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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# Nurse Chat: Alzheimeris Bisease

#### Friday, July 21st at 1:00 pm

The Medical Team will be at our center discussing Alzheimer's Disease, an overview of causes and effects, how to cope, and potential treatments.

**RSVP by July 14th** 



# Hand Therapy

#### Monday, July 10th at 1:00 pm

Did you know that your hands are one of the most important parts of your body? They perform millions of functions everyday without us even realizing it.

In this workshop, provided by Max Well Therapy, LLC, we will be focusing on the benefits of Hand Therapy, what it is, and when you need it. At the end of the workshop there will be time for a few to have a free consultation with the therapist. Together we can finally learn why your hands are always in pain. See you at the Workshop!



**RSVP by July 5th** 

# Chair Massage

Rest your body and relax your mind

Once a month, Lacey from Fenton Massage Co. will be here at our center. We will offer 10-minute appointments.

During this appointment Lacey will help relieve tension in your upper body. Just take this time to relax and take a break!

#### Pricing

60 years or older: \$7.00 Under 60: \$10.00

Advanced payment and sign up required!

Friday, July 21st

# COUNTRY HOEDOWN

Friday, July 28th at 1:00 pm

Enjoy country music performed by Jammerman that will make you tap your toes and dance til the cows come home! Refreshments provided!

RSVP by July 21st



#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



# SUMMER SDIRIT

Monday, July 10th- Flower Power 10:00-11:00 am Flower Pot Painting Sponsored by Sharp Funeral Home

Tuesday, July 11th- Summer Shades 1:00-3:00 pm Blue Cat Band & Lemonade Stand Band starts at 2:00 pm

Sponsored by Genesee District Library and Ascension PACE

Wednesday, July 12th- Pink Flamingo 2:00-3:00 pm Ice Cream Social

Sponsored by Swank Assisted Living and Feather N Fin

Thursday, July 13th- Decades Day 10:00-11:00 am BINGO! Sponsored by Oak Street Health

Friday, July 14th- Beach Day 12:00-3:00 pm Picnic

Sponsored by Woodhaven Senior Living

Menu: Hamburgers and Hotdogs, chips, Assorted salad, and dessert!

RSVP for all events is July 5th





#### UPCOMING EVENTS



After a very successful Holiday Spirit week this past December, we will be holding our first Summer Spirit Week!

Here's how it works: Everyday has a special event and a special dress theme, if you participate in an event and/or theme, you will be entered into a raffle with 3 possible summer prize baskets to win (drawn at the picnic, you do not need to be present to win)! Raffle Basket Sponsors: Ascension PACE, Springvale Assisted Living, and The Medical Team! All events are free and have generously been sponsored by organizations and businesses in our community.

> The Themes explained: Monday- Flower Power wear your favorite flower print outfit.

> > Tuesday-Summer Shades

This will be the only acceptable time to wear sun glasses indoors, so rock them!

Wednesday- Pink Flamingo

Wear your favorite pink outfit, maybe even a boa?

Thursday- Decades Day

ar a classic outfit from your favorite era. Poodle skirts, track suites bell bottoms, the options are endless!

Wear what you would for a picnic on the beach. Sunhat, sunglasses sundress, Hawaiian shirt, or even floaties. Just remember, no shirt, no pants, no shoes, NO SERVICE! Best Dressed contest judged and sponsored by CenterWell Home Health

So, please join us for this fun filled week and spread the word! Questions? Call us at 810-635-4122



# MEDICARE 101

THURSDAY, JULY 6TH AT 10:00 AM

Presented by Molina Healthcare:

Have questions about Medicare? Andre Jones will be here to answer Medicare questions.

