

South River Office on Aging
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The Senior Scoop

OFFICE ON AGING OPERATIONS

Office Closure: The Office on Aging will be closed on Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

Transportation: Transportation services will resume on Wednesday, September 9th.

SEPTEMBER ACTIVITIES

Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, and Rock Painting: When: Tuesdays @ 11am; drop-in, no RSVP required.

Free Skin Cancer Screening: When: Thursday, September 3rd, 12pm-3pm (by appointment); loose-fitting clothing recommended; limited availability; sign-up began August 10th.

Mystery Trip: When: Friday, September 11th @ 9:30am (**cash only—\$5 pay on the bus day of trip + Lunch**); sign-up begins Tuesday, September 1st.

Lunch @ Bahr's Landing, Highlands: When: Wednesday, September 16th @ 10:30am (cash only); sign-up begins Tuesday, September 1st.

AARP Smart Driver 2-Day Course: When: Thursday, September 17th and Friday, September 18th, 10am-1pm each day (\$20 for AARP members; \$25 for non-AARP members—**pay instructor on-site before the first session**); limited availability; sign-up began August 10th.

Community Update & Insight Session with Mayor Guindi: What: Stay connected and informed as Mayor Guindi returns for a progress update on borough projects and concerns discussed in June. Pull up a chair, share your thoughts, ask questions, and enjoy some light refreshments with the Office on Aging community. When: Monday, September 21st @ 1pm (RSVP required by September 14th); sign-up begins Tuesday, September 1st.

Senior Health & Fitness Walk @ Roosevelt Park: Wednesday, September 23rd @ 9am; sign-up begins Tuesday, September 1st.

PLANNING AHEAD

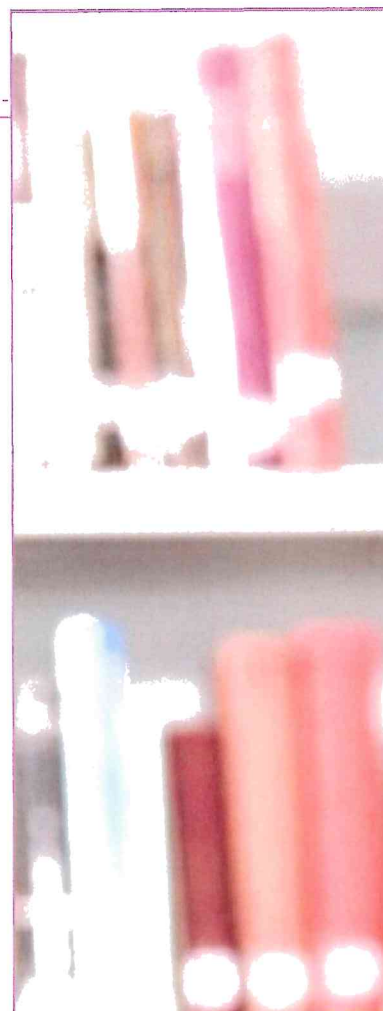
High-Dose Flu, Pneumonia, RSV, & COVID Vaccine Clinic: Thursday, October 8th, 11:30am-1pm (by appointment) and home visits for homebound members immediately following the on-site clinic; sign-up begins Tuesday, September 1st. Transportation is available.

AROUND THE BOROUGH

Busmobile Blood Drive: When: Thursday, September 10th, 11am-3:30pm. Where: St. Mary of Ostrabrama Parking Lot. See attached info page for details.

9/11 Memorial Ceremony: When: Friday, September 11th @ 6:30pm. Where: Dailey's Pond Park 9/11 Monument.

Borough Farmer's Market: When: Sundays, September 13th—October 25th, 11am-3pm. Where: Obert Street Municipal Parking Lot. See attached Vendor List for details.



*"If you see someone
without a smile,
give them one of yours."*

—DOLLY PARTON



In giving,
we remember.

2001-2026
25 years

**Honor.
Give.
Remember.**

One blood donation can be a
lasting tribute. **Take home a gift**
as thanks when you join us to give.
While supplies last.



Thursday, September 10th

11 AM - 3:30 PM

Mayor Guindi & Council

Busmobile Blood Drive

**Location: St Mary of Ostrabrama
30 Jackson Street, South River, NJ 08882**

To make an appointment:

Please Scan QR code

Or visit: www.nybc.org/drive

Sponsor code: 63101

Donors will get a T-shirt as a thank you for donating while supplies last!

