The Golden Reporter ~ May, 2022

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≈ MEMBER INFORMATION

A current membership is required in order to participate in any GAC trips/special events, and to be sent this newsletter. The club is open to adults aged 55+. Memberships expire annually on December 31.

Membership Dues can be taken by visiting the Parks and Recreation office, mailing in your payment or online at www.uppermorelandrec.com.

All participants must be a registered GAC member to participate in 2022 events. Once registered for 2022, you will receive a new nametag.

Annual membership fee is \$10.

≈ MONTHLY MEETING INFORMATION

Our monthly meetings will be held the 4th Tuesdays of each month. The GAC does NOT hold a general meeting during the summer months or December.

> Vereinigung Erzgebirge (German Club) 130 Davisville Road, Warminster, PA

UPCOMING MEETING DATES:

- Tuesday, May 24
- WE DO NOT MEET DURING JUNE, JULY **OR AUGUST**
- Tuesday, September 27
- Tuesday, October 25
- Tuesday, November 22

Meeting Agenda:

10:30am - Doors open to general members

10:30 - 11:30 - Social Hour (coffee/danish served)

11:30am - Business meeting

12pm - Entertainment / Bingo (included in charge)

Meeting cover charge is \$5 per person.

All current GAC members are invited to attend meetings. Non-members may attend two meetings at the regular cover charge and must sign in at the guest table each time. After two meetings, they must join the club to attend additional meetings. Cover charge includes pastry, coffee and 5 games of bingo.

≈ MEMBER SUGGESTIONS

Members are always welcome to give us their suggestions. Send any positive or negative feedback to programs@uppermoreland.org or call our office. We will also have the suggestion box available at the meetings in 2022.

≈ GAC "SUNSHINE" WISHES



Please call Nancy Koller if you know of any GAC members who have become ill or have entered the hospital. We would like to send them a card, our well wishes and our support.

GAC SUMMER PICNIC at Masons Mill Park Thursday, June 2 **12PM**

Picnic festivities begin at Noon. Entertainment, music, buffet style food, fun & games included! Catered by Lindinger's Catering. Coffee, tea, soft drinks included.

Fee: \$15pp. Magic Date: 5/27/22



≈ TRIP REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

- 1. Participants (adults aged 55+) in all GAC events & trips *must* be current members of the club.
- Phone registrations cannot be accepted. Members may call to inquire about an event but must register online at www.uppermorelandrec.com, mail in or drop off registration fees. No spots can be 'held' without payment or deposit.
- 3. All bus trips are first come-first served. Members may register until seats are filled OR until the "Magic Date" has passed. (Most trips list a "Magic Date" which reflects the date when balances are due & when we will no longer issue refunds.)
- **4.** Payment in FULL is expected for trips totaling \$100 or less. A deposit in the amount of \$100 is required for all other trips (unless otherwise noted).
- 5. Bus seats are assigned according to the date you registered. ALL members of a party must register at one time in order to be seated together. If someone registers late and requests to be seated with someone who has already registered, the early registrant will be moved further back.
- Pick up location is the **GIANT FOODSTORES** in Willow Grove. Park in the rear of the parking lot, closest to Veterans Memorial Park. The address for Giant is 315 York Rd, Willow Grove, PA 19090.
- 7. Checks should be made payable to Upper Moreland Township and should include the trip name and menu choice (if applicable) in the notes.
- 8. Payment may be made online via credit card, however, there is a 2.79% processing fee (that goes directly to the credit company) for all credit card transactions.
- If a trip fills we will maintain a waiting list. Names on the list will be recorded & notified of any openings in the order in which requests for the trip are received.
- 10. After the magic date, a refund will be granted only if the vacated seat is filled. Individual trip insurance is available for you to purchase on selected few trips. In some instances, once the reservation is made & tickets are purchased, no refund can be granted.

Trip itineraries are ALWAYS subject to change.

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

MOUNT AIRY ~ POCONOS, PA 'BUDDY HOLLY TRIBUTE'

Buddy Holly & The Crickets, featuring all of the band's hits. Package includes \$15 in slot play, \$15 lunch voucher & show. Bus departs GIANT 9:30am; return approx. 7pm. FEE: \$85pp. MAGIC DATE: 5/2/22. Trip is FULL.

