

THE PRIME TIMES

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The Center at *Spring Street*

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DATE SAVER NOTICE

Thursday, March 2 2017

Veteran's Benefits

Robert Melson, Berks VA

Wednesday, March 8, 2017

10 a.m. "Nutritional Tips for a Healthier You" By Beth Hiriak

Thursday, March 9, 2017

11:15 a.m. Ctr Membership Mtg
1 p.m. Musical Entertainment by "Dancin' Chairs" by Holly Beebee

Friday, March 10, 2017

7 – 10 p.m. Senior Senior Prom
"The Classic Touch Band

Thursday, March 16, 2017

42 Anniversary Celebration
1 p.m. Musical Entertainment provided by "The Spring Street Songsters"

Dining Set Raffle Drawing

Friday, March 17, 2017

1 p.m. Grocery BINGO

Tuesday, March 28, 2017

Homemade Sweets & Treats Raffle

Tuesday BINGO at 10:45 a.m.

Monday, March 27, 2017

Birthday Party

1 p.m. Musical Entertainment provided by Karl Hausman

The Center at Spring Street
is a program of
Boyertown Area Multi-Service, Inc.

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Center Hours
9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Monday thru Friday

From Lori's Desk....

Unfortunately, Punxsutawney Phil saw his shadow on Groundhogs Day which means six more weeks of winter. Just a reminder that the Center's closing does not coincide with the Boyertown Area School District. Please look for Center cancellations on WFMZ (Channel 69) TV and the Center's answering machine (610-367-2313) by 7 a.m.

On Thursday, March 2nd at 1 p.m., Robert Melson a representative from the Berks County Department of Veterans Affairs will be here to offer important information about the three categories of benefits, Healthcare, Disability Compensation, Death and Burial that may be available to veterans and/or survivors.

Do you love to dance but want to stay off your feet? Then you will want to join us on Thursday, March 9th at 1 p.m. for Dancin' Chairs with Holly Beebee. Dancin' Chairs is a lively and engaging dance class and you never have to get out of your chair! We'll dance to "Can't Help Falling in Love", "Sweet Caroline", and even "YMCA"! This is guaranteed to be a whole lot of fun!!!

The Senior Senior Prom is set for Friday, March 10th from 7-10 p.m. The Center at Spring Street and the Boyertown Area Senior High School's National Honor Society students along with Class Advisor Jamison Renfro partner to spend an evening of mingling, dancing and a lot of fun and at the same time bridging the gap between two generations. This year's theme is "Love is in the Air". The students will decorate the Center and provide delicious refreshments, while the Center provides the venue, dance band and the beverages. Admission is free, but advance registration if required. Please call the Center to register.

The Center will be celebrating its 42nd Anniversary Celebration on Thursday, March 16th with a Pennsylvania Dutch theme. The menu will include cole slaw, fried chicken with chicken gravy, potato filling, mixed vegetables and shoo fly pie. Our very own Spring Street Songsters will provide the musical entertainment beginning at 1 p.m. There will be favors for everyone in attendance. The cost will be \$6 per person and reservations will begin on Wednesday, March 1st. Payment is due at time of reservation. The winner of the Broadmoore 9 piece counter height dining set will also be drawn! Don't miss this fun celebration!

“EARLY BIRD” BREAKFAST PROGRAM



March 3, 2017

Croissant Sandwich
(bacon, egg & cheese)

OR

Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Bacon

March 10, 2017

Waffles and Bacon

OR

Scrambled Eggs, Potatoes, Bacon

March 17, 2017

Croissant Sandwich
(bacon, egg & cheese)

OR

Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Bacon

March 24, 2017

Golden Oven Omelet & Ham

OR

Pancakes & Ham

March 31, 2017

Croissant Sandwich
(bacon, egg & cheese)

OR

Scrambled Eggs, Potatoes, Sausage

Served with coffee, tea, juice, cereal, toast,
pastry or muffins, and fruit – Cost - \$3.00

Breakfast served promptly at 8:00 A.M.

Please sign-up 2 days in advance.

Menu is subject to change.

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MULTI-SERVICE/CENTER TOURS

There is always something new to learn about Boyertown Area Multi-Service! Whether new to the area or a long-time resident of the community, come join our staff and volunteers for an engaging tour of Multi-Service and The Center at Spring Street and learn about the many services we provide, programs to get involved with and the numerous ways you can lend support to this agency. We will be offering tours on Tuesday, March 14th at 10 a.m. Please call the Center at 610-367-2313 to make your tour reservation.

