

The Unitarian Congregation of West Chester

**The 31st Annual**  
**AUCTION**  
“FUN-raiser” Catalog

An opportunity to gather informally,  
have fun, and support our congregation

Saturday, October 20, 2018



2:30 pm - Check-in  
3:00 pm - Silent Auction  
4:30 pm - Live Auction

Auctioneers

Ed Cohle and  
Michael Werner

Bring This Book to the Auction

# Before Auction Night

## Catalog

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Browse this catalog and plan your bidding. **If you are a donor, check your donations for errors or omissions** and contact Steve Sander for at [auction-donations@ucwc.org](mailto:auction-donations@ucwc.org) if you find a critical error. We can correct it in the addendum that will be distributed.

**Bring this catalog with you to the auction.** You may want to take notes in it ahead of time, but in any case, you will need it the night of the auction to keep track of items and your bids on them. Additional items will be in a supplement, which will be distributed on the night of the auction.

## The Rules of the Game

### Arrival and Registration

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Doors open at 2:30 pm. You must register (for free) to participate in the auction. When you register, you will receive a paddle with a number. The registrar will keep a record of your purchases throughout the night. You can pre-register for a paddle [here](#). After you get your paddle, enter to win a door prize. By 3 pm, the silent auction will be underway, and finger food and beverages will be available in the social room. The live auction starts at 4:30 sharp.

### Silent Auction Bids

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## B I D D I N G

Bidding for the silent auction start with a sample of items Sunday, October 7 and the full silent auction on Sunday, October 14 as well as on the day of the auction. You will want to bid, monitor, and rebid the items in which you're interested. Each item will be assigned the same number and category found in the catalog. Crafts and other items will be displayed; services will be described. To bid, **clearly print** your name, your paddle number (if you have pre-registered and have a number) and your bid on the bid sheet. Please note that each item has a minimum bid. You may start the bidding at the minimum bid or higher. You are encouraged to go back frequently to increase your bid if you have been out-bid.

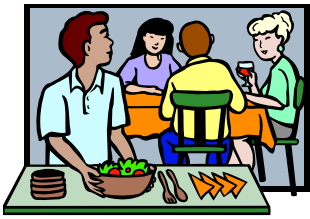
### Live Auction Bids

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Bring this catalog to the auction. When you register, you will be given a paddle with a number. To bid, hold up your number so the auctioneer can see it. At the end of auctioning of each item, the auctioneer will announce the winning bid and the bidder's number.

## Be Part of a Party

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Many of the meals in the auction are offered for four or more people. The bidding is on a **per-seat basis**. The auctioneer will open the bidding at the minimum price and will ask who's willing to pay that price. All those interested at that price will raise their paddles or stand. If you want more than one seat, raise multiple hands. If more people raise their paddles/hands than there are seats, the auctioneer will raise the bid and ask again. This process will be repeated as people drop out of the bidding until the number of people still bidding fills the seats.

## Bell Ringers

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From time to time throughout the evening, there will be occasions when an item or service is offered more than once. When this occurs, after the bidding is over, a bell will be rung, and the item or service will be offered to the next highest bidder(s) and the highest bidder at the next highest bid. For example, suppose there is a mad and furious bidding for Five hours of Domestic Service. Several people bid this up to \$150, then all but one drop out and the final bid of \$155 is accepted. If this had been a bell ringer item, a bell would be rung and all the bidders who bid at least \$150 will be offered the item for that price. Everyone is a winner.

## Bidding by Proxy

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If you are unable to attend but are interested in an item, you can give a friend a price range and have them bid for you. If you don't know anyone who can bid for you, email the item numbers, names and your maximum bids to Nancy Artus at [auction@ucwc.org](mailto:auction@ucwc.org) ahead of time. She will arrange a proxy bidder for you.

## Beginning Bids

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Minimum bids have been specified for most items. If you are the first to bid on an item, you may start at the minimum bid or higher.

## Payment

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Please help yourself to coffee after the auction while we tally up your auction items. Use the time to meet and greet others, since this process does take some time. A personalized receipt will be generated for you. You may pay with cash or check. We request that you pay before you leave. If that is not possible, we will accept payments Sunday morning October 21. **All payments should be completed by the then.**

## Collecting on Your Bid

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The donor's name and contact information is listed on your invoice. It is your responsibility to contact the donor and arrange for delivery of the service at a mutually agreeable time. You needn't contact the donor immediately; you have up to one year to collect on your items, unless otherwise specified by the donor's description. If you have any questions about how to contact the donor, you can email Nancy Artus at [auction@ucwc.org](mailto:auction@ucwc.org).

# 2018 **LIVE** AUCTION HIGHLIGHTS ★★

## *17 Weeks of Fruit*

*from North Star  
Orchards*

**LOT 7**



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## *Round of Golf for Four*

*at Broad Run  
Golfer's Club*

**LOT 17**



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## *Walk with Rev. Dan*

*in Binky Lee Preserve*

**LOT 24**

*Last Year's Walk*



## *PARTIES & DINNERS*



- Lot 1 ..... BBQ Rib Dinner
- Lot 5 ..... Vegetarian Cooking Class and Dinner
- Lot 8 ..... Outdoor Concert and Hoagie Picnic
- Lot 9 ..... Fried Chicken Dinner
- Lot 11 ..... Plant Strong Dinner
- Lot 13 ..... Spring Dinner
- Lot 15 ..... Charades Party
- Lot 16 ..... Fondue Dinner
- Lot 19 ..... Lobster Ravioli Dinner
- Lot 20 ..... Craft Beer and Food Pairing Dinner
- Lot 21 ..... Post-Election Party
- Lot 23 ..... Poker Night

