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MARCH NEWSLETTER

2026



UPCOMING EVENTS

Lunch & Dessert Sponsor's

March, 4th, 11:30 AM

Solstice at Lodi &**Home Helpers Home Care****Location: LOEL Senior Center****(during lunch)**

We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to both Solstice at Lodi & Home Helpers Home Care for generously sponsoring one of our lunches. Your support helps us continue providing warm meals and a welcoming space for our community. We truly appreciate your commitment to making a difference!



Mobile Farmer's Market

Stockton Emergency Food Bank**Location: LOEL Senior Center**

Stockton Emergency Food Bank visit's on the **2nd Wednesday** of every month at **10:30 AM**.

- Please remember to bring your own bags.



St. Patrick's Day

March, 17th, 11:30 AM**Location: LOEL Senior Center**

Wear green and come celebrate St. Patrick's Day with us! Strike a pose at our festive Photo Wall, tap your toes to classic Irish tunes, and enjoy a tasty Irish-inspired lunch with friends. It's sure to be a sham-rockin' good time at LOEL!

To join us for lunch, please call (209) 365-0572.

Reservations are needed!

(Reservations can be made starting March 9th)



AARP® TAX AIDE

**Location: LOEL Senior Center**

Appointments are required and can be made by calling 209-369-1591

You must come into the center to collect an envelope/packet which contains the forms required to be completed prior to your appointment plus other instructions. Clients without completed forms cannot be processed as we have limited availability. Your taxes will be completed on the same day as your appointment. No walk-ins!

Note: The appointments are filled on a first-come first-serve basis. We are only given a select amount of appointments, call to see if we still have appointments available.



**Thank you
for your generous support
during the 2025 holiday season.**

Thank you to everyone who donated and volunteered during the 2025 holiday season and throughout the year. As a local nonprofit, LOEL depends on the generosity of our community

to continue serving those who need us most. Your support makes a direct and meaningful difference in the lives of the individuals we serve. We are truly grateful for your kindness and belief in our mission.

*thanks
for your
support*

**DAYLIGHT SAVING
TIME BEGINS**



Saturday, March 8th, 2026

The "spring forward" in March causes a temporary loss of one hour of sleep. Don't forget to reset your clocks!

**Second Monday Bridge -
CANCELLED**

March 9th, 2026 & April 13th, 2026

Second Monday Bridge will be cancelled in the Months of March and April. We will be having AARP providing Tax Aide help and want to avoid any conflictions in our spacing of activities during this time period.

January Donations

- Amy Morita
- Andrea Violett
- Barbara Utting
- Bruce & Denise Chenneour
- Carmen Gomez
- Carolyn Hushour
- Denice Shigematsu
- Dr Ram & Radhika Rao
- Foothill Honey Farms
- Foster Lumber
- James Berreth
- Janet Devine
- Joan Mifsud
- Jodie Collins
- John Wolters
- John & Connie
- Lodi Fifty Plus Club
- Margaret Schneider
- Marianne Bahlke
- Marjorie Preszler
- Monica Shapiro
- Nancy Byer Hauan
- Omega Nu Sorority Alpha Delta Chapter
- Roberts Retirement Group
- Rosa C.
- Russell & Marjorie Young
- Sandra Schultz
- St Peter Lutheran Church
- Steven Paoletti
- Victoria Owens
- Virginia Houtsma
- Virginia Marion

Donation Made...

In memory of Shirley Metcalf
By: The Pearson Family



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MARCH ACTIVITIES



Hours Of Operation

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Phone Number: (209) 369-1591

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Exercise 8:30 Hand & Foot 9:00 Trump Whist 12:30 Mexican Train 12:30 Yoga 2:00	3 Exercise 8:30 Blood Pressure 9:00 Dup Bridge 12:30 *Bingo 1:00	4 Exercise 8:30 + Paralegal 9:30 Mah-Jongg 9:30 Pinochle 12:30 Tap Dance 12:30 *Tai Chi 2:00	5 Exercise 8:30 Poker 12:00 Pickleball 1:00	6 Knitting/Crochet (all levels) 9:00 Line Dancing Beg. 9:30 Adv. 10:30
9 Exercise 8:30 Hand & Foot 9:00 Bridge - CANCELLED 12:30 Trump Whist 12:30 Mexican Train 12:30 Yoga 2:00	10 Exercise 8:30 Blood Pressure 9:00 Dup Bridge 12:30 *Bunco 1:00	11 Exercise 8:30 Mah-Jongg 9:30 Mobile Farmers - Market 10:30 Pinochle 12:30 Bridge 12:30 *Tai Chi 2:00	12 Exercise 8:30 !Brain Builders 9:30 Poker 12:00 Pickleball 1:00	13 Knitting/Crochet (all levels) 9:00 Line Dancing Beg. 9:30 Adv. 10:30
16 Exercise 8:30 Hand & Foot 9:00 Trump Whist 12:30 Mexican Train 12:30 Yoga 2:00	17 Exercise 8:30 Blood Pressure 9:00 Dup Bridge 12:30 *Bingo 1:00 	18 Exercise 8:30 Mah-Jongg 9:30 Pinochle 12:30 Tap Dance 12:30 *Tai Chi 2:00	19 Exercise 8:30 Poker 12:00 Pickleball 1:00 Book Buddies 1:00	20 Knitting/Crochet (all levels) 9:00 Line Dancing Beg. 9:30 Adv. 10:30 (First Day of Spring!)
23 Exercise 8:30 Hand & Foot 9:00 Trump Whist 12:30 Mexican Train 12:30 Yoga 2:00	24 Exercise 8:30 Blood Pressure 9:00 Dup Bridge 12:30 *Bunco 1:00	25 Exercise 8:30 Mah-Jongg 9:30 Pinochle 12:30 Bridge 12:30 *Tai Chi 2:00	26 Exercise 8:30 !Brain Builders - CANCELLED 9:30 Poker 12:00 Pickleball 1:00	27 Knitting/Crochet (all levels) 9:00 Line Dancing Beg. 9:30 Adv. 10:30
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Calendar Key

