

MAY 2019

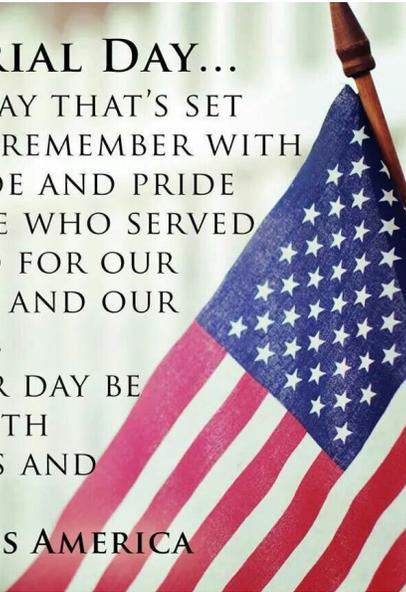


MEMORIAL DAY...

...IS THE DAY THAT'S SET ASIDE TO REMEMBER WITH GRATITUDE AND PRIDE ALL THOSE WHO SERVED AND DIED FOR OUR COUNTRY AND OUR FREEDOM.

MAY YOUR DAY BE FILLED WITH MEMORIES AND PEACE.

GOD BLESS AMERICA



Shredding Event at SRC – Saturday, May 11

Sanatoga Ridge Community will be hosting a shred event on Saturday, May 11 from 9 to 11 AM in the SRC Community Center Parking Lot located at 2461 E. High Street, Pottstown, PA. In addition, a “modified open house” will be held at SRC during that time. The Sales Staff will be on-hand to answer questions and show the model home located at D-8.

Only approved paper-based materials and small fasteners (e.g., paper clips and staples) are permitted. The below are NOT permitted:

- 3-ring binders
- Hardcover books
- Newspapers & magazines
- Plastic objects
- Metal objects
- Electronic media
- Toxic, dangerous or regulated materials



Power Washing and Window Cleaning Reminder

Power washing and individual window cleaning will be performed beginning the week of May 6.

- Power washing will not clean everything off your siding and concrete. Stains and artillery spores (little black dots) will most likely not clean off.
- Power washing will not stop mildew from coming back later in the summer.
- If you live in a house that has a basement under the front porch, we strongly suggest that you do not have your porch power washed. The high pressure water may find its way into the basement causing damage.
- Carpeted porches will get wet.

If you have called the office to be placed on the list, you will be invoiced directly from the Contractor. Payment for services rendered should be paid directly to the Contractor at the address listed on the invoice. Do not bring payment to the Office.

The contractor is requesting that all items be removed from the porch area. If you are physically unable to move your items, the contractor will move them for you. You may be charged a minimal fee if the number of items to be removed is above the norm.

Mulching

Mulching is being outsourced to Hetrick Nursery. Their goal is to have our communities mulched by the end of May. Please remember that the schedule will change based on weather conditions. This year, all beds of the homes, common areas and Garden & Rec Center will be mulched.

If you have personal plantings and are concerned about possible damage to your plants, you should consider being placed on the list to either skip certain beds or do your own mulching.

Please also call the office if you:

- DO NOT want mulch.
- Only want parts of your house mulched. (Please specify where you DO NOT want mulch).
- Our landscaping crew will mark the areas you do not want mulched with flags. Please do not rearrange the flags once they are placed in the beds.
- Want a load delivered to mulch yourself. This will be processed as a work order and be delivered on Mondays or Thursdays through the month of May.
- Buckets of mulch will be delivered to your home. You will then be responsible for placing the mulch in your beds. The buckets will need to be emptied in a timely fashion.
- No mulch piles will be placed on the lawns.

Once we receive a schedule from Hetrick Nursery:

- You will be notified in advance as to the day they will be coming.
- You will need to remove all garden statuary, gazing globes, lights, decorative pavers, flags, flag holders, etc. These items are easily breakable and can easily be damaged. Please remove them for a few days so that no damage occurs.
- This will allow the mulchers to move at a quicker pace.