# 2018 **SILENT** AUCTION HIGHLIGHTS ★★

## RESTAURANTS



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Lot 63.....	Taco Mar
Lot 65.....	Appetites on Main
Lot 67.....	Wasabi
Lot 69.....	Asuka
Lot 70.....	Brickside Grille
Lot 73.....	Brothers Pizza
Lot 78.....	Jaco Juice & Taco Bar
Lot 79.....	Pietro's Prime
Lot 80.....	The Couch Tomato

LOTS 59 & 60



**UPTOWN!**

KNAUER PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

*Uptown! Star  
Membership*

*Two Tickets  
to a Signature  
Performance*

## MORE GROUP FUN

*St. Patrick's Day  
Party*



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LOT 66

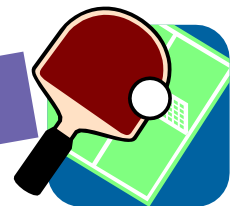
*Swing Dance Lessons  
& Dance*



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LOT 58

*Ping Pong  
Adventure*



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LOT 57



## LIVE AUCTION

STARTS 4:30 PM SHARP



- 1 BBQ Rib Dinner with All the Fixin's for Six. BBQ babyback ribs, cole slaw, baked beans and corn bread. Beer is included as well as iced tea. The date of the feast is June 22, 2019 and is non-negotiable. Please bid only if you know you can come on that date. Dinner starts at 6:30. **Special Conditions:** Date of June 22, 2019 is not negotiable. Menu items include meat and gluten and no substitutions are possible. Bidders should consider the menu and date prior to making a decision to bid. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Paul & Cindy Heck.
- 2 Three Hours of Yardwork. I'll come to your home and spruce up your yard. 3 Hours (including transportation from West Chester) of any type of yard work. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Joshua Munz.
- 3 Spring Brunch and Garden Tour at Kendal for Four. Sunday brunch at Kendal (lifecare community) following a UCWC service. Tour of selected gardens, public and private. **Special Conditions:** Date to be determined mutually by four winners and hosts. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Margaret & David Rovner, Judy Gibson, and David Nelson.
- 4 A Year of Breakfast Breads. Starting with pumpkin scones in November and cranberry muffins in December enjoy a year of seasonal breakfast treats! Out of my oven and into your home will come delectably delicious breakfast breads each month. Think oatmeal molasses bread in January, banana bread in February, carrot muffins in March, rhubarb cake in April, strawberry coffee cake in May, blueberry muffins in June, peach coffee cake in July, zucchini bread in August, apple cake in September and finally corn muffins in October. Share them with your family, share them with your friends, or eat them all yourself, but most of all, enjoy! **FMV:** \$120. **Min. Bid:** \$50. **Offered by:** Sandy Schaal.
- 5 Vegetarian Cooking Class and Dinner for Four. On Saturday, January 19, 2019, at 6:00 p.m. four lucky bidders are invited to a cooking class/vegetarian dinner at the home of Mira and Hugh. Sundar, of Usha Food Market in Malvern, will instruct us on the preparation and benefits of Indian cuisine. We will get to ask any questions and then share each course as it is prepared. **Special Conditions:** 4 people limit. Date: 1/19/2019. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Mira Tryon and Hugh Sutherland.
- 6 Consignment Shopping Spree for Eight. Do you hate to shop? Do you stare into your closet and declare "I have nothing to wear!"? Or are you just tired of what is there? Do you refuse to pay for designer clothes in exclusive shops? Join Heidi Frayer and Cindy Heck as we host a tour of our favorite women's consignment clothes shops in the Malvern and West Chester area.

We'll start with two of our favorites, and while we shop we can share our consignment shopping strategies (besides just the sheer fun of the "hunt"). You'll have company to actually tell you if what you tried on suits you, if it could use little work, or perhaps just an accessory. And the best part -- you won't need a second mortgage, if you decide to buy that designer outfit.

We will end our shopping spree at Clothes Mentor in West Chester, where we'll reserve a private room for lunch, conversation, and, if the consignment gods have smiled upon us, displaying our new wardrobe additions. Lunch is on us, your purchases are up to you.



We'll take up to eight people on this bargain shopping extravaganza! **DISCLAIMER:** We are not responsible for overspending, or outfits that you may later ask yourself, "What was I thinking?"

**Special Conditions:** Date: March 30, 2019. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Heidi Frayer and Cindy Heck.

