

# Pottstown Parks and Recreation Newsletter and Community Programs

## Summer 2013

610-970-6608 • 610-970-6618

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e-mail us at [pottsparks@pottstown.org](mailto:pottsparks@pottstown.org)

### ALL DAY SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP

*It is never too early to plan...*

**Because of the extensive renovations to Pottstown School District buildings all camps have relocated...to Edgewood Elementary**

7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
June 11 – August 30, 2013\*\*  
12 weeks Monday thru Friday  
No camp on July 4 • 4k – 6th Grades / Ages 5 - 13

Registration Fee: \$40.00 for first child,  
\$35.00 for each additional child  
Cost: \$95.00 per child per week\* Resident  
or \$20.00 per day.  
\$105.00 per child per week\*Non-resident  
or \$22.00 per day.

Half-day rates are: 7:30 am – 12:00 pm,  
\$10 daily or \$45 weekly  
and 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm, \$15 daily or \$65 weekly.

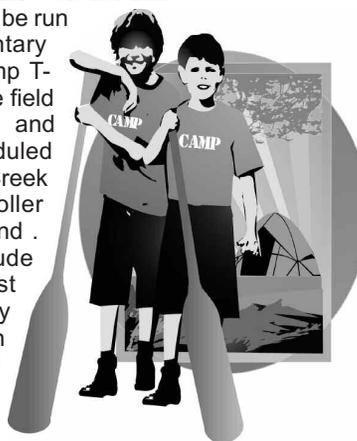
\*\*Start date is dependent on the final day for Pottstown School District.

\*for an additional fee of \$10.00 per week per child, children may remain at the site as late as 6:00 p.m.

Camp Location: Edgewood Elementary School, Morris and Mintzer Streets (Next to Hill Tennis Courts on Beech Street) Pottstown.

Pottstown Parks and Recreation is pleased to offer recreation, sport, and arts and craft activities from June 11 – August

30, 2013. The program will be run at Edgewood Elementary School. Price includes camp T-shirt, all Summer Adventure field trips, breakfast, lunch, and afternoon snack. Scheduled field trips include French Creek Park, Ringing Rocks Roller Rink, and Dutch Wonderland. Afternoon activities include swimming at West Pottsgrove Community Pool, the Fountain of Youth Spray Park at Memorial Park, bowling, miniature golf, roller skating, and the movies. For an additional fee of \$10 per week children may remain at the site until 6:00 p.m.



You only pay for the weeks that your child attends, but pre-registration is required. For more information call 610-970-6608 or 610-970-6618. Payment must be received the Friday prior to the week of attendance. VISA and MasterCard accepted.

#### HALF DAY SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Lunch served at 12:00 p.m.  
Dismissal at 12:30pm  
June 17 – July 26, 2013  
6 weeks Monday thru Friday  
No camp on July 4  
4k – 6th Grades / Ages 5 - 13

The Summer Adventure Half Day program will be located at Edgewood Elementary School. The rate for the 6 week half day program is \$50.00 for the first and second child in the family, and \$10 for each additional child. The price includes a camp t-shirt and a field trip to Ringing Rocks Roller Rink. A trip to Dutch Wonderland and French Creek Park are available at an additional charge.

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## 3rd Annual Pottstown Pet Fair Saturday, September 21



**9 am - 2 pm  
Free Public Event!  
Memorial Park**

Interested vendors please contact  
**Bill Sharon at**  
[bsharon@pottstown.org](mailto:bsharon@pottstown.org)



The Greater Pottstown Tennis Association will be running summer camps, clinics, leagues, mixers, and tournaments this summer. Information will be available at [www.gptatennis.com](http://www.gptatennis.com). GPTA also provides private lessons and racquet stringing. If interested please contact [Kerriann@gptatennis.com](mailto:Kerriann@gptatennis.com). Junior teams are forming now.

We will be running our annual US Open Bus Trip on August 28. Tickets are \$110 per person.

For more information, visit [www.gptatennis.com](http://www.gptatennis.com). Like us on Facebook!

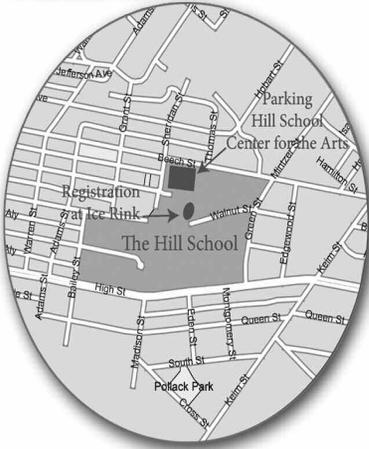
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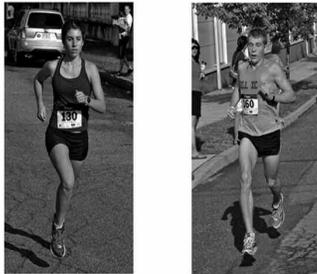
## 28th Annual Pottstown Patriotic Run

**WHEN** Thursday, July 4, 2013  
Registration: 7:00 A.M.  
Race Begins: 8:00 A.M.

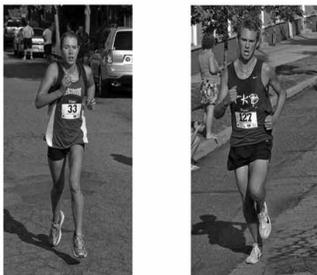
**WHERE** Parking - The Hill School  
Center for the Arts  
Beech & Sheridan Sts.  
Pottstown, PA 19464



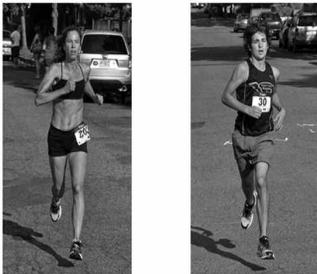
### 2012 "Winners"



First Place



Second Place



Third Place

**COURSE** Certified road course on rolling Pottstown streets, starting and finishing at The Hill School.

**TROPHIES** First overall male and female and 1st, 2nd, 3rd male and female trophies

**AGE GROUPS**  
14 & under 25-29 45-49  
15-18 30-34 50-54  
19-24 35-39 55-59  
40-44 60+

**FEE** \$20 - Postmarked before 6/22  
\$25 Race Day - After 6/22  
FREE with \$50 pledge

Mail entry form and payment to:  
Pottstown Parks & Recreation  
100 East High St  
Pottstown, Pa 19464

**SATURDAY  
JUNE 22ND**

\$100 per team - Men's PRO  
\$80 per team - Women's PRO  
\$65 per team OTHER

Men's PRO AA A BB B  
Women's PRO AA A BB B

**MORE Divisions!  
MORE Prizes!**

**SUNDAY  
JUNE 23RD**

\$65 per team - CO-ED  
\$120 per team - QUADS

CO-EDS: AA A BB B  
QUADS: AA A BB B

**MORE Divisions!  
MORE Prizes!**

\$50 per team CO-ED JUNIORS:  
18 & U 16 & U 14 & U 12 & U



**MISTY MAY IS COMING TO THE RUMBLE!**

**DREAM IN GOLD  
JUNIOR CLINIC  
THURSDAY, JUNE 20TH**

18 & U 16 & U 14 & U 12 & U

FOR MORE DETAILS VISIT  
[pottstownrumble.com](http://pottstownrumble.com)

**JUNIOR TOURNAMENT  
FRIDAY JUNE 21ST**



**REGISTER AT [www.pottstownrumble.com](http://www.pottstownrumble.com)**



**Increased Cash & Prizes  
Over \$25,000**

**SPALDING**  
EQUIPPED UP THE PRIZE MONEY...

**PRO DIVISION PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE CASH PRIZES**

Place	Men's	Women's*
1st	\$5,000	\$2,000
2nd	\$3,000	\$1,000
3rd	\$1,500	\$500
4th	\$1,500	\$500
5th	\$500	\$100
6th	\$500	\$100
7th	\$500	\$100
8th	\$500	\$100
9th-16th	\$200	

\*Subject to full field of 16 teams. Check the website monthly for cash increases.



**FEATURING PLAYERS PARTY AT THE PARK**

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# F.Y.I. Events

## FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH SPRAYGROUND

Basic Rules & Guidelines  
Hours of Operation 10 a.m. to Dusk

The following rules and guidelines have been established for your personal safety. A certain degree of self-conduct and self-policing is required. The rules have been developed and posted for the express purpose of insuring the maximum enjoyment of all. Anyone found to be not in compliance with the posted rules will be asked to leave and face the possibility of being temporarily or permanently removed from the facility.

