



SARATOGA AREA SENIOR CENTER
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Dear Community Friends;

As we welcome Fall and this season of giving thanks, we reflect upon how fortunate we are to have been serving our community since 1979. SASCC's specialty is aiding older adults who continue to live at home, yet need that welcoming environment to rebuild or enhance their personal lives. Only through the generosity and support of our friends and neighbors are we able to make a difference.

We continue to learn about the economic challenges that many non-profits are experiencing. We find that we are facing the very big one: the loss of significant county funding that we have relied upon for so many years. Whether this funding will become available in the future remains indefinite.

We are approaching the turn of another year, and we reach out to you again to help us care for the older adults of our community. Our programs are supported by the fees, memberships, fundraising, grants, by yearly contributions and in-kind support from the City of Saratoga, and by your donations. Your financial support to our organization is vitally important as we strive to provide affordable programs and services to our local older adult population and their families. As the older adult population is expected to expand 40% by 2020, so will the needs for our services.

This year, we continue to expand our offerings in the **Senior Center**, reacting to the requests that we receive from our membership. We have launched new partnerships with local restaurants, with discount nights and luncheon catering, created a new Indian community gathering place, tripled our Yoga classes, added Languages, Meditation and so much more.

The **Adult Care Center** continues to deliver invaluable day services to less independent older adults at a cost significantly lower and more affordable than in-home care or assisted living. We offer much needed respite to families and caregivers, and have expanded our resource groups threefold.

SASCC is relying on you, our community members and partners to help fund the essential services and programs for older adults. Your support not only helps us to meet our current needs today, but additionally helps us to strengthen our foundation for tomorrow. Please complete a donation card today.

If you have given in the past, we thank you for remembering us and the people we serve.

Warm Regards,

Susan Huff
Executive Director

Thank you to all of our current Business Alliance Partners!



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- Donate to the Dorothy Scholarship Fund
- Volunteer at our center
- Become a Business Alliance Partner
- Using our Shredding Services, Shred-It

•Visit us on these websites:



LEGACY GIFTS are crucial in providing support for the Saratoga Senior Center's long-term financial stability and planning. We wish to gratefully acknowledge the Brunhilde Saunders estate and family for their extraordinary support of the Senior Center. Please consider including the Senior Center in your estate plan.

Because SASCC is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, gifts are tax deductible.