



February 2025, Newsletter

WEEKLY EVENTS:

VH: Village Hall

KHS: Kohler High School

KPL: Kohler Public Library

TBD: Location to be determined

Mondays:

Ping Pong 1 pm-VH

Tuesdays:

Chair Yoga: 8:15 am -VH

Hiking 9:00 am-TBD

Wednesdays:

Pickleball 6:30 pm -KHS

Thursdays:

Painting Klub w/Jay 1 pm-VH

3rd Thursday Book Klub 1 pm – KPL

Fridays:

Lunch 11:30 am (cards after)-VH

Unless otherwise noted

To register for meals, classes, or activities

Rhonda at rkohler121@gmail.com

or text/call: 805-403-1034

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www.kohlervillage.org/klub-55

Know of a fun activity for Klub 55, please inform Rhonda. Also, we encourage everyone to bring a friend to any activity/class and/or lunch.

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MISSION OF KLUB 55:

Klub 55 serves as a focal point for those aged 55 and over in the extended Kohler community, providing opportunities for fun, recreation, learning, and socialization in order to encourage physical, mental, spiritual, and social well-being.

2025 Memberships:

Klub 55 yearly membership is \$25. This membership entitles you to discounts on Friday lunches, trips, classes, activities, and special events. Annual membership is from 1/1/2025 – 12/31/2025.

Become a Klub 55 Friend:

Friend members can be ANY AGE (21 & over). Membership entitles you to enjoy athletic programs such as pickleball, hiking, kayaking, ping pong, and educational events. Membership is \$10 annually 1/1/2025 – 12/31/2025. Becoming a Friend of Klub 55 helps us support our programs and events.

5 Facts about Valentines Day

1. The oldest known Valentines Day card is a poem written by Duke of Orleans in 1415.
2. Cupid was originally a Greek god "Eros," the Greek god of love
3. Red roses symbolize love
4. Valentine's Day isn't just for romance, people give gifts to their pets too
5. Valentine's Day is over 1,500 years old: King Henry VII of England made Valentine's Day a holiday in 1537.

Friday Lunch at Village Hall: 11:30 am; \$6.00

Unless otherwise noted

2/7: Chicken Pot Pie, chicken dumpling soup, rolls, and dessert

2/14: Valentine's Day Party and Bingo (\$1.00 each card, numerous prizes)

Lots of fun appetizers, fruit, desserts, and punch



2/21: Lasagna, Caesar salad, French bread, and dessert

2/28: Lunch at Superior Bar and Grill @ 11:30 am: 2607 Superior Ave, Sheboygan

Card Playing after lunch when at Village Hall. We will provide coffee, tea, and water. Soda is available for purchase.

***New for 2025: One complementary lunch at Village Hall (Fridays) during your birthday month (contact Rhonda)**

***Informal meeting (Q&A) regarding a Klub 55 Bunco group: Rhonda is available to meet on Thursday 2/6 @ 2:30 pm and, Friday 2/7 @ 10:00 am (please stop by either day, at Village Hall in Kohler. Hoping to start playing in March (once a month). Please contact Rhonda for more info.**

FITNESS:



Ping Pong • Mondays 1:00 pm • Village Hall

No pre-registration required. No experience necessary, beginners welcome. No cost for members/Klub 55 Friends, \$1.00 for non-members



Chair Yoga • Tuesdays 8:15 am • Village Hall

5-week card \$40 for members and \$45 for non-members/Klub 55 Friends



Hiking/walking • Tuesdays 9:00 am • Put on comfortable shoes and join us: All skill

levels/physical abilities welcome. Location to be determined. No pre-registration required. No cost for members/Klub 55 Friends, \$1.00 for non-members.



Pickle Ball • Wednesdays 6:30 pm • Kohler High School gym: Beginners Welcome!

No pre-registration required. No experience necessary, **no** cost for members/Klub 55 Friends, \$1.00 for non-members

CLASSES:



Painting Klub w/Jay • Thursdays 1:00 pm • Village Hall

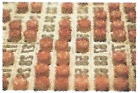
No cost for members/Klub 55 Friends, \$3 for non-members, does not include materials. Beginners welcome.

ACTIVITIES:



Movie Klub • Tuesday, February 4 at 11:15, meet in the lobby at 11:00 am

Movie: **“Green and Gold”** about a Wisconsin dairy farmer, \$6.00 and free popcorn for Reward members at Marcus Theater, in Sheboygan



Bingo on February 4 & 18th at Howards Grove Fire Department, 1013 S. Wisconsin Dr., Howards Grove: doors open @ 5:30 pm, play starts @ 6:30 pm.

