

Winter/Spring 2016

NEWSLETTER & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



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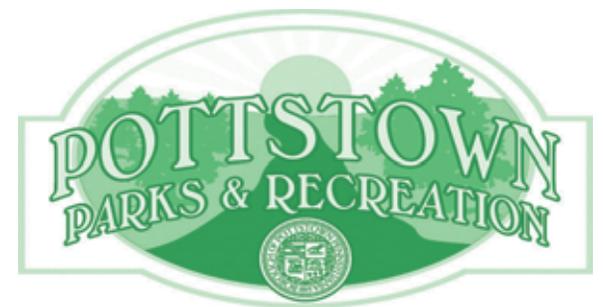
LOOK INSIDE!

Parks and Recreation has great things to offer adults and children in the greater Pottstown Community: There's Manatawny Green miniature golf, located at 71 W. High Street and 13 open space parks, featuring playgrounds, walking paths, and picnic groves--just to name a few. Additionally, our program catalog includes long-running youth classes like ballet, tap and jazz, and gymnastics, as well as recently-added Hip Hop Dance, Babysitting Certification, and Intro to Kung Fu courses! We also offer several bus trips annually, visiting some new and exciting venues for 2016 both affordable & fun! Our newsletter is sent to homes in the community three times a year and is also available year-round at Borough Hall. For a full listing of all we offer as well as local attractions and happenings in and around town, visit our websites at www.pottstown.org and www.facebook.com/PottstownParksandRec.



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Youth Programs

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BABYSITTING CERTIFICATION

American Heart Association Babysitting Class
Instructors Ray Stitt and Renee Grafstrom
For ages 11-15

Learn how to be a superior babysitter! Class receives First Aid and CPR certification as well as discusses age appropriate toys and games, how to be safe on the job and respond to emergencies. Certification is good for two years.

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2016
Time: 9am-2:30pm (Bring a lunch)
Location: Lincoln Elementary, Multipurpose room – 970 N. Franklin Street Pottstown
Cost: \$80 per person, due at time of registration

YOUTH SOCCER SAMPLER

Instructor: Manny Paez

Join us for a Co-Ed youth soccer sampler! The soccer sampler is geared towards children ages 4-10, 8 sessions on Saturday mornings running from April 2 thru May 21 at Memorial Park – the back of field 2

4-5 year olds – 9:00am
6-7 year olds – 10:00am
8-10 year olds – 11:00am

Coach Manny will be working on developing new and honing existing skills, so whether you are a beginner or have been playing soccer, this is a program for you! We would like to turn this into a future league so come one out and give it a try! The session fee is \$45 for the 8 weeks and will include a t-shirt that you will receive during the first day. Call Parks and Rec to register at (610) 970-6618



GYMNASTICS



Register early for one of Parks and Recreations' most popular classes. Gymnastics instruction offers opportunities for boys and girls ages 4-12 to engage in active and healthy activity and develop skills like balance, coordination, upper body strength, and flexibility. Most of all it is a fun way to stay active and fit. Call to pre-register 610-970-6618.

Classes are held weekdays in the gymnasium in the School District Administration building at 230 Beech St. Gymnasium is located in the front of the building with parking in the rear.

All classes run 12 weeks. Limited spots are available. Classes begin the week of February 22, 2016. Register now!

TUMBLING TYKES: GYMNASTICS FOR AGES 4-6

Our beginners' class for new and younger students offers a fun approach to the fundamentals of gymnastics and the equipment. We encourage teamwork and sharing through instruction, games, and drills. Call to pre-register 610-970-6618.

Wednesday Nights: 6:30-7:15
Course Code **16 GM101 – W**
Cost: \$85 Resident / \$95 Nonresident

Thursday Nights: 6:30-7:15
Course Code **16 GM101-Th**
Cost: \$85 Resident / \$95 Nonresident

BEGINNERS' GYMNASTICS: AGES 7-10

Beginners' gymnastics offers an introduction to gymnastic fundamentals on all equipment, working towards learning new skills such as backbends and round-off pops. Call to pre-register 610-970-6618.

Wednesdays: 7:15-8:15pm
Course Code: **16 GM201-W**
Cost: Resident \$85 / \$95 Nonresident

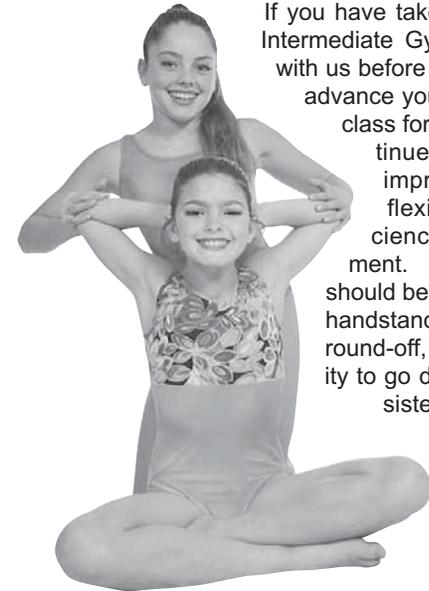
Thursdays: 7:15-8:15pm
Course Code: **16 GM201-Th**
Cost: Resident \$85 / \$95 Nonresident

INTERMEDIATE GYMNASTICS: AGES 7-12

If you have taken Beginners' Gymnastics courses with us before and are looking to advance your skills, this is the class for you. We will work on improving balance, flexibility and proficiency on the equipment. It is important to gauge your student's skill before signing up for this class. A good candidate should be able to do a 3-sec handstand, a cartwheel and round-off, and have the ability to go down into an unassisted backbend. Contact Parks and Rec. with questions and to pre-register 610-970-6618.

Tuesday Nights: 6:00-7:00
Course Code 16 GM301 -T
Cost: \$85 Resident / \$95 Nonresident

ADVANCED GYMNASTICS: AGES 7-12



If you have taken Beginners' and Intermediate Gymnastics courses with us before and are looking to advance your skills, this is the class for you. We will continue the steps to improving balance, flexibility and proficiency on the equipment. A good candidate should be able to do a 3-sec handstand, a cartwheel and round-off, and have the ability to go down into an unassisted backbend; our instructor will assess students' abilities to take part in this advanced class. Contact Parks and Rec.

