



Canyon Winds Retirement Community

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Banish Winter Blahs

Banish the winter blahs with a dose of natural light. When sunlight hits the eye's retina, it boosts the body's levels of serotonin, which balances your mood. If cold weather keeps you indoors, get some sun by opening up room blinds, and sit near windows whenever possible.

Your Special Day

Everybody has a birthday, but have you ever celebrated your name day? A European tradition dating back to the Middle Ages, name days are dates set aside to celebrate a specific name—for example, the names Joshua, Henry, Rachel and Valerie are all celebrated in January. Find your day on various name day websites, then mark it on your calendar to celebrate! Name not on the list? Partner with a similar name or simply choose a date that's meaningful to you.

Walk and Talk

Walking is a convenient, low-intensity workout that can improve or maintain your overall health. Follow the talk test to gauge how hard you're working. If you can comfortably talk while walking, then you are successfully completing a moderate workout. But if you're able to sing, then you should up your pace.

Bundle Up

Cold weather causes the body's blood vessels and arteries to constrict, raising blood pressure and making the heart work harder. Dress in layers to keep warm, and wear a hat and gloves when you're outdoors.

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Warm Up With Ginger Tea

If the winter weather leaves you with cold hands and feet, try drinking a cup of ginger tea. The herb can help improve blood circulation, making your extremities feel warmer.

