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## BACA CENTER

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## ANNUAL NUT SALE & PECAN CRACKING BEGIN NOV. 4

Pecan Large Pieces-\$11 Pecan Halves-\$12 **Chocolate Pecans-\$10 Praline Pecans-\$10 Cinnamon Pecans-\$10 Roasted Cashews-\$11** Pistachios-\$11

**Chocolate Almonds-\$7 Roasted Almonds-\$9 Honey Roasted Peanuts-\$5 Chocolate Peanuts-\$6 Hot & Spicy Peanuts-\$5** Fiesta Mix-\$7 **Trash Mix-\$7** Walnut Halves & Pieces-\$8 Mountain Mix-\$7

Whole Pecans per lb.-\$6 uncracked / \$6.50 cracked While Supplies Last - Limited Quantities

Pecan Cracking: \$0.50 per pound | Nov. 4 - Jan. 31. Please bring in bucket or tub (No plastic bags), labeled with

name & phone number.

Pecans must be debris, insect & mildew free. Please allow up to 7 business days for cracking.

### **FACILITY HOURS:**

Monday - Thursday: 7:00 AM - 9:00 PM Friday: 7:00 AM - 6:00 PM Saturday & Sunday: 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM **OFFICE HOURS:** Monday - Friday: 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM

#### **HOLIDAY HOURS:**

Nov. 11: Veterans Day | Closed Nov. 27: Open 7am - 5pm Nov. 28 - 29: Thanksgiving Holidays | Closed Dec. 24 - 25: Christmas Holidays | Closed Dec. 31: Open 7am - 5pm Jan. 1: New Year's Holiday | Closed

## **WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:30-10:15 am	9:00-11:00 am	9:30-10:15 am	9:00 am-11:00 am	9:00 am-11:00 am
A.A.A. <b>10:30-11:00 am</b>	Wood Carvers	A.A.A.	Non-competitive pickleball	9 Square in the Air
Sittercize	9:30-10:15 am	10:00 am-12:30 pm	Rating 1-3.5**	9:00 am-3:00 pm
11:30 am-1:30 pm	A.A.A.	Mexican Train	9:30-10:15 am	Open Game Play
Non-competitive Pickleball Rating 1-3.5**	<b>9:30 am-2:00 pm</b> Crafty Critters	<b>10:30-11:00 am</b> Sittercize	A.A.A. <b>10:00-11:30 am</b> Writing Club (Zoom)	<b>10:00-11:30 am</b> Bingo*
<b>1:30-3:30 pm</b> Competitive Pickleball	<b>10:30-11:00 am</b> Sittercize	<b>9:30 am-12:30 pm</b> Hearts	<b>10:30-11:00 am</b> Sittercize	<b>12:30-3:30 pm</b> Mexican Train
Rating 4-5** <b>11:30 am-4:00 pm</b>	<b>12:30-4:00 pm</b> Pinochle	<b>12:15-3:30 pm</b> Dominoes "42"	<b>11:00-11:15 am</b> Balance <b>11:00am-1:00pm</b>	Hand/Foot Canasta  1:00-2:30 pm
Pinochle ADVANCED PLAY  12:30-4:00 pm	<b>12:45-4:00 pm</b> Texas Canasta	<b>12:30-4:00 pm</b> Spades	ALL Rating Levels Pickleball  1:00-3:00 pm	Sing-A-Long
American Mah Jong Club EXPERIENCED	<b>1:00-3:00 pm</b> Karaoke Performance Group	<b>1:00-3:30 pm</b> Latin Dancing	Competitive Pickleball Rating 4-5**	New Thursday Pickleball play times
<b>12:45-3:30 pm</b> Dominoes "42"	4:30-8:30 pm	<b>3:00-4:00 pm</b> Widowed Warriors	<b>12:00-4:00 pm</b> Open Game Play	start 11/14
<b>1:00-2:30 pm</b> Writing Club	ALL Rating Levels Pickleball	4:30-8:30 pm	<b>12:30-3:45 pm</b> Bridge for Fun	
<b>1:00-4:30 pm</b> Duplicate Bridge ADVANCED PLAY &		Intermediate/ Advanced Table Tennis***	Cribbage <b>12:45-3:45 pm</b> Racehorse Canasta	
MUST have partner 4:00-6:00 pm 9 Square in the Air			<b>1:00-2:30 pm</b> Conversational Spanish Class	
4:30-8:30 pm Intermediate/ Advanced Table Tennis***			4:30-6:30 pm Beginner Table Tennis*** 6:30-8:30 pm All Levels Table Tennis	

