

Main Street
Community Center

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I want to help Main Street Community Center as they support local seniors and disabled adults with essential and valuable programs and services by donating to the Center.

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Cash Donation Amount: \$ _____

Please restrict my donation for the following program or service:

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QUOTE OF THE MONTH

*"The month of May
is the gateway to
summer."*



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People. Programs. Possibilities.

Carissa Hess named Director of Operations

We are thrilled to announce that Carissa Hess has been promoted to Director of Operations at Main Street Community Center!

Carissa first joined MSCC in 2020 as a part-time program coordinator, bringing enthusiasm and dedication to her role. She then transitioned to Assistant Director in January 2022, further strengthening our day trips, center programs, and special events.

In her new position, Carissa will directly oversee coordination and planning of all Center programming, ensuring that MSCC continues to offer exciting and engaging new opportunities for all. Her leadership, passion, and commitment to the Center make her an invaluable part of our team.

Please join us in congratulating Carissa on this well-deserved achievement!



Join us! Spring playwriting performance

Join us for a free performance from our spring playwriting group led by local playwright ek doolin and performed by the MSCC community!



May 18th at 4:00 pm

MSCC Recreation Room

Refreshments Provided!



SPOTLIGHT ON PROGRAMS AT MSCC

WATERCOLOR CLASSES



Main Street Community Center offers a free Senior Watercolor class, thanks to a sponsorship from The GO LUXE Travel Company. Led by talented instructor Patty Strubinger, this class provides seniors with a wonderful opportunity to explore their creativity and develop their artistic skills in a welcoming environment. Sessions are held in the Windland Recreation Room on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Call the Center to sign up. 618-656-0300

MAY 2025 CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	<p>Check us out! www.mainstcc.org www.facebook.com/mainstcc info@mainstcc.org</p>			<p>1 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 5:45pm Edwardsville Bridge Group</p>	<p>2 11:00am Film Friday: <i>The First of May</i> 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo</p>
<p>Center Hours: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Monday - Friday</p>	<p>5 12:00pm Pinochle*</p>  <p>Free Chips and Salsa \$5 Fill a Bag from Resale Boutique</p>	<p>6 9:00am Pen Pal Meet & Greet* 9:30am Walking Club: Schon Park 10:00am IAC Playwriting Workshop* 12:15pm Functional Fitness 12:30pm Mah Jongg 7:00pm Evening Book Club: <i>The Indigo Girl</i> by Natasha Boyd</p>	<p>7 10:00am Technology Drop-In Help 10:00am Crochet & Connect 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 12:30pm Watercolor Class* 1:00pm Benefit Access* 7:00pm Tai Chi**</p>	<p>8 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 1:00pm Afternoon Book Club: <i>Lady Clementine</i> by Marie Benedict 5:45pm Edwardsville Bridge Group</p>	<p>9 10:00am Mother's Day Brunch & Plant Swap 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo</p> 
<p>Film Friday titles are not guaranteed. If the film listed becomes unavailable, we will substitute for a similar film.</p> <p>*activities require appointments/prior registration **activities have a fee and require prior registration</p>	<p>12 9:30am Euchre 12:00pm Pinochle*</p>	<p>13 9:30am Walking Club: LeClaire Park 12:15pm Line Dancing 12:30pm Mah Jongg</p>	<p>14 10:00am Crochet & Connect 11:00am Congregate Meal* 11:00am Blood Pressure Screenings 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 5:00pm Dining with Friends: Bella Milano 7:00pm Tai Chi**</p> 	<p>15 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 5:45pm Edwardsville Bridge Group</p>	<p>16 11:00am Film Friday: <i>Seven Days in May (1964)</i> 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo</p>
<p>18 4:00pm Playwriting Showcase</p> 	<p>19 12:00pm Pinochle*</p>	<p>20 9:00am Paralegal* 9:30am Walking Club: Drost Park 12:15pm Functional Fitness 12:30pm Mah Jongg 2:00pm Blood Drive 2 - 6 pm</p> 	<p>21 9:00am Coffee & Conversations Topic: Mad.Co.Community Development Technology Drop-In Help 10:00am Crochet & Connect 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 12:30pm Watercolor Class* 1:00pm Bunco 7:00pm Tai Chi**</p>	<p>22 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 5:45pm Edwardsville Bridge Group</p>	<p>23 11:00am Film Friday: <i>The Truth about Spring (1965)</i> 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo</p>
	<p>26 Center Closed</p> 	<p>27 9:30am Walking Club: Watershed 12:15pm Line Dancing 12:30pm Mah Jongg</p>	<p>28 10:00am Crochet & Connect 10:30am Blood Pressure Screenings 11:30am Lunch and Learn: Memory Care** 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 4:00pm Happy Hour: Brick & Bramble 7:00pm Tai Chi**</p> 	<p>29 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 5:45pm Edwardsville Bridge Group</p>	<p>30 11:00am Film Friday: <i>Hope Springs</i> 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo</p>