

## OWLS CLUB NEWSLETTER

*“Older Wiser Loving Seniors”*

FOURTH QUARTER 2011

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2011 Fourth Quarter

Meeting dates: October 6<sup>th</sup> and November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011. We meet at the Mayflower Restaurant on Celanese Road at 11:30am. Lunch is on your own. No registration is required. Our December meeting is our Christmas Party held at Boyd Hill Recreation Center on 12/1/2011.

We recently completed our Senior Sports Classic for the Rock Hill Area. We had a good turnout and loads of fun. The weather worked well for all of our events. Thanks to all who signed up to play and took part in the games. A special THANK YOU to Jerry Wright for all the hard work he did to see that our Health Fair went smoothly. He made phone calls, picked up material and laid out the tables for the event. Job well done Jerry! Thanks to all that helped with getting door prizes also. We appreciate the help.

You can continue with the sports activities at Boyd Hill Center on Monday's 9:30am till Noon. Open play for Table Tennis, Shuffleboard, Walking etc. Monday and Wednesday are available at this time. No fee is charged for these programs. Exercise classes are on Tuesday's, 9:30am. Registration is required and a fee of \$6.00 for six weeks. Corn Hole Toss League is on Tuesday, 10:15am. No fee and no registration is needed to join in the Corn Hole Toss fun. For more information about the exercise class you may contact either Garnet or Wendy at 329-5652. We have a Domino's group that meets on Monday afternoon at 1:30 pm at Boyd Hill Center. The Senior group also bowls each Thursday at Strikers Lanes at 9:00am. If interested just show up and let the group know you are interested in joining the fun.

As a reminder to all our "Cruisers".....a payment is due by the 15<sup>th</sup> of October and the final balance on the first of December. We will have a "get together" in January to meet our traveling friends and go over the final details.

At our November meeting we will have Detective Hanoka speak to us pertaining to the various scams that are taking place in our area as well as other parts of the country. This will be very beneficial information for all of us to help keep us in the loop as to what to look out for when we get phone calls and also some mail. Bring a friend if you would like.

Our Halloween party will be held at Boyd Hill Recreation Center, October 27<sup>th</sup> at noon. Bring a covered dish entrée and join in the fun. The fee for the party is \$2.00 payable when you register. Drinks and dessert will be furnished. Registration is now being taken and the deadline to register is October 18, 2011.

Unified Bowling has started and will be played each Friday until November 18, 2011. There will be no bowling on October 21<sup>st</sup> as the participants will be at another event. If you would like to come and watch the bowlers please feel free to do so. Maybe you could get a chance to help out in the future.

The Myrtle Beach trip is about full. If you are interested in going on this trip you need to sign up NOW. Rooms are limited. The fee for double occupancy is \$245.00 and includes: Motorcoach transportation, 2 nights lodging, including taxes and fees. Baggage handling, 2 full buffet breakfast, 2 dinners (One Seafood Buffet and One All-you-can-eat Buffet dinner at Magnolia's Restaurant.) Ticket to Ripley's Aquarium including the

Festival of Trees, Myrtle Beach's Holiday FantaSea Show at the Palace and Christmas on Ice at the Palace. Payment in full is required by October 15, 2011. Check for availability of rooms if interested. Date: November 28-30,2011.

I have reserved the enclosed shelter at Cherry Park for Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> for a "Fun Day". If you are interested in attending the fee is \$2.00 and a covered dish. We will provide drinks. You may bring your board games or just join in with the games that others may provide. We would also like to make a little "Friendship Bag" to distribute during the upcoming holidays. Material will be furnished and should not take much time to complete the bags. You may come to the "Fun Day" and just play the games and not help with the bags. That will be perfectly OK. I do need registration to be complete by November 2<sup>nd</sup>. This will be our final fun day for 2011.

The Christmas Party will be held at Boyd Hill Center, December 1<sup>st</sup>, at NOON. The fee is \$4.00 and a covered dish entrée. Registration is a MUST. We furnish drinks and dessert. Mr. John Chiappone will entertain us with song and humor. We will also have the Chinese Auction for those who want to take part. Please plan on joining in the fun and fellowship and not be in a rush to leave. 'Tis the Holiday Season.....Let's enjoy it. We will be collecting paper goods and personal hygiene products for the Safe Passage folks to help out with families in need if you would like to bring something to help those less fortunate at this time.

If you wish to register for any of the above listed programs or if you need more information please contact me at 329-5626. If I am away from my desk please leave a detailed message and I will get back to you. Fees are payable when registering. The address to mail is at the bottom of this letter. Please add "Attention Carolyn Snyder"

If you have friends that want our news and do not get our Newsletter tell them they can go to [www.rockhillrocks.com](http://www.rockhillrocks.com) and they will find a copy of it there along with other good information. If they prefer to receive a copy in the mail just give me a call. We will be renewing the membership fee for the Newsletter in January 2012.

Looking forward to seeing you at a Meeting, a program or maybe spending time with us on a trip.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT:

*Count your blessings, not your crosses*  
*Count your gains, not your losses*  
*Count your joys instead of your woes*  
*Count your friends instead of your foes*  
*Count your health, not your wealth.*  
*Old Proverb*

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