

SOUTHSHORE SENIOR PARTNERS TIMES

ShorewoodMN.gov/SSSP

October, November, December 2025

Phone: 952-474-7635

Address: 5735 Country Club Road, Shorewood MN 55331



SHOREWOOD COMMUNITY & EVENT CENTER

*My favorite color is
October ...*

ANNUAL VETERANS DAY LUNCH

Nov 11th — 11:00am Shorewood Community & Event Center



VETERANS DAY

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

Reservations Needed By Tuesday, November 4th. RSVP to: 952-474-7635

Lunch is courtesy of the American Legion, Clarence Clofer Post No 259

FREE for all veterans, \$10 for guests. **ALL** must make reservations

MEDICARE HEALTH PLANS 2026

Will your Medicare Health Plan be going away in 2026? Are you in need of a review of your Medicare Health plan coverage for 2026?

Julie Ell with Next Chapter Insurance will be offering her assistance in reviewing your plan information for 2026 and can assist with making plan changes if necessary.



MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT OCT. 15 - DEC. 7

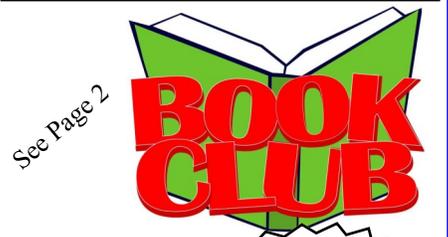
FREE Individual Medicare Information Sessions

Wednesdays of:
Oct 22th, Nov 5th, Nov 19th

Schedule at Center: 952-474-7635
1 hour appts between: 1pm—4pm



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BOOK CLUB

Cribbage
Tues—1pm!

Call the Center for information 952-474-7635 Visit our website: ShorewoodMN.gov/SSSP
or stop by: 5735 Country Club Road, Shorewood MN 55331

In Our Neighborhood



BOOK CLUB

ALL ARE WELCOME!

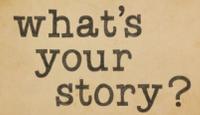
2ND THURSDAYS MONTHLY
1:00PM

Date	Theme
Oct 9th	Read a <u>Banned Book</u> of your choice
Nov 13th	Read a <u>Classic</u> of your choice
Dec 11th	Read a <u>Graphic Novel</u> of your choice

During each gathering we will talk about the books you are currently reading on your own, plus the book theme.

JUST WRITE IT!

3RD THURSDAYS MONTHLY
12:00PM-2PM



Have your children or grandchildren ever asked you what your life was like when you were their age? Have you ever considered writing about 'your story'? Do you have a story tucked away half finished?

SSSP is offering a Writer's Class where you can get help finishing that story or even to begin a new one. It could be about events in your life or a topic you want to explore. Your writing need not be limited to life stories.

Fiction, non-fiction, essay, poetry, whatever you choose can be discussed and reviewed at each session.

Oct 16th Nov 20th Dec 18th

PLAN FOR FREE STATE PARK DAYS!

On four days each year, all 75 state parks and recreation areas offer free admission to everyone. Nov 28, 2025 (Fri), 2026 Dates: To Be Announced

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.

-Elizabeth Andrew

Upcoming Events

CRAFTS AND CREATIVE ARTS

All levels of crafters are welcome: Beading, Needlepoint, Papercrafts, Diamond art, etc

Bring your own projects to work on and **socialize** with friends and neighbors.

Come Join us on Tuesdays: 1:00pm

WOOD CARVER'S GROUP

Tuesdays and Fridays at 9:30am.
Come one day or both days!

Wood carvers of all skill levels welcome. Start something new or finish something old. Come ask questions of other carvers and make some new friends!



UPDATED ADDRESS OR PHONE?

Have you recently moved or have an updated name or address? Contact us at:

ShorewoodSSSP@gmail.com or call: 952-474-7635

DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP

Caregivers of loved ones with dementia share tips, support one another, and discuss your questions. Caregivers of any age are welcome.



1st & 3rd Fridays: 9:00am

Any questions, call Jane Stein: 952-240-8835

THE CENTER WILL BE CLOSED

November 11th <Tues> (open for Veteran's Day Lunch only)
November 27th & 28th <Thurs & Fri>
December 25th & 26th <Thurs & Fri>

SSSP BOARD MEMBERS

The SouthShore Senior Partners are dedicated to encouraging seniors (55+) in maintaining a healthy and active life style. Our programs provide seniors with a time to socialize and participate in a variety of recreational and learning opportunities.

SSSP Board Members are:

Sally Bergman Jeanna Raap
Tena Brandhorst Theresa Zerby
Twila Grout

If you are interested in joining our board, contact Tena at the Center.