First Aid kits and diaper changing stations are located in the Men's and Women's lavatories. Ask an adult for help!

Persons with infectious diseases that may be transmitted by pool water are prohibited. (28 Pa. code 18.53)

Patrons should shower before entering the sprayground area.

No Lifeguards on Duty, participate at your own risk! No running, pushing, or rough play!

Food is not permitted in the actual spray ground area.

Please discard all trash and recyclables in the proper disposal units that have been provided.

Children 12 years and younger must be supervised by a parent or guardian.

Glass containers are strictly prohibited in the pool spray ground area.

Do not partake in sprayground activities during severe weather conditions such as electrical storms.

Please report any and all concerns or violations of these basic rules to the Parks and Recreation Department 610-970-6608

This facility was built and intended as a "free" amenity for the enjoyment of the residents of the Borough of Pottstown. Your cooperation and positive personal conduct is needed to ensure that the facility remains as such.

## TRILOGY SKATE PARK RULES Hours of Operation: Dawn to Dusk

Only Skateboards, in-line skates, and rollerskates allowed.

All other uses are prohibited.

Know your limits and abilities. You are responsible for your safety.

Proper safety helmet is required.

Wrist guards, knee and elbow pads are highly recommended.

No glass containers.

No alcohol, tobacco products, or illegal substances allowed.

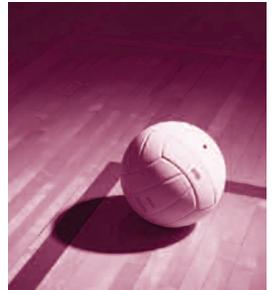
Dispose of trash properly.

All other park rules and ordinances apply.



## INDOOR ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

These leagues are played with teams of six players. Both leagues run from approximately September to April. Sunday night is played at Franklin Elementary School with mid level skills. Sunday is co-ed. Monday night is played at Pottstown Middle School with advanced level skills. Monday is gender blind. Each team plays 3 or 4 games per night dependent upon the number of teams. Rules are enforced by a referee. For information call **Dave Romig** 610-327-3598 or 610-850-3363.



**SUMMER in the PARK**  
at the Bandstand at Memorial Park  
All performances 7:00 pm  
Admission: FREE

### July 10, 2013 – Magician Tom Yurasits

Tom Yurasits has taken his show around the country performing in 24 different states, coast to coast. He uses twenty years of experience to entertain and amuse you using magic and illusions, live animals, audience participation, and comedy.

### July 24, 2013 – Two of a Kind

An award-winning husband-wife duo, TWO OF A KIND presents concerts for families and children of all ages, including songs, puppets, movement, and stories - all with an emphasis on interaction and participation. Themes of songs and stories range from reading & books, friendship and animals to social issues such as the environment, conflict resolution and diversity. TWO OF A KIND helps audiences of all ages feel that they can create music and that they can make a difference in the world. TWO OF A KIND has appeared all over the country at performing arts centers, concert series, folk clubs, festivals, schools, libraries, camps, aquariums, zoos, museums, daycare centers, political rallies, special events and on radio and television. They have shared the stage with artists such as Pete Seeger, Peter, Paul and Mary, Trout Fishing in America, John McCutcheon, Kim & Reggie Harris, Sally Rogers, Magpie, Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer and Charlie King. They look forward to singing with you!



## Wings of Victory Outreach Corp. Baltimore Fun Day



**Lexington Market is a historic landmark between Eutaw, Lexington, Greene and Saratoga Streets (a two city block footprint) and has operated on this site since 1782. The Market provides fresh meats, seafood, poultry, groceries, specialty items and prepared foods for take-out and on-site consumption. 140 merchant stalls are located in the Market.**



**The bus will be leaving at 8:00 a.m. from Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 240 Mintzer Street, Pottstown PA 19464, and it will be returning from Baltimore at 4:00 p.m. Enjoy the day full of shopping, museums, and more all in walking distance.**

If you have questions, contact: Lynn Flamer: 610-779-5632, [a.flamer@aol.com](mailto:a.flamer@aol.com), and Carla Day: 484-624-4284. <http://www.wingsofvictoryoutreach.org>

**This fundraiser will help those experiencing homelessness.**

Join us for a bus trip to:

- Lexington Market
- Baltimore Inner Harbor
- Special Event & Music

**June 29, 2013**

**Price: \$45 per person**



## Wings of Victory Outreach Corporation

Presents a

### Third Annual Gospel Concert Fundraiser to Fight Homelessness



**Date:** Saturday, May 18, 2013

**Time:** 2:00 p.m.

**Free Will Offering**

**Location:** Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 240 Mintzer Street

Pottstown, PA 19464

<http://www.wingsofvictoryoutreach.org>



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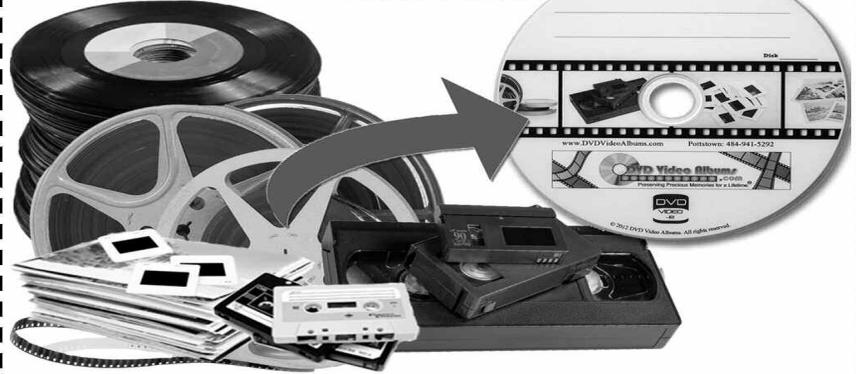
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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

### RECYCLING OF COMPUTERS, COMPUTER MONITORS, TELEVISIONS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Because of technological advances that have turned every household into an electronics haven, many people are asking how they can recycle or properly dispose of their old or unusable electronic devices.

Many consumer electronic products contain heavy metals such as lead, cadmium and mercury as well as other materials that are better kept out of the environment. In fact, the typical cathode ray tube computer monitor (non-flat screen model) contains four to seven pounds of lead. Televisions, depending on their size, may contain even more lead.

#### The Covered Device Recycling Act

A new state law was passed in November of 2010, the Covered Device Recycling Act (Act 108 of 2010), or CDRA, which addresses the recycling and disposal of certain "covered" electronic devices in Pennsylvania. "Covered Devices" include desktop and laptop computers, computer monitors, computer peripherals, and televisions.

The most notable impacts of the CDRA on Pennsylvania residents will be the establishment of commonwealth-specific manufacturer collection and recycling programs for covered devices and the upcoming disposal ban.

**Manufacturer Recycling Programs** - Beginning Jan. 1, 2012, manufacturers of covered devices sold or offered for sale in Pennsylvania are required to make collection programs available to Pennsylvania residents for the recycling of their covered devices. Though not required, retailers may also offer collection programs. Both manufacturer and retailer collection programs for covered devices are required to be free of charge, unless a coupon, rebate or other financial incentive of equal or greater value is supplied.

**Disposal Ban** - Beginning Jan. 24, 2013, landfills and other solid waste disposal facilities in Pennsylvania will no longer be allowed to accept covered devices or their components. The CDRA requires that these devices be recycled from that point forward. The disposal ban may affect the curbside collection of these items by municipal waste pickup programs, unless the program is specific to electronic materials.

(Note: Costs for permanent collection sites and one-day events sponsored by your county or local municipality will continue to be off-set by grants from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), if they are not part of a manufacturer program.)

Though these new recycling requirements for computers, monitors and televisions will not take effect until Jan. 1, 2012, DEP urges citizens to know the facts and take steps now to "reduce, reuse and recycle" these and other electronic devices, rather than discard them.

For instance, in the case of computers, DEP strongly recommends that residents:

- **Reduce** the need to purchase a replacement computer by buying one with ample capacity for upgrades, selecting one that offers a buy-back option, or leasing instead of buying.
- **Reuse** a computer, for example, by giving it as a gift to a student graduation or other occasion, by selling it through the want-ads, or by donating it to a school or a nonprofit organization.
- **Recycle** a computer by taking it to a collection location that will send it to an electronics recycler.

