September 2020

To empower adults age 50 and over in Randolph County toward a life of personal independence, healthy aging, social connection and life-long learning.



Mark Hensley, RSAA Executive Director, greets Liberty Senior Center participant, Cooky Lambert, with a foot tap instead of a hand shake.

Website: www.senioradults.org

Facebook: Randolph Senior

Instagram: @Randolph Senior Adults

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YouTube

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Update on Re-Opening RSAA - Pause!

Stay Safe at Home Virtual Edition

Many things have changed since March, greeting each other with a foot tap instead of a hand shake, but the re-opening of RSAA is still on pause and sadly remains the same:

Branching Out

All Centers of the Randolph Senior Adults Association remain closed for the foreseeable future. Due to our serving an at-risk population and the mandate to keep gatherings to 10 individuals or less, our Centers will remain closed until we are allowed to reopen. However, we will continue serving 10 frozen meals to our existing meal program clients every two weeks; RCATS continues to provide trips, including out-of-county, daily Monday – Friday; and our Information and Options Counselors are available for assistance via telephone (336-625-3389) daily Monday - Thursday. We will reopen our Centers just as soon as the Randolph County Public Health Department, the Governor's Executive Orders and the NC Department of Health and Human Services believe it is safe to do so. Thank you for your patience during this unprecedented period!

Although our classes and activities have been suspended in-person, it's a great time to explore the internet. Continue to read and you will find lots of entertaining links in the safety and comfort of your home!

Enjoy!



Randolph Senior Adults Association

The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Adult Resource & Education Center 347 W. Salisbury Street Asheboro, NC 27203 336-629-7433 or 1-800-252-2899 Fax: 336-626-3590 Monday-Friday 7:00am-8:00pm

RCATS

The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Adult Resource & Education Center 347 W. Salisbury Street Asheboro, NC 27203 336-629-7433 or 1-866-580-8726 Monday-Friday 6:00am-6:00pm

Archdale Senior Center

108 Park Drive Archdale, NC 27263 336-431-1938 Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Asheboro Senior Center

347 W. Salisbury Street Asheboro, NC 27263 336-625-3389 Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Liberty Senior Center

128 S. Fayetteville Street Liberty, NC 27298 336-622-5844 Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Randleman Senior Center

144 W. Academy Street Randleman, NC 27317 336-498-4332 Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Our Place Adult Day Care

714 Farr Street Asheboro, NC 27203 336-629-3787 Monday - Friday 7:00am - 5:00pm

Exercise Stay Safe at Home Virtual Edition

De-stress with Focused Breathing

RSAA is working with Tai Chi instructor, Steve Cain, to produce videos for you to enjoy at home! Steve's first class provides instruction on focused breathing, the foundation of Tai Chi. In the video, he shows you how to properly breathe to help de-stress and relax your body. Something we all need!

Intro to Tai Chi for Seniors Part 1



Part 2 of Steve's class will be available in the next issue. Steve will also continue his in-person classes at the Adult REC as soon as it is open. Enjoy and remember to breathe!

YouTube is full of excellent exercise videos!

- Walking is one of the best exercises: Walk with Leslie
- Shape up with Silver Sneakers: 5 Exercises for Seniors to Lose Belly Fat 5 Exercises Seniors Should Do Everyday



EMERGENCY NEED **DUE TO COVID 19! Red Cross Blood Drive**

Wednesday, October 7 10:00am - 3:00pm **MakeAppointment**

109 N. Church St. Downtown Asheboro Park in lot at corner of Church St. and Hoover St.



Featured link:

Immerse yourself in beautiful glass sculpture by Dale Chihuly by clicking the link below to view 31 different videos of his colorful work:

chihuly.com







Just for Fun Stay Safe at Home Virtual Edition

Game On!

Like to play games and solve puzzles? The internet is a great resource for tons of games and endless word searches for free! There's also free apps to download on your smartphone. A few favorite links are listed below:

Crossword Puzzles Jigsaw Puzzles Play Solitaire

Word Search Puzzles



Active Aging Inspiration

Olivia de Havilland, last surviving actor from *Gone with the Wind*, passed away in July of natural causes. She was 104 years old. A two-time Oscar winner, starred in 49 feature films throughout her career in Hollywood that spanned from 1935 to the late 1980s. She was awarded a damehood by the Queen of England in 2017 for services to drama. She was aged 101 at the time, becoming the oldest woman to become a dame. Olivia continued to enjoy riding her bicycle until aged 103.





- Read Olivia's biography at: <u>TCM: Olivia de Havilland</u>
- Watch an interesting video, *Life of Olivia de Havilland* <u>TCM on Olivia de Havilland</u>





Travel North Carolina Stay Safe at Home Virtual Edition

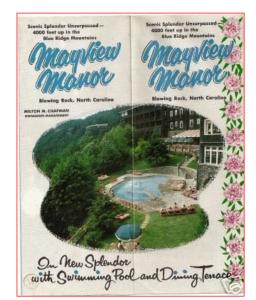
Tour the Mountains of North Carolina Past and Present



Did you know there are 34 State Parks in North Carolina? Check out the list of State Parks, including hours, locations, available activities and individual websites at:

NC State Parks







Mayview Manor 1922-1978, located just outside of Blowing Rock, NC was a vacation spot for many VIPs including Annie Oakley. Read about its history at: <u>Hail to</u> <u>the Queen</u>, and then watch the video about the grand hotel: <u>Mayview Manor</u>.

Continue your trip to two of our best state parks

- Continue to Grandfather Mountain Park: Visit Grandfather Mountain State Park
- Check out Chimney Rock State Park: <u>Visit Chimney Rock State Park</u>