\*Requires registration and fee, non-members pay an additional \$1 walk-in fee.

Times listed are <u>start times</u>, arrive at least 15 minutes early if you wish to participate.

\*\*Pickleball ratings: <a href="www.usapickleball.org/tournaments/tournament-player-ratings/player-skill-rating-definitions/">www.usapickleball.org/tournaments/tournament-player-ratings/player-skill-rating-definitions/</a>
\*\*Pickleball players can only play one level per day, but please do a self-assessment to choose the correct level.

\*\*\*Table Tennis ratings: www.usatt.org.

## **MONTHLY ACTIVITIES**

Monthly Activity	Dates	Times	
Art Club Open Studio	November 6 & 20 December 4 November 13 December 11 *no meeting 12/18	1:00-3:00 pm 12:00-3:00 pm	
Benefit Resources—one-on-one	November 12 December 10	10:00 am	
Book Discussion	November 12 December 10	1:00 pm	
Bunco	November 5 & 19 December 3 & 17	6:15-8:30 pm	
Garden Club	November 4 December 2	9:00 am	
Hong Kong Mah Jong	November 7 &21 December 5 & 19	6:00-8:30 pm	
Instrumental Karaoke	November 13 December 11 *no program 11/27, 12/25	6:00-8:00 pm	
Sing for Joy	Will resume in January	11:00 am	
Round Rock New Neighbors Bridge	November 20 12:00 pm December 18		

Times listed are start times, arrive at least 15 minutes early if you wish to participate.



## **Daily Congregate Meals at the Baca Center**

The Opportunities for Williamson & Burnet Counties (OWBC) Senior Nutrition Program offers nutritionally balanced, homemade lunches at

a low cost for seniors (60+) at the Baca Center. Lunch is served Monday – Friday at 12:00 pm. To become a client and register for the congregate lunches, please visit the OWBC office in the Dining Room to obtain an intake form. Forms can be submitted between 11:00 am & 12:00 pm each week day. Meals can begin the day after submitting the intake form. Clients pay a suggested \$3 donation for meals.

www.owbc-tx.org/

512-255-4970

### Humana.



## Save the date

Thursday, November 14, 2024 at 10:30 AM

Allen R Baca Senior Center
301 W Bagdad Ave Ste 2, Round Rock, TX 78664

Get answers to your questions about Medicare

You're invited

Please join us to learn more about Medicare and Humana Plans No obligation to enroll.



**ROUND ROCK PUBLIC LIBRARY** 

## WELCOME TO The Library

Are you curious about what our library offers? Join us to learn about the Round Rock Public Library and all of the exciting resources & programs that are offered.

Wednesday, November 20 10:30-11:30am

**Baca Center Grand Room** 











### **ORGANIZATIONS & CLUBS**

### BENEFIT RESOURCES—2nd Tuesday, 10:00 am November 12 & December 10 in the Baca Center Lobby

Visit with a representative from AGE of Central Texas, and they will provide one-on-one assistance with locating and accessing local support programs and resources. Free assistance is available for older adults and family caregivers, to help you connect with the information, resources, programs, and education that will help you age successfully. If you need assistance sooner, please contact the AGE Resource Center at 512-600-9275

### CENTER ART CLUB—1st & 3rd Wednesday, 1:00 pm; 2nd Wednesday, 12:00 pm

Visitors always welcome! Contact centerartclubofrr@gmail.com for more information **November 6** —Business meeting, art show and tell.

