# SENIOR CENTER SERVICES

# **GREENWICH SENIOR CENTER:**

Open Monday thru Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Front Desk** 203-862-6700

Administrator

Laurette Helmrich 203-862-6720

**Program Specialist** Lynn Mason

203-862-6721

**Administrative Staff Assistant I** 

Deana Salerno 203/862-6700

Morrison, Inc. Food Services **Executive Chef Teddy Torchon** 

203/862-6725

# Commission on Aging (CoA):

Open Mon thru Fri, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Director** 

**Health Suite** 

Lori Contadino, MS 203/862-6710

**Customer Service Representative** Maria Higbie 203/862-6710

# **Greenwich Dept. of Health:**

The Health Suite is located on the ground Floor.

Public Health Nurse: Free walk-in visits Tuesdays from 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm

203-622-7859 **Dept of Health** 

# **Luncheon by Morrison Foods, Inc.**

A hot meal is served Mon thru Fri between 12 & 1pm. Please make reservations the day before at front desk by 11:00 am. For Monday, please call the Friday before. Reservations the day of the lunch will not quarantee you a meal.

**Noon meal prices:** Dining in: **\$5.00** 

To-Go: \$5.50

203-862-6730

# **Alzheimer's Assoc Office Hours:** 860-329-9403

**Shannon Jordan** 

2nd Weds of month, lower level

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

# **Senior Tax Relief:**

Applications for State and Local Senior Tax Relief must be submitted between February 1 and May 15. Forms will be mailed to prior recipients who may complete the forms required, including copies of their income tax return and social security documents, and send them to the Assessor **before March 15**. After March 15, completed applications must be dropped off at the Assessors Office prior to the deadline of **May 15**. New applicants may come to the Assessor's Office for assistance.

**Assessor's Office** 203-622-7885

# **Social Services:**

(Town Hall Number) 203-622-3831 Linda Sandiaes, LCSW 203-622-7797

Senior Center Office Hours

Wednesdays: 9:00 am - 11:00 am

Rent Rebate: May 1 Through Oct 15

9:00 am - 11:00 am By appointment only

**Contact: Jayne Wilson for more information** Dept. of Human Services 203-622-6458

**Energy Assistance:** Oct 15 thru April 30 Shut-offs, out of oil, emergency issues

By appointment only

Dept. of Human Services 203 622-3800

# **Transportation:**

Please sign up for transportation the **day before** you wish to come to the center. Reservations can be made at the front desk until 1:00 pm 203 862-6700

In case of cancellation call **TAG: 203 637-4345** 

# **USE (Utilize Senior Energy):**

A no-fee employee referral service for adults aged 50 plus. Located on the ground floor. Please visit UtilizeSeniorEnergy.org for more information.

Open Mon thru Fri 203-862-6712

Hours are 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

**Director** 

Michael Amoroso 203-862-6712



**Greenwich Senior Center** 

# March 2019 💸



299 Greenwich Avenue

www.greenwichct.gov

203-862-6700

# **New Classes**

**Back & Core** 

**Beginner & Advanced Art** 

Canasta

**Friday Poker Club** 

Greenwich **Botanical Center** 

Saint Patrick's Day **Party** 

**TECH Workshop** 

**Total Brain Health** 

Water Aerobics @ the YWCA

The Senior Center will be closed on March 14, 2019



# SAINT PATRICK'S DAY

TRADITIONAL IRISH FEAST FEATURING MUSIC BY MIKE RINALDI

**EASTERN GREENWICH CIVIC CENTER** 90 HARDING ROAD THURSDAY MARCH 14TH 11 AM - 2 PM

**\$15 PER PERSON (Registration Required) MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:** FRIENDS OF THE GREENWICH SENIOR CENTER





