

Upcoming Dates To Remember

Picnic in the Courtyard
May 12
May 26

Olive Garden Lunch Trip
May 17
11 am

Movie Night
May 24

Community Yard Sale
May 20th
8 am to 1 pm
Rain Date June 3

Spring Dance
June 16
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Seniors on the Go!

Kitchen Kettle Trip
May 10
Leaving building
At 10 am

June

Picnic in the Park
Date TBA

Casino Trip
Date TBA

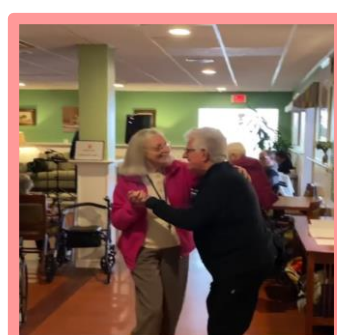
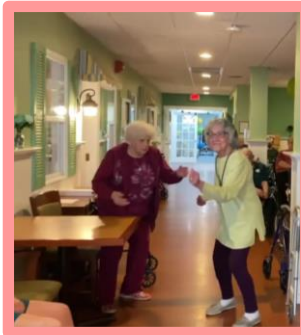
MAY RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

John Hayduk – May 4th
John Henry – May 5th
Charles Killinger – May 6TH
James Martin – May 11th
Peg Zazo – May 15th
Ann Barnes – May 16th
Marcella Johnson – May 26th
Inga Leonardos – May 30th

JUNE RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

Becky Semple – June 5th
Maryann Lasak – June 6th
John Mihalak – June 7th
Suzanne Wilde – June 9th
Joe Dynesko – June 10th
Larry Walls – June 16th
Trudy Verguldi – June 23rd
Wanda Walls – June 24th
Richard Fenske – June 26th

Thursday Afternoon Live Entertainment



Steve Ritrovato

Tom Guest

Kevin Galm

Thursday afternoons, twice a month, is the time for live entertainment! Some of our favorites, Kevin Galm and Karl Hausman, Steve Ritrovato get the Chestnut Room hopping! If it's not dancing, it's a sing-along enjoyed by all the residents.

Harrison Happenings

May / June 2023

300 Strode Avenue |
Coatesville, PA 19320 |
610-384-6310



Folks enjoying Harrison House Happy Hour!



Yolanda won the "Fun with Mercy Home Health" prize of the month. Congrats Yolanda!!



Celebrating May-June

Older Americans Month

May Day
May 1

Star Wars Day
May 4

Cinco de Mayo
May 5

Courtyard Picnic
May 12
May 26

Mother's Day
May 14

Harrison House Community Yard Sale
May 20

Memorial Day (U.S.)
May 29

Say Something Nice Day
June 1

Strawberry Moon
June 3

Father's Day
June 18



Arts & Crafts time at Harrison House! Brings out the best in our residents. They enjoy being creative while having lots of fun!



Community Yard Sale

MAY 20TH 8 AM TO 12 NOON

ON THE GROUNDS OF HARRISON HOUSE OF CHESTER COUNTY

Do you have items you want to sell? Does your family or friends have items they want to sell? Are you looking for unique items? Do you want to buy a Donut, Hot Dog, Soda, Chips and maybe even some baked goods? Well come one, come all! Invite your family, grandchildren, and friends.

If you or someone you know is looking for a space at the Yard Sale let the front Desk know. **Spaces are \$10.00.** Spaces are going fast. We are looking for volunteer to help us out with the Yard Sale, so if you or someone you know is interested, let us know.

Rain Date: June 3rd

Mother's Peace Day

Imagine this! There would be no Father's Day without Sonora Smart Dodd. In 1910, an artist named Sonora Smart Dodd came up with the idea for Father's Day, then embarked on a 62-year journey for the holiday to become national. Ultimately, she succeeded, and was forever christened "*The Mother of Father's Day.*" Dodd's interest in a Father's Day began in her childhood.

Born in 1882, Dodd grew up predominantly in rural Washington state. Her father, William Jackson Smart, worked as a farmer.

When Dodd was 16, her mother died in childbirth, leaving behind William, Dodd and Sonora's five younger brothers. At the time, fathers were not considered a critical part of the family fabric, explained Roddy. Motherless children were typically sent to live with extended family. But remarkably, William took on the traditional maternal role and raised all of his children into adulthood. Dodd said he performed the roll of father-mother with courage and selflessness until they were all in homes of their own."



Anna Jarvis



Sonor Smart Dodd

Father's Day

Mother's Day is a celebration honoring the mother of the family or individual, as well as motherhood maternal bonds, and the influence of mothers in society.

While some countries have a multi-century history of a day to celebrate mothers, the modern American version of the holiday began in the United States in the early 20th century at the initiative of Anna Jarvis, who organized the first Mother's Day service of worship and celebration at Andrews Methodist Episcopal Church in Grafton, West Virginia, which serves as the International Mother's Day Shrine today.

The American version of Mother's Day has been criticized for having become too commercialized. Jarvis herself, who began the celebration as a liturgical observance, regretted this commercialism and expressed that this was never her intention.

Seniors on the Go!



SENIORS ON THE GO: Our group had a great time at Shady Maple Smorgasbord for breakfast April 28th. The large giftshop on the first level also gave the gathering time to shop and look for special gifts for themselves and loved ones. June look for Picnic in the Park.

On **May 10th** we have a trip scheduled to **Kitchen Kettle** in Intercourse, in Lancaster County. Kitchen Kettle is a village that offers shops, homemade ice cream, places to eat and even outside music. If you are interested going on this trip, sign up at the main office with a \$5.00 deposit. If you attend the trip, you will receive your \$5.00 deposit back. The bus pulls out at **10:00 am sharp**. Don't be late!

On **May 24th** we are planning a **Movie Night** in the Chestnut Room on the 2nd floor at **6:15 pm**. Come join us for a good time and enjoy some popcorn.

Mini Cheesecakes with Strawberry Topping



INGREDIENTS
 Graham cracker crust
 • 2 boxes of graham crackers
 • 2 tbsp sugar
 • 6 tbsp melted butter
 Filling Ingredients all ingredients must be room temperature.
 • 5 8oz Philadelphia cream cheese
 • 1 1/2 cup of sugar
 • 3 tbsp flour
 • 1 tsp lemon juice
 • 1 tbsp vanilla extract
 • 1 cup sour cream
 • 4 eggs

INSTRUCTIONS
 1. Put 2 tbsp of Graham cracker crust mixture in each liner.
 2. Press down.
 3. Bake at 350 for 4 minutes.
 4. Let it cool.
 5. Add 1/4 cup cheesecake filling.
 6. This isn't like a regular cupcake batter it is ok to fill it up all the way.
 7. Bake at 350 for 20 minutes.
 8. Let it cool & refrigerate for at least 3 hours before adding Strawberry Topping.
 Makes 30 Mini Cheesecakes