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APRIL 2026 EVENT & PROGRAM CALENDAR

Auburn Senior Community Center /48 Pettengill Park Rd
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
■ = Auburn Recreation Program Ages 50+ (Jody) jcollins@auburnmaine.gov				♦ = Age-Friendly Committee Event ⌘ = 1 st Auburn Senior Citizens Meeting φ = New Auburn Seniors Meeting ◆ = Robin Dow Meeting The above programs are independent of Rec Programs		
			1 ⌘ = 1 st Auburn Senior Citizens Meeting	2 ■ Ken's Place / Len Libby's Shuttle 11am ■ Chair Yoga 1:30pm ■ Adult Craft Night 5:30pm	3 ■ Drop-In Day 9-12 ■ Sunshine Club 10am ■ Diamond Art Flower Cards 11am	4
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19	20 HOLIDAY - No Recreation Programs ■ Yoga with Emma 6pm	21 ■ Crafting with Nancy 1pm ■ Yoga For Balance 4pm	22 ◆ = Robin Dow Meeting ■ Get Out! Nature Walk 1:15pm	23 ■ Diamond Art Hello Spring Frame 10am ■ Our Town at Portland Stage 12:45pm ■ Chair Yoga 1:30pm ■ Adult Craft Night 5:30pm	24 ■ Drop-In Day 9-12 ■ Book Club 10am	25
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Date	Time	Cost	Description
Wednesday, April 1	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual dues	1st Auburn Meeting/Bingo. Doors open at 9:00 AM. Bingo is price per card, starts about noon. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather. (this includes remote learning)
Thursday, April 2	11:00 AM – 3:30 PM	\$3 \$5 non-residents	Ken's Place / Len Libby's in Scarborough Famous for seafood since 1927! After we will head on over to get our sweet tooth fix at Len Libby Candies - Home of the Life Size Chocolate Moose! Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.
Thursday, April 2	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	\$12.00 drop-in fee	Chair Yoga - Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair for support and stability through standing and seated poses. *Drop-In Fee is \$12.00: Minimum 4
Thursday, April 2	5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Free \$2.00 weekly non-res	Thursday Adult Craft Night 5:30pm – The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Min: 4 /Max: 20 Pre-registration required.
Friday, April 3	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Free \$1 non-residents	Drop-in Day - Cribbage, Mahjong, crafts – you name it! The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open with complimentary coffee, tea and plenty of games and puzzles, or you can bring your own. Come get together with friends or make new ones.
Friday, April 3	11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	Free	Sunshine Club – Do you want to bring a little sunshine to community members living in assisted living centers? Join this lively group who work together to make floral arrangements to be delivered to local long-term care facilities. Pre-registration required.
Friday, April 3	11:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Free	Diamond Art Flower Cards (Max 12) -Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to make a fun card. There will be different cards to decorate in diamond art, it will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 12. Pre-registration is required.
Monday, April 6	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual	New Auburn Seniors Meeting - Doors open at 9:00am with the meeting starting at 11:00am, Bingo to follow. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather (this includes remote learning)
Monday, April 6	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	\$12 \$15 non-res	Yoga with Emma - Join this gentle yoga class to experience the beautiful art of yoga and begin to become in tune with your body. Focusing on stretching and controlled breathing, this class can offer something for all ability levels.
Tuesday, April 7	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	\$12.00 drop-in fee	Yoga For Seniors: Balance - Join certified yoga instructor Emma Samson for this beginner-friendly class for seniors focusing on strength, mobility, and balance. Mindfulness and meditation throughout each class support stress-relief for participants. This class will involve the use of chair- and floor-based exercises, as well as standing poses, but the exercises can be adapted to meet the individual needs of each student. Min4/Maximum 15.
