





2024

Spotlight ~ Suzette Thompson

I was born in Spokane, Washington on Nov. 16, 1948. My sister was born a little over a year later. My mother passed away the same day my sister was born. Around 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ years later my dad remarried and we all moved to Southern California where another sister and brother were added. My stepmother is from Guatemala.

I attended Westminster High school in Westminster, California for 2 years. My sister and I moved back to Washington State in order to help my grandmother. I graduated from Moses Lake High School in Moses Lake, Washington. After high school, I attended Spokane Falls Community College for a year, majoring in business classes. Later I received a "Certificate in Genealogy" from Brigham Young University with an interest in North American research.

While living in California I meant my future husband. He was one of the missionaries that gave me the lessons prior to my baptism in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. We wrote to each other for 3 years. We then decided to get married. Which we decided to do in the Idaho Falls Temple in Idaho Falls, Idaho.

As he was in the Navy at the time, we first moved to Seattle, Washington. He had been on Shore Patrol, and we had to stay for him to be a witness at a sailor's trial. Fortunately, he didn't have to testify. We then moved to Newport, Rhode Island where he was stationed. We were there about a month before his ship finally arrived. It was a Destroyer Tender and had about 1000 men on it. I got to go on **both a Destroyer and a Destroyer Tender**. **A Destroyer is quite small and was built to** go under a battleship's guns. The Tender had a 50-bed hospital on it and 2 dentist chairs.

Newport was an interesting place to live. It has the oldest synagogue in the United States. Also, there is a 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cliff Walk that we hiked with the Atlantic Ocean on one side and a several mansions on the other. It also has at least 3 or 4 different festivals every year and it's full of history.

He was made a 2-class petty officer by the time he got out of the Navy in January 1970. We drove home to Wallsburg. Fortunately, there were no snowstorms coming across the Plains.

We lived for a couple of months in Heber before moving to Wallsburg permanently, where his great-grandparents homesteaded here in 1873. We have 4 children, 2 boys and 2 girls. The oldest boy and oldest girl both live in Chandler, Arizona with their families. Our youngest girl lives in Heber and the youngest boy lives in Wallsburg. We have 7 grandchildren.

I worked for the United States Census in 1990. That job led to my working for the Post Office in Wallsburg for about 23 years, which I enjoyed. My husband and I did a Service Mission for our Church for about 9 months at the Lindon Cannery in Lindon, Utah. I was in the office and he as working on the floor. He passed away in August 2022. I am now serving a Service Mission in the Family History Department. I'm working on the 1950 census and also Numident, which is Social Security applications of people who have passed away. I really enjoy working in Family History. "it's kind of like being a detective" and getting proof of vital information so people can document their families.

I also enjoy coming to the Senior Center twice for a week for lunches, friendships and of course, the entertainment. Thank you to all the staff and all the volunteer staff, too, at the Center for all your hard work and making things happen for the Seniors in our county.





CORAS CORNER

To all our Seniors...just a little info from the kitchen. March is here already. Time is speeding right by me. Oh well, I must be having fun.

First of all I want to let you know that one of our kitchen helpers is moving forward in her life. Monica Kelly has been working with us in the kitchen for the last 10 years. She also loves to decorate and has done a fabulous job. We wish her good luck in her new adventure. We are going to miss her.

We will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day on the 14th. It is going to be a blast. I want to thank Candie, our activity coordinator, who has come up with this. It's pi day on 3-14, and what other way to celebrate than to have a pie throwing day? I'm sure there will be a face you would like to throw a pie at. We will be charging a small fee so bring your money. All proceeds will go towards our Meals on Wheels program.

Easter dinner will be served on the 28th. Come and see what we will have going on that day. Happy Easter to all.

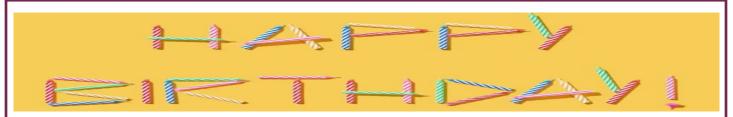
Please remember to keep drinking your water. Until next time, take care...Cora Briggs

May you always have Love to Share

Health to Spare

And Friends that Care...





