

Sellers Senior Center

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2026

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Please Note:

First day of
trip sign ups
will be

Tuesday, 9/1

Beginning at
9:30am.

Mum Fundraiser



Fall is blooming at the Center!

Brighten up your porch, yard, or table with
beautiful 1-gallon mums! Perfect for all your
fall decorating needs!

Cost: \$13 Available first week of October

Every mum you purchase helps supports Sellers Senior Center!

American Music Theatre - Winter Wonderland/Shady Maple



Wednesday, December 16 Cost \$148

Trip includes: Smorgasbord Luncheon at
Shady Maple at 11:30am, Admission to
the “***Winter Wonderland***” Show at
American Music Theatre at 3:00pm



Depart for Home at 5:30,

Arrive at Sellers 7:15pm

\$50 Deposit due at time of sign up!

Sign up in the office if interested!

Services Available

Hours of Operation:

Monday & Tuesday

8:30—3:30pm

Wed., Thurs., Friday

8:30—2:30pm

Instructors:

Fitness -

Eric Wolf

Creative Cards -

Ellen Paoletti

Cardio Drumming-

Mary Ellen Luise

Painting -

Colleen Hover

Tai Chi Chih -

Christine Sapp

At the time of publication of our bi-monthly newsletter, the Information is as complete and accurate as possible. All items are subject to change.

Library: Books can be borrowed during center hours. Returned books should be placed in the basket. **Accepting books published in 2015 and newer.**



Postage Stamps sold in the office.



Notary services available - please contact Jennifer to make an appointment. \$5.00 minimum donation to the center.



DE Durable Power of Attorney: Financial

Guide to Services for Older Delawareans: A publication for Older Delawareans and Persons with Disabilities.

Handicapped Parking: Placard application

Paratransit: Tickets are available in the main office for \$10 per strip. ID required. Applications also available

School Tax Credit: Senior deduction in taxes. (form)

Senior Roll Call: This daily telephone service provides added comfort and security that you may need to maintain your independence. To enroll call 302-395-8159.

Senior Legal Hotline: A resource for Delawareans who are age 60 and older where callers can receive free legal advice on a variety of issues. No income requirements for the hotline. The advice is provided by DVLS staff attorney or a volunteer attorney. Hotline hours are 9:00-4:30 Monday– Thursday. New Castle County: 302-478-8680

Nutrition Program



City Fare offers a hot meal or bagged supper to those 60 years of age and older. A donation for the meal is based on income. Suggested cost: Hot meals &, Bag Suppers are now \$4.00 each. Persons under 60 years of age are required by government regulations to pay \$8.00. **Note:** Please make reservations by noon the day before. Cancellations must also be made by noon the previous day or you will be charged for the meal.

Membership Information



Welcome New Members: Fran Romano, Kathy Zaplinty, June Akell, Purnima Raman, Young Park, Nancy Kavanaugh, Pat Saraga, John Neal, Charles Shelhamer, Bill Thompson, JoAnne Farthing, Willard Barrowclough, Janet Barrowclough, Briget Kirk, Hazel Kirk, Ann Meixell

Thinking of You: Joe VanSuch, Eileen Denis, Karen Outten, Cindy Grant, Gil Wilbur, Millie Burke, Millie McMenemy, Abe Wiley, Eleanor Rozmarynoski, Ron Nordheimer, Jim & Bea Kloster, Maryann Silletti

Health and Fitness



'Feel Better' Fitness Class "If you don't MOVE it - you will LOSE it."

Classes consist of: 10-15 min. walking paced warm-up, 30 min. work-out while sitting, 10 min. standing work-out, and 5 min. relaxation cool down. These exercises are good for Seniors with Arthritis, Osteoporosis, or Cardiac Rehab. Participants will gain muscular strength, endurance, and flexibility through gentle movements, chair exercises and stretching.

Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays from 9:00-10:00 & 10:15- 11:15am

Cost: \$3 per class

Instructor: Eric Wolf

Wii Bowling



Wii bowling will begin the week of September 14th.