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Tuesday Nights: 7:00-8:00
Course Code **16 GM401 -T**
Cost: \$85 Resident / \$95 Nonresident

Pottstown still CARES (with CARES standing for Community, Awareness, Responsibility, Empowerment, and Sustainability). The CARES initiative is continuing with another community clean-up day on Friday, April 15, 2016 from 8:30am – 12:00pm with a brown bag lunch for volunteers. Volunteers from The Hill's student body, faculty, and staff as well as the Pottstown School District will work with the Borough on the clean-up project. If you would like to show that your neighborhood CARES, assemble a team and make a difference by assisting in the effort. Visit www.pottstown.org for more information.

CARES Community Tool Share Program

Pottstown CARES has formed a Community Tool Share Program. A tool share shed is located on The Hill School property, on Sheridan Street between Chestnut and Walnut Streets, from which community members may borrow equipment on an honor system basis.

Tools from the Tool Share are available to anyone working on improvement and beautification projects in the Borough of Pottstown. Tools are utilized for volunteer purposes only, and there is no monetary compensation being provided for services rendered.

- All items loaned, are returned in the same or better condition than they were loaned in.
- Any items which are damaged or destroyed will be replaced by the borrower.
- In order to grow the stock of equipment available, it is asked that upon return of the borrowed equipment, community members donate one additional new or gently used item.

For more information on the tool share, please email Katie Scanlan at kscanlan@thehill.org. Stay tuned to www.pottstown.org for the latest updates on ways to show that Pottstown CARES!

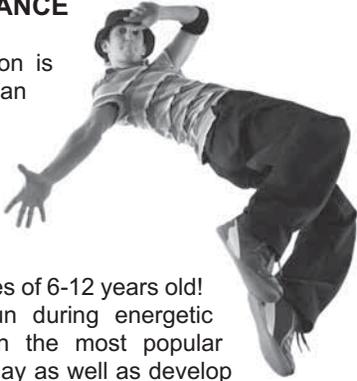


Youth Programs

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YOUTH HIP HOP DANCE

Parks and Recreation is offering a new twist on an old favorite – Join us! This fun, high energy Co-Ed Hip Hop dance class was created specifically for children who love to dance between the ages of 6-12 years old! Students will have fun during energetic classes that focus on the most popular dance moves seen today as well as develop creativity, coordination, musicality, and listening skills, build self-esteem and promote confidence. Learn the fundamental Hip-Hop moves that will have you movin' to the beats! All music and moves are age appropriate. Dress comfortably for the 8 week session beginning the week of 2/22/2016. Call to pre-register (610) 970-6618. Classes will be held at Lincoln Elementary located at 461 N. York Street



Tuesday Nights: 6:30-7:00pm

Course Code 16 HH 101
Ages 6-8
Cost: \$45 Resident / \$50 Nonresident

Tuesday Nights: 7:00-7:30pm

Course Code 16 HH 201
Ages 9-12
Cost: \$45 Resident / \$50 Nonresident

JUDO CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

any skill level

Instructors: Fred Eddinger, 4th Degree Black belt, certified to teach blind students
Debbie Eddinger, 3rd Degree Black belt
Richard Favinger, 1st Degree Black belt
Times: 6:15-7:00 pm for boys and girls ages 8-12
Dates: Mondays and Thursdays beginning April 18
12 week session includes 24 classes
Location: Rupert Elementary multi-purpose room @ 1230 South St. Pottstown
Cost: \$100 Residents / \$105 Nonresidents

Judo courses teach the fundamentals of self-defense, discipline, and self-confidence. Focus is placed on learning the proper application of throwing and grappling techniques in a safe and supportive environment. Advanced students have routinely participated in local tournaments.



Judo is a great physical activity that any member of the family can enjoy. Instructors are nationally certified coaches with a combined teaching experience of over 50 years. Don't miss this chance to build confidence and participate in an active healthy-living sport! Call to pre-register at 610-970-6618.

KUNG FU

Introductory session

Parks and Recreation is partnering with Red Cloud Kung Fu! Have you always wanted to try Kung Fu but weren't ready for the commitment? Join us for an introductory 6 week session and see if it's for you! Classes will be held at Red Cloud Kung Fu located at 307 East High Street Pottstown. Introductory session is \$75 per person. Call to Pre-register 610-970-6618

Children ages 6-13: Thursday nights from 5:00-6:00pm
Session dates: March 3, 2016
April 21, 2016
June 9, 2016



Red Cloud Kung Fu teaches Tien Sha Pai, a Northern Kung Fu style that provides correct body alignment, agility and strength. Learn how Kung Fu can give you flexibility, endurance and coordination all while learning

the fundamentals of a traditional and powerful martial art. You will learn the 10 basic stretching exercises, stances, punches and kicks in an intense but fun workout. You will learn self-defense, gain confidence and feel more energetic. Please wear loose and comfortable clothing and sneakers, bring a towel, water, and your enthusiasm.

Adult Programs

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION FIRST AID CPR W/AED

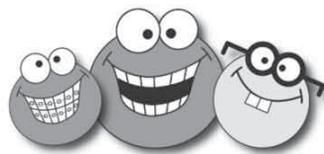
Instructor: Ray Stitt
Dates: Classes will be held Tuesday nights
March 8, 2016
April 12, 2016
May 10, 2016
June 14, 2016
Time: 5:30pm – 9:45 pm
Location: Pottstown High School, enter at main office entrance off of Washington St. parking lot
Cost: Resident Rate \$80 / Non-Resident \$90



Payment is due at time of registration

Learning First Aid and CPR offers you the chance to help others in your home and community by saving a life. Join us for American Heart Association CPR & First Aid. These classes will provide you with the skills you need to feel confident in the event of an emergency and the ability to use supplies that are

available to you in most any environment. Certifications are valid for two years. Includes American Heart Association Workbook. Must be a minimum of 12 years old to register. For more information and to register, contact Parks and Recreation at 610-970-6618



WHEN SCHOOL IS OUT, CAMP IS IN!

