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# TCoL HOURS OF OPERATION

9:00AM - 4:00PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY





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# Schedule of TCoL Activities

CLASS / ACTIVITY	TIME	COST	AD PAGE / NOTES		
Cribbage	9:00 - 12:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Watercolors	9:00 - 12:00	\$13.00*	Pg.9, *Cost split \$5 & \$8		
Pickleball	9:00 - 3:00*	\$3.00	Pg.8 , Sacred Heart , *Timed Slots		
Hallelujah Choir	9:30 - 11:00	\$3.00			
Chair Yoga	11:00 - 12:00	\$3.00	Pg.11,*Silver Sneaker Discount		
Tai Chi	1:00 - 2:00	ADRC	(ends 4/27)		
Crochet & Knitting	1:00 - 3:00	\$2.00	Pg.9		
Pinochle/Canasta	1:00-4:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Technology	2:00 - 3:00	Free	Pg.8, (3/14 and 3/28)		
Pickleball	9:00 – 3:00*	\$3.00	Pg.8, Sacred Heart, *Timed Slots		
Strong Bodies	9:30 - 10:30	ADRC	(ends 5/27)		
Young at Heart Choir	10:30 - 12:00	\$3.00			
Tai Chi	11:00 12:00	ADRC	(ends 4/28)		
Get Your Game On	12:30 3:30	\$2.00	Pg.10		
Qigong	1:00 - 2:00	\$2.00	Pg.10		
Intro to Pickleball	1:00 3:00	\$6.00	Pg.8		
Pickleball	9:00 – 11:00*	\$3.00	Pg.8 , Sacred Heart , *Timed Slots		
Open Cards	9:00 - 12:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Bible Study	10:00 - 12:00	\$2.00			
Chair Yoga	11:00 – 12:00	\$3.00*	Pg.11, *Silver Sneaker Discount		
Tai Chi	1:00 - 2:00	ADRC	(ends 4/27)		
Bingo	1:00 – 3:00	\$2.00*	Pg.11*Plus (3) \$1.00 Prizes		
Euchre	1:00-4:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Cribbage	9:00 – 12:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Open Painting	9:00 – 1:00	\$2.00	Pg.11		
Line Dancing - Beginner	9:45 – 10:45	\$4.00	Pg.12, Sacred Heart		
Line Dancing - Intermediate	11:00 – 12:00	\$4.00	Pg.12, Sacred Heart		
Tai Chi	11:00 12:00	ADRC	(ends 4/28)		
Stained Glass	12:30 - 3:30	\$5.00*	Pg.16, *Plus Materials Cost		
Sheepshead	1:00-4:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Ping Pong & Bean Bag Toss	1:00 - 4:00	\$2.00	Pg.12		
Wood Carving	9:00 – 12:00	\$2.00	Pg.13		
Pickleball	9:00 – 3:00*	\$3.00	Pg.8, Sacred Heart, *Timed Slots		
Open Cards	9:00 – 12:00	\$2.00	Pg.7		
Strong Bodies	9:30 - 10:30	ADRC	(ends 5/27)		
Open Sewing & Quilting	10:00 – 3:30	\$2.00	Pg.13  BILLIARDS IS  AVAILABLE EVERY DAY		
Gentle Flow Yoga	11:00 – 12:00	\$3.00	Pg.14 AM Session 9:00-12:00		
Bridge Courts Chair Wasse	12:30 – 3:30	\$2.00	Pg.7 PM Session 1:00-4:00 \$2.00 Pg. 10		
Gentle Chair Yoga	3:00-4:00	\$3.00	Pg.14		

WEDNESDAY

#### **TCoL**

#### Schedule of Special Events in March

Tuesday, March 8, Sign Language Class, 9:30-10:30, pg. 15

Tuesday, March 8, Hooper Law, Elder Law Workshop, Estate Planning Foundation, 1:00-2:00, pg. 15

**Tuesday, March 8**, Eagle Point Senior Living, Travel the World, 2:30-3:30, pg. 15

Wednesday, March 9, Paint the Masters, Henri Matisse, Flower of Saint Henri, 10:00-12:00, pg. 16

