TRIPS FLIER - FEBRUARY 2015

UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, SIGN-UP CAN BEGIN TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3 To sign up for trips call 366-1234.

Please note: There is a \$10 fee charged for cancellations within 72 hours of the trip. Non–residents pay a \$10 fee for going on Taylor Community trips.

The trips have descriptors – **Easy, Moderate, and Independent** – indicating the degree of mobility [walking, standing, stepping, etc.] required in order to safely participate and enjoy the trip. If a trip requires pre-paid tickets or entry fees, you cannot be reimbursed if you cancel from the trip OR if Taylor needs to cancel the trip due to weather conditions that make driving unsafe.

Friday – February 6 – Trip to the Ice Castles in Lincoln [Moderate – walking on what could be frozen and uneven ground] Plan on a 12:30 PM arrival at The Gypsy Café. This 100-seat café has a rather eclectic interior and reviews say that the food is very good, there is something for everyone and the meals are prepared using fresh ingredients. After lunch we will head to the Hobo Railroad site to experience the unique Ice Castle formations. The ice is constantly melting, freezing and being reshaped so it is continuously changing. Please dress accordingly or bring cold weather accessories with you. Tickets for general admission are \$12.95 and you will be responsible for buying your own ticket upon arrival. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 10:45 AM.



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Friday – February 13 – Trip to NH Orchid Society Flower Show "Orchid Love Affair" at the Radisson Hotel in Nashua. [Moderate to Independent – a lot of walking around the exhibits] We will have lunch at the Weathervane Restaurant in Nashua prior to the show's opening at 1:00. The Orchid Society is celebrating its 24th Annual Show featuring over 2,000 orchids on display. In addition to the orchid exhibits there will be floral displays, artwork, plant and jewelry vendors and more. Tickets are \$6.00 at the door. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 10:30 AM and will make a convenience stop at the Concord Bus Station at approximately 11:15 AM.

Friday – February 20 – Trip to Charmingfare Farm in Candia for a delightful Sleigh Ride [Moderate – you need to climb into the sleigh] Climb aboard for a scenic ride along old logging trails into the forest. Sometimes spotted during the ride are native coyotes, fox, wild turkeys, and if you are lucky, maybe even a moose. The sleigh accommodates 10, so while one group is out, the other group can keep warm in the gift shop. After the ride we will stop for lunch at the Red Blazer Restaurant in Concord. Specializing in fresh seafood and hand-cut steaks, the Red Blazer also offers a large selection of Pub Fare, Soups, Salads and Sandwiches. The actual cost for this



trip will be determined by the sign-up as the sleigh rental has already been paid for. The cost will be between \$19.00 and \$25.00. **Early sign-up was asked for by January 27** so please call Sue for seat availability. Once the trip list is completed you will receive a call with the final price and at that time your check may be given to Sue Williams. Sleigh Ride Tip – Dress appropriate for outdoor weather. Hat, scarves, mittens/gloves, boots and a warm coat are important. **The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 8:30 AM.**



Monday – February 23 – Trip to Fratello's Italian Grille for Dinner [Easy] One of the Homestead restaurants, Fratello's has a casual Italian-American atmosphere, and features wood-fired brick oven pizza, steaks, seafood and Italian favorites. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 4:45 PM.

Friday – February 27 – Lunch at Newick's followed by a drive along Portsmouth Bay and drop off at Pickwick's Mercantile [Easy to Moderate- shopping on your own] Lobstah? Chowdah? Newick's offers a wide variety of the freshest seafood along with "lighter fare" and "land lover" selections. Pickwick's website offers this glimpse: "Pickwick's Mercantile is an extraordinary place of wonder. Those who enter are in for a magical shopping experience! Gallivant through time, explore



the unique & extraordinary and revel in gifts both classic and modern." The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 10:15 AM.

