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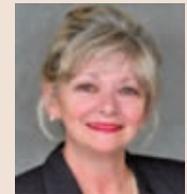
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FROM THE MAIN GATE

Marc Fraser | Director of Security

The Hershey's Mill Security Department would like to remind pedestrians that they should utilize sidewalks, where available.

these areas, pedestrians should use extra caution and be aware that drivers may have a difficult time seeing them. Just because a pedestrian notices the vehicle coming toward them does not mean that the driver has also seen the pedestrian. Both parties should always

Pedestrian Safety



use caution when sharing the roadways within Hershey's Mill!



Where sidewalks are unavailable, pedestrians should utilize the shoulder on the left side of the road facing oncoming traffic, as this allows drivers and pedestrians alike a much better opportunity to see the other approaching.

However, keep in mind that Hershey's Mill roadways also have several "blind spots" (small rises in the road, curves, and other areas of poor visibility). In

Lastly, all pedestrians as well as operators of automobiles, golf carts, and bicycles are required to abide by the traffic rules and regulations of Hershey's Mill on both roadways and walkways. *Thank you!*

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Are you a pool volunteer or interested in volunteering? Then RSVP to Carol at **ASAP** to attend the Orientation Brunch at Roger's on Boot Road. This will take place on **Tuesday, May 5 from 10am to 11:30am.**



POOL OPENS SATURDAY, MAY 23

Once again we welcome the new season with a free hot dog, chips and a drink. The fun starts at noon. Get your ticket when you sign in at the Pool's main gate (the back gate is for deliveries and guard use only).

REVISED POOL HOURS

Working with Donna Dufoe, who is returning for her second year as our pool manager, the Pool Committee has changed the Pool hours to **10:30am to 7:30pm** to accommodate the many residents who wish to swim later in the day. Opening a half hour later also means the air will be a little warmer.

ACQUACISE CLASS

We have expanded the season for the Acquacise class, which will now start the first Tuesday after Memorial Day. Note that the hours have changed for this class. The gates will now open to sign-in at 9:25am and the class will run from **9:45am to 10:30am.** All residents are welcome, but each class is limited to 40 participants. Since conversation at the side of the pool is a distraction to the class and the instructor, we ask that those not participating in the

Pool open May 23 through September 7, 2015
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class wait to enter until the Pool officially opens at 10:30am.

LATE AFTERNOON WORKOUT

Donna Dufoe, a certified Arthritis Foundation Instructor, will offer an



afternoon water workout from **5:30pm to 6:15pm** on **Tuesdays and Thursdays** from June 23 to August 20 (but no class on June 30). The fee will be \$50 for the summer, with a check payable to Donna Dufoe. Look for additional information on the Pool Bulletin Board.

KID FRIENDLY RULES

We know that many residents enjoy spending time at the Pool with their grandchildren, so in an effort to assure the safety and enjoyment of all residents and visitors we have

formulated "Kid Friendly Rules." These were first posted in August 2014 and have been refined for the upcoming season. They are printed in the *HM Pool 2015 Rules & Regulations* insert included with this edition of the *Guide and Digest*. This same information will also be provided on a large poster at the Pool. All residents should read the information, even if they don't have small guests, so that everyone understands our expectations for good pool behavior.

To provide additional activities for "out of the water" times, we are soliciting gently used board games to augment our Cove lending library. Just leave them in the Cove on the bookshelves.

TREASURER FAREWELL AND WELCOME

The Pool Committee is losing our wonderful treasurer, Peter Hensel, who will be moving to Tel Hai with his wife Ann. He has served the Pool well for many years and we thank him and wish him well. We are fortunate that our Pool funds will remain in capable hands as we welcome Michael Heaney as our new treasurer.



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The Green Hill Sewer Association (GHSA) has been providing wastewater treatment for the residents of Hershey's Mill since 1981. In addition to the residents, GHSA supports Wellington and the shopping center.

sylvania Department of Environmental Protection.

Recently, a problem has developed due to the increased use of flushable wipes. These wipes do not disintegrate like toilet paper. A number of sewer authorities across the country have been spending large amounts of money

a rotary screen to shred the waste in the flow entering the plant. Last month, the grinder experienced a failure most probably due to the volume of non-degradable wipe material. In December 2013, the accumulation of wipe material in the system wetwell caused the failure of both primary

least one quarter of the wipe material agitated in water be broken into small enough pieces to pass through a small sieve within three hours. Unfortunately, the time between flushing and arrival at our plant intake is considerably less.

In Hershey's Mill, for example, the maximum time from Yardley to the plant is only 30 minutes. In addition, since the GHSA system is gravity driven, the trip to the plant is not as hard on the wipes as the "slosh-box" test.

To avoid greater operating expense, the Green Hill Sewer Association is asking the cooperation of the Hershey's Mill residents who feel that they want the convenience of these wipes. We are asking that you do not flush the wipes, but rather dispose of them in the trash. We are adopting the motto of the Waukesha, Wisconsin, Sewer Authority: "Keep Wipes out of Pipes."

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Remember, only you can solve this problem.



pumps. Each of these failures increased the cost of operation for GHSA.

Prior to the 2013 failure, the plant wetwell was cleaned twice a year. Because of the large volume of wipe debris, the cleaning has been increased to four times a year. Monthly cleaning is under consideration. The outside contractor charges approximately \$1,200 per cleaning.

The manufacturers of these flushable wipes contend that they do not present a problem. They have conducted a "slosh-box" test, which requires that at

Please Keep Wipes Out Of Pipes

The plant, which is located along Chandler Drive opposite the HM Golf Club, uses an aerobic treatment process. In this process, air is supplied to microorganisms which metabolize the organic material. In the final phase of the treatment, the water is sprayed on permanent and seasonal spray fields including the golf course. Over the years, the treatment process has proven to be efficient, environmentally sound and economical. The current cost of the operation is less than \$20 per month per residence. Since its inception, the plant has been licensed by the Penn-

to address the problem. The Orange County, California, Sanitation District spent \$320,000 in one year on "de-ragging" maintenance calls to ten pump stations. The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission has spent more than 1 million dollars on equipment to shred the wipe material. New York City is currently considering a ban on packaging that indicates that the wipes are flushable unless the product has passed an approved third party test.

