

# Social Activities for December 2017

# You're invited! Please call Sparkle to make a reservation (1-855-569-5462)

### Christmas Gift Wrapping Social. Friday, December 1, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Fareways.



LOWLINC Social Activities Committee Chair, Maureen Callahan, and Member Shirley Rowe will host a Christmas Gift Wrapping Party! Bring your presents to the Fareways and we will help you get them wrapped and ready for giving. LOWLINC Volunteers are welcome too. Bring your own supplies, or LOWLINC will provide them.

Don't have presents to wrap? No problem...come for the holiday cheer! We will be showing the movie "Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street", and there might be a Christmas treat or two to sample. We'll order lunch from the Fareways menu and have a chance to socialize.

Let Sparkle know you're coming and give her an idea of what you're bringing and whether you'll need boxes, so that we will have the supplies we need.

## Holiday Dinner at the Clubhouse. Thursday, December 7, 5:00 p.m.



Like last year, we will start the month of December and the holiday season with a festive dinner at the Clubhouse. The Garden Club once again will have the Clubhouse beautifully decorated, and we are thrilled to have such a beautiful venue for our holiday dinner. We would love to have you share a

favorite Christmas or holiday memory with us as we reflect on past holidays. We will celebrate how much LOWLINC has grown since last year, and look forward to the 2017 holiday season. What a great way to kick-off the holidays! Reserve with Sparkle by December 1.

Included in this flyer is the dinner menu for our evening. We have a selection of three entrees. When you call Sparkle to reserve, please give her your choice. If you've already reserved, call Sparkle to give her your selection. Let her know if you follow a special diet.

LOWLINC Holiday Get Together Wednesday, December 13 4:30 pm to 7:00 p.m. Community Center



The LOWLINC Board, and Volunteer and Social Committees invite you to a Holiday Get Together at the Community Center. There will be holiday music, finger foods, wine, and non-alcoholic punch. The music will be a high point of the evening as well as the opportunity to enjoy the company of LOWLINC friends. We hope you can join us for this fun event and wish you luck in winning one of the many door prizes. Please let Sparkle know by Friday, December 1 if you will be attending. In the spirit of the season, bring a non-perishable food item for the Wilderness Food Pantry if you wish.

## Rappahannock Choral Society Christmas Concert. Sunday, December 17, 3:00 p.m.



Like last year, we will attend the Christmas Concert performed by The Rappahannock Choral Society (RCS), an 80-voice, audition-only, regional chorus. The RCS will perform a variety of seasonal music that will include

beloved favorites, carols we've known since childhood, beautiful classical pieces, at least one humorous piece guaranteed to bring a smile and a laugh, and a few numbers that may be new to you. This popular free concert is held at Chancellor High School.

#### Looking Ahead to January 2018 – Mark Your Calendars!

**January 9. LOWLINC Speaker Series.** We are pleased to welcome back Katherine Charapich, Esq., who will conduct a class on the topics of Medical Power of Attorney and Advance Medical Directive. Even though most of us have these documents, it's prudent to have a periodic review of exactly what they cover and what they empower us to do.

**January 15.** Maureen's Pizza Party and Game Time. This event has proved to be so much fun that Maureen and her Social Activities Committee decided to schedule it every other month in 2018!

**January 24.** Evening of Music with Norm Allen. We're going back to Fareways to listen to Norm's music, have dinner and socialize.

**January 30.** Let's go to the movies! LOWLINC members will attend a movie matinee, movie to be determined as the date gets closer.



**Vision-Impaired Support Group. Tuesday, December 5 at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Center.** The group is intended for community members with impaired vision. It offers the opportunity to discuss common problems and solutions related to vision issues. For more information please contact Gail Sauro at 972-1629.

**Battery Change Program:** We "fell back" the clock at the beginning of November to go on Standard Time. This traditionally is the time to change those batteries in our smoke detectors and carbon monoxide monitors. If you would like for Rick's Handyman Team to change your batteries, contact Sparkle.

**Reminder: Medicare Open Enrollment Period Has Started:** Open enrollment for Medicare Part D (Prescription Plans) and Part C (Medicare Advantage) runs from October 15 to December 7.

The Virginia Insurance Counseling & Assistance Program and Rappahannock Rapidan Community Services have partnered to provide free one-on-one counseling to help you determine if your current plan(s) are the best ones for you. Call 540-825-3100 for an appointment.

**Storm Prep Handbook.** LOWLINC is pleased to enclose information on preparing for storms, provided by the Rappahannock Electric Cooperative. The information could come in handy as we enter the snow and ice season.