

TUESDAY NIGHT BINGO AT THE CCC

NOVEMBER 2012 NEWSLETTER

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Birthday Parties

Doing Bingo Birthday Parties has proven to be a real drain on volunteers at the bingo sessions and the Centennial Recreation Senior Center. Also, we have had some players say they would just like the discount and don't care about having the party. Effective immediately, we are implementing a different way to honor our players' birthdays. If a player's birthday falls in the calendar week (Sunday through Saturday) of our bingo session, they will receive a \$20 discount on their buy-in upon presentation of a valid ID showing their birthday. Note: We will have a Bingo Birthday Party for anyone who has already made a reservation, but no more reservations will be accepted.

Three Exciting Changes Coming at 12/11/2012 Session!

We like to listen to our players and volunteers and make adjustments to help them. Big Change #1: We will be switching from 9-on paper to 6-on paper. Don't worry, you "paper only" players will receive 3 sets of paper instead of 2, so you will have exactly the same number of card faces for your buy-in. And, you machine players will have the same number of faces loaded onto your machine as before.

Big Change #2: With the change to 6-on, there will be sheets for 13 games in your pack as we are adding sheets to the pack for games #4, #8 and #15 (previously played on the 3-on Specials sheets). And, since the new sheets are 6-on, it's like getting an extra set of "specials" for FREE! What's not to love about that?

Big Change #3: Machine players will be able to select a buy-in option for the number of paper sets they wish to play. We have many players who want to play only one set of paper. So, regardless of which machine option they wish select, a player will now be able to get only one set of paper and the other sets will be added into their machine!

Lucky 7 Progressive Jackpot is at \$1,199!

So far, no one has won the Lucky 7 Jackpot on Game #13, though at each of the last two sessions a player was within one number! So, the jackpot will sit at \$1,199 until we have a winner. We will continue to add \$50 per week toward the next Lucky 7 Jackpot. WE WILL play the Lucky 7 UNTIL WE HAVE A WINNER at a bingo session on, or before, December 18th. We will announce that session in the weekly text message we send to those who have signed up to receive them. Whoever wins will certainly be able to pay off some of those Holiday bills! If you aren't receiving our weekly text message (specials, news, etc) and would like to sign up, send your CELL PHONE number and request to bingotext@fmhsc.org When you receive a text message, your normal text message rate will apply.

No Bingo Session on Christmas Day!

As you might expect, we will be dark on Christmas Day and wish the happiest of holidays to all of our wonderful players and volunteers. We're still considering whether or not we will have a session on 1/1/2013. We will let you know once the decision has been made.

Where Does the Money Go?

The Friends of the Morgan Hill Senior Center (part of the Morgan Hill Community Foundation) has made a grant of \$8,394.00 to the Centennial Recreation Senior Center. At the 10/30 session, a check for \$4,394.00 was presented as the first funding of the grant. The balance of \$4,000.00 has been requested to be funded on March 1, 2013. Thanks to our generous players and to our wonderful volunteers for making this possible by your attendance and service!



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