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SUBSTITUTE BUS DRIVER

Boyertown Area Multi-Service is currently seeking a substitute bus driver to

drive the Center bus 2 days a month as well sub for our full time bus driver when needed. A CDL license is required. If interested, please contact Karen Youse at 610-367-6957.

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PICK 3 EVENING LOTTERY

The Pick 3 Evening Lottery tickets for April are now available at the Center for \$5 each. There will be a \$50 winner every day in April. Take a chance and support the Center in the process!

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COLORING WITH A PURPOSE WITH JULIE LONGACRE

Please join us for an evening at the Center with accomplished local artist, Julie Longacre, as she takes us step by step in coloring one of her drawings created exclusively for The Center at Spring Street. Copies of Julie’s drawings and colored pencils will be available for use free of charge, but participants are welcome to bring their own pencils if they wish. Advance registration is requested. Children 5 years of age or older accompanied by an adult are welcome to attend. Please register at the Center or by calling the Center at 610-367-2313.

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AAA DRIVER IMPROVEMENT COURSES

Driving is a skill that can and should be continually improved. A driver improvement course is packed with up-to-date safe driving techniques and can help sharpen your skills. The Center will be hosting a 4 Hour Renewal AAA Driver Improvement Course on Tuesday, April 24th from 9:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. The cost for the 4 Hour Course will be \$10 for AAA members, \$15 for non-members and couples (both need to be AAA members), and the course is free to Veterans.

The Center will also be hosting an 8 Hour First Timer AAA Driver Improvement Course on Wednesday, April 25th and Thursday April 26th from 9:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. The cost for the 8 Hour Course will be \$15 for AAA members, \$25 for non-members and couples (both need to be AAA members), and the course is free to Veterans.

To register for a AAA Driver Improvement Course, please call AAA Reading Berks at 610-374-453

March Poem



When March comes in like a lion,
 A lamb trots out, we hear.
 But when the lamb comes first, my friend,
 It's the roar going out that we fear.
 So each and every man and woman should watch
 As March comes in.
 We'll know the way the month might end,
 If we know the way it begins!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR MARCH CELEBRANTS!!

02 Patricia Moser	09 Fern Yerger	17 Beryl Hile	22 Francesca Bechtel	28 George Myers
02 Barbara Stoudt	09 Vip Hartline	17 Sharon Hoffman	22 David DiSanto	28 Betty Schuler
03 Annabelle Callan	10 Leonard Blair	17 Patricia Petrauskas	22 Sharee Kenna	29 Bonnie Feight
03 Adeline Minotto	10 Miriam Sweinhart	18 Sylvia Schoenly	23 Gretchen Kent	29 Sydney Davidson
04 Richard Brandel	10 Lori Bernhard	18 Warren Albitz	24 Kathryn Ertman	29 Ginny Hummel
04 Josephine Quigg	10 Dorothy Schwenk	19 Shirley DeLong	24 John Bernard	30 Dean Hibbs
05 Lawrence Mauger, Jr.	11 Brenda Norman	19 Florence Leszkowicz	25 Helen Pannepacker	30 Alice Moyer
05 Elizabeth Binder	12 Peter Brungard	20 Sally Metz	25 Janet Geraghty	31 Doris Henry
06 Dottey Boettlin	12 Marie McCarter	20 Dorothy Hinnershitz	26 Donald Weil	31 Gloria Kauffman
06 Brenda Danser	12 Mary Ulrich	20 David Smith	26 Donna Bolton	31 Robert Hyneckal
06 Pat Mest	12 Elizabeth Endy	20 Leon Stapleton	26 Fay Mower	
08 Ruth Ann Shaner	14 Harold Reigner	21 Linda Bechtel	27 William Detwiler	
08 Judy Stauffer	14 Rachel Woodhead	21 Dianne Landes	27 John Reidenhour	
08 Eliza Strunk	15 Florence Soles	21 Elizabeth Botscheller	27 Jim Seese	
09 Ronald Barrett	16 Rose Harman	22 Linda Fiorini	27 Regina Hemmig	



THE CENTER AT SPRING STREET BULLETIN BOARD



MEMBERSHIP

Please check your membership card for your renewal date!

