



# Amery Area Community Center

Newsletter for September & October 2025

Our next regular board meeting will be held on **Monday September 15<sup>th</sup>** at **1:00pm**. All members are welcome.

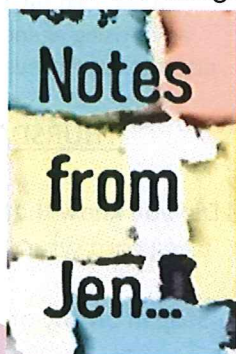


We will be **closed Monday September 1<sup>st</sup>** in observance of Labor Day!

**APPLES, APPLES, APPLES!!!** We will have an abundance of apples on our apple tree (but may need more depending on how many orders we get) this year so why not sell some apple pies!?!? **Apple Pie Sales start September 2<sup>nd</sup> until the 30<sup>th</sup> of September.** Stop in or call for more details! We are now looking for **pie ingredients (flour, sugar, cinnamon & butter) or Apple donations** from all those trees that you have! We are also looking for some volunteers to make pies when those orders come in! Please call if you can help the more the merrier!



Happy Fall!?!...Wait how did that happen? Summer sure did fly by this year! We sure have had our fair share of ups and downs this summer here at the Community Center! For those that are wondering; yes, we have moved into our new house; not it is not quite done, as you all know it is and will always be a work in progress but it is home and I truly am spoiled! I am looking for 5-10 people to ride on our float in the Fall Festival Parade this year; we have some fun things to throw out (including candy!) and get to honor Al one more time by riding with his group of tractors. Thank you to all of you that continue to support the work we do here! Our center would not be the center it is without all of you! There are many events happening in September and October at the Center! Take a look through this newsletter to see all the things taking place. There is something for everyone! Often



times they become white noise, but there is important information on all the flyers and signs I post throughout the Center! I have hidden leaves throughout the newsletter, (not including the calendar or the one in this paragraph) stop by the office with your guess and those that guess correctly will win a small prize from me! Also, can anyone name the bonus hidden object somewhere in the newsletter? Stay healthy and see you all soon! Happy Fall!

*Jen*

Do you volunteer around our community? Did you know that by telling us your volunteer hours it helps gain grant dollars by showing how active our members are? In **2023 we had 6568.5 volunteer hours!** WOW, thank you all for your donated hours around the community! I am positive there are more undocumented hours out there! Let's see if we can raise that number! Please, email [aaccjen@outlook.com](mailto:aaccjen@outlook.com), stop in, or call 715-268-6605. Thank you!

In order to conserve energy, we are keeping the second door in the entryway closed. If you need assistance navigating the door way; please give us a call before you leave home or knock on the door and someone will be happy to assist you.





Come visit  
with Jen!



## HOSPICE SUITE

### Open House

RIBBON CUTTING

THURSDAY, SEPT. 4TH

2:00 - 4:00PM

Ribbon Cutting at 2:30pm

220 SCHOLL CT.

AMERY WI, 54001

Golden Age Manor, in partnership with Adoray Home Health & Hospice, is proud to introduce a New Hospice Suite dedicated to providing compassionate end-of-life care in a serene and supportive environment. This space is comprised of a two-room suite, designed to offer a home-like environment where families can stay together during this important time. This event is open to the public.

Featuring Tours of the Hospice Suite  
& Golden Age Manor Community,  
and Local Resource Booths.

Refreshments  
generously  
sponsored by

**thrivent**  
Glen Hills Group



WEDNESDAY  
SEPTEMBER  
17TH

9:30AM

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COMMUNITY  
CENTER

EMILY  
SCHOMMER

## NAVIGATING HEALTHCARE RESOURCES

A Presentation On-

How to navigate healthcare



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715-441-9032



Join us  
on

Wednesday

September 24th at 1pm

for another fun class of learning how  
to paint a fall lane painting!

No painting skills needed!

Hurry to register!

At least 10 is needed or we will have to cancel the class  
Call 715-268-6605, email [aaccien@outlook.com](mailto:aaccien@outlook.com)  
or stop in the office to register.

\$25 per person to be paid at the class.

Registration ends September 17th.



**NATIONAL  
DAY**  
CALENDAR™

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 16TH IS NATIONAL CINNAMON  
RAISIN BREAD DAY!

Did you know that in bakeries across the country, we request  
cinnamon raisin bread more than any other bread?

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 30TH IS  
NATIONAL CHEWING GUM DAY!



