

HALFMOON SENIOR CENTER



MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER

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

Halfmoon Senior Citizen's Association, Inc.
2B Halfmoon Town Plaza, Halfmoon, NY 12065 518-371-3892

Office of the Aging Annual Senior Luncheon Saratoga City Center

Friday, May 17th 11:00 - 3:00pm

The theme this year is the "Roaring 20's"



Tickets \$4.00

Can be purchased at the front desk.

Welcome!

It's so nice to see so many new friends and neighbors stopping in and taking advantage of our Senior Center. Please welcome all of our new members, they are . . .

Barbara Daniels, Debra Sanders, Darlene Walsh, John Snyder, Thomas & Roxanne Nabozny, Mary Nabozny, Ronald Stamp, Judith Stamp, Ona Smith-McCormack, Rita Sorriento, Dianne Barmonde, Gerard Franco, Marilyn Blakey, Esther Sestito, Karen Harris, Gail Gardner, Melissa Muscato, Glenn Smith

Town of Halfmoon

Kevin Tollisen, Town Supervisor **Town Board**

Eric Catricala Paul Hotaling
Jeremy Connors John Wasielewski
Lynda Bryan, Liaison to Senior Center

James Hayes, Senior Center Director Senior Center Administrative Assistants Sharon Malinoski and Deb Keyoskey Jennifer Harrell – Recreation Leader



May Business Meeting

Sign up Required Before Thursday, May 2nd

Will be held at Town Hall in James A Bold Meeting Room on Wednesday May 1st at 1:00pm

Advisory Council held at 11:00am at the Senior Center



Senior Citizens Association

Nancy Morris, President Gary Shellenbarger Vice President Ruth Smalley, Treasurer Naomi Kruger, Secretary



Board of Directors

Al Arlitz, Dottie Becker, Dana Cunniff, Cheryl Dibble, Jan Harrington, Kate Jeanson, Sandy McAlonie, Dorothy Pingelski



Essex Steamboat Train & River Boat Trip Friday, June 21st.
Cost \$90 for members and \$115 for non members



Featuring Includes Train & Boat Fare,
3 Course Lunch. Meal choices are Braised Beef,
Mushroom Asiago Chicken or Baked Ziti. Sign up at
the front desk.



Turning Stone Casino Trip Monday, May 6, 2024

Bus will board at 8am at the Senior Center.

REMINDER

Please bring your photo ID, and your Turning Stone Card.

Water Aerobics.

Wednesday, May 1st 10:00am-10:45am

Runs for 4 consecutive weeks Cost \$10.00 per member Held at the YMCA

Please sign up at front desk

The Art of Quilling Class
Tuesday, May 14th 1:00 - 3:00 pm
Cost \$10.00
Please sign up at front desk



Newsletter

If you are not receiving the newsletter in your email please stop at the Front Desk and verify your information on file is correct.

Do you need transportation to the Senior Center?

Halfmoon Senior Express



Monday - Friday 7 Days Notice Halfmoon Residents Only
Call 518-664-2186 between 9am & 3pm



Movies begin at 12:30pm

May 6-The Help-PG-13-2hrs 26mins- An aspiring author during the civil rights movement of the 1960's decides to write a book detailing the African American maids' point of view on the white families for which they work, and the hardships they go through on a daily basis.

May 13-Mother's Day-PG-13 1hr 58mins-Three generations come together in the week leading up to Mother's Day.

May 20-Wonka-PG-1hr 56mins-with dreams of opening a shop in a city renowned for its chocolate, a young and poor Willy Wonka discovers that the industry is run by a cartel of greedy chocolatiers.



Golf Season will be open. Looking forward for you to join us for a fun casual round of Golf on Tuesday, May 14 at Mill Road Acres Golf Course. Sign-up sheets are available on the bulletin board at the Senior Center. Reservations by

Friday, May 10th for us to get tee time. Approximately 10:30am. After golf, lunch at Otis & Oliver's.

From the Desk of Your President

Happy May, beautiful flowers are starting to bloom. We can begin to do some activities outside as well as inside. The pavilion has been completed and ready for our seniors to enjoy. We will certainly let you know when we will be having some activity at the pavilion. May is also Mother's Day so join us to celebrate our mothers at our Mother's Day Breakfast on May 7. Members, please sign up at the front desk to reserve your spot. Guys, you are invited too. The other important date in May is Memorial Day to honor our servicemen who have died serving our country. Thank them for keeping us free. We want you to remember we are all family here at the center. Just like our brothers and sisters, we may not always agree, but it is important to love each other and keep our center moving along as a great place to meet other seniors.

