

# THE CONNECTION

# Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Day

You've got questions about technology, we've got answers. Each center hosts one-on-one workshops where you can bring your device (phone, iPad, laptop), and your questions to work with one of our knowledgeable tech trainers. Speak with center staff to schedule an appointment.

<b>Clinton Rose</b>
Mon. 8:30 - 12:00
Wed. 1:00 - 4:30

**Kelly** Mon. 8:30 - 12:00 Tue. 1:00 - 4:30

**McGovern** Mon. 1:00 - 4:30 Tue. 8:30 - 12:00 **Washington** Tue. 1:00 - 4:30 Wed. 8:30 - 12:00

**Wilson** Mon. 1:00 - 4:30 Tue. 8:30 - 12:00

## **Wellness Coordinator Schedule**

The Wellness Coordinator is available at each center every week by appointment to help with proper exercise machine use and answer any health-related questions. See below for your center's day and hours. Speak with center staff to schedule an appointment.

Clinton Wed. 9:30			<b>elly</b> 30 - 11:30
<b>McGovern</b>	Washi	<b>ngton</b>	<b>Wilson</b>
Tue. 9:30 - 11:30	Thu. 9:30	) - 11:30	Mon. 9:30 - 11:30

## SOA CLOSURES

Sep. 4 - Labor Day (all centers & dining sites closed) Sep. 21 - Staff Training (all centers closed at 1:00pm)

# HOURS

Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 4:30 SOA General Line: 414-704-3343 www.servingolderadults.org

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# Aging Well

# TOGETHER

Serving Older Adults of Southeast Wisconsin's goal is to positively impact the health and well-being of older adults through quality health and wellness programming, continuous learning opportunities, community engagement, and a variety of socialization outlets.

#### SERVING OLDER ADULTS ADMINISTRATION

President/CEO *Cathy Wood* Controller *Jessica Ramsey* Director of Programs *Miriam Kaja* Director of Marketing & Development *Chey Thunberg* Human Resources Manager *Marsha Bukofzer* 

#### SUGGESTED CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CLASSES

Some classes are listed with a suggested contribution amount. Your generous contribution, no matter how large or small, helps ensure programs can continue as our funding only covers a portion of the costs. Please register at least two weeks before the start date in the center's office. Activities will be canceled if minimum registrations are not met. For accommodations, please let staff know at time of sign-up.

#### **USE GOOD JUDGMENT**

Participants assume the risk of taking part in activities. Serving Older Adults of Southeast Wisconsin, Inc. and Milwaukee County are held harmless from all claims resulting from taking part in any activity at the senior center.

#### **GET INVOLVED TODAY!**

- 1. Complete participation form.
- 2. Register for the Dining Program.
- 3. Sign-up for a Fitness Center Orientation.
- 4. Pick up your touch screen card and log-in daily.
- 5. Enjoy the centers!





#### **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE**

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## **CLINTON & BERNICE ROSE SENIOR CENTER**

Manager: *Sheila Carter* 3045 N Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr Milwaukee, WI 53212 Main: (414) 263-2255

#### **KELLY SENIOR CENTER**

Manager: *Bob Best* 6100 S Lake Dr Cudahy, WI 53110 Main: (414) 481-9611

#### **MCGOVERN PARK SENIOR CENTER**

Manager: *Angela Wright* 4500 W Custer Ave Milwaukee, WI 53218 Main: (414) 527-0990

#### WASHINGTON PARK SENIOR CENTER

Manager: *Diane Chilinski* 4420 W Vliet St Milwaukee, WI 53208 Main: (414) 933-2332

#### WILSON PARK SENIOR CENTER

Manager: *Shannon Downie* 2601 W Howard Ave Milwaukee, WI 53221 Main: (414) 282-5566

# **Highlighted Events**



#### **CLINTON & BERNICE ROSE SENIOR CENTER**

#### Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen & Shopping -Suggested Contribution: \$35 Wednesday, September 20, 9:00 -5:30

Enjoy delicious seafood and more. Then head to a local shopping mall afterwards. *Contribution includes transportation only.* 

Must register by September 5.

#### \*\*\* SNEAK PEEK FOR OCTOBER \*\*\*

**The Pink Prom - Suggested Contribution: \$15 Thursday, October 12, 12:00 - 3:00** Wear your best shade of pink to help kick off the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer campaign.

Must register by September 25.

#### **KELLY SENIOR CENTER**

## Elder Suicide Prevention Resource Fair

Presented by The Cudahy Health Department Thursday, September 14 9:00 - 10:00 Resource Fair 10:00 - 11:30 Presentation

Suicide amongst older adults is on the rise. Attend this resource fair to learn about ways you can help.

#### Flu Vaccination Clinic

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#### **MCGOVERN PARK SENIOR CENTER**

**Emergency Preparedness Plan**  *Presented by Violet Kryshak*  **Wednesday, September 6, 12:30** Learn how to plan and prepare for disasters and emergencies. A Go-Bag packing list will be given to all those who attend.

#### Headwrap for Beginners

Presented by Abby Ajigola

**Friday, September 8, 12:30** Bring your own scarf (a long one) for an individual lesson on how to tie a headwrap. Neighborhood Improvement Development Meet & Greet Salad Fest Presented by Ruth Moore Monday, September 25, 12:30

Don't miss this opportunity to meet other members in the community in a casual setting. Be sure to bring your appetite for the salad bar!

#### WASHINGTON PARK SENIOR CENTER

#### (NEW) Stepping On

**Thursdays, starts September 14, 9:30 - 11:30** This 7-week, community-based program empowers adults with strategies that reduce the risk of falls.

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**Tuesday, September 12, 12:30 - 1:30** Learn how to plan and prepare for disasters and emergencies. A Go-Bag packing list will be given to all those who attend.

#### Falls Prevention Resource Fair

Presented by MKE Co. Falls Prevention Coalition **Thursday, September 21 , 9:30 - 11:30** Take advantage of fall risk screenings and resources to improve safety and reduce falls. Gift card drawing and performance by Dancing Grannies!

#### **Listening Session**

**Wednesday, September 27, 12:30 - 2:00** Attend this session with Aging and Disability Resource Center and share how they can work for you.

