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Independent Living Newsletter



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Easter
Blessings

The Legend of the Dogwood

In Jesus time, the dogwood grew to a stately size and lovely hue. 'Twas strong and firm it's branches interwoven for the cross of Christ its timbers were chosen. Seeing the distress of this use of their wood Christ made a promise which still holds good. "Never again shall the dogwood grow large enough to be used so. Slender and twisted it shall be with blossoms like the cross for all to see. As blood stains the petals marked in brown The blossom's center wears a thorny crown. All who see it will remember me, Crucified on a cross from the dogwood tree."



HAPPY
Mother's DAY

Sunday, May 14

Presidential Ponderings - April 2023

In my 19 years at the helm of Londonderry Village, we have certainly had our shares of ups and downs. In 2005 through 2008, the Village experienced the joy of bringing our first four Green Houses online, as well as immersing ourselves in the culture of person-centered caregiving that was part and parcel of the Green House philosophy. In the years following that era, the financial downturn of the “Great Recession” rained on our parade of expanding onto the south campus. In 2013, our biggest loss when beloved Chaplain Norm Yeater perished in a car accident. In 2020, the pandemic struck, and by 2022 we were starting to recover from the pandemic and move forward again. Ups and downs. That is just the way life is.

This month I want to discuss two recent developments. The first is our second attempt to expand onto the south campus. For the past two years we have been struggling to get the land development approvals needed to move forward with our Fox Run expansion. On Tuesday, March the 20th, we finally crossed that finish line with both the County, North Londonderry Township, and with the Conservation District. We are fully engaged with our General Contractor, Arthur Funk and Sons, to start the project in earnest, and we should all see the dust clouds of construction very soon!! My personal thanks to both Francis Glynn and Tyler Weaber for holding everything together and moving that approval process forward to its successful conclusion.

The last development is the upcoming retirement of our Chaplain, Mary Eller. I am sure Mary would not allow me to classify this occasion as a “down” moment, but I think a moment of temporary sadness is in order. Mary came to us in November of 2014, a little more than a year after the tragic death of Norm Yeater, and following the interim one-year chaplaincy of Reverend Audrey Finkbinder. Mary Eller had a fine pedigree as both an ordained clergyperson in the Church of the Brethren, as well as a lengthy family involvement in the Lebanon Valley Brethren Home. We all quickly became familiar with Mary’s spiritual gifts for teaching, counseling, preaching, and singing, and for her talent in recruiting her husband (Reverend Enten Eller) to become involved in our worship services and special events. During the early days of the pandemic, Mary became the “voice” of Londonderry Village with her daily devotions and announcements made over our closed circuit TV system.

What I admired most about Mary, however, was her gift of presence for folks who were going through difficult times. She was here at all hours of the night sitting vigil with families and residents facing their terminal moments, holding hands with staff members whose worlds were falling apart, and always embodying and communicating the love of Jesus Christ for all of us. You cannot do any better than that as a chaplain. Best wishes, Mary, for your retirement starting May the 1st!



Thanks for Listening,

Jeff Shireman, President

Campus Information

What's New at the Stoneback Library

Beller, Misty

Brides of Laurent Series

#3 A Daughter's Courage

Connealy, Mary

The Lumber Baron's Daughters

#3 A Model of Devotion

Eason, Lynette

Extreme Measures Series 3

Critical Threat

Hannon, Irene

Triple Threat Series

#3 Body of Evidence

Hedlund, Jody

Colorado Cowboys Series

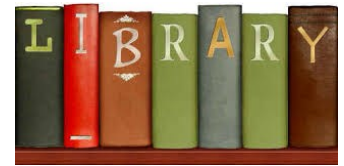
#4 Falling for the Cowgirl

Peterson, Tracie

Love on the Santa Fe Series

#3 Under the Starry Skies

Palmyra Library services are open!
Stop to browse for a good book to read!
Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM



Display Cabinet

March/April

Loose Moose & Friends

Kirby



The "Village Insider" with Francis: Monday, April 17 A Behind-the-scenes look at Environmental Services

KEEPING YOU
Informed

The third Monday of each month in the Di Matteo Worship Center Chapel from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, will be the "Village Insider" lead by Francis Glynn, Environmental Services Director. This meeting will cover a different topic each month discussing all departments within the Environmental Services team.

April's meeting topic will be a discussion on Grounds and Emergency preparedness.

No sign up is required. Mark your calendars now for the third Monday at 1:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center Chapel.

Come listen, learn, and ask questions. Discover the inside works to a very active department!

Questions: call Mary Lee at 3186.

Alert: Village Insider will be on Channel 4, YouTube, and recorded on Touchtown. We encourage audience participation for discussion and questions.

**BEHIND THE
SCENES**

Campus Information

Newsletter Reservations

A friendly reminder when filling out reservation slips. Please be sure to include your name (first & last) and all needed information on each slip.

If money is required, please place all monies into a sealed envelope. **Please cut all slips apart.** Place all reservation slips and envelopes into the IL Reservation Box, located on the wall across from the Snell CC Receptionist desk.

Thank you for your cooperation.

You are expected to attend the event if you signed up.

If you receive a telephone call, from either Trudy or Mary Lee, it is because the event has been filled. You will be placed on stand by for a possible opening. There is a listing of all resident trip reservations in the binder located at the Snell Community Center.

"Everybody Has A Story"

The most recent story added to the book is of Ed Wagner and Maria Papp. Remember, everybody has a story and we would like to hear yours. The books are located in the Snell CC Living Room and in the Library. The Brakes also have copies of all the stories to loan out to anyone to read at home. Please stop by, take a moment to read each story and learn some interesting things about our friends here at Londonderry Village.

Contact Jack or Pearle



Coming Soon!

The Quiz is Coming!!!

The **"Londonderry Village Community Quiz"** is a monthly game show presented by and for Londonderry Village residents, live in the Di Matteo Worship Center. To win prizes, two teams of two LV residents will answer questions from a variety of categories, including history, geography, current events, classic TV, movies, sports, cooking, music and more.

Audience members will have a chance to win, too. The quiz will be fun and informative.

To organize and present the game show, many on-stage and behind-the-scenes participants will be needed with a wide variety of knowledge, skills, abilities, talents and experiences.

And most of all, we will need LV residents to be contestants in the quiz.

To express your interest, fill out the reservation form in this newsletter and drop it in the IL Reservation Box, or you can call Bill or Gabriele.

SAVE *The* DATE

Save the date for the annual shred event at the North Londonderry Township Building: Saturday, May 13th from 9:00-11:00 AM. More information to follow in the May newsletter.

Campus Information

Shearer Family PlayPark



It is such a delight to see the Shearer Family PlayPark being used by residents, their families, and the wider community! Please continue to regard the PlayPark as your neighborhood gathering spot! The pavilion and fire pit at the PlayPark may be reserved by LV residents for family gatherings. The two accessible Pavilion picnic tables can easily handle up to ten people each. Simply call Terri Reppert at 717-838-5406 Ext. 3051 with your requested date and time.

If you want to use the fire pit, be sure to mention that to Terri, so Security can schedule an instructional time for you, as Security controls use of the fire pit. The natural gas fire pit can be used to heat anything that can be held on a roasting fork (e.g. marshmallows, hot dogs). A family restroom is available across the street.

For donor recognition opportunities; contact
Lisa Thomas at 717-838-5406 Ext. 3060 for more information.

Taylor Marie's Shopping & Fashion Event: Thursday, May 11

We will be having a shopping experience! How exciting for those that have not been able to go shopping at the area stores. Looking and touching fabrics can really be helpful when trying to find a new outfit. Taylor Marie's Shopping group was at the Village in the fall. They bring beautiful ladies clothing, in all different sizes, in order to purchase that day. Spring fashions and fellowship. We are planning to hold a fashion show from 1:00-2:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center Chapel on Thursday, May 11. The fashions will be worn by 10 of our residents willing to volunteer. The ladies will stroll around letting you see the outfits up close.

From 11:00 AM-2:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall, we will have "Open Shopping."

Stop in to purchase something new to brighten your day! There will be a 50% off area for the bargain shoppers. Please take time to sign up as a model for our fashion show experience! It is a lovely afternoon for fashion and friends.

This is a reservation event for the fashion show seating and preparations.

Please use the slip in this newsletter.

Questions: Contact Mary Lee at 3186 or Trudy at 3048.



There's always a certain type of excitement when you find an Easter egg, whether you're a child, or an adult. One of our residents thought she would like to share that joy with us. So keep your eyes out for a colorful egg, located inside the public areas of the building. If you see it, pick it up, it's yours to keep!



