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fun activities and
garden tours!

Carlisle Exchangite June 2017

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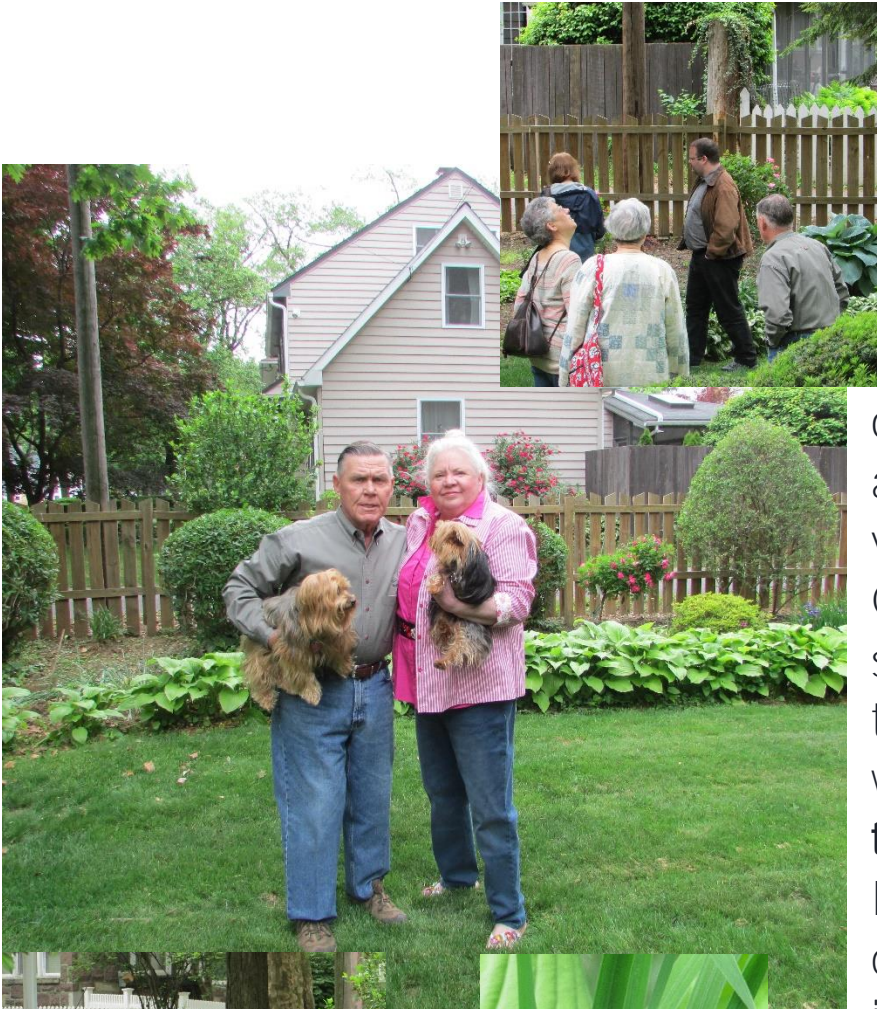
Buck a Book Helps Employment Skills Center

Art Kunst and Jim Burgess from the Employment Skills Center spoke about the "Buck a Book" Literacy campaign. The funds raised will allow Employment Skills Center to continue to offer Adult Literacy and Adult Education programs to our community. We are grateful for the support and generosity of our

Buck a Book committee members; community sponsors and donors; the Carlisle Area School District administration, staff, librarians, and faculty; Reader Supporters; parents; and all our Buck a Book Kids. Congratulations to LeTort Elementary School for winning the trophies for Most Participation and Most Creative School Campaign and to Mooreland Elementary for winning the trophy for Most Funds Raised Per Capita.

This is a wonderful program to encourage literacy and not only get children to read but to get them to understand why volunteering and helping others is important in any community.

Dawn M. S. Rickenbach from the Cumberland Valley Visitors Bureau spoke at the first meeting in May.