#### Why can't I just put my electronic devices out with the trash?

Prior to Jan. 24, 2013, DEP regulations do not prohibit households from setting electronic devices out with regular household trash; and even when the disposal ban goes into effect, it will apply only to desktop and laptop computers, computer monitors, computer peripherals and televisions. However, DEP urges you to do your part for the environment by recycling or reusing as many of your electronic devices as possible in order to limit the number of those items and their hazardous components from entering the environment through landfills and other disposal activities.

If you must discard an electronic device, DEP urges you to check with your municipality or county recycling coordinator to find out about local options for proper disposal. To find information on your county recycling coordinator, visit DEP's website at [www.depweb.state.pa.us](http://www.depweb.state.pa.us). Select 'Waste,' 'Recycling,' 'Public Resources,' and then 'County Recycling Coordinators,' or contact the Recycling Hotline at 1-800-346-4242.

#### Who would want my used computer? It's an old model and it doesn't have many programs.

Remember, "One person's junk is another person's treasure." Because of the advent of computers, most businesses and even high school students don't use typewriters anymore. A friend, your children, a non-profit organization or a school might appreciate having your old computer, even if just for word processing.

#### Where can I take my electronic devices for recycling?

Many electronic items such as cell phones, computers and televisions can be recycled at local retailers that sell the items. And, beginning Jan. 1, 2012, the CDRA requires that retailers of computers, computer monitors and televisions provide customers with information on how and where to recycle these devices. You can also continue to recycle your electronics at local municipal or county recycling events.

DEP maintains lists of various electronics recycling opportunities and collection locations on its website including county, municipal, non-profit, and retailer and manufacturer sponsored collection programs. To view the current list, visit [www.depweb.state.pa.us](http://www.depweb.state.pa.us) and select 'Electronics Recycling' from the 'DEP Programs A - Z' menu.

#### I don't want computers to end up in our landfills. What can I do to help?

Encourage your friends to join you in upgrading their computers when possible or in having their old computers properly recycled. Become aware of those around you who could benefit from the donation of a computer. Ask your municipality to consider sponsoring an annual or semi-annual collection of electronics if they do not already do so, or utilize your municipal electronics collection events or permanent collection sites if they are already established.

DEP offers grants to municipalities of up to 50 percent of the developmental and operational costs associated with an electronics collection.

#### Where can I get more information?

For more information on the CDRA, visit [www.depweb.state.pa.us](http://www.depweb.state.pa.us) (select 'Electronics Recycling' from the 'DEP Programs A - Z' menu), contact the **Recycling Hotline** at 1-800-346-4242 or contact:

Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Waste Management  
Division of Waste Minimization and Planning  
Rachel Carson State Office Building  
P.O. Box 8472  
Harrisburg, PA 17105-8472  
Telephone: 717-787-7382

For more information, visit [www.depweb.state.pa.us](http://www.depweb.state.pa.us), keyword: Electronics Recycling.

**FACT SHEET**

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## FREE Summer Food Program for children & youth

### 2013



# Food that's in, when school is out! FREE breakfast & lunch

Join us for our FREE summer feeding program  
(Ages 18 months to 18)

### Participating Sites...

Edgewood Elementary School  
Pottstown Public Library  
Bright Hope Community  
Memorial Park (Lunch ONLY)  
additional sites TBD

Monday thru Friday  
June 11 - August 23

\*Sites will not serve meals on Thursday, July 4th  
in observance of Independence Day\*

Breakfast - 9am - 10am  
Lunch - 12 pm - 1 pm



The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) was established to ensure that low-income children continue to receive nutritious meals when school is not in session. Free meals, that meet Federal nutrition guidelines, are provided to all children at approved SFSP sites.

### TONS OF FREE FUN IS COMING TO THE LIBRARY THIS SUMMER!

Starting on June 17th, kids & teens of all ages can sign up for our Summer Reading Program. Prizes are earned throughout the summer just for reading! We have some awesome ones, like free McDonalds, Ritas, pizza, & soft pretzels. Plus we've got your school summer reading covered – stop in to get started.

Here are some of our awesome programs we'll be offering. This isn't everything – you'll have to stop into the library to get a full schedule of events!

- Storytimes – days & times to be announced.
- Family movie afternoons & Saturday programs to be announced.
- Plus the always fun END OF SUMMER Party in August!
- Monday afternoons – Brown Bag Book Club
- Tuesday afternoons – Teen crafts & movies!
- Wednesday Morning Performances – they're open to all ages & they're completely free! Wednesday mornings at 10:30:

June 19 – Give & Take Jugglers  
Amazing jugglers and aerial artists!

June 26 – Mystery Surprise

July 10 – Brainwash Game Show

Brain Wash Game Show is the hot, new, ever changing, interactive trivia fun for everyone! Loaded with Trivia, Video, Music, Facts, POP-culture, Puzzles and more.

July 17 – IllStyle and Peace

A hip hop dance group that promotes positivity. A brief history of hip hop dance is presented with fun and exciting professional dancers.

July 31 – Everybody Needs a Home presented by the Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University  
Food, water, shelter, space—all creatures need a habitat that provides these things. Meet several animals from different habitats and discover how these needs are met. Also explore how animals depend upon and relate to one another within a habitat.

· Thunder Thursdays – Thursday afternoons at 4pm – Teen programs!

· Fun Fridays – Friday mornings at 10:30am – crafts for kids of all ages  
June 21, June 28, July 5, July 12, July 19, July 26, August 2

· Science in the Summer  
July 22 to July 25. Registration begins on June 17th! Open to kids that have completed 1st grade up to 5th grade.

Specific dates, times, & events are still to be determined. Stay tuned to our website (<http://ppl.mclinc.org>) or friend us on Facebook (<http://www.facebook.com/prplibrary>) for more information!

## News from the Borough

### ATTENTION POTTSTOWN RESIDENTS

#### TRASH, RECYCLING AND YARD MATERIAL PICK-UP SCHEDULE

TRASH will be collected only once per week. Trash customers were supplied with 96 Gallon totes. The tote will provide residents with a large container to hold trash for one week. All trash will need to be placed in the tote for collection and no other containers will be emptied. The tote is the property of the contractor and shall not be marked in any manner. \*\*RESIDENTS, please close the tote lid after the trash has been removed. This eliminates the holding of unnecessary water and the presence of foul smells.\*\*\*\*

In the event that a holiday falls on a Monday or Tuesday, each collection would be pushed back one day. If Wednesday is a scheduled yard material day then it would be dropped. If the holiday falls on a Thursday or Friday, each collection would be pushed to the next day.

If your trash collection previously was Monday & Thursday, it is now collected only on Mondays. Tuesday-Friday trash customers are now collected only on Fridays. Trash is no longer collected on Tuesday or Thursday.

**NO BULK ITEMS** are to be placed in the 96 gallon totes. Bulk stickers must be purchased at Borough Hall for all bulk items.

**RECYCLING COLLECTION** remains the same, Tuesday for the north and west sides, and Thursday for the south and east sides of the Borough. The single stream recycling program has reduced the amount of trash that the Borough has to pay to send to a land fill. Increasing our recycling will help reduce the cost of trash disposal and increase our recycling rebate.

**YARD MATERIAL/S** will now be collected on Wednesday for the entire Borough.

Yard Material collection began in April, and will be collected on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month, and will continue through October. Yard material is a separate pick up from trash or recycling and is taken to a composting facility.

No materials of any type other than yard material should be put into the biodegradable bags. This would include such items as plant containers, plastics for weed barrier in flowerbeds, paper items, construction wood, etc.

Do not use any type of duct or plastic tape to secure the bags. Please tie bundles with a non-metal type of material.

No grass clippings will be picked up. Grass is not easily composted and will not be collected as a yard material or as a trash item.

**For questions, contact the Public Works Department at 610-970-6527.**

ORDINANCE NO. 2107

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 203, ADDITIONS AND AMENDMENTS TO CODE, OF PART 2, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE, AND SECTION 303, ADDITIONS TO CODE, OF PART 3, INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE, BOTH OF CHAPTER 5, CODE ENFORCEMENT, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN, AS AMENDED, TO REQUIRE APPROVED ADDRESS NUMBERS ON THE REAR OF CERTAIN BUILDINGS THAT ARE VISIBLE FROM ALLEYS AND/OR HALF-STREETS.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of same as follows:

**SECTION 1.** A new subsection M, shall be added to Section 203, Additions and Amendment to Code, of Part 2, International Fire Code, of Chapter 5, Code Enforcement, of the Code of the Borough of Pottstown, as amended, to modify Section 505.1, Address Identification, of Section 505, Premises Identification, of Chapter 5, Fire Service Features, of the International Fire Code, 2009 Edition, to read as follows:

§505.1 Address Identification.

