Resident Wellness Newsletter Tips to Stay Fit with Arthritis

When your body hurts, getting up off the sofa and exercising may seem like an insurmountable task. Studies show, however, that staying fit and focused on your health and wellness, is one of the most important tool you have for managing your arthritis.

Pace yourself

It's especially important if you're just starting to work out. Ramping up slowly not only helps to avoid injury and exhaustion, but it also increases your chances of sticking with your routine. If you start doing one type of exercise and find that, after a few weeks, you are dreading doing it - skip the temptation to just do nothing, and instead, find a different activity. Sometimes it's just boredom with the routine itself, rather than disliking the physical movement.

What works to keep your friend motivated may not work for you. Keep trying new activities until you find a balance that works for you. At the same time, realize that exercise, like everything else in life, will have it's up times and it's down times. Maybe it's the weather, maybe there's something bothering you. Be prepared to continue some form of physical activity, knowing that, if you stick with it, you will soon find yourself re-motivated again in a few days.

Buddy up

Working out with a friend can help keep you on track with your fitness goals. Studies show that, in addition to the social benefits, exercising with others can provide motivation and help keep you accountable.



Shop for shoes late in the

Our feet swell as we walk and work out, so it's best to shop for fitness footwear after we've been on the go for a while. Choose shoes with solid ankle support and shoes should be comfortable immediately and require zero "break-in" time.

Respect your pain

Some discomfort is normal when exercising, but it should be minimal – about a 2 on a scale of 1 to 10. If you experience more discomfort or a sharp feeling, stop. You may need to do decrease your time and intensity and slowly build it up. You can get much of the same benefits from three 10-minute walks as you can from one 30-minute walk.

Make any necessary modifications

Modify moves, and if possible, equipment to meet your specific needs. For example, many exercises can be done while seated as opposed to

standing, which can prove helpful on days when you have more pain and/or less energy. Equipment modifications could include using a slightly deflated exercise ball to make it more stable to lie on, or wrapping jump ropes, dumbbells or other handles in foam tape, like tennis grip tape, to make them easier and more comfortable to grip. Your Live 2 B Healthy® Trainer will be able to help you out with suggestions on modifications. Be sure to let him/her know if you have arthritis so they can guide you towards the most beneficial exercises.

Live 2 B Healthy® is Proud to Partner with: SilverSneakers



THE Clove VIEW frow O

Assisted Living & Memory Care | 205 Ehlers Lane, Maquoketa, IA 52060 | 563-652-2125 | CloverRidgePlace.net



Helen K. 2nd Jack Ma. 3rd Gloria K. 20th Joyce D. 21st Karen S. 23rd Archie M. 28th



Help spread the word and receive \$1,500 off your rent!

At Clover Ridge Place We offer a \$1,500 rent credit for any current Clover Ridge Place resident, if that resident refers a friend, resulting in a move-in.

For details contact Amanda Widel, Manager or, Sally Davies, Community Relations Coordinator At 563-652-2125 nize someone doing something above and beyond the call of duty. Historically at Clover Ridge Place we have recognized volunteers at an event held in the Great Room. Although we cannot recognize our many volunteers at our traditional luncheon, please know the appreciation in our hearts. We recognize our everyday volunteers as well as all others who have helped during the Pandemic. We salute each of you for giving your time and talents selflessly to benefit the lives of others.



THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS We appreciate you!

National Volunteer week is the third week of April. This is a world wide annual celebration of those who selflessly benefit the lives of others, by providing a helping hand to those in need. Together we are working towards making the world a better place.

This past year, they were not able to enter our physical buildings, yet we were still able to witness people supporting family, friends, neighbors, and strangers and work toward that goal of making the world a better place. Every one of us has benefited from the work of a volunteer. Volunteer Recognition week acknowledges the beauty of this phenomenon. Every direction we turn, we can recognize someone doing something above and beyond the call of

Amanda Widel, Manager



As the weather warms up, the bus is on the move! We are truly grateful for the opportunity to get on the bus and see what's happening on the roads around us and are looking forward to the dryer days, when we can travel on gravel again.



