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~WALT DISNEY

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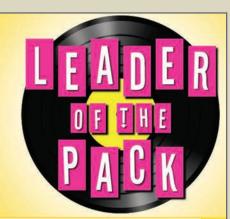


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FROM THE BOARD OF THE VILLAS AT FIVE PONDS

THE VILLAS AT FIVE PONDS EXECUTIVE BOARD

LANDSCAPING

SPRING HAS ARRIVED and with this our thoughts turn to landscaping in the community. Over the past few weeks, the Association has received multiple emails with common landscape concerns, and we would like to update the community.

- 1. Trees The plum trees in our neighborhood are declining. The expected life of a plum tree is around 18 to 20 years, and our plums are showing their age. Many plums have been found to have Black Knot disease. Black Knot is a fungus that adds to the decline of the tree. Every year the association evaluates the trees and removes those trees in the worst condition as allowed by the landscaping budget.
- 2. Turf Previously we notified the community of Total Turf's plan regarding the seedling and lawn applications. Germination has been observed in numerous areas that were seeded during the previous autumn. We will monitor these areas and reseed as needed based on weather conditions. Expect more weeds on the turf than usual. We are addressing all problem areas.
- 3. Shrubs Last year we had a significantly long periods of drought; the drought after the September pruning gave little recovery time. Pruning above ground growth impacts the fine

feeder roots below the ground during and after the drought. The oil spray did not cause problems with the shrubs, however the cold temperatures after the oil spray have not helped matters. Please keep an eye on your shrubs to see if they rebound. Please remember the plantings around your home, within your deeded property, are the property owner's responsibility, except for trimming and

This spring and summer will be challenging for our landscaping team. To help the community we ask that you help by remembering to water any newly planted seeds or plants and continue to follow the email blasts and check the website for future updates. Mother Nature can and will continue to throw us challenges, but we are confident that our continued combined efforts will get us the curbside appeal that we are all used to.

ROOFING DOCUMENTS

We have had a few issues recently where people have not returned their signed acknowledgement of resident reasonability promptly and gotten it back to Lemus. As a reminder, you can:

- · Docu-sign it,
- Fax it back to them at 908-935-0519,
- · Drive it to them at their Warminster offices at 680 Sycamore Drive,
- · Hand it to a manager on the street, or
- · Mail it to them at 680 Sycamore Drive, Warminster, PA 18974. For more information, their office number is 215-996-9966.



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As our community members, your comments and remarks are invited on any shared topic of interest.

~The Villa's Voice Staff







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Apr 3, 2025



Memo: Project Clarification - Villas at Five Ponds Roof Replacement

We hope this message finds you well. As the roof remediation project continues across the Villas at Five Ponds community, we want to take a moment to clarify a few important details and address some of the recent concerns we've received from homeowners. First and foremost, we appreciate the opportunity to work in your community and understand that projects of this magnitude can be disruptive. Our goal remains to deliver a high-quality roof system backed by the GAF Golden Pledge Warranty — a top-tier protection that reflects our commitment to durability, workmanship, and peace of mind.

Scope of Work - Homeowner Responsibility

During our open meeting in November, 2024 and in follow-up communication distributed by management, we outlined that certain items discovered inside the attic space fall under individual homeowner responsibility. These include:

- Replacement of deteriorated or damaged plywood sheathing.
- Bathroom fan duct connections.
- · Attic fan removal.

These were not arbitrary decisions. Rather, these repairs are necessary to maintain the structural and functional integrity of your new roof system.

Plywood Replacement

In numerous cases, deteriorated or rotted plywood was discovered during roof removal. Leaving these areas unaddressed would have jeopardized the long-term performance

We ask: "What would you think of a contractor who knowingly left behind compromised roof decking beneath a brand-new roof?

That's not how we operate. We chose to replace those sections immediately, preserving your investment and maintaining compliance with the Golden Pledge Warranty. This work falls under homeowner responsibility as it is specific to individual unit conditions.

It's important to emphasize that we do not profit from plywood replacement. In fact, this type of work often slows down the production process. However, we treat each home as if it were our own. If we discover compromised sheathing during removal and choose to leave it behind, not only would that reflect poor workmanship, but it would also jeopardize the long-term performance of the new shingles. Our decision to replace this material is rooted in doing what is right — not what is easiest.