Wednesday, March 9, Kairos Alive, Wisconsin Connection Jam, 10:00-11:00, pg. 16 (TCoL or Zoom)

Thursday, March 10, In Harmony Fox Valley Symphony, Celestial, at Sacred Heart, 12:30-1:30, pg. 16

**Thursday, March 10**, Book Club, *The Midnight Library*, by Matt Haig, 1:30-3:00, pg. 12

Friday, March 11, St. Paul Elder Services, Lunch & Learn, National Nutrition Month, 11:30-1:00, pg.19

Monday, March 14, TCoL Hootenanny Luncheon featuring Sunshine Singers, 12:00-2:00, pg. 5

Tuesday, March 15, UW Madison, Geocheer Adventure, Apostle Islands Virtual Hike, 1:00-2:00, pg.19

Tuesday, March 15, Orthopedic & Spine Therapy, Headaches, Tips & Techniques to Reduce Them. 2:00-3:00, pg. 20

Tuesday, March 22, Sign Language Class, 9:30-10:30, pg. 15

Tuesday, March 22, Eagle Point Senior Living, Chef Showcase, Lemon Ice Box Pie, 2:30-3:30, pg. 20

Wednesday, March 23, Kairos Alive, Wisconsin Connection Jam, 10:00-11:00, pg.16 (TCoL or Zoom)

Wednesday, March 23, Paint the Masters, Gauguin, Road in Tahiti, 10:00-12:00, pg. 16

**Thursday, March 24**, In Harmony Fox Valley Symphony, Animals, at Sacred Heart, 12:30-1:30, pg. 16

Tuesday, March 29, Appleton Public Library, Genealogy Series, Newspaper Research, 9:30-10:30 pg. 21

Wednesday, March 30, Caregiver Support, 9:30-11:30, pg. 21

At the time the March BUZZ went to print, all listed TCoL activities were accurate and scheduled to be offered as advertised. As circumstances are everchanging during these times, some activities may have since been modified, postponed, or canceled. Please check the TCoL website at <u>www.thetcol.org</u> or give us a call at (920) 939-3088 for the most current information.

## Yes, You <u>MUST</u> Request to Attend Class Each Week and Have Updated Forms on File!

At Thompson Center on Lourdes, it's our mission to Enable Everyone to Celebrate Life. To help achieve this, participants must submit a request for the classes they wish to attend each week.

### HERE'S HOW TO REQUEST:

www.thetcol.org
 www.thetcol.org

Online registration can be found under the **REGISTRATION & WAIVERS tab** 



920-939-3088

Please leave a voice message with the following:

- -Your Full Name
- -Phone Number
- -Class Name
- -Class Date

# Forms can be found at: www.thetcol.org

### **Greetings from Liz**

This month we "spring" ahead for Daylight Savings Time which happens every year on the second Sunday of March at 2 a.m. Spring and "springtime" refer to the season, and also to ideas of rebirth, rejuvenation, renewal, resurrection and regrowth. You have probably noticed that the days are getting lighter in the evening and temperatures are on the rise. Spring is a time of renewal of nature, every single day during this time of the year you will see more and more new flowers and other plants. In fact, many flowering plants boom and begin to show their color even when snow is still on the ground. Flowers will have blossoms - I love seeing my tulips, daffodils and hyacinths poking their nose out of the ground! New, green and fresh buds and leaves will appear on the trees and bushes, the grass will become greener and greener every day. I can already feel the sun on my face and smell the earth waking up after a long winters sleep.

A lot of animals wake up from hibernation or return from warmer climates. The chirping of the birds in the early mornings becomes very soothing and calm after a long winter's silence. And since Easter is right around the corner we should mention bunnies because they are the cute, fuzzy mascots of spring whether they're a pet, wild, chocolate or someone in a rabbit costume. I love seeing the first robin of the season, even though robins are around all winter, you rarely see them. My mom used to say after you see the first robin it will snow 3 more times. I looked this myth up and here's what I found: "Spring will come when it snows on the robins' tail 3 times. So what that means is that once the robin comes back, it will snow three times and then the winter will be all over".