Campus Information

Ladore Lodge Seniors Vacation Update

The plans are moving forward to the Ladore Lodge vacation week from June 19 -24. We have 28 residents who made their non-refundable reservation for the 2023 adventure. We are now accepting checks for the final payments. The single room will be \$374 (minus) deposit of \$50 (=) balance \$324 each. The double room check is \$250 (minus) \$50 (=) balance \$200 each.



Checks are written to **LV-ILC**. We are looking forward to receiving information packets from Ladore Lodge on the week's activities. A wonderful week of relaxation and social fun is being planned. Please drop your check off in the IL Reservation Box across from the Community Center Reception Desk before May 19th, as the deadline.

Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186

Cafe Coffee with Friends

Monday-Friday 7AM-11AM

"Coffee-NO Charge"

"Friendship-will charge your heart"

Looking for morning inspiration?

Come to the Cafe, meet with friends, talk about the day ahead and enjoy simple times of good connections.



The IL Newsletter information must be turned in prior to the 15th of each month.

THANK YOU FOR FOLLOWING THE DEADLINE REQUEST.

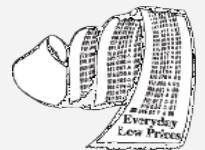
If you would like something printed in the monthly newsletter:

- IL Newsletter Article Submission Form
- **Email: bshowers@londonderryvillage.org**
- Place the information in the IL Reservation Box
- Turn in the information at any Receptionist Desk

Redner's Save-A-Tape Program

When checking out at Renders, **please be sure to use your Redner's Rewards card.**

We cannot use the Redner's receipts unless your Rewards card is presented at the time of check out.



Hershey LTC Pharmacy

Hours:

Monday—Friday

9AM—5PM

717-832-2050

Campus Information

The Café at Stoneback Library

Monday through Friday

Breakfast 7am - 10am / Lunch 11am-1pm

Saturday and Sunday

Lunch 11am - 2pm



If you have trouble reading the IL monthly newsletter due to poor eye sight, please contact

Mary Lee at 3186

or Trudy at 3048.

We will arrange a volunteer to read the newsletter to you.

For Peep's Sake,
have a very
Happy Easter!



Wooden Puzzles in the Café



Try your luck and skill to see if you can solve one or all of the wooden puzzles located in the Cafe copier area.

These puzzles are perfect for those with

Alzheimer's, dementia, stroke, or arthritis.

They are great for anyone who loves puzzles, but needs less pieces and an easy to hold tray that keeps the pieces in place.

What seems like a very simple puzzle can turn into quite a challenge!

Questions: Call Trudy at 3048

Miracle Ear: Wednesday, April 12 & 26

Appointments can be made for the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month.

April 12 - 1 PM to 4 PM

April 26 - 8 AM to 12 PM
in the Health Clinic.

Call Ashley for an appointment at (717) 270-8822 or stop in and see us.

We offer the following **FREE** services to Residents:

- Hearing Aid Cleanings
- Hearing Aid Adjustments
- Hearing Screenings
- Video Ear Inspections

Village Convenience Store—April

HOURS: 10 AM – 12:30 PM – MONDAY – FRIDAY



A time to celebrate life and all its blessings.

If you have not had a chance to sample any of our homemade Easter Eggs, now is the time to come into our store and try them. We have Butter Crème, Coconut Crème, Double Coconut, Peanut Butter, Peppermint, and Maple Walnut.

We also have a nice selection of Easter treats, including some homemade decorated Easter cookies that will be coming the first week of April.

This month we are going to be featuring Del Monte canned Citrus Salad. This is a 15oz. can and was \$2.50, now on sale for \$2.00 each.

Have you checked out our selection of frozen foods? We have a variety of breakfast items, dinners, fish, breaded chicken patties, ham loaves, meatballs from Pronios, and vegetables, just to mention a few of the items.

The Shoppers Delight \$10 gift certificate winners for the month of February.

Feb. 6th – David L.

Feb. 13th – Judy J.

Feb. 20th – Suzanne C.

Feb. 27th – Eleanor W.

As Irving Berlin wrote –

*In your Easter bonnet with all the frills upon
it you'll be the grandest lady in the Easter
parade.*



Until next month. THE TEAM

Greeting Cards



We hope you enjoy browsing through our collection of greeting cards. We try to have cards for most occasions and special events, With the days getting warmer, a "thinking of you" card would also brighten someone's day. Since the days are staying lighter longer taking a card to a friend should make your walk pleasant.

Have a good Easter. Your card team

Do you like to drive?

Would you be willing to help out the Convenience Store?

We are searching for a volunteer to drive to Shuey's in Lebanon, mornings, to pick up pretzels every 3rd Wednesday of the month.

If interested, please call Bonnie.



Speakers—Talks—Groups

Dr. David Jeremiah Series: April 13 & 27

Join us at 10 AM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.

Please join us for our April programs.

April 13 topic: God wrote His love in red.

April 27 topic: God loves you when He's correcting you. Hope to see you there.

No reservation required.

The Jeremiah Team

"God is too good to be unkind and He is too wise to be mistaken and we cannot trace His hand, we must trust His heart." —Charles Spurgeon



Caregiver Support Group: Thursday, April 13



Our next meeting will be an educational discussion presented by Elaine Carrigan, Regional Director, Continuous Home Care will present "Caregiver Dedication...Tips for YOUR Healthy Lifestyle while Caring for your Loved One." Elaine will be discussing the importance of taking care of the wellbeing of the caregiver.

Keeping the focus on the heart of a successful care giving situation is the strength of the person providing the care. Come to feel refreshed and appreciated in the good you are accomplishing caring for your spouse or family member. *Reservation required.*

We meet in the Theater Room at 2:00 PM on the second Thursday of each month.

Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186.

TED TALKS:

Wednesday, April 12 & 26

Join us in the Theater Room Wednesday, April 12 & 26 at 2:00 PM to be enlightened by the chosen topics. If you have a topic you would like to hear more about, share with others, or spark interest, submit your topic suggestions to Trudy at ext. 3048.

Topics for the month:



April 12:

What the discovery of exoplanets reveal about the universe.

A hilarious celebration of lifelong female friendship-Jane Fonda & Lily Tomlin.

Art of choosing.

April 26:

How to do laundry when you're depressed.

Sleep is your superpower.

Several short inspirational videos.

Health, Safety, & Prevention:

Tuesday, May 2

We will not be holding our regular HSP meeting during the month of April. There is a room conflict with our Easter Resident piano concert beginning at 2:00 PM.

Be sure to join us for a wonderful program.

We will meet again on Tuesday, May 2 with Sarah Ford, Director of Symbria PT Department. She has been certified as a licensed trained Lymphedema specialist in caring for this condition.

Lymphedema refers to tissue swelling caused by an accumulation of protein-rich fluid that's usually drained through the body's lymphatic system. It most commonly affects the arms or legs, but can also occur in the chest wall, abdomen, neck, and genitals. Come learn and understand about this tissue concern. There is treatment available here at Symbria PT Department.

We will be meeting in the DWC Chapel at 1:00 PM.

Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186 or Trudy at 3048.

Speakers—Talks—Groups

What's New w/Jeff & IL Quarterly Meeting

LV YOUTUBE, LV CHANNEL 4, OR JOIN US IN THE DI MATTEO WORSHIP CENTER/FELLOWSHIP HALL
FOR UPDATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS OF WHAT'S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS -

MONDAY, APRIL 10 @ 1:30 PM.

LOOKING AHEAD: WHAT'S NEW W/JEFF WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, MAY 4 @ 1:00 PM

*Copies of Jeff's remarks will be available at receptionist desks
and at the IL mailboxes.*

Conversations with Friends: Tuesday, May 9

The popular, well loved "Conversations with Suzanne" is returning! However, with a new leader and a different name. Cynthia Rhoad has graciously accepted the role of recreating this monthly program. The meeting each month consists of Cynthia interviewing one of our male or female residents. Following the interview, you are invited to chat and view some "treasures" which will be displayed.

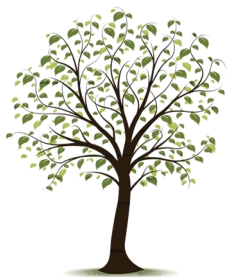
"Conversations with Friends" will be held every 2nd Tuesday from 1:00-2:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center. All men and women of LV are invited to attend. No reservations needed. Questions: Call Cynthia.

