

FULLERTON SENIOR NEWS



FULLERTON COMMUNITY CENTER

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(714) 738-6575







Congratulations to all the performers and participants in our Senior Follies!

CURRENT PROGRAMS:

Fullerton Senior Club Reminder!!

Please make sure to renew your Senior Club Membership of \$15.



Hop on Board: OCTA Bus Riding Workshop

Monday, November 4th 10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

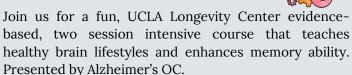
Please let us help you gain the confidence to successfully ride the OC Bus and receive OCTA information, 2 free day passes, and enjoy a small prize raffle. Presented by OCTA.

What You'll Learn:

- Bus Riding Basics
- · Fare Options
- Payment Methods
- Trip Planning
- Bus Schedules and Maps
- ADA Accessibility
- Safety Guidelines



Brain Boot Camp Wednesdays, November 6th - 13th 10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.



Medicare Q&A W/ C&C Family Insurance Wednesday, November 6th 10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

¡Acompáñenos a una sesión informativa para obtener respuestas a sus preguntas sobre Medicare! Medi-Cal no es Medicare. Presentado por C&C Family Insurance.

Protein: Are you getting enough? Thursday, November 7th 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M

Discover the importance of protein in your diet, learn about recommended daily intake, and explore delicious sources of protein to incorporate into your meals. This interactive session will help you maintain a balanced and nutritious diet. Presented by Humana

Veterans Day Recognition

Friday, November 8th 10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.



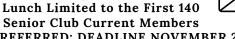
Join us for a special Veterans Day recognition as we honor those who have served. Enjoy light refreshments and a warm gathering as we express our gratitude and celebrate their contributions.

Drought Tolerant Gardening Thursday, November 14th 1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

Join us for a presentation on gardening in Southern California's Mediterranean climate. They will share tips for designing drought-tolerant gardens, including selecting, planting, watering, and maintaining the right plants. Learn how to create a thriving garden while conserving water! Presented by UC Master Gardeners of OC.

Senior Club Annual Members Meeting & Holiday Party

Friday, December 6th 12:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M. Doors Open 11:30 A.M.



RSVP PREFERRED: DEADLINE NOVEMBER 21ST Call (714) 738 - 5306 (Travel)

Dance to the Sounds by DJ Jose Miranda (Sponsored by Optum) Catered by Touch of Paradise

Door prize opportunities will be included!







SENIOR CLUB DIRECTORY

OFFICERS

President: Wendy Ocepek 393-1602 Vice President: Katie Gobar 993-3111

Secretary: Doris Trenary Treasurer: Wanda Williams

Assistant Treasure: Dianne Rodriguez Past President: Pauline Aguero

DIRECTORS

Gail Knife Chief (2024) Doug Gilmour (2025) Roberta Fullmer (2026) Phyllis Levin (2025)

APPOINTEES

Sunshine Chairperson: Ellie Honeycutt

Desk Coordinator: Roberta Fullmer

Newsletter Chairperson: Vicki Colvin

Social Committee Chairperson: Phyllis Levin

Travel Director: Carole Wright

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Assistant Travel Director: Dianne Rodriguez Bingo Chairperson: Wanda Williams Volunteer Manager: Cristina Mcloon Parliamentarian: Richard Krull

SENIOR CLUB DESK

The Senior Club Desk: 738-6353 Monday through Thursday, 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Friday, 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

Para asistencia en Espanol visita la oficina de membresía Martes, 3:00 P.M. a 6:00 P.M.

Miercoles a Viernes, 9:00 A.M. a 1:00 P.M.

Email: fullertonseniorclub@gmail.com

Travel Office Hours: 714-738-5306 Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Email: happyseniorstravel@gmail.com



Contact our Sunshine Chairperson, Ellie Honeycutt (714-264-6969) to receive guidance when losing a friend or a family member.

IN MEMORY OF...



George Tsuda



Our Condolences go out to their loved ones

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR SENIOR CLUB PRESIDENT

Hi Everyone!!

November is a time to celebrate Thanksgiving. I am thankful to have served as the President of your club and for all your support. I'm thankful for all the volunteers and members that support our club and all of our activities. I'm very grateful for how our club has grown over the last year!!

Don't forget our annual meeting and elections are coming up on December 6, 2024 from 12:00 to 3:00, you must be a member to attend. Lunch will be served, for your dancing pleasure DJ Jose Miranda, door prizes and photos with Santa and Mrs Claus. Reservations are preferred and we will be taking them beginning on November 5, 2024 on the Travel Number (714) 738 - 5306.

I would like to thank Gail Weinert and all puppy raisers from the Brea Chapter of the Guide Dogs of the blind for a wonderful presentation. It was very interesting and informative and we loved being able to interact with the dogs.