Have you noticed that the skies appear clear and the wind is cool and refreshing, creating a peaceful atmosphere. Can you tell that I'm looking forward to Spring? Not just personally, but at TCoL too!

The Thompson Center on Lourdes is also "revitalizing" activities. In March we'll be introducing a Sign Language class and Qigong (a mind-body exercise form that uses meditation, breathing, and movement). Chef Showcase and Elder Law Workshops will be rekindled. And hopefully you'll be reawakened at the Hootenanny on March 14<sup>th</sup> with music, food and fun! Spring is a good opportunity to try something new at TCoL. Maybe you always wanted to learn how to play Euchre, or how to line dance, paint, sing, or join in on any of our 40 plus activities a week. So, "spring" into a new activity and be rejuvenated at the Thompson Center on Lourdes!

Liz Neuman

Executive Director

Thompson Center on Lourdes (TCoL) - Celebrating Life After 50

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# Hootenanny!

March 14, 2022 12:00 - 2:00PM Cost: \$10 TCoL Cafeteria

Doors open at 11:30. Lunch served at 12:00. Pre-Registration and Pre-Payment Required

# Featuring:

The Sunshine Singers (Formerly known as The 5 Milers)



Music, Food, & Fun! This event is a fundraiser for Civic League and includes lunch and entertainment.

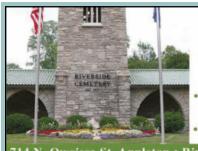
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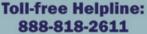
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### CARD GAMES COST: \$2.00 9:00AM - 12:00PM 1:00PM - 4:00PM Pinochle/Canasta MONDAY Cribbage Open Cards Euchre WEDNESDAY THURSDAY Cribbage Sheepshead Bridge starts at 12:30pm) FRIDAY Open Cards

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED FOR PLAY

# **TECHNOLOGY BASICS WORKSHOPS**



# FREE 2:00 - 3:00PM

MONDAY, MARCH 14TH
•Symbols and Icons
MONDAY, MARCH 28TH
•Tech Basics Q&A

Workshops will cover computer, phones, and tablets
Pre-registration required



# **PICKLEBALL**

# \$3 PER PLAY

	9:00AM - 11:00AM	11:00AM - 1:00PM	1:00PM - 3:00PM
MONDAY:	Intermediate Play	Open Play	Open Play
TUESDAY:	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play
WEDNESDAY:	Intermediate Play	CLOSED	CLOSED
FRIDAY:	Intermediate Play	Open Play	Open Play

### MAKE SURE YOU'RE READY TO PLAY!

PREREGISTER: www.thetcol.org/pickleball/

Registration requests are required by 2pm the day before desired date of play.

**PREPAY:** Thompson Center on Lourdes

Your account MUST have sufficient funds upon requesting registration.

# Intro to Pickleball

Dates: Tues. March 15th & March 22nd

Time: 1:00 - 3:00PM

Cost: \$6

**Location: Sacred Heart Parish Gym** 

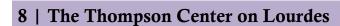
RSVP: (920)939-3088

#### Second Session to be held April 12th & April 19th

Are you interested in playing pickleball but not sure how to start? This two class Introduction to Pickleball will go over the rules of play, court layout, scoring, and playing the game.

Space is limited to 8 students and you must attend both sessions.

Pre-Registration Required



# Watercolor Classes \$13.00 MONDAYS 9:00AM - 12:00PM PER CLASS

In this educational class you will be taught between 1 and 3 watercolor techniques each week!

Suggested Supplies List:

Brushes: #8 Round, #12 Round, Flat ¼ inch wide brush, Liner brush 11 x 15 Tablet, Watercolor Paints, Cup for water

TCoL Activity Fee: \$5 Instructor Fee: \$8 to be paid separately Pre-registration required





# **CROCHET & KNITTING**

MONDAYS 1:00PM - 3:00PM

**\$2** 

Bring your projects, questions, and creativity!

Pre-registration Required



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Join us for a St Patrick's Day Celebration on March 17th at the Appleton Retirement Community.

