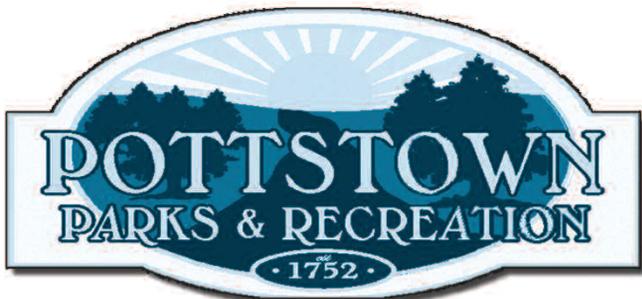


# Pottstown Parks and Recreation

## Newsletter and Community Programs

# Winter 2014

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

**Pottstown Hometown**  
**HOLIDAY**  
CELEBRATION!  
**Saturday, November 30**

Small Business Day: Buy Local and Win. Holiday raffle tickets will be on sale through Dec. at Cole's Tobacco, Grumpy's, Twice as Nice, Memories and More, and the PDIDA office for a drawing of \$1000 (1st) and \$500 (2nd) in holiday cash!!! Please see inside for contest details.

### Sunday December 8

10am -1pm: Brunch with Santa at Grumpy's, 137 E. High Street. Reservations Required: call 610-323-1232 Tickets \$7.  
2pm – 7pm: Historic House Tours departing from the Elk's Lodge, 61 High St. Tickets \$13  
2pm – 7pm: Carriage rides through downtown. Pick up at Smith Plaza. Tickets \$5  
5pm – 7pm: Santa arrives to Smith's Plaza. Tree Lighting Ceremony. Music.

### Saturday December 14

10am – 3 pm: Van Gogh's Secret Studio Shopping for kids, ARTFusion19464, 355 E. High St.  
2pm: Tea with Mrs. Clause at Sitter's Clubhouse, 333 E. High St.  
2pm – 4pm: Free Trolley Rides  
2pm – 7pm: Pictures with Santa in Smith Plaza  
2pm – 7pm: Carriage rides through downtown. Pick up at Smith Plaza Tickets \$5  
Time TBD: Tree Decorating Party at Red Cloud Kung Fu, 307 E. High St.  
2:30 / 3:30 / 4:30 / 5:30: Story Time with the Elves at Milkmen Lunch Co., 250 E. High St.  
5pm – 7pm: Performances by Illusionists/Magicians Kyle and Kelly at Smith Plaza.  
8pm: Shrek the Musical at the Steel River Playhouse ([www.steelriver.org](http://www.steelriver.org))

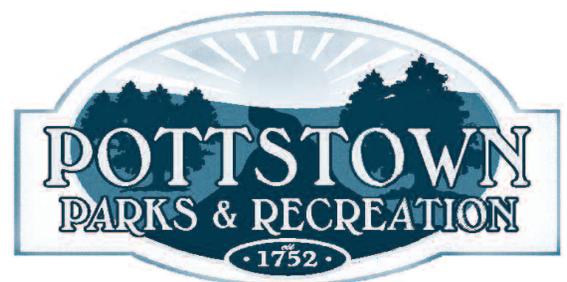
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9:15am: Funky Santa 5K and Fun Run  
10am – 1pm: Holiday Brunches at Lily's Grill, Juan Carlos, and Grumpy's with music by local bands  
12pm – 3pm: Van Gogh's Secret Studio Shopping for kids, 355 E, High St.  
3pm: Shrek the Musical at the Steel River Playhouse ([www.steelriver.org](http://www.steelriver.org))

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# Youth Programs

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## GYMNASTICS FOR 4-6 YEAR OLDS Tumbling Tykes

Instructor: Patti Boyer  
Session III: Mondays: Beginning March 10, 2014  
Course: **TU101-3M**  
Time: 6 - 6:45pm  
Ages: 4 - 6 years old  
Place: Administration Building Gym  
Cost: \$60/ Residents \$50  
\$10 Discount for sibling

Instructor: Jennifer McIlvee  
Session III: Tuesdays: Beginning March 11, 2014  
Course: **TU101-3T**  
Time: 6 - 6:45pm  
Ages: 7 - 10 years old  
Place: Administration Building Gym  
Cost: \$60/ Residents \$50  
\$10 Discount for sibling

This class is a fun approach to fundamentals on all equipment as well as working on teamwork and sharing skills through games and drills. Limited spots available.



## GYMNASTICS FOR 7-10 YEAR OLDS

Instructor: Patti Boyer  
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Course: **TU201-3M**  
Time: 7 - 8pm  
Ages: 7 - 10 years old  
Place: Administration Building Gym  
Cost: \$60/ Residents \$50  
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Place: Administration Building Gym  
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\$10 Discount for sibling

By far one of our most popular courses! We will be focusing on building upper body strength and flexibility while setting and working toward individual goals. Mastery of backbends (down and up) as well as round-off pops will be the TEAM goal this session. Limited spots available.



## GYMNASTICS FOR 4-6 YEAR OLDS Tumbling Tykes

Instructor: Jennifer McIlvee  
Session III: Wednesdays: Beginning March 12, 2014  
Course: **TU101-3W**  
Time: 6 - 6:45pm  
Ages: 7 - 10 years old  
Place: Administration Building Gym  
Cost: \$60/ Residents \$50  
\$10 Discount for sibling

Instructor: Patti Boyer  
Session III: Thursdays: Beginning March 13, 2014  
Course: **TU101-3Th**  
Time: 6 - 6:45pm  
Ages: 4 - 6 years old  
Place: Administration Building Gym  
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## DRAWING FOR 4-6 YEAR OLDS Young Rembrandts

Instructor: **TBD**  
Session II: Begins Saturday, January 4, 2014  
(8 weeks)  
Course: **YR102**  
Time: 9:30 - 10:15am  
Ages: 4 - 6 years old  
Place: Franklin Elementary School  
Cost: \$100/ Residents \$90

Has your child shown an interest in drawing? If so, your child will love a Young Rembrandts drawing class. Young Rembrandts is based on an acclaimed, step-by-step drawing method that works hand-in-hand with their original, innovative art curriculum developed by a team of educators and artists. Tiered lesson plans and a multisensory approach to learning meet every child at their unique ability level. There's no better time than now to enroll your child into a Young Rembrandts class.



