Seaside Park Board of Education Community Education Program April 2013

Children's Art & Craft Program

Children use their creativity by designing their own project of drawing and designing a mosaic "seascape" painting. A bonus project for week two!

Taught by Seaside Park resident & artist Janie Kaminsky

When: April 10th & 17th 6:30-7:30pm

Cost: \$15.00 for both lessons! (Seaside Park residents \$5 discount)

History of the New Jersey Cranberry

Cranberries are one of the most unique fruits in the world! One of only three fruits native to North America, cranberries grow in the wild on long-running vines in sandy bogs and marshes. South Jersey Leni-Lenape tribes called them "ibimi," or bitter berry.

Picked the berries by hand in early times, a more efficient dry harvesting technique was developed, later revolutionizing the process called wet harvesting. By flooding the bog with water, the cranberry's buoyancy allows it to float to the surface, where they are collected.

Every autumn, usually from mid-September until around mid-November, cranberries reach their peak of color and flavor and are ready for harvesting. That's when growers harvest millions of pounds of cranberries.

When: April 17th 7pm

Program presented by Historian Ferdinand Klebold

Programs held at Seaside Park School 4th & Central Ave.

To pre-register call 732-793-7757

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Ocean County Defensive Driving Class

Participants should bring a pen and their driver's license with them. The course will provide for an insurance discount of 5% as required by State law, for three years. A fee of \$18.00 will be charged to all participants.

If you have any questions regarding program, please call 732-929-2130. To pre-register, please call 732-793-7757

When: Tuesday-Wednesday, May 1st & May 2nd, 6pm-10pm

Cost: \$18 per person.

Pre-registration required. Call 732-793-7757

CPR For Family & Friends

Learn CPR! This is an entry-level course, which offers instructions in one rescuer adult, child and infant CPR and foreign body airway obstruction (choking).

The intended audience is the general public, with particular concentration on teenagers, parents & grandparents. Class taught by instructors & staff of St. Barnabas Health Center. Course attendance card issued at completion of class.

When: Saturday, May 11th 9am-1pm

Who: 13 years & older

Cost: \$35.00 per person. Six person minimum class Pre-registration required. Call 732-793-7757 to register.

NJ Boater Safety Class

Seaside Park Community Education will be holding a two-day boater safety class and will meet all NJ mandatory requirements for boater safety. An 8 hour NJ approved boating safety course will be held on May 13th &14th. You must attend both sessions to pass the course. Course participants are required to complete at least 1 hour of homework and must pass a final exam on May 14th in order to receive a NJ boating safety certificate. The class will be held at the Seaside Park Elementary School at 4th & Central Ave. Seaside Park, NJ. The course provider is Captain Jack Mailot 973-868-1121.

When: Monday, May 13th 6-9pm—Tuesday, May 14th 6-10pm

Who: Ages 13 and older

Cost: \$50/including all materials (Seaside Park residents will receive a \$5 discount)

Pre-registration required. Call 732-793-7757

Coping with Salt Water Flooding

Brown Shrubs? Crispy Lawns? Salt in the soil??

Bring your questions and learn what you can do to help your landscape and gardens recover from the floods that Sandy brought us.

Soil testing kits will be available for purchase after the program. A soil test will help you determine if excess salt is in the soil.

Program presented by The Master Gardener's of Ocean County/Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Ocean County.

<u>Co-sponsored by Seaside Park Community Education, Seaside Park Environmental</u> <u>Advisory Committee & Seaside Park Garden Club.</u>

When: Wednesday, May 15th 7-8:30pm

"Inferno at Sea"—The Morro Castle Story

Do not miss this! Authors Gretchen Coyle and Deborah Whitcraft will be in Seaside Park to talk, discuss and answer questions of the fabulous story of New Jersey's own Titantic, the Morro Castle!

The ocean liner burned off our coast almost 80 years ago, taking down over 135 passengers with it. It's a story of likely murder, arson & cover-ups by so many. Authors Coyle and Whitcraft have done extensive research on the ship that burned September 8, 1934, coming to rest off the beaches of Asbury Park on the fateful night. Please join us in hearing their intriguing story!

When: May 22nd 7pm

Oil Painting For Adults

Get your paints & brushes ready! Learn to paint a beautiful seascape! Learn the Bob Ross wet on wet technique. A one night introduction class where all participants will leave with a completed painting. Taught by Seaside Park resident & artist Janie Kaminsky. All materials supplied by instructor. Class size is limited so sign up early!

Pre-registration deadline May 10th.

When: May 23rd 6:30pm – 9:30pm

Fee: \$65.00

Programs held at Seaside Park School 4th & Central Ave.

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