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In a December collaboration, NewBridge has been chosen as Delta Beer Labs' Nonprofit Partner of the month. All "tips" will be directed towards NewBridge, with a specific focus on addressing a pressing issue eliminating hunger among older adults in our community!

We are CLOSED December 22, 25, 29, and January 1.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

MISSION

Providing older adults a bridge to successful aging.

VISION

A community where all older adults live their best life.



A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR...

Good news! NewBridge is receiving additional funding from Dane County and Madison next year. This allows us to hire another case manager and rent space at the Labor Temple to provide weekly activities on Madison's southside. We also received a grant to purchase two, 12-passenger vans to transport older adults to our programs and offset the cost of using taxis. We are excited about these changes. Unfortunately, these funding increases fall short in covering our expenses. We are fortunate to have you, our Friends of NewBridge, to fill the gap. Thank you for your ongoing generosity; we couldn't do it without you! Wishing you a wonderful holiday season and a happy, healthy 2024!

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WEST OFFICE

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SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Case Management

Provides older adults support needed to live independently by identifying resources and coordinating services. Information, referrals, and advocacy provided through case management home visit assessments of each older adult's individual needs. *Free for eligible Madison/ Monona older adults (60+ or 50+ with MA Benefit).*

Food Bridge

Offers monthly food pantry delivery for Case Management clients at nutritional risk throughout Madison and Monona. Free for eligible Madison/Monona older adults (60+).

Home Chore

Matches Case Management clients who need basic household chore help with individual volunteers/volunteer groups who provide assistance and friendly visitation. *Free for eligible Madison/Monona older adults (60+).*

Medical Equipment Loan Closet

Provides health equipment items to check out. Equipment available may include wheel chairs, walkers, canes, shower chairs, and more. *Available to City of Madison and Monona residents.*

Mental Health Resources

Supports older adults in the case management program with mental health needs and help access community resources to address their needs. *Free for eligible Dane County older adults.*

NewBridge University

Social, educational, exercise classes, and support groups to increase socialization and healthy aging opportunities with some programs designed specifically for Black and Hispanic older adults. Hispanic activities offered in Spanish only. *Free or low cost for older adults (60+) with scholarships available.*

Nutrition Dining Sites

Serves nutritious weekday meals and provides socialization at multiple Madison/Monona locations. Cost is an anonymous donation. Transportation available through Transit Solutions with donation. Advance reservations required for meal and transportation. *Sponsored in part by Evjue Foundation.*

Representative Payee & Guardianship Service

Connects vulnerable older adults with trained volunteers who serve as payees or guardians. The volunteers may make health care decisions, or manage social security benefits, and more. *Free for Dane County older adults (60+).*

2023 Billboard Campaign made possible by Adams Collaborate Public Service Program

GIVE THE OFT OF HOPE THIS SEASON.



For older adults in our community, like Manuel, many of you know the hurdles they face all too well. To ensure we can meet the challenges of today and tomorrow, you can make a difference with a year-end gift now.

Please join NewBridge by making your gift online or by sending a check to 1625 Northport Dr, #125 Madison, WI 53704.



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Your contribution facilitates our actions; thousands of local older adults are able to remain in their homes and are provided resources to vital services.

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- 1. Grab an envelope and post card from our giving tree locations.
- 2. Write a personal message to the solder adults and add a donated \$25 gift card from one of the suggested retailers.
- 3. Return the envelope, post card and gift card to the location you selected it from.



NEWBRIDGE UNIVERSITY (NBU)



At NewBridge University we strive to engage, support and unite older adults.

As we age our learning path may look different, the manner in which we learn may change, and our learning curve might be steeper - but we never stop learning. All of our program offerings under our Diversity & Inclusion and Classes & Activities, will fall under NBU. Some of our classes will be offered to specific groups, to help provide a safe space where participants can share and express themselves with older adults who look like them and share similar life experiences. For each class, activity, or program that you attend you will earn credits. These credits are redeemable for NBU swag at our end-of-year celebration. Credits will be tracked by a system and we will have a way for you to track credits too. To learn more or sign up for classes, visit our website, see our newsletter or contact our staff.

