

**RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
PROGRAM INFORMATION
APRIL 2018**

**SPECIAL EVENTS/PROGRAMS AND SENIOR CENTER
Submitted by David Karlson, Asst. Recreation Director**

Senior Center

Throughout the month, seniors are able to attend lunch catered by Treat America Food Services on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. They Play Bingo on Mondays and Fridays, Chair Volleyball on Wednesday and Fridays, and participate in Tai Chi on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Seniors can join our quilting and sewing group on Wednesday, play Pinochle on the first and last Wednesdays of the month, join our Senior Color Book Club every Monday morning and enjoy our Book Time for Grown-Ups on Friday mornings. They may also sign up for the monthly Senior Foot Care and Wellness Clinic.

On Friday, March 2, the **La Vista Junior High School Show Choir** performed for the seniors.



Merrymaker's performer Joyce Torchia performed to a group of 14 seniors on Thursday, March 6.

On Wednesday, March 7, four **Methodist Nursing students** played Chair Volleyball with the seniors then joined them in our senior room where they provided free blood pressure checks. They also held a presentation on "exercise for aging adults".



On Wednesday, March 14, we celebrated "**Pi Day**" 3.14159265359 by serving the seniors their own mini-pies.

On Friday, March 16, we hosted our annual **St. Patrick's Day** lunch. Forty + seniors enjoyed a lunch of corned beef and cabbage while being entertained by the band *Feel'n Groovy*.

Our monthly **Movie Outing** took place on Tuesday, March 27. Six seniors joined us on the van and an additional three seniors carpooled and met us at the Cinema 8 Theater to see the movie "*Molly's Game*".

Our March Tuesday/Thursday Tai Chi classes had 162 participants.

Our Senior Center served 266 meals in March.

Our Senior Volunteer program logged 106 hours in March. We had eight volunteers, with an average of over 13.25 hours each.

YOUTH AND ADULT SPORTS/SPECIAL EVENTS **Submitted by Denny Dinan, Recreation Dept.**

Pre-School Play Time

March counts:

Adults = 184 Daily average = 20

Children = 273 Daily average = 30

Total Mar = 457 Daily average = 51 Total Play Time days = 9

Total Feb = 388 Daily average = 48.5 Total Play Time days = 8

Current Programs

Adult Women's Volleyball: Winter session ended on March 28 and the spring session began on April 4, and will play a shorter 6 game session. We have a full league with eight teams.

Coaches are assigned and teams have been formed and practices began on April 2, weather permitting, for youth baseball, flag football, soccer clinic, academy & league, and softball.

Baseball: 129 players/11 teams in 2018 and 93 players/ 7 teams in 2017

Flag Football: 79 players/8 teams in 2018 and 67 players/7 teams in 2017

Soccer 3 yr. old Clinic: 15 players in 2018 and 11 players in 2017

Soccer Academy/League: 105 players in 2018 and 85 players in 2017

Softball: 67 players/ 5 teams in 2018 and 53 players/4 teams in 2017

Soccer began on April 3.

Flag Football games are scheduled to begin on April 14.

Baseball games are scheduled to begin the last week of April.

Softball games are to begin the first weekend in May.

Adult Softball games started the week of April 9. There is twenty teams this year, which is one more than last spring. We have a Men's league on Sunday, Men's league on Tuesday and Coed league on Friday.

Upcoming Sports Events

April 20 – 22: Papillion Outlaws Girls Softball Tournament

April 28: PH&R and Jr Home Run Derby