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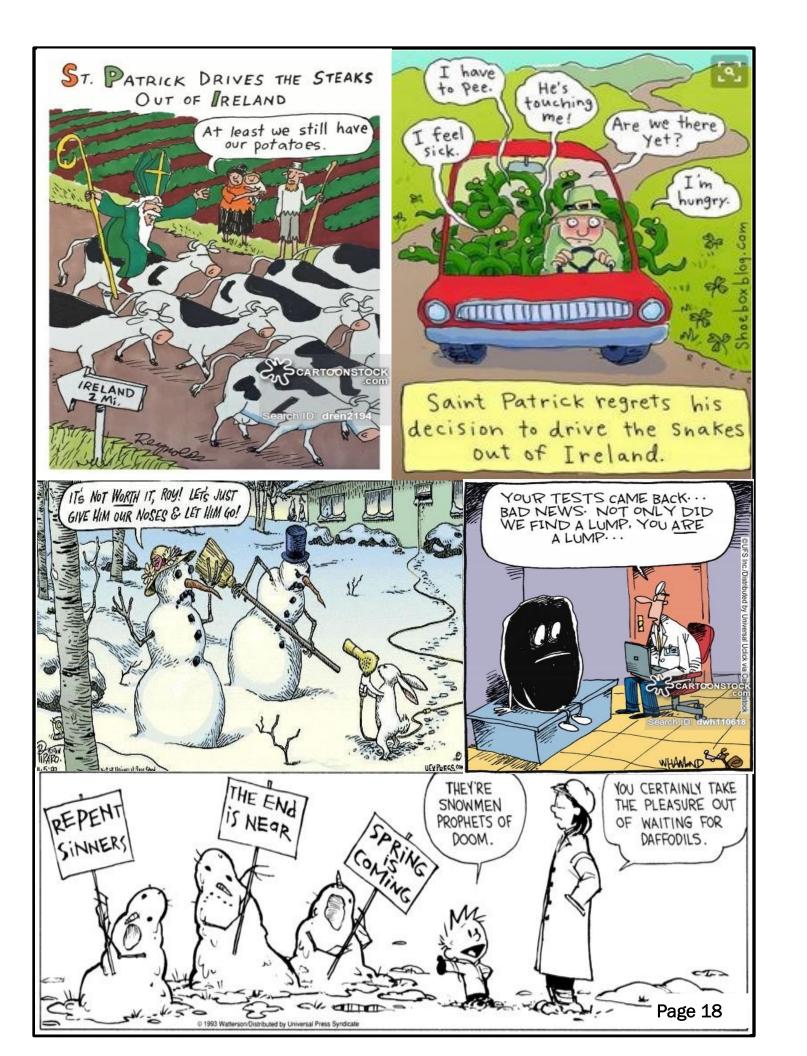












# **New Classes**

Aqua classes at the YWCA: Drop in on any of 4 Aqua classes at the YWCA. \$5/class, only pay when you attend. Obtain registration form from the Senior Center. See page 12.

**Back & Core:** Focus on strengthening back and core muscles which are the key to maintaining balance, good posture, energy and endurance. Thursdays 4:30—5:15 pm. **Registration Required**.

<u>Canasta</u>: Come and learn the game! Tuesdays 10:30 am Main Dining Room. Instruction provided in a fun, friendly setting.

**Greenwich Botanical Center:** Monthly workshops held at 1:15 pm in the Art Studio Downstairs. Registration required. See Deana at the front desk. Space is limited. First come, first served.

Friday Poker Club: Fridays at 1:00 pm in Lounge or Main Dining Room. If you have any questions, call Lynn at 203-862-6721

T'ai Chi Walk: Improve balance, mindfulness and confidence in one's step by learning how to apply core T'ai Chi principles to walking. T'ai Chi Walk can be a study unto itself or an entry point to learning the full Tai Chi form to experience significant health benefits. Will Morrison is an instructor certified by Ed Young with whom he began studying in 1981. Mondays & Wednesdays @ 3pm. Registration Required.

Tech Workshop with Nyle Garg: Each session will cover one or more tech-related topics and include time for individual questions. Bring your iPhone, Android, iPad or other device. Workshop is FREE But Sign-up Required. See Page 15 for more details.

# FREE LUNCH RAFFLE !!!

Get a chance to receive a free lunch every time you sign into front kiosk. Just touch button for free lunch raffle. A winner is randomly selected by our software program every month.