In 2007, GHSA purchased and installed a grinder, called a muffin monster, and



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New Facilities Principles

Six Principles For The Design & Building Of New Facilities At Hershey's Mill

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Accessibility, Safety & Security

The design and construction of accessible, safe, and secure facilities is a primary goal for new Hershey's Mill (HM) construction. Accessibility, safety, and security measures will depend on specific requirements, acceptable levels of risk, the cost-effectiveness of the measures proposed for total design efficiency, evaluation of life cycle costs, and the impact these measures have on the design, construction, and use of a new facility.

Conformity

New construction will meet the appropriate building codes and be in synch

with other Hershey's Mill facility design principles. HM understands the importance of codes and standards, which is why it partners with government entities to navigate the dynamic regulatory environment to help identify solutions to improve the environmental and resource performance of HM buildings.

Cost-Effectiveness

Design and construction financing will be realistic and conservative; yet will not compromise the quality of new construction. HM will pursue building design that is cost-effective when it results in benefits equal to those

of alternative designs yet has a lower whole life cost, or total cost of ownership.

Form

Any new facility will be consistent with the aesthetic values of the community and be in harmony with its surroundings. New architectural design will be consistent with the Hershey's Mill image of quality, balance, proportion, appropriate embellishments, and congruity with the environment.

Functionality

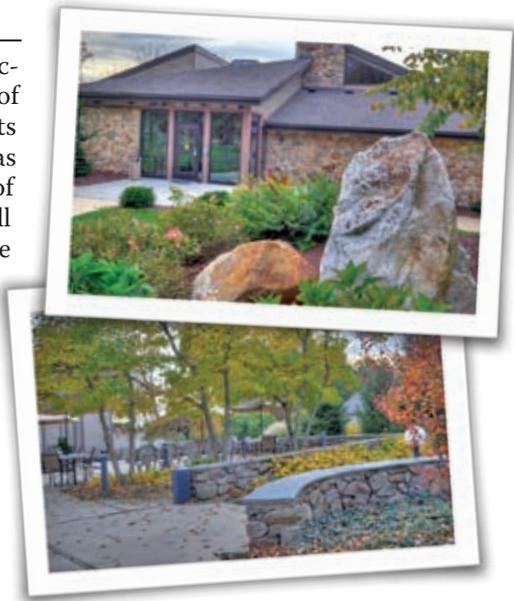
A clear understanding of the functional and physical requirements of a project is essential to ensuring its success. A facility that functions as it is intended is the underpinning of a quality "whole" building. HM will seek facility designs that will provide coherent space that is attractive yet highly usable. New buildings will meet predefined functional design goals with allowance for future expansion, if foreseen.

Sustainability

HM embraces sustainability of design in new facilities. Sustainable building design and construction is the practice of

creating structures and using processes that are environmentally responsible and resource efficient throughout the life cycle of a building – from selecting the site to design, construction, operation, maintenance, renovation, and finally, deconstruction. Sustainable building expands on and complements the classical building design considerations of economy, utility, durability, and comfort.

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**Philadelphia Orchestra -
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Friday, May 1, 2015
Cost: \$14 + Admission
Departs: 6:00pm
Contact: Ann Seraphin

Rarely performed due to the large resources required, Bernstein's Mass is truly a destination concert for audiences and participants alike. Only a few seats available, so call now to reserve your spot.

Reading Fightin' Phils & Fireworks

Saturday, May 2, 2015
Cost: \$24
Departs: 4:30pm
Contact: Marc Fraser

Join us for our first night of baseball in 2015! We will be traveling to FirstEnergy Stadium in Reading, proclaimed by *Stadium Journey Magazine* to be "... easily one of the best parks in the minor leagues at any level

The HM Bus Committee is always looking for more volunteers to share ideas and plan trips! If interested, call Marc Fraser at

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and by nearly any criteria," to watch the Reading Fightin' Phils. This AA minor league affiliate of the Philadelphia Phillies will be taking on the Portland Sea Dogs for a 6pm game. After the game, we will stay to watch MegaBlast III, one of the largest fireworks shows in stadium history. In addition, Scott Rolen, longtime third baseman of the Philadelphia Phillies, and Dan Held will be on hand to be inducted into the Reading Baseball Hall of Fame. Our seats are located in the Section 5 yellow box seats directly behind home plate. Food is on your own at one of the many ballpark concessions. *Children age 8 and older are welcome.*

Penn's Peak - "Branson Fever"

Wednesday, May 6, 2015
Cost: \$62
Departs: 9:00am
Contact: Ann McClay

Experience family dining at Penn's Peak while enjoying a performance of *Branson Fever*. The show features Dave Rehrig of Twitty Fever, the comedy of Crazy Elmer, and a tribute to Dolly Parton! They'll entertain you with favorites like "It's Only Make Believe," "Hello Darlin'," "You've Never Been This Far Before," "I Will Always Love You," "Jolene," "9 to 5," and more. Combine these chart-topping hits with the knee-slappin' comedy of Crazy Elmer, and you've got yourself one sure-fire afternoon of music and fun, country style! From this famous mountaintop venue you will also enjoy a breathtaking overlook of nearby Beltzville Lake, plus a commanding, picturesque 50-mile panoramic view of northeastern Pennsylvania's Appalachian Mountains. Lunch and show are included in the price.



