Catholic Charities Adult Day Center Specialized Care for Older Adults December 2023

ADULT DAY CENTER

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December 22nd and 25th

Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

2024 Closure

January 1st News Years Day January 15th Martin Luther King Jr Day



Flu season

We hope this newsletter finds you healthy and safe. We are coming to that time a year when illness become more prevalent. We ask for your help in keeping your loved ones home when sick to help us prevent the spread of illness.

If you test positive for COVID-19 you must quarantine for 5 days and be able to wear a mask if attending the day center through day 10. If you are unable to wear a must you must stay home for the 10 days.

If any participant, any family members and/or housemate are getting tested for COVID-19, regardless if it is procedural, routine or because of symptoms we ask you to notify the day center immediately. Please keep your loved one home until test results come back & are communicated to the Adult Day Center staff. Confidentiality will be maintained.

Please help us keep everyone safe and healthy and keep your loved one home if they are experiencing any illnesses. If they come in and show any symptoms we will call families and send them home.

Happy Birthday

to those celebrating this month

12/1 Tyson B 12/3 Cassandra S 12/6 Barbie S 12/8 Mary B N 12/9 Peggy O 12/12 Rhonda A 12/15 Rosa F 12/18 Gerald Z 12/19 Sue K 12/19 Michelle M 12/22 Thomas K 12/30 Chrystal J (Staff) 12/30 Ryann M (Staff)



Thank you!

A huge thank you to everyone who has donated various items to the day center over the last month.

> Rosa F Dennis and Mary Wagner

Another huge thank you goes to our volunteer from the last month!

UW Badger Volunteers Edgewood in the Community Ladybug the Clown Pastor Paul UW SW Volunteers MATC OTA



The Adult Day Center Staff

Phone: 608-663-7117 Fax: 608-663-7115

Program Director: Nichole Kraemer Direct Line: 826-8116

Community Support Specialist (Information, tours, & enrollments) **Kristin Hutson** Direct Line: 826-8106

Nurse: Direct Line: 826-8108

Recreation Specialist: Rochelle Dushack Sorcha Marron and Ryann Magee 608-663-7117 ext. 8121

Caregivers: McKenzy Endres, Monica Vasquez, Janet Holmstrom, Chrystal Jones and Iisha Murphy **608-663-7117 ext. 8122**

Kitchen Coordinator: Terri Ohmen



Jacob S Courtney B



ADC Pictures

November events included a special visit from board member Jim, Ladybug the Clown and friend, Jim Turk, James Kellerman, a trip to the dollar store, the state capital, and True Coffee shop. Lastly we kicked off the holidays with our party at Olbrich Gardens.



Kitchen Corner

December is the last month of the year and the most special of them all. We celebrate the season with those we hold dear to our hearts. I want you all to know I hold you close to my heart.

All the volunteers help in making the day center run. Thank you to:

Carie, Cora, Cara, Dennis, Rosa, Linda, Va, Rocky, Jennifer S, Elroy and Jeremy.

Enjoy some ribbon candy, Christmas cutouts, eggnog, angel food candy, peanut butter blossoms, hot chocolate, with sprinkles and popcorn balls.

By: Terri Ohmen



Happy Anniversary

Happy 4 year anniversary to Terri our Kitchen Coordinator. Thank you for all you do for the participants on a daily bases making each afternoon snack special. Thank you for also coming up with fun morning activities. Your dedication to our participants and your love

of the kitchen shines! Please stop and say thank you and Happy Anniversary to her on December 3rd.



Winter Weather

Winter is here and with winter comes unpredictable road and walk-way conditions. As always, we encourage you to use your judgment when deciding if you are able to make it to the day center each day. We strive to provide you with a safe place to be. However, at times when strong winter weather strikes, we decide to close the day center. Your safety is our primary concern. In the event that the day center closes, the staff will notify each participant scheduled to attend that day by calling their primary phone number. A message will be left for each participant who is unable to answer and has voicemail/answering machine. If you are wondering if the day center is open or closed, but you have not yet received a phone call, you can tune into your local TV station. The Adult Day Center follows

the Madison School District. If the Madison School District comes up on your TV screen for closures, our day center will be closed as well. As always if you choose not to attend for any reason please contact Kristin Hutson at 826-8106.



Madison College Community Event

Madison College will be hosting a Big Band and Jazz Ensemble concert that is open to the public and a free event.

Friday December 8th, 2023 at 7:30 Located at the Mitby Theater 1701 Wright Street Madison WI



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