- 7 CSA Fruit Share for 2019 Season. Enjoy a weekly share of assorted fruits from North Star Orchard LLC during the 2019 season. Starts in mid-July and runs until just before Thanksgiving (a total of 17 weeks). Pickup weekly at the best location for you (Saturdays from 9 to 1 at the farmers' markets in West Chester or Phoenixville or more flexible days each week at our farm located in Cochranville). Enjoy a selection of varieties you'll find nowhere else, including apples, pears, Asian pears, peaches, plums, nectarines, and grapes. See our website for full details (and pictures!): [www.northstarorchard.com](http://www.northstarorchard.com) **Special Conditions:** You must connect with us after winning to select a pickup location and give us your contact information. **FMV:** \$340. **Min. Bid:** \$135. **Offered by:** North Star Orchard LLC.
- 8 Outdoor Concert and Hoagie Picnic for Eight. May be at Anson B. Nixon Park in Kennett, Bryn Mawr Under the Stars, or King of Prussia — depending on who has the best lineup. Debby will pay your admission and bring everyone a hoagie of your choice for our picnic. **FMV:** \$16. **Min. Bid:** \$7. **Offered by:** Debby Kern.
- 9 Fried Chicken Dinner for Eight. Dinner for eight at Amanda Lipnack's home. Date to be decided by all winners and host. **Special Conditions:** Note - this is not vegetarian, gluten or peanut free. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Amanda Lipnack.
- 10 Infamy. Do you have a dark side? Have you wanted to let it out, but your appreciation of the Seven Principles simply does not allow for evil-doing? Is someone you love the perfect villain, and you have always wanted to let them know? Now is your chance! If you win this bid, I will write you into an upcoming YA novel as the mastermind behind a nefarious scheme. Please note, I am not responsible should your character branch out into good deeds or other actions not to your preference, or should you meet your untimely demise in the pages of this book. The author cannot guarantee publication of the novel, but you will get a copy of your very own in .pdf format. **Special Conditions:** The winner of this item must fill out and return to the author a biographical questionnaire prior to November 1, 2018. **FMV:** \$. Come now, let's not quibble such pedestrian subjects as dollars and cents when there is evil afoot! Mwahaha!!! **Offered by:** Sarah Hyson.
- 11 Plant Strong Dinner for Ten. Curious about eating vegan? Thinking about going gluten-free or eating clean? Or just wanting to expand your culinary repertoire and try some new ingredients? Get inspiration and ideas, plus enjoy a bountiful dinner for ten hosted by Dexter Chisholm and Joan Odell, with dishes created by Jaan Troltenier. Everything served will be vegan and gluten-free. But focus on what they will be: delicious, nutritious, and colorful. This year's dinner will feature the theme Impressionist Palette: Delectable dishes with special colors reflecting the paintings of Monet, Renoir, and Morisot. Several dishes are the creation of your chef, Jaan Troltenier. There will be a memorable main dish with an unusual and appetizing combination of ingredients, a beautiful soup the color of a sunrise, and an almond cake made according to Jaan's own recipe specially developed for the auction. Not only will you delight in a feast, but you will also receive the recipes so you can recreate the dishes at home. Get started on your own plant strong journey. **Special Conditions:** Date 2/23/2019. Snow Date: 3/02/2016. **FMV:** \$16. **Min. Bid:** \$7. **Offered by:** Jaan Troltenier, Joan Odell, and Dexter Chisholm.

- 12 Christmas Cookies. Three dozen homemade Christmas cookies, delivered during the month of December **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Pam Seres.
- 13 Spring Dinner for Ten. To celebrate spring we are offering a dinner for ten people. Menu will include poached salmon, flourless chocolate cake, assorted appetizers, side dishes and wine. **Special Conditions:** Date: 4/6/2019. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Lowell and Janet Young.
- 14 Handyman Services - Four Hours. Do you need a small project, some yard work, or a household repair done? If so, I'm your man...up to four hours of work. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Matthew Zencey.
- 15 Charades Party for Fifteen. An evening of laughter and friendship. No experience necessary. 7 pm at Gerry and Shelly's pad. **Special Conditions:** Date: 2/9/2019. Snow Date: 4/13/2019, same time and place. **FMV:** \$15. **Min. Bid:** \$6. **Offered by:** Inge Leonardos, Gerry Giess, & Shelly Case.
- 16 Fondue Dinner for Eight. Three course Fondue dinner for up to 8 people. A cheese course, a hot oil course, and a dessert fondue are provided. It's helpful if someone is willing to host and provide the venue and place settings. I'll take over the kitchen and bring all the food and cooking and serving needs. But we could do it at our house on some dates, baring anyone really allergic to dogs or cats. **Special Conditions:** Not available until on or after Dec 1, 2018. Cool weather is best, but not required. **FMV:** \$40. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Cheryl Pittenger.
- 17 A Round of Golf at Broad Run Golfer's Club for Four. A certificate good for a round of golf for up to 4 players at Broad Run Golfer's Club. With a 372 acre canvas, world-renowned golf course designer Rees Jones sculpted this stunning property into a golfing masterpiece. The majestic layout stretches 6,826 yards with a par 72, taking full advantage of dramatic elevation changes. The certificate may be redeemed anytime Mon- Thurs, or after 2:00 pm on Fri, Sat, Sun & Holiday. Proper dress code is required. broadruncg.com **Special Conditions:** Cart fee (\$25) not included **FMV:** \$200 or \$50 per person. **Min. Bid:** \$80 or \$20 per person. **Offered by:** Broad Run Golfer's Club.
- 18 Six Bottles of Surprisingly Good Wine. From Rick London's cellar of Surprisingly Good, comes the annual UU Auction 6 pack of..well..surprisingly good wine. This year the six wines consist of 4 reds, one white and one pink. The red wines are Pinot Noir, Nebbiolo, Coastal Red and Sangiovese (none of which are marked...oops!), Pink is Provence style and White is Chardonnay. Yum! **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Rick London.
- 19 Lobster Ravioli Dinner for Eight. We invite you into our home to share a homemade lobster ravioli dinner. From appetizers to dessert a full course dinner enhanced with wine, beer and great conversation. **Special Conditions:** Date: 5/3/2019. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Keith and Barbara Dallara.
- 20 Craft Beer and Food Pairing Dinner for Ten. Please join Marita and I for an evening of fun, food, friends and....BEER at our home on Dean Street in West Chester. Come enjoy an assorted Cheese Plate paired with a Saison, Beer Simmered Mussels, Stout Braised Short Ribs, roasted Carrots and Cauliflower-Parsnip Puree paired with your choice of an IPA or White and..... the evening would not be complete without a Molten Chocolate Lava Cake paired with a wonderful coffee stout. **Special Conditions:** \$15 of each bidder's price will go to the cost of the beer. Date: 2/2/2019. Snow Date: 2/9/2019. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Callie Durner & Marita Barber.