Penn's Peak - "A Tribute To Elvis"

Tuesday, May 12, 2015
Cost: \$66
Departs: 9:00am
Contact: Ann McClay

Experience family dining and live entertainment at *Mike Albert & the Big E Band: A Tribute to Elvis*. Mike Albert's "Ultimate Tribute" show has become known worldwide for the respectful portrayal of the late Elvis Presley. Mike won several major world Elvis contests and demand for his shows resulted in a seven piece Big "E" Band, to emulate the sound Elvis' band had in the Vegas shows and on tour. Mike's powerful voice lends itself well to every type of Elvis' music - 50s, 60s, and 70s rock and roll and love songs, as well as gospel; he sings it all! There is also a breathtaking overlook of nearby Beltzville Lake, plus a commanding, picturesque 50-mile panoramic view of northeastern Pennsylvania's Appalachian mountains. Lunch and show are included in the price.

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Fightins



Save all the Dates!
 May 1, 2, 6, 12, 13, 25, 28, 29
 June 6, 7, 8, 19, 22
 July 18

Walnut Street Theatre - "Memphis"

Thursday, May 28, 2015
Saturday, June 6, 2015
 Cost: \$40
 Departs: 12:30pm
 Contact: Ruth Sugar (5/28 show)



Contact: Connie Cline (6/6 show)

From the underground dance clubs of 1950s Memphis comes a musical that bursts off the stage with explosive dancing, irresistible songs and a thrilling tale of fame and forbidden love. Inspired by actual events, Memphis is about a radio DJ who wants to change the world and a club singer who is ready for her big break.

Philadelphia Phillies

Friday, May 29, 2015
 Cost: \$49
 Departs: 4:45pm
 Contact: Priscilla Burt

Join us for an evening of baseball at Citizen's Bank Park as we watch our Philadelphia Phillies take on the Colorado Rockies in a 7:05pm game! Tickets have been pre-purchased, and seating this season has been upgraded to Sec-

tion 211. Food is on your own at one of the many ballpark concessions. *Children age 8 and older are welcome.*

Schuylkill Riverboat Tour & Bartram's Garden

Sunday, June 7, 2015
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 Departs: 10:00am
 Contact: Priscilla Burt

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New York City

Wednesday, June 19, 2015
 Cost: \$29
 Departs: 8:00am
 Contact: Bobbi Rubenstein

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Guide Dog School - Morristown, NJ

Saturday, July 18, 2015
 Cost: \$67
 Departs: 7:30am
 Contact: Joan Wood

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DuPont Theatre - "Guys & Dolls"

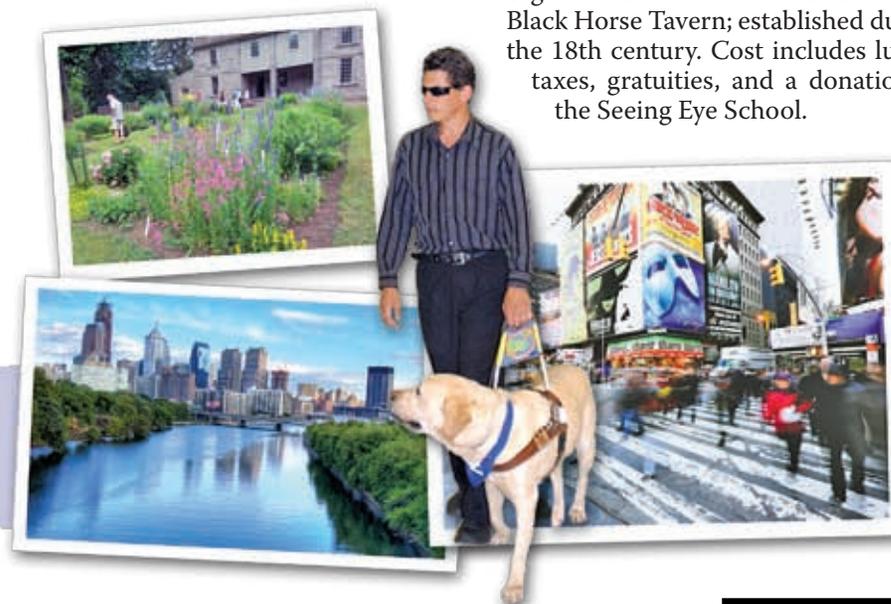
Wednesday, May 13, 2015
 Cost: \$14 + Ticket
 Departs: 12:30pm
 Contact: Ruth Sugar

This Damon Runyon oddball romantic comedy, set in his mythical New York City, soars with the spirit of Broadway! The cost is bus only and ticket must be purchased on your own.

Delaware Park

Monday, May 25, 2015
Monday, June 8, 2015
Monday, June 22, 2015
 Cost: \$14 + Lunch
 Departs: 10:15am
 Contact: B.J. VanSchooneveld

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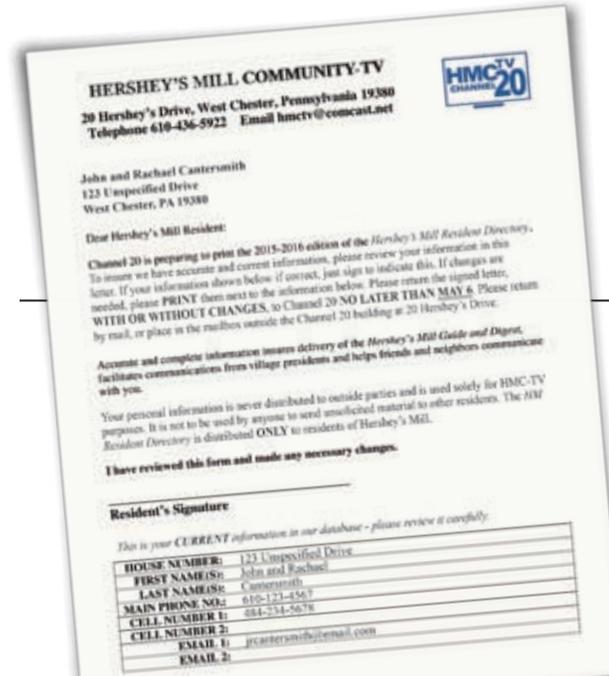
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Gay Barry | Quaker

Anyone who has lived in the West Chester area for a while is familiar with the name Spence as in restaurant. But if we had a life span of more than a hundred years, we would have known the very same thing. For if you walked down Gay Street you certainly would recognize the salty smell of seafood – cooked shellfish to be exact. From 1849 to 1910, the Spence family



restaurant was considered the best in town. “Specializing in oysters, fried clams, snapper soup and excellent chowder, spiced with horseradish grown in the restaurant’s basement,” it was said.