## ELEMENTARY DRAWING FOR 7-12 YEAR OLDS Young Rembrandts

Instructor: **TBD**  
Session II: Begins Saturday, January 4, 2014  
(8 weeks)  
Course: **YR104**  
Time: 10:30 - 11:30am  
Ages: 7 - 12 years old  
Place: Franklin Elementary School  
Cost: \$100/ Residents \$90

Encourage your elementary student's enthusiasm for drawing with a Young Rembrandts drawing class. Elementary-age curriculum is designed to teach basic to advanced drawing skills, art techniques and vocabulary. Art concepts touched-upon in the curriculum may include portraiture, perspective, still life, realism/abstraction, and color theory. Lessons will explore both organic and inorganic forms. For example, a detailed rendering of a dragonfly will celebrate one of nature's most curious insects, while an illustration of a popular automobile will fascinate the more technical-minded student. All this and more awaits your child in the Young Rembrandts classroom! Sign up today!

## CARTOONING FOR 8-14 YEAR OLDS Young Rembrandts

Instructor: **TBD**  
Session II: Begins Saturday, January 4, 2014  
(8 weeks)  
Course: **YR106**  
Time: 7 - 8pm  
Ages: 8 - 14 years old  
Place: Franklin Elementary School  
Cost: \$100/ Residents \$90

Young Rembrandts' cartoon classes are based on top quality curriculum and follow a step-by-step method with the additional fun and excitement of cartooning. The original Young Rembrandts cartoons lessons teach children how to:

- Create original cartoon characters
- Draw action, movement and sounds
- Draw expressions to convey moods
- Develop a series of drawings that tell a joke

While cartooning is fun and engaging, your child will gain mastery in a unique drawing style, and improve their core learning skills.

## JUDO BEGINNERS AND ADVANCED Winter Session

Instructor: Fred Eddinger, 4th Degree Black Belt  
Debbie Eddinger, 3rd Degree Black Belt  
Richard Favinger, 1st Degree Black Belt  
Dates: Jan. 6 - Feb. 27, 2014  
Time: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Ages: 8 - 12  
Place: Rupert Elementary School  
Cost: \$70/ \$65 Resident Rate  
\$10 Discount for second family member  
Course: **JU101W**

## JUDO BEGINNERS AND ADVANCED Spring Session

Instructor: Fred Eddinger, 4th Degree Black Belt  
Debbie Eddinger, 3rd Degree Black Belt  
Richard Favinger, 1st Degree Black Belt  
Dates: **TBA**  
Time: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Ages: 8 - 12  
Place: Rupert Elementary School  
Cost: \$70/ \$65 Resident Rate  
\$10 Discount for second family member  
Course: **JU101S**

This course is designed to teach both fundamental and advanced techniques of self-defense and sport judo in a safe and supportive environment. Emphasis is placed on the safe and proper application of throwing and grappling techniques, as well as establishing discipline and self-confidence.

Advanced students routinely participate in local tournaments. Beginners are welcome to sign up at the start of any session. Judo is a great physical activity that any member of the family can enjoy. The instructors are nationally certified coaches with a combined teaching experience of over 50 years. It is also an outstanding complementary activity to other sports such as wrestling and judo.





# F.Y.I. & Special Events

## 2013-2014 DISCOUNT SKI TICKETS & WINTER ATTRACTIONS

The winter ticket program is a statewide service provided by selected Parks and Recreation Departments. This service is designed to provide discounted prices to area ski resorts. Hours for ticket purchases are 8:30a.m. – 4:30p.m., Monday - Friday. The Parks and Recreation office is located in Pottstown Borough Hall, 100 E. High Street. **Payment by cash or personal check only.** For more information call 610-970-6608.



Location	Type	Gate Price	Our Price
<b>Adventure Aquarium</b> Camden, NJ	Adult (13 and older)	\$26.70	\$18.50
	Child (2-12)	\$19.21	\$14.50
<b>Regal Cinemas</b>		\$9-\$11	\$7.50
<b>Bear Creek</b> Macungie, PA 1-866-ski-at-bc <a href="http://www.bcmountain.com">www.bcmountain.com</a>	Weekday	\$47.00	\$31.00
	Night (4-10pm)	\$34.00	\$23.00
<b>Big Boulder/ Jack Frost</b> Blakeslee, PA 570-443-8425 <a href="http://www.jfbb.com">www.jfbb.com</a>	Adult Midweek	\$44.00	\$36.00
	Adult Weekend	\$50.00	\$42.00
	Adult Holiday	\$52.00	\$47.00
	Youth Midweek (age 5-18)	\$33.00	\$32.00
	Youth Weekend (age 5-18)	\$40.00	\$34.00
	Youth Holiday (5-18)	\$42.00	\$39.00
	Night (3pm to close) BB Only	\$28-\$34	\$26.00
<b>Blue Mountain</b> Palmerton, PA 610-826-7700 <a href="http://www.skibluemt.com">www.skibluemt.com</a>	Weekday	\$54.00	\$46.00
	Weekend/Holiday	\$63.00	\$57.00
	Night	\$35.00	\$30.00
	First Time/Lift/Lesson/Rental	\$69.00	\$57.00
<b>Camelback**</b> Tannersville, PA 1-800-233-8100 <a href="http://www.skicamelback.com">www.skicamelback.com</a>	Midweek	\$51.00	\$43.00
	Weekend/Holiday	\$61.00	\$53.00
<b>Elk Mountain</b> Uniondale, PA 570-679-4400 <a href="http://www.elkskier.com">www.elkskier.com</a>	Midweek	\$51.00	\$47.00
	Weekend/Holiday (day or twilight)	\$63.00	\$58.00
<b>Roundtop/Liberty/ Whitetail</b> 717-432-9631 <a href="http://www.ski-roundtop.com">www.ski-roundtop.com</a>	Weekday	\$64-\$65	\$44.00
	Weekend/Holiday	\$70-\$73	\$57.00
	Night Lift	\$42-\$44	\$37.00
<b>Seven Springs</b> Seven Springs, PA 1-800-452-2223 <a href="http://www.7springs.com">www.7springs.com</a>	Midweek (Mon-Thurs)	\$58.00	\$55.00
	Midweek Twilight (Sun-Thurs)	\$52.00	\$49.00
<b>Shawnee Mountain</b> Shawnee on Delaware, PA 570-421-4231 <a href="http://www.shawneemt.com">www.shawneemt.com</a>	Midweek	\$45.00	\$35.00
	Weekend/Holiday	\$55.00	\$45.00
	Youth Midweek	\$35.00	\$30.00
	Youth Weekend	\$40.00	\$35.00
	Midweek Package	\$85.00	\$73.00
	Weekend Package	\$90.00	\$78.00
Packages include: Lift, Lesson, and Rental			
<b>Montage Mountain</b> Scranton, PA 1-800-got-snow <a href="http://www.snomtn.com">www.snomtn.com</a>	Midweek Lift	\$50.00	\$38.00
	Weekend Lift	\$59.00	\$48.00
	Youth Midweek (6-12)	\$35.00	\$26.00
	Youth Weekend (6-12) (day or twilight)	\$45.00	\$36.00
	3-Hour Snowtubing (Fri-Sun/Holiday)	\$20.00	\$17



