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December activities at the Estes Park Senior Center

The community is invited to participate in the holiday activities held in December at the Estes Park Senior Center, 220 Fourth Street. December is a great time to try any of the noon lunches offered at the Center's Fourth Street Café, all meals (except the Holiday Feast) are only \$5 during the month. Normally, non-member pricing is \$7 per meal, so consider inviting a friend for lunch someday soon. Call for reservations, 586-2996. The menus can be found on the website or at the Senior Center.

December starts off with a 100th birthday celebration for long-time resident and former Senior Center board member, Walt Richards. The party will be held on Friday, December 5 at noon at the Center. Call ahead to make lunch reservations (\$5) and plan on a wonderful celebration to honor Mr. Richards. The event will feature piano music by Michael Williams and the opportunity to sign a community card for Walt, plus enjoy lots of cake and ice cream!

The Center's annual holiday decorating party will be held that morning, Friday, December 5 at 9:00 a.m. This long-standing tradition is a great way to have holiday fun with friends, decorate the Senior Center and enjoy light refreshments. Drop in – no reservations needed.

On Tuesday, December 9 at 12:30 p.m., Cheryl Schutz will play traditional favorites on the piano for a casual get-together called, Christmas Caroling Fun. Drop in for the caroling, or call ahead for lunch reservation as well.

On Friday, December 12 at 1:00 p.m., the Center's annual White Elephant Gift Exchange will take place in the Front Room. This is a very competitive, silly and laughter-filled event enjoyed by many over the years. Look around the house for your most unusual, creative and gently used item; wrap it up and bring it to the Gift Exchange. Drop in – no reservations needed.

The Holiday Feast takes place on Tuesday, December 16 with tickets on sale December 1. Call a friend and plan to buy your advance tickets for only \$6.50 members or \$8.50 non-members. The menu will include prime rib and ham and a wonderful red velvet cake. Table service will be provided by Estes Valley Sunrise Rotary.

The December 17 trip to the Brown Palace Holiday High Tea and Tour is sold out with a waiting list. In January, the Center is sponsoring a trip to the National Western Stock Show to a ProRodeo and a private Behind the Scenes Tour on Thursday, January 22. Register now at the Senior Center.

For more information, please contact the Estes Park Senior Center at (970) 586-2996 or visit the Center at 220 Fourth Street, Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Please visit the Senior Center website at www.estes.org/seniorcenter. To receive Senior Center news in your e-mail inbox, please e-mail lmitchell@estes.org

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