Until a few years ago, the Spence Café, open for 15 years, was housed in the very same building. You may remember that the first floor had two dining areas separated by an enclosed stairway to the second floor. This was designed purposely so that the right side was open to ladies. On the left was the saloon bar open to “gents” only. Oh the good, old days.

Chef Andrew Patten owned and operated that restaurant; and now he has brought that same know-how to Spence

312. Patten is excited that Spence 312 is a BYOB. “I’m concentrating on the food and dinner only,” he said. Baked Lancaster goat cheese gets high marks as an appetizer. And his delicious short ribs are braised for four hours. These are just two of the favorites on the menu. The focaccia bread and soup stocks are all hand crafted. Somewhat amazing is that Chef Patten also makes all of the desserts. He is a busy man in the kitchen. Fortunately, he does have a sous chef.

Spence 312 is committed to using organic and locally grown produce, and sustainable meat and seafood, whenever possible. We are fortunate to be living in an



area where “fresh” everything is possible. Agriculture continues to thrive in Lancaster County where the farms are maintained so beautifully and stir the soul. The pride in farming is just a stone’s throw from Hershey’s Mill. We can count our blessings.

Golden-colored walls feature impressive paintings and soft lighting allows for a calming atmosphere. In the background one can hear the voices of Frank Sinatra, Louis Armstrong, Nat King

Cole and other crooners; the sounds from when music was music. Our server Michael was fun and helpful.

The menu offers small plates, greens, full plates, sides and desserts. The servings are generous but not overwhelming. Both Jack and I, and our friend, took home a



special care in preparation is the goal. Jack had boneless short ribs with red wine demi-glace and a choice of fingerling potatoes, cauliflower, or parsnip puree – his choice. Our friend and I had braised chicken in phyllo accompanied with spinach, orange and fennel salad. This is recommended highly. Other choices are seared scallops, cioppino, steak fritz, and a grilled pork chop with maple brine, apple fig chutney and rosemary polenta.

A wide choice of house-made desserts are so tempting. We three shared one – a baked apple cake

portion of our entrée; they were still tasty the next day.

Signature dishes in small plates include the baked goat cheese and seasonal grilled flat bread. In keeping with the original Spence of the 1800s, chilled oysters on the half shell are offered as well as grilled marinated shrimp. Middle neck clams with garlic, white wine and lemon butter, as well as steamed mussels, round out the seafood small plates selections. Three salads are available and also soup of the day. The hearts of romaine salad, spiced with roasted walnuts, Maytag bleu cheese and red onion dressed with balsamic vinaigrette, is delightful.

For entrées there is something that should please everyone. There are a limited but reasonable number of selections which, to me, means that

Spence 312

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with caramel ice cream and fresh fruit – the platter was “licked clean.”

In the spring, Spence 312 will open the back patio, which will seat about 50 people. There is also a private room upstairs that can be used for parties. Spence 312 is an upscale BYOB, and reservations are suggested. It is open for dinner Tuesday through Saturday.

Spence 312 is an excellent addition to West Chester, a destination already known for its exceptional restaurants. Spence 312 was recommended to us by friends, and we are so happy it was.

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Joe Kennedy | Princeton

In March 1898, Samuel W. Pennypacker wrote to Henry Mercer about Mercer's publication of a paper on Fraktur, the hand-printed and brightly colored works of Pennsylvania German folk art often used as family documents. Though Pennypacker found the paper interesting, he suggested that before Mercer had written on the subject he should have talked to him and seen his collection of Frakturs.

This was the beginning of an 18-year correspondence between two of the leading scholars of their day in our region. Pennypacker was a Philadelphian who spent his later years as a country squire on a Montgomery County estate; Mercer spent most of his life in Bucks County.



While Ella Aderman was administrator of the Pennypacker Mills historic site in Schwenksville, she edited 23 letters of the Pennypacker-Mercer correspondence from 1898 to 1916. These letters represented an

exchange of ideas on common interests between two Pennsylvania gentlemen of taste and offer insight into upper-class values of the time.

Reading between the lines of these letters an impression is left that the men had developed, from afar, a personal admiration for each other, although at first glance their relationship appears unlikely.

Pennypacker had an outgoing, robust personality; he was a man

of action as well as of ideas, and was a well-known reform politician. Mercer, on the other hand, was aloof, arrogant, a big fish in a small pond and little known outside of Bucks County. Yet the men shared

Henry Mercer

an interest in the collection of local antiques and in local history. Each had written a number of books on these subjects.

Pennypacker was born in Phoenixville in 1843 into a middle-class family. He received his basic education from private schools in Philadelphia. In 1863, at age 20, he joined the 26th Emergency Regiment of the Pennsylvania Volunteers and saw combat at Gettysburg. After the war he earned a law

degree from the University of Pennsylvania and began a law practice in Philadelphia. In 1889 he was appointed

a judge in the Court of Common Pleas. During this time he developed an interest in history. His writing led to the collection of art and pottery connected with colonial Pennsylvania.

Pennypacker also embraced the Progressive Movement late in the 19th cen-

tury.

This was a national bipartisan reform movement that opposed the undemocratic influence of big business into the political, economic and social life of the country. From 1903 to 1907 he was the conservative but reform-minded Republican governor of the commonwealth. During his administration he changed voting practices by passing laws regarding voter registration and election fraud. He also developed pure-food regulations, improved public roads and passed measures to conserve the state's forest and water resources. He retired to Pennypacker Mills, his estate in Mont-



gomery County, and lived as a country gentleman and elder statesman.