Please plan to bowl on your teams designated day/time.

Teams must pre-bowl one set of 3 games before 10/16/2026
for the first session.

Looking forward to the start of a new season!

Good luck to all of our teams!

Friendly Reminders

AMT-Winter Wonderland final payment due 11/2

Please note Dues were due July 1.



Ongoing Activities



Bingo: Fridays, 12:30—2:00pm. Bring your nickels and enjoy refreshments with friends. Donations are always appreciated. Callers: Alex Sokolski & Suzanne Scolis

Bridge: Duplicate Bridge (requires a partner)—Tuesdays, 9:00am - 12:00pm.

Bridge: Duplicate Bridge (requires a partner) - \$3 every Thursday, 9:00am-12:00pm. For more information, contact the office.

Bunco: Every Monday from 10:00am - 12:00 noon. Cost: \$2.00 (cash prizes)

Canasta: Fridays 10:00am-12:00 noon. Beginners welcome.

Cardio Drumming Tuesdays 1:00-2:00 \$3 per Class **No Class on 9/8 & 9/15**

Creative Cards: Learn to make creative cards you can send to your family and friends. Events are geared towards fun, fellowship and learning. Second & fourth Thursdays of each month at 11:00am. Sign up 2 weeks in advance. For more info and to sign up contact: stampwithellen@aol.com

Pinochle: Mondays and Tuesdays, 12:30 –3:30. **New Pinochle players needed!**



Painting Class: A fun painting class with acrylic paint on canvas. 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month at 1:00pm. \$8 includes instruction, canvas & paints.

Tai Chi Chih: Thursdays 10:00-11:00am \$3 per class



Wii Bowling Interested in joining a team, please contact the office. Substitute bowlers needed as well!

Flu Shots

Flu Shots will be offered by Giant this year!

Please bring your Medicare card (red, white & blue card) with you. Medicare will be billed for these services. For those without Medicare, please call for pricing.

Thursday, October 8 9:00am-1:00pm

Please see Sellers office to sign up!



Pneumonia, RSV, Covid, TDaP & Shingles shots will also be available

Vita Nova

Thursday, October 8

11:15am-2:30pm

Transportation: \$4

Buffet Cost: \$22 - this does not include tip.



Reservation allows for 20 people. Vita Nova is the University of Delaware's student-operated fine dining restaurant, offering an award winning lunch buffet. It is a University of Delaware tradition and an extraordinary dining experience. Must sign up in person in the office.

Sign up in the office beginning September 1.

Highland Orchards & Arianna's Café -West Chester

Wednesday, October 14

9:30-3:00

Transportation Cost: \$5

Highland Orchards has all your fall needs. Fresh produce, baked good, gourmet specialties, & much more. Don't forget their Apple Cider and their "Best of Philly"

Apple Cider donuts.

Enjoy lunch after at Arianna's Café!

12:00 Reservation

Sign up in the office beginning September 1.



Inspire by Touch Massages

“Inspire by Touch”

Khalil Abdul-Majid will be here at Sellers **September 8, 22 October 13, 27**

Cost: 10 Minutes- \$5.00

15 Minutes - \$10.00

30 Minutes - \$25.00



Scheduling appointments with **payment** are made in the office.

Please be advised that if you do not show for your appointment, we will not grant a refund. If you should need to cancel please give 24 hours notice if possible.

NEW! Beginning in October, Khalil will alternate between table and chair massages. **October 13th will be the first day for table massages.**

Wear comfortable clothes. Schedule in the main office.

Riverwinds Restaurant- West Deptford, NJ



Tuesday, September 8, 11:15am-3:00pm

Transportation Cost: \$5

Join us for a relaxing lunch with friends at The Riverwinds Restaurant. Enjoy a delicious meal while taking in beautiful waterfront views of the Philadelphia skyline. With plenty of space to gather and a scenic setting along the Delaware River, it's a wonderful place to enjoy good food, good company, and a pleasant afternoon together.

