TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLETOWN PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAM GUIDE

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LIVE MUSIC FROM



SATURDAY SEPTEMBER

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FORSYTHIA CROSSING PARK 12:00PM - 5:00PM

THE SEVEN BAND LIVE FOOD & DRINKS CRAFT BEER & WINE INFLATABLES SHOPPING VENDORS AND MORE...

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MIDDLETOWN ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL presents "ENVIRONMENTALLY SPEAKING"

HELD AT THE

MIDDLETOWN MUNICIPAL CENTER • 3 MUNICIPAL WAY

HOME & YARD COMPOSTING

TUESDAY SEPT. 17 - 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

This seminar will discuss using both kitchen waste and yard/garden waste in the homecom-posting process, as well as how to incorporate ways to use compost in home gardening.



This seminar will be taught by Russ Hartman, a Master Watershed Steward who has been composting for many years and help lead a compost team that developed a program in the Adams Hollow Community Garden in Bristol Borough.



SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PARTNERSHIP WITH SURROUNDING COUNTIES

TUESDAY OCT. 15 - 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

In October 2023, the four counties—Bucks, Chester, Delaware, and Montgomery—joined forces to

create the Sustainable Energy Partnership (SEP). This collaborative effort aims to achieve several shared goals including renewable energy targets, lowered energy costs, partnership expansion etc. Join us for an informative discussion on this partnership and sustainable energy practices and efforts that are shaping our community's future! Mr. Neale Dougherty, Director of Sustainability for Bucks County will be leading the discussion.

Register at middletownbucks.org/recdesk

Holiday Open House

MIDDLETOWN MUNICIPAL CENTER DEC. 12 | 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM FREE FAMILY EVENT

Activities include pictures with Santa, Horse drawn carriage rides, kids crafts, live music, inflatables, food, drink, holiday, shopping and much more!

SANTA'S MAILBOX

Santa will set up his Mailbox at the Municipal Center November 29, Children ages 1-8 are welcome to mail their letters to Santa, care of the Middletown Township Parks & Recreation Department & Santa will mail a reply. Letters must be received by December 15, 2024. Make sure you include self-addressed stamped envelope with your letters.

> Letters can be dropped at: 3 Municipal Way . Langhorne, PA 19047

Follow us on Facebook @MiddletownPR for more information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Every community is bound together by its people and events - sharing time together, improving the landscape, not so much for themselves but for others. Community is about growing with others in a shared task. These volunteer events offer the chance to spend time with family or community members to keep Middletown a great place to live. Register for each event that interests you even if you cannot make this one. We will have your contact information for the next time. As each event approaches, we will email reminders. Registration can be done at www.middletownbucks.org/recdesk

FALL TRASH CLEAN UP Sat., Sep. 21 | 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Along Trenton Road

GARDEN CLEAN UP Sat., Oct. 26 I 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM 2140 Trenton Road At the Senior Center

TREE PLANTING Nov., 13-15 I 9:30 AM Register and you will receive an email with location details





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FIRE PREVENTION EXPO

Join Middletown Township Fire and Emergency Services for fun activities the whole family will enjoy! **Restaurant Depot Parking Lot** 1661 Lincoln Highway, Langhorne PA, 19047

FREE SCHEDULED EVENTS

- Fire Truck Display
- Fire/EMS/Police Demonstrations
 Bucks County 911
- Fire Safety House
- Finger and Face Painting
- Bucks County Special Ops
- Temple MedFlight Helicopter

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- Bucks County Fire Marshal
- Vendors/Local Businesses
- Marshall from Paw Patrol

Did you know...?

If a plastic ordinance is put into effect in Middletown Townshiop there will be 13, 513,584 fewer plastic bags polluting the environment. Equivalent to over 2,346 miles if the bags were to be laid side by side.