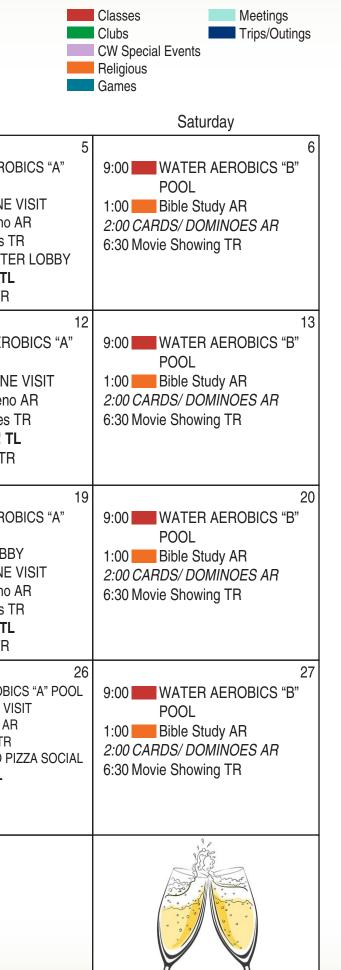
Celebrating MLK Jr. Day

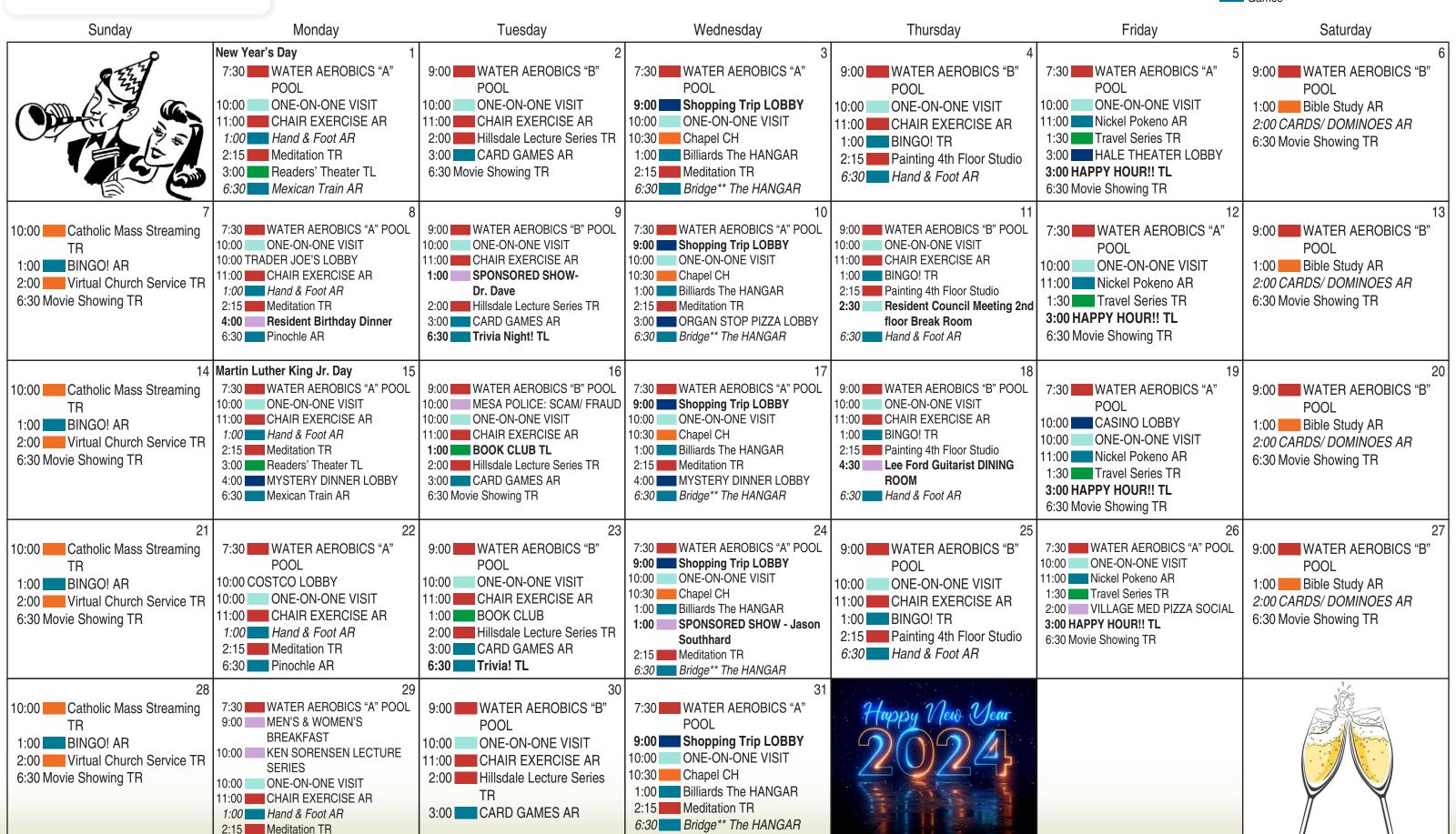
The country pays tribute to Martin Luther King Jr. every year on the third Monday in January. In 2024, the holiday falls on King's actual date of birth, Jan. 15. This year also marks a major milestone, as the date would have been the civil rights leader's 95th birthday.





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Crossword Puzzle

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ACROSS

- 1. Fasten anew
- Fall flower
- 11. Piece of wood
- 14. Antelope
- 15. Put on
- 16. Grow gray
- 17. Sofas, chairs, beds and tables
- 19. Teachers' org.
- 20. NY's time zone, during the summer
- 21. Level
- 22. Double-__; baseball fan's delight
- 24. Twirl again 26. Drives
- 28. Left one's bed
- 30. Extreme
- 33. Baby's utensil
- 36. Trails
- 38. Exist
- 39. Places for experiments
- 40. British buggies 41. Expert accountants,
- for short
- 42. Four-semester degs.
- 43. Hold tightly
- 44. Huntley and Atkins
- 45. Twelve-year-old
- 47. Room in a casa
- 49. Perches
- 51. Dart's destination

- 55. Rigorous
 - 57. Chicken's sound
 - 59. Suffix for depart or sculpt
 - 60. __ Gardner
 - 61. Clown's makeup
 - 64. Fellows
 - 65. Happening

 - 66. Woman's nickname 67. Suffix for few or new
 - 68. Perceive
 - 69. Desert fruits

DOWN

- _ to; cite 1.
- Escape detection
- 3. Bakery products
- Place to spend a night
- 5. Newspaper issue
- Arthur of the courts
- Agitates
- Earth tone
- 9. Intellectuals: slang
- 10. Plants a second time
- 11. Scenic painting
- 12. Curved molding
- 13. Equipment
- 18. Wrongdoings
- 23. Onassis, to friends 25. Major-leaguers
- 27. Stomps
- 29. Astray
- 31. Smell __; suspect trickery

- 32. Not as much
- 33. Swat
- 34. Former TV personality Jack
- 35. On the watch
- 37. Intl. alliance
- 40. Save
- 41. Blacken
- 43. Bush and Bush
- 44. Showed approval
- 46. Place for a nail
- 48. Fits to
- 50. Extends across
- 52. Feeling of self-reproach
- 53. "Sesame Street" fellow
- 54. Heads of France
- 55. Identical
- 56. Days preceding
- 58. This: Sp.
- 62. Poetic contraction
- 63. Yellowhammer State: abbr.



Word Search

Category: Herbs, Spices and Seasonings												
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