Henry C. Mercer was born in Doylestown in 1856 and was raised on his family's farm. As a young man, he inherited a fortune from a wealthy widowed aunt. At Harvard College, which he entered



Samuel Pennypacker

in 1875, he was an excellent student in art, architecture and history. By the time he was 30 he had traveled throughout Europe and the near East and had a knowledge and passion for archaeology. When he was 34 he took a full-time job as a manager with the University of Pennsylvania Museum of Science, where he spent several years involved in a field study, looking for

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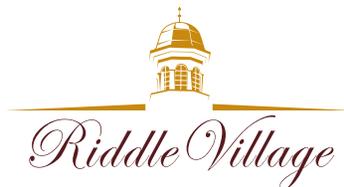


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evidence of people who lived in North America during the Ice Age.

In 1897 Mercer left the museum and became a legendary figure in Bucks County history. With the help of a few workers he built the Mercer Museum to house his collection of pre-1850 tools; his castle home, Fonthill and the Moravian Pottery & Tile Works, all in the Doylestown area. In addition, he was a great promoter of the work of the Bucks County Historical Society. When Pennypacker was governor, Mercer's tiles were installed in the rotunda of the Capitol.

“While there appears to be no documentation of how Mercer received that commission, Pennypacker did know Mercer ... and had used his tiles in his own home,” Aderman wrote. To date

Aderman has uncovered no evidence that Pennypacker and Mercer ever met, although Mercer did visit Pennypacker Mills once – when Pennypacker wasn't there – to do some research on stove plates for his book *Bible in Iron*.

The last connection between these two men was in 1916 when Pennypacker was outspoken in his public support of Germany in World War I while the United States was still neutral. At the time Pennypacker was president of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania and there were members who wanted to vote him out. Mercer wrote a letter to the secretary of the society, supporting Pennypacker and cast his proxy vote for him. When Pennypacker died in September 1916 he was still president of the society. Mercer died in 1930.

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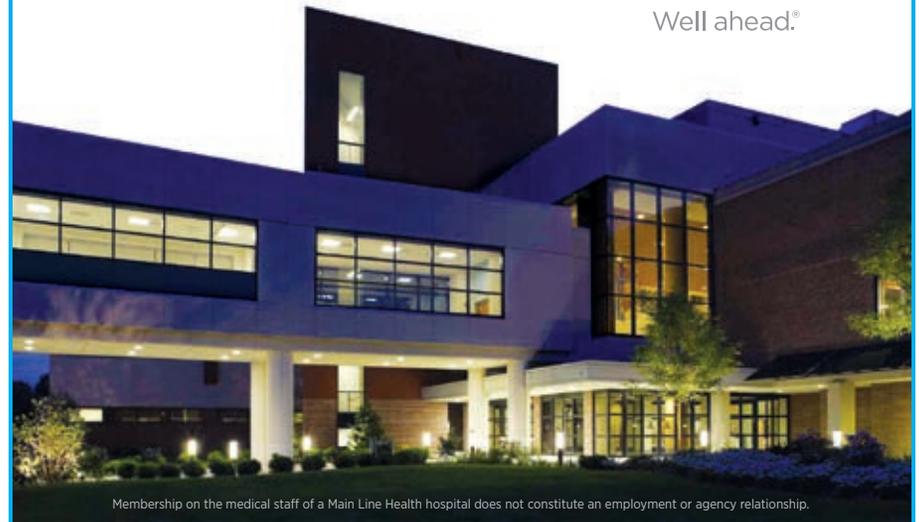
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Helen Ziegler | Franklin

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HM SPORTS GROUP

Reade Nimick | Lincoln

Well, sports fans, we hope you noticed that it's spring. You probably did when you got your electric bill that looked almost normal! And normal is also the operative word for all the sport activities at the HMSG "playground" near the Pool, which should be opening near the end of this month.

For tennis, we can report that Al Braverman has planned several round-robins (these began on April 18). Make sure to keep an eye out for these and join in. The time is **9:30am on Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays**. Note also that players should be in the 2.5-3.5 range. Need more information? Email Al at

(note that there is no "n" at the end of his email name).

For those that don't play tennis, many of the other activities are going strong as well. Bocce has tournaments in the making. Horseshoes is looking for "ringers." And shuffleboard is ready to continue what you were doing in Florida (or wherever you were). Enjoy!

HM HOME SALES REVIEW - FIRST QUARTER 2015

Lynne Carter | Kennett

Spring is here! As according to Mother Nature as well as the Hershey's Mill Real Estate Market. Sales through the end of the first quarter, March 31, 2015, total 14 properties. This equates to over \$4.7 million. Homes were on the market (DOM) an average of 34 days.

In addition to these 14 sales, another 10 homes are under contract awaiting settlement through the end of May. The average time from the sales contract to settlement day is negotiable between the buyer and seller; however this quarter's results reflect an average of 6-7 weeks.



We have 21 homes that are being actively marketed as of March 31; and 4 of these have a signed sales contract and are working on satisfying contingencies. This number has been increasing over the past few months as sellers are deciding to move to the next phase of their residential lifestyle. We continue to see a strong demand for HM homes of all varieties. There is a waiting list of buyers who are "ready now"

and just waiting for the HM home of their dreams to come to market.

Our Community Open House is on **May 3, 2015** from **1pm to 4pm**. This is the third year of this event and has proven to be an excellent way to showcase our Community, its amenities, lifestyle and home sites.

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EAST GOSHEN COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

Janet Emanuel | Inverness

A task force is on target to get the East Goshen Comprehensive Plan adopted before the end of 2015. On **Thursday, June 11 at 7pm**, at the Township Building, there will be a public meeting to present the Plan for comments. Prior to the meeting, the draft plan will be available on the East Goshen website (eastgoshen.org).

The Comprehensive Plan is a vision of what we want East Goshen to look like in the next 10 years, and how to accomplish that vision. Since we are



mostly built out, some of the main topics are development of a town center and a bicycle/pedestrian trail along Paoli Pike. The trail is part of the Chester County comprehensive plan.