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Classes and Activities for Black Older Adults Deenah Givens, Program Coordinator (608) 512-0000 Ext. 3002 DeenahG@newbridgemadison.org

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General Classes and Activities Deenah Givens, Program Coordinator (608) 512-0000 Ext. 3002 DeenahG@newbridgemadison.org

En la Universidad NewBridge (NBU), trabajamos en relacionar, apoyar y unir a adultos mayores.

Conforme nos vamos haciendo mayores nuestro camino de aprendizaje suele cambiar, aprendemos de diferentes maneras, o a veces puede ser más difícil - sin embargo, nunca dejamos de aprender. Todos nuestros programas, de Diversidad e inclusión, las clases y actividades, ahora pertenecerán a NBU. Algunas de nuestras clases serán dirigidas a grupos específicos, para ayudar a proveer un ambiente seguro, donde los participantes podrán compartir y expresarse con otras personas que hayan compartido experiencias similares.

Por cada clase, actividad, programa al que asista, usted ganará créditos. Estos créditos los podrá canjear por artículos de NBU el día de nuestra celebración de fin de año.

El récord de sus créditos será registrado por un sistema, y también podrá mantener cuenta de sus créditos.

Para más información, visite nuestra pagina web, lea nuestro periódico y regístrese en clases o comuníquese con nuestro personal.

NBU : BLACK DIVERSITY & INCLUSION CLASSES & ACTIVITIES



NewBridge University (NBU) ~ a community of lifelong learners. Earn credits for our classes, activities, or programs that you attend. Credits are redeemable for NewBridge swag at the end-of-year celebration. Below activities are developed for Black older adults and focus on socialization, health education, and support groups. *Free for Black older adults (60+) in Dane County*.

CONTACT DEENAH GIVENS TO REGISTER AND/OR REQUEST TRANSPORTATION UNTIL A NEW STAFF IS HIRED. (608) 512-0000 Ext. 3002 Deenah@NewBridgeMadison.org

GET MOVIN': In-Person & Zoom - 1 credit Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1:00-2:00 pm **No Class December 19**

BINGO AND LUNCH: In-Person - 1 credit Friday, December 8, 10:30 am-1:00 pm Good Shepherd Church, 5701 Raymond Rd Reservations required by Tues. Nov. 28.





NBU : CLASES Y ACTIVIDADES DE DIVERSIDAD E INCLUSIÓN



La Universidad de NewBridge (NBU) ~ Una comunidad de aprendizaje continuo. Gane crédito por cada clase, actividad, o programa en el que participe. Los créditos luego los podrá intercambiar por artículos de NewBridge en la celebración de fin de año. A continuación se encuentran las actividades desarrolladas para adultos mayores Hispanos, las cuales se enfocan en socialización , educación de la salud, y grupos de apoyo. Estas clases son gratuitas para adultos mayores Hispanos (60+) que viven en el condado de Dane. Actividades solo en español. Activities in Spanish only.



CONTACT ALIRIO:

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¡BIENVENIDO ALIRIO! Alirio es nuevo en esta posición, pero no con NewBridge pues ha sido administrador de casos bilingües desde Noviembre del 2020. El es un Colombiano que ha vivido en Estados Unidos por más de 25 años. Antes de vivir en Wisconsin, él vivió en Michigan e Illinois, pero en Wisconsin se siente como en casa. Anteriormente, él sirvió a la comunidad Hispana y los adultos mayores a través de su experiencia pastoral y clínica mientras estudiaba su maestría. Le gusta mucho trabajar con la comunidad conectando a las personas con recursos y servicios disponibles. Él está planeando crecer el programa de Diversidad e Inclusión para adultos mayores en el condado de Dane, promoviendo la participación en programas de salud y formación. Afuera de su trabajo, Alirio disfruta servir en diferentes parroquias en el área de Madison como líder en la formación de la fe y como músico. Es un esposo y padre devoto que le gusta trabajar en proyectos de mejoras para el hogar.