Nancy Marris, President

MAY 2024 ACTIVITIES

Senior Center is Open Monday through Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

MONDAY

Healthy Bones For Life Class at the Senior Center

Monday & Wed. at 9:30 AM Offered by Saratoga Office of Aging and Youth Services. For information please call 518-884-4100

TUESDAY

Stability and Balance & Core Strength Classes

held at the Health Flex Fitness Center. For information and class schedule please call 518-383-0225

WEDNESDAY

10:00 Water Aerobics 9:30 Hthy Bones For Life 11:00 Adv Couns. (SC) 1:00 Business Mtg. (TH) 1:00 Poker

THURSDAY

9:00 Pickleball

9:00 Crafts

10:30 PACE

1:00 Ceramics

2:00 Line Dancing

FRIDAY

9:00 Ouilting 1:00 Open Paint 1:00 Open Games

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8:00 Turning Stone 8:30 Walking Group 9:00 Open Sew 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 12:30 Monday Movies 1:00 Poker

9:00 Mother's Day **Breakfast** 9:00 Porcelain Painters 9:00 Woodcarving 10:30 P A C E 1:00 Open Games

9:00 Coffee Café 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Bingo 1:00 Poker

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9:00 Pickleball 9:00 Crafts 10:30 PACE 1:00 Ceramics 2:00 Line Dancing

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9:00 Ouilting 12:00 OFA Mother's Day Special 1:00 Open Paint 1:00 Open Games

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8:30 Walking Group 9:00 Open Sew 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 12:30 Monday Movies 1:00 Poker

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9:00 Woodcarving 10:30 Golf 10:30 P A C E 1:00 Open Games 1:00 Quilling Class

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9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Bingo 1:00 Poker

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9:00 Pickleball 9:00 Crafts 10:30 PACE 12:00 Alzheimer's Support Group 1:00 Ceramics 2:00 Line Dancing

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9:00 Quilting 12:00 OFA Senior Luncheon 1:00 Open Games 1:00 Open Paint

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8:30 Walking Group 9:00 Open Sew 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 12:30 Monday Movies 1:00 Poker

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9:00 Woodcarving 10:30 P.A.C.E 12:00 Taco Tuesday Luncheon 1:00 Jewelry 1:00 Open Games

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9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Poker

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9:00Pickleball 9:00 Crafts 10:30 PACE 1:00 Ceramics 2:00 Line Dancing

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9:00 Quilting 1:00 Open Paint 1:00 Open Games

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Free Assortment of Breads & Goodies

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday Morning When Available Courtesy of Hannaford



Inside Halfmoon Town Hall

2:00PM-5:00PM

ACTIVITIES

CHECK OUT THE ACTIVITIES AT THE HALFMOON SENIOR CENTER

Bingo- 2nd, 3rd, and 5th Wednesday each month at 1pm. Must be a member to participate. Cards \$1.00 each with one free card. Payout \$5.00 a game. Come join us and have some fun!

Crafts Group- Thursdays 9:00am-11:00am. Bring whatever you would like to work on. We do not have a teacher, but we are willing to help if we can. If you have a project for the group to work on, please let our chairperson know.

Healthy Bones for Life

An exercise and education program for those at risk for, or who have osteoporosis. Held Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30am-10:30am. This program is offered by the Saratoga County Office of the Aging and a medical release form is required. Please call 518-884-4100 for information and to register.

PACE (people with arthritis can exercise)- Class is held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:30am-11:30am. Exercises are done slowly and at your own pace, Stop in and check out the class.

Open Paint-Class will be held every Friday from 1:00pm-3:30pm. Bring your own supplies. No turpentine or solvents please.

Bowling- held the last Thursday of each month at Spare Time Bowl at 10:30am, practice begins at 10:20am.Members \$8.00, non-members \$10.00. Includes two games, shoes, ball, pizza and soda. All are welcome. Scores do not count!!

Games- Tuesdays and Fridays at 1pm. Shuffleboard, Pokeno, Mah Jongh, dominoes, or any game of your choice. All are welcome to join us!

Library-we have large print books and regular hard cover books. Books are arranged in alphabetical order by author. Books can be signed out and returned when finished. You're welcome to sit and read a book quietly for a while.

Pickleball— Thursdays 9am-11am. Winter months, Pickleball is played at Impact Center, there is a \$7 charge to play at their gym. Spring/Summer/Fall held at Town Complex.

Woodworking- Tuesdays 9am. Everyone is encouraged to bring their own supplies to this class. Stop in and check out our group.

Open Sew -Bring your own project to work on. Group will meet on Monday's from 9am-11am

Ceramics- eight-week session, held every Thursday 1:00pm-3:00pm. Participants purchase their own piece. Paints are charged by usage. Session begins April 4th, runs for 8 consecutive weeks.

Golf-begins in the spring. Location of the golf course changes monthly as we like to try different courses. Riding carts are available in most locations. Please sign up on the bulletin board or send an email to halfmoon-seniorgolf@gmail.com.

Line Dancing- held every Thursday at 2pm. Lessons taught on a as needed basis, with new and old steps.

Quilting- Fridays 9am. Everyone works on their own projects using their own sewing machine.

Walking Group –

Mondays 8:30am –10:30am. Wintertime, the group walks at Impact and there is a \$7 charge to walk in their facility. Spring the group walks in the Town Park.

Jewelry - 1:00pm Third Tuesday of each month. \$7.00 fee. We work on a different project each month.

Monday Movies Join us on Monday's for an afternoon movie and free popcorn starting at 12:30

If you do not find your activity please let us know and we will add it to the next Newsletter