Bathroom Vent Ducting In the first buildings completed, we discovered that many bathroom fans had flexible ducts left disconnected or terminated improperly inside the attic, allowing moist air to circulate and contributing to condensation and mold risk. We took the initiative to correct this issue during roofing, utilizing existing materials where possible to minimize added costs, and only billing for the time needed to make these vital corrections.

Please keep in mind that the timeframe to complete these repairs is limited, as we must

fully close and seal each area by the end of the day to protect your unit from weather

Attic Fan Removal

Attic Fan Removal
As part of the new roofing system, any existing power attic fans must be removed in
order to comply with GAF's shingle manufacturer installation standards. These systems
are being phased out in favor of balanced passive ventilation (ridge vents and intake
vents) which improves energy efficiency and eliminates conflict between different
exhaust sources. Removal of attic fans carries an additional cost, which has been

Important Note on Warranty Eligibility

Please be advised that the GAF Golden Pledge Warranty is a collective certification that applies to the entire building as a unit. This means that if any resident within a quad fails to remit payment for their portion of the additional work, we will be unable to process and submit the warranty registration for that building. Unfortunately, GAF will not honor or issue partial warranties on shared structures.

We strongly encourage each homeowner to fulfill their responsibility so the building as a whole may benefit from the full 25-year labor and materials coverage that this premium warranty provides.

We remain committed to quality, transparency, and doing what's best for both the homeowners and the HOA. Should you have any further questions or require clarification, please don't hesitate to reach out to our team.

Sincerely,

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Thursday, May 8, 2025

1-3 PM · Clubhouse Multipurpose Room No Walk-ins • Register Early!

Limited to 120 People Due to Required Room Set-up

\$cam Jam is an informative and engaging presentation on recent elder financial abuse, top scams in our local community, and general fraud protection. We will play "Fraud BINGO" complete with prizes for our winners.

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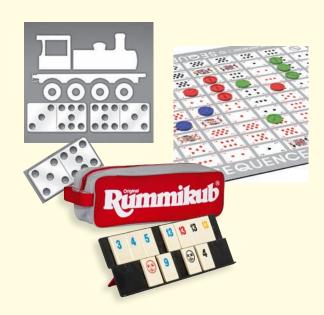


TABLE GAMES (DOMINOES, RUMMIKUB & SEQUENCE) AT FIVE PONDS EVERY THURSDAY EVENING

Donna Besignano

JOIN YOUR NEIGHBORS & FRIENDS for a friendly, pickup game of either Rummikub, Mexican Train Dominoes or Sequence.

Don't know how to play? We'll teach you. Newbies always welcome. No stress, just fun!

We get together EVERY Thursday at 7 PM in the Clubhouse and play according to the following schedule:

1st & 3rd Thursdays—Mexican Train Dominoes 2nd & 4th Thursdays—Rummikub 5th Thursdays—Sequence OR Players Choice

(Check the calendar in $\it The\ Villa$'s $\it Voice\ for\ any\ changes\ to\ the\ regular\ schedule.)$

For questions, call Donna Besignano 908-672-1092.

NOTE: If it is a Rummikub night and you have a game, please bring it along to make sure that we have enough.

PING PONG PLAYERS

WANTED! = JOE KWIATEK

PING PONG is played every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 2 to 3:30 PM in the Clubhouse Sports Lounge. Join us.

For information, talk to us in the Clubhouse while we play.





JOIN US AT THE 5 PONDS KNITTING & CRAFTING GROUP

Are you creative? Can you read a pattern?

Donna Besignano

JOIN US on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of EACH month at 7 PM by the fireplace in the Multipurpose room of the Clubhouse.

(Check the calendar in *The Villa's Voice* for any changes to the regular schedule.)

Bring your own portable craft that you are working on and enjoy the friendship of the evening.

Questions? Call Donna Besignano 908-672-1092.

PROJECT LINUS GROUP PROJECT!

KATHY O'BRIEN

THIS CHILD'S fleece blanket was recently completed by our community volunteers for Project Linus. It is so rewarding to provide security and comfort to children with this easy group project.

We get together monthly in the Clubhouse and would love to have more neighbors join us. This month we are going to meet on Wednesday, May 21st at 1:30 PM.