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P.O. BOX 1004  
POTTSTOWN, PA. 19464



**1980 - 2014 Serving Pottstown's Youth for 35 Years**

Little League Baseball and Softball for children residing in the Borough of Pottstown. Any Candidate who will attain the age of 5 years before May 1 of the year in question and will not attain the age of 13 years before May 1 of the year in question is eligible for Baseball. Any Candidate who will attain the age of 5 years before January 1 of the year in question and will not attain the age of 19 before January 1 of the year in question is eligible for Girls Softball.

Administration Building Parks and Recreation office (in rear)  
located at Beech & Penn Streets.

**Challenger Division Registration Fee -**

**\$25.00**

**Late Registration – After February 8, 2014**

Candidates may be placed on a waiting list depending on the number of players that have registered in that division.

**Early Registration (must be postmarked by 12/31/13)**

**\$50.00**

Mail in registration is easy, convenient, and you can save \$10.00 on the registration fee.

**Walk-In Registration**

**\$60.00**

Walk-in registration dates are Saturday and Sunday, January 18th and 19th and Saturday and Sunday, January 25th and 26th  
From 10:00AM to 3:00PM at the Pottstown School District

Candidates must reside within our chartered Little League boundary, the Borough of Pottstown. Exceptions are if a candidate played in the League last year and has moved out of our boundary, a waiver may be obtained to continue to play in the Pottstown Little League. For more information visit our website at [www.pottstownlittleleague.com](http://www.pottstownlittleleague.com) for all printable registration forms or contact Megan Miller, Registrar at 484-524-3833 or e-mail at [baseballmom0928@hotmail.com](mailto:baseballmom0928@hotmail.com)



# Pottstown's Funky Santa 5K and 3-person relay

**Sunday, December 15, 2013 - 9:15 am**

**Montgomery County Community College, Pottstown, PA.  
Rain, Snow or Shine!**

**Pre-Registration:** Pre-registration entries must be post marked by Nov. 24th or online by Nov. 26th.

**Entry Fee:** \$20 for the 5k or \$45 per team. (Each team member runs a mile)

**Race Day Registration:** 7:30 - 9am.

**Race Start- 9:15:** Both 5k and 5k Relay will start at the same time

**Fun Run:** Immediately following the 5k. There is no charge for the fun run.

**The Goods:** Race t-shirt for all pre-registered individuals and team members.

**Food and Drinks:** There will be food and refreshments after the race for all competitors.

**Random Prizes:** Hundreds of dollars in random prizes.

**Awards – Individual 5k:** Overall Male and Female, 14 – Under, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+.

(Age group divisions could be lowered to every 5 yrs based on pre-registration- The more awards the better).

**Awards – 5k Relay Divisions:** Male; Female; Coed; Masters – all 3 over 40; Family Under 13 –at least 1 member under 13; Family 14-17; Family Open- all over 18; Corporate (2nd and 3rd place teams in each division-based on every five pre-registered teams in division)

**Special Prizes:** For the best holiday oriented costume: Individual male, female and team.

**Directions:** Mapquest: Montgomery County Community College, 101 College Dr. Pottstown, PA 19464

Or check their website for directions: [www.mc3.edu](http://www.mc3.edu)

Contact us at [bulrich1@aol.com](mailto:bulrich1@aol.com) or call Breakaway Sports at 610-775-4614.

Join our race update email list: Simply send email to [bulrich1@aol.com](mailto:bulrich1@aol.com).

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



## The Pottstown Area Police Athletic League presents the 6th Annual Beef & Beverage

February 8<sup>th</sup> 2014

7pm—11pm

Boyertown Orioles

Fourth & Washington Streets

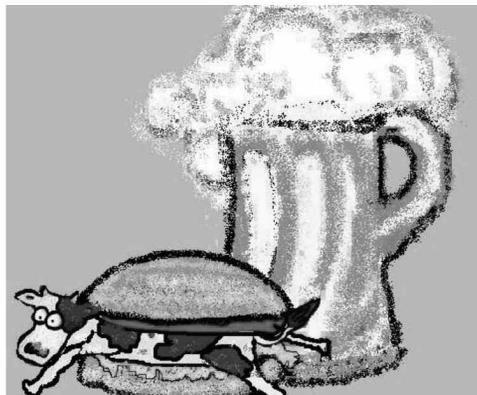
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Proceeds benefit  
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### STEEL RIVER PLAYHOUSE EDUCATION

Open House: Saturday, Jan. 4th and Sunday,  
Jan. 5th 2014

Private Lessons run Jan. 2nd – March 19th (11 weeks)

Group Classes run Jan. 15th – March 18th (9 weeks)

Group Class Presentations Week of  
March 12th – March 18th

January Student Recital:

Sunday, Jan. 19th 2014, 7:00 pm

Faculty Recital: Sunday, March 16, 2014, 7:00 pm

For more information please visit  
[www.steelriver.org/education/](http://www.steelriver.org/education/)

### POTTSTOWN REGIONAL PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS 500 East High Street

**Dogs Are Readers Too (DART)**--Read with a dog and get a free book.

November 9th 10:30am - 11:30am. Registration Required.

