

# A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



#### Addressing the Top Concerns of Seniors in 2025

As we navigate through 2025, it's imperative to acknowledge and address the pressing concerns that our senior

community faces. As much as the Coachella Valley may feel like its own unique oasis, our seniors face the same challenges that older adults across the United States are experiencing. At The Joslyn Center, we are committed to understanding these challenges and providing the necessary support to enhance the quality of life for those aged 50 and above. Here are the top five concerns affecting seniors today:

- 1. Financial Insecurity. Many seniors are grappling with financial instability. Recent studies reveal a significant rise in elderly poverty; for instance, Nassau County experienced a 78% increase over the past decade. Factors such as insufficient retirement savings and escalating living costs contribute to this unsettling trend. nypost.com
- 2. Healthcare Costs. The burden of healthcare expenses remains a paramount concern. A survey highlighted that 56% of older adults are deeply worried about the costs associated with assisted living, prescription medications, and health insurance. This financial strain often forces difficult choices between healthcare and other essential needs. usnews.com
- **3. Aging in Place.** The desire to age gracefully in one's own home is prevalent among seniors. However, only 15% have thoroughly planned for this transition. Implementing home modifications and ensuring accessibility are crucial steps to facilitate safe and independent living. chron.com
- 4. Social Isolation. Social connections are essential for mental and emotional well-being, yet many seniors experience loneliness, which can contribute to depression, cognitive decline, and other adverse health outcomes. The Joslyn Wellness Center plays a crucial role in addressing these challenges by offering counseling services, wellness programs, and group activities that foster meaningful connections. Additionally, we connect individuals with resources for mental health support, social engagement opportunities, and community-based services, ensuring that no senior feels isolated or without support.

- Transportation and Access to Services. Reliable transportation is essential for accessing healthcare maintaining independence. and seniors Approximately 64% of cite lack of transportation as a significant barrier, leading to medical appointments increased missed and isolation. Addressing this issue is critical for ensuring connected. seniors remain active and ir.alignmenthealth.com
- At The Joslyn Center, we are dedicated to addressing these concerns through comprehensive programs and services tailored to our community's needs. By working collaboratively with local organizations like the Desert Healthcare District, FIND Food Bank, the Coachella Valley Association of Governments, and other community partners, we can tailor our services to meet the specific needs of our seniors, enhancing their well-being and ensuring they lead fulfilling, secure lives.

For more information or assistance, please contact us at 760-340-3220 or visit our website JoslynCenter.org.

Dr. Jay Seller Executive Director

### **COVER STORY**

Among Joslyn's crafty offerings is the *Knit & Crochet Group* that meets at 9:00am on Wednesdays to create and converse among themselves. They are a fun loving faction of yarn enthusiasts with personal and charitable projects aplenty. This includes 60 hats that were knitted to go with gloves donated by Ralph's, and blankets and other items donated to organizations such as the USO at 29 Palms Air Force Base, Migrant Farm Workers, Martha's Village, and Coachella Valley Rescue Mission. The group is led by the aptly named Cathleen Jolley. Come in with a project and join the fun!



Clockwise on the cover from lower left: Phyllis Anderson, Linda Hanrahan, Nancy Colbourne, Pamela Kimball, Linda Jacobs, Liz Seed, Judy Brown, Cathleen Jolley, Rose Budek, Loraine Andersen, Emily Foster, Sue Schroeder, and Connie Kogut. Not pictured: Alice Brzykcy, Sue Dunning, Mary Jo Kalamon, Bonnie Smith, and Marta Velasquez.



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3/2 Angie Delaire

The Sunday Cabaret Series presented by Frankie Mamone, Marcia Harp and Luca Arias is ready for the new year with a talented lineup of entertainment. Shows start at 3:00pm with

Sounds of the Movies

doors opening at 2:30pm for immediate seating. Admission is \$20, cash only. No reservations are required and there is ample seating and parking.

For more information or to be added to the mailing list, please email SundayCabaretSeries@gmail.com or visit SundayCabaretSeries.com.

3/9	Scott Cole		Retro Rocket
3/16	Francesca Amari 7	urn the Page	Francesca Amari: e, Musical Musings
3/23	Howard Crosby &	Joel Baker	TBD
3/30	Sidney Weisman	High H	Heels in the Jungle
4/6	Pamela Galvin L	Oreams and (	Other Interruptions
4/13	Bill Clifford		East Meets West
4/20	CLOSED FOR EA	ASTER SUN	DAY
4/27	Ava Dupree Holm	nes	From Ava to Z
5/4	Kim Schroder Lor	ng	Rosemary for Remembrance
5/11	Kristi King A Mo	ther's Day Ti	Que Sera Sera: ribute to Doris Day
5/18	Tony Romano & Jason Hull	Celebrating :	the ABCs of Music
5/25	Legend Nominee	s <i>Leg</i>	ends of the Desert



Schedule may be subject to change.

