MALDEN MONITOR

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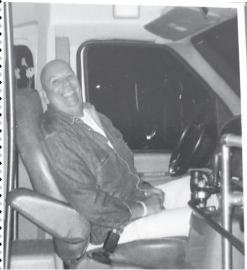
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PROGRAMS

- Aerobics
- ·Billiard (Pool)
- ·Bingo
- ·Blood Pressure
- ·Book Club
- Bowling
- ·Chair Exercise
- ·Chinese Outreach
- •Computer Classes
- •Core & Balance
- ·Cribbage
- Fabric Art
- ·Floor, Core & Strength
- ·Haitian Outreach & ESL
- •Harmonica
- Knitting & Crocheting
- Line Dancing
- ·Meal Site (Asian & American)
- Movies
- •Ping Pong
- •Tai Chi
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot} Transportation$
- Trips
- Writing Class
- ·Yoga
- ·Zumba Fitness

A Letter from the Director, Silvia Banos-Aguayo

Happy February to All,



As many of you know, last month the Malden Senior Center lost a member of our beloved family, Tom Glynn. Tom served as the Senior Center shuttle driver for 11 years. He was a wonderful person with a witty sense of humor and a unique way of showing his care for everyone he served. Oftentimes, he would whistle tunes down the hall of the Center as he prepared to start his day and his tunes stayed in my mind all day. Deep down, Tom enjoyed his work. We all know how much he truly loved his seniors, he never said no to helping someone out. He was

incredibly helpful to all of the staff and was never hesitant to lend a hand during busy times of the day or during special events. No job was too big or too small for Tom.

I will miss hearing him yelling "Hey curly!" as I walked down the hall. I will miss relying on his incredible knowledge of the City of Malden, the Center, and his historical prospective on life. We will miss you Tom today and always. You remain always in our hearts.

The Malden Senior Community Center will be closed on Monday, February 20, 2017 in observance of Presidents' Day.

As always a big <u>THANK YOU</u> to everyone for your continued support, donations and contributions to the Malden Senior Community Center We're grateful and appreciate you!

SENIOR CENTER UPDATE

COUNCIL ON AGING

The next Council on Aging meeting will not be meeting in January. Our next COA meeting will be held on *Wednesday February 1, 2017 from 10:30 AM-11:30 AM* in the Senior Center dining room.

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

Advisory Committee meetings will be held on the last Tuesday of every month and last for 1 hour. Our next meeting will take place on Tuesday, February 28, 2017. at 1:30 PM Please visit the front office to sign up if you're interested in attending our next meeting.

SENIOR TRIPS

We will have some updated information on the Senior Trips in the next newsletter. Please stay tuned!

SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAM

As a reminder, if you are interested in participating in the daily Mystic Valley Elder Services Lunch Program at the Senior Center, <u>PLEASE</u> make sure to make your reservation directly with Mary Glynn or Linda Smigielski by calling 781-397-7144 and ask to be connected to the KITCHEN. The kitchen staff need to request lunches *in advance* and cannot guarantee a lunch to anyone *without* a reservation.

If you are not able to make it to the lunch program on the date(s) you requested, PLEASE call the KITCHEN to cancel your lunch reservation. It is important to the kitchen to have as much notice as possible. We thank you for your cooperation!

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER (MONITOR)

You may now find copies of our monthly newsletter available for you at the Center's front office.

We will continue to deliver them to our local Malden Senior Housing buildings. You may also find it available online on the City of Malden's website at: http://www.cityofmalden.org/content/senior-center-newsletter. If you wish to continue to have the newsletter mailed to your home, we can do so through our new subscription program of \$10 per year. Please make your check payable to the Malden Senior Community Center. Please feel free to contact the Center if you have any questions. Thank you.

NO ENTERTAINMENT IN FEBRUARY

WE GIVE THANKS

Gracias! Merci Beaucoups! Do Jeh! Xie Xie! Danke! Toda! Grazie! Thank You!

To all who give and support our Center; we are grateful. A special thank you to Jeanne and Tara Gear, Ed Trabucco, Mary Peabody, Kathleen Kratz, Loga Kunarasah, Cynthia Huddy, Thomas and Pamela McCarthy, and Kathleen and William Bateman.

CORE AND BALANCE WITH SHARON

Mondays, 8:15 AM - 9:15 AM

Strengthen your muscles and improve all movement. It will help improve balance and stability.

BEGINNERS LINE DANCING WITH CHRIS

Mondays, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Chris Loiacano will be teaching the Beginners Line Dancing Class formerly taught by Emily Brenner. Come join the fun!

ZUMBA FITNESS WITH A LATIN FLAIR

Wednesdays, 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM and Fridays, 10:30 AM to 11:15 AM

Join Aimee Pinero Borda as she takes the "work" out of workout, by mixing low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorie-burning dance fitness party.