**Back Door Book Sale** - November 22nd, 10am - 5pm & November 23rd 9am - 2pm

**Thanksgiving Storytime:** Tuesday November 26th 6:30pm

**Holiday Family Movie Night:** Tuesday December 3rd 6:00 pm

**Holiday Happening:** December 7th 1:00pm. Registration Required. Snacks, Music, and lots of crafts and games.

**Christmas Storytime:** Tuesday December 17th 6:30 pm

**Book Babies (Infant Story time):** Monday mornings at 10:15am

**Alphabet Adventure Story time:** Mondays at 6:30pm  
Tai Chi Classes: Mondays at 6 pm.

**Stories with Miss Holly:** Tuesdays at 10:30am. Listen to stories and make a cool craft.

**Teen Night:** First and third Tuesday nights for crafts and hanging out 6:30pm

**Crafters:** Tuesdays at 1:30 pm.

**Porter After School Program** - Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays 3:30pm - 5:30pm

**Computer Basics:** Wednesdays at 10:30am.

**Singalong with Miss Naomi:** First Thursday of every month at 10:30am: 11/7, 12/5, 1/9, 2/6, 3/6, 4/3.

**Teen Cave Council:** Hang out & help plan fun activities and get first crack at new books first Thursdays of the month 6:00 p.m.

**Lego Club:** One Saturday a month - an open share time for all ages! Parents are encouraged to stay and play.

**Crochet Club:** One Saturday a month.

**Chess Club** - Second and fourth Saturdays of the month 1pm - 2pm.

*\*Coming Soon\* Storybook Storytime call for details. April is Family Reading Month - Read for prizes April 1st - 30th and win cool prizes. Registration Required.*

Most programs require registration.

Please call for details 610-970-6551

Website: [ppl.mclinc.org](http://ppl.mclinc.org)

FaceBook: <http://www.facebook.com/prplibrary?ref=ts>

### POTTSTOWN ELKS LODGE SUNDAY BREAKFASTS 61 High Street

December 29, 2013

January 19, 2014

February 23, 2014

March 30, 2014

April 27, 2014



### ELKS DOE CLUB COOKIE WALK AND SOUP SALES

Elks Lodge Lobby: 61 High St.

December 14, 2013: 9:00am until they sell out!!!

Proceeds benefit local charities. Please come out and stock up on holiday cookies and soup.



## 6th Annual Polar Bear Swim 'Tis the Season to be Freezin'

**Date & Time:** January 1, 2013 10:30 am  
**Place:** 140 College Drive in Riverfront Park  
**Cost:** Nothing up front – The Polar Bears will pay for it later.

Other Activities include: Words of encouragement from the Mayor, Canned Music, and any other odd activity we can muster.

- All Polar Bears are required to sign a participation and indemnification waiver (see below)

For Good Luck - Pork (Hot Dogs) and Sauerkraut will be available for \$2.00, Hot Chocolate or Coffee for \$1.00.

### Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department Waiver, Release and Liability Indemnification Form

Pottstown Polar Bear Club @ New Year's Day Bonfire Event  
 Date & Times of Activity:  
 10:30 a.m. January 1, 2014

My signature serves as an acknowledgement that by participating in this activity, I am of sound mind and fully aware that I am assuming complete and total responsibility for both the known and unknown risks associated with this activity.

I recognize that this activity could present a danger to me, ranging from a minor injury or illness to paralysis or death. Having been fully informed and aware that certain known and unknown risks exist, I am accepting responsibility for my actions and activities associated with this event.

Furthermore, I agree that I have consented to participate by my own accord and hereby agree not to hold the Borough of Pottstown, the event organizers, or any other party involved in planning the activity, liable or responsible for any injuries that may occur to me or to any other individual that I represent, either before, during, or after, my involvement in this activity.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being of sound mind acknowledge and accept the terms and conditions of this contract. I acknowledge that I have not been coerced into participating but rather I have chosen to do so by my own "free will." I assume responsibility for the risks and dangers, but I still choose to participate.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnessed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Children under the age of eighteen are not permitted to participate in this activity.

All individuals are strongly encouraged to carry their own personal health insurance. Participants must be 18 years of age on or before January 1, 2014 to partake in this activity. Children under the age of 18 are strictly forbidden.

#### Rules for the activity:

In order to receive authorization to participate in this activity, the following must be confirmed and agreed to:

1. A signed waiver is required for all parties participating in the activity.
2. I will not use any alcohol or other illicit drugs before, during or after the scheduled activity.
3. I have read and understand the requirements and agree to the terms and conditions as stated, my signature serves to acknowledge that I will abide by all the rules listed.



### 10th Annual New Year's Day Celebration and Bonfire at Riverfront Park

Help us to ring in the New Year by joining us for a Bonfire at Riverfront Park. Take a winter stroll and enjoy the vista as we gather along the banks of the Schuylkill River in scenic Riverfront Park. This annual get-together is growing in popularity and has fast become an annual holiday tradition in Pottstown. An open-air bonfire, winter stroll and sing along are just a sampling of the activities planned. Make it your resolution to join us in the park. Pork Hot Dogs with Sauer Kraut, drinks and other goodies will be available to ensure that you have good luck throughout the year. These items are available for a nominal fee.

Join us at 140 College Drive for the 6th Annual, Pottstown Polar Bear Club's – Ceremonial New Year's Day dip in the frosty and frigid Schuylkill River. (weather/river conditions permitting)

• Registration for the Polar Bear Swim	9:00 – 10:00am
• Meet and Greet Card Activity	9:00 – 10:00am
• National Anthem	10:00am
• Bonfire Lighting	10:00am
• Christmas Tree Toss	10:00am
• Polar Bear Swim	10:30am

### RINGING ROCKS SKATE PARTIES GRADES 4K-5

Date: Wednesday, March 5, 2014  
 Time: 6:00 – 8:00 pm  
 Grades: 4K thru 2nd grades  
 Cost: \$1.75 in advance; \$2.00 at the door  
 \$1.00 skate rental

Date: Wednesday, March 19, 2014  
 Time: 6:00 – 8:00 pm  
 Grades: 3rd thru 5th grades  
 Cost: \$1.75 in advance; \$2.00 at the door  
 \$1.00 skate rental

Enjoy a fun filled evening with friends, classmates & parents. These special parties are held twice per school year. Advance tickets are available at your school office or at the Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department office located in the Borough Hall at 100 East High Street. Children may only attend the party for their age group. Remember admission for parents is free! Music/skating ends at 8:00pm. Please arrange to have your child picked up promptly by 8:15p.m.

### FAMILY FEST 2014

Date: March 12th 2014  
 Time: 5:00 – 8:30 p.m.  
 Place: Pottstown Middle School  
 Cost: FREE with the exception of fundraising activities

Come bring the entire family out to enjoy this unique event focusing on family enrichment. Family Fest was developed to enhance, celebrate, and explore family dynamics, development, growth, and unity. Pottstown area service providers will be on hand to answer your questions and distribute information. Information booths, roving entertainment, and door prizes will be highlights of the event.



