



The Oak Leaf

The Monthly Newsletter of Olivedale Senior Center

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HAPPY Holidays

Christmas at Olivedale

It's time to jingle your bells and deck the halls to celebrate Christmas at Olivedale **Friday, December 12 at 2:00p**. We will once again play Music Bingo brought to us by Fairhope Hospice. Prizes will be sponsored again by Tim Byers, Edward Jones. A holiday dessert will hit the right notes sponsored by Frank E Smith Funeral Home. So RSVP for this free member event by 4:00p December 11th. You bring the holiday cheer and we'll bring the cocoa and reindeer!



New Year's Eve, Eve dance w/ Johnny Garber

Olivedale is turning up the tunes and turning back the clock—just a little—at its annual New Year's Eve, Eve Dance on **Tuesday, December 30**. The celebration kicks off with the kitchen opening at **6:00p**, followed by dancing at **7:00p** featuring music from crowd favorite DJ Johnny Garber. Admission of **\$6** includes festive party hats or horns, tasty snacks, and a sparkling 10:00p toast to welcome the New Year a day early. It's the perfect way to



celebrate with friends, fun, and flair—without staying up past midnight!

Bottoms Up Giving Tree

In support of Bottoms Up, a non-profit dedicated to providing fresh, clean diapers to families in need with a goal to promote good health and hygiene for children, we are asking members to donate from now until Christmas, diapers, baby wipes or cash to purchase those items to assist moms and their babies. Please bring your donated items to place under our Giving Tree. Let's show how generous Olivedale members really are.



Bottoms Up
DIAPER BANK



AARP Tax-Aides Wanted

Have great math skills? Like to work with numbers and assist others? Consider being a volunteer Tax-Aide. For more information or to register to volunteer, go to the Tax-Aide website aarpfoundation.org/TaxaideVolunteer or call 1-888-227-7667. Locally, Prospective Volunteer Specialist Judy Gardiner can be reached at ohio2taxaide@gmail.com to answer questions.



OUR MISSION

To provide an atmosphere for friendships and feeling of connection with others for senior citizens of the community, learning through educational and recreational opportunities, promote wellness and social activities that encourage service to the senior center and entire community.

Park Events Olivedale Park



Mondays 5:30p Line Dance Class. All ages (accompanied by an adult) held at Olivedale \$4 /class.

Alley Park

12/10/2025 Wise Walkers Senior Hiking Group 9-11a Mambourg Park

12/11/2025 thru 12/14/2025

6-8p Winterlights

A FREE outdoor event held at Alley Park for 4 nights.

Thousands of lights, festive music, bonfires, and

concessions make it a winter experience for all ages.

12/2/2025 6-7:30p FREE

Winterlights Photography

Workshop. Bundle up, bring a camera or phone and a small tripod!

Community Building

(632 Fifth Ave.)

Starts 1/6/26—2/24/26

Tuesday - Shuffleboard

Beginners 9a - 10a

Intermediate 10:15a - 11:15a

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2nd Tuesday Lunch

Celebrate Christmas with lunch on

Tuesday,

December 9. The menu includes: Sliced ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, salad, roll with butter and coconut cake for dessert (coffee or iced tea included). served from **11:30a—12:30p.** All for the price of **\$8.00!**

Pre-register by Friday,

December 5. Open to all Olivedale Senior members.



Shuffleboard

Coming to the Lancaster Parks Community Building starting **Tuesday mornings January 6th-February 24th.**

Beginners play 9:00a—10:00a and Intermediate 10:15a—11:15a. Thanks to a generous donation from Rod South, an avid shuffleboard enthusiast, Lancaster Parks was able to purchase two shuffleboards—bringing this fun and engaging game to our community for everyone to enjoy. Olivedale Senior members can use their membership to play shuffleboard at the Community Building. Registration is required and is now open on the [Lancasteroh.myrec.com](https://lanasteroh.myrec.com) portal or see the office to register.



No Breakfast on December 11th

Silver Spoon Thursdays

8:00a—10:00a

Please pay cashier for ticket. Open to the public.

#1 Waffle, sausage or bacon, 1 juice serving, and coffee/tea



#2 Biscuits & Gravy, 1 juice serving, and coffee/tea



\$6



ABOUT US

Olivedale Senior Center is a part of Lancaster Parks & Recreation

Steve Gayfield, *Superintendent of Parks*
Carla Young, *Park Supervisor*

The elected Board of Directors represent the members of Olivedale. They welcome questions and comments from all members. Please feel free to approach any of the listed Directors to express your concerns or write them down and leave them at the office. If you are not sure how to get in touch with a board member, please ask the front desk.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Meets every 3rd Wednesday at 11:00am.
Meetings are open to all members.

