PENNRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTER

NEWS and VIEWS

MAY/JUNE 2021

From Your Center Manager

Hi Everyone,

We are preparing for the day our Center can open. I do not know when that will be but when that date comes we will be ready. After suffering a very bad case of COVID, I intend on being even more cautious then I already am. I did everything to protect myself and those around me and I still got the virus. There were many days I just didn't know if I could make it another day. I had one vaccine and then before I was able to receive my second vaccine I got the virus. I probably contracted the virus a few days before I got the vaccine and didn't know it. Don't take chances. Even if you received your vaccines still take all precautious and wear your mask.

There has been a change in our Executive Board. President, Ted Heimbach, has chosen to stepdown. His many years of support and dedication to this Center has been a valuable asset to all of us. We will miss him but wish him the best. Ted will remain on our Advisory Board and also as Past President on the Executive Board. See Ted's good bye on page 3. Vice President, Lowell Musselman will take Ted's place as acting President, Member at Large, Pat Siwert will take Lowell Musselman's place as Vice President, and Janice Jaeger will replace Pat Siwert as Member at Large. Please give our new board members a warm welcome.

We appreciate all the donations that are still coming in. We have the most kind and wonderful Members. I want to thank the people who have donated since our last Newsletter, June Belfatto, Rose Burkholder, Bernadette and Swain Fennimore, Bob and Elaine Frank, James Kain, Diane and Jerry Kenna, Jane Loring, Ed and Vivian McManus, Jean Myers, Joel and Joyce Rosenberger, Carol Schoeniger, Diane Soncini, Alice Strawser, Francis and Joan Whalon, and Francis Witts.

If you need anything please give us a call at 215-453-7027. Even if you just want to talk, we are here for you.

Peggy Lewis, Manager

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Manager: Peggy Lewis

Assistant Manager: Carol Kuhns

Our Center is governed by Bucks County Association for Retired and Senior Citizens

IN MEMORIAM

Rest in Peace

Doris Reith

Romaine Ziegler

Produce Vouchers

Vouchers will be handled the same as we did them in 2020. Starting at the end of June you can pick an application up at the Center. They will be located in a box at the front door on the bench.

Please mail or email your completed form before September 18, 2021 to:

Bucks County Area Agency on Aging
55 East Court St. 3rd Floor
Doylestown, PA 18901
AAAVouchers@buckscounty.org

Organic Produce Boxes

Starting in mid June AAA's will be giving us every other week on a Thursday a 20 pound produce box. You must be registered to receive a box and you will pick them up at the Center staying in your car between 12:00—1:00. This program is still in the making so these are the only details I have. Please email me or call the Center to register for these boxes. My email is manager.pcsc@yahoo.com and the Center's number is 215-453-7027

Executive Board Update

Hello All,

I have some news to mention—not any vaccine news, or to make a checklist about spring cleaning, but about me.

As you know, last year I had a totally unexpected bypass operation. Long story short, in putting all family items in perspective, my family and I have decided that it's best for me to resign from being your Executive Board President, so that I can concentrate more on my health as well as on my family. This change took effective on March 1, 2021.

My time away from the Center last year was good in one aspect besides having my heart fixed, and that was to know that the Executive Board will be as strong as ever. Also, I will still be on the Board as your Past-President, and I will continue to be on the Advisory Board. Also, per John Greer, there will be no Executive Board election this year. Most likely in the first half of 2022, elections will again take place.

And thanks for supporting me and the Executive Board these past few years. These years were, and still are, some tough years for the Center. With the water issue now behind us, elections changing to fiscal year, and now COVID, the elections were postponed. Looking forward, things in general will be better and your Center will be better than before, once we re-open.

Ted Heimbach

Memorial Day Is a federal holiday observed every year on the last Monday in May. It honors those who died serving in the United States military. In the United States, **Memorial Day** weekend kicks off the start of the summer season and with Labor **Day** weekend ending the summer. Most government and businesses offices will be closed on this **Day**. Originally known as Decoration **Day**, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971. Many Americans observe **Memorial Day** by visiting cemeteries or memorials, holding family gatherings and participating in parades.

UPCOMING EVENTS

FREE SHREDDING EVENT: Friday, May 21st, 10am-noon. Pennridge Community Center, 146 E. Main Street, Perkasie (located in Silverdale). Limited 5 boxes or bags. No folders with metal. No paper clips. This is a free event, but donations are appreciated. **Held rain or shine.** Masks Required.