- 21 Post-Election Party for Twelve. Join us as we "celebrate citizenship" after the midterms. Of course, we are hoping for a majority to win for our UU values, and we will have a great time with food and drinks. **Special Conditions:** Date: 11/10/2018 at 6 pm. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Janine Galen and Callie Durner.
- 22 Ten Yoga Classes at Now and Zen Yoga. Now & Zen Yoga, at 525 E. Gay Street in West Chester, offers classes daily. Choose any ten regular yoga classes from beginner to yoga flow. **Special Conditions:** Offer is valid for 1 year from date of purchase. **FMV:** \$130. **Min. Bid:** \$55. **Offered by:** Now & Zen Yoga.
- 23 Poker Night for Eight. Join us for an evening of Texas Hold 'Em and other types of poker. Newbies and visors all welcome. Hearty appetizers and adult beverages provided. Get to know who's a card shark, who's the biggest bluffer and what happened one night at a poker game. **Special Conditions:** Date: Saturday, March 2, at 6 pm. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Janine Galen.
- 24 Walk with the Minister In Binky Lee Preserve. Rev. Dan will lead a group of up to six people (adults and children welcome) on a 2 hour walk through the beautiful Binky Lee Preserve in Chester Springs. Last year's walk in the Stroud Preserve was a great success! Bring water and a snack. **Special Conditions:** Date: 4/27/2019. May be rescheduled in the event of adverse weather. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Rev. Dan Schatz.



## Silent Auction ARTISAN ITEMS



- 30 Fall Quilted Table Runner by Joan Odell. Hand made quilted table runner in Fall colors with fall leaves. Item available at the auction. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Joan Odell.
- 31 Wintery Quilted Table Runner by Joan Odell. Hand made quilted table runner in wintery blue colors with winter scenes. Item available at the auction. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Joan Odell.
- 32 Holiday Quilted Table Runner by Joan Odell. Hand made quilted table runner in Holiday red, green, and gold colors with poinsettias. Item available at the auction. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Joan Odell.
- 33 3-Strand Pendant Necklace. This beautiful handmade 3-strand pendant necklace has varying strands of milky blue stones and silver chain with a large pendant on the longest strand and smaller silver charms hanging from the other two strands. It is attached to a silk cord which has an adjustable knot in the back so the length can vary depending on the preference of the wearer. Looks great with jeans and a sweater or a dressier outfit. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Cindy Heck.
- 34 Hand Crafted Holiday Cards. Send your special family and friends handcrafted Holiday cards. Five each of two different designs. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Joan Odell.

- 35 Home-sewn Bib Apron - Fall Colors. The perfect hostess gift #1: Uniquely designed, fanciful homesewn bib apron. Reversible, with compatible cotton fabrics (fall leaves and polka dots), adorned with rick-rack and buttons. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 36 Home-sewn Bib Apron - Black, White & Red. The perfect hostess gift #2: Unique, homesewn bib apron, reversible in compatible, fanciful black, white, and red cotton fabrics. Adorned with buttons and ruffles. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 37 Home-sewn Cafe Apron - Colorful Fabric. The perfect hostess gift #3: Unique, homesewn and designed cafe apron, reversible in colorful cotton fabrics, adorned with an unusual pocket and decorative buttons. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 38 Home-sewn Cafe Apron - Fanciful Print. The perfect hostess gift #4: Unique, home-sewn and designed cafe length apron. Reversible, with fanciful contrasting prints and pockets. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 39 Decorative Shelf with Ducks. Decorative, handmade wooden shelf, 23" X 14", with heart cutouts. Cute to hang above bathtub, with hooks to put scrub brush, other bath items. Includes three ducks to put on top shelf. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Cathy and Dick Palmquist.
- 40 Rose Hanging. Handcrafted decorative hanging, made from plastic forks, lac,e and other craft items. Looks nice in powder room or bathroom over toilet. **FMV:** \$5. **Min. Bid:** \$2. **Offered by:** Cathy and Dick Palmquist.
- 41 Stained Glass Style Window Decoration. Handcrafted stained glass style window decoration, 10.5 " X 13" in red rose pattern. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Cathy and Dick Palmquist.
- 42 Glass Ball Necklace/Choker. Lovely glass ball necklace/choker, 14" long. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Cathy and Dick Palmquist.
- 43 Gold Necklace/Choker with Pearl Drop. Lovely gold necklace/choker with gold and pearl drop. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Cathy Palmquist.
- 101 Holiday Greens & Floral Centerpiece(s). Lovely fresh evergreen and floral centerpieces. Fresh and delivered just in time for the holidays. Top six bidders win. **Special Conditions:** Delivery between Dec 16-23, 2018. If you want more than one, entered your bid multiple times. **FMV:** \$40. **Min. Bid:** \$ 15. **Offered by:** Janet Hutchison.



## Silent Auction ART



- 44 19th Century Color Print of Decorative Shoe. Attention shoe lovers: Matted color print of a decorative 19th century shoe from France in a silver wood frame. 9" x 11." May be hung or displayed on a tabletop. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 45 19th Century Color Print of Antique Bride Dress. Antique bride dress print from *Les Modes Parisiennes*, *Peterson's Magazine*, dated October 1876. Hand-colored print, matted, in brown wood frame. 14" X 17" **FMV:** \$45. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.

- 46 Andrew Turner Watercolor. Original, framed watercolor by Philadelphia area artist Andrew Turner (1944-2001). Painting dimensions (not counting frame) are 14x17. Frame is 20.5x24. Provenance: purchased from the artist by Ann and Nat Sander. FMV is an estimate based on comparable online prices. Google his name for more information about the artist.. **FMV:** \$300. **Min. Bid:** \$100. **Offered by:** Steve and Linda Sander.
- 47 Jack Bookbinder Lithograph. Framed, signed and numbered (2/958) lithograph *Big Brother* (1961) by Philadelphia artist Jack Bookbinder (1911-1990). His work is represented in the following collections: Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Library of Congress, National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C., Yale University Art Gallery, Woodmere Art Museum, Reading Museum, and the Frye Art Museum in Seattle, among many others. Provenance: Newman Galleries, Philadelphia & Bryn Mawr. Dimensions: 10.75x15 without frame. 18.5x22.5 framed. FMV is an estimate based on comparable online prices. **FMV:** \$250. **Min. Bid:** \$80. **Offered by:** Steve and Linda Sander.
- 48 Christiane Frenay Artwork. Artwork by French artist Christiane Frenay (1940-). Signed and numbered 44/75. Looks like an etching with painting added. FMV is an estimate based on comparable online prices. **FMV:** \$100. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Steve and Linda Sander.
- 49 Lladro Eskimo Girl Figurine. Lladro Gres Figurine Eskimo Girl with Cold Feet designed by Spanish artist Francisco Catala' and issued in 1985. Near mint condition. FMV based on low-average EBay. **FMV:** \$150. **Min. Bid:** \$50. **Offered by:** Steve and Linda Sander.
- 50 Brandywine River Museum of Art - Two Passes. Explore the art and the landscape that inspired three generations of Wyeths and other renowned artists. **Special Conditions:** Not valid during the Museum's annual Antiques Show and Memorial Day Weekend. **FMV:** \$36. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Brandywine River Museum of Art.