Summer? It's right around the corner... I know it's hard to think about now while we are bundled up and shoveling out, but don't wait! Parks and Recreation will be offering summer camp, both full and half (am only) days, again this year. Registration opens April 29, 2016! Spots fill quickly so don't wait! Visit our website for further information in the Spring, www.pottstown.org or "like" us on Facebook, Borough of Pottstown Parks and Rec Dept. Parks and Rec is accepting applications for summer camp positions. Positions for Head Counselor and camp counselors available. Minimum age 16, experience and/or background in an education related field is highly preferred. Stop in to complete an application.



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CO-ED INDOOR PICK UP SOCCER - SPRING 2016

NEW NIGHT ADDED!

Instructor: Manny Paez
Date: Wednesday nights 3/9/16-5/18/16
Course Code: 16 IS101-2 W
Time: 8:00-10:00 pm
or
Date: Thursday nights 3/10/16-5/19/16
Course Code: 16 IS 101-2 Th
Time: 8:00 - 10:00 p.m.
Location: Pottstown Middle School
Cost: Resident \$22 / Non - Resident Rate \$27

For players 18 years and older and limited to 20 participants; pick-up with basic instruction. One of our longest-running courses at 36 years, Indoor Soccer promises active and healthy fun. Join our ten (10) week session and stay active through the colder months. Contact Parks and Recreation to pre-register at 610-970-6618



ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

With such events as The Rumble in June and our long-standing nighttime indoor leagues, Pottstown was made for volleyball! Interested in forming a 4 to 6 person team to join the league to begin in September 2016, please contact Dave Romig at 610-327-3598 or 610-850-3363
League play available on both Sunday and Monday nights!

Community Events



Opening for the Season: Saturday April 9th, 2016

Join us at *Pottstown's Own Miniature Golf*, located at King and High Streets in Pottstown, PA. Manatawny Green offers 18 holes and ADA accessibility. Check out a course that is challenging fun for the whole family. **We are located at 71 West High St.** next to The Pottstown Carousel. Feel free to call with questions 610-970-6607.



Hours of Operation: April 9 through June 17th
Tuesday to Sunday: 12-9pm

Hours of Operation June 18 through Labor Day
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 12-9pm
Friday & Saturday: 12-10pm
Sunday: 12-9pm

****Special Monday Hours on May 30 and July 4, 2016**
12:00pm - 8:00pm



CHECK OUT OUR NEW LUNCH MENU

Stop at the Snack Shack for a frosty milkshake made with Nelson's PA Dutch Ice Cream and a variety of savory hotdogs, like the **Manatawny Dog w/ chili and cheese** and the **Bacon Ranch Dog**.

We are the perfect place to stop to feed the need for those special **SUMMER TREATS**.

A great destination for a family outing or a *downtown lunch break*.



Annual School's Out Youth Tournament

Saturday June 18, 2016

For all youth ages Pre-K through 12, Check our website under the "Parks and Recreation" Tab for details - www.pottstown.org

Or

Visit us on Facebook -

Facebook.com/ManatawnyGreen





Community Events

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• Proceeds to Benefit Downtown Pottstown Revitalization •

5K POTTOWA RUN



MAY 15 / 2016

**8 AM / RIVERFRONT PARK / POTTSTOWN, PA
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More Information visit: www.downtownpottstown.org

Call: Torry Dugan 610.323.5400 / 484.925.8681 email: sheiladugan@comcast.net / s.u.xrunner@gmail.com



WORLD'S LARGEST Doubles Volleyball Tournament



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1991-2016



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SPRING NIGHT OF

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THE SKYLINERS
"THIS I SWEAR"
"SINCE I DON'T HAVE YOU"



KID KYLE
"Without You"
"GEE" & "THE DIARY"

KATHY YOUNG
"A THOUSAND STARS IN
THE SKY"



THE ANGELS
"TILL"
"THANK YOU & GOOD NIGHT"

JIMMY CLANTON
"VENUS IN BLUE JEANS"
"JUST A DREAM"



THE CHANTELS
"MAYBE"
"HE'S GONE"

Emcee: Tommy McCarthy from 98.1 WOGL

**DAVENPORT PERFORMING ARTS CENTER - POTTSTOWN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2016 • 6:00 P.M. • DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 P.M.**

SPRING NIGHT OF Pop Rock & Doo Wop

**Saturday, April 30, 2016
6:00 P.M. • DOORS OPEN 5:00 P.M.**

DAVENPORT PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
Pottstown Senior High School
750 North Washington Street
Pottstown, PA 19464

RESERVED SEATING - \$55.00
GENERAL ADMISSION - \$45.00
AFTER CONCERT DJ DANCE PARTY
At Pottstown Elks - \$5.00

Make check payable to Tom Coyle and mail to:
PO Box 912, Pottstown, PA 19464
Fore more info call 610-306-9361

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**CIRCLE LEGACY CENTER
POW WOW ON MANATAWNY
CREEK**

MAY 7 and 8, 2016

**FEATURING MEDICINE HORSE SINGERS AND DANCERS
MEMORIAL PARK at POTTSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA**

Gates open at 10:00 A.M.

GRAND ENTRY AT 12:00 NOON

Join us as we celebrate a special recognition of Mothers Day and honor the contributions and sacrifices of our armed forces

Music Performances by Spirit Wing - BARRY LEE AND BARBARA ANDREWS CHRISTY
Native American Dance Exhibitions
Mama's Soup Coupe is back with their Incredible Soups and Buffalo Burgers!
Indian Fry Bread, Fry Bread Tacos & Wojapi will be prepared by CLC
Native American crafts and displays as well as children's events

MC: BARRY LEE
HEAD MALE DANCER: MATT WHITE EAGLE
HEAD FEMALE DANCER: CHRIS MOURNING DOVE

Admission \$5.00 per person (active military and children 6 and under- free)

For information contact: Ronnie Williams
naheritage@comcast.net

Camping for Dancers, Drums and Vendors, (limited space, please make arrangements as early as possible).

Wheelchair accessible event. Handicap parking at the Second street entrance
This is a rain or shine event. Bring your own seating/blankets and be prepared to participate...



