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### KANAWHA VALLEY SENIOR SERVICES

"Helping Seniors Age Successfully"





## PLEASE DONATE TO KVSS BY USING YOUR KROGER CARD!

A DIGITAL ACCOUNT IS NEEDED TO PARTICI-PATE IN KROGER COM-MUNITY REWARDS.

If you already have a digital account, simply link your Shopper's Card to your account so that all transactions apply toward KVSS!

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## STATE HEALTH INSURANCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND SENIOR MEDICARE PATROL

Kanawha Valley Senior Services has trained SHIP and SMP Counselors on staff to help with Medicare enrollment, Medicare Savings Programs, Extra Help, fraud, drug & advantage plan comparisons and general questions about Medicare. Call and ask for a Social Service Representative in your area!

304-348-0707

# **Medicare Notes— Medigaps**

Medigaps are health insurance policies that offer standardized benefits to work only with Original Medicare (not with Medicare Advantage). They are sold by private insurance companies. If you have a Medigap, it pays part or all of certain remaining costs after Original Medicare pays first. It depends upon your Medigap plan type. Medigaps are designed to cover outstanding deductibles, coinsurance, and copayments. People often refer to these charges as the "gaps" in Original Medicare's coverage, hence the term "Medigap." Some Medigaps may also cover health care costs that Medicare does not cover at all, like emergency care received when traveling abroad.

**Remember:** Medigaps only work with Original Medicare. If you have a Medicare Advantage Plan, you cannot buy a Medigap.

Kanawha Valley Senior Services provides congregate meals throughout Kanawha County and for those that are homebound, a home delivered meal. Although there is not a charge for meals we do appreciate and need donations as the reimbursements do not cover the cost of the meals.





uggested Donation	<u>Sites</u>	<b>Phone</b>
\$2.00	Charleston	304-348-0707
\$2.50	Chesapeake Community Center	r 304-949-5797
\$3.00	Clendenin Community Center	304-548-4192
\$4.00	Elk River Community Center	304-965-3175
\$5.00	St. Albans Hansford Center	304-722-4621
\$6.30	Nitro West Sattes School	304-721-8465
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# Recipe-Roasted Rutabaga



- 1 lb. Rutabagas (peeled and cut into 3/4-inch pieces)
- 2 tbsps. Olive oil
- 1 tsp. Garlic powder
- 1 tsp. Sea salt
- 1/2 tsp. Black pepper

## **Directions**

- 1. Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F (204 degrees C). Line a sheet pan with parchment paper or cooking spray.
- 2. In a large mixing bowl, toss the rutabaga cubes with the olive oil, garlic powder, salt, and pepper.
- 3. Spread evenly on the baking sheet making sure each piece touches the pan.
- 4. Roast in the oven for about 25 minutes, until the rutabaga pieces are golden brown and tender.

Recipe received from: Roasted Rutabaga Recipe (Just Like Potatoes!) - Wholesome Yum



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Kanawha Valley Senior Services has partnered with the US Administration of Community living, National Council on Aging, University of Charleston School of Pharmacy and Fruth Pharmacy to ensure older adults have access to the latest flu vaccines.

We are offering a flu vaccine clinic at our senior center in Charleston!

DATE: September 26, 2023

TIME: 11 AM – 1 PM

REGISTER BY: SEPTEMBER 20th

AT THE TIME of registration you will be asked for your name, date of birth and type of insurance.

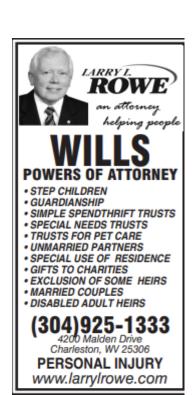
## PLEASE BE SURE TO BRING YOUR INSURANCE CARD WITH YOU.

KANAWHA VALLEY SENIOR SERVICES IS LOCATED AT 1710 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, CHARLESTON, WV 25302.

REGISTER BY EMAIL TO: JFINNEY@KVSS.ORG OR CALL (304)348-0707 AND ASK FOR JAMIE







## **KVSS Activities**

Craft Class
Every 2nd Friday of the month
10:30 am

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Bingo Every 3rd Wednesday of the month 10:30 am

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Tai Chi for Arthritis 1:30 pm Advanced Tuesdays and Thursdays

2:45 pm Beginners Tuesdays and Thursdays

Join us for Cornhole every Friday!

