



### **SENIOR SERVICES JULY 2025 NEWSLETTER**



Hot Weather Safety for Older Adults (Taken in part from an AARP and National Institute on Aging online publications)

Too much heat is not safe for anyone. It is even riskier if you are older or have health problems. It is important to be cautious and get relief quickly when you are overheated. Otherwise, you might start to feel sick or risk a heat-related illness that could cause serious health issues. Why can extreme weather be even more dangerous for older adults than for younger people? Hotter days can cause difficulty in the body's ability to regulate its temperature. This can be challenging for older adults who typically do not adjust as well as others to sudden temperature changes. Additionally, older adults are more likely to have chronic medical conditions that affect the body's response to temperature, and to take prescription medicines that alter the body's ability to control temperature or sweat.

#### **<u>Tips to Stay Cool</u>**

**Stay inside on the hottest days.** Seek out airconditioning and don't go outside between the hours of 10AM and 6PM to spare your body the stress of the extreme heat. If you don't have airconditioning, you can find a Cooling Zone near you, or contact 211 for assistance and referrals to cooling centers.

**Drink plenty of fluids.** Get in the habit of sipping regularly. As people age, their ability to sense thirst wanes. The CDC's guide for protecting older adults in the heat notes that

people shouldn't wait until they feel thirsty to start drinking fluids. The National Academy of Medicine suggests men drink 15.5 cups of fluid per day and women drink about 11.5 cups daily.

**Take a dip.** That could mean going for a swim or a float in a pool or a lake, but it can also mean taking a cool shower or running through a backyard sprinkler (with the grandkids or not).

**Take extra precautions when outside.** Wear lightweight and loose fitting clothing. Older people have an increased risk of skin cancer, so wear sunscreen with broad spectrum protection, a broad-brimmed hat and sunglasses.

Take action when you see symptoms of heat exhaustion and heat stroke. Anyone overcome by heat should be moved to a cool and shaded location. If you start to feel sluggish, light-headed, nauseated or dizzy after being outside, listen to your body. Heat stroke is an emergency! Call 911.

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# Summer Safety

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Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00	EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class	+	EnhanceFitness Class
9:00	Painting Group Tai Chi		Painting Group Tai Chi		
9:30	EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class		EnhanceFitness Class
10:00	Beginners Lapidary	Movement & Meditation	Community Music 1 <sup>st</sup> Wed.	Movement & Meditation	
10:15			Bingo		
11:00			Ceramics & Crafts	Ceramics & Crafts	Ceramics & Crafts
12:00			Ceramics Instructor		
12:15					Movie
12:30			Square Dancing Pinochle	Mahjong	Bridge
1:00	Scrabble Club Beg. Line Dancing	Art Class with Kathy			Canasta
2:00	Line Dancing With Linda			Parkinson's Group Loud & Proud 4pm	

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

July



South Davis Senior Activity Center

South Davis is cookin' up tender, saucy, juicy pulled pork sandwiches, fresh made coleslaw and a hunk of watermelon. Join your friends and sign up now!



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### Fri. July 11<sup>th</sup> @ 12:30

Join us in our comfy couches and

chairs for laughter and a world saving adventure. Free hot soft pretzels will be served as you enjoy Independence Day (the movie).

