

COMMUNIQUE

Pennsylvania Association of School Retirees

Lancaster County School Retirees

Summer 2022

Mission: "To continue to support education, to serve others in need and to help one another enjoy retirement."

Dear LCSR Member.



It is quite difficult to write this letter, knowing that each of us has suffered in some way during the past two years as COVID disrupted our lives. After much discussion the Executive Board voted to request that the membership be asked to help us fulfill our mission. That mission is: *To continue to support education, to serve others in need and to help one another enjoy retirement.* For several years our major fundraiser, Monte Carlo Night, had supported our efforts to grant scholarships to graduating seniors entering the field of education, to provide grants to active educators to assist in implementing innovative programs within their schools or classrooms and to provide for small gifts and mailings for our shut-in members. The Monte Carlo event was canceled in 2020 and has not been held in 2021 or 2022 because of COVID restrictions.

Our membership consists of 62% Life members who do not pay annual dues and 38% Annual members who pay annual dues of \$15.00. In this climate of ever increasing costs, our annual income from dues barely covers printing and postage costs for necessary member communications.

When looking at those two areas, community support and administrative costs, the picture looks pretty bleak. For that reason, the Executive Board is requesting that all members, regardless of membership classification, make a one time donation of \$25.00 to help LCSR continue its good work within Lancaster County. Any amount would be appreciated but a minimum of \$25.00 per member would enable us to award scholarships, make grants and continue to serve our most senior members.

As COVID restrictions are relaxed we have begun to resume some of our former activities. Two General Membership luncheons were held at the Eden Resort, a mini golf outing is planned for June, a picnic for September and another General Membership meeting in November. Recreo is sponsoring travel. It is our hope that we will be able to hold Monte Carlo in March 2023. Our goal is to continue to meet the needs of our membership.

Please return the form below with your donation to our Treasurer, Marijane Ember by July 1, 2022.

Lauren Buchmann, President

Chapter Donation to Benefit Educational Support and Social Services

Name _____ Year Retired _____ Amount _____

Mail to:

Marijane Ember
217 W. Wood Drive
Lititz, PA 17543

Join the Fun!

Plan to join your LCSR friends and families for an afternoon of Miniature Golf at the beautiful **Village Greens Miniature Golf Course** in Strasburg, PA! Bring family, friends, and grandchildren!

Date: Tuesday, June 28 at 2:00 PM

Location: 1444 Village Road, Strasburg

Cost: Seniors - \$9.00 and Children \$9.75

(These prices are for the Gold Course, which is the shaded course.)

*After all the fun, enjoy a **free** treat!*

Small drink and a "Golf Ball Sundae"!

In order for the Golf Course to be prepared for our visit, we are asking you to make a reservation. Call or email Marge Rineer, by **Thursday, June 23.**

Phone: 717-361-5218

Email: margerineer@comcast.net



SAVE THE DATE

Playin Hooky Picnic

Long's Park

Thursday, September 8, 2022



Travel

Carol Tangert, Recreo Chair, has a complete calendar of travel opportunities. Day trips to Air & Space Museum, the Eastern Shore Dine Around and Alexandria, VA. Overnight trips to Comedy Center, Jamestown, NY and Vermont.

Contact Carol at cettours@comcast.net, 717-984-2108 or check the LCSR website for full details..

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