



# RIDGE REPORTER

**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

**Resident Committee Meeting**  
**Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM.**  
**Refreshments at 9 AM.**

## ***Shredding Event – Saturday, May 11***

SRC will be hosting a shred event on Saturday, May 11 from 9 to 11 AM in the SRC Community Center Parking Lot. In addition, a “modified open house” will be held 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 SRC office.

If you are a 2nd floor Garden Apartment resident, or in one of the homes in the L, M, N sections where the windows are difficult to reach, SRC will provide outside cleaning of those windows. You will be called to set up a time for the window cleaning. Window cleaning will be done the week of May 13.

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 & Edging*

Mulching will be outsourced to Hetrick Nursery who will commence their work upon completion of the edging. Their goal is to have ALL mulch beds done by the end of May. Please remember that the schedule will change based on weather conditions. They will start mulching the fronts of houses and all common areas. Mulching of sides and backs of houses will then be completed. In an attempt to have the contractors complete this task as quickly and efficiently as possible with no damage to your items, we would appreciate you removing personal items from beds and temporarily place them on your porch. If you need assistance with the moving of any items, please call the office.

Please also call the office if:

- 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.
- Want a load delivered to mulch yourself (This will be processed as a work order and be delivered on Tuesdays or Fridays)

Please allow the contractors to work without interruption. The fee that the community is charged with is based on how effectively the mulching crew can complete its task. Anything we can do to make them more efficient will save the community money. However, if you have any concerns with the contractor during the work activity, please again, call the office.

## *Salt Bags*

Please place your salt bag out with your trash for collection.

## *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 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 SRC 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. SRC is responsible to ensure your home is not infested with **termites, carpenter ants and carpenter bees**. If this is the case, SRC 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 while 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*

SRC 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 (or outside your hallway door in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Garden Apartments) on Tuesday and Friday 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 Friday mornings ONLY. See 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. Remember to 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 use the dumpster and recycle bins located behind the SRC Community Center and by the Garden Apartments.

## *Sanatoga Swim Club*

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





## *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.

## *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.





## **SRC Singers' Spring Concert**

Sunday, June 2 at 3 PM in the SRC Auditorium

### ***Residents Picnic – Thursday, June 6***

The Residents Picnic will be held on Thursday, June 6 at 11:30 AM in the Dining Room. Doors open at 10:30 AM. Admission is Free for everyone current of their dues.

**Sign up at the Office by Thursday, May 30  
(no exceptions – space is limited).**

*Let the office know if you need transportation.*

We will have a picnic lunch catered by Wegmans and we'll play a variety of games, including Bingo. If you plan to play Bingo, please bring a \$3 gift (unwrapped).

If you would like to bring a dessert, you will be able to sign up for this at our next Residents Committee meeting.

***Hope to see you there!***



### **AARP Driver Safety & Technology Classes**

Monday, June 10 and Tuesday, June 11.

Watch for more details.

### **Pottsgrove Community Band**

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



## Outside Games



Ed has volunteered to oversee the outside games for this year. Games will resume at 6 PM as soon as the weather is good and will be played near the Community Garden located near the "G" Section. Contact Ed to see if the game is on.

- Bocce Ball Mondays
- Bean Bag Toss Tuesdays
- Muckers Wednesdays



## ***Maria Damore – Friday, May 3 at 1 PM***

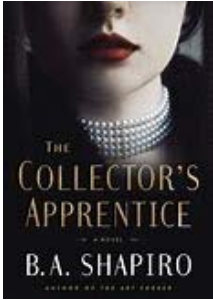
Come hear Maria entertain us with her Mother's Day program Friday, May 3 at 1 PM in the Auditorium. Light refreshments will be served in the Dining Room following the performance.

*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.*

## ***Game Night & Wawa 3" Hoagies***

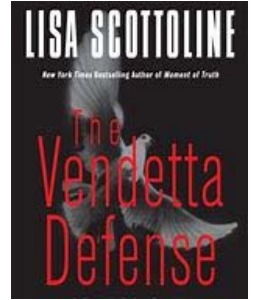
Join your neighbors for a Wawa 3" Hoagie and Game Night on Friday, May 3 beginning at 5 PM in the Dining Room. Why cook before game night? Sign up in the Office with your choice of Wawa 3" Hoagie: 1) *Ham & Cheese*; 2) *Turkey*; 3) *Italian*; 4) *Cheese steak*. Cost for the 3" Hoagies are \$3.00 each. Chips and dessert will be provided. RSVP by Thursday, May 2.

