

Vet Gazette

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Bingo with State Senator Katie Muth



We were so lucky to have a special Easter Bingo with Senator Katie Muth, General Mark Schindler, General Maureen Weigl and more from Fort Indiantown Gap. As seen above, Senator Muth and General Schindler called Bingo and did a fine job!

Also, a big thank you to 19 of our Volunteers that came in to help! We certainly appreciated the assistance!

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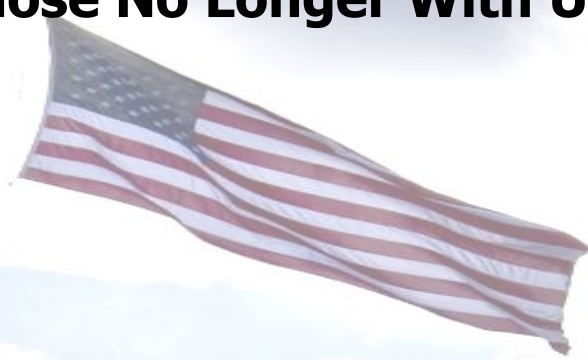
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Remembering Those No Longer With Us

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WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS



Air Force

PAUL BERTINO
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NAVY

ROBERT MITCHELL
DONALD HYMAN
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Army

BARBARA STOUT
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ANTHONY SACCO
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STAFF UPDATES

NEW HIRES

Charles Batts – FSW1
Amanda Bokosky – RNS
Stephanie Coursey - QARMS
Joshua Dunn – Cler Asst 2
Ann Hill - RNS
Krystal Lin – SW2
Jose Peter – FSW1
Sin Kei Yeung – Staff Physician 2

Welcome new Physician, Dr. Yeung!



RETIREMENTS

Debra Jones – CNA – 9 years of service

SEVC EASTER EGG HUNT

On your **Mark, Get Set, GO!** SEVC held their Annual Easter Egg hunt for all to enjoy! Kids had a blast and we were able to celebrate the holiday with candy and time with the Easter Bunny! Thank you to our amazing Activities Department and Volunteers for coordinating the fun event!



ACTIVITIES



Thank you to Social Services, Activities, and Holicare Hospice Services for coordinating a beautiful memorial service for our staff and residents. It provided a peaceful closure to losing friends over the last year.



Dancing on Eire School of Irish Dance



Thank you Dancing on Eire School of Irish Dance located in Schwenksville! They visited SEVC to help celebrate St. Patty's Day with an hour of fun Irish dancing routines. Teenage dancers down to preschoolers made us smile with such delight. It was a fun and full of rhythm afternoon. We just loved the performances and can't wait to have them back!



ACTIVITIES

Opening Day!

THANK YOU LINDA NEIMAN & VFW Dept of PA Aux for donating Soft Pretzels for the Phillies home opener! In addition, we had volunteer, Ed O'Neill assist activities with Phillies Trivia! What a fun way to earn prizes and gear up for the baseball season!



GETTING CRAFTY

Pillow Fight anyone? 3rd Floor Coates had fun making pillows for the Spring season! They like to display them on their beds or use them for a wonderful siesta.

Looks like Bob Nunn below could have used one?



WELCOME SPRING

As we say good-bye to Winter, we are planning fun events for the Spring and Summer seasons! We are dreaming of fun summer days with the sun beating on our faces!

However, it hasn't been warm enough to do much outside, so Bob Nunn, (left) took it upon himself to soak up the sun inside! While strolling through the hall one day, he was able to position the couch right where the sun was hitting. And so Bob, had a delightful nap all to himself in the warm, sunny spot.

ACTIVITIES

Celebrating our Women for Women's Month– Tea Time Party!

Activities celebrated our women at SEVC with a tea time! All those that attended had a delightful time with friends. Thank you to our continuous sponsors for making these events happen!



Stay tuned for upcoming fishing trips! We have some slated for each month this spring and summer!

VETERANS HOME WEEK

Save the Dates for **June 10th– 14th at SEVC**. This once a year celebration takes place all over the facility to honor our residents! Exciting events are planned and we need volunteers!

ACTIVITIES



Thank you Diana Shuebrook and friends of the American Legion and Auxiliary of Phoenixville for your ice cream donation! Shamrock Shake day at SEVC was a big hit!



We are so blessed to have so many supporters in the community! Year after year, we have students and adults from the Pillars of Light and Love Organization in Trappe shower our veterans with gifts and snacks! I was lucky to attend an event and speak to them about our facility and needs! It was so rewarding to be surrounded by such love from complete strangers!



UPCOMING EVENTS



Guess What? Achievement House Charter School is back for crafting! They have amazing 3D printers and Cricket machines to make fun gifts.

Join us on April 11th
1-4pm in Tilghman Hall
if you want to craft like a pro.



