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Patient Newsletter

Spring 2017

Upcoming Events ... Understanding Dementia Presentations/Information

Senior Scam Jam, Can Alzheimer's be Stopped?, Education Series

The Wake Forest Renaissance Centre, Senior Information & Networking Group (SING-WF), and the Alzheimer's Association will be presenting a series of informational topics on Understanding Dementia.

All events will take place at the Renaissance Centre located at 405 S Brooks Street, Wake Forest.

More information about these events is located at the end of this newsletter.

Protect Your Hearing This Summer!

Our hearing is a wonderful gift, one we should never take for granted. While you enjoy your summer activities, don't forget to protect your hearing. Summer concerts are fun, but they can be very loud. Filtered earplugs can dampen the loud music while still allowing you to hear friends and family. Fireworks are especially damaging to your hearing, so wear earplugs or earmuffs if you're going to be near the blast. And don't forget to wear hearing protection when cutting the grass or using power tools. Call our office for more information about hearing protection.

May is Better Hearing Month

This is the perfect time to have a hearing test if it's been a while. If you wear hearing aids, have them cleaned and checked to be sure they're in great condition for summer activities. If you need to be wearing hearing aids, there is no better time to get them so you can enjoy your visits with family and friends.

Hear What Our Patients Are Saying ...

"We so enjoy coming to your practice and whenever we leave, we really have a good feeling from all of you being so friendly, courteous, fun to kid around with, and most of all ... being so helpful with our hearing loss situations!! Thank you for all you have done throughout the years for us!" SH

Senior Scam Jam, Can Alzheimer's be Stopped?, Education Series, *continued*

May 18: Senior Scam Jam 8:30 am-12:00 pm

**Free admission - Breakfast provided - Space is limited.
Register on-line or call 919.821.0790**

Triangle Family Services in partnership with Bank of America, AARP and Resources for Seniors proudly present this free, public workshop educating seniors about current scams and how to protect themselves against investment fraud. Event Topics Include: Healthcare Fraud | Counterfeit Prescription Drugs | Medicare/Health Insurance Fraud | Internet Scams and Fraud | Investment Scams | Pyramid and Ponzi Schemes | Fraudulent Anti-Aging Products | Marketing/Telemarketing Scams | Sweepstakes and Lottery Scams | Emotional/Personal Manipulation | The "Sweetheart Scam" | The "Grandparent Scam"

Guest speakers: NC Attorney General Josh Stein and NC Secretary of State Elaine Marshall.

Wake Audiology will be one of the sponsors at this event.

May 25: Dinner & Movie Screening - Can Alzheimer's Be Stopped? 4:00-7:30 pm

The program and dinner are free, but registration is required 919.435.9458.

This will be an evening of food, information and learning from the experts in the field of dementia research and care. The program will start with exciting news from medical experts followed by dinner and the special screening of the PBS documentary "Can Alzheimer's Be Stopped".

Education Series - 9:30 am

July 20 - The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease

August 17 - Effective Communication Strategies. *Wake Audiology will be one of the sponsors at this event.*

September 21 - Understanding and Responding to Dementia Related Behaviors

Thank You ...

We Appreciate Your Referrals

Referring your friends and family is the highest compliment you can pay us. As a thank you for referring new hearing aid patients, we will make a contribution to a charity of your choice.

Thank you for choosing Wake Audiology as your hearing care provider.

Sincerely,

Dr. Catherine Marquis
Carol and Sandy