

OFFICE OF SENIOR AFFAIRS

SERVICES

Free Movies

The Office of Senior Affairs offers free movies to Jersey City's senior citizens on the first Tuesday of every month. There is a choice of one of four new movies at the Newport Theater. Transportation is available from various locations throughout the City. The movies are usually attended by about 400 senior citizens each month.

Buses for Shopping

The Office of Senior Affairs has two buses available for taking senior citizens shopping. These trips are made on a regular schedule; twice a month from 50 different locations to one of the larger supermarkets. The Office of Senior Affairs provides 100 trips for shopping each month.

Based on availability, buses are also available to take organized senior groups on local outings to places such as restaurants, shows, and educational sites. Please call Carol Pasquale at 201-547-4361 for more information on transportation.

SENIOR ID CARDS

We create Senior Photo Identification cards for your group or organization. Each card features a photo, contact and medical information, and emergency contact information for your group or organization. You can come to Suite D2 at 199 Summit Avenue to obtain an ID card every Wednesday between 9:00AM and 1:00PM. Please call Carol Pasquale at (201) 547-5750 for more information.

OUTREACH TO SENIOR ORGANIZATIONS

The Senior Affairs staff maintains contact with 80+ senior citizen organizations who meet within Jersey City. The Office helps these organizations plan their individual events and programs as well as provide transportation for trips, speakers for meetings, and information on other senior citizen issues or programs and citywide activities and events.

SPEAKERS BUREAU

The Division of Senior Affairs is in the process of establishing a list of speakers available to make presentations to senior groups. These speakers may be from various City agencies, and will include many health related topics as coordinated through Health & Human Services' Partnership for a Healthier Jersey City.

CALENDAR

We will be a clearinghouse for all senior events and will comprise a schedule of all available activities and events provided by the Department of Recreation, Department of Health & Human Services, the two senior centers, and any other non-profit.

To receive a copy of the calendar, please call (201) 547-5750. To be put on a regular weekly mailing of calendar updates please send your email to ecclestonj@icnj.org.

For more information about any of the Division's programs and activities, please contact Carol Pasquale at (201) 547-5750.