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# **Monthly Newsletter**

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# Upcoming Events for October

OCTOBER 5	CHAIR MASSAGE
OCTOBER 6	BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS
OCTOBER 9	CENTER CLOSED/ COLUMBUS DAY
OCTOBER 11	OUTREACH PROGRAM
OCTOBER 11	SITAR GUITARIST
OCTOBER 12	VETERAN'S ASSISTANCE
OCTOBER 16	BOWLING TRIP
OCTOBER 17	CENTER CLOSED/ STAFF TRAINING DAY
OCTOBER 19	CHAIR MASSAGE
OCTOBER 19	"Teeth for Health" w/ Kara Koller
OCTOBER 20	SOS MINI HEALTH FAIR
OCTOBER 23	HAIR/NAILS W/ MISSY
OCTOBER 28	Longaberger Basket Bingo Fundraiser
	~ SEE HEATHER GOEBELER FOR DETAILS
OCTOBER 30	BOWLING TRIP
OCTOBER 31	HALLOWEEN BASH !!!
OCTOBER 31	HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST
OCTOBER 31	HALLOWEEN DANCE WITH DJ TOMMY



Fall is officially here! I may have touched on this briefly last month but I would like to reiterate the need to keep driveways and walkways clear of leaves and debris. I know that it may be difficult to keep up with the flow of leaves that will be falling but it could be hazardous to many of the volunteers who are attempting delivery.

We would like to welcome aboard two new Drivers, Jeanette Bell, and Denise Fair. These ladies are excited to volunteer and I know that they will be great contributors to the success of the Meals on Wheels program.

Last month two veteran drivers decided to abstain from volunteering here at Golden Connections and we would like to wish them well. **Jamie Frey** and **Gay Casagrande** have delivered for many years and they will truly be missed. We thank them for their many years of excellent service.

Thanks, Tanika Colson

"No act of kindness, no matter how small is ever wasted."

Aesop





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Senior Commons at Powder Mill will be hosting a German Octoberfest featuring a beer garden experience from 4 p.m. – 5 p.m. followed by a meal and music. Enjoy pork and sauerkraut while Listening to the festive accordion music of Sterling Lamm.

Seating is limited! Please RSVP by September 30<sup>th</sup> to Michele or Kelly by calling 717-814-5262





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# Veteran's Assistance Program

The Golden Connections Community Center Veteran's Assistance Program is now based out of Stan Saylor's office, on

100 Redco Avenue, Red Lion, every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month. Rep. Stan Saylor, the American Legion Dept. of Pennsylvania, and the Golden Connections Community Center have collaborated to offer assistance to Veterans of the 94<sup>th</sup> District in the Red Lion District Office.

Areas of interest include: compensation and pension claims, education benefits, enrollment in the VA Health Care system, burial and survivor benefits, state benefits, military personnel, and medical records. *To make an appointment please call:* 

(717) 244-9232 or (717) 382-4595.



Community Outreach Program

The Golden Connections Community Center has joined with Rep. Stan

Saylor's Office to offer a community Outreach Program. Assistance with property tax rebates, registration renewals, limited notary services (we do not notarize wills/legal items), Pace Applications, Liheap Applications, etc. are available. The Outreach Program will be based out of the Golden Connections Community Center. Appointments are available between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. every second Wednesday of each month. If you are interested in making an appointment, please call 244-7229.



# Technology at the GCCC

The GCCC is happy to welcome our new Technology Consultant, Tawanya Rather. Tawanya will be taking over all I-Pad and Computer classes as of October  $2^{nd}$ . The following is the new class schedules to be offered effective October  $2^{nd}$ .

I-Pad Class ~ Mondays at 1:00 p.m.

I-pad & Computer Class
Open Discussion ~ Wednesdays
at 1:00 p.m.

Computer Class ~ Fridays at 1:00 p.m.

# Guests in Our Center

Golden Connections Community Center has invited Kara Koller, RDH, a public health dental hygiene practitioner, to discuss dental education for the aging patient, with a presentation titled "Teeth for Health". Come join us on Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

❖ We would like to welcome Senior Commons back once again on Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Members



have enjoyed monthly activities with Senior Commons and we are eager to enjoy another craft project with Laura. Mark your calendar's and plan to attend for fun with old friends and to make new friends. See you there!