ADVANCED LINE DANCING WITH CHRIS

Wednesdays, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Chris's class will keep you moving with fun dance steps and great music!

<u>HEALTHY STEPS CLASS</u> WITH JULIE KAUFMANN

Thursdays, 1:30 PM -2:30 PM Slow, resistant movements that are gentle and easy to do. Sit or stand. All ages, any fitness levels are welcome. Certified Healthy Steps Instructor.

ADVANCED LINE DANCING (COUNTRY/WESTERN)

Thursdays, 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Come join Julie Kaufmann for a new spin on Country Line Dancing!

SENIORS "GRAHAM CRACKERS" CANDLEPIN BOWLING LEAGUE HAS MOVED TO A NEW LOCATION.

Mondays at 9:45 A.M. Woburn Bowladrome 32 Montvale Ave., Woburn. For more information please contact Steve Cultrera 781-391-6701.



FOR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING; YOU MUST CALL FOR **APPOINTMENTS - 781-397-7144**

CHAIR MASSAGE

Thursday, February 16 from 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Massage fee is \$20 paid directly to Rachel Pizzano.

PODIATRIST

Monday, February 27 from 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM Fee \$25 paid to Dr. Kaplan

REFLEXOLOGY

Thursday, February 9 from 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

SHINE COUNSELOR NO APPOINTMENTS IN FEBRUARY

BLOOD PRESSURE with JOYA PEZZUTO, RN

Thursday, February 9 from 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Sponsored by Hallmark Health System.

MARY MARINO'S AFFORDABLE **HEARING AIDS**

Monday, February 13 from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM Mary will schedule appointments (15 minutes each) and will also do walk-ins. You can also contact Mary at 781-249-5330.

MONTHLY MOVIE

Tuesday, February 28 at 2:30 PM "Lovely, Still": PG Martin Landau, Ellen Burstyn A light supper will be served. Please call 781-397-7144. <u>SPECIAL NOTE</u>: When a light supper is offered; attendance to the entire movie is required. Thank you.

BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, February 21 at 11:00 AM (Library) "The Red Notebook" by Antoine Laurain

Heroic bookseller Laurent Letellier comes across an abandoned handbag on a Parisian street. There's nothing in the bag to indicate who it belongs to, although there's all sorts of other things in it. Without even a name to go on, and only a few of her possessions to help him, how is he to find one woman in a city of millions?

We Welcome New Members!

REPRESENTATIVE FROM CONGRESSWOMAN KATHERINE CLARK'S **OFFICE**

By appointment only. Please call: 781-397-7144. Held in the Atrium.

REPRESENTATIVE STEPHEN ULTRINO

Thursday, February 9 from 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Held in the Atrium.

SENATOR JASON LEWIS

Friday, February 17 from 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Get to know your State Senator, raise any questions or concerns you may have. Held in the Atrium.

JACKSON STREET PARKING GARAGE

We will validate up to 3 hours of parking for Seniors that attend the Center. Please bring your ticket to the front office.

MASS SENIOR ACTION COMMITTEE

Wednesday, February 22, 2016 at 1:30 PM

MONDAY MOVIES

(All Monday movies 1:00 PM Auditorium)

