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**From the Desk of Executive Director, Julie Gaudan**

July is going to be a very “different” month this year. Usually, July means water ice and barbeque. We look forward to celebrating Shark Week (July 11-18) with “Jaws” and The Blob Fest (July 14-16). This July, the Center will look more like “Bob the Builder”. Thanks to the Chester County Commissioners and Department of Economic Development we are replacing aging HVAC systems that don’t meet COVID recommendations for outside and filtered air. PA Rep Melissa Shusterman secured funding with PA Department of Economic Development for improvements to electrical distribution system to keep up with growing demand. (Remember, Thomas Edison was 8 years old when this building was built!)

Center Closed  
July 3rd and 4th —  
Independence Day

These long-awaited HVAC and electrical upgrades are scheduled to start this month. The contractor has much of the equipment with the rest scheduled to arrive shortly. They are starting to do some of the prep work which includes pouring concrete slabs outside and running wires and hoses.

What does this mean to you? We cannot commit exactly when these will happen and some may happen at the same time. Please check our website, Facebook page and the auto attendant message on our main line for scheduling updates and changes.

1. Parking lot - The west driveway will be closed for a time as they install two outside units at the front corner of the building. There will be a new fenced enclosure around that equipment which means parking changes on that side. Contractors will need access to the outside units all around the building which may impact parking. This may include handicapped spaces on both sides of the building.
2. Food Service changes - We will serve breakfast and lunch on the second floor starting July 10. This includes our Third Thursday Beach Blanket Bingo. Until work is complete breakfast will be served on Tuesdays and Thursdays only. There will be limited coffee hour starting July 10 until work in the dining room is complete.
3. The electrical upgrades will require power to be shut off to the entire building for a time. Current plans are to complete that work over one of the last two weekends in July. Activities will be cancelled if for some reason we do not have power to the building.

We appreciate your patience during this difficult time. Please remember this is only temporary and we will have a better, safer Center at the end of this construction.

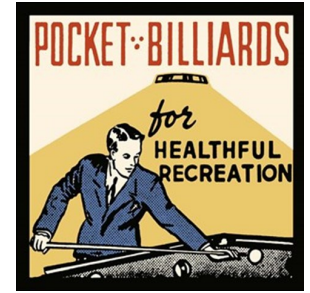
I have one last favor to ask, totally unrelated to the building. If you are unable to let us know you won’t be coming, please make sure those close to you contact us here at the center. All too often, someone will have a health crisis that keeps them from coming in, that puts them in the hospital or rehab, or worse. The staff and your friends here at the Center worry when we don’t see you. An update is greatly appreciated. Staff will share only the information you and your trusted circle want us to share.

*Julie*



The shuffleboard table is available for play on the lower level every Monday, Wednesday and Friday

The Pool table on the upper level is available for play every day



Flag Craft Day Tues July 11th at 10:30 am

Come make this cute pallet flag with us. All supplies included for \$3 fee.

Please pre-register with Christine 610-935-1515 ext 29

## Movie Days in July

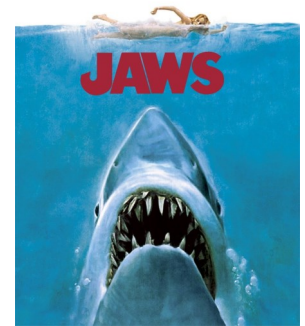
If you would like to stay for lunch on these days, please pre-register on Copilot the Monday before the movie day.

Jaws (1975) Thursday July 6th at 10am

Come celebrate Shark Week with the Senior center!

When a killer shark unleashes chaos on a beach community off Cape Cod, it's up to a local sheriff, a marine biologist, and an old seafarer to hunt the beast.

Starring Roy Scheider, Richard Dreyfuss and Robert Shaw



The Blob (1958) Monday July 17th 1pm

The Senior Center will hold a showing of the cult classic film The Blob in honor of Phoenixville's Blobfest happening in town from 7/14 to 7/16

An alien lifeform consumes everything in its path as it grows and grows. Starring Steve McQueen in his first starring role.



