# Old Colony Elder Services Nutrition Program - Menu September, 2013

| MONDAY                 | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  |
|------------------------|--|---|--|---|
| 2 Labor Day            | 3  | 4   | 5  | 6   |
| No Meals Served        | Reduced Sodium Hot Dog on a Bun Ketchup/Mustard Succotash Potato Wedges Mandarin Oranges | Herbed Chicken Lemon Pepper Bowlies Peas & Carrots Oatmeal Bread Fruit Cocktail | Fiesta Fish Mashed Potato Green Beans Whole Wheat Roll Apple Cinn. Muffin MOD: Apple Grahams | Beef Stroganoff Egg Noodles Broccoli Pumpernickel Bread Peaches |
| Sloppy Joe (beef)      | Chicken Salad  | Wild Salmon   | BBQ Pork   | Roast Turkey  |
| Tater Tots             | Marinated Vegetable  | w/ Saffron Sauce  | Sweet Potato   | w/ Gravy & Cran Sauce   |
| Peas & Onions          | Salad  | Brown Rice  | Green & Wax Beans  | Mashed Potato   |
| Hamburger Bun          | Whole Wheat Bread  | Spinach   | Multigrain Bread   | Carrot Coins  |
| Oatmeal Cookie         | Pears (in tray)  | Rye Bread   | Lemon Pudding  | Garlic Roll<br>Fresh Fruit in Season                            |
| MOD: Lemon Graham      | (diced chicken)<br>(2 slices bread)  | Peaches   | MOD: SF Pudding  | riesh riuit iii Season  |
| 16                     | 17   | 18  | 19   | 20  |
| Swedish Meatballs      | Potato Crunch Fish   | Chicken Cacciatore  | Beef Marsala   | Bean, Rice  |
| Egg Noodles            | Lemon Brown Rice   | Italian Roasted Potato  | Garlic Mashed Potato   | & Cheese  |
| Green Bean Almondine   | Blend  | Peas  | Parslied Carrots   | Empanada  |
| Multigrain Bread       | Tarter Sauce   | Multigrain Roll   | Rye Bread  | Corn  |
| Mandarin Oranges       | Zucchini & Tomatoes  | Brownie   | Fresh Apple  | Broccoli  |
|                        | Whole Wheat Bread<br>Pineapple   | MOD: LS Brownie   | a a  | Peach Mousse<br>MOD: SF Pudding                                 |
| 23                     | 24   | 25  | 26   | 27  |
| WG Lasagna             | Teriyaki Chicken   | Egg Salad   | Orange Ginger  | Meatball Sub  |
| w/ Meat Sauce          | Green Beans & Carrots  | Sandwich on Wheat   | Beef with Broccoli   | w/ Tomato Sauce   |
| Spinach                | Brown Rice   | Coleslaw  | Vegetable Fried Rice   | Corn  |
| Genoa Vegetables       | Wheat Roll   | Three Bean Salad  | Whole Wheat Roll   | Zucchini  |
| Oatmeal Bread<br>Pears | Cherry Snack 'n Loaf<br>MOD: Blueberry Grahams   | Fresh Orange  | Fruit Cocktail   | Chocolate Pudding MOD: SF Pudding                               |
| 30                     |  |   |  |   |
| Turkey Ham &           |  |   |  | Milk and margarine are  |
| Provolone on Wheat     | •  |   |  | served at every meal  |
| Chickpea Salad         |  |   |  | - "   |
| Dill Cucumber Salad    |  |   |  | ❖Indicates entrée has   |
| ✓ Vanilla Pudding      |  |   |  | > 700 mg Sodium   |
| MOD: SF Pudding        |  |   |  |   |

### Menu Guidelines

700-800 Calories per meal 30% or less of calories from fat less than 300 mg sodium per total meal

Menu is subject to change without notice

Suggested Donation - \$2.50 per Meal

#### FUEL ASSISTANCE SEASON IS HERE—Recertification's & First Timers—HOW TO APPLY

The Council on Aging t will be taking appointments on Tuesdays & Wednesdays from 1:00—3:00pm with Outreach Worker Joyce Curran and Assistant Outreach Worker Elaine Marzill, starting September 24th, 2013.

Bring with you: recent electric bill, phone & fuel bills; 4 recent pay stubs or annual award letter & pension statement from Social Security for each person in household; Veteran benefits, worker's comp or unemployment benefits; Interest bearing accounts, child support, alimony, other income; tax bill, rent receipt or land rent; social security cards for all in household; and photo ID; Homeowner's policy. Please give us a call if you have questions or need assistance.

Norwell Visiting Nurse Wellness Blood Pressure Clinic Schedule for the Town of Halifax —

Monday, Sept. 9th at Halifax Li-

Monday, Sept 23 at Halifax Town Hall (2nd floor)

Please note — Halifax Council on Aging Blood pressures & Glucose Testing done by Nurse, Carol The last (3) Thursdays of the month

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU (BBB) TALK coming...

November 14th at 12:15 at the COA: The Strands of Trust talk will discuss ways in which the consumer can utilize the BBB as a free precautionary tool before signing contracts or hiring a business. BBB.org in particular is a major resource tool with over four million business reviews. It would be good to learn how to use this tool when researching businesses and charity organizations and staying up to date on the latest scams. Give us a call to signup for the talk and/or lunch.

WELCOME TO OUR TRIAD PROGRAM on 9/10/13-

Halifax Police Station—upstairs

Speaker — Jeff LaFleur on Cranberry History of the South Shore Area Please come and join us at 10am—Bring a friend!

Veteran Agent Mr. Wil Corey will meet with Veterans every third Wed of the month at the COA to talk. Next visit: 9/18 from 11am-noon.

WELCOME TO Bridge & Cribbage on MONDAYS at 10am

Looking for more players that are interested in learning these games or improving. Did you know these are great games for your mind & memory. Come on down and give it a try, you may enjoy learning with new friends!

# Healthy Eyes

Maintaining Your Vision (-Provided by National Eye Institute or NIAIC@nia.nih.gov)

Taking good care of your eyes is vital to your overall health and wellbeing. Even if you enjoy good vision now, you need to start or continue to practice good eye healthcare by visiting your eye care professional to have a comprehensive dilated eye exam.

## Who Performs Eye Exams?

An eye care professional is either an optometrist or ophthalmologist. An ophthalmologist is a medical or osteopathic doctor who specializes in eye and vision care. An optometrist is the primary health care professional for the eye. Both professionals are qualified to perform eye exams.

## Aging and Vision Changes

As you age, it is normal to experience some changes in your vision, such as difficulty adjusting to glare, and distinguishing some colors, particularly shades of blue and green. Some common vision problems require glasses or contacts to see clearly and up close. However, these changes can be easily corrected and won't lead to vision loss or blindness. Remember, vision loss is not a normal part of aging. In fact, you can live an active lifestyle well into your later years without ever experiencing vision loss.

Tips for Healthy Eyes — Try this four question quiz to see how much you know about Health Eyes:

- I. You Can Protect Your Eyes By
- A. Eating a diet in fruit & vegetables B. Wearing sunglasses C. Knowing your family health history D. All the above
- \*Please call a professional if you are having difficulties with your vision and get tested soon.