



JERSEY VILLAGE SENIOR OUTREACH

Monthly Programs Newsletter

APRIL 2020



What a difference a month makes. The April newsletter looks much different than March. It is amazing how quickly we adapt and learn that our temporary normal is not so bad when considering the alternative.

Hope your "Stay Home" has been productive, restful, and enjoyable.

Due to new Federal Social Distancing guidelines all JVSO events will be canceled through the month of April.

Local information about Harris County's Stay Home Order, including businesses that are considered essential function, can be found at

<https://www.readyharris.org/stay-home>.

JVSO programs look very different right now. There have been webinars on grocery delivery, prescription delivery, restaurant delivery and telemedicine. JVSO Book Club and Coffee Conversation met through video conference. We are finding new ways to connect and stay busy.



Zoom and other video programs are keeping people connected. On the next page you will see our "programs" which will all be presented by Zoom.

If you want to Zoom with friends or families you can register and use the free account. It works on tablets, laptops, desktops, and smart phones. You can download the Zoom Cloud App for phone or tablet, or go to Zoom.com on a computer.



If you want to connect with your parents, kids, grandkids, friends, there are other ways to connect.

Iphone (iOS) users can facetime. Facetime with several people at once. It works on iphone and ipad.

Google Duo works on **Android** and **iOS** platforms for a face to face video chat.

Skype specializes in providing video chat and voice calls between computers, tablets, mobile devices.

So have lunch with a friend, play a game, do a book club, or just check up on someone.

Below are games you can play through video chatting.

<https://www.bustle.com/p/how-to-have-a-zoom-game-night-22639026>



WEBINARS AVAILABLE DURING APRIL

Others may be added throughout the month. Watch your weekly emails. Links to the webinars will be in weekly emails.

During this time of COVID-19 Harris County Precinct 4 is offering to make friendly phone calls to Senior Citizens. If you are a Senior Citizen, or knows of one, that would like a call just to check in and chat, you can sign up to have someone call you by calling 832-927-4444.

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| 4-1-20 | 1:00pm | Cooking Class: Cookies |
| 4-2-20 | 10:00am | Craft Class: Bunny Hat |
| must be registered through Sign Up Genius | | |
| 4-3-20 | 8am-10am | Coffee and Conversation |
| join in anytime during that time. | | |
| 4-6-20 | 10:30am | Memoir Class |
| must be registered through Sign Up Genius | | |
| 4-7-20 | 1:00pm | Scavenger Hunt (with prizes) |
| 4-8-20 | 1:00pm | Cooking Class: Easy Omelet |
| 4-10-20 | 8am-10am | Coffee and Conversation |
| join in anytime during that time. | | |
| 4-13-20 | 10:30am | Memoir Class |
| must be registered through Sign Up Genius | | |
| 4-14-20 | 1:00pm | Play a Game (with prizes) |
| 4-15-20 | 1:00pm | Sandy Steffens shows how to make a Photo Book |
| 4-17-20 | 8am-10am | Coffee and Conversation |
| join in anytime during that time. | | |
| 4-20-20 | 10:30am | Memoir Class |
| must be registered through Sign Up Genius | | |
| 4-21-20 | 1:00pm | Play a Game (with prizes) |
| 4-22-20 | 1:00pm | Cooking Class |
| 4-24-20 | 8am-10am | Coffee and Conversation |
| join in anytime during that time. | | |
| 4-27-20 | 10:30am | Memoir Class |
| must be registered through Sign Up Genius | | |
| 4-28-20 | 1:00pm | Play a Game (with prizes) |
| 4-29-20 | 1:00pm | Cooking Class |



All JVSO face2face events are on hold until further notice.



CITY PARKS

While you have time, fill out the Jersey Village Parks Department Survey. Your input will help JV plan for the future of our parks.

<https://forms.gle/MLpwACkpwoh8MfLAA>

OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER:

City of Jersey Village Activities

City buildings are closed until further notice. All JV Events have been canceled until further notice.

Keep up with the latest information on local, state and country Coronavirus updates.

- Jersey Village - <https://www.jerseyvillagetx.com/>
- Harris County - <https://www.readyharris.org/>
- Texas - <https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/>
- Texas dashboard of Coronavirus cases in Texas - <https://txdshs.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/ed483ecd702b4298ab01e8b9cafc8b83>
- Center Disease Control - <https://www.cdc.gov/>
- World Health Organization - <https://www.who.int/>

There is a great need for blood donors right now. This is an interesting video that shows what each blood type will support. Click image to start video.