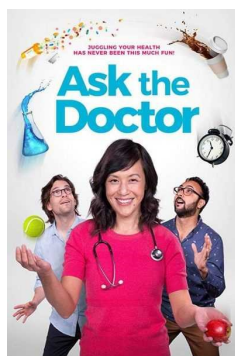
## Participants Meeting

Friday July 7th at 10am

Learn about the changes going on at the Senior Center and the upcoming construction and how it will impact the day to day activities.

Want to stay for lunch? Pre-register on Copilot by 6/26.

We begin a new Netflix docuseries:



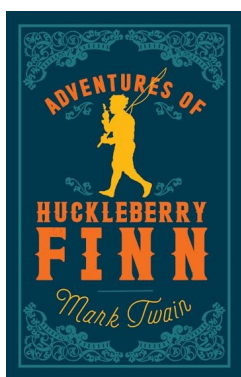
### Ask the Dr.

Fridays at 11am

From allergies to diet to sleep, three friendly doctors share expert advice, bust medical myths and test the latest treatments.

Come for the entertainment, stay for lunch!

Pre-register for lunch on Copilot the Monday before before the week you join us.



## Book Club with Mark Pinto

July 31st at 2pm

“The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn” by Mark Twain

Climb aboard the raft with Huck and Jim and drift away from the "civilized" life and into a world of adventure, excitement, danger, and self-discovery

If you need a book, please call Christine at 610-935-1515 ext 29

## Seniors and Finances

Senior Center Annual Sponsor Phoenixville Federal Bank and Trust is hosting a new monthly series “Seniors and Finance”.

Join us Thursday July 20th at 10:30am for the next event about: Reverse Mortgages

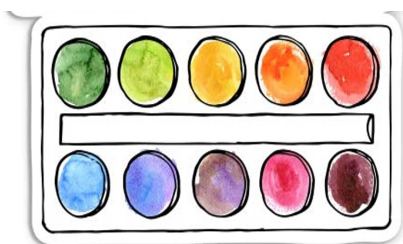
If you would like to stay for lunch, please pre-register by 7/10 on Copilot



Art Class (watercolor)

7/26 at 1pm

fee \$5



Art on Canvas (Acrylics)

7/18 at 10:30am

fee \$10

# Healthy You at the Phoenixville Senior Center



**Wednesday July 26th at 11am**

Phoenixville Hospital presents an informal roundtable discussion “Ask Me 3 Questions”  
Have a health question you have always wanted to ask?  
Now is your chance.

If you would like to stay for lunch, please pre-register in Copilot by Monday July 17th.

## Grief and Loss Support Group

Every other Thursday at 11am

**Dates: July 13th, July 27th, and Aug 10th**



Facilitated by an Angelic Health Social Worker and Bereavement Coordinator

Participants can pre-register at the Center, or email [christine@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org](mailto:christine@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org),  
or by calling 610-935-1515 ext 29



**Pickleball 5 days a week at the Rec Center 1 to 3pm \$ 3 fee**

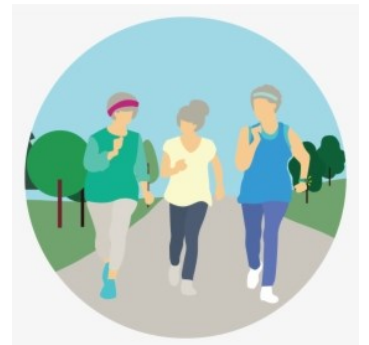
2 courts available Monday through Friday. Space is limited.

Have you tried our outdoor walking group yet?

Walking groups meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9am

**Tuesdays:** Black Rock Sanctuary (953 Black Rock Road, PA 113)

**Thursdays:** Charlestown Park (100 Academic Way, Phoenixville)



# AARP SMART DRIVER™ COURSE

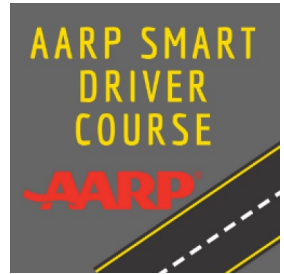
2 day course—Monday July 24 and Tuesday July 25th 1 to 5 pm

Fee \$20 for AARP members/\$25 non AARP

Claim your safe driver discount! When you take the AARP Smart Driver course at the Phoenixville Senior Center, you could be eligible for a multi-year discount on your auto insurance.