Please do not bother or delay the mulching crew. The fee that the communities are charged is based on how efficiently the mulching crew can complete its task. Anything we can do to make them more efficient will save the communities money.

Vents

For warmer weather and to maximize your A/C efficiency, you should have the top vents open to draw the hot air out and bottom vents closed. Remember – these vents are for air circulation – they are NOT the actual heating or cooling vents. Should you require assistance in changing your vents, please contact the Office by May 10.

Air Conditioners

As days get warmer, you may need to turn on your air conditioner. We suggest you turn it on for prior to the arrival of hot weather to insure the system will work properly when you really need it. If you believe your air conditioner is not operating properly, please call the office to have it serviced.



Keep Office Files Updated

It is important to keep your information on file in the office up-to-date. This information includes your power of attorney, emergency contact information, car's make/model and license plate number, and doctor's name and telephone number. We understand that when this information changes, residents often overlook notifying the Office. Please call the office should you require a new form(s) to complete.

Pesky Pests

If you have noticed ants in your home, we suggest you keep a can of insect spray of your own to address any “normal” insect issues. As a courtesy, we do occasionally spray around and/or in the homes. However, we are not exterminators. By law, there is only a certain strength insecticide that can be used by anyone who is not a licensed exterminator. If you have tried your own spray and BRC has sprayed your home and you still have a pest problem, we recommend you call Moyer Indoor/Outdoor Services (215-799-2010) at that point in time. BRC is responsible to ensure your home is not infested with **termites, carpenter ants and carpenter bees**. If this is the case, BRC will finance the measures necessary to rid your home of these specific insects.

Safety Issue – Approaching Staff

We pride ourselves on having a friendly and approachable Staff. However, we would like to bring a potentially hazardous situation to your attention. While you may see our Staff as they are working, many times they do not see or hear you approaching them. This causes dangerous situations to both you and our Staff. To prevent injuries from flying debris or a more serious injury, please refrain from approaching our Staff while they are operating any type of equipment or unloading trucks.

Items for Maintenance and Landscaping

Many times our staff is approached with maintenance or landscaping items that need to be addressed as they are completing other tasks. While we would like to handle the issue right away, our policy is for you to call the office to report these items. Your item is logged into our database which allows for proper staff assignment and tracking the status.

Trash & Recycle Policy

BRC has twice a week garbage collection. All garbage must be placed in bags to avoid leaks and spills. Place garbage bags at the end of your front sidewalks on Monday and Thursday mornings by **8:00 AM**. Please keep in mind that placing trash out too early could result in broken bags and scattered trash from our wildlife friends.

We recycle on Thursday mornings ONLY. Please refer to the previously distributed flyer for the acceptable recycling items. Please DO NOT recycle any plant clippings or leaves, styrofoam, plastic bags, pizza boxes or any other product contaminated with grease. Please remove lids and rinse out containers before putting them in your recycle bin.

Should you need to dispose of something between the scheduled pickup days, please feel free to use the dumpster and recycle bins located near the Garden & Rec Center.

Sanatoga Swim Club

Opening day for the pool will be Saturday, May 25. For 2019, the pool will be operated by Coventry Christian School. All residents will still have access to the use of Sanatoga Swim Club. Plans are being finalized.

Watch the bulletin board case in the Garden & Rec for more information.

Offices Closed – Monday, May 27

Memorial Day is a time to remember and honor the military personnel who died in service for our country. As we spend time with friends and family on the holiday, let us remember those who have fallen so that we can live as free Americans.

The BRC and SRC offices will be closed on Monday, May 27.

Please note that trash will be picked up on Tuesday, May 28.



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Sunday, May 12 is Mother's Day. We'd like to wish all of our mothers a Happy Mother's Day! Wishing you all the love and happiness you so richly deserve.



Amy

We would like to welcome Amy to our staff. She will be part of our on-call and cleaning staff.

Shuffleboard

A local gentleman who lives outside our Community is looking to teach and potentially start a shuffleboard league. Please call the office by May 10 if you are interested in learning to play shuffleboard or starting a league. The shuffleboard is located next to the pavilion at Sanatoga Swim Club.