	CLASSESS & ACTI	VITIES*	
Adult Bereavement Group	Monday	9:00am-10:00am	Free
Art & Soul	Monday	10:00am-Noon	Free
Balance Conditioning	Tuesday & Thursday	Noon-1:00pm	\$7
Basketry	Wednesday	10:00am-Noon	free
Belly Dancing	Friday	9:00am-10:00am	Free
Bingo	Tuesday	Noon-3:00pm	\$15 / 10 games
Blood Pressure Screening	Monday	10:30am-11:30am	Free
Bridge Lessons	Tuesday (Beg.) & Thursday (Int.)	10:00am-Noon	\$3
Calisthenics	Tuesday & Thursday	10:00am-11:00am	Free
Canasta (Minnesota)	Monday & Friday	9:00am-Noon or 1:00pm	Free
Caregiver Support Group	Every other Friday	10:00am-11:00am	Free
Deaf / Hard of Hearing Card Club	1st Tuesday of the month	1:00pm-3:00pm	Free
Fun Dancing	Tuesday	10:00am-11:00am	Free
Gardening Club	2nd Monday of the month	10:00am-Noon	Free
Group Counseling	Monday	1:30pm-2:30pm	Free
German for Beginners	Thursday	9:00am-10:00am	Free
Get Tech	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9:00am-3:00pm by appt.	Free
Go4Life <sup>®</sup>	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	8:00am-9:00am	Free
Guided Meditation	Tuesday	10:30-11:30am	Free
HICAP	1st & 3rd Thursday of the month	9:00am-Noon by appt.	Free
Joslyn Community Food Bank	Friday	8:00am until depleted	free
Jewelry Making	Tuesday	Noon-2:00pm	Free
Joslyn Singles	Thursday	1:00pm-3:00pm	Meal cost
Knit & Crochet Club	Wednesday	9:00am-Noon	\$1
Lawn Bowling Club	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	8:30am-11:30am	Contact Club
Mah Jongg - Beg. American	Thursday	1:00pm-3:00pm	Free
Memoir & Creative Writing	Tuesday	1:30pm-3:30pm	\$5
Men's Club	Thursday	1:00pm-3:00pm	Free
Mexican Train Dominoes	Mon., Tues., Wed.	10:00am-Noon	Free
Mindfulness Education	Tuesday (10 sessions)	1:00pm-2:00pm	\$5/course
Monday at the Opera	Monday	1:00pm-4:00pm	Free
Morning Bites	Monday	9:00am-11:00am	Free
Movie Matinee	Wednesday	2:00pm-4:00pm	Free
Nancy's Salon de Joslyn	Monday & Tuesday	By appointment	Donation
New Joslyn Singers	Monday	10:00am - Noon	Free
New Member Orientation	1st Friday of the month	10:00am-11:00am	Free
Pickleball for Beginners Pickleball for Intermediate	Thursday & Friday Thursday & Friday	11:00am-3:00pm	Free Free
Pinochle Club	Tuesday & Fliday Tuesday	11:00am-3:00pm 10:00am-1:00pm	Free
Pinochle Lessons	Wednesday	Noon-3:00pm	Free
Prostate Cancer Support Group	Wednesday	2:00pm-3:30pm	Free
Quilters Club	Tuesday	9:00am-Noon	\$1
Resistance Band Exercise	Monday & Wednesday	9:00am-10:00am	Free
Scrabble	Wednesday	Noon-3:00pm	Free
Senior Advocates	1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month	10:00am-Noon by appt.	Free
Spanish for Beginners	Wednesday	1:00pm-2:00pm	Free
Stretching Class	Wednesday	10:00am-11:00am	Free
Table Tennis	Monday & Friday	1:00pm-4:30pm	Free
Table Tennis Lessons	Wednesday	1:30pm-3:00pm	Free
Tai Chi	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	9:00am-10:00am	Free
Tap Lessons	Monday & Wednesday	2:00pm-4:00pm	\$18
Ukulele Lessons	Tuesday	1:00pm-3:00pm	\$1
Water Media Club	Friday	8:00am-Noon	\$5
Yoga	Tuesday	8:30am-9:30am	\$5

\*Classes may be subject to change and are updated regularly on the JoslynCenter.org homepage.
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For more information, please contact Greg Murphy, Director of Development & Marketing, at 760-895-4651 or GregM@JoslynCenter.org.





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### **VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT - OLETTA THOMAS**



If you come to Joslyn on a day when Oletta Thomas is volunteering at the front desk, you are guaranteed to be greeted with a smile! Oletta is one of the desert's snowbirds, but when she's in town, you'll find her helping out here. For the last seven years, she's been helping Joslyn in many roles including special events, but now you will find her at the front desk or selling tickets at the Sunday Cabaret Series in the Arthur Newman Theatre with her husband, Gene. She does this because she enjoys being around people and activities around her and the interactions she gets.

Originally from Red Lake Falls, Minnesota and born in 1933 (yes, she's a young 91), she was the youngest of three children. Her mother passed away when she was six years old, so her older sister took up raising her. In 1944, the family moved west to Washington where she has lived ever since. After college, Oletta worked for Equifax for 30 years, starting as a file clerk and working her way up to management.