Wednesday, April 8	9:30 AM – 1:30 PM	\$16 \$18 non-res	Cabaret at Russell Hall USM Gorham Campus In a Berlin nightclub, as the 1920s draw to a close, a garish Master of Ceremonies welcomes the audience and assures them they will forget all their troubles at the Cabaret. With the Emcee's bawdy songs as wry commentary, Cabaret explores the dark, heady and tumultuous life of Berlin's natives and expatriates. Daring, provocative, and exuberantly entertaining, Cabaret explores essential and timely themes as the audience watches the joyful and beautiful world of Bohemian Berlin slowly yield to the emerging Third Reich. Content Advisory: Cabaret explores sensitive themes, including anti-Semitism, Nazi-ism, racism, homophobia, transphobia, sexism, abortion, and sexual content. This production includes depictions of domestic violence, physical violence, and Nazi and Holocaust imagery. Run Time: 2 hours, 45 minutes Show begins at 10:00 am (doors open at 9:30 am) and will end approximately at 12:30.
Wednesday, April 8	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual	Robin Dow Seniors - Doors open at 9:00am with Directors meeting at 10:30, and bingo. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather (this includes remote learning).
Wednesday, April 8	2:30 PM – 4:30 PM	Free	Diamond Art Bee Theme Cards (Max 12) -Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to make a fun card. There will be different cards to decorate in diamond art, it will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 12. Pre-registration is required.

Thursday, April 9	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	\$6.00	DIY Solar Light Decor (Max 13) Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to decorate really cute solar light decor items. Add your own special flourish to your spring and summer décor with this unfinished solar-powered LED light. Decorate this resin accent piece with either paint or acrylic paint pens to help illuminate your home for the season! There will be different ones to decorate. We will be drawing numbers the day of so you pick your item in that order. It will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 13. Pre-registration is required.
Thursday, April 9	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	\$12.00 drop- in fee	Chair Yoga - Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair for support and stability through standing and seated poses. *Drop-In Fee is \$12.00: Minimum 4
Thursday, April 9	5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Free \$2.00 weekly non-res	Thursday Adult Craft Night 5:30pm – The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Min: 4 /Max: 20 Pre-registration required.
Friday, April 10	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Free \$1 non- residents	Drop-in Day - Cribbage, Mahjong, crafts – you name it! The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open with complimentary coffee, tea and plenty of games and puzzles, or you can bring your own. Come get together with friends or make new ones.
Friday, April 10	10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Free	Tech Talk Friday – Have a technology question? A device you want to know more about? If so, this program is for you! Once a month, come chat with Izzy, Adult Services Manager at the Auburn Public Library. Pre-reg helpful
Friday, April 10	10:45 AM – 2:00 PM	\$16 \$18 non-res	Wabanaki Stories at Merrill Auditorium Co-Commissioned with Akomawt Educational Initiative & Portland Ovarations The land and waters known as Maine have been home to Wabanaki People for over 12,000 years. Returning for its third year as a School-Time Performance after demand from educators, this vibrant production of Wabanaki stories and music spotlights six Wabanaki artists coming from several different nations and traditions. Musician Tania Morey (Tobique) sings of the Wolastoq; Jennifer Pictou (Mi'kmaq) regales with spirit stories told in the company of a large puppet; Dwayne Tomah (Passamaquoddy) shares stories that showcase his native language, Passamaquoddy; Ashton Altvater aka Undeniable the Native (Passamaquoddy) delights with original rap and hip hop; and Jason Brown aka Firefly (Penobscot) electrifies with cutting-edge technology blended with ancient frequencies. Director, artist and author Chris Newell (Passamaquoddy) intersperses each with music and narration. Wabanaki Stories demonstrates the depth and breadth of Wabanaki storytelling and artistry. RUN TIME 60 minutes
Saturday, April 11	2:45 PM – 6:00 PM	\$13 \$5 non-res	Maine Spring Ring in Cumberland Join us as we head to Cumberland as the Handbell Musicians of America congregate for their annual Spring Ring. There will be around 100 to 120 ringers who are gathering for the day to rehearse a number of songs together and then conclude the day with a public concert. It will be held at the Greely Middle School Gymnasium in Cumberland and is scheduled to start at about 4 pm. It should last about an hour, possibly a few minutes longer. You should know that the seating is typical bleachers in a school gym (think of going to a basketball game), not in chairs. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.