#### WILSON PARK SENIOR CENTER

#### Wellness Wednesday: "Benefits of a Nutritious, Organic Low-carb Diet"

**Wednesday, September 6, 10:30** Nutrition is important for a happy healthy life. We will explore how a low-carb diet can be nutritional.

#### (NEW) Stepping On

**Mondays, starts September 11, 12:15 - 2:15** This 7-week, community-based program empowers adults with strategies that reduce the risk of falls.

#### China Lights Travel Trip -Suggested Contribution: \$30 Tuesday, September 26, 4:15

Enjoy breathtaking light displays, sounds and food as you walk through the gardens. **Must register by September 18.** 

#### \*\*\*SNEAK PEEK FOR OCTOBER\*\*\*

Tristan Crist Magic Show -Suggested Contribution: \$30 Tuesday, October 10, 12:00

Get ready to be mystified and amazed as we travel to Lake Geneva to enjoy this show that has all the thrills of a Vegas magic performance. **Must register by September 20.** 

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# **Tech Connect for Older Adults**

**Tech Connect for Older Adults** seeks to empower adults 50 and better to understand and utilize the ever-growing world of technology. The benefits of technology for older adults are endless. Whether you are a beginner looking for an introduction to technology or an experienced user with technical questions about your cell phone, tablet, or computer, we are here to help. To sign up for a class, please visit our website, www.servingolderadults.org, and click on "Tech Connect".

## **GETTING STARTED WITH FACEBOOK**

Clinton Rose Senior Center - Tuesday, September 12, 1:00-2:15 Kelly Senior Center - Tuesday, September 5, 12:30-1:45 McGovern Park Senior Center - Wednesday, September 6, 1:00-2:15 Washington Park Senior Center - Thursday, September 7, 1:00-2:15 Wilson Park Senior Center - Wednesday, September 13, 10:00-11:15

During this hands-on workshop, you will sign up for Facebook and begin building your profile. You'll also learn how to find friends and will get a brief introduction to Facebook's privacy settings. If you're ready to join Facebook, then this workshop is for you!

# FINDING COMMUNITY ON SENIOR PLANET COMMUNITY

Clinton Rose Senior Center - Wednesday, September 20, 10:00-11:15 Kelly Senior Center - Tuesday, September 19, 12:30-1:45 McGovern Park Senior Center - Wednesday, September 20, 1:00-2:15 Washington Park Senior Center - Thursday, September 21, 10:00-11:15 Wilson Park Senior Center - Tuesday, September 19, 10:00-11:15

Senior Planet is transforming social media through its new, ad-free site Senior Planet Community (SPC), a place for older adults to make friends, share their interests, and age with attitude. In this hands-on workshop, you'll sign up for SPC and learn about its key features. You'll explore the many groups where you can connect with others, learn about posting and messaging, and discuss the site's safety and privacy features.

To sign up, call the center or go to https://servingolderadults.org/tech-connect/

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Tech Connect for Older Adults

A Program of SOA

# **Clinton & Bernice Rose Senior Center**

#### **Movie Watchers Club**

Led by Yvonne Thomas **Friday, September 1, 9:00 - 11:00** Watch a movie and engage in lively discussions afterwards. Popcorn and hot dogs available for purchase.

#### **Walk Aerobics**

Led by Shirley Horton Thursdays, 9:30 - 10:00

Walk Aerobics is a free walking and fitness program for older adults striving to lead more active lives.

#### **Friday Day Bingo**

Hosted by Charlotte Lewis Fridays, 12:00 - 1:00 Spend the afternoon relaxing and playing Bingo with fellow participants.

Morning Blend w/Hot Topics -Suggested Contribution: \$2 (includes cup of coffee & donut) Led by Doris Hopkins-Brown Mondays, 9:30 - 10:30 Discuss the daily hot topic with your peers.

#### **ADS Outreach**

Presented by MKE Co. DHHS Aging & Disability Services **Tuesday, September 7, 10:00 - 12:00** Meet with Outreach Social Worker Andrew Bethke for up-to-date information about a wide array of resources and community-based services.

#### **Clean Up**

Hosted by Freda Wright **Thursday, September 7, 9:00 - 12:00** Volunteers are needed to help collect trash from the street area. Come and check out Eras Senior Network & Clinton Rose Cleaning Up Day. **For information, call (414)-263-2255.** 

#### Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen & Shopping -Suggested Contribution: \$35 Wednesday, September 20, 9:00 -5:30

Enjoy delicious seafood and more at Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen. Then head to a local shopping mall afterwards. *Contribution includes transportation only.* **Must register by September 5.** 

#### Cooking Demonstration w/Chef Marvin, "The Unsalted Chef"

Presented by HEAL (Healthy Eating Active Living) **Thursday, September 21, 10:15 - 11:15** Learn how to make a simple, delicious, and low-sodium meal. Recipe and samples will be available.

#### Advisory Committee Meeting Tuesday, September 26, 10:30 - 11:00

Get the inside scoop on upcoming events and share your ideas for the future of Clinton Rose. If you would like access via Zoom please call 414-263-2255 for details.

#### **Memories in the Making**

Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association **Thursday, September 28, 10:00 - 12:00** This is a unique art program that allows individuals with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias to express themselves through art and storytelling. Supplies are included. **Pre-registration required.** 

### Speak Your Mind

#### Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 4:30

Don't miss this opportunity to share what's on your mind with fellow participants.

#### **Library Area**

#### Mondays - Friday, 8:30 - 3:30

Enjoy a peaceful area where you can get lost in a great book.

#### Walk Easier

**Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 12:00 - 1:00** Take an easy stroll while listening to R&B music. Walking will improve your overall health, lower your blood pressure and blood sugar.

#### **Billiards Room**

**Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 3:30** Come on in and chase the eight ball around the table. There are always plenty of friendly faces ready for a pool game.

## Computer Lab

#### Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 4:30

Do you need access to the internet? Or maybe you just need access to a computer. Our computer lab is here for all of our participants!

# Open Sewing -

#### Suggested Contribution: \$8 (4 weeks) Mondays, Tuesdays, & Fridays, 9:00 - 3:30

If you love to sew and enjoy the company of other sewing enthusiasts, then come to our open sewing room. A sewing room orientation is required. *Open Sewing & Miss Daisy's Sewing are two different groups. If interested in doing both, the total suggested contribution is \$16.* 

#### **Wisdom Studies**

*Led By Clifton Joseph* **Tuesdays, 9:30 - 10:30** Embark on a spiritual journey.

