# about falling?



Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. A MATTER OF BALANCE is an award-winning program designed to manage falls and increase activity levels.

This program emphasizes practical strategies to manage falls.

# YOU WILL LEARN TO:

- view falls as controllable
- set goals for increasing activity
- make changes to reduce fall risks at home
- exercise to increase strength and balance

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- anyone concerned about falls
- anyone interested in improving balance, flexibility and strength
- anyone who has fallen in the past
- anyone who has restricted activities because of falling concerns



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Our Matter of Balance Workshop Classes will be held once a week for eight (8) weeks, on Wednesdays, beginning:

Wednesday, February 28, 2018 through Wednesday, April 18, 2018 8:30 am – 10:30 am

There is no charge for registration/attendance.

Donations accepted.

For more information or to register please call:

<mark>618-498-3483</mark>

Space is limited, register today!!

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### A Matter of Balance Lay Leader Model

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