



Social Activities for September 2017

You're invited! Please call Sparkle to make a reservation (1-855-569-5462)

Game Day/Pizza Party, Wednesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Community Center. Free.



Game Day is becoming a regular LOWLINC social activity! We meet at the Community Center to enjoy each other and the games and prizes for all our winners. Bingo, Crazy 8's, Left/Right/Center, Scrabble, Parcheesi, Dominoes, and much more are on the program. Popcorn and fun are on the menu. If you would like pizza for lunch, bring \$5.00 and we will order for you. If pizza is not your favorite, feel free to bring a bag lunch. Bottled water will be provided.

Let Sparkle know if you would like to attend. We have a lot of fun playing fun games, chatting and sharing a "slice" or two. If you haven't tried "Game Day" yet, give it a chance. We promise, you will leave with a smile on your face!

Lake of the Woods Visual Arts Council (LOWVAC) Art Show and Sale. Saturday, September 16. Community Center. 11:00 a.m. Free.



The LOWVAC Art Show and Sale, sponsored by the Lake of the Woods Visual Arts Council, is a much-anticipated annual event here at the Lake that gives LOW artists and craftspeople a chance to display their beautiful works of art. After 34 years in the LOW Clubhouse lower lever, this year the Show moves to the Community Center. LOWLINC members will meet at the Community Center at 11:00 a.m. and spend the next hour or so enjoying the show.

Red Molly: Live Performance at the Library of Congress Packard Campus Theater, Culpeper, Va., Thursday, September 21, 6:30 p.m. Free.



From the Packard Theater brochure: "Americana powerhouse vocal trio Red Molly is known for their gorgeous harmonies, crisp musicianship, infectious songwriting, and warm, engaging stage presence. Laurie MacAllister (bass), Abbie Gardner (Dobro), and Molly Venter (guitar) weave together the threads of American music - from folk roots to bluegrass, from heartbreaking ballads to barn-burning honky-tonk - as effortlessly as they blend their caramel voices into their signature soaring, crystalline three-part harmonies."

Note: The concert is free, but tickets must be obtained. Let Sparkle know by Friday, Sept. 1, that you would like to go so we can get the tickets.

LOWLINC Speaker Series: A Celebration of Aging in Community. Monday, September 25, 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Community Center.



Have you ever wanted to know more about what the "village" movement is all about? The first village, Beacon Hill in Boston, began in February 2002, and is celebrating with an event that will be broadcast to villages across the country, including LOWLINC. The featured speaker is renowned surgeon, public health researcher and writer, Dr. Atul Gawande. He will speak about the value of community, the importance of maintaining autonomy as we age, and how villages help older people remain in their homes. (Note: this event is rescheduled from February 2017.)

This presentation is part of LOWLINC's monthly Speaker Series. All Lake of the Woods residents are invited to attend...tell your friends and neighbors.

Future LOWLINC Events: Save the Date

Holiday Dinner at the Clubhouse. Thursday, December 7, 5:00 p.m.



Like last year, we will start the month of December and the holiday season with a festive dinner at the Clubhouse. The Garden Club once again will have the Clubhouse beautifully decorated, and we are thrilled to have such a beautiful venue for our holiday dinner. You can order from the menu, pay

for your own menu selections and have a nice opportunity to talk with one another. We would love to have you share a favorite Christmas or holiday memory with us as we reflect on past holidays. We will celebrate how much LOWLINC has grown since last year, and look forward to the 2017 holiday season.



Other Happenings at the Lake (Call Sparkle if you need a ride)

Vision-Impaired Support Group. Friday, September 15 at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Center. (Change in regular meeting day.) The group is intended for community members with impaired vision. It offers the opportunity to discuss common problems and solutions related to vision issues. Guest speaker will be Dr. Myron Wasiuta, a physician specializing in vision impairments. For more information please contact Gail Sauro at 972-1629

AARP Monthly Meeting, Monday, September 18. Lake of the Woods residents welcome. Check the AARP website at <http://www.aarp5239.org/> for speaker information.

Civil War Study Group. Friday, September 23 at 10:30 a.m. in the Lower Level of the Club House. "Does the Civil War Really Matter Anymore?" Sharon Grubbs, an area history teacher who was awarded a scholarship by CWSG to attend the Civil War Trust's National Teacher Institute reports back to the group on the event. Lower level, Lake of the Woods Clubhouse.