

Chelsea

606 Cranbury Road, East Brunswick

Senior Companion Program—offers Youth Council members the opportunity to interact with residents at the Chelsea. Members meet at the Chelsea for various activities from 6:30pm-7:30pm twice a month from September through May.

Tuesday, December 7	Pet Night
Tuesday, December 21	Holiday Sing-A-Long
Tuesday, January 11	Price Is Right
Tuesday, January 25	JoJo Russell
Tuesday, February 8	Jeopardy
Tuesday, February 22	Pet Night

Homemade Crafts for Caring Hospice Services

Friday, December 17

7:00pm-9:00pm

Friday January 7

7:00pm-9:00pm

Sunday, January 30

1:00pm-3:00pm

Caring Hospice Services is a nonprofit organization that provides a large range of services to individuals with life limiting medical conditions. They help patients and their families accept their situation with hope and encouragement rather than despair.

What Youth Council can do to help.....

We will be making arts & craft projects for the hospice patients who are in a health care facility. Receiving a handmade item is very uplifting for the patients and always brings a smile to their face. We will also be making cards to go with the crafts.

If you can volunteer, please email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Hospice in the subject line.

Saturday at Daisy



The Daisy Recreation Program's goal is to assist people with special needs. This recreation program provides an outstanding program for persons with all different types of disabilities at all different levels.

The all-day Saturday program is looking for volunteers 16 years of age and older from 8:30am-3:30pm. There are no shifts available and volunteers would need to be available for the entire time. Volunteers should be dropped off and picked up from the Daisy Recreation Center located at 180 Hardenburg Lane. Volunteers would go on the following trips with the Daisy staff and participants:

December 4 Mega Movies

December 11	Bowling at Strathmore Lanes
December 18	Holiday Party at Daisy
January 8	Bowling at Strathmore Lanes
January 22	Daisy
January 29	Mega Movies
February 5	Frank's Pizza, 300 Route 18, East Brunswick
February 12	Bowling at Strathmore Lanes
February 26	Daisy

Daisy offers a program that stimulates growth and development and targets the social, emotional, behavioral, and communication skills of their participants. The Daisy staff is carefully chosen for their ability to work with the special needs population. They have the gift of creating positive, memorable experiences for these participants. The staff is under the supervision and direction of experienced special education teachers.

Activities may include: sports, arts and crafts, music, home economics, swimming, dance and exercise, group games and social activities. Trips are scheduled (see list above). Volunteers would work with the Daisy staff to ensure a successful and fun filled program.

It is through the kindness and caring of supporters and volunteers that our special needs population continue to receive much needed recreational and social programs in our community.

This counts towards your community service hours.

If you would like to volunteer for the Saturday program please RSVP to EBYouthCouncil@aol.com. Please put Saturday Daisy program in the subject line.



Playhouse 22's location is the Cultural Arts Center located at 721 Cranbury Road. The state of the art theater is home to the East Brunswick Community Players. They have an upcoming stellar season of classic Broadway musicals and contemporary comedies.

Youth Council volunteers will help usher, hand out programs, help at the concession during intermission, coat check, etc. during all of the shows.

We are looking for volunteers for the following dates:

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Friday	December 10	7:30pm-11pm
Saturday	December 11	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	December 12	2:30pm-6pm
Friday	December 17	7:30pm-11pm
Saturday	December 18	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	December 19	2:30pm-6pm

CURTAINS (Musical)

Friday	February 4	7:30pm-11pm
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Saturday	February 5	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	February 6	2:30pm-6pm
Friday	February 11	7:30pm-11pm
Saturday	February 12	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	February 13	2:30pm-6pm
Friday	February 18	7:30pm-11pm
Saturday	February 19	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	February 20	2:30pm-6pm
Friday	February 25	7:30pm-11pm
Saturday	February 26	7:30pm-11pm
Sunday	February 27	2:30pm-6pm

Volunteers need to be dressed...khakis, polo shirts, dresses, no hats, t-shirts, or shorts.

If you would like to volunteer, email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with the date(s) you can volunteer.

