Play/IC Seniors!

Our Seniors Were Blowin' & Goin'! June 2023























To the left: Members had fun painting rocks that we will be placing outside to beautify the building.

On the Cover: Seniors traveled to Philadelphia on the Heritage of America tour while later in the month our TC Senior Vollies took on the Fire Department in a Charity Chair Volleyball game where we collected fans and donations for fans for seniors in need. Seniors won both games!

Membership info

New Member (resident) \$10/year

New Member (non-resident) \$20/year

Day Pass \$2/day

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Hours of Operation

Hours

Monday—Friday 8:00am—3:00pm Tuesday Evenings 6:00pm—9:00pm Saturdays 10:00am—2:00pm

972-624-2246

Pre-registration is currently required for Special Events and activities requiring food and supplies purchased.

Senior Citizens of The Colony 501(c)

SCOTC is the charitable branch of The Colony Seniors. They raise funds and support the senior center and the community. Senior center members are welcome and encouraged to attend SCOTC meetings on the 4th Mondays, 8:30—10:00a.

Fans, Fans Everywhere!

A huge thank you for all of the support that we received on the fan drive. You will make a timely difference in some needy seniors lives this summer. If you or someone you know is in need of a fan, please contact Annette and she will help get you qualified. Feel free to mention this to your groups outside the senior center such as church or other civic organizations. We will be working with Meals on Wheels and the local Fire Department and Police Department to help locate those with the greatest need. Thank you to the 501

(c) 3 for partnering with us to make this such a success. Congratulations to Senior Volleyball players for their big win over the Fire Department.



Book Club



Book Club

First Tuesday of each month at 2pm

June 6th

Of Windmills and War, by Diane Moody

July 11th(change due to holiday)

Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo, by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Birthday Social, Luncheon, & New 6-Week Class



Birthday Ice Cream Social

The 1st Friday of Each Month

Friday, June 2, 12:30 - 1:00pm It's a BIRTHDAY PARTY! Join us for cake & ice cream as we celebrate monthly birthdays.

Visit with friends, enjoy the treats and make some noise singing happy birthday to all. Cake donated by Joe Coffey with Humana.



Monthly Luncheon Friday, <u>June 16,</u> 12pm—1:00pm Registration Required

Summer is here and it is time to start eating light. Chicken salad sandwich with a salad and watermelon will help us keep our cool. Please sign up to bring a baked dessert to share if you can.

Reduce Falls - Increase Activity!

6 Week Class Starting

Wednesdays, June 7- July 12 12:30-2

Sign up required and you will be signed up for the full 6 weeks.





Each Wednesday for 6 weeks, learn to make changes to reduce fall risk, perform exercises to improve stability, and view falls/fear of falling as controllable. Classes are typically 90 minutes with exercise and an educational topic afterwards. Discussions include: Nutrition, Fall Prevention, Osteoporosis, Balance & Vestibular, and more.

REGISTER AT THE FRONT DESK TODAY!



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Art and Travel

Summer Themed Painting

Wed, June 21 1:00-2:00

RESERVATION REQUIRED (LIMIT 15)

Suzanna Baker with Concho Hearts Hospice will be providing the materials and expertise to create an amazing

experience and personal masterpiece.



Tuscany Travel Meeting

Like to travel but don't enjoy the hassle of planning everything yourself? Join The Colony Senior Travel Club. We take care of all the reservations and planning. You just sign-up for the tour, pack your suitcase

and away we go.



FRIDAY, JUNE 2 1:30p-2:30p

Highlights will include: Pisa, Lucca, Florence, wine tours, a Cheese Farm Tour, cooking classes & more!



Nutrition / Craft



NUTRITION SEMINAR!

Presented by Joe Coffee with Humana!

Friday, June 23rd @ 12:30pm

Join The Colony seniors for a fun afternoon talking and learning about Nutrition!

This fun and interactive session will have you thinking, laughing and learning how nutrition benefits you!

Registration is Required!



PATRIOTIC
Wreath Craft

Tuesday, June 13 6:30-8:30 pm

Preregistration required & \$5 cost to

cover all supplies due at registration.

Shirley will be leading this evening class and will inspire you to make beautiful wreaths for yourself or as a gift. You know this class will be FUN!!!!

Class limit is 12 so sign up early!!!

