



# Andover Senior Center

## The MONTHLY REVIEW

FEBRUARY

2025

Andover Senior Center, 410 Lioba, Andover, KS 316.733.4441  
Hours of Operation: Mon-Thu 8:00am-4:00pm Friday 8:00am-3pm  
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### ATTITUDE...

The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness, or skill. It will make or break a company, a church, a home.

The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change our past. We cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude.

I am convinced that life is our attitude. I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And so it is with you; we are in charge of our attitude.

— Charles Swindoll



# GOD BLESS AMERICA

The Andover Senior Center is a non-profit organization. Our mission is to sponsor good fellowship and wholesome recreation for anyone over the age of 50 or over. We provide programs that allow our participants the opportunity to lead quality lives and contribute to the community.

# February 2025-MENU



**SUGGESTED DONATION \$5.00**

**Meals are subject to change**

**Served @ 11:30**

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 Cheese & Broccoli Soup Turkey Sandwich Salad Dessert	4 Chicken Enchilada Spanish Rice Salad Dessert	5 Tatar Tot Casserole Mixed Veggies Roll w/Butter Dessert	6 Goulash Salad Roll w/Butter Dessert	7 Cheeseburger w/all the fixings Chips Pink Salad Dessert
10 Pork Loin Baked Potato Glazed Carrots Roll / Butter	11 White Chili Corn Bread Salad Cinnamon Roll	12 Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Roll w/Butter Dessert	13 Bacon Quiche Hash Browns Fruit Muffin	14 BBQ Chicken Sand. Baked Beans Tatar Tots Dessert
17 CLOSED 	18 Pizza Day Salad Dessert	19 <b>FUNDRAISER</b> Monterreys Starts @ 11am  Suggested donation \$8	20 CHEF'S CHOICE	21 Sloppy Joes Potato Salad Coleslaw Dessert
24 Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes Gravy Green Beans Dessert	25 Turkey w/Gravy Stuffing Cranberry Sauce Roll w/Butter Dessert	26 Spaghetti w/Sauce Meatballs Garlic Bread Salad Dessert	27 Veg/Beef Soup Ham Sandwich Salad Dessert	28 Chicken & Noodles Mashed Potatoes Carrots Roll w/Butter Dessert



# FEBRUARY ACTIVITIES



**Lunch served @ 11:30**

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 9:30 Exercise 12:30 Quilters 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Pitch	4 10:30 Balance Class 12:15 Pinochle 1:00 Hand & Foot	5 9:30 Exercise 10:30 Bible Study 1:00 Bridge	6 9:30 Donuts w/Chief 10:30 Balance Class 12:15 Pinochle 12:30 Mahjong 12:30 Quilters 6:00 Hand & Foot 7:00 Pitch	7 9:30 Exercise 12:30 Bingo
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# February Speakers & Event...

Monday February 3rd @ 11:30— Silver Haired Legislature w/ Leroy Burton



Tuesday February 4th @ 10:15— BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS by Interim Health

Tuesday February 4th @ 11:30— The Regent



Thursday February 6th @ 9:30— Donuts with the Chief

Friday February 7th @ 11:30— American Senior Benefits

Monday February 10th @ 10:15—Memory Café

Wednesday February 12th—Hermes Foot Care Clinic by appointment only

Wednesday February 12th @ 3:00- ASC Board Meeting



Friday February 14th— Valentines Day Party & Bingo All day fun

Monday February 17th— CLOSED in Observance of President's Day

Tuesday February 18th @ 10:15— BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS by Interim Health Care

Wednesday February 19th— MONTERREY FUNDRAISER Starts @ 11am

Thursday February 20th @ 11:30— Providence Home, Health, & Hospice

Saturday February 22nd @ 5pm— ASC GAME NIGHT Games, Fun, & Food

Monday February 24th @ 10:15— Memory Café



Tuesday February 25th @ 11:30— Ascension Via Christi Stroke Unit

Wednesday February 26th @ 10:00— ASC Book Club

Wednesday February 26th @ 11:30— Birthday Cake provided by Inspired Advisors

Thursday February 27th @ 11:30— Comfort Keepers

Find us on Facebook to keep updated on all upcoming events not listed



## DID YOU KNOW...

The Andover Senior Center is an IRS approved 501c3! We are financed by donations, memorials, fundraisers, grants and special events. We appreciate your membership and donations to our Center. **THANK YOU!**

## **Andover Senior Center Wish List!**

The Andover Senior Center has a running list of items we use on a weekly basis. Would you be willing to donate an item or two from the list below?

