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Senior Center

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HOURS

Monday - 8 AM - 3 PM
Tuesday - 8 AM - 3 PM
Wednesday - 8 AM - 3 PM
Thursday - 8 AM - 3 PM
Friday - 8 AM - 3 PM

Closed Saturday & Sunday

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To all Those Who

Thank you

Contributed to Our 2021 Giving Campaign

Mary Kay Eggers
Joan Davis in Memory of Jean Peters
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Mary & Ray Dotts
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Patrick Abel

Gloria & Charles Hropvich

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Janice Grassi

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Amy & Donald Shockley, Sr. in Loving Memory of Elaine, Teresa, Donald Shockley, Jr.

Dorothy Adams in Memory of Don Adams

Charlotte Fitzwater

William Meluney

James Eichholz, Jr.

- To Be Continued Next Month -

Happy



Birthdays

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3 Susan Michalek

5 Shirley Erickson

6 Lysbeth Joslin

7 Patti Donophan

7 Henry Harvey

7 Curtis Pratt

8 Pat Melchionda

10 Ann Gasbeck

13 Charles Hropvich

14 Betty Marianelli

15 Joan Schwartz

16 Charles Keighton

17 Margaret Rohen

21 Gary Kutsch

21 Elizabeth Wharton

23 Donald Shockley

23 Vivian Tomlin

25 Debra Glanden

27 Helen Baird

27 Doris "Dee" Brown

31 Eva Dixon

And Many Happy Returns

January Baby

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A FRIENDLY REMINDER:

Dine-In Lunches at Harvest Years will be served at 12 Noon until further notice
Thank You, The Management

<u>PLEASE BE SURE TO CALL** (302) 698-4285</u>

PLEASE CALL TO ORDER YOUR FREE BIRTHDAY LUNCH to be delivered to your home on the third Thursday of JANUARY. Order by 10 AM and your lunch will be delivered between 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM. If you do not see your name on the Birthday list of names for JANUARY it may be because you are not current with your annual dues and are not eligible for a free birthday lunch. If you think we have made an error do not hesitate to call Tom or Diane..... HAPPY BIRTHDAY and Thank You...

LUNCHES WILL CONTINUE TO BE DELIVERED DAILY MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Dear Members,

Good News!!

I have canceled my knee surgery which was scheduled for January 3rd.

I will be in my office if you would like to stop in and pay for your 2022 trips.

DIANE - ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR



From Your Executive Director Tom Bones



Welcome January

As 2021 comes to a close, and we open the doors on a New Year, we must thank all of our friends and members of the Harvest Years Senior Center that have so generously donated to this years *Annual Giving Campaign* such a success! Every last penny counts to help our center continue to grow. If you have not yet made a donation to this year's campaign and would like to, please do...lt's not too late.

The upcoming Winter season is an excellent time for you and other members to take advantage of the Harvest Years Transportation Services that are available to you. Transportation can be provided for you, to and from the center so that you can join us for lunch or an activity. We also have our Shopping Program as well as our Healthcare Transportation. Please call the front desk to arrange any of these services.

Save the Date: The Harvest Years Annual Winter Soup Festival will be held on Friday, January 21, 2022. We are in need of some chefs! Please sign up at the reception desk or just give us a call if you are able to join in the festivities and prepare a pot of your favorite soup to share.

Harvest Years Membership Dues are due on January 1, 2022. The cost is just \$20.00 per person for the year. You are welcome to mail it into us, or stop by to renew your membership. Do you know another senior who is not yet a member? Now is an excellent time to tell them all about us and encourage them to join.

Good News....We finally have had our old sign replaced and a new LED sign has been installed! Please stop by and check it out!

On behalf of myself, our employees and our Board of Directors, we wish you a Happy New Year and may 2022 bring you much good health, wealth and happiness! Thank you for all of the outstanding support that you have given the Harvest Years in 2021, and I look forward to only good things for us all in the coming New Year.