Alt Meal	Monday	Carb	Tuesday	Carb	Wednesday	Carb	Thursday	Carb	Friday	Carb
*Break fast Wrap			<ol> <li>Chicken Chef Salad Dinner Roll Fresh Veggies Fruit Milk</li> </ol>	9 6 118 11	<mark>2</mark> Mac & Cheese Baked Beans Green Salad Sliced Beets Fruit Milk	52 35 35 35 13 11	<ul> <li>Cheese Burger Lettuce/Tomato Oven-Browned Potatoes Calif Veggies Fruit Milk</li> </ul>	29 23 14 14	<mark>4</mark> Closed for Holiday Mappy 4 <sup>th</sup> of July	
*Grilled Ham & Cheese	<mark>7</mark> Tuna Salad Sandwich Fresh Veggies Fruit Cookie Milk	31 11 16 11	8 Chicken Breast Baked Potato Mixed Veggies Marinated Veg Salad Fresh Fruit Milk	1 5 11 11	<mark>9</mark> Breaded Fish Filet Rice Pilaf Cuke/Tomato Salad Corn Fresh Fruit Milk	23 27 17 11	<mark>10</mark> Chicken Chef Salad Dinner Roll Fresh Veggies Cantaloupe Milk	11023	<mark>11</mark> Pasta/meatballs Zucchini Carrots Fruit Pudding Milk	48 3 20 21 11
*Tuna Salad Sandwich	14 Chicken Caesar Salad Dinner Roll Fresh Veggies Fruit Milk	12 11 11 11	<mark>15</mark> BBQ Pork Sandwich Potato Salad Green Salad Fresh Fruit Dessert Bar Milk	54 22 31 30	<mark>16</mark> Sweet & Sour Meatballs Fluffy Rice Cabbage Mixed Veggies Watermelon Milk	1 5 11 11	<mark>17</mark> Hamburger Corn Pea & Onion Salad Fresh Fruit Milk	28 17 21 19 11	<mark>18</mark> Chicken Teriyaki Fluffy Rice Cauliflower Carrots Milk Milk	13 7 4 3 3 13 110 7 4 9 30
*Chicken Chef Salad	<mark>21</mark> Tilapia Buttered Rice Corn Broccoli Fruit Milk	0 59 5 11 11	22 Chicken Breast Mash Potatoes/Gravy Peas Mixed Veggies Fruit Pudding Milk	1 29 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13	<mark>23</mark> Beef Hot Dog Macaroni & Cheese Green Beans Cabbage Fresh Fruit Milk	1 26 6 5 11 11	24 Closed for Holiday		<mark>25</mark> Turkey Sandwich Ranch Pasta Salad Fresh Veggies Fresh Fruit Milk	4 7 7 7 7 8
*Turkey Wrap	<mark>28</mark> Sloppy Joes Oven-Browned Potatoes Fresh Veggies Fruit Milk	33 23 6 11	<mark>29</mark> Chicken Chef Salad Dinner Roll Fruit Cookie Milk	9 14 116	<mark>30</mark> Beef & Broccoli Fluffy Rice Green Salad Carrots Fresh Fruit Milk	59 51 11	<ul> <li>Breaded Fish</li> <li>Filet</li> <li>Brown Rice</li> <li>Dinner Roll</li> <li>Green Beans</li> <li>California Veggies</li> <li>Fruit</li> <li>Milk</li> </ul>	1 S v o 2 2 3		

\*\*Alternate Meals are available in Center Dining Only. This menu is subject to change at any time based on product availability\*\*

# 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**

# Are You a Caregiver?

Davis County Senior Services offers inhome services to those who are 60 + years old and who need help with everyday tasks. Depending on the program, there may also be an income and asset eligibility requirements. Call to inquire

about our services and

We can help

programs.



### Call: 801-525-5050

\* option 5 and a case manager will be able to assist you

## HEALTHYRIFIC STUDY FOOD. FUN. FRIENDS.

#### Calling all Older Adults!!

The University of Utah Division of Family Medicine has partnered with the Utah State Division of Aging and Adult Services in a nutrition research study. The purpose of this study is to evaluate the impact of nutrition on health, wellness, and strength.

#### Be part of an important research study:

- Are you 60 years or older?
- Wanting to improve health and strength?

<u>Contact: Joan Heusser, RDN, CD</u> joan.heusser@hsc.utah.edu

385-377-4268

• At nutrition risk?

#### Participation in this study involves:

- Comprehensive nutrition assessment and therapy at no cost.
- Attending study cooking classes and dietitian appointments at a local senior center.
- Time commitment per month 2-13 hrs. (some activities from home)



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Thank you Sponsors!

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