### FAMILY FEST SPONSORSHIP

Family Fest is an event that places priority on promoting family unity. We are looking for individuals, businesses, and area service providers to help sponsor the 2014 Family Fest. You can help support the program by donating door prizes or by advertising in the Family Fest brochure. Last year over 500 brochures were distributed at the event. Contact Pottstown Parks and Recreation at 610-970-6618.

Prices for Patron and Business Listings are as follows:

Name Listing	\$15.00
Business Card Listing	\$25.00
Half Page Advertisement	\$45.00
Full Page Advertisement	\$80.00

Thank you in advance for supporting Family Fest 2014

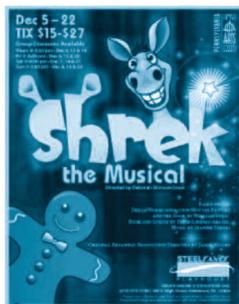
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## STEEL RIVER PLAYHOUSE

### Shrek the Musical

December 5th through the 22nd  
The beloved Dreamworks animated film springs to life this December on the stage of the Steel River.

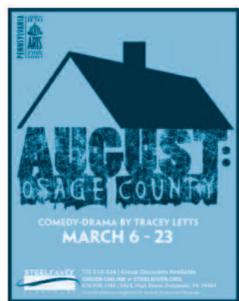


### The Piano Lesson

February 7th to the 16th  
One of playwright August Wilson's cycle of plays chronicling the African American experience in the 20th century.

### August: Osage County

March 6th through the 23rd  
A new American Comedy/Drama following the eccentric Weston family as a gathering at the family home gives rise to a series of unsettling revelations.



### Beyond Genesis-The Melange Contemporary Dance

April 12th to the 13th  
The music of Genesis, a band that was on foremost edge of progressive rock, fuels a performance of inspired movement and coordinated visual and lighting effects

### THE HILL SCHOOL CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

www.thehill.org

**Winter 2014 Boyer Gallery Exhibits:** January 11th through February 28th : Thomas Hopkins (sculpture) and Judy Lupas (painting)  
Opening reception: Friday, January 11th : 7 - 9 p.m.

Friday, April 4 through Friday, May 2, 2014: Yvonne Pacanovsky Bobrowicz  
Opening reception: Friday, April 4th : 7 - 9 p.m.

**Winter Instrumental Music Festival:** December 13th, 2013 (CFTA) 7:15 p.m.

**Winter Afternoon Arts Recital:** March 5th, 2014 (CFTA) 7:15 p.m.

## ANNUAL WORLD WAR II SWING DANCE

Date: Friday, April 11, 2014  
Time: 8:00pm – 11:00pm, Doors open at 7:00pm  
Place: The World Renowned Sunnybrook Ballroom  
1601 E. High Street, Pottstown  
Music: The Swing Fever Dance Band/USO Canteen Show  
Cost: \$25.00 per person (reserved seating- 8 per table)  
Groups to be seated together must send one check.

Band members dressed in World War II uniforms will play the Big Band songs that carried America through the War Years. Special appearances by Rosie the Riveter and Uncle Sam! All attending World War II vets will be introduced and honored with a special memento. Consider dressing in vintage 1940's clothes and military uniform to enhance the experience.



Refreshments via Ration Books at the mess tent, free K-Rations, cash bar at the Officers' Club, discharge papers at the conclusion. Proceeds benefit Pottstown Area Senior Center.

Tickets on sale February 1st, 2014 at the Pottstown Area Senior Center.

Make check payable to:  
Pottstown Area Senior Center  
and mail to:  
Bill Krause  
695 N. Hanover Street  
Pottstown, PA 19464

Great evening of fun, while dancing the night away! For more information, directions, or questions please contact Bill or Sue Krause at 610-323-2229. If no answer, leave message.

## SKATING ON THE TRAIL

Instructor: Ray Stitt  
Date: Sunday's this Winter  
Time: 2:30-4:30pm  
Location: Riverfront Park Pavilion  
Cost: FREE

We welcome skaters of all abilities, whether you are looking to complete at a national level or simply join in as a great way to stay in shape. A helmet is required; knee and elbow pads are encouraged. A liability waiver must be signed in order to participate. Any questions or if you are interested in this day or alternate arrangements, please contact Ray Stitt at (484) 624-5299 or rstitt@ursinus.edu

## A Special Thank You to Pet Fair Supporters

Thank you to all vendors and organizations that participated in the 2013 Pottstown Pet Fair. We are excited to report we had 2,500 attendees. Next year's pet fair will be held 20th September 2014 at Pottstown Memorial Park. As always we encourage the participation of any animal shelter or vendor selling animal-related items. If you are interested in participating in this event, please contact Bill Sharon at bsharon@pottstown.org



## PPOA Annual Youth Fishing Derby

Date: TBA (Mid-May)  
Time: 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
Place: Manatawny Creek at Memorial Park  
Ages: Under 12 years old  
Cost: FREE

300 trout will be stocked at 8:00 a.m. in a sectioned area of Manatawny Creek. Trophies and prizes for the top two in three age groups. Door prizes and free t-shirts. Refreshments will be served for the children. For more information call Parks and Recreation.

## NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Sponsored by the Pottstown Police Officers Association and Pottstown Parks and Recreation.



## Holiday Raffle Rules

Ticket cost: \$25  
Drawing: Dec 21st 2013  
First Prize: \$1000  
Second Prize: \$500

Tickets available at Cole's Tobacco, Grumpy's, Twice as Nice, Memories and More and the PDIDA Office on 17 N. Hanover St.

**Only 200 tickets will be sold.** Ticket holders must spend additional \$100 in the downtown district (High St. from York to Evans) between Nov. 30th and Dec. 20th to be eligible to win. Receipts from all shops, galleries, restaurants, and theaters in the downtown district will be honored as proof of this condition. Drop off filled out raffle ticket and attached receipts at the PDIDA Office no later than midnight on Dec. 21st.



