NEWS FLASH

WESTMINSTER SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER



125 Stoner Ave Westminster, MD 21157

410-386-3850

westminstersc@carrollcountymd.gov

https://www.carrollcountymd.gov/seniorcenters

September 2025

Center Hours:

Monday-Friday

8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Center Closed:

Monday, September 1 Wednesday, September 10



INFORMATION STATION

CENTER STAFF



CENTER MANAGER:KATIE WOODEN

CENTER ASSISTANT: ESTHER BALDWIN

CENTER CUSTODIAN:JOHN HOOVER



Updating Your Membership Form

update their membership form
YEARLY (around your birthday). This
helps us keep our records up to date. If
you are unsure if you have updated yet
this year please check with Katie!

* MEAL PROGRAM *



Lunch is served at 11:30 am Monday - Friday

Reservations are required: Reservation Deadlines (RSVPs) are noted for each day. Otherwise, meals cannot be guaranteed. Call 410-386-3854 or see Center Assistant to learn how to sign up. Advanced notice of changes will be given when possible

Cost of lunch for seniors 60 and older is a donation up to \$6.31 for lunch.

Those 59 and younger must pay the full price of \$6.31 for lunch.

Spouses of adults over 60, regardless of age, may give a donation if they accompany their spouse. If they are not, they must pay full price if under 60.

Interested in Volunteering?

Stop by the front desk to pick up a Volunteer Application.



DON'T FORGET TO SIGN ON THE TOUCH SCREEN EACH TIME YOU COME TO THE CENTER!

HOT Lunches Westminster Senior Center **SEPTEMBER 2025**

Reservations REQUIRED: Reservation Deadlines (RSVPs) are noted for each day.

Otherwise, meals cannot be guaranteed. Call 410-386-3854 or sign up with Assistant Manager.

Advanced notice of changes will be given when possible. Lunch is served at 11:30 am.

Circle days eating; on either HOT or COLD side. Write name on menu & turn in the white copy.

Meal Price: 60 Years Old & Up = HOT LUNCH Donation Up To \$6.31, includes accompanying younger spouses;

