

Geneva Township Senior Center

Senior Compass

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Special November Programs...don't miss out!

Updates on Choosing a Medicare Part D Plan Wednesday, Nov. 14

The 2008 Medicare Part D Open Enrollment Period is from November 15 through December 31, 2007. Now is the time for seniors to take a look at their prescription drug coverage and ask if their plan is right for them.

Judith Smith from Senior Services Associates, Inc. will offer an informal educational Medicare Part D presentation on Wednesday, November 14 from 10:00 to 11:00 am. You will learn how the medications and prescription drug plans have changed as well as how to reduce your out-ofpocket prescription drug costs. The program is free.

Call Sherri Weitl at 630-232-3602 to reserve your space. We want to be certain that every senior is covered by a prescription drug plan that best meets their needs.

Art Insights Program—

"Hats Off to You"

Thursday, Nov. 29

Hats Off to You takes a lighthearted look at over five hundred years of millinery history as portrayed by artists in works from the collection of the Art Institute in Chicago. Caps, berets, bonnets, chapeau, helmets, visors and sombreros portray the life and time of the wearer. Look at hats through the eyes of African tribal artists, French Impressionists, American and European Portraitists and Modernists of every type. Men and women alike of all ages and classes wear hats for work, protection from inclement weather and simply for fun.

Fox Valley Volunteers for Art Insights for Seniors will present this free program on Thurs., Nov. 29 from I-2 pm. The program is funded by the Hulda B. and Maurice L. Rothschild Foundation grant. Reservations: 630-232-3602.



Deli Luncheon Tue-Thurs Beginning November 13!

Everyone is anxious for the Deli Luncheons to begin! Equipment delivery delays have postponed the start date but now everything is on track...the luncheons will begin on Tuesday, November 13 from 11:30-1:00.

Diners need to fill out an enrollment form to receive a Dining Card which will be presented each time you come for the Deli Luncheons. The meal costs \$3 for seniors and \$6 for others. Make your reservations by the prior Thursday by calling Sherri Weitl at 630-232-3602.

November "Healthy Living" Activities

Blood Pressure Check

Free blood pressure checks will normally be administered the second Monday of each month from 9:30 to 10:30. Have your blood pressure checked by a registered nurse who can also answer simple medical questions. Receive a card to record your blood pressure each week. Special gifts are often available for participants from the health care sponsor.

Hearing Screening

The second Monday of each month local auditory specialists will conduct hearing tests at the Senior Center and offer guidance for your hearing needs. Don't miss a word your friends and family have to say...every word is priceless. This program is free and will be available from 9:30 to 10:30.

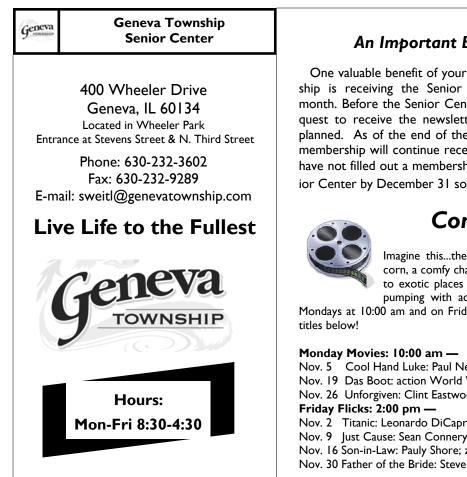
** Note Date Change **

Veteran's Day is the second Monday in November so the blood pressure and hearing screenings will be moved to November 5 from 9:30-10:30 (applies to November only). Mark your calendar!

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An Important Benefit of Membership...

One valuable benefit of your Geneva Township Senior Center membership is receiving the Senior Compass newsletter and calendar every month. Before the Senior Center was officially open, all seniors could request to receive the newsletter to find out what activities were being planned. As of the end of the year, only people who have signed up for membership will continue receiving the newsletter and calendar. So if you have not filled out a membership form yet, just stop by and join your Senior Center by December 31 so you won't miss out on any newsletters!

Come Watch a Movie!

Imagine this...the mouth-watering smell of freshly popped popcorn, a comfy chair in a cozy room and a movie that will take you to exotic places or make you laugh out loud or get your heart pumping with action-packed scenes. We will show movies on

Mondays at 10:00 am and on Fridays at 2:00 pm. Check out the scheduled movie titles below!

Nov. 5 Cool Hand Luke: Paul Newman; rich humor, vibrant storytelling power
Nov. 19 Das Boot: action World War II classic aboard a U-boat
Nov. 26 Unforgiven: Clint Eastwood; retired outlaws try it one more time
Friday Flicks: 2:00 pm —
Nov. 2 Titanic: Leonardo DiCaprio; epic love story aboard the ill-fated ship
Nov. 9 Just Cause: Sean Connery; riveting, action-packed thriller

Nov. 16 Son-in-Law: Pauly Shore; zany student comes home for Thanksgiving Nov. 30 Father of the Bride: Steve Martin: befuddled father's trials and tribulations

We're Already Planning for the Holidays!

It will be time for the holidays before you know it and we want to "deck the halls" and "ring in the holidays" at your Senior Center!

We are forming committees to assist with the planning, creating and decorating...choose a committee that sounds like fun to you and let us know which one you would like to serve on. Our budget is limited so we are looking for creative ideas or donations to bring the season to our halls—

put on your thinking cap! Making Ornaments and

Decorations for Our Halls and Holiday Trees: We are looking for ideas for old fashioned, homemade decorations that members could get together and create at the Senior Center on December 3 & 4. Call Sherri by November 26 with your ideas so we can have the needed supplies on hand.

Erect and Decorate Holiday Trees: The decorating of the trees will be accomplished on December 5 and we will use the ornaments and trimmings that our members have hand made.

Decorate Senior Center Rooms: We will "deck the halls" with our creative decorations on December 5.

Decorate Entry Door: Do you have a creative idea for adorning our entry way?

Plan Holiday Sweets Party: Our Holiday Sweets Party is scheduled for Friday, December 14 at 10 am. We need a committee to plan, organize and host the celebration at the Senior Center.

Holiday Entertainment: Do you have an idea for entertainment for the Holiday Sweets Party and other times during the holidays?

Celebrations Around the World: Decorate for other holiday celebrations.

Have you chosen one or more committees that sound interesting? Good! Stop in or call Sherri Weitl at 630-232-3602 and sign up today! Committees will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. Holiday refreshments will be served for those volunteering to help — Happy Holidays!