Thank you to all the participants in the Follies. A big thank you to Katie Gobar, Doug Gilmour, Phyllis Levin, and Erika Lorenzana for putting on a wonderful show.

We would like to send out thanks to Optum, Gail Knife Chief, Ester Sanchez, and Wanda William for their participations with the Tea and Big Hat Social Party.

The Senior Club will be hosting their second "Special New Member Event" on November 15, 2024, which will be held by invitation only to new members. This event will be an information session and networking event.

Don't forget to renew your membership, still only \$15.00 per year... \$1.25 a month.

I'm wishing you all a Happy Thanksgiving!!

Wendy Ocepek Senior Club President



PAULETTE'S CORNER







Meet Pauline Baker. She is a long-standing member of the senior club.

She loves going to karaoke and learning to crochet at our Knitting and crochet class.

She was in charge of our Fundraisers at Polly's pie. There will be another fundraiser after the first of the year look for information Pertaining to that in our newsletter. Thank you Pauline for volunteering your time. You r smile lights up a room!



Travel director: Carole Wright - Assistant Travel Director: Dianne Rodriguez **Travel Office Hours:** Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. - **Travel Office Phone:** 714-738-5306

CLUB MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO BOOK TRAVEL EVENTS

Travel is now accepting Master Card, Visa credit & debit cards for payments for trips.

Trip #6 Julian is sold out!!

Trip #7 Soboba Casino, Thursday, November 14, 2024

Price: \$37.00 per person, Leaving 9:00 A.M. Returning 5:30 P.M.

Come and gamble with us! Join us for a day of fun at Soboba Casino

Trip #8 Christmas with the Beach Boys, Tuesday December 10, 2024

Price: \$102.00 per person, Leaving 11:00 A.M. Returning 5:00 P.M.

Roll in the season at a true California themed musical event at the Grand in Long Beach. A Beach Boys Tribute Holiday Style, come and spend Christmas with "Surfin". Lunch will be a Baby Arugula Salad, Honey ham or Butternut Ravioli with scalloped potatoes, seasonal vegetables and pumpkin cheesecake for dessert.

Trip #501 Golden Nugget Las Vegas, Tuesday, January 14, 2025 thru Thursday, January 16, 2025 Price: \$280.00 per person double \$310.00 per person single, Leaving 9:00 A.M. Returning 5:00 P.M.

Start the new year off with a two night trip to Las Vegas, staying at the beautiful Golden Nugget on Fremont Street. Payments must be made on December 10, 2024



Extended Trips

Hearst Castle at Christmas Time

December 15th - 17th, 2024 (3 Days & 2 Nights) 2 Breakfasts Included

Price: \$789.00 per double \$999.00 per person single

Trip includes: Cambria Christmas Market, Christmastime Tour of Hearst Castle, Coastal California, Santa Barbara, Solvang, San Luis Obispo and San Simeon (Friendly Excursions, 818 353-7726)

New Year's Rose Parade

December 30, 2024 - January 1, 2025; 2 breakfasts 2 dinners

Price: \$999.00 per double \$1,199.00 per person single

Trip includes: Professional tour guide, the Float Barn, Huntington Library, Art Collections and Botanical Gardens. Day 2 we will visit Farmer's Market and the Grove, you will have time to relax and freshen up before enjoying the New Year's Eve Party. January 1, 2025 we will experience the Tournament of Roses Parade in our reserved grandstand seats on the shady side of the street Bobbi Lona (750) 889 - 2687

Count Down to Mardi Gras!

February 25th - March 2nd, 2025; 5 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners

Price: \$2999.00 per double \$3499.00 per person single

Trip Includes: Round trip airfare, professional tour director, luggage handling. Pre Mardi Gras parades with seating, Bayou Airboat Ride, walking tour of the French Quarter. Many other highlights. Friendly excursions, (818) 353 - 7726

Stop in the Travel Office - We have many brochures of great trips!



ACTIVITIES

To register for any of the classes on this page, call 714-738-6575 or visit the center.

Discover Fullerton On Foot!

Civic Center Saturday, November 16th 8:30 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.



Join us for the monthly in-person, guided walks around town. Please wear comfortable shoes, water and a hat.

2025 Medicare Benefits (Korean)

Thursday, November 14th 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. Optum 2025 메디케어 혜택 설명회 11월 14일, 목요일 오후 12시 무료 교육 세미나에 참석 하셔서 유익한 정보를 받아가세요. 간단한 다과가 제공됩니다. Optum(옵텀)에서 제공합니다.

Mental Health Seminar

Monday, November 18th 10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.



Join us for an informative seminar on mental health. Learn about strategies to maintain emotional well-being, manage stress, and navigate the challenges of aging. Presented by Help Therapy.