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The Colony Seniors Activities

Fitness Activities

AFEP Chair Exercise—CC & Z

9:15-9:55am on Mon/Wed/Fri

Arthritis Foundation Exercise Class is a fun class that can be done sitting or standing. Benefits may include: reduced pain and stiffness, restored/maintained range of motion, improved balance and coordination and decreased fatigue/increased endurance.

Cardio Drumming—CC

9:00—9:45am on Tue/Thu & 10:00-10:45am Fri

Cardio drumming is a cardio workout done to music using drumsticks and an exercise ball for the drum.

Chair Volleyball—Rec Gym

10:30am—11:30pm on M & W (no Fridays during summer)

Chair Volleyball is a great way to get in a little exercise and have fun.

Chair Yoga—CC

12:00-12:45 on Tue/Thu

This gentle stretch video class is done in a chair or standing.

Line Dance-Beginner —CC

10:00—11:30pm on Mondays

This fast growing class focuses on basic dances and is a great form of aerobic exercise. Some experience required.

Line Dance-Improver—CC

1:00—2:30pm on Thursdays

This class is open to beginners also, however, the emphasis is on more intricate line dances.

Line Dance-Advanced—CC

11:00a—12:30pm Fridays

Experienced dancers take on the challenge of intricate dances.

Tai Chi —CC

11:45-12:30 pm M/W Live Instruction

1:00—2:00 pm M/W Video only

This martial arts class designed for Seniors promotes relief from mental stress and arthritis while improving balance and range of motion.

Yoga Live-CC

10:30-11:15 am Tuesdays NO yoga June 13

Yoga is an ancient practice that brings together mind and body. It incorporates breathing exercises, meditation and poses designed to encourage relaxation and reduce stress.

Music Activities

Guitar/Ukulele Lessons—CC

12:00pm-2:00pm on Saturdays

If you have a guitar or ukulele and would like to learn to play better, Rodney will give lessons on Saturday mornings. Register at 972-624-2246.

Pickin' & Grinnin'—CC

12:00—1:30pm on Tuesdays

Join Friends for a little noise makin' and a whole lot of fun!

Game Days & Time

Mondays

Hand & Foot 10:00—2pm, Canasta style card game.

Mah Jong, 12:00—3:00pm American style Mah Jong using NMJL cards.

Tuesdays

Contract Bridge 10:00—2pm.

Game Night 6:00-9pm Enjoy an evening of varied games.

Wednesdays

Pinochle 9:00-11:30am New players are encouraged to attend.

Mah Jong, 12:30—2:30pm American style Mah Jong using NMJL cards.

Thursdays

Contract Bridge 10:00-2pm,

Mah Jong, 12:00—2:30pm American style Mah Jong using NMJL cards.

Fridays

Hand & Foot 10:00—2pm, Canasta style card game.

Mah Jong, 12—2pm Chinese style Mah Jong game is fun to learn/play.

Groups & Activities

BP&G-CC

10-10:30am on 3rd Tue TCFD drops by to offer free BP & Glucose checks.

Bingo-CC

Thursdays—10:00am and 1st & 3rd Fridays—6:30pm

Card Sales: Began 30 minutes before game starts at \$3 per tablet.

Book Club — CC

2:00-3:00 on the first Tuesday of the month

Card Makers—CC

12:30—3:00pm on Thursdays

Bring your own supplies and enjoy visiting with fellow card makers.

Caregiver Support Group—CC & Z

10:45—11:45am on Second Fridays

This small group meets together to share experiences and gain insights and support in providing care. Call at 972-624-2246 for info & sign-up

Computer Lab/Pool Table Usage—CC

Computer Lab and Pool Table are available during regular hours.

Genealogy—CC

11:00am—12:00pm on Tuesdays

Learn how to trace your family history utilizing computer programs.

Happy Hookers Crochet—CC

9:30am—11:30am on Tuesdays

Bring your own supplies and visit with friends while crocheting.

Quilters—CC

10:00am—11:30am on Wednesdays

TC Cut-Ups Quilt Guild 7:00—8:30 on 3rd Wednesday. Share quilting tips and other experiences with friends as you work. Special Saturday work day on Saturday the 24th from 10:00-2:00pm

Senior Citizens of The Colony 501 (c)3—CC

8:30-10:00am on 4th Monday

Volunteering to help with projects for seniors and the community.