Stay warm, be safe and enjoy! Tom

Notes From Your Activities Director Diane Amoroso



An optimist stays up until midnight to see the New Year in. A pessimist stays up to make sure the old year leaves. –

Bill Vaughn

Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow. –
Albert Einstein

It is not how much we do, but how much love we put in the doing. It is not how much we give, but how much love we put in the giving. – Mother Teresa

A good criterion for measuring success in life is the number of people you have made happy. – Robert J. Lumsden

The time is always right to do what is right. –
Martin Luther King Jr.

The holidays are over and we can finally sit back and relax! Winter is in full swing with cold and winter like weather. It's

time we all begin thinking about the Spring and all the fun activities we will be enjoying beginning on April 14th when we will be attending a musical show at the DUTCH APPLE THEATRE in Lancaster, PA. Next in April is our Mother's Day Gift trip to Hooper's Island where we will enjoy a fabulous lunch at the Old Salty's Restaurant. After lunch we travel to Layton's Chance Vineyards to enjoy a quiet afternoon learning the art of wine-making including tasting samples of wine to enjoy.

This has always been a favorite trip for our members.





Martin Luther King, Jr. Day January 17, 2022

Martin Luther King Jr. Day (officially Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr., and sometimes referred to as MLK Day) is a federal holiday in the United States marking the birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. It is observed on the third Monday of January each year. Born in 1929, Rev. Dr. King's actual birthday is January 15. The holiday is

similar to holidays set under the <u>Uniform Monday Holiday Act</u>. The earliest Monday for this holiday is January 15th. King was the chief spokesperson for **nonviolent** activism in the **Civil Rights Movement**, which protected racial discrimination in federal and state law. The Campaign for a federal holiday in King's honor began soon after his assassination in 1968. **President Ronald Reagan** signed into law in 1983, and it was first observed three years later. At first, some states resisted observing the holiday as such, giving it alternative names or combining it with other holidays. It was officially observed in all 50 states for the first time in 2000.



Ronald Reagan and Coretta Scott King at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Day signing ceremony

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JANUARY 2022 REPORT

GEORGE "JODY" SWEENEY, KENT COUNTY LEVY COURT COMMISSIONER, 5th DISTRICT



Kent County Redistricting

Every ten years, the United States completes a census of Americans. This census identifies where people live, the types of jobs they have, what their income is, how many children they have, and many other things.

Here in Delaware and in Kent County, that information is used to divide up the population into census tracts. These tracts are then put together into Election Districts, and Election Districts are then combined to make up Representative Districts, Senatorial Districts, and County Districts. The idea is to create fair representation of those living here in our elected governments.

Levy Courts were created by King George in the 1600's. They levied taxes on the colonists, hence the name Levy. Over the years, as America stood independent, these Levy Courts gradually changed to a more council form of government, in which the public servants, Presidents of the Council, and Administrators were elected by the public. Kent County Levy Court stands as the only elected body that still retains most of the original intent of the Levy Court idea.

Kent County is divided into six Levy Court Districts. The First Levy Court District includes Smyrna and surrounding areas and is represented by Commissioner Joanne Masten. The Second Levy Court District includes south and west Dover areas and is represented by Commissioner Jeff Hall. The Third Levy Court District includes north and east Dover and Cheswold areas and is represented by Commissioner Alan Angel. The Fourth Levy Court District includes Milford and point north to the Dover Air Force Base and is represented by Commissioner Eric Buckson. The Fifth Levy Court District includes Camden, Wyoming, and the Dover Air Force Base and is represented by myself. The Sixth Levy Court District includes areas from Harrington to Hartley and is represented by Commissioner Glen Howell. The At-Large Levy Court Commissioner is Terry Pepper, and he represents the entire county. Levy Court Commissioners serve a four-year term, with three elected in one election cycle and four in the next to provide some continuity.