#### **Wisdom Counselor**

Presented by Prophetess Willie Seward-Fowlkes **Tuesdays, 12:15 - 1:15** Do you need someone to talk to or pray with you? Mother Fowlkes is available for support.

#### Roselettes Dance Group Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 - 10:30

Get your feet moving! Join our eloquent dancing group for some fun and community involvement.

# **Clinton & Bernice Rose Senior Center**

#### Bingo

Sponsored by Eras Senior Network & WestCare Wednesdays, 9:00 - 10:00

Let's get ready to play BINGO!! Eras & WestCare will be hosting Bingo and providing amazing prizes. You don't want to miss the excitement. They will also be sharing resources and answering questions.

#### **Soulful Coloring**

Facilitated by Shami L. Wednesdays, 10:00 - 11:00 Love coloring and listening to music? This class is a perfect blend of both.

#### **Senior Striders**

Led by Evelyn Merriett Wednesdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Reap the benefits of seated exercises. This class will help those with limited mobility to improve their flexibility, and circulation, while strengthening their bodies.

#### Miss Daisy's Sewing Group - Suggested Contribution: \$8 Thursdays, 12:00 - 2:00

Join a fabulous group of quilters to complete group projects. Some sewing skills required. Open Sewing & Miss Daisy's Sewing are two different groups. If interested in doing both, the total suggested contribution is \$16.

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Oh sweet September, thy first breezes bring The dry leaf's rustle and the squirrel's laughter, The cool fresh air whence health and vigor spring And promise of exceeding joy hereafter.

- George Arnold

Monday 9:30-10:30 Morning Blend 12:00-1:00 Walk Easier	Tuesday9:00-10:30Roselettes DanceGroup Practice9:30-10:30Wisdom Studies12:15-2:15Praise & Worship	Wednesday 9:00-10:00 Bingo 10:00-11:00 Senior Striders 11:00-12:00 Walk Easier
Thursday 9:00–10:30 Roselettes Dance Group Practice 12:00–1:00 Walk Aerobics	Friday 9:00–11:00 Movie Watchers Club 12:00–1:00 Walk Easier	Daily 8:30-3:30 Fitness Center 8:30-4:30 Speak Your Mind 8:30-3:30 Billiards Area (includes: pool games, cards, chess, checkers & dominoes) 8:30-3:30 Library Area 8:30-3:30 Computer Leb
* Has a suggested contribution		8:30–3:30 Computer Lab 10:00–3:30 Open Sewing *

# **Kelly Senior Center**

## Boost Your Brain & Memory

**Fridays, Sep. 1 - Oct. 27, 9:00 - 10:00** This evidence-based program takes a holistic approach to lower the risk of developing dementia. **Registration required.** 

#### (NEW) Stepping On

#### Tuesdays, Sep. 5 - Oct. 17, 2:30 - 4:30

This 7-week, community-based program empowers adults with strategies that reduce the risk of falls. **Registration required.** 

#### Bingo

Sponsored by Right at Home Wednesday, September 6, 1:00 Join us for an afternoon of Bingo! Registration recommended.

#### **Tame Your Pain**

**Thursdays, September 7 - 28, 10:00 - 11:00** Learn strategies to calm your body's response to pain in this 4-part series. **Registration recommended.** 

#### Qigong & Listening Prayer

**Thursdays, September 7 - 28, 11:00 - 12:00** Use gentle movements and breath control to promote healing energy throughout the mind, body, and spirit in this 4-part series. **Registration recommended.** 

#### Dobie the Concertina Man

Friday, September 8, 1:00 - 3:00 Join us for an afternoon of live polka music, ragtime, jazz, and sing-a-longs. **Registration recommended.** 

#### Motor Vehicle Repair Law

Wednesday, September 13, 10:00

Learn consumer protection laws and how to select a repair shop, order parts, and purchase a vehicle. **Registration recommended.** 

#### Volunteer Meetup Wednesday, September 12, 1

#### Wednesday, September 13, 1:00

Meet other Kelly volunteers for the latest volunteerrelated news, and share any concerns. Or sign up for volunteer opportunities. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Medicare Appointments

**Thursday, September 14, 9:00 - 11:00** Meet with a Medicare expert to have questions answered. See Deanna to make an appointment.

#### **Elder Suicide Prevention Resource Fair**

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#### **Flu Vaccination Clinic**

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#### My Words Are Sacred: An Introductory Writing Class

Monday, September 18, 1:00 - 2:30

Writing should be fun! Get the support to write in prose and different genres, such as: memoir, non-fiction, fiction, and more. **Registration recommended.** 

#### Women's Club: Frogs & How They Communicate Monday, September 18, 1:30

Attend this lecture from Dr. Gerlinde Hoebel, biology professor at UWM, to learn about frog behavior and how they communicate with each other. **Registration recommended.** 

#### **Falls Prevention Resource Fair**

Presented by MKE Co. Falls Prevention Coalition **Tuesday, September 19, 9:30 - 11:30** 

Learn how to prevent falls. Take advantage of fall risk screenings and resources to improve safety and reduce falls. Gift cards and giveaways throughout! Walk-ins welcome.

# Card Making Class - Suggested Contribution: \$5

**Tuesday, September 19, 11:00 - 3:00** Make two greeting cards for taking home. Supplies and instructions will be provided. Homemade door prize for one lucky winner! **Registration required.** 

#### Bingo

Sponsored by Williamstown Bay **Tuesday, September 19, 1:00** Join us for an afternoon of Bingo! **Registration recommended.** 

#### Seasonal Tiered Tray Making Wednesday, September 20, 10:00

Decorate a tiered tray with seasonal paper crafting! All supplies are included and an instructor will be available to help. **Registration required.** 

#### Garden Club Meeting

#### Tuesday, September 26, 1:00 - 1:30

Join the Garden Club's monthly meeting to catch up on garden-related news and plans. Walk-ins welcome.

#### **ADS Outreach**

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#### Advisory Meeting Wednesday, September 27, 1:00

Get the inside scoop on upcoming events and share your ideas for the future of Kelly Senior Center. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Morning Exercise Mondays & Fridays, 8:45 - 10:00

A variety of balance, strength, and flexibility exercises to help you feel great throughout the day. Monday sessions are followed by chair dancing. Friday sessions include a low-impact cardio workout. Walk-ins welcome.

