

#### **NOVEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER**

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### From the Executive Director, Felisa Durr

## **Support us on Amazon Smile!**

Are you an avid shopper on Amazon.com? If so, then there is a way you can help the Center. If you log on to smile.amazon.com with your regular Amazon login and set up our Center as your preferred non-profit, then the Center will receive a confidential small percentage donation from your purchase. We would like to thank those who have already selected us and we have been receiving notifications of your giving. This is a prime opportunity to encourage continued giving in this simple way. Please help us increase our funding from Amazon Smile.

### **Paid Drivers Wanted**

The Center is looking for reliable and experienced drivers with great driving records who will drive our Center's minibus or minivan to safely transport our blind and visually impaired patrons to and from programs and events. This is a paid position. If you are qualified and interested, please contact our office to apply.

# **Upcoming Events, Meetings, Fundraisers, and Holidays**

Wednesday, November 6th - Open House - Noon

Tuesday, November 12th – Board Meeting – 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 13th – Open House – 5:30 p.m. Saturday, November 16th – Jam Session – 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 20th – Open House - Noon

#### **Meal Menus for November**

November 6th – Open House – Noon – Tuna salad sandwiches, green bean salad, fruit salad, potato chips, lemon cake

November 13th – Open House – 5:30 p.m. – Thanksgiving meal with turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, rolls, pumpkin and cherry pie

November 16th – Jam Session – 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Philly steak sandwiches, potato chips, salad, dessert

November 20th – Open House – Noon – Club sandwiches, potato soup, apple sauce, dessert

No meal on the last Wednesday of the month – Have a Happy Thanksgiving!

Bingo and other games will be played at all Open Houses.

Reservations for patrons, volunteers, and guests need to be called in no later than noon on the Tuesday before the Open House and no later than noon on Thursday before the Jam Session.

### **November Birthdays**

November 3 – Patti Woodworth

November 7 – Elaine Ahten

November 8 – Angie Hillard November 13 – Mark Fagerburg

### **November Anniversaries**

November 4 – Dennis & Christina Jurewicz

# **Upcoming Event**

Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat
Join us on Thursday December 12th for this musical in its 29<sup>th</sup> year
at Eastlight Theatre. This story of Joseph and his brothers is told
with delightful music the entire family will enjoy. Please call the
Center (309) 637-3693 to RSVP by Wednesday November 13<sup>th</sup>.



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Free Matter for the Blind & Visually Impaired

Quote for the Month – "Appreciation can change a day, even change a life. Your willingness to put it into words is all that is necessary." – Margaret Cousins