



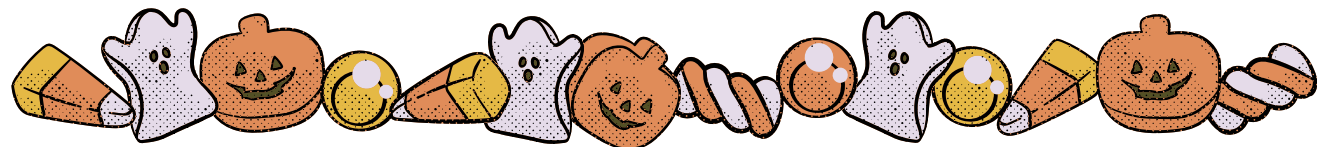
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I want to help Main Street Community Center as they support local seniors and disabled adults with essential and valuable programs and services by donating to the Center.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

☐ Check enclosed, payable to MSCC \$ _____

☐ Cash Donation Amount: \$ _____

Please restrict my donation for the following program or service:

☐ My employer _____
will match this amount: \$ _____.

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phone via debit card/credit card or to learn more about
a monthly contribution through automatic payment.

☐ Yes! Please switch to e-newsletter.

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QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"I am so glad I
live in a world
where there are
Octobers."

-L.M.
Montgomery



October at Main Street Community Center

We're getting into the fall spirit with a Pumpkin Decorating Contest, and on October 30, we'll be celebrating Halloween with a fun costume day at Bingo. We hope you'll join us, get creative, and enjoy some of the seasonal fun happening around the Center!

Looking ahead, we have several important events coming up that we hope you'll mark on your calendar. On October 15, join us for a Dine to Donate at Narwhal's Crafted and Salt & Smoke. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Main Street Community Center, making it a great way to enjoy a meal while supporting your community.

In November, we'll be hosting two special events. Our Veterans Lunch on November 4 is free for all veterans and will be a special opportunity to gather, enjoy a meal, and honor those who have served. Then on November 6, we'll host our annual Trivia Night, one of our biggest fundraisers of the year! Grab your friends, form a team, and join us for an evening of trivia, fun, and supporting the Center.

As always, thank you for being part of the Main Street Community Center family. We look forward to spending another fun and meaningful month with you!

Sincerely,
MSCC Staff



Sign up for
Trivia Night,
today!

Thank You

VETERANS LUNCH 2026

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4
12:00PM DINE-IN LUNCH FOLLOWED BY
MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT**

**CURBSIDE PICK UP AND DELIVERY
OPTIONS ALSO AVAILABLE**

**VISIT WWW.MAINSTCC.ORG OR FOLLOW MAIN
STREET COMMUNITY CENTER ON FACEBOOK FOR
THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION**

OCTOBER
NEWSLETTER
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VACCINE & MICROCHIP CLINIC
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Wednesday, October 14, 2026
9:30am-11:30am
by appointment only;
appointments limited to individuals 50+
Free Services Available*

Dog	Cat
*Canine Distemper / Parvo Vaccine	*Feline FVRCP vaccine
*Bordetella (kennel cough) Vaccine	*1 yr Rabies Vaccine
*1 yr Rabies Vaccine	*Microchip
*Microchip	

*Clinic clients will be responsible for the Madison County Rabies registration fee
\$15 spayed / neutered pet \$30 for non-spayed / non-neutered pet



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Visit us at Main Street Community Center
1003 N Main Street | Edwardsville
Tuesday, October 13th
9:30 AM - 2:00 PM

*Closed for lunch from 12:00-12:30pm

Our services:

- Health screenings
- Technology assistance
- Connection to resources
- Program enrollment

No appointment needed.
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We can help with:

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Pumpkin Decorating Contest

GET CREATIVE & DECORATE A PUMPKIN!

- Turn in pumpkin by Oct. 19th
- Patrons will vote for their favorite.
- Winner: Featured on our Facebook + receives a special prize! Announced on the 30th!
- Limited to 10 participants

Email info@mainstcc.org to enter!



HALLOWEEN BINGO

October 30th at 1PM

Wear a costume and get into the Halloween spirit!





SALT + SMOKE
BBQ BOURBON BEER



Narwhal's CRAFTED

FUNDRAISER

October 15th from 4-9PM

A PORTION OF EVENT PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO  **Main Street Community Center**

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400 N MAIN ST, EDWARDSVILLE

PROMO CODE: MSCC
410 N MAIN ST, EDWARDSVILLE



Main Street Community Center

TRIVIA NIGHT
2026

Emcee Scott Gruber

FRI NOV 6

\$200 FOR TABLE OF 8

TEASE YOUR BRAIN WITH USA THEMED QUESTIONS, RAISE MONEY FOR LOCAL SENIORS AND DISABLED ADULTS, WIN CASH PRIZES!

EDWARDSVILLE MOOSE LODGE
7371 MARINE RD.
EDWARDSVILLE

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM
TRIVIA STARTS AT 7:00 PM



REGISTER WITH QR CODE
OR ONLINE AT
WWW.MAINSTCC.ORG

QUESTIONS?
CALL: 618-656-0300

On Wednesdays In October

— WE WEAR PINK —

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, a time dedicated to raising awareness, supporting survivors, honoring those lost, and promoting early detection. Wearing pink on Wednesdays throughout October is a simple yet powerful way to show solidarity. The color pink has become a universal symbol of hope, strength, and unity in the fight against breast cancer.