Joyce D. left, John E. below, sitting in a favorite place in the community to greet visitors and friends as they come and g0.



www.HappyGram.org

- 1.) Write your message.
- 2.) Upload a photo...
- 3.) Leave the rest to us to print and deliver!



We Love to Hear from YOU!

As temperatures rise and fall outside for the next few months, remember if you set your thermostat at one temperature it will maintain that temperature in your apartment. For example, if you set the thermometer at 72 degrees on heat at this time of year your heat will not run unless the apartment goes below that. Also, if your apartment window is open this affects the temperature in your apartment as the air comes in and adjusts the temperature you have previously set – likely your furnace will run. If you are having trouble setting your thermostat to a comfortable setting, please let Jim or I know, and we will help adjust to your desire. Please remember if your window is open, we ask that your apartment door remain shut. This will help maintain a consistent temperature in our hallways and common spaces.

Let me know if you have any questions. John Coakley, Maintenance

It's important to us!

We sure have enjoyed seeing everyone as you come and visit.

Please remember to

call 24 hours in advance to schedule visits here at Clover Ridge Place.

We do not want to turn anyone away, we need to have the staff available to assist in screening, testing and the departure process.

Call

563-652-2125, or 563-581-0661, or emailing,

director@cloverridgeplace.net or assistantmanager@cloverridgeplace.net,

to schedule your in person or virtual visits

Join us Virtually for these virtual programs



Join us Thursday, April 8, 2021 12:30 P.M.

As Allison Niedermann. Physical Therapist Assistant and Volunteer Support Group Facilitator from American Parkinson Disease Association presents

What is Parkinson's Disease?

Allison will share motor and non-motor symptoms of Parkinson's Disease.

What Parkinson's Disease is and how it affects those who have been diagnosed.

Registration is required. To receive the link to this program email welcome@cloverridgeplace.net

or call 563-581-2967.

HOMEMEDS

Are your medications putting you at risk?

Do you see multiple doctors or fill prescriptions at multiple pharmacies? Do you take over-the-counter drugs or supplements? Have recently experienced a fall, dizziness, or unusual confusion? Have recently been to the ER or hospital? Do you take blood thinners or diabetes medications?

If you answer YES to some or all of these questions, you may benefit from a **HOMEMEDS** Review.

Join us

Thursday, April 29, 2021

12:30 P.M.

Staci Speirs, Aging Specialist, North East Iowa Area on Aging

will be giving an overview and how to sign up for this **HOMEMEDS Medication Management** review program, join us to find out more.

Registration is required. To receive the link to this program and copy of the **HOMEMEDS** pamphlet, email welcome@cloverridgeplace.net or call 563-581-2967.

April Skowers bring May flowers! By Lynn Bleau

April Showers bring May flowers, So don't fret about the rain. Before you know, They'll be a glow, Of sun once again.

April showers bring May flowers, So snuggle in your bed. And know that today, May be full of gray, But sun is shortly ahead.

April showers bring May flowers, But April's once a year. So watch the rain. On your window pane, And wipe that silly tear.

Because April showers may bring *May flowers,* But don't waste the day. So dance around. On the muddy wet ground, And get outside and play!

The snow pile melted and was completely gone the afternoon of March 9. Congratulations to John and Mary Melvold. winners of the Fun in the Sun Basket.



Thank you to everyone who played along.

alzheimer's Ω association[•]

Alzheimer's and Dementia Caregiver Support Group 2nd Wed, of the Month at 1:30 P.M.

April 14, 2021

Support groups create a safe, confidential, supportive environment or community and a chance for participants to develop informal mutual support and social relationships. They also educate and inform participants about dementia and help participants develop methods and skills to solve problems.

Facilitated by an Alzheimer's Association volunteer. Support group suitable for family and friend caregivers.

Registration is required. For more information contact Sally Davies at 563-581-2967or email welcome@cloverridgeplace.net



CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

> AWARD 2021

Clover Ridge Place has received the

2021 PINNACLE CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE AWARD!

Over the course of the last twelve months, Pinnacle Quality Insight, a nationally recognized customer satisfaction firm, has interviewed the customers of Clover Ridge Place regarding their satisfaction levels.