# Lack of Energy is NOT a Natural Consequence of Aging

By Ricki Goldstein, RN, JD Medical Care Administrator for Sterling Care

I have been a geriatric homecare nurse for many years, working with older adults in all conditions. I want to dispel certain myths about aging: Energy does *not* necessarily decrease with age. Weakness, fatigue and depression are *not* natural consequences of the aging process, but rather indicators that there may be other health issues in need of attention.

There is a general belief about slowing down with older adults. When I assess psycho/social and physical aspects of my patients' health I ask, "How is your energy level today?" "How is it compared to 2 years ago?" "5 years ago?" I ask the same questions regarding mood, pain and mobility. Responses from most patients are similar: "At my age, of course I have slowed down." Patients almost always report a decline compared to their younger selves and they expect this decline (as do their families and physicians) and that it's not related to any specific disease, but to the aging process and the concept that growing older = falling apart.

Loss of energy for Older Adults has actually been given a name by Researchers at Columbia University Medical Center - **Anergia**. "We are used to the idea that feeling old and tired is a normal part of aging. Mathew Maurer, M.D. at Columbia, discovered Anergia isn't normal and is most likely related to health problems, lifestyle choices, or both." "When elderly patients complain they're tired, many doctors tell them that feeling listless is an expected part of aging. That's what the doctors themselves have been taught."

Don't accept feeling tired as your new reality. Just like a gradual vision decline may go undetected, a gradual decline in energy can become an Older Adult's new accepted reality but it doesn't have to be. The first step is making a doctor's appointment., getting bloodwork and identifying the issues. Plus, a good look inward at lifestyle choices can be a game changer. Nutrition, hydration, exercise, enough sleep, and socialization should regularly be evaluated and tweaked for maximal health results.

At age 70, my mother, a retired surgeon, began taking ballet classes. "I can either be an 80-year-old who can do ballet or an 80-year-old who can't dance. "Today, at age 80, she is one of the most graceful dancers in her class. Busy seniors who have active social lives incorporate their curiosity, friendships, and humor to ensure their zest for life remains.

I don't know why people are so obsessed with age anyway. I mean, 90 is the new 70, 70 is the new 50...so the whole act-your-age thing? Only up to a point."

-Joan Collins

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# Save the Date

Celebrate Older Americans Month with us!

# Toey & Maria's

Comedy Italian Wedding Dinner Experience Friday, May 17, 5:00 - 8:00

(Doors open at 4:30)



# Tickets \$15 includes dinner, dancing theater and wedding cake!

Eastern Greenwich Civic Center, 90 Harding Rd., Old Greenwich Transportation available. Seating limited.

Purchase tickets before May 10 at Greenwich Senior Center, 299 Greenwich Ave.

**Questions? Call Maria (203) 862-6710** 

10. Albert Einstein

9. Bob Dylan

7. Elizabeth laylor 8. Winston Churchill

6. Knute Rockne 7. Elizeboth Tevler 5. Bonnie and Clyde

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# **HELPFUL INFORMATION**

# **HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER:**

- Membership is **free** to Greenwich Residents age 62 or better. Hours of operation are Monthru Fri 9 am 4 pm
- Joining is easy! Register with any Senior Center staff member who will issue you a key tag. **You must provide proof of residency. Note:** There is a \$5 fee to replace lost key tags.
- Swipe the tag at the screen in our front lobby, choose your programs for the day on the touch screen, and you're good to go!
- We offer parking passes that must be renewed each January for \$5.00. **Note:** Members must utilize the Senior Center a minimum of **12 times per year** in order to qualify for the pass. Your current CT license plate number is required for our records.
- . WiFi is free for all members.

# HOW TO HAVE BREAKFAST AND OR LUNCH WITH US

**Sign up at front desk or by phone** (203/862-6700) one day prior (or Friday for Monday lunch). Lunch sign-up ends each day promptly at 11:00 am. Please indicate if you choose to dine in or take out when signing up.