The AARP Smart Driver Course will:

- Refresh your driving skills
- Teach you the new rules of the road
- Discuss techniques for handling left turns, right-of-way, and roundabouts
- Explain research-based strategies to help keep you and your loved ones safe behind the wheel.



**Only 25 slots available. Please pre-register for a spot at Christine@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org or on Copilot at the Senior Center.**

Payment can be made first day of class by check or money order to AARP Smart Driver Course.



## Computer Skills Classes

### Mondays and Wednesdays at 1pm

**7/5—Finding information Online** Review helpful tips for using the internet to find information, search topics and more. You will learn practical uses for your computer such as using Copilot from home to sign up for meals and programs and joining the Chester County Library System to reserve books online (you must have a Chester County library card).

**7/17—Fitness Apps** -Did you know that your smartphone is also a powerful health tool? This lecture introduces common health apps, like the iPhone's built-in app and the Google Fit app. You'll learn about using the app's step counter, as well as integrating information from other popular health and fitness apps. You'll also learn the benefits of saving your medical ID.

**7/19—Gmail Tips and Tricks** Learn about important features like spellcheck, formatting emails, searching your inbox, adding a signature, and attaching files.

**7/24—Drop In Questions** Need help with you device? You can make a one on one appointment with our instructor by emailing [phxsccb1@gmail.com](mailto:phxsccb1@gmail.com). **By Appointment Only**

**7/26 and 7/31—Using Fact-checking sites** This interactive workshop will review the ways you can identify misinformation online. You'll get hands-on practice using fact-checking sites to evaluate and debunk false news.



Join the Senior Center as we welcome the Chester County Sheriff's Office in conjunction with Senior Law Center on **Tuesday July 11th at 10am** for a presentation on **Fraud Prevention**.



If you would like to stay for lunch after the program, please pre-register in Copilot no later than Monday July 3rd

## 2023 Travel Adventures



### **ADIRONDACK RAIL AND SAIL \$1,008 Per Person JULY 28 - 30, 2023**



It's an adventure that begins on the Adirondack Scenic Railroad, traveling North into the wilderness of the Adirondack Park. Learn of the Great Camps (summer homes) of the Robber Barons during the Gilded Age. Relax aboard a dinner cruise on Raquette Lake around which many of these great Camps once stood. Come enjoy beautiful scenery and colorful history throughout the Adirondack Mountains of New York.

### **Iceland Explorer \$4,514 August 9—15, 2023**

Get ready to discover this small island nation featuring a landscape of interesting contrasts created by volcanoes and glaciers. The country is very progressive and makes great efforts to honor its Viking heritage. Featuring Reykjavik, the Golden Circle tour, the Blue Lagoon and much, much more. Includes round trip air transportation, motorcoach transportation throughout Iceland, 5 night's hotel accommodations and 8 meals.



### **Salem, Massachusetts \$1635 October 16-19, 2023**

Join us as we discover the history and mystery of Salem, Massachusetts. Discover Salem's early maritime history including Salem's role in the illustrious spice trade, stories of local pirates and of course the infamous Witch Trials. Includes 3 night's hotel accommodations and 6 meals.

**To book these tours or for more information, contact Boscov's Travel at 484-945-1200**

## July Third Thursday! Thursday July 20th at 5pm

Beach Blanket Bingo

Dinner and Bingo fun

Menu: Seafood Boil & Dessert

\$20 / \$18 for 2023 VIPs includes \$5 for Cash Bingo.

Please make reservations by July 17th at 610-935-1515



## August Third Thursday! August 17th at 5pm

### Dinner and Comedy Night

Join the Senior Center for a delicious meal  
and comedy from Glen Tickle.

\$15 / \$13 for current 2023-2024 VIP

More information to follow!



## *Supper Club*

Price \$30, including salad/soup, entrée, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverages.

