



JANUARY EASTON SENIOR CENTER NEWS

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Easton Senior Citizen's Center is an intellectual, educational, cultural and social center for adults of all ages, but especially for retirees, seniors, and physically challenged adults. Its purpose is to enrich the town and surrounding communities and to provide assistance to individuals and communities in need.

SERVICES

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The Center will be closed Monday, January 1 (2024 New Year) and Monday, January 15th (MLK Day)

I would like to take this time to thank each and every member of the Easton Senior Center family for their wonderful support during 2023. In spite of so much "doom and gloom" in certain parts of the world, I live in hope that all of us will be able to look forward to peace, good health, and inspiration in 2024. As many of you probably already know The Buckley family tended the wedding of the first one of our 8 grandchildren. It was a wonderful occasion which has made me think about so many different moments of happiness that we have experienced in the past years. My most important thought at this moment is that I can wish you the very best of everything in the coming months, and that the Easton Senior Center will remain a place of comfort and a special sanctuary for those in need. During my family wedding I was asked to choose a special reading for the bride and groom, in doing so I found a wonderful poem called "The Hopeless Romantic:" by an English Poet Cammie Dennis. My suggestion is that if you are feeling sad, lonely, nostalgic or in need of comfort you choose a person, a time, a place that was one of your best experiences of your life and then read the poem that I have enclosed for you. This should certainly make you feel great and that life is always worth living. Now take the time to register for a program at the Senior Center for the new year. That will make you more inspired.

The Hopeless Romantic by Cammie Dennis

I hope our love never grows old

I hope that fifty years down the road

You are still the face I see

When I wake for the day

On a cold Monday morning

I hope you are the last person I see

After one too many drinks

And I hope your laugh

Is the soundtrack to all of my stories

I hope your body is always beside me

And I hope my life is spent loving

The only one that could ever find me

-I hope that every day of the rest of our lives are spent loving each other

Cause not a single thing in this world could ever convince me to love another,

And I hope that the love growing between us two is nurtured by all of the days I will spend loving you

Fondly, Val

*the staff members & volunteers want to wish you a Healthy & Happy New Year!