

Senior Center Newsletter

South Amboy Senior Center
108 South Stevens Avenue
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November 2022

HAPPY
Birthday
TO OUR VALUED MEMBERS



Mayor Fred Henry and the City Council wish you and your family a happy and safe Thanksgiving holiday.

"May the good things of life be yours in abundance not only at Thanksgiving but throughout the coming year"

COMMUNITY FOOD DRIVE

October 25th - December 14th



Please consider donating non-perishable food items and toiletries to help benefit those in need.

All donations will go to St. Mary's Church Food Pantry and First Presbyterian Church Food Pantry.

— **Drop off location** —

South Amboy Senior Center
108 South Stevens Avenue
Monday - Friday (9AM - 3PM)

If interested in volunteering, please call (732) 525-5960

Natalie Barbella
Linda Baskerville
Kathleen Burns
Linda Carnahan
Donna Consentino
Marine Darby
Maureen Enright
John Freer
Sylvia Good
Karen Klotz
Gonzalo Palacio
Barbara Pasternack
Kathleen Roberts
Anne Marie Rondeau
Joyce Royster
Stephen Schmid
Emma Sumski
Mary Szaro
Anne Marie Walczak
Anthony Ziembra
Vivian Zito



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Sweet Potato Pie & Such.

A flavorful seasoning of tales from the African and African American Oral Tradition that will ground you in tradition, butter you up with joy and delightfully sweeten your mind. Designed for audiences to participate, celebrate and "Jubilate." Values are indelibly remembered through lively folktales, fables, and fairytales.

Storytelling presentation by Queen Nur.

November 2nd - 1 pm @ the center.

Please reserve your spot with the office staff.

November Events at the Center:

- November 2nd: Storytelling event presented by Middlesex County Office of Arts & History—1 pm
- November 8th: Office closed in observance of Election Day
- November 9th: South Amboy Senior Meeting—12 pm
- November 11th: Office closed in observance of Veterans Day
 - November 14th : St. Mary's Senior Meeting—12 pm
- November 16th: Lunch and Learn: Substance Misuse, Addiction & the older adult - 12 pm
 - November 17th: Lunch trip to Cracker Barrel (please register in office - limited seating) - 10:30 am
 - November 21st: Trip to Delicious Orchards (please register in office—limited seating) - 9 am
- November 24th & 25th: Office closed in observance of Thanksgiving
 - November 29th: Birthday Celebration Bingo - 12 pm

Thanksgiving Trivia

1. What year was the first Thanksgiving held?
2. Which President made Thanksgiving a national holiday?
3. What profession experiences its busiest day on Thanksgiving?
4. Which founding Father wanted the turkey to be Americas national bird?
5. What country besides the United States celebrates Thanksgiving?
6. What year was the first Macy's Thanksgiving parade?
7. What type of silverware was missing at the first Thanksgiving?
8. What two teams played the first NFL Thanksgiving Day game?
9. How many calories does the average American eat on Thanksgiving Day?
10. What was the first character balloon ever in the Macy's Thanksgiving parade?

Answers:

1. 1621 2. Abraham Lincoln in 1863 3. Plumbers
4. Benjamin Franklin 5. Canada 6. 1924
7. Forks 8. The Detroit Lions and Chicago Bears
9. 4,500 10. Felix the Cat

THANKSGIVING WORD SEARCH

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Turkey	Pie	Gather	Mashed Potatoes
Thankful	Corn	Gravy	Grateful
Yams	Pilgrim	Autumn	Rolls
Pumpkin	Stuffing	Cranberry	Thanksgiving