Questions? Call Kathy O'Brien at 215-674-4729.



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SOLD	253 Fairway Drive	\$718,000

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QUESTION: WHEN EVERYONE HAS

A FUN NIGHT AND YOU WANT TO DO IT AGAIN, WHAT SHOULD YOU DO? **ANSWER:** WHEN??? **ANSWER: MAY 16TH, 2025**

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 2025

Check-In begins at 7 PM • Games start promptly at 7:30 PM

Space Is Limited • Reservations A Must • BYOB Light Refreshments • CASH PRIZES! • No Walk-Ins

COST: \$10 pp (\$100 per table of 10.) There will be a maximum of 10 teams-10 People per team, per table. (Pick your teammates for their "smarts" - not because they are your best friends!)

QUESTIONS or if you need help filling your table: Call Ron Gordon at 215-674-3838 or 215-884-4000.

RESERVATIONS: Please make check(s) payable to: Villas at Five Ponds Social Committee and insert the attached form & checks in an envelope. Place in bag inside door at Anne Leskowitz's home, 42 Villa Drive, 215-313-5250.

DIEASE	RETHON	THIS FORA	WITH VOLLE	CHECK(S)

Name of the CONTACT PERSON	for the table:
Amount Enclosed \$	_(Include all checks for your table with this form)
Phone:	email
The people at my table are: PLEAS	E PRINT all names (maximum of 10 people per table)

Help! We need help filling up our table. Please help us make a table of 10.

Brief Bites • REVIEWS • FOODS • CATERING

"THE CAGE" IN HUNTINGDON

VALLEY - RON DOREMAN

ARRIVING AFTER THE THEATER with a few Five Ponds friends on a Wednesday evening, the fashionable newly renovated restaurant—a former older Bertucci's in Huntingdon Valley— was crowded and lively with bar and dinner activity.

Our large reserved table—in an impressive circle nestled within a metal, opened door "Cage" - was awaiting us, and drink orders were promptly taken. I told the cordial server that we were quite hungry and

requested bread and water to hold us while waiting. Water was not a problem, but evidently no bread is served at this restaurant/bar. "I can get you some focaccia if you like." "Okay, we'll need enough to go around;" so we ordered several three-slice servings (we found out later it was \$9 a plate.) At the table, we had place settings but only tiny 3" X 3" cocktail napkins. "Could you please bring some adult-sized napkins for



our table?" "No, sorry, we ran out." What? On a busy night, how do you run out of a standard commodity?

The food orders were soups—several had the Lentil, which was hearty, nearly hot, and in a generous bowl. Others had salads-nicely assembled, but not more special than an ordinary salad from any local chain at half the price. All in all, a disappointing meal for a hungry group with greater expectations.

The Cage at Huntingdon Valley · 215-866-5555 2190 County Line Rd, Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006





Jake Samson works on the Data Science team at Aramark Sports & Entertainment after completing a Masters of Business Analytics with a Sports Business Concentration at Drexel University. Jake is the grandson of longtime residents Beverly and Larry Samson

RORY COMPLETES THE CAREER GRAND SLAM

JAKE SAMSON, THE VILLA'S VOICE GUEST SPORTS REPORTER

SUNDAY APRIL 13TH WAS AN INCREDIBLE DAY. In what was an all-time Masters golf tournament, the 35 year old Northern Irishman found himself putting on the green jacket. It was won in true Rory fashion, but that requires some more background to explain how we got to where we did.

Rory McIlroy became a professional golfer in 2007, winning on the PGA tour first in 2010 at the age of 21. If you aren't the biggest golf fan, there are 4 "majors" which are The Masters, PGA Championship, US Open, The Open (formerly british open). Rory collected his first major in 2011, the US Open at Congressional Country Club, winning by 8 shots.

He checked off the PGA Championship in Kiawah Island, SC in 2012 dominating that one again winning by 8 shots over the nearest competitor. By this point, Rory reached #1 in the world and you just had to wonder how far would Rory go. He captured the 2014 Open in Liverpool winning that one in tighter fashion by 2 shots, along with one more PGA Championship edging out Phil Mickelson by 1 shot to get

him to 4 majors by the age of 26. However, there was one that was still missing.

