

# New Providence Senior Citizens Newsletter



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## COORDINATOR'S CORNER

- **Tax Preparation Assistance** is available at the Center on Mondays and Saturdays through April 14<sup>th</sup>. Call the center between 1:00-4:00 weekdays to make an appointment.
- Sheryl Stoll from **TD Bank**, NPSCC's new financial services provider, will tell us about their bank services on Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am.
- Celebrate **St. Patrick's Day** on Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> with a trip to LiGreci's Staaten. Bus leaves at 10:00 and returns at 4:30.
- Enjoy a **Preview of the NPHS Spring Musical**, "How to Succeed in Business without Really Trying", on Wednesday March 11 at 11:00am.
- Attend the **Dress Rehearsal** for "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" at NPHS on Thursday March 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:45pm. If you are interested in carpooling, please sign up.
- Celebrate the first anniversary of "**After Hours**" with an **Irish Night** on Thursday, March 12<sup>th</sup> from 7:00-9:30pm. Please bring an hors d'oeuvre or a dessert to share.
- Have an "Irish Respite Afternoon" on **St. Patrick's Day**, Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> beginning at 12:00pm. Enjoy sandwiches from ShopRite and Irish soda bread provided by Touching Hearts Home Care. Finish the afternoon with **BINGO**. Sign up in advance for the party and for bus transportation. Cost: \$5
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- A pharmacist from Walgreen's, Amanda Khattab, will give a presentation on new **Medicare Guidelines** and immunizations on Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am.
- The **UC College Class** will move to Friday mornings on Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am. Class will meet on Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, and Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, and will resume on Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>. (The Center will be closed on Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>.)
- **TGIF** will meet on Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am to watch "De-Lovely", a 2004 musical biopic based on the life and career of **Cole Porter**, and to discuss his life.
- Take a trip to beautiful **Mt. Airy Casino** and try your luck on Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. The cost for the trip includes \$20 to play with and a \$10 food coupon. Bus leaves at 9:30am and returns at 6:00pm. Purchase tickets in advance. See Phyllis Winters.

**NP Senior Citizens Club**  
*An organization dedicated to providing social & enriching activities & events for New Providence residents 55 years and beyond.*

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### Club Officers

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*Contact these members with any questions regarding your club!*

**DeCorso Community Center**  
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New Providence, NJ 07974  
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[www.newprov.org/seniorcenter](http://www.newprov.org/seniorcenter)

*A welcoming place for New Providence residents to gather and to enjoy its events and programs as well as our neighbors and friends.*

**Center Coordinator**  
Peggy Brodeur

**Hours**  
Mondays 10:00 – 4:00  
Tuesdays-Fridays: 9:45 – 4:00

## Thanks to...

- NPHS Musical Voices for entertaining us with their wonderful renditions of Irish, French, and Italian songs.
- Teresa & Walter Kropfl for a delightful Valentine's Day Luncheon.

## Newsletter Staff

Peggy Brodeur  
Clara DelMonte  
Kay DeMarco  
Barbara Koslap  
Doris Velez

## Trips, Activities & Meetings

*Tickets for events may be purchased at the center on Wednesdays from 9:45 to 10:45AM.*

*Please visit or call the center at 665-0046 if you need to cancel a reservation.*

*Do not transfer a reservation. It will not be honored.*

**Check the calendar  
for ongoing activities  
& schedule changes!**

- **Wed., Mar 4, 11:00am:** Sheryl Stoll from **TD Bank**, NPSCC's new financial services provider, will tell us about their bank services.
- **Tues., Mar 10, 10:00am:** **Trip to LiGreci's Staaten for St Patrick's Day.** TRIP SOLD OUT. Bus leaves at 10:00 and returns at 4:30. See Pat Connolly for details.
- **Wed., Mar 11, 11:00am:** Enjoy a **Preview of the NPHS Spring Musical**, "How to Succeed in Business without Really Trying" as we celebrate March birthdays. **Fall Assessment Screenings** will be done by Renata Pac of JAG Physical Therapy. Sign up for your test.
- **Thurs., Mar 12, 3:45pm:** **Dress Rehearsal of NPHS Spring Musical**, "How to Succeed in Business..." If anyone is interested in car pooling, please sign up.
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- **Fri., Mar 13, 7:30pm; Sat., Mar 14, 2:00pm & 7:30pm:** **NPHS Spring Musical**, "How to Succeed in Business..."
- **Tues., Mar 17, 12:00pm:** "**Irish Respite Afternoon**". Today could be your lucky day as we celebrate the holiday with Bingo, sandwiches from ShopRite, and tea with Irish soda bread provided by Touching Hearts Home Care. Sign up in advance for the party. If you plan to use bus transportation, please also sign up for that. Cost: \$5
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- **Wed., Apr 1, 11:00am:** Celebrate April birthdays with the talented **New Providence Middle School Band.**
- **Fri., Apr 3: CENTER CLOSED FOR GOOD FRIDAY**
- **Wed., Apr 8, 11:00am:** Nutritionist, Sue Fieseler, will give a presentation on "**Just for the Health of It: How to Stay Young and Beautiful**".
- **Fri., Apr 10, 10:30am:** **UC College Class** resumes.
- **Mon., Apr 13, 12:00-4:00pm:** **Card & Game Fundraiser.** Enjoy your favorite pastimes; bring friends, nibbles, and enjoy the afternoon raising money for the club. All **Bingo** players are welcome to 'try their luck.' Cost: \$7. Sign up for bus transportation.
- **Tues., Apr 14: Last day of Tax Assistance**
- **Wed., Apr 15, 11:00am:** **Montclair University Audiology Department** will provide free auditory screenings and talk about hearing loss. Sign up in advance.
- **Sat., Apr 18, 8:30am to 3:00pm:** **Craft Show & Bake Sale.** Rent a table for \$25 and join in the fun. Proceeds go to the Club. See Christine Napolitano.