Under 60 Years Old = Full Price \$6.31, Paid Directly To Assistant Director NAME:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	RSVP 8/25/25	3 RSVP 8/25/25	4 RSVP 8/25/25	5 RSVP 8/25/25
Jabo V Day	CHICKEN DIVAN BROWN RICE WHEAT BREAD DICED PEACHES JUICE	SLICED CORN BEEF MUSTARD DILL SAUCE MASHED POTATOES RED CABBAGE CORN & PEA SALAD WHEAT BREAD TROPICAL FRUIT	INDIAN BUTTER CHICKEN BOMBAY BROWN RICE INDIAN CUCUMBER TOMATO & ONION SALAD WHEAT BREAD MANDARIN ORANGES	MEDITERRAIN WHITE BEAN SOUP TURKEY—HAM MACARONI SALAD ON SPINACH GRAPE TOM AOES WHEAT BREAD PINEAPPLE TIDBITS CHOCOLATE MILK
8 RSVP 9/2/25	9 RSVP 9/2/25	10	SPECIAL 11 SUB DAY	12 RSVP 9/2/25
CHICKEN CORDON BLUE ON ROLL BAKED BEANS BROCCOLI SALAD W/ CRANBERRY DRESSING YOGURT / JUICE	BEEF POT ROAST AU JUS ROLL HONEY ROASTED BEETS COLE SLAW JUICE / MILK	EXPO AT THE AG CENTER COME JOIN US IN THE ACTIVITIES CENTER CLOSED	RSVP 9/2/25 ROAST TURKEY SUB CHEDDAR CHEESE KAISER ROLL / MAYO POTATO SALAD COLE SLAW FRUIT COCKTAIL MILK	PORK LOIN W/ DIJON CREAM SAUCE OKRA & TOMATOES GARLIC MASHED POTATOES WHEAT BREAD FRUIT COCKTAIL CHOCOLATE MILK
15 RSVP 9/8/25	RSVP 9/8/25 16	SPECIAL 17 RSVP 9/8/25	18 RSVP 9/8/25	19 RSVP 9/8/25
HONEY BEEF BBQ RIB PATTY FIESTA BLACK BEANS COLE SLAW ROLL YOGURT & JUICE	CHICKEN BREAST FRICASSEE BROWN RICE PILAF MIXED VEGETABLES WHEAT BREAD APPLE PACK JUICE & MILK	BAKED POTATO SPINACH SALAD TOMATOES / DRESSING CHILI & CHEESE SOUR CREAM WHEAT BREAD APPLESAUCE	BEEF HOT DOG ON ROLL VEGETARIAN BEANS SAUERKRAUT FRUIT CUP JUICE & MILK	CR. OF BROCCOLI SOUP BBQ CHICKEN ROLL RED CABBAGE SLAW YOGURT & JUICE
FALL SPECIAL 22	23	24	* 25	26
RSVP 9/12/25	RSVP 9/12/25	RSVP 9/12/25	RSVP 9/12/25	RSVP 9/12/25
CHICKEN CORDON BLEU GRAVY MASHED POTATOES PEAS & ONIONS DINNER ROLL PIE JUICE / MILK	CHICKEN W/ CREAMY ARTICHOKE SAUCE LEMON RICE PILAF SEASONED BEANS WHEAT BREAD CINNAMON APPLE SLICES MILK & JUICE	LENTIL & SPINACH SOUP TUNA SALAD SANDWICH CORN & EDAMAME SALAD APPLESAUCE MILK	POT ROAST OF BEEF CHASSEUR ROASTED POTATOES SEASONED GREENS WHEAT BREAD MANDARIN ORANGES JUICE & MILK	CREAMY CHICKEN PICCATA BROWN RICE BUTTERED CARROTS WHEAT BREAD GREEN PEA & RED PEPPER SALAD Juice & CHOCO. MILK
PRSVP 9/22/25 HAMBUGER W/ PEPPER JACK CHEESE ON ROLL LETTUCE / TOMATO KETCHUP BROCCOLI SLAW TROPICAL FRUIT YOGURT & JUICE	30 RSVP 9/22/25 CHEESE PIZZA SALAD MIX / DRESSING FRUIT JUICE / MILK	NO BOX LUNCHES FOR SEPTEMBER		1 % White Milk or Chocolate Milk or Yogurt and most days Juice is served with lunch
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Daily Activities

Activity	Time	Cost	Location
Billiards	8:00 am - 3:45 pm	None	Billiards Room
Computer Lab	8:00 am - 3:45 pm	None	Computer Lab
Exercise Equipment Room	8:00 am - 3:45 pm	None	Exercise Room
Bingo Penny Bingo	9:00 - 11:00 am	Penny per card	Game Room
Morning Table Talk Catch-up, Relax, Enjoy Coffee with your senior center friends.	9:00 - 11:00 am	None	Dining Room
Lunch	11:30 am	See menu for reservation deadlines & directions.	Dining Room
Walk the WSC Walking Path	8:00 am - 3:45 pm	Free	Backyard

^{*}All Activities are subject to change without notice.

Arts & Crafts Activities

Activity	Day	Time	Cost	Session Info/Location
Painting & Drawing All skill levels & medium forms. Instructor led class.	Mondays	12:30 - 3:00 pm	\$25	8 Weeks Next Session begins: September 8, 2025
Stained Glass- Space is limited-more info to come once space is available	Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays	T: 8:15 - 12:00 pm W: 8:15 - 12:00 pm Th: 12:00 - 3:45pm	\$15 one- time fee plus \$2 each class for materials	Craft Room
Clay Crafters - Space is limited-more info to come once space is available	Tuesdays	12:00 - 3:30 pm	\$15 one- time fee plus \$2 each class for materials	Ceramic Room
Quilting Circle & Smiling with Stitches— Quilting & Project Linus blanket community service group.	Thursdays	9:00 - 11:00 am	None	Craft Room; Must supply own material
NEW! Greeting Card Crafts Come make greeting cards, for all skill levels.	3rd Wednesday of each month	1:00 - 2:30 pm	\$15 for 3 cards	Craft Room Next Class: Wednesday, September 17