We make the arrangements; you make a reservation with

[Christine@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org](mailto:Christine@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org) or call 610-935-1515 x29

Our next dinner is on Monday July 17th at 5pm

*Dim Sum Court* 236 Bridge St, Phoenixville

**Reservations and payment due by July 13th**

Menu is pending at time of newsletter publication.

Programs at the Senior Center—Please see calendar for exact days and times

<b>Weekly</b>
<p><b>Silver Sneakers Circuit</b>—Intermediate  <b>\$2 / free for Silver Sneakers &amp; Renew Active</b>  <b>Monday , Wednesday &amp; Friday 8:45am</b>                      This standing class alternates upper-body strength work with low-impact cardio * Don't need Silver Sneakers to join.</p>
<p><b>Silver Sneakers Classic</b> –Chair Based  <b>\$2/ free for Silver Sneakers &amp; Renew Active</b>  <b>Monday, Wednesday &amp; Friday 9:45am</b>                      This workout includes fall prevention drills and exercises to improve strength and endurance. A chair and handheld weights or tubing are used.                      * Don't need Silver Sneakers to join.</p>
<p><b>Silver Sneakers Yoga</b>  <b>\$2/ free for Silver Sneakers &amp; Renew Active</b>  <b>Tuesday and Thursday 1pm</b>                      Move through seated and standing yoga poses to increase flexibility, balance and range of motion. A chair is used to meet a variety of fitness levels. * Don't need Silver Sneakers to join.</p>
<p><b>Walking with the Center 9am</b>  <b>Tuesday outside at Black Rock Sanctuary</b>                      953 Black Rock Road, PA-113  <b>Thursdays outside at Charlestown Park</b>                      100 Academic Way, Phoenixville</p>
<p><b>Pickleball— \$3</b>  <b>Monday, Wednesday, Thursday &amp; Friday</b>  <b>Tuesday —Basic</b>  <b>1pm to 3pm</b>  <b>Rec Center—501 Franklin Ave</b>                      Non competitive / round robin play                      Waiver must be signed before playing.</p>

<b>Monthly</b>
<p><b>AARP DSR50+</b>                      Mondays &amp; Wednesdays at 1pm                      Pre-register @610-935-1515</p>
<p><b>Art Class— Watercolor</b>                      See schedule for dates \$5 fee</p>
<p><b>Art on Canvas</b>                      See Schedule for date                      Fee: \$10/ \$5 VIP Supporter</p>
<p><b>Blood Pressure</b>                      2nd and 4th Wednesday 10am to 11am                      Every Thursday 8:30am to 11:30am</p>
<p><b>Cash BINGO</b>                      \$5 to play 5 games</p>
<p><b>Monday Morning Sports Desk</b>                      Round table sports talk                      Monday @ 10am</p>
<p><b>Rep Friel's Mobile Office Hours</b>                      Every second Monday                      10am to 12pm</p>
<p><b>Senior Law Center</b>                      Legal services intake clinic at the                      Second Tuesday                      From 10am to noon</p>
<p><b>Senator Muth Mobile Office Hours</b>                      Every third Thursday                      12 to 2pm</p>
<p><b>Phoenixville Hospital Health Talk</b>                      Roundtable health topics  <b>Last Wednesday at 11am</b></p>



