



SENIOR SERVICES JANUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER



After the Winter Solstice: A Gardener's Hope Grows with Longer Days

(Taken in part from The Daily Gardener online publication)

On this day, we take a moment to recognize that the amount of daylight is getting longer. Even though we're in the middle of January, and it's so cold, and our gardens are buried under many feet of snow, the days are getting longer. The good news is that the winter solstice, the shortest day of the year, is behind us. It took place on December 21st.



In January, each day gains about two minutes of daylight. And in February, we gain about 2.5 minutes of sunlight each day. Here are some thoughts on the lengthening days by the English poet, novelist, and garden designer Vita Sackville-West.

The shortest day has passed, and whatever nastiness of weather we may look forward to in January and February, at least we notice that the days are getting longer. Minute by minute, they lengthen out. It takes some weeks before we become aware of the change.

It is imperceptible even as the growth of a child, as you watch it day by day until the moment comes when with a start of delighted surprise, we realize that we can stay out of doors in a twilight lasting for another quarter of a precious hour.

The next Winter Solstice will occur in the northern hemisphere on Sunday, December 21st, 2025, at 8:02 a.m. Mountain Time.

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"STAY POSITIVE"



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Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00	EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class
9:00	Oil Painting/ Watercolors	Beginners Lapidary	Oil Painting/ Watercolors	Marvelous Crafters Class	
9:30	EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class		
10:00	Beginners Lapidary	Tai Chi With Diana		Tai Chi With Diana	
10:15			Bingo		Community Music - 3rd Fri.
11:00			Ceramics & Crafts	Ceramics & Crafts	Ceramics & Crafts
12:00			Ceramics Instructor		
12:15					Movie
12:30			Square Dancing Pinochle	Mah Jongg	Bridge
1:00	Line Dancing With Linda	Art Class with Kathy			Canasta
2:00	Beginners Line Dancing				

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8:00	EnhanceFitness		EnhanceFitness		EnhanceFitness
9:00	Sit n Fit Stained Glass Pencil Drawing	Sit n Fit	Sit n Fit Stained Glass	Sit n Fit	Sit n Fit Stained Glass Watercolor
9:30	Line Dancing		Advanced Line Dancing	Crochet Group	Line Dancing
9:45					Tai Chi
10:00		Gentle Yoga			
10:30			Tai Chi for Arthritis	Tai Chi for Arthritis	
12:45	Shopping	Bingo		Bingo	
1:00	Bridge	Pinochle Oil Painting		Bridge	
2:00	Tap Dancing	Grief Support 2nd & 4th Tues	Tap Dancing		
3:00		Pickleball		Dementia support Group 1st Thurs	

Waffle Morning

Tues. January 14th 9:45-10:30am

with Fresh Crushed Strawberry Sauce

YUM!

ATTENTION

Station Park Lunch Trip!

Skip the traffic, roundabouts, and the hassle of parking at Station Park. Hop on the lunch bus on Wednesday,

January 22nd, at 11:30 AM.

RSVP in center. Pay for your own meal. Enjoy lunch with friends at Cafe Zupa's, Santorini's, Costa Vida, Vessel Kitchen, or Panda Express.

South Davis will be closed for renovation Jan. 27- Feb. 7th. Grab & Go meals available upon advanced reservation. For questions and reservations call 801-451-3660.