EDUCACIONAL LA CAFETERIA DE LA MEMORIA: Zoom - 1 crédito

Jueves del 5 de Diciembre al 19 de Diciembre, 2:00-3:00 pm Entrene su memoria, percepción, atención, concentración y más, a través de retos y actividades divertidas. Las hojas de práctica se enviarán todos los viernes.

SOCIAL

CÍRCULO DE AMIGOS: Zoom - 1 crédito Miércoles, del 6 de Diciembre al 20 de Diciembre, 1:00-2:00 pm Conéctese por Zoom ¡Venga a tomarse un cafecito y conversar en un ambiente familiar y amical para conocernos mejor!

CELEBRACIÓN NAVIDEÑA: en Persona - 1 crédito 12 de Diciembre 11:30 am-1:30 pm En el Centro de Eventos de Alliant Energy Almuerzo – Música con DJ - y más Para reservar su asiento o para preguntas sobre transporte favor comunicarse con Alirio - AlirioP@newbridgemadison.org o Ilamar al (608) 512-0000 Ext. 1007. Habrá transporte disponible limitado si se requiere.

NBU: CLASSES & ACTIVITIES



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CONTACT DEENAH:

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Welcome to the NewBridge hybrid model of programming where we offer both in-person and virtual (Zoom) programs, presentations, gatherings and more. See NewBridge website for the Zoom link, www.newbridgemadison.org.

SOCIAL

PING PONG: In-Person - 1 credit Mondays, 9:00 am-Noon Wednesdays, 1:00-3:00 pm Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr.

GAMES: In-Person - 1 credit Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. BUNCO, Mondays, 2:00-4:00 pm EUCHRE, Tuesdays, 1:00-3:00 pm MAH JONG, Thursdays, 1:00-3:00 pm

SASSY STEPPERS: In-Person - 1 credit Tuesdays, 2:00-3:00 pm Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. If you love to dance, enjoy performing, and meet new friends, come join us!

CARD MAKING CLUB: In-Person - 1 credit

Wednesday, December 13, 1:00-3:00 pm Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. If you are crafty and enjoy making cards for others, please join us!

BINGO: In-Person - 1 credit

Fridays, 10:15-11:15 am Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. Join caller Diana D. for BINGO. You can play up to 4 cards; each card costs 50 cents. Prize \$1.00.

BOOK CLUB: Zoom - 1 credit

Wednesday, December 6, 10:00-11:00 am Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. Our December book is: <u>The Major</u> <u>Pettigrew's Last Stand</u> by Helen Simonson You are responsible for getting and returning your book. Available at the Lakeview Library.

RITMO & DRUMS: In-Person - 1 credit We will break over the Holidays and reconvene in January.



SEWING CLUB: In-Person - 1 credit Thursday, December 7, 21, 9:00 am-Noon Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. Light mending for older adults. HOW TO GET YOUR ITEMS MENDED: Bring your items (3 maximum) into the NewBridge North Office, 1625 Northport Drive, Suite 125, and leave them with our front desk volunteer and our volunteers will mend. No charge, donations welcome!

EXERCISE

CHAIR YOGA: In-Person - 1 credit Mondays, 10:00-11:00 am Lakeview Library, 2845 N. Sherman Ave. To register contact Deenah OR call Lakeview Library at (608) 246-4547 or register online at madpl.org/events.

CHAIR YOGA: In-Person - 1 credit

Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 am Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. Join Instructor Kim S. as she leads you through a series of gentle stretch and yoga movements from standing or seated positions. For all ability levels.