For any eligibility questions please visit: [Donor Eligibility - New York Blood Center \(NYBC\)](#)

800.933.BLOOD • nybc.org



Bring a
photo ID



Feel good and
symptom free



Must be 17+ or
16 with parental
consent form





SOUTH RIVER FARMER'S Market



EVERY SUNDAY • SEPTEMBER 13TH – OCTOBER 25TH

• 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM •

📍 MUNICIPAL LOT • OBERT STREET • SOUTH RIVER

VENDORS



FOOD AND PRODUCE

1. **BogaBee Apiaries** – Local honey
2. **Bread and Dough Bakery** – Sourdough bread and buns
3. **Empanada Lady** – Empanadas, plantains, yucca, homemade hot sauce
4. **The Hangover Snack Co.** – Flavored pretzels, gluten free pretzels, jams
5. **Hot Graham Sauce Company** – Hot Sauce
6. **Livia's** – Savory and sweet sourdough bread, cookies, scones, English muffins, cinnamon rolls
7. **Loindici Siweets** – Macarons
8. **Melly Bakess** – Gourmet desserts
9. **MKS Ceylon Spices LLC** – Ceylon spices
10. **Schmidt's Farm** – Produce
11. **The Banana Nut LLC** – Banana bread products
12. **Yiayias Greek Whisk** – Greek Desserts



ARTISAN & HANDMADE GOODS

1. **AJV Jewelry** – Jewelry
2. **Amanda's Prints and Prop** – Acrylic paintings, art, plant propagation, jewelry
3. **BeLoved by Pachamama** – Wellness products (oils, soaps, candles)
4. **Beltane House & Company** – Vintage home décor and entertaining accents
5. **Bundled Book Boutique** – Blind Books with hand painted canvas totes
6. **Cozy Crafts by Kelly** – Handmade blankets and home décor
7. **J's Creations** – Jewelry collections, jewelry boxes, etc.
8. **Janet Marcinczyk's Wreaths** – Holiday wreaths
9. **Jeweled Art** – Hand painted wood engraved earrings and accessories
10. **JuliesDecal** – Handmade DIY Key Chains
11. **Kale and Clovers Floral Design** – Locally grown flower bouquets
12. **La Cegua Botanicals** – Botanical self-care products
13. **Leather Luster Stone** – Crystal and pearl jewelry, painted wood carvings
14. **Maria's Crafts** – Crafts
15. **Parvinder Kaur Crafts** – Handmade crochet gifts, paintings, greeting cards
16. **Sugartime Seashells** – Decorated seashells
17. **The Wild Moonhaus** – Ritual, Lunar, and Aura sprays and oils
18. **Treasures and Trinkets** – Family friendly trinkets like squishes, plush, makeup



PET PRODUCTS & ANIMAL SUPPORT

1. **Lucky Whiskers TNR & Rescue** – Rescue merchandise, pet-themed items
2. **Project Paws: Gifts for a Cause** – Pet themed gifts
3. **Vittle Paws** – Freeze-dried dog treats



COMMUNITY & SERVICES

1. **Spotlight Dance Academy** – Dance instruction



BEVERAGE & SPIRITS

1. **Luscious Spirits Co.** – Flavored rum, gin, vodka
2. **Twin Lights Brewing** – 4 packs of beer
3. **Wild Joy Juice and Coffee Bar** – Coffee and juice
4. **Yealie's Juice** – Cold pressed juice



Musical Guest

OCTOPUS MUSIC SCHOOL

Students will be performing
SEPTEMBER 13TH & OCTOBER 18TH



♥ SHOP LOCAL. SUPPORT LOCAL. LOVE SOUTH RIVER. ♥

September 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Office on Aging Hours of Operation Monday-Friday 9:30am-3pm (732) 257-2340	Wednesdays 10am-12pm Haircuts by Mike the Barber \$8	11am Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, & Rock Painting	2 	3 12pm-3pm Free Skin Cancer Screening by appointment	4 	5
6	7 Labor Day Office Closed	8 11am Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, & Rock Painting	9 10am Dollar Tree TJ Maxx/Kohl's Home Goods Stop & Shop/Aldi Brunswick Sq. Mall	10 10am ShopRite	11 9:30am Mystery Trip \$5 + Lunch cash only	12 
13 	14 	15 9am-2pm Around Town Shuttle & Medical Transport 11am Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, & Rock Painting	16 10:30am Lunch @ Bahr's Landing Highlands cash only	17 10am ShopRite 10am-1pm AARP Driving Course Part 1 \$20 AARP members \$25 Non-Members RSVP required	18 10am-1pm AARP Driving Course Part 2 \$20 AARP members \$25 Non-Members RSVP required	19
20 	21 1pm Borough Update & Insight Session w/ Mayor Guindi RSVP required	22 9am-2pm Around Town Shuttle & Medical Transport 11am Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, & Rock Painting	23 9am Senior Health & Fitness Walk @ Roosevelt Park Edison walking involved	24 10am ShopRite	25 	26
27 	28 	29 9am-2pm Around Town Shuttle & Medical Transport 11am Freestyle Billiards, Board Games, & Rock Painting	30 9:30am Samaha's Farm & Country Market Aberdeen SFMNP vouchers accepted here	Mondays 10am Line Dancing Classes w/ Joyce \$1 recommended contribution	Tuesdays 10am Strength Training Classes w/ Nancy \$1 recommended contribution	Thursdays 11am Gentle Yoga Classes w/ Steff \$1 recommended contribution