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**Trips, Activities & Meetings (continued)**

- **Sun., Apr 19, 1:00-4:00pm: YMCA Senior Prom.** Free parking, dinner and music.
- **Sun., Apr 19, 3:00pm: Discovery Orchestra Concert – “Discover the Magic of Mozart”** at Drew University.
- **Tues., Apr 21 – Sun., Apr 26: Summit College Book Club Sale** at the American Legion Post. Proceeds will be used for scholarships.
- **Tues., Apr 21: Women’s Club Luncheon.** Details to follow.
- **Wed., Apr 22: Alzheimer’s Association**
- **Thurs., Apr 23: Remember When.** Topic to be announced.
- **Sat., Apr 25, 4:00-8:00pm: CSA Pasta & Meatball Dinner.** Basket Raffle and 50/50. Homemade sauce. Seniors \$10. See Peggy.
- **Tues., Apr 28, 9:30am-6:00pm: Mt. Airy Casino Trip**
- **Wed., Apr 29, 11:00am: Elementary Band from AW Roberts School**

**Tax Assistance Reminder**

Free tax return assistance is available at the New Providence Senior Citizens Center on Mondays and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., from Monday, March 2, 2015, through Tuesday, April 14, 2015. **Call the NPSCC at 908-665-0046 between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, to schedule an appointment or sign up at the center.**

**Summit College Club Annual Book Sale**

The Summit College Club will hold their annual book sale at the American Legion Hall in New Providence, April 21-26. Donations of books, CDs, and DVDs may be brought to Westy Self Storage, 15 River Road, Chatham, January 2nd - April 8th from 8am-5pm on weekdays, 9am-5pm on Saturdays, and 11am-3pm on Sundays.



**St. Patrick's Day**



St. Patrick's Day is here, you see.  
 We'll pick some shamrocks, one, two, three.  
 We'll count the leaves and look them over,  
 And maybe find a four-leafed clover.  
 I'll sew green buttons on my vest,  
 Green for St. Patrick is the best.  
 I'll wear a green hat, very high,  
 And dance a jig--at least I'll try!

***Taste of Tap Water to Change***

New Jersey American Water has advised their Union County customers that they will taste chlorine in their water from February 1 until late March due to pipe maintenance.

**May your blessings outnumber  
 The shamrocks that grow,  
 And may trouble avoid you  
 Wherever you go. ~Irish Blessing**

**MOVIE MARQUEE**

**MARCH MOVIES AT THE NP MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

**Tuesdays at 9:30am & 2:00pm**

- March 3 – *Fury*
- March 10 – *The Judge*
- March 17 – *Before I Go to Sleep*
- March 24 – *The Theory of Everything*
- March 31 - *Birdman*

**Foreign Films**

- Thur., March 5 at 2:00pm – *Jellyfish* (Hebrew, English, Tagalog, and German with English subtitles)
- Tues., March 24 at 7:00pm – *Title* (Spanish with English subtitles)

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1	2 9:30 Trustee Meeting 10:30 UC College Class 11:00 Newsletter 12:30 Bridge	3 9:00 Bus to Shoprite 9:45 Balance and Conditioning w/Mike 11:00 Tennis w/Dick 1:00 Tai Chi w/Ayriel 2:00 Converse Italian 3:00 Beginning Italian	4 10:00 Bus to Club 11:00 TD Bank 12:30 Bingo & Cards	5 9:45 Fit & Healthy Exercise w/Myriam 12:30 Partner Bridge 1:00 Mah Jongg	6 9:00 Bus to Mall 10:00 Zumba w/Tonya 12:30 Pizza Bingo 1:00 Scrabble	7
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