Rory collapsed in the 2011 Masters blowing a 4 shot lead going into the final round, but you can blame that one on youth and inexperience. Then, the close calls continued. Between 2015 and 2024, he had 2 tied for 5th performances, a solo 4th and a solo 2nd. When would McIlroy break through?

Coming into this 2025 tournament, McIlroy was in form as he won twice already this season on the PGA Tour, but talks about the career grand slam were undoubtedly weighing on his mental. After what looked like a bleak first round, Rory stormed in rounds 2 and 3 to take a 2 shot lead into the final round. He was up by 4 with I believe 11 holes to go, and proceeded to let it slip away. He had about a 5 foot putt on 18 to win outright, and it never had a chance. What came next? A playoff!

Justin Rose birdied 6 out of his last 8 holes to get into a sudden death playoff with Rory. Rose had been in a Masters playoff before, but did lose that one. Rory stepped up and hit an incredible approach shot on the first playoff hole, and this time, rattled in the putt to collect a green jacket, and a career grand slam. Rory and Tiger are the only 2 to do this in the past 50 years! This one had truly been weighing on him, and I expect the floodgates to open now. Rory sits at an incredible 44 professional wins, and I expect him to rattle off a bunch more now that the Masters has been checked off his list.



IRON PIGS COCA
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TRIP = STEVE WARSHAW &





THE VILLAS AT FIVE PONDS MENS CLUB is pleased to advise that we have purchased tickets to the Allentown Iron Pigs versus the Buffalo Bisons on Thursday May 22, 2025 at 6:45 PM at the Iron Pigs Coca Cola Stadium.

We will be car pooling to the stadium rather than going by bus. The price per ticket is \$14.00 per ticket. We will meet at the clubhouse at 4:30 PM to distribute the tickets and make sure that everyone has a ride. When you drop off your check for \$14.00, make sure to let us know if you will drive or if you need a ride so that we can arrange the carpools.

The checks need to be made out to The Villas at Five Ponds Social Committee. I will have a bag on my front door at 24 Villa Drive to collect money.

That night is "Twisted Thursday" where they have Happy Hour from 5–7 PM presented by *Twisted Tea* and *Military Night* which is a salute to our armed forces with a patriotic tribute.

RESIDENT'S LUNCHEON

■ Steve Warshaw & Howard Rabinovitch, Co-Chairs

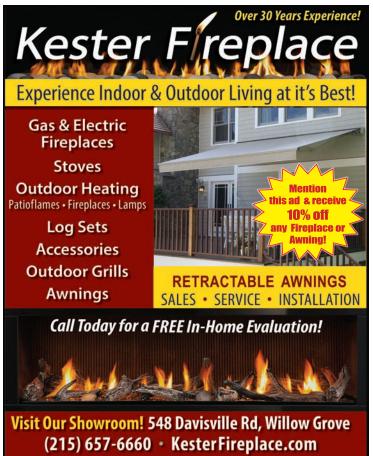
THE VILLA OF FIVE PONDS MEN'S CLUB is pleased to announce that we will be hosting a luncheon for residents on Tuesday May 6, 2025 at Giovanni's at 2190 York Rd. Jamison, Pa. 215-918-0818 at noon.

As before you will order off the menu and the check will be split by table including a 20% gratuity, therefore you do not pay anything in advance.

Please advise Steve Warshaw at sgwarshaw@aol.com if you plan on attending so that I can provide a headcount to the restaurant by May 4, 2025.

Entertainment!





THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ATTENDED "Meet George & Martha Washington."

Curt Radabaugh and Alisa Dupuy were General George and Lady Martha Washington, when they first met, a vibrant couple, very much in love and dedicated to the American cause. They shared their youth and what life was like for them before, during, and after the revolution. We learned so many interesting facts and details. They answered our questions and enjoyed refreshments with us after the program.

Thank you to Fran Foley and his team of guys who set up and break down the Multipurpose Room for us. Your hard work is always appreciated!

Thanks to our amazing Program Club members, Diane Polsky, Barbara Feldman, Wendy Cohen, Casey Bauer, Gail Saifer, Lorraine Incollingo, Ellen Weiss, Linda Alten, Janet Lynch, Susan Larrieu, Mary Lou Nodiff, Karen Krieger, Carole Denish, Sheryl Surkin, Sharyn Polsky, Cheryle Goldberg, Wendy Demp, who help us plan, shop, set up, decorate, and clean up from each program. You work so well together to make each Program Club event enjoyable!

