Washington Seniors Wellness Center Calendar 2022

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COVID Test & KN95 Mask Pick Up: Mondays 1:00pm - 3:00pm Fridays 1:00pm - 3:00pm

New Member Orientation with Shymee Tuesdays 2:00pm-3:00pm



On Zoom:

Enter Meeting ID: 928 7552 9202 Call In 646-558-8656 Password: 083339

* Activities subject to change ** Masks and Proof of vaccination required

December is....

- Christmas
- Kwanzaa
- Hanukkah
- Art & Architecture Month
- Egg Nog Month
- Handwashing Month
- Learn a Foreign Language
- National Drunk Driving Prevention Month
- National Fruit Cake Month
- National I Holiday Safety and Identify Theft Prevention and Awareness Month
- National Kale Month
- Procrastination Awareness Month
- Read a New Book Month
- Root Vegetable Month
- Safe Tovs & Gifts Month
- Bingo Birthday Month
- Tropical Fruit Month
- World AIDS Awareness Month

Thursday

- Write a Friend Month
- Depression & Anxiety & (Holiday Blues)

merry christmas happy hanukkah joyous kwanzaa happy holidays which ever you prefer.



Shymee will be on Vacation Monday December 26, 2022, thru Thursday January 5,2023. Her zoom classes & activities are cancelled for that time.

New to the Calendar
Tuesdays in center
2:00pm-4:00pm
Activities at your Leisure
w/Deyanne



FOR THE MONTH

Dec 1, 10:30am-1:30pm Christmas Tree Store 2925 Festival Way, Waldorf, MD

Dec 6 – 10:30am-1:30pm DACL 24th Annual Mayor's Senior Holiday Event-DC Armory 2001 E Capitol St, SE

Dec 8 -12:45pm - 3pm Downtown Holiday Market 8th & F St, NW

Dec 13, 12:45pm-3:00pm

Martha's Table-Commons Lobby The Commons Bld. 2375 Elvan's RD S.E. DC

Dec 15 -10:30am-1:30pm 2nd Ave Thrift Superstore 201 Fort Meade Rd Laurel, MD

Dec 21-9:30am-12:30pm Toby's Dinner Show- \$74.22

It's a Wonderful Life Columbia. MD

Dec 30-10:30am-2:00pm Odyssey New Year's Eve Cruise -\$75 Boat leaves from the SW DC Wharf



<u>Dec 1,1955</u> Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat on a crowded bus to a White passenger in Montgomery, Alabama <u>Dec. 2</u>, International day for the abolition of Slavery

<u>Dec 15,1791</u> Bill of Rights, which represent the first 10 amendments to the Constitution, was ratified guaranteeing civil rights and liberties to all

Dec 23, 1867, Sarah Breedlov-who would later be known as Madam C. J. Walker, Activist, Entrepreneur, Philanthropist-who made her fortune thanks to her homemade line of Hair Products for African American Hair, was born this day Dec. 23rd

Dec 25th Christmas Celebration

Dec 26-January 1 Kwanzaa

Kwanzaa is not a religious holiday but a celebration of African heritage and culture. It is a seven-day celebration from December 26 to January 1 that features the lighting of the kinara each day, like the lighting of the menorah during Hanukkah. Each day is represented by a principle of Kwanzaa.



9:00am - 9:45am Center Zumba Gold with Michelle

10:00am-11:00am Hybrid Community, Health, Nutrition w/ Shymee

10:00am-1:00pm Center

DC Library w/ Ms. Margarette Snow (Librarian)

10:30am-1:30pm Trip

Christmas Tree Store

10:30am-11:30am Center Chair Exercise w/ Linda

11:30am-12:30pm Zoom

Active Living w/ Romunda

1:30pm-2:30pm Center Tai Chi w/ Jerry - YMCA

1:45pm - 2:20pm Zoom Health Dialogue/ DeLois Botts

2:30pm-3:00pm Hybrid Nutrition Ed. w/ Shymee

3:00pm-4:00pm Hybrid
Community.Health.Nutrition w/Shymee



Friday

9:45am-10:15am Center Walking Group w/Stacy

11:00am-12:00pm Hybrid Enhance Fitness w/ Tawana

Mtg ID:815 5057 3934 PW: wswc

11:00am-1:00pm Center Art SWAG Works DC w/ Lisa

12:30pm-4:30pm Center GAMES A PLENTY

Greene-Clarke (Limit 10)











WASHINGTON SENIORS WELLNESS CENTER COMMUNITY, HEALTH, NUTRITION SESSIONS WITH SHYMEE & SPECIAL EVENTS















MONDAY

<u>Dec 5 10:00am-12:30pm Center (Hudson Rm)</u> Medstar Washington Hospital Living Well Program. Facilitators Charles Debnam, Kisha Copeland Topic: TBA

<u>Dec. 5 10:00am-11:00am Center</u> Want to look Fabulous for the Holiday. Mary Kay has what you need. Presenter: Kimberly McKinney (Mary Kay Consultant)

<u>Dec 12 10:00am-12:30pm Center (Hudson Rm)</u> Medstar Washington Hospital Living Well Program. Facilitators Charles Debnam, Kisha Copeland Topic: TBA

<u>Dec 19 (Final Session) 10:00am-12:30pm Center (Hudson Rm)</u> Medstar Washington Hospital Living Well Program. Facilitators Charles Debnam, Kisha Copeland Topic: TBA

<u>Dec 19 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid</u> National Nurses Association Presenter: Teresa Butler, Social Worker. Topic: Emotional Wellness/Depression in the Elderly

TUESDAY

<u>Dec 6 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid.</u> Giant Food w/ In Store Dietician, Alexandria Brown. Topic: Mindful Eating

<u>Dec 6 10:00am-2:00pm</u> Trip to Mayor's 24th year Holiday Celebration at the DC Armory. Transportation will be provided.