Bingo and lunch buffet on February 8th at Racer's Hall Sports Bar and Grill, 1-4:00pm: W4408 Co Rd C, Plymouth

Bingo every Wednesday at 7:00pm: 3 Sheeps Brewery: 1837 North Ave., Sheboygan



Breakfast Klub • Wednesday, February 12 @ 9:30 am • Field to Fork Restaurant: 511 8th St., Sheboygan



Dinner Klub • Wednesday, February 19 @ 5:00pm • Rupps Downtown Restaurant: 925 N. 8th Street, Sheboygan



Book Klub • Thursday, February 20 @ 1:00 pm • Kohler Public Library:

240 School St. For more information, contact Erin at the KPL, or call 920-459-2923
Book of the month: The Women



The iconic Broadway Musical: Footloose: February 7th (7:00 pm), 8th (2:00 and 7:00 pm) and 9th (2:00 pm) at Oostburg High School, \$15

MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES:

February 6 @ 5:00 pm: Frozen Fairways at Blackwolf Run Golf Course
Numerous activities, beautiful ambiance and dinner

February 8 @ 7:30 pm: The Droors at Weill Center in Sheboygan (\$20)

February 10 @ 1:30 pm: Phonographs and Gramophones, The Age of Edison and Berliner presented by John Hildebrandt: Kiel Public Library, 511 3rd St, Kiel

February 11 @ 12:00 pm: Nature talk/lunch at Maywood (3615 Mueller Rd, Sheboygan), bring your own lunch, coffee, tea, water, and dessert will be provided

February 11 @ 5:30 pm: Flower Arranging Workshop (\$25), Nourish Farms, 100 Alfred Miley Ave., Sheboygan Falls

February 12 @ 1:00 pm: Hearts for All Ages Valentine's Day Party (Bingo, Refreshments, Games, Door Prizes) at Generations: 1500 Douglas Drive, Plymouth

February 14 – 22: Alice by Heart play (2:00 pm/Sundays, and 7:00 pm/Thursday-Saturdays performances): Horace Mann Middle School in Sheboygan. Tickets: \$16

February 15: Memories Ballroom in Ozaukee County: The Music of Elvis, Roy, & Buddy: Matinee and Evening performances, includes all you can eat meal: \$84.00

February 15: 5:00-8:00 pm: Steak Out at The Village 170 (\$15+ meals), 170 Rangeline Rd, in Kohler

February 16: 11:00 – 5:30 pm: KPAL Brat Fry at The Village 170 (tickets \$5, and can be used toward food and beverages), 170 Rangeline Rd, in Kohler

February 17 @ 5:30 pm & February 18 @ 10:00 am: Garden Series, Winter Pruning Workshop: Nourish Farms, 100 Alfred Miles Ave., Sheboygan Falls

February 17 @ 11:00 am: Family Cooking Class, from Mild to Wild (\$50 for 2): Nourish Farms, 100 Alfred Miles Ave., Sheboygan Falls

February 20 @ 5:00 pm: Community Chili Dinner: Nourish Farms, 100 Alfred Miles Ave., Sheboygan Falls

February 21 @ 6:00 pm: Wizard of Oz on Ice at Weill Center in Sheboygan (\$25+)

February 22 @ 7:30 pm: Forever Motown at Weill Center in Sheboygan (\$35+)

Every Monday @5:30pm: King Trivia in Howards Grove, Log Cabin Inn

Kiel Community Center – 2025 Trip Schedule

All Departure and Return Times are from Belitz Park for Kiel travelers and Plymouth Walmart for others

When signing up for the Fireside trips please have menu choice and payment in 5 weeks prior

Make checks payable to: City of Kiel and mail them to: The Kiel Community Center
510 3rd Street Kiel, WI 53042

Your spot is guaranteed with payment, checks held until the day of the trip

To register for a trip please call Missy at 920-894-7861 or 920-838-1028 for day of trip needs

March 18 – NFL Draft Preview - \$145 per person (payment due Feb. 18th)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 4:30 pm

In April, football fans from all over the world will descend on Green Bay, Wisconsin for the Draft. Hundreds of thousands are expected to flood Green Bay next spring. We want you to become a Draft Insider so you will know everything going on behind the scenes to prepare for this monumental event. C & M Presents is proud to offer an exclusive Draft Insider Package for you!

Highlights Include:

- Specially Designed "Draft Insider" Tour of Lambeau - Stadium Highlights, Rooftop and 50-yard line Experience
- Tour of Packers' Art Collection on the Club & Box Levels
- Interactive Hall of Fame Experience with Curator
- Dive into Green Bay Draft History with Packers' Staff
- Visit the Newly Installed Draft Exhibit in the Hall of Fame
- Specially Curated Draft Day Lunch at 1919
- Preview Layout of 2025 Draft Campus by Motorcoach Special Treats and Surprises

April 10 – West Side Story at the Fireside Theatre - \$155 per person (payment due March 3rd)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm

From the first notes to the final breath, WEST SIDE STORY is a theatrical event not to be missed. Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet is transported to modern-day New York City as two young lovers find themselves caught between warring street gangs. Their struggle to survive in a world of hate, violence, and prejudice is one of the most innovative, heart-wrenching, and relevant musical dramas of our time. Broadway legends Arthur Laurents, Leonard Bernstein,

Stephen Sondheim, and Jerome Robbins created a show that is both ageless and as fresh as tomorrow's headlines. Join us for this landmark musical and epic tale of love eternal.