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parks & recreation facilities

MIDDLETOWN COMMUNITY PARK

2600 Langhorne-Yardley Road Athletic Fields, Basketball, Playground, Walking Path, Skate Park, Restrooms

THE BARN - In Middletown Community Park Multi-Purpose Room and Classrooms

TWIN OAKS PARK - 2897 Trenton Road Athletic Fields, Playground, Picnic Tables, Benches COBALT RIDGE PARK - Cobalt Cross Road

Half-Court Basketball, Playground, Benches

QUINCY HOLLOW PARK - Quincy Drive Basketball Court

UPPER ORCHARD PARK - Upper Orchard Drive Half-Court Basketball, Playground, Swings, Walking Path, Benches, Picnic Area

DETWEILER PARK - 800 Fox Lane

FIREFIGHTERS' PARK - Poplar Street off of Hulmeville Road Lit Basketball Court, Lit Pickleball Courts, Athletic Fields, Playground, Picnic Tables, Benches

HARRIS PARK - Harris Avenue off of Business Route 1 Open for passive recreation only SUNFLOWER PARK - 815 Sunflower Avenue

Playground, Picnic Area, Benches

PERIWINKLE PARK - 200 Periwinkle Avenue Multi-purpose Field L/CPL H. J. SIMMONS, JR. PARK - 900 Brownsville Road Baseball/Softball Field, Lit Tennis Courts, Basketball, Playground, Walking Path

DET. CHRISTOPHER JONES PARK - 200 Beechwood Avenue Baseball/Softball Field, Playground, Walking Path, Picnic Tables DEEP DALE EAST - Deep Dale Drive

FORSYTHIA CROSSING PARK - Forsythia Crossing Roller Hockey Rink, Playground, Walking Path, Benches, Picnic Area

LION'S PARK - Trenton Road & Route 413 Playground, Benches, Picnic Table

TAREYTON ESTATE PARK - Tareyton Drive off N. Flowers Mill Rd. Playground, Picnic Tables, Benches, Passive Open Space

VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK - 700 Veterans Highway Walking Path, Benches, Picnic Area, Army Tank

MIDDLETOWN COUNTRY CLUB - 420 N. Bellevue Avenue Langhorne Borough 18-Hole Regulation Golf Course, Restaurant and Banquet Room, Hackers Pub

RAYMOND P. MONGILLO, SR. COMMUNITY CENTER 2140 Trenton Road Playground, Multi Purpose Room, Classrooms, Bocce Courts, Senior Center, Pickleball Courts

DELAWARE PARK - Wyoming Avenue off of Durham Road Open for passive recreation only



Yoga is a discipline that incorporates breath control, simple meditation, mindful stretching, and is widely practiced for health and relaxation. These classes are open to beginning and advanced students. Individual attention will be emphasized. We offer five types of yoga classes. **Beginning, Just,** and **Gentle Yoga** classes are similar beginner classes so just pick the day, time and location that work best for you. Bring your own mat to each yoga class. **Chair Yoga** is suited for people who battle arthritis, have joint issues, or trouble with balance. **Yoga with a Twist** is focuses on gentle movements and deep breathing to activate neurogenic vibrations to release tension and stress from the body. No mat is required for chair, we provide the chair.

Just Yoga with Amelia

Fee:	\$77; NR \$91
Location:	Community Center
Session 1:	Mon., Sep. 9 – Oct. 21
Session 2:	Mon., Oct. 28 - Dec. 16
Time:	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Beginning Yoga with Carol

Fee:	\$77; NR \$91
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Tue., Sep. 3 - Oct. 15
Session 2:	Tue., Oct. 22 - Dec. 10
Time:	5:15 PM - 6:15 PM, or
	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Yoga with a Twist with Carol

Fee:	\$77; NR \$91
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Wed., Sep. 4 - Oct. 16
Session 2:	Wed., Oct. 23 - Dec. 11
Time:	5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Posture, Flexibility & Chair Yoga with Nita

Fee:	\$56; NR \$63
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Wed., Sep. 4 - Oct. 9
Session 2:	Wed., Oct. 23 - Nov. 20
Time:	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Online Gentle Yoga with Loretta

Fee:	\$49
Session 1:	Sat., Sep. 7 - Oct. 19
Session 2:	Sat., Oct. 26 - Dec. 14
Time:	9:15 AM -10:15 AM

Zumba

Zumba is a high-energy dance and cardio workout that incorporates Latin-inspired moves to popular music making it a fun and easy class to follow. Zumba is open to beginner and advanced students. Optional for toning - no more than 2 lb. dumbbells or 2.5 lb. toning sticks. Please bring water and a towel. We offer Zumba twice a week so pick the day that works best for your schedule. Carolyn teaches both days.

