



Summit Sentinel

Monthly Newsletter

May 2026 Edition



**Defiance County
SENIOR SERVICES**

Summit 60 Social Center & Senior Services Headquarters

140 E. Broadway St.
Defiance, OH 43512
Phone: 419-782-3233
Monday—Friday
7:00am—3:00pm

Summit 60 Social Center of Hicksville

708 E. High St.
Hicksville, OH 43526
Phone: 419-769-8046
Monday, Wednesday & Friday
9:00am—2:00pm

2026

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Special Events & Trips with Summit 60

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Cinco De Mayo Lunch

Tues. May 5th | 11:30am

Summit 60 - Defiance | \$3 Suggested

Come on in for lunch at the Defiance Center for an afternoon of Cinco De Mayo Fun!

Mother's Day Tea

Fri. May 8th | 11:00am

Summit 60 - Defiance | Free

See to the left for more information!

Mystery Lunch

Tues. May 12th | 10:00am

??????? | \$5 Transportation

Lets take the arguments of going out to eat away as we travel to this month's myster lunch!

Toenail Clinic

Wed. May 13th | 9:00am - 12:00pm

Summit 60 - Defiance | \$10

Appointments made at both centers!

2026 Senior Gala

Fri. May 15th | 5:00pm

Defiance Eagles | \$25 Tickets

See page 6 for more details!

Senior Nite Out

Tues. May 19th | \$5 Transportation

Swanton, OH | 4:00pm

Join us as we head over to Mail Pouch in Swanton for some great food nd great friends!

Leave For Detroit Tigers Game

Thurs. May 21st | 10:00am (Lottery Only)

Movie Day

Tues. May 26th | 8:45am

Sponsored by Kingsbury Place

Join friends for a movie, popcorn and pop at Phoenix Theater in Defiance. The 1st 24 people signed up are free, only \$12 for anyone after.

Grand Rapids Trip

Thurs. May 28th | 9:00am

Grand Rapids, OH | \$15 Tickets and Bus

Lets spend a day with a canal ride shopping and lunch!



How to make Trip & Event Reservations

We love seeing all of you excited for our events and trips! To best serve everyone fairly, we have set up the following guidelines:

1- Reservations can only be made after 9am on the 1st Monday of the month. Unless another date is noted in the newsletter

2- We are only accepting in person reservations at both centers with no more than 2 tickets per person at a time.

3- Non-refundable fee/ticket must be paid in order to reserve a spot.

If you are driving yourself, you must still make your reservations with us, as we can only accommodate a set amount.

Thank you for your understanding & lets have some fun!!

SUMMIT 60
Social Center

MOTHER'S DAY

Tea Party

FREE

FRIDAY MAY 8TH - 11:00AM

Thank you to our Partners:
Glennpark, Legacy Living, Vancrest of Hicksville, Laurels,
Kingsbury Place and Brookview Care Center.

We want your ideas!

We have a lot more ideas for activities, trips and events in the works, but we want to know what you want! If you have any suggestions, please stop in for a chat or give us a call today at 419-782-3233!

How do brand-new spring flowers greet each other?

“Hey, bud!”



S Word Twist
Play Ball!

The letters in these words are all twisted up. To play, unscramble the letters to reveal the correct words.
Hint: Each puzzle has a common theme!

tba _____
llba _____
tmti _____
ehtpcir _____
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 **Exercise Classes**

Cardio Drumming (Video Class)

9:00AM & 10:00am Mon. & Wed. | FREE
9:00am Fri. | FREE

Tai Chi (Video Class)

11:00am Tue & Fri. | FREE

Zumba Gold (Instructed Class)

11:00am Tue. & Thurs. | FREE

Chair Yoga Vitality (Video Class)

8:45am Tue. & Thurs. | FREE

Afternoon Yoga (Instructed Class)


3:00pm Tue. & Thurs. | \$45 Monthly
(Waitlist Only)

Line Dancing (Instructed Class)

3:00pm Wed. May 13th | FREE

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Senior Gala 2026 - One Short Day in Emerald City

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SENIOR SERVICES



SUMMIT 60
Social Center

ONE SHORT DAY IN EMERALD CITY

Senior Gala 2026

Friday May 15, 2026

5:00pm

Eagles of Defiance

TICKETS: \$25

We cordially invite our friends 60 years & better to
enjoy an evening of food, fun & friends in Emerald City!