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The menu for lunch is:

Lemon Chicken Orzo Soup
Garnished with Chives and Parsley.

Freshly Baked Breads from our Artisan Bakery

Entrée Choices (Select One)

SLICED PORK TENDERLOIN

Slow Roasted Pork Tenderloin, sliced and crowned with rich pork stock gravy, served with Herbed Stuffing and Cinnamon Applesauce

COCONUT CHICKEN

Skinless Breast of Chicken dipped in egg batter, rolled in Coconut and Panko Breadcrumbs, sautéed to a golden brown, and glazed with Brandied Apricot Sauce.

SEARED HALIBUT

A fresh Halibut Filet pan-seared to a golden brown, served with a Tamari Aioli.

VEGETARIAN STUFFED BELL PEPPERS

Above entrees served with Coconut and Ginger Jasmine Rice and Asian Stir-Fried Vegetables.

Cherry Crisp

Warm Tart Michigan Cherries under an Old-Fashioned Cinnamon Oatmeal Crumb Crust topped with our Homemade Vanilla Frozen Custard.

Coffee, Tea, and Milk

May 21 – South Milwaukee and More - \$135 per person (payment due April 21st)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 5:30 pm

Join us as we explore Classic Milwaukee – The South Side! There is so much history, culture and great food to enjoy. Our tour will take us through the architectural and historical district known as “Chimney Houses” and the FDR “Greenbelt District”. We’ll also enjoy the beauty of Spring as we tour the Boerner Botanical Gardens and see the garden in early bloom. Lunch will be at a classic Southside restaurant that guests have enjoyed for decades. And of course you know we’ll build in some surprises as well. Get ready for a great day out in South Milwaukee.

June 3-5 – Galena and Northern Illinois – Pricing TBD (A C&M Presents Trip)

We will be touring the popular Galena area on this 3 day, 2 night trip in late spring. This is our most requested trip, so we hope you can join us. More details will be available soon, so we will get everything over to you when the details are finalized. In the meantime, circle the date on your calendar and talk to your travel partners so you can be part of this fantastic trip!

June 24 – Milwaukee Steeple Chase – \$140 per person (payment due May 23rd)

This is a classic tour that we offered many years ago. People have asked to bring it back, so we are offering it again in 2025 for new travelers as well as veterans. We have tweaked a couple of stops so it is freshened up a bit. We will be touring Gesu at Marquette University, St. Josaphat Basilica and two other beautiful worship spaces. Lunch will be at a Milwaukee favorite and will probably include a stop at Susan Beno’s “shrine” – Trader Joe’s.

Depart: 7:30 am

Return: 6:00 pm

July 10 – Church Basement Ladies Potluck at the Fireside - \$155 per person (payment due June 2nd)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm

It is 1979, the day of the church's Centennial Celebration, and past parishioners have gathered to share hotdish, bars, and stories from the last 100 years. As the women work in the kitchen, shared memories burst into life through a series of flashbacks. Travel back to 1897 and meet Vivian's grandmother; see Karin as a newlywed cautiously navigating the politics of the kitchen; and be there in 1944 when Mavis first barreled her way through the door. The Centennial Celebration is bittersweet. Times are tough in this small farm community, and hard decisions will have to be made.

Lunch Menu

Asian Salad

An Asian Vegetable Mix with Cashews and Sesame Dressing topped with Fried Rice Noodles.
Freshly Baked Breads from our Artisan Bakery

Entrée Choices (Select One):

BRAISED PORK BELLY

Succulent Duroc Pork Belly scored and seared to perfection. Braised slowly in Soy Sauce, Brown Sugar, and its natural juices until tender. Sliced and served with a Pan Sauce. Served with Fried Rice with Peas, Onion, and Egg, and Honey Glazed Carrots.

SUPREME CUT CHICKEN BREAST

Seasoned with Lemon Pepper and Seared. Served with Fried Rice with Peas, Onion, and Egg, and Honey Glazed Carrots.

THAI GRILLED SHRIMP

Fresh Shrimp, Onions, Bell Peppers, and Pineapple placed on bamboo skewers and marinated in Lemongrass, Sweet Chilis, and Garlic. Charred on the grill and served with an Apricot Lemongrass Chutney. Served with Fried Rice with Peas, Onion, and Egg.

