

Newburgh Senior Center

March 2026 Newsletter

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Director's Corner

The Ides of March are upon us! I don't know about you, but for me, 2026 is moving along at an alarming clip. Come visit soon if you haven't joined us yet. We've already had a good turnout for exercise classes, Clabber, Bingo, Euchre, Scrabble, Texas Hold Em', Newburgh Needle Works, puzzles and Rummikub, and Free Lunch Fridays. We are still distributing SWIRCA meals Monday through Friday for a suggested donation of \$4.00 per meal. Please let me or Diane know if you would like to order SWIRCA or Free Lunch Friday meals. We need to know in advance if you're coming, so we order enough food for everyone. An activities calendar is included with newsletter. We are always looking for new activities, so please let us know if you have a hobby or interest you would like to see included in upcoming months. We're here for YOU, and we want you to feel comfortable and welcome. It's been a long, gloomy couple of months with all the snow, but Spring is coming and we hope to see you soon!

New Membership Applications

Are Available Now!

If you haven't already, please fill out the NEW Membership Application. We are updating our files and we need everyone's information updated. It has the Application, the Release Agreement and the Code of Conduct. Please make sure to sign and date each form.



Daylight Savings Time

Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday, March 8, 2026 at 2:00 am Central Standard Time. Remember to set your clock to "spring ahead" one hour before going to bed. This is also a great time to check and change batteries in your carbon dioxide and smoke detectors.

Inclement Weather

Remember that we follow the guidance of the Warrick County School Corporation when it comes to closures due to inclement weather. When school is closed, so are we. When in doubt, please check WFIE for closings or watch the news for school closings. Please use your best judgment and exercise caution.



March Birthdays

Louise Cartwright	03/03	Marilyn Richey	03/08
Don Clugton	03/04	Teresa Latham	03/10
Kenny Palmer	03/05	Pam Wawryzniec	03/15
Karen Parker	03/05	Kathy Ornazian	03/18
Steve Carpenter	03/05	Dorothy Schmitt	03/20
Gerald Bowser	03/06	Kayden Briody	03/24
Ronda Reynolds	03/06	Kathryn Masterson	03/28
Pam Wenzel	03/08	Peggy Heuber	03/29
Linda McPherson	03/08	Teresa Delano	03/31



Many Thanks to our March Day Sponsors!

March 03 is sponsored by Ron Weatherford, our Tai Chi Sifu (teacher). Ron teaches Tai Chi at our Thursday weekly class at 9:30 and 10 am at Zion UCC in Newburgh. Practicing tai chi can improve balance, stability, and flexibility in older people.

March 18 is the beginning of March Madness 2026 and is sponsored by Dr J.P. Morgan, of Orthopedic Associates' Hand Center. Per Dr. Morgan, "Everyone is a basketball fan during this annual college basketball tournament. March Madness Begins!!!!

March 17 is St. Patrick's Day and we thank Peoples Bank for being such a great supporter of the NSC . Check out Peoples for your banking needs and you might have more "Green" to spend on important things in your life. Happy St. Patrick's Day !

March 20 is the first day of Spring! Spring brings us back hope and optimism. (And thoughts of vegetables and flowers to come.) Thank you to all our volunteer gardeners. And a special thanks to Bill and Rosemary Hardin, who are our wonderful landscaping volunteers.

March 25 is a day to celebrate Jane Schmidt. Jane makes amazing cards for the NSC, from her new home in South Caro-

OPERATING HOURS

2026 Membership are Due!

If you haven't already, please pay in person or mail your annual \$15.00 membership dues to Newburgh Senior Center, 529 Jefferson St, Newburgh, IN 47630. Thank you for being a member of the Newburgh Senior Center! Please pay with check or cash.

Please be mindful of our Operating Hours of 9:00-2:00 (Monday thru Friday) and be ready to leave by 2:00pm (or before), so staff can lockup on time.



Come Join us at Newburgh Senior Center

If you are member who has not been active at the senior center, or if you haven't joined yet but are interested, please stop by and see us soon! You are welcome to drop in for exercise classes Monday-Friday at 10:30 am, Bingo games Tuesdays and Thursdays at Noon, to join our puzzle or Rummikub tables anytime, or just for coffee (or tea or lemonade) and good conversation. You might even be interested in checking out our weekly Clabber and Euchre card groups (Mondays and Wednesdays respectively). We also offer SWIRCA meals all week long and Free Lunch Fridays! Let us know if you are interested in meals. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Women's History Month

Women's History Month was officially established in 1987 when the U.S. Congress passed a law designating the entire month of March for the observance, expanding on the first National Women's History Week declared by President Jimmy Carter in 1980. The movement started in 1978 with a week-long celebration in Sonoma County, California, which grew into the national observance.

Many Thanks to Our Generous Activities Sponsors!

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March is Chock Full of Fun and Fanciful Holidays

Women's History Month March 1-31

International Pancake Day: 1

Mardi Gras: 1

National Peanut Lovers Day: 1

Plan a Solo Vacation Day: 1

Refired, Not Retired Day: 1

World Compliment Day: 1

Ash Wednesday: 2

National Anthem Day: 3

Benjamin Harrison Day: 4

World Day of Prayer: 4

Girl Scout Sunday: 5

Sock Monkey Day: 5

Daughters and Sons Day: 6

Oreo Cookie Day: 6

National Cereal Day: 7

National Flapjacks Day: 7

International Women's Day: 8

Barbie Day: 9

Organize Your Home Office Day: 9

International Bagpipe Day: 10

Land Line Telephone Day: 10

Johnny Appleseed Day: 11

National "Promposal" Day: 11

Working Moms Day: 12

Check Your Batteries Day: 13

Daylight Saving Time Begins: 13

NCAA Men's Division: 13

Napping Day: 14

Pi Day (as in the math = 3.14159265)

Save a Spider Day: 14

Write Your Story Day: 14

Ides of March: 15

World Consumer Rights Day: 15

Campfire Girls Day: 16

No Selfies Day: 16

St. Patrick's Day: 17

Awkward Moments Day: 18

Forgive Mom and Dad Day: 18

Kiss Your Fiancée Day: 18

National Sloppy Joe Day: 18

World Sleep Day: 18

Goddess of Fertility Day: 19

Swallows Return San Juan Capistrano Day: 19

Worldwide Quilting Day: 19

Alien Abduction Day: 20

International Day of Happiness: 20

First Day of Spring (Vernal Equinox): 20

National Common Courtesy Day: 21

National Single Parent Day: 21

Twitter Day: 21 (Social Media)

World Down Syndrome Day: 21

Talk Like William Shatner Day: 22

National Tamale Day: 23

World Meteorological Day: 23

National Chocolate Covered Raisins Day: 24

National Medal of Honor Day: 25

Pecan Day: 25

Tolkien Reading Day: 25

Be Mad Day: 26

Live Long And Prosper Day: 26

Make Up Your Own Holiday Day: 26

Purple Day: 26

Walk In The Sand Day: 26

Quirky Country Music Song Titles Day: 27

World Theatre Day: 27

Barnum & Bailey Day: 28

National Mom & Pop Business Owner Day: 29

National Vietnam War Veterans Day: 29

Niagara Falls Runs Dry Day: 29

International Laundry Folding Day: 30