# July Activities

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
-----Weekly Events-----				
8:45am Circuit Exercise 9:45am Chair Exercise 10:30am Produce (Inside) 12:00pm Lunch 1:00pm Pickleball @ Rec Center 1:30pm Produce (Curbside)	8:00am Breakfast 9:00am Walking Group 10:00am Mahjong 12:00pm Lunch 12:45pm Pinochle 1:00pm Yoga 1:00pm Scrabble 1:00pm Pickleball @ Rec Center	8:45am Circuit Exercise 9:45am Chair Exercise 10:00am Shuffleboard 12:00pm Lunch 1:00pm Pickleball @ Rec Center	8:00am Breakfast 8:30am Blood Pressure 9:00am Walking Group 9:30am Duplicate Bridge 12:00pm Lunch 12:45pm Pinochle 1:00pm Yoga 1:00pm Social Stitchers 1:00pm Pickleball @ Rec Center	8:45am Circuit Exercise 9:45am Chair Exercise 11:00am Ask the Doctor Docuseries 10:30am Scrabble 12:00pm Lunch 1:00pm Pickleball @ Rec Center
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<b>10</b> 10:00am State Rep. Friel Mobile Office 1:00pm Christmas in July Bingo	<b>11</b> 10:00am Fraud Prevention Presentation 10:30am Craft	<b>12</b> 10:00am Blood Pressure 1:00pm Art Class	<b>13</b> 11:00am Grief Support	<b>14</b> 1:00pm Center Closes
<b>17</b> 1:00pm Movie: The Blob 1:00pm Digital Skills Ready@50+ Class 5:00pm Supper Club @ Dim Sum Court	<b>18</b> 10:30am Art on Canvas 12:00pm State Sen. Muth's Mobile Office	<b>19</b> 12:00pm Birthday Social 1:00pm Birthday Entertainment 1:00pm Digital Skills Ready@50+ Class	<b>20</b> 10:30am Phoenixville Federal Presentation 5:00pm Third Thursday - Beach Blanket Bingo	<b>21</b> 1:00pm Center Closes
<b>24</b> 1:00pm AARP Driving Course 1:00pm Digital Skills Ready@50+ Class	<b>25</b> 1:00pm AARP Driving Course	<b>26</b> 10:00am Blood Pressure 11:00am Phoenixville Hospital Talk 1:00pm Art Class 1:00pm Digital Skills Ready@50+ Class	<b>27</b> 11:00am Grief Support	<b>28</b> 1:00pm Center Closes
<b>31</b> 1:00pm Digital Skills Ready@50+ Class 2:00pm Book Club	<p><b>Starting July 10th and ending when renovations are complete:</b></p> <p>Meals and Beach Blanket Bingo will be on the second floor of the building. Other activity locations may change. Breakfast will only be served on Tuesdays and Thursdays. There will be no coffee hour.</p> <p><b>Thank you for your patience and understanding during our improvements.</b></p>			

Activities subject to change. Please check website for updates. Participation in any program is at your own risk in accordance with the Liability Waiver on the back page of the Participants Form.

# July Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>3</b>  <b>Center Closed</b>	<b>4</b>  <b>Center Closed</b>	<b>5</b> B: Pancakes & sausage  * * * L: Lasagna  * * * Alt: Pulled Chicken w/ Summer Salad	<b>6</b> 4th of July B: Cream Chipped Beef  * * * L: BBQ Pulled Pork  * * * Alt: Ground Beef Tater Tot Casserole	<b>7</b> B: Continental Breakfast  * * * L: Meatloaf w/ Gravy  * * * Alt: Turkey Caesar Salad Wrap
<b>10</b>  * * * L: Baked Chicken  * * * Alt: Chili Mac & Cheese	<b>11</b> B: Quiche  * * * L: Beef Stroganoff  * * * Alt: Chicken Salad Wrap	<b>12</b>  * * * L: Breaded Fish Fillet  * * * Alt: Uncle B's Meatloaf	<b>13</b> B: Waffles & sausage  * * * L: Chef Salad  * * * Alt: Risotto	<b>14</b>  * * * L: Cheeseburger  * * * Alt: Shrimp & Grits
<b>17</b>  * * * L: Penne Pasta w/ Meatballs  * * * Alt: Tuna Salad Wrap	<b>18</b> B: Biscuits & Sausage Gravy  * * * L: Roast Turkey w/ Gravy  * * * Alt: Chef Salad	<b>19</b> Happy Birthday!  * * * L: Pork Chop  * * * Alt: Turkey Sandwich	<b>20</b> B: Bananas Foster Bread Pudding  * * * L: Tuna Platter  * * * Alt: Chicken n Rice	<b>21</b>  * * * L: Open Faced Roast Beef  * * * Alt: Beef Quesadilla
<b>24</b>  * * * L: Sausage w/ Peppers & Onions Sandwich  * * * Alt: Stuffed Peppers	<b>25</b> B: Frittata  * * * L: Chicken Salad  * * * Alt: Seafood Cake	<b>26</b>  * * * L: Sweet n Sour Chicken  * * * Alt: BBQ Pork	<b>27</b> B: Cream Chipped Beef  * * * L: Pulled BBQ Turkey  * * * Alt: Chef Salad	<b>28</b>  * * * L: Meatball Sandwich  * * * Alt: Turkey à la King
<b>31</b>  * * * L: Grilled Chicken Alfredo  * * * Alt: Chicken Pesto	<p>Starting July 10th and ending when renovations are complete:</p> <p>Meals and Beach Blanket Bingo will be on the second floor of the building.            Other activity locations may change.</p> <p>Breakfast will only be served on Tuesdays and Thursdays.            There will be no coffee hour.</p> <p>Thank you for your patience and understanding during our improvements.</p>			