New and existing buildings shall have approved address numbers, building numbers or approved building identification placed in the position that is plainly legible and visible from the street or road fronting the property and to the rear of properties visible from alleys and half streets. These numbers shall contrast with their background. Address numbers shall be Arabic numbers or alphabetical letters. Numbers shall be a minimum of four inches high with a minimum stroke width of .5 inch. Where access is by means of a private road and the building cannot be viewed from the public way, a monument, pole or other sign or means shall be used to identify the

**SECTION 2.** Section 303, Additions to Code, of Part 3, International Property Maintenance, of Chapter 5, Code Enforcement, of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Pottstown, as amended, is hereby amended to add a new subsection to modify Section 304.3, Premises Identification, of Section 304, Exterior Structure, of Chapter 3, General Requirements, of the International Property Maintenance Code, 2009 Edition, to read as follows:

§304.3 Premises Identification.

Buildings shall have approved address numbers placed in a position to be plainly legible and visible from the street or road fronting the property and to the rear of properties visible from alleys and half streets. These numbers shall contrast with their background. Address numbers shall be Arabic numerals or alphabet letters. Numbers shall be a minimum of four inches high with a minimum stroke width of .5 inches.

**SECTION 3. REENACTMENT.**

All the remaining provisions of Chapter 5, Code Enforcement, of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Pottstown, as amended, to the extent not inconsistent herewith, are hereby reenacted and reordained.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment.

ENACTED and ORDAINED this 11th day of FEBRUARY, A.D., 2013.

THE BURGESS AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN

BY: Stephen W. Taony

ATTEST: Virginia S. Toland

Approved this 11th day of FEBRUARY, A.D., 2013.

Dennis Heath  
Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 2108

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BURGESS AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN TO CREATE A NEW PART 15 ENTITLED "VACANT PROPERTY REGISTRATION" OF CHAPTER 5, CODE ENFORCEMENT, TO BECOME PART OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN, AS AMENDED.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of same as follows:

**SECTION 1.** A new Part 15, Vacant Property Registration, shall be created, as part of Chapter 5, Code Enforcement, of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Pottstown, as amended, and which shall provide as follows:

Part 15  
Vacant Property Registration

§1501. Background/Legislative Intent.

- The Borough of Pottstown contains numerous structures that are presently vacant and unoccupied.
- Since 2007, the Borough has actively attempted to correct problems associated with vacant properties through its use of the Blighted Property Review Committee.
- The Blighted Property Review Committee has targeted in excess of 100 buildings and structures that are vacant and are blighted by definition pursuant to the Pennsylvania Urban Redevelopment Law.
- The tools of the Blighted Property Review Committee are limited by the provisions of the State Law.
- It has been ascertained and determined through the work of the Blighted Property Review Committee that in many cases, owners or other responsible parties for these structures and buildings are neglectful of them and are not maintaining or securing them in adequate standards or restoring them to productive use.

criminal activity, can increase the risk of fire, and generally pose an increasing concern for public health.

- The Borough incurs a disproportionate cost in order to deal with the problems of vacant and abandoned structures, which would include but not be limited to property inspections, fire calls and police calls.
- Borough Council has determined that vacant and/or unoccupied structures cause severe harm to the health, safety and welfare of the community, including the diminution of neighboring property values.
- Borough Council finds that it is in the public interest to establish minimum standards of accountability on owners or other responsible parties of vacant and abandoned structures/buildings in order to protect the health, safety and general welfare of the residents of the Borough of Pottstown.
- It is in the public interest for the Borough of Pottstown to impose a fee in conjunction with the registration ordinance for vacant and abandoned buildings, in light of the disproportionate costs imposed on the Borough by the presence of these structures.

**§1502. Title.** This Ordinance shall be known as the "Vacant Property Registration Ordinance of the Borough of Pottstown", and shall govern the maintenance of vacant properties in the Borough of Pottstown, establish registration requirements and levy a registration fee on the owners of vacant properties.

**§1503. Definitions.** For purposes of this Part, the following terms shall have the following meanings indicated:

**OWNER** - "Owner" shall mean a holder of title, in fee simple, to residential, commercial or industrial real estate who possesses and/or controls the real estate. This term shall include, but not be limited to, heirs, assigns, and beneficiaries, provided this ownership interest is a matter of public record.

**VACANT PROPERTY** - "Vacant Property" shall mean any building or structure which is not legally occupied or at which substantially all lawful construction operations has ceased, and which is in such condition that it cannot legally be re-occupied without repair or rehabilitation; provided, however, that any property that contains all building systems in working order and is being actively marketed by its owner for sale or rental, shall not be deemed vacant. Buildings that qualify as vacant property shall have one or more of the following conditions, as reasonably determined by the Borough Code Enforcement Office:

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1. Condemned, requiring a code compliance inspection;
2. Unoccupied and unsecured for five (5) days or more;
3. Unoccupied and secured by means other than those normally used in the design of a building for thirty (30) days or more;
4. Unoccupied with multiple housing, maintenance, fire or building code violations existing for thirty (30) days or more;
5. Unoccupied more than three hundred and sixty-five (365) days with an Order having been issued to correct a nuisance condition pursuant to Borough Code; and
6. A vacant commercial or residential building or structure which is unable to receive a Certificate of Occupancy due to work stoppage or expired permits.

**§1504. General Requirements.**

- A. Effective September 1, 2013, the owner of any vacant property, as defined herein, shall within sixty (60) days after the building becomes vacant, or within sixty (60) days after assuming ownership of the vacant property, whichever is later, file a registration statement for each such vacant property with the Code Enforcement Office on forms provided by the Code Enforcement Office for such purpose. The registration shall remain valid for one year from the date of registration. The owner shall be required to renew the registration annually (based upon the initial registration date), as long as the building remains vacant property and shall pay a registration or renewal fee in the amount prescribed by Borough Council.
- B. Any owner of any building that meets the definition of vacant property prior to September 1, 2013, shall file a Registration Statement for the property on or before October 31, 2013. The Registration Statement shall include the information required under Section 1505 below, as well as, any additional information that the Code Enforcement Office may reasonably require.
- C. The owner shall notify the Code Enforcement Office within thirty (30) days of any change in the registration information by filing an amended Registration Statement on a form provided by the Code Enforcement Office for such purpose.
- D. The Registration Statement shall be deemed prima facie proof of the statements therein contained in any administrative enforcement proceeding or any court proceeding instituted by the Borough against the owner or owners of the building.

**§1505. Registration Statement Requirements; Property Inspection.**

After filing a registration statement or a renewal of a registration statement, the owner of any vacant property shall provide access to

management of the building. If such person is different from the owner holding legal title or authorized agent. The sign shall be of a size and placed in a location as to be legible from the nearest public street or sidewalk; and

- C. Secure the building from unauthorized entry and maintain the sign until the building is, again, legally occupied or demolished or until repair or rehabilitation of the building is complete.
- D. On or before December 1<sup>st</sup>, winterize the building, which should include disconnecting gas, shutting off electric power and draining plumbing fixtures and water pipes. The Borough may also direct the shutoff of water service at the curb box. The owner shall be notified, in writing, prior to discontinuing the water service, and any costs incurred by the Borough will be applied as a lien to the property.

**§1507. Fee Schedule.**

The initial fees associated with this ordinance are set forth below. Any future changes in fees shall be made by Resolution of the Pottstown Borough Council from time to time.

TYPE OF BUILDING/STRUCTURE	INITIAL REGISTRATION FEE	FIRST RENEWAL FEE	SECOND RENEWAL FEE	ANY SUBSEQUENT RENEWAL FEE
Single Family Dwelling	\$75.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 275.00
Registered Multi-Family Dwelling	\$200.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 400.00
Industrial/Commercial Building less than 10,000 sq. ft.	\$250.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 450.00
Industrial/Commercial Building greater than 10,000 sq. ft., but less than 20,000 sq. ft.	\$500.00	\$ 550.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 700.00
Industrial/Commercial Building between 20,000 sq. ft. and 40,000 sq. ft.	\$750.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 850.00	\$ 950.00
Industrial/Commercial Building greater than 40,000 sq. ft.	\$1,000.00	\$ 1,050.00	\$1,100.00	\$ 1,200.00

The Borough may collect any and all unpaid fees associated with this ordinance in any manner permitted by law, including the right to file a Municipal Lien Claim against the vacant property.

the Borough to conduct an exterior and interior inspection of the building to determine compliance with applicable Borough Codes, following reasonable notice, during the period covered by the initial registration or any subsequent renewal.