# **Kelly Senior Center**

#### Tai Chi Practice Session Mondays, 10:00 - 11:00

This is a guided practice time for Tai Chi practitioners at all levels. Walk-ins welcome.

#### **Movement & Music: Parkinson Disease Exercise**

Presented by Wisconsin Parkinson Association

#### Mondays, 11:30 - 1:30

Manage Parkinson's symptoms while having fun! This class uses stretches, strength training, posture, balance and walking drills, as well as vocal exercises. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Quilting - Suggested Contribution: \$20 (July - September) Monday - Friday, 1:00 - 4:30

Learn new techniques and patterns for your sewing projects. Volunteer instructors are available to help with guilting machines. **Registration required.** 

#### **Morning Fitness**

**Tuesdays & Thursdays, 8:30 - 9:30** Start your day working out to a fitness video with a great group of people! Walk-ins welcome.

#### Ceramics Studio - Suggested Contribution: \$20 (July - September)

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 - 12:00 Use ceramic molds, paints and glazes to create artful

objects. Suggested contribution includes use of the kiln. **Registration required.** 

## Adaptive Chair Yoga

#### Tuesdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Use a chair to perform seated and standing yoga postures. For all levels. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Writing Club Tuesdays, 10:00 - 12:00

Walk-ins welcome.

Enjoy writing free from distraction. All writing types and experience levels are welcome. Sharing is optional.

#### Chronic Pain & Illness Peer Mentorship Group 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 2:30 - 3:30

Living with chronic pain or illness? Meet others in a similar situation and share stories, tips, and support. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Acoustic Music Meetup 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 10:30 - 12:00

Meet fellow musicians to learn new tunes, and share resources. Bring your ukulele, acoustic guitar, or mandolin. Walk-ins welcome.

# Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS)

Wednesdays, 9:30 - 11:00 Reach your weight-loss goals with the tools, support, information, and accountability needed to be successful. Join Cudahy Chapter 33's weekly meetings. Registration required.

## Line Dancing

**Wednesdays, 11:00 - 12:00** Some line dancing experience is required. Get moving with our experienced volunteer instructor. Walk-ins welcome.

### Open Art Studio

#### Wednesdays, 10:00 - 12:00

Join the fun and get assistance with painting and drawing from experienced artists. Open to all skill levels. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Knit & Crochet

#### Thursdays, 9:00 - 11:00

It doesn't matter if you are a beginner or a seasoned crafter. Come join the fun. Walk-ins welcome.

#### Nature Walk Thursdays, 9:00

Dress for the weather and wear walking shoes to join the walking group for a hike through Warnimont Park. The group meets in the lobby. Walk-ins welcome.

Monday 8:45 Morning Exercise 10:00 Tai Chi 12:30 Mahjong 12:30 Parkinson's Exercise 1:00 Dartball 1:00 Dominoes 1:00 Quilting *	Tuesday8:30Morning Fitness9:00Ceramics *9:00Quilting *10:00Chair Yoga10:00Chronic Illness Group10:30Acoustic Meetup2:00Writing Club	Wednesday 9:30 TOPS 10:00 Art Studio 10:00 Sheepshead 11:00 Line Dancing 12:30 Canasta 1:00 Dominoes 1:00 Quilting *
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# **McGovern Park Senior Center**

#### **Growing Milwaukee**

Presented by The City of Milwaukee Friday, September 1, 10:00 - 1:00

The Department of City Development is leading an effort called Growing MKE. Growing MKE is a citywide planning effort that will set a framework for housing growth in Milwaukee. You are invited to attend and share how your vision for the city.

#### **Emergency Preparedness Plan** *Presented by Violet Kryshak*

Wednesday, September 6, 12:30

Learn how to plan and prepare for disasters and emergencies. A Go-Bag packing list will be given to all those who attend.

#### **Identity Theft: Protect & Prevent**

Presented by Bennet Merens (DATCP) Thursday, September 7, 10:00

The WI Bureau of Consumer Protection will review different types of identity theft. Informational brochures will be available.

#### **Headwrap for Beginners**

Presented by Abby Ajigola Friday, September 8, 12:30

Bring your own scarf (a long one) for an individual lesson on how to tie a headwrap.

#### **Learning Medicare**

Presented by Humana

#### Monday, September 11, 12:30

Want to know the difference between Medicare and Medicaid? Here is your chance to gain knowledge between the two.

#### **WeCare Pharmacy**

Presented by Mohamed Elsheikh

Wednesday, September 13, 10:00 Weight loss can improve cardiovascular issues and reduce the risk of complications related to obesity. Learn about healthy serving sizes and portion control to help with weight loss. Healthy snacks will be given to those who participate.

#### **Empowerment Conversation**

Presented by Abby Ajigola **Friday, September 15, 12:30** Let's come together for some fun and meaningful conversation while enjoying coffee and donuts.

#### **Learning Medicare Part 2**

Presented by Humana Monday, September 18, 12:30 Is Medicare enough for your medical needs? Find out how Medicare Supplement may benefit you.

#### **Relaxation Class**

Presented by Abby Ajibola

Friday, September 22, 12:30

Learn various methods to relieve tension from your hands and feet.

#### Neighborhood Improvement Development Meet & Greet Salad Fest

Presented by Ruth Moore Monday, September 25, 12:30

Don't miss this opportunity to meet other members in the community in a casual setting. Be sure to bring your appetite for the salad bar!

#### **Relaxation Part 2**

Presented by Abby Ajigola Friday, September 29, 12:30

Hand massage has many benefits like reducing stress and tension, better circulation, and improving range of motion. Learn simple hand massage techniques.

## Healthy Eating Active Living:

Cooking Demonstration

#### Presented by Chef Marvin Thursday, September 7, 12:00 - 1:30

Chef Marvin will demonstrate how to prepare a healthy dish using items from the stockbox. Enjoy a delicious sample afterwards.

#### **Blood Pressure Check**

Presented by Milwaukee Career College Mondays, September 11 & 25, 10:00 Having your blood pressure checked regularly can help you keep it at a healthy level.