Annual Colonial May Fair

Sat., May 7th from 11am to 5pm

Pottsgrove Manor, 100 West King Street, Pottstown, PA 19464

Join us for our annual celebration of spring! The Colonial May Fair is a fun event for the whole family, featuring dancing around the colorful May Pole, magic shows, puppet theater, early American crafts, living history demonstrations, hands-on activities, and more! Some crafters will be selling their wares, and snacks & lunches can be purchased from food vendors.

18th Annual Schuylkill River Sojourn June 4 - 10, 2016

A 112-mile, 7-day guided canoe/kayak trip from Schuylkill Haven to Philadelphia
Registration Opens April 1. Register for one day or the full trip.



www.schuylkillriver.org



POTTSTOWN LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL

P.O. BOX 1004
POTTSTOWN, PA. 19464



1980 - 2016 *Serving Pottstown's Youth for 37 Years*

Little League Baseball and Softball for children residing in the Borough of Pottstown or attend a school located within the Borough of Pottstown. Any Candidate who will attain the age of 5 years on or after January 1, 2016 and will not attain the age of 13 years before May 1, 2016 is eligible for Baseball. Any Candidate who will attain the age of 5 years before January 1, 2016 and will not attain the age of 17 before January 1, 2016 is eligible for Girls Softball. The ages for the Challenger Division for candidates with physical and mental challenges is 5 to 18 years old.

Registration – After February 6, 2015 **\$60.00**

Registration can be completed online through our website, www.pottstownlittleleague.com.

Follow the directions under the "registration" banner.

Candidates may be placed on a waiting list after 2/6/16 depending on the number of players that have registered in that division. There is also a \$10 late fee associated with any registration after this date.

Tee Ball Registration **\$45.00**

Challenger Division Registration Fee - **\$25.00**

Candidates must reside within our chartered Little League boundary, the Borough of Pottstown, or attend a school located within our boundary. 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 for all printable registration forms or contact Megan Miller, Registrar at 484-624-4946 or e-mail at baseballmom0928@hotmail.com



GREATER POTTSTOWN TENNIS

Tennis is a lifetime sport!

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Pottstown Middle School After-school Program

Free Clinics for Pottstown School District Students

Free Adaptive Tennis Clinics

Tennis Play Day Events

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USTA Tournament

USTA Junior Team Tennis

US Open Bus Trip

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info@gptatennis.com

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2015 USTA Middle States Premier Provider - CTA

2012 USTA Middle States CTA of the Year

Community Events

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Pottstown Regional Public Library Programs

Toddler Tuesday – Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. Crafts, stories, music, and imaginative play with caregiver involvement will help your child lay the groundwork for literacy and speech. Registration preferred

Pre-K Storytime – Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. Filled with stories and games with letters, numbers, and words will help your child be prepared both socially and academically for Kindergarten. Registration preferred

Mexican Easter Egg Hunt – coming on a Saturday in March. Registration required

Homework Help – Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesdays at 3:30. One on one bilingual homework help with tutors for students through middle school. **Registration required**

Teen Movie Nights – Tuesdays at 6 p.m. After you are done your homework, watch a new blockbuster movie on our big screen.

Color Club – Thursdays at 3:30 p.m. Provided with professional grade colored pencils, pens, markers and pastels and a variety of adult and child coloring books- teens, children, and their adults are welcome to take a break from the day and share in the social, mental, and creative benefits.

Play-Doh Party – Fridays at 1:30 p.m. In addition to being fun, this party encourages the development of fine motor skills, imaginative play, science and discovery.

Lego Club – The first Saturday of the month at 11:00 a.m.

D.A.R.T. – The third Saturday of the month at 10:00 a.m. Dogs Are Readers Too. These specially trained dogs are waiting to be read to. The emergent or reluctant reader will be comfortable reading to a non-judgmental furry friend.

Mother Goose Storytime – Mondays in April at 10:30 a.m. A special story time for infants and caregiver. It is never too early to introduce literacy to a child.

Family Reading Month and Kindness Quest – The entire month of April. Read for prizes

Ready, Set, Read Summer Program – 10 week summer program including performers, bubbles, books, and prizes. Starting June 22

There is more to come! Please call for information 610-970-6551. <http://ppl.mclinc.org/>

Ringing Rocks Skate Parties Grades 4K-5

Date: Thursday March 3, 2016
Time: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Grades: 4K thru 2nd grades
Cost: \$2.00 in advance; \$3.00 at the door
 \$1.00 skate rental

Date: Thursday March 10, 2016
Time: 6:00 pm– 8:00 pm
Grades: 3rd thru 5th grades
Cost: \$2.00 in advance; \$3.00 at the door
 \$1.00 skate rental at the rink



Enjoy a fun filled evening with friends, classmates & parents. These special parties are held twice per school year. Advance tickets are available at 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 8:15pm

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JAN 6TH
2016

WEDNESDAYS AT PHOENIXVILLE
THURSDAYS AT POTTSTOWN



CONCLUDING ON
MAR 17TH
2016

*Prize Drawing is for a \$3,000 Gift Certificate of AUTHENTIC IRELAND. www.authenticireland.com

POTTSTOWN

{ IN FOCUS }

SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

JUNE 6-10 2016

JOIN THE MOVEMENT!

{WHAT IT IS}

Pottstown In Focus Short Film Festival is a new event soliciting short film submissions from entrants across the country and around the world. The challenge for film makers is that each thirty-minute or shorter film must have as its character, theme, setting or inspiration **the revitalizing Borough of Pottstown, Pennsylvania**– a town with renewed focus.

{WHO IT'S FOR}

Part of Pottstown's adjusted focus is on **involving everyone in the community**– all residents, business owners and stakeholders in the transformation of the town and the *Pottstown In Focus Short Film Festival* offers something for everyone.

{JOIN THE MOVEMENT}

Never heard of Pottstown? Doesn't matter. Lived in Pottstown all of your life but never made a movie? **This is your chance!** We're encouraging everyone, everywhere to get involved in the *Pottstown In Focus Short Film Festival*...