**Alternative luncheon items:** Must be ordered prior to 11:00 am. Absolutely no changes will be accepted after that time.

### Please be advised:

- If you sign up the same day as you wish to have lunch, we cannot guarantee a meal for that day.
- Due to the increased volume of lunches served, we may run out of an item on the menu.
- Meals are subject to change and substitutions may occur.

### "To-Go" Lunches:

- Subject to availability and cost an additional 50 cents.
- Must be picked up between 12:30 pm and 1:00 pm and cannot be held for later.
- Packed standard, no substitutions allowed.
- If you wish to take home an additional to-go meal, you must wait until everyone has been served.

## The following fees are now in effect:

Coffee \$1.00 (Free Refills) Muffin or Toast with Coffee \$1.50 Two muffins or Toast with Coffee \$3.00 \$5.00 Lunch To Go Lunch \$5.50 Soup, Salad & Beverage \$2.00 \$2.00 Dessert & Coffee Pre Paid Lunch Coupon Books \$90.00 (20 lunches/10% Discount)

Sorry, no substitutions on breakfast or luncheon items

# Lunch Tickets are non refundable due to loss/theft and are not redeemable for cash.

### SENIOR CENTER PARTIES, TRIPS, & EVENTS:

Although the majority of programs are free, there are fees associated with our trips, theme/holiday parties and some programs. A staff member will be available Monday thru Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm to assist with trip/event sign-ups and table assignments. Fees are payable by cash or check. Please make checks payable to: "Friends of the Greenwich Senior Center" or for your convenience, we can stamp the check for you. The Senior Center is not responsible in whole or in part to trip participants for any loss or damage to persons or property. There are **No Refunds, No Party Reservation Transfers, and No To-Go Meals** at any **Senior Center Events**.

## **TRANSPORTATION SERVICE:**

Bus service between your home and the Senior Center is provided Mon thru Fri by the Transportation Association of Greenwich (TAG). Your arrival at the Center is ~9:00 am and departure is at 2:45 pm. Please sign up for transportation the *day before* you wish to come to the Center. Reservations can be made at the Front Desk until 1:00 pm or call 203-862-6700 the day before to have your name placed on the transportation list. In case of cancellation please call TAG directly at 203 637-4345

# FIVE OF THE BEST EXERCISES



# YOU CAN EVER DO

THESE "WORKOUTS" CAN DO WONDERS FOR YOUR HEALTH. THEY'LL HELP KEEP YOUR WEIGHT UNDER CONTROL, IMPROVE YOUR BALANCE AND RANGE OF MOTION, STRENGTHEN YOUR BONES, PROTECT YOUR JOINTS, PREVENT BLADDER CONTROL PROBLEMS, AND EVEN WARD OFF MEMORY LOSS.

# **SWIMMING**



# TAI CHI



- **1.** You might call swimming the perfect workout. The buoyancy of the water supports your body and takes the strain off painful joints so you can move them more fluidly.
- 2. This Chinese martial art that combines movement and relaxation is good for both body and mind. It is is made up of a series of graceful movements, one transitioning smoothly into the next.

# STRENGTH TRAINING 3. If you believe that strength



# • If you believe that strength training is a macho, brawny activity, think again. Lifting light weights won't bulk up your muscles, but it will keep them strong.

# WALKING



# **4.** Walking is simple, yet powerful. It can help you stay trim, improve cholesterol levels, strengthen bones, keep blood pressure in check, lift your mood, and lower your risk for a number of diseases.

# **KEGEL EXERCISES**



5. These exercises won't help you look better, but they strengthen the pelvic floor muscles that support the bladder. Strong pelvic floor muscles can go a long way toward preventing incontinence.

# Free In-Person Tax Preparation Service

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation to anyone of any age - especially if you are 50 or older or can't afford paid tax preparation.