#### Advisory Meeting

#### Thursday, September 21, 9:00

Learn what's happening with SOA and McGovern Park Senior Center. This is a time to ask questions and voice your concerns.

#### Bingo

#### Thursday, September 21, 12:30

Are you ready to play Bingo? You will have a chance to win exciting prizes sponsored by Safe and Sound.

#### **Book Club**

Thursday, September 21, 12:30

Book: "The Overstory" by Richard Power. Purchase this book or check your local library.

#### **Coffee Bar**

#### Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 11:30

We've got just what you need, coffee and friends that make the perfect blend.

#### Billiards

#### Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 4:30

Want to shoot pool? There are always plenty of friendly faces ready for a game.

#### Walking Group

#### Mondays & Wednesdays, 9:00 - 10:00

Social support is a key factor in sticking with an exercise program, and a walking group can provide the motivation you need to stay active.

# **McGovern Park Senior Center**

#### TOPS

#### Mondays, 9:00 - 10:00

Taking off pounds sensibly can help you effectively shed those unwanted pounds. Best of all you'll learn health options from supportive TOPS members.

#### Dance for Fun & Fitness Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:00 - 11:00, 11:30 -12:30, Fridays, 10:00 - 11:00

Shake up your fitness routine with line dancing. This workout is something you are sure to enjoy.

#### **Upper Body Exercise**

**Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays, 11:00** This is an upper body workout using hand weights.

#### Dance for Fun & Fitness Beginners Class Fridays, 11:30 - 12:30

This class is for those who are new to line dancing.

#### Lapidary

#### Tuesdays, 8:30 - 3:00

Lapidary is the cutting and polishing of stone or rocks to bring out its inner beauty.

#### Balance & Stretch Tuesdays, 9:00 - 9:930

Strengthening and cardio get all the attention, but flexibility and balance are the two most overlooked components of fitness. Prevent injuries and falls with this free class.

## Exercise for Seniors

#### Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Exercise helps people lose weight and lower the risk of some diseases including high blood pressure, diabetes, and obesity. Give today's workout a try.

### Metalsmithing

#### Tuesdays, 11:00-3:00

Metalsmithing uses wire and sheets of metal to create jewelry.

#### **McGovern Chess Club**

Presented by Harold Turner **Tuesdays, 1:00 - 2:00** 

Interested in playing chess? In this interactive beginners course you will learn the rules of chess, tactics, attack and defense.

#### Open Crafts & Quilting Wednesdays, 8:30 - 4:30

This is a group of crafters who love quilting, sewing, knitting and sharing their individual expertise with one another.

#### **Bible Study**

**1st, 2nd, & 4th Friday of the month, 10:00** If you are interested in spiritual growth, you will enjoy this study group.

<sup>66</sup> By all these lovely tokens, September days are here, With summer's best of weather And autumn's best of cheer."

- Helen Hunt Jackson

Monday 9:00 TOPS 9:00 Walking Group 10:00 Billiards for Beginners 10:00 Dance For Fun & Fitness 11:00 Upper Body Exercise 1:00-4:30 Bring Your Own Device (BOYD) Day	Tuesday 8:30 Lapidary 8:30-12:00 Fitness & Nutrition 8:30-12:00 Bring Your Own Device (BOYD) Day 8:30 Fitness Center Orientation 10:00 Exercise for Seniors 11:00 Metalsmithing 1:00 Chess Club	Wednesday 8:30 Quilting 8:30 Open Crafts 9:00 Walking Group 10:00 Billiards for Beginners 10:00 Dance for Fun & Fitness
Thursday 9:00 Advisory Meeting (every 3rd Thursday) 10:00 Exercise for Seniors 12:30 Bingo (every 3rd Thursday)	Friday 9:00 Walking Group 10:00 Dance for Fun & Fitness 10:00 Bible Study (every 1st, 2nd & 4th Friday) 11:00 Upper Body Exercise	Daily 8:30 Billiards 8:30 Fitness Center 8:30 Coffee Bar 8:30 Computer Lab 8:30 Puzzle Table 9:00–1:00 Re-Gift Shop 11:00–12:00 Lunch

# **Washington Park Senior Center**

#### (NEW) Stepping On

**Thursdays, starts September 14, 9:30 - 11:30** This 7-week, community-based program empowers adults with strategies that reduce the risk of falls.

# Emergency Preparedness Plan

**Tuesday, September 12, 12:30 - 1:30** Learn how to plan and prepare for disasters and emergencies. A Go-Bag packing list will be given to all those who attend.

#### Falls Prevention Resource Fair

Presented by MKE Co. Falls Prevention Coalition **Thursday, September 21 , 9:30 - 11:30** Take advantage of fall risk screenings and resources to improve safety and reduce falls. Gift card drawing and performance by Dancing Grannies!

#### **Listening Session**

### Wednesday, September 27, 12:30 - 2:00

Attend this session with Aging and Disability Resource Center and share how they can work for you.

#### **Boost Your Brain & Memory**

**Thursdays, September 7, 14 & 21, 12:15 - 1:45** This evidence-based program takes a holistic approach to improving brain health. Learn ways to lower the risk of developing dementia.

#### Health Equity Lunch & Learn Workshop

Sponsored by The Center For Leadership, Heddy Keith (President and CEO)

Thursday, September 28, 11:00 - 1:00 Learn how to advocate for yourself when speaking to doctors. Lunch is provided for free. Must register by September 19.

#### Joy Comes in the Morning

Presented by Gloria Webster **Wednesdays, September 6 & 20, 9:30 - 10:30** Let's talk about your feelings. This is a safe space to talk about loss, depression, and guidance — and to realize that "joy comes in the morning."

#### Cooking Demonstration w/Chef Marvin, "The Unsalted Chef"

**Thursday, September 14, 11:30 - 12:30** Learn how to make a simple, delicious, and low-sodium meal. Recipe and samples will be available.

#### Birthday Celebration

**Wednesday, September 27, 12:30 - 1:30.** Join us as we celebrate September birthdays with music, dancing and refreshments.

#### **Open Gardening**

**Monday - Thursday, 9:00 - 11:00** If you love working outside and beautifying the courtyard, then join us for fun and relaxation.

#### **ADS Outreach**

#### Presented by MKE Co. DHHS Aging & Disability Services Monday, September 5, 9:30 - 10:30

Meet with Outreach Social Worker Andrew Bethke for up-to-date information about a wide array of resources and community-based services.

