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News

January 2012

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(The Volunteer Fair will no longer be held.)



Theme: "Our Volunteers Make Magic"



All registered and active RSVP volunteers and selected honored individuals are invited to be our guests at the luncheon for no charge.



In order to attend the luncheon at no charge, new volunteers must be registered with RSVP by March 9, 2012.

Call in your mandatory reservation by March 21, 2012, 4 p.m. Seating is limited.

If a registered and active RSVP volunteer wishes to bring a guest who is not registered, or if someone new would like to attend the luncheon, the cost is **\$18 payable in advance.**

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Newsletter Setup

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HATS OFF TO YOU ...

- ☆ **Bill Mitchell and Mary Jo Johnson** for joining our board of directors in November. Welcome, Bill and Mary Jo.
- ☆ **First Presbyterian Church** for donating the use of their fellowship room for our Holiday Party.
- ☆ **Fruita Thrift Shop volunteers** for all they do in the community. Their hard work creates funds that are donated back to the community, including generously supporting RSVP every month, which helps us immensely.
- ☆ **SHIP volunteers D'Ann Fuquay, Carol Mesaros, Ron Bladow, Joan Hoeffler, Della Mottram, Bob Noble, Brad Reist, Linda Rodriguez and Jean Waid** for the completion of a very successful Medicare Open Enrollment Period.
- ☆ **Mildred and Clayton Dause and Betty Weseman** for being the greeters for our Open Enrollment Events.
- ☆ **Colorado Document Security** for donating their services to securely shred our documents on a regular basis.
- ☆ **Callahan Edfast Mortuary and Mike and Nikki Blackburn** for again agreeing to be the Platinum Title Sponsor for our upcoming Volunteer Appreciation Event in March 2012.



Agency Spotlight

By Ruth McCrea, RSVP Volunteer Manager

Welcome Two New Member Agencies

RSVP recently welcomed two new Member Agencies. In late September, we added the **Town of Palisade**, whose goal is to "create a healthier, happier community." The Palisade Parks and Recreation Department has already requested volunteer help with their after school program, so if you live in Palisade, contact RSVP for more information. The Town of Palisade will need volunteers for special events, monthly field trips and future events as they develop.

In late October, WCTAC / ATP/ UC (**Western Colorado Technical Assistance Center, Assistive Technology Partners, University of Colorado**) joined RSVP. Their primary mission is "to build local capacity for assistive technology (AT) devices and services." When WESTAC brought the Accessible Home Exhibit to the Grand Valley last year, RSVP One-Time Project volunteers helped assemble and staff this event. RSVP plans to help the next time the Exhibit is in Grand Junction.

RSVP looks forward to offering new and different volunteer opportunities with the addition of these agencies. Call 243-9839 for more information to see what is available.

Welcome New RSVP Volunteers

Through December 14, 2011

Terri Banyard
 J. Michael Corbett
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 Ann Ferrin
 Lilia Hansen
 Sandy Harding
 Barbara Hightower
 June Hitchcock
 Patty Kelly
 Delores King
 Rick Kivch
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 Gaila Perran
 Connie Rose
 Thomas Shoaf
 John Thompson
 Clark Wingate



Calendar of Events

January

Turn in Your December Timesheets

- 1 New Year's Day 
- 2 RSVP Office Closed
- 10 Medicare 101 — 10 to Noon
- 12 New Board Orientation — 11 to 1 pm
- 16 MLK Day — RSVP Closed 
- 18 RSVP Board Meeting 12 Noon

Senior Scholar Project News

by Marsha Kearns, Project Manager

All 48 of the RSVP Senior Scholars have settled into their placements, and teachers in 20 schools are glad to have them. From September through November 2011, Senior Scholars amassed an amazing 1,387 hours of tutoring. You can only imagine what improvement their students have made in that time!

Great news! **Jeanne Fox**, RSVP volunteer and Senior Scholar, has agreed to be the SSP Ambassador. She will be going into the schools, surveying teachers about their Senior Scholar experience, taking photos of tutors and kids, and getting to know the school administration. Thank you, Jeanne.

SSP received incredible donations from **United Way, the Daniels Fund, Wells Fargo, and the Kiwanis Club**. Without this community support, the Senior Scholar Program would not exist. Thank you, donors extraordinaire!