AARP Tax-Aide <b>Greenwich</b> Sites and Hours: Feb. 5, 2019 through <b>April 11, 2019</b>								
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs- day	Friday	Saturday		
Greenwich Town Hall Hayton Room, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	No	9:00 AM to 2:30 PM	9:00 AM to 2:30 PM	9:00 AM to 2:30 PM	No			
Greenwich Library						9:00 AM to 1:00 PM		

For an appointment at Town Hall email: **greenwichtaxaid@gmail.com** (Appointments have priority)

Walk in during our hours of operation, no appointment is required.

Greenwich Town Hall, Hayton Room: 101 Field Point Road

Greenwich Library: 101 West Putnam Avenue

Taxpayers must bring photo ID and Social Security cards for themselves, their spouses and any dependents, birth dates and a blank check for their bank account for direct deposit in case a refund is due. The check will be returned and only used to show the routing and account numbers. They must also bring in wage and earning statements from employers W-2's, 1099-R's and 1099-Misc; all health insurance statements and Affordable Health Care statements Form 1095-A; interest and dividend statements from banks -- Form 1099's; and a copy of federal and state tax return from last year.



The Greenwich Commission on Aging hosts

# AGE FRIENDLY GREENWICH

A Community Conversation with



Steven Katz Vice Chair, Greenwich Commission on Aging



Lori Contadino Director, Greenwich Commission on Aging



Bill Armbruster AARP, Senior Advisor Livable Communities

# Wednesday, March 13, 6:30 pm

The Bruce Museum
1 Museum Drive., Greenwich, CT

Greenwich is actively addressing aging.

- By 2020 nearly 20% of Greenwich residents will be 65+ and live to be 80+
- Over 54% of registered Greenwich voters in town are 50+

Our town has been actively pursuing the designation as an Age Friendly Community by AARP and the World Health Organization. You'll hear about the Town Survey Data Findings and Action Plan status. We'll also tell you how you can volunteer!

Free Admission



Questions? Call Maria Higbie (203) 862-6710



# Presents: The Con Artist Playbook A look inside the mind of a criminal

Join us for a look inside the mind of a criminal to understand the psychology behind ID theft, fraud & other scams affecting your family and community. AARP CT Fraud Watch Network Volunteer Lead Byron Peterson will be joined by Detective Mark Solomon of the Greenwich Police Department to offer an interactive and informative discussion.



Tuesday April 2, 2019 1:00 pm Greenwich Senior Center 299 Greenwich Avenue Main Dining Room

\*\*Program is Free but you MUST SIGN UP in Main Office\*\*

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

St Patrick's Day Party: Celebrate the Holiday with a traditional Irish feast and music to dine and dance to. Thursday March 14, 2019 11:00 am - 2:00 pm. Eastern Greenwich Civic Center.

The Con Artist Playbook: Join us for a look inside the mind of a criminal to understand the psychology behind ID theft, fraud & other scams. April 2nd. 1:00 pm in the Main Dining Room. Free but Registration Required! See pg. 14.

Meatball Madness: You be the Judge on Wednesday April 24th as six Regional chefs compete for the Meatball Master Award. \$5/person includes (6) Meatballs, Dinner Roll, Salad, Dessert and Beverage. 11:30 am - 1:00 pm.

Joey & Maria's Wedding: Save the Date for the Wedding of the Season! May 17th. Eastern Greenwich Civic Center 11-2 pm. More Details to Follow!

<u>Technology Workshop with the Junior League</u>: *Details to be announced!* 

# **MATCHMAKERS CORNER**

If you are interested in any of the following, please see Lynn in Main Office or call 203-862-6721.

- Chess and/or Speed Chess (Timed with a chess clock, winner determined by time or loss of King)
- 2. Poker (Pennies/nickels/dimes/quarters or chips)
- 3. Free class to help you navigate your iPhone, iPad or iPod? (See page 15)
- 4. Painting workshop at the Bruce Museum
- 5. Water Aerobics classes at the YWCA
- 6. Meet up groups i.e meet other members that would like to go to Greenwich beaches together. Transportation and logistics would be arranged by members, not Senior Center.