Enjoy Jan Berg as he plays piano and leads us in singing some Irish Songs in the dining room at 2-3pm.

Refreshments to follow including shamrock shakes or grasshoppers. It's sure to be a good time!

Please RSVP to Sara or Sheila at 920-954-9990 ext. 1303 or 1304 www.appletonretirement.com

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# **TUESDAYS** 1:00 - 2:00PM

Pre-registration Required



Qigong is an ancient Chinese tradition of combining gentle rhythmic movements with breath to relieve stress and increase energy. It is practiced for exercise, relaxation, self-healing, and meditation. Qigong is simple, easy to learn, and can be done by everyone at any age and fitness level.

Classes will run March 1st through May

# GET YOUR BOARD GAME ON

**TUESDAYS** 12:30 - 3:30PM

**GAME OF THE MONTH: SCRABBLE** 

Gather your friends or meet some new as you enjoy an afternoon of conversation, coffee, and scrabble.

Other board games available for play as well!



If you'd like the newsletter sent to you electronically, E-mail register@thetcol.org

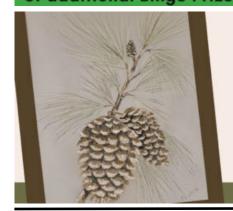


**AM SESSION: 9:00AM - 12:00PM** 

PM SESSION: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED





# Open Painting \$2

9:00AM - 1:00PM

Pre-registration required

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Thursdays 9:45 - 10:45AM

INTERMEDIATE:

Thursdays 11:00 - 12:00PM

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REGISTRATION: www.thetcol.org

**PREPAY:** Thompson Center on Lourdes

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# **Book Club**

**DATE: THURS. MARCH 10TH** 

TIME: 1:30 - 3:00PM

COST: FREE

RSVP: (920)939-3088

Thursday, April 14th - 1:30-3:00PM

The Heirloom Garden

By: Viola Shipman

**Book Pickup Week of March 7th** 



TCoL will reserve books for registered participants pick up and drop off will be at TCoL. Pre-registration required

# Ping Pong and Bean Bag Toss

**Thursdays** 1:00 - 4:00PM

Pre-registration Required

# Wood Carving \$2

FRIDAYS 9:00 - 12:00PM

Pre-registration Required

Ask questions, visit, and get new ideas! Bring your own tools and project.



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# Gentle Flow Yoga

FRIDAYS

11:00AM - 12:00PM

This practice is great if you are new to yoga, want a slower paced practice, or have physical limitations.

A minimum of 3 registered participants required to hold class





# Gentle Chair Yoga

FRIDAYS 3:00PM - 4:00PM

This practice emphasizes what we can do and offers modifications to poses for individual benefit.

\$3 per session

A minimum of 3 registered participants are required to hold class

**Sunshine Club** Please contact Mary Mauthe (920) 733-3651 to send a card on behalf of TCoL. Let her know of a participant who is in the hospital, has lost a loved one, is in need of support or is celebrating a birthday or other special occasion.





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### **Programs**

# Sign Language Class 😼

DATE: TUESDAY, MARCH 8TH & 22ND

TIME: 9:30 - 10:30AM

PLACE: THOMPSON CENTER ON LOURDES

COST: \$2

**Pre-Registration Required** 

Sign language is both fun and educational, whether you are taking it to learn to communicate with a friend or family member who is deaf or hard of hearing, or for yourself if you are dealing with hearing loss, it is an amazing skill to have. Join us as we learn the basics or build on previous knowledge!



# Elder Law Workshop

Topic: Estate Planning Foundations

Date: Tuesday, March 8th

Time: 1:00 - 2:00PM

Cost: FREE

Place: Thompson Center on Lourdes

Family Estate Plan

Pre-Registration Required

Learn the basic elements in estate planning. Wills, trusts, powers of attorney, the importance of coordinating your assets with your plan, and practical tips on ensuring success for yourself and those that will help you when it matters most.



# TRAVEL THE WORLD FROM YOUR CHAIR





**DATE: TUESDAY, MARCH 8TH** 

TIME: 2:30 - 3:30PM RSVP: (920)939-3088

**Thompson Center on Lourdes** 

**Pre-registration Required** 

Join Bobbie, from Eagle Point Senior Living as we travel around the world.