Most of all, thanks to the Senior Scholars who contribute their patience, love for learning, and lifetime of experience to the children in our schools.

Learn how to be a school volunteer and make a lasting difference in a child's life! Call RSVP at 243-9839 to sign up for the 2012 training.


February

Turn in Your January Timesheets

- 1 AARP Tax Aide Services Begin
- 8 Medicare 101 — 10 to Noon 
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 14 Handyman Breakfast — 9 a.m.
- 15 RSVP Board Meeting 12 Noon
- 20 President's Day — RSVP Closed
- 22 Volunteer Educational Seminar
 For more information see Page 5.

March

Turn in Your February Timesheets

- 7 Medicare 101 — 10 a.m. 
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 21 RSVP Board Meeting — 12 Noon
- 23 Volunteer Recognition Luncheon
 (See front page for details)

Are You New to Medicare?

Are you just now eligible for Medicare and confused about your choices? Learn about Medicare by attending a Medicare 101 educational session put on by the Senior Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP).

The January, February and March meetings will be from 10 a.m. to Noon at the RSVP office in the basement of US Bank Building, 422 White Ave. Those dates are January 10, February 8 and March 7.

SHIP will hold monthly Medicare 101 educational sessions aimed at NEW Medicare beneficiaries on an ongoing basis.

Seating is limited. Call 243-9839 by January 6, 2012 to reserve your spot.

Volunteer Opportunities

Here are several current opportunities:

Customer Service for Habitat for Humanity
ReStore

Cooks for Homeward Bound Homeless Shelter

After School Program Assistants for the Town of Palisade, Parks & Recreation

Office Volunteer for Grand Junction Musical Arts

Drivers and Dining Site Servers for Gray Gourmet, especially a driver to deliver food from Grand Junction to the Collbran dining site once per week (incl. mileage reimbursement)

Bookstore Volunteers and Literacy Center Tutors – a continuing need at Mesa County Public Library

Food Pantry Specialist at Grand Valley Catholic Outreach

Multitude of opportunities at St. Mary's Hospital

Many more opportunities are available. Just call 243-9839 for more information.

Volunteer Spotlight

By Ruth McCrea, RSVP Volunteer Manger

Tips for Successful Volunteer Resolutions in the New Year

Making New Year's resolutions is an American tradition. Why? The New Year offers a chance to start with a clean slate and a fresh start. However, studies show only 12% of the 40-45% of resolution-makers are successful. Still, people continue to make resolutions. Those same studies state that even though resolutions sometimes fail in the follow-through, continuing to make resolutions shows that people have hope and a level of belief that they can change and/or make a difference.

It's not easy living up to your good intentions with some of the more popular resolutions, such as improved health, weight loss, stop smoking, or "become happier." Consider adding one resolution you can stick with: **volunteer more!**

Use the following success tips:

1. **Set a goal with personal meaning** (men are 22% more likely to succeed when they set a goal).
2. **Make your goals public and ask for support** (women are 10% more successful when they make their goals public and have the support of their friends).
3. **Consider volunteering as an exchange rather than something you do for those less fortunate than yourself** (we all need help at some point in our lives, and you may be on the receiving end of someone else's volunteer efforts in the future).
4. **Make an impact in your own community while learning something new** (the results of your volunteer efforts will be evident both personally and publicly).
5. **Learn to appreciate what you have** (exposure to people facing real hardships may make you realize things are not so bad after all).
6. **Have fun while making new friends** (contact RSVP to provide motivation, encouragement and help in finding new volunteer opportunities).

We look forward to helping all our wonderful RSVP members succeed in their volunteer resolutions.

Thanks for all you do!

SHIP News

(Senior Health Insurance Assistance Program)
By Ruth McCrea, Project Manager

The October 15 – December 7, 2011, Medicare Enrollment Period is now over!

For the fourth year in a row, SHIP navigators are to be commended for their patience, dedication, and willingness to help beneficiaries understand their Medicare health and prescription drug options. The RSVP SHIP offered four, all-day walk-in enrollment events during this period, in addition to what they do daily.

What SHIP navigators do is offer telephone help during normal RSVP work hours. They research and resolve complex Medicare issues, perform basic drug-plan searches, and help consumers learn about Medicare-covered services and changes.