EASY YOGA PLUS: Zoom - 1 credit Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:00-11:00 am Ellen Millar leads a series of exercises that can be done standing or from a chair. To sign up, visit Ellen's website for the Zoom link www.thewonderofyoga.com

STRETCH & STRENGTH: Zoom - 1 credit

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9:00-9:45 am Join Becky Ott-Forde for gentle stretch and strengthening exercises from the comfort of your own home. Cost \$30/mo. *To sign up, contact Becky Otte Ford raonine@gmail.com or (608) 215-4119.*

MINDFULNESS MOVEMENT FOR LGBTQ+ FOLKS, FRIENDS & ALLIES: In-Person -1 credit

Wednesdays and Fridays, 10:15-11:45 am Warner Park, 1625 Northport Dr. Small donation requested. *This class is offered in collaboration with Outreach, Inc.* 50+ Alliance and taught by Mimi Millen, M.Ed., MS, Energy Practitioner since 2005.

HEALTH/WELLNESS

SPIRIT & STRENGTH: SHARING WISDOM IN TROUBLED TIMES THROUGH OUR STORIES: Zoom - 1 credit Tuesdays, 1:00-2:30 pm Join Pam Philips Olson, Writer, Storyteller and Author as she leads us through a process to help tell our own stories.

<u>ARTS</u>

MUSIC JAM SESSION: In-Person-1 credit One Saturday/mo, 9:00 am-Noon Warren Dailey Cabin, Maple Bluff All are welcome. "Turn it up!" Musicians meet to pay and sing anything written after 1950. Come for all or part of the session. Bring your instrument, voice, favorite song, and enthusiasm. For more info please contact Walt Stewart (608) 576-5437.

COLLABORATIVE EVENTS

HOLIDAY LIGHTS TOUR & RECEPTION Tuesday December 5, 6:00-7:30 pm - \$5 Catch the holiday spirit as we tour Olin Park's Holiday Lights display! Vans leave from Goodman for the tour. We will return to Goodman to enjoy a holiday reception of cookies & hot chocolate. Register now, limited seating.

NBU: CLASSES & ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

COMING IN JANUARY & FEBRUARY SPARK!

1st Tuesday/mo, starting February 6 11:30 am-1:00 pm

SPARK! is a cultural program for people with early to mid-stage memory loss and their care partners. Group sizes are limited, so please pre-register for the programs you plan to attend.

GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP

We will be starting a Grief & Loss Support Group where participants can talk about thoughts and feelings and learn healthy ways to cope with grief and loss in a safe, supportive and confidential setting with other participants who have had a similar loss. The group will be led by members of the NewBridge Mental Health Team.





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NewBridge is partnered with Nail Technician Susan Hasey, Registered Nurse Gail Owens and Cheryl Franz to provide foot care for older adults 60+. Cost is **\$25** and we ask that you bring 2 towels.

Appointments are required and should be made in advance by calling (608) 512-0000. Appointments fill up quickly. We recommend you call a few months in advance. We do keep a waitlist.

Lakeview Lutheran Church 4001 Mandrake Road Tuesday, December 5, 1:00-2:30 pm

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Lake Edge Luther Church 4032 Monona Drive Thursday, December 7, 21, 9:30-11:45 am

Goodman Community Center 149 Waubesa Street Monday, December 11, 10:00 am-Noon

Monona United Methodist Church 606 Nichols Road, Monona Tues., December 12, 19, 26, 9:30-11:45 am

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 5701 Raymond Road Tuesday, December 20, 9:00-Noon

Warner Park Community Rec Center 1625 Northport Drive Thursday, December 28, 9:00-11:30 am



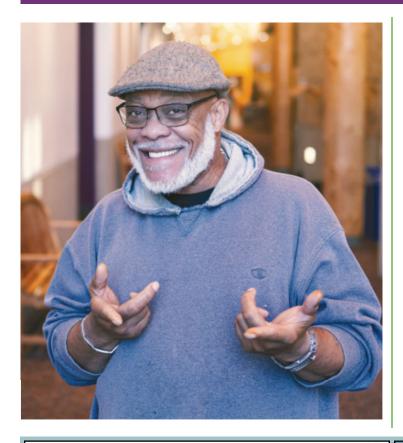
MEDICAL EQUIPMENT LOAN CLOSET

NewBridge provides equipment to check out such as walkers, raised toilet seats, commodes, crutches and more at the loan closet location: 505 Cottage Grove Rd.

