



Black Forest Chapter of AARP #1100

"To serve, not to be served"

Chapter Website:

<http://aarpchapter1100blackforest.weebly.com>

April 5th, 2025

APRIL LUNCHEON

Host/Hostess: Bev and Jackie Schaab
Greeter: TBD

Black Forest Lutheran Church
Wednesday April 9th, 2024 @ 11:30am - 1:30pm

What to Bring: A thru K please bring a Side Dish; L thru R please bring a Dessert; S thru Z please bring a Main Entree.



2025 DUES

This is the last month to pay dues for 2025, or be dropped from the membership roster. Jim says there are about 20 members who have not paid yet. If you are not able to attend the luncheon you can mail your dues, \$10 per person, to our Chapter Treasurer:

Jim Belk, 13115 Ward Lane, Colorado Springs, CO 80908.
You can also call him at 719-330-5293 if you have any questions.

We hope to have a really good attendance for this meeting as we have Chapter business to discuss. The Shred Event will be coming up again this summer and we'll need volunteers to make it a success.

April Events

Monthly Luncheon
9th April Wednesday
Luncheon
@ 11:30am-1:30pm
BF Lutheran Church

Tax Day
15th April Tuesday

Easter
20th April Sunday

Senior Social
24rd April Wednesday
@ 1pm-4pm
BF Lutheran Church

Upcoming Events

05/02/2025 - Board Meeting

05/05/2025 - Cinco De Mayo

05/11/2025 - Mother's Day

05/14/2025 - Luncheon

05/26/2025 - Memorial Day

05/28/2025 - Senior Social

06/14/2025 - Flag Day

06/11/2025 - Luncheon

06/15/2025 - Father's Day

06/25/2025 - Senior Social

07/04/2025 - 4th of July

07/09/2025 - Picnic TBD

07/12/2025 - County Fair

TBD - Shred Event

**APRIL LUNCHEON
PREVIEW**

Host/Hostess: TBD

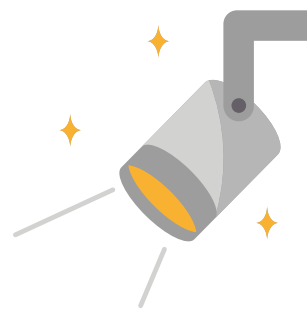
**Location: BF Lutheran
Church May 14th, 2025 @
11:30am - 1:30pm**

Chapter Member Spotlight

Please welcome Mary Kimberley "Kim" Dunaway, a vibrant and engaged member of our AARP chapter! A proud Colorado resident for nearly four decades, celebrating her 40th anniversary in the state this June, Kim joined our chapter four months ago and has already made a significant impact. Currently serving as our Secretary, Kim deeply values the welcoming and friendly spirit of our AARP group. Her professional background includes a long and dedicated career as a pharmacy technician from 1987 to 2002. Following this, Kim shared her expertise as an instructor at Intellitech, training future pharmacy technicians. She also gained valuable experience in retail as a salesperson for an independent dollar store and through her travels with a specialty boutique catering to the Red Hatters.

Kim embraced retirement with open arms, finding it to be a liberating and fulfilling chapter in her life. She enthusiastically pursues her hobbies of crafting, participating in the Red Hat Society, and enjoying the open road on her motorcycle.

Beyond her personal interests, Kim is deeply committed to volunteerism. She actively contributes to Christmas Unlimited, leads bingo games for her fellow Red Hatters, and was previously a dedicated member of the team organizing the Bet's Salute in Cripple Creek, where she assisted with traffic control and ensured volunteers were well-hydrated and fed. We are delighted to have Kim's energy, experience, and friendly spirit within our AARP chapter!



AARP ElderWatch

a partnership with the Colorado Attorney General

Did you know AARP Colorado has a YouTube page?!?

<https://www.youtube.com/@AARPCOLORADO>

There are 351 videos and they range from Simple Tips, Elderwatch notices, and they also have a series on Social Security.

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