Exercise Classes

Activity	Day	Time	Cost	Session Info
Dance Fitness (Low Intensity) Fun music & dance moves for staying fit!	Monday, Wednesday, & Fridays	8:45 - 9:45 am	\$35/month; includes Mon, Wed, & Fri	Session runs Monthly; 3x Weekly
Arthritis Exercise Class (Low Intensity)	Mondays	1:00 - 2:00 pm	Grant Funded	12 weeks Next Session Begins: October 27, 2025
Arthritis Exercise Class (Low Intensity)	Thursdays	1:00 - 2:00 pm	Grant Funded	12 weeks Next Session Begins: October 2, 2025
NEW DAY! Zumba Gold (Moderate Intensity & Coordination) With modifications for chair use!	Mondays	10:15 am-11:15 am	\$35	10-12 Weeks Next Session Begins: October 6, 2025
NEW! Strength & Mobility Low to Moderate Intensity	Tuesdays	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	\$30	8 Weeks Session Began: August 19, 2025
Yoga With modifications for chair use	Wednesdays	10:00 - 11:00 am	\$40	8 weeks Session Began: August 6, 2025
Line Dance Class (Moderate Intensity & Coordination)	Thursdays	10:00 - 11:30 am	\$35 Includes Tuesdays practice class	10-12 Weeks Next Session Begins: September 4, 2025
NEW DAY! Line Dance Practice	Tuesdays	10:30 - 11:30 am	Included with Thursday's Class Fee	
Stretch & Strength Exercise Uses exercise videos	Tuesdays & Thursdays	T: 9:00 - 10:00 am Th: 8:45 - 9:45 am	Free	Drop-in
Walking Indoor Exercise Walk & stretch to Leslie Sansone exercise videos	Monday, Wednesday, & Fridays	M: 2:00 - 3:00 pm W: 1:30 - 2:30 pm F: 1:30 - 2:30 pm	Free	Drop-in
Pickleball Must have own equipment	Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays	8:30 am - 11:30 am	\$10 one-time fee; Pay at WSC	Meets at Robert Moton Center Gym

Cards, Games & Entertainment

Activity	Day	Time	Session Info/Location
Carroll County Duplicate Bridge ACBL Sanctioned, Experienced Play	Mondays	11:30 am - 3:30 pm	Game Room; Sanctioned Play Dues
Pinochle	Fridays	11:30 am - 2:45 pm	Game Room
Progressive 500 Card	Wednesdays	11:30 - 3:30 pm	Game Room
Hand & Foot Card Game	Tuesdays	11:15 am - 3:30 pm	Game Room
Mahjong	Thursdays	12:30 - 3:30 pm	Game Room
Thinking Power Test your memory	Tuesdays	10:00 - 11:00 am	Dining Room
Wii Games: Bowling	Wednesdays	10:00 - 11:00 am	Dining Room TV
Prize Bingo: Come play for fun prizes!	Fridays	12:30 - 2:00 pm	Dining Room *No Prize Bingo on September 12 & 26

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Upcoming Special Events

Program	Date	Time	Session Info
Legal Aid	Wednesday, September 3	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Free; first 10 are seen by the lawyer! Numbers given out starting at 11:30am
Nutrition with Terry Serio	Thursday, September 4	10:00 am	Join us for a monthly nutrition program
Aging Your Way Expo	Wednesday, September 10	9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Please see flyer
End of Summer Luau	Friday, September 12	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Please see flyer
Cow Mobile	Wednesday, September 17	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Please see flyer
Let's Make Some Cards Greeting Card Craft	Wednesday, September 17	1:00 - 2:30 pm	See flyer for details
Fall into Fall Lunch	Monday, September 22	11:30 am	Reservations required for lunch
Train Trip	Tuesday, September 23	8:30 am - 4:00 pm	SOLD OUT
Senior Night Out	Tuesday, September 23	4:00 - 6:30 pm	See flyer for details

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The COW Mobile

Wednesday, September 17

1:00 - 2:00 pm

Cost: \$2.00

Please pay your \$2.00 at the front desk and receive your Ice Cream Voucher. Vouchers need to be presented at the Cow Mobile to receive your ice cream.