Fee:	\$56; NR \$63
Location:	Community Center
Session 1:	Tue., Sep. 3 - Oct. 15
Session 2:	Thu., Sep. 5 - Oct. 17
Session 3:	Tue., Oct. 22 - Dec. 10
Session 4:	Thu., Oct. 24 - Dec. 19
Time:	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Morning Zumba

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Yang Family Tai Chi

This form of Tai Chi will increase your strength, flexibility, improve balance and reduce the effects of stress. It acts like/supplements physical therapy by increasing self-awareness and improves body mechanics. It introduces the 8 Energies of Yang Style Tai Chi Chuan; how to cultivate and circulate them for increase strength and health while learning a 10-movement form. This class is taught by a Disciple of the 6th Generation Grand Master, Master Yang Jun, Jason Timony. And again, have fun!

> Fee: \$49; NR \$56 Location: Community Center Session 1: Thu., Sep. 5 - Oct. 17 Session 2: Thu., Oct. 24 - Dec. 12 Time 7:15 PM - 8:15 PM

Qi-Gong Tai Chi

Gong and Tai Chi and are ancient practices that have led to improved health, fitness, wellbeing and longevity. Practice in deep conscious breathing and slow movement will bring about balance, alignment, and internal strength. This 7-week session is open to all levels. Isse Elston leads the Tue. & Wed. session.

Fee:	\$49; NR \$56
Location:	Community Center
Session 1:	Tue., Sep. 3 - Oct. 15
Session 2:	Tue., Oct. 22 - Dec. 10
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Wed., Sep. 4 - Oct. 16
Session 2:	Wed., Oct. 23 - Dec. 11
Time	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

ADULT RECREATION

Country Line Dancing

A line dance is a choreographed dance with a repeated sequence of steps in which a group of people dance in one or more lines or rows, in the same direction, and executing the steps at the same time. Our seasoned instructors teach you to kick, stomp, & boot-scoot your way in our newly renovated community hall. Come alone or bring friends. Make Wednesdays your fun-night out.

> Fee: \$86; NR \$97 Location: Community Center Session 1: Wed., Sep. 18 - Oct. 30 Time: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Adult Kickball

Most players are affiliated with a team but we also welcome new comers that we can combine into new teams. Unaffiliated adults, 21+, can register individually. Team t-shirts will be provided. It is a six week season and each game lasts about one hour; with lots of double headers It is a fun way to start the weekend. There are 8 team slots this fall.

> Fee: \$50 Individual fee; \$400 Team fee Location: Community Park Date: Fri., Sep. 13 - Oct. 18 Time: 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Outdoor Fall Walks

Long walks encourage a healthy, active lifestyle and keep aching joints moving. Middletown P&R leads a series of 75-minute fall walks on Sat. through Tyler State Park. The class is open to any fitness level and an easy way to meet new people. Pre-registration is required. We will contact you on the preceding Friday about the walk, after we check the weather. You can decide if you want to walk that morning

Location:	Tyler State Park (Fisherman's Lot)
	1440 Newtown Richboro Rd
	Newtown PA 18940
Date:	Sat., Sep. 21, Oct. 19 & Nov. 16
Time:	11:00 AM

Vibrational Sound Healing

A Sound Bath is a deeply restorative, listening experience that uses the sounds of crystal bowls and other instruments to bring gentle, yet powerful restorative, nurturing changes to the mind and body. This class combines with gentle movements to invite even deeper, subtler shifts in consciousness, self-awareness and inquiry. Wear comfortable clothing, bring a blanket and eye pillow if you wish.

Fee:	\$34; NR \$40
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Fri., Sep. 13
Session 2:	Fri., Oct. 11
Session 3:	Fri., Nov. 8
Session 4:	Fri., Dec. 13
Time:	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Beginner Pickleball Lessons

Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in the nation. It is a mini-tennis game that is a combination of pingpong, tennis and badminton played with graphite paddles and unique plastic balls. It is a great sport for all ages that is easy to learn and provides plenty of exercise. Students will learn etiquette, safety, rules, strokes, serves, scoring and gameplay in this one-day workshop, taught by certified pickleball instructor Marcy Lynch. Balls & Paddles are provided. This is a great way for new players to learn more and refine their skills before joining our local pickleball group on Mondays & Thursdays at Firefighters' Park.

Fee:	\$60; NR \$70
Location:	Community Center Courts
Session 1:	Sat., Sep. 14
Session 2:	Sat., Sep. 21
Time:	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Universal Rackets Pickleball Programming

For both members of the Middletown Pickleball Club and the general public, we will be partnering with Universal Rackets to offer a variety of pickleball programming this Fall including adult and youth clinics, pickleball paloozas and more. For more information please visit www.middletownbucks.org/pickleball. Pickleball club members will receive discounted rates on programs

Chair Yoga Workshop

Learn simple stretching techniques, customized to the needs of the group, that improve posture, flexibility and release chronic muscle tension. This program will provide awareness to prevent and alleviate aches, pains, and 'age-related' symptoms. Learn a lifetime of healing movement

for better health and well-being. Chairs are provided. Please bring a yoga strap or hand towel and wear comfortable clothing.