SRC Singers' Spring Concert

Sunday, June 2 at 3 PM in the SRC Auditorium



KATIE MUTH
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PENNSYLVANIA STATE SENATOR

MOBILE OFFICE HOURS

4th Friday of Every Month
SANATOGA RIDGE COMMUNITY
10 a.m. - 12 p.m.



AARP Driver Safety & Technology Classes at SRC

Monday, June 10 and Tuesday, June 11.
Watch for more details.

Pottsgrove Community Band

Monday, June 17 at 7 PM in the
SRC Auditorium.



SAVE THE DATE

Start saving your items to sell at the 2019 Buchert Ridge Yard Sale. More details to follow. Mark your calendar for Saturday, September 28. Rain date is Saturday, October 5.

Resident Committee Meeting

The Resident Committee Meeting is Tuesday, May 7 at 10 AM in the Garden & Rec Center. At this meeting, Nicole Starner, RN, Senior Living Liaison with Pottstown Hospital and Phoenixville Hospital, will be attending to introduce herself and services offered at the Hospitals.

If their schedules permit, Chief Foltz and Township Manager, Ed Wagner, will stop by the Breakfast Bar at 9 AM to give us updates or answer your questions. RSVP for the breakfast bar is required.

Word Games

Join us in the Garden & Rec Center at 2 PM the 3rd FRIDAY of the month. Please bring any word games you are interested in playing like Scrabble, Banana Gram, Boggle. Don't know how to play? Don't worry, we will show you!



Tripping Down Memory Lane

June is the month known for weddings and graduations. If you are interested in going back to the halcyon days of your youth, please participate in our display of graduation pictures from the past.

During May, we would like to gather as many of our neighbor's high school or college graduation pictures as possible and put them on display in June.

If you think this would be lots of fun (who wouldn't), please take some time to rummage through your closet or have someone help you get the pictures from your attic. If you don't have a picture, we can copy your yearbook image.

You can give these to either Joan or Irene by May 30th. Then during June, come down to the Garden & Rec Center to see how many of your neighbors you can identify.

Rumor has it, there might be a prize for the most correct guesses.





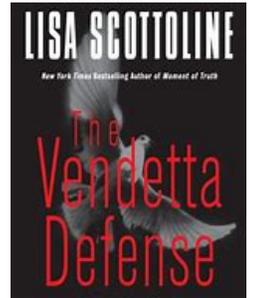
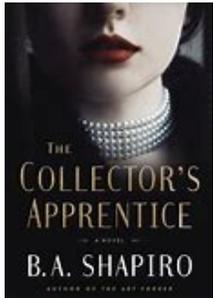
Maria Damore – Friday, May 3 at 1 PM

Come hear Maria entertain us with her Mother's Day program Friday, May 3 at 1 PM in the SRC Auditorium. Light refreshments will be served in the SRC Dining Room following the performance.

Maria Damore is a professional vocalist noted for her strong, clear vocals, and versatility in covering musical styles such as pop, jazz, soft rock, 50s-60s-70s music, standards, Broadway show music, classical, and Greek folk music.

Book Club

The Book Club meets the 1st Monday of each month at 2 PM in the SRC Dining Room. *Collectors Apprentice* by Barbara Shapiro will be discussed at the May 6 meeting. June's book will be *The Vendetta Defense* by Lisa Scottoline.



Lunch Bunch

NO LUNCH BUNCH DUE TO A SCHEDULING CONFLICT.



Brenton Megee – Wednesday, May 15 at 4 PM



Brenton will share his struggles with Autism while he inspires us with songs of encouragement and hope on Wednesday, May 15 at 4 PM in the SRC Auditorium.

The performance will be followed by pre-ordered Pizza at 5 PM. Order at the office by Tuesday, May 14. The cost is \$2.00 per slice plain or pepperoni.

Graduate of Lancaster Bible College with Bachelor Degrees in both Biblical Studies & Vocal Performance. Master's Degree in Vocal Performance from West Chester University. Currently pursuing Master's Degree in Choral Conducting at West Chester University.