GET WELLS

Janet Boyer	Lydia Boyer
Lois Oister	Bill Myers
Paul Mathias	Mary Ragan

Thankfully,
 there are no sympathies to report.

"INVITATION"

March celebrants are invited to celebrate their birthday at the Center on Monday, March 27, 2017, from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M.

Entertainment by: Karl Hausman

R.S.V.P. (610) 367-2313, by Monday, March 20th.

Please bring your current membership card to receive a complimentary meal.



The Center at Spring Street

Boyertown Area Multi-Service, Inc. is a member agency of the Boyertown Area United Way, and is also funded in part by the Pennsylvania Department of Aging through Berks County Area Agency on Aging, and the generosity of the individuals, churches and organizations of the Boyertown Area.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		
<p>MARCH</p> <p>2017</p>	<p>The Center at <i>Spring Street</i></p> <p>200 West Spring Street Boyertown, PA 19512 610-367-2313 www.boyertownareamulti-service.org</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:10 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10 Blood Pressure and Weight by Chestnut Knoll</p> <p>10:30 Mah-Jongg</p> <p>10:45 Fit & Strong w/Robin</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1 Computer Class - Photography</p> <p>1-4 "Golden" Texas Hold 'Em</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9 Wii Bowling</p> <p>10:30 Bean Bag Baseball Practice</p> <p>1 "Veterans Benefits" by Robert Melson, Berks Co. VA</p> <p>2:30 Songsters @ Keystone Villa Fleetwood</p>	<p>8 Early Bird Breakfast</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:45 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Walk & Talk w/Fran</p> <p>11 Chair Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>1 BINGO</p> <p>Enjoy a "Weekend" Word Search</p>		
		<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Light & Lively w/Mary</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>1 BINGO</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Wacky Walking w/Mary</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1-3 Swim Time @ YMCA</p> <p>1:30 Open Art Studio</p> <p>1:30 Songsters @ Zion's UCC</p> <p>6-9 BINGO Nite</p>	<p>9:10 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10 "Nutritional Tips for a Healthier You" by Beth Hiriak</p> <p>10:30 Mah-Jongg</p> <p>10:45 Fit & Strong w/Robin</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1 Bridge</p> <p>1 Computer Class - Photography</p> <p>6-8 Coupons for a Cause</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9 Wii Bowling</p> <p>10:30 Exec. Committee Mtg.</p> <p>11:15 Center Membership Mtg.</p> <p>1 Musical Entertainment "Dancin' Chairs" by Holly Beebee</p> <p>NO Chorus Rehearsal</p>	<p>8 Early Bird Breakfast</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:45 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Walk & Talk w/Fran</p> <p>11 Chair Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>1 BINGO</p> <p>7-10 Senior/Senior Prom "Classic Touch"</p>
		<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Light & Lively w/Mary</p> <p>10 "Create a Scarf Medallion" with Sue Spleen</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>1 "Final Expense Insurance" by James Kolodziejewski & Dave Wendel</p>	<p>9:15 Wacky Walking w/Mary</p> <p>10 Multi-Service/Center Tour</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>12 Piano Tunes w/Kay Behle</p> <p>1 Sing-Along w/Robin & Sharon "Irish Songs" - Wear Green!</p> <p>1-3 Swim Time @ YMCA</p> <p>1:30 Open Art Studio</p> <p>4:30 Supper Club @ Vincenzo's</p> <p>6-8 "Coloring with a Purpose"</p>	<p>9:10 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10 Hearing Aid Cleaning by Advance Hearing Aid Center</p> <p>10:30 Mah-Jongg</p> <p>10:45 Fit & Strong w/Robin</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1-4 "Golden" Texas Hold 'Em</p> <p>2 Bean Bag Baseball Tourn. @ Walnut Woods</p>	<p>42ND ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9 Wii Bowling</p> <p>10 Blood Pressure & Weight-Bayada</p> <p>1 Musical Entertainment</p> <p>The Spring Street Songsters</p>	<p>8 Early Bird Breakfast</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:45 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Walk & Talk w/Fran</p> <p>11 Chair Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>1 Grocery BINGO</p> <p>Enjoy a "Weekend" Word Search</p>
		<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Light & Lively w/Mary</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>1 Birthday BINGO</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Wacky Walking w/Mary</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1-3 Swim Time @ YMCA</p> <p>1:30 Open Art Studio</p> <p>6-9 BINGO Nite</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:10 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Mah-Jongg</p> <p>10:45 Fit & Strong w/Robin</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>12:45 Hasenpfeffer Card Party</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9 Wii Bowling</p> <p>10:30 Bean Bag Baseball Practice</p> <p>12:45 History Revisited - "We Shall Remain - America Through Native Eyes"-Darius Puff</p> <p>12:45 Pinochle Card Party</p> <p>NO Chorus Rehearsal</p>	<p>8 Early Bird Breakfast</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:45 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Walk & Talk w/Fran</p> <p>11 Chair Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>1 BINGO</p> <p>Enjoy a "Weekend" Word Search</p>
		<p>BIRTHDAY PARTY</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Light & Lively w/Mary</p> <p>10:15 Strengthen & Tone w/Mary</p> <p>1 Musical Entertainment by Karl Hausman</p> <p>*Birthday Cake provided by Chestnut Knoll</p>	<p>HOMEMADE SWEETS & TREATS RAFFLE</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:15 Wacky Walking w/Mary</p> <p>10:45 Tuesday BINGO</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1 Book Club</p> <p>1-3 Swim Time @ YMCA</p> <p>1:30 Open Art Studio</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:10 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>10:30 Mah-Jongg</p> <p>10:45 Fit & Strong w/Robin</p> <p>12:45 Wii Bowling</p> <p>1 "Antique Music Boxes" by LaVerne Moser</p> <p>1-4 "Golden" Texas Hold 'Em</p>	<p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9 Wii Bowling</p> <p>10 Movie: "The Day the Earth Stood Still"</p> <p>12:45 Movie (resumes)</p> <p>1:30 Songsters @ Chestnut Knoll</p>	<p>8 Early Bird Breakfast</p> <p>9 Cards and Games</p> <p>9:45 Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>9:45 Pick Teams - Shuffleboard Tourn.</p> <p>10 Shuffleboard Tournament</p> <p>10:30 Walk & Talk w/Fran</p> <p>11 Chair Yoga w/Fran</p> <p>1 BINGO</p> <p>Enjoy a "Weekend" Word Search</p>