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BELL CHOIR

Bell Choir practice on **Wednesdays at 9:00a.** If interested in joining Bell Choir, please contact Joyce Snyder at 740-653-4464.



BIBLE STUDY

Join the Bible Study group on **Wednesdays at 9:45a.** New members welcome for fellowship.



THE "BOOKIES"

Bookies: Christmas Classics Double Feature: Join us **December 16 at 1:00p** to discuss your choice of one or both short

holiday classics! 'The Best Christmas Pageant Ever' (Barbara Robinson, 1972): The church's 75-year tradition is hijacked when the six notorious, cigar-smoking Herdman kids crash the auditions and take all the starring roles, despite never having heard the Christmas story! 'The Adventure of the Blue Carbuncle' (Sir Arthur Conan Doyle): Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson solve the mystery of a large, stolen blue gem, found inside a Christmas goose during breakfast! (The only Christmastide Holmes story). Order your copies (Not a kit title) at Fairfield Library. INFO: Call Barb Ramsey at 740-653-3897.



COFFEE CLUB

Join us at **9:00a on Friday, December 5** to discuss the economy and other investment topics. Contact Luann Snyder at 740-653-2308 for questions.



COIN CLUB

The Coin Club meets the **1st Tuesday** of each month at **3:00p.** Members meet to discuss coin grading, coin values and to buy, sell and trade collectable coins. We are looking for a new group leader for the Coin Club.

If you are interested please call the office at 740-687-6655.



MILITARY VETERANS OF OLIVEDALE

We will meet **December 1st at 1300.** We will not have a 2nd

★★★★★ meeting in December, instead the Commanders Treat will take place at a time and place to be determined later. A big **"THANK YOU"** to the donors and buyers who made our November Silent Auction a success. We will NOT meet in January and February. The first meeting of 2026 will be March 2nd. "Thank You" Olivedale Senior Center, Fairhope Hospice, Friendly Bremen Bank, Tim Byers/Edward Jones, Noon Rotary, Nancy's Scoops, and the Senior Hub for the Veterans Lunch. **Merry Christmas and Happy New Year** to everyone! All Military veterans who are members of Olivedale are welcome to attend our meetings. For information, call Bill Reed at **740-624-3604.** You can leave a voice message or send a text. Check us out at militaryveteransofolivedale.com.



RAMBLING DESIGNERS GARDEN CLUB

The Rambling Designers will meet **Tuesday, December 2 at 12:00p** at Olivedale for our Christmas Luncheon. Any questions or if you need more information call Mike at 740-438-0603.



THE SOMETIMERS

The Sometimers will meet at Primrose Retirement Community for the annual Christmas luncheon on **Friday, December 12, at noon.** A delicious lunch will be provided by Primrose. Following lunch, there will be plenty of fun and fellowship among our sisterhood friends. Also, if you would like to participate in the gift exchange, please limit it to \$15.00. Reservations are due to Bobbie Wentz by Monday, December 8.



ARTIST HOUR

Join us **Mondays at 1:00p** to create and discuss art. Benefit from our members sharing demonstrations of techniques, use of materials and tools of art. All levels and any medium welcome.



CHAIR DANCING CLASS

Embrace the rhythm and flow of dance without the need to stand. This chair dancing class is tailored for those who have mobility, hip and knee issues or find it a challenge to stand for long periods while dancing. This class promises a fun, energetic start to your **Friday mornings at 9:00a**. Class is free!



CLOGGING CLASS

Clogging Class is every **Monday at 10:00a**. Cost is **\$2.00** per class. Beginners can receive extra help one hour before class at **9:00a**. Clogging is uniquely American incorporating Step, Jig and Rhythms made with the toe or heel. It's great exercise.



COUPLES DANCE CLASS

Class is **Fridays at 12:30p**. All skill levels welcome. This class will prepare you for social dancing at Olivedale. Fee is **\$5.00/person** per class collected by the instructors Dave and Diana. Attn: Gentlemen! We currently have a few ladies looking for a dance partner to attend class. It's time to unleash your inner "Fred Astaire"! No pre-registration needed.



HOOKS & NEEDLES

As a service project for 2025 we are making hats and scarves for the homeless. We have made over 45 hats, scarves and gloves so far and will continue making them through the end of the year. As always, if

you want to learn how to knit or crochet, if you need help with a pattern or if you just want to knit and crochet with friends come join us. We have experienced knitters and crocheters to help at any stage of your journey. We meet on **Mondays at 10:00a**.