Loan closet items are available to City of Madison and Monona residents. Monetary and equipment donations are welcomed. Call NewBridge to ask if the item you need is available (608) 512-0000 Ext. 2000. The loan closet is open Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-3:00 pm and closed on Fridays.

We ask that you <u>call ahead</u> to make an appointment to pick up, return and to donate. *Currently accepting 4 wheel walkers*.

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Hello, my name is Kenneth (Ken) Haliburton. I was born and raised in Indianapolis, IN, I served in the United States Army from 1978 to 1981. My time in the service opened me up to many new beginnings, people, places and opportunities. I like the outdoors, swimming, wrestling, hiking and tennis. I am a father of three, one son and two girls, and am a Grandfather to two Granddaughters. I love the open road. I drove 18 wheelers for 8 years, switched to dump trucks for 12 years. I am semi retired and am now entering into a new venture as the Warner Park Nutrition Coordinator. I'm very excited for the opportunity. The staff and community are awesome. I look forward to my day and smiling every day.

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Keisha Furniss Volunteer Coordinator (608) 512-0000 Ext. 3008 KeishaF@ newbridgemadison.org

HOME CHORE VOLUNTEERS

DESCRIPTION – Volunteers are matched with older adults to help them remain independent. This opportunity is for individuals, families, couples and groups. Duties may include: dusting, vacuuming, removing garbage, and friendly visitation. TIME COMMITMENT – Flexible IMMEDIATE NEED – 10 volunteers needed for Eastside/Monona, 10 for Northside, 10 for Southside, 10 for Westside

NUTRITION SITE VOLUNTEERS

DESCRIPTION – Help with check in, meal service, clean up, and socialize with older adults at our nutrition sites.

TIME COMMITMENT — Monday-Friday 11:00 am-1:00 pm. *Training will be provided by the Nutrition Site Manager.*



FOOD BRIDGE DELIVERY DRIVERS

DESCRIPTION – Deliver food pantry items from The River Food Pantry and/or St. Vincent de Paul and/or Middleton Outreach Ministry Food Pantry to an older adults front door. No person to person contact. From the comfort and safety of your own car. Flexible for your schedule. TIME COMMITMENT – 2-4 times/month IMMEDIATE NEED – 5 volunteers

GUARDIAN & REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE

DESCRIPTION – Compassionate individuals to be guardians and payees who may make health care decisions, or manage social security benefits and more. TIME COMMITMENT – 2 years, 3-6 hr/mo Must be 26 years old. Call Katie Brietzman for information Ext. 1002.

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION VOLUNTEER

DESCRIPTION – Help us distribute our newsletter to community centers, churches, and libraries. Personal vehicle required.

TIME COMMITMENT – Once per month for approximately 2-3 hours

PARTNER HIGHLIGHT



NewBridge is happy to announce a new partnership with Allied Food Pantry.

The pantry will be a pick-up location for Food Bridge participants and volunteers! Food Bridge is a program that connects older adults 60+ with nutritious food from a local food pantry. Volunteers are matched with an older adult to do regular food deliveries to their door.

Allied Food Pantry is located inside the Boys and Girls Club at 4619 Jenewein Rd. Madison, WI 53711. The pantry provides perishable and non-perishable food items, as well as toiletries and hygiene products.

Allied Food Pantry is a warm welcoming place. They offer fresh coffee and reading materials while you are waiting for your turn to shop.

For information on how to enroll in the Food Bridge Program, call NewBridge and ask to speak to an Intake Case Manager.