- A. The registration statement shall include the name, street address and telephone number of a natural person, 21 years or older, designated by the owner or owners, as authorized agent for receiving notice of code violations and for receiving process, in any court proceeding or administrative enforcement proceeding, on behalf of such owner or owners in connection with the enforcement of any applicable code. This person must maintain an office in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, County of Montgomery. This statement shall also include the name of any person responsible for maintaining and securing the property, if different.
- B. An owner who is a natural person and who meets the requirements of this ordinance, as to location of residence or office may designate him or herself as agent.
- C. By designating an authorized agent under the provisions of this section the owner consents to receive any and all notices of code violations concerning the registered vacant property and all process in any court proceeding or administrative enforcement proceeding brought to enforce code provisions concerning the registered building by service of the notice or process on the authorized agent. Any owner who has designated an authorized agent under the provisions of this section shall be deemed to consent to the continuation of the agent's designation for the purposes of this section until the owner notifies the Code Enforcement Office of a change of authorized agent or until the owner files a new annual registration statement. The designation of an authorized agent in no way releases the owner from any requirement of this ordinance.

**§1506. Requirements for Owners of Vacant Property.**

The owner of any building that has become vacant property, and any person maintaining, operating or collecting rent for such building that has become vacant shall, within thirty (30) days:

- A. Enclose and secure the building against unauthorized entry as provided in the applicable provisions of the Code of the Borough of Pottstown, or as set forth in the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Pottstown Borough Code Enforcement Office to supplement those codes; and
- B. Post a sign affixed to the building, indicating the name, address and telephone number of the owner, the owner's authorized agent, for the purpose of service of process, and the person responsible for day-to-day supervision and

**§1508. Rules and Regulations.**

The Pottstown Borough Code Enforcement Office and/or the Borough Manager may impose Rules and Regulations necessary for the administration of this ordinance that are consistent with the provisions thereof.

**§1509. Violation and Penalties.**

Any person (which shall include any individual, partnership, association or corporation) convicted for violation of any provisions or requirements of this Part shall be sentenced to a fine not to exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), plus costs.

**SECTION 2. Severability.**

If any sentence, clause, section or other part of this ordinance is, for any reason, found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect or impair any remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or other parts of this ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intent of the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Pottstown, that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid sentence, clause, section or part thereof, not been included herein.

**SECTION 3. REPEALER AND REENACTMENT.**

In all other respects, the remaining provisions of Chapter 5, Code Enforcement, of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Pottstown, as amended, to the extent not inconsistent herewith, are hereby reenacted and reordained.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment with the requirements of the ordinance to be enforceable beginning September 1, 2013.

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ENACTED and ORDAINED this 11th day of FEBRUARY A.D., 2013.

BURGESS AND TOWN COUNCIL  
OF THE BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN

BY: Stephen M. Treney  
President

ATTEST: Virginia L. Takach  
Secretary

Approved this 11th day of  
FEBRUARY, A.D., 2013.

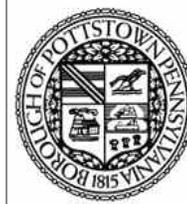
Bonnie Death  
Mayor

## SENIORS 65 AND OLDER RIDE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION FREE ALL DAY !!

Senior citizens who are 65 or older ride buses for free in Pennsylvania thanks to the PA Lottery System. Bus passes are issued with proof of age. Samples of acceptable proof of age are: PA Photo motor vehicle operator's license, PA identification card, passport/naturalization papers, Pace identification cards, birth certificates, baptismal certificates. The identification must contain your proof of age.

Reduced fare passes are also available for disabled riders under the age of 65 who have a valid red, white and blue Medicare card. A form may also be obtained at Borough Hall and taken to a medical professional to be certified for the disability if no Medicare card is available.

Both "Free Senior Passes" and "Reduced-Fare Passes" can be obtained during regular Borough Hall hours (8:30 AM to 5:00 PM weekdays) on the third floor. Look for the "Bus Information" sign. If you have questions, please contact us at 610-970-6512

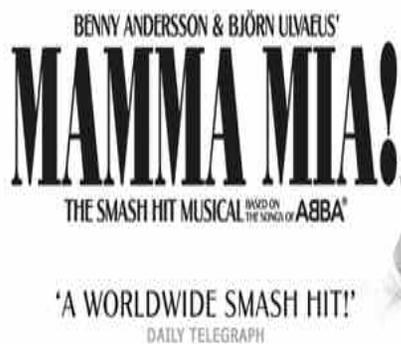


## Trips \ Events



Date: Saturday, March 8, 2014  
Time: Depart 9:15 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
Showtime: 2:00 pm, The Brooks Atkinson Theatre  
256 W 47th Street  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
Cost: \$200.00 per person  
\$390.00 per couple  
\$770.00 per group of four  
Course: **TR5S**

It's the tail end of the big, bad 1980s in Hollywood, and the party has been raging hard. Aqua Net, Lycra, lace and liquor flow freely at one of the Sunset Strips last legendary venues, a place where sex machine Stacey Jaxx takes the stage and scantily clad groupies line up to turn their fantasies into reality. Amidst the madness, aspiring rock star (and resident toilet cleaner) Drew longs to take the stage as the next big thing (and longs for small-town girl Sherri, fresh off the bus from Kansas with stars in her eyes). But the rock and roll fairy-tale is about to end when German developers sweep into town with plans to turn the fabled Strip into just another capitalist strip mall. Can Drew, Sherri and the gang save the strip—and themselves—before it's too late? Only the music of hit bands Styx, Journey, Bon Jovi, Whitesnake and more hold the answer. Not suitable for children. Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.



'A WORLDWIDE SMASH HIT!'  
DAILY TELEGRAPH

A mother. A daughter. Three possible dads. And a trip down the aisle you'll never forget!

Date: Saturday, April 5, 2014  
Time: Depart: 9:30 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
Showtime: 2:00 pm, Winter Garden Theatre  
1634 Broadway (at 50th Street)  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
Scotch Plains, New Jersey  
Arrive: 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
Cost: \$200.00 per person  
\$390.00 per couple  
\$775.00 per group of four  
Course: **TR2S**

The setting is a Greek island where 20-year-old Sophie is due to be married. Her mom, Donna (who happens to be a former singing star) is there, but her father isn't...because she's never met him. So, Sophie snoops in her mom's diary, chooses three former lovers as likely candidates and invites them to the wedding, hoping she can just figure it out when she sees them! This musical dances to a disco beat, featuring 22 of Swedish singing sensation ABBA's greatest hits, including "Dancing Queen," "The Winner Takes It All," "Take A Chance on Me," "Knowing Me, Knowing You" and "Super Trouper". These pop songs weave together an enchanting tale of love, laughter and friendship.

Time Magazine says that, "This high-energy musical brings happiness wherever it goes!" Now a worldwide sensation, Mamma Mia! has Broadway audiences singing and dancing in the aisles nightly and critics around the world are calling it "ABBA-solutely fabulous." See it for yourself. Trip includes transportation, dinner.