Food Drive

Sunday, January 23 AND
 Sunday, February 13
 9:00am-3:00pm



We will be sponsoring a food drive at ACME, 300 Ryders Lane to benefit M.C.F.O.O.D.S. All donations help replenish the supply of nonperishable food at the county distribution site and ensure that all Middlesex County residents in need have access to nutritious foods.

If you can volunteer, please email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Food Drive in the subject line.



Home Front Hearts is a nonprofit organization who helps military families by providing support, resources, public awareness, advocacy and assistance. Youth Council will be assembling a committee to offer assistance on how youth can volunteer to help the military families. You can help make a difference in the life of a soldier by helping their family...join this committee and be a part of Home Front Hearts.

Thursdays at Daisy (T.A.D.)



If you like helping others and enjoy making a difference in someone's life, this program is a great way to find out if you enjoy working with the special needs population.

The Daisy Recreation Program is looking for volunteers who have a desire to work in a program that is geared to the teenage through young adult population with special needs. The emphasis of the T.A.D. program is on providing opportunities for social growth and peer interaction.

The volunteers assist in providing recreational activities with participants ranging in age from 13-25. The recreational activities such as sports, games, arts and crafts, and other events for program participants are held at the Daisy Recreation Center in Bicentennial Park. Activities will be modified to match each participant's abilities under the direction and supervision of experienced Special Education Teachers. The Daisy Program is sensitive to those who require more assistance, explanation and encouragement. The emphasis is on assisting each individual to enjoy success!

Volunteer time would be 4:45pm-7:30pm. You would earn 2¾ hours of community service for each session.

The dates volunteers are needed are:

December 2, 9, 16

January 6, 20, 27

February 3, 10

March 3, 10, 17

If you are interested in volunteering, please at EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with TAD in the subject line. Volunteers will need to attend a brief orientation prior to volunteering. Youth Council will not be providing transportation for this program for volunteers.

Irwin Winter Carnival

Friday, January 14

6:15pm

We will be assisting with Irwin's Winter Carnival on January 14. If you can volunteer, please email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Irwin Carnival in the subject line.

Youth Council Tricky Tray

Friday, January 21

3:30-10:00pm

Youth Council will be holding their third annual Tricky Tray at Hammarkjold Middle School. A tricky tray is a large raffle with a room full of prizes.

If you would like to volunteer, please email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Youth Council Tricky Tray in the subject line.

Memorial Tricky Tray

Friday, January 28
6:00-10:30pm

We will be assisting Memorial with their Tricky Tray. If you can volunteer to help on January 28, please RSVP to EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Memorial Tricky Tray in the subject line.

Warnsdorfer Winter Event

Saturday, February 26
12:30pm-4:00pm



We will be assisting with Warnsdorfer's Winter Event on February 26. We will be helping out with various games, crafts and activities, as well as the bake sale. If you can volunteer, please email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with Warnsdorfer Winter in the subject line.

Puerto Rican Action Board (PRAB)

Early Childhood Center at St. Ladislaus
197 Somerset Street, New Brunswick

The Puerto Rican Action Board Preschool works collaboratively with the New Brunswick Public Schools to provide a quality early childhood education to children, ages 3 and 4 years old in the Abbott District of New Brunswick.

The Preschool Program is opened to all students regardless of race, color or nationality or ethnic origin. All the students in the program are residents of New Brunswick. The program runs from 7:30am-5:30pm.

The Puerto Rican Action Board (PRAB) is a non-profit corporation. PRAB's services focus on enhancing the capacity of individuals and families and include early childhood education, youth development, job development assistance, home energy assistance and weatherization services, community advocacy and other effective social services to economically disadvantaged individuals and their families.

Youth Council volunteers will be "book buddies," will play games, arts & crafts and other activities from 2:30-4:30. Volunteers will be picked up at Churchill and EBHS after school and will be driven to New Brunswick for the program.

Wednesday, December 1
Wednesday, December 15
Wednesday, January 5
Wednesday, January 19

Wednesday, February 2
Wednesday, February 16

This will count towards your community service hours.

If you would like to volunteer for the program, email EBYouthCouncil@aol.com with PRAB in the subject line.