FILM CATEGORIES

COMEDY	HISTORICAL FICTION
SCIENCE FICTION	MUSIC VIDEO
DOCUMENTARY	

SPECIAL CATEGORY (5 min!)

A LOVE LETTER TO POTTSTOWN

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- [1]** All films may not exceed 30 minutes in length and must be submitted online in a digital format.
- [2]** All films must have some, no matter how modest and/or creative, connection to Pottstown, Pennsylvania.
- [3]** All films, including their stories, footage and soundtrack, should be the original work of the creator and not violate any copyright issues.

EXAMPLES

- Filmmakers travel to Pottstown to shoot their original film on location.
- Your film's main or secondary subject is an obvious character from Pottstown.
- Your film's setting is Pottstown, although it was shot elsewhere.
- Archival footage of Pottstown, is featured in your film.
- A character in your film originally came from Pottstown, as mentioned in dialog.
- Your film uses, as a prop, Pottstown's daily newspaper– The Mercury.

SIGNIFICANT CASH PRIZES FOR ALL WINNERS - SUBMISSION DEADLINE: MAY 1, 2016

WWW.POTTSTOWNINFOCUS.COM **{P}**



POTTSTOWN PARKS AND RECREATION 2015-2016 DISCOUNT SKI TICKETS & WINTER ATTRACTIONS

Hours for ticket purchases are 7:30am – 4:00 pm, Monday – Friday; extended hours Wednesday until 7:00 pm. The Parks and Recreation office is located in Pottstown Borough Hall 100 E. High Street, 2nd Floor. For more information call 610-970-6618.

Payment by Cash, Credit Card (\$20 minimum), & Personal Check (maximum \$50)

Location	Type	Gate Price	Selling Price	Location	Type	Gate Price	Selling Price
Bear Creek Macungie, PA 1-866-ski-at-bc www.bcmountain.com	Weekday (M-F)	\$47.00	\$33.00	Roundtop/Liberty/Whitetail 717-432-9631 www.skiroundtop.com	Weekday	\$66-\$67	\$49.00
	Night (4-10pm)	\$34.00	\$25.00		Weekend/Holiday	\$72-\$75	\$62.00
	Weekend	\$63.00	\$60.00		Night Lift	\$45.00	\$41.00
	(not valid holiday weekends)						
Big Boulder/ Jack Frost Blakeslee, PA 570-443-8425 www.jfbb.com	Adult Midweek	\$46.00	\$38.00	Seven Springs or Hidden Valley ** Seven Springs, PA 1-800-452-2223 www.7springs.com	Midweek (Mon-Thurs)	\$60.00	\$53.00
	Adult Weekend	\$53.00	\$44.00		Midweek Twilight (Sun-Thurs)	\$54.00	\$41.00
	Adult Holiday	\$55.00	\$49.00		**Hidden Valley Midweek all day tickets are less at gate; discount on Hidden Valley Sunday twilight tickets		
	Youth Midweek (age 5-18)	\$35.00	\$33.00				
	Youth Weekend (age 5-18)	\$43.00	\$35.00				
	Youth Holiday (5-18)	\$45.00	\$40.00				
	Night (3pm to close) BB Only	\$30-\$34	\$27.00				
Blue Mountain Palmerton, PA 610-826-7700 www.skibluemt.com	Weekday	\$55.00	\$48.00	Shawnee Mountain Shawnee on Delaware, PA 570-421-4231 www.shawneemt.com	Adult lift – any day	\$50-\$60	\$48.00
	Weekend/Holiday 6 hour	\$65.00	\$62.00		Youth (18 & under) any day	\$40-\$45	\$38.00
	Night	\$35.00	\$32.00		*Ski/Snowboard Package	\$90-\$95	\$75.00
				<i>*package incl. lift ticket, ski or board rental, and beg. lesson (opt.)</i>			
Elk Mountain Uniondale, PA 570-679-4400 www.elkskier.com	Midweek	\$53.00	\$51.00	ATTRACTIONS:			
	Weekend/Holiday (day or twilight)	\$65.00	\$61.00	Adventure Aquarium	Adult (13 and over)	\$27.77	\$19.00
Montage Mountain Scranton, PA 1-800-got-snow www.snomtn.com	Midweek Lift	\$50.00	\$39.00		Child (2-12)	\$20.28	\$15.00
	Weekend Lift	\$59.00	\$49.00	Medieval Times Dinner/Tournament Lyndhurst, NJ – Reservation required (201) 933-2220 www.medieviltimes.com/lyndhurst.aspx			
	Youth Midweek (6-18)	\$35.00	\$27.00	Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks PA Young Innovators Fair January 2-3, 2016 \$22.00 \$17.00 ** www.younginnovatorsfair.com **With Coupon Code: POTPRFIVE			
	Youth Weekend (6-18) (day or twilight)	\$45.00	\$37.00	Brick Fest Live	April 30-May 1, 2016	TBD	
3-Hour Snow tubing (Fri-Sun/Holiday)	\$20.00	\$17.00		www.brickfestlive.com			

Return Policy: Any purchase of ski tickets **must be returned within 3 weeks from date of purchase with receipt**, with a final return date of 3/15/2016. Refunds are issued via check and take up to 3 weeks for processing. All attraction tickets listed are non-refundable.

Prices subject to change

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Community Events

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"The ORIGINAL" WWII SWING DANCE

★★★ **GET YOUR TICKETS!** ★★★

Honoring our Veterans

Benefits: The Pottstown Area Seniors' Center

Date: Friday, April 8, 2016
8pm - 11pm • Doors open at 7pm

Location: The World-Famous Sunnybrook Ballroom
50 Sunnybrook Road, Pottstown, PA 19464

Dance Band: Swing Fever Orchestra - USO Canteen Show

NEW THIS YEAR!!!

An optional all-American buffet dinner will be available before the dance. Reservations are required, and the cost is only an additional \$25 per person for this delicious meal. Dinner guests should arrive at 6:00.

- ★ Tickets: \$25 per person, all seats are reserved. Table of 8's available. Groups to be seated together, please send checks together with all names in the party.
- ★ Send self-addressed, stamped envelope, completed form, and check payable to PASC Swing Dance to PASC, 288 Moser Rd., Pottstown, PA 19464
- ★ For directions, information or questions, please call Brian at 610-323-5305.

