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Newsletter

December, 2023

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SENIOR CENTER

of Desert Hot Springs

Open Monday-Friday

8:00 am to 4 pm

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Vaccine Clinic

Dec 7th 2023

11:00 – 2:00 pm

Available Vaccines:

Updated COVID-19 Vaccine

Flu Vaccine

RSV Vaccine

Shingles

**Receive a \$20 Gift Card
when you get the COVID-
19 or Flu vaccine!**



DESERT HEALTHCARE
DISTRICT & FOUNDATION

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HOLIDAY ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

We are excited to announce our much-anticipated Annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Fair, a celebration of creativity and community that promises a day of inspiration and enjoyment.



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH

TIME: 10-2

Diverse Creations

Explore a wide range of art and crafts, from paintings to sculptures, handcrafted jewelry, knitted goods, and more.

Live Demonstrations

Watch skilled artists at work and gain insight into their creative processes.

Friendly Atmosphere

Connect with fellow seniors, share stories, and make new friends.

Delightful Refreshments

Enjoy light refreshments and snacks as you peruse the artwork.

Supporting our Local Artists!

For inquiries or to reserve a table, please contact us at 760 329 0222

From the Director's Desk

As we enter the enchanting month of December, I extend my warmest wishes. I am delighted to share the exciting happenings planned at the Desert Hot Springs Senior Center throughout this festive month.

Holiday Celebrations: Our halls will be adorned with festive decorations as we usher in the holiday spirit. Join us for our annual Holiday Party on Dec 21st, 11-3 pm, where laughter, camaraderie, and a touch of magic will be abundant.

Creative Corner: Embrace your artistic side at the Art & Craft Fair on Dec 5th, 10- 2 pm. Whether you're an experienced artist or a first-time creator, this is the place to share your inspiration and expression. Come and support our seniors!

Wellness: Attend our Vaccination Clinic with Desert Healthcare District and Foundation on Dec 7th, 11-2 pm. Let's prioritize our well-being together.

May December bring you moments of warmth, laughter, and cherished connections. Here's to a joyful and festive month at the Desert Hot Springs Senior Center!

With gratitude and holiday cheer,

— Francisco Castro



**WE WILL BE
CLOSING EARLY
ON DEC 1ST AT
1:30 PM**

WEDNESDAY IS MOVIE DAY!

Join us for a movie and snacks!

This month's movies are:

"Elf" Dec 6th, 11 am.

As a baby, Buddy crawls into Santa's toy bag and is whisked off to the North Pole, where he is raised as an elf. A misfit who grows to be three times the size of his elf family, Buddy heads to his birthplace to seek out his roots.

"Illumination Presents: Dr. Seuss' The Grinch" Dec 20th, 11 am.

The Grinch tells the story of a cynical grump who goes on a mission to steal Christmas, only to have his heart changed by a young girl's generous holiday spirit.



DHS Senior Center Annual Holiday Party!

Prepare for an enchanting celebration filled with joy, laughter, and heartwarming moments. This year's party promises to be a magical occasion, uniting us in the spirit of togetherness.



Stay tuned for exciting details, surprises, and the opportunity to create cherished memories with your fellow seniors. Let's make this holiday season truly special!

Mark your calendars, and let the festive countdown begin!.

**THURSDAY, DEC 21ST
11:00 A.M.—3:00 P.M.**

DECEMBER FUN FACTS

Notable individuals born in December include Ludwig van Beethoven, Walt Disney, Taylor Swift, and Brad Pitt.

Each snowflake is unique, and December often brings the beauty of snowfall in many parts of the world.

December 12th is Poinsettia Day, recognizing the beautiful red and green plant commonly associated with Christmas.

December marks the Winter Solstice in the Northern Hemisphere, the shortest day and longest night of the year.

The birthstones for December are Turquoise and Zircon, both known for their stunning blue hues.

National Cookie Day: December 4th is celebrated as National Cookie Day, a perfect excuse to indulge in some sweet treats.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Q: Is the Center closed for the holiday?

A: Yes, The Center will be closing at noon on Friday, December 22nd, and will be closed on Monday, December 25th.



Enjoy your holiday and we will see you back on Tuesday December 26th.

Joke of the Month

Why was the snowman looking through the carrots?

"He was picking his nose for the holidays!"