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### Saturday December 21

2pm – 7pm: Pictures with Santa in Smith Plaza  
2pm – 4pm: Free Trolley Rides  
2pm – 7pm: Carriage rides through downtown. Pick up at Smith Plaza. Tickets \$5  
3pm / 4pm / 5pm: Story Time with the Elves at Milkmen Lunch Co., 250 E. High St.  
4pm – 6pm: Performances by Illusionists/ Magicians Kyle and Kelly in Smith Plaza  
5pm – 7pm: Free babysitting while you shop— Sitter's Clubhouse, 333 E. High St. Pizza and

drinks will be available for the children

### Sunday December 22

10am – 1pm: Holiday Brunches at Lily's Grill, Juan Carlos, and Grumpy's with music by local bands

### Tuesday December 24

10am – 2pm: Van Gogh's Secret Studio Shopping for kids

### Wednesday January 1st 2014

9am: New Year's Day Celebration and Bonfire  
10:30am: Polar Bear Swim

For more information on the Hometown Holidays celebration, check out [downtownpottstown.org](http://downtownpottstown.org). For Holiday House Tour tickets or White Ribbon sales visit Pottstown Parks and Recreation at 100 E High St. or PDIDA at 17 N Hanover St. You may also call Sheila Dugan at 610-323-5400. Babysitting at Sitter's Clubhouse requires parent or guardian's signature on an emergency contact form.



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## NEW TAX PAYMENT INFO:

Starting with the 2014 Borough and County Real Estate Tax bill mailing on March 01, 2014, property owners will now be able to pay their Real Estate Taxes at the Borough Hall Finance Department cashier window during the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. located on the second floor of the Borough Hall building at 100 E. High Street, Pottstown, PA 19464.

## BULK WASTE ITEM TRASH PICK UP

BULK WASTE ITEMS are large items of refuse such as household furniture-sofas, chairs, mattresses, box springs, dressers, carpet (cut 3-4 ft. & tied), etc. Any Bulk Waste Item placed out for pick up requires that a "bulk sticker" be attached before its removal. Stickers may be obtained at the Borough Hall and paid for at the Finance Dept.

Hazardous Materials such as oil base paints, household cleaners, tires, batteries, auto parts, building and demolition materials will not be accepted. Additionally, Recycling Act 108 prohibits waste disposal from accepting "covered devices." Covered devices are electronics that include desktop computers, laptop computers, computer monitors, computer peripherals, and televisions.



## Removal of Snow and Ice from Sidewalks

§ 212. Removal of Snow and Ice from Sidewalks. [Ord. 4/4/1923, § 14; as amended by Ord. 1006, 5/19/1964, § 1; by Res. 1/12/1970D; and Ord. 1735, 4/12/1993]

1. The owner, in the case of vacant or unoccupied property, property occupied by the owner or multi-unit property, and the occupant or tenant, in case of single-unit property occupied by a tenant, shall, within 12 hours of daylight after any snow has ceased to fall or ice to form, remove from the sidewalk abutting such property all snow and/or ice. In the removal of snow and ice, a path shall be cleared for the full width of the sidewalk, in case of any sidewalk three feet or less in width, and a path at least three feet in width shall be cleared on all sidewalks wider than three feet. The snow and ice removed from the sidewalk shall not be placed in the gutter or in the roadway or any street or alley. In case of neglect or refusal of any owner, occupant or tenant to comply with the requirement of this § 212, such snow and/or ice may be removed by any officer or employee of the Borough designated for the purpose, and the cost of such removal, with an additional, penalty of 10%, shall be collected from the defaulting owner, occupant or tenant in the manner that debts incurred for curbing and paving by the Borough are now by law recoverable.

2. Any person who shall violate any provisions of this § 212 shall, upon conviction thereof, be guilty of an offense and shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$600 and costs of prosecution, and in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment for a period not to exceed 30 days.



## SPECIAL SUNDAY SHOPPING SCHEDULE

Sundays December 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 22<sup>nd</sup>

HIGH STREET via PHILADELPHIA PREMIUM OUTLETS					
Trans. Center PM 12:30	Hospital PM 12:40	KMART PM 12:44	Outlets PM 12:55	Hospital PM 1:11	Trans. Center PM 1:20
1:30	1:40	1:44	1:55	2:11	2:20
2:30	2:40	2:44	2:55	3:11	3:20
3:30	3:40	3:44	3:55	4:11	4:20
4:30	4:40	4:44	4:55	5:11	5:20
5:30	5:40	5:44	5:55	6:11	6:20
UPLAND SQUARE via NORTH END					
Trans. Center PM 12:00	Hanover Ct. Apts. PM 12:04	Redner's PM 12:10	Upland Square PM 12:21	Redner's PM 12:35	Trans. Center PM 12:45
1:00	1:04	1:10	1:21	1:35	1:45
2:00	2:04	2:10	2:21	2:35	2:45
3:00	3:04	3:10	3:21	3:35	3:45
4:00	4:04	4:10	4:21	4:35	4:45
5:00	5:04	5:10	5:21	5:35	5:45
STOWE-POTTSTOWN CENTER-COVENTRY MALL					
Trans. Center PM 12:00	High & Grosstown PM 12:08	Pottstown Center PM 12:16	Trans. Center PM 12:28	Coventry Mall PM 12:41	Trans. Center PM 12:50
1:00	1:08	1:16	1:28	1:41	1:50
2:00	2:08	2:16	2:28	2:41	2:50
3:00	3:08	3:16	3:28	3:41	3:50
4:00	4:08	4:16	4:28	4:41	4:50
5:00	5:08	5:16	5:28	5:41	5:50
EAST END LOOP via NORTH END					
Trans. Center PM 12:00	Redner's PM 12:13	Rolling Hills PM 12:20	KMART PM 12:25	Home Depot PM 12:36	Trans. Center PM 12:50
1:00	1:13	1:20	1:25	1:36	1:50
2:00	2:13	2:20	2:25	2:36	2:50
3:00	3:13	3:20	3:25	3:36	3:50
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\*\*No South End Loop on the above dates. A service of the Borough of Pottstown. Operated by Pottstown Area Rapid Transit, Inc.