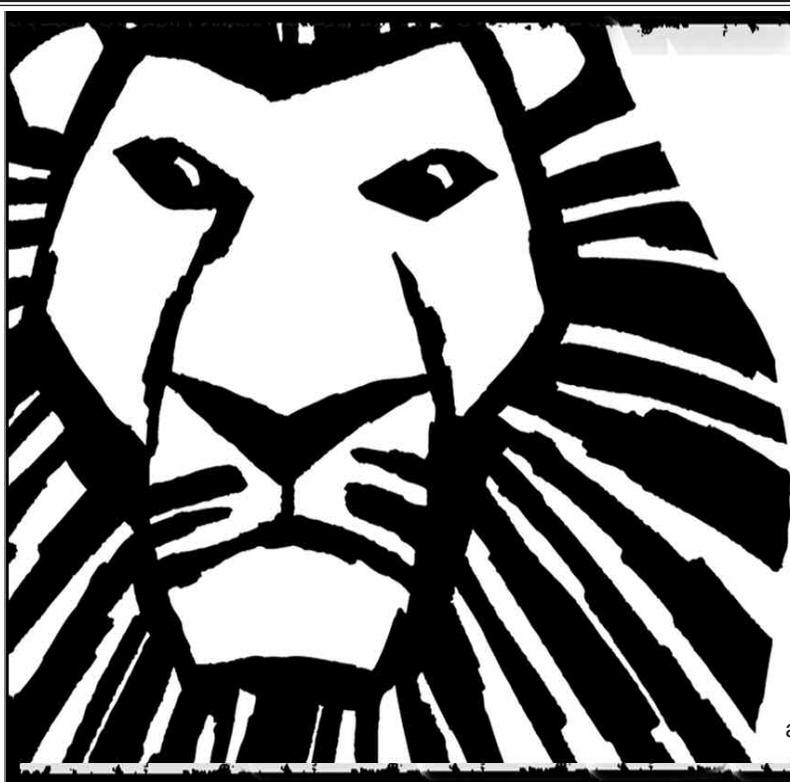
Date: Saturday, December 7, 2013  
Time: Depart: 7:30 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Arrive: NYC 10:00 am  
Showtime: 11:30am  
Shopping: 1:00-4:30 pm  
Dinner: The Pantagis, Scotch Plains, NJ  
Arrive: 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
Cost: \$175.00 per person  
\$325.00 per couple  
\$625.00 per group of four  
Course: **TR1W**

A Great Show and a Grand Tradition

America's most beloved holiday theatrical, The Radio City Christmas Spectacular, starring the world-famous Rockettes, returns to Radio City Music Hall for more than 200 performances this Christmas season. There's all new excitement in this year's Radio City Christmas Spectacular - and it all starts with a dazzling new opening number! Join the entire cast as they debut an original song featuring stunning new sets, costumes and the kind of breathtaking stage effects that earned Radio City the title "Showplace of the Nation". Then top it all off with an electrifying new precision tap routine by the world-famous Rockettes! Add perennial favorites like the show-stopping "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers" and the majestic "Living Nativity" and the 2010 edition of the Radio City Christmas Spectacular is not to be missed. The Christmas Spectacular features a cast of more than 140-people, glamorous costumes, and holiday music written exclusively for the Show. The stars of The Christmas Spectacular, the Radio City Rockettes, will continue to dazzle audiences with precision dance and world-famous eye-high kicks and Santa Claus will make a special appearance from the North Pole. Trip includes transportation, show tickets, lots of time to shop, and dinner.

### To reserve your seats call today! 610-970-6608

A \$25.00 deposit per seat is required on all trips that exceed \$100.00. Initial deposits are non-refundable unless you, or we, are able to resell the seats in advance of the show. Visa, MasterCard, cash or check are acceptable methods of payment.



Disney PRESENTS  
**THE LION KING**

**BROADWAY'S AWARD-WINNING BEST MUSICAL**

Date: Saturday, March 8, 2014 • Time: Depart 9:15 am  
Pottstown Middle School

Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm • Showtime: 2:00 pm, The Minskoff Theatre 1515 Broadway  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis - Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown • Cost: \$200.00 per person \$390.00 per couple  
\$770.00 per group of four • Course: TR4S

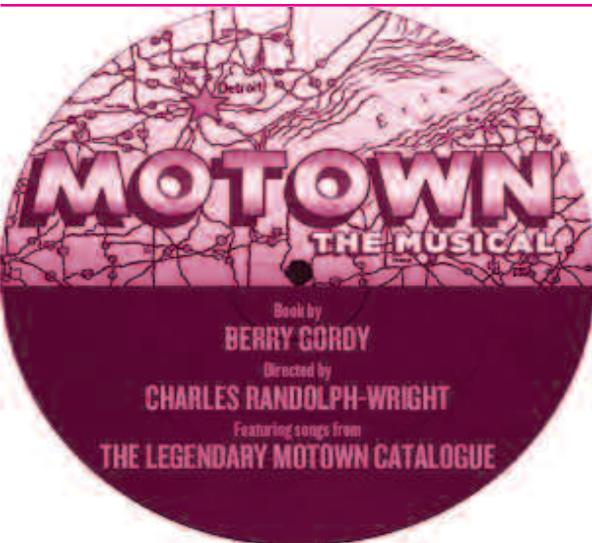
A lively stage adaptation of the Academy Award-winning 1994 Disney film, *The Lion King* is the story of a young lion prince living in the flourishing African Pride Lands. Born into the royal family, precocious cub Simba spends his days exploring the sprawling savanna grasslands and idolizing his kingly father, Mufasa, while youthfully shirking the responsibility his position in life requires. When an unthinkable tragedy, orchestrated by Simba's wicked uncle, Scar, takes his father's life, Simba flees the Pride Lands, leaving his loss and the life he knew behind. Eventually accompanied by two hilarious and unlikely friends, Simba starts anew. But when weight of responsibility and a desperate plea from the now ravaged Pride Lands come to find the adult prince, Simba must take on a formidable enemy, and fulfill his destiny to be king. A vibrant and exciting tale from the great creatives at Disney, *The Lion King* is a story of love and redemption no family should miss. Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.



Date: Saturday, September 14, 2013  
Time: Depart 9:15 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Showtime: 2:00 pm Palace Theatre  
1564 Broadway  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
Cost: \$180.00 per person  
\$345.00 per couple  
\$685.00 per group of four  
Course: TR4F

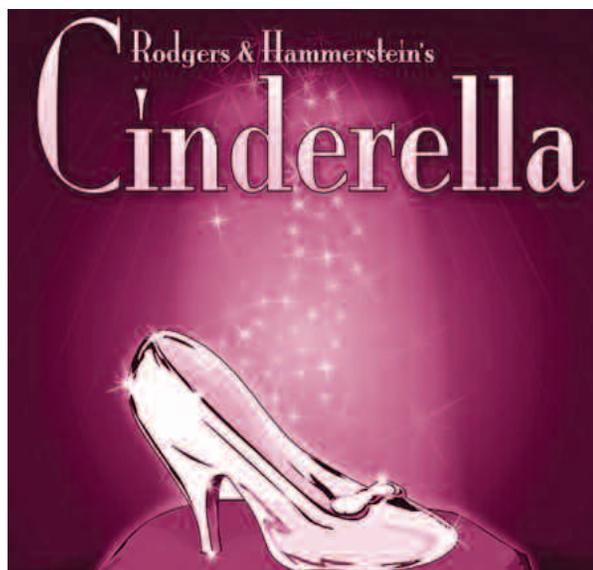
With equal measures of pluck and positivity, little orphan Annie charms everyone's hearts, despite a next-to-nothing start in 1930s New York City. And now, alongside

her signature pal dog, Sandy, she's set her sights on making us grin from ear to ear as she inspires a whole new millennium. Annie is a big-time Broadway musical complete with lavish sets, striking choreography and terrific performances. Directed by Tony winner James Lapine, this revival has a darker and more realistic tone, but the story is still pure joy. Set in New York City around Christmas 1933, the show mixes fictional characters like Annie and Warbucks with real-life historical figures like President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. The Tony-winning musical features classic tunes including "Tomorrow," "It's a Hard Knock Life" and "Easy Street." Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.



Date: Saturday, September 14, 2013  
Time: Depart 9:15 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Showtime: 2:00 pm, Lunt-Fontanne Theatre  
205 W 46th Street  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
Cost: \$180.00 per person  
\$345.00 per couple  
\$685.00 per group of four  
Course: TR8F

Motown charts Berry Gordy's journey from featherweight boxer to the heavyweight music mogul who launched the careers of Diana Ross and the Supremes, Michael Jackson and The Jackson Five, Stevie Wonder, The Temptations, Smokey Robinson and The Miracles, Marvin Gaye and many more. . Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.



The smart and beautiful young Ella lives in the care of her wicked, self-absorbed stepmother Madame and Madame's two daughters, Charlotte and Gabrielle. Ella's only friends in the world are the animals in the woods, "crazy Marie" and the revolutionary student Jean-Michel. Meanwhile in another part of the kingdom, Prince Topher is trying to find himself and learn his place in the kingdom. When his scheming advisor Sebastian suggests throwing a ball so the Prince could meet potential brides, Ella and Topher's different worlds come together. Expect the unexpected in this clever retelling of the beloved fairytale.

