on 8/30 - No Class) | 10:30 AM | \$8        |  |
| H. H.    | Balance & Stretch w/Katy (Center Closed on 8/30 - No Class)        | 11:15 AM | \$8        |  |
|          | CASINO NIGHT from 5-9pm (8/23)                                     | 5:00 PM  | \$50       |  |
| SA/SU    | Ronnie Dance (Saturday, 8/17)                                      | 6:30 PM  | \$15       |  |
| SA,      | Union Church Services (Sundays)                                    | 10:00 AM | Free       |  |

#### **Attention Center Members!**

We have had recent requests for the following activities:

- A Book Club Group
- A Model Car/Airplane Group
- A Pinochle Group
- A Writer's Club

If you're interested in joining, you can let Nancy know at the Front Desk, or give us a call at 928-778-3000.



#### **Speaker Series** at The Center

Programs are Free and start at 1:00 pm

Aug 21......Who is Don Maguire

Sep 18.....Hauntings

Oct 16 ......My Life at the Phantom Ranch

Nov 20.....Skull Valley

#### Monthly Advertising Rates for The Center's Newsletter

#### **Small to Medium Ads**

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Join us for The Center Connect, an informative and engaging event where you can learn all about The Center! Whether you're a current member or considering joining, this is a

perfect opportunity to discover more about our membership options, programs, and activities. Our team will be available to answer any questions you may have and provide insights into how you can get the most out of your experience with us. Don't miss this chance to connect with our community and explore everything The Center has to offer!

Next Meeting: August 20 at 11:30 AM





Connecting Senior Service & Care Providers

Join us for the Senior Referral Network August 2024 Event!



Tuesday, August 20th, 2024 | 5:00pm-7:00pm
The Center
1280 E Rosser Rd., Prescott, AZ 86301

Join us at the Senior Referral Network's August Event!
Whether you're a senior looking for specialized services,
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## What Do You Mean I Can't Hear? You're Just Mumbling!

One of the most common challenges for people is not being able to hear well or discern conversations well, such that it sounds like people are mumbling. Many people that come to our office are not sure if they have a hearing loss. They were often nudged by a spouse or friend to get a hearing test.

How Many People Are Affected by Hearing Loss?

Approximately 466 million people throughout the world suffer hearing loss. This includes about 432 million adults and 34 million children. Here is a breakdown of percentages of adults who endure problems with their hearing:

- . 30% of those over age 65
- 50% of those over age 75

"What Did You Say?"

One common factor is the inability to discern exactly what people are saying in conversations. The percentage of those who feel as though most people mumble is around the same as listed above.

Types of Hearing Loss

Medical research has discovered the following three different forms of hearing

- Conductive loss concerns the outer or middle ear.
- Sensorineural loss involves the inner ear.

 Mixed loss is a combination of both conductive and sensorineural hearing loss

More Symptoms of Hearing Impairment

The feeling that most people mumble has been discussed. Here are more indicators of possible hearing loss:

- · Often requesting that people talk louder
- The need to turn up the volume of the radio or TV
- · Problems discerning consonants
- Frequently asking people to repeat what they said
- Avoiding conversations
- · Avoiding social events

**Solutions for Hearing Problems** 

Simply removing blockage of wax buildup will sometimes reverse hearing difficulties. At times, surgery might be needed. The most common resolution for hearing loss and the feeling that people mumble is the use of hearing aids.

Let Hearing Specialist's Doug Dunker and Kim Kirk discuss with you the benefits of hearing aids. There are so many small and discreet hearing aids available today. Doug and Kim will apply the solution that fits both your hearing challenges and your style!

Call Prescott Hearing Center today at 928-460-4035



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- Exploring Your Options for a Quality Retirement
- Understanding 401K Rollovers
- Financial Blunders Lessons We Never Learn
- I.D Theft
- Preparing for Long Term Care
- Taking Control of Your Cash Eliminating Debt Tax Planning

## Upcoming Social Security Seminars at The Center

www.thecenteronrosser.org

August 13......6:00 pm August 21.....6:00 pm September 11....6:00 pm September 17....6:00 pm

Check the Calendar on The Center's Website to verify times and dates.



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Board Meetings: Monthly - 3rd Wednesday - 10:00 am

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#### Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am - 5pm Friday - 8:30 am - 12:00 pm Saturday: By Event Sunday: Closed

#### **Holiday Closure**

August 30 & September 3 for the Labor Day Holiday

#### The Center

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