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Monday-Friday 8:00am - 4:00pm

Our mission

The Steuben County Council on Aging's mission is to keep seniors active, involved and independent! To provide access to the entire community through Public Transportation.

Happy August!!

I can not believe how fast July flew by, but I do hope you are all enjoying your summer. I know all of us here at the COA are greatly enjoying seeing all of your beautiful faces in and out of the center.

I want to thank those of you who have reached out and congratulated me on my recent wedding. I also want to extend my deepest gratitude to those of you who showed so much support and love to my son, Landon as he prepared to leave for USMC bootcamp. I have said since my first week here, this place is magical and special. I still feel it as much today as I did then.

There are a few more days to support our upcoming annual Gala that is on the 5th. We are in need of bottles of whiskey & wine, auction items and most importantly tickets sales, because we want to see you all there. This annual fundraiser is instrumental to the operation of our wonderful organization.

Hope to see you there!!!

Jami Stout~ Executive Director

Drumming

1:00pm Mah-Jongg

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MON 1	TUES 2	WED 3	THURS 4	FRI 5
10:15am Exercise Class 12:00pm Shanghai Rummy 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong 11:30am to 12:30pm— Featured Food of the Month: Cupcakes	9:30am Tai Chi 10:00am Grief Counseling 12:00pm Bid Euchre 1:00pm Cardio Drumming 1:00pm Mah-Jongg	9:00am Bible Study 10:15am Exercise Class 11:30am Lunch/Learn 12:30pm Canasta 1:00pm Walk Fit/Strong	9:00am Yoga 9:00am Party Bridge 9:00am Pinochle 9:00am Hair Salon/Call for Appt.	10:15am Exercise Class Closing @ 1:00pm for Gala 6:00pm EMERALD CITY GALA—Steuben County Event Center
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Food of the Month Celebration

National Cupcake day!!

Monday, August 1st 11:30-12:30

Sponsored By:

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a us in the Grand Dining room for yummy cupcake treats and to by time with friends! A representative from Church Funerals Di-Join us in the Grand Dining room for yu rect will be here to answer any questions



Second Friday Breakfast Friday, August 12th 8:30AM Sponsored By: Northern Lakes Nursing and Rehabilitation **Guest Speaker: Jami Woodyard COA Executive Director**







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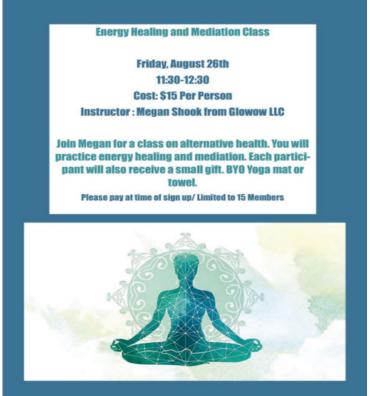
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HERITAGE CLUB HAPPENINGS

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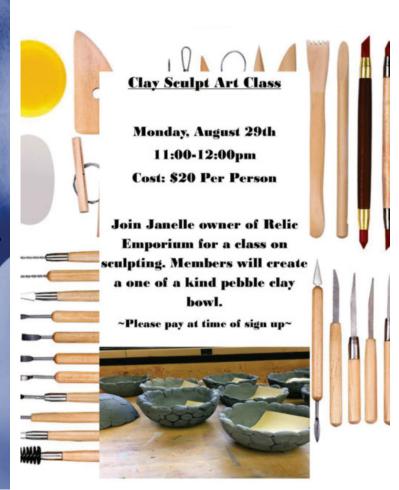