## Silent Auction ENTERTAINMENT



- 51 Hagley Museum and Library- - Two Passes. Come visit the first du Pont ancestral home in America with two passes to the 235-acre museum in Wilmington, DE. **Special Conditions:** Not valid for special events; expires Apr 31, 2019. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Hagley Museum and Library.
- 52 Longwood Gardens - Two Tickets. See *The Great Outdoors* Section.
- 53 Brandywine Ballet's Fall Production of *Balanchine, Barber & Brandywine*. Two section B (Pink) seats to Brandywine Ballet's fall production, October 26-28, at the Emilie K. Asplundh Concert Hall, 700 S. High St, West Chester. Read about the production at [www.brandywineballet.org](http://www.brandywineballet.org) **Special Conditions:** Winner must reserve seats immediately upon receiving the certificate. **FMV:** \$68. **Min. Bid:** \$28. **Offered by:** Brandywine Ballet.

- 54 Music Performance. Will play for party, event, rehearsal dinner, wedding reception, etc. I am very experienced at presenting boomer classic soft rock, coupled with more current and original material. Will adjust to event and preferences as event progresses. Guitar and vocals. I own all required equipment. **FMV:** \$175. **Min. Bid:** \$70. **Offered by:** Jim Nelsen.
- 55 American Helicopter Museum - Four Admission Passes. Besides being fun, the American Helicopter Museum and Education Center in West Chester preserves aviation history and educates about helicopters. Winner receives four passes. Visit [AmericanHelicopter.museum](http://AmericanHelicopter.museum) **FMV:** \$40. **Min. Bid:** \$16. **Offered by:** American Helicopter Museum and Education Center.
- 56 Tickets to Arden Theatre Company. 2 tickets to Arden Theatre Company, 40 N 2nd Street, Philadelphia. The tickets are for June 12, 2019 at 2 pm. The play is *Indecent*. **Special Conditions:** Date: 6/12/2019. **FMV:** \$70. **Min. Bid:** \$30. **Offered by:** Lowell Young.
- 57 Ping Pong Adventure. Up to 20 people can come out for an evening of ping pong fun at Diplomacy Ping Pong, 511 East Gay St. Bring a finger food to share. **Special Conditions:** Date: 01/25/2019 at 7-9 pm **FMV:** \$8. **Min. Bid:** \$3. **Offered by:** Mark and Marie Steel.
- 58 Swing Dance Lessons and Dance. Convinced that dancing just isn't your thing? Looking for a fun, easy dance to learn? Are you simply swing-curious? This is a great place to start! Learn basic Jitterbug (6-count), and swing to songs from the 50's, 40's, and modern tunes. This year, we'll also do something different: the Shim Sham, a classic swing line dance. No partner needed, no experience needed - just wear comfy shoes (with little traction, if possible). **Special Conditions:** Date: 01/26/2019. FIXED PRICE \$15 per person. **FMV:** \$15. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Larry and Teri Lesser.
- 59 Uptown! Star Membership. Uptown! Entertainment Alliance operates the Uptown! Knauer Performing Arts Center in West Chester as a theater for live performance, education and film. The winner will receive an Uptown! Star Membership, entitling them to ticket presale access, priority seating, discounts to area restaurants, invitations to pre- and post- show hospitality events, meet and greet opportunities and more! See [uptownwestchester.org](http://uptownwestchester.org) **FMV:** \$500. **Min. Bid:** \$50. **Offered by:** Uptown! Entertainment Alliance.
- 60 Two Tickets to One Uptown! Signature Series Event or Performance. A ticket voucher to redeem for two tickets to one event or performance in Uptown!'s Signature Series. The Series includes, Jazz Cocktail Hour, Opera Tutti!, Better Than Bacon Improv, Dueling Pianos, Speaker Series, and Latin Programming, among others. Uptown is located at 226 N. High St. in West Chester. **Special Conditions:** Winner must reserve the seats by telephone at least two weeks prior to the performance. Tickets are subject to availability. Resident Theatre Company performances are not included. **FMV:** \$40. **Min. Bid:** \$16. **Offered by:** Uptown! Entertainment Alliance.
- 84 Set of Three Dan Schatz CDs. A set of all three solo CDs from our Grammy-nominated Minister, Dan Schatz. The set includes *Bring the Morning Home*, the book and CD combination *The Song and the Sigh*, and his acclaimed CD on Folk-Legacy Records, *The Promise of the Sowing* (included in several folk DJs "Favorites" lists). **FMV:** \$45. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Rev. Dan Schatz.