Test your knowledge and bring your tastebuds as you explore four
different areas of the world - Asia, Australia, Brazil, and France.

### Workshops

# **Paint the Masters Series**

#### Henri Matisse - Flowers of Saint Henri



DATE: Wed. March 9 TIME: 10AM - 12PM

PLACE: TCoL

RSVP: (920)939-3088

Registrations must be received

by Friday, March 4th

#### Gauguin - Road in Tahiti



DATE: Wed. March 23 TIME: 10AM - 12PM

PLACE: TCoL

RSVP: (920)939-3088

Registrations must be received

by Friday, March 18th

Instructor: Trudy Iervolino

### Cost: \$5 paid to TCoL and \$20 paid to instructor (materials and instruction) per session

This fun and and relaxing 2 hour paint-along class includes paint brushes, paint, canvas and all the instructions you need to create a simplified copy of a master painting to take home!

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DATE: Wed. March 9th & 23rd

TIME: 10:00 - 11:00AM

COST: FREE

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PLACE: TCoL

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Thursday, March 24th Animals

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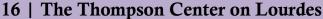
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# **National Nutrition Month!**

DATE: Friday, March 11th TIME: 11:30AM - 1:00PM

RSVP: (920)939-3088

PLACE: TCoL

During the March, everyone is invited to learn about making informed food choices and developing healthful eating and physical activity habits. St. Paul Elder Service's students will share helpful tips!



Pre-registration Required!



# **GEOCHEER ADVENTURE**

### APOSTLE ISLANDS VIRTUAL HIKE/KAYAK

DATE: MARCH 15TH

PLACE: THOMPSON CENTER ON LOURDES

TIME: 1:00 - 2:00PM

COST: FREE

RSVP: (920)939-3088

Pre-registration Required

Known for their sculpted beauty and scenic landscapes, the Apostle Islands in Lake Superior are also geologically spectacular. Join this virtual hike (and kayak!) to explore the history of volcanoes, oceans and glaciers in the Upper Midwest. As part of this adventure we'll also have opportunities for participants to share memories they have of visiting this stunning part of Wisconsin.



March is recognized as National Nutrition Month®.

It's no secret that the average American diet isn't super healthy. Listed below are some simple ways to get started on your healthy eating journey.



- 1. Eat breakfast every day. Studies have shown that eating a healthy breakfast can lead to better strength and endurance, sharper concentration and better problem-solving abilities.
- 2. Plan as many home-cooked meals as you can. They usually have fewer calories and cost less than typical meals eaten at restaurants
- 3. Eat plenty of fruits and vegetables. Half of your plate at each meal should be vegetables or fruits
- 4. **Beware of sweetened drinks.** Sodas and sports drinks are high in calories. Keep in mind that the calories in juice can also quickly add up.
- 5. Choose food sensibly when eating out. Restaurants are often required to make nutrition information readily available. If you do not see brochures sitting out, or nutrition information listed on the menu, ask.

### Workshops

# FREE ORTHOPEDIC & SPINE THERAPY WORKSHOP

# **HEADACHES - Tips and Techniques to reduce them**

Date: Tuesday, March 15th

Time: 2:00-3:00PM

**Place:** Thompson Center on Lourdes

This workshop will be lead by John Hartenberger, PT, a retired

physical therapist from Orthopedic & Spine Therapy.

Pre-registration Required - Call (920)939-3088

ORTHOPEDIC SPINE THERAPY

www.ostpt.com

# **CHEF SHOWCASE**



**DATE: TUESDAY, MARCH 22ND** 

TIME: 2:00 - 3:00PM RSVP: (920)939-3088

**Thompson Center on Lourdes** 

MARCH'S RECIPE: Lemon Ice Box Pie

**Pre-Registration Required** 

Join Bobbie Thompson from Eagle Point Senior Living, as she showcases one of her grandma's favorite recipes. This recipe is sure to delight your palette and have your imagination soaring with possibilities!