~Kathy Lunde & Suzanne Yeage, Program Club Co-Chairs

CLUB VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED! New members
always wanted & welcomed!

THANK YOU NOTES • CELEBRATIONS • FAMILY NEWS & EVENTS



THIS SECTION features personal community messages, extended family notes, and special events. Your free listing is welcomed. Please provide information and/or photo via email by the 15th of the month preceding publication. Send to: RonaldDorfmanDesign@comcast.net



TO ALL MY FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS at Five Ponds, thank you for all your care and concern during my recent illness. The phone calls, cards, gift certificates, meals and prayers were so very appreciated. I feel so fortunate to be living in such a caring community.

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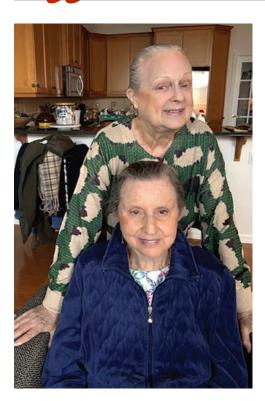
THANKS FOR JOINING OUR SPECIAL DAY TRIP!

A GROUP OF 21 FIVE PONDERS went on a trip to the Oaks Treasure Tour Museum. We did not know what to expect and were pleasantly surprised. First, we went on a 45-minute Tram Tour with a tour guide telling us about the exhibits. After, we took a Walking Tour and saw many, many more exhibits.

It was a great experience and everyone had a great time. We want to thank the Day Trips Committee and the Men's Club for planning a wonderful day.

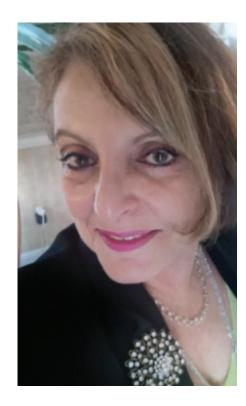
~Reba Grossman & Barbara Kains

Delcome. • Recent Arrivals • New Neighbors



TWO SISTERS. Two households. LINDA BOLANOS (seated) and ROCHELLE "Shelly" ROSENBERG (standing) decided to move in together and after looking for an extended period of time picked 36 Villa Drive. They admit merging their homes is a challenge. Linda was a teacher and Shelly was a medical technician. Both know people in the community. We welcome them to the Villas at Five Ponds.

> GWEN DALESIO (right) has joined the Villas at Five Ponds moving in to 14 Fairway Drive. Like many of us she had a big house and wanted to downsize. She is an avid gardener and will miss the land at her Holland, PA home. She continues to work at a local jewelry store on occasion. We welcome you, Gwen!







SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

AILEEN SALUS, CHAIR

IT'S BEEN A WHILE since I wrote an article for The Villa's Voice but I'm happy to be back. And also happy that we have so much going on during the month of May.

Hopefully you have signed up to attend the *Monte Carlo* Night on Saturday, May 3. In addition to a chance to win prizes, there will also be a delicious dinner. Thank you to Leenie Rogovitz and Karen Schwartz and the Parties Plus Committee for planning these bi-annual events.

On Thursday afternoon May 8 from 1-3 PM, the Programs Committee, chaired by Kathy Lunde and Suzanne Yeager, has arranged for a program entitled Scam Jam; presented by the PA Department of Banking and Securities. There is no charge to attend but please let Kathy Lunde know you are coming.

Friday evening May 16 get your smart friends together and be prepared to win Trivia Night. If you don't have any smart friends, it's not a problem—Ron Gordon will help you find people who are! Get your checks for \$10 pp, made out to Villas at Five Ponds Social Committee, to Anne Leskowitz, 42 Villa Drive.

Join the Men's Club on Thursday evening May 22 when they go to Allentown to see the Iron Pigs versus the Buffalo Bisons. Tickets are \$14. They will meet at the clubhouse at 4:30 PM to carpool. Make your check out to Villas at Five Ponds Social Committee and deliver to Steve Warshaw at 24 Villa Drive.