Monday, April 13	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual	New Auburn Seniors Meeting - Doors open at 9:00am with the meeting starting at 11:00am, Bingo to follow. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather (this includes remote learning)
Monday, April 13	2:30 PM – 4:30 PM	Free	Diamond Art Cat Cards (Max 12) -Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to make a fun card. There will be different cards to decorate in diamond art, it will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 12. Pre-registration is required.
Monday, April 13	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	\$12 \$15 non-res	Yoga with Emma - Join this gentle yoga class to experience the beautiful art of yoga and begin to become in tune with your body. Focusing on stretching and controlled breathing, this class can offer something for all ability levels.
Tuesday, April 14	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	\$12.00 drop- in fee	Yoga For Seniors: Balance - Join certified yoga instructor Emma Samson for this beginner-friendly class for seniors focusing on strength, mobility, and balance. Mindfulness and meditation throughout each class support stress-relief for participants. This class will involve the use of chair- and floor-based exercises, as well as standing poses, but the exercises can be adapted to meet the individual needs of each student. Min4/Maximum 15.

Tuesday, April 14	5:30 PM – 6:30 PM	N/A	Age-Friendly Community Committee Meeting – Open to the Community
Wednesday, April 15	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual dues	1st Auburn Meeting/Bingo. Doors open at 9:00 AM. Bingo is price per card, starts about noon. Meefings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather. (this includes remote learning)
Wednesday, April 15	12:45 PM – 5:00 PM	\$36 \$38 non-res	Grand Horizons at Good Theater in Portland Maine Premiere Fifty years into her marriage to Bill, Nancy wants a divorce. While her husband seems unfazed by the decision, her two adult sons are shaken to the core, forced to reexamine everything they thought they knew about their parents' outwardly happy lives. As the family grapples with their new reality, each must reckon with their own imperfect past and how their love for each other might express itself in new and unlikely forms. Seating General Admission for all Main Stage shows. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.
Thursday, April 16	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Free	Diamond Art Spring Them Cards (Max 12) Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to make a fun card. There will be different cards to decorate in diamond art, it will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 12. Pre-registration is required.
Thursday, April 16	11:30 AM – 3:00 PM	\$3 \$5 non-res	Mystery Lunch Shuttle for April Let lunch be a surprise! Sign up for the social aspect and for the thrill of not knowing where the bus will take you. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14
Thursday, April 16	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	\$12.00 drop-in fee	Chair Yoga - Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair for support and stability through standing and seated poses. *Drop-In Fee is \$12.00: Minimum 4
Thursday, April 16	5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Free \$2.00 weekly non-res	Thursday Adult Craft Night 5:30pm – The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Min: 4 /Max: 20 Pre-registration required.
Friday, April 17	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Free \$1 non-residents	Drop-in Day - Cribbage, Mahjong, crafts – you name it! The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open with complimentary coffee, tea and plenty of games and puzzles, or you can bring your own. Come get together with friends or make new ones.
Friday, April 17	10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Free	Card Crafting with Corinne – April 2026 - This is an onsite (Auburn Senior Community Center) Hand-made card making workshop. All materials will be provided by the Senior Center. The theme (Ladies Cards)and paper Easter basket. Feel free to bring your own card crafting supplies if you have them. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 15
Friday, April 17	11:30 AM – 2:00 PM	\$3 \$5 non-res	Walk: Paper Mill Trail in Lisbon The Paper Mill Trail is a multi-use path along the Sabattus River close to its confluence with the Androscoggin River. There is an informational kiosk at the trailhead and other signs along the trail with historical info about the area. This is an out and back trail about 3.5 miles. Go at your own pace and your own distance. We will arrive about noon and walk until 1:30PM where we will meet back up on the bus to return home by 2:00PM. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14 Trail Details: Trail surface: paved asphalt, smooth; Average trail width: 8 feet.
