

IGET CRIER

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We are pleased to announce that our upcoming 2024 annual report indicates over a 40% increase in center visits, attributed to new programs, large events, word of mouth, and enhanced social media efforts. Further details will be provided later this month.

We are launching a six-question survey to gauge your satisfaction with the center's offerings and service. Please provide your feedback; it only takes a few minutes. Survey release info coming soon.

We invite you to visit our updated facility at **2043 Division Street, Door 7, East Troy**. Call **262-642-2266** for more information about any of our activities. As a reminder, most events are free; donations are appreciated.

New and Special Events

Advance Notice: Robin Vos will conduct a Q&A session on **May 19th** from 5 to 6 pm

Fundraisers: Three of our non-profit partners are holding fundraisers this month.

- **The Lions** are hosting the annual "**Spring Fling**" beer and seltzer tasting on April 12th, from 6 to 9 pm at the East Troy House Backstage. Funds support Student Future Healthcare Professionals and other school clubs. Tickets are available at East Troy House and Global Glass.

- **Bloom 360** is hosting “**Sips and Bites Social.**” It will be a wonderful evening of sips, bites, and great company, empowering neurodivergent youth and adults to grow, learn, and thrive! April 12th 7:00 to 10 pm. Contact info@bloom360.org
- Join **Discovering Pathways** for an unforgettable night at **Creative Forces Art Studio** in downtown Lake Geneva! This special event supports Discovering Pathways to launch the much-needed Day Services Program for adults with disabilities. Contact dpteam@discoveringpathwaysinc.com for more information.

Open to the Public

Drop-in days

Visit the Arcade Room, get creative in the Art Studio, and watch films on our new 100-inch 4K HD screen with Dolby audio. Movies start at 12:15 and 2:30 pm; **four films are shown weekly—the schedule is at the bottom of this email.** Attendance is free; donations are welcome.

- Every Thursday and Friday from noon to 5 pm

Memory Café is a 90-minute social gathering on the third Tuesday of each month designed for individuals with early-stage dementia and their family members, friends, or caregivers. The event aims to promote engagement, socialization, and shared experiences. Jake Sawyer, a Dementia Specialist in Walworth County, is the facilitator.

- April 15th from 1:30 to 3 pm

Caregiver support group: Caring for others can be overwhelming and isolating. Support group meetings offer a confidential space to share feelings, connect with similar individuals, and get help with the healthcare system. Jake Sawyer, a Dementia Specialist in Walworth County, is the facilitator.

- April 23rd, from 1 to 2 pm

Bingo and Donuts now offers a call-in option to play (without the donuts). Call 262-642-2266 to get the PIN to join and request bingo cards. Cards can be delivered to those without transportation.

- April 14th and 28th from 9:30 to 11 am

The Christian Community, Movement for Religious Renewal - is holding a speaker series of discussions about the Christian year. Featuring Rev. Paul Newton

- April 11th from 7 to 8:30 pm

The East Troy Computer Club (ETCC) meets on the first and third Thursday of each month. It brings together tech enthusiasts of all levels through workshops and boot camps, focusing on AI, robotics, and web design. For questions, contact bkeating@gmail.com.

- April 3rd and 17th from 6 to 9 pm

Senior exercise classes - Tai Chi is held every Monday from 8 to 9 am, and Strengthening Seniors is held every Wednesday from 8 to 9 am. These classes are held in small groups in a comfortable setting.

Quilting Club—The quilting group meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The group works on creating lap quilts to donate to those in need. For questions, contact Gayle at 262-215-7803.

- April 1st and 15th from 9 am-noon

Sheepshead – Tuesdays at 1:30 pm

Pool group - Join a group of senior men at two pool tables.

- Thursdays from 1 -3 pm

Vote for East Troy – Meets monthly to connect and discuss how best to build the local community through nonpartisan efforts.

- April 8th at 6 pm

AA/NA meetings occur every Saturday. For more information, contact Kate at 262-470-0294.

Private bookings:

Reserved Birthday party: Saturday, April 12th
VIP Services Day Program every Monday and Friday
Coffee Hour - twice monthly
Kiwanis meeting - monthly
Games girls - twice monthly
Scouts - twice monthly

April Movie Schedule - All movies are free to attend.

Thursday, April 3

- 12:15 pm **Clue** (PG)
- 2:30 pm **Monsters vs. Aliens** (PG), Animated

Friday, April 4

- 12:15 pm **Baby Momma** (PG-13)
- 2:30 pm **Breakfast at Tiffany's** (NR)

Thursday, April 10

- 12:15 pm **The Ring** (PG-13). Genre: Horror.
- 2:30 pm **Meet the Parents** (PG-13). Genre: Comedy.

Friday, April 11

- 12:15 pm **Dumb and Dumber** (PG-13).
- 2:30 pm **Mamma Mia!** (PG-13). Genre: Musical.

Wednesday, April 16 (Special day and hours)

- 10:15 am **Aladdin** (G). Genre: Animated.
- 12:15 pm **Batman the Movie** (PG). Genre: Animated.
- 2:30 pm **How to Train Your Dragon** (PG). Genre: Animated.

Thursday, April 17 (Special hours)

- 10:15 am **Frozen** (PG). Animated.
- 12:15 pm **Warm Bodies** (PG-13).
- 2:30 pm **Bruce Almighty** (PG-13).

Please support the center by reserving a space for business meetings or personal events. Donations are required, determined by the user, which contribute to our operating budget.

To visit us, enter at **2043 Division St, door 7**, or contact us at **262-642-2266**.

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