# **Bingo Has a Jackpot** of Benefits

Prized for its fun, ease and excitement, bingo is a go-to game. And every player comes out a winner, since this amusement has several health benefits:



It can enhance coordination — Bingo can be a fastpaced game, requiring players to search for a number, mark their card and keep up with the caller. This repetitive action exercises hand-eye coordination and guick reflexes. Keeping track of several cards at once intensifies the action.

It engages the brain — Staying alert, listening for information, remembering it and identifying a match on a card are skills that engage cognitive functions and short-term memory. A study found that bingo players performed better on tests of mental speed and accuracy.

It's social — Games are usually played with a group of people who have a common interest. The setting provides opportunities to talk with others and meet new friends. Such social interactions have been shown to be essential in maintaining a happy, healthy life and increasing longevity.

It's fun! — It's been said that laughter is the best medicine, and laughing is often part of the game's fun and easygoing nature. There's also the anticipation of hearing your winning number and the excitement of shouting out "Bingo!"

# Wrapping It Up

With designs for every occasion, wrapping paper adds a festive, personal touch to a present. Using decorative paper to wrap gifts is a custom that was created by accident.



Cloth, newspaper or brown packaging paper was most commonly used to wrap presents before colored tissue paper became popular in the early 1900s.

During a busy holiday season in 1917, brothers Joyce and Rollie Hall ran out of tissue paper at their Kansas City, Mo., greeting card store. They scrambled to find a substitute and offered their customers sheets of colorful, patterned paper that was used to line envelopes. Selling at 10 cents a sheet, the paper was a hit and sold out that year and the next.

Based on this demand, the Halls - whose store grew to become the Hallmark Cards company — started printing and selling their own decorative paper and promoting its use as gift wrap. Ribbons, bows and other embellishments soon followed, and people began dressing up presents in creative ways.

Wrapping paper often reflects current trends. In the 1960s, whimsical designs and bright colors were fashionable. Gift wrap with cartoon characters, sports teams and other pop culture icons debuted in recent decades. Gift bags were introduced in 1987 and are now the top-selling product for packaging presents.



# Dear Residents, **Family and Friends**

Lewisville Estates feels radiant with the warmth of family, visitors and increasing holiday cheer as we wait for Christmas to get here! Please pay special attention to our December calendar as vou will understand all that is done to make the season bright. Please know we have many wonderful events leading up to the nights before Christmas; Deck the Halls door decorating contest, Van Excursion Light Tour, weekly Happy Hours, holiday crafts and special vendors. We will be hosting our Family and Resident Christmas Tree Festival on Dec. 13 at 6 p.m. Happy December, Erin Montgomery **Executive Director** 

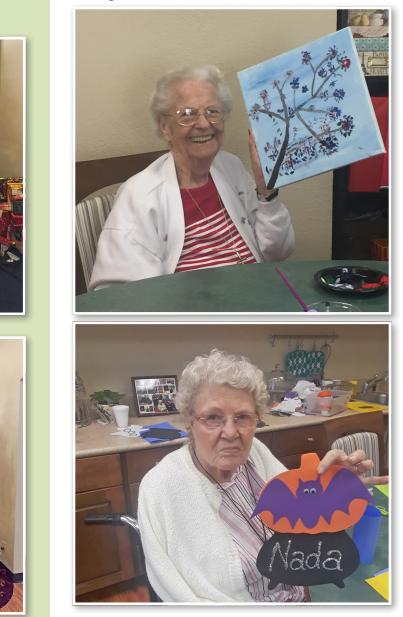




DECEMBER 2018

## **Arts and Crafts!**

Come and join us every Thursday for a fun time during arts and crafts.







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## **DECEMBER 2018**

**Locations** Activity Room, AR

AL Courtyard, ALC AL Parking Lot, ALPL Bistro, B Dining Room, DR Library, LL Lobby, L Outing, O Spa, Spa

### **Birthdays**

Christina Tomlin, 6th Cliff McCutcheon, 14th Gail Beathard, 14th Harold Lang, 15th Crystal Leeks, 24th (Employee) Maria Medel, 25th (Employee) Lois Kindblade, 25th Robert Taylor, 26th Karen McCutcheon, 30th

### Transportation Schedule

Monday, 10 a.m. Grocery Stores

**Tuesday, 10 a.m.** Walmart

Wednesday, 10 a.m. Post Office/Bank

**Thursday, 10 a.m.** Walmart

**Friday, TBA** Field Trips/Outing

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Activities Subject to Change