### **General Area:**

Bingo Prizes for Friday Bingo

12oz Styrofoam Cups

12oz Solo Cups

10" Paper plates

Heavy Plastic Forks, Knives,& Spoons

Copy Paper

Postage Stamps

### **And for the pantry:**

Coffee

Sugar or Creamer Packets

Cake mixes

Frosting

We appreciate any and all donations made to the Center in order for us to make your membership enjoyable! **Thank you!**

## **Complimentary Blood Pressure Stats**

Just a reminder that the Andover Senior Center offers a Blood Pressure Check @ 10:15 every 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month.

Lisa w/ Interim Healthcare performs blood pressure checks for FREE...if this is something you want or should be tracking...stop in and see us!



## **We invite you to attend!**

"Donuts with the Chief"

Andover Chief of Police

Thursday, February 6th @ 9:30am

Great time to meet the Chief and hear about our great community!!



## **Shopping for Seniors**

This program is volunteer based through the **RSVP Program, 316.775.0500**. It is designed to assist seniors who cannot shop for themselves but are capable of giving their grocery order over the telephone to volunteers who then pass the list to volunteer shoppers. Highlights of this program include:

There is no cost to participants (except for cost of their groceries).

Volunteers carry the groceries into the home.

## **Butler County Transportation**

The Butler County Transit Program through the Butler County Department of Aging is a general public transportation program that offers a variety of routes throughout the county to help meet your travel needs. All general public transportation vehicles are handicapped accessible. Butler County Transit does not furnish wheelchairs.

Currently the general public transportation rides in the Andover area are available by reservation Monday through Friday from 8:30-3:00.

To make a reservation or get information on fares, please contact the Transit Program at 316.775.0500.

## **Book Club**

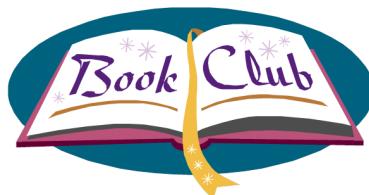
### **February's Book:**

**"Lion Woman of Tehran" by  
Marjan Kamali**

### **Meeting held :**

**Wednesday February 26th @ 10:00**

**Call 733-4441 for more info.**



## ***January Trivia Winners***

### **Category Winners**

Barb Schmitz

Janel Williams

Glenn Williams

### **OVERALL WINNER**

Glenn Williams

### **February Categories:**

1960's Events

Geography

Food

Come & test your knowledge

**Wednesday February 12th @ 10:00am**

***Category Winners receive a free ASC lunch***

***Overall Winner receives \$10 Gift Card.***

## **FREE TAX PREPARATION SERVICE**

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation, with a focus on older adults with low to moderate income. To schedule an appointment please call:

**211** (United Way of the Plains}



## **SATURDAY GAME NIGHT**

**Join us Saturday**

**February 22nd @ 5pm**

**Cards, Dice, Games**

**Pot Luck Dinner**

**No sign up required**

**Bring your friends!**

# Celebrating **FEBRUARY** Birthdays

Michael Aarstad

Francis Barstow

Eileen Blasi

D Burris

Darrel Charbonneau

Michael Cleary

Carl Cooper

Dianne Crawford

Leah Donley

Debbie Donnenwerth

Linda Ficken

Tracey Frazier

Jennifer Garcia

Roy Hayden

Joann Hepburn

Kay Hite

Frank Mattke

Larry Osborne

Kim Ownbey

Kevin Peters

Ken Pung

Jerry Reiserer

Richard Rowe

Mary Shackleford

Mathilda Sipult

Steven Stoffegen

Linda Suddarth

Mino Swegart

Wayne Thompson

Carol Trimble

Doris Unruh

Peggy Valerio

Blaine Warkentine

JoAnn Westwood

Glenn Williams

Phyllis Winn



"The trouble with today's generation is that they can't stand on their own two feet."



I had to put these jokes in here,

ENJOY

Thanks for reading this newsletter.



**ANDOVER SENIOR CENTER**

**410 Lioba Drive**

**MONTERREYS!!!**

**Wed, February 19th starts@ 11am**

**Dine In or Carryout**

**Suggested Donation \$8.00**



***Stop by for a delicious lunch!***

***Dessert included!***