November 13 — Open studio, bring your art supplies and works in progress to create in a group setting

November 20 — Demo day: Rebecca Sembrano creates 3 dimensional art from rocks and other objects

December 4 — Business meeting, art show and tell, Baca wall display change out

December 11 — Open studio, bring your art supplies and works in progress to create in a group setting

December 18 — No meeting

#### BOOK DISCUSSION—2nd Tuesday, 1:00 pm

**November 12** — "The Other Two" by Edith Wharton **December 10**— "Theft" by Katherine Anne Porter Contact the Baca Center for more information.

#### GARDEN CLUB—1st Monday (except holidays), 9:00 am

**November 4**– Open Forum **December 2**—Holiday Party/Gift Exchange/Potluck

#### WRITING CLUB—Mondays, 1:00-2:30 pm & Thursday, 10:00 am (Zoom only)

Participants are welcome to share their writing and get feedback, read someone else's work or just come to listen. If you want to publish your work in the Club's next anthology, join now! To view the Club's six anthologies, search for Baca Writing Club on Amazon. For more information, email bacawritingclub@gmail.com.



## **AARP Driver Safety Course**

Tuesday, November 12, 8:30am—12:30pm (CANCELLED)
Tuesday, January 14, 8:30am—12:30pm

The course enables drivers to get a 10% discount for 3 years on most insurance plans.

Please check with your insurance provider. You must pre-register at the Baca Center Front Desk.

Course does not dismiss traffic violations. You must have your AARP card to present at class.

\$20 for AARP members & \$25 for non-members payable by CHECK ONLY to AARP.

Individuals with AARP Medicare Supplement Plan insured by United Health Care may attend for no charge—MUST show UHC membership card as proof.

## **PROGRAMS & CLASSES**

### **Chair Yoga for Seniors**

This class is perfect for persons who may have difficulty getting to the floor and back up. The chair provides support and stability in standing and seated positions, allowing the student to experience a yoga class where gentle backbends, forward bends, lateral stretches and twisting postures are easily accessible. Participants will benefit by improving flexibility, strength, circulation, range of motion, balance, posture and breathing. Suitable for people with limitations. Non-members pay additional \$5 per month.

Wednesdays, November 6-27 9:00-10:00 am Wednesdays, December 4 & 11 9:00-10:00 am

### Tai Chi Level I

Join our Tai Chi beginner's class designed specifically for seniors to improve balance, flexibility, and overall well-being. This gentle, flowing exercise emphasizes slow, controlled movements and deep breathing, making it ideal for enhancing mobility and reducing stress.

Thursdays, November 7-21 1:00-2:00 pm \$9/3 classes Course #: 25-10103TCLO-02 Thursdays, December 5-19 1:00-2:00 pm \$9/3 classes Course #: 25-10103TCLO-03

### Tai Chi Level II

Join our Tai Chi intermediate class designed specifically for seniors to improve balance, flexibility, and overall well-being. This class is for participants who have completed the Level 1 course or have prior experience with Tai Chi.

Mondays, November 4-25 6:00-7:00 pm \$9/3 classes Course #: 25-10103TC-03 Mondays, December 2-16 6:00-7:00 pm \$9/3 classes Course #: 25-10103TC-04

\*No class November 11 & December 23 and 30

## Kupuna Hula with Kumu Ellie

This program is a session based program. All interested participants MUST register prior to the first class. The instructor will NOT be at the center unless there are registered participants. In this relaxed class, students will learn Hula dance techniques and simple language. The focus will be on modern Hula such as "Blue Hawaii". No registration after the first class due to missing pertinent information. For more information, email **pahulaohana.rr@gmail.com**.

