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RENO

Memorandum

DATE: April 23, 2025

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

THROUGH: Jackie Bryant, City Manager

FROM: Izabella Baumann, Senior Engagement Coordinator
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DEPT: Community Engagement and Services

SUBJECT: 2025 Older Americans Month

Older Americans Month (OAM) is a national celebration that honors the achievements and contributions of older adults. Throughout May, communities across the country organize events to recognize and involve their senior residents.

In Reno, these events are made possible by the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee and Reno Seniors EngAGED, supported by the Community Engagement and Services and Parks and Recreation departments. This year's theme is "Flip the Script on Aging." The following are the events planned for this May:

Senior Art Show

- **Date:** May 5 – June 13
- **Time:** 9am-4pm
- **Location:** McKinley Arts and Culture Center, 925 Riverside Drive
- **Host:** Reno Arts and Culture and Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Line Dancing

- **Date:** Every Monday
- **Time:** 1:30pm-3:30pm
- **Location:** Evelyn Mount Northeast Center, 1301 Valley Road
- **Host:** Reno Seniors EngAGED, Community Engagement and Services Department

Information Fair

- **Date:** May 1

- **Time:** 10am-1pm
- **Location:** Washoe County Senior Center, 1155 E 9th Street
- **Host:** City of Reno and Washoe County Senior Services

Senior Art Show Reception

- **Date:** May 8
- **Time:** 5pm-7pm
- **Location:** McKinley Arts and Culture Center, 925 Riverside Drive
- **Host:** Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Ice Cream Social

- **Date:** May 8
- **Time:** 11am-1pm
- **Location:** Paradise Park Activity Center, 2745 Elementary Drive
- **Host:** Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Ice Cream Social

- **Date:** May 15
- **Time:** 11am-1pm
- **Location:** Dorothy McAlinden Park, 14000 Stead Boulevard
- **Host:** Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Ice Cream Social

- **Date:** May 22
- **Time:** 11am-1pm
- **Location:** Neil Road Recreation Center, 3925 Neil Road
- **Host:** Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

The ice cream socials offer complimentary paper shredding services to help prevent fraud, recognizing that the senior community remains particularly vulnerable to this crime.

Art Appreciation Day

- **Date:** May 14
- **Time:** 10:30am-12:30pm
- **Location:** Evelyn Mount Northeast Community Center, 1301 Valley Road
- **Host:** Reno Arts and Culture, Senior Citizen Advisory Committee, and Sierra Arts Foundation

Downsizing Seminar

- **Date:** May 23
- **Time:** 1pm-2pm
- **Location:** Sierra View Library, 4001 South Virginia Street
- **Host:** Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Stuff-a-Bus

- **Date:** May 23
- **Time:** 1pm-6pm
- **Location:** Sparks Target
- **Host:** Washoe County Senior Services and Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

Adaptive Cycling Center Day

- **Date:** May 28
- **Time:** 8am-12pm
- **Location:** 6800 Pembroke Drive
- **Host:** Reno Adaptive Recreation Division

Scam Jam – Fraud Prevention Fair

- **Date:** May 28
- **Time:** 11am-1pm
- **Location:** McKinley Arts and Culture Center, 925 Riverside Drives
- **Host:** City of Reno and AARP

Annual Sock Hop

- **Date:** May 30
- **Time:** 1:30pm-3:30pm
- **Location:** Washoe County Senior Center, 1155 E 9th Street
- **Host:** Washoe County Senior Services and City of Reno

OAM Parks and Recreation Activities

Sit & Fit

- **Dates:** May 7, May 14, May 21, May 28
- **Time:** 9am -10am
- **Location:** Paradise Park Activity Center, 2745 Elementary Drive

Chair Yoga

- **Date:** May 12
- **Time:** 11am-12pm
- **Location:** Paradise Park Activity Center, 2745 Elementary Drive

Tai Chi

- **Date:** May 15
- **Time:** 10am-11am
- **Location:** Neil Road Recreation Center, 3925 Neil Road

Bunco

- **Date:** May 15
- **Time:** 2pm
- **Location:** Paradise Park Activity Center, 2745 Elementary Drive

Pickleball Fest

- **Date:** May 23
- **Time:** 9am-12pm
- **Location:** Plumas Gym, 475 Monroe Street

Attachment

- 2025 Older Americans Month Calendar

May 2025

Older Americans Month

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Locations Evelyn Mount Northeast Community Center (EMNECC) - 1301 Valley Rd. McKinley Arts and Culture Center (MACC) - 925 Riverside Dr. Neil Road Recreation Center (NRRC) - 3925 Neil Rd. Teglia's Paradise Park Activity Center (TPPAC) - 2745 Elementary Dr. Washoe County Senior Center (WCSC) - 1155 E. 9th St.		Senior Art Show May 5-June 3 MACC		1 Information Fair 10am-1pm WCSC	2	3
4	5 Line Dancing 1:30-3:30pm EMNECC	6	7 Sit & Fit 9-10am TPPAC	8 Ice Cream Social 11am-1pm TPPAC	9	10
11 Sit & Fit 9-10am TPPAC Chair Yoga 11am-12pm TPPAC Poetry Group 1-2pm WCSC Line Dancing 1:30-3:30pm EMNECC	12	13 Senior Citizen Advisory Committee (SCAC) 2pm MACC	14 Sit & Fit 9-10am TPPAC Art Appreciation Day 10:30am-12:30pm EMNECC	15 Tai Chi 10-11am NRRC Ice Cream Social 11am-1pm Dorothy McAlinden Park - 14000 Stead Blvd. Bunco 12pm TPPAC	16	17
18	19 Line Dancing 1:30-3:30pm EMNECC	20	21 Budget-Friendly Cooking Class 11am-2pm Elks Lodge - 597 Kumle Ln.	22 Ice Cream Social 11am-1pm NRRC	23 Pickleball Fest 9am-12pm Plumas Gym - 475 Monroe St. Downsizing Seminar 1-2pm Sierra View Library at the Reno Town Mall - 4001 S. Virginia St. Stuff-A-Bus 1-6pm Sparks Target	24
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28 Sit & Fit 9-10am TPPAC Adaptive Cycling Center Day 8am-12pm 6800 Pembroke Dr.	29 'Scam Jam' Fraud Prevention Fair 11am-1pm MACC	30 Sock Hop 1:30-3:30pm WCSC	31

All events shown are FREE to participate in for Seniors (55+)