The Township has received a grant for a feasibility study and

master plan for the Paoli Pike trail. A consultant has been hired and a committee formed. The plan will discuss possible placement of the trail, engineering, environmental concerns, traffic, and funding grants – among other points. The plan is expected to be presented by year end.



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Travels with Kay - Part 2 <i>With Demi Neilson</i> Further discussion of visits to Southeast Asia; Singapore, Thailand, Malaysia and Indonesia.	10:15 am	4:15 pm	7:15 pm	12:15 am
HM Sports Group Spring Preview - Part 1 <i>With Demi Neilson</i> Demi interviews Helen Greco and Roger Karr about the tennis, pickleball and bocce activities that started this spring.	10:30 am	4:30 pm	7:30 pm	12:30 am
HM Sports Group Spring Preview - Part 2 <i>With Demi Neilson</i> Demi, Helen and Roger continue their discussion about sports activities and tournaments.	10:45 am	4:45 pm	7:45 pm	12:45 am

Movies Noon and 8:30pm	May 1-8 Desperately Seeking Susan (PG-13) <i>Rosanna Arquette and Madonna</i> A bored New Jersey housewife decides to spy on the free-spirited Susan. [Run time 1h44m]		
	May 9-15 The Elephant Man (PG) <i>John Hart and Anthony Hopkins</i> Based on the true story of a disfigured man in Victorian England working as a sideshow freak and the doctor who helps him. [Run time 2h3m]		

Bulletin Board	1:00am-10:00am	11:00am-Noon	Following the movie until 4:00pm
	5:00pm-7:00pm	8:00pm-8:30pm	Following the movie until Midnight

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Original Programming	May 16-31, 2015			
East Goshen Historical Commission <i>With Ellen Carmody and Dolores Higgins</i> Artisans will be demonstrating the crafts of 1800 at historic Goshenville on Saturday, June 6.	10:00 am	4:00 pm	7:00 pm	12 am
Summer at the Pool - 2014 <i>With Sandy Loose</i> A look back at some Hershey's Mill Pool fun in 2014. A slide show courtesy of Sandy Loose.	10:15 am	4:15 pm	7:15 pm	12:15 am
Summer at the Pool - 2015 <i>With Carol Campanelli</i> Join Donna Dufoe and Sandy Loose for a preview of the fun things planned for Summer 2015.	10:30 am	4:30 pm	7:30 pm	12:30 am
Death Knell V <i>With Lee McCarthy</i> The fifth publication of a short story murder mysteries collection written by authors who live in the Delaware Valley. Two authors, J. D. Shaw and K. B. Inglee, are interviewed.	10:45 am	4:45 pm	7:45 pm	12:45 am

Movies Noon and 8:30pm	May 16-23 My Best Friend's Wedding (PG-13) <i>Julia Roberts and Dermot Mulroney</i> A writer discovers she loves her long time male friend when he calls about his impending marriage. [Run time 1h45m]		
	May 24-31 Untamed Heart (PG-13) <i>Christian Slater and Marisa Tomei</i> A Minneapolis waitress with severe relationship problems falls for a quiet busboy with a medical condition. [Run time 1h42m]		

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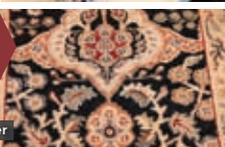


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Jerred Golden | Director of Grounds

In January of 2012, I attended a turf conference that changed the way we manage bunkers forever. It did not start out that way. I was in that session to hear a speaker on golf course architecture. I stayed for the next presenter, who happened to be Dan Meersman, the Golf Course Superintendent from the Philadel-

phia Cricket Club. Dan had just started a company called Matrix Bunker System and he was giving an overview of how the system worked. The Matrix system is comprised of porous asphalt that had been used for other commercial uses for decades but was tweaked for use with bunker sand. I left that talk convinced that the Matrix system was just what we needed to extend the life of our bunkers.

Golf is a lot of walking broken up by disappointment and bad arithmetic.

The Club has invested a ton of capital over the years rebuilding bunkers only to see them contaminated again with silt and rocks just a few years later. The contamination is caused by heavy rains washing the sand off the bunker face and exposing the clay liner to the

weather. The soil would mix with the sand and the drainage system would be compromised. We had tried fabric liners in the past, but they all had their drawbacks; not the least of which was that foxes like to dig them up.

In the months that followed, we talked to Dan and other golf courses that had the Matrix system installed and asked



about their experience with installation, maintenance and cost. We also looked at other pervious bunker systems but the Matrix had several benefits that the others did not. Most important to us was the flexibility of the installation timing. Matrix can go in any time of year from March

to almost December; which, for most years, works out well with our bunker construction schedule.

The nuts and bolts of the Matrix bunker construction are simple. We rebuild the bunker the same way the archi-

Now during a heavy rain the water quickly drains into the Matrix and exits the bunker through the drain pipes protecting the sand from contamination. The first bunkers using the Matrix system were constructed in

A New Way to Build Bunkers



tect designed it except we dig it four inches deeper to accommodate the Matrix. A two inch layer of drainage stone is placed over the finished bunker, then a two inch layer of the Matrix permeable asphalt goes on top of that. Once it cools and sets over night you place six inches of sand in and you are done.

2012, on the right side of 4 green and the fairway bunker on 2, and they are performing better that we had hoped for. Since then we have completed holes three and eight; and number one is coming this spring. It adds a couple of thousand dollars to the cost of each bunker but we recover that very quickly when you consider how much labor goes into shoveling the sand back onto the slope after a rain and the extended life we will get out of each project.

Golf Tip

The technology in today's equipment is simply awesome. The newest equipment can help your best shots; but more importantly, they should definitely improve your bad. However, most golfers may rely too much on this technology for their improvement, ignoring some basics of the game. First is the physical skill. Hitting the ball long and accurate, plus having touch around the green, can only come from hitting lots

of balls and playing lots of golf. Second is the mental side of the game. This means having the ability to maintain focus and manage your emotions throughout the round. Last is properly reading the elements. This consists of proper club selection, target line, and reading break on the greens. The latest and greatest can get you far, but for the rest of it you just need to get out and play!

