

# **Village of Orland Park to Host “Senior Autumn Coffee”**

ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS – Orland Park area seniors will have an opportunity to learn more about the many senior services available in the area. The **Village of Orland Park Office of Special Services** will host a **Senior Autumn Coffee** at the **Orland Park Civic Center** on **Tuesday, October 20th** from **10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon**.

“The village’s Office of Special Services offers a number of services for seniors and all residents. We will have information about passport services, emergency medical identification bracelets and if someone needs to register to vote they will be able to do that too. We can also explain our newest program, Rapid Recovery,” said Orland Park Village Clerk David Maher.

The Orland Park Police Department has combined radio technology with a specially trained response team to locate missing individuals. Rapid Recovery participants wear personalized wrist bands that emit a tracking signal 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Orland Park’s Rapid Recovery Program has been used a few times within the past few months with successful results.

Special Services is also collecting no longer needed eyeglasses for the Orland Park Lions Club.

Senior Autumn Coffee presenters will include a representative from Census 2010, ComEd and Nicor. The Orland Fire Protection District will provide free blood pressure screenings.

Cathy Zuro and Shirley Hine staff the village’s Office of Special Services, located in the main lobby of Orland Park’s Frederick T. Owens Village Hall. “Because of our location

in the Village Hall and because of the many different services we provide, we answer a number of questions about services for the many seniors in the area,” Zuro said.

“The Senior Autumn Coffee will provide a friendly, relaxed environment in which seniors can ask questions and learn more about all that’s offered in Orland Park. We have a number of wonderful programs that some seniors might not be aware of,” Hine said.

“We invite all seniors to come out and have coffee and cake as we all learn about the many great programs offered for seniors,” Maher added.

Registration is not required nor are tickets. This free event is open to all area seniors. The Orland Park Civic Center is located at 14750 South Ravinia Avenue. Further information is available by calling the Orland Park Office of Special Services at 708/403-6188.