Each of the six Levy Court Districts contains about 30,000 residents. It is important to note that this is residents, not voters, because it is a measure of the population, and all are represented, whether they vote or not. This represents an average of about 6,000 more residents per district than the 2010 census and is also an indication of just how much Kent County is growing.

The seven Commissioner are elected by those who live in their districts. Amongst the Commissioners, a President and Vice President of Levy Court are chosen. Terry Pepper currently serves as President and Alan Angel serves as Vice President. In addition, the County Administrator is chosen by Levy Court Commissioners, and is currently served by Michael Petit de Mange. The County Administrator runs day-to-day business for the County government, as well as planning for the future based on the direction set by the elected body.

Being a Commissioner is not a full-time job, but Commissioners can devote a lot of time to doing it right. Meetings are nearly every Tuesday throughout the year, with many other commitments to meet with constituents, government organizations, homeowner associations, advisory boards, or government departments they represent. On an average week, these meetings, along with preparing for the Tuesday meeting, could take 25-30 hours.

Personally, I find being a Commissioner very fulfilling, being able to help constituents navigate the departments of the County government.

Next month, I will describe the Row Offices of the County.





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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Meatball Sub House Salad Pickles/Chips Fruit	4. Chicken & Dumplings Peas Roll Cake	5. Baked Ziti Tossed Salad Italian Bread Tropical Fruit	6. Chicken Cordon Bleu Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans Fruit	7. Tomato Soup Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich Chips Assorted Desserts
Beef Tips Over Noodles Carrots & Peas Bread Pudding	11. Ham & Cheese Sub Lettuce/Tomato Pickles/Chips Peaches	12. Baked Chicken Rice Pilaf Vegetable Blend Bread Brownie	Shepard's Pie House Salad Bread Jell-O w/Fruit	Chef's Salad Turkey, Ham, Egg, Lettuce/Tomato Sweet Roll Assorted Desserts
17. Martin Luther King Day CLOSED	Baked Salmon Brown Rice Broccoli Bread Fruit Cocktail	19. Rotisserie Chicken Stuffing Buttered Carrots Bread Jell-O	20. <u>Happy Birthday</u> Baked Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes Succotash Roll Cake	21. Soup Festival Chicken Parmigiana w/Pasta House Salad Assorted Desserts
24. Hearty Vegetable Soup Turkey Sandwich Lettuce/Tomato Pickles/Chips Cookie	25. Tom's 3 Bean Chili Rice Tossed Salad Corn Bread Fruit	26. Roasted Pork Loin Brown Rice Beets Roll Applesauce Pudding	Baked Tilapia Macaroni & Cheese Stewed Tomatoes Bread Fruit	Chicken Pot Pie Tossed Salad Bread Assorted Desserts
31. Sweet & Sour Chicken Rice Green Beans Roll Pineapple	1. Roast Beef w/Gravy Mashed Potatoes Peas & Carrots Roll Chocolate Chip Cookie	2. Baked Pork Chop Potatoes Au Gratin Vegetable Blend Bread Fresh Fruit	3. Spaghetti w/Meatsauce Tossed Salad Italian Bread Peaches	Cobb Salad Turkey, Tomato, Lettuce, Bacon, Onion, Bleu Cheese Roll Assorted Desserts

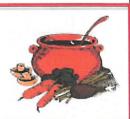
FYI: Please be advised that food prepared at Harvest Years Senior Center may contain the following ingredients: Milk, eggs, wheat, soybeans, peanuts, tree nuts, fish, shellfish and seafood base.

MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE



A Friendly Reminder

In-House lunches will be served at 12 NOON until further notice.