A major change for 2012 will be noticed in the Medicare Part B premium deducted from Social Security checks. As a general rule, everyone will pay \$99.90 for Part B rather than the various rate levels formerly determined by year of eligibility. Only individuals who have an income of more than \$85,000 will pay an increased amount. Ask a SHIP navigator for more information.

Continuing in 2012 is the Medicare Advantage (MA) Disenrollment Period introduced in 2011. **Between January 1 and February 14, beneficiaries can leave their MA plan and switch to Original Medicare.** Whether or not the beneficiary's MA plan included prescription drug coverage, beneficiaries can use this period to return to Original Medicare and pick up a stand-alone Part D drug plan.

Still confused? SHIP navigators are available by appointment only. Call RSVP at 243-9839 to be connected to the RSVP SHIP office.

"Here's to a new year and another chance to get it right."

Oprah Winfrey

MSMP News

Money Saving Medicare Project
by Marsha Kearns, Project Manager

Senior Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) Navigators went the extra mile during Medicare Annual Enrollment last year. They helped clients through the maze of health plan and drug plan choices, as always. But they also checked to see if clients would be eligible for either of the MSMP extra help programs available to help pay Medicare health and drug costs.

During the 7 weeks of open enrollment, MSMP screened 30 clients, enrolled 20 in LIS, and enrolled 14 in MSP. LIS is extra help from Social Security to pay Part D prescription drug costs. MSP is extra help from Mesa County DHS to pay for insurance premiums, deductibles, and copays.

If you are single and your income is less than \$1,381, call us. If you are married and your income is less than \$1,858, call us. We may be able to help you save money on your Medicare costs. These programs are not limited to the annual enrollment period. New income and asset limits will be set sometime in February, and they will likely be higher, so more people may be eligible for extra help.

To volunteer or to refer someone in need of our help, call Marsha Kearns at 243-9839 at Mesa County RSVP.

2012 RSVP Educational Series

For 2012, we have educational seminars of interest to seniors here at RSVP. These are held every other month on the fourth Wednesday of each month beginning February 22, 2012, from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

The first seminar will be: ***"Changes in the Tax Laws and How They Will Affect You."***

Dates for the other seminars will be:
April 25, June 27, August 22 & October 25
(none December 2012)

Check www.rsvpgrandjunction.org for details about upcoming seminars.
Space is limited. Please reserve your seat now by calling 243-9839!

Food for Thought

**"Those who can, do.
Those who can do more,
volunteer."**
~Author Unknown

**"Volunteers don't get paid, not
because they're worthless, but
because they're priceless."**
~Sherry Anderson

**"No one is more cherished in this
world than someone who lightens
the burden of another. Thank you."**
~Author Unknown

"Volunteers are love in motion!"
~Author Unknown

**"The only people with whom you
should try to get even are those
who have helped you."**
~John E. Southard

**"Act as if what you do makes a
difference. It does."**
~William James

**"Nobody can do everything, but
everyone can do something."**
~Author Unknown

**"We cannot live only for
ourselves. A thousand fibers
connect us with our fellow men."**
~Herman Melville

**"Real charity doesn't care if it's tax-
deductible or not."**
~Dan Bennett

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- ♥ Use your card every time you shop at City Market.
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- ♥ Please register **all new cards** with RSVP.
- ♥ City Market or King Soopers/Sooper Cards can be registered for RSVP.
- ♥ Fuel Center purchases DO count for RSVP.

**City Market Cares has donated a total of \$6,896.56 to
RSVP since April 2001! THANK YOU!!!**

**Make an Easy, Painless Donation to RSVP.
Fill this out, mail it to RSVP, and use your
card when shopping at City Market.**



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Name: _____	Value Card Number _____
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Address: _____ Telephone(____) _____

City, State and Zip : _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Handyman Project News

by Marsha Kearns, Project Manager

BIG thanks! The Handyman Project received very generous grants from community supporters **Xcel Energy, Wells Fargo, and United Way.**

We don't buy materials for our clients, and our Handymen work for free. So where does the money from our wonderful donors go? We use it to support our Handyman volunteers. A storage clipboard box for their paperwork, important forms, donation envelopes, mileage reimbursement, replacement tools and accessories, and volunteer insurance are among their RSVP benefits.