Fee:	\$34; NR \$40
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Tue., Sep. 10
Session 2:	Tue., Oct. 8
Session 3:	Sat., Nov. 9
Session 4:	Tue., Nov. 12
Session 5:	Tue., Dec. 10
Time:	9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Massage for Fun (For Two)

Massage Therapy is a fun and relaxing way to strengthen connections between friends and partners. In this program, Nita Keesler, a licensed massage therapist with over 30 years experience, will teach simple techniques to help relieve stress and muscle tension without hurting your hands! This program will focus on the needs of the group. The registration covers the cost of a pair. Bring your partner, friend, or family member. Please dress comfortably and bring 2 pillows and thick blankets.

> Fee: \$50; NR \$65 Location: The Barn Session: Fri., Nov. 8 Time: 6:30 PM - 8:45 PM

Private Dog Training Lessons

Long walks encourage a healthy, active lifestyle and Do you want your puppy or dog to learn to walk nicely on a leash? Would you love for your dog to stop counter surfing or jumping on people? Join Sit Happens Dog Training for personalized one on one dog training! Sit Happen s has over 30 years of experience and have had dogs achieve numerous awards and titles in dog shows. Group lessons can be difficult because of the distractions of other dogs. With private lessons, they will work on what YOUR puppy/dog needs. 3 or 4 lessons are recommended to achieve a solid foundation for your puppy. All levels from basics to advanced/rally obedience and tricks can register. After registering the instructor will contact you directly to schedule your lessons.

Fee: \$95 Per Lesson Location: The Barn Availability: Mondays & Wednesdays 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM 10:15 PM - 11:15 PM Tuesdays 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM 6:15 PM - 7:15 PM Days & Time subject to change

Mahjongg 101

This program will teach you to play the American version of the fun and engaging Chinese tile based game of Mahjongg. You will learn the basics of game play, how to build and break walls, and strategy for end game moves. After this 4 week program you should know everything you need to in order to start playing!

> Fee: \$60; NR \$72 Location: The Barn Session: Fri., Nov. 1 - Nov. 22 Time: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Canasta 101

This program will teach you to play the card game Canasta. You will learn the basics of game play, how to build and break walls, and strategy for end game moves. After this 4 week program you should know everything you need to in order to start playing!

> Fee: \$60; NR \$72 Location: The Barn Session: Fri., Nov. 1 - Nov. 22 Time: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Bocce League

Teams of 4 will compete in this 5 week Bocce season this Fall! You may sign up for a team or individually and we will place you on a team. There will be additional opportunities for learning Bocce more indepth prior to games starting, and the schedule will adjust slightly as it gets darker earlier. Open to players of any and all abilities. Ages 21+

> Fee: \$30 Individuals; \$100 Team Fee Location: Community Center Courts Session: Wed., Sep. 25 - Oct. 23 Time: 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM



Intro To Resin

In this class you will learn how to use resin to make a variety of different projects, such as jewelry, candle holders, vases and more! Resin art is made from a clear liquid that dries to give the work a glass look to it. Learn the different techniques and processes to work with resin, how to include different media and how to properly finish your pieces. Includes a resin kit for students to take home. This class taught by local artist Linda Reboh, who has 10 years experience teaching art programs.

> Fee: \$105; NR \$120 Location: The Barn Session 1: Thu., Oct. 3 & Oct. 10 Session 2: Thu., Nov. 7 & Nov. 14 Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Glass Fusing

Glass fusing is the process of taking different colors of sheet glass and combining them with other decorative features to create a beautiful piece of glass. You can make jewelry, small tiles for the house or a piece to hang on the wall. Students will learn the basics of the techniques and skills needed to create works of art using glass fusing. Taught by local artist Linda Reboh, who has a fine arts degree and has taught art programs for over 10 years. All materials are included.