Customers were asked to evaluate several aspects of their received services. From the results of these interviews. Pinnacle has determined that Clover Ridge Place has qualified for a Pinnacle Customer Experience Award in the following service areas:

Overall Customer Experience

Activities **Transportation** Needs **Dining Service Quality of Food** Variety of Food/Menu Choices

The Customer Experience Award is awarded to care providers who have achieved the best-in-class customer satisfaction standards within their peer group.

Pinnacle congratulates the staff of Clover Ridge Place for achieving this honor.

The team at Clover Ridge Place says Thank you to all of our residents and families for answering these surveys and believing in our service.

Happy Easter!

This little note below is directed at each and every person that I encounter every day. I know there have been several times over the course of my life I have given and also received this advice. This past year, being separated from those we hold dear has truly opened my eyes just a bit wider and helped me focus on what is most important to me.

My wish for you today is as you read these words, know YOU are important.

As they say "to the world you may be someone, but to someone you are the world."

Your impact on other people is bigger than you think.

Someone still giggles when they think of that funny thing you said.

Someone still smiles when they think of the compliment you gave them.

Someone silently admires you. The advice you give has made a difference for people.

The support and love you 've offered others has made someone's day.

Your input and opinion have made someone think twice.

You're not insignificant and forgotten. Your existence makes a positive difference, whether you see it or not.

Kay, Compassionate Reminders.

Enjoy life's little blessings! Sally Davies. **Community Relations Coordinator**

	(n)	6	24	
Saturday	 Morming Walk 10:00 Independent Exercise 09:30 Coffee Hour 01:30 Bunker Bingo 02:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 02:00 Evening Walk 07:00 Lawrence Welk 	Morning Walk 10:00 Independent Exercise 09:30 Coffee Hour 01:30 Bunker Bingo 02:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 06:00 Evening Walk 07:00 Lawrence Welk	Morning Walk 10:00 Independent Exercise 09:30 Coffee Hour 01:30 Beverage Carl/Snacks 05:00 Evening Walk 07:00 Lawrence Welk Morning Walk 10:00 Independent Exercise 03:30 Coffee Hour 01:30 Burker Bingo 02:30 Beverage Carl/Snacks 07:00 Lawrence Welk	Happy Birthday Helen K- 2 nd Jack M3 nd Gloria K 20 th Joyce D21st Karen S23rd Archie- 28th
Friday	Morming Walk 2 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Shopping 02:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk	Morming Walk 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Archie speaking on Honor Honor flight of the Quad Cities. 02:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk	Morning Walk 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Shopping 02:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:30 Coffee and Conversatio 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk Morning Walk 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Shopping 01:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:30 Coffee and Conversatio 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk	Morning Walk 30 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Shopping 02:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk
Thursday	Morning Walk 09:30 Church 03:30 Church 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Bus Ride 01:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk Mexercise 05:00 Evening Walk	Morning Walk 09:30 Church 09:30 Church 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Bus Ride 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk	Morning Walk 09:30 Church 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Bus Ride 2:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:30 Coffee and Conversativ 03:30 Evening Walk 09:30 Church 09:30 Church 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk Earn bay	Morning Walk 29 09:30 Church 09:30 Church 00:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Bus Ride 01:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk
Wednesday		 Morning Walk 09:30 Morning Devotions/ Great Room 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:30 Wheel of Fortune 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:30 Radio Bingo 05:00 Evening Walk 	Morning Walk 14 09:30 Morning Devotions/ Great Room 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:00 Wheel of Fortune 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 05:00 Evening Walk 21 09:30 Morning Devotions/ Great Room 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:00 Mystery Activity 01:00 Mystery Activity 01:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk	Morning Walk 28 09:30 Morning Devotions/ Great Room 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 01:00 Jeopardy 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk
Tuesday	l 2021 D LIVING	5 Morning Walk 09:30 Bird Bath 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Noodle Ball 02:00 Reading with Tammy 02:30 Beverage Cart/Shacks 03:30 Coffee and Conversation 03:30 Radio Bingo 05:00 Evening Walk	Moming Walk 09:30 Bird Bath 09:30 Bird Bath 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Balloon Volley 02:00 Reading with Tammy 02:30 Reading with Tammy 02:30 Bard Bath 03:30 Coffee and Conversation 10:30 Bird Bath 00:30 Evening Walk 20 Moming Walk 20 Momin	Morning Walk 27 09:30 Bird Bath 09:30 Bird Bath 10:00 Independent Exercise 01:30 Balloon Volly 02:00 Reading with Tammy 00:30 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:30 Radio Bingo 03:30 Radio Bingo 03:30 Radio Bingo 06:00 Evening Walk 0
Monday	April 2021 ASSISTED LIVING	nunion	ng Walk Live 2B Healthy Happy Hour Beverage Cart/Snacks Coffee and Conversation Radio Bingo Evening Walk Famaton Beyer Malk 19 Live 2B Healthy Happy Hour Beverage Cart/Snacks Coffee and Conversation Radio Bingo Evening Walk	ng Walk 26 Live 2B Healthy Happy Hour Beverage Cart/Snacks Beverage Cart/Snacks Coffee and Conversation Radio Bingo Evening Walk
Sunday		4 Morning Walk 09:00 KMAQ -Lutheran Church 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 10:15 KMAQ -Lutheran Church 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 10:15 KMAQ - Methodist Church 09:45 Live 2B Healthy 11:30 Easter Dinner 01:30 Methodist Comm 01:30 Movie Day 02:30 Beverage Cart/S 02:30 Beverage/Snack Cart 03:00 Coffee and Com 06:00 Evening Walk 06:00 Evening Walk	11 Mornii 09:00 KMAQ -Lutheran Church 09:45 10:15 KMAQ-Methodist Church 01:30 01:30 Movie Day 02:30 02:30 Beverage/Shack Cart 03:00 05:00 Evening Walk 03:00 05:00 Evening Walk 03:00 01:30 Mornii 03:00 02:00 KMAQ-Lutheran Church 03:01 01:30 Mornii 03:02 02:30 Beverage/Shack Cart 03:02 02:30 Beverage/Shack Cart 03:02 00:30 Corton Church 03:30 00:30 Evening Walk 03:30 00:30 Evening Walk 03:30 00:30 Beverage/Shack Cart 03:30 01:30 00:30 01:30 05:00 Evening Walk 03:00 05:00 Evening Walk 03:00	25 Mornii 09:00 KMAQ -Lutheran Church 10:15 KMAQ- Methodist Church 09:45 01:30 Movie Day 01:30 Beverage/Shack Cart 02:30 06:00 Evening Walk 03:30 06:00 06:00