Touchtown Volunteer: Dale Good



Would you like to use the LV Touchtown system, but you're not sure how to access the site? Resident, Dale Good will be happy to guide you on how to use this communication system available from your personal computer or smart phone.

If interest, contact Dale.



Genealogy Help Available

Are you interested in genealogy and would like to explore your family tree, but just don't know exactly how to begin? Resident, Dale Good has an avid interest in genealogy and is willing to help. He will help you explore your family ancestries and histories.

If interested, please contact Dale.

Walking Groups: Tuesday & Thursday Afternoons

Walking groups are every Tuesday and Thursday at 1:00 PM. Please meet at the Snell CC fountain. There will be an indoor option and an outdoor option, weather permitting.

Questions: Call Mary at ext. 3210.



Speakers—Talks—Groups

Gleaners Bible Study: Monday, April 10 & 24

Women's Bible Study will meet on April 10 and April 24. The same lesson will be studied at 10:30 AM and 2 PM. Attend the time that best fits your schedule.

April 10 and April 24 will conclude our 2022-2023 study year. This year we have studied the 7 "I AM" statements of Christ as recorded in the Gospel of John. On April 10, we will have a review of the seven statements with emphasis on how our lives are changed when we answer, "YES" to the question that Jesus asked Martha, the sister of Mary and Lazarus. Jesus' question was *"Do you believe this?"* See John 11:26. Our final class for the year will be a

I AM

"The bread of life." - John 6:35
"The light of the world." - John 8:12
"The door of the sheep." - John 10:7
"The resurrection and the life." - John 11:25
"The good shepherd." - John 10:11
"The way, the truth and the life." - John 14:6
"The true vine." - John 15:1



GOSPEL OF JOHN

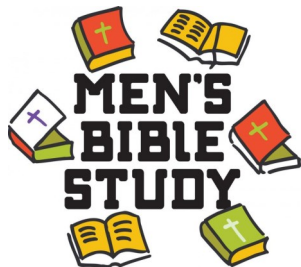
time of singing, a challenge from a gardener, (See John 15:1) as well as a look forward to our topic for our 2023-2024 season of study.

Note to those attending class April 24: Do do you have a favorite PSALM?

If you do, please come prepared to write the number of the Psalm on a piece of paper as part of the

class. Fall Classes will resume September 11th, 2023.

We will continue to meet at 10:30 AM and 2:00 PM. Location for the study will continue to be in Fellowship Hall. *All women are welcome* Questions? Call Ramona.



Men's Bible Study: Every Friday

Men's Bible Study meets every Friday at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. The Bible is our textbook and we will be asking questions and searching biblical answers that apply today while fellowshiping. Questions: Call Bob.

Ladies Afternoon Tea: May 15 & 22

Ladies afternoon tea will be held Monday, May 15 and Monday, May 22 at 2:30 PM in the Atrium. *The May reservation slip is in this newsletter.* You are welcome to bring your own beverage if you prefer something other than tea. Consider joining us for a time of conversation, tea and dessert. Your May invitation will be in your mailbox by the end of April.



Questions: Please Call Trudy ext. 3048.

W.I.T. Group: Tuesday, April 18

The W.I.T. (Women in Transition) group will now be meeting on the 3rd Tuesday of each month, rather than the 4th Tuesday.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 18th at 1:30 PM in the Theater Room.

W.I.T. is a group of women living with life changes surrounded by friends. Some examples are:

Moving to a new location, finding friends, learning to live with loss, adapting to physical changes and many other transitions through life. Come share with friends.

Questions: Call Jo.

Speakers—Talks—Groups

Bell Tones:

Thursday, April 6



The Bell Tones will be playing for the Easter Music Recital concert on Thursday, April 6th. Plan to be in the

Di Matteo Worship Center at 1:30 PM.

The practice for April 20th is cancelled due to the Volunteer Luncheon that day at 1:00 PM.

We can always use more ringers. Everyone is invited to participate. You do not need to read music as our bells and music are color coded. Come on out and join in the fun and help to make some great music.

Have questions, please call Bonnie.

Village Harmony:

Every Wednesday

The Village Harmony will be practicing every Wednesday at 10:00 AM in the Di Matteo Worship Center Chapel.

We welcome new members anytime.

The chorus is for both women and men vocalists.

Come join the fun!

Bring along a new friend to join our group of residents, who inspire through their voices, with beautiful harmonies, while creating terrific friendships!



Questions: call the Choir Director, Karen.

LV's Traditional Hand Bell Choir



LV has started our very own traditional hand bell choir under the directorship of Karen Umberger. The choir will have rehearsals every Friday at 11:00 AM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.

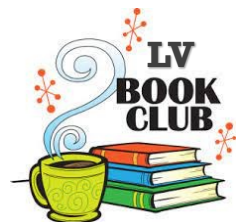
If interested in joining, please contact Mary Lee at 3186 or Trudy at 3048.

The interested candidate should be able to read music. Experience not necessary, training can be provided.

LV Book Club: Monday, April 24

The book club will meet Monday, April 24th at 3:00 PM in the Village Art Center.

The April book is, "Sea Swept," by Nora Roberts. If you need a copy of the book, please call Donna.



Veterans Club: Tuesday, April 18



The Veterans Club will be going to Harrisburg for a tour of the Capitol Building, Tuesday, April 18th. The bus will depart at 8:45 AM. Please call Chuck to reserve your spot:

Trips & Excursions

Walmart Shopping: First Tuesday of Every Month

The bus will leave from the Snell Community Center Entrance at:
No reservations needed.

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

JBT Bank: Every Wednesday

Every Wednesday the LV Bus will be available to take residents to do their banking at the JBT bank Branch located at Northside Commons.
The bus will leave Snell CC at 2:30 PM.

No reservations needed.

Questions: Call Trudy at ext. 3048

Friday Grocery Shopping

The weekly IL Resident grocery shopping trips leave from the Snell Community Center, however, if you request being picked up at the Wheaton Entrance, (or from a specific IL unit for residents that are no longer driving), it is your responsibility to call
Terri at ext. 3051 for a reservation.

WEEKLY GROCERY BUS SCHEDULE

Weis	8:00 AM every Friday
Redner's	8:30 AM every Friday
Giant & Karn's	10:00 AM every Friday

40 Diners: Friday, April 14

On Friday, April 14, the LV Bus will travel to Dutchway Buffet. The bus will depart Snell CC at 12:30 PM. Please arrive 15 minutes early for check-in and boarding. *Reservations required.*

Questions: Call Cynthia.



HOB: Tuesday, April 25

On Tuesday, April 25, the LV Bus will travel to TJ Rockwells. The bus will depart Snell CC at 12:30 PM. Please arrive 15 minutes early for check-in and boarding. *Reservations required.*
Questions: Call Cynthia.



Third Tuesday Shopping Trip: Tuesday, April 18



On Tuesday, April 18, the LV Bus will travel to Good's Store and JOY Bookstore.

Reservations required.

The bus will depart from Snell CC at 9:30 AM.

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

Trips & Excursions

Hershey Area Women's Connection:

Buffet Luncheon—Wednesday April 12, 2023

12:00 to 2:00 PM—\$20 (Pay at door) Hershey Italian Lodge



Menu

(Chicken Salad w/Croissant, Italian Wedding Soup, Crackers, Raw Veggies, Chips, Dessert, Coffee, and Tea)



Reservations Due by Thursday, April 6. Sign-up slip in this Newsletter.

Cancellations MUST be made by Monday NOON prior to the luncheon.

(Reservations NOT kept must be paid) LV Bus will leave Snell CC promptly at 11:15 AM.

Questions: Call Barb.

PROGRAM



“Spring Planting & New Flower Varieties” Dennis Burd from Hummelstown, PA, horticulturist and owner of Country Market Nursery for 40 years.

Our Speaker, Addie Bierly from Niagara Falls, NY., shares about her love of painting, traveling, reading, and sharing Jesus.

Highrise Apartment Elevators

Safety Guideline Policy

In order to prevent accidents,
Residents with scooters or pets
travel alone on the elevators.

Trips & Excursions

LCCC Concert Series: Reminder For Those With Season Passes

If you have a season pass for the 2022-2023 Concert Season, take note of the upcoming concerts:

Divas3-Sunday, April 2nd-3:00 PM.

Through the Years with the Kenny Rogers Band featuring Don

Gatlin-Sunday, April 16th-3:00 PM

Take me Home-The Music of John Denver-Sunday, April 30th-3:00 PM

The LV Bus will depart Snell CC at 2:00 PM.



