Be Well Bulletin - Important and Upcoming Employee Wellness Program Information



The City of Kettering Employee Wellness Program uses the Be Well Bulletin to share all important and upcoming Wellness Program information. Distribution occurs the second Wednesday of each month.

### WELLNESS INCENTIVE DEPOSIT

Within the next week, those of you who satisfied the 2017/2018 Wellness Incentive criteria will receive an email notifying you of the incentive deposit. The deposit will be made on Friday, February 8, 2019. If you do not receive an email by 12/31 and feel you qualified, please contact Lindsey Patrick.





#### **WELLNESS SURVEY**

There were 124 employees who completed the Employee Wellness Program Survey! The committee is eager to use this information. If you identified yourself, you earned 5 Non-Activity Points! We'll submit the points for you. Congrats to Mary Jo Csizma from Engineering who won the \$50 drawing for completing the survey!

# **FITNESS PASSES**

If you participated in the Annual Health Screenings and completed the online Health Risk Assessment, then you earned 15 Non-Activity Points and a free fitness pass! Emails about fitness passes were sent to those who qualified. Current passes will be renewed. For new passes, bring an ID to the front desk at Kettering Recreation Complex or Kettering Fitness & Wellness Centers. Please contact Lindsey Curry with any questions.

# **WELLNESS MINI-LECTURES**

With all the hustle and bustle of the holiday season, remember to take time to breathe! Check out December's Featured Mini-Lecture for some Mindful Breathing. Watch and earn 3 Non-Activity Points!



### **WATCH MORE MINI-LECTURES**

"Mini-lectures" are each valued at 3 Non-Activity Points and average 3-5 minutes in length. To access Mini-Lectures, which are packed full of information, simply go to <a href="https://www.ketteringoh.org/watch">www.ketteringoh.org/watch</a>.

You may claim a maximum of <u>ten</u> mini-lectures (30 Non-Activity Points) per Wellness Year... but, remember, you can only earn up to 20 Non-Activity Points per day. There are no viewing deadlines or cash drawings for mini-lectures.

After viewing, complete a <u>Non-Activity Points Form</u> and have your <u>Wellness</u> <u>Representative</u> initial the form for validation. It is your responsibility to submit the completed form and track how many mini-lectures you have viewed.

## **NEW NON-ACTIVITY POINTS FORM**

Did you know there is a new Non-Activity Points Form? Please start using the new form! It has some added criteria and can be used as a simple way to track mini-lectures.

Get the new Non-Activity Points Form at https://www.ketteringoh.org/wellness-program/.





#### **BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING**

Interested The next FREE blood pressure screening will be Thursday, December 20th from 11:30AM to 1PM in the Lobby at the Kettering Fitness & Wellness Center.

Screenings are worth 5 Non-Activity Points!

Participate in the Fire Department's CPR and First Aid Training and you'll earn **15 Non-Activity Points.** Courses are offered at Fire Headquarters (4745 Hempstead Station Drive). Class size is limited. Register with <u>John Moore</u> (937.296.3385).

Friday, 12/14 - 9AM (CPR Only)
Thursday, 1/10 - 5PM (CPR & First Aid)
Monday, 2/11 - 1PM (CPR Only)
Friday, 3/15 - 1PM (CPR & First Aid)

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

December 14: CPR Training (9AM, KFD Headquarters)

January 10: CPR & First Aid Training (5PM, KFD Headquarters) December 20: Blood Pressure Screening (11:30AM, KFWC)

February 5: Lecture Viewing Deadline "Heart Health" January 6: Wellness Challenge: Project Zero Ends

February 10:
Deadline to Submit Points
(November - January)

# **KETTERING HEALTH NETWORK'S WELLNOTES**



## **BLACK BEAN QUESADILLA**

Beans, beans, the magical fruit. The more you eat, the more you (ahem, feel better). Beans, also called legumes, are good for your health. Give this Black Bean Quesadilla recipe a try!

Give it a try!

### This month's edition features:

- The Nutty Way to Manage Your Weight
- DASH Away High Blood Pressure with Healthy Habits
- Put THIS on Your Wish List to Get Fit
- Health Challenge: Think Positive
- Ask the Wellness Doctor: What's the right way to wash your hands?

**READ WELLNOTES** 

We are committed to helping you achieve your best health. Rewards for participating in a wellness program are available to all eligible employees. If you think you might be unable to meet a standard for a reward under this wellness program, you might qualify for an opportunity to earn the same reward by different means. Contact Lindsey Patrick (937) 296-2446 or lindsey.patrick@ketteringoh.org.





The City of Kettering's Employee Wellness Program is recognized by the Healthy Business Council of Ohio with a Gold Award in recognition of operating a healthy workplace. This award is provided to Ohio employers who demonstrate a commitment to employee wellness through comprehensive worksite health promotion and wellness programming.



All Wellness Lectures are posted online!

LIVE LECTURES

**MINI - LECTURES** 

All Wellness information - forms, online points entry, past Be Well Bulletins, and much more - can be found on the City's Website!

**EMPLOYEE WELLNESS PAGE** 



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