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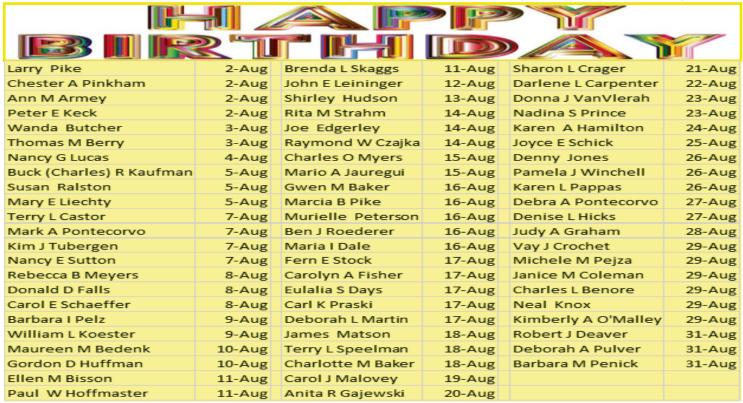
Join Jonathon Jeran, RN from Heartland Home Health and Hospice every other Tuesday in the Serenity Room. Please check Newsletter Calendar for listed dates.

10:00 AM—11:00 AM



MEMBERS BIRTHDAYS

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Total
Transportation
Clients
Served.....105

Total Trips Made....1295

New Transportation Clients....10

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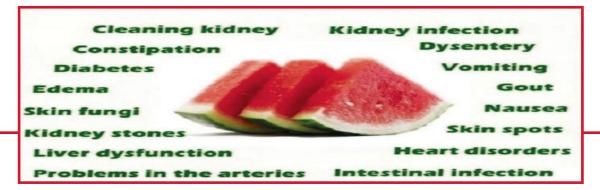


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The Health Benefits of Watermelon

As the weather heats up, so does our need for hydration and healthy snacks. A ripe, juicy watermelon satisfies your thirst and goes the extra mile toward helping maintain a healthy diet. But did you know that not only does this picnic staple taste sweet and is delicious, but is also rich in lycopene and Vitamin C?

Lycopene, an antioxidant, can be found mostly in red fruits and vegetables, such as tomatoes, watermelons, red oranges, pink grapefruits. You may be surprised to learn this health-boosting nutrient can also be found in apricots, red cabbage, and asparagus. Watermelon has more of this nutrient than any other fruit or veggie — even tomatoes. To load up on lycopene, choose a ripe melon with bright red flesh and opt for the seedless variety as it has more lycopene than those with seeds.

Try Watermelon to Protect Your Cells

Antioxidants play a significant role in protecting your cells against free radicals (natural and environmental occurring), which may play a role in heart disease, cancer, and other diseases.

Watermelon is no one health trick pony; it also contains vitamin C, which the body needs to boost immunity and produce collagen, promoting healthy skin. Studies suggest that vitamin C may reduce the risk of age-related skin damage, such as wrinkling. If watermelon had not already made enough of a case as to why it should be added to a healthy diet, this show-off fruit boasts a few more health benefits. It is even more pleasing to the palate for anyone looking to boost their vitamin intake; watermelon includes these nutrients: Vitamin A, Potassium, Magnesium, and Vitamins B1, B5, and B6.

For most adults, their body consists of 60% water, and to function optimally; it needs proper hydration. Drinking enough water each day is vital for regulating body temperature, keeping joints lubricated, preventing infections, delivering nutrients to cells, and keeping organs functioning properly. Being well-hydrated also improves sleep quality, cognition, and mood. As the thermometer rises, so does our need for more water.

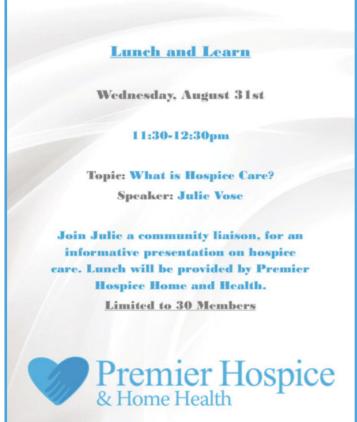
Sneak in Water Through This Tasty Treat

If you struggle to meet the recommended 6 - 8 glasses of water a day, fresh fruits, like watermelon, which is 92% water (probably could have guessed that from the name), can be a delicious solution for adding more water into your diet. This health-conscious melon is a versatile food, try cutting it up and add to a summer beverage or a salad, or freeze and use as ice cubes in your favorite lemonade. What something a little more filling? Blend watermelon, strawberries, yogurt, and a drizzle of honey, for a delicious breakfast smoothie.

