



Harvest Years

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2022

Senior Center

30 SOUTH STREET, CAMDEN, DE 19934

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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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We Need Volunteers

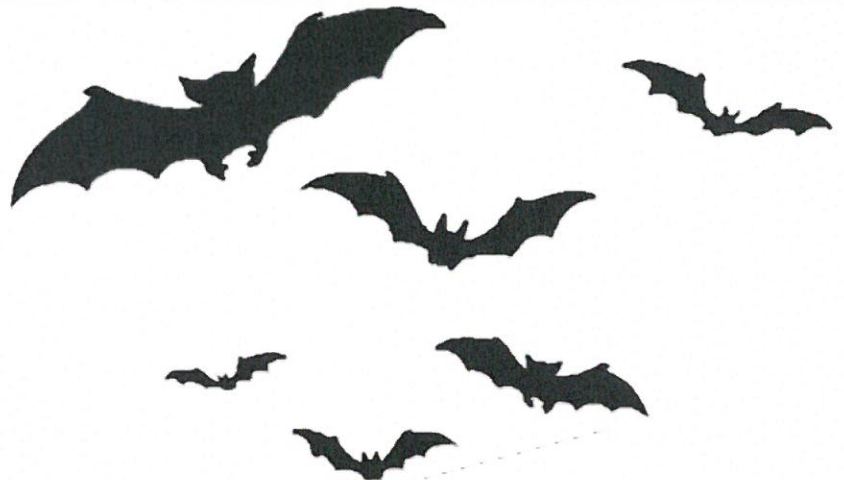
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**Happy
Halloween
Party**

**Monday,
October, 31st
11:30 AM**



Happy



Birthdays

1 Patricia Reynolds
1 Carol Walters
2 Juanita Bridges
2 Linda Essenmacher
2 Marjory Sears
2 G. Faith Short
3 Alvin Barnes
3 Doris Moore
4 Eileen Nuttall
5 Barbara Burns
5 Barbara Liimatta
6 Elaine Crowell
6 Robert Dennis
6 Joan Mokoski
6 Sharon Noone
7 Sara Miller
7 Lillie Peterson

8 Awilda Cruz
9 Leanna Bilow
9 Jane Killman
9 Marie Melson
9 Helen Sprackland
9 Zoan Thomasel
10 Rebecca (Becky) Eason
10 Patricia Pfeiffer
11 Betty Harvath
11 Rose McQueeney
11 Aleta Ridgway
12 Ronald Reb
12 Elizabeth Van Vessen
14 Dennis Wright
16 Patrick Abel
16 Jaye Brown

16 Frances Green
18 Gay Walker
19 Julia Lemon
20 Catherine Valeika
20 Dee (Dianne) Waud
23 Janice Agan
23 Margarita Catanese
24 Cecelia Zeno
25 Mary Carter
25 James O'Brien
26 Barbara Willis
27 Linda Hendricks
29 Jerry Emerson
29 Paula Sharp
30 Carol Evans
30 Maryann Hastem
30 Joanna Jones

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*****PLEASE CALL TO ORDER YOUR BIRTHDAY LUNCH***** to be delivered to your home on the third Thursday of **OCTOBER** 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 **OCTOBER** 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...**



DELIVERED BIRTHDAY LUNCHES ARE NOT FREE

PICK/UP LUNCHES AT 11:45 AM

**Dine-In Lunch at the Center is OPEN.
Please call for your Reservation.**



HARVEST YEARS SENIOR CENTER

is offering lunch delivery service to our members. Be sure to call in your lunch order by 10 AM each day. The meals will be delivered to your home Monday thru Friday between the hours of 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM.

**DONATION: \$5.00 PER LUNCH PLUS \$1.00 DELIVERY
PER LUNCH = \$6.00 PER LUNCH**



From Your
Executive Director
Tom Bones



Fall has arrived! Warm, sunny days and chilly, cozy nights means that it must be **October**. It is a new month and a new season and there are many new things going on here at The Harvest Years Senior Center. Please come in and celebrate **Autumn, 2022** with us.

Staying well and healthy is always a top priority for our members. Flu shots will be offered on Wednesday, October 5th here at the center. In addition, the Pneumonia shot and the Shingles shot will also be offered. All of those interested in this service, must sign up and schedule a time at our reception desk. You may stop in or simply call the center to schedule your appointment for Wednesday, October 5th, from 9 am - 12 Noon.

