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Senior Fun Festival set for June 17

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich. – Senior citizens age 60 and older are invited to a day of information, music, games, health screenings and crafts at the first Senior Fun Festival, hosted by the Macomb County Senior Citizen Services Department.

The event is 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, at the Gibraltar Trade Center-North, 237 North River Road in Mount Clemens. Admission and parking are free.

The festival features live music, games, fitness demonstrations, a craft show, free health screenings, and information of interest to older adults and their families. Food will be sold at a discounted price.

The Macomb County Health Department will have displays about the environment and will accept unwanted medications, including narcotics, for proper disposal. Pills must be removed from their bottles and placed in a clear plastic bag. Controlled substances such as narcotic painkillers and stimulants will be accepted for disposal at this site, but those must be in separate plastic bags.

The Macomb County Clerk's Office mobile unit also will be there to offer help with birth and death certificates, business registrations, marriage licenses, circuit court records, voter registration and deed requests.

The U.S. Post Office will be on hand to process passports. For the latest information about passports, including costs and how to apply, visit: <http://travel.state.gov/passport>. For more information about the festival, call Cathy Wilson, program coordinator for Senior Citizen Services at 586-469-6307.

The Macomb County Department of Senior Citizen Services is sponsored by the Macomb County Board of Commissioners and receives county funds for all services, as well as funds from the Area Agency on Aging 1-B, state appropriations, the Older American Act and the Michigan Department of Human Services.

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