While watermelon can be consumed any time of the year, summer seems to be its sweet spot offering the perfect combination of refreshment and nutrition. Maybe you'll experience one

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GAME SPACE

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POTATO DAY
MEAD DAY
PLAY BALL DAY
LAZY DAY
DOG DAY
WAFFLE DAY
DOLLAR DAY

PROSECCO DAY
RUM DAY
LION DAY
VINYL RECORD DAY
BOW DAY
WATERMELON DAY
IPA DAY
OYSTER DAY

DOLL DAY
DINOSAURS DAY
CBD DAY
KIDS DAY
GEORGIA DAY
CAT DAY
GOSSIP DAY

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2022 COA Bus Trips **Calendar of Events**

- 1. September 22nd Church Basement Ladies @ Cornwell theater. Cost \$130 per person. Pick up Heritage Club
- 2. October 5th Daniel O'Donnell @ Shipshewana Blue Gate Cost \$150 per person. Pick up Heritage
- 3. December 13th-15th Nashville, TN at Christmas. Cost \$869 per person. Double Riders only. Pick up @ Heritage Club Angola

We still have spaces available for some of our upcoming 2022 bus

Please see Allison or Karen for event flyers and to sign up/pay for trips. All trips are first come first serve and they do sell out. All trips require a minimum of 10 members for Angola pick up. Evelynn's Excursion requires proof of vaccination.





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DID YOU KNOW?

...these fun facts about our staff: This Month— Cheryl Norris, <u>Heritage Club Office Manager</u>

- *Where was your first Job? Burger Chef, Angola
- *How do you wind down after work? Watching TV & discussing the day with my husband
- *What is your favorite thing to do when you're not working? Time with Family & Riding Motorcycle
- *If all jobs had the exact same salary, which career would you want? Forensic Scientist
- *How do you describe what you do for a living to your family and friends? Office Operations & assisting the Executive Director
- *What's a topic you wish you knew more about? Genetics and heredity
- *Where are you in birth order (Oldest, Middle, Youngest)? Middle
- *How many different states have you lived in? 2
- *What kind of pet(s) do you have and how did you choose name(s)? No pets
- *If you could choose any age to be forever, what age and why? 52—the age I was when I met my husband
- *What are 3 items you would take with you to a deserted island? Boat, knife and food
- *What's your favorite sports team? Don't have one
- *If you could only eat one meal for the rest of your life, what would it be? Pasta Carbonara & Sangria
- *What TV show or movie do you absolutely refuse to watch and why? Reality dating—they are unrealistic and annoying
- *What is the furthest you've ever been from home? Nevada
- *What characteristic do you like most about yourself? I'm Honest & Forgiving
- *If you could live in any city, where would it be and why? I would own a Bed & Breakfast in a mountain town in Tennessee—it has always been a dream
- *When you were in elementary school, what did you want to be when you grew up? Marine Biologist

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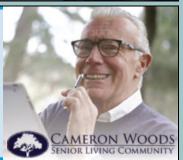
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FOOD OF THE MONTH



Our July Food of the Month was sponsored by Hope Korte of Peace Lutheran Church handler for Dove the comfort dog. Dove and her handlers were at the COA for this fun event and to visit with all the members. The food in July was an ice cream social and it was delicious treat on a hot day! Be sure to sign up for the August Food of the month by calling or stopping into the center.









Several members and staff enjoyed the Ice
Cream Train on July 8th with the Ft Wayne Railroad Historical Society. We were part of the
first group to go north on the train and members felt like movie stars waving at all the onlookers as we rode by. Be sure to check the
newsletter for other exciting events happening
at the center!











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We couldn't have asked for a more beautiful day for the Heritage Club's Father's Day Celebration. Several members and residents of Steuben County brough there classic or sports cars out for a special Father's Day cookout and car show. Members enjoyed seeing the different vehicles and we enjoyed hotdogs, chip, and watermelon. We also got to have ice cream courtesy of Dairy Queen in Angola, IN! Thank you to all who helped and attended this wonderful event!













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Line 1-____

Line 2-____

Line 3-

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