

# November 2022

## Newsletter



## Welcome November

A month of thankfulness and family gatherings, November holds a special place in many people's hearts. Whether it's the turkey and gravy, the steaming sweet potatoes, the pan of hot rolls, or the good company, something about that Thanksgiving meal uplifts our spirits (while filling our bellies).

It is a time to be grateful for the roof over our heads, the food on the table, and the people divinely placed into each of our lives.

It is also a time to remember those less fortunate than us – the couple struggling to pay bills, the widow spending her first Thanksgiving alone, or the young man recently diagnosed with a devastating disease.

Let's take time this month to not only say "Thank you, Lord" for our blessings but also "Show me, Lord" how we can bless someone else.



We love  
our  
Quilting  
Bees!

Johnson County Senior Center

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### Events

- 11/2: Bingo w/Avalon Hospice
- 11/7,10,14: ABC Grant Class: Color Theory & Landscape Oil Painting
- 11/9: Storytelling with Linda at the Library: County History & Genealogy @ 12:30pm
- 11/10: Cherokee Legend Storytelling @ Heritage Hall 1pm (FREE)
- 11/22: Thanksgiving Meal
- 11/22: Thanksgiving Bingo with Megan McEwen/AFLAC

### Trips

- 11/4: Walmart w/Steve 10am  
Cost: \$5
- 11/16: Loveable Ladies' Trip: Hamricks 10am Cost: \$5

### Danny Herman Trucking Thanksgiving Drive-thru

November 24<sup>th</sup>  
11-12:30pm

Must call D.H.T. to reserve a meal at  
727-1858 by Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>.

For more information about the Johnson County Senior Center and its upcoming events, check our website and Facebook page.

## Volunteer of the Month



**Barbara Stout**

Barbara has been a member of the Senior Center for over 10 years. Previously employed in the Johnson County School system, she enjoys greeting and meeting people at the front desk. Barbara and her husband, Ray, have been married for 55 years this November, and she is a proud grandmother of three & great-grandmother of five.

## Veteran of the Month

## Val Herod



Val has been a member of the Senior Center since 2006. He has served as Advisory Board Treasurer and volunteered much during that time. Most importantly, Val served our country in the Navy for 28 years. He also served in the Vietnam War. He has been married to his lovely wife, Betty, for 53 years and we are so happy to congratulate Val for being chosen as the Veteran of the Month.



“Despite a few setbacks, our trip to Mount Rushmore was a huge success. Everyone enjoyed exploring the country out west. The Badlands was one of our favorite locations.”

-Kathy Motsinger

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

The Senior Center will be having its Thanksgiving Meal on Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>.



## Now let's talk about Steve...

After spending five years working with Food Country, Steve joined us at the Senior Center in early October as our new full-time Van Driver. In addition to helping people, he enjoys collecting antique knives. His collection began when he was a child and was later reignited by a co-worker who shared his love for old knives and their history.