Dee Akerly	2	Doug Thacker
Gail Allen Lopez	2	Carolyn Ritchie
Myrna Kowallis	2	Kathryn Tingey
Catherine Moore	3	Josephine Gibson
Jenalyn Morden	3	Louise Curley
Diane Miller	4	Jim Harger
Trina Boothe	7	Jerry Duke
Liesa Cox	8	Patricia Smith
Jolene Cox	8	Connie Kummer
Nancy Fitez	8	Susan Angle

David Rimington	25
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Activities & Trips

DATE	Registration Deadline	EVENT	TIME	COST
Monday, March 4th	_	Pizza & Puzzles @ Center	10:00-3:00 Pizza at Noon	1 Hour Labor
Wednesday, March 6th	_	Lunch & Bowling—Holiday Lanes, Heber	11:30 A.M.	Lunch & Bowling On Your Own
Wednesday, March 6th	Limited Tickets	Wind Symphony @ UVU Orem	4:00	\$12 Dinner On Your Own
Friday, March 8th	March 6th Limited Space	Easter Décor Craft—Senior Center	11:00 A.M.	\$17
Monday, March 11th	Until Full Limited Space	Movie- Orem Cinemark "Cabrini"	TBD	\$7 Snacks On Your Own
Friday, March 15th	March 14th	Gnome Paint Class @ Center	10:00 A.M.	\$2
Monday, March 18th	March 5th	Pyrex Dish Glass Etching @ Center	1:00	\$5 Bring Your Own Glass Dish
Wednesday, March 20th	-	Lunch & Bowling—Holiday Lanes, Heber	11:30 A.M.	Lunch & Bowling On Your Own
Wednesday, March 20th	Until Full Limited Space	Sandy Hale Theatre— Clue	4:30 P.M.	\$53 Dinner On Your Own
Monday, March 25th	Limited Space	Zuppa Toscana Soup Class USU Extension, Heber	10:00 or 2:00	\$5

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Remember!

For more information stop by or call the Senior Center. Payments must be made at the time of sign up.

"The greatest thing in life is to keep your mind young." – Henry Ford



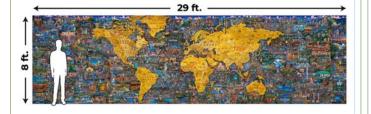
Pizza & Puzzles!

When: Monday, March 4th Time: 10:00—3:00 (Pizza served at noon) Where: The Senior Center Cost: A hour worth of labor!

Join us for an afternoon of pizza and puzzles! We want your help putting together the world's largest puzzle! We ask you work on the puzzle for at least a hour to receive a free slice or two of pizza. Pizza will be served at noon. You don't



need to be here the whole time, come and go as you wish.



Easter Décor Craft

When: Friday, March 8th

Time: 11:00

Where: Senior Center

Cost: \$17

Sign Up By: March 6th (limited space)



Cynthia will be doing these cute double sided Easter stand. Can be used indoor or outdoor. Everything will be provided for your craft. Each one will be different and unique (bunny, eggs, flowers, pot) Class will be held in the craft room at the senior center. Limited space is available.

UVU Noorda—Orem Wind Symphony

Date: Wednesday, March 6th

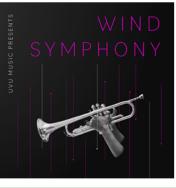
Time: 4:30 P.M.

Cost: \$12

Dinner: Applebee's

Deadline: Limited Tickets Available

A wind symphony provides all voices from a traditional orchestra using only wind and percussion instruments. That is, there are no string sections: violins, violas,



and cellos. This is done by adding many more brass and woodwind players and percussionists playing both pitched and rhythm instruments. The sound of a wind symphony is unique. Some feel it has the characteristic sound of a large and powerful pipe organ. Yet the music is an artistically combined sound. Individual musicians intone their own separate "pipes" and percussionists create sounds striking a wide variety of instruments.

"Lucky You" Acrylic Paint Class

When: Friday, March 15th Time: 10:00 A.M. Where: Senior Center Craft Room Cost: \$2 Sign Up By: March 13th



Kathy Carr will be teaching this acrylic paint class. We will be painting this adorable 8x10 holiday gnome. Everything you need for this class will be provided. Class will take approximately 1.5 hours.

Cinemark Movie—Orem

Date: Monday, March 11th Time: TBD (Afternoon Matinee) Cost: \$7 Snacks On Your Own Movie: Cabrini Sign Up Deadline: March 8th



Based on a true story, one woman fights for the equality, health, and happiness of immigrant orphans.

From award-winning director Alejandro Monteverde comes the powerful, inspiring, true-life epic

of an audacious young Italian woman who came to New York with nothing – and went on to become one the greatest entrepreneurs America has ever produced. Cabrini charts the rise of a hero for our time – a woman whose determination, business skill and unswerving faith helped her overcome profound sexism and antiimmigrant bigotry – all to found an empire of hope that transformed the lives of millions worldwide.