# 299 ON THE AVENUE LUNCHEON MARCH 2019

CHEF TEDDY TORCHON MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Light Breakfast Served Mon thru Fri 9:15-10:15 am	There are many kind Oatmeal, Quinoa	, Bulgur, Barley gh in nutrients and fib	J	1 Bacon corn chowder Soup Baked Fish Sweet Potato Mash Broccoli Pears
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Cheesy Potato Soup	Soulful Chicken Soup	Split Pea Soup Meatloaf w/Gravy	Tuscan White Bean Soup	Butternut Squash Soup
Chicken Marsala	Baked Pork Chop	Garlic Orzo	Turkey Goulash	Fish Florentine
White Rice	Baked Potato	Peas & Carrots	Tossed Salad	Mashed Potato
Brussel Sprouts	Zucchini	Banana Pudding	Sugar Cookies	Fresh Carrots
Chocolate Cake	Fresh Fruit			Pears
11	12 Cream of Carrot	13	14 SAINT PATRICK'S	15
Lentil Soup	Soup	Beef Barley Soup	DAY PARTY	Minestrone Soup
Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce	Roasted Turkey w/gravy	Shepherd's Pie w/Brown Gravy	EASTERN GREENWICH CIVIC CENTER	Shrimp Stir Fry
Garlic Bread	Brown Rice	Snow Peas	11 AM - 2 PM REGISTRATION REQUIRED	White Rice
Vanilla Pudding	Green Beans Jello	Fresh Honeydew	SENIOR CENTER CLOSED	Cream Pie
18	19	20	21	22
Vegetable Soup	Chicken Soup	Potato Leek Soup	Two Bean Soup	Cream of Broccoli
Cajun Chicken	Meatball Sub	Pork Marsala	Baked Mac &	Soup
Pasta	Potato Wedges	Mashed Potato	Cheese	Stuffed Fish
	Coleslaw		Mixed Vegetable	Brown Rice
Chocolate Pudding	Pound Cake w/Topping	Spinach 	Banana Pudding	Peas
	,	Jello		Fresh Fruit
25	26	27	28	29
Cream of Mushroom Soup	Cream of Spinach Soup	Black Bean Soup	Turkey Rice Soup	Southwestern Chicken Soup
Eggplant Parmesan	Beef Stroganoff Over Noodles	Cheese Ravioli w/Marinara Sauce	Stuffed Chicken w/Gravy	Vera-cruz style Fish
Tossed Salad			Mashed Potato	Herb Couscous
Dinner Roll	Yellow Squash	Brussel Sprouts	Fresh Carrots	Green Beans
	Peaches	Fresh Cookies	Fresh Baked Pie	Chocolate Pudding
Fresh Cantaloupe				Page 8

# **TRIVIA**

- 1. What country presented the US with a gift of cherry trees in 1912?
- 2. Who went down to Hades to rescue his wife Eurydice?
- 3. How many US states border Ohio?
- 4. What are the small indentations on a golf ball called?
- 5. In what 1967 film did Gene Hackman earn his first Oscar nomination?
- 6. What child star played in National Velvet?

# **WHO SAID?:**

- 7. "When the going gets tough, the tough get going."
- 8. "I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat."
- 9. "He who's not busy being born, is busy dying."
- 10. "Stay away from negative people. They have a problem for every solution.

(Answers on Page 17)

# **ROBOCALLS:**

Robocalls are made whenever a registered class or event is cancelled/changed or we are closed due to weather. These calls will come from Massachusetts so please do not ignore!! If you do not receive a robocall, please see staff to ensure that we have your correct phone number.

# PLANNED GIVING

As you prepare your legacy for your family and community, please consider making a tax-deductible bequest to The Friends of the Greenwich Senior Center. Your contribution will help us to provide vitally needed support and services to our members.

If you would like to designate a gift to a specific program or "To Honor" a loved one, please tell us and we will do our best to meet your wishes.

If you have any questions, please call Laurette Helmrich, Greenwich Senior Center Administrator at (203) 862-6720.

