

HALFMOON

SENIOR CENTER

APRIL 2024 NEWSLETTER

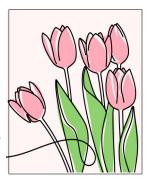
Open Monday through Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

2B Halfmoon Town Plaza, Halfmoon, NY 12065 518-371-3892



Halfmoon Senior Citizen's Association, Inc.





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 . . .

Hilda Carey, Nancy Roberts, Carolyn Jackson, Gary Gabeloff, Robert Giza, Marge Adkins, Teresa Burke, Cathy Ordreyko, Dolores Betz, Mark Kornfein, Linda Hall, Susan Jenkins, Nini Gridley, Mary Sieder

We are also pleased to welcome our new Senior Center Director, Jim Hayes

Water Aerobics.

Wednesday, April 3rd 10:00am-10:45am

Cost \$10.00 per member

Held at the YMCA Please sign up at front desk

Tuesday, April 2, 2024
Senior Center Closed for Elections
No Activities

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



Offered by Office of the Aging
Please sign up in the lunch book before noon on 3/29

May Business Meeting

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

NOMINATING COMMITTED

Elections will take place in June 2024.

If you're interested in becoming a Board Member or Officer please contact Doreen Draiss for more information. Committee needs to have a slate by May 1st.



SWIPE CARDS

Please remember to swipe in and out when coming into or leaving the Center. If not, please stop at the Front desk

Senior Citizens Association

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

Board of Directors

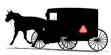
Al Arlitz, Dottie Becker, Dana Cunniff, Cheryl Dibble, Jan Harrington, Kate Jeanson, Sandy McAlonie, Dorothy Pingelski





Sights and Sounds of Lancaster, May 13th - May 15th - Featuring "Daniel."

Three day two night trip. Cost will be \$450. for a double occupancy, and \$600. for a single occupancy. Package includes: 2 nights lodging.



Please sign up, we still have spots available.



Turning Stone Casino Trip Monday, May 6, 2024

Wait list only. Trip is Full

REMINDER

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

HERMITS

Power's Pub, Friday April 19th.

Bus will leave at 11:45 Lunch at 12:00 noon Please sign up at front desk

Ceramics Begins

Thursday, April 4th 1:00pm Cost \$25.00

Runs for 8 consecutive weeks Please sign up at front desk



Chris's Craft Class Monday, April 8th 1:00pm Cost \$5.00

Please sign up at front desk



Line & Wash Class Tuesday, April 9th 1:00pm Cost \$8.00

Using both watercolors, acrylic ink, and a dip pen, to paint a simple illustrated botanical. Please sign up at front desk..



Faux Stained Glass Tuesday, April 16th 1:00pm **Cost \$10.00**

Please sign up at front desk

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

April 1-Heaven is for Real- PG 1hr 39min-A small town father must find the courage and conviction to share his son's extraordinary, life changing experience with the world.

April 8-The Bucket List: PG-13 1hr 37mins. Two terminally ill men escape from a cancer ward and head off on a road trip with a wish list of to-dos before they die.

April 15-Going in Style: PG-13 1hr 36mins. Desperate to pay the bills and come through for their loved ones, three lifelong pals risk it all by embarking on a daring bid to knock off the very bank that absconded with their money.

April 22- World Trade Center: PG-13 2hr 9mins. Two Port Authority police officers become trapped under the rubble of the World Trade Center.

April 29- On Golden Pond: PG 1hr 49mins. Norman is a curmudgeon with an estranged relationship with his daughter Chelsea. At Golden Pond, he and his wife nevertheless agree to care for Billy, the son of Chelsea's new boyfriend, and a most unexpected relationship blooms.

From the Desk of Your President

On March 14, the Waterford-Halfmoon Fire Department presented our Halfmoon Seniors with a donation of \$850. This was a generous donation from our local fire department, and we thank them very much.

We would like to welcome our new Director James Hayes. Please welcome him to our center. He will be working with the recreation program as well as with us.

Also, we would like to thank Jenn Harrell for all the help she gave us since October in keeping all of our programs and also new ones up and running. We want to continue working with her as she is an asset to our organization.

The new swipe card system seems to be working, and I appreciate your patience. If you are having trouble with your card, or if you have any questions or suggestions for our Halfmoon Senior Citizens Association, Please let me know.

Nancy Marris, President

APRIL 2024 ACTIVITIES Senior Center is Open Monday through Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

2 Center Closed for **Elections** No Activities



WEDNESDAY

3 9:00 Porcelain Painting 10:00 Water Aerobics 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 11:00 Advisory Council 1:00 Business Meeting 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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8:30 Walking Group 9:00 Open Sew 9:30 Healthy Bones For Life 12:30 Monday Movies 1:00 Poker 1:00 Chris's Craft Class

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9:00 Woodcarving 10:30 PACE 1:00 Open Games 1:00 Line and Wash

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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 Quilting 1:00 Open Paint 1:00 Open Games

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 PACE 1:00 Open Games 1:00 Faux Stained Glass

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

18_{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 HERMITS 1:00 Open Games 1:00 Open Paint

Sunday 4/21 1:00-3:00 Line Dancing

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

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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

Stability and Balance & Core Strength Classes

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

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 RSVP/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 -10:30. 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. (no Feb. class) 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