

Welcome Freshman Class!

Moving to a new town much less a new country can be quite a transition. As a way to serve you, the Aspen Interfaith Association has compiled a list of opportunities, numbers and addresses which we believe will assist you as you adjust.

A Home Cooked Meal With A Local...

If you are away from your regular home, especially for the first time, sometimes it is nice to have a home cooked meal and get to know some of the people who live here. If you let us know of your interest we will try to match you up with local people who would enjoy showing you this hospitality. If interested, please sign up for this and we will contact you. Please contact Andy Quiat at 970.923.0676 with questions.

Housing

Aspen Housing Office

(Information and Other Resources)
Bulletin boards, roommates, etc.
Aspen Housing Office, Courthouse Annex
530 E. Main St., Aspen, lower level
970.920.5050, www.aspenhousingoffice.com

Low Cost Hotels, Hostels, and Lodges

Glenwood Springs Hostel

1021 Grand Ave, Glenwood Spgs
970.945.8545

St. Moriz Lodge

334 W Hyman Ave, Aspen
970.925.3220

Tyrolean Lodge

200 W Main St, Aspen
970.925.4595

Aspen Bed & Breakfast

311 Main St, Aspen
970.925.7650

Free Overnight Shelter

Aspen Homeless Shelter
St. Mary's Catholic Church
533 E Main St., Aspen
Opens at 9pm every night; Must be in by 10pm
Enter from entrance in back of church
Manager: Susan Johnson, 970.987.1210

Banking

Alpine Bank

600 E. Hopkins Ave., Suite 101, Aspen
970.920.4800

119 Aspen Airport Business, ABC
970.544.9400

15 Kerns Rd, Snowmass Village
970.923.3600

Wells Fargo Bank

119 S. Mill St., Aspen
970.925.2500

US Bank

400 E. Main St., Aspen
970.925.7323

Bank MidWest

457 E. Hopkins Ave., Aspen
970.920.0137

Timberline Bank

303 E Hopkins Ave, Aspen
970.920.0112

Personal and Family Crisis Hotline

Have a personal or family crisis and need immediate counsel? Please Contact:

Rabbi Mendell Mintz, 970.544.3770,
aspenchabad@aol.com

Jane Keener-Quiat, 970.923.0676h, 309.9334c,
925.1571, pastor@aspencommunitychurch.com

Communications (Phones/Internet)

Cell-Phone Swaps. You can get a short-term cell phone contract through a cell phone swapping website such as cellplandepot.com. This is an online "depot" where cell phone subscribers post their contract in an eBay like fashion in an attempt to perform a transfer of contract responsibility.

Three Companies with local coverage offer pre-pay or short-term cell phone plans:

ATT. 'Go Phone'[®] Minimum plan begins at \$9.99, www.wireless.att.com.

T-Mobile. 'FlexPay'SM Monthly Contract, Annual Contract, or Pre-Paid plans. Various rates, www.t-mobile.com/shop

Verizon. 'INpulse'[™] Pay as You Go.' Lowest plan cost is \$29.99 for one month, www.verizonwireless.com.

Number of cell phone towers in the (i.e., coverage) Aspen/Snowmass area:

T-Mobile, 1 tower

ATT, 2 towers

Verizon, 4 towers

Broadband internet providers:

Comcast. Cable Only, 970.945.7292, www.comcast.net.

Everwave. High speed wireless and DSL, 970.920.9600, www.everwave.com.

Qwest. DSL, 1.800.244.1111, www.qwest.com.

Roaring Fork Computer Society. DSL, 970.945.4920, www.rof.net.

Sopris Surfers. DSL, 970.963.7873, www.sopris.com.

Driver's Licenses

Colorado only accepts driver's licenses from Canada, France, and Germany. If you are from one of those countries, you can get a US license by going to the DMV (see below) and giving them your license. But, beware. Your license will not be returned at the end of the season. You will need to replace it when you get home.

From all other countries, you must call the DMV to make an appointment to take a test. Call soon though, because it takes a long time to get an appointment. Once there, you will need to take an eye test, a written test (in English or Spanish) and a driving test (you must bring a vehicle – it will not be provided for testing).

The DMV is located at the Glenwood Springs Mall at 51027 Highway 6 #133 in Glenwood Springs (1 hour drive from Aspen). The phone number for more information or to schedule an appointment is 970.945.8229.

Medical Clinics

Aspen Medical Care, 611 W. Main St., Aspen
970.920.0104 (walk-in)

Aspen Valley Hospital, 0401 Castle Creek Rd.,
Aspen, 970.925.1120 (walk-in)

Internal Medicine Associates, 100 E. Main St.,
Aspen, 970.544.1131 (same day appt.)

Snowmass Clinic, Snowmass
970.544.1518 (walk-in)

Glenwood Medical Associates, PC1830 Blake
Ave., Glenwood Springs, 970.945.8503 (walk-in)

Willits Medical Center, 711 E Valley Rd, Basalt
970.963.0504 (walk-in)

Short-Term Health Insurance

Allee Insurance Agency
1018 Grand Ave., Glenwood Springs
970.945.9179 (Sherry or Jamie Atlee)

Michael Sailor Insurance Inc.
101 Founders Pl (Obermeyer Pl), Ste.104,
Aspen, 970.920.9500 (Michael Sailor)

Farmers Insurance
1101 Village Rd #LL1B Carbondale
970.963.7277 (Randy Adams)

Carbondale Insurance
502 Main St., Suite 101 Carbondale
970.963.2399

Glenwood Insurance Agency/Sterling Ins Inc.
1605 S Grand Ave Unit K Glenwood Springs,
970.945.9161 (Jim Harris)

About Aspen Interfaith Association

The Aspen Interfaith Association is a group of several spiritual organizations in the community. Our objective is to team together on various community projects throughout the year that seek to encourage our town and its residents in body, mind and spirit – the theme of Aspen.

Please visit our website at any time and click on the *Freshman Class Tab* for a full discussion of our free services and abilities. We are thankful for your presence here this winter and hope that we can direct you to the people with the answers to your questions for your needs while living or working in Aspen:

www.worshipaspen.com

Also, we invite you to become a part of the Aspen Freshman Class of 2009-2010: Search **Facebook** for **Aspen Freshman Class**