# **NEW MEMBER** BENEFIT!

Senior Center members are now eligible to attend Greenwich YWCA Aqua classes Only \$5 per class (a savings of \$20)

\*\*Registration Required\*\*

# **Current classes include:**

- Aquafit: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 11 12:00 pm
- Aquatic Arthritis: Tuesday 1 2:00 pm
- Aqua Core: Thursday 12 1:20 pm

\*\*For further information and to register, see Lynn, Laurette or Deana or call 203-862-6721

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# SENIOR CENTER PROGRAMS

# Art Classes w/Chris Gordon (6-wk sessions) **Beginner Classes:**

For those who want to find a new artistic skillset painting with acrylic paints in a creative & supportive learning environment Non-artists and beginner painters welcome

### **Advanced Classes:**

For experienced painters looking for guidance in expanding their acrylic painting style and technique.

### To Register (Required):

Contact Chris: cmgordon@optonline.net \$20 Registration fee payable to Lynn or Laurette in main office of Senior Center

### Basic Balance w/Wendy Rosa

Join fellow enthusiastic participants in a creative approach to whole body balance and core strength.

Fridays @ 10:30am. Winners receive a small cash prize. Cost of cards is 25 cents. Buy as many as you want.

### Body Balance & Stability w/Linda

A great way to strengthen your core and build total body strength. Class is conducted with or without a chair.

### **Birthday Luncheon**

To help members' celebrate their birthday. they will receive a voucher for a free lunch courtesy of the GREATS, to be used at their choice of date and time. (You must sign up ahead of time at front desk!)

### **Bridge Play**

Join other members for an afternoon of informal bridge. Check calendar for game dates and times.

### Chair & Floor Yoga w/Paula & Jeannie

Jeannie Stevens and Paula Schooler bring participants all the spiritual, physical and mental benefits of Yoga in a chair and on the floor! Held in the Far Lounge.

Join our Chiming group in making beautiful Music with hand held Schulmerich hand chimes in a fun and friendly atmosphere. No music skills necessary.

### FIT AFTER '50' w/Wendy Rosa

Get fit, improve balance, tone your body And have fun at the same time.

### Floor Yoga w/Jeannie & Paula

Hatha postures that challenge the body, mind and spirit. It's the real thing folks! Floor mat is required. Namaste.

Class works to balance all muscle groups' strength and flexibility, with an emphasis on challenging core muscles with each movement. Classes blend Pilates-based exercises, balance, mat work and light weights. 80 percent class is on the floor, so the ability to get up and down onto the floor is required. Registration req.(\$10 for entire 12 week session)

Please bring mat and water to each class.

### **Garden Center Workshop**

Held every month From Oct to March. Create lovely live arrangements. Sign-up required. Limit: 18 participants per class.

### Italian Lessons w/Luciana

Learn Italian grammar from experienced educator Luciana Orzano in a structured forum. Classes meet every week.

# I've Fallen But I Learned How To Get Up

Join us and learn how to avoid falling, and what to do if you do fall. What do you do first, and how do you attempt to get back up? Ability to get onto & up from floor req.

## Joint Power w/Wendy Rosa

You will be lead through a series of slow, static, healing movements scientifically proven to combat arthritis pain in seniors. Props and music are used for program enhancement.

## **Knitting Knotch/Needlework Groups**

All levels welcome. Create any item of your choice. Instruction offered on Wed mornings w/Debbie.

### **Lectures/Presentations & Evening Series**

Professional guest speakers present on interesting and informative topics including healthcare, wellness, history, nature, elder law and financial planning. Never a sales pitch. Refreshments & giveaways at many sessions!

## Live Entertainment

Talented musical artists perform for your pleasure. Dance & sing the morning or afternoon away! Check calendar for dates and times.

### NYT Crosswords w/Ed Stein

Not your grandmother's crosswords folks!

### Pickup Tabletop Games

Random card/ board game sessions throughout the day, Mon thru Fri.

### Pilates Gold w/Jeannie

Challenge your body to static stretching and toning. On the floor, or in a chair. Mats required.