## **Art Residency Program**

The GCCC is excited to launch our next Art Residency Program



titled, "Around the World in 60 Days". Seniors will have the opportunity to travel the world right her in our center. Exploring different cultures through fine arts, music, film, food, & more. Members will "visit" India on October 4, 6, 18, & 20, at 10:00 a.m., by creating artwork inspired by India. Then the GCCC will welcome John Protopapas, a Sitar Guitarist, on October 11th at 10:15 a.m., to perform forms of

music often found in India. Then members will travel on to

Mexico on October 25 & 27 at

10:00 a.m. Feel free to drop in to any
class or event & come explore with
us at the Golden Connections
Community Center!



Hair and Nails with Missy has undergone a little makeover...

# Trimmer's Hair & Nail Shop

Mens Cut	\$8
Womens Cut	\$10
Womens Cut & Style	\$12
Manícure	\$10
waxing	\$8
Suggested Típ	

Certified Cosmetologist, Missy Trimmer visits the Golden Connections

Community Center on a monthly basis, to offer her services to local seniors at their convenience. Seniors have the opportunity to get a cut, style, manicure or wax at the GCCC. If a member would like further services such as a perm or color treatment, Missy can provide those services in the privacy of your own home, just schedule with her directly by calling 246-4844. Prices are Low! And Walk in's are welcome! Missy will be seeing

clients at the GCCC on Monday, Tanuary 23<sup>rd</sup>
between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Please make appointments ahead of time by contacting
the Golden Connections Community Center
at 244-7229.

## TRIPS!

Golden Connections Community Center collaborates with multiple travel companies to ensure our members are being offered a variety of trip opportunities. Feel free to contact our center directly for trip information or you may choose to contact the travel agency directly.

#### Krouse Travel Agency ~ 717-244-6410

Fri thru Sunday, Oct. 20-22 – <u>The Creation Museum and Noah's Ark + Dinner Cruise</u>
- \$595

Thursday, Oct. 26 – <u>Penn's Peak Luncheon</u> + "The Glenn Miller Orchestra" - \$120 Thursday, Nov. 2 – <u>Hands-On Cooks Adventure</u> (Cooking Class) - \$135 Wednesday, Nov. 8 – "<u>Frankie Vallie & the Four Seasons Tribute"</u> at Mt. Airy Resort - \$105

Thursday, Nov. 29 – Radio City "Christmas Spectacular" in New York City - \$185

Tuesday, Dec.5 – "<u>The Coasters Christmas Show"</u> at Mt. Airy Resort and Casino - \$105 Mon-Wed, Dec. 11-13 – <u>Christmas in Wheeling</u>, Oglebay Lights and Dickens Village - \$549

Thursday, December 14 – The <u>American Music Theater Christmas Show</u> with lunch - \$115

#### *Pacesetters* ~ 717-757-3209

<u>BIRD-IN-HAND RESTAURANT</u> ~ The Magic and Wonder Show, Wednesday, November 15th \$56.00. We had the pleasure of seeing this magician last year and thoroughly enjoyed him. He has a new show and we won't know how he does any of it, we will be surprised and entertained. But first, as above, we will have fun choosing the wonderful food at the lunch buffet they have. Rabbit bus will depart form Windsor Commons at 10:00 a.m. Deadline to reserve seating is October 11<sup>th</sup>.

CHRISTKINDL MARKETPLACE ~ Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> \$72.00

We will take a short visit to a candy company, eat a delicious lunch at the Country Cupboard, enjoy some time at the Christkindl Marketplace, the event also features entertainment. We then stop off at a candle company. The Bailey bus will depart from the rear parking lot behind Frank's theatre at 8:00. Deadline to reserve seating is November 3<sup>rd</sup>.



# More to look forward to ...

- The Golden Connections Community Center is happy to announce that member, Mick Hivner, graciously took the time and thought to build us our first ever, pumpkin catapult. Mick then took it a step further and brought in all of the materials we will need to build two additional catapults! Members will have the chance to assist in the construction of these catapults on October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:15 a.m. Then members will enjoy painting these catapults for our upcoming Halloween party on October 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:15 a.m. Thank you, Mick, for doing all you do for us here at the GCCC!!
- October is *National Breast Cancer Awareness Month*, and the GCCC asks all members to *Wear Pink* on October 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, to help bring awareness to this tragic disease. To assist with bringing awareness to this disease, members will view a brief documentary titled "Cristina", on October 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00a.m. This Documentary is about a 37-year-old woman who valiantly battles breast cancer while doing all she can to encourage others to live in the moment. Please plan to attend or participant in at least one of these events. We all have been touched in some way by someone suffering, we can all take a moment to let them know we are here and ready to support them however we can!
- Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, Golden Connections Community Center welcomes Visiting Angels representative, Jill Kaylor, back to hold our annual SOS Mini Health Fair, from 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
   There are currently 20 vendors who plan to attend this year's fair. Stop by, and take a moment to receive information you may need now or in the future, and of course we always enjoy the freebies!
- Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup> the GCCC will ask members to assist in preparation for the Longaberger Basket Bingo Fundraiser, by holding a baking for BINGO event. Members are asked to help cook baked goods to be sold at the Longaberger Basket Bingo Fundraiser. Thank you in advance to all who help make our center fundraisers successful.