Upcoming Events

ONGOING ACTIVITIES EACH MONTH

Mondays

- ◇ Busy Bee Quilters
 - 9:00 am—Noon
- ◇ EngAGE Physical Therapy class
 - 9:00 am — Register at 612.888.9882
- ◇ Bingo
 - 1:00 pm — *Win prize money!*

Tuesdays

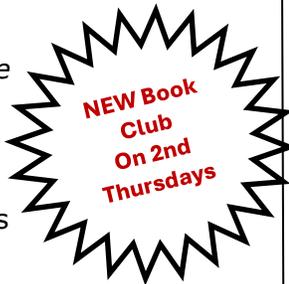
- ◇ Card Crafters
 - 9:00 am — *Bring your friends!*
- ◇ Woodcarvers
 - 9:30 am *Join us for projects (Tu Fr)*
- ◇ Knit and Crochet
 - 10:30 am - *No sign up needed*
- ◇ Cribbage
 - 1:00 pm — *Join us!*
- ◇ Crafts & Creative Arts
 - 1:00 pm — *Beading, needlepoint, paper crafts, diamond painting, string art, etc*

Wednesdays

- ◇ Mahjong
 - 1:00 pm — *Join us for a fun game!*

Thursdays

- ◇ Bridge Cards
 - 1:00 pm — *Improve your mind, one bridge hand at a time!*
- ◇ Book Club
 - 1:00 pm — *Join us on 2nd Thursdays monthly*
- ◇ Write Your Story Club
 - 12:00 pm — *Join us on 3rd Thursdays monthly*



Fridays

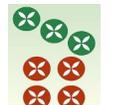
- ◇ Dementia Support
 - 9:00 am — *1st & 3rd Fridays*

ENGAGE WELL: BALANCE, AGILITY & FUN!

Join Sue Kanter of EngAGE Physical Therapy and Wellness for her Balance, Agility, Power and Strength class.

Thursdays 9:00am to 9:45am
Call Sue with questions and to sign-up
612-888-9882 or

suek@engagephysicaltherapymn.com

 Bridge Thurs (1pm)	 Cribbage Tues (1pm)
 Mahjong Weds (1pm)	 Woodcarving Tues (9:30am) Fri (9:30am)

WISH TO RENT THE EVENT CENTER??

We have a great space for your Holiday Party, Retirement Party, Celebration of Life, etc. Contact us at Parks & Rec: 952-960-7902 or Email: rentals@shorewoodMN.gov



SOUTHSHORE SENIOR PARTNERS BINGO!!

Mondays at 1:00 pm
Cost: \$0.25/game

You get 3 cards/chances per game for your \$\$

Prizes are from the money collected.

CRIBBAGE FUN!!

Everyone loves a fun game of cribbage, or come and learn! We would love to have you join us.

Tuesdays — 1:00 pm

i ♠ cribbage
i ♥ cribbage
i ♣ cribbage
i ♦ cribbage

*"Fifteen, two,
Fifteen, four,
if you know cribbage,
there could be more!"*



WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

The Senior Partners staff the reception desk at the Shorewood Community & Event Center Mon-Fri. Can you volunteer 3-1/2 hours of your time to greet people, answer the phone, and be a smiling face? For more info, call Tena: 952-474-7635



Bring your old, unwanted glasses to the Center. The local Lions Club collects these glasses for redistribution to the poor in developing countries.



BAKERY ITEMS! Mondays & Tuesdays (half price)

Breads, Rolls, Cookies, Sweets, etc.

Wednesdays are free!

SouthShore Senior Partners
5735 Country Club Road
Shorewood, MN 55331-8926



SHOREWOOD
COMMUNITY & EVENT CENTER

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Our group is a non-profit which rents space at the Shorewood Community & Events Center from the City of Shorewood. We rely on contributions, fundraising and membership to continue our programming. If you are not already a member or supporter, please consider signing up. Thank you!

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Become a SSSP Member Today and Join the Fun!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Membership Cost: _____ **Birth year:** _____

Basic Annual Membership: \$30

Basic Double Membership: \$50 I am 55+: Yes or No

* Supporting Member: * \$51 - \$99 **All Memberships renew annually*

* Sustaining Member: * \$100+

* **Any contribution over the basic membership is tax deductible.*

Membership Benefits:

◆ SouthShore Sr Partners newsletter

◆ Special Events discount

◆ Pride in supporting access for older adults of our area!

* *Clip out & mail to: Shorewood Community & Events Center
5735 Country Club Road, Shorewood, MN 55331-8926*

*I would like to volunteer!

Interests are: _____



Do you have an event or an activity that you would like to see on our calendar? Let one of our board members know of your ideas!