In 1952, Oletta met Gene at a dance. That was the spark that started her future. They married in 1955 and have been together ever since. They will celebrate their 70th anniversary on June 11th this year. Oletta and Gene bought a second home in Palm Desert in 1998 and have been coming here since then. In 2000, she retired after working for over 30 years. They have two children, five grandchildren and one great grandchild. All of them are close in Washington. Since she doesn't like to have a lot of time on her hands, she spends time volunteering, reading, going on walks and getting together with friends. Basically, anything that keeps her out of trouble. Thank you, Oletta, for all that you do for us!

### WINE AND ALL THAT JAZZ: CAFÉ NOIR RECAP

On January 14th, *Wine & All That Jazz: Café Noir* stepped back in time to be steeped in the cinematic allure of film noir in black, white, and gray with a splash of red style. More than 150 guests joined in the thematic fun and wine-pairing flair of a five-course fine dining experience in support of Joslyn Center. Champagne and cocktails flowed at *Bar Noir* until guests heeded the clarion call of a wailing saxophone beckoning them to the *Café Noir Supper Club*. Eddie Muller from Turner Classic Movies lent his noir know-how and gravitas as emcee to welcome guests and make introductions. This included the all-star *Trio Noir* on hand to entertain with Tim Burleson on piano and vocals, Chase Huna on sax, and torch singer Maureen McDonald lamenting loss with 1940s flair. Mellisa Nielsen-Silverman led the charge through a lively auction followed by a "raise the glass" fund appeal, all in the name of what we do for the 2,500+ members and 500+ clients who benefit from Joslyn's life-affirming programs, services, resources, and sense of community. (Photos by Lani Garfield)



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Thank you Jewish Jewish Federation Federation of the Desert for a generous grant in renewed

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For program funding opportunities, please contact Greg Murphy at 760-895-4651 or GregM@JoslynCenter.org.



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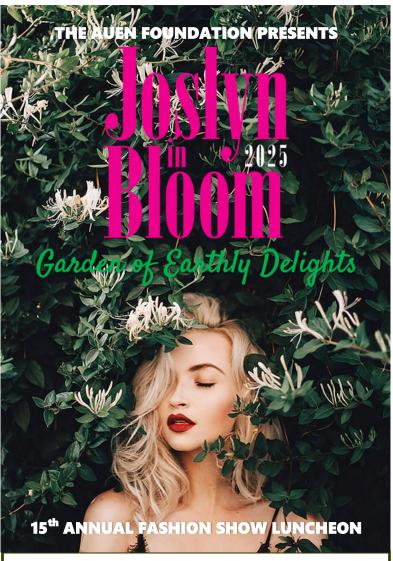
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# Joslyn Singles with Francie

March 6 1:00pm Shield's Date Garden, Indio March 13 O'Caine's Irish Pub, RM 4:00pm March 20 Cactus Jack's, PD 4:00pm March 27 Kobe Steakhouse, PD 4:00pm April 3 French Rotisserie Café, PD 1:00pm April 10 Alps Village, PD 4:00pm April 17 Cowboy Cantina, RM 4:00pm April 24 Bellatrix @ Classic Club, PD 4:00pm

#### Please contact Francie at 760-310-1942 to RSVP.

Happy Hour / special pricing may be available.

Meet at Joslyn at designated time to join the fun!

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	Cinderella Man 2005 The true story of James J

Mar. Braddock, a supposedly washed-up boxer, who returned to the spotlight to win the heavyweight championship of the world.

Mar. 19
The Legend of Bagger Vance, 2000 A down-and-out golfer attempts to recover his game and his life with help from a mystical caddie.

Mar. 26

The Wedding Planner, 2001 Mary Fiore is San Francisco's most successful supplier of romance and glamor. She knows all the tricks. She knows all the rules. But then she breaks the most important rule of all: she falls in love with the groom.

Apr. 2 Cats & Dogs, 2001 A look at the top-secret, high-tech espionage war going on between cats and dogs, of which their human owners are blissfully unaware.

Apr. 9 *I, Robot*, 2004 In 2035, a technophobic cop investigates a crime that may have been perpetrated by a robot, which leads to a larger threat to humanity.

**Apr. Never Been Kissed**, 1999 A newspaper reporter enrolls in high school as part of research for a story.

Apr. 23 The Wedding Singer, 1998 Robbie, a singer, and Julia, a waitress, are both engaged, but to the wrong people. Fortune intervenes to help them discover each other.

Apr. Code Name: The Cleaner, 2007 An amnesiac wakes up in a hotel room next to a dead FBI agent and \$250,000. Is the sexy lady in the lobby his wife? Is he a spy or a cleaner?



New Member Orientation

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Friday, Mar. 7<sup>th</sup>, Friday, Apr. 4<sup>th</sup>, Friday May 2<sup>nd</sup> 10:00-11:00am

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