FLEA/Thrift MARKET: Saturday, June 12th, 9am-2pm. **Half off everything.** Pennridge Community Center, 146 E. Main Street, Perkasie (located in Silverdale). Masks Required.
We are accepting donations for this sale. No books or clothes. If you have something to donate please leave it on the patio no later then June 4th. **This sale will be held rain or shine.**

Real ID

Beginning October 1, 2021, every state and territory resident will need to present a REAL ID compliant license/ID, or another acceptable form of ID for boarding commercial aircraft, accessing Federal facilities and entering nuclear plants. The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) considers a current passport or military ID acceptable identification for boarding an aircraft. For more information on Pennsylvania's REAL ID compliant license, visit PennDot.gov/REALID.

Aluminum Cans

Did you know there is a dumpster for the Silverdale community and our Center for aluminum cans for recycling? This very long dumpster is in the back of the parking lot, where you can bring ***only*** your aluminum cans. Please don't bring anything else to put in the dumpster. It's ***only*** for aluminum cans.

The proceeds from recycling are then donated to the Center by the Silverdale Borough Council. **Thank You!**

Membership Renewals and New Members

I want to thank the following people who have renewed their Membership and New Members for 2021. Your loyalty and dedication to our Center is so heart warming. So far, 224 Members have renewed their Memberships. **If you have already renewed and don't see your name in this Newsletter it is because it was listed in a previous Newsletter.** Please note, if you are 90 and above you are now a Lifetime Member. I still need your paperwork even if there is no money to send in. We still have many bills to pay and every Membership and Donation helps us to pay our bills.

The Members who renewed or just joined are, Marie Barger, June Belfatto, Joseph Bonner, Nancy Bonner, Carol Branca, Linda Browne, Rose Burkholder, Carol Critelli, Joseph Curran, Elaine Ewashko, Elaine Frank, Robert Frank, Catherine Galardi, Janet Gross, Karen Heimbach, Ted Heimbach, Jack Kelly, Diane Kenna, Jerry Kenna, Ernestine Kerns, John Kerns, Ed McManus, Vivian McManus, Richard Miller, Antonia Mosca, Renea Moyer, Warren Moyer, Jean Myers, Joe Olenick, Martha Olenick, Daniel Sellers, Diane Soncini, Alice Strawser, Cindy Styer, James Swinney, Trudy U'Sellis, James Weikel, and Francis witts.

Senior Games information from AAA's

We are excited to be able to offer the Senior Games this year since last year we had to cancel them due to COVID-19. This year, in response to seniors request, we have planned all events outdoors for 2021, with added virtual games as well and some independent events like walk the parks, bicycling, steps competition where miles are logged and submitted to us. Dates for the games are June 7-19th.

We would appreciate you sharing the information and the link below, where those 50+ can read all bout the events, locations, dates and more…as well as register to participate. We will require everyone to follow CDC guidelines including wearing masks, using hand sanitizer and keeping equipment clean in between handlers, as well as social distancing so everyone can have fun but keep safe as well! We will be supplying hand sanitizer as well as face masks with our Senior Games Logo on them! Cost of the games is only $7.00. You must register by May 10th.

http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=kd9iip5ab&oeidk=a07ehs1laxp0efa313b

Happy Mother's Day

Mothers are the most important women in society. They give us the joy of life, they encourage us to be healthy in the world and carry us into the world. There's the mom that raised you with love and care. But you may have many other mother figures in your life, like your mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, stepmom, aunt, the woman who married your mother, God parent, or family friend who was like a mother to you. So this one day out of the year show someone how much you care and how happy they make you, let them know how you feel and how they make you smile. Celebrate all the important women in your life.

Happy Father's Day

Fathers are known for going above and beyond for their children! And when we say father, we mean all the important men in your life. There's the dad that raised you with love and care. But you may have many other father figures in your life, like your father-in-law, grandfather, brother, stepdad, uncle, the man who married your father, God parent, or family friend who was like a dad to you. So, honor them on Father's Day, this holiday is dedicated to dads and all the awesome things they do.

Recipe Corner

Carol Kuhns, Assistant Manager

Cherry Cheese Cake Pie

1 Keebler Ready graham Pie Crust, 1 8oz. Pkg. cream cheese softened, 1/3 cup sugar, 1 cup sour cream, 2 tsp. vanilla, 1 8 oz. ctn. Whipping cream thawed, 1 cup cherry pie filling.

Beat cheese until smooth. Gradually beat in sugar. Blend in sour cream and vanilla. Fold in whipped topping, blending well. Spoon into crust. Chill until set, at least 4 hours. Spoon cherry pie filling over top of pie.