#### Advisory Meeting

**Tuesday, September 12 , 10:00** Find out what's happening and share your ideas. All participants are encouraged to attend.

#### Balance & Stretch Mondays, 12:30 - 1:00

Prevent injuries and falls using techniques that improve flexibility and balance.

# Yoga - Suggested Contribution: \$6/class

(pay by the month), Mondays, 9:00 - 10:00 Yoga classes use gentle movements to improve flexibility, balance, strength and posture. All levels are welcome.

#### Open Sew

#### Mondays, 9:00 - 11:00

Learn basic sewing skills and how to mend clothes. Bring your projects and creative ideas.

#### Knitting & Crochet Mondays, 9:00 - 11:00

Learn how to knit or crochet at your own pace. Please bring your own basic supplies (we do have some to share).

## Chair Arthritis

#### Mondays, 10:00 - 11:00

Reduce joint pain and improve overall flexibility while sitting and exercising at your own pace.

#### Billiards

#### Mondays, 9:00 - 10:00 (lessons) Tuesday - Friday, 9:00 - 3:00 (open play)

Learn to play pool with an instructor or work on your skills individually. WPSC has a wonderful billiards room with several tables to use.

#### Hand Weights

**Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 10:30 - 11:30** Get your heart rate up and stay active with this class that will give you a full body workout. All levels are welcome.

## Table Tennis (Ping Pong)

Monday - Friday, 1:00 - 4:00

Playing a friendly game is a fun way to get daily exercise and increase eye-hand coordination.

#### Woodshop - Suggested Contribution: \$25/mo. Monday - Friday, 9:00 - 3:00

New participants must attend an orientation prior to registration. Sign up for an orientation in the office.

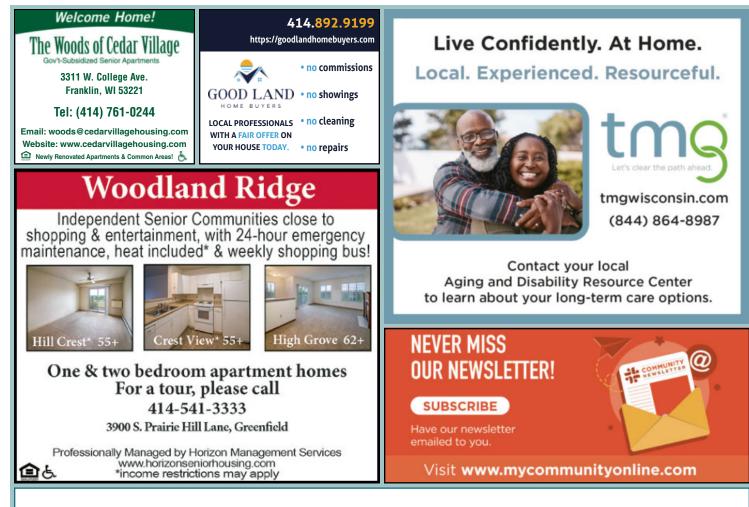
#### Wii Bowling

Monday - Friday, 9:00 - 1:00

Wii Bowling is a great way to get moving while having fun with others in the lobby.

#### Guitar/Stringed Instruments Tuesdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Open jam session. All stringed instruments and singers are welcome and encouraged!



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# Washington Park Senior Center

## Scrapbooking

#### Tuesdays, 10:30 - 1:30

Get creative by designing one-of-a-kind pages. All skill levels are welcome!

#### Game Day

#### Tuesdays, 12:00- 2:00

Play a variety of card and board games with friends. New games will include Spades and Biz Whist.

#### Gospel Choir

#### Tuesdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Lift every voice and sing! Join the WSPC Gospel Choir and sing songs of praise and worship.

#### Chess

#### Tuesdays, 10:00 - 1:00

Join the Washington Park Chess Players for a friendly game of chess. All levels are welcome.

#### Silver Steppers

#### Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Get moving and into shape with this upbeat line dance class while grooving to fun tunes.

#### Bocce Ball

#### Wednesdays, 10:00 - 11:00

Enjoy a game of bocce ball outside on the west lawn. Weather permitting.

#### Phase 10

#### Wednesdays, 12:30 - 2:00

Phase 10 is an exciting and challenging card game. We hope you will join us.

#### Quilting - Suggested Contribution: \$20 (July - September) Wednesdays, 9:00 - 12:30

Bring your creativity! Quilting support is provided by our knowledgeable leader.

#### Shuffleboard

Wednesdays, 9:30 - 10:30 Join this WPSC favorite! Get some exercise and have lots of fun. All levels are welcome.

#### Matinee at Washington

Wednesdays, 12:30 Each week will feature a different movie genre.

#### **Bible Study**

Thursdays, 10:30 - 11:30 Enjoy a short lesson and some good conversation, along with handouts you can take home.

## **Horseshoe League**

Thursdays, 9:00 - 11:00 Come join us for a fun outdoor game. Weather permitting

#### **Detroit Style Ballroom Dance -**Suggested Contribution: \$4/class (pay by the month), Thursdays, 12:30 - 1:45

This instructor-led class will start with basic techniques and then advance from there.

### Having Fun w/Art

Thursdays, 12:30 - 1:30 Do you love to sketch, doodle, or color? Supplies will be provided. All levels are invited to join.

## Stained Glass - Suggested Contribution: \$25

(July - September) Friday, 9:00 - 11:00 Create beautiful projects with guided instruction from a highly experienced and creative instructor.

#### Bingo

Fridays, 12:30 - 1:45 (dining room) Play Bingo and win prizes!

## Piano - Suggested Contribution: \$8/week

(pay month to month), Fridays, 9:00 - 3:00 Learn to play the piano with individual instruction. Time slots for lessons fill up quickly. Come to the office to reserve a spot. All skill levels are welcome.

#### Tennis

#### Fridays, 9:00 - 11:00

Play a friendly game of tennis with the WPSC tennis players. Get in shape and have fun, too!