**RSVP BY JUNE 29TH** 



# ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Seth Neblock, Senior Law Advocate Legal Services of Eastern Michigan



Come join us for light refreshments as Seth

- · How to protect the assets you leave
- · Ensuring your family does not encounter unforeseen legal challenges
- · Making your wishes about healthcare decisions known to your loved ones
- The importance of legally naming guardians so the decision is not left up to the courts

RSVP by July 17th



Thursday, July 20th at 10:00 am **Presented by Molina Health Care** 

Thursday, July 27th at 10:00 am **Presented by Springvale Assisted Living** 



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1:00 Hoedown w/ Jammerman 9:00 am- Free Coffee & Donuts (while supplies last) Noon Lunch— Oven Fried Fish 11:00 Arthritis Exercise 2:00- Scavenger Hunt (Teams of 2-4 people) Fuesday, August 22nd Rides and Fair Food are not free 9:00 am -12:00 pm- Vendor Fair 0:00 am- "Old Blue Eyes" 1:30 pm- Free Ice Cream 27 Noon Lunch— Philly Chicken 1:00 am- "Elvis" 8:45 Yoga w/ Machelle 6:30 Pinochle 10:00 Bingo! 11:00 Toning 10:00 Tai Chi 6:00 Euchre & Cheese Day at the 26 3:00 Intermediate Line Dance Noon Lunch— Fiesta Lime **Purple Rose Trip Departs** Advanced Care appts 11:30 Sassy Exercise 6:00 Setback 9:30 Zumba Chicken JOIN US FOR LUNCH! See last page for more info on lunches before, before noon to place offer take home and eat in Come on in for lunch! We options. Just call the day Noon Lunch—BBQ Pulled Pork your order! 6:00 5-Handed Euchre 8:45 Yoga w/ Katrina 10:00 Knitting Group 1:00 Wood Carving Hearing Screening 12:30 Mah-Jongg 4:30 Dominoes 11:00 Toning 10:00 Tai Chi 1:00 Euchre 31 8:45 Beginner Yoga w/ Machelle Noon Lunch— Deluxe Fried Rice 8:45 Beginner Yoga w/ Katrina 1:00 Estate Planning Seminar 10:00 Improved Line Dancing 10:00 Improved Line Dancing Noon Lunch— Chicken Salad 5:00 Hand, Knee & Foot 5:00 Hand, Knee & Foot 3:00 Basic Line Dancing 3:00 Basic Line Dancing 1:45 Stretch & Balance 1:45 Stretch & Balance 11:30 Sassy Exercise 11:30 Sassy Exercise 1:00 Crochet Group 1:00 Crochet Group Sandwich

# Mission

**Board Meeting Notice** 

The purpose of the Swartz Creek Area Senior Citizens, Inc. shall be to identify and meet the needs of senior citizens. This is achieved through programs designed to provide services in the areas of information and referral, education, nutrition, health screening, the arts, recreation, personal growth, leadership development, self-worth, and community involvement.

will be held on Wednesday,

July 12th at 10:00 am

The next board meeting

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Arthritis Exercise– Friday, July 14th Zumba– Wednesday, July 19th

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS/TRIPS**



### Detroit Princess Luncheon Cruise

#### Thursday, August 24th, 2023

Detroit Princess Riverboat cruises journey from hart Plaza past the Ambassador Bridge, just past Belle Isle, with a bountiful lunch menu, it is easy for everyone to find an entree they enjoy! This trip includes a round trip transportation to Detroit, MI. A Cruise on the Detroit Princess Riverboat, A Delicious buffet, and musical entertainment all while you cruise down the river. the bus departs from our center at 9:30 am and returns at 4:30 pm.

Payment is due at time of registration: Deadline is 07-18-23



## Toledo Zoo & Aquarium

#### Wednesday, September 20th, 2023

The Toledo Zoo and Aquarium is nationally known for its large exhibits and animal diversity. With its hippoaquarium, Artic Encounter, and Africa! exhibits where you get up-close and personal with the animals. Not to mention the over 178,000-gallon water aquariums. This trip includes transportation to and from Toledo, OH, a lunch at Tony Packo's, and admission to the Toledo Zoo!

Deadline to RSVP: August 27th, 2023

# \$105 per person

#### **Travel Policy**

We encourage you and your friends over age 50 to join us on any of our trips. All participants must have an updated "Participation Form" on file at the time of sign-up.