Fee:	\$105; NR \$120		
Location:	The Barn		
Session 1:	Sun., Sep. 15 & Sep. 22		
Session 2:	Sun., Oct. 20 & Oct. 27		
Session 3:	Sun., Nov. 3 & Nov. 10		
Time:	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM		

Glass Fusing Christmas Gifts

Make this holiday special with glass pieces you create yourself. Using glass sheets, molds and other types of glass mediums you can create beautiful ornaments, plates, bowls or suncatchers for the holidays. No experience necessary. Come make new friends and create unique glass that will impress your friends and family. Class taught by local artist Linda Reboh, who has 10 years experience teaching art programs.

Fee:	\$105; NR \$120
Location:	The Barn
Session:	Sun., Dec. 1 & Dec. 8
Time:	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Drawing from Nature (Indoors)

Learn to draw organic forms such as flower, leaves, fruits, and vegetables. Use shading and mark-making to give your drawings texture and depth. Participants will improve their skills in drawing and observation. Each person should bring a pad of large drawing paper and a pencil. This program is taught by local artist Deborah Eater. There is a \$15 materials fee payable to the instructor at the first class. This session is offered indoors.

Fee: \$138; NR \$153 Location: The Barn Session: Tue., Nov. 19 - Dec. 17 Afternoon Session: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Evening Session: 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Pattern Collage

This class teaches a form of collage that uses paper patterns the way Zentangle drawing uses ink patterns to create a desired effect on your project. Participants will learn to follow simple steps to produce intricate-looking art patterns with paper collage. The program is taught by artist Deborah Eater, who has won both local and national awards for her artwork. A \$15 materials fee is to be paid to the instructor at the first class. This is an 8-week program.

> Fee: \$138; NR \$153 Location: The Barn Session: Wed., Oct. 9 - Nov. 20 Time: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Beginner Drawing

Drawing skills are the foundation of most ways of making art, but drawing is also a form of art in itself. This class is for beginners with little to no drawing experience. Participants will work with both charcoal and pencil to learn to draw accurately from life, plus how to use line and shading to bring their drawings to life. Each registrant should bring a pad of drawing paper (medium surface is best). All other materials included. Taught by local artist Deborah Eater.

Fee:	\$138; NR \$153
Location:	The Barn
Session:	Tue., Sep. 24 - Oct. 29
Afternoon Session:	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Evening Session:	5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Creativity Spring Board

Take a break each week to make art that helps you to relax and to recharge creatively. In each session, you will be guided through a one-hour art project, art technique, or creative prompt. No experience is required. Participants should bring an art journal or pad of paper (6x9 or larger) and basic art supplies such as pencils, pens, or markers — whatever you are comfortable using. Some supplementary art supplies will be provided at no additional charge.

Fee: \$56; NR \$63 Location: The Barn Session 1: Wed., Sep. 25 - Oct. 30 Session 2: Wed., Nov. 6 - Dec. 11 Evening Session: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Taste of the Arts

Classes in the "A Taste of the Arts" series are designed to let you dip your toe into an art medium to see if it's right for you or to just have some fun creating different types of art. You will learn a variety of techniques and materials used in each medium. In the "Mixed Media Collage" session, you will make 1-3 collages to express your own style. In the "Upcycled Art" session you will utilize often overlooked items that are thrown away that can be recycled into various types of art including jewelry. In "Artist Trading Cards" you will learn to make small postcard sized works of art that can be traded amongst friends. And in "Weaving" you will learn the basics of weaving to create a beautiful project. Taught by local artist Deborah Eater. You do not need to bring anything to this class except a love of art and the willingness to try new things.

Fee: \$75; NR \$84 Location: The Barn Mixed Media Collage: Mon., Sep. 23 - Oct. 7 Upcycled Art: Mon., Oct. 14 - Oct. 28 Artist Trading Cards: Mon., Nov. 4- Nov. 18 Weaving: Mon., Dec. 2 - Dec. 16 Time: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Knitting Classes

If you are interested in Knitting these workshops are the perfect classes for you to learn various types of methods and styles. The Cable Knitting Beginners class will teach you how to cross stitch and knit the cable pattern on a simple project. In the Mosaic Pattern for Beginners class you will learn the methods in knitting multicolor patterns. You can take this further in the Reversible Two-Color Knit class. Taught by local artist Deborah Eater. Students should bring to the first class a ball of practice yarn and regular knitting needles (either straight or circular)

Fee: \$40; NR \$48 Location: The Barn **Cable Knitting for Beginners:** Thu., Sep. 26 - Oct. 10 Time 1: 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM **Mosaic Pattern for Beginners:** Mon., Nov. 4 -Nov. 18 Time 2: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Reversible Two Color Knits: Thu., Dec. 5 - Dec 19 Time 3: 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Learn To Knit

This program is an introduction to knitting for the complete beginner. Participants will learn the basic knit stitch, how to work with yarn, how to start & end a piece of knitting, and how to knit a scarf. No previous experience necessary! This class is taught by local artist Deborah Eater. There is a \$10 materials fee payable to the instructor at the first class.