HACKERS FOR HEROES

Thank you to Deb (far left) and Sabrina for coordinating and donating fun events monthly for our residents! They sponsored PIE Day with pizzas from Rossi's in Royersford. Next event they are sponsoring is our **PENN STATE Creamery Ice Cream Day! Slated for Mid April.**

Details to follow soon! *Stay tuned....*



Limited seats available!
This gardening 101 class offering is for staff and PC residents wanting to learn to grow veggies!! See Tara for your reservation!

Master Gardener



PennState Extension

SEEDS TO SUPPER CLASS

Run by Rich Fennelly, PSU Master Gardener

APRIL 17th from 11:30am– 1PM

Multi Purpose Room



UPCOMING FOOD TRUCKS



New FOOD TRUCK RULES:

**RESIDENTS WILL ORDER FIRST FROM
11:00am-12:00pm**

We will take **Pre-orders on April 9th** for those that can't come down on the 10th. We now have order forms we will use!

APRIL 10th:

TATOR TOT TRUCK

Pip & Lily are back!

Residents eat free!

Staff can pay cash or credit.

There will be a ***limit of 1 TOT Order per Resident!***

TOT MENU AS FOLLOWS:

Classic Tots...Cheese, Bacon, Sour Cream and Scallions

Taco Tots... Taco Meat, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes and sour cream

Buffalo Chicken Tots.. Buffalo Chicken Dip and Ranch

BBQ Bacon Tots...Bacon, Cheese and BBQ Sauce

Old Bay Tots.... Old Bay and Cheese

Garlic Parm Tots....Garlic Parm Sauce and Grated Parm Cheese

Boom Boom Tots...Boom-Boom Sauce and Scallions

Everything Bagel Tots....Everything Bagel Seasoning and Cheese

Smokehouse Maple Tots....Smokehouse Seasoning and Cheese

Chipotle Garlic Tots... Chipotle Seasoning and Cheese

***Food truck will sit out front of
Tilghman Hall!***

MAY 7th

MISTER SOFTEE RETURNS!

1:30pm-3:30pm



SPONSORS & VOLUNTEERS



THANK YOU DIANA SHUEBROOK AND FRIENDS FROM Am Legion Aux for sponsoring St Patty's Day milkshakes!



Thank you Lynn Swan and OES Morning Light for sponsoring Mr. Sticky's for Easter! They were DE-Licious



Thank you Mary Jo Anne Valko-Warner and St. Thomas More Parish for the Spring donation of clothes, art supplies, gift cards,



Thank you Meredith and friends from Styer Real Estate Company! They dropped off electric razors, beard trimmers, socks, and tons of snacks!



We thank Alex (left), a college student at College of Charlestown, for coming and pruning and weeding out overgrown garden areas! We sincerely appreciate your time and effort in helping us keep SEVC beautiful!



Spring is upon us! We are getting ready to start our Garden Club at Coates Hall AND at the back corner of Coates Hall Adult Day Care area.

If you are interested in donating, we are in need of:

- Soil for our planters
- Seeds and small veggie plants
- Watering cans
- Gardening gloves (sz Med and Large)



ATTN STAFF:

Do you love to garden? Wanna help us make the gardens flourish? We could use your help in planting, watering, and maintaining the vegetables and flowers!

See Maureen Piraino, Sarah Klufas, Tamara Charles, or Tara Vaszily for details!

SPONSORS & VOLUNTEERS

Welcome
Glad you're here!



Welcome new Volunteer,
Joe Van Cott.

Joe will be touring both buildings often to spend time with residents with friendly visitation!



April 21-27 is National Volunteer Recognition Week! We celebrate our thoughtful and loving souls that bring so much support to SEVC!



Coming soon....

Eucharist Ministers of the Catholic faith will be visiting Coates Hall soon to provide Communion to those that can't make it to Monday mass. More details to follow soon!

Wanna Donate?



We are in need of **new:**

Short sleeved T-shirts (L, XL)

Spring Jackets (L, XL)

Athletic shorts (L, XL)

Men's Open leg Sweatpants L. XL

Restaurant Gift Cards: Rossi's Pizza, Center City, Rita's, Handel's, & Mc Donald's

Shopping Gift Cards: Giant, Walmart, & Dollar Tree

Sponsored Breakfast or lunch trips to local restaurants!

Phillies or Reading Phillies day game tickets

Call The Volunteer Office to discuss: 610-948-2418



FUN PAGES

SPRING WORDSEARCH

M A R C H R A R E D W W L S I
M B L Z D C A L F X F P A E D
T E U I P G F I N V Z J D W G
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WORD LIST

APRIL
BUNNY
BUZZING
CALF
CHICK

CLOVER
COLORFUL
EASTER
EGG
FLOWERS

FOAL
LADYBUG
LAMB
MARCH
MAY

MEADOW
NEST
PIGLET
RAINBOW
SHOWERS

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GIFTS MADE EASY