Sandy Hale Theatre Clue

Date: Wednesday, March 20th Time: 4:30 Cost: \$53 Sign Up By: February 19th Dinner: Sizzler

By special invitation YOU are invited...into Boddy Manor for a highly uncommon dinner party where each guest is cloaked in mystery. The host is...in a word...dead. So whodunnit? And in what room? The butter renders a cadre of weapons to a gathering of perplexing iconics known as Scarlet, Plum, White, Green, Peacock and Mustard. Each races to save their own skin before the body count stacks up. Based on the clever board game conjured in England in 1949 and propelled by the cult classic film, Clue's madcap comedy will have you in a twist until the end. Based on the screenplay by Jonathan Lynn. Written by Rustin, Foster and Price. Come on in... we know you're dying to find out...



Pyrex Baking Dish Etching Class

When: Monday, March 18th

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Cost: \$5 Per Stencil

Where: Senior Center

Sign Up By: March 5th

Mary Johnson will be teaching a glass etching class! Design and style is personalized.

Supply your own pyrex baking dish



Zuppa Toscana Soup

Date: Monday, March 25th Time: 10:00 A.M. or 2:00 P.M. Cost: \$5 Limited Space.....Sign Up Soon!



We will learn to make delicious zuppa Toscana soup! Class will be taught by Tricia at the USU campus extension. Everything will be provided for the class. Space is limited.

55 S. 500 E. Heber (Located in the same build as the Health Department)





Mike's Blurb

We are the best Senior Center in the state!

It has become a very common experience that people from other Centers call us or stop in to see what it is we do the make this place ROCK! I would like to take this opportunity to point out a few of many reasons that make us stand apart. It starts at the top of the county administration. Dustin Grabau is our County Manager, Tom Bonner is Director of Parks & Rec. and Heath Coleman is Assistant Director. They have all told me repeatedly that if there is anything the seniors need or want to go ahead and get it. What I have heard from other Center Directors is that they have to fight to get every little dollar they need.

Last Tuesday the Director of the Summit County Center came and spent lunch with us and then we took her on a tour of our building, kitchen and answered a bunch of questions. She was amazed at our whole operation and how generous the county is to us.

Next we have the absolute best staff. In my whole life I have never worked with people who care so much about the people they serve. Cora and Brent, Janeal, Karin and Monica make the best meals served at any Center in the state. Luara makes sure everything runs beautifully in and out of the office. Candie comes up with and plans amazing trips, experiences and classes. Tom Greer delivers Meals on Wheels to dozens of people every day. But it really isn't about "The Job". It is about how much everyone cares about all of you. From the County Manager all the way down the line every person on our teams cares deeply. We are honored to be part of your lives. Resource Phone Numbers: Driver License Division: 801-965-4437 Health Department: 435-654-2700 Heber Hospital: 435-654-2500 High Valley Transit: 435-246-1538 MAG: 801-229-3800 Meals On Wheels: 435-654-4920 Poison Control: 800-222-1222 Sherriff's Office: 435-654-1411 Wasatch Senior Center: 435-654-4920

SENIOR CENTER TEAM

- Center Director: Mike Winward
- Food Service Manager: Cora Briggs
- Administrative Secretary: Luara Mair
- Activities Coordinator: Candie Bonner
- Meals On Wheels Driver: Tom Greer
- Food Service: Brent Briggs, Monica Kelly, Karin Jentzsch, Jeneal Wingelaar

IT'S TAX TIME!!

AARP WILL BE DOING TAX APPOINTMENTS EVERY WEDNESDAY. CALL OR STOP BY THE SENIOR CENTER TO SCHEDULE YOUR TIME.

435-654-4920



Thank you so much!

HOW MANY WORDS CAN YOU MAKE FROM

SHAMROCK

Using each letter only once, see how many different words can you make out of "SHAMROCK." Write as many words as you can on the lines below.

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15.	30.

Turn in completed puzzle (just as many words as you can, you don't need all 30) to the senior center by March 22nd to be entered into a drawing for a \$20 gift card!

Name:___

Phone:



Thursday, March 14th @ Lunch

We will be having our St. Patrick's Day lunch and also celebrating Pi Day! What better way to celebrate Pi Day than having a pie throwing booth! This is your chance to throw a pie at some senior center staff and a county council member or two. Bring some cash (whip cream pies are \$2 or 3 for \$5) Money raised is for the Meals On Wheels program.

In Loving Memory...