Breakfast begins at 8am

Lunch begins at 12pm

Breakfast and Lunch Suggested Donation: \$2

Alternative Lunch Cost: \$2

# Upcoming Fundraising Events:

**Scrapbooking Event Saturday September 9, 8:30-8:30** including breakfast, lunch, dinner, and snacks, 4x2 workspace, doors open 30 min. prior to start. Raffle baskets and vendors will be available for additional purchase.

**Bag Bingo November 4 at 1 pm** at the Kimberton Fire House. 15 Games of Bingo, Door Prizes \$25/\$30 at the door, Table of 8, \$175. Additional Activities include basket raffle, special games, drinks, and snacks.

Introducing our new Fundraising Event...**Phoenixville Holiday Candlelight Tour December 2** beginning at the Senior Center with a Bazaar at 3. Tour 4-7. Tickets \$25. All proceeds benefit the Phoenixville Area Senior Center.

## Chapter 713 July 2023



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Please like and share our Facebook page! We will make growing our chapter a priority in 2023! At our June meeting we had seven potential new members attend!

~Chuck Benz, President

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS/SPEAKERS

July 5th General Meeting 12:15 PM Senior Center

Aug 2nd General Meeting 12:15 PM Senior Center

Aug 16th Board Meeting 10:00 AM Presbyterian Church

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS** July will feature Don Naimoli, local historian from Valley Forge Park. August 2nd we will welcome the return of Gus Spector, master violinist.

**SUNSHINE AND SYMPATHY** If you know one of our members or families who needs some happiness, please call Kathy Tauber 610 935 7075.

**MEMBERSHIP** The Board of Directors has set the dues for 2023 at \$10, representing a \$1 increase however we have reduced our charge for lunch to only \$2!

Our membership dues cover the 2023 calendar year. You must present a National AARP card for 2022-23.

For 2023 the balance of 2023, dues will be pro-rated if you are a new member!

**OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP YOUR CHAPTER:** If you would like to volunteer to help please approach a board member at any meeting.

**IDEAS:** Do you have a suggestion for an interesting program or speaker? Call Chuck @ 610 316 4102.

**DID YOU KNOW** that we have a Facebook page? Search Phoenixville AARP and you will find us!



Come help celebrate our July Birthdays on July 19th

**Lunch at 12pm and stay for a concert with Vincent "Sinatra" Romano at 1pm**

**Please join us in wishing our July Birthday Participants a very Happy Birthday!**

Gael Alba	Mary Gatta	Elizabeth Melroy
Ken Apgar	Arlene Griffin	William Miles
Barbara Archer	Kathryne Hayde	Janice Muller
Judy Beck	Carol Hershey	Helen Neiman
Denise Bliss	Gary Hogstrom	Linda Nicholson
Lisa Brand	Laura Huffman	Ralph Oister
Jean Brill	Joanne Iezzi	Charles Peffall
Marjorie Brown	Ruben Jimenez	Shirley Porter
Shirley Buckwalter	Jeff Jones	Cecelia Raser
Doris Burnett	Lizzy Klinger	Jan Sensenich
Elenore Carroll	Peg Kovach	Pam Smalser
Mark Ceschan	Robert Krawczyk	Nora Smith
Dana Clemens	Anna Kring	James Tuscai, Jr
Irma Dacciaro	Sandy Latella	Margeret Walker
Doris DePalma	Barbara Leinbach	Donald Wickward
Brian Dudonis	Linda Ludwig	Rose Wilkinson
Louise Ewing	Frances March	Robert Zeleski
Bonnie Fetterman	Susan Mascaro	

# Phoenixville Area Senior Center 2023 Annual Sponsors

## Gold Sponsors



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July 10th at 1pm

\$5 for 5 games

Special prizes along with cash  
winnings.