Monday           9:00-10:00         Yoga *           9:00-10:00         Billiards (lessons)           9:00-11:00         Knitting & Crochet           9:00-11:00         Open Sew           10:00-11:00         Chair Arthritis Exercise           10:30-11:30         Hand Weights           12:30-1:00         Balance & Stretch	Tuesday           10:00-1:00         Chess           10:00-11:00         Gospel Choir           10:00-11:00         Stringed Instruments/           Vocals         10:00-11:00           10:30-11:00         Silver Steppers           10:30-1:30         Scrapbooking           12:00-2:00         Game Day	Wednesday           9:00-12:30         Quilting *           9:30-10:30         Shuffleboard           10:00-11:00         Bocce Ball           10:30-11:30         Hand Weights           12:30         Movie Matinee           12:30-2:00         Phase 10
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# **Wilson Park Senior Center**

#### **Quilting Classes -**

**Suggested Contribution: \$25/class (10 Weeks)** Sharpen your skills with instructor-led techniques. There are 4 classes that offer unique experiences.

Registration starts September 1. Mondays, 9:00-11:00 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13) Tuesdays, 1:00-3:00 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13) Thursdays, 9:30 -11:30 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13) Fridays, 9:00-11:30 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13)

#### **Open Sew Classes -**

Suggested Contribution: \$20/class (10 weeks) Mondays, 9:00 - 11:00 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13) Wednesdays, 12:00-2:00 (Sep. 11- Nov. 13) Registration starts September 1. Learn new techniques for your projects. There are

3 classes that offer unique experiences.

#### Wellness Wednesday:

"Benefits of a Nutritious, Organic Low-carb Diet" Wednesday, September 6, 10:30

Nutrition is important for a happy healthy life. We will explore how a low-carb diet can be nutritional.

#### Big Band Concert & Dance

**Monday, September 11, 1:30** Show off your best dance moves at this classic big band show.

#### (NEW) Stepping On

**Mondays, starts September 11, 12:15 - 2:15** This 7-week, community-based program empowers adults with strategies that reduce the risk of falls.

#### Bingo

#### Tuesday, September 12, 1:00

All Bingo lovers are welcome to join the fun with a chance to win praiseworthy prizes.

#### Coin & Stamp Collectors Group

**Tuesday, September 12, 11:00 - 12:00** Share some of your treasured collections with other enthusiasts.

#### Armchair Travel: New Delhi, India Thursday, September 14, 1:00

Experience the vibrant city of New Delhi, India in a virtual setting.

Please register by September 11.

#### Wilson Senior Center Advisory Meeting Wednesday, September 20, 10:00 - 10:30

Hear updates, stay informed and ask questions. Attend in person or virtually.

#### China Lights Travel Trip Suggested Contribution: \$30 Tuesday, September 26, 4:15 Enjoy breathtaking light displays, sounds and food as you walk through the gardens.

## Must register by September 18.

Book Club

**Wednesday, September 27, 10:15** Book: "The Underground Girls of Kabul" Author: Jenny Nordberg

#### Boost Your Brain & Memory Mondays, 12:15 - 1:45

This evidence-based program takes a holistic approach to lowering the risk of developing dementia.

#### Wood Shop - Suggested Contribution: \$25/mo. Monday - Friday, 9:00 - 3:00

(Subject to change if hosts are unavailable) Build your own creations with the wide selection of equipment housed in the shop.

#### Paper-crafting - Suggested Contribution: \$15 Tuesdays, 9:00 - 11:00

Join this group and stamp on to create one-of-a-kind projects.

#### Beginning German - Suggested Contribution: \$10 Tuesdays, 1:00

Learn the basics of the German language and culture.

#### Garden Club

2nd & 4th Tuesday, 10:00

Calling all garden lovers. There will be discussions, demonstrations, presentations and more!

#### **Morning Exercise**

**Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 9:15 - 10:00** Enjoy low impact exercise that will improve your range of motion and overall health.

#### Hot/Fused Glass - Suggested Contribution: \$25 (September - November)

**Mondays & Wednesdays, 9:00 - 4:00** Create beautiful works of art utilizing various glass fusion techniques.

#### Low-Impact Aerobics

**Mondays & Thursdays, 1:00 - 2:00** Enjoy a good workout without putting stress on your joints.

#### Guided Art Studio - Suggested Contribution: \$25 Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 - 3:15

Work on your own creative projects, with support as needed from an extremely talented artist.

#### Stained Glass - Suggested Contribution: \$25 Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 - 4:00

Create projects using patterns or your own designs.

#### Beginning Crochet - Suggested Contribution: \$10 Tuesdays, 1:00 - 2:00

Try your hand at crocheting. Beginning stitches will help you learn the basics. Materials are included.

#### Cornhole League

**Tuesdays, 1:00 - 2:00** Play indoors with the Cornhole League and show off your bean bag tossing skills.

#### Woodcarvers & Burners Wednesdays, 8:30 - 11:30

Create your next masterpiece using tools and materials in our woodshop.

# **Wilson Park Senior Center**

#### Bible Study

#### Wednesdays, 10:15 - 11:15;

Come join us as we dig deeper into the word and learn more about scripture.

#### Spring Forest Qigong

**Wednesdays, 10:15 - 11:00** This powerful practice promotes healing energy throughout the mind, body, and spirit.

#### Gentle Yoga

#### Wednesdays, 2:00

Yoga is safe for all ages and body types. This lowimpact exercise can be adapted to any level of fitness.

#### **Railroad Club**

#### Wednesdays & Thursdays, 1:00

Are you a railroad enthusiast? Join our Railroad Club and enjoy the beautiful model train room.

#### Advanced German - Suggested Contribution: \$10 Thursdays, 9:15

Build upon your current German-speaking skills.

Dartball - Suggested Contribution: \$15 Thursdays, starting September 21 Play dartball with other participants. Sign up starts September 7

#### Guitar Jam

#### Fridays, 9:30 - 12:00

Jam with folks who love to play guitar. All levels are welcome to join the fun.

#### Tap Dance - Suggested Contribution: \$40 (August 10 - October 19) Thursdays, Advanced, 9:00; Intermediate, 9:45; Beginners, 10:30 Tap your way to fitness and fun! Three sessions

of continuing tap instruction are available.

#### Weaving-Intermediate -Suggested Contribution: \$15 Thursday & Friday, 9:00 - 2:00

The weaving group is back at it again. Experienced weavers are encouraged to join as well.