# **Longaberger Basket Bingo Fundraiser**

The Golden Connections Community Center is hosting a Basket Bingo fundraiser on Saturday, October 28th at the center's facility in Red Lion. Doors will open at 12:00 p.m. and the bingo will start at 2:00 p.m. The cost for the ticket will be \$12 in

advance or \$15 at the door. Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling Heather Goebeler, Executive Director, at 717-244-7229. Your ticket cost will include 20 games of regular bingo. Special Games, raffle tickets, and small games of chance will also be available for purchase. All proceeds from the



bingo and the concessions will be used to support programs and services that benefit older adults in our community.

# **Paint Night Fundraiser**

The Golden Connections Community Center is proud to be hosting its first Paint Night Fundraiser. Community Members can come and enjoy a relaxing evening of wine and painting on Friday November 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The painting that will be painted will be released at a later date. Ticket costs are \$40 for a single and reduced to \$35 each if bought in pairs. Tickets are on sale now. Call The GCCC for more information or to purchase tickets at 717-244-7229. Tickets can also be purchased on our website at www.gcccenter.com. We are depending on our community to help us make this event a success. All proceeds will go to future center growth.

# Halloween Bash!!!

Come out and join us for our Halloween Event on October 31st from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The day's events will include, but are not limited to:

> Pumpkin Catapulting Candy Corn Guess Pumpkin Trivia Pass the Pumpkin Poke a Pumpkin Costume Contest Halloween Dance

And More!!! Hope to see you HERE! And Don't Forget to Dress UP!!!





#### October 2017

#### Congregate Meal Menu



Group		Congregate Mear Merid		
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
October 2	October	October 4	October 5	October 6
	October Birthdays			
3 ounces Roasted Pork Loin	3/4 cup Baked Ziti	Breaded Chicken Cutlet	Mushroom Swiss Burger	3 ounces Baked Salmon
with 2 ounces Gravy	with Meatballs (3)	1/2 cup Au Gratin Potatoes	1 cup Creamy Cauliflower Soup	with 1 ounce Teriyaki Glaze
1/2 cup Whipped Potatoes with Chives	with Marinara Sauce	1/2 cup Sweet Peas	with Crackers	1/2 cup Brown Rice
1/2 cup Sliced Carrots	with 1 ounce Cheese Topping	Wheat Bread	Hamburger Roll	1/2 cup Broccoli
White Bread	1 cup Caesar Salad	1/2 cup Mandarin Oranges	Fresh Seasonal Fruit	White Bread
Spice Cake with Icing	Italian Bread		~	1/2 cup Pineapple Tidbits
	Birthday Cake			
October 9	October 1	October 11		
S. Carlotte	BBQ Beef Ribette	Baked Ham with Raisin Sauce	Chicken Philly Pita	Breaded Lemon Pepper Pollock
	1/2 cup Cheesy Hashbrowns	1/2 cup Whipped Sweet Potatoes	with Onions, Peppers, and Cheese	1/2 cup Wild Rice
	1/2 cup Green Beans	1/2 cup Cauliflower	1 cup Creamy Potato Soup	1/2 cup Creamy Coleslaw
	White Bread	White Bread	with Crackers	Wheat Bread
Q G	1/2 cup Sliced Peaches	1/2 cup Mixed Fruit Salad	Pita Bread	1/2 cup Applesauce
- Andrinois Services			1/2 cup Blushed Pears	
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October 16	October 1	7 October 18	October 19	October 20
4 ounces Pocupine Ball	3 ounces BBQ Chicken Breast	Beef Brasciole with Gravy	Tomato and White Wine Braised	Breaded Fish Sandwich with Cheese
with 2 ounces Tomato Sauce	1/2 cup Scalloped Potatoes	1/2 cup Mashed Potatoes	Chicken Thigh	1/2 cup Macaroni and Cheese
1/2 cun Garlis Whinned Potatoes	1/2 cup Sweet and Sour Coloslaw	1/2 cup Coin Carrots	1/2 cun Pico Pilaf	1/2 cun Stowed Tomatoes