Menu Includes:

BBQ Ribs, Smoked Chicken,
Pulled Pork, Baked Beans, Coleslaw,
Cornbread, Desserts & drinks.

Cash Bar Available!

Entertainment By:



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Summit 60 Social Center of Hicksville Activities

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Birthday Day 1
<p>KEY: Green: Trip or Event Red: Theme Day! Blue: Activities with a low cost to them!</p>				9AM - Coffee & Cards 10AM - Chair Yoga 11AM - Board games 12PM - Birthday Day 1PM - Virtual Rality Museum Tour: The Vatican
4	Center Closed 5	6	Center Closed 7	Center Closed 8
9AM - Skip-Bo & Rummy 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Cozy Coloring 11AM - Blood Pressures 1PM - Cinco De Bingo!		9AM - Pinball 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Skip-Bo 1PM - Board Games		9AM - Mother's Day Tea at the Defiance Center 1PM - Bus to the Hicksville Beautification Plant Sale
11	Center Closed 12	Apple Pie Day 13	Center Closed 14	Center Closed 15
9AM - Skip-Bo & Rummy 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Mother's Day Celebration 1PM - Bingo with Vancrest of Hicksville		9AM - Pinball 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Skip-Bo 1PM - Apple Pie Judging		2026 Senior Gala at the Eagles of Defiance 5pm
18	Center Closed 19	Honeybee Day 20	Center Closed 21	22
9AM - Skip-Bo & Rummy 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Cozy Coloring 11AM - Blood Pressures 1PM - Cornhole		9AM - Pinball 10AM - Puzzles 11AM - Skip-Bo 1PM - All About Bees		9AM - Coffee & Cards 10AM - Creative Crafts 11AM - Shuffleboard 1PM - Penny Pitch
Center Closed 25	Center Closed 26	Senior Health & Fitness Day 27	Center Closed 28	29
		9AM - Pinball 10AM - Skipbo 11AM - CENTER CLOSED: Going to Froggy Park!		9AM - Coffee & Cards 10AM - Chair Yoga 11AM - Board Games 1PM - Memory Lane: May Scrapbooking Session

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Transportation

We offer transportation to doctors appointments, haircuts, medication pick-ups and more to anyone in Defiance County 60+!

Suggested donation is only 50¢ a mile!

**Please note we do not turn away anyone who cannot afford the donation.*

We also offer transportation to and from Summit 60 Social Centers in Defiance & Hicksville!

Give us a call and schedule today at 419-782-3233!

Commodity Box Distribution

40lbs of Shelf Stable food &
A 2lb Block of Cheese!

Wednesday, May 27th

Summit 60 - Defiance:
1:00pm-2:30pm

Summit 60 of Hicksville:
12:30pm-2:00pm

This is a FREE program!
First come, first serve.

For an application please contact
Sue at 419-782-3233!

DCSS

**140 E. Broadway St
Defiance, OH 43512
Attn: Sue Weller**

Please no pets at pick up, Thank you!



No Meals on Wheels Deliveries

The Defiance & Hicksville centers will be closed & we will not be delivering Meals on Wheels on the following date:

**Friday, May 15th
Monday, May 25th**

In preparation of our annual Senior Gala and in observance of Memorial Day. We will resume normal operations the following business days.



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Purchase our 20 for \$50 Meal Deal Coupons & make each meal only \$2.50!

Please note that no patron, 60 years or better will be denied meals due to inability to pay.