SHORT NOTICE OPPORTUNITY: LCCC, Saturday, April 2, 16, & 30

The next Lebanon County Community Concert is Divas 3 (a celebration of the biggest hits by the greatest Divas in pop music history) on Sunday, April 2 at 3:00 PM at the Lebanon High School, 1000 S. 8th Street in Lebanon. Sunday, April 16 at 3:00 PM, the band that toured with Kenny Rogers for over 40 years will perform honoring Kenny and his Legendary Career! The last concert of the year will be The Music of John Denver, Sunday, April 30th at 3:00 PM.

For concert and ticket information, call 717-838-2812. The LV residents can get a single ticket for a reduced price of \$25.00 if they call. We can have their tickets at the "will call" table.

Layser's Green House: Every Monday & Thursday

The LV Bus travels to Layser's Green House every Monday and Thursday through the month of April. The bus departs Snell CC at 8:00 AM and returns approximately 12:00 PM. In appreciation for our volunteer service, Layser's provides us with beautiful flowers to sell at the LV Yard Sale. *Sign up was in January newsletter.*



If you did not sign up and are interested, please contact Gayle or Jim.

Please arrive at the Snell CC by 7:45 AM for check-in. The bus will depart sharply at 8:00 AM.



Trips & Excursions

Bible Fellowship Luncheon: Wednesday, May 3

The next Bible Fellowship Luncheon at Hershey Free Church will be Wednesday, May 3rd. Pastor Dave Hyatt will be the guest speaker. Dave has been working at Hershey Free in a pastoral role for about 15 years, serving for Campus Crusade for Christ for 11 years, and was recently working in the earthquake area in Turkey.



The bus will depart Snell CC at 10:15 AM. *Reservations required.* Sign up in this newsletter.

If you signed up for the April meeting, the guest speaker is Deb Hinkel, Director for Spiritual Formation and Family Ministry at Hershey Free Church.

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

Gretna Tabernacle Romantic Musical Comedy Play: Sunday, May 28

An exciting new play "Strictly Platonic" is a Hilarious Romantic Musical Comedy! "Finding the perfect woman has never been funnier!" The revues are wonderful that the music is delightful and the laughter is so genuine. How fun it is to have an evening that makes us feel good in our hearts while listening to terrific vocalists!



The play is at the Mount Gretna Tabernacle. We have discounted tickets at \$30.00 each. The LV Bus has 14 tickets. We can get discounted tickets for those driving by car, too. We will be leaving at 1:00 PM from the Snell Community Center entrance for the 2 PM show. If we do not fill the bus by April 28, this event will be open for friends and family members. The Mt. Gretna Tabernacle theater is for strong walkers on slate slide walks. *Reservation required.*

Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186.

Hershey Symphony Orchestra: Friday, April 28 Reminder



Join the Hershey Symphony Orchestra and Maestra Sandra Dackow for a gorgeous selection of Italian classics.

The performance will include Roman Carnival Overture by Hector Berlioz, "Summer" from Antonio Vivaldi's The Four Seasons, Giuseppe Verdi's "Anvil Chorus" from Il Trovatore, and Capriccio Italien by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky. Internationally-known violinist Holly Workman

will join us for this concert, as will the Hershey Symphony Festival Strings.

This one-time-only performance will be held on Friday, April 28, 2023, at 8 PM at the Hershey Theatre.

Reservation form was in March newsletter.

Tickets are \$15.00 for LV residents and family members.

The LV bus will be leaving from the Snell Community Center at 7:00 PM.

Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186 or Trudy at 3048.

Programs in the Di Matteo

Easter Music Recital: April 4 & 6

Join us once again for our annual Resident Easter Recital, which will feature piano, organ and the Bell Tones Handbell Choir. Come hear your fellow IL resident musicians as they perform their own unique style of Easter music. There will be a different program, with different performers, Tuesday, April 4th and Thursday, April 6th, so please attend both days. Each program will take place at 2:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.

No reservations needed.

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

Piano Music with Jim Correnti: April 11

If you enjoy beautiful piano music, this program is for you.

Jim Correnti will perform on the piano Tuesday, April 11th at 2:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center. *No reservations needed.*

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048



Music with Lee Moyer: Tuesday, April 18



All invited to a spring time music program with Lee Moyer on Tuesday, April 18th at 2:00 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.

Come and enjoy an afternoon of old time musical favorites.

No reservations needed. Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

Annville/Cleona Kids Chorus: Monday, April 24 at 7:00 PM

The Annville/Cleona Kids Chorus is returning to Londonderry Village. The students have missed seeing all the residents since being unable to perform since 2019.



The program is held in the DWC Chapel at 7:00 PM on Monday, April 24th. This dynamic group of 3rd and 4th grade students will share their wonderful talents. This performance will be upbeat and happy! The students look forward to be able to perform in front of an audience building confidence skills. The interaction is so

rewarding. Come enjoy a wonderful evening to engage with the youth of our local community. Enjoy! Questions: Call Mary Lee at 3186.

Programs in the Di Matteo

Inspiring Community Conversations: Wednesday, April 26



Join us for a free program to inspire conversations about advanced care planning. Lunch will be provided and guests will be given the choice to attend a screening of "Consider the Conversation" or to play "Hello", a surprisingly fun game about living and dying well. There will be five individuals to provide an educated and informed panel discussion with both groups.

Thank you to Hospice of Central, PA who has partnered with HIGHMARK and PennState Health to bring this vital program to Londonderry Village. The lunch is at 12:00 noon and the program will begin at 12:30 PM—2:30 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.

The event has limited seating. *Reservations are needed.* Complete your slip sooner than later!

Questions: Contact Mary Lee at 3186 or Trudy at 3048.



Zembo String Band: Monday, May 1



The Zembo String Band will take the LV stage Monday, May 1st at 2:30 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center. All are invited for an afternoon of dazzling string music.

No reservations needed. Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

LV Resident Musical Spring Concert: Wednesday, May 10– 2PM




Mark your calendars! We are looking ahead for the LV Resident Musical Spring Concert in May.

The performance will be the dynamic voices from our "LV Village Harmony" chorus and the beautiful tones from the "LV Handbell Choir". What an enjoyable concert that is planned with both hymns and nonsecular song favorites. Karen Umberger is the Director for both the chorus and the handbell choir. This concert is an afternoon of uplifting inspirational songs prepared through hours of dedicated practice. Come enjoy listening to an afternoon of uplifting music! The concert is in the Di Matteo Worship Center at 2PM. *No Reservation needed.*