— THE POWER OF PINK —

Every pink ribbon, shirt, or accessory worn is a reminder that no one fights alone. Together, these small acts create a wave of awareness and hope that can inspire change and save lives.

This October, let pink be more than a color—let it be a statement of strength, unity, and compassion.



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and Main Street
Community
Center*

What:

Choose from a
dozen kits! Each
make 8-10
cards.
Birthday, thank
you or all
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Craft Night

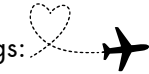
**CARD
KITS**



*October
26*

**6:30-
8 pm
\$35**

OCTOBER 2026 CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	*activities require appointments/prior registration **activities have a fee and require prior registration		<i>We Wear Pink Wednesdays</i> Look for the pink ribbon on the calendar as a reminder to wear pink on Wednesdays for breast cancer awareness.	1 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 6:30pm Edwardsville Bridge Group	2 9:00am Beginner's Mah Jongg 9:30am Film Friday: The Alamo (1960) 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo
Center Hours: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Monday - Friday	5 10:30am Walking + 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Pinochle* Travel Meetings:  5:00pm Miss. Cruise pre-trip 5:30pm Savannah & Charleston 5:45pm Churchill Downs	6 9:30am Walking Club: Miner Park 10:00am Spanish Class (Beginning)* 10:30am Mexican Train Dominoes 12:00pm Spanish Class (Advanced)* 12:30pm Mah Jongg 1:00pm French Class* 7:00pm Evening Book Club: News of the World by Paulette Jiles	7 10:00am Crochet & Connect 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 12:30pm Watercolor Class* (Open Paint) 1:00pm Benefit Access* 7:00pm Tai Chi** 	8 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 1:00pm Afternoon Book Club: Chess 2:00pm Chess 6:30pm Edwardsville Bridge Group	9 9:00am Beginner's Mah Jongg 9:30am Film Friday: The Horse Soldiers (1959) 11:30am Congregate Meal* 1:00pm Bingo
Check us out! www.mainstcc.org www.facebook.com/mainstcc info@mainstcc.org	12 INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY  Center Closed	13 <i>\$5 bag sale</i> 9:30am Walking Club: Drost Park 9:30am OSF Health Screenings 10:00am Spanish Class (no instructor)* 10:30am Mexican Train Dominoes 12:00pm Spanish Class (Advanced)* 12:15pm Line Dancing 12:30pm Mah Jongg 1:00pm French Class* <i>Train Trip #2 - sold out</i>	14 9:30am Pet Vaccine Clinic* 10:00am Crochet & Connect 11:30am Blood Pressure Screenings 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 12:30am Mexican Train Dominoes 5:00pm Dining With Friends Sugos** 7:00pm Tai Chi**  	15 9:00am Chair Yoga 9:00am Paralegal* 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 6:30pm Edwardsville Bridge Group <i>Salt & Smoke Narwhals Dine to Donate 4pm - 9pm</i>	16 9:00am Beginner's Mah Jongg 9:30am Film Friday: Stagecoach (1939) 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo
Film Friday titles are not guaranteed. If the film listed becomes unavailable, we will substitute for a similar film.	19 10:30am Walking + 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Pinochle*	20 9:30am Walking Club: Watershed 10:00am Spanish Class (no instructor)* 10:30am Mexican Train Dominoes 12:00pm Spanish Class (Advanced)* 12:15pm Functional Fitness 12:30pm Mah Jongg 1:00pm French Class*	21 9:00am Coffee and Conversations Topic: Medicare 10:00am Crochet & Connect 10:00am Technology Drop-In Help 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 12:30pm Watercolor Class 1:00pm Bunco 7:00pm Tai Chi** <i>Train Trip #3 - sold out</i> 	22 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 2:00pm Chess 6:30pm Edwardsville Bridge Group	23 9:00am Beginner's Mah Jongg 9:30am Film Friday: McLintock! (1963) 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Bingo
	26 9:30am Euchre 10:30am Walking + 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Pinochle* 6:30pm Card Making Fundraiser <i>Card Making fundraiser</i>	27 9:30am Walking Club: SIUE Gardens 10:00am Spanish Class (Beginning)* 10:30am Mexican Train Dominoes 12:00pm Spanish Class (Advanced)* 12:15pm Line Dancing 12:30pm Mah Jongg 1:00pm French Class*	28 <i>HAPPY hour</i> 10:00am Crochet & Connect 11:30am Lunch and Learn** Real Estate 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 4:00pm Happy Hour: Peel** 7:00pm Tai Chi** <i>Rescheduled Train Trip #1</i> 	29 9:00am Chair Yoga 10:30am Write Your Own Story 12:00pm Pinochle (Drop-In) 6:30pm Edwardsville Bridge Group	30 <i>\$5 bag sale</i> 9:00am Beginner's Mah Jongg 9:30am Film Friday: Haunted Gold (1932) 11:00am Blood Pressure Screenings 11:30am Congregate Meal* 12:00pm Edwardsville Bridge Group 1:00pm Halloween Party Bingo