



Downtown Memory Café 2019

Below are dates and Café programs for the year. Café is an opportunity for positive social connection, lively discussions, information sharing, refreshments, camaraderie—and lots of creative fun! **We can't wait to meet you!**

JANUARY 17: "Turnin' Wood!" Join us as we meet "woodmaster" Bob Stavran for a wood turning demonstration!

FEBRUARY 21: "Antiques Roadshow!" Wondering about the value of something you own? Local expert appraiser Jim Schaefer will be here to entertain and help us figure it out!

MARCH 21: "For Your Listening Pleasure..." Reminisce together over some Golden Age of Radio favorites like The Shadow...Roy Rogers...Tarzan and more!

APRIL 18: "Our Story" Evoke memories at the downtown Wausau Library as we look at a history of Wausau on microfilm and in local books. Why not create a story of our own!?

MAY 16: "Happy 5th Birthday Downtown Memory Café!" Back by popular demand, welcome well-known ragtime piano entertainer, Jim Radloff. This promises to be a toe-tapping birthday party!

JUNE 20: "Beauty in Sound" Local mother-daughter harpists Kirsten and Claire Hornby will melt our stress away at this Café!

JULY 18: "Picnic in the Park!" Hot dog! We will be back at River Street Park in Rothschild for a picnic under the shelter and perhaps a stroll along the river?

AUGUST 15: "Going to the Fair!" Peplin 4-H Club members will bring the fair to us with animals, vegetable judging and more!

SEPT. 19: "Little Red Schoolhouse" Anna Straub from the Marathon County Historical Society will take us on a trip back in time when we meet at Marathon Park's one-room schoolhouse.

OCTOBER 17: "Our Fine Feathered Friends" We take flight with help from The Raptor Education Group of Antigo, bringing 4 birds and what promises to be a wing-flapper of a program!

NOVEMBER 21: "The Apple of your Eye" Olivia Telschow from Helene's Hilltop Orchard will provide bushels and pecks of apple fun!

DECEMBER 19: "Ho Ho Ho, Who Wouldn't Go?" Holiday-themed

The Downtown Memory Café takes place the 3rd Thursday of each month from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm at First United Methodist Church, 903 3rd Street, Wausau. Memory Cafés are for those experiencing early stage dementia, mild memory loss or cognitive impairment –accompanied by their care partners, family or friends. Sing-alongs, programs, conversation, activities and refreshments are offered each month by dementia-trained volunteers. Have some fun, socialize, be yourself. Consider escorting a friend or loved one to a Downtown Memory Café. Free!

To sign up, or for more information, please contact First United Methodist Church at 715-842-2201, or Charles Schoenfeld at 715-842-9809, or email: memorycafe@fumcwausau.org



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