Vouchers will be sold

Monday, September 15 to

Wednesday, September 17.

The COW Mobile will be visiting our center! Beat the heat with a frozen custard, Italian Ice or a Gelati.

Sugar free option will be available



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FLU SHOT CLINICS

CARROLL COUNTY
SENIOR CENTERS

OCTOBER 6TH - 10TH , 2025 9:00AM - 11:00AM

Mount Airy

703 Ridge Ave. Mt. Airy. MD 21771 **Monday October 6th**

North Carroll

2328 Hanover Pike Hampstead, MD 21074 **Tuesday October 7**th

South Carroll

5928 Mineral Hill Road Eldersburg, MD 21787 **Wednesday October 8**th

Taneytown

220 Roberts Mill Road Taneytown, MD 21787 **Thursday October 9**th

Westminster

125 Stoner Ave. Westminster, MD 21157 **Friday October 10**th

Bring ALL your insurance cards with you!

Accepted Billing Options:

Medicare Part B, Medicare Advantage Part D,
BlueCross Medical, Commercial Prescription Coverage
Uninsured/Not Covered Cash Price: Regular = \$40; High-Dose = \$95

Please wear a short-sleeve shirt for the Pharmacist to administer the vaccine Questions? Contact Finksburg Pharmacy (410) 526-1055





NEW CLASS!

Let's Make Some Cards! Greeting Card Crafts



3rd Wednesday of each month 1:00 - 2:30 pm in the Craft room

Bring adhesives of your choice!

Cost: \$15.00 for 3 Cards Supplies for cards will be provided.

Come make greeting cards with our newest instructor Arleen.

If you are interested in taking the class please let Katie know by 10 am on the 2nd Friday of the month Payment will be collected on the day of the class.

Hickory Bridge Farm: Lunch & Christmas Show

Ortanna, PA

Tuesday, December 16, 2025

Bus Leaves WSC at 9:45 am & Returns to WSC by 3:45 pm

Cost: \$80.00 per person

Includes Lunch & Christmas Show

Sign up begins September 2nd



If interested, please sign up at the Front Desk. Payment due at time of sign up! payment will be held until day of the trip. All trip times, cost & package offers are subject to change depending on participation and weather.

The Americans with Disabilities Act applies to the Carroll County Government and its programs, services, activities and facilities. Anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or who has a complaint should contact The Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator, 410.386.3600, 1.888.302.8978, MD Relay 7-1-1/1.800.735.2258 or email ada@carrollcountymd.gov as soon as possible but no later than 72 hours before the scheduled event.



Come join in on the fun in the Multi Purpose Room There will be entertainment by DJ Sonny. Light refreshments will be available. Come dressed in your favorite Hawaiian attire for a fun filled afternoon.

Scrip Feed Senior Night Out

Tuesday, September 23

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm Dinner @ 5:00 pm

Dinner Menu:
Steamed Shrimp
Macaroni Salad
Chips
Fruit Cup

<u>Cost:</u> \$10.00 - 1/2 lb of shrimp or \$15.00 - 1 lb of shrimp

Payment due at time of sign up

Please see Katie or Esther by 10:00 am on September 15th to sign up and pay!



Walk Maryland Day 2025 Friday, October 3 9:00 - 11:00 am



Join Westminster Senior Center for a walk around our Walking Path.

Come walk for five minutes or the full 2 hours. Every lap counts! Help us meet our goal of Older Marylanders
Walking 1 Million Miles!

Check in with Katie on the day of and let her know how many laps, miles or minutes you walked!

Mason Jar Salads

Thursday, September 18

12:45 pm in the Dining Room

Come join Lisa as she shows us how to make a tasty salad in a mason jar. All supplies will be provided!

Please sign up at the front desk by September 11!

Space is limited to 15 people so don't wait to sign up!



Help us Design & Build Age-Friendly Carroll County

We want deep roots that allow Carroll County to be a place that everyone will choose to live, work and play as they age.

Help us build the priorities for our future by taking the survey* by September 15th

https://carrollcountymd.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_aVP8njulgrT1peC



*Survey is available in English and Spanish







Turning 65 or retiring soon and not sure what to do about Medicare??