Thursday, June 16, 2022 CHESAPEAK CITY ~ CANAL CRUISE

Enjoy a tour of the C & D Canal Museum followed by lunch at Schaefers Canal House! After lunch enjoy a 2 hour cruise along the C & D Canal. Bus departs GIANT 8am; returns approx. 7pm. FEE: \$120 pp. MAGIC DATE: 4/28/22. Trip is FULL

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

WIND CREEK CASINO, BETHLEHEM

Come with us to test your luck at the old Sands Casino. Wind Creek boasts some of the best outlet shopping in the state! Package is \$25 in slot play per person. FEE: \$32pp. Bus departs GIANT 9:30am; returns approx. 5:15pm. MAGIC DATE: 4/15/22.

Wednesday, July 13, 2022

MYSTERY DAY TRIP????????

Where, oh where will the bus take us? Hop aboard and let the rest up to Carol!! Just let us know if you would like Chicken Marsala or Beef Tenderloin for lunch. Bus departs GIANT 8am; return approx. 6:30pm. FEE: \$120pp.

MAGIC DATE: 6/17/22.

Tuesday, August 23, 2022

SPIRIT OF PHILADELPHIA BINGO CRUISE

Hop aboard for a spectacular time! 2 hour Cruise from Penn's Landing includes a signature lunch buffet, reserved seating, several lively rounds of BINGO with prizes and other onboard games, as well as a DJ to entertain all guest. Bus departs GIANT 9:30am; returns approx. 4pm. FEE: \$115 pp. MAGIC DATE: 7/19/22.

Thursday, Sept. 29 – Saturday, Oct. 8, 2022 NEW ENGLAND / CANADA CRUISE

8 days, 9 nights aboard Royal Caribbean's' *Adventure of the Seas.* Please see detailed flyer for more info. \$250 deposit required. **Trip is FULL.**

Tuesday, October 18, 2022 EVERLY BROTHERS EXPERIENCE @ PENN'S PEAK

The music of the 50's and 60's are nostalgic for us, our parents raised us all on it, and we feel that the Everly's contribution is greatly overlooked. Enjoy a luncheon while listening to their iconic sound and learning the important role they played in pioneering the rock n' roll movement. Bus departs GIANT 9am; returns approx. 5pm. FEE: \$85 pp. **MAGIC DATE:** 9/19/22.

For detailed trip information, please contact CAROL HARTMAN

Monday, Oct. 31 - Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2022 MOHEGAN SUN / MT AIRY ~

CAROL KING SHOW
You don't want to miss this! We

have arranged for an overnight trip to Mohegan Sun Poconos with a stop at Mount Airy. Included in the package is \$20 in slot and \$10 food voucher at Mohegan Sun. You'll head over to Mount Airy on Tuesday where you will receive \$15 in slot play, \$15 food voucher AND tickets to Carol King's Show (matinee). After you eat well and win big, hop back on the bus and let our driver take you home. Bus departs GIANT AT 9am; return on Tuesday, 11/1 at approx. 8pm. FEE: \$235ppdo. MAGIC DATE: 9/22/22.

Wednesday, December 14, 2022

AMERICAN MUSIC THEATRE~ 'HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS'

The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns all across the US, our stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends. Featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore. PLUS, lunch at the delicious Hershey Farm. Bus departs GIANT 8:15am; returns approx. 5pm. FEE: \$110 pp. MAGIC DATE: 10/21/22.

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

SIGHT & SOUND ~ 'MOSES'

From the Nile River to the Red Sea, journey with Moses as he leads God's people on an amazing adventure toward the Promised Land. Filmed in front of a live audience, MOSES is an original stage production from Sight & Sound Theatres, experienced by nearly two million people on stage. Enjoy a delicious smorgasbord lunch at Hershey Farms! Bus departs GIANT 8:15am; returns approx. 5pm. FEE: \$149pp.

MAGIC DATE: 3/3/23.



This is the last reporter that you will receive until September. We will send out a trip post card in July in case we add any more fun and excited events!

UMPR is hosting a FREE SEMINAR
KNOW YOUR MEDICARE OPTIONS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27
6:30pm - 8pm
UM Township Building