ALL SEATS ARE RESERVED!

Tickets: \$25 each - Cash or check - no charges

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

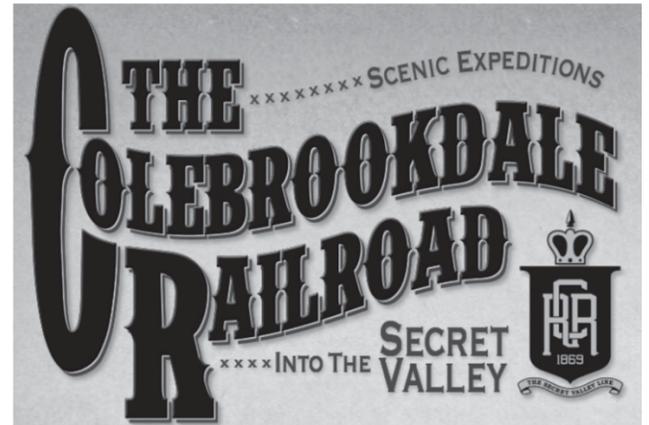
Number of **DANCE** tickets @ \$25 each: _____

Number of **DINNER** tickets @ \$25 each: _____

PLEASE SEAT ME WITH: _____

Schedule is subject to change, visit www.colebrookdalerrailroad.com for details. Spring 2016 Events:

- Cupid's Arrow Brunch Train: February 14 & 15 @ 11:30 AM
- Cupid's Arrow Dinner Train: February 13 thru 15 @ 6:30 PM
- St. Patrick's Day Train: March 17 @ 6:30 PM
- Breakfast with the Easter Bunny: March 20, 25, 26, 27 @ 10:30 AM
- Easter Bunny Express: March 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 @ 1:00 PM, 3:30 PM
- Coming out of Hibernation (short run excursions): April 16 @ 10:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 12 Noon
- Mudball Express: April 16 @ 1:00 PM, 3:30 PM



The Althouse Arboretum is a partnership between environmental education, Upper Pottsgrove Township, high school and college students, and the members of our community. Together we can create a space for environmental learning and nature appreciation. The Arboretum is funded solely through grants and your donations.

althousearboretum.org
UPCOMING EVENTS:

Forest Easter Egg Hunt*
Saturday, March 19
Open House 10AM to 1 PM

The egg hunt is bigger and better than ever! Explore the trails, collect eggs and get a photo with the Easter Bunny! \$5 per child

Bird Walk Adventure: Sunday, April 3, 2016 @ 9AM

Join Mike and Patrick, our bird experts, as we walk along Sprogel's Run Trail to find our feathered friends. This is for first-timers as well as experienced bird watchers. Bring binoculars or borrow one of ours.

Free Concert in The Park

In co operation with the Sojourn stopover in Pottstown
Bronson Tennis and de Tierra Caliente
A fusion of North American and South American sounds.
June 7th, 2016
Riverfront Park
7:30 PM to 9 PM

Time subject to change: Watch for details at <https://www.facebook.com/PottstownParksandRec/>

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POTTSTOWN

Trips & Broadway Shows

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At Fulton Opera House, Lancaster, PA

Date: Saturday, March 19, 2016
 Time: Depart Pottstown 10:00 am
 Pottstown Borough Hall
 100 E High St.

Arrive: Lancaster, PA
 Lunch: Federal Tap House
 Showtime: 2:00 pm, Fulton Opera House

Depart 4:30 pm to arrive back in Pottstown by 6:30 pm

Cost : \$90.00 per person
 \$170.00 per couple (\$85 per ticket)
 \$320.00 per group of four (\$80 per ticket)

Price includes theater tickets and transportation. Lunch reservations have been made for our group at the Federal Taphouse, However, in an effort to keep ticket prices low, lunch costs will be the responsibility of attendees. Check out what The Federal has to offer at <http://www.federaltaphouse.com>

HILARIOUSLY DIVINE!

Based on the hit 1992 film and featuring original music by Tony@ and 8-time Oscar winner Alan Menken, this uplifting musical is a sparkling tribute to the power of friendship. When disco diva Deloris Van Cartier witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she'll never be found – a convent! Disguised as a nun, she finds herself at odds with the rigid lifestyle and the uptight Mother Superior. Using her unique disco moves and singing talent to inspire the choir, Deloris breathes new life into the church and community but in doing so, blows her cover. Filled with powerful gospel music, outrageous dancing and a truly moving story, Sister Act is reason to REJOICE!

Learn more about the professional theater company in your own backyard at www.Fulton.org



Baltimore Inner Harbor & Trolley Tour

Date: Saturday, April 9, 2016
 Time: Depart Pottstown 8:00 am
 Pottstown Borough Hall
 100 E High St.

Arrive: Baltimore 10:00 am
 Trolley Tour - TBD

Depart 6:00 pm to arrive back in Pottstown 8:00 pm

Cost: \$80 per person

Spend a few hours walking around the beautiful Inner Harbor area of Baltimore. The trip includes a tour on the original Baltimore Trolley. Once the Trolley tour is complete, you will have about 5 hours of free time to walk around the inner harbor, see the sites and do what you would like to do <http://baltimore.org/article/baltimore-inner-harbor>.

COMING SOON

What's next? The fall of 2016 will bring with it a trip to NYC on September 24 for a Broadway matinee show and some free time. A trip to Longwood Gardens and a visit to two local Chester County wineries on November 5, 2016. Lastly we will have our traditional December trip to NYC for the Rockettes Christmas Spectacular on December 3, 2016 – check our website for details or “like” us on Facebook to stay up to date – “Borough of Pottstown Parks and Rec Dept

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To reserve your seats call today!

610-970-6618

Visa, MasterCard, Discover, cash or check are accepted methods of payment.



