### Senior Center Staff

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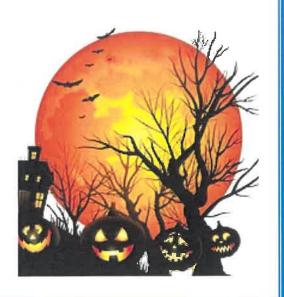
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### Important Phone Numbers

(732) 418-2222
(877) 396-8080
(800) 221-3520
(732) 247-0922
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# October Senior Sage



## North Brunswick Senior Center

15 Linwood Place 732-418-2222 Fax 732-418-3665 Website: www.northbrunswicknj.gov TWPNBseniors@northbrunswicknj.gov Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:30 am—4 pm

The Senior Center is your home away from home! We are happy to have you join us any weekday from 8:30 am-4 pm.

The Senior Center is an active, comfortable place to spend some time, meet with other members, and to enjoy your leisure time!

## Special Events & News

#### \*PLEASE REGISTER FOR ALL PROGRAMS & SPECIAL EVENTS\*

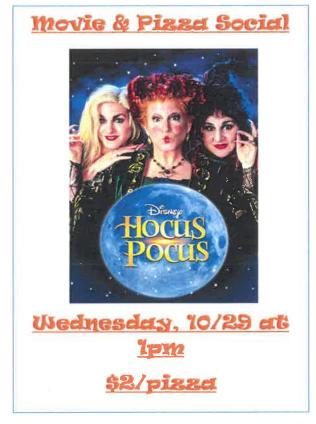
Elijah's Promise on Wheels

1st & 3rd Thursdays
from 11:45 am-12:10 pm

Elijah's Promise on Wheels will be parked at the Senior Center. NO questions asked, only love served.
(schedule is subject to change).









## Club Corner

<u>AARPChapter #3885</u> If you believe in paying it forward and enjoying yourself, come join the local chapter of AARP! Only those who are member of the national AARP are eligible to join. Dues are \$10.00 a year. Join us for parties, speakers, and entertainment. Join us in raising money to give back to the community to support local organizations & make lives brighter to those less fortunate. Membership meetings are the 1st Monday of every month at 1 pm.

<u>Friends of the Senior Center</u> The Friends were formed to promote the Senior Center as a focus of activities, programs, and services for all senior citizens of North Brunswick. They meet once a month and discuss upcoming events, trips, issues, and services at the Senior Center. The Friends contribute towards activities by providing entertainment, transportation, decorations, supplies, and many items to enhance the Senior Center.

#### North Brunswick Governing Body

Mayor Francis "Mac" Womack III
Council President
Amanda Guadagnino
Councilman Rajesh Mehta
Councilman Bob Davis
Councilman Carlo Socio
Councilwoman Mary Hutchinson
Councilman Alvin Rich

Please help encourage others to join the programs at the Senior Center! You are always welcome to bring a friend!

- Township Cable Channels:
  - Optimum Ch.15FIOS Ch. 39
  - Township Website:

www.northbrunswicknj.gov Please check for updates regarding programs.

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## Transportation Information

You must be PRE-REGISTERED and receive a TRANSPORTATION ID CARD in order to use the North Brunswick Township Transportation Services. Contact the Senior Center office to register.

The transportation service is provided by **Roundtrip** using LYFT vehicles. The cost of this program is subsidized by the Township.

- The program is for North Brunswick Township Seniors age 62 and over or bona fide disabled residents. **Qualified residents do not drive and do not have an ACTIVE**drivers license. You will need to provide a doctor's note if you have an active license. It cannot be used for transportation to work.
- You will need to prepay for your rides (\$25 minimum). When your balance gets low, you will be notified to replenish your account funds. Forms are available at the Senior Center, 15 Linwood Place. You can mail in your payment or pay at the Senior Center Checks payable to: Township of North Brunswick. Contact the Senior Center office during business hours at least 2 days in advance to set up an Appointment: 732-418-2222, Monday-Friday, 8:30 am- 4 pm.
- Each qualified North Brunswick Township senior age 62 & over will complete a passenger data sheet. Returning participants do not need to reapply for the program.
- A cell phone is required to participate in this program.
- Rides will be \$2 EACH WAY within North Brunswick using North Brunswick Transportation with the exception of trips to the North Brunswick Senior Center, trips to the Senior Center will be \$1 each way.
- Rides originating in North Brunswick are permitted for MEDICAL TRIPS ONLY, going outside of the Township in any direction (up to 10 miles in total travel per one way trip) will be \$3 EACH WAY.
- Please call at least 2 days in advance to schedule your appointment at the Senior Center 732-418-2222. Rides are limited to a maximum of 3 trips per week.
- Weekend and after hours appointments (before 8:30 am or after 4 pm, weekdays)
  can be made in advance through the Senior Center office. If Pick ups are after hours
  or the Senior Center is closed or unavailable call 877-396-8080, which is the Roundtrip after hours call line.
- For wheelchair transportation call Middlesex County RIDE: 1-800-221-3520

## Program Information

Please Register for trips and programs at the Senior Center.



#### **Important Fitness Information**

All participants must register for a MONTHLY SENIOR FITNESS PASS at the cost of \$5/month.

You can register with the main office We offer 10 classes/week for this cost. This fee will be devoted strictly for our fitness programs & instructors.

## **Exercise Programs**

## (unless otherwise noted on the calendar) Mondays

9 am-9:45 am Chair Yoga

#### NEW CLASS\* 10:15 am-11 am

Whole Body Fitness

11:45 am-12:15 pm Zumba Toning

#### **Tuesdays**

9:30 am-10 am Zumba 11 am-11:45 am Gentle Mat Yoga

#### Wednesdays

9:30 am Line Dancing 11 am-11:45 am Advanced Strength Training 12:30 pm-1 pm Zumba

#### **Thursdays**

11 am-11:45 am Chair Yoga 12:15 pm-12:45 pm Zumba

#### **Fridays**

10 am-10:30 am Zumba 11 am-11:30 am Strength & Cardio

#### Bereavement Group Monday, 10/20 at 1:30 pm

Meet with others to share your experiences and feelings of losing a loved one.

This group is an informal meeting of individuals looking for a safe

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#### **FLU SHOT CLINICS**

#### Costco

Date: Tuesday, October 7, 2025

Time: 10 am-12 pm

Will have high dose for seniors.

#### Middlesex County Office of Health Service Date: Wednesday, October 15, 2025

Time: 1:00 pm-2:00 pm Please note the following:

- There is no cost for the flu shot.
- We will be offering the Tri-valent flu shot; we will not be offering Prevnar 13
- We will not have the Pneumovax vaccine.
- Vaccine is for 6 months and older.
- We will not have the "Senior" flu vaccine.

#### **CVS**

#### Date: Monday, October 27, 2025

Time: 12 pm-2 pm

Will have high dose for seniors and COVID shots.

#### **Contribution Policy**

The Older Americans Act requires that all people receiving services under Act must be given every opportunity to contribute to the cost of the program. Your donation will be used to continue and expand the Area Plan Contract.

There is no obligation to contribute. Services will not be affected by the ability or lack of ability to contribute. All contributions will be kept confidential. Agencies that receive funds under the Middlesex County Office of Aging & Disabled Services Area Plan shall not deny any older person a service because the older person will not or cannot contribute to the cost of the service.