President Bob and First Lady Linda Taylor opened their garden to anyone who wanted to visit on May 21. The Carlisle Garden Club sponsored the Garden of the Month event and they were very appreciative of **the Taylors' generosity**. Bob wants everyone to come again to see things in bloom. If you know of a beautiful garden that you would like to suggest for Garden of the Month please let Anne Wood know

wawood@pa.net .

Ford Parade in Carlisle



The Ford Parade in Carlisle gave the Murrays and the Yufers another chance to raise funds by offering hot dogs for a donation. They raised over \$500 on the square.



We took in \$2,444.08, a record high. Expenses were \$397.31 so net was \$2,046.77. Last Memorial Day was \$2,233.11 and Labor Day was \$2,373.21. Thanks to everyone and especially Terry for his great leadership and extra effort. Treasurer Bob Beard

Editor's note: The delicious Martin's Potato Rolls (1,000 of them) were donated by **Martin's** and the hot dogs were purchased at **Karn's** 400 for \$42.50. Dogs and rolls were used at Coffee Break and the Ford Parade downtown.



A big thank you to those Exchangites who helped take down the Flags on the Square on Memorial Day.

Mark Your Calendars

Tuesday, June 13 - 6:00 PM - Meeting at Cumberland Crossings – speaker John Murray “**Year in Review**” presentation.

Wednesday, June 14 – 6:00 PM Board Meeting at Minerva Mills.



Saturday, June 17 – 2:00 – 5:00 PM Garden of the Month sponsored by Carlisle Garden Club at Susan & John Rogers home, 140 S. Pitt St. **FREE** garden tour. An article will appear in the weekend *Sentinel* on June 17.



Friday, June 23 – 5:45 – 7:00 PM – **GiveAKidAFlagToWave** part pf Summerfair Opening Ceremonies on Dickinson College’s Rush Campus – POC John Wain jfw@pa.net or 717-448-1735.

Saturday, June 24 - 9:30 to noon – Exchange Club **Summerfair Children’s Art Activities on Dickinson College’s Rush Campus** - POC John Murray murrayjd@pa.net 717-243-7026.



Sunday, June 25 –1:00 to 6:00 PM Penn State Master Gardeners of Cumberland County will have a **GARDEN TOUR** of 6 local gardens. Tickets are **\$10** before the 25th and \$12 the day of the tour. All 6 private gardens belong to Master Gardeners in the Carlisle area. In addition, **Craighead House** will be on the tour for ticket holders. Purchase tickets at Agway-Carlisle Country Living; Ashcombe Farm & Greenhouses, Mechanicsburg; Bedford Street Antiques, Carlisle and Leo’s Ice Cream, Carlisle.

Tuesday, June 27 - 6:00 PM - Meeting at Cumberland Crossings – Treasurer Bob Beard will give his “**State of the Club**” presentation.



A Few Words from the President . . .

As we approach the administrative end of our Exchange year, we need to recognize those individuals that have done so much to make our club successful in its support to the greater Carlisle community. From those that volunteer to lead and organize such efforts as car parking, holiday coffee breaks, Youth of the Year, A.C.E., Molly Pitcher award, or one of our many Americanism projects, it is these individuals that make such efforts successful.

The success of those initiatives is directly attributable to the leadership demonstrated by members of our club.

It is now time for others to step forward and lead. I realize many of you have served in leadership positions previously, but now is a new time and opportunity. All our officer and director positions are up for review and election. Now is your time to lead. If you have a

special skill or simply want to contribute in a more meaningful manner, this is your opportunity to lead.

In addition to the current officers and directors that are standing for re-election, there are two vacant positions in the officer and director ranks. The position of **“President – Elect”** and one of the **“Director”** positions are vacant. If you would like to volunteer to run for any of the current leadership positions or the two vacant offices, please contact me or one of your board members within the next two weeks. We would like to have the leadership of our club established and functioning by the end of June.

If you truly care about the future of your club, now is the time to demonstrate that concern by leading it.

Bob