TRIP POLICY

1. A \$50.00 deposit per seat is required on all bus trips at the time of reservation.
2. Initial deposits are **non-refundable**.
3. Balances on all trips are due **three** weeks in advance of the performance.
4. Itineraries will be mailed out at a minimum two weeks prior to the trip.
5. Payment plans/installments can be arranged.
6. Visa, MasterCard, Discover, cash or check are acceptable methods of payment.
7. Bus trips include bus fare, venue ticket, and dinner at selected restaurant w/ selected menu.
8. Occasionally, minor changes in the itinerary may be necessary.
9. It is the responsibility of the patron to make sure that he or she is on time for boarding the bus at all stops.



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 Thursday: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
 Friday: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Pottstown Municipal Airport

The Pottstown Municipal Airport is a full-service public airport providing business and recreational opportunities to flight enthusiasts. The Pottstown Municipal Airport is owned by the Borough of Pottstown and managed by a Fixed Base Operator (FBO) Fly Elite, LLC. Airport address is 1149 Glasgow Street Pottstown, PA 19464

For more information, you may contact Fly Elite, LLC at 610-495-6366

Witmer Aviation provides repair services at Pottstown Municipal Airport. Tom Witmer is available for all your routine maintenance, custom repairs, and rebuilding of vintage aircraft. Witmer Aviation can be contacted at 610-323-0320.

For hangar and tie down rentals, contact the Assistant Borough Manager at 610-970-6512.

PART Bikes & Rides!

PART is proud to be a bicycle friendly transit system and encourages bicyclists to use our services to explore the greater Pottstown area. Bike to a PART bus stop and use the bike rack that is attached to all PART vehicles to load and unload your bike safely and conveniently. All bikes 16" or larger fit easily and securely on the rack, including children's bikes. All bikes load exactly the same way. PART bicycle racks accommodate most 2 wheeled bicycles, but do not accommodate motorized bicycles, tricycles, or tripeds. Bike racks are available on a first come, first served basis. Bicycles are allowed on buses during all hours of operation from 6:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday. In the event of a lost or forgotten bicycle, all bicycles may be claimed at the PART office at 902 Farmington Avenue, Pottstown, PA 19464.

Pottstown Area Rapid Transit	
Multi-Ride Passes — Valid for 10 Rides	
Full Fare.....	\$19.00
Half Fare.....	\$9.50
Transfer.....	\$5.50
Roundtrip Passes — Valid for 2 Rides	
Full Fare.....	\$3.80
Half Fare.....	\$1.90
Transfer.....	\$1.10
Available for purchase at the Finance Department of Borough Hall, 100 E. High Street. For more information, visit www.pottstownarearapidtransit.com or call 610-970-6512.	

Free Transit Program for Senior Citizens

If you are age 65 or over, you may ride free on any participating local public transportation system. Free rides are available whenever Pottstown Area Rapid Transit (PART) is operating. Senior citizens must register with PART staff to obtain a Commonwealth of PA ID Card by bringing approved proof of age to PART's office, located on the 3rd Floor of Borough Hall, 100 E. High Street. For more information, please call 610-970-6512.

The Human Relations Commission is a five-member team of volunteers appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Borough Council of Pottstown. The Commission serves to improve the quality of human relations within the Borough of Pottstown. The mission is to promote mutual understanding, respect and cooperation among all racial, cultural, religious, ethnic, and other groups within the Borough of Pottstown. If you are need of mediation or referral services or interested in becoming a

Borough of Pottstown Department Contact Information

Administration
 610-970-6511
 Administration@pottstown.org

Public Works
 610-970-6527
 PublicWorks@pottstown.org

Human Resources
 610-970-6514
 HumanResources@pottstown.org

Licensing and Inspections
 610-970-6520
 codes@pottstown.org

Finance
 610-970-6530
 Finance@pottstown.org

Fire
 610-970-6525
 fire@pottstown.org
**IN THE CASE OF A FIRE
 EMERGENCY PLEASE DIAL 911**

Parks and Recreation
 610-970-6608
 pottsparks@pottstown.org

Police
 610-970-6570
 PottstownPolice@pottstown.org
**IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY
 PLEASE DIAL 911**

Utilities
 610-970-6540
 Utilities@pottstown.org

Pottstown Municipal Airport
 610-970-6512
 Airport@pottstown.org

Pottstown Area Rapid Transit
 610-326-5413
 TakePart@pottstown.org

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 Superintendent of Schools: Dr. Jeffrey Sparagana

member of the Commission, please contact the commissioner at hrc@pottstown.org or call 610-970-6598.

Finance Dept: Online Payments

Pay your utility bill online at www.pottstown.org Go to the Finance Department tab and choose "pay bill here." Processing fees may apply. You can also arrange to have your utility bill emailed to you regularly by enrolling in paperless billing.

Licensing and Inspections : New Residential Rental Program

For the first 30 months of the new program (July 1, 2015 to December 31, 2017) inspections of all rental units will occur on a biennial basis (every other year) in addition to each change of tenant. The biennial inspections will take place on a schedule that is determined by the location of your property within the Borough. An invoice for the biennial inspections will be generated when it is approaching the time frame for your property to be inspected. Once that invoice is paid, your property will be placed on the list for inspection and a notice will be sent with your inspection date and time. Further instructions will be included on that notice. There is no change to the procedure for requesting an inspection due to a change in tenant. After the initial transition period, starting January 1, 2018, inspections of all rental units will occur on a biennial basis only. An inspection will not be required upon change of tenant, but you will still be required to provide the new tenant names to the Borough using a Change of Tenant form (available on our website or in the office). The procedure for invoicing and scheduling will remain the same as in the initial transition period.

New Vacant Property Registration Procedure

All vacant properties will register with Community Champions on line at <http://cchampions.com/>

STORM WATER AND GRASS CLIPPINGS KEEP OUT OF STORM DRAINS

The Borough of Pottstown would like to remind residents and commercial mowers that sweeping or blowing grass clippings or leaves into the street is against Borough Ordinance. Ordinance #1773 prohibits putting lawn clippings or leaves in streets, gutters, or other portions of the storm water system, including ditches and storm drains. Streets and gutters flow into the storm water drainage system, which in turn flows into area streams. The storm water drainage system does not flow to the wastewater treatment plant like the sanitary sewer. When mowing, grass clippings should not be blown into the street. The first few passes with the lawnmower should

blow the grass clippings into the lawn, not the street. If there are grass clippings on the street or sidewalk, a broom or leaf blower may blow them back into the lawn. Disposing of grass clippings or leaves in the street or other portions of the storm water drainage system can create flooding or water quality issues. When the system becomes blocked with grass clippings and leaves, it creates a flooding potential that could result in property damage.