Christine "Christy" Ackerson Born: August 1, 1947 Died: January 23, 2024 Married: Chuck Ackerson

Annette Young Born: December 22, 1934 Died: February 13, 2024 Married: James Young





Beginning SPEECHREADING CLASSES

Are you finding it difficult to communicate with those around you? Jain aur weekly. Beginning Speechreading Class to learn how to better understand others through lipreading.

This course is for those who are

hard of hearing or late deafened

who want to better communicate

with family, friends, and co-workers.

Tuesday afternoons, March 5,12,19 and 26 , 2024 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

IN PERSON at Wasatch Senior Center Limit 10 people per class.

This free course develops a foundation for the following skills:

- Non-verbal communication
- Speech cues
- Phonetics and homophones
- Lip reading techniques
- Non-vocal drills

For more info contact Kelly Boehmer <u>kboehmer@utah.gov</u>



HOOKED ON BOOK

We are currently reading : Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Trail

By: Cheryl Strayed

Next month Book : ARIADNE

By: Jennifer Saint

Please join us every third Thursday of the month @ 10:30 for Hooked on books.

If you like to read and talk about a great book

this is the place to be. Come visit, chat and make some new friends while reading the best books.





Find the words in the grid. When you are done, the unused letters in the grid will spell out a hidden message. Pick them out from left to right, top line to bottom line. Words can go horizontally, vertically and diagonally in all eight directions.

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By Jimmy and Evelyn Johnson - www.gets.com

Aries Basketball Birds Bloom Clouds Daffodil Daylight

Fertile Grass Growing Irish Leprechaun March Patrick

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Plant Rainbow Shamrock Spring Sun Weather Wind







RECIPE OF THE MONTH

CABBAGE ROLLS

Ingredients:

- 1 head of green cabbage
- 1 cup uncooked rice
- 1 lb. ground pork
- 1/2 lb. ground beef
- 2 small onion diced
- 3 cloves garlic minced
- 1/2 tsp. dill weed
- 3 tbs. parsley chopped
- 1 can diced tomatoes 14 oz. with juices
- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 cups + 1/3 cup tomato sauce divided
- 1 can tomato soup 10.5 oz.

Instructions:

- 1. Boil cabbage leaves until soft, about 2 minutes and let cool.
- 2. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- 3. Cook rice according to package directions, but reduce cooking time by 5 minutes so rice is slightly underdone, set aside.
- 4. Cook pork, beef, onions, garlic and seasonings until to pink remains. Drain fat. Add in rice, diced tomatoes and 1/3 cup tomato sauce. Stir in egg.
- 5. Mix in remaining tomato sauce and tomato soup in a bowl. Spread a small amount of the mixture in a 9x13 pan.
- 6. Remove or thin any thick stems on cabbage leaves. Lay leaves flat on surface and add 1/3 cup filling to center of leaf. Fold the sides and roll the cabbage up. Place seam side down in pan. Repeat with remaining cabbage leaves.
- 7. Pour sauce of cabbage and cover tightly with foil. Bake for 75-90 minutes. Let cool 15 minutes before serving.

NOTE: Cabbage rolls can be frozen before or after baking.



MARCH

HIDDEN QUOTATION BY Ralph Waldo Emerson



CareGiver Support

<u>Group</u>

We meet at the Center for the caregiver support group on the second Tuesday of every month @

2:00.

Please join us for our next meeting on Tuesday March 12th @ 2:00





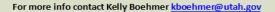
Learning basic American Sign Language (ASL) signs

Tuesday Afternoon April 9, 16, 23, 30 2024 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Class limit to 10 people

An all new sign class designed for the hard of hearing, late-deafened, their family and friends. Learn new signs every week and review sign learned the previous weeks. Use signs learned in conversation in an easy, supportive atmosphere. Build a working vocabulary.

Come and learn some signs to help communicate better when it becomes difficult at times





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Shout out... MARINA VERDEN

What can we say about Marina? She is always willing to jump in and help wherever is needed. She is always lending a helping hand. She helps us keep the pantry nice and stocked and it just wouldn't be BINGO with out Marina there. Thanks for all you do!!!





Easter Lunch

Hey Peeps,... Sign up early and join us for a egg-cellent time on March 28th!





Are you interested in playing Canasta and other card games? We will be playing every Monday at 1:00 P.M. at the Center! We would love to have you.

FREE piano lessons every Thursday following lunch at 1:00

If you are interested, contact Margaret 435-654-2876





Enhabit's Chaplin, Ann Spackman, will be leading our grief support group. Light refreshments will be served. Gatherings will be held at 2:00 the first and third Wednesday of the month. .