Questions: Call Trudy @ 3048

April 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
<p><u>If you would like something printed in the monthly newsletter</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IL Newsletter Article Submission Form • Email: bshowers@londonderryvillage.org • Place the information in the IL Reservation Box • Turn in the information at any Receptionist Desk 		<p>Village Convenience Store Hours MONDAY—FRIDAY 10AM—12:30PM</p>	
<p>APRIL 2</p> <p>10am Chapel Service</p> <p>*2pm.....LCCC (Divas3)</p>	<p>APRIL 3</p> <p>*8am.....Layser's Greenhouse</p> <p>9am.....Monday Morning Art</p> <p>2-6pm.....Billiards</p> <p>2:30pm.....Ladies Tea</p> <p>3pm.....Open Wii Bowling</p>	<p>APRIL 4</p> <p>Trash - 8am</p> <p>*8/9/10am.....Walmart</p> <p>10am.....Sally Ann's Art Class</p> <p>1pmWalking Group</p> <p>2pm.....Easter Music Recital</p> <p>2pm.....Sequence</p> <p>6-8pm.....Evening Pinochle</p>	<p>APRIL 5</p> <p>10am.....Village</p> <p>*10:15...Bible Fe</p> <p>2-4pm.....Hand</p> <p>*2:30pm.....</p> <p>7pm.....Even</p> <p>Sing-a-long</p>
<p>APRIL 9</p> <p>10am Chapel Service</p> 	<p>APRIL 10</p> <p>*8am.....Layser's Greenhouse</p> <p>9am.....Monday Morning Art</p> <p>10:30am.....Gleaners Bible Study</p> <p>11am.....Rosary</p> <p>1:30pm.....IL Quarterly Meeting</p> <p>1:30pm.....What's New w/Jeff</p> <p>2pm.....Gleaners Bible Study</p> <p>2-6pm.....Billiards</p> <p>3pm Open Wii Bowling</p>	<p>APRIL 11</p> <p>Trash - 8am</p> <p>8am.....Blood Sugar</p> <p>1pm.....Conversations w/ Friends</p> <p>1pm.....Textile Group</p> <p>1pmWalking Group</p> <p>2pm.....Sequence Game</p> <p>2pm....Piano Music w/Jim Correnti</p> <p>6-8pm.....Evening Pinochle</p>	<p>APRIL 12</p> <p>10am.....Village</p> <p>*11:15am..Hersh</p> <p>1pm- 4pm.....</p> <p>2pm.....</p> <p>2-4pm.....Hand</p> <p>*2:30pm.....</p> <p>7pm.....</p> <p>(Myerstown CC</p>
<p>APRIL 16</p> <p>10am Chapel Service</p> <p>*2pm..LCCC (Kenny Rogers Band)</p>	<p>APRIL 17</p> <p>*8am.....Layser's Greenhouse</p> <p>9am.....Monday Morning Art</p> <p>1pm...The Village Insider w/Francis</p> <p>2-6pm.....Billiards</p> <p>2:30pm.....Ladies Tea</p> <p>3pm.....Open Wii Bowling</p>	<p>APRIL 18</p> <p>Trash - 8am</p> <p>8am.....Blood Sugar</p> <p>*8:45am.....Veteran's Capitol Tour</p> <p>*9:30am..3rd Tuesday Shopping Trip</p> <p>10am.....Sally Ann's Art Class</p> <p>1pmWalking Group</p> <p>1:30pm.....W.I.T.</p> <p>2pm.....Sequence</p> <p>2pm.....Music w/Lee Moyer</p> <p>6-8pm.....Evening Pinochle</p>	<p>APRIL 19</p> <p>10am.....Village</p> <p>2-4pm.....Hand</p> <p>*2:30pm.....</p> <p>7pm </p> <p>(Annville COB)</p>
<p>APRIL 23</p> <p>10am Chapel Service</p> <hr/> <p>APRIL 30</p> <p>10am Chapel Service</p> <p>*2pm.....LCCC (John Denver)</p>	<p>APRIL 24</p> <p>*8am.....Layser's Greenhouse</p> <p>9am.....Monday Morning Art</p> <p>10:30am.....Gleaners Bible Study</p> <p>2-6pm.....Billiards</p> <p>2pm.....Gleaners Bible Study</p> <p>3pm.....Open Wii Bowling</p> <p>3pm.....LV Book Club</p> <p>6pm..Game Night/Honor Students</p> <p>7pm..Annville Cleona Kids Chorus</p>	<p>APRIL 25</p> <p>Trash - 8am</p> <p>8am.....Blood Sugar</p> <p>10am.....Palm Lutheran</p> <p>*12:30pm.....HOB</p> <p>1pmWalking Group</p> <p>2pm.....Sequence</p> <p>6-8pm.....Evening Pinochle</p>	<p>APRIL 26</p> <p>8am-12pm.....</p> <p>10am.....Village</p> <p>12pm.....Comm</p> <p>2pm.....</p> <p>2-4pm.....Hand</p> <p>*2:30pm.....</p> <p>7pm </p> <p>(Harrisburg 1st</p>

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<p>* Off Campus Trips “Leave times”</p>	<p>APRIL 1</p> 
<p>Harmony Practice Fellowship Luncheon & Foot Card GameJonestown Bank Evening Worship/Easter</p>	<p>APRIL 6 Recycling - 8am *8am.....Layser's Greenhouse 1pmWalking Group 1:30pm.....Bell Tones Easter Music Recital</p>	<p>APRIL 7 Trash - 8am *8, 8:30 & 10am..... Grocery Trips 10am.....Men's Bible Study 11am....Traditional Hand Bell Choir 1:30pm.....Can you name 5 2pm.....EASTER Communion 2-4pm.....Bridge 5:30pm.....Mixed Art w/Cindy 6:30pm.....Movie (Amazing Grace)</p>	<p>APRIL 8</p>
<p>Harmony Practice Key Women's LunchMiracle EarTED Talks & Foot Card GameJonestown BankEvening Worship (DB)</p>	<p>APRIL 13 Recycling - 8am *8am.....Layser's Greenhouse 10:30am.....David Jeremiah Series 1pm...Walking Group 2pm.....Caregiver Support Group</p>	<p>APRIL 14 Trash - 8am *8, 8:30 & 10am..... Grocery Trips 9am.....Cards & Crafts 10am.....Men's Bible Study 11am....Traditional Hand Bell Choir *12:30pm.....40 Diners 2-4pm.....Bridge 6:30pm.....Movie (I Am Sam)</p>	<p>APRIL 15</p> 
<p>Harmony Practice & Foot Card GameJonestown BankEvening Worship</p>	<p>APRIL 20 Recycling - 8am *8am.....Layser's Greenhouse 12:45pm.....2023 Volunteer Recognition 1pmWalking Group</p>	<p>APRIL 21 Trash - 8am *8, 8:30 & 10am..... Grocery Trips 10am.....Men's Bible Study 11am....Traditional Hand Bell Choir 1:30pm.....Can you name 5 2-4pm.....Bridge 5:30pm.....Mixed Art w/Cindy 3pm.....Movie (Finding You)</p>	<p>APRIL 22</p>
<p>.....Miracle Ear Harmony Practice Community ConversationsTED Talks & Foot Card GameJonestown BankEvening Worship (COB)</p>	<p>APRIL 27 Recycling - 8am *8am.....Layser's Greenhouse 10:30am.....David Jeremiah Series 1pmWalking Group</p>	<p>APRIL 28 Trash - 8am *8, 8:30 & 10am..... Grocery Trips 9am.....Cards & Crafts 10am.....Men's Bible Study 11am....Traditional Hand Bell Choir 1:30pm.....BINGO 2-4pm.....Bridge 6:30pm.Movie (Rescued by Ruby) *7pm.....Hershey Symphony</p>	<p>APRIL 29 3pm.....Roger Lentz Spring Program</p>

Common Good – April 2023



⁶He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay.

Matthew 28:6
King James Version

<p>Sunday Chapel April 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30</p>	<p><i>10 am attend in person in the DiMatteo Worship Center or tune in on LV Channel 4</i></p>
<p>Evening Worship Wednesdays April 5, 12, 19 and 26</p>	<p><i>7 pm attend in person in the DiMatteo Worship Center or tune in on LV Channel 4</i></p> <p><i>April 5: Easter Sing-a-Long</i> <i>April 12: Myerstown CoB</i> <i>April 19: Annville CoB</i> <i>April 26: Harrisburg First CoB</i></p>
<p>Friday <u>April 7th @ 2 pm</u></p>	<p><i>Easter Communion Service</i> <i>DiMatteo Worship Center</i> <i>or tune in on LV Channel 4</i></p>
<p>Monday, <u>April 10th @ 11:00 am</u></p>	<p><i>Recitation of The Rosary</i> <i>in the DiMatteo Worship Center</i></p>
<p>Tuesday, <u>April 25th @ 10 am</u></p>	<p><i>Communion with Palm Lutheran Church</i> <i>in the DiMatteo Worship Center</i></p>

In Loving Memory



As part of a caring community, we grieve losses and want to stay connected. In this time, it is more challenging to remain informed about those who died.

As a new feature in the newsletter, we will include names of those who are gone from us physically, but whose lives we want to remember in thoughts and prayers.

Due to newsletter deadlines, dates span the 16th of one month through the 15th of the next month.

We extend our sympathy to the families of:

Alfred Fortna, who died February 9, 2023

Joyce Tilley, who died March 3, 2023

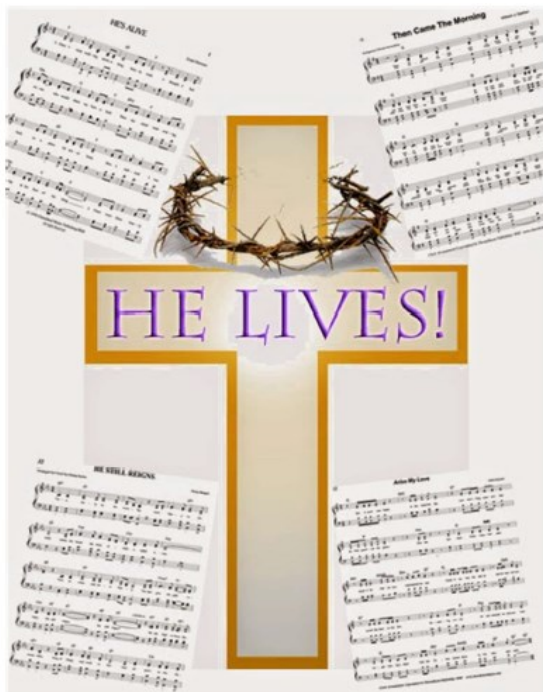
Joyce Garrett, who died March 5, 2023

Roderic Dodge, who died March 6, 2023

Linda Webber, who died March 9, 2023

Lauren Reber, who died March 9, 2023

Raymond Cameron, who died March 10, 2023



On Wednesday, April 5th at 7:00 PM, join us in a Easter Sing-a-Long with Bonnie Harris at the piano, and Tillie Phillipy at the organ.