	- JANU	ARY ACTIVITIE	S 2022 -	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:45 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	9:30 AM - Crafts 12 NOON - Domino's	5. 9:15 AM - 10:15AM Land Aerobics Adv. Ceramic - 9:30 AM \$\$ ART CLASS \$\$ 1 PM - 3 PM	9:45 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	7. 9:30 AM Beginners Ceramics 12 NOON - Mah Jong 12:30 - Spades \$\$ Art Class \$\$ 1 PM - 3 PM
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9:45 AM - LIFE Aerobics Class	9:30 AM - Crafts 12 NOON - Domino's	26. 9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	9:45 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	28. 9:30 AM Beginners Ceramics 12 NOON - Mah Jong 12:30 - Spades \$\$ ART CLASS \$\$ 1 PM - 3 PM
9:45 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	1. 9:30 AM - Crafts 12 NOON - Domino's	2. 9:15 AM - 10:15 AM Land Aerobics Adv. Ceramics - 9:30 AM \$\$ ART CLASS \$\$ 1 PM - 3 PM	9:45 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	4. 9:30 AM Beginners Ceramics 12 NOON - Mah Jong 12:30 - Spades \$\$ ART CLASS \$\$ 1 PM - 3 PM

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If you need help in signing up for our new Virtual Audio Program highway61.com and our i-Pad Lending Program

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Call: 302 698-4285

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If you are in need of our "Medical Appointment Service", please call our front desk at 698-4285 to schedule your 'Pick--Up Time'. Pick--Up times should be made 1--2 weeks in advance, no later than 48 hours in advance. Scheduled appointments must be made between 9 AM - 1:30 PM, Monday - Friday. We will pick you up 1/2 hour prior to your scheduled appointment. There will be a \$3.00 'Trip Donation' payable by cash or check. We will not go into Sussex County or New Castle County due to cost. Please call Harvest Years Senior Center for more information and scheduling.

All cancellations must be called in 48 hours in advance!

FYI: Due to liability issues, we will require you to have a caregiving travel with you if you are using a wheelchair or have cognitive difficulties.

Laughter Is The Best Medicine

Question: What did the Ocean say to the Beach?



Answer: Nothing - It just Waved!

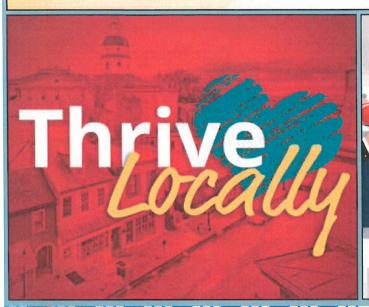


THINK SUMMER!



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Winter Weather Alert

Winter weather will be with us for several more months, so please be sure to listen to your radio (WDSD or Eagle 97) or check WBOC stations or websites to be certain the Center is open if inclement weather hits through March. You may also call the Center at (302) 698-4285 before you head out. If we are closed there will be a message posted on the phone service. We will also post notices on the *HYSC Facebook* page. If you haven't "liked" our page yet, be sure to do so.

Thank You - The Management



Harvest Years Board of Director Tom Bones, Executive Director Staff: Diane, Marguerite, Judy, Valerie, Dorothy, Bill, Mike, Russ, Albert, Dave and all our friendly Shoppers.

New Year's Resolutions to Live By

Listen More, Talk Less
Be Humble
Go An Entire Day Without Criticizing Anyone
Be Kind to Kind People
Be Kind To Unkind People
Don't Argue
Stop Blaming Other People

Have a Happy, Healthy & Prosperous New Year!!



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Next Meetings:

JANUARY 10, 2022 & JANUARY 24. 2022

Dinner: 6:30 PM - Meeting Follows

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TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The Harvest Years Senior Center offers transportation to and from the center. Our pick-up times are between 9 AM to 10 AM and the return time will start between 1 PM to 2 PM. Members can apply for transportation at our front desk. Bus plan tickets may be purchased at our front desk. You may purchase tickets ahead of time. You must reserve your slot 24 to 48 hours ahead of time. Cost per trip is:



\$.50 per Trip \$ 5.00 for 10 Trips \$ 10.00 for 20 Trips \$ 20.00 for 40 Trips





When an "all-nighter" means not getting up to pee....When all the names in my black book have MD

after them.....When "Getting Lucky" means finding my car in the parking lot....When the

candles cost more than the cake..

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