



Geneva Township Senior Center Senior Compass

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Senior Center Grand Opening on Sept. 9 !

Mark your calendar for the Grand Opening of the Geneva Township Senior Center on Sunday, September 9!

Join us from 2:00 to 5:00 pm at the Senior Center in Wheeler Park, 400 Wheeler Drive, as we officially celebrate the unveiling of YOUR Senior Center.

The Board of Trustees, Supervisor and the Senior Services Committee have spent countless hours researching, discussing and planning to create an inviting and comfortable facility for the seniors of Geneva Township. Their hard work has culminated in a Center of which we will all be proud and eager to use.

During the reception, you will have a chance to meet the present and past committee members, trus-

tees and individuals who have generously given their time and talents toward making the Senior Center a reality. As always, the Trustees and Supervisor are listed in the lower right corner of this newsletter. Our continued thanks and appreciation to them for their vision and guidance.

Now meet the present Senior Services Committee members who have listened to your suggestions and worked hands-on throughout the process:

John Anderson, Board Member
Arthur Kaindl, Board Member
Merritt King, Board Member
Gregory Mills, Chairman
Jo-Ann O'Neil, Board Member
Robert Rock, Board Member
Ziv Sabin, Board Member
Robert Wilson, Board Member
Carole Woods, Board Member



September 9

A ribbon cutting ceremony, brief program and acknowledgments will be held at 3:00 pm. Enjoy a tantalizing array of refreshments and learn about the following programs which will be offered through the Senior Center: Senior Services Associates, Inc.; TRIAD Emergency Cell Phones; Vial of Life; and Well Being Phone Checks.

Bring your friends...bring your family...but most importantly, bring yourself to the celebration of YOUR Geneva Township Senior Center Grand Opening!

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Senior Center Wish List ... how you can help

#1 Ideas for programs you would like to see offered at your Senior Center.

There have been some fantastic programs already offered at the Senior Center — computer classes, monthly birthday and new member parties, beginners bridge, etc. — and now we want to add more. Let us know if you have a great idea for a program!

#2 Volunteers are needed to teach or lead arts, crafts, book, card and game groups; call bingo numbers; organize monthly birthday and new member parties; and coordinate volunteers.

Why not share your special interest or talent with others?! This could be anything from an organized class to simply a social opportunity to get together with others that enjoy a

special activity that you like.

If you have a program idea or would like to volunteer, call Sherri Weitl at 232-3600. Volunteers will be the backbone of YOUR Senior Center. Join the fun and make new friends!



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Live Life to the Fullest



Hours:

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Friends of Geneva Township Senior Center Donation and Memorial Fund

The next time you wish to honor a friend or loved one, you may do so by sending a gift in any amount to the "Friends of Geneva Township Senior Center", 400 Wheeler Drive, Geneva. The individual(s) being honored for Birthdays and Anniversaries will be notified of the donation gift. The family of the individual you have honored with a Memorial Donation will be notified of the donation. The amount of donations and memorials will not be mentioned. Please indicate if the gift is for a birthday, anniversary or memorial and send the name and address where the Donation and Memorial notification can be sent.

Birthday and Anniversary Donations

Mary Ibsen – Birthday

Memorial Donations

We extend our condolences to our members who have lost family and friends

William Mach Memorial—Art and Martha Sanchez

Special In-Kind Donations

Pat and Sharon Brazill; Paul and Susan Cook; Linda McDonald;

Neil and Barbara Olson; Jim and Sherri Weitl

E-mail, Township Web Site and Meetings!

Get the News First!

Save paper and receive the Senior Compass monthly via e-mail. If you like to be the first to know what's happening at your Senior Center, just add your name to our list by simply sending an e-mail to sweitl@genevatownship.com. We will send only the Senior Compass newsletter to you via e-mail but your name and address will be kept on our mailing address list so that you will receive any other correspondence that is sent to our members. This offer is for members only. So if you haven't had a chance to sign up yet call Sherri Weitl at 232-3600 so we can register you.

Do You Have a Computer?

Check out the web site www.genevatownship.com. There is more to your Township than you may realize. Not only will you be able to read recent Senior Center newsletters and calendar of events, you can also read minutes from the Senior Services Committee.

The Supervisor, Highway Commissioner and Assessor have pages with pertinent information for all taxpayers. The Township Clerk posts minutes from Township meetings and there are many links to help navigate to other helpful web sites and programs.

We also like to get e-mails with ideas and comments.

Attend These Meetings!

There are a number of interesting public meetings held at the Senior Center that you are welcome to attend.

The Senior Services Committee was formed to "develop and administer programs designed to maintain seniors self-sufficiency and personal well-being." They meet the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm.

The Township Board of Trustees oversees all facets of township government and meets the third Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm.

The TRIAD supports local law enforcement to protect seniors and meets the third Friday of each month at 10:00 am. Plan to attend all three!