Would you be interested in playing Euchre? We would like to get a group going on Wednesdays at 1:00. If you are interested in playing, contact the Senior Center 435-654-4920 or Pat 231-360-0445

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with

Wasatch Back Irish Dance

March 11 & 12 from 6:30-7:30 PM

Wasatch County Library and Senior Center:

465 E 1200 S in Heber

Come celebrate St. Patrick's Day with an energy filled Irish Dance Performance and simple dance instruction to learn an Irish Jig!



NOW ON 2

DAYS IN

MARCH!!

Happy Trails Monical Thanks For Everything.



Activity Calendar

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
ALL DAY – EVERY WEEKDAY • Exercising • Reading • Computers • Billiards • Piano/Organ • Checkers • Puzzles • Games • Ceramics	Piano Lessons Please Contact Margaret Schloss 435-654-2876			1 12:00 Cards—Bridge
4 10:00-3:00 Pizza & Puzzles 1:00 Cards-Canasta	5 Treasure Table 10:30 Chair Exercise 12:00 Lunch 1:00 Bunco 2:00 Lip Reading	6 11:30 Lunch & Bowling at Holiday Lanes 2:00 Grief Support Group 4:00 UVU Orem Wind Symphony	7 Treasure Table 9:00 Yoga 10:45 Tai Chi 12:00 Lunch 1:00 Bingo 1:00 Piano	8 11:00 Easter Craft @ Center 12:00 Cards-Bridge
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18 1:00 Glass Etching Class @ Center 1:00 Cards-Canasta	19 10:00 Breakfast 10:30 Chair Exercise	20 11:30 Lunch & Bowling At Holiday Lanes 2:00 Grief Support Croup 4:30 Sandy Hale Theatre— Clue	21 9:00 Yoga 10:45 Tai Chi 12:00 Lunch 1:00 Bingo 1:00 Piano	22 12:00 Cards-Bridge
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****Luncheon Menu (served every Tuesday and Thursday)****

PLEASE CALL THE CENTER THE DAY BEFORE TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT (435)654-4920

2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 CHICKEN CUTLET, potatoes & gravy, peas, orange wedge & roll
4	5	6	7	8
STUFFED GREEN PEPPER, potatoes & gravy, green beans, tropical fruit & roll	BEEF & BEAN BUR- RITO, tri patty pota- to, mixed vegetables, orange wedge, chips & salsa	SPAGETTI w/ MEAT SAUCE, corn, cottage cheese, pears & roll	CHICKEN FRIED STEAK, potatoes & gravy, carrots, peaches & roll	CHICKEN WINGS, mac & cheese, pork-n -beans, applesauce & roll
	CHICKEN FRIED STEAK, potatoes & gravy, peas & carrots & pear		PULLED PORK SANDWICH, cole- slaw, chips & tropical fruit	
11	12	13	14	15
CHICKEN CORDON BLEU, potatoes & gravy, peas & car- rots, pears & roll	BBQ RIBLET, mac & cheese, pork-n- beans, applesauce, cookie & roll CHICKEN STRIPS, fries, corn & fruit sal- ad	CREAM OF POTATO SOUP, chicken nug- gets, peas, orange wedge & roll	FISH, au gratin po- tatoes, carrots, trop- ical fruit & roll	TURKEY SANDWICH, potato salad, peaches & chips
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18 SALISBURY STEAK, potato, corn, pears & roll	19 BEEF STEW, potato, green beans, peach- es, pudding & roll	20 BAKED CHICKEN, potatoes & gravy, peas, tropical fruit & roll	21 ROAST PORK, pota- toes & gravy, carrots applesauce & roll	22 CHICKEN CROSS- IANTS, pasta salad & mandarin oranges
	BREAKFAST, hash- browns, eggs, sau- sage, biscuts & gra- vy, fruit, Juice & milk		CHEF SALAD, w/ ranch, mandarin oranges	
25	26	27	28	29
CHICKEN DRUM- METTS, mac & cheese, mixed vege- tables, tropical fruit & roll	PORK CHOP, pota- toes & gravy, green beans, applesauce & roll	CHICKEN CHOW MEIN, egg roll, veg- gies, orange wedge & roll	ROAST BEEF, pota- toes & gravy, car- rots, peaches & roll	HAM SANDWICH, potato salad, pineap- ple & chips
	FISH, au gratin pota- toes, green beans & peaches		TURKEY DINNER w/ trimmings	800 600

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