SPRING ART SHOW MAY 19 2 TO 4
68 BARD'S WAY GREAT ART !!



Spring Fling Art Show

Come to the Spring Fling Art Show at 68 Bard's Way on Sunday, May 19 from 2 to 4 PM.

Check out awesome art work and have light refreshments. We look forward to seeing you!

Liberty Bell Glass Club

The Liberty Bell Glass Club is a group of people who enjoy collecting and talking about antique glass items. This month's topic will be "Early American Pattern Glass". The next meeting is Tuesday, May 21 at 7:30 PM (refreshments served at 7 PM) in the SRC Dining Room.

If you have a piece of glass that you would like identified, you are welcome to bring it to the meeting.

Contact Rugene or Suzanne, residents of Sanatoga Ridge Community, for more information on the club.

Bus Trips - Save The Dates

July 23	Doolans at Spring Lake, NJ "Nashville at the Shore"
August 14	Bucks County Playhouse "Always Patsy Cline"
September 18-20	Foxwoods Casino & Resort



Slapsticks Productions Presents

TriCounty Active Adult Center FUNNY FUNDRAISER!

Proceeds To Benefit TriCounty Active Adult Center Activity Programs

Funny/Feature ETHAN HERSCHENFELD 'Boardwalk Empire'	Hilarious Headliner CHRIS MONTY Seen On 'Kevin Can Wait'	Humorous Host DAVID KAYE Seen On ABC-TV
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50/50 Raffle Sponsored by **TriCounty Area FEDERAL CREDIT UNION** Basket Raffle

FRIDAY **August 16**
TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

TriCounty Active Adult Center
288 Moser Road • Pottstown, PA 19464

\$25 Seniors & Center Members • \$30 Non-Members
Includes "Italian Style" Dinner

Doors Open: 6:00pm • Show: 7:00pm • Guests 21 & Over

For Tickets Call Sue McIntyre: 610-323-5009
Tickets Online: slapsticksproductions.com

"Laughter is the best medicine."

Why not go along with a group of friends to the TriCounty Active Adult Center's Funny Fundraiser!

Ticket includes dinner and show.

If interested in getting a table and going as a group, contact Carrol.

Mexican Train Dominoes

Tuesday at 2 PM in the Garden & Rec Center. (Donna)

BINGO!

Meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 2 PM in the Garden & Rec Center. (Irene)

Men's Breakfast Club

Meets the 4th Wednesday at 8 AM. (Jim)

Hoagie/Sandwich Night

Meets the 1st Wednesday at 5 PM. Hoagies are pre-ordered and delivered. (Jeannette)

Breakfast Bar

Breakfast every Tuesday morning at the Garden & Rec Center at 9:30 AM. Cost is \$3.00. Please RSVP by the Friday before.

Exercising

Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 9 AM in the Garden & Rec Center. (JoAnne)

Word Games

Played the 3rd Friday at 2 PM. (Kerry)

Wii Bowling

Sessions held twice a year in the Garden & Rec Center. Now in session.

Card Club

Mah Jongg Mondays at 1 PM - SRC Club Room.
Pinochle Thursdays at 2 PM - SRC Game Room.

Hooks & Needles

1st and 3rd Thursdays at 1 PM - SRC Club Room.

Yoga

Yoga every Friday at 9:30 AM - SRC Auditorium.

Vietnam Veterans

2nd Tuesday at 7 PM - SRC Dining Room.

American Legion

4th Thursday at 7 PM - SRC Club Room.

WOW Bookmobile

SRC Community Center Parking Lot 2nd & 4th Monday at 10 AM.

Senator Muth

4th Friday at 10 AM – SRC Dining Room.

Sewing Club

1st and 3rd Fridays at 9:30 AM - SRC Sewing Room.

Book Club

1st Monday at 2 PM - SRC Dining Room.

Lunch Bunch

2nd Friday at various restaurants in the area.

CANCELLED FOR MAY.

Computer & Social Media

Discussion Group

2nd Wednesday at 7 PM - SRC Club Room.

