Welcome! We have some exciting and encouraging news to share this month. In this edition of ARC in Action, we tell you about our continued partnership with Safeway, celebrate the prestigious award granted to Seattle Parks and Recreation’s Dementia Friendly program, and share some information on Seattle Parks and Recreation’s upcoming virtual programming.

SAFEWAY’S NOURISHING NEIGHBORS CAMPAIGN

We’ve got more great news from Safeway! Their Ballard store (1423 NW Market St, Seattle) and Crown Hill store (8340 15th Ave NW, Seattle) chose ARC as their Nourishing Neighbors fundraising partner. Donations made during this in-store fundraiser will go toward breakfast for our childcare families. The campaign began September 1st and will run through September 30th. Donations will be announced in mid-October and used during the 2021 school year. Be sure to tell your family, friends, and neighbors to stop in and make a gift!

KUDOS TO SEATTLE PARKS AND RECREATION’S DEMENTIA FRIENDLY PROGRAM

We are pleased to announce a $25,000 award has been granted to SPR’s Dementia Friendly program through Maude’s Awards for Innovation in Alzheimer’s Care. Maude’s Awards is dedicated to sharing valuable innovations with the wider Dementia Care Community eager for ideas and solutions. There will be an online awards ceremony on October 6. For more information, click here.

VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING IS ON THE WAY!

Community engagement is at the core of what we do. To keep seniors, kids, and families active and connected, Seattle Parks and Recreation and ARC will offer 30 online recreation and lifelong learning classes starting in October. Classes will include piano, chess, dance, cooking, tax preparation, and parkour and movement games. Click here for class listings, fees, and to register, starting September 15th. Remote programs will be offered through March 2021.

We appreciate your continued support. There’s still a need to help fund childcare for our essential workers, first responders and families relying on scholarships. If you’d like to make a contribution, please click here.
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Until next time,

The ARC Team