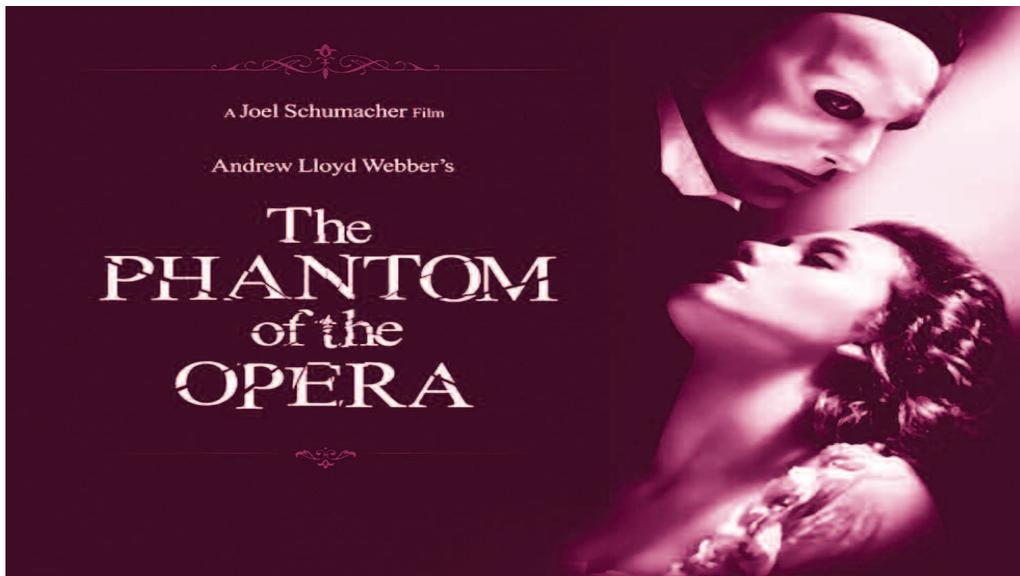
Broadway's first staging of Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* offers audiences the best of both worlds: The magic and romance of the classic fairytale is brought to life within a contemporary script featuring several new subplots (a young Prince trying to find himself, a revolution brewing in the kingdom, a stepsister's romance, and more). The two-act musical features fantastic performances and plenty of laughs for both adults and children. Audiences can expect to see instantaneous costume changes, a flying fairy godmother and beloved favorite songs including "In My Own Little Corner," "A Lovely Night," "Impossible," "Ten Minutes Ago" and "Stepsister's Lament". Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.

Date: Saturday, April 5, 2014  
Time: Depart 9:15 am  
Pottstown Senior High School  
Showtime: 2:00 pm, The Broadway Theatre  
1681 Broadway  
Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
Cost: \$200.00 per person  
\$390.00 per couple  
\$770.00 per group of four  
Course: TR6S



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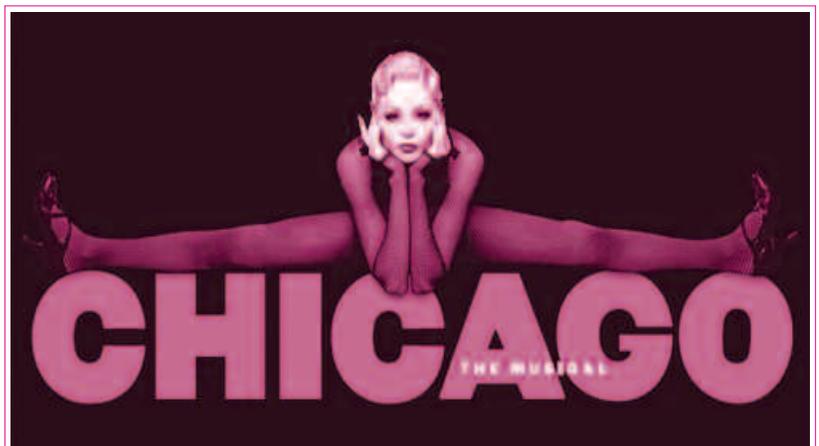
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**Date:** Saturday, March 8, 2014  
**Time:** Depart: 9:30 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
**Arrive:** NYC 12:00 pm  
**Showtime:** 2:00 pm, Majestic Theatre  
 247 W. 44th St.  
**Dinner:** Snuffy's Pantagis  
**Arrive:** 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
**Cost :** \$200.00 per person  
 \$390.00 per couple  
 \$770.00 per group of four  
**Course:** **TR3S**

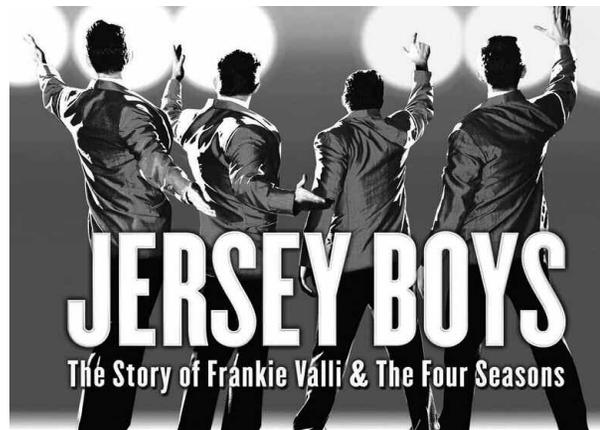
lion audience members in its over 18-year run. In *The Phantom of the Opera*, a young singer, Christine, is charmed by a mysterious specter who haunts the Paris Opera house. Based on Gaston Leroux's famous novel, the musical's tale begins as unexplained accidents have been occurring throughout the Paris Opera, and the stuck-up diva, Carlotta, refuses to go on. Christine takes her place and is a triumph. At her opening night, she meets her childhood friend, Raoul. Alone in her dressing room, she finally meets the Phantom who has taught her to sing so beautifully. Taking her to his lair in the misty catacombs beneath the Opera House, the Phantom declares his love for Christine, but she soon learns his terrible secret. The story moves from the Phantom's underground hideaway to the dizzying roof of the Opera House, as the Phantom and Raoul battle for Christine's love. Trip includes transportation, show, dinner.

Now the longest-running show in Broadway history, Andrew Lloyd Webber's *The Phantom of the Opera* has played to over 100 million people in 22 countries in 113 cities around the world since its first performance. The New York production alone has enchanted over 10 mil-



**Date:** Saturday, October 19, 2013  
**Time:** Depart 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
**Showtime:** 2:00 pm, Ambassador Theatre - 219 W 49th Street  
**Dinner:** Snuffy's Pantagis  
 Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
**Return:** 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
**Cost:** \$180.00 per person  
 \$345.00 per couple  
 \$685.00 per group of four  
**Course:** **TR7F**

*Chicago* is a musical tale of "murder, greed, corruption, violence, exploitation, adultery and treachery—all those things we hold near and dear to our hearts." Paint the town red with merry murderesses Roxie Hart, Velma Kelly, their hotshot lawyer, Billy Flynn, and the iconic choreography of Bob Fosse. Devilish and delightful, *Chicago* is an indisputable Broadway landmark that utilizes minimal scenery and simple costumes (we're talking some seriously basic black) to deliver one big musical bang after another. With one great showstopper after the next, John Kander and Fred Ebb's now-classic score keeps the story moving at a gunshot pace. The scantily-clad dancers tip their bowler hats in tribute to original choreography Bob Fosse, whose moves are still as steamy and sexy today as they were when *Chicago* first appeared in 1975. For a show that stands chin-deep in dirty deeds, it feels like one helluva good time. Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.

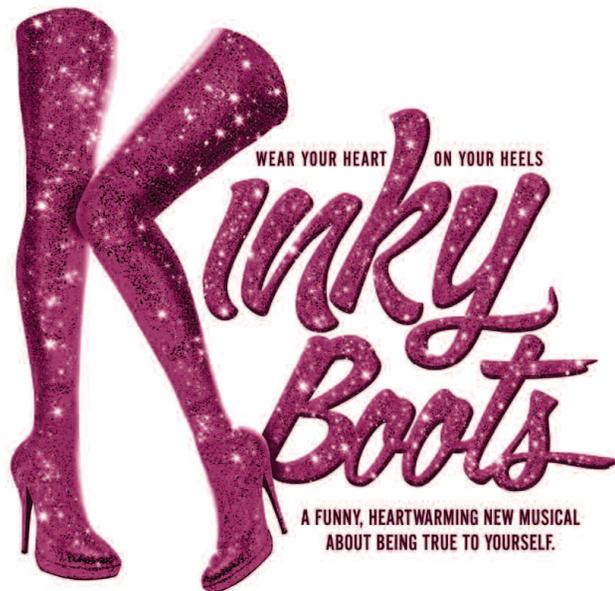


This new musical has soared to the top of the charts with critics and audiences alike, winning the award for Best Musical at the 2006 Tonys!