LINE DANCE

Classes for Olivedale members, all experience levels. Fee is **\$3/person** or **\$5/couple**. Join us **Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00a** for beginners, or **11:00a** for more advanced dancers.



Neuromovement® Class

Join Becky Frank **every Friday at 10:00a** for a Neuromovement® class. Neuromovement® is a variation of slow, gentle movements to encourage the brain to improve the body-mind connection which may improve mobility, memory and overall well being. Class is **\$6/session** paid to Becky at the time of class.



QUILT CHARMS

As always, Olivedale Quilt Charms has been busy, most recently delivering several patriotic quilts to the Chillicothe VA Hospital. In December, we look forward to our annual Christmas Party on December 11th and our big Christmas giveaway day on December 18. On that day, we will distribute quilts and other gifts to area facilities that welcome our donations. If you'd like to learn more about quilting, please come and join us on **Thursdays at 9:00a**. We'd love to see you!



TATTING

Tatting meets every **Monday at 10:00a**. Try this delicate needlework art form. Lessons provided for beginners.

WATER CLASSES

4th Quarter Session. "All Inclusive" Pass and Registration required for pool classes.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7:00a	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Closed
8:00a	Silver Splash	Silver Splash	Silver Splash	Silver Splash	Silver Splash	Open Pool
9:00a	Aqua Challenge	Aqua Core	Aqua Challenge	Aqua Core	Aqua Challenge	Open Pool
10:00a	Light Aerobics	Arthritis	Light Aerobics	Arthritis	Light Aerobics	Open Pool
11:00a	Joints in Motion	Arthritis	Joints in Motion	Arthritis	Joints in Motion	Open Pool
12:00p	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Close at 2:00p
1:00p	Water Workout	Aqua Aerobics	Water Workout	Aqua Aerobics	Water Workout	Closed
2:00p	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Closed
3:00p	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Open Pool	Closed
4:00p	Lap Swim	Lap Swim	Lap Swim	Lap Swim	Closed	Closed
5:00p	Open Pool	Aqua Blast	Open Pool	Aqua Blast	Closed	Closed
6:00p	Aqua Fit	Aqua Fit	Aqua Fit	Aqua Fit	Closed	Closed

SilverSneaker Members: Remember to use the tablet to scan the square barcode from your SilverSneaker issued card. SilverSneakers requires the date stamp in the tablet when scanned. Please make an attempt to have your card at every visit. Keeping a picture saved on your phone works as well.

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WELLNESS CENTER ACTIVITIES

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HEALTH & FITNESS CENTER

HOURS:

Monday-Thursday
7:00am - 7:00pm

Friday
7:00am - 4:30pm

Saturday Hours

8:00am - 2:00pm
(excluding holiday weekends)



Lancaster Parks & Recreation
Health & Fitness Center


Go to <https://lancasteroh.myrec.com>, log into your account to purchase a Health & Fitness membership pass on-line.

1st Quarter 2026 Pool Registration

Registration for **Pool Classes** (Jan, Feb, Mar) starts **Monday, 12/22/25**. First day of the quarter is January 5. To register, log into the LPR portal, stop by the office or call (740-687-6655) speak to an employee. **Do Not** leave a message. **Registration with "All Inclusive" membership or Medicare Insurance reimbursement enrollment** is required for all pool classes.

FITNESS ROOM EXERCISE

Current 45- 55 minute classes Available—No Registration Necessary

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7:30a		Spin w/Amy		Spin w/Amy		
8:00a	Morning Spin	8:15a Suspended Strength	Morning Spin	8:15a Suspended Strength		
9:00a	<u>Chair Yoga</u> Strength & Flexibility	Strength & Flexibility	<u>Chair Yoga</u> Strength & Flexibility	Strength & Flexibility	Yoga Stretch	Zumba
10:00a	Rock Steady Boxing	Zumba Gold	Rock Steady Boxing	Zumba Gold		
10:15a	Silver Sneakers		Silver Sneakers		Silver Sneakers	
11:00a			11:05a Beginning Mat Yoga		Close at 4:30p	Close at 2:00p
5:00p	Barre Fit	Zumba - Plus	Pilates	Buti Yoga		
6:00p	<u>Yoga</u> Spin & Sculpt	<u>Yoga Stretch</u> Hanging Tough	Instructor's Choice	<u>Muscle Madness</u> Yoga		

LPR Health & Fitness Center

Monthly Membership Pass Options (*Member must have current Olivedale Senior Membership)