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Suggested Donate Income Sites Phone 304-348-0707 Charleston \$0-\$600 \$2.00 \$601-\$800 \$2.50 Chesapeake 304-949-5797 \$801-\$1000 \$3.00 Clendenin 304-548-4192 Charleston, WV 25302 \$1001-\$1200 \$4.00 Elk River 304-965-3175 \$1201-\$1400 Hansford 304-722-6949 Over \$1400 \$6.00 Nitro West Sattes 304-721-8465 304-925-9200

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Charleston Senior Center Lunch Served 11:45 – 12:45		Donations Ove oppredated		Sloppy Joe w/slaw 1 Mac N' Cheese Broccoli Special Dessert		
CENTER CLOSED 4	Butter Beans 5 Corn Bread Potatoes O'Brian Mixed Greens Mixed Fruit	Salisbury Steak 6 Mashed Potatoes Carrots Roll Peaches	Pork Chops 7 Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans Roll Pears	Italian Chicken 8 Rice Asparagus Apple Sauce		
Potato Crusted Pollock 11 California Veggies Mashed Potatoes Roll Peaches	Biscuits-N-Gravy 12 Scrambled Eggs Potatoes O'Brian Apples	Chef Salad 13 Harvard Beets Cottage Cheese w/Pineapples Roll	Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce 14 Broccoli Garlic Bread Pears	Country Fried Steak 15 Mashed Potatoes Brussel Sprouts Roll Mixed Fruit		
Chicken Teriyaki 18 Rice Pineapple Broccoli	Sheppard's Pie 19 Spinach Roll Corn Fresh Fruit	Tacos 20 Saffron Rice Refried Beans Cottage Cheese-n- Peaches	Pinto Beans 21 Corn Bread Greens Potatoes O'Brian Apples	Chicken Noodle Soup 22 Asparagus Roll Mixed Fruit		
Meat Loaf 25 Mashed Potatoes Carrots Apple Sauce Biscuit	COOKS CHOICE	Tuna Salad 27 Stewed Tomatoes & Macaroni Pea Salad Cottage Cheese-N-Pineapples	Chicken Tenders 28 Mac-n-Cheese Green Beans Roll Fresh Apples	Bone in BBQ Chicken 29 Scalloped Potatoes Mixed Greens Roll Oranges Birthday Cake		

KVSS nutrition site meals will be served with milk or water. The Senior Nutrition Program is operated under a Federal Grant for persons over the age of 60. This grant does not cover the cost of the meal. If you have any questions regarding the program, please call 304-348-0707.

# September 2023

#### KANAWHA VALLEY SENIOR SERVICES ACTIVITY CALENDAR

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				11:45 Lunch 12:15 Com hole NO ZUMBA
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FALL PREVENTION WEEK 18 10:00 Paint Class 11:45 Lunch	11:45 Lunch NO TAI CHI	19 UW DAY OF CARING 20 10:30 Bingo W/Greg 11:45 Lunch 1:30 ZUMBA FINAL DAY TO REGISTER FOR VACCINE CLINIC	21 11:45 Lunch NO TAI CHI	11:45 Lunch 12:15 Corn hole 1:30 ZUMBA
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# Senior Citizens Day





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Kanawha Valley Senior Services offers assistance to anyone age 60 and over in Kanawha County.

- ♦ Congregate Meals throughout Kanawha County
- ♦ Transportation to medical appointments and grocery
- ♦ Alzheimer/Dementia respite in center and in home
- ♦ Home delivered meals for homebound
- ♦ In home care
- Social service assistance and referrals

DO YOU NEED A RIDE TO THE GROCERY STORE? WE ARE NOW PROVIDING TRIPS ON MOST WEDNESDAYS. PLEASE CALL AHEAD TO TRANSPORTATION AT 304-348-0726 TO SIGN UP FOR UPCOMING TRIPS!

## **SUGGESTED DONATION IS \$5.00 ROUNDTRIP.**

## KVSS JOB OPENINGS Adult Day Center Program Manager

#### In-Home Caregivers VA and Lighthouse Programs

KVSS Management Team: Interim Executive Director, Melanie Hirst, Interim Finance Manager, Vicki Stanley and Executive Assistant Erin Martin

KVSS Board Members: Jack Rogers-President, Steven Dale-Vice President, Harriet Nottingham-Secretary, Chris Rawlings-Treasurer, Ben Blackwell, Sam Cipoletti, Brian Cunningham, Shirley Cunningham, Dianna Graves, Patti Hamilton, Oretta Keeney, Jorea Marple, Angie O'Dell, Patricia O'Reilly, Kay Goodwin and Bill Coyle

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