01					
	r n	10	17	24	
Saturday	Adult Coloring Beverage Cart Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snacks Movie Aroma Therapy Snacks	Adult Coloring Beverage Cart Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snacks Movie Aroma Therapy Snacks	Adult Coloring Beverage Cart Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snacks Movie Aroma Therapy Snacks	Adult Coloring Beverage Cart Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snacks Movie Aroma Therapy Snacks	Happy Birthday Helen K-2 Jack M3 Gloria K- 20 Joyce D21 Karen S23 Archie M 28
	09:30 02:15 03:30 05:15 07:00	09:30 10:00 02:15 03:30 03:30 05:15 07:00	09:30 10:00 02:15 03:00 03:30 05:15 07:00	09:30 09:30 02:15 03:00 03:15 05:15 05:15	Happ Jack M3 Jack M3 Gloria K Joyce D3 Archie M.
Eriday	h HPopcom by	Popcom Beverage Cart Sit and Stretch Popcom Bingo Bingo TV Jeopardy Aroma Therapy Aroma Cart/Popcom	16 Beverage Cart Reminiscing Popcorn Bingo Beverage Cart/Popcorn TV Jeopardy Aroma Therapy Snacks	23 10:00 Beverage Cart 2 10:30 Reminiscing 1 02:00 Popcom 0 02:15 Bingo 0 03:00 Beverage Cart/Popcom 0 04:30 TV Jeopardy 0 04:30 TV Jeopardy 0 05:15 Aroma Therapy 0 05:05 Shacks	10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Reminiscing 02:00 Popcorm 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Popcorn 03:00 Beverage Cart/Popcorn 03:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snack _{Shor bay}
	- 01 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02	8 2 2 2 3 2 2 3 2 3 2 3 3 2 3 3 3 3 3 3	15 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02 02	22 02 02 02 02 00 07 05 04 00	V <u>386336999</u>
Thursday	00 Beverage Cart 30 Bowling 15 Bingo 00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 15 Aroma Therapy 00 Snacks	Al Foot: Day 00 Beverage Cart 30 Bowling 15 Bingo 00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 15 Aroma Therapy 00 Snacks	Beverage Cart Parachute Ball Read Mail Bingo Beverage Cart/Snacks Aroma Therapy Snacks	Beverage Cart Beach Ball Bam Read Mail Bingo Bingo Beverage Cart/Snacks Aroma Therapy Snacks	Beverage Cart Wheel of Fortune Read Mail Bingo Beverage Cart/Snacks Aroma Therapy Snacks
DY.	10:00 10:30 02:15 03:00 05:15 07:00	7 10:00 02:15 03:00 05:15 07:00	14 10:00 10:30 01:30 02:15 03:00 05:15 07:00	21 10:00 01:30 02:15 02:05 07:00	28 10:00 01:30 02:15 05:15 07:00
Wednesday		6 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Live 2B Healthy 11:00 Church 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 05:15 Aroma Therapy	13 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Live 2B Healthy 11:00 Church 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks	20 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Live 2B Healthy 11:00 Church 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks	27 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Live 2B Healthy 11:00 Church 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks
Inesday	April 2021 GARDENS	5 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Bind Bath 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:30 Movie 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks	2 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Bird Bath 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 04:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks	 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Bird Bath 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks 	10:00 Beverage Cart 10:30 Bird Bath 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks wa 52060
Monday	Apr GAF	 10:00 Music Speaks with Laura 10:00 Beverage Cart 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 07:00 Snacks 	12 10:00 Music Speaks with Laura 10:00 Beverage Cart 11:00 Word Games 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 05:00 Snacks	19 10:00 Music Speaks with Laura 10:00 Beverage Cart 11:00 Word Games 02:15 Bingo 03:00 Beverage Cart/Snacks 04:30 TV Jeopardy 05:15 Aroma Therapy 05:00 Snacks	25 09:3026 Listen to Songs of Faith 10:0026 Nusic Speaks with Laura 10:0026 Beverage Cart 10:3010:15KMAQ-Methodist Church 10:1510:00Beverage Cart 10:3010:30Bev Beverage Cart 10:3010:30Bev Beverage Cart 10:3010:15KMAQ-Methodist Church 10:1511:00Word Games Beverage Cart 02:1502:15Bingo 02:1502:15Bingo 02:1502:15Activity of Choice 03:0002:15Bingo 03:00Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:0004:30TV 05:15Aro 03:0005:15Aroma Therapy 07:0005:15Aroma Therapy 07:0005:15Aro 07:00Sna 07:0007:00Snacks05:15Aroma Therapy 07:0007:00Sna 07:00Sna 07:00Sna 07:00Sna 07:00
N		4 -	01 11 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 0	8	5 Enter 5 Ente
Sunday		4 Listen to Songs of Faith Beverage Cart KMAQ-Methodist Church Easter Dinner Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snacks Aroma Therapy Snacks		Listen to Songs of Fa Beverage Cart KMAQ-Methodist Chu Activity of Choice Beverage Cart/Snack Aroma Therapy Snacks	25 Listen to Songs of Faith 10:00 Beverage Cart 10:00 KMAQ-Methodist Church 11:00 Activity of Choice 02:15 Beverage Cart/Snacks 03:00 Aroma Therapy 04:30 Snacks 04:30 Snacks 04:30
E		09:30 10:00 12:00 02:15 03:00 05:15 03:00	09:30 10:00 10:15 02:15 03:00 05:15 07:00	09:30 10:00 10:15 02:15 03:00 05:15 07:00	09:30 10:00 02:15 02:15 05:15 07:00
the set					