Membership Pass	Pass Details	30 days	60 days	90 days
*Olivedale Senior Basic (code required)	Gym only	\$10	\$20	\$30
*Olivedale Senior Basic Plus (code required)	Gym, Exercise & Open Pool	\$20	\$40	\$60
*Olivedale Senior All Inclusive (code required) (NOT FOR SilverSneakers/Renew Active/Silver&Fit members.)	Gym, Exercise, Open Pool & Pool Classes. See Pass Changes in Yellow			\$72
Basic	Gym only	\$12	\$24	\$36
Basic Plus	Gym, Exercise & Open Pool	\$22	\$44	\$66
All Inclusive (NOT FOR SilverSneakers/Renew Active/Silver&Fit members.)	Gym, Exercise, Open Pool & Pool Classes. See Pass Changes in Yellow			\$78

LPR Health & Fitness Center : Closed 12/24 12/25

Reminder: If you are taking a pool class you **MUST** be registered for classes. No exceptions.

DECEMBER 2025 CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 9:00a Woodcarvers 10:00a Tatting 10:00a Clogging 10:00a Hooks & Needles 1:00p Veterans Mtg. 1:00p Artists Hour 1:00p Rummikub 5:30p Line Dance	2 9:00a Ping Pong 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 12:00p Rambling Designs Christmas lunch 1:00p Dominos 1:00p Cards/Games 1:00p Euchre 3:00p Coin Club	3 9:00a Bell Choir 9:45a Bible Study 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 11:15a Lunch Bunch @ BW3's 1:00p Euchre	4 8:00a - 10:00a Silver Spoon 9:00a Quilt Charms 9:00a Ping Pong 1:00p Mahjong 1:00p Bingo 1:00p Cards/Games	5 Deadline Jan. Newsletter 9:00a Coffee Club 9:00a Woodcarvers 9:00a Chair Dancing 10:00a Neuromovement 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 12:30p Couple Dance	6 DANCE TONIGHT 7:00p - 10:00p TNT 
7	8 9:00a Woodcarvers 10:00a Tatting 10:00a Clogging 10:00a Hooks & Needles 1:00p Artists Hour 1:00p Rummikub 5:30p Line Dance 	9 9:00a Ping Pong 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 11:30a - 12:30p 2nd Tuesday 1:00p Dominos 1:00p Cards/Games 1:00p Euchre	10 9:15a Bell Choir at Arbors at Carroll 9:45a Bible Study 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 11:15a Lunch Bunch @ Scramblers 1:00p Euchre	11 NO Silver Spoon 9:00a Quilt Charms Christmas Breakfast 9:00a Ping Pong 1:00p Mahjong 1:00p Bingo 1:00p Cards/Games	12 9:00a Woodcarvers 9:00a Chair Dancing 10:00a Neuromovement 10:00a Beg. Line Dance 11:00a Adv. Line Dance 12:00p Sometimes @ Primrose 12:30p Couple Dance 2:00p Christmas at OD/Music Bingo 	13
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January NEWSLETTER REMINDER

Deadline Friday, December 5, 2025 Newsletter folding Monday, December 22.

LUNCH BUNCH

Dec 3 - 11:15a BW3's

Dec 10 - 11:15a Scramblers (Christmas Party)

Dec 17 - 11:15a Puerto De Vallarta (Baltimore)

Please call Kathy at 440-655-9416 to be added to the reservation list. For out of town lunches, call to carpool and meet in the Olivedale lower parking lot by 10:30a.

OLIVEDALE WOODCARVERS

The Woodcarvers meet every Monday & Friday at **9:00a**. On the first Monday of every month they will offer a free beginners carving class. If you have questions, please contact Steve at 740-331-3100, Jacque at 740-687-4729 or Ray at 740-438-9624.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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BINGO - THURSDAY 1:00P - \$1.50

Enjoy a variety of styles of bingo.

BRIDGE - TUESDAY

If you would like to join us at the bridge table on Tuesdays or if you need a refresher contact Marty at 740-777-7080 for details.

CARDS/GAMES - TUESDAY & THURSDAY 1:00P

Card tables will be available for any game of choice.

DOMINOS - TUESDAY 1:00P

AMERICAN & CHINESE MAHJONGG - THURSDAY 1:00P (ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME)

Nights are getting longer and days are getting colder. Come warm up with a game of Mah Jongg! Both American and Chinese versions are played Thursdays at 1:00 p.m. All skill levels are

welcome. For more information, contact Cathy at 740-652-0206.

PINOCHLE - TUESDAY & THURSDAY 1:00P

We are looking for players to join our Pinochle card group. If interested, please call the office at 740-687-6655.

PING PONG - TUESDAY & THURSDAY 9:00A

All experience levels welcome.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE - TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY AT 1:00P - \$1.50

No partner needed.