Movies & Popcorn Fridays, 1:00 September 1 - Men in Black September 8 - Not Without My Daughter September 15 - Marriage Story September 22 - This is Where I Leave You Come and enjoy a movie and popcorn!

#### **Outdoor Yoga**

Soak up the sunshine and learn new moves. Call the Wilson Senior Center to stay informed with the details.

#### **Calling All Plant Lovers!**

Looking for plant enthusiasts to assist in the upkeep and care of the solarium. Stop by the office for more details.

#### **Halloween Candy Drive**

Take part in this family-fun, neighborhood event for kids to trick-or-treat in a safe environment. Donate a bag of candy to Trunk or Treat **by October 14**.

Monday8:45Ceramic Studio *9:00Scrabble9:00Hot/Fused Glass *9:00Quilting *9:15Morning Exercise10:30Intermediate Line Dancing *11:00Open Sew *12:00Sheepshead1:00Low Impact Aerobics1:30Big Band Dance (2nd)	Tuesday9:00Paper Crafting *9:00Stained Glass Studio *9:00Open Sew *9:00Chess10:00Garden Club (2nd/4th)11:00Coin & Stamp (3rd)11:30Guided Art Studio *12:30Sojourn Bear Group1:00Beginner Crochet1:00Cornhole1:00Bingo (2nd)	Wednesday8:45Ceramic Studio *9:00Wood Carving & Burning9:00Scrabble9:00Hot/Fused Glass *9:15Morning Exercise10:00Advisory Meeting (3rd)10:00Book Club (Last of month)10:00Knit & Crochet10:15Bible Study10:30Hot/Fused Glass *12:00Open Sew *12:00Sheepshead12:30Sojourn Bear Group
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> Wilson Park Senior Center 2601 W. Howard Ave. Milwaukee, WI

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Wednesday, October 18, 2023 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Washington Park Senior Center 4420 W. Vliet St. Milwaukee, WI

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Tuesday, September 26, 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Zablocki Public Library 3501 W. Oklahoma Ave., Milwaukee

Friday, October 6, 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Greenfield Public Library 5310 W. Layton Ave., Greenfield

Tuesday, October 17, 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. Virtual Presentation county.milwaukee.gov/aging/medicare101

Monday, November 6, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. McGovern Park Senior Center 4500 W. Custer Ave., Milwaukee Wednesday, November 8, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Clinton Rose Senior Center 3045 N. Dr. Martin Luther King Dr., Milwaukee

Wednesday, November 15, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. Grobschmidt Senior Center 2424 15th Ave., South Milwaukee

Friday, November 17, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Bayview Library 2566 S. Kinnickinnic Ave., Milwaukee

# Drop in Dates for One-on-One Medicare Counseling

Reservations are preferred for one-on-one Medicare Counseling. Call (414) 289-6436 to make a reservation.

Thursday, October 26, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Marcia Coggs Center, 1220 W. Vliet Street, Rm 104 Tuesday, November 28, 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Grobschmidt Senior Center, 2424 15th Ave

Friday, December 1, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Marcia Coggs Center, 1220 W. Vliet Street, Rm 104

For questions or to request accommodations call (414) 289-6436 or nina.yang@milwaukeecountywi.gov

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# THE COMMUNITY

# Falls Prevention Awareness Day: The History of Life Alert

Falls Prevention Awareness Day occurs on September 22 and highlights the leading cause of injury-related emergency visits. Falls can result in serious consequences like bruising, hip fractures, and head injuries, especially for adults over 65.

With age, various faculties of older adults tend to decline, such as eyesight, muscle strength, and coordination. Recognizing these challenges, Psychology professor Dibner conceived a solution in 1972 - a personal emergency response system. This device allowed older adults to call for help when injured and unable to reach a phone, and in 1976, Dibner was granted the patent for Lifeline Systems.

Dibner's invention proved to be a gamechanger, providing much-needed assistance to seniors and offering peace of mind to their loved ones. Isaac Shepher further advanced this concept in 1987 with the creation of Life Alert, a wearable gadget featuring an automated dialer connected to a telephone line, that allowed for easy access to emergency services. In the 1990s, Life Alert gained national recognition through a memorable commercial featuring an elderly woman exclaiming the famous catchphrase, "I've fallen and I can't get up!" The increased visibility of the brand led to a widespread adoption of such devices in homes. Additionally, in 2007, Falls Prevention Awareness Day was initiated on a state level, followed by a collective effort by various states to address public health issues related to fall injuries through collaboration with medical professionals and supporters.

# **5 STEPS TO PREVENT FALLS**

- $\Rightarrow$  Stay physically active
- $\Rightarrow$  Try balance and strength training exercises
- $\Rightarrow$  Get enough sleep
- $\Rightarrow$  Stand up slowly
- $\Rightarrow$  Be aware of the side effects of medications

# **Community Resources**



#### Senior Dining

We are open for in-person dining at all five centers. There is a suggested \$3 donation for 60+ and \$8 cost for guests under 60. A reservation by 11:00am the day prior is required for all diners.

Clinton Rose	414-263-2255
Kelly	414-481-9611
McGovern Park	414-527-0990
Washington Park	414-933-2332
Wilson Park	414-282-3284

## **Advisory Committee Meetings**

This is a great opportunity to get involved in your senior center. Help us plan, provide feedback on existing and new programs, hear updates, stay informed, and ask questions.

Clinton Rose	Tue., September 26, 10:30
Kelly	Wed., September 27, 1:00
McGovern Park	Thu., September 21, 9:00
Washington Park	Tue., September 12, 10:00
Wilson Park	Wed., September 20, 10:00

#### Stockbox

A Stockbox is a box of healthy foods that Hunger Task Force provides to low-income seniors free of charge. Contact a senior center for more information.

Clinton Rose	Tue., Sep. 7, 11:00 - 12:00
Kelly	Fri., Sep. 22, 12:30 - 1:30
McGovern Park	Thu., Sep. 28, 12:00 - 1:00
Washington Park	Tue., Sep. 5, 9:30 - 10:30
Wilson Park	Tue., Sep. 19, 10:00 - 11:00

# **Community Partners**

Our community partners are a large part of how we are able to provide services to older adults. Whether it is through furthering education, giving donations, sponsoring events, or spreading awareness, our community partners have stepped up to support older adults in our community.



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