Liberty Bell Glass

3rd Tuesday at 7:30 PM - SRC Dining Room (refreshments at 7 PM).

SRC Singers

Rehearsals are on Thursdays at 4 PM - SRC Auditorium.

Wednesday – May 8 – American Music Theatre “Ovation”

(This is a trip with AARP)

From Classical to Pop, the AMT cast and band will take you on a musical journey like never before. Enjoy tributes to music legends Rosemary Clooney, Barbara Streisand, Ella Fitzgerald, Tony Bennett, Michael Bubl , Josh Groban, Billy Joel and Celine Dion. A family style meal will be enjoyed at the Fulton Steamboat Inn before the show.

RSVP to Carol

LEAVE BEREAN BIBLE CHURCH: 11:00 AM

Cost: \$85.00 - Checks Payable to New Hanover AARP

Saturday – May 18 – Gettysburg National Military Park with Tour Guide

Take a trip into the past in Gettysburg. Enjoy a guided tour through Gettysburg battlefield. Visit the Gettysburg Museum of the Civil War; watch the Film, A New Birth of Freedom, narrated by award winning actor Morgan Freeman; and take in the Cyclorama painting depicting Pickett's Charge by French artist Paul Philippoteaux. Bring a brown bag lunch to eat upon arrival.

RSVP to the SRC Office by FRIDAY, MAY 10

LEAVE SRC: 8:30 AM Cost: \$30.00



Sunday – June 9 – Steel River Playhouse “Beauty and the Beast”

One of Disney’s most beloved stories turned into a lush and exciting musical. This “tale as old as time” follows Belle, a book-smart and adventurous young woman and Beast, a formerly dashing young prince cursed by an enchantress. If the Beast cannot learn to love and be loved in return, he and his household including Lumiere, Cogsworth, Mrs. Potts, and Chip will be trapped forever under the spell. The Broadway smash hit showcases a merry, award-winning score with such favorites as “Beauty and the Beast,” “Gaston,” and “Be Our Guest.” This delightful family musical enchants and transforms hearts of all generations.

RSVP to Office by Wednesday, May 15

LEAVE SRC: 1:15 PM

Cost: \$23.25

Wednesday – June 12 – Pa. German Cultural Heritage Center

The Pennsylvania German Cultural Heritage Center at Kutztown University is an open-air folklife museum and research center dedicated to the preservation and promotion of Pennsylvania German heritage. Located on the historic Sharadin Farmstead on the Kutztown Campus.

RSVP to Office by Tuesday, June 4

LEAVE SRC: 8:30 AM

Cost: \$9.50

Tuesday – June 18 – The River Lady Lunch Cruise

(This is a trip with AARP)

Join us for a delightful cruise on The River Lady, a 150 passenger, 85' authentic reproduction of a paddle wheel riverboat. The River Lady cruises the Toms River and Barnegat Bay of New Jersey. The riverbanks are surrounded by charming hills and beautifully manicured lawns and gardens. The homes along the river are uniquely designed, many dating back to the turn of the century. Lunch will be enjoyed on the riverboat. Choice of:

- Filet of Salmon served with lemon garlic sauce
- Chicken Marsala – sautéed boneless breast of chicken in a Marsala wine sauce
- Penne Vodka – Penne pasta with vodka cream sauce
- Chicken Parmesan – Breaded boneless breast of chicken with marinara sauce, cheese

RSVP to Carol by Friday, May 10

LEAVE BEREAN BIBLE CHURCH: 8:15 AM

Cost: \$80.00 - Checks Payable to New Hanover AARP



Wednesday – July 10 – Bird-in-Hand Stage (Lunch & Show) – “Stolen”

The kidnapping of an Amish family's infant son shakes a small Pennsylvania community. Based on Wanda Brunstetter's best-selling Daughters of Lancaster County series, this light-hearted whodunit is colored with plausible alibis, surprising twists, heartwarming songs and a moving message. Lunch is included.

RSVP to Office by Wednesday, June 5

LEAVE SRC: 10:00 AM

Cost: \$57.00