Alt Meal	Monday	Carb	Tuesday	Carb	Wednesday	Carb	Thursday	Carb	Friday	Carb
*Egg Salad Sandwich	• •	25	January 2025		<mark>1</mark> Closed for Holiday		<mark>2</mark> Chicken Teriyaki Fluffy Rice Butternut squash Mixed Veggies Fresh Fruit Cookie Milk	12 5 11 12 22 11	<mark>3</mark> Chicken Parmesan Spaghetti Cauliflower Green Beans Roll Fresh Fruit Milk	25 32 19 19 19
*Chicken Chef Salad	<mark>6</mark> Beef a Roni Spinach Butternut Squash Fruit Milk	52 6 11	7 Meatloaf Mashed Pot/gravy Peas Carrots Fresh Fruit Milk	6 28 13 22 11	<mark>8</mark> Chicken Breast Rice Pilaf Roll Zucchini Green Beans Fruit Milk	22 22 3 6 11 11	<mark>9</mark> Ham Scalloped Potatoes Green Salad Corn Fresh Fruit Milk	31 15 11	<mark>10</mark> Chicken Cacciatore Rotini Noodles Peas Mixed Veggies Fruit Pudding Milk	111225 5 ³³ 0 8
*Tuna Salad Sandwich	13 Pork Loin Mash Pot/gravy Roll Corn Spinach Fruit Milk	0 22 6 11 22 12 22	14 Smothered Meatballs/gravy Rotini Noodles Green Salad Mixed Veggies Fresh Fruit Milk	14 20 11 11	<mark>15</mark> Stir Fry Chicken Fluffy Rice Zucchini Fruit Frosted Cake Milk	17 30 18 11 11	<mark>16</mark> Breaded Chick Au Gratin Potatoes Peas Butternut Squash Fruit Milk	14 21 13 13 11	<mark>17</mark> Chili Mac Corn Green Beans Fresh Fruit Cookie Milk	33 15 11 11
*Breakfast Wrap	20 Closed for Holiday		<mark>21</mark> Sweet & Sour Chicken Fluffy Rice Cabbage Broccoli Fruit Milk	12 ° 5 3 22	22 Breaded Fish Herb Roast Potatoes Beets Mixed Veggies Roll Fruit Milk	20 22 11 18 11 18	<mark>23</mark> Beef Hot Dog Mac & Cheese Green Beans Green Salad Fresh fruit Milk	39 66 11 11	<mark>24</mark> Spanish Rice Casserole Peas Corn Fruit Milk	49 13 11
*South west Salad	<mark>27</mark> Shepherds Pie Carrots Spinach Fruit Cookie Milk	29 6 11 11	<mark>28</mark> Turkey & Rice Cass Butternut Squash Broccoli Fruit Pudding Milk	46 5 11 11 11	<mark>29</mark> Closed for In- service Training		<mark>30</mark> Chili Dinner Roll Corn Green Salad Fresh Fruit Milk	22 11 12 22 11	<mark>31</mark> Chicken Alfredo Pasta Peas Mixed Veggies Dinner Roll Fresh Fruit Milk	6.5 32 5 19 11
Alter	nate Meals are av	ailable	**Alternate Meals are available in Center Dining Only.		This menu is subjec	ct to ch	Jange at any time ba	ised or	This menu is subject to change at any time based on product availability	**^

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Caregiver Support in Davis County

Being a caregiver for a loved one can be demanding and stressful, but also rewarding. People who have been caregivers know that the days are long and the work is difficult. Many caregivers cannot get out to do the most basic of activities such as grocery shopping, going for a walk or seeing a movie.

Support services are available, call and talk to a case manager today at 801-525-5050 option #5

Tai Chi for Arthritis

A journey to vitality starts here!

Improve joint health, balance, and well-being.

Tai Chi for Arthritis has been shown to:

- Improve balance
- Increase muscular strength
- Improve mobility
- Increase flexibility
- Improve psychological health
- Decrease pain
- Prevent falls

AVAILABLE AT ALL DAVIS COUNTY SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTERS

HEALTH



Tax-Aide is the nation's largest free tax assistance and preparation service. Every year, from early February to mid-April, our volunteers take appointments at almost 3,500 locations around the country.



Tax-Aide will be available at a Davis County Senior Activity Center near you. Call your local center for more info.

If you would like to sponsor a prize, snack, or activity at one of our senior activity centers. Please reach out!





Central Davis 801-444-2290



South Davis 801-451-3660