## Silent Auction FOOD AND DRINK



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- 61 Bread for a Year Certificate. This certificate entitles the bearer to a complimentary loaf of our freshly baked bread, each month for a year. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$35. **Offered by:** Panera Bread.
- 62 Giant Supermarket \$25 Gift Card. You'll find more than groceries at the Giant Food Store, located in Bradford Plaza, 698 Downingtown Pike, just outside of West Chester. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Giant Food Store.
- 63 Taco Mar \$25 Gift Card. Choose from "Make it Your Way" Burrito & Salad bar, Baja grill, House Quesadillas, Tacos and more. Taco Mar uses locally sourced, wholesome food to prepare authentic recipes from Baja California and Central Mexico. Just a hop, skip and jump from UCWC at 314 S High Street! **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Taco Mar.
- 64 Brunch at Crosslands. Sunday brunch for two at Crosslands Retirement with hosts Sharon Sundial and David Peacefull on a date to be agreed. **FMV:** \$32. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Crosslands Retirement Community.
- 65 Appetites on Main \$25 Gift Card. Appetites on Main in Exton prides itself on huge portions at a super valuable price along with excellent and friendly service. Enjoy a bar room atmosphere, a huge beer selection, and entertainment- live music, DJ's, Karaoke, Quizzo and free Texas Hold Em tournaments. [www.appetitesonmain.com](http://www.appetitesonmain.com) **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Appetites on Main.
- 66 St Patrick's Day Party. Join us for a celebration of the most important day of the year!! Singing, sipping (green if preferred), snacking (not dinner). **Special Conditions:** Must be 21 or older. Max 25 people. Date: 3/16/2019. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Shelly Case and Gerry Giess.
- 67 Wasabi Restaurant \$25 Gift Certificate. Get your fix of Asian food, located in Bradford Plaza, 686 Downingtown Pike. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Wasabi Restaurant.
- 68 Buttered Scones for Tea. Treat yourself to a dozen home-made scones plus two toppings! You can order regular scones (made with all-purpose wheat flour, butter, and milk), or ask for scones that are dairy-free and/or gluten-free. You can also specify whether you want your scones with or without raisins. Your options for topping A are homemade lemon curd or 1 jar of the store-bought jam, jelly, or fruit preserves of your choice. Your options for topping B are butter, dairy-free margarine, and the options for topping A. **Special Conditions:** Please place your order at least 1 week before you want your scones and toppings. You can pick up your order or have it delivered at a mutually convenient time and place. **FMV:** \$13. **Min. Bid:** \$5. **Offered by:** Lori Ratajczak.
- 69 Asuka \$25 Gift Certificate. Choose from Asian, Chinese, or Thai food. Located in Westtown Shopping Center. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Asuka.
- 70 Brickside Grille \$25 Gift Certificate. Brickside Grille is an upscale, casual restaurant in Eagleview (Exton) serving a creative American menu with ethnic influences. Our Oyster bar is stocked with the freshest oysters, shrimp, and clams, caught and delivered daily. Our bar is fully stocked with various spirits, wines and bottled beers, as well as twelve beers on tap. ([bricksidegrille.com](http://bricksidegrille.com)) **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Brickside Grille.

- 71 Cookie Bouquet. Fantastic cookie art arranged to tease the palate and the eye ! Rainbow colors, personalized characters, special occasion imprints and heart-felt sentiments are immortalized in edibles! Arrangements available from less than \$20 and up. (cookiesbydesign.com), 56 E.Uwchlan Ave - Rt 113, Heritage Center in Exton. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Cookies by Design.
- 72 Homemade Gluten-Free Cookies. Two dozen home-baked gluten-free cookies. Your choice of Chai Almond, Walnut or Almond Mandelbrot, Oatmeal Raisin, Decadent Chocolate, or Chocolate Chip. Can be made free of other allergens on request. To be delivered on a mutually agreed upon date. **FMV:** \$22. **Min. Bid:** \$9. **Offered by:** Nancy Artus.
- 73 Brothers Pizza \$20 Gift Certificate. Not just pizza...a complete menu of dishes. Located in Bradford Plaza, 670 Downingtown Pike. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Brothers Pizza and Pasta.
- 74 Kiwi Jam. Kiwi jam from the Hysons' backyard kiwi vines -- organic with no added sugar. Just one ingredient: kiwis! **FMV:** \$8. **Min. Bid:** \$3. **Offered by:** Chris Hyson.
- 75 Two Hershey Bar Pies. Two Hershey Bar pies — can be gluten-free if requested. **Special Conditions:** Can be made gluten free/dark or milk chocolate. 2 weeks notice please. Top two winners each win two pies. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Shelly Case.
- 76 Cook Book Collection. Regifting four excellent cookbooks, still in gift condition: *Art of the Slow Cooker* by Andrew Schloss (sturdy paperback); *Simply Ming: Easy Techniques for East-Meets-West Meals* by Ming Tsai and Arthur Boehm (hardcover); Emeril's *There's a Chef in My Soup! Recipes for the Kid in Everyone* by Emeril LaGasse (hardcover); and *Heritage* by Sean Brock, 2015 James Beard Cookbook Award Winner (hardcover). Value based on current Amazon prices. **FMV:** \$56. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 77 Apple Pie. Deep dish apple crumb pie using Mom's recipe and freshly picked Highland Orchard apples. Enjoy immediately or freeze for later. **FMV:** \$15. **Min. Bid:** \$6. **Offered by:** Susan Batchelor.
- 78 Jaco Juice & Taco Bar Gift Card. Try Jaco for breakfast, lunch or afternoon snack using this \$30 gift card! Yummy burritos, tacos, bowls, smoothies, and juices made to order with high quality ingredients. Plenty of vegetarian options. Located at 8 W. Gay Street in West Chester. Check out their full menu at <http://jacojuiceandtaco.com/menu/>. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** Amy Spare.
- 79 Pietro's Prime Gift Card. Perfect for date night or a special occasion! Use this \$25 gift card towards a famous steak or seafood meal at Petro's Prime (Steakhouse and Martini Bar) at 125 W. Market Street in West Chester. Enjoy! **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Amy Spare.
- 80 The Couch Tomato \$25 Gift Card. Enjoy fresh, local, and organic at The Couch Tomato at 31 West Gay Street in downtown West Chester. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** The Couch Tomato.
- 102 World of Beer \$25 Gift Certificate. At World of Beer, we've got 50 craft beers on tap, over 500 in the cooler, and a menu of tasty tavern fare that's crafted to go perfectly with beer. Located at Main Street in Exton. **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$ 10. **Offered by:** World of Beer in Exton.