# RECEIVE ONE FREE ACTIVITY DURING YOUR BIRTHDAY WEEK!

\*ADDITONAL PROGRAM FEES NOT INCLUDED

### Workshops

# Genealogy

Have you thought about researching your family tree? Join Appleton Public Library's Local History Librarian here at TCoL. Date: Tues. March 29th Time: 9:30 - 10:30 AM

Cost: FREE Location: TCoL

#### **Topic: Newspaper Research**

Read all about it! Join us to learn about how to scour old newspapers for your ancestors and find valuable clues to add to your family's story. You might even find a photo of your ancestor in the paper!

Preregistration required

Optional: Bring own laptop or tablet for research



#### **Upcoming Programs**

April 26 -

 Immigration/ Naturalization Records

Appleton Public Library



You are not alone. More than 5 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's and more than 16 million friends and family help provide care for them.

Connect with others who understand.

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# CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

DATE: March 30, 2022 TIME: 9:30AM - 11:30AM

PLACE: Thompson Center on Lourdes

Spouses and adult children of individuals affected by dementia or Alzheimer memory loss are welcome to join us monthly as we provide support and educational guidance on your care-giving journey.

Pre-Registration Required



### **Volunteer Spotlight**

Like many others who live in Wisconsin, I am an immigrant. I am originally from Dublin, Ireland and moved to Wisconsin I I years ago. I had the honor of becoming a US citizen through naturalization in July 2019 and am happily settled here. I own a financial planning business in Appleton and my husband, Tom is a stay-at-home dad to our two children - Maggie (age 4) and Eddie (age 2).

I have a Degree in Math from Dublin City University, and a Masters in Information Security and Cryptography, from Royal



Holloway University of London, so it shouldn't surprise you that I have a passion for solving problems. When Ray Zuelke approached me in 2016 that the Thompson Community Center on College Avenue was closing and asked for my help, I was excited to be part of the solution and the future of my community. After 4 years serving on the Board of Directors, I was honored to be elected Board President.

Céad Míle Fáilte (Kay-od mee-leh foyle-cha) is a commonly used and well-known Irish greeting, which you will see around town as we celebrate St Patrick's Day this March 17<sup>th</sup>. This phrase literally translates to "a hundred thousand welcomes". A huge part of Irish culture is that family doesn't just mean blood relatives, but includes, welcomes and extends to friends, neighbors and community. This inclusive atmosphere is extremely evident at the Thompson Center on Lourdes and keeps me coming back week after week, year after year. Our hands-on Board of Directors, wonderful staff and enthusiastic volunteers strive to make everyone who walks through our doors feel a hundred thousand welcomes, and that's what makes me both proud and privileged to be a part of this brilliant organization.

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# **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

#### **CHOIR DIRECTOR**

2 to 5 hours per week

Mondays from 9:30 to 11:00AM or Tuesdays from 10:30 to 12:00PM

#### Tasks Include:

- Rehearse with the Hallelujah Choir and/or Young at Heart Choir
- Participate and lead Concerts and other visits
- Choose music with help of choir for concerts
- Have Fun!



#### FRONT DESK

2-6 hours per week Various shifts between 9:00AM and 4:00 PM



#### Tasks Include:

- Answering phones
- Greeting participants
- · Checking participants in on the kiosk
- Computer work (adding money to accounts, registering participants)

### GARDENER

Summer Season

#### Tasks Include:

- Prep garden for planting
- Help volunteers on garden care
- Assist in care and harvesting of goods



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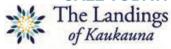
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- · Resource Referral
- · Support Groups
- Social Engagement Events

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## **Outagamie County March Menu**







