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Photocopy additional forms if needed.
Preregistration Required. We regret no registrations can be accepted at the door.

YES, I will attend "Creating a Community for All Ages" Forum at NewCourtland Elder Services, 6950 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19119 on Friday, May 9, 2008:

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Company or Affiliation (if any) _____

- I need a scholarship please
- Vegetarian Lunch please

Indicate your first and second choice for the discussion groups:

- ___ Identifying Opportunities for Lifelong Learning, Connection and Contribution
- ___ Building a Secure and Thriving Community through Economic Development
- ___ Encouraging Development of Quality Affordable Housing
- ___ Developing Accessible Transportation, Conserving Natural Resources and Devising Appropriate Land Use Policies
- ___ Assuring Individual and Family Wellness

Send registration by April 30, 2008

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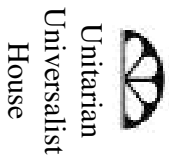
"Community for All Ages" Forum
Ralston Center
3615 Chestnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104

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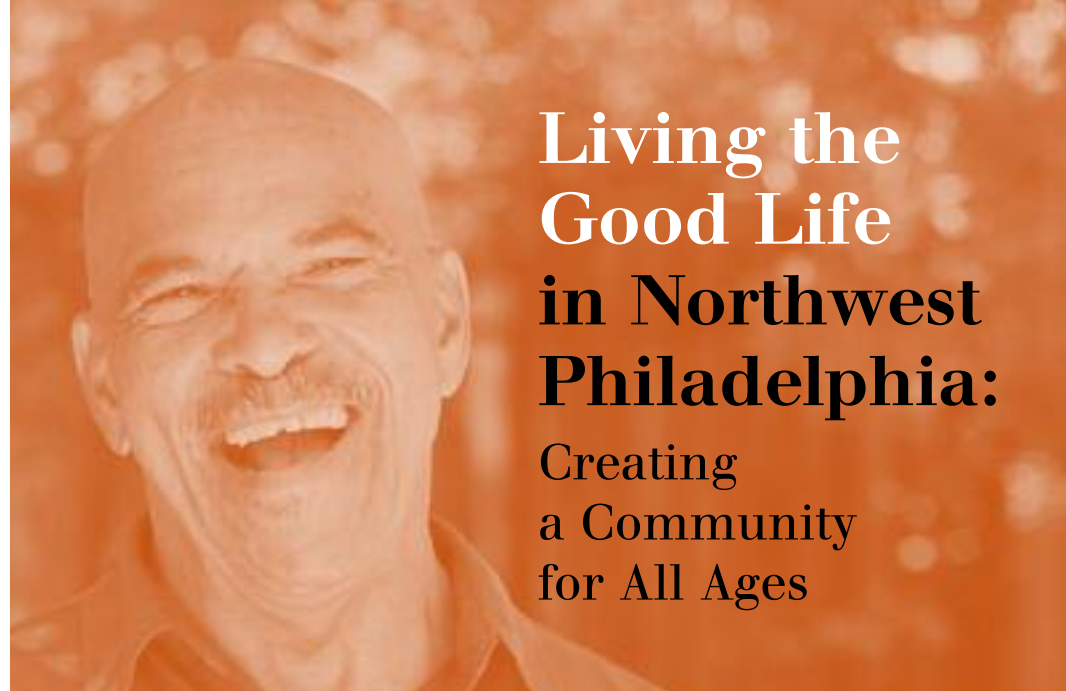
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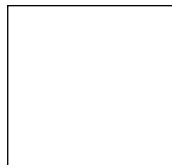


Living the Good Life in Northwest Philadelphia:

Creating a Community for All Ages



A Community Forum – May 9, 2008



Workshops at the October 2004 UU House conference *Living the Good Life in Northwest Philadelphia: Growing Older and Better* were at the leading edge of what have become widespread grassroots discussions about aging in place. Many people want to stay at home as they age, but what community resources are required to make that possible?

Conversations about an “elder friendly” community now use new language: a “community for all ages.”

Living the Good Life in Northwest Philadelphia: Creating a Community for All Ages continues the conversation. This forum will introduce the concept of a community for all ages to a wider group of residents, businesses, and organizations. The forum is a venue for a broad discussion by members of every segment of the community to identify the issues in building a community for all ages, devising paths to solutions, and encouraging civic engagement. The goal is to

provide a framework for continued cooperation and progress on achieving our vision.

We hope you will attend and contribute to the discussion.

Need More Information?

Please call Linda Brunn, Director of Adult Programs NIM Neighborhood Interfaith Movement

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Living the Good Life in Northwest Philadelphia: Creating a Community for All Ages

Friday, May 9, 2008

AGENDA	8:45 a.m.	Coffee and Registration
	9:15 a.m.	Welcome
	9:30 a.m.	Keynote Address
	10:45 a.m.	Breakout Session I
	12:00 noon	Lunch
	12.45 p.m.	Breakout Session II
2:30 p.m.	Summation and Next Steps	

Location
NewCourtland Elder Services
Education Building
6950 Germantown Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19119

Parking
Onsite parking available; enter the parking lot from Carpenter Lane

Registration
Preregistration Required. \$10, includes box lunch. Scholarships available (see registration form).

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As we grow older, will our community be ready for us?

Living the Good Life in Northwest Philadelphia: Creating a Community for All Ages on May 9 presents an approach to community planning that takes into account the entire lifespan perspective – the well-being of children, youth, adults and elders – viewing neighborhoods and communities as a whole, rather than focusing on the needs of one particular age group.

Nancy Henkin, Ph.D., founder and Executive Director of the Temple University Center for Intergenerational Learning, will introduce the concept of a *Community for All Ages* in her Keynote Address.

Dr. Henkin will review how the *Community for All Ages* approach allows people at different life stages greater opportunities to understand, learn from, help and enjoy each other, intentionally embracing the strengths, meeting the needs and enhancing the lives of people of all ages. She will also share how this approach is a viable way to help communities and policymakers see where the interests and priorities of different age groups intersect, and use these *zones of opportunity* to build an intentional network of mutually beneficial relationships.

Dr. Henkin, a leading authority in the intergenerational and civic engagement fields, frequently presents at national conferences and has produced a variety of audiovisual and written materials.

Following the Keynote Address, participants will break into small groups to discuss how Dr. Henkin’s concept of the *Community for All Ages* applies to Northwest Philadelphia. What is our vision for our community? How can we achieve this vision?

After lunch, participants will attend a breakout session of their choice in an area of opportunity for building sustainable communities for all ages:

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