Dear IN Program Families,

We are excited to welcome our new IN Activity Assistant, Rachel Goldmeier! Rachel earned her Master's in Social Work and has valuable experience with programming and case management. working with a variety of ages and populations. She has worked with students with learning disabilities, ADD, ADHD, anxiety, depression, trauma, and other challenges. Her hobbies include baking, graphic design, and reading/writing. Rachel is passionate about her work and is very excited to be part of the J!

This month we will recognize Jewish Disability and Inclusion Month (JDAIM). On Tuesday, February 27 from 9am-1pm, the J's Rabbi Brad Horwitz and Cyndee Levy from the Center for Jewish Learning will conduct a half-day seminar at the J. They will bring together a cohort of professionals, of all levels, who work in the St. Louis Jewish community. We will explore the limits of our own perceptions, the inherent dignity of humanity, social responsibility, and our personal roles in ensuring that all people can participate fully and equally in our communities. The IN Program is supporting this event by hosting an activity in the PAC room. Please contact me for more information.

REMINDERS:

Focus Group Meetings Go Quarterly

Moving forward, our Parent Focus Groups will meet guarterly instead of monthly. Our next meeting will be April 9 at 4:30pm. See the adjacent panel in this brochure for complete 2018 dates. Hope to see you all there.

Schedule Changes

Please report any transportation changes or updates to daily schedules with Kristen Conard (314.442.3261). We want to make sure we are always up to date. If you call after hours, please leave a message with your schedule update. Thank you.

Winter Weather Protocol

For those utilizing our bus services, please be sure that all driveways and walkways are cleared of snow and ice for the bus driver to be able to safely assist and transport participants to and from the center. If the bus arrives and the walkway has not been cleared, our driver will not be able to transport the participant and will notify the primary contact listed of this cancellation.

Looking forward to another great month full of fun activities!

Sincerely, Brittany Fischer, IN Program Coordinator at the J



Parent Focus Groups

Quarterly Focus Groups are intended to provide parents and families of IN Program participants an opportunity to connect and share resources with each other.

> **Quarterly Meeting Dates** April 9 August 13 **December 18**

Meeting Time: 4:30-5:30pm

Meetings are held in the SFC Arts & Education Building



Funding

Partial funding of the Adult Day Center at the J is provided under the provisions of the 1966 Older Americans Act, the Mid-East Area Agency on Aging (MEAAA), United Way, the Jewish Federation of St. Louis, the Karty Fund, the Veteran's Administration, the Missouri Department of Mental Health, the State of Missouri Medicaid Program and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

A grant though the Julius, Anna and Lillian Jossem Memorial Fund of the Jewish Federation of St. Louis funds the monthly Tai Chi program. The Music Therapy program is funded by a grant through the JCA Charitable Foundation.











The Adult Day Center at the J welcomes adults of all faiths and ethnic origins. Medicaid is accepted and additional financial assistance is available to those who qualify. The program is licensed by the state of Missouri.

IN Program

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Note:

- For schedule and/or transportation changes, call 314.442.3248.
- For all medicine changes, treatments and any other pertinent medical information, contact Renee.

Adult Day Center # j Care for your whole family



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February 1 - 2

Daily Activities

Morning

8:30-9:30am Coffee Talks/Table Activity

9:30am Breakfast

10:00am Review Schedule/Set Expectations

12:15pm Lunch

Afternoon

2:00pm Independent Living Skills

3:15pm Snack

3:30pm Group Games/Individual Projects

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1	9:45am	Tai Chi
	10:30am	Art Expressions
T	1:00pm	Swimming
H	2:30pm	Reflection Time
U	3:30pm	Science Experiment

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2	10:30am	Volunteer @ the J: Folding Towels
F R I	11:00am	Exercise: Inside Track or Machine
•	1:00pm	Social Etiquette Activity
	2:00pm	Shabbat Service or
		Individual Project
	3:00pm	Volunteering @ Covenant
		Place: Dinner Set Up

February 5 - 9 **5** 10:00-

Speech Therapy 12:00pm 10:30am In-Gen Music with Early Childhood

Photojournalism Activity 1:00pm **Reflection Time** 2:30pm 3:30pm Adaptive Sport Game

10:30am Dice Game Exercise 11:00am Music Therapy Swimming 1:00pm 2:30pm **Reflection Time** IN-Gen Game with 3:30pm

Connection Program

Greet Gym Members 7 10:30am Exercise: Inside Track 11:00am Science Experiment 1:00pm 2:30pm **Reflection Time IN-Gen Reading Activity** 3:30pm with ECC

Tai Chi **8** 9:45am 10:30am Meal Planning Series: Research and Choose Recipe 1:00pm Swimming **Reflection Time** 2:30pm Wii & IPad Activity 3:30pm

9 10:30am Volunteering: Folding **Towels** 11:00am Track: Inside Track Money Management 1:00pm Activity Shabbat Service or 2:00pm **Individual Project** Volunteering @ Covenant 2:30pm Place: Dinner Set Up

February 12 - 16 12 10:00-Speech Therapy 12:00pm 10:30am In-Gen Music with Early Childhood Three Building Blocks 1:00pm Activity Reflection Time 2:30pm 3:30pm **Adapted Sports** 13 10:30am Buddify Activity 11:00am **Music Therapy** 1:00pm Swimming 2:30pm **Reflection Time** 3:30pm IN-Gen Game with **Connection Program** 14 10:30am Outing: TBD Act of **Kindness Project** Laundry & Cleaning Skills 1:00pm

Meal Planning Series: 2:00pm **Budget & Grocery List Reflection Time** 2:30pm 3:30pm IN-Gen Game with **Connection Program**

15 9:45am Tai Chi 11:00am **Art Expressions** Swimming 1:00pm **Reflection Time** 2:30pm Social Etiquette Activity 3:30pm

10:30am Volunteering: Folding Towels 11:00am Exercise: Inside Track Safety Skill Activity 1:00pm Shabbat Service or 2:00pm **Individual Project** Volunteering @ Covenant 2:30-4:00pm Place Dinner Set Up

February 19 - 23

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> **20** 10:30am **Buddify Activity** 11:00pm **Music Therapy**

1:00pm Swimming **Reflection Time** 2:30pm Volunteering @ Covenant 3:30pm

Place Dinner Set Up

21 10:30am Outing: Volunteering @ Food the Pantry

Science Experiment 1:00pm 2:30pm **Reflection Time** IN-Gen Game with 3:30pm

Connection Program

22 9:45am Tai Chi Meal Planning Series: 10:30am

Cooking Swimming 1:00pm **Reflection Time** 2:30pm

Group Game: Domino 3:30pm Activity

23 10:30am Volunteering: Folding **Towels**

Outing: Pulitzer Foundation 11:00am Trip

Reflection Time 2:30pm 3:30pm Individual Project

February 26 - 28 Speech Therapy 26 10:00-12:00pm 10:30am In-Gen Music with Early Childhood **Nutrition Activity** 1:00am Reflection Time 2:30pm **Adaptive Sport** 3:30pm 27 10:30am Dice Game Exercise **Music Therapy** 11:00pm **IN Activity Presents : Tai** 1:00pm Chi (PAC Room) Reflection Time 2:30pm IN-Gen Game with 3:30pm **Connection Program** 28 10:00am Greeting Gym Members

11:00am

1:00pm

2:30pm

3:30pm

Exercise: Inside Track

Art & Crafts: Create IN

IN-Gen Reading Activity

Recipe Book

with ECC

Reflection Time