1/2 cup Garlic Whipped Potatoes 1/2 cup Corn Dinner Roll 1/2 cup Cinnamon Apples



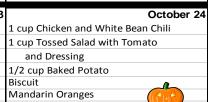
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1/2 cup Scalloped Potatoes
1/2 cup Sweet and Sour Coleslaw
Wheat Bread
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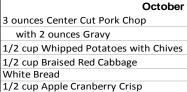




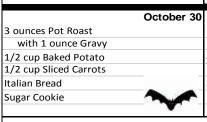
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1/2 cup Burgundy Beef with Mus	hrooms
Over 1/2 cup Egg Noodles	
1/2 cup Broccoli and Carrots	
Wheat Bread	
1/2 cup Mixed Fruit Salad	







er 26		October 2
	Baked Crab Cake	
	1/2 cup Cheesy Shells	
es	1/2 cup Sweet Peas	
	White Bread	
	1/2 cup Tropical Fruit	0_











\*\*\* All meals are subject to change \*\*\*

\*\*\* Served Daily: 8 ounces Milk and 1 teaspoon Margarine



#### October 2017

### **Home Delivered Meal Menu**



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
October 2	October 3	October 4	October 5	October 6
Roasted Pork Loin with Gravy	Baked Ham and Cheese Sandwich	Breaded Chicken Cutlet	Old Fashion Spread Sandwich	Baked Salmon with Teriyaki Glaze
Whipped Potatoes with Chives	with Lettuce and Tomato	Au Gratin Potatoes	with Lettuce and Tomato	Brown Rice
Sliced Carrots	Beets	Sweet Peas	Broccoli Salad	Broccoli
White Bread	Macaroni Salad	Wheat Bread	Pineapple Salad	White Bread
Spice Cake with Icing	White Bread	Mandarin Oranges	White Bread	Pineapple Tidbits
	Mixed Fruit Salad		Applesauce	
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October 9				
S A	BBQ Beef Ribette	Baked Ham with Raisin Sauce	Grilled Chicken Pita	Breaded Lemon Pepper Pollock
	Cheesy Hashbrowns Green Beans	Whipped Sweet Potatoes Cauliflower	with Lettuce, Tomato, and Cheese Potato Salad	Wild Rice Creamy Coleslaw
	White Bread	White Bread	Baked Beans	Wheat Bread
	Sliced Peaches	Mixed Fruit Salad	Pita Bread	Applesauce
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TOTAL STREET	33,40			
October 16		October 18		
Pocupine Ball with Tomato Sauce	Grilled Chicken Filet Sandwich	Beef Brasciole with Gravy	Egg Salad Sandwich	Breaded Fish Sandwich with Cheese
Garlic Whipped Potatoes	with Lettuce and Tomato	Mashed Potatoes	with Lettuce and Tomato	Macaroni and Cheese
Corn	Macaroni Salad	Coin Carrots	Macaroni Salad	Stewed Tomatoes
Dinner Roll	Baked Beans	White Bread	Marinated Beans	Hamburger Roll
Cinnamon Apples	Sandwich Roll	Cottage Cheese with Sliced Peaches	White Bread	Sliced Pears
THE STATE OF THE S	Mixed Fruit Salad		Fresh Seasonal Fruit	
October 23				
Burgundy Beef with Mushrooms	Chef Salad	Pizza Burger	Tuna Salad Sandwich	Baked Crab Cake
Over Egg Noodles	with Ham, Turkey, Cheese, and Egg	Baked Sweet Potato Bites	with Lettuce and Tomato	Cheesy Shells
Broccoli and Carrots	Cottage Cheese and Peaches	Creamy Coleslaw	Carrot Raisin Salad	Sweet Peas
Wheat Bread	with Crackers	Hamburger Roll	Pickled Beets	White Bread
Mixed Fruit Salad	Breadstick Marinated Oranges	Lemon Pudding	Whole Wheat Bread Applesauce	Tropical Fruit
	Warmated Granges		Applesauce	
October 30	October 21			
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Baked Potato	Ant and Finger Salad		<i>↓</i>	
Sliced Carrots	Hocus Pocus Juice	70115		
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Sugar Cookie	Spooky Pumpkin Potion			(0) 1250
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