



Ninilchik Senior Center

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Coming Up:

Sew Saturday 17th

**Board Meeting @ 1:00
20th**

**Annual Fundraiser 23rd
(Closed For Lunch)**

**Mario Carboni "The
Honky-tonk Rebel"
Concert 28th, 6 pm**



Note From the President of the Board:

Welcome to August everybody, especially you snowbirds. You know it's only another month before you start heading south. Before you go however, I hope you come out and enjoy our fabulous fundraiser this year. Our fundraiser will be on 23 August this year. Tickets are on sale now. There are \$35 this year. We will have our wonderful prime rib dinner as well as some fabulous desserts that will be auctioned off. There will also be some great items on the silent auction tables and for the bag sales. Come check it out. The theme this year is the Olympics. Come dressed as your favorite athlete or in red, white, and blue in support of our wonderful USA! No spandex though😊

What else is going on at the center these days? There are several things to take advantage of. They include quilting on Mondays (you should see what they are doing, they are very creative!), bingo on Wednesday afternoon, games on Thursday and then knitting on Friday afternoons (another very creative bunch!). Come on in, enjoy the activities, and socialize with friends.

Lunches are available Monday through Friday at noon. The kitchen staff always produces a wonderful fare for our nutritional needs. They continue to serve an increasing number of dine in, take out and home delivered meals. The kitchen remodel is becoming more and more important. All for now. Have a great August everyone. ~ Richard Hawkins



A Note from the Executive Director

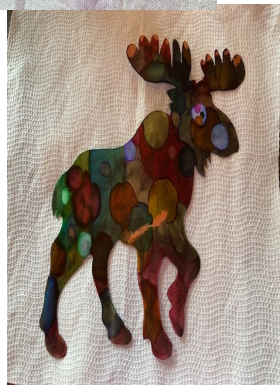
August already! Time is fleeting quickly for our short Alaskan summer – but it's not over yet! August is a busy month here at the senior center. One of the most exciting events coming up in August is our annual fundraiser - on the 23rd - the theme is "Olympics". Along with a great prime rib dinner, we will be having both a dessert, silent, and live auction along with our brown bag items for which you can purchase tickets for opportunity to win these items. Buy your tickets early – this is usually a sell out event! It will be a lot of fun and I hope everyone can join us.

Thank you to everyone who was able to join us for the annual meeting. During that meeting we gave a brief mention to all of our wonderful volunteers. I would like to reiterate that thank you. I am so appreciative of everyone willing to give of their time and talent to the senior center. Without our volunteers, we would be unable to do and offer as much as we do. So many things go unnoticed as they are done by volunteers. If you are a volunteer, please know that what you do matters, and you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please talk to us in the office. Together, we can help make our senior center "the best little senior center on the peninsula"! ~ Julie Otto



Metal Art!!

Great day for metal art!! Thank you to everyone who came out and showed off their artistic talents! Fun was had by all and some beautiful pieces of metal art were created!





NINILCHIK SENIOR CENTER CONCERT SERIES FUNDRAISERS

Featuring

Mario Carboni

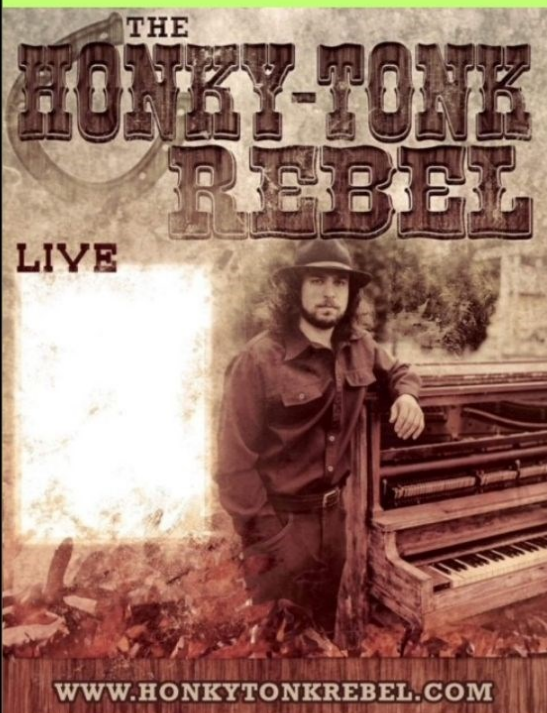
The Honky-Tonk Rebel

Wed, June 12, 2024

Wed, June 26, 2024

Wed, July 24, 2024

Wed, August 28, 2024



~ Starts at 6 pm to
9 ish

~ \$10 per person

~ Bring finger food

~ Family Friendly

~ Doors open at 5:30 pm

907-567-3988



At the Ninilchik Senior Center 66265 Aspen Ave, Ninilchik

School Supplies Drive!

We are collecting school supplies again for the Ninilchik school. There is a list of items needed here at the center. If you're interested in participating, we have a collection box here at the center. Let's help make the new school year a great one for our local kiddos!