Mondaý	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
- Due to National Supply Issues - Menus are Subject to Change.	Meatloaf Baked Potato Diced Beets Pears Wheat bread Sugar Cookie	Tuna Noodle Casserole Green Pea Salad Diced Carrots Tropical Fruit Blueberry Buckle	3 Enchilada Chicken Black Beans Mexican Corn Cinnamon Applesauce Flour Tortilla Churro Pudding	
	8 Scalloped Potatoes with Ham Romaine Salad Salad Dressing Peas Wheat Bread Apple Betty	9 Chicken Fried Rice Oriental Vegetables Asian Slaw Mandarin Oranges Fortune Cookie	Cheeseburger Wheat Bun Broccoli Bacon Salad Pinto Beans Peaches Butterscotch Pudding	
	Macaroni Beef Casserole String Cheese Romaine Salad Salad Dressing Mixed Vegetables Peach Crisp	Roasted Turkey with Gravy Mashed Potatoes Diced Beets Wheat Dinner Roll Apple Slices with Yogurt Dipping Sauce	Salisbury Steak with Gravy Baked Potato Cinnamon Glazed Carrots Pineapple Tidbits Wheat Bread Yellow Cake	
	Beef Patty with Mushroom Gravy Mashed Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Sunshine Fruit Salad Wheat Dinner Roll Peanut Butter Cookie	Chicken ala King Warm Biscuit Romaine Salad Salad Dressing Peaches Apple Crisp	Beef Stroganoff Hubbard Squash Green Beans Gala Apple Wheat Bread Orange Cake	
	Shredded Pork Wheat Bun Corn Romaine Salad Salad Dressing Applesauce with Cinnamon Chocolate Cake	BBQ Chicken Peas and Carrots Glazed Yams Pineapple Tidbits Honey Kissed Cornbread Banana Pudding	Beef Patty with Au Jus Parslied Red Potatoes Baked Beans Peaches Wheat Bread Oatmeal Raisin Cookie	

## PUZZLES OF THE MONTH

### Sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9.

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CRYPTOGRAM

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Enigma cryptograms are created from quotations and proverbs from around the world. Each letter stands for another letter. Hint: "A" = "E"

DIFFICULTY: ★☆☆☆

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"Books are not made for furniture, but there is nothing else that so beautifully furnishes a house." — Henry Ward Beecher

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Answer to Sudoku



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### Services Located at TCoL



#### My RN, LLC Foot Care Clinic

The clinic provides toenail trimming and foot care measures to maintain healthy feet. Please call (920) 257-9161 to schedule your appointment

Clinic days are Tuesday through Friday

The clinic is located at the Thompson Center on Lourdes in Appleton

- Each foot care session lasts 45-60 minutes
- Care provided by nurses and trained staff
- Cost \$40

At this time all clients are again required to wear a face mask in the clinic whether you are vaccinated or not vaccinated due to the continued COVID surge. We continue to strive to maintain a safe and healthy environment for our clients and staff.

Options for Independent Living Staff will meet with consumers at Options, options by appointment only. Masks will be required at face-to-face appointments, unless an accommodation is requested. Safety for consumers and our staff is a priority, therefore we ask for your patience in adhering to our cautionary measures. We have a small loan closet of durable medical equipment such as wheelchairs, walkers, canes, shower chairs and can lend to persons unable to purchase independently. We ask for a small \$10.00 donation for items on loan and we also take donations of durable equipment provided they are in working order.

Please call for assistance (920) 393-1038 (Brian Miller) 1-888-465-1515, ext. 179 - Toll-free, 920-490-0700 (Fax) www.optionsil.org

Easterseals Wisconsin provides programs and services to individuals easterseals with disabilities and their families. The regional office is located at the Thompson Center on Lourdes in Appleton. To make an appointment or to find out additional information, please contact Pattie Slempkes at 920-832-0344. The Guardian Assistance Program for Outagamie County guardians is also available at this location. Please contact Jill Gretzinger for more information about this program, 920-572-6313.



The State of Wisconsin, Office for the Blind and Visually Impaired (OBVI), provides rehabilitation services to people who are blind or visually impaired. The Appleton WISCONSIN location at the Thompson Center on Lourdes services people in Outagamie, Winnebago, Calumet, Manitowoc, Shawano, and Menominee counties.

Contact: Jean Kenevan at (920) 831-2090, jeannine.kenevan@dhs.wisconsin.gov, or visit the OBVI website <a href="www.dhs.wi.gov/blind">www.dhs.wi.gov/blind</a>.