THE CENTER AT SPRING STREET BUS TRIP SCHEDULE

The Center at Spring Street bus trips are open to anyone age 55 and over; Center membership is not required. All bus trips depart from **The Gilbertsville Shopping Center** unless specified otherwise.

A \$5 (five dollars) deposit will reserve your seat. Final payments must be made by designated date. We reserve the right to fill the reservation if final payment is not made on time.

All trips are open for sign-up now.

Please make your check payable to:

The Center at Spring Street



Bus Trip Registration:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

10:30 a.m. to 12 noon – Esther & Carl Witzel

You are also welcome to mail your deposit to:

The Center at Spring Street

Attn: Esther & Carl Witzel

200 West Spring Street

Boyertown, PA 19512

Your receipt and agenda will be mailed to you. Please make sure to include your name, address, and the trip for which you are sending payment.

Refunds for cancellations will be given on a medical emergency only.

A doctor's excuse will be required within **5 (five) business days** of the trip date.

Any other cancellations will receive refunds only if the space can be refilled.

2017 BUS TRIP SCHEDULE

APRIL 12, 2017 – MOHEGAN SUN CASINO - PA

Slot Play - \$25 – Food Voucher - \$5

Register by: March 13, 2017

Cost: Member: \$30.00 Non Member: \$32.00

MAY 10, 2017 – HUNTERDON HILLS PLAYHOUSE

Plated Meal & Show – “Born Yesterday”

Register by: March 20, 2017

Cost: Member: \$88.00 Non Member: \$90.00

JUNE 21, 2017 – DUTCH APPLE DINNER THEATRE

Buffet Meal & Show – “Second Chances”

Register by: April 24, 2017

Cost: Member: \$85.00 Non-Member: \$87.00

JULY 26, 2017 – SIGHT & SOUND THEATRE

Show – “JONAH”

Lunch on own at Cracker Barrel

Register by: June 5, 2017

Cost: Member: \$83.00 Non-Member: \$85.00

AUGUST 23, 2017 – RAINBOW DINNER THEATRE

Buffet Meal & Show – “Sex Please We Are 60”

Register by July 3, 2017

Cost: Members: \$78 Non-Members: \$80

OCTOBER 3, 2017 – PENN'S PEAK

Plated Meal & Show – “Mike Albert & The Big E Band: A Tribute to Elvis”

