

A NEWSLETTER FOR ACTIVE OLDER ADULTS

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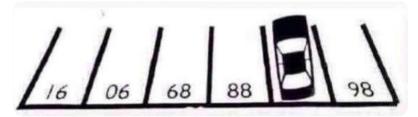
PONTE VEDRA FAMILY YMCA | 170 Landrum Lane | Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082

CELEBRATE YOUR BRAIN

From March 12th – March 16th the Y will support the Dana Foundation, as part of National Brain Awareness Week. Y's will offer brain related activities, tips for brain health, games and prizes! Don't forget to attend the monthly BRAIN FIT presented by Brookdale at select Y locations. Visit FCYMCA.org for more information.



Test your mental agility by solving February's puzzle! Your Healthy Aging Coordinator has the answer. **What spot is this car parked in?**



LET'S SAIL THE SEAS

There is still time for you to enjoy a "Fiesta at Sea" with the Y on the Royal Caribbean's **Brilliance of the Seas**. We depart from Tampa on October 29th and return on November 3rd, after cruising to Key West and Cozumel, Mexico. Cabins are \$650 for Y Members and \$750 for Non-Members. The rate includes round-trip ground transportation, Pre-Cruise Party, Y T-shirt and onboard Cabin Crawl party. Deadline to register is April 23rd.

To book your cabin, contact **Alice Brown at AAA Travel** at (904)565-7722 ext 336 or email her at alicebrown@autoclubgroup.aaa.com

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NEW TO CRUISING? TAKE CRUISE 101



If you have never taken a cruise, then join us for "Cruise 101" on March 21st at 11:45 am – 12:45 pm at the Brooks Y (10423 Centurion Parkway). You will learn about what to expect on a cruise, required legal documents and more. RSVP to cwatson-irving@fcymca.org by March 19th.



Each month, enjoy a different topic to help you make healthier eating decisions. Chefs from Chuy's Tex Mex or Publix Aprons Cooking School will provide a cooking demonstration, recipes and samples. The event is FREE and open to the community. Seating is limited. RSVP at your local Y or at FCYMCA.org

EVENTS

Yoga for Survivors Thursdays Feb 1-22 11:30am| HLC

This class is taught by an experienced yoga instructor certified by the Christina Phipps Foundation. The instructor will guide cancer patients, survivors and others with range of motion and pain limitations through a gentle and safe yoga practice. (Free).

HeartWise Series – Blood Pressure Update Monday Feb 5 12:00pm/HLC

Nothing is more important than your heart and 80% of heart disease can be prevented. It's never too early or too late to start! Come to this 1-hour talk about controlling and preventing high blood pressure. (Free).

HeartWise Series-Metabolic Syndrome Monday Feb 12 12:00pm/HLC

Join experts from Baptist Health as they talk about Metabolic Syndrome and the effect it can have on your heart health. (Free).

Ask the Expert: Tips for Heart Healthy Eating Tuesday Feb 20 12:00pm/HLC

Did you know you can eat your way to a healthy heart? Join RD, Kelly Schooley to discuss the types of foods you can eat to maintain a healthy heart. (Free)

AGE 50 AND BETTER CLASS SCHEDULE

FUNCTIONAL FITNESS

Monday, Wednesday 10:30am

SILVER SNEAKERS

Tuesday, Thursday 10:30am

PICKLE BALL

Monday 10a- 12p*Beginners Tuesday 10a-1:30p Wednesday 10a-12p Thursday 10a-1:30p

STEP & SCULPT

Wednesdays 8:30am

AQUA FITNESS

Monday 9:15-10:15am TU, WED, TH 9:30am - 10:30am

Chair Yoga

Fridays 10:30am

NEW!!! "BOOM" FITNESS

Fridays 8:30AM

LINE DANCING

Tuesdays 2:15-3pm Fridays 1:30-2:15pm

VALENTINE'S DAY, POTLUCK LUNCH Tuesday, February 13th, 11:30am-1:00pm After Silver Sneakers class at the Ponte Vedra YMCA

Celebrate Valentine's Day and get to know your fellow Age 50 and Better Members while enjoying a delicious Pot Luck Lunch!

Sign up for what you will bring in the Event Notebook, at the Membership Desk. Come ready to have fun and meet ne friends.

Be sure to wear RED!!



PICKLEBALL IS HERE! Mondays, 10:00am-12:00pm In the gym!

Pickleball is a paddle sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis, and table tennis. Two, three, or four players use solid paddles made of wood or composite materials to hit a perforated polymer ball, similar to a whiffle ball, over a net. Come learn and play with other beginners.