If you are a current Food Bridge Volunteer and would like more info on the Allied Food Pantry, or if you would like info on how to become a Food Bridge Volunteer, contact Volunteer Coordinator, Keisha Furniss, 608-512-0000 Ext. 3008, keishaf@newbridgemadison.org



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NUTRITION MEAL SITES



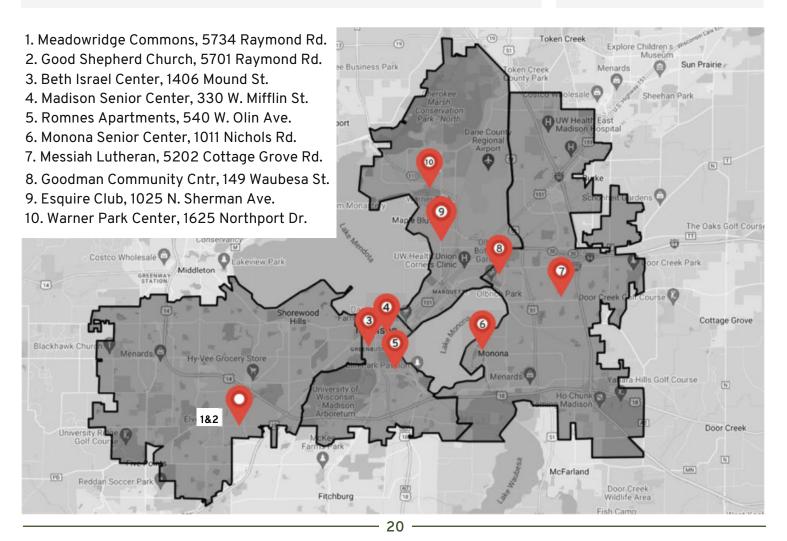
Nutritious weekday meals and socialization for older adults at multiple Madison and Monona locations. The meal is well balanced and appealing for those who don't enjoy cooking or eating alone.

RESERVATIONS

Meal and transportation reservations and cancellations should be made on-site or by calling the number associated with the site by Noon, two business days in advance. **starred sites do not require a meal reservation.* Transportation is available to the sites nearest to your home through Transit Solution (608) 294-8747 which is door-todoor service. Suggested donation is \$1.00/round trip. <u>Transportation reservation is always required.</u>

DONATION

If you are age 60 and older, the suggested minimum donation is **\$4.50**. If you're under age 60 and do not meet the program eligibility guidelines, you are required to pay the total cost **\$17.22**.



SOUTH MADISON

Lechayim Lunchtime Plus Beth Israel Center, 1406 Mound St.

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Monday, December 4

11:00-11:30 am: Yoga from a chair

11:30 am-12:15 pm: Traditional braised brisket, roasted Yukon potatoes, challah, tri color carrots, fruit & rugelach, MO: Pesto risotto w/ seared tofu 12:30-1:30 pm: Travelogue, South Africa - Ken & Claudia Miksa

Monday, December 11

11:00-11:30 am: Yoga from a chair

11:30 am-12:15 pm: Roasted chicken w/ lemonrosemary sauce, garlic whipped potatoes, roasted carrots, challah, fruit & rugelach, MO: Veggie option: seared tofu w/ lemon-rosemary sauce 12:30-1:30 pm: Klezmer and folk music - Yid Vicious

Monday, December 18

11:00-11:30 am: Yoga from a chair 11:00 am -11:30 am: Complimentary Blood pressure check with Lori Edelstein 11:30 am-12:15 pm: Roasted chicken w/ wine and mushroom sauce, basmati rice, snap beans, fruit & rugelach, MO: seared tofu w/ wine and mushroom sauce 12:30-1:30 pm: Madison Ukulele



EAST MADISON

Monona Senior Center, 1011 Nichols Rd.

Friday, Noon

For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 2001

- Friday, December 1 : Herb Roasted Chicken, Red Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit, Jello, MO: Hummus & Cheese Sandwich
- Friday, December 8 : Turkey & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Cranberry Sauce, MO: Veg. Casserole
- Friday, December 15 : Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Applesauce, Muffin, MO: Veg. Patty
- Friday, December 22 : CLOSED
- Friday, December 29 : CLOSED

Goodman Community Center 149 Waubesa St.

