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Cornerstone

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El Tapatio

Foster Farms

Hometown Pizza

J&R Sales

Means Nursery

Old Pastime Tavern

Rainier Chevron Food Mart

Rainier True Value

St Helens Ace Hardware

Shari's Restaurant

The Cornerstone Cafe

True Value Hardware

United Way

City of Rainier

Country Financial

Deer Island Grange

Eagles

Fred Meyer

Home Depot

Jack-in-the-Box

Lower Columbia Insurance

MPC Computer Solutions

Nys Tree Farm

Rainier Appliance

Rainier Garden Club

Rainier Sign Company

Rainier St Helens Credit Union

Safeway

Subway

Triangle Bowl

Western World



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August City-Wide Garage Sale Saturday, August 13 8am to 4pm

Rent a 8 ft table for \$10 and enjoy our air-conditioned center to sell your items. We hope to also have food and beverages. Keep your cool and have fun selling your garage sale items.

We will be serving hot dogs and hamburgers.

Call Rachel at 503-369-6382

\$10 per 8 ft table

Reserve yours soon

Need a PlaceTo Celebrate
a wedding, birthday,
anniversary
or reunion?
Rent the Senior Center
Contact Jan at the

Center 503-556-3889

Board Members

Jan Rich. Pres. Keith Ekstrom, V Pres. Rachel Kelley, Sect. Marily Tift, Tres. At Large: Shirley Emerick, Clint Kelley, and Margie Clark

Newsletter Editor: **Beth Bailey**



with Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici August 2 1:30-2:30 pm

Discussing education, the economy and jobs, retirement security, Social Security and Medicare, veterans' issues, and any constituents' topics

New Summer Hours
Rainier Senior Center Hours
9:30 am to 2:30 pm
Monday through Friday

As we approach the middle of summer, the Energy Experts at Columbia River PUD have put together a few tips you can use to avoid the heat and save some money.

- **1. Keep the Heat Out**: Use shades or dark window coverings to block heat. Let cool breezes in by opening the shades and windows in the early morning and evening.
- **2.** Choose Cotton: Loose fitting, light colored, cotton clothing and linen will help you stay cool during the day and sleep better at night.
- **3. Stay Hydrated**: Drink plenty of cold liquids throughout the day to replenish fluids lost through sweat. Avoid caffeine as this promotes dehydration.
- **4. Cool Off Your Kitchen**: Keeping the stove and oven off will keep you and your kitchen cooler.
- **5. Use a Fan**: Use a portable fan to keep you cool. Be sure to turn the fan off when you leave the room. Placing a cool towel or ice pack on your neck or your wrists will also help.

6. Visit the Museum: If the heat is just too much, visit your library, museum, Senior Center or other air-conditioned facility.



For more energy-saving tips, visit www.crpud.net/tips or call our Energy Experts at (503) 366-5470.



Coming in September

ELVIS Impersonator

Dinner Show and
Matinee Gospel Revival
More Details in our
September Newsletter

Register your donation to the Rainier Senior Center for the Fred Meyer Community Rewards

Just a reminder that Fred Meyer would like you to register your donation to the community rewards program by designating the Rainier Senior Center as your preferred non-profit choice. If you have any questions on how to do this, ask at the desk.





9am to 4pm Cost: \$15/Member

See Marily to reserve your space

Senior Center Activities

MONDAY



Blood Pressure Check 11 am by Lowell Norbom

Checks both blood pressure and oxygen levels.
Have yours checked!



Music by

The Three of Us

Music begins at 11:00.

Sing along or dance to the tunes.



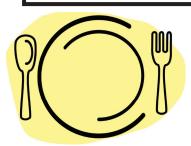
Evening Bingo starts at 6:00pm \$5 per card Come have fun.

TUESDAY



Bingo 10:30 am

AUGUST POTLUCK DINNER



Thursday August 25 5pm

Come join the event!

WEDNESDAY

Work on a Puzzle, Pick out a Book or Work Out on the Exercise Equipment

THURSDAY



No Exercise Classes during the summer

FRIDAY



Foot Care

10am-1pm By Lowell Norbom, Retired RN

Cost: \$15 goes to Center Trim toenails-Remove corns and calluses

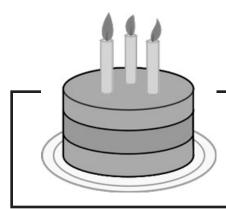
Please make an appointment!



Music

1st and 3rd Friday

5 Area Luncheon at the Clatskanie Senior Center Monday August 29



Happy Birthday to our August Birthday Members

Birthday Flower: Poppy Birthstone: Peridot

If your birthday is not listed or wrong, please contact the reception desk.