Sign up in the office beginning 9/1.

Our Mission

Sellers Senior Center is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for senior citizens in our area by providing quality human services, social contacts, recreation, nutrition and advocacy. Membership is welcome to anyone 50 years of age or older regardless of religion, gender, race, or color.

Halloween Bingo



Thursday, October 29

Join us for Lunch & Bingo!

Lunch at 12:00pm - Bingo at 12:45pm

Cost: \$8

10 games of Bingo, Door Prizes, & 50/50

Wear your best costume!

Sign up in the office beginning 9/1.

Rehoboth Beach Trip



Tuesday, September 22

Time: 9:00am-5:00pm

Transportation: \$10

Shop Rehoboth Avenue, Walk the beach & Boards,
Enjoy lunch on your own!

If you'd like to bring a folding chair to sit on the
beach, please do so!



Sign up in the office beginning 9/1

AARP Defensive Driving



Refresher Course (4 hr) will be held on, **Thursday, October 22,**
from 9am-1pm \$20 for AARP Members, \$25 for Non Members. Cash
or check accepted. Checks can be made payable to AARP.

Please see Sellers office to sign up!



Trip Guidelines

Everyone attending Sellers trips must be able to care for their own personal needs and make independent decisions for themselves.

Also, consider the amount of walking that is involved with our bus trips. If assistance is required by the participant he or she must provide their own caregiver and pay for same.

- ♦ Payments for all trips must be made at time of sign-up.
- ♦ Times listed for trips reflect departure/arrival times to and from the center.
- ♦ The bus will start loading passengers 15 minutes prior to departure.
- ♦ Departure time will be as scheduled with or without all passengers.
- ♦ Prepaid tickets for events are not refundable unless a replacement is found.
- ♦ Please remember to park furthest from the center when going on trips.

Day out in Kennett Square



Tuesday, October 13 10:30am-3:00pm

Transportation Cost: \$4

A day on State Street in Kennett Square offers a charming mix of boutique shopping, diverse dining, and small-town charm around every corner. Stroll past locally owned shops, explore unique finds, and enjoy everything from cozy cafés, specialty coffee & sweet treats.

This trip has been rescheduled from April. Those who were originally signed up for the April trip will have priority. As seats become available, we can register others.

Please let the office know if the new date will work for you!

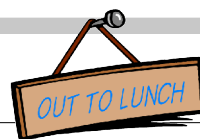
Donations and Bequests

Donations and bequests to Sellers Senior Center are deductible for the purpose of computing income and inheritance taxes under the law for donations and bequests for charitable corporations.

Memorial Fund: Contributions to this living memorial is a very thoughtful way of perpetuating the memory of our friends and loved ones. Their families will be notified of your remembrance.

United Way Donations: When making donations to United Way, remember to write in Sellers Senior Center's code **#9063** on the back of the card. We are also a member of the United Way of Southern Pennsylvania. For Pennsylvania donations please use **#48809**.

Mystery Lunch



Tuesday, September 15 & Tuesday, October 20

Time: 11:30am-2:30pm Trans Cost: \$4.00

Sign up in the office beginning 9/1.

A Day out at Havre De Grace, MD

Join us for a lighthouse and Harmer's Art Center Tour!

Enjoy the waterfront vistas and the beautiful old buildings as you learn about Havre Dr Grace's history & architecture.

Thursday, October 1 9:30am-3:00pm

Trans Cost: \$5 Tour Cost \$10

After the tour enjoy lunch on your own at
Tidewater Grille!

You may also enjoy visiting nearby Bomboy's for homemade candies & ice cream.

This trip has been rescheduled from May. Those who were originally signed up for the May trip will have priority. As seats become available, we can register others.

Please let the office know if the new date will work for you!



Center Closings

Sellers will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day.