## Silent Auction VARIETY OF ITEMS



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- 81 Monkey Fish Toys \$20 Gift Card. A \$20 gift card to Monkey Fish Toys in Bradflord Plaza, West Chester. Monkey Fish offers many unique children's toys. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Monkey Fish Toys.
- 82 Ornamental Plant Stand. Three-leg, medium brown wood carved in art nouveau motif style; solidly built, sturdy - H 41" and top platform D 14.5" **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$15. **Offered by:** Petra Reyes.
- 83 Nature-themed Gift Basket. Nature-themed gift basket: *The Naturalist's Notebook: An Observation Guide and 5-Year Calendar-Journal*; basket-weave ceramic teapot; four ceramic leaf-print coasters; and three maple leaf floating candles. **FMV:** \$50. **Min. Bid:** \$20. **Offered by:** Kathryn Racette.
- 84 Set of Three Dan Schatz CDs. *See Entertainment Section.*
- 85 Aluminum Child's Bike in Near Mint Condition. This 18-inch aluminum children's bicycle is ideal for both on and off the road. The combination of hand and coaster brakes make this bike perfect for kids who are transitioning. It is in excellent condition retailed for \$250 in 2015. **FMV:** \$150. **Min. Bid:** \$60. **Offered by:** Dan Schatz and Geeta Shivde.
- 86 Shell Collection. Over 100 beautiful shells in two display cases with identification key. A great gift for the future marine biologist in your family. **FMV:** \$250. **Min. Bid:** \$40. **Offered by:** Steve and Linda Sander.
- 93 Native Plants for Your Shade Garden. Native Plants for your Shade Garden- available now or in spring (depending on plant). Mix and match any 4 of the following. For most, we will be able to provide multiple plants and that will count as one choice. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Nancy Artus and Curt Hoganson
- Spicebush (shrub, *Lindera benzoin*)  
Bottlebush Buckeye (shrub, *Aesculus parviflora*)  
Gray Dogwood (shrub, *Cornus racemosa*)  
St. John's Wort (shrub, *Hypericum prolificum*)  
Jack-in-the-Pulpit (herbaceous perennial, *Arisaema triphyllum*)  
Creeping Phlox (ground cover, *Phlox stolonifera*)  
False Solomon's Seal (herbaceous perennial, *Smilacena racemosa*)  
Common Milkweed (annual, *Asclepius syriaca*)  
American Holly (tree, *Ilex opaca*)  
Eastern Redbud (*Cercis canadensis*)  
Tulip Poplar (tree, *Liriodendron tulipifera*)  
White Ash (tree, *Fraxinus americana*).





## Silent Auction MIND & BODY



- 87 Free Initial Chiropractic Appointment and Consultation. At McGuarn Family Chiropractic, our mission is to help empower you to improve the overall quality of your life. We know that health is so much more than just not feeling pain and we strive to have our patients reach their fullest innate health potential. Winner receives a certificate for a free initial appointment and consultation at our office on N Franklin in West Chester. Visit [McGaurFamilyChiro.com](http://McGaurFamilyChiro.com) **Special Conditions:** Must be used by October 19, 2019. **FMV:** \$170. **Min. Bid:** \$70. **Offered by:** McGuarn Family Chiropractic.
- 88 One Month Individual Membership at ACAC Fitness & Wellness Center. Train your best at ACAC...but ACAC is not just for adults. They have a significant kids program. Located at 1130 McDermott Drive, West Chester. **Special Conditions:** Expires 12/31/2018. **FMV:** \$30. **Min. Bid:** \$12. **Offered by:** ACAC Fitness and Wellness Center.
- 89 YMCA One Month Family Membership. Enjoy a one month family membership at the Greater Brandywine YMCA of your choice (eight locations to choose from, including West Chester, Coatesville, Lionville, and Kennett Square). **Special Conditions:** Expires 12/31/2018. **FMV:** \$114. **Min. Bid:** \$45. **Offered by:** YMCA of Greater Brandywine.
- 90 Individual One-Hour Yoga Instruction. Do you feel like you need some one on one guidance to start or restart your yoga practice? In this one hour session, arranged at your convenience, you will learn stretches, warm ups, basic yoga postures and sequences as well as the yoga that is right for you, your body and your fitness level. **FMV:** \$90. **Min. Bid:** \$35. **Offered by:** Jeanie Matteson of Now & Zen Yoga.
- 91 European Facial; Hair Cut & Styling. The European facial is a mix of fine European techniques and extraordinary products. The hair cut and styling are done by the areas most talented team with a consultation by your Designer to define your personal image. **Special Conditions:** Must present certificate to redeem value. **FMV:** \$130. **Min. Bid:** \$55. **Offered by:** Peter's Salon and European Spa.
- 92 One Hour Wellness Coaching, Reiki and/or Sound Healing. Choose one of the following to focus on:
- Explore complementary and alternative approaches to reduce stress and improve health.
  - Learn about your subtle energy field (the energy around and within your body) and ways to increase your energy and improve resilience.
  - Experience Qigong or guided meditation.
  - Have a Reiki session. Reiki is a gentle hands on technique that reduces stress and assists the life force to flow through the body. A sound healing session involves the intentional use of sound for healing. May include chime, drum, shaker, chanting or singing. Reiki sessions sometimes include the use of sound healing.