* Fee associated with activity

Bingo \$10.00 (each pack) — Bunco \$5.00 per person — Tai-Chi \$6.00 per person

+ Sign Up Required

Paralegal — Brain Builders

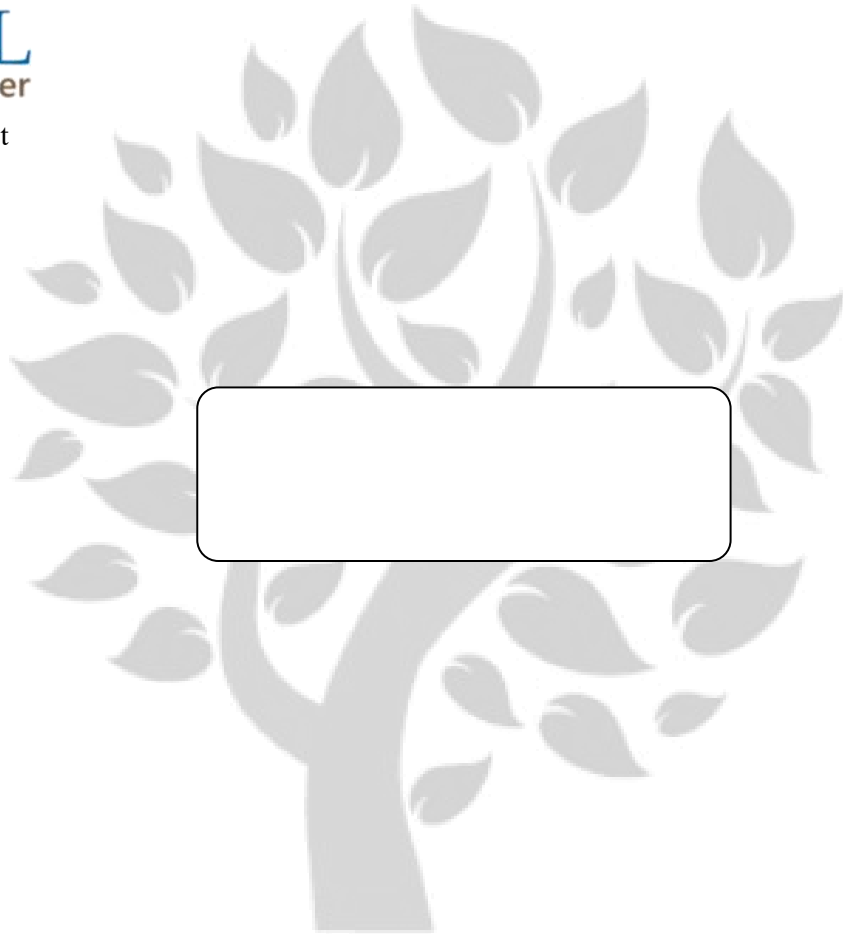
LOEL SENIOR CENTER STAFF: Janelle Wilkinson, Melissa Theam, Samantha Crum, Shelly Salas, Curtis Booher, Robin Hackler, Dawn Carvalho, Gonzalo Delgado, Anson Souza, Mike Twitty, Tina Mercer, Julia Parker



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SERVICES OFFERED AT LOEL

For more information or to set up an appointment, please call 209-369-1591

Meals on Wheels

This program is available for seniors 60 years or older, who live in the greater Lodi area and are homebound.

For more information call 209-365-0572

Paralegal Service

Paralegal services are available on the 1st Wednesday of each month.
By appointment only.

Brain Builders

This class is for seniors looking to build their brain skills and meets the 2nd & 4th Thursday each month. Sign-up required.

In-Touch Calling

A personal calling service that telephones seniors who live alone in the greater Lodi area.

HICAP

A personal calling service that telephones seniors who live alone in the greater Lodi area.

Fridays Frozen Meals

Stop by and purchase a frozen meal
12:00 noon - \$4.00 per meal (limit 4)
While supplies last.

Blood Pressure Checks

Tuesdays at 9:00 AM
Walk-ins are welcome.