YOU MUST EITHER SIGN UP AND PAY AT CENTER OR SEND A CHECK IN. RESERVATIONS ARE NOT GURANTEED UNTIL PAYMENT IS RECEIVED!

Trip Cancellation Policy: All cancellations incur a \$15 administrative fee which is deducted from any refund due to the member. Refund of the balance will be paid only if your seat can be canceled with the tour company.

inclement weather, if the tour company providing the trip does not cancel, the traveler will not be entitled to any refund. Some trips have policies unique to that trip,

so be sure to read the policy details on the back of individual trip flyer. Stop by or call the Senior Center for trip details and the complete Travel Policy. We ask that you be

considerate of other trip guests by not wearing perfume or colognes.

### \$85 per person 60+ \$110 per person under 60





Thursday, August 3rd

Blood drive presented by Versiti!
Call or visit center for more information!





## Balance and Endurance Class

Monday, June 19th at 12:30 pm RSVP by June 12th Class is Every 3rd Monday of the month!

This monthly class is designed to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels of older adults. For older adults who have a fear of falling, have fallen in the past, restrict their activities due to a fear of falling, and are interested in improving flexibility, balance and strength. Participants will set their own goals for increasing activity, make changes to reduce fall risk at home, and exercise to increase strength and balance.

Please note the time change!!!

## **Hearing Screening**

Tuesday, July 25th

Provided by: Your Hearing Solution Offered by the center once a month. Call 810-635-4122 to make your appointment. FREE hearing evaluations available at the center. FREE hearing aid cleaning and adjustments.

# VETERAN \*\*\* ASSISTANCE \*\*

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#### **SUPPLY DONATIONS**

Our Center uses many supplies on a daily basis. Donations of Hard Candy, Clorox wipes, Tissues, Decaf Coffee, and Hand Soap are always appreciated!

Thank you for your generous donations to our Senior Center!



# **TRANSPORTATION**

Transportation services available to seniors residing within the Swartz Creek School District. Contact the senior center for the complete schedule.

#### TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INCLUDE:

#### SHOPPING WEEKLY

Round trip from your home on Tuesdays. This trip alternates between Meijer and Kroger each week.

#### FOOD PANTRY MONTHLY

Round trip from your home to the Swartz Creek Community Food Basket.



# JOIN US FOR LUNCH! Meals are served eat in or take home Monday-Friday between 12:00- 12:30 pm at the senior center. Reservations must be made by noon the day BEFORE. For Monday reservations, you must reserve on the prior Friday. Call us at 810-635-4122

A \$3 donation per meal is requested for anyone 60 years and older living in Genesee County and anyone under 60 or living outside Genesee County is a \$6 donation.

Provided by Genesee County Community
Action Resource Department (GCCARD)

#### **Class Cancellations**

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#### **Loan Closet**

Our center loans donated medical equipment such as wheelchairs, walkers, bedside commodes, bath seats, canes and crutches to seniors in need. Please call the center if you need to borrow an item. We also accept donations of these items in good and <u>sanitized</u> condition.

We appreciate donations made to our Loan closet or to our Incontinence Supplies!

#### **Discrimination Policy**

The Swartz Creek Area Senior Center has adopted a policy of non-discrimination in all programs, services and employment. No one shall be excluded on the basis of race, color, national origin sexual orientation, religion, age, marital status, veteran and military status or disability unless required by the eligibility guidelines for services. Inclusiveness is a core value that drives the organization's mission of providing services to benefit persons who are over the age of fifty and reside in Genesee County.

Swartz Creek Area Senior Citizens, Inc.: Funding Sources

- ♦ Genesee County Senior Millage
- Community Development monies from the City of Swartz Creek, The Village of Gaines, & Gaines Twp.
- Senior fundraising
- Donations from individuals and community groups.

Membership & Participation Guidelines

- Open to all Genesee County residents over age 50.
- Completion of a "Membership / Participation Form" and update the information annually.
- A yearly donation of \$10 per person is requested.
- For more details, request a Membership Handbook.





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