> Fee: \$75; NR \$90 Location: The Barn Session: Mon., Sep. 23 - Oct. 28 Time: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Textured Knitting Sampler

A more in detail knitting workshop with a longer schedule and more in depth learning of the methods and skills for knitting.

> Fee: \$75; NR \$90 Location: The Barn Session: Thu., Oct. 17 - Nov. 21 Time: 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Adult Pottery

In this four-week class you will learn about hand building pottery, textures, and glazing. Every class will begin with a lesson on a pottery technique. Over the four weeks you will be able to take what you have learned to create and glaze 3 unique pieces. Please join us to create, meet others, and relax. All supplies included. All pottery will be fired and dropped off at the Parks and rec office within a week of the last class. For pictures of previous projects check out our facebook page: www.facebook.com/indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1

Fee:	\$150; NR \$170
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Mon., Sep. 16 - Oct. 7
Session 2:	Mon., Oct. 21 - Nov. 11
Session 3:	Mon., Nov. 18 - Dec. 9
Time:	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Ceramic Dog & Cat Bowls

Spoil your furry friend with a one of a kind, designed just for them, food bowl. In this workshop you will work with clay and learn hand building, texture, and glazing techniques to create a food bowl that best represents your feline or canine companion. All materials included. Your bowl will be available for pick up one week after the class date at the Township office. For pictures of previous projects check out our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1 for more inspiration check out our Pinterest Board: https://pin.it/4gH2QVhCC

Fee: \$65; NR \$78 Location: The Barn Session: Thu., Sep. 26 Afternoon Class: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Evening Class: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Ceramic Oktoberfest Beer Stein Workshop

Get crafty this Oktoberfest! Learn to make your own unique beer stein from scratch. We'll guide you through rolling, shaping, and designing a stein you'll proudly raise during the festivities. All supplies included, beginners welcome! For more information, go to indistudio.org. For pictures of previous projects check out our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/ indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1

Fee: \$65; NR \$78 Location: The Barn Date: Thu., Oct. 10 Afternoon Class: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Evening Class: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Ceramic Pumpkin Workshop

Prepare your home for fall with a festive ceramic pumpkin. It's perfect to decorate your mantle or create a beautiful centerpiece. In this workshop you will work with clay to create a unique pumpkin through the use of hand building, texture, and glazing techniques. All materials included. Your pumpkin will be available for pick up one week after the class date at the Township office. For pictures of previous projects check out our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/ indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1

Fee: \$65; NR \$78 Location: The Barn Date: Fri., Nov. 14 Afternoon Class: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Evening Class: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Ceramic Holiday Tree Workshop

Celebrate the Season with a beautiful Ceramic Holiday Tree. It's simple shape and stately form allows your creativity to be showcased. In this workshop you will work with clay and learn hand building, texture, and glazing techniques in order to style your tree according to your creative vision. All materials included. Your tree will be available for pick up one week after the class date at the Township office. For pictures of previous projects check out our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1

Fee: \$65; NR \$78 Location: The Barn Date: Fri., Dec. 5 Afternoon Class: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Evening Class: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS

Know Your Medicare Options

During this FREE educational seminar, you will learn

- How Medicare works and what it covers
- How Part "D" prescription cards work and how to pick the right one for you
- The differences between Medicare Supplements and Medicare Advantage plans

This seminar is suitable whether you have decisions to make during open enrollment period, or just want to learn in preparation of that time. Presented by Steve Bobrin, a Medicare planning specialist with DelVal Senior Advisors. Pre-registration required.

> Fee: **FREE** Location: Middletown Municipal Center Date: Thu., Oct. 3 Time: 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Selling Your Home

Learn how to net the most money for your home in today's market, what home improvements provide the greatest return on investment,



and what an expert real estate team can provide to you in increased offers and reduced stress. Seminar is suitable for owners thinking about moving within 5 months or 5 years. Presented by The Swain Team. Pre-registration is required.