Matt Harvey, PGA

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FOR SALE Moving and would like to sell items. Cherry wood **executive desk**. \$500. Leather **swivel chair**. \$100. Oak **roll top desk**. \$2,500. Any reasonable offer will be considered. Call Stephen at

FOR SALE Crate and Barrel cream colored queen size **wrought iron bed**. Crate and Barrel cream colored **end tables**. For Donegal's end unit loft room: **portable A/C**, 4 years old with window attachment for venting. Williamsburg brass **andirons plus log grate**. **Electric heater** looks like black wood stove. Over-the-mantle **mirror** with gold frame. Chinese **wall screen**. Small Sony **stereo CD/radio**, teak. 2009 **Honda CRV**, black, 32,000 miles; for sale in June. Call Sally at

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APPLE MAC CONNECTION

Carol Campanelli | Ulster

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If you missed Bob's early April Channel 20 interview explaining the basics of using your iPad, you can view the program, as well as additional tips, by watching the program on your computer. To do so, go to www.hersheysmill.org, select TV & Digest, HMC-TV20, and Original Programming; choose the programming for April 1-15, 2015.



ART GROUP

Dave Linton | Springton

We are a casual group with all levels of artistic talent who meet **Wednesdays from 12:30pm to 3pm** upstairs at the Community Center. Gather whatever art supplies you might have around and

join us. To see some of our artwork, check out the gallery areas on the first level of the Community Center near the ramp and kitchen.

BABY BOOMERS

Christy Herschel | Kennett

There will be a meeting of the club on **Saturday, May 10, at 4pm** in the Main Hall of the Community Center. Contact _____ for more information or go to hersheysmill.org/category/baby-boomers-club/.

BABY BOOMERS BOOK CLUB

Mary Kay Hagerty | Heatherton

The Boys in the Boat
by Daniel J. Brown

Nine working class American boys from the West Coast make the run to the 1936 Olympics. On **May 19**, join us in the Sullivan House for a lively discussion of this book. On June 16, we will discuss *Mary Coin* by Marissa Silver.

BOOK CLUB

Anne McAssey | Merrifield
Audene Paulson | Eaton

The Orphan Train
by Christina Baker Kline

Between 1854 and 1929, an Orphan Train travelled between the East Coast and the Midwest. Read the parallel stories of Vivian, an old woman who was an orphan, and Molly, a foster teen.

Visit us as we talk about this book on **May 14 at 2pm** at the Sullivan House.

CHESS CLUB

Miki Sugar | Quaker

Meetings of the club are on **Thursdays at 1:30pm** in the Sullivan House. New

members, or for additional information, please call Miki Sugar at _____.

COMPUTER CLUB

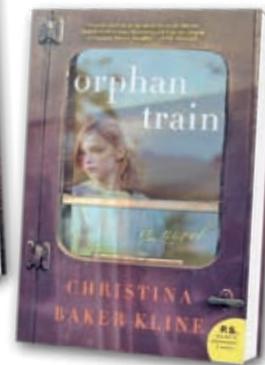
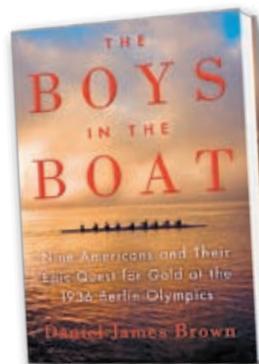
Don Trauger | Kennett

Be sure to attend the PC Club meeting **Tuesday, May 12 at 7pm** in the Ardmore Room of the Community Center. There is a new topic discussed each month, as well as a question and answer segment. So bring your questions and we will make an effort to get you answers.

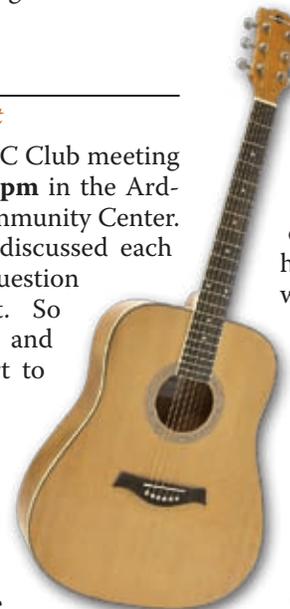
CASUAL SINGING GROUP

Sally Thompson | Franklin

I didn't think that the accompaniment for our casual singing group could get any better, but it did! We had guest accompanists with us in March – a husband and wife team that are friends



with the original editors of *Rise Up Singing* so they knew every tune we requested from that book. They, with their personally edited song book, have



agreed to join (whenever they can) the existing five that make such a great sound; so we will have the best of the best for each book of lyrics from which we might choose a song. We can have as much fun choosing a song as we do in singing it! Please join us whenever you can so we can make our voices heard above the guitars. People who think they "can't sing" may surprise themselves; when their voices blend in so well with the music that they don't have to worry about how "bad" they think they are – and they can just enjoy the party! Start the merry month of May off right, and join us on the top floor of the Community Center on **May 6 at 7pm**.

DOMINOES

Sheila DiCroce | Devon

Join us for Mexican train dominoes and some fun with your neighbors. We meet from **1pm to 3:30pm on Wednesdays** upstairs in the Community Center. For additional information call _____.

OPEN BUNCO

Agnes O'Leary | Eaton

Open Bunco meets the **second Tuesday of the month** through April (with the exception of November) at the Community Center Hall. All are welcome, so bring your friends and neighbors. A \$3 fee is paid at the door and used for prizes that night. **Doors open at 6:30pm** for socialization with the game promptly

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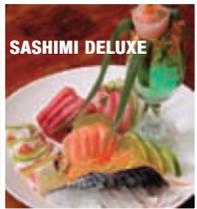
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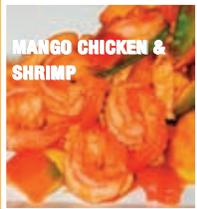


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Pinochle is a fun game and provides healthy mental activity. Our members are patient and enjoy interacting with new members. If you would like more details about our club, please call our chairperson Erna at _____.