Monday, April 20	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	\$12 \$15 non-res	Yoga with Emma - Join this gentle yoga class to experience the beautiful art of yoga and begin to become in tune with your body. Focusing on stretching and controlled breathing, this class can offer something for all ability levels.
Tuesday, April 21	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	\$8	Join us as Nancy guides us through a creative process to make a beautiful take home piece of art. This will be an onsite workshop offered here at the senior center. All necessary materials and instruction will be provided. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 12
Tuesday, April 21	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	\$12.00 drop-in fee	Yoga For Seniors: Balance - Join certified yoga instructor Emma Samson for this beginner-friendly class for seniors focusing on strength, mobility, and balance. Mindfulness and meditation throughout each class support stress-relief for participants. This class will involve the use of chair- and floor-based exercises, as well as standing poses, but the exercises can be adapted to meet the individual needs of each student. Min4/Maximum 15.
Wednesday, April 22	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual	Robin Dow Seniors - Doors open at 9:00am with Directors meeting at 10:30, and bingo. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather (this includes remote learning).

Wednesday, April 22	1:15 PM – 4:30 PM	\$3 \$5 non- residents	Get Out! Nature Walk: Vernal Pools (Riverfront Woods Preserve, Yarmouth) Location: Riverfront Woods Preserve, Yarmouth Naturalist: Beth Sturtevant & Karen Bruder Howe Curriculum: When you notice the unmistakable chorus of spring peepers signaling that days and nights are finally warming, it's a sign that vernal pools are coming alive. These temporary bodies of water are home to wood frogs, spotted salamanders, fairy shrimp, and other amphibians. We will get a close-up look at egg masses and other evidence of amphibians in three temporary and isolated wetlands. The walk will be about two miles over relatively flat terrain. Bring your cameras, hiking sticks, a snack/lunch and walking shoes. Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.
Thursday, April 23	10:00 AM	\$3.00	Diamond Art Hello Spring Frame (Max 12) Join us at the Auburn Senior Community Center to make an fun framed spring picture. There will be different ones to decorate in diamond art, it will be a surprise which one you get. Pre-registration is required. This is an in-house program, not for pick up and take home. Maximum 12. Pre-registration is required.
Thursday, April 23	12:45 PM – 5:00 PM	\$45 \$48 non-res	Our Town at Portland Stage A Pulitzer Prize-winning classic about the triumphs and tragedies of small town life. Winner of the Pulitzer Prize, Wilder's timeless tale of the tiny tragedies and victories of small town life resonates across the ages. Join the Stage Manager as he takes us through a day in the life of our town, love and marriage, and more. Return to Grover's Corners, neighbor, and join us for this moving, heartfelt classic. "Thornton Wilder's Masterwork" – Time Out New York Our Town follows the denizens of Grover's Corners, NH. In Act One the stage manager takes us through a day in the life from just before dawn to late at night. We meet George Gibbs and Emily Webb, school kids in town, as well as their families, the choir, the constable, and the local professor. In Act Two we see George and Emily get married, and learn what took them from neighbors, to dating, to the pre-wedding jitters. In Act Three we see a very different side of our town, with a funeral. As Emily Gibbs sits among the dead she asks if she can revisit her time living, and sees one breathtakingly beautiful day before saying goodbye. Our Town premiered at the McCarter Theater in 1938. It went on to Broadway productions and revivals and is commonly assigned as curriculum in English classes across America. Seating Rows B / C / D Pre-registration is required. Minimum 6/Maximum 14.
Thursday, April 23	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	\$12.00 drop- in fee	Chair Yoga - Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair for support and stability through standing and seated poses. *Drop-In Fee is \$12.00: Minimum 4
Thursday, April 23	5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Free \$2.00 weekly non-res	Thursday Adult Craft Night 5:30pm – The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Min: 4 /Max: 20 Pre-registration required.