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School Supplies

Raffle

John Deere Lawn Tractor w/ Snow Blower Attachment



John Deere S220 Lawn Tractor with 42" Mower Deck and 44" Snow Blower Attachment

Tickets are \$50 each. Only 300 tickets to be sold
Tickets available at the Ninilchik Senior Center

Drawing will be held at the Ninilchik Senior
Center Fundraiser on August 23, 2024
Winner need not be present to win



State of Alaska Gaming Permit #874

Tickets on sale now!

August 23, 2024

For Our Annual Dinner/Auction



Fundraiser

**This year's theme: The Olympics!
Come dressed up as your favorite
athlete or in red, white, and blue!
Hope to see you there!**

Thank you to all our FY24 volunteers!

Volunteers are so very important to the senior center!

Huge shoutout to you all!!!

Ruthe Bauman Willard Bauman Jim Beall

Julie Boll Justin Boyd Kathy Bundy Cadence Campbell

Carol Chapman Shirley Chihuly Bob Cook

Sharon Cook Karen Covey Jane Crosett

Cheryl Doyle Nancy Elf Bev Graf

Lynn Harding Dick Hawkins Linda Hawkins

Terry Hepner Bev Hylen Kimberly Jackinski

Pam Jacobs Ron Jorgenson Jim Kenshalo

Amy Lambert Lonnie Lambert Tina Little

Debbie MacLean Joan Mason Moondog

Janice Nofziger John Nofziger Dave Nordgren,

Vi Nordgren Molly Powell Deb Rhoades

Josie Savoy Gary Seitz JoJo Seitz

Jeff Smith Liz Spinsanto Chawndra Thomas

Candy Thornton Steve Vanek Kaye Waldsmith

Larry Wallace Faye Woodhead Joe Zimmer



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1. What is the area bordering the Pacific Ocean, along the Gulf of Alaska and Towards Japan and the far east called?
2. Before the trans Alaska pipeline could be constructed, what issue dating to the origin of the state had to be resolved?
3. True / False The site of the molybdenum deposit near Ketchikan is one of the largest in the world
4. Who was the originator of the first Iditarod Dog Sled Race?
5. Name the two major mountain ranges that separate the state into geographic areas
6. Why did Henry Gannet advise young people “if you are young stay away until you grow older” about Alaska?
7. Approximately how much of the land area in southeast is forested?
(30%, 46% .59%)
8. What is the swiftest of whales

8. Killer whale or Orca

7. 46%

6. He thought Alaska's natural beauty would make anywhere else seem flat and insipid.

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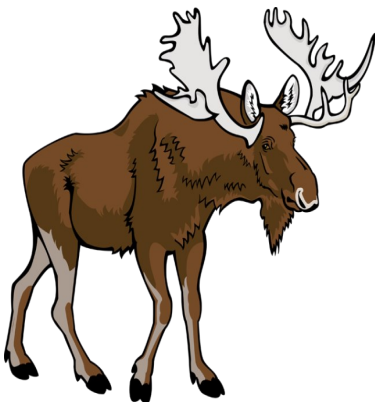
5. Brooks Range and Alaska Range

4. Joe Redington of Knik on March 3, 1973

3. True

2. Aboriginal rights of native Alaskans (Land Claims)

1. The Pacific Rim



Name: _____

Date: _____

August Activity Fun

X K P O R C H V I S I T E V Y Q J
F V T H S C L A S S R O O M W O B
A W B U H S P E L L I N G B E E Z
R H U U O G R R T I G I E T T P M
M T T U P Z I B R E A D V E R W B
D B T T P D N R F L R K K O N M G
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Q H E B I R T H D A Y P A R T Y D
B A R N Y A R D B I N G O J I I A

activity fun packet

barnyard bingo

penny auction

pea picking

classroom

bingo

resident council

birthday party

shucking corn

porch visit

shopping

bread

back to school

farm day party

spelling bee

happy hour

butter

Join NSC's Legacy Club!

Leave a Legacy and make a donation (monthly or not) of any amount to the NSC Endowment Fund or NSC Operations and once your donations reach \$500, your name will be added to our donor tree. Endowment Fund Donations provide long-term investment income for the Senior Center.



Donor Tree Wall Levels of Giving:

- Tree Leaf: \$500. to \$999.
- Ptarmigan: \$1,000. to \$4,999.
- Crane: \$5,000. to \$9,999.
- Owl: \$10,000. to \$24,999.
- Eagle: \$25,000 +

Thank you to all who donate to the Ninilchik Senior Center!