Fee: **FREE** Location 1: Municipal Center Date: Thu., Oct 17 Time: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

FINANCIAL WELLNESS

Jim & Lisa Burns, husband & wife team with CREATIVE Financial Group, invite you to a complimentary financial education session designed to help increase your financial confidence. Lisa and Jim believe the more knowledge you have the better you're able to make informed financial decisions for you and your loved ones. Plenty of time allotted for Q&A! These hour long seminars are **FREE** held at the **Middletown Municipal Center beginning at 6:30 PM**.

UNDERSTANDING SOCIAL SECURITY During this session we'll provide an overview of Social Security and how it works, including eligibility and Primary Insurance Amount, filing options, the importance of timing, and spousal benefits. We'll also discuss implications of working after beginning to collect benefits and other considerations that can impact filing decisions. **Date: Sep. 12** **This class is at 2:00 PM*

WOMEN & FINANCES Having control over finances is a key part of a woman's long-term financial well-being. This session highlights three top financial concerns for women: Saving, Investing, and Retiring. Further discussion on each topic, such as: creating a savings plan, getting comfortable with investing concepts, and planning for retirement. Also steps for 'taking control' of finances, such as self-education, recognizing motivations, and asking for help, are highlighted. All attendees will receive our Expense Worksheet – a great tool for your personal finances. **Date: Sep. 26**

SOURCES OF RETIREMENT INCOME Planning for retirement income is an important part of someone's long-term financial well-being. This session outlines common sources of retirement income including 401(k)s, IRAs (Traditional & Roth), Social Security, Annuities, and other secondary sources of income. We will also discuss the importance of aligning types of income and expected expenses (4-Box Strategy). Permanent life insurance cash value for supplemental retirement income is also highlighted. All attendees will receive our Personal Risk Questionnaire – a valuable resource to help make informed financial decisions, including asset allocation and diversification. **Date: Oct. 10**

ESTATE PLANNING: BEGIN WITH A WILL An estate plan is a strategy for how your assets will be transferred after death. A Will is the cornerstone of your estate plan and is created so that state law does not determine how your estate is divided. This session explains the essential components of a Will as well as Trusts, Gifting, and Life Insurance – additional estate planning tools and strategies used to help distribute your assets in the most efficient manner. All attendees will receive our handy Will Checklist that will help put your next steps into action. **Date: Oct. 24**

RETIREMENT RISKS Understanding retirement risks is critical to a person's long-term financial well-being. This session provides an overview of five retirement risks that many retirees may face: 1) Longevity

2) Inflation 3) Rate of Withdrawal 4) Asset Allocation and 5) Health care. A discussion of what each risk is, what it may affect, and ideas to help overcome each are offered. Interrelation of different risks is highlighted. All attendees will receive our Personal Risk Questionnaire – a valuable resource to help make informed financial decisions, including asset allocation and diversification. **Date: Nov. 7**

20th Anniversary TEEN TAENT Show

SAVE THE DATE Saturday, January 25, 2025 4 PM – 6 PM Oxford Valley Mall, Center Court

Young performers, ages 13-19, who can sing, dance, or play an instrument display their talent at a public venue. Finalists perform on the stage at the Center Court in the Oxford Valley Mall. Performers may register online for the Teen Talent Show by January 16, all registrants audition on January 18. Twelve finalists are selected from the audition. Email questions to: *jmorelli@middletownbucks.org*

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Johnny Appleseed Adventure

Welcome to the Johnny Appleseed Adventures class, where children can step into the shoes of the legendary American folk hero, Johnny Appleseed! In this engaging and educational program, young learners will explore the life, legacy, and love for nature of Johnny Appleseed through a variety of fun and hands-on activities.

Ages 4-8

Fee: \$35; NR \$42 Location: The Barn Date: Thu., Sep. 26 Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Fall Frolic

Get ready to dive into the delightful season of Fall with our exciting Fall Frolic class! This engaging program is designed to immerse children in the wonders of Autumn, from colorful activities, games, and more! **Ages 3-10**

> Fee: \$35; NR \$42 Location: The Barn Date: Thu., Oct. 11 Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Ballet for Tots

This 6-week course will teach the very basics of ballet including positions, barre work and floor work. Classes will enhance their rhythm, balance, coordination, flexibility, and posture. A small routine will be taught with the steps learned by the end of the course. Taught by Elena Lydon, who has been teaching Ballet for more than 20 years. Ballet shoes required. **Ages 3-5**