A cup of soup sounds delicious as we welcome the new season. Perhaps a quart would do the trick for a weekday or weekend dinner. Our **Soup-to-Go** program is back!! For the upcoming Fall and Winter months beginning Tuesday, October 11th you may call in an order to come in and enjoy a cup or two in-house and also take some home.

Looking ahead, please mark your calendars for our next important, but delicious fundraiser, our **Spaghetti Dinner** on **Friday, November 4th**. Look for the flyer and make your reservations to dine-in or pick-up between 3 pm and 6 pm that evening.

The Harvest Years Senior Center's **Annual Giving Campaign** is getting to rollout for 2022! As always it will run from October through the Holiday Season, We will be reaching out to all of our center's members, their closest friends and families, the Camden/Wyoming community residents and businesses and nearby neighbors. Many, many thanks to those of you who have already offered to help behind the scenes with this huge, and oh so vital campaign. Many hands lessen the load. Please let me know if you can help too.

Lastly, thanks again to all of our members and board members who attended our **1st Annual Outdoor Picnic** on September 23rd. We all really had a nice time! It was a great day with great people. Thanks so much to all of you who helped in preparing and cleaning up. We can't wait until next year!

Looking forward to the upcoming Holidays 2022!!

Notes From Your
Activities Director
Diane Amoroso



Mark Your Calendars

*Presentation by
Shore United Bank*

**"Security Awareness Training/
Protect Your Identity"
Thursday, October 20th at 11 A.M.**

Travel Plans 2023

Our Annual Trip Meeting is scheduled for
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21st, 2022 at 1 PM.

You are invited to attend and bring your ideas for upcoming trip in 2023.

As of this printing of the October newsletter we have 4 Theater Shows scheduled and a Cruise to the Bahamas. We would like to add more trips to our schedule. Several ideas have already been suggested to me and I will bring those ideas to our meeting in October. There were several trips that I had in mind to schedule in 2022 but held off until next year. One is our always popular **"Mystery Trip"** and a 4-day adventure to the beautiful **North Shore of Long Island, New York.**

It is beginning to look like a very busy year so let's all get together and make plan on having lots of fun experiences.

Our **Annual Craft Fair** is schedule for
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2022.

If you would like to participate please feel free to call me **ASAP** and I will give you all the information you need to participate.

Happy Traveling

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program

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Meet Oscar Sebastian at **10 AM-12 Noon** on the **third Tuesday of each Month during 2022**. If you are 50 years old or older, Oscar can answer any questions you may have about the **SNAP Program** or he can assist you in filling out the required application.



If you are unable to stop in to see Oscar please feel free to call him at 302 734-1200



Winter Weather Alert

Winter weather will soon be with us, so please begin planning and be sure to listen to your radio (WDSB or Eagle 97) or check WBOC stations or websites to be certain the Center is open if inclement weather hits us now 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.

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OCTOBER 2022 REPORT

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



Did you know? As a result of a legal ruling in Chancery Court, all Delaware counties are required to the first complete reassessment in more than three decades. The result will be a much fairer distribution of the tax burden across all properties based on the Fair Market Value (FMV) instead of the assessed values assigned by the counties.

Why now? Kent County's last full assessment was in 1987, with other counties even older than that. Over these last 35 years, if a homeowner did any type of permitted renovations on their homes, it was reassessed.

So what is reassessment? Reassessment is the valuation of your home based on the year the structure was built, measurement of all structures, number of bedrooms and bathrooms, physical condition, finished basement, and heating and cooling systems. Personal items are NOT part of the assessment. Collection of data will confirm information already on record with the County.

Who is doing the reassessment? Tyler Technologies is contracted by the county to complete the reassessment. They have hired members of the community as team members that are going house-to-house and business-to-business. All team members are clearly marked and have identification.

What can I expect from data collectors? You do NOT have to let the data collector inside. They will measure the exterior walls, or estimate it if they cannot be on the property. They are asking simple questions as listed above. What will the affect be on my property taxes? **THIS IS NOT AN ATTEMPT BY COUNTY GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE TAXES!** We are legislated by Delaware Code to keep our revenue close to what we currently collect. Your Kent County Commissioners and Leadership are great stewards of your taxes. It is NOT our intent to raise taxes. However, in the fair distribution of property taxes, it is reasonable that about 1/3 of homes property taxes will go up, 1/3 will stay the same, and 1/3 will go down.