February 6: Ghostbusters: PG-13

Melissa McCarthy, Kristen Wiig

February 13: Elsa & Fred: PG-13

Shirley MacLaine, Christopher Plummer

February 20: HOLIDAY - NO MOVIE

February 27: Stardust: PG-13

Claire Danes, Michelle Pfeiffer, and

Robert DeNiro

CHINESE OUTREACH FOR SENIORS

Wednesdays & Thursdays - 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

CHINESE HISTORY AND LITERATURE

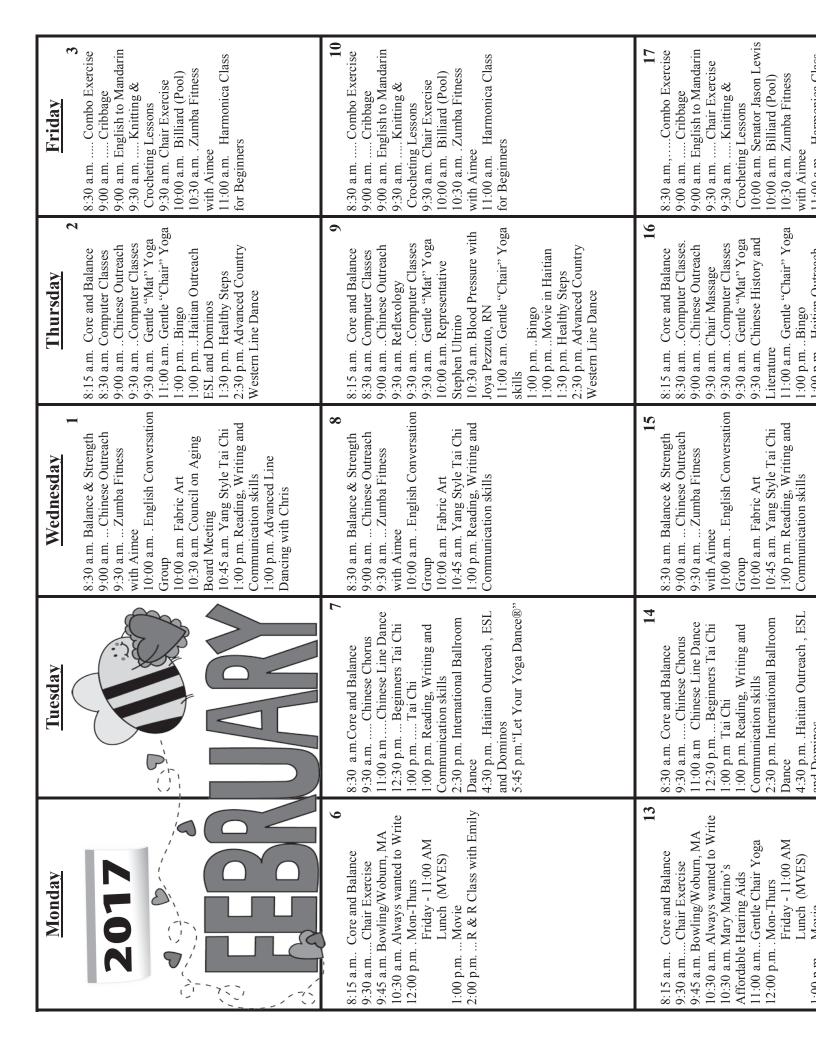
Thursday, February 16 at 9:30 AM

MOVIE IN HAITIAN

Thursday, February 9 from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

HAITIAN OUTREACH, ESL & DOMINOS

Tuesdays: 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM **Thursdays:** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (except 2nd Thursday)



2:00 p.m. R & R Class with Emily	and Dominos 5:45 p.m. "Let Your Yoga Dance®"		ESL and Dominos 1:30 p.m. Healthy Steps 2:30 p.m. Advanced Country Western Line Dance	for Beginners
Presidents Day	8:30 a.m. Core and Balance 9:30 a.m Chinese Chorus 11:00 a.m. Chinese Line Dance 11:00 a.m. Book Club 12:30 p.m Beginners Tai Chi 1:00 p.m. Tai Chi 1:00 p.m. Reading, Writing and Communication skills 2:30 p.m. International Ballroom Dance 4:30 p.m Haitian Outreach , ESL and Dominos 5:45 p.m. 'Let Your Yoga Dance®'"	8:30 a.m. Balance.& Strength 9:00 a.m Chinese Outreach 9:30 a.m Zumba Fitness with Aimee 10:00 a.m English Conversation Group 10:00 a.m. Fabric Art 10:45 a.m. Yang Style Tai Chi 1:00 p.m. Reading, Writing and Communication skills 1:30 pm Mass Senior Action	8:15 a.m. Core and Balance 8:30 a.mComputer Classes. 9:00 a.mChinese Outreach 9:30 a.mComputer Classes 9:30 a.mGentle "Mat" Yoga 11:00 p.mBingo 1:00 p.mHaitian Outreach ESL and Dominos 1:30 p.m. Advanced Country Western Line Dance	8:30 a.m.,Combo Exercise 9:00 a.mCribbage 9:00 a.m. English to Mandarin 9:30 a.m Chair Exercise 9:30 a.m Knitting & Crocheting Lessons 10:00 a.m. Billiard (Pool) 10:30 a.m. Zumba Fitness with Aimee 11:00 a.m. Harmonica Class for Beginners
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COUNCIL ON AGING (COA) TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

FREE SERVICE for MALDEN SENIORS

City of Malden Senior Transportation Program with "Door to Door Transportation by SCM"

Reservations Required

617-625-1191

Medical and Supermarket Shopping on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9:00 AM—4:00 PM

Senior Center Shuttle Curb to Curb service on Monday, Tuesdays and Thursdays from your residence to the Senior Center and home again.

Reservations Required: 781-397-7144

2016 TAX TIME

AARP TAX SERVICE

Jack Kelly from AARP will be back in February with volunteers to prepare your 2016 taxes. Starting Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at 9:00 AM and every Tuesday until April 11, 2017 AARP will return to assist seniors with their 2016 tax preparation. Preference will be given to Malden residents, age 60 and over with a total income of \$60,000 or less. Photo ID is required.

Although many Seniors may feel they do not need to file taxes, there may be special credits available such as the Massachusetts "circuit breaker" which compares income to taxes or rent paid and may provide tax relief.

Please call 781-397-7144 to schedule an appointment.

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