And finally (for the month of May), Mary Lou Nodiff and Barbara Feldman are co-chairing a wonderful *Memorial Day* Party, with the help of their committee, on Saturday, May 24. Join your neighbors for a delicious BBQ and an array of food provided by each of the attendees. Get your check for \$10 pp made out to Villas at Five Ponds Social Committee to the Clubhouse (there is a box on the counter.) This is always a wonderful way to honor our Military and to kick off the summer.





HELP IS AVAILABLE! - MARY LANGDON

IF YOU ARE RECOVERING from an illness or are homebound we would like to help. Would you like a visit? Need errands run?

Please consider using Helping Hands. We have "Hands" ready to assist the needs of our residents. Contact Mary Langdon, 30 Villa Drive, 215-441-8093, edmaryl@verizon.net.

HELPING HANDS CLUB

Mary Langdon, Chair

TO OUR NEIGHBORS who are celebrating a birthday or anniversary during the month of December, the Helping Hands Club of The Villas at Five Ponds wish you a happy day.

- GET WELL WISHES to Reba Grossman and Richard Gittis.
- CONDOLENCES on the passing of former neighbor and dear friend Francine (Fran) Seiden, wife of Kerry,

Please tell us if you know of anyone who is ill/hospitalized, lost a loved one, or just needs a "helping hand."

Contact Mary Langdon, 30 Villa Drive, 215-441-8093, edmaryl@verizon.net.

Committee & Club Chairs & Co-Chairs ••••••



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Chair:

Diane Polsky, 84 VillaDrive 203-733-3929, dpolsky@gmail.com

New members always wanted & welcomed!

Memorial Day

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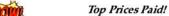
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Stitch & Knit Group (Every Tuesday, 1 PM). Bring a project or start something new, make new friends, and enjoy creating with a group of fellow crafters!

Topics in Tech: Fake News and Media Literacy (Tuesday, May 6, 6 PM). With endless amounts of news and news commentary websites, it can seem overwhelming trying to figure out which sources to trust for staying current. In this class, learn how to develop a balanced news consumption practice and how to follow guidelines to distinguish between good and bad news sources online.

Tech Training: Maximizing your Library Card Online (Friday, May 9, 1 PM) Discover everything about your library card, including navigating the catalog and managing your account online. Our Adult Services Assistant Librarian, Sue, will bring her expertise to this informative session.

Open Mic for Poets and Creative Writers (Wednesday, May 21, 6 PM). Have you written poetry or creative prose that you would like to share with others? Join other local writers for an evening of listening and sharing. Please register to attend and reserve a 10-minute slot, but walk-ins and those who just want to listen are also welcome! Hosted by local author Eva R. Priestley.

DIY Craft Series: Faux-Rustic Planter Buckets (Tuesday, May 27, 6 PM). Join a local crafting community and work on a household craft together. This month we are making planters that resemble rustic buckets!





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COMING 2025 VILLAS AT FIVE PONDS EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

JUNE 17, Acoustic Bandwagen, Poolside, 5:30–8:30 PM.

JULY 9, Bucks County Playhouse, **Leader of the Pack.**

OCTOBER 28, Penn's Peak Show & Luncheon, "Barbara & Frank."

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Calendar

MAY 2025

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
S M T W Th F 1 2 3 4 6 7 8 9 10 11 13 14 15 16 17 18 20 21 22 23 24 25 27 28 29 30	5 12 19	2	2 3 4 5 6 7	7 Table Games, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM	2 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	3 Monte Carlo Night, at the Bucks Club, Jamison
4	5 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	6 Water Aerobics, 11:30 AM Men's Club Luncheon at Giovanni's	7 Singles, Multipurpose Room, 6:30 PM	8 Project Linus, Clubhouse, 1:30 PM Table Games, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM Scam Jam, 1–3 PM	9 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	10
77 Mother's Day	12 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	13 Water Aerobics, 11:30 AM	14 Knitting & Crafting Club, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM	75 Table Games, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM	76 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM Trivia Night, 7 PM	17
18	79 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room 10:30 AM	20 Water Aerobics, 11:30 AM	21	22 Table Games, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM Men's Club Iron Pigs Ball Game	23 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	24 Memorial Day BBQ, at the VFP Pool
25	26 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	27 Water Aerobics, 11:30 AM	28 Knitting & Crafting Club, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM	29 Table Games, Multipurpose Room, 7 PM	30 Chair Yoga, Multipurpose Room, 10:30 AM	31