Game night will start at 6 PM with a variety of table games to be played in the Club Room including Dominoes, Phase 10, Quiddler, Skip-Bo in addition to Wii Bowling. Not sure how to play? Don't worry. We will show you how!



## ***Book Club***

The Book Club meets the 1<sup>st</sup> 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.



## ***Wii Bowling***

Competition continues Wednesday, May 15 at 2 PM in the Club Room. This is the final competition. A Bowling Banquet will be held in June to announce the winners.

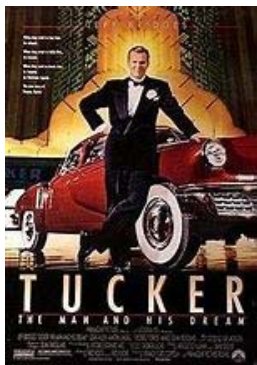


## ***Brenton Megee – Wednesday, May 15 at 4 PM***

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 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.*



## ***Movie Night . . .***

### ***“Tucker – The Man and His Dream”***

**Due to copyright rules, Movie Night is for residents only.**

The film “Tucker – The Man and His Dream” will be shown in the SRC Auditorium on Friday, May 17 at 6 PM. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Light snacks provided in the Club Room during intermission. There is no charge to attend, however, you may bring a light snack for all to share and donations are being accepted.

*Based on the true story of Preston Tucker, the maverick car designer and his ill-fated challenge to the auto industry with his revolutionary car concept.*





## ***Spring Fling Art Show***

Come to the Spring Fling Art Show at 68 Bard's Way in the Buchert Ridge Community 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 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.

## ***POT LUCK DINNER – SATURDAY, MAY 25***

The first Pot Luck Dinner will be held on Saturday, May 25 at 5 PM in the Dining Room. In order to attend please RSVP to the **Office** by Friday, May 17.

The **Office** needs to know:

- Number attending.
- Item(s) you are willing to bring (appetizer, entrée, salad, vegetable, or dessert).
- You would like to attend but are physically unable to prepare an item listed above.
- You are willing to prepare an item above but you are unable to safely transport it.  
(*Arrangements will be made to assist you with the transporting.*)

You are welcome to bring more than one item, but each item should be prepared for at least 5 servings. Due to various food allergies, please include a list of ingredients on an index card to bring with you to the Pot Luck.

***HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!!***

# STUFF TO DO

Page 10

## *Landis Supermarket*

Tuesdays at 10 AM. Call the SRC office to be placed on the list for pick-up.

### *Card Club*

Mah Jongg Mondays at 1 PM - Club Room.

Pinochle Thursdays at 2 PM - Game Room.

### *Mexican Train Dominoes*

Tuesdays at 6 PM - Club Room.

### *Hooks & Needles*

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays at 1 PM - Club Room.

### *Sewing Club*

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays at 9:30 AM - Sewing Room

### *Book Club*

1<sup>st</sup> Monday at 2 PM - Dining Room.

### *Lunch Bunch*

2<sup>nd</sup> Friday at various restaurants in the area.

**CANCELLED FOR MAY.**

### *SRC Singers*

Rehearsals are Thursdays at 4 PM - Auditorium.

### *Wii Bowling*

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday at 2 PM - Club Room.

### *Movie Night*

Various movies shown the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday - Auditorium. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Movie starts at 6 PM.

### *Senator Muth*

4<sup>th</sup> Friday at 10 AM - Dining Room.

### *Game Night*

1<sup>st</sup> Friday - Club Room

(Meal at 5 PM if applicable; Games at 6 PM).

### *Computer & Social Media Discussion Group*

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 7 PM - Club Room.

### *Yoga*

Fridays at 9:30 AM - Auditorium.

### *Liberty Bell Glass*

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 7:30 PM - Dining Room  
(refreshments at 7 PM).

### *Vietnam Veterans*

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7 PM - Dining Room.

### *American Legion*

4<sup>th</sup> Thursday at 7 PM - Club Room.

### *WOW Bookmobile*

Community Center Parking Lot 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>  
Monday at 10 AM.

### *Bus Trips*

Various days throughout the month. Pay attention to RSVP dates – some fill up quickly. Watch who to make checks payable to for a trip. Feet mean amount of walking.

### *Roundtable Meeting*

Wednesday, May 8

2 PM in the Auditorium

### *Social Committee*

The next meeting is Monday, May 20 at  
2:30 PM in the Dining Room.

# BUS TRIPS

Page 11

## *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



### **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 Bublé, 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 by Wednesday, April 10**

**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