November Calendar notes

On Thursday November 2nd we are showing the movie Rush Hour. Per request, we will be serving ice cream at 1:00 ahead of the film. Never really a bad time for ice cream.

Tech Tutoring returns to Harper on November 3rd and 17th at 4:00. If you have a device, any device like a Chromebook, iPad, tablet, cell phone of any variety and need assistance figuring out how to use it, give us a call at 413-458-8250. We have friends at Williams who willing to help you figure out how to use your device. Reservations are required, each session is limited to 10 individuals.

Chief Pedercini will be here on Friday November 3rd to talk about home fire safety. Cider donuts and apple cider as refreshments. Very important conversation folks.

A new addition to the monthly activity is the ancient Chinese game of Mahjongg. Our friend Brigita Fuhrmann is back and will be teaching both the Chinese and American versions of Mahjongg on Monday afternoons starting with November 6th, 1:00. We've had multiple requests for this game so now is your chance to learn to play. We have one set of each version available however we encourage you to bring your own set if you have one.

Our writing group, led by Rose Oliver is back in action at 1:00 on Wednesday afternoons starting on the 8th, this is a continuation of the series begun a couple months ago and not a new group.

On Tuesday the 14th at 1:45 Justin from Williamstown Commons will be here to check your blood pressure.

Thursday the 16th is Pie Swap Day! Bring a pie, share it with your neighbors' bringing pies. We'll provide some ice cream to make it a la mode...that's at 1:00.

Roger Tincknell will be here on Friday November 17th with a program titled "The Beatles and Beyond" and yup, he'll be playing hits from the 60's and 70's. So...get your Yeah, yeah, yeahs out at join us at 12:30 for a cookout and show at 1:00. Let us know if you'll be joining us for lunch! Menu TBD.

A special four-week series of Loss Support meetings will begin on Tuesday the 21st at 10:30. We're heading into a major holiday period and we want to be as supportive as we can of folks experiencing loss. All welcome and remember, loss of job, home, pet or relationships are still losses.

Our friend Kayla from Williamstown Commons will be leading a craft workshop featuring holiday themes at 1:00 on Tuesday the 21st. Participation is limited, there's a sign-up sheet in the main hall at Harper.

Bingo aficionados will note games are on Tuesdays this month due to other events happening and center closure on Fridays. Hey-Tuesdays are good and will reach a few people who can't play on Friday.

Brown Bag is on Monday the 20th moved due to Thanksgiving.

We're doing another speed SHINE session on the 28th at 12:00. Got insurance questions? Bring them. Reservations preferred!

The COA/Harper Center will be closed on Friday November 10th in observation of Veteran's Day, on Thanksgiving and on Friday the 24th, a Williamstown Municipal Holiday.

Happy Thanksgiving!