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Need to cancel your meal? Have an appointment run over? Spur of the moment trip or just not going to be home today? Please give us a call as soon as possible so we can let your driver know you won't be home!

If you're interested in receiving our Meals on Wheels please give us a call at 419-782-3233.



Make a reservation today!

Lunch is served:

Summit 60 of Defiance
11:30am - 12:30pm, Mon - Fri

Summit 60 of Hicksville
12:00pm, Mon, Wed, & Fri

To best serve you, please call in no later than 8:00am the day of to help us accommodate all of our patrons!

Make a reservation in person or by calling us at 419-782-3233!

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Home Delivered Meals 419 782-3321

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

Serving Sizes
 Entree, Meat & Casseroles – 3oz./8oz
 Vegetable, Fruit, & Dessert – ½ cup
 Bread/Bread Alternate – 1slice or 2oz.
 Milk – 8oz. served with every meal

Menu is subject to change based upon product availability

1 Pork Chop
 Scalloped Potatoes
 Tossed Salad
 Cinnamon Applesauce
 Birthday Cake
 Wheat Bread

4 Stuffed Pasta Shells
 Harvard Beets
 Steamed Cabbage
 Apple
 Bread Stick

5 Beef Tacos
 Spanish Rice
 Refried Beans
 Apricots

6 Chicken Fettuccini
 Green Beans
 Peaches and Pears
 Orange Juice
 Garlic Bread

7 Hamburger Gravy
 Mashed Potatoes
 Wax Beans
 Fruit Cocktail
 Wheat Bread

8 Salisbury Steak
 Mashed Potatoes
 Brussels Sprouts
 Ambrosia Salad
 Wheat Bread

11 Sloppy Joe
 String Cheese
 Peas and Pearl Onions
 Cole Slaw
 Blueberry Crisp

12 Ham
 Au gratin Potatoes
 California Blend Vegetables
 Grape Juice
 Wheat Bread

13 Country Fried Steak
 Mashed Potatoes
 Red Beets
 Tropical Fruit
 Wheat Bread

14 Cheese Omelet
 Hash Browns
 Sausage Links
 V8 Juice
 Baked Apples
 Banana Nut Muffin

15 **No Meal Delivery Center Closed**

18 BBQ Pork
 Green Beans
 Oven Fries
 Fruit Cocktail

19 Chicken and Noodles
 Mixed Vegetables
 Glazed Carrots
 Banana
 Dinner Roll

20 Beef Stew
 Apple Crisp
 Tossed Salad
 Biscuit

21 Spaghetti and Meatballs
 Broccoli
 Cauliflower
 Mandarin Oranges
 Garlic Bread

22 Beef Tips
 Mushroom Gravy
 Red Skin Potatoes
 Corn
 Raisins
 Wheat Bread

25 **Closed For Memorial Day**

26 Chicken Strips
 Oven Fries
 3 Bean Salad
 Cherry Crisp
 Wheat Bread

27 Baked Fish
 Rice Pilaf
 Grapes
 Peas
 Ambrosia Salad
 Wheat Bread

28 Cheeseburger
 Baked Beans
 Oven Fries
 Apricots

29 Sweet and Sour Chicken
 Oriental Vegetables
 Steamed Cabbage
 Crisins
 Wheat Bread

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Home delivered meals must be consumed within 30 minutes of delivery or refrigerated and reheated at 350 degrees for 15 minutes

The following major food allergens may be used as ingredients:

Milk, Egg, Fish, Crustacean Shellfish Tree nuts, Peanuts, Wheat, Soy, Sesame

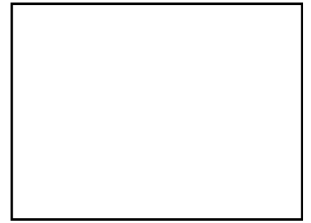
To cancel a meal, or inquire about ingredients, please call Ginny 419 782-3321



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We are here for you, give us a call today!

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