Did you know that humans have used chewing gum for over 5,000  
years. They may have chewed it for enjoyment, to stave off  
hunger, or to freshen their breath much like we do today?



FRIDAY OCTOBER 8TH IS NATIONAL  
FLUFFERNUTTER DAY!

Where did the term "Fluffernutter" come from? Well, the  
advertising agency for Durkee-Mower created it in 1960 in an  
attempt to effectively market the peanut butter and marshmallow  
sandwich.

THURSDAY OCTOBER 30TH IS NATIONAL  
CANDY CORN DAY!

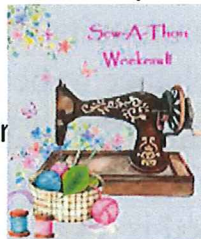


Did you know that The original confection was made by hand  
using corn syrup, sugar, water, marshmallows, fondant, and  
carnauba wax?

Stop in on any of these days for a tasty treat; while supplies  
last!



Our Fall Sew-A-Thon will be on **Thursday Sept 26<sup>th</sup>, Friday Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 8am-8pm and Saturday Sept 28<sup>th</sup> 8am-6pm.** Registration deadline is September 18<sup>th</sup>. Thursday and Friday are free to Members, new members pay \$20 for those two days and Saturday is \$35 for everyone, need not be a member to attend Saturday. All meals are on your own for Thursday & Friday. Saturday will entail a light brunch and a dinner. Please call 715-268-6605 for more details.



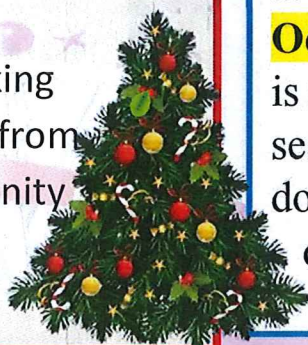
Our Annual Fall Scrap-A-Thon will be on **Friday October 3rd & Saturday October 4<sup>th</sup>.** Registration deadline is Wednesday September 24<sup>th</sup>. Friday is free to members, new members pay \$20 and Saturday is \$35, need not be a member to attend Saturday. Meals on Friday are on your own; many pot luck together. Saturday will entail a light brunch and a dinner. Please call 715-268-6605 for more details.

School is starting again! Mrs. Becker is looking forward to 16 new students this fall! That means I am looking for 16 new or returning pen pals that would like to be a pen pal with the students. Both men and women are welcome to participate. Please call or stop in the office to let us know that you would like to have a pen pal this year! We will gather the list as they get used to a new routine!



Dues are increasing to **\$25 per person for 2026** starting now; so, when you come in to renew them even in 2025 if you are paying for 2026; it will be \$25. Cash or check only please. Thank you for your continued support and please let me know if there are any new activities that we should bring to the Center.

Our Christmas Day dinner is fast approaching! I will be asking for cookie trays and desserts from you to share with the community at the Christmas Day dinner.



**Amery Area Community Center**  
Join Us at the Center of Activity!  
**Fundraising RUMMAGE SALE**  
**Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>**  
8am-6pm  
**Friday, September 5<sup>th</sup>**  
8am-6pm  
**Open to the Public**



Our local Reflexologist, Donna, is offering a bonus day of reflexology here at the Community Center on **Thursday October 30<sup>th</sup>** from 1:00pm-3:00pm. This is a great opportunity for you to try a mini session of reflexology for a free will donation. Call 715-268-6605, for more details.







AMERY AREA COMMUNITY CENTER

Join Us at the Center of Activity!

608 Harriman Ave S., Amery WI 54001  
715-268-6605 amerycommunitycenter.com

## Pancake Breakfast



All you  
can eat!

Open to the  
public!

### September, 14th

8:30-11:30

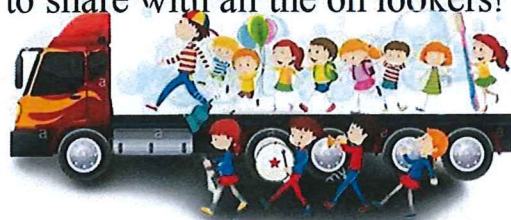
Also serving sausage, fruit, milk, coffee, & juice

**Free Will Offering**

**608 Harriman Ave S.**



The Community Center was Business of the Month during the year with the Amery Community Club. With that honor we also get a chance to be in the **Fall Festival parade on September 13<sup>th</sup>** this year! We already have a volunteer driver and trailer ready to go! All I need is **YOU!** I would love to have as many of our members ride with me & Terri! Call me at 715-268-6605- email me at [aaccjen@outlook.com](mailto:aaccjen@outlook.com) or stop in the office to sign up to join us! We will have some fun items to share with all the on lookers!