Dec. 8 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid Alzheimer Association. Presenter Michael Wade Topic: The Alzheimer Education Series Understanding and responding to Dementia related behaviors.

Dec 20 2:00pm-4:30PM Center WSWC Holiday Brunch. Come and enjoy our special holiday event we have planned especially for you. You must pre-register to attend. You can dance to the music of rocking DJ Rick, enjoy the nonalcoholic drinks prepared by Mixologist Elaina and enjoy the great chicken and waffle brunch along with other added favorites prepared just for you. As part of our community outreach this season, the WSWC adopted two DC families. We will present our gifts to the family representatives on this day. Thanks to the generous donations of the WSWC members, staff, family and friends we were able to purchase Tablets for each Child 's Christmas wish.

WEDNESDAY

<u>Dec. 7 10:00am-11:00pm Center</u> MPD Sixth District. Presenter Officer Persaud. Topic Holiday Safety Tips and how to protect yourself against Identity Theft

<u>Dec 7 12:00pm-2:00pm Center</u> WSWC Celebrating the Holiday Season with the Side-by-Side Band. Let's get our party on and have some fun while we usher in the holiday season <u>Dec.14 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid</u> December is Hand Washing Awareness Month. DC Health Department. Presenter: Maribelle Sabio Topic: When Why & How to properly wash your hands to prevent bacteria spread.

<u>Dec 21 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid Giant</u> Food w/ Alexandria Brown, In Store Dietician Topic: Holiday Celebration Dish – Sweet Potato/Avocado Toast.

THURSDAY

<u>Dec 1 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid National Veggie Month</u> Weis Market w/Christina Pelletier (Health & Nutritional Benefit) discussion of the benefits of Ginger & Garlic (Healthy Root Veggies) Cooking Demo TBA.

<u>Dec 1 10:00am-1:00pm Center</u> DC Library w/Ms. Margarette Snow (Librarian) Topic: Making Christmas Cards and Journal Writing.

<u>Dec 1 1:00pm-2:00pm Center</u> Zion Family Practice. Dr. Hagan: Topic: Medication Talk <u>Dec 8 10:00am-11:00am Hybrid</u> Emotional Wellness FMSC inc. (Network Affiliate of United Health Care). Presenter: Kyla Flanagan & Jacqueline Weans Topic: Mental Health Rejuvenation; Loneliness, Anxiety, Suicide during the holiday is real / The presenters will discuss how to cope with it.

<u>Dec 8 11:00am-1:00pm Center</u> Tech Talk with Adrian Topic: Need assistance with texts, picture taking, emailing etc. bring your Phone, laptop, iPad. into the center

<u>Dec 8 11:30-12:30pm Center</u> Safe at Home Awareness Month. DACL Presentation. Presenter Alice Thompson, DACL Outreach Specialist. Topic: Safe at Home Program (what you need to know) & other programs available

<u>Dec 8 2:30m-3:00pm Hybrid</u> Nutrition Session w/Shymee & Chef Herb Topic: December is Exotic Fruit Month A discussion around Nutritional benefits of Jackfruit w/Food Demo by Chef Chickpea & Jackfruit Curry

Dec 8 3:00pm-4:00pm Hybrid

Hair Care discussion with Bryn, Hair Care Specialist who will share Hair Care necessities that you won't want to miss. You can never know too much about hair care.

Dec 15 10:30am-11:30am Center Joy the Service dog is back dressed in her Christmas attire to visit the Center members and spread a little love and cheer. She loves to be petted and enjoys showing off some of her tricks

<u>Dec 15 2:30pm-3:00pm Hybrid</u> Nutrition Session w/Shymee and Chef Herb In recognition of National Kale Month. Topic: Health & Nutritional Benefits of Kale w/Food Demo by Chef Herb: Kale Salad with Cranberries, apples, sliced persimmons, and walnuts

<u>Dec 22 2:30pm-3:30pm Hybrid</u> Nutrition Session w/Shymee and Chef Herb Holiday Dish. Topic: Health & Nutritional Benefits of Scallops w/ Food Demo by Chef Herb: Air Fried Lemon Pepper Scallops with Vegetables

<u>Dec 29 1:00pm-2:30pm Center</u> Kwanzaa Celebration w/ Ms. Delores Botts WSWC Health Educator

FRIDAY

Dec. 12 11:00am-12:00pm Center in recognition of Bingo's Birthday Month play

Christmas Bingo w/ Deyanne. Win the game and get a prize