What if I disagree with the FMV? You will be notified of the new assessment by November, 2023. The new assessment will be finalized by February, 2024. This will give you ample opportunity to contact the County to dispute the assessment.

Where are Collectors now? Data collectors have finished in all municipalities, and are currently working in unincorporated properties.

What about my school taxes? School taxes, set by your local Boards of education, are also legislated to keep their taxes revenue roughly the same. School taxes are about 80% of your total property tax, which is why I always encourage you to vote in every school election.

What if I have questions? At any time, you can contact your Kent County Commissioner, or contact members of the Kent County Reassessment Project at 302-744-9565.

Your Kent County taxes are some of the lowest in the United States, and we plan to keep it that way.



Golden Dinner Club

**At the Texas Roadhouse in Camden, DE
Thursday, October 12, 2022 = 4 - 9 PM**

**Pick-Up Your Coupons at Harvest Years and present them at the
Restaurant when you order your dinner.**

- OCTOBER 2022 MENU -

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3. Meatball Sub Tossed Salad No Bake Cheesecake	4. Baked Chicken Mashed Potatoes Gravy, Green Beans Chocolate Chip Cookie	5. Baked Lasagna House Salad Bread Mandarin Oranges	6. Stuffed Pepper Baked Potato Sour Cream Broccoli Fruit Cocktail	7. Chicken Breast Sandwich Lettuce/Tomato Pickles/Chips Assorted Desserts
10. <u>CLOSED</u> 	11. Taco's Soft Shell Lettuce/Tomato Salsa/Chips Cup Cakes Soup Kitchen Starts	12. Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes Gravy/Vegetable Blend Roll Fresh Fruit	13. Sweet & Sour Chicken Rice Glazed Carrots Pecan Cake	14. 6" Italian Sub Pickles/Chips Assorted Desserts
17. 'Tom's 3 Bean Chili Rice Tossed Salad Corn Bread Pineapple	18. Baked Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes Buttered Corn Strawberry Cake	19. Baked Tilapia Roasted Potatoes Green Bens Peaches	20. <u>Happy Birthday</u> Roasted Pork Loin Stuffing Succotash Cake Ice Cream  In-House Only	21. Chicken Pot Pie Tossed Salad Assorted Desserts
24. Chicken Parmigiana w/Pasta House Salad Brownie	25. Baked Pork Chops Sweet Potatoes Acorn Squash Grapes	26. Honey Ham Boiled Potatoes Cabbage Bread Pudding	27. Baked Fish Macaroni & Cheese Stewed Tomatoes Blueberry Muffin	28. Tomato Soup Ham & Cheese Sandwich on a Kaiser Roll Lettuce/Tomato Assorted Desserts
31. <u>HALLOWEEN PARTS</u> Scary Cheesesteak Cobweb Fries Onion Eyes Mud Pie 	1. Baked Salmon Rice Pilaf Broccoli Cookie	2. Spaghetti w/Meatsauce Tossed Salad Italian Bread Jell-O w/Fruit	3. Braised Beef Over Noodles Peas Bread Apple Crisp	4. Chicken Caesar Salad 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



IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR YOU!

Anyone taking a trip with Harvest Years Senior Center must carry a photo **ID** & your **COVID-19** Vaccination card. Many of our trips will require security screenings. If you do not bring your **ID's** you will not be permitted on the trip.

OCTOBER 2022 ACTIVITIES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3. 9:30 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class	4. 9:30 AM - Crafts 12:30 - Domino's	5. 9:15 AM - 10:15AM Land Aerobics 10 AM - 12 Noon Phase 10 12:30 PM - Hand & Foot	6. 9:30 AM - L.I.F.E. Aerobics Class 12:30 PM Rummikub	7. 12:30 PM - Mah Jong 12:30 PM - Spades
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PLEASE CALL FOR AN APPOINTMENT



Don't know what to do now that you've turned on your computer or smart phone?

Let Terry help you! Terry Anderson, a retired Air Force Pilot and retired from the Department of Education, has volunteered his time and expertise to teach a one on one computer class.