Pre-register on Copilot by 7/9





## **Are you a Senior Center VIP? Center Benefits Include:**

Newsletter -mailed to cardholders only, beginning 9/2023

Discounts to select programs and activities

Early Bird Registration for taxes and other high demand programs

Reduced rates for party/room rentals

Invitations to Cardholder Special Events

Free access to Information & Assistance & PA MEDI Counselors

## **Discount Card Offers from Local Stores & Restaurants**

Generations Toy Store

Cameron Peters Floral Design

All Kinds of Fast

Bridge Street Chocolates

Gateway Pharmacy

And more...

Offers listed at <https://phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org/vip-card-drive/>

**| Get yours today - \$30 individual \$55 Household (2)**

**Price goes up beginning October 1 to \$35/\$65**

# Aging Resources

In these challenging times, there is assistance available for those who need it. If you need help, please reach out to **Cari** at **610-935-1515 ext 24** or **[cforeman@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org](mailto:cforeman@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org)**

Here is a list of some of the available programs with their gross monthly income limits for a one-person household and asset/resource limits where applicable:

**Senior Center Breakfast and Lunch Programs**-can cut your weekly food bills.

**PACE/PACENET** – helps to save money on prescription medication costs (PACE: \$1,208/PACENET: \$2,792)

**LIS/Extra Help with Medicare Part D** – helps with monthly premiums, annual deductibles, and co-payments (\$1,843, assets: \$16,660)

**Medicare Savings Program** – helps pay Medicare premiums, deductibles, coinsurance, and copayments depending on level of assistance (\$1,660, assets: \$9,090)

**Medical Assistance** – Medicaid for those with Medicare (\$1,235, assets: \$2,000)

**LIHEAP** – home energy assistance (\$1,698)

**SNAP** – supplemental nutrition assistance (\$2,430 for seniors)

**Property Tax/Rent Rebate** – rebate for property taxes or rental costs (income limits vary)

**Senior Food Box** – supplemental canned and dry goods (\$2,430)



## Property Tax/Rent Rebate Forms Are Here!



This program benefits Pennsylvanians age 65 and older; widows and widowers age 50 and older; and people with disabilities age 18 and older. The yearly income limit is \$35,000 for homeowners and \$15,000 for renters; however, only half of your Social Security income counts. The deadline was extended to Dec 31st and the maximum rebate is \$650. If you have questions, or would like help to complete your application, contact **Cari** at **[cforeman@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org](mailto:cforeman@phoenixvilleseniorcenter.org)** or **610-935-1515 ext. 24**



### Did You Know?

**PACE/PACENET** is Pennsylvania's State Pharmaceutical program and it can help with your prescription drug costs. Unlike many programs, assets (such as savings) aren't considered to determine eligibility, so if your gross income is less than \$2,792/month, you might qualify for this great program!

Do you know what other program doesn't look at assets? If you said **SNAP**, you're right! Seniors in Pennsylvania with gross incomes less than \$2,147/month qualify for SNAP regardless of savings and other resources. If you have significant medical expenses, you might qualify even if your income is higher.

Phoenixville Area Senior Center  
153 Church Street  
Phoenixville, PA 19460  
610-935-1515  
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**The Senior Center provides a meeting place for persons over 60 years of age living in the following areas: Spring City, Phoenixville, East and West Vincent, East and West Pikeland, Charlestown and Schuylkill Townships and the surrounding areas.**

**The Phoenixville Senior Center is supported by:**  
Chester County Department of Aging Services  
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