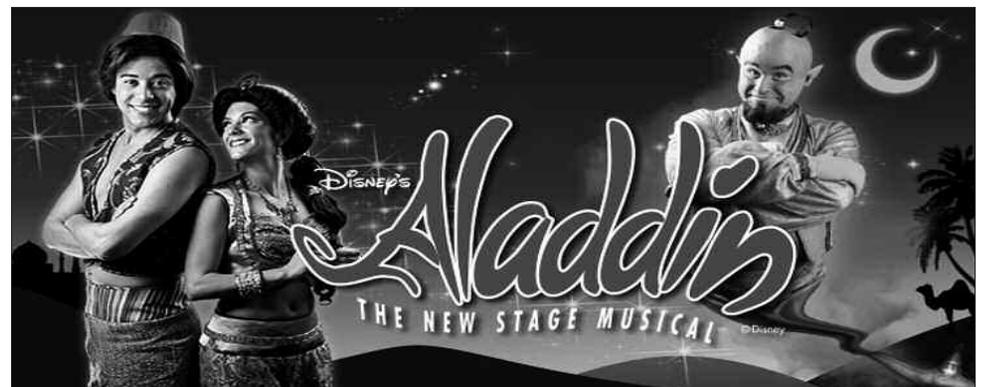
# Broadway Shows & Events



Date: Saturday, October 18, 2014  
 Time: Depart: 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
 Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, Imperial Theater  
 Dinner: The Pantagis  
 Scotch Plains, NJ  
 Arrive: 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
 Cost : \$165.00 per person  
 \$320.00 per couple  
 \$630.00 per group of four  
 Course: **TR4F**

The story begins in 1815 as Jean Valjean, a man condemned to 19 years of hard labor after stealing a loaf of bread to feed his sister's family, is released on parole only to find a world of prejudice and inequity. Eventually he meets a holy man one man who teaches him of forgiveness

and fresh starts, Valjean vows to begin his life anew and breaks his parole to assume a new identity. Jean Valjean crosses the landscape of early 19th century France, always pursued by his past and the self-righteous police inspector Javert. Valjean struggles to find purpose as he encounters a series of challenges, including his adoption of the orphan Cosette, the darkly funny plots of the thieving Thenardiers, and the violence of the revolutionary students of Paris. Their stories will climax on the street barricades as ideologies clash, blood is spilled, and final confrontations are made between Jean Valjean and the dogged Javert. The story of Les Misérables is one of love, courage and redemption spanning a lifetime of trials and triumphs. Trip includes transportation, show, dinner.



Date: Saturday, October 18, 2014  
 Time: Depart: 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High  
 School  
 Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, New Amsterdam  
 Theater  
 Dinner: The Pantagis  
 Scotch Plains, NJ  
 Arrive: 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
 Cost : \$200.00 per person  
 \$395.00 per couple  
 \$785.00 per group of four  
 Course: **TR3F**

In an exotic, faraway land, one young man's life is about to change with the lucky rub of an ancient lamp—and you're invited to join the magic carpet ride. Watch in wonder as Aladdin wishes himself from the life

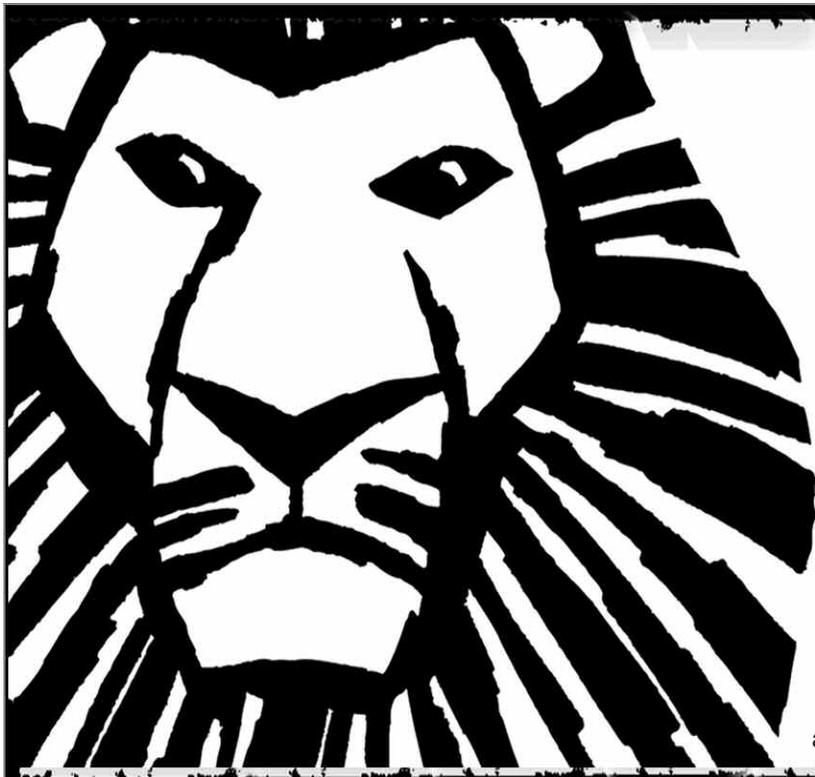
of a lowly street thief to that of a rich and charismatic prince with the help of his new friend, a powerful genie who may just have a bit of a screw loose. However, Aladdin will find more to life than riches and power

Welcome to ALADDIN, Disney's new Broadway musical, adapted from the hit film and featuring some of the best-loved music by Academy® and Tony Award®-winning composer Alan Menken and lyricists Howard Ashman, Tim Rice and Chad Beguelin.

With its timeless story, extravagant sets and costumes and a host of memorable characters and songs, ALADDIN will transport you to a place you only know in your dreams. Go ahead, make a wish. And discover a whole new world of adventure and romance. Trip includes transportation, show, dinner.

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## 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.

## Mamma Mia!

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

Date: Saturday, April 5, 2014  
Time: Depart: 9:15 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.

### TRIP POLICY

1. A 25% deposit is required for each seat at the time of your reservation.
2. A \$25.00 deposit per seat is required on all trips that exceed \$100.00.
3. Initial deposits are non-refundable unless you, or we, are able to resell the seats in advance of the show.
4. Balances on all trips are due three weeks in advance of the performance.
5. Itineraries will be mailed out at a minimum two weeks prior to the trip.
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.
9. Occasionally minor changes in the itinerary may be necessary.
10. It is the responsibility of the patron to make sure that they are on time for boarding and reboarding the bus.