November Movies

2nd/4th Friday of this month, 12:30 P.M. Admission Donation Minimum: \$1 at the door Movie days are subject to change due to program operations.

November 8th - "Coco" Despite his family's generationsold ban on music, young Miguel dreams of becoming an accomplished musician like his idol Ernesto de la Cruz. Desperate to prove his talent, Miguel finds himself in the stunning and colorful Land of the Dead. After meeting a charming trickster named Héctor, the two new friends embark on an extraordinary journey to unlock the real story behind Miguel's family history. Rated PG.

November 22nd - "Finding 'Ohana" A summer in rural Oahu takes an exciting turn for two Brooklyn-raised siblings when a journal pointing to long-lost treasure sets them on an epic adventure with new friends, and leads them to reconnect with their Hawaiian heritage. Rated PG.

Art Programs

The Community Center continues these exciting, educational art activities fun for everyone. FREE for Seniors age 60+.

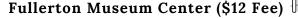
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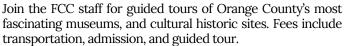
Beeswax Candlerolling/Fall Wood Ornaments November 15th at 2:30 P.M.

November 22nd at 4:30 P.M.

Cultural Excursions: Museum & More

Wednesday, November 13th 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.





Holiday Safety and Scams Thursday, November 21st 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M.



The holidays are a great chance for family and friends of all ages to connect and spend time together. Keeping yourself and your surroundings SAFE is key. Join us along with Assistance in Home Care for a presentation on Holiday Safety and Scams. Come and learn some great tips

Promise Me A Rose Garden Thursday, December 12th 1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.



If you have roses, this presentation is a great refresher on the basics such as selection, planting, care and feeding, integrated pest management and pruning. In addition, UC Master Gardeners of Orange County will focus on specific types of roses such as shrubs, miniature roses and old garden roses.

Program Updates

- The Center will be closed Monday, November 11th in Observance of Veterans Day
- The Center will be closed November 28th 29th for **Thanksgiving**
- NOCE will be on a break on November 25th -November 29th







SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAM

Presented by Meals on Wheels OC

Patricia Serrano, Lead Site Manager: 714-738-6368

In-person dining

Call 714-738-6575 for more information.

Reservations Required.

The price of lunch for those under 60 is \$5;

over 60, a suggested donation of \$3 is appreciated.

NOVEMBER LUNCH MENU

Lunch is served Mon - Fri, starting at 11:00 A.M Sign-up for lunch between 10:15 A.M. to 10:50 A.M.

- Chicken strips with veggie blend and fried rice Friday

Monday - Chicken salad with dinner roll and mandarin orange

Tuesday - Mexican beef cocido with cubed beef and SF pudding

Wednesday - Turkey Bolognese with pasta and dinner roll

Thursday -Baked tilapia with Mexican rice, broccoli, and tortilla

Friday - Roast beef w/ baby baked potatoes & veggie blend

- CENTER CLOSED Monday

Tuesday - Chicken pasta with spring mix and fresh orange

Wednesday -Salisbury steak with brown gravy and sweet potatoes

14 Thursday -Turkey roast with veggie blend and rice pilaf

15 Friday - Chicken strips with lemongrass sauce and fruit mix

18 Monday - Chicken salad with tortilla soup and canned pears

19 Tuesday - Vegetable lasagna with chicken meatballs and lentil salad

20 Wednesday - Diced chicken breast with rice pilaf and fruit mix

21 Thursday - BOX LUNCH

22 Friday Roast turkey w/ mashed potatoes & pumpkin pie

25 Monday - Pork loin with broccoli and brown rice & fruit mix

26 Tuesday -Turkey roast w/ sweet potatoes and collard greens & roll

27 Wednesday - Sliced ham with sweet potatoes and parker house roll

28 Thursday - CENTER CLOSED

29 Friday -CENTER CLOSED

INDOOR WATER AEROBICS

These classes will take place at the community center pool, it's great for those who experience joint pain & it's a fantastic workout.

Tuesdays & Thursdays:

8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.: All Levels

11:50 A.M. - 12:50 P.M.: Low Impact

12:50 P.M. - 1:50 P.M.: Low/High Impact

12:50 P.M. - 1:50 P.M.: All Levels (Fridays)

\$6 per class. **No Cash.** Reservations Required.

Create an account online at

app.iclasspro.com/portal/fastswim

ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Appointments Required- To schedule your one-onone appointment make sure to call the front desk at 714-738-6575.