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PHOTOGRAPHY-CAMERA GROUP

Carol Poling | Oakmont

We are looking to start a new group for experienced and amateur photographers who would be interested in sharing their experiences, knowledge and photographs. If you are interested, please call Carol at _____.

PINOCHLE CLUB

Erna Graham | Franklin

The club meets in the upper room of the Community Center on the **first and third Tuesdays** of each month, with play from **1pm to 3pm**. We are low key and welcome anyone who has previously played or would like to learn to play the game. We do not play for money, and we start promptly at 1pm.

STRESS MANAGEMENT

Anita Weeks | Kennett

There are 20 remedies that you might want to know about so that you could relax enough to have your body start healing itself. Our benefit is to use different parts of the brain with different remedies so that if one part of yourself is under stress you can find a remedy for it. Meditation is excellent, but if your body is carrying the stress you might want to use one of the physical remedies such as affirmations to have your physical self breathe better. Affirmations have a direct effect on the body. We meet in the Billiards Room on **Thursdays at 7pm**. Call Anita at _____ for more information.

Don Trauger | Kennett

If you have ever ventured into the Control Panel of a Windows 8.1 PC and clicked the Action Center icon (click View by: Large Icons) you will see two items, Security and Maintenance.

be. Here's what it does: It will check the hard drive for errors and defragment/optimize the drive. It also checks Windows Updates and runs a System Diagnostic, but it doesn't clean up or remove junk files (such as temporary Internet files and other unneeded files).

Using the Action Center in Windows 8.1

Security is handled partly by your anti-virus program and should show On, and On or OK for the other listed items. If you click Maintenance you can peruse Check for Solutions to Problem Reports, and within this category you can view the Privacy Statement, Settings, and View Reliability History. The first two items you can leave alone. The Reliability History will show you an interesting graph of your system's past problems. Clicking the various problems will allow you to view them in detail. Any consistent failure pattern should be reviewed and corrected.

Next is Automatic Maintenance. It's probably *not* what you think it may

It's up to the user to run CCleaner (my recommended free download program) and Microsoft's Disk Cleanup to perform the job correctly. Clicking Start Maintenance manually starts Automatic Maintenance (which would normally run when the system is idle). If you click Change Maintenance Settings you can change the time the Automatic Maintenance will start; providing the computer is turned on and is idle at that time.

Homegroup is only used when you have networked two or more computers for a file sharing requirement or for printer sharing.

File History is used when you want to back up your personal files. You can plug in a USB thumb drive or a USB external hard drive that will be used to back up your files. Once you assign the drive, the rest is automatic. I highly rec-

ommend using this feature. To use, click Change Settings or click the File History icon in the Control Panel. Click on Restore Personal Files to restore files to their original location by clicking the arrow in the green circle. Click Run Now to manually start a back up.

Drive Status is checked under the Automatic Maintenance routine and will indicate to you any problems it finds. Normally you should see OK and All Drives Are Working Properly.

Device Software checks the device drivers for proper operation. If a newer driver is available, you can click Windows Update (in the Control Panel) and click Optional Updates to down-

load and install. If the drivers are up to date and working properly, you should see No Action Needed.



With regard to Automatic Maintenance, my conclusion is that this is a misnomer since it leaves an important part of the maintenance up to you. However, running CCleaner and the Disk Cleanup programs *in conjunction with* Automatic Maintenance should keep your computer in good shape.

To help with questions about this topic, or any PC subject, the PC Club meets on the second Tuesday of every month at 7pm upstairs in the Ardmore room of the Community Center.

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ASSORTED NEWS

Donna Spoto | Ulster

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We continue to get ready for our annual book sale September 12 and 13. Books in good condition are being accepted. DVDs, audio books, and puzzles (all pieces only, please) are also needed.

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Peggy McReynolds | Yardley Librarian

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RECIPES

Starting this month with Cinco de Mayo in mind is never a bad thing – foods full of fresh flavors with just the right amount of “spicy.” There are cooks who sweat all the traditional details, and those who believe that nearly anything with salsa on it qualifies as a Mexican delicacy. We’ve put together a few salsa recipes sure to be a hit whichever approach you use. These are healthy, store well, and are great to have on hand – which is a good thing since we believe in the Mexican proverb “Mas vale llegar a tiempo que ser invitado” (It is better to drop in at the right time than to be invited). Mix up a batch and put out the welcome mat!

Watermelon Salsa

- 2 cups diced seedless watermelon
- ½ cup diced seedless cucumber
- ½ cup diced tomato
- ¼ cup diced red onion
- ¼ cup diced bell pepper
- 1 jalapeño pepper, seeded and minced
- ¼ cup chopped fresh cilantro
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 2 teaspoons fresh lime juice

Combine all ingredients and let chill for 30 minutes. Serve chilled.



cool and cut corn off cob. Combine with other ingredients and let chill for 30 minutes.

Mango & Avocado Salsa

- 2 mangoes, peeled and chopped
- 2 avocados, peeled and diced
- ¾ cup chopped green onions
- 1 bell pepper, seeded and diced
- 1 jalapeño pepper, seeded and minced
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- 3 tablespoons fresh lime juice

Combine all ingredients and serve right away at room temperature.



Salsa Fresca

- 4 small tomatoes, chopped
- ½ cup diced red onion
- 2 tablespoons cilantro, minced
- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- ½ jalapeño pepper, seeded and minced
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon black pepper
- ¼ teaspoon chilli powder
- ¼ teaspoon cumin powder
- Pinch cayenne pepper

Combine all ingredients and let chill for 30 minutes.

Charred Corn Salsa

- 2 ears of corn, husks removed
- ½ cup fresh cilantro, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 jalapeño pepper, seeded and minced
- ½ medium red onion, chopped
- 1 ½ cups seeded and chopped tomato
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper

Boil corn 6 minutes, then rotate on a grill or gas flame until charred slightly;

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