If you would like to be a Handyman volunteer or if you know a limited-income senior or a person with a disability who needs minor home improvement help, **call us at 243-9839!** Volunteers work wonders for deserving people for whom a simple change makes a huge difference in their homes and lives.

PICTURE YOURSELF

By Aleta Ballard

If you would like to have your picture updated or if you would like to be included in future slide shows, please call 243-9839 and we will be happy to take your picture. We can do this at our office or where you volunteer. Having the pictures taken where you volunteer would be fun if you are working at something visual.

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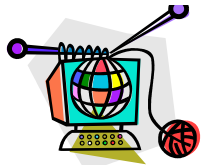
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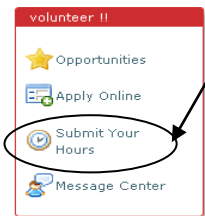
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- **The RSVP website is your gateway to volunteerism.** You can get new timesheets, enter your hours, apply to be a member volunteer, find current volunteer opportunities, and find about our services from our website at www.rsvpgrandjunction.org
- **By turning in your timesheets or entering your time online, you help us keep or get grant funding.** Our organization is funded primarily through grants (83%). We are required to have documentation of our volunteers' hours to show to our grantors.
- **If you are a One-Time Project volunteer,** please sign the timesheet we have provided to the agency. If you do not see the timesheet, please ask them for it. If you want mileage reimbursement for travel to and from your One-Time Project, sign the agency One-Time Timesheet **and** add the job to your Mileage Reimbursement Timesheet. Have the agency representative sign both forms.



- You can now **enter your volunteer time via the Internet** through our RSVP website at www.rsvpgrandjunction.org. On the front page of our website find this box (with a red outline), click on “**Submit Your Hours.**” Call us at 243-9839 and we will help you get set up.

- **Remember, Mileage Reimbursement recipients cannot submit their hours online.** We require a signed reimbursement timesheet submitted monthly as usual and we pay quarterly.



Good News! Mileage Reimbursement Is Back!

- **Thanks to a grant from AV Hunter Trust, we are again able to offer mileage reimbursement** to registered and active RSVP volunteers who need a little financial assistance to cover the cost of driving to and from the volunteer site. We are also raising the per mile reimbursement rate from \$0.27 to \$0.37 per mile with a maximum monthly reimbursement of \$20, paid quarterly.
- **If you are already signed up for Mileage Reimbursement,** you are already eligible. Anyone who is new to the program needs to complete the RSVP Mileage Reimbursement Program Application Form that is available online. Mileage Reimbursement forms are also available from the RSVP office.

ATTENTION: TAXPAYER FREE TAX PREPARATION February 1 to April 15, 2012

- AARP Tax Aide volunteers, with the assistance of RSVP volunteers, are gearing up for their Tax Aide Program. Preparers are all certified and ready to prepare your 2011 CO and Federal tax returns AT ABSOLUTELY NO COST TO YOU for taxpayers of all ages. AARP membership is NOT required. First come, first served.

The five (5) locations are:

- **US Bank Downtown, Lower Level - 4th and Grand Ave.**
(Starts Wed. Feb. 1st)
 - Monday through Wednesday — 9 am to 3 pm
- **GJ Senior Center, 550 Ouray Ave.** **(Starts Fri. Feb. 3rd)**
 - Fridays — 12:30 to 3:30 pm
 - Saturdays — 8:45 to 11:45 am
- **Wells Fargo Bank, 2808 North Ave.** **(Starts Tue. Feb. 7th)**
 - Tuesdays & Thursdays — 9:30 am to 12:30 pm
- **Fruita Alpine Bank, 125 No. Park Square, Fruita**
(Starts Wed. Feb. 1st)
 - Wednesdays & Fridays — 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
- **Clifton Community Center, 126 Second Street, Clifton**
(Starts Tues. Feb. 7th)
 - Tuesdays & Thursdays — 9:00 am to 12:00 p.m.

Taxpayers should bring the following documents:

1. Social security card or an accurate record of taxpayer identification numbers for all individuals involved
2. Driver's license or state ID card
3. All income documents — W2s and 1099s
4. For direct deposit of refunds, a voided check with account and routing numbers
5. A copy of last year's return could be helpful
6. During the first two weeks of February there may be a long wait