### **DAILY CALENDAR - MARCH 2022**

#### Wednesday Thursday **Monday Friday** Tuesday 4 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 \*Pickleball 9-11 \*Line Dance Beg. 9:45-10:45 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 \*Line Dance Int. 11:00-12:00 Wood Carving 9:00-12:00 \*HELD AT Young at Heart 10:30-12:00 Cribbage 9:00-12:00 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 Bible Study 10:00-12:00 SACRED Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Chair Yoga 11:00-12:00 Open Painting 9:00-1:00 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Tai Chi 1:00-2:00 Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Sew & Quilt 10:00-3:30 Board Games 12:30-3:30 **HEART GYM** Qigong 1:00-2:00 Bingo 1:00-3:00 Stained Glass 12:30-3:30 Gentle Flow Yoga Euchre 1:00-4:00 Sheepshead 1:00-4:00 11:00-12:00 Ping Pong & Bean Bag Toss Bridge 12:30-3:30 1:00-4:00 Gentle Chair Yoga 3:00-4:00 8 10 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 \*Pickleball 9-11 \*Line Dance Beg. 9:45-10:45 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 Cribbage 9:00-12:00 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 \*Line Dance Int. 11:00-12:00 Wood Carving 9:00-12:00 Kairos Alive 10:00-11:00 \*In Harmony 12:30-1:30 Watercolors 9:00-12:00 Sign Language 9:30-10:30 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 Cribbage 9:00-12:00 Hallelujah Choir 9:30-11:00 Young at Heart 10:30-12:00 Bible Study 10:00-12:00 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Chair Yoga 11:00-12:00 Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Paint Masters 10:00-12:00 Open Painting 9:00-1:00 Sew & Quilt10:00-3:30 Tai Chi 1:00-2:00 Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Board Games 12:30-3:30 Gentle Flow Yoga Chair Yoga 11:00-12:00 Crochet & Knit 1:00-3:00 Hooper Law 1:00-2:00 Tai Chi 1:00-2:00 Stained Glass 12:30-3:30 11:00-12:00 Pinochle/Canasta 1:00-4:00 Qigong 1:00-2:00 Bingo 1:00-3:00 Sheepshead 1:00-4:00 St. Paul Lunch & Learn Eagle Pt. Travel the World Ping Pong & Bean Bag Toss Euchre 1:00-4:00 11:30:1:00 2:30-3:30 1:00-4:00 Bridge 12:30-3:30 Book Club 1:30-3:00 Chair Yoga 3:00-4:00 14 15 16 18 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1 \*Pickleball 9-11 \*Pickleball 9-11, 11-1, 1-3 \*Line Dance Beg. 9:45-10:45 Wood Carving 9:00-12:00 Cribbage 9:00-12:00 Intro to Pickleball 1-3 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 \*Line Dance Int. 11:00-12:00 Open Cards 9:00-12:00 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Bible Study 10:00-12:00 Strong Bodies 9:30-10:30 Watercolors 9:00-12:00 Cribbage 9:00-12:00 Hallelujah Choir 9:30-11:00 Young at Heart 10:30-12:00 Chair Yoga 11:00-12:00 Open Painting 9:00-1:00 Sew & Quilt10:00-3:30 Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Tai Chi 1:00-2:00 Tai Chi 11:00-12:00 Gentle Flow Yoga Chair Yoga 11:00-12:00 Hootenanny 12:00-2:00 Board Games 12:30-3:30 Bingo 1:00-3:00 Stained Glass 12:30-3:30 11:00-12:00 Geocheer Adv 1:00-2:00 Tai Chi 1:00-2:00 Euchre 1:00-4:00 Sheepshead 1:00-4:00 Bridge 12:30-3:30 Qigong 1:00-2:00 Crochet & Knit 1:00-3:00 Ping Pong & Bean Bag Toss Gentle Chair Yoga 3:00-4:00 1:00-4:00 Pinochle/Canasta 1:00-4:00 Ortho Spine Headaches Technology 2:00-3:00 2:00-3:00

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#### **BILLIARDS IS AVAILABLE EVERY DAY**

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WBAY ACTION 2 NEWS WILL ANNOUNCE WINTER CLOSINGS.



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