**Date:** Saturday, April 5, 2014  
**Time:** Depart: 9:30 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
**Arrive:** NYC 12:00 pm  
**Showtime:** 2:00 pm, August Wilson Theatre  
 245 W. 52nd St.  
**Dinner:** Snuffy's Pantagis  
 Scotch Plains, New Jersey  
**Arrive:** 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
**Cost :** \$210.00 per person  
 \$400.00 per couple  
 \$785.00 per group of four  
**Course:** **TR1S**

"It's just too good to be true!" (Clive Barnes, New York Post) Broadway's biggest success story takes you behind the music of Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons—and, as *The New York Times* says, "the crowd goes wild!"

Follow the rags-to-rock-to-riches tale of four blue-collar kids working their way from the streets of Newark to the heights of stardom. Featuring such hits as "Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Can Take My Eyes Off You," "Oh, What a Night" and more. Trip includes transportation, tickets, dinner.



BOOK BY **HARVEY FIERSTEIN**  
 MUSIC AND LYRICS BY **CYNDI LAUPER**  
 DIRECTED AND CHOREOGRAPHED BY **JERRY MITCHELL**

**Date:** Saturday, October 19, 2013  
**Time:** Depart 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
**Showtime:** 2:00 pm, Al Hirschfeld Theatre  
 302 W 45th Street  
**Dinner:** Snuffy's Pantagis  
 Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
**Return:** 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
**Cost:** \$180.00 per person  
 \$345.00 per couple  
 \$685.00 per group of four  
**Course:** **TR9F**

*Kinky Boots* follows Charlie Price, who is forced to save his family's shoe factory in Northern England after the sudden death of his father. Charlie finds inspiration in Lola, a fabulous entertainer in need of some sturdy stilettos. As the unlikely pair works to turn the factory around, they find they have more in common than they ever dreamed possible. *Kinky Boots* features the first-ever Broadway score by Grammy winner Cyndi Lauper and a hilarious yet moving book by four-time Tony winner Harvey Fierstein. The new musical packs a punch and provides everything audiences look for in a night at the theater: catchy songs, top-notch performances, colorful costumes, big sets, dazzling dance sequences and even a few scenes that could make you cry. Despite numbers set at a drag club, *Kinky Boots* is much more than a drag queen musical; it touches

on the universal themes of father/son relationships and accepting others for who they really are. Directed and choreographed by Tony winner Jerry Mitchell, *Kinky Boots* is the epitome of a feel-good musical that inspires audiences to dance in the aisles. Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets..

TRIP POLICY					
1.	A 25% deposit is required for each seat at the time of your reservation.	4.	Balances on all trips are due three weeks in advance of the performance.	9.	Occasionally minor changes in the itinerary may be necessary.
2.	A \$25.00 deposit per seat is required on all trips that exceed \$100.00	5.	Itineraries will be mailed out at a minimum two weeks prior to the trip.	10.	It is the responsibility of the patron to make sure that they are on time for boarding and reboarding the bus.
3.	Initial deposits are non-refundable unless you, or we, are able to resell the seats in advance of the show.	6.	Payment plans/installments can be arranged.		
		7.	Visa, MasterCard, cash or check is acceptable methods of payment.		
		8.	Bus trips include games and entertainment.		

# Registration Information

## AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

Register early by mail, by phone, by credit card, in person.

Early registration assures enrollment in limited enrollment courses. There are four convenient ways to enroll in a course:

**1. BY MAIL** - The best way to assure a place in the class of your choice! Clip out the registration form and fill in all information and mail the form with your check for the full tuition fee. Make checks payable to Borough of Pottstown.

**2. BY TELEPHONE** - Call us Monday thru Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Register for the class using your VISA or MASTERCARD or simply mail us a check. Enrollment is guaranteed once payment is received.

**3. REGISTER IN PERSON** - We are located in the Pottstown Borough Hall, 100 E. High Street, 2nd floor.

**4. INTERNET** - Visit us online @ [www.pottstown.org](http://www.pottstown.org) and download the adjacent enrollment form.

Send the registration form and payment to:

**Pottstown Parks and Recreation**  
100 E. High Street  
Pottstown, PA 19464

## DAILY OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## TELEPHONE NUMBERS

610-970-6608, 6618

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- Senior Citizens (65 years old and older who are Borough taxpayers) are entitled to enroll in any adult evening course free of charge. Courses that require a textbook and/or supplies are the responsibility of the gold cardholder.
- **IMPORTANT!** You will be notified only if your course is cancelled.
- Any returned check will be assessed a \$25.00 service charge.
- Pottstown Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel, postpone, or combine classes
- When school is closed because of a holiday, in-service, etc. there will be no evening classes.
- All programs have a minimum and maximum enrollment and are filled on a first-come, first-served basis.
- A resident is defined as someone who pays taxes to the Pottstown School District/Borough of Pottstown.
- No tuition fees will be refunded after the first class has been held. If a class is cancelled, tuition will be refunded.

- A \$25.00 deposit is required on each seat for bus trips. This deposit is only refundable if you or we are able to resell your seat.
  - In the event of inclement weather, tune to WBYN radio (107.5 FM).
  - When school is closed because of inclement weather, the evening school will also be cancelled. The school closing number is 312.
  - Materials and supplies are not included in the class registration fee unless specified.
- For additional information, contact the Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department at 610-970-6608/6618.



## DISCRIMINATION POLICY

It is the policy of the Borough of Pottstown and the Pottstown School District not to discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color or national origin in its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment as required by Title IX, Section 504, and Title VI.

## MISSION STATEMENT

To provide an environment that promotes and anticipates the educational, recreational, and cultural needs of all citizens. To improve the quality of living through expanded involvement of community resources, to be a catalyst for innovative programming in conjunction with civic and private agencies and with the corporate sector; and it is our commitment to hold ourselves accountable for maintenance, preservation, and development of the natural resources which have been entrusted to all in a beautiful and safe manner.

# \$1.00 DISCOUNT

This coupon is good for \$1.00 discount on any class, trip, or lecture if you register before **June 30, 2013**. Clip 1 coupon for each class in which you enroll. Clip this coupon and mail it in with your registration.

Not valid with any other discount or on park ticket sales.



The Borough of Pottstown / Pottstown School District sponsored adult evening school and community recreation program provides continuing educational and recreational opportunities for residents of all ages. Support for this program demonstrates that members of Borough Council, the Board of School Directors, and District Administrators, are committed to the philosophy that learning is a lifelong process.

**PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAM STAFF** – Ms. Eileen Bunt Schlegel, Director of Parks and Recreation, Ms. Kourtney High, Program Coordinator

**PARKS AND RECREATION GROUNDS CREW** – Mr. Timothy Landis, Mr. Anthony Rhoads, Mr. Michael Yerger

**BOROUGH COUNCIL** – President – Mr. Stephen Toroney, Vice President – Mr. Jeff Chomnuk, Ms. Carol Kulp, Mr. Mark Gibson, Mr. Joseph Kirkland, Mr. Travis Gery, Mr. Daniel Weand, Mayor Bonnie Heath, Borough Manager Mr. Mark Flanders, Assistant Borough Manager, Erica Weekley

**POTTSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT** – Ms. Judyth Zahora, Mr. Dennis Wausnock, Mrs. Amy Francis, Mr. Robert Hartman Jr, Mr. Thomas Hylton, Ms. Mary-Beth Bacallao, Mrs. Polly Weand, Mr. Andrew Kefer, Mr. W. Ronald Williams, Mrs. Linda Adams, Secretary/Business Administrator, Dr. Jeffrey Sparagana, Superintendent of Schools.



## ENROLLMENT FORM

Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department  
100 E. High Street • Pottstown, PA 19464

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Pottstown Parks and Recreation staff takes photos and video of participants enrolled in our programs, classes or special events. These photos and video footage may be used in our brochure, website, or other future publications or video productions. If you do not wish to have your photograph included please notify the photographer.

## COURSES/TRIPS/SPECIAL EVENTS

Course Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Course Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to Borough of Pottstown.**

Please duplicate form for each person enrolling.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS: CALL 610-970-6608/6618**  
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