November 5-12; 26, Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30 pm Course #25-10103KH-03 FREE for Baca Members December 3-17; 31 Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30 pm Course #25-10103KH-04 FREE for Baca members No class November 19 & December 24

### **Computer Support**

Is your data backed up, your warranty over, want to fix your computer yourself? Join Scott Wheeler for "how to" classes which will cover cleaning up your Windows operating system, install/uninstall applications/drivers, troubleshoot diagnostics, manage viruses, and more. Bring your laptop to the class. If you have a PC do a print screen of your issue. MUST register and pay by 5 pm the Monday prior and if no registrations, instructor will not show up. This class DOES NOT teach computer skills and cannot assist with any Apple products. Please arrive promptly and call if not coming.

Wednesdays, November & December, 9:30 am

\$5 for Baca members only





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## Craft Sale

By Crafty Critters

November 5 9:00am- 5:30pm November 19| 9:00- 12:00pm December 10| 9:00- 12:00pm

**Baca Center Lobby CASH ONLY** 







## **Baca and Beyond!**













### Why register?



6 Delicious Chili selections Judge for best chili Music Games & Prizes



Calling all chili enthusiasts! Join us to taste the chili and judge which one is the best!

### FREE EVENT FOR BACA MEMBERS \$1 NON-MEMBERS

MUST REGISTER ONLINE OR AT FRONT DESK TO PARTICIPATE

LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE

**AGES 50+** 

# Salsa

**BASIC DEMO CLASS** 

Come join the fun and salsa dance with Juan C. from Humana! He'll be offering a one-hour basic demonstration lesson for both beginners and experienced dancers. Refreshments will be provided.

Free for Baca members \$1 Non-member

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11** 

10 AM TO 11 AM

AGES: 50+

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## THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH - 12PM - GRAND ROOM

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED -

**DEADLINE NOVEMBER 12** 

SIGN UP IN PERSON THROUGH OWBC/DINING ROOM

OR ONLINE - SCAN CODE OR

HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/23RSZAZV



## HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10TH - 12PM - GRAND ROOM

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED DEADLINE DECEMBER 3

SIGN UP IN PERSON THROUGH OWBC/DINING ROOM

OR ONLINE - SCAN CODE OR

HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MSMD2J75







FREE TAX PREPARATION FROM AARP FOUNDATION TAX-AIDE WILL BE OFFERED AT THE BACA

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**CENTER IN 2025** 

AARP TAX SERVICES WILL BE AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT BASIS ONLY.

Visit www.BacaCenter.com in mid-January for appointment link.

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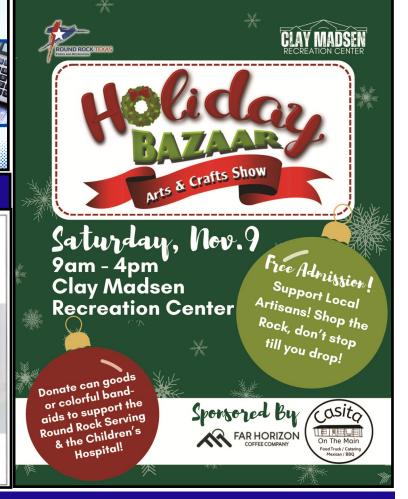
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CENTER ART CLUB OF ROUND ROCK

Saturday, November 16, 2024 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM Allen R. Baca Center Grand Room Looking for Holiday Gifts? Something one of a kind, handcrafted and special? Have we got a deal for you. Original Artwork, Prints, Cards, Photographs & Much More!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

JANUARY 1 New Years Day, Baca Center Closed

JANUARY 2 - 31 January Membership Special

JANUARY 20 MLK Day, Baca Center Closed

JANUARY 31 Pecan Cracking Ends

FEBRUARY 7 Senior Prom

**FEBRUARY 17** 

President's Day, Baca Center Closed

**FEBRUARY 22** 

**Bunco Tournament** 

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Corina Fernandez Robert Morales







Visit the Veterans Wall of Honor during the month of November.
Register by November 4 for the Veterans Breakfast on November 7 at 9am. All members invited. Join us for the Veterans Day Celebration at Flag Plaza in Old Settlers Park on November 11 at 11:00am