### **Ouilting Patch**

All are welcome to join this cheerful group. Some instruction provided

### Shopping w/The TAG Bus Driver

Go shopping at Shop Rite of Stamford/ Walmart Rte.7 Norwalk/ Christmas Tree Shop. Limit: 2 bags per person. Sign up at the front desk. Check calendar for dates. Limit: 20 shoppers.

## Silvertones Choir

A group of enthusiastic seniors who love to sing . Travel to area facilities/ organizations & events to perform live! Two rehearsals per month.

Learn the moves and wellness benefits lof this ancient art from a Certified Master. A safe form of exercise that strengthens core balance, increases mental function, and tones the body. Classes can be held outdoors, weather permitting. Afternoon and Evening

T'ai Chi Walk Improve balance, mindfulness and confidence in one's step by learning how to apply core T'ai Chi principles to ` lwalking. Tai Chi Walk can be a study unto itself or an entry point to learning the full Tai Chi form to experience significant health benefits. Instructor Will Morrison was certified by Ed Young "Professor Chen Man-ching's senior teacher and translator and continues to be much sought after nationally and through his classes in Hastings NY

# TechLounge

A variety of computing classes to meet today's demand. Only \$5 per class. Check calendar for class days and times. Newly renovated!

# Total Body/Mind Wellness Programs

Credentialed professionals discuss modern mind/body health related topics. See calendar for dates and times.

# Total Brain Health: Memory 1.0 & 2.0

Total brain healthy living course. Evidence based! 8 weeks for only \$20. See staff for courses and sign up.

### Walk The Distance W/Wendy

This class will teach you how to turn a walk into a total body workout. Walk at your own pace with the group or a

### We've Got Your Back w/Wendy Lee

Pro-active strength and toning class to combat and prevent back issues.

### Zumba Gold w/Wendy Rosa

All the benefits of regular Zumba for seniors now twice per week! Great music & moves. We rock out to the latest tunes. It's the real thing.

March 2019 Calendar of Events Programs Subject To Change							
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
PROGRAM LOCATION:  CR- Craft Room (downstairs)  FL- Far Lounge  GL- Greenwich Library  OS- Offsite  MDR- Main Dining Room  Bold Italics: Registration Required	The March Full Equinox on March hours apart) was This full Moon is of March. It's the "appear" brighter	<ul> <li>1 9:30 Painting Session - CR</li> <li>9:45 Fit After 50 - FL</li> <li>10:30 BINGO! - MDR</li> <li>1:00 Afternoon Bridge - CR</li> <li>1:00 Friday Poker Club - Lounge</li> </ul>					
9:30 Advanced Art - CR 9:30 Basic Balance Class w/Wendy - FL 1:00 Afternoon Bridge - CR 1:30 Zumba Gold w/Wendy - MDR 2:15 Joint Power w/Wendy - FL 3:00 T'ai Chi Walk w/Will Morrison - FL	<ul> <li>9:45 Chair Yoga w/Jeannie - FL</li> <li>10:00 Quilting Patch - CR</li> <li>10:30 Canasta - MDR</li> <li>10:45 T'ai Chi w/Bill Wrenn - FL</li> <li>1:00 Floor Yoga w/Jeannie - FL</li> <li>2:00 Pilates Gold - FL</li> </ul>	6 10:15 Chair Yoga w/Paula - FL 11:00 Floor Yoga w/Paula - FL 1:00 Shopping at Shop Rite 1:45 Zumba Gold - MDR 3:00 T'ai Chi Walk w/Will - MDR 4:30 Forever Fit (Mat) w/Wendy- FL	7 9:15 Body Balance & Stability w/Linda - FL 10:00 Knitting Knotch - CR 10:30 Silvertones Rehearse - MDR 1:00 Italian Lessons w/Luciana - CR 1:15 Trivia w/Lynn - MDR 2:15 We've Got Your Back w/Wendy - FL 4:30 Back & Core (Mat) - FL 5:30 T'ai Chi w/Bill Wrenn - FL	9:30 Painting Session - CR 9:45 Fit After 50 - FL 10:30 BINGO! - MDR 1:00 Afternoon Bridge - CR 1:00 Friday Poker Club - Lounge			
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