Puzzle Nook

Visit our library to see our great selection of jigsaw puzzles. There is always a puzzle in the process. Put in a few pieces or stay for the afternoon!



Volunteers Needed ~

We are looking for volunteers to help shelve books a couple hours each week. If interested, please see the office.

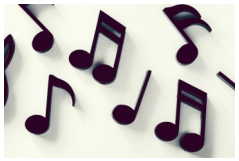


School Uniform Collection



Silverside Church is helping Friendship House collect uniforms for public school children. They are requesting donations of new or gently used children's polo shirts and khaki/navy pants sizes 5T-20, adult polo shirt sizes small-2X, women's pant size 000-20, and men's pants size 28-40. Shirts can be any solid color.

A collection box is in the Narthex. Thank you for your consideration!



Silverside Church's Fall Concert Series

September 27, 3:00pm Double Shot

A seven-piece band that plays all your favorite hits from the '60s, '70s and '80s with a few current hits thrown in for good measure. Enjoy Motown, Santana, Chicago, America, The Eagles and more. Concert held outdoors, weather permitting. Bring your own lawn chair.

October 25, 4:00 pm Halloween Spectacular: The Phantom of the Organ

Join us for a festive afternoon of spooky music as we celebrate the renewal of our 1971 Austin pipe organ. Featuring haunting favorites from Bach to Broadway, this concert will bring Halloween spirit to life through the thrilling sounds of the pipe organ. Presented in collaboration with the Delaware Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, the program will include eerie classics, seasonal surprises, and fun for all ages. A reception will follow the performance. Costumes are welcome and encouraged!

Donations are appreciated!

Stand By Me - Powered by the State of Delaware & United Way of Delaware

FINANCIAL BINGO



An interactive game of BINGO designed to educate participants on what they want and NEED to know about their finances.

Hosted by Stand By Me 50+

Knowledge is the power you need to make your money work for you!

SEPTEMBER 16TH,

1:00 - 2:00pm

Please sign up in the office if interested!

Flower Arranging Class

Join us for a flower arranging class with Brooke Bovard!

We will be making a Fall flower arrangement!

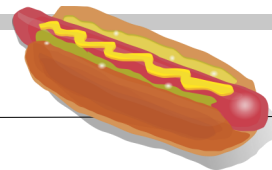


Thursday, October 15th at 10:00am

Cost: \$10.00 - All supplies included

Please sign up in the office beginning September 1.

The Fourth.....Take Two



Thursday, September 24

12:00 Noon

Sellers will provide the hamburgers, hotdogs & cold drinks! We are asking that you bring a covered dish to share! Since this is a reschedule date please let the office know if you can still make it!



Sign up sheet will be in the office beginning 9/1.

If you need a reminder of what dish you signed up to bring, please ask in the office.

Please bring a lawn chair as we hope to be outdoors!

Candlelight - The Musical Scrooge



Thursday, December 10th

Cost: \$69.50

Doors open at 6:00 for dinner Show to begin at 8:00

SCROOGE. This timeless musical, an adaptation of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*, has enchanted generations with the transformative power of the Christmas spirit. With book, music, and lyrics by Leslie Bricusse, *Scrooge* brings an Academy Award-nominated score to the beloved tale of a curmudgeonly miser who finds redemption and the true meaning of kindness and love. Based on the hugely popular 1970 film starring Albert Finney, *Scrooge* is the perfect way to kick off your holiday season.

Transportation will not provided.

Sign up in the office beginning 9/1.

Recorder of Deeds Presentation



Wednesday, September 23 at 1:00pm.

Join Michael E. Kozikowski Sr., New Castle County Recorder of Deeds, for a free educational presentation.

This presentation will cover Transfer on Death Deeds and AlertMe, two important resources that can help residents better understand estate-planning options and stay informed about documents recorded in their name. Attendees will learn how a Transfer on Death Deed may help with planning ahead, and how AlertMe can provide free property-record notifications through the New Castle County Recorder of Deeds Office.

