

NEWS TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE

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Woodbridge Set To Open New Jersey Senior Olympic Games on Sat., Sept. 13 @ 10:00 A.M.

Senior Olympics & Mayor's Wellness Campaign Promote Health & Fitness as Senior Athletes from Across New Jersey Compete in 15 Challenging Sporting Events

WHAT: *Mayor John E. McCormac, along with representatives from the New Jersey Senior Olympic Committee, Senior Olympians and gold medalists, competing senior athletes, and world-class Olympic competitors and sport champions, will open the 2008 New Jersey Senior Olympic Games on Sat., Sept 13 during ceremonies outside the Woodbridge Community Center. Woodbridge Township Senior Olympians and gold medalists will carry the Olympic torch for the opening ceremonies. 2008 Olympic athlete Dagmara Wozniak and world champion pocket billiards player Allen Hopkins will participate in the Opening events.*

The New Jersey Senior Olympic Games offer senior athletes 50 years of age and older the opportunity to compete for the Gold, Silver and Bronze in 15 competitive events. The Senior Olympic Games will take place at sporting venues throughout Woodbridge Township, including the YMCA at the Community Center, The Club at Woodbridge, Warren Park, and the athletic fields at Woodbridge High School. The Senior competition is part of the "Mayor's Wellness Campaign" which encourages Township residents – regardless of age – to engage in a healthy and fit lifestyle. The New Jersey Senior Olympics is part of the National Senior Games Association.

WHO: *Mayor John E. McCormac, Woodbridge Township
Members of the Woodbridge Township Municipal Council
Representatives from the New Jersey Senior Olympics Committee
Senior Athletes and Competitors
Dagmara Wozniak, member of the 2008 U.S. Olympic Fencing Team
Allen Hopkins, World Champion Pocket Billiards Player*

WHEN: **SAT., SEPT 13, 2007 10:00 A.M.**

WHERE: *Woodbridge Community Center 600 Main Street, Woodbridge Township, Middlesex County*