Terry has now offered to also teach a one on one class on how to use your *Smart Phone*. If you know the basics but would like to know more, please give your name and telephone number to Diane and she will set up an appointment with the *"Computer Guy"*!

Call: 302 698-4285 to schedule an appointment

National Depression Screening Day

Monday, October 24, 2022

9:30 AM - 12 Noon

***If you are feeling sad, anxious,
or overwhelmed;***

***Take a FREE, anonymous mental health
Self-Assessment.***

Health Care Transport Program



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 9:30 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 caregiver travel with you if you are using a wheelchair or have cognitive difficulties.

**A FRIENDLY REMINDER:
HOW TO SCHEDULE A MEDICAL APPOINTMENT
CALL: 302 698-4285
YOUR CALLS WILL BE ANSWERED
MONDAY - FRIDAY
BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 12:30 - 2 PM ONLY
THANK YOU**



Travel 2023

Trip Meeting

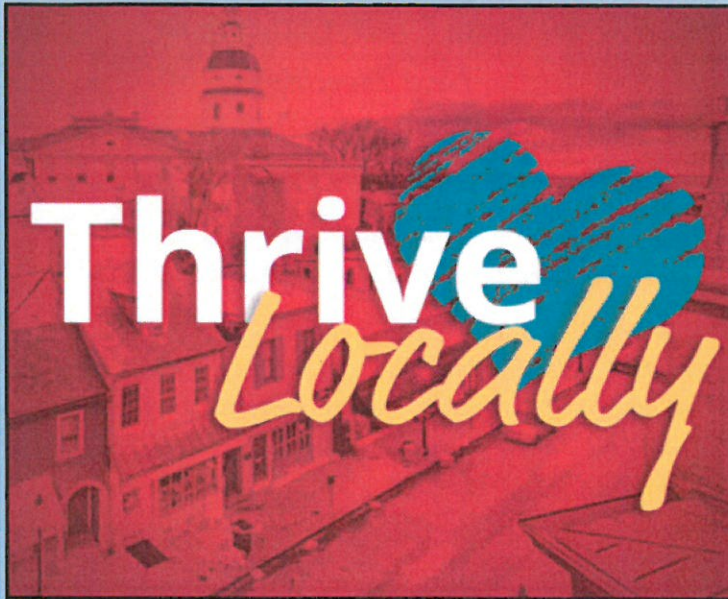
Friday, October 21st

1 PM

*Please bring your new ideas for trips in 2023.
We are always looking for exciting places to visit
and experience.*

FYI: There are 4 Lancaster Shows already on our 2023 schedule & 1 cruise to the Bahamas.

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PACE Your LIFE

Did you know **October is Long Term Care Planning Month**? This allows us to create awareness among our community to understand and prepare for the outrageous cost of long term healthcare, Unfortunately, this is not something many of us plan for.

Knowledge is power, and it is crucial for you to know what long term care services are available to you and how you will pay for that care if/when the times comes. There is a new resource available to individuals 55 and older that reside in southern Kent and Northern Sussex counties (see below for zip codes in our service area).

PACE Your LIFE is a comprehensive medical and social program designed for folks residing in their home, who need assistance with at least one activity of daily living and one independent activity of daily living. The person must be safe residing in their home with **PACE Your LIFE Services** and must reside in our service area.

PACE stands for **Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly**. It gives participants the ability to stay in their homes while receiving essential services and maintaining independence and physical and emotional well-being. Participants will have access to the state-of-the-art **PACE Day Center**, medical and specialty care, personal care, rehabilitation, social/recreational services and meals. Transportation is provided to allow individuals to get to-and-from the Day Center and other medical appointments. All care is managed by the **PACE Your LIFE** team and network of contracted healthcare providers.

Service areas: 19933,19934, 19941, 19943, 19946, 19950, 19952, 19954, 19958, 19960, 19962, 19963, 19968, 19979.

To learn more visit our website: PACEYOURLIFEMWV.COM or Call 302 865-3565



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Next Meetings:

OCTOBER 10, 2022 & OCTOBER 24, 2022

Dinner: 6:30 PM - Meeting Follows

Lions Club

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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
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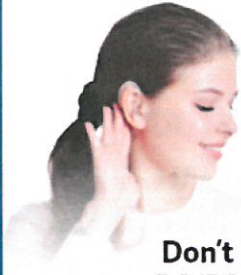
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