Attend in the Di Matteo Worship Center, or view on Channel 4.

Join us as we sing beloved Easter hymns, which will evoke within us memories of Easters from our past.



Friday Movies – Movies are closed captioned

Join us in the Di Matteo Worship Center. Questions: Call Trudy at ext. 3048



Amazing Grace - Friday, April 7 at 6:30 PM

In 18th-century England, House of Commons member William Wilberforce and his close friend and a future prime minister, William Pitt begin a lengthy battle to abolish Great Britain's slave trade. Though Wilberforce's legislation is soundly defeated in 1791, his growing affection for Barbara Spooner inspires him to take up the fight once more. Amazing Grace follows Wilberforce's career through his 20s and 30s, as he and his fellow humanitarians make the issue of slavery a talking point, not only in political circles, but also throughout the country. They wage the first modern political campaign, using petitions, boycotts, mass meetings and even badges. Released in 2007/Rated PG/1 hr. 58 min.

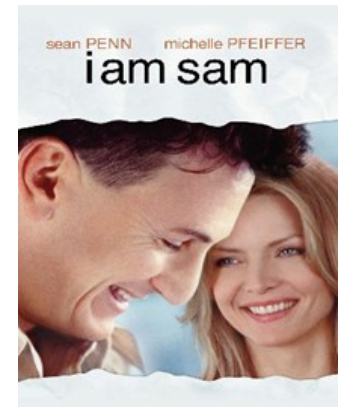
THIS IS GOOD FRIDAY WITH AFTERNOON COMMUNION; THIS MOVIE WILL BE SHOWN ON APRIL 7 AT 6:30 PM

I Am Sam - Friday, April 14 at 6:30 PM

An Inspired true story used by novelist to write this novel

A true story about a disabled father that sparked the idea for "I Am Sam" in Nelson's co-writer, Kristine Johnson. "I thought it was an incredible metaphor for what every parent must feel," says Nelson, married and the mother of a 7-year-old daughter. A mentally challenged father fights for custody of his daughter. Against all odds, this movie was a hit.

A wonderful story with a special ending. Released in 2002/PG-13/2hr. 14 min.



Finding You - Friday, April 21 at 3 PM

When her audition for an elite New York Conservatory goes awry, aspiring violinist Finley Sinclair travels to a quaint Irish coastal village for a semester abroad program. At the B&B of her host family she encounters charming heartthrob movie star Beckett, who is there to film another dragon-style movie. Finley's honesty inspires Beckett to pursue his true passion. An amazing conclusion to this story.

Released in 2021-- Rated PG/2 hr. 10 min

Rescued by Ruby 'Inspired by a True Story' - Friday, April 28 at 6:30 PM

If you like dog stories you will love this true story. If you don't like dog stories you will love this dog story. It is a very special dog story and what a surprise ending! A great movie for everyone. Released in 2022/Rated G/1 hr. 33 min.

At the end of the movie, you will be able to finish this sentence:

A rescue dog Ruby became a _____!



Village Art Center



Textile Group

Tuesday, April 11

All interested sewers, quilters, knitters, crocheters... please join us! The group will meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 1:00 PM in the Village Art Center.

We will work on different projects throughout the year, which will be donated to local charities. No reservations needed.

Questions: Call Lynn.



Cards & Crafts

Friday, April 14 & 28

The craft group meets the 2nd and 4th Friday at 9:00 AM in the Village Art Center.

The group creates crafts for the season to decorate the PC Dining Room, as well as crafting other unique items.

Materials provided.

Questions: call Trudy ext. 3048

Healthy Puzzle Working Friends

All our puzzle working friends! Please check your floors before you are finished admiring your puzzle. There may be a stray piece on the floor. We are losing one piece on a regular basis. Why one piece, you ask? I have no idea, but it has become quite common.

If there is a missing piece be sure the area is circled on the front of the box. We have a collection of lost pieces that never seem to be the missing piece. Another one of life's little mysteries!

Keep working on your healthy brain exercises by doing a puzzle a week. It really does make a difference! See you at the puzzle pick up and drop off. We are in search for more 300 piece puzzles for my happy "Thrift Shopping Friends"! Thank you! from your LV Puzzle friends!



Community Puzzle Tables

Several puzzle tables are set up in the Village Art Center. Stop by to work on a puzzle, the door is open to sit and work.

Mixed Art with Cindy: Friday, April 7 & 21

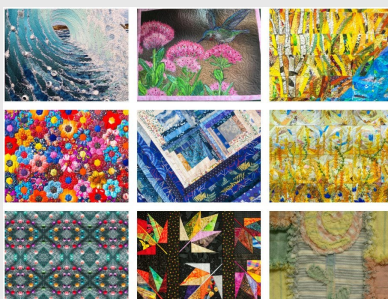
Mixed Art with Cindy will be held on the FIRST & THIRD FRIDAY of the month from 5:30-7:30 PM in the Village Art Center. The project for the month will be fiber arts weaving.

Friday, April 7 & Friday, April 21

Reservations required.

Sign up in this newsletter.

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048



Sally Ann's Art Class

Sally Ann's art class is starting up again:

1st and 3rd Tuesdays beginning April 4 from

10-11 AM in the Village Art Center. Look for sign up slips in your IL Mailboxes. Questions: Call Trudy at 3048

Fun & Games



Can You Name 5?:

Friday, April 7 & 21

Join us as we begin a new game, "Can You Name Five?" It's an outrageous game asking you the easy questions you know the answers to. Sure, you know 1, but can you name 5? 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at 1:30 PM in the Theater Room. All invited! No reservations needed.

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048



Games of Choice: Saturday Afternoons in the Atrium

Join us for an afternoon of game playing of your choice, every Saturday in the Atrium from 1:00-4:00 PM. Feel free to bring your own game if you would like.

Questions: Call Becky.

Sequence: Every Tuesday

Every Tuesday 2:00-4:00 PM in the Studio.

If you don't know how to play this easy to learn game, we can teach you!

All are welcome to join.

Questions: Call Joan.

Bocce

LOOK for start date in the May newsletter.

Mondays: 10:00 AM/Wednesdays: 1:00 PM

Thursdays: 1:00 PM *Please contact Dale.*



Billiards

Every Monday and Thursday 6:00 PM In the Billiards & Game Room Pick-up style games.

GOLFERS

Time to think about playing golf. Would you like to play golf with a group of Londonderry Village residents? If so, please call Jim Williams at 717-215-4647. The plan is to play each Thursday from May through September at different courses, weather permitting.

Game Night w/Honor Society Students Monday, April 24

Join us for game nights with the Palmyra High School National Honor Society students. We will meet every 4th Monday in the Café from 6 - 7:30 PM. If you enjoy playing board games with a lively group of young people, this is the evening for you. Come join the fun on Monday, April 24! *No reservation needed.*

Questions: Call Trudy ext. 3048

Bingo: Friday, April 28

BINGO will be played Friday, at 1:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Come and join in the fun!

Questions: Call Trudy at ext. 3048.

Reservations are required.



Bridge

Every Friday, 2-4 PM in the Studio. Pick-up style game. (Please arrive about 1:45 PM).

Call Jay with questions.

Evening Pinochle

Every Tuesday 6:00 - 8:00 PM In the Studio

Pick-up style games.

(Please arrive about 15 minutes early).

Hand & Foot Card Players: Every Wednesday

Hand & Foot will return every Wednesday, at 2:00 PM for all that are interested.

Questions: Contact Betty.

Wii Bowling: Every Monday

Wii Bowling is held every Monday in the Studio. Games begin at 3:00 PM, and the group is always looking for new players.

Please call Judy with questions or if you'd like to learn how to play!



IL Community Notes

INDEPENDENT LIVING COMMUNITY NOTES

ESTATE/YARD SALE

The Londonderry Village Yard Sale or more appropriately, the Estate/ Yard Sale is by far the largest fund raiser for Londonderry Village. It is also one of the largest yard sales of its kind in Central Pennsylvania. All of the income from the sale goes to the Good Samaritan Fund, which benefits our residents who may have run out of money for their care.