Monday-Friday, 11:45 am For reservations call (608) 241-1574 Ext. 8087

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				01 Italian Chicken Sandwich
04 Breakfast	05 3 Bean Chili	06 Cajun Chicken Pasta	07 Ham	08 Arroz Con Pollo
11 Chicken Peen Rosa	12 Cheese- burger	13 BBQ Chicken Thigh	14 Stroganoff	15 Chicken & Veg Stir Fry
18 Sloppy Jo	19 Chicken Alfredo	20 Mac n Cheese with Sausage	21 Chicken and Cheese Sandwich	22 Chicken Pot Pie
25 CLOSED	26 CLOSED	27 CLOSED	28 CLOSED	29 CLOSED

NORTH MADISON

Kavanaugh's Esquire Club 1025 N. Sherman Ave.

Wednesdays, 11:00 am-1:30 pm *No meal reservation required For transportation, call 512-0000 Ext. 2001 by 10 am the Monday prior. Catered by Kavanaugh's.

- Wednesday, December 6 : Swiss Steak
- Wednesday, December 13 : Lasagna
- Wednesday, December 20 : Roasted Pork & Mashed Potatoes
- Wednesday, December 27 : Beef Tips & Mashed Potatoes
- Every Wednesday: Baked Fish or Sandwich & Soup

NUTRITION MEAL SITES

MEAL SITES ARE CLOSED, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7.

WEST MADISON

Meadowridge Commons 5734 Raymond Rd.

Tuesday, Thursday, Noon For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 4006

Good Shepherd Church 5701 Raymond Rd.

Friday, Noon For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 4006

SOUTH MADISON

Romnes Apartments, 540 W. Olin Ave. Monday-Friday, 11:30 am For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 4006

Madison Senior Center, 330 W. Mifflin St.

Monday-Friday, 11:30 am For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 4006

TUESDAY

EAST MADISON/MONONA

Messiah Lutheran Church 5202 Cottage Grove Rd.

Tuesday and Thursday, Noon For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 2001

NORTH MADISON

Warner Park Community Recreation Center, 1625 Northport Dr.

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 11:30 am For reservations call (608) 512-0000 Ext. 4006



FRIDAY

Green Beans, Crinkle Carrots

MO: Plant Based Cabbage Roll

01 Cabbage Roll

Juice, Blueberry Muffin

THURSDAY

CATERED BY: AtlantisValley Foods

All menu items are prepared in a kitchen that is not allergen-free. We cannot guarantee that food allergens will not be transferred through cross-contact. No substitutions allowed.

MO = Meatless Option. *Contains Pork

MONDAY

04 Cheesy Lasagna Roll-Ups Broccoli, Tuscan White Beans Cucumber Salad, Pineapple Mini Eclairs Entree Salad: Chicken Caesar	05 BBQ Pulled Chicken Good Grains Rice Pilaf Baby Lima Beans, Banana Butterscotch Pudding MO: BBQ Jack Fruit Entree Salad: Italian Salad*	06 Turkey Teriyaki Meatballs Brown Rice, Stir Fry Vegetables Mandarin Orange Chocolate Chip Cookie MO: Plant Based Meatballs Entrée Salad: Spinach Salad*		O8 HOLIDAY MEAL Oven Baked Ham* Scalloped Potatoes Pesto Caprese Pasta Salad Cali. Veg., Peppermint Brownie MO: Honey Spiced Tofu
11 Whole Wheat Penne Pasta Meat Sauce, Italian Vegetables Paco Blend, Peaches Cherry Strudel MO: Tofu Entree Salad: Greek Salad	12 Chick Florentine Pasta Bake Mixed Vegetables, Diced Pears Blueberry Muffin MO: White Beans, Spinach Pasta Entree Salad: Cobb Salad	13 Shepherd's Pie w/Meat Cauliflower, Tropical Fruit Assorted Cheesecake MO: Plant Based Ground Beef Entree Salad: Chicken & Bacon*	14 Creamy Chicken Chili Cowboy Caviar, Tortilla Chips Mixed Fresh Fruit, M&M Cookie MO: Veggie Chili Entree Salad: Grilled Chicken Almond	15 Shredded Beef in Gravy Baked Beans, Broccoli Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Red Velvet Cake Roll MO: Plant Based Sausage
18 Spaghetti and Meatballs* Crinkle Cut Carrots, Green Beans Packaged Apple Slices Tapioca Pudding MO: Veggie Meatballs Entree Salad: Chef Salad*	19 Grilled Chicken Garlic Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Cranberry Relish Peas and Pearl Onions Peppermint Brownie MO: Rosemary Tempeh Entree Salad: Chicken Caesar	20 Philly Cheesesteak Casserole, Broccoli Pineapple Tidbits Chocolate Chip Cookie MO: Plant Based Beef Entree Salad: Southwest Chicken	21 Hamburger Corn, Roasted Potatoes Nutty Buddy Bar MO: Veggie Burger Entree Salad: Garden Vegetable	22 CLOSED
25 CLOSED	26 Beef Stroganoff with Egg Noodles, Vegetables Tropical Fruit, Gingersnap Cookie MO: Plant Based Ground Beef	27 Chicken Noodle Casserole Roasted Root Vegetables Honeydew Melon, Side Salad Cinnamon Roll	28 Creamy Chicken and Wild Rice Soup, Pineapple Tidbits Quinoa Salad, Sugar Cookie MO: Minestrone	29 CLOSED