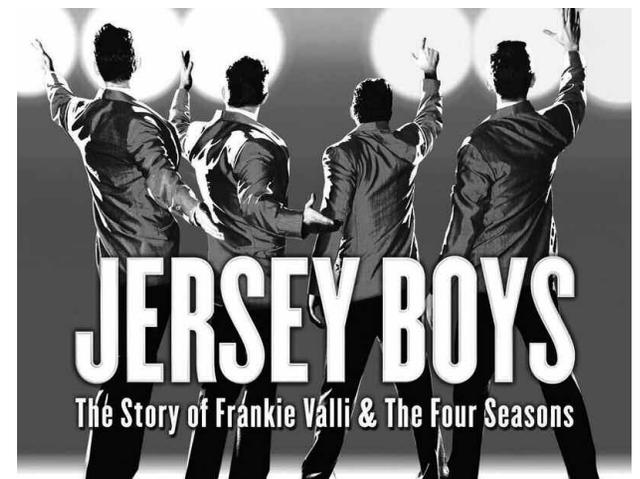


**Become lost in the music of the night.**

Date: Saturday, March 8, 2014  
Time: Depart: 9:15 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**

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 million audience members in an 18-year+ run. Based on Gaston Leroux's famous novel, *The Phantom of the Opera* follows the story of Christine, a young opera singer, charmed by a mysterious specter who haunts the Paris Opera house. The tale begins as a series of unexplained accidents plague the Paris Opera and prima donna, Carlotta, refuses to take the stage. Christine steps in and is a triumph.

Following her opening night success, she rekindles a relationship with childhood friend, Raoul. However, her world will be turned upside down when later, alone in her dressing room, she finally meets the Phantom who has silently mentored her rise to center stage and gifted her with a voice for the angels. 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. This riveting tale of love and despair spans the depths of the Phantom's underground hideaway to the dizzying heights of the roof of the Opera House, as the Phantom and Raoul battle for Christine's love and perhaps her very soul. Trip includes transportation, show, dinner.



**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: 9:15 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: \$215.00 per person  
\$425.00 per couple  
\$840.00 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.

**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.

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## Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella

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**

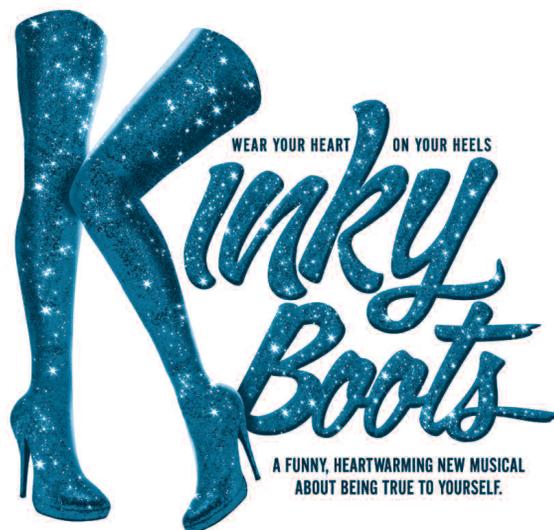
The smart and beautiful young Ella lives in the care of her wicked, self-absorbed stepmother Madame and Madame's two daughters, Charlotte and Gabrielle. Ella's only friends in the world are the animals in the woods, "crazy Marie" and the revolutionary student Jean-Michel. Meanwhile in another part of 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.

## ONCE

Date: Saturday, October 18, 2014  
 Time: Depart: 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
 Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, Bernard B Jacobs Theatre  
 Dinner: The Pantagis  
 Scotch Plains, NJ  
 Arrive: 10:00 pm, Pottstown  
 Cost: \$200.00 per person  
 \$395.00 per couple  
 \$785.00 per group of four  
 Course: **TR2F**

Guy is an Irish singer and songwriter who spends his days fixing vacuums in the Dublin shop he runs with his father, and his nights playing his music in local pubs. He is on the verge of giving up music altogether when a Czech immigrant, "Girl," walks into the bar, hears him play and refuses to let him abandon his guitar. As it turns out, she has a broken vacuum cleaner, Guy repairs it, and she pays him in music on a piano she plays in a record shop. Over the course of a week, Girl convinces Guy to believe in the power of his music and his love for the woman who inspired his songs. They scrape together money to record a demo album with a motley crew of bar friends, and their unexpected friendship and collaboration evolves into a powerful—but very complicated—love story. "Once" has something of the feel of a pub concert, and every effort is made to give the audience an intimate evening with the characters. Before the show, the actors, who are also the show's musicians, play Irish standards in the Dublin pub set, and audience members are invited to join them for a drink from the onstage bar.



BOOK BY  
**HARVEY FIERSTEIN**

MUSIC AND LYRICS BY  
**CYNDI LAUPER**

DIRECTED AND CHOREOGRAPHED BY  
**JERRY MITCHELL**

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..

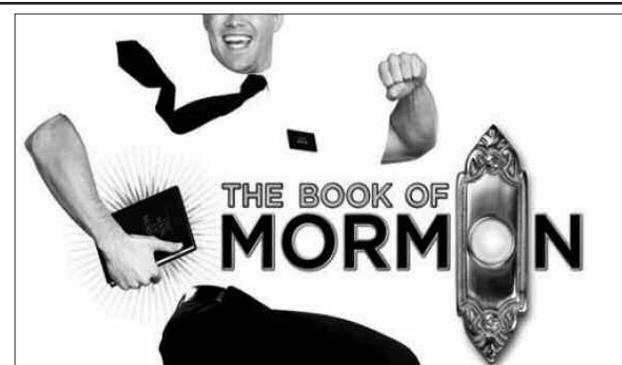


Date: Saturday, March 8, 2014  
 Time: Depart 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
 Arrive: NYC 12:00 pm  
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, The Brooks Atkinson Theatre  
 256 W 47th Street  
 Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
 Scotch Plain, New Jersey  
 Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
 Cost: \$200.00 per person 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

Date: Saturday, September 13, 2014  
 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: \$190.00 per person  
 \$375.00 per couple  
 \$725.00 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



Date: Saturday, September 13, 2014  
 Time: Depart 9:15 am  
 Pottstown Senior High School  
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, Eugene O'Neill Theatre  
 230 W. 49th Street  
 Dinner: Snuffy's Pantagis  
 Scotch Plains, New Jersey  
 Return: 10:30 pm to Pottstown  
 Cost: \$250.00 per person  
 \$495.00 per couple  
 \$985.00 per group of four  
 Course: **TR7F**

The Book of Mormon follows two young missionaries who are sent to Uganda to try to convert citizens to the Mormon religion. One missionary, Elder Price, is an enthusiastic go-getter with a strong dedication to his faith, while his partner, Elder Cunningham, is a socially awkward but well meaning nerd whose tendency to embroider the truth soon lands him in trouble. Upon their arrival in Africa, Elders Price and Cunningham learn that in a society plagued by AIDS, poverty and violence, a successful mission may not be as easy as they expected. Trip includes transportation, dinner and theatre tickets.



**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.

# 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 **January 15, 2014**. 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, Mr. Michael Lenhart, Program Coordinator

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

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## 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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