It was started in 1999 in one of the homes and was held on Saturday only with receipts of \$6,141. By 2009 it was expanded from Wednesday thru Saturday.

Arlene Wagner was the chair of the Estate/Yard Sale for many years followed by Joan Theal, and in 2023, Ivan Hanson. The total receipts through 2022 are \$924,590.

We are looking forward to going over \$1,000,000 in 2023!

The dates this year are May 31 (for residents, families and staff), and June 1-3 for the public. There are some physical changes made recently for safety in the barn area. Also a new 14' x 16' shed will be in place for the sale to provide more room for items.

It takes a lot of volunteer help to make the sale successful. There are volunteers that work all year round and many more are needed during the sale days.

If you are asked to help, hopefully you will be able to during the sale, even for an hour or two. You can also contact Ivan Hanson at 717-813-3418 to find out where help is needed.

There is no better way to get to know and socialize with other residents than by volunteering for this annual event.

Of course, we have to have people come to the sale to purchase the items. We have a lot of very good merchandise to be sold. There is jewelry, collectibles, furniture, household goods, pictures, lamps, baskets, books, Christmas items, electronics, plants, outdoor items, tools, and much more, and there is food, of course.

To get buyers to come, we need to make them aware of the sale. This is done by letting your friends know, putting posters out in the community, and through newspapers, etc. You can contact Linda Sprandel at 717- 641-3565 if you can take a poster to a church, business, or other locations.



PARCR MEETING

On **Wednesday April 12**, Londonderry Village will host about 100 delegates from 26 retirement communities that make up the Pennsylvania Alliance of Retirement Community Residents (PARCR). They will be arriving starting at 9 AM, have a meeting in the Di Matteo Worship Center, followed by lunch. After lunch, some of the delegates may be touring our facilities. If you see them with a name tag, welcome them to Londonderry Village.



LV QUARTLY MEETING

Our next quarterly meeting of the ILC is scheduled for Monday April 10 at 1:30 PM in the Di Matteo Worship Center. We will be introducing our new residents who have moved to Londonderry Village in the past few months.

Housekeeping Corner

This month the Housekeeping Department will be featuring our Castagna & Royer Greenhouse Housekeeper.



Jackie has been an employee here at Londonderry Village since November 16, 2011. She is the primary Housekeeper of Castagna & Royer Houses. She has been married to her husband Greg for close to 26 years. She has a daughter named Claudia and she will be turning 24 years old in a few months.

There are 2 fur babies in her household, cats of course! One cat is named Chelsea, and she will be turning 18 in May, and the other cat is named Poe, and will turn 6 in April. In her leisure time, Jackie loves crafting and cross stitching.



Have a Happy Easter celebrating life and all its blessings,
Housekeeping & Laundry Department

If you are interested in having your carpet cleaned or spot cleaned please contact: Stephanie Boltz, Housekeeping & Laundry Supervisor, at extension 3705. We will discuss your carpet cleaning needs, hourly fee, and schedule an appointment time that works best for you.

I will be looking forward to hearing from you!!

Have a great day!!

LV Auxiliary News

Village Boutique

Hours: M—W—F—S

1 PM to 4 PM

Happy Easter to our loyal customers and to the LV residents who come into the Village Boutique to shop or just to say “Hi” to our friendly clerks. We appreciate your business and thank you for stopping in. The Easter bunnies are busy hopping around the Boutique getting ready for our spring and summer season changeover. If you are still looking for a

winter item, look no further. The Boutique will be selling everything for a \$1 each, starting April 1st until April 15th.

The Boutique will close on *April 17th for the spring and summer changeover and will re-open on April 19th* with many colorful and beautiful spring and summer clothing.

Come in and check out all of our lovely donations.



Annual Project Reminder

The project selected for our fundraising in 2023 is a wheelchair accessible bike for the healthcare portion of our campus. The Auxiliary is looking for donations this year to support this project as we are no longer raising funds through membership.

Please consider giving to this worthwhile project as your circumstances permit.

Make checks payable to: (Londonderry Village Auxiliary), and put them in an envelope and drop in the IL Reservation box at Snell Community Center.

The Auxiliary looks forward to your support.



IL Auxiliary Quarterly Meeting

The next quarterly meeting will be in the Di Matteo Worship Center/Fellowship Hall on Saturday, May 6 at 9 AM. We look forward to your attendance at this meeting.



*Sometimes
inspiration comes
from a single ray
of sunshine*

Art Gallery Wall Display

Art Gallery Wall Display

If you are one of the many talented artists here at LV, it's time to display one of your master pieces for all to enjoy. Art work should be a personal piece of art hand made by the RESIDENT ARTIST. The art hanging system is specially designed to securely hold the art treasure(s) you have saved in your home.

The drop off of new art AND pick up of current art (from the art wall) will be on **Wednesday, April 19th from 9:00-11:00 AM in the Di Matteo Worship Center.**

Our volunteers and staff will help hang the pictures for display.

The procedure is as follows:

1. Bring framed art work or other hand-able art work.
2. Have a registration form signed and completed.



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Registration Art Work Form

Bring form with you on April 19th along with your art work.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Name of Art Work _____

Not for sale _____ For sale _____ Price \$ _____

Art work is freely shared for display by LV residents. The LV administration is not responsible for the art work hung on the walls viewed by the general public.

Artist Signature _____

REMEMBER TO BRING THIS FORM with you on April 19th

IL Committee Notes

Londonderry Village Trash

We have a great group of dedicated residents who pick up trash at the duplexes and cottages every Tuesdays and Fridays in all kinds of weather all year around including holidays.

(Apartments work differently for trash pickup since they have a common area for trash)

There are two teams starting at 8 AM and within an hour all of the duplex and cottage trash is picked up and taken to the barn and put in the big containers. It sure beats having the large trash trucks on our streets any time of the day.

There are six residents that regularly make up the trash teams, along with some substitutes. They can always use substitutes to fill in when necessary. If you would like to join the trash detail as a regular or as a substitute, contact El.

Thank you trash teams for you service to Londonderry Village.

Recycle

One important function that our residents are committed to is recycling. There are six residents that pickup recyclables every Thursday from the duplexes and cottages, including holidays. An exception would be newspapers and cardboard during wet weather. Can you imagine handling wet newspaper and cardboard? Mushy and slimy. In wet weather, hold newspaper and cardboard to a future dry Thursday.

(Apartments work differently for all recyclables since they have a common area to put recyclables)

Ivan Hanson administers are recyclable program. He keeps us up to date on what can be recycled. They can always use additional resident help on Thursdays for pick up and sorting recyclables. If you have an interest and want to help, even if it is only once in a while, contact Ivan Hanson. If you can't commit full time, you may want to be a substitute helper.

We like to recycle as much as possible to keep items out of landfills. We also receive some funds for recyclables that go to the Good Samaritan Fund. Thanks to the dedicated recyclable teams for your service to Londonderry Village.

If you have any questions about what items are recyclable, contact Ivan.





Reservation Forms– Drop in IL Reservation Box

First & Last Name and cut the forms apart!



Mixed Art w/Cindy– Friday, April 7 & 21 @ 5:30 PM (pg26)

DL: ASAP

Name _____ Phone number _____

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*Hershey Women's Connection– Wed., April 12 @ 11:15AM (pg15)

DL: Apr. 6

Name(s) _____ Phone number _____

I/We use the following walking aids: Walker ☐ Rollator ☐

Bus _____ Drive _____

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Caregiver Support Group - Thursday, April 13 @ 2 PM–(pg10)

DL: Apr. 13

Name _____ Phone _____

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*40 Diners: Friday, April 14 @ 12:30 PM (pg14)

DL: Apr. 10

Name _____ Phone _____

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*3rd Tuesday Shopping– Tuesday, April 18 @ 9:30AM (pg14)

DL: Apr. 17

Name _____ Phone number _____

☐ rollator ☐ walker

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Londonderry Village Community Quiz – Coming Soon (pg5)

No deadline

Name _____ Phone _____

I'm interested in: ____ being a contestant ____ working behind the scenes

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Volunteer News

Volunteer Recognition Week is Monday, April 17th through the 21st

This special week of the year is to honor our Volunteers for all they are doing to "Make A Difference" here at Londonderry Village.