Carroll County's State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) is here to help!

We invite you to attend our free informational Transitioning to Medicare workshops to learn more. We offer these two-part workshops monthly in collaboration with the Carroll County Public Library.



Navigating Medicare



Please register for live sessions at:

https://ccpl.librarymarket.com/events/month

**Pre-Recorded sessions can also be accessed at any time using the links listed below.



Transitioning to Medicare Part 1

All workshops start at 5:00pm!! Registration is required!!

July 9th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

August 5th, 2025-In person @ North Carroll Public Library (2255 Hanover Pike)

August 6th, 2025-Webinar

September 17th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

October 15th, 2025-Webinar

November 12th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

December 3rd, 2025-Webinar

**Pre-Recorded Session on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1nlioLxPweM

Original Medicare (Parts A, B, & D), Advantage Plans (Part C), Supplemental Plans (Medigap), Fraud & Abuse, & Medicare Savings Programs.

Transitioning to Medicare Part 2

All workshops start at 5:00pm!! Registration is required!!

July 16th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

August 12th, 2025-In person @ North Carroll Public Library (2255 Hanover Pike)

August 13th, 2025-Webinar

September 24th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

October 22nd, 2025-Webinar

November 19th, 2025-In person @ Westminster Public Library (50 E Main St)

December 10th, 2025-Webinar

**Pre-Recorded Session on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zVA4jvmmRQA

Take a closer look at Medicare Supplemental Plans and Advantage Plans.

Sponsored by: Carroll County Bureau of Aging & Disabilities: 125 Stoner Ave, Westminster, MD 21157

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Formerly Seniors On The Go Expo

Wednesday, September 10, 2025 - 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Shipley Arena, Carroll County Ag Center - 706 Agricultural Center Drive, Westminster MD

FREE Admission FREE Health Screenings Vendor Prize BINGO Speakers & Seminars Community Program & Fitness Demonstration **FREE Shuttle Service** Grab & Go Lunches **Prescription Medication Disposal Designated Veterans Area FREE Complementary Therapies**



For more information call 410-386-3800 agingexpo@carrollcountymd.gov

Official Expo Media Sponsors





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Aging Your Way – Health & Wellness Expo

Formerly known as "Seniors on the Go Expo"

Wednesday, Sept. 10th



Do you need ride to the Expo?

CTS will be providing rides to <u>seniors</u> from Senior Centers to Shipley Arena and back

How to reserve a ride from Senior Center to Expo:

- Call CTS at 410-753-6300 to reserve a ride. Spaces are reserved on a first come first serve basis.
 If experiencing issues, contact Senior Center Manager.
- Rides to the Expo and back will cost \$2.00 each way.
- Buses will <u>pick up and drop off seniors on your center's parking lot.</u>
- Confirm pick up times with your Senior Center Manager the day before the Expo.

Senior Centers are closed on this date!



Upcoming Events & Closures

- Friday, October 3: Walk MD Event
 - m Friday, October 10: Flu Shots
- Monday, October 13: Center Closed
- Thursday, October 16: Oktoberfest Lunch
 - **Friday, October 31: Halloween Party**

Dates could change, check back with the center to find out about additional closures



Inclement Weather Policy for Carroll County Senior Centers

Senior and Community Centers are **OPEN** at 8:00 am in inclement weather **UNLESS**:

The <u>Carroll County Government Offices are closed</u> then the <u>Carroll County Senior Centers are closed.</u>

The <u>Carroll County</u>

<u>Government opens late or</u>

<u>closes early</u> then the <u>Carroll</u>

<u>County Senior Centers</u>

<u>open late or close early.</u>



- Modified meals may be served
- Call your Senior Center to see if programs/classes have been cancelled
 - Carroll Transit System (CTS) may run on a modified schedule. Please call them to <u>confirm</u> or <u>cancel</u> your ride.

CTS: 410-386-5550

*Please note- decisions regarding the operating schedules of the Carroll County Senior Centers are based only on the Carroll County Government. The Senior Centers do not follow the Carroll County Public School System operating schedules.

For info on closures and delays listen to local radio or TV stations, visit the Carroll County Government website or call your Senior Center.