## Memory Café

This group is for caregivers and loved ones with dementia to attend together and enjoy activities, snacks, refreshments, and companionship.

First Wednesday of Every Month

12:30 - 2:00pm

Amery Community Center

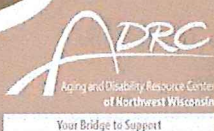
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Amery, WI 54001

**TO REGISTER:**

**Makenzie Gustafson**

**877-485-2372**



## Caregiver Support Group

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month

10:00am-11:30am

Amery Senior and Community Center

608 Harriman Ave S,

Amery, WI 54001

Please call 877-485-2372 to Register





# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to our September & October Members! **September:** Dan K, Janice M, Janet B, Kathy K, Barb S, Dona A, Kayla C, Mary F, Gary S, Carol P, Bob G, Sydney L, Betty T, Kristine D, Leslie M, Marriann S, Bob T-S, Susan P, Paula B, Orville L, Ruth T, Bonnie E, Dave N, Leann W, Juanita S, Wendell A, Sue S, Jon B, Sue A, & Barb W. **October:** Joe G, Sylvia S, Julie S, Bobbi C, Stuart S, Michelle S, Steve E, Bernie P, Denny P, Millie R, Kitty C, Pat K, Kristine K-H, Lois V, Bonnie W, Sandee K, Henry U, Karen S, Ross S, Carol S, Ed Z, Josh N, Mary B, Linda H, Ben K, Pat M, Michele O. & Beth P. Hope you all have a wonderful day! Please let us know if your name is spelled wrong or missing from this list. Thank you for understanding.

## Upcoming Events

- \*September 4-Adoray Hospice Suite Grand Opening
- \*September 4-5- Community Center Rummage Sale.
- \*September 12-14- Amery Fall Festival
- \*September 14-8:30-11:30 Community Center Pancake brunch
- \*September 15-1:00 Board of Directors Meeting
- \*September 17-9:30 Accent Care Education Class
- \*September 19 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Craft Day
- \*September 18-20- Sew-A-thon
- \*September 24 Painting with Lynsee
- \*October 3-4 Fall Scrap-A-Thon
- \*October 17- 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Craft Day
- \*October 31-8:00am-?? 5<sup>th</sup> Friday Craft Day
- \*November 1-12:00-2:00pm Mandala Rock Art Class



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## Thank You TO OUR DONORS

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Association. Inc

### Community Support

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CarlsonSV

### Thank You!

*A very special "Thank you" to those who have so generously given to the Amery Area Community Center. There are far too many to name you all, know that each of you are valued and we appreciate your support more than words can say! You are a blessing!*

### How can a Gift can keep on Giving!

*Stuck trying to figure out what to give someone for their birthday? How about an annual gift certificate for membership to the Amery Area Community Center? It's a great way for everyone to celebrate their special day! Gift Membership Certificates and memorial envelopes available in the office.*

I know that this never changes but I truly do believe this and appreciate all of you! I want to send out a sincere thank you to all those that have volunteered at the center, whether it is making coffee, helping out and organizing groups, mowing or weeding and taking care of our plants it does not go unnoticed!

*Thank  
you*



Volunteers use this slip to fill out your hours you volunteer around the community! Either at church, with another organization or even here at The Community Center!

**Amery Community Center Volunteer Hours**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Month: \_\_\_\_\_

Total monthly hours: \_\_\_\_\_



Would you like us to Acknowledge your upcoming anniversary in our next newsletter? If so let us know by stopping by, calling or emailing us with your date!

There were **8 stars** in the July and August Newsletter! Congratulations to Stan Heintz, Joann Larson, Randa Pierce, Jan Vickeny & Judy Swanson for finding all of them! I will let you know when I have a fabulous prize ready for you!



***Amery Area Community Center***

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# PIE FUNDRAISER

*Pre-Order your take & bake Dutch  
Apple Pie by September 30<sup>th</sup>.*



*We will call you when  
your pie is ready to be  
picked up.*

*Cash or check only, please.*

*Proceeds to the building  
operating fund.*



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