Jeanine Shea 8/1

Rebecca Fender 8/1

Amy Garrouette 8/5

Joe Zimmer 8/8

Nancy Bithos 8/8

Rose Stafferd 8/8

Lenora Regeon 8/11

Julie Otto 8/13

Donna Schaetzle 8/14

Bob Cook 8/15

Justin Boyd 8/15

Virginia Cuffe 8/15

Gerald Ettinger 8/15

Jim beall 8/16

Howard Appel 8/16

Julie Matsuoka 8/17

James Bowe Jr. 8/17

Shirley Chihuly 8/20

Genanne Hill 8/24

Gary Seitz 8/26

Joan Mason 8/27

Ron Jorgensen 8/29

Tony Calabrese 8/31

Diane Taylor 8/31



Thank You

\$5 A Month Club

Thank you to the following who contributed to the club:

David & Judy Clemenson	Bruce Randall
Delmer McCune	Debbie MacLean
Nora & Howard Appel	Cathy Perry
Char & Byron Moore	Josie Savoy
John & Janice Nofziger	Jim Beall
Ron Jorgensen	Vi Nordgren
Russ Cross & Beverly Graf	

We have a fund to provide items that are not in the budget.

If you would like to join the club, just bring or send a donation of \$5 any time you can.

THANK YOU!!!

Vi Nordgren and Kaye Waldsmith for keeping our silent auction table full and organized

Dave Nordgren for the trash removal

Steve Vanek for selling split the pot tickets

Don't forget to log all of your time in the volunteer book

Thank you to all of our members and volunteers

Thank you to all the donors

Thank you to our cooks

Ninilchik Senior Center (NSC) Progressive Split the Pot Raffle

Cost: \$1 per ticket. Members may purchase as many tickets as desired each week. Tickets purchased are valid only for that week's drawing. Tickets must be purchased each week until 11am Friday if the member wishes to participate in that week's drawing.

Drawing Time: Every Friday at 12:00 pm

Location: Ninilchik Senior Center 66265 Aspen Ave Ninilchik, AK

Progressive Split the Pot Raffle Rules:

One winner every week.

Winner does not need to be present to win.

Open to NSC members only. Membership must be current.

The Current Raffle will last up to 16 weeks or until someone draws the Eagle. Future raffle duration may change without notice but will be announced at the beginning of each new raffle.



16 cards

(1) Eagle: grand prize winner: 50% of the pot

(1) Owl: 10% of the pot

(14) Ptarmigan: \$5





Ninilchik Senior Center
Operating Budget and Endowment Fund

Donations to the Operating Budget are used to keep the doors of Center open, while the purpose of the Endowment Fund is to invest for a stable income that will allow the Senior Center to become more self-sufficient.

Your Support is Valuable!

(All gifts are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law)

I am enclosing \$_____ Donation for: ☐ Operating Budget
☐ Endowment Growth

Your Name: _____ Date: _____

Your Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Gift will be a memorial in honor of: _____

EIN: 52-1323828

About The Ninilchik Senior Center

Our Mission

We are dedicated to making life easier, more interesting, and providing assistance to others in need among our members, as well as the surrounding community, in ways which lift the spirit and give a feeling of love to each other. We are dedicated to assisting one another through cooperation, respect, and strength of spirit, so that everyone feels welcome and their contributions valued.

Board of Directors

President: Dick Hawkins
Vice President: Steve Vanek
Secretary: Kaye Waldsmith
Treasurer: Viola Nordgren
Trustee: Cheryl Doyle
Trustee: Lynn Harding
Trustee: John McCombs

Endowment Trustees

Chair: Kaye Waldsmith
Vice Chair: Steve Vanek
Secretary: Vi Nordgren
Treasurer: John Nofziger
Trustee: David Clemenson

Staff

Executive Director: Julie Otto
Adm. Assist/Bookkeeper:
Tandy Wallace
Cook: Casey Campbell
Assistant: Niki Keenan
Cook/Maintenance: Rick Ferguson
Trans. Driver: Mark Brees
NSC Homemaker: Alexa Richards

Join us for lunch!

Lunch is served at 12:00 pm Mon-Fri.
Suggested donation:
\$8 or members, \$12 for non-members
Lunch includes: soup,
salad, entrée and dessert

Events and Activities

Weekly

Mondays:

Quilting/Sewing 1-4 pm

Tuesdays:

Wednesdays:

Bingo (after lunch 1:15 pm)

Thursdays: Game Day 1-4 pm

Fridays:

Knitting 1:30-4:00
Billiards 1-4 pm

SUMMER



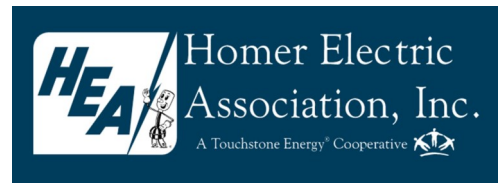
So far this Fiscal year the center received **\$126.45** from Fred Meyer through their community rewards program. Thank you to those who participate and make this possible.

If you shop at Fred Meyer, please consider linking your Rewards Card to donate to the center. Fred Meyer will donate money to the center whenever you make purchases; this will not affect the personal rewards associated with your account. Sign up online at: <https://www.fredmeyer.com/topic/community-rewards-4>

The center's Organization Identification Number is **GP013**. **Thank you!!!**



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