Register by August 14, 2017

Cost: Members: \$82 Non-Members: \$84

March 2017

Please make your reservation/cancellation two days in advance by calling 610-367-2313.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>Menu is subject to change!</p> <p>Diabetic desserts are available upon request.</p>	MENU	<p>1</p> <p>Sweet/Sour Cucumber Salad Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes Broccoli Fresh Apple</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Vegetable Soup BBQ Baked Chicken Leg Crispy Tater Tots Romano Medley Veg. Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Tossed Salad w/dressing Crab Cake w/Tarter Sauce Green Beans Rice Pilaf Fresh Orange</p>
<p>6</p> <p>Sliced Pears Salisbury Steak w/gravy Oriental Blend Vegetables Mashed Potatoes Butterscotch Pudding</p>		<p>7</p> <p>Three Bean Salad Stuffed Peper w/sauce Roasted Potatoes Carrots Fruit Cocktail</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Tomato Juice Oven Fried Chicken Whole White Potatoes Green Beans Applesauce</p>	<p>9</p> <p>SOUP AND SALAD</p>
<p>13</p> <p>Pineapple Tidbits Chicken Cordon Bleu Buttered Pasta California Blend Tapioca pudding</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Applesauce Pork Roast w/gravy Mashed Potatoes Sauerkraut Diced Peaches</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Tomato Cucumber Onion Salad Beef BBQ w/ Roll Tater Tots Broccoli Sliced Pears</p>	<p>ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION 16</p> <p>Cole Slaw Fried Chicken w/Chicken Gravy Potato Filling Mixed Vegetables Shoo Fly Pie</p>	<p>ST. PATRICK'S DAY 17</p> <p>Cottage Cheese Apple Butter Corn Beef Cabbage Boiled Potatoes Key Lime Pie</p> 
<p>20</p> <p>Fresh Orange Oven Fried Chicken Scalloped Potatoes Winter Mix Vegetables Ice Cream</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Tossed Salad w/dressing Hot Ham & Cheese w/Pretzel Roll Tater Tots Chopped Broccoli Applesauce</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Pickled Beets Shepherd's Pie Romano Medley Rice Pudding</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Caesar Salad Chicken Parmesan Spaghetti w/Tomato Sauce Green Beans Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Tomato Juice Roast Beef w/gravy Pierogies 5-Mixed Vegetables Sliced Pears</p>
<p>27</p> <p>Pineapple Tidbits Italian Sausage Macaroni & Cheese Stewed Tomatoes Birthday Cake</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Lettuce w/Hot Bacon Dressing Roast Turkey w/gravy Mashed Potatoes Peas & Carrots Fruited Jello</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Cole Slaw Hamburger w/ Roll French Fries Green Beans Peaches</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Mandarin Oranges Baked Chicken Oven Brown Potatoes 5-Mixed Vegetables Chocolate Pudding</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Fruit Cocktail Meatballs w/ Beef Gravy Rice Pilaf Broccoli Angel Food Cake</p>



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OFFICERS

President: John Novak
Vice President: William Blatt
Secretary: Maria Armino
Assistant Secretary: Catherine Webb
Treasurer: Larry Solar
Assistant Treasurer: Starlu Gunn

VOLUNTEER HOURS

During the month of January, 2017
our volunteers gave a total of

2,861 hours

of service for our Center!

Total for 2017: 2,861 hours
THANK YOU, VOLUNTEERS!

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MULTI-SERVICE STAFF

Executive Director: Karen Youse
Bookkeeper/Administrative Asst: Tracey Bilanin
Over 60 Case Manager: Ginny Cox
Under 60 Case Manager: Amy Davies
Meals on Wheels Case Manager: Diane Joyce
Food Pantry Coordinator: Michael Fisher
Receptionist/Transportation Coordinator:
Karen Trout
Volunteer Coordinator: Barbara Bernier
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Clerical Assistant: Mary Stevenson
Center Director: Lori Bernhard
Assistant Center Director: Patricia Petrauskas
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Sam Gaugler
Executive Chef: Christopher Mest
Prep Chef: Karen Parks
Facility Manager: Greg Rothenberger
Custodian: Russell Bouchat
Rental Staff Person: Edward Adamski
Sub Receptionist: Connie Shamus
Editor: Lori Bernhard

"Nothing is so contagious as enthusiasm."

Edward George Bulwer-Lytton