8/1	Mayeda Muggie	8/17	Jan Rich
8/1	Eugene Smith	8/17	Jo Williamson
8/3	Kaye Smith	8/23	Shiela Rickard
8/8	Marian Nolin	8/29	Keith Ekstrom
8/10	V. Rochelle Pierce	8/31	Kathy Richardson
8/10	Mildred Elliot		

Please re-register your rewards program to designate the Rainier Senior Center as the non-profit



The Rainier Senior Center can earn money from Fred Meyer by anyone who shops there and signs up for the Community Rewards Program.

Help Our Senior Center
Earn Money!
54 families who signed up
helped the center receive
\$141.63 (for 2nd Quarter)

Link your card by calling **1-800-576-4377** and select **option 3**.

Ask them to search for us by name **Rainier Senior Citizens**- or use our non-profit number **94223**.

You still get your reward points, fuel points and rebates just the same!

August Volunteer of the Month: Laritta Edwards

Rainier's volunteer of the month of August is Laritta Edwards. She has been involved in the center for many years. She serves on Mondays and has been a past board member serving as our treasurer. When asked to help she is there for us. Thank you, Laritta.

AUGUST EVENTS								
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday				
Music- 3 of Us Blood Pressure Check 11 am Bingo - 6 pm	2 10:30 am	3	4 Pinochle 1:00 pm	Foot Care 10 am-1 pm by appt Music with Eric 11 am				
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15 3 of Us 11 am Blood Pressure Check 11 am Bingo -6pm Beth Moffett 9:30-10:30	16 10:30 am	Board Meeting 1pm	18 Pinochle 1:00 pm	Foot Care 10 am-1 pm by appt Music with Vern				
3 of Us Blood Pressure Check 11 am Bingo - 6pm	23 10:30 am	24 Membership Meeting 1pm	August Potluck Dinner 5pm	Foot Care 10 am-1 pm by appt Susanna's Supper-6pm Rainier Methodist Church				
Blood Pressure Check 11 am 5-Area Luncheon Scappoose Senior Ctr Bingo - 6 pm	30 10:30 am Bingo -6pm	Casino Bus Trip 9am-4pm \$15/member See Marily	Volunteer Hours For 460.25 Meals Served For May: 951					

August 2016 Rainier Senior Center Activities - www.RainierSeniors.com Events are subject to change without notice.

AUGUST MENU								
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday				
1 Lasagna Romaine Salad Garlic Toast	Turkey Dressing Mashed Potatoes Spinach Salad Veggie	3 Salisbury Steak Baked Potatoes Green Beans Fruit	Tater Tot Casserole Cole Slaw	5 Meat Loaf Baked Potatoes Veggie				
8 BBQ Chicken Macaroni Salad Baked Beans	9 Pork Red Cabbage & Apples Dinner Roll	10 Malibu Chicken Rice Caesar Salad	11 Baked Ham Potatoes Broccoli Salad Rolls	12 Roast Beef Red Potatoes Mixed Veggies Garden Salad				
15 Biscuits & Gravy Ham Slice Peaches	16 Sheppard's Pie Mixed Green Salad	17 Cabbage Rolls Waldorf Salad Veggies Rolls	18 Chicken Cordon Bleu Rice Pilaf Peas 3-Bean Salad	19 Clam Chowder Tuna Sandwich				
22 Tamale Pie Corn Garden Salad	23 Crispy Chicken Salad Rolls	24 Chicken Enchiladas Corn Chips/Salsa Refried Beans Fruit Cocktail	25 Split Pea Soup Ham Sandwich Apricots	26 Turkey Ala King Peas & Carrots Stuffing				
29 Hot Roast Beef Open Faced Sand. Mashed Potatoes	30 Hamburger Stroganoff Pea Salad Veggies	31 Lasagna Salad Garlic Bread						

Rainier Senior Center Lunch Menu

503-556-3889

www.RainierSeniors.com

Call in and carry-out orders need to be in no later than 10:30am.

Menu is subject to change without notice.
Suggested Donation is \$5 for over 60 and \$6 for under 60 for lunch; Breakfast, \$4.

Rainier Days in the Park Float Preparation and Parade





Many thanks to all the volunteers who came out Friday afternoon to decorate the float for the parade. We got it done in a short amount of time. Special thanks to Clint Kelley for organizing the team. Lillibel looked very regal on her throne. Her theme was "Where flowers bloom, so does hope"



During the My Fair Lady Pagent, Lillibel was highly supported by 20 members from the Rainier Senior Center plus family and friends.

Claudia Oblack of Vernonia was crowned queen on July 21st. It was her response to the question, "What was your most rewarding volunteer experience?" that won the crown. Oblack recounted a story from her 30 years volunteering on an ambulance crew in Vernonia.

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Sign up to ride the bus

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Congresswoman

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