

## Community Life at the JCHC



April Osborne, Ann Marie Bass, and Cheryl Fisch, Community Life program coordinators of JCHC were honored at a summer luncheon, held at the JCHC offices. “The commitment to making our resident’s quality of life is outstanding” said Harold Colton- Max, CEO. “Your work is very important to the organization in reaching our mission of providing programs and activities that enrich the resident’s life.”

The luncheon included the JCC Senior Enrichment Director, Sharon Gordon, and program manager Sharon Rogavin, JCC Whippany Campus, and Gina Goldman Of the JCC West Orange. The collaboration with the Senior Enrichment programs of JCC is a vital part of giving the seniors an opportunity to enjoy more friendships and programs through this Jewish Federation agency. The event also included several hours of planning programs for the upcoming year.



# COMING IN SEPTEMBER 2013

9/2 LABOR DAY

9/22 FALL BEGINS

9/4-6 ROSH HASHANAH

9/26 SHEMINI ATZERET

9/13-16 YOM KIPPUR

9/27 SIMCHAT TORAH

9/18-21 SUKKOT

## AUGUST BIRTHDAY WISHES

LOUVENIA ADAMS 08/03

DOROTHY CULHANE 08/06

LILLIAN ROSEMAN 08/06

MALVINA LEFKOVITS 08/19

ELENA BAEZ-SANCHEZ 08/20

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CELEBRATING  
AUGUST  
2013

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National Immunization Awareness Month

Children's Eye Health & Safety Month

National Eye Exam Month

Aug 26 Women's Equality Day

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**OHEB SHALOM CONGREGATION BOBROW FOOD PANTRY** will now be providing food donations monthly to the 65 residents here at B'nai B'rith. The bags will be distributed once a month, somewhere around the 4th week.

Look for the pick up date and time on the activity board.

## Volunteer Computer Class

Residents Sunny Bitman, Eva Cohen, and George Matais of South Orange B'nai B'rith are enjoying the opportunity of having a Computer Training Class every Thursday afternoon @ 1:00 pm instructed by volunteer Sara Goldstein in our library. Learning how to navigate a computer is a lot of fun.

Thank you Sara Goldstein for all your effort.



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## Resident Service Schedule

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**Congregate Brunch served on Sundays @ 11:00 am**

**Ann Marie Bass, Activities Coordinator, Tuesdays from 9:00-2:00**

**Rabbi Vernon will be here on Wednesdays @ 1pm**

**Marnie Kean, Social Worker will be here Friday 9-2:30**

**Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday 9-5, Friday 9-4**

# August Happenings

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AUG.1 Essex Green

AUG.5 Irving's & Farmer's Market

AUG.7 Mt. Airy Resort / Outlets

AUG.8 Wal-Mart in Cedar Knolls

AUG.12 Trader Joe's Florham Park

AUG.14 Livingston & Short Hills Malls

AUG.15 Visual Arts Center in Summit

AUG.19 Jefferson House Boat Restaurant

AUG.20 Ice Cream Social

AUG.21 Belmar Beach

AUG.22 RT 10 Shopping & Lunch

AUG.26 Holocaust Museum in Battery Park

AUG.28 Essex Green

AUG.29 Wal-Mart on Rt.22

## GREETINGS FROM BRYNA AUGUST 2013

### August 2013

It's hard to believe that it's already August. Hopefully the extremely hot and humid days that we experienced in July are behind us.

The work in the Community Room and public bathrooms has started. We thank you for your patience throughout this process. We will hold a celebration in the Community Room when the work is completed.

In the meantime please enjoy the outdoor patio when the weather isn't too hot.

A few months ago we had a meeting on security with Terrence Roselle, Facilities Director to explain our new security protocols. One of the new initiatives included having a sign in book for visitors. We've also included name tags for your visitors to wear.

It's important that we are aware of who is in the building, not only for your safety, but in case of an emergency.

Again, I thank you for your cooperation.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

Our door is always open or you can call me at my new number 973-530-3950.

**Bryna Stone**  
**Site Manager**

## AT THE BEACH!

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### WORD LIST

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SUN	FELICAN	WAVES
SEASHELL	OCEAN	SAND
CRAB	FISH	TIDE



## SPRUCE STREET

A Poem By

Joseph Posner

A resident of Village Apartments

There were not spruce trees on Spruce Street in Newark, NJ.

Instead, it had tenement buildings, two and three story wooden rentals and concrete sidewalks.

There was a delicatessen that sold thick corned beef sandwiches stacked thin on fresh rye bread for a dime; a chicken market where chickens were for the picking; a grocery store with the sweet fresh smell of tub butter that mingled with the pungency of sour pickles in dark wooden barrels.

There were candy stores that sold penny candy. There were saloons, bakeries, hardware stores, shoe stores, a dry goods store, a dry cleaning store and there was a butcher and a barber shop.

Weekends wooden push-carts lined the curbs of Prince Street for a flea-market sale.

In summer, the ice man plod with his aged sway-backed horse and a high boxy wooden wagon filled with cedar blue ice for the asking. Peddlers called out their wares in horse-pulled wooden wagons full of ripe watermelons, tomatoes, bananas or whatever was in season.

No! There weren't any spruce trees on Spruce Street in Newark, NJ.

But, did it really matter?