LET THE SUMMER BEGIN!

JUNE 2025





COUNCIL ON AGING

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If you are not going to be available to receive your meal, please call 24 hours in advance. Cancelations: 913-758-6718

Requested donation amount is \$3. 1% milk served with all meals.

If your dietary needs change, please call the number above. Menu items are subject to change based on availability.

MONDAY **Event Announcement** TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY Our Annual benefit Spaghetti & Meatballs 2 Chicken Enchilada Stuffed Chicken 5 Quiche Pot Roast fundraiser for Meals on California Blend Veggie Casserole Smashed Potatoes Potatoes & Carrots Asparagus Wheels will be held on **Bread Stick** Peas & Carrots Green Beans Rice & Beans Fruit Compote Saturday, August 16th 2025. Doors open at Tossed Salad Fruit Roll Cinnamon Roll Corn Bread 5:00PM; event 5:30-Fruit Pudding Fruit Cookie Fruit 9:00PM, Tickets: \$40 per ticket. Reserve a table of 8 Cordon Bleu Pulled Pork on Bun 10 Meatloaf 11 Ham & Beans 12 Tuna Casserole for \$300. The theme will be "Dancing Through the Rice Mac & Cheese Mashed Potato & Cinnamon Apples Broccoli Decades." Gravy **Baked Beans** Carrots Corn Bread Roll Mixed Veggie Roll Fruit Tossed Salad Fruit Program Delay **Biscuit** Fruit Lemon Cake Fruit Cookie Kansas Senior Farmers Fruit Market Nutrition Program Has Been Delayed. CLOSED Broccoli Stuffed 20 Hamburger Chicken Spaghetti Stuffed Pork Chop 18 The start of the KSFMN Oven Brown Potatoes Chicken Broccoli **Cheesy Potatoes** Program has been Cauliflower Rice **Bread Stick** Green Beans delayed due to Cauliflower Lettuce, tomato, onion, Spinach Salad Roll technology issues. We & pickle Fruit Fruit Fruit apologize for the Fruit Pie inconvenience, and there is no confirmed start date Steak Kabob Country Steak Sausage & Kraut **BBQ** Chicken 26 Lasagna at this time, so you will not California Blend Veggie Mashed Potato & Gravy **Baked Potato Baked Beans** Rice be able to receive Green Beans **Beets** Corn Fritters **Bread Stick** Asparagus benefits on June 1, 2025. Roll Corn Bread Roll Tossed Salad Roll **Adult Protective Services** Fruit Fruit Fruit Fruit Fruit 1.800.922.5330 Cookie Cobbler Regional Long-term Care Chicken & Waffles 30 Ombudsman Sweet Exchange Bake Sale – Saturday, June 14th 2025 913.236.9385 Tater Tots Bring your sweet tooth and generous spirit to enjoy delicious, In cases of urgent or Mixed Vegetables homemade baked goods. Proceeds support the Alzheimer's Assoc. immediate danger, call Fruit Longest Day & The Deeper Window Association. 7:00am to 7:00pm at 911 or the local police or To all those celebrating

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

Every year on June 15, World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) is commemorated in America and worldwide. Through WEAAD, we raise awareness about the millions of older adults who experience elder abuse, neglect, and financial exploitation. As many as 1 in 10 older Americans are abused or neglected each year, only 1 in 14 cases of elder abuse ever come to authorities' attention. WEAAD reminds us that, as in a just society, we all have a critical role to play to focus attention on elder justice.

Elder abuse can be defined as a single, or repeated act, or lack of appropriate action, occurring within any relationship where there is an expectation of trust which causes harm or distress to an older person.

Here are 5 things everyone can do to build community supports and prevent elder abuse.

- 1. Learn the signs of elder abuse and how we can solve the issue together.
- 2. Prevent isolation. Call or visit our older loved ones and ask how they are doing on a regular basis.
- 3. Talk to friends and family members about how we can all age well and reduce abuse with programs and services like law enforcement, community centers, and public transportation.
- 4. Sign up to be a friendly visitor to an older person in our communities.
- 5. Send a letter to a local paper, radio or TV station suggesting that they cover World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (June 15) or Grandparents Day in September. It is up to all of us to prevent and address elder abuse!

Source: National Center on Elder Abuse, 05/2025.



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TASTIEST

Learn About Elder Abuse & Financial Exploitation



It's Everyone's Business



Join us to observe World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) with a free community event.

Learn how to spot and prevent financial scams and exploitation targeting older adults.







Caregiver Session with Chaplain Jon Kleinman with Good Shephard Hospice

Thursday, June 5th 2025. 11:00AM.

Come join us for a moment of respite and catharsis as we come together to support one another through our caregiving needs.

Knowledge @ Noon

Tuesday, June 10th 2025. 12:00PM. Tonganoxie Public Library

Homemade Dressings - Store-bought dressings are convenient, but they don't always taste the best. This session will teach participants how to make their own dressings to use on salads and pasta.

Pedicures for Paws

Saturday, June 14th 2025. 1:00-4:00PM.

Nail Trim Fundraiser - Bad to the Bone Pet Care is offering nail trims for \$10/ dog in the COA parking lot. Pets should be up to date on all shots. Well behaved, leashed dogs welcome.

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