Fee:	\$63; NR \$73
Location:	The Barn
Session 1:	Mon., Sep. 9 - Oct. 21
Session 2:	Mon., Oct. 28 - Dec. 16
Time:	5:00 PM - 5:45 PM

Ballet/Tap Combo

In this 6-week course, children will learn the basics of ballet technique, including positions, barre work & floor work along with the basics of beginner tap fundamentals. A small routine will be learned by the end of the course with the steps learned. Taught by Elena Lydon, who has been teaching Tap and Ballet for more than 20 years. Ballet and Tap shoes required. **Ages 5-7**

> Fee: \$63; NR \$73 Location: The Barn Session 1: Mon., Sep. 9 - Oct. 21 Session 2: Mon., Oct. 28 - Dec. 16 Time: 5:45 PM - 6:30 PM

Explorers Class for Kids

Welcome to the exciting world of exploring. Two separate classes with a different theme, children will journey deep into the lush and biodiverse Rainforest, or a thrilling journey into the African Savannah to learn about the fascinating wildlife and unique ecosystems of each location. **Ages 4-8**

Fee: \$35; NR \$42 Location: The Barn Rainforest Explorers: Thu., Oct. 24 Sarafi Explorers: Thu., Nov. 21 Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Young Chefs Mini Cooking Club: Healthy Halloween

This cooking club for kids introduces little ones to the fun of cooking! We also make healthy eating fun as we transform our healthy whole-food ingredients into our favorite unhealthy tasting halloween foods! (Reeses candy & gummy bears anyone?!) Kids will gain confidence in the kitchen while discovering an interest for healthy foods, crafting their own delicious meals independently. Each class is themed around the sweet and savory tastes of the season, building upon the skills learned in previous sessions. All utensils and appliances are kid-friendly and tailored to their age group. We accommodate all allergies and food restrictions, ensuring a safe and inclusive experience for everyone. Your budding chef will receive a Starter Kit Cooking Binder and their very own apron to kickstart their culinary journey! Ages 5-11

> Fee: \$225; NR \$260 Location: The Barn Date: Sun., Oct. 13 – Nov. 3 Time: 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

> > *NR = Non-Resident

Young Rembrandts

The open-ended nature of art education allows children to take more risks in their projects. Because there is flexibility in the outcome, children don't feel as much pressure as they create. Encourage your child's enthusiasm for art and develop their skills by signing them up for a Saturday morning drawing or cartooning class. Young Rembrandt's skilled teachers introduce children to color, imagery, and core drawing techniques while they explore their own creativity. We offer three 4-week sessions this fall. Select the session and the appropriate class based on your child's age and interest.

Fee:	\$79; NR \$91		
Location:	Community Center		
Session 1:	Sat., Sep. 21 - Oct. 12		
Session 2:	Sat., Oct. 19 - Nov. 9		
Session 3:	Sat., Nov. 16 - Dec. 14		
SATURDAY EARLY ELEMENTARY DRAWING			
Time:	9:00 AM – 9:45 AM / Ages 4 to 6		
SATURDAY DRAWING			
Time:	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM / Ages 7 to 14		
SATURDAY CARTOONING			
Time:	11:15 AM - 12:15 PM / Ages 8 - 14		

Kids Pottery

In this four-week class you will learn about hand building pottery, textures, and glazing. Class will begin with a lesson on a pottery technique. You will be able to take what you have learned to create and glaze 3 unique pieces. All supplies included. All pottery will be fired and dropped off at the Parks and rec office within a week of the last class. For pictures of previous projects check out our facebook page: www.facebook.com/indistudio.org or find us on Instagram @INDIStudio1

> Fee: \$150; NR \$170 Location: The Barn Session 1: Mon., Sep. 16 - Oct. 7 Session 2: Mon., Oct. 21 - Nov. 11 Session 3: Mon., Nov. 18 - Dec. 9 Time: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

FALL SEASON DETAILS FOR 2024



Soccer Shots is an engaging children's soccer program with a focus on character development for children ages 2-5. Through unique curriculum and training support, expert early childhood coaches lead small age-appropriate classes with soccer skills, lessons, creative games, and scrimmages.

For more information and enrollment at Forsythia Crossing Park: www.soccershots.org/lowerbucks For questions contact: lowerbucks@soccershots.com or 267.630.1557

Location: Forsythia Crossing Park Date: Tuesday afternoon classes or Saturday morning classes Length of Season: Once per week for 10 weeks

Scan the QR Code for direct link to enrollment pages (search "Forsythia")





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