Remember, when grass clippings remain on the lawn, they add free fertilizer to your lawn.

Keeping your leaves and lawn clippings out of the streets and gutters will have significant benefits for the local streams. Grass clippings contribute nutrients such as nitrogen and phosphorous, which cause unwanted and uncontrolled growth of algae and aquatic weeds in the waterways. Increased algae growth can cause green algae blooms. This can also take much needed oxygen away from fish. Limiting phosphorus reduces algae blooms.

STORM WATER CARS AND DRIVEWAYS

- Use a commercial car wash or wash your car on a lawn to prevent dirty, soapy water from flowing into the storm inlets.
- Check your car for leaks and make repairs as soon as possible. Clean up spilled fluids with an absorbent material like kitty litter or sand and dispose of it in the trash. Never rinse a spill into a storm inlet.
- Recycle used oil and other automotive fluids at service stations. Don't dump these liquids down the storm inlets or dispose of them in your trash.
- Use de-icing salts sparingly, as excessive amounts of these materials can harm water ways.

STORM WATER & MOSQUITOES

- Look for possible breeding areas in your backyard.
- Homeowners should check their property to eliminate mosquito breeding. Water can collect in unused flower pots, buckets, cups, tires, and other items that hold stagnant water and may provide the perfect habitats for mosquitoes.

What can homeowners do to deter mosquito breeding?

- Pick up trash and old containers that may have collected in the yard and can hold water.
- Clear clogged rain gutters.
- Cover containers, tires, wading pools, and all other items that can hold standing water for extended periods of time.
- Change the water in bird baths and pet dishes regularly.

**REMEMBER, A CLEAN, HEALTHY,
AND SAFE BOROUGH BEGINS WITH YOU!!**

Parks and Recreation Registration Information

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Register early by mail, by phone, or in person.
Make all checks payable to "Borough of Pottstown"

Early registration assures enrollment in limited enrollment courses. **You must pre-register for any class or program and tuition and fees must be paid in full 2 weeks prior to start date** OR if registering late, tuition/fees due at time of registration. There are three convenient ways to enroll in a course.

1. **BY MAIL** –Clip out the registration form and fill in all information or download a form from www.pottstown.org and mail the form with your check for the **full** tuition fee to Borough Hall. If class is full, your check will be returned.
2. **BY TELEPHONE** – Call us Monday thru Friday during regular business hours. Register for the class using your VISA, MASTERCARD, and DISCOVER
3. **REGISTER IN PERSON** –We are located in the Pottstown Borough Hall, 100 E. High Street, 2nd floor.

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

DAILY OFFICE HOURS

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 Thursday: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
 Friday: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday: Closed

CONTACT US

phone: (610) 970-6608 or
 (610) 970-6618
 email: pottstparks@pottstown.org

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **A Resident is defined as someone who lives in and pays taxes to the Pottstown School District/Borough of Pottstown**
- Senior Citizens (65 years old and older who are Borough taxpayers) may enroll in any adult evening course free of charge with the exception of First Aid/CPR courses. Courses that require a textbook and/or supplies are the responsibility of the registrant.
- Any returned check will be assessed a NSF fee.
- Pottstown Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel, postpone, or combine classes as needed due to low enrollment.
- When Pottstown School District is closed because of a holiday, In-service, or inclement weather there will be no evening classes or activities. The school closing number is 312. In the event of inclement weather, tune to WBYN radio (107.5 FM) or contact Parks and Recreation.
- All programs have a minimum and maximum enrollment and are filled on a first-come, first-served basis.
- No tuition or class fees will be refunded after the first class has begun. No tuition fees will be discounted or make up classes offered due to late registration or a lack of attendance. Tuition will only be refunded if a class is cancelled in its entirety by Parks and Recreation.
- A \$10 administrative fee will be assessed when a cancellation by the enrollee occurs prior to the class start date.
- Payment for registrations is due two weeks before class begins unless otherwise noted,
- We make every effort to reschedule cancelled classes; however, this is not always possible.
- Materials and supplies are not included in the class registration fee unless specified.
- All bus trips require a \$50 nonrefundable deposit per seat. When trip fees are \$90 or less per person, half of the total amount is required to reserve a seat; this is also nonrefundable.

For additional information, contact the Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department

DISCRIMINATION POLICY

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

MISSION STATEMENT

Pottstown Parks and Recreation strives to create, support, and promote diverse recreation opportunities in the Borough of Pottstown, enhancing existing parks facilities, and supplementing the growth of new regional attractions and amenities to improve both the residential experience and the growth of local tourism. We seek to improve the physical environment of the Pottstown area and promote healthy living for the benefit of the entire community, encompassing all ages, ethnic-backgrounds and socioeconomic strata. In doing so, we build a better community of inter-connected citizens from all backgrounds.

PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAM STAFF – Michael Lenhart: Director
 Andie Graham: Programs Coordinator

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

ENROLLMENT FORM (not to be used for summer camp)
 Pottstown Parks and Recreation Department
 100 E High Street
 Pottstown, PA 19464

Name _____ Birth date: _____
 Gender: _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 Phone _____ Email address _____

 Parent/Guardian Name _____
 Relationship _____
 Ethnicity (optional) _____

Disclosure:

Pottstown Parks and Recreation staff take photos and video of participants enrolled in our programs, classes or special events. 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. Parks and Recreation will not disclose names or contact information regarding participants to any person or persons other than those designated through the registration process

COURSES/TRIPS/SPECIAL EVENTS

Course Code _____ Course Title _____
 Fee _____
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 Fee _____
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 Fee _____

Make checks payable to "Borough of Pottstown." Please complete a form for each person enrolling.

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS: CALL 610-970-6608/6618
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100 E HIGH STREET
POTTSTOWN, PA 19464



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