

This Week at

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Middle of May News at

- The **Nurses at SCARC** have been invaluable to us during this past year when the COVID pandemic made havoc with our operation. From left to right in the photo, **Nancy Dawson, RN, Katie Swanson, RN, Health and Nursing Care Administrator, and Nancy Mackey, RN** have given their nursing and health management skills far beyond what is normally expected, and continue to be cherished members of the SCARC staff team to meet the health and safety needs of SCARC individuals. Congratulations to all three of our nurses, and we salute you on **National Nurses Day** on May 6th, National Nurses Week through May 12th, and all through the year!



- **Cinco de Mayo** is a favorite holiday for some of our group home residents including **Peter and Ned from our Newton group home**. Learning about this holiday was entertaining for the residents, and is educational to learn about the history of America's southern neighbor. Anything musical is enjoyable for our group home friends. Cinco de Mayo (May 5) follows Star Wars Day (May 4), "may the 4th be with you".

• Last week in our **Day Hab Goes Digital**, our cultural presentation was centered around China. In our cooking class the participants made homemade fortune cookies, creating their own fortune and lucky numbers to put inside. **Joe from our Sparta group home** is proud of his baking. **Lynn from our Lenape group home** shows off her Asian Tofu & Green Bean Stir Fry.



- **Our Virtual Walkathon is this Sunday, May 16. Go out and walk and support the SCARC Foundation. Our goal is \$130,000, and we are almost there! Send your photos to Chris Hemmer for our collage at chemmer@scarc.org.**



- The **LACE (Learning at College Experience) program** at **Sussex County Community College** has a new future at the College. **Patti Nugent (l), director of LACE and SCARC board member**, has held meetings with **Jon Connelly (r), president of SCCC with Richard Lecher, SCARC CEO** to assure the continuation of the LACE program, now under the oversight of the college. LACE will be guaranteed a future as a fully supported college program with Patti continuing as Coordinator of LACE. The popular adult program now has about 50+ adult students



who learn, value and look forward to LACE classes and activities. Thank you Patti for your hard work!