Special occasions are made to make sure we take the time to pause and give thanks. In our busy lives, giving praise seems to slip by most of the time. So pause, read, and give thanks to our VOLUNTEERS for all they are doing to benefit our lives!

There is not a day that goes by that a volunteer is not doing something to help another person here at LV. The staff depends on so many talented residents giving back with their expert skill sets and dedication to caring for others needs. Our LV Volunteers are constantly seeking ways to provide assistance, their willingness to lend a hand to temporarily help someone with a need, to have the vision to create ways to engage with other residents, to complete time saving jobs on a regular basis, providing bus transportation, leading committees, keeping our campus clean, walking friends, helping to keep our hearts and minds focused on the Bible, performing by voice, piano or organ, orchestrating a major Estate Yard Sale, sewing and hemming, running the Convenience Store, The Village boutique, and this list can just keep going on and on and on! Volunteers Give endlessly!

Take the time to "SAY THANK YOU" to all our volunteers serving all who live and work at LV!

Volunteers truly find their purpose in giving and growing with a more enlightened outlook by all that is accomplish.



VOLUNTEERS are at the heart of our village!

Londonderry Village Volunteer Recognition 2023

Di Matteo Worship Center Thursday, April 20

Luncheon doors open at 12:45 PM for 1:00 PM

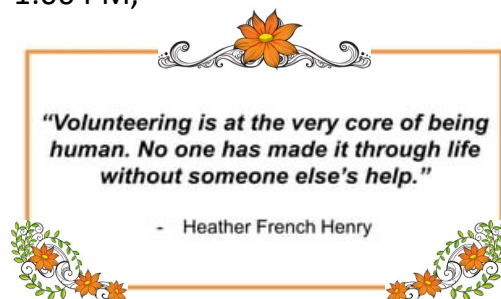
Volunteers Needed: Player Piano in PC

Volunteers needed to play the player piano on the Personal Care unit from 12:30-1:00 PM. In order to play the piano, it does take physical endurance, as you are pumping the pedals with your legs in order to make the music play. This would be a great opportunity for a man looking for a volunteer task, or a husband/wife team. You will be providing musical enjoyment during their lunch time. If you are available and willing any day during the week from 12:30-1:00 PM, please contact Trudy at ext. 3048. Thank you for considering.

Volunteer Applications

Have you found your volunteer calling? Ignite your heartfelt energy to find your mission in joining the many friends volunteering in our Londonderry Village Volunteer Program.

Stop by Trudy Kern's office or call her at extension 3048. Trudy is our Resident Service Coordinator located across from the Wellness Center. All service hours need to be documented so we know who is volunteering at LV. You may pick up an Individual Record Keeping Booklets at the Snell CC desk. Your Volunteer Application along with a pamphlet on many volunteer opportunities is ready to be picked up!





Remember to cut ALL forms apart!



Reservation Forms– Drop in IL Reservation Box

PLEASE ENTER “FIRST AND LAST” NAME ON SLIP

*HOB: Tuesday, April 25 @ 12:30 PM (pg14)

DL: Apr. 21

Name _____ Phone _____

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Community Conversations: Wed., April 26 @12PM (pg19)

DL: Apr. 14

Name _____ Phone number _____

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BINGO! - Friday, April 28 @ 1:30 PM–(pg27)

DL: Apr. 25

Name _____

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*Bible Fellowship Luncheon: Wed. May 3 @ 10:15 (pg17)

DL: Apr. 28

Name _____ Phone number _____

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Taylor Marie Fashion Event: Thur., May 11 @ 1PM (pg6)

DL: Apr. 21

Name _____ Phone number _____

Attending ☐ Will Volunteer to Model ☐

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Ladies Afternoon Tea– Monday, May 15 & 22 @ 2:30PM (pg12)

DL: May 10

Name _____ Phone number _____

May 15 ☐ May 22 ☐

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*Gretna Tabernacle: Sunday, May 28 @ 1PM (pg17)

DL: Apr. 28

NAME: _____ Phone: _____

Cost is \$30 PP Cash _____ Check# _____ (Payable to LV –ILC)

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AH TECHNOLOGY!

Cell phone technology and I are not friends, and here's why. I miss calling an office or a business and talking to a person, instead of a computerized voice which is part of a system to drive me nuts! Either I'm not asking the right question, or the automated system doesn't have the answer I need.



There are many of us that remember the days when you could get connected to the party you wanted to talk to by simply telling the operator the number and a person answered at the other end. Those days are long gone, and they certainly are missed.

Recently, I had to call a company about a problem I was having with an item not being delivered within the time promised. After a frustrated period of time, trying to dance around their multiple prompt choices, I finally was able to speak to an actual breathing, heart pumping, human being that informed me that I had the wrong company and the company I wanted was part of a group of companies, and she would give me the information needed to speak to the correct company.

So, lucky me, I got to start all over again and go through the same process again, only this time the person I talked to solved my problem, which by this time, I was lucky to remember what my problem was!

Some advances in technology, intended to make life easier for us, only frustrates me. I ask myself why do I have to press 1 – 4 choices in English when I'm going to be transferred to someone I can't understand anyway?

A computer once beat me playing checkers, but it was no match for me at kick boxing!

Me too!

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Insurance Review

2023 Insurance Review

As we enter April 2023 and the glorious Easter season, we continue to pray for country, our leaders—internationally, nationally, state & local...but specifically for their salvation!

As we approach April 15th (April 18th tax filing deadline) please be sure you have all your tax documents needed to file State & Federal tax return, if applicable. Also, on insurance coverage, I have had a few questions about why folks are paying out amounts for either their health care or prescription drug coverage that they did not pay in 2022. Please remember at the start of the New Year—and possibly new plan for some folks—will involve a deductible reset, whether on your Medicare Supplement plan (Part B has a new deductible for 2023 of \$226 that Medicare will not cover their 80% until you pay the deductible) or your Prescription Drug plan—typically for brand name or specialty medications, which varies from \$100 up to \$505 depending upon your plan.

If you have any questions on insurances, Medicare or other financial issues, please call or visit me in the Theater Room in the Community Center Friday mornings.

Please call first to confirm that I am available.



Mike Landis, Insurance Counselor
Theater Room—Fridays 9AM to Noon
Cell: (717)949-6534 or Office: (717)471-5862
mlandis@balsins.com



Hymn Puns

The Dentist's Hymn Crown Him with Many Crowns
The Weatherman's Hymn..... There Shall be Showers of Blessings
The Contractor's Hymn..... How Firm a Foundation
The Tailor's Hymn..... Holy, Holy, Holy
The Politician's Hymn Standing on the Promises
The IRS Agent's Hymn I Surrender All
The Gossip's Hymn It is No Secret
The Electrician's Hymn Send the Light
The Shopper's Hymn In The Sweet, By and By
The Realtor's Hymn I've Got a Mansion Just Over the Hilltop
The Massage Therapist's Hymn..... He Touched Me
The Pilot's Hymn I'll Fly Away
The Paramedic's Hymn..... Revive Us Again
The Judge's Hymn Almost Persuaded
The Psychiatrist's Hymn..... Just a Little Talk with Jesus
The Waiter's Hymn..... Fill My Cup, Lord
The Baker's Hymn..... When the Roll is Called Up Yonder
The Shoe Repairer's Hymn It is Well with My Soul
The Geologist's Hymn..... Rock of Ages
The Librarian's Hymn..... Whispering Hope
The Mail Carrier's Hymn..... Deliverance Will Come
The Nurse's Hymn Rescue the Perishing
The Telephone Operator's Hymn..... Jesus on the Mainline
The Fisherman's Hymn..... Shall We Gather at the River?

Safety, Security, & Transportation

Happy Easter everyone!



Wishing everyone a healthy, happy, & safe holiday!

Andy, Dennis, Jennifer, Jeremy, Julia, Marc, Rob, Scott, & Shawn

HAPPY
Easter

Happy Easter from your
Transportation Department

Andy, Roger, Terri, Wayde, and Alicia.

Stay Safe and enjoy the holiday
and Spring weather.

Helpful Hints for April

- ⇒ Always close your garage door.
- ⇒ Do not leave your key fob in your vehicle.
- ⇒ Never leave valuables in plain sight in your vehicle.
- ⇒ Wear reflective clothing when walking on campus.
- ⇒ Wear a helmet and reflective clothing if bicycling on campus roads.
- ⇒ Keep your cell phone charged.
- ⇒ Always wear your pendant.

Stay Safe everyone and Happy Spring to all.

Andrew Bacha

Security and Safety Supervisor

MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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