Friday, April 24	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Free \$1 non- residents	Drop-in Day - Cribbage, Mahjong, crafts – you name it! The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open with complimentary coffee, tea and plenty of games and puzzles, or you can bring your own. Come get together with friends or make new ones.
Friday, April 24	10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Free	The Auburn Senior Community Center, in partnership with the Auburn Public Library, is pleased to be able to continue their reading and discussion group. This group will meet monthly at the ASCC. Questions? Contact Renee at the Auburn Senior Community Center or Donna at the Auburn Public Library -- 207-333-6640, ext. 4, or via email at dwallace@auburnpubliclibrary.org . Maximum 16 (can accommodate more for discussion days if people share their books before the next meet up).
Monday, April 27	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	\$10.00 annual	New Auburn Seniors Meeting - Doors open at 9:00am with the meeting starting at 11:00am, Bingo to follow. Meetings are cancelled if Auburn schools are closed for weather (this includes remote learning)
Monday, April 27	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	\$12 \$15 non-res	Yoga with Emma - Join this gentle yoga class to experience the beautiful art of yoga and begin to become in tune with your body. Focusing on stretching and controlled breathing, this class can offer something for all ability levels.
Tuesday, April 28	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	\$12.00 drop- in fee	Yoga For Seniors: Balance - Join certified yoga instructor Emma Samson for this beginner-friendly class for seniors focusing on strength, mobility, and balance. Mindfulness and meditation throughout each class support stress-

			relief for participants. This class will involve the use of chair- and floor-based exercises, as well as standing poses, but the exercises can be adapted to meet the individual needs of each student. Min4/Maximum 15.
Thursday, April 30	8:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Free	Coffee Talk with AARP - April 2026 April 30 - Digital Tools and Artificial Intelligence in Schools - Peter Robinson Auburn School Department's Director of Technology, Peter Robinson, will share how evolving digital tools are transforming teaching, learning, and school operations. He'll highlight the district's commitment to creating secure, innovative, and student-centered learning environments, while explaining how today's technologies support creativity, collaboration, and personalized instruction. Peter will also explore the growing role of artificial intelligence in education—how it can simplify routine tasks, enhance classroom practices, and provide meaningful support for students, families, and staff. Attendees will gain a clear, practical understanding of where school technology is headed and how AI can help all of us work smarter and learn more effectively. * this description was created with the help of AI A light breakfast of coffee and pastries will be provided. This is offered in collaboration with AARP.
Thursday, April 30	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM	\$12.00 drop-in fee	Chair Yoga - Join instructor Emma Samson and learn the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while using a chair for support and stability through standing and seated poses. *Drop-In Fee is \$12.00: Minimum 4
Thursday, April 30	5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Free \$2.00 weekly non-res	Thursday Adult Craft Night 5:30pm – The Auburn Senior Community Center will be open Thursday nights with plenty of space to work on your crafts. Bring your quilting, rug braiding, paper crafts or stamps and spend time with others in your community. Min: 4 /Max: 20 Pre-registration required.



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- **Friends of the Auburn Senior Community Center**

Luck of the Draw Trips - Rules and Regulations

- **You MUST have a Civic Rec account so you can be registered.**
- These trips will be drawn on the date listed/published.
- You are allowed to put your name (and potential seat buddy) only ONCE per trip.
- I will be checking to make sure there are no duplicates before names are drawn.
- You will be notified on the date of the drawing if you are chosen.
- If not chosen, I will choose leftover names for the wait list.
- Please do not contact me, I will reach out to you that day once I have drawn names.
- If you do not have a credit card or credit already on your account, you will be required to make payment in full within 5 days of the drawing.
 - **If you do not make payment in full, you will be removed from the trip, and I will contact those on the wait list. The date the names are drawn on is day 1.**