Community Legal Aid SoCal

(4 appointments available)

Thursday, November 14th, 1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

- Medicare HICAP Appointments

(4 Appointments Available) Monday, November 4th & 18th

9:00 A.M.- 12:00 P.M. (Korean/English) 12:00 P.M.- 4:00 P.M. (English Only)

Appointment Not Required:

- Senior Grocery Program

Thursday, November 7th, 14th, 21st 10:30 A.M.- 12:00 P.M.

- Senior Korean Parkinson Support Group Friday, November 8th, 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Alzheimer's Support Group

Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Orange County Tuesday, November 19th, 1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M. **English Speaking**

- Grief Support Group

Friday, November 8th & 22nd, 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

SENIOR TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

Taxi Program-

Free trips from November 1st, 2024 - January 31st, 2025

Fullerton Community Center Trips:

Offers free rides to and from your Fullerton residence to participate in the weekly programs at the Fullerton Community Center.

Non-Emergency Medical Trips:

Offers free rides to and from your Fullerton residence to nonemergency medical appointments and prescription pick-ups. Trips must be within Orange County.

Recreational Trips:

Offers free rides to and from your Fullerton residence to locations for shopping, fitness, social events, and entertainment. Trips must be within Orange County.

OCTA Senior 30-Day Bus Pass: \$22.25 Value - Your Price: \$7 Passes are good for unlimited use on all local routes. 30-Day Senior Bus Passes are available for purchase 30 days after previous purchase date of pass.

Proof of I.D. needed to purchase & board the bus.

A valid form of I.D. must be presented at time of purchase for the bus passes. Must be a Fullerton resident to purchase and must provide proof of residence, age 60 yrs and older on every purchase. The City of Fullerton is not responsible for lost or stolen passes. Passes are subject to availability.





Thursday	Friday	
Thursday Thursday Sponsored by the Senior Club Fee Based Classes + Free Seminars & Workshops	7:30 Pickleball ▲ 8:00 Walking Group ● 8:30 NOCE - Health & Wellness with Euni 11:00 Sr. Lunch with reservations 12:30 NOCE - Fit & Healthy with Kenny 1:00 NOCE - Food Preparations & Good Nutrition for Older Adults	ic
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4:00 Senior Drum Circle 9:00 NOCE - Crocheting & Knitting 9:00 NOCE - Staying Mentally Sharp 10:30 Korean Folk Singing 10:30 Grocery Distribution 11:00 Sr. Lunch with Reservation 11:00 Table Tennis 12:00 Holiday Safety & Scams Workshop+ 12:00 Festive Fitness w/ Deena 12:30 Creative Coloring 1:00 Senior Club Board Meeting 1:30 Korean Dance 4:00 Senior Ukulele Jam		



Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday: 7:30 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. Saturday: 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

SENIOR CLUB DESK HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Friday: 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

FITNESS ROOM HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 7:30 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. Saturday: 8 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Fitness Room Senior Pass: \$5 monthly for Senior Club Members

BILLIARD ROOM SENIOR PLAY HOURS:

(Guests 50 years of age or older) Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Open to the public, 1:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

TABLE TENNIS

MONDAYS & THURSDAYS 11:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M. (M) 11:00 A.M.- 3:00 P.M. (TH)



PICKLE BALL

TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS 7:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. (T) 7:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. (F)

\$3 RESIDENT / \$4 NON-RESIDENT DROP IN

All players welcome from beginning to advanced. Singles and doubles play available.

LOOKING FORWARD:

Senior Club Members Meeting & **Holiday Party**

Friday, December 6th Fall Asleep, Stay Asleep Workshop Monday, December 16th **Self Empowerment Series** Tuesday, January 21st





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OR CURRENT RESIDENT

TIME - SENSITIVE MATERIAL

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Adult Protective Services	(800) 451-5155		nber) 480-6450
Aging & Disability Resource Connection	(800) 510-2020	One Stop - SCSEP (Employment)	241-4900
Department of Insurance Hotline	(800) 927-4357	Family Caregiver Resource Center	446-5030
Eldercare Locator	(800) 677-1116	OCHCA - SHOPP Program Nurse Visit Services	834-7759
Fullerton City Hall	738-6300	OCTA Access (Transportation)	(877) 628-2232
Fullerton Main Library	738-6333	RSVP/Retired Senior Volunteer Program	953-5757
Fullerton Senior Citizens Club Membership D	esk 738-6353	Meals on Wheels Case Management	823-3294
Fullerton Community Center	738-6305	Meals on Wheels Dining Program	738-6368
HICAP - Medicare Assistance	560-0424	Social Security	(800) 772-1213
Community Legal Aid/Legal Aid Society	571-5245	Travel Office	738-5306
Long-Term Care Ombudsman Services	479-0107	Veterans Service Office	480-6555
Meals on Wheels	220-0224	CTAP - CA Telephone Access Program	(800) 806-1191

Community Center Supervisor:

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