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
FIRST NI	GHT OF HANUKKAH 2	9:30 Exercise w/ 3	National Cookie Day 4	5	St. Nicholas David
<b>8:30</b> 8:30	The Truth in Love (TV Channel 7), L New Covenant Baptist Church, L In Search of the Lord's Way (TV KTXA Channel 12), L Church Service w/ Rob Harrison, L	<ul> <li>Legacy, AR</li> <li>10:00 The Prize is Right and Snack Social, L</li> <li>10:00 Dollar Tree, O</li> <li>2:00 Sassy Senior Bingo w/Lifeway, AR</li> <li>4:00 Adult Coloring Club, AR</li> </ul>	Wear Christmas Socks 9:30 Beauty Salon Is Open 9:30 Parachuting, L 10:00 Shopping at Walmart, O 10:30 Catholic Communion 1:00 Movie & Snack, L 1:30 Movie & Holiday Cookies, L 2:00 Fancy Nails & Hand Massage, AR 3:00 Game of Choice, L	9:30 Tone Those Bones, AR 10:15 Word of the Day!, L 1:30 Card Club, AR 2:00 Snack Attack Bingo, AR 4:00 Trivia, L	St. Nicholas Day 9:00 Senior Fitness, L 9:45 Christian Service w/Rev. Mark, L 10:00 Shopping at Walmart, O 1:00 Storytelling Club, L 2:00 Christmas Stocking Decoration, L 4:00 Rowdy Ring Toss, L
<b>8:30</b> 8:30	The Truth in Love (TV Channel 7), L New Covenant Baptist Church, L In Search of the Lord's Way (TV KTXA Channel 12), L Church Service w/ Rob Harrison, L Cinema Sundays, L Cowboys vs. Philadelphia (Fox), L		,	9:30Tone Those Bones, AR1210:00Post Office/Bank, O10:15Spelling Bee, L1:00Chicken Foot (Dominoes), AR1:30Card Club, AR2:00Christmas Bingo w/Legacy, L3:00Town Hall Meeting, L4:00Fun Time Event, L	
	Indianapolis (Fox), L	9:30Exercise w/ Legacy, AR17 Legacy, AR10:00The Prize is Right and Snack Social, L10:00Dollar Tree, O2:00Sassy Senior Bingo w/Lifeway, AR4:00Adult Coloring Club, AR	189:30Beauty Salon Is Open9:30Parachuting, L10:00Shopping at Walmart, O10:30Catholic Communion1:00Movie & Snack, L2:00Fancy Nails & Hand Massage, AR3:00Game of Choice, L6:30Christmas Lights Tour, O	9:30 Tone Those 19 Bones, AR 10:00 Post Office/Bank, O 10:15 Word of the Day!, L 1:30 Card Club, AR 2:00 Snack Attack Bingo, AR 4:00 Trivia, L	<ul> <li>9:00 Senior Fitness, L 20</li> <li>9:45 Christian Service w/Rev. Mark, L</li> <li>10:00 Shopping at Walmart, O</li> <li>1:00 Storytelling Club, L</li> <li>2:30 Art Expression, AR</li> <li>4:00 Rowdy Ring Toss, L</li> </ul>
8:30 <b>12:00</b>	The Truth in Love (TV Channel 7), L New Covenant Baptist Church, L In Search of the Lord's Way (TV KTXA Channel 12), L Cowboys vs. Tampa Bay (Fox), L Church Service w/ Rob Harrison, L Cinema Sundays, L		Christmas Day10:00Christmas Wonder Word Search, L10:30Catholic Communion2:30White Christmas	26 Candy Cane Day 9:30 Tone Those Bones, AR 10:00 Post Office/Bank, O 10:15 Spelling Bee, L 1:30 Card Club, AR 2:00 Snack Attack Bingo, AR 4:00 Fun Time Event, L	9:00Senior Fitness, L279:45Christian Service w/Rev. Mark, L10:00Shopping at Walmart, O1:00Karaoke Time, AR1:30Scrapbooking Club, AR2:30Art Expression, AR3:30Ring Toss of Fire, L
<b>8:30</b> 8:30 12:00	The Truth in Love (TV Channel 7), L New Covenant Baptist Church, L In Search of the Lord's Way (TV KTXA Channel 12), L Cowboys vs. NY Giants (Fox), L Church Service w/ Rob Harrison, L Cinema Sundays, L	NEW YEAR'S EVE31New Year's Eve9:30Exercise w/Legacy, AR10:00The Prize is Right and Snack Social, L10:00Dollar Tree, O2:00Sassy Senior Bingo w/Lifeway, AR3:00New Year's Eve Social, L			

#### FRIDAY

#### SATURDAY

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			Contest Begins		
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		and and	9:30	Chair Exercise, L	
			10:30	Wonder Word Search, AR	
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A	a pro-		3:30	Resident Choice	
	- P			of Game, L	
6		Jingle Bells Day 7	Wreaths Across 8		
	9:30	Senior Fitness, AR	Ameri	ca Day	
	10:30	Wonder Word	9:30		
		Search, AR	9:30	· ·	
r <b>t, O</b>	11:00	Out to Razzo's, O		Chair Exercise, L	
		Bible Study w/Laura		Wonder Word Search, AR	
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	2.00	Hour, L		School Carols, L	
	4:00	Name Your Game!, AR	2:00		
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	Sweat	er Day	9:30		
		Senior Fitness, AR	9:30		
		"Family Feud," L		,	
		Wonder Word	10:30	Wonder Word	
0	10.50	Search, AR		Search, AR	
L	1.00	Bible Study w/Laura	2:00	Saturday Bingo, AR	
		Birthday Bash, L	3:30	Resident Choice	
	4:00	Name Your Game!, AR		of Game, L	
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20	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		9:30	Word of the Day!	
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		Green Day	9:30	Chair Exercise, L	
		Senior Fitness, AR		Wonder Word	
		Wonder Word Search, AR	10.50	Search, AR	
		Out to Babes Chicken, O	2.00		
), L	1:00	Bible Study w/Laura		Saturday Bingo, AR	
R	4:00	Name Your Game!, AR	3:30	Resident Choice	
L	4:00	Name four Games, AN		of Game, L	
27	9:30	Senior 28			
	9.50	Fitness, AR	9:30	Word of the Day!	
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	1:00	Bible Study w/Laura	2:00		
, AR	2:00	A Toast of Celebration			
		Social, L	3:30		
	4:00	Name Your Game!, AR		of Game, L	