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6PM-9PN

Our annual fundraiser, Black Tie Bingo, was a success. We had over 150 people who attended and raised \$16,500 for our older adult services. Proceeds will support our nutrition programs, which provide meals and camaraderie to those dealing with food insecurity and social isolation. A special thank you to our emcee the Honorable Reverend Judge Everett Mitchell and our bingo callers Willma Flynn-Stone and Victoria Lynn-Mirage.

We would also like to congratulate our 2023 Champion of Hope winner, Sharon Rook. Sharon has volunteered in our older adult guardian program for 13 years. The program serves older adults who are unable to make decisions independently due to a chronic mental illness, and who have no family members or friends able to act as a guardian. She has helped several older adults by being a strong advocate, ensuring they receive good care and can live the best life possible. NewBridge is lucky to have such a dedicated volunteer who has given thousands of hours of her time to the people who need it most. *Mark your calendars for 2024 Black Tie Bingo - Friday, September 20, 2024, 6-9 pm at the Monona Terrace.*

EXERCISE YOUR CREATIVITY IN 2024

NewBridge is hosting a peer support group to read, journal and play our way through each chapter of the best-selling creativity book "The Artist's Way" by Julia Cameron. Your Group Facilitators: Virginia Wilcox, MHPSS & Kathleen Pater, LCSW Cost: A free copy of the book will be given to registered participants upon request.

EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY FROM JANUARY 17-JULY 10, 2024 ZOOM 10:00-11:15 AM

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WELCOME CASE MANAGER, ERIC



Hello! I was born and raised in Wisconsin. I'm actually from "Hodag Country" if that means anything to anyone that has traveled up north in the state! I met my wife at UW -Green Bay where I earned my degree in history and English secondary education. I taught in Wisconsin's public schools for about 10 years, and I now live in Stoughton with my wife and two sons. I enjoy running, reading horror stories/novels, and cooking new recipes.

CASE MANAGEMENT WALK IN HOURS

Case Management provides older adults support needed to live independently by identifying resources and coordinating services. Information, referrals, and advocacy provided through home visit assessments of each older adult's individual needs. A Case Manager will be available at the following times and locations:

Romnes Apartments Meal Site

540 W. Olin Ave. Tuesday, December 5, 10:30-11:30 am

Monona Senior Center

1011 Nichols Rd. Fri., December 8, 11:30 am-12:30 pm

Madison Senior Center

330 W. Mifflin St. Monday, December 11, 10:45 am-Noon

Good Shepherd Church

5701 Raymond Rd. Friday, December 15, 11:15 am-Noon *Bilingual English/Spanish*

Goodman Community Center

214 Waubesa St. Tues., December 19, 11:30 am-12:30 pm



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