2021 Medicare Premiums, Deductibles, Cost-Sharing Amounts

Part A (Hospital Insurance) Beneficiary pays:

Hospital Deductible: $1,484/benefit period

Hospital Copayment: $0/day for days 1-60, $371/day for days 61-90, $742/day for days 91-150

Skilled Nursing Facility Copayment $0/day for days 1-20, $185.50/day for days 21-100

The Bucks County APPRISE Program continues to operate by phone or virtually during COVID-19. Please call 267-880-5700 to ask a question, request screening for financially based programs or to schedule a personalized counseling appointment

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Ted Heimbach—Past President

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The core principles that guide us are compassion, volunteerism, fellowship, and action. We exist to provide services and support using fundraising to support our programs. We provide information and resources and activities in such areas as education, entertainment, and nutrition, health and travel. Our customers are adults 55+ in the broad community of Pennridge School District, as well as community businesses and groups that support our goals. We also provide a clean, healthy, and safe environment for all to enjoy, "This project is funded, in part, under a contract with the Pennsylvania Department and the County of Bucks.".

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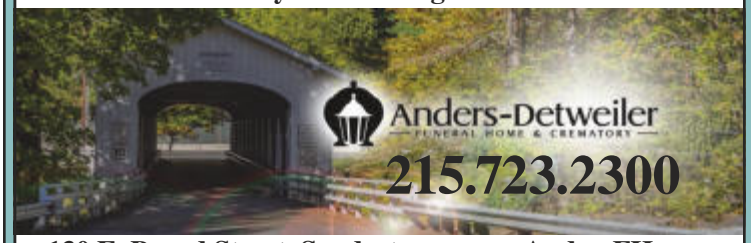

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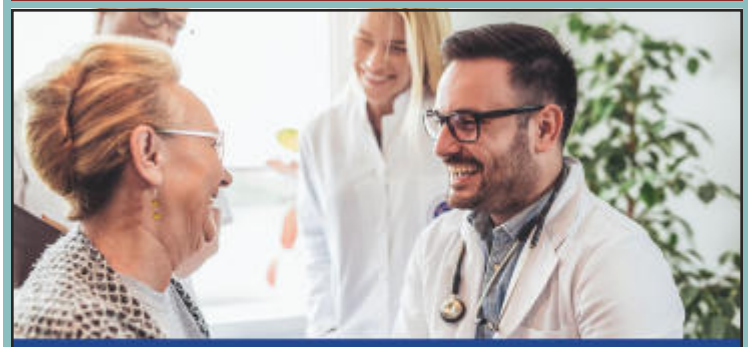

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Check Channel 69 WFMZ on your TV - or check the internet at www.WFMZ.com.

Look for "Pennridge Community".

Local radio stations will announce closings by number - Pennridge School District is #757.

If the schools are closed, the Center is closed. If the schools open late, the Center will open late, and if the schools close early, the Center will close early.

NEWSLETTER INFO

Our Newsletter is published 6 times a year, and is available to all members.

The Pennridge Community Center is one of the four full-service senior citizen centers operated by the Bucks County Association for Retired and Senior Citizens (BCARSC), a non-profit corporation. The BCARSC is funded through the PA Department on Aging, and through self-supporting projects. BCARSC is an equal opportunity employer.

All programs and services provided at the four Centers are offered without regard to race, religion, political affiliation, or personal background.

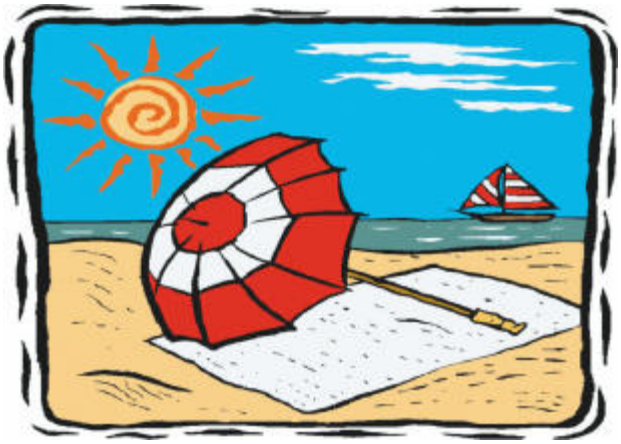
The Pennridge Community Center serves all citizens ages 55 and older who reside in the boroughs of Dublin, Perkasie, Sellersville, Silverdale, and Telford and the townships of Bedminster, East Rockhill, Hilltown, and West Rockhill.

The Pennridge Community Center is partially funded through the Bucks County Area Agency on Aging, the PA Department on Aging, the Federal Food program, and self-supported projects.

All operational expenses are the responsibility of the Center. The Executive Board, Advisory Board, Center Manager, and Assistant Manager are responsible to pursue all possible sources to generate income.

2021 Holidays

May 18th Primary Election
May 31st Memorial Day

May 9th Celebration of Mother's Day

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