Tailored to the needs of the individual. Located at Integrated Wellness Associates of West Chester, 105 S. High Street, Suite 301 in West Chester. **FMV:** \$100. **Min. Bid:** \$40. **Offered by:** Abby McGillivray, LCSW, BCD, RM, Integrated Wellness Associates of West Chester, LLC.



## Silent Auction THE GREAT OUTDOORS



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- 52 Longwood Gardens - Two Tickets. Experience the dazzling horticultural displays of Longwood Gardens, from a 4 acre Conservatory to the 20 outdoor gardens, fireworks, and fountain shows.  
**Special Conditions:** Not valid peak days: Friday- Sunday during A Longwood Christmas, or Dec 26- Jan. 1. Expire 2/16/2020. **FMV:** \$46. **Min. Bid:** \$18. **Offered by:** Longwood Gardens.
- 93 Native Plants for Your Shade Garden. See *Variety of Items* Section.
- 94 2019 Mt. Cuba Center Friends and Family Season Pass and Mt. Cuba Photo Essay Book. Mt. Cuba Center is a botanical garden with a focus on native plants and ecosystems with over 50 acres of display gardens and over 1000 acres of natural lands. The gardens represent a variety of habitats, from upland forests and meadows to lowland ponds, and serve as a model for environmentally beneficial gardening. They feature spectacular woodland wildflowers, tranquil ponds, a native meadow, and historic formal gardens. Discover the inspiring beauty of native plants and be transported to an idyllic environment. **FMV:** \$100. **Min. Bid:** \$40. **Offered by:** Mt. Cuba Center.
- 95 Guided Bass Fishing Kayak Trip. Take a trip on a local lake in a Hobie Pedal Drive Fishing Kayak provided by Irv. Fishing gear will also be provided. Fishing license required for over 15 years old.  
**Special Conditions:** Best time for fishing is May or June, but that is just a suggestion. **FMV:** \$175. **Min. Bid:** \$70. **Offered by:** Irv Friedlander.
- 96 Chanticleer Garden - Two Passes. Chanticleer is a 35 acre garden in Wayne featuring lush courtyards of tropicals, perennials and containers; water gardens, exotic and native woodlands; and a spectacular ruin garden. [www.chanticleergarden.org](http://www.chanticleergarden.org) **Special Conditions:** Open April through October, Wednesday - Sunday. **FMV:** \$20. **Min. Bid:** \$8. **Offered by:** Chanticleer Gardens.
- 97 Canoe/kayak on Brandywine. Kayak or canoe on the Brandywine with a picnic lunch along the way **FMV:** \$100. **Min. Bid:** \$40. **Offered by:** Gerry Giess.
- 98 Use of Open Bow Kayak for a Day. Enjoy a 2-seat open bow kayak for a day. It's great for cruising in lakes, rivers and even the ocean. Local, easy access Marsh Creek Lake is a joy. Paddles and life jackets included. Instruction provided on request -- including how to get back in the kayak should you find yourself, well, in the water! **FMV:** \$25. **Min. Bid:** \$10. **Offered by:** Jack Butler.



## Silent Auction SERVICES



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- 99 Professional Dog Grooming. Give your pooch an awesome look...who wouldn't want one! I groom one dog at a time, start to finish, by hand. I do not kennel. All my clients get individual calming, gentle attention. A full groom includes nail trim and paw pads, ear cleaning, a bath, blowout and cut of your choosing. **Special Conditions:** Dogs under 50 pounds. **FMV:** \$60. **Min. Bid:** \$25. **Offered by:** Laura Lamirault - DOGallure Grooming.
- 100 House Sitting. I am happy to assist with keeping an eye on your home and it's surroundings while you are away, as well as bringing in the mail and the paper, and plant watering. **Special Conditions:** West Chester area only. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$14. **Offered by:** Cindy Rosenthal.
- 101 Holiday Greens & Floral Centerpiece(s). See ***Artisan Items*** Section.
- 103 Pinot's Palette \$35 Gift Certificate and Holiday-Themed Painting. At Pinot's Palette, a local artist guides you through painting step-by-step. Paint. Drink. Have fun! [www.pinotspalette.com/exton](http://www.pinotspalette.com/exton) **Special Conditions:** Expires 10/3/2019. **FMV:** \$35. **Min. Bid:** \$ 15. **Offered by:** Pinot's Palette.

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## ◆◆◆ Local Businesses ◆◆◆

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| ★ ACAC Fitness & Wellness          | ★ Integrated Wellness Associates of West Chester |
| ★ American Helicopter Museum       | ★ Learning Express                               |
| ★ Appetites on Main                | ★ Longwood Gardens                               |
| ★ Arden Theatre Company            | ★ McGaurn Family Chiropractic                    |
| ★ Asuka Chinese & Japanese Cuisine | ★ Monkey Fish Toys                               |
| ★ Brandywine Ballet                | ★ Mt. Cuba Center                                |
| ★ Brandywine River Museum          | ★ North Star Orchards                            |
| ★ Brickside Grille                 | ★ Now and Zen Yoga                               |
| ★ Broad Run Golfer's Club          | ★ Panera Bread                                   |
| ★ Brother's Pizza & Pasta          | ★ Peter's Salon and European Spa                 |
| ★ Chanticleer Garden               | ★ Pinot's Palette                                |
| ★ Cookies by Design, Exton         | ★ Taco Mar Restaurant                            |
| ★ The Couch Tomato                 | ★ Uptown! Entertainment Alliance                 |
| ★ El Comalito Mexican Taqueria     | ★ Wasabi Chinese & Japanese Restaurant           |
| ★ Giant Food Store, West Chester   | ★ World of Beer, Exton                           |
| ★ Hagley Museum & Library          | ★ YMCA Greater Brandywine                        |
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Nancy Artus, Chair

Steve Sander ◆ Monica Moran ◆ Heidi Frayer

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