RUMMIKUB - MONDAY 1:00P

A tile-based game for 2 - 4 players, combining elements of the card game rummy and mahjong.

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Day Trips

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CHANGES AHEAD FOR 2026 DAY TRIPS

We're so grateful for your continued enthusiasm for our day trips. They've become a highlight for many of us! We want to share updates regarding the future planning and organizing of day trips starting in 2026.

The Challenge of Advance Planning: Imagine trying to book a popular venue months in advance without knowing how many people will join or having the funds to reserve. It is a bit like trying to guess how many seats to save at a dinner party before anyone RSVPs!

A big challenge with venues is advance reservations and deposits required often before our newsletter reaches you. This poses a significant challenge, of running the risk of covering the cost of unused tickets, which is not financially sustainable.

The Reality of Trip Costs:

We truly value your input! We recently reviewed the feedback from the survey in our August newsletter. We heard loud and clear that most members would like to keep the cost of a day trip between \$80 and \$100. While rising costs make it tough to keep trips under

\$100, we're committed to keeping them as affordable as possible and just as memorable.

Our New Approach for 2026:

To address both the strict reservation deadlines and the rising costs in 2026: By offering fewer trips with more lead time, we're giving everyone a better chance to plan, save, and enjoy each outing to the fullest. We appreciate your understanding and we can't wait to share the 2026 lineup with you. Fewer trips, yes, but each one packed with adventure and connection. Stay tuned!



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ALPINE SWISS VILLAGES & RAILS— 6/8/2026-6/16/2026 \$6099/person

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CANYON COUNTRY.....10/6/2026-10/23/2026 \$3,999/person

Scottsdale's luxury through the Grand Canyon's majesty, enjoying a stay at Lake Powell, and culminating in the vibrant lights of Las Vegas!

COMING SOON!



ICELAND! PRESENTATION MEETING 12/17/2025 11A



Come Dance with Us!

(Unless Otherwise Noted) OPEN TO THE PUBLIC (MUST BE 18 OR OLDER).
ADMISSION **\$5**. NO Carry-In Refreshments - Dinner Menu, Refreshments
and Drinks Available for Purchase. Doors Open 6:00p ~ Dance 7:00p—
10:00p. Change is limited. Please pay with smaller currency.
NO RESERVED TABLES. Tables are first come first serve.

Saturday, December 6

Round, Line & Square Dancing

*****TUESDAY*****
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coming activities. Matt, our
talented cook, has posted the
newest sign-up sheets on the
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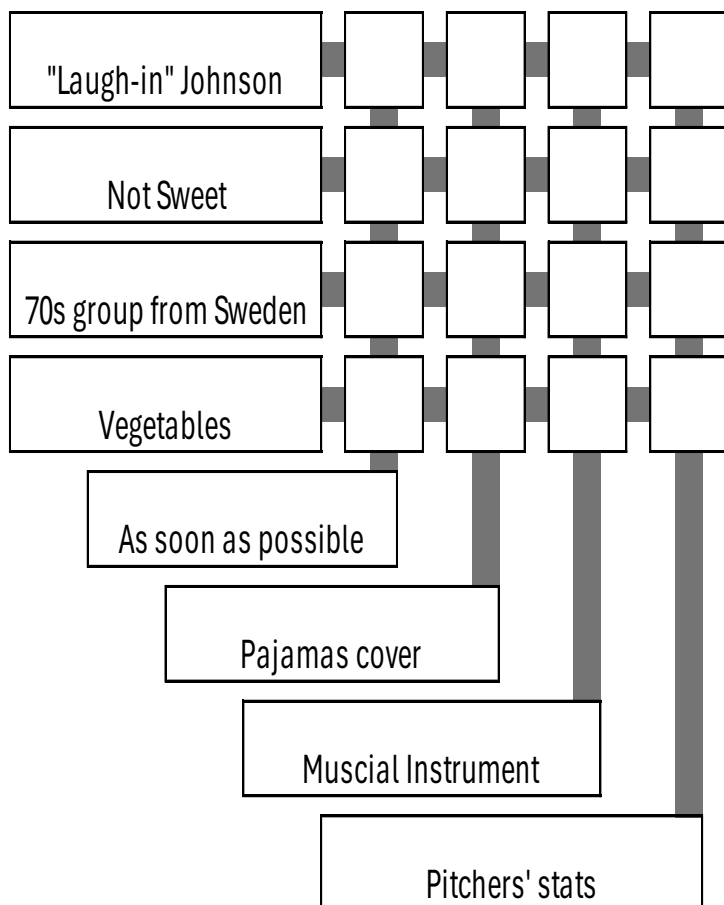
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