Sign up in the office beginning 9/1.

Medication Cost Review

Do you have questions about the cost of your medications?
Would you like to see if you can save money on your medications?

Debbie Kling is a retired social worker having worked for Christiana Care for over 30 years. Debbie is also a Board Member. Bring in your medication list and see if there are more affordable options. You will need to bring your current medication list, print out from your pharmacy of your medication costs and your insurance card.



When: September 10 & October 8

If interested please sign for a time slot in the main office!



September Babies

9.1 Michael Roccia
9.2 Eleanor McLaren
9.5 John Faber
9.7 John Graver
9.9 Jeanette Shain
9.10 Nicola Pell
Ted Sacher
9.11 Donna Baldwin
Nancy Hanley
Gary Richardson
9.12 Millie Burke
Nancy Handlin
Ellen Paoletti
9.14 Carol McDaniel
Linda Murphy
9.15 Anita D'Annaibale
Irma Minutola
9.15 Ceceilia Miranda
9.16 Robin Lang
9.18 Phyllis Keulmann
9.19 Dolly Fader
9.22 Chris Way
9.24 Christine Persicketti
9.25 Arlene Skotnicki
9.27 Elizabeth Henry

October Babies

10.2 Irene Dawson
10.3 Judy Burns
Linda Thomas
10.4 Ellen Fuccella
10.5 Cindy Grant
Sheilia Lampier
10.7 Mary Fallat
10.9 Lois Doggett
Michele Lank
Madelyn Ward
10.10 John McElroy
10.18 Alice Collins
10.19 Gerri Snavelly
10.20 Rick Fengler
Trina Gardner
10.21 Linda Deeney
Kathy Fink
Jean Morales
10.23 Sheila Buckley
Francine Passerini
10.24 Margaret Arlt
Susan Duffield
Carol Sinclair
10.28 Cathy Dolbow
Jeanette Kelly
Barbara Schinchirimini

10.29 Brenda Almoney
Beth Masci
10.31 Jane Bordzol
Jerri Comery



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Center

Sellers Trip Sign-up Form

Non-members must wait a week after sign ups start to sign up (if we have openings)

Qty	Trip/Activity	Price	Paid
	Inspired by Touch Massage Tues, 9/8, 9/22 & 10/13, 10/27	See Newsletter	
	Medication Cost Review 9/10 & 10/8	See newsletter	
	Riverwinds Restaurant 9/8	Trans Cost \$5	
	Mystery Lunch 9/15	Trans Cost \$4	
	Stand by Me Presentation & Bingo 9/16	Free	
	Rehoboth Beach 9/22	Trans Cost \$10	
	Recorder of Deeds Presentation 9/23	Free	
	Fourth Picnic 9/24	See Newsletter	
	Havre De Grace—Rescheduled 10/1 As seats become available, we will open registration	Trans Cost \$5 Tour Cost \$10	
	Flu Shots 10/8	See Newsletter	
	Vita Nova 10/8	Trans Cost \$4	
	A Day out in Kennett—Rescheduled 10/13 As seats become available, we will open registration	Trans Cost \$4	
	Highland Orchards & Arianna's 10/14	Trans Cost \$5	
	Flower Arranging Class 10/15	Cost \$10	
	Mystery Lunch 10/20	Trans Cost \$4	
	Halloween Bingo 10/29	Cost \$8	
	Candlelight - Scrooge 12/10	Cost \$69.50	
	Charter Trips ~		
	AMT - Winter Wonderland 12/16	Cost \$148 Deposit \$50	

Total _____

Name: _____ Date _____ Cash / Check # _____

Sellers Senior Center is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for senior citizens in our area by providing quality human services, social contacts, recreation, nutrition, and advocacy.

The programs and services of Sellers Senior Center, Inc. are in part sponsored by the State of Delaware Division of Aging, The Nutrition Program for New Castle County's Senior Generation (City Fare) and the United States of America Older Americans = Act, Title 111C.