VEGETARIAN CACCIATORE

Lemon Chess Pie

Creamy Lemon Custard garnished with Fresh Whipped Cream and diced Fresh Strawberry Coulis.

Coffee, Tea, and Milk

August 14, 2025 – I Spy... - \$135 per person (payment due July 11th)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 5:00 pm

Shhhh...we're on a mission. A mission to discover all the uncovered secrets of DePere, Wisconsin. You will love everything you discover on this short trip North to the banks of the Fox River. Our day will start at the brand new Mulva Cultural Center. It's an architectural beauty that contains art, traveling exhibits, a state-of-the-art auditorium and more. Coincidentally it is also featuring an exhibit on spies and their place in history. We'll each get the chance to solve individual mysteries and get "spy certified". After a delicious DePere lunch, we'll take a tour of the St. Norbert Abbey – another architectural and historical marvel. Stops at Seroogy's chocolate and St. Norbert College are also in the works. Our mission will be complete when we end the day having uncovered all these hidden treasures on the banks of the Fox River!

September 11, 2025 – Oklahoma at the Fireside - \$155 per person (payment due Aug. 1st)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm

It's an American classic! It's the show that first introduced the immortal writing team of Rodgers and Hammerstein! It's the show that ushered in the Golden Age of American Musical Theatre! It's OKLAHOMA! This bright, brassy, boisterous musical comedy is filled with colorful costumes, breathtaking dancing, side-splitting humor, and a musical score featuring such hits as "People Will Say We're In Love," "Surrey With the Fringe On Top," and the rousing title number "Oklahoma!" The original production won a Pulitzer Prize and various Broadway revivals have won multiple Tony Awards. Now The Fireside presents a fresh, new, not to be missed telling of this time-honored musical.

Lunch Menu

Scallop Appetizer

Seared Fresh Atlantic Diver Scallop with a Potato Croquette, presented on our Tomato Butter Sauce.

Freshly Baked Breads from our Artisan Bakery

Entrée Choices:

CHICKEN FLORENTINE

Pan seared Chicken Breast stuffed with Fresh Spinach and Cheeses, served over a Spinach Cream Sauce.

BAKED ALMOND CRUSTED COD

Two tender Northern Cod Fillets coated with Dijon Mustard and crusted with Toasted Almonds, Japanese Breadcrumbs, and Fresh Herbs. Baked to crunchy perfection and served with our decadent Tarragon Sauce.

BEEF SHORT RIB

Slowly braised in beef stock and dressed with a red wine demi-glaze.

Above entrees served with Garlic Whipped Potatoes and Roasted Asparagus.

VEGETARIAN MANICOTTI WITH RED SAUCE

Double Layer Carrot Cake
With Cream Cheese Frosting

Coffee, Tea, and Milk

October 2, 2025 – Fall's Finest - \$150 Per Person (payment due Sept. 1st)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:00 pm

The beauty of fall in Wisconsin is always amazing, and the more you can be out in it, the better off you are! Our day will take us to the East Troy area for a vintage train ride and lunch on board their dining car. The fall colors will pass us by as we enjoy white linen service for a delicious 3 course luncheon in the dining car. Our journey ends at the Elegant Farmer, where all sorts of harvest goodies await, including their famous pies in a bag. We'll add a few things to make it a fun fall day but know you will enjoy travelling the rails with us.

October 28, 2025 - Halloween Adventure - \$140 Per Person (payment due September 26th)

Depart: 7:30 am

Return: 6:00 pm

Just in time for Halloween let's enjoy some spooky fun! Door County is the perfect place to enjoy a Halloween Adventure, and we'll do just that on this great trip. The day will include a Door County Ghost Trolley Tour exploring all the haunted sights of the area, a delicious fall luncheon and an apple orchard adventure. We'll include Halloween Treats and probably a trick too – but it will all be a fun way to celebrate the season!

November 30 – December 4, 2025

Christmas in New York City

Sign up through C&M Presents and Collette Tours

December 9, 2025 – Holiday by the Bay - \$150 Per Person (payment due Nov. 7th)

Depart: 12:00 pm

Return: 10:00 pm

Spending a Merry Day in Green Bay will make your holiday season bright! We have some very fun things to do for you to celebrate the season. Wear your best Christmas sweater and dress for holiday fun! Our day will begin a little later since we have a very special evening for you. Our first stop will be making a beautiful, very unique holiday project that you will love – no wreaths, no kissing balls...this one is special! A delicious meal follows and then it's off to the theater – to see Elf! This holiday classic is as funny on stage as in the movie. You'll love visiting the intimate Birder Theater for this hilarious performance. We'll send you home with a holiday treat to enjoy on your short ride back home.