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The newsletter of Bucks Quarterly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends

April 2022

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APRIL CALENDAR OF EVENTS					
Mar 25-27		PYM Spring Continuing Sessions	Registration is open		
Mar 31–Apr 10		Quaker College Fair	A virtual PYM sponsored event		
Apr 1	6:00-8:00 pm	The Quaker History of Eastern State Penitentiary	Arch Street Meetinghouse		
Apr 2	11:00 am-12:00 pm	Breathe Easy with the Alexander Technique	Way Opens Wellness		
Apr 2–3		Virtual Retreats for Youth of Color	Sponsored by FGC		
Apr 3	9:30 am-3:00 pm	Extended Worship A virtual event			
Apr 4	7:30–9:00 pm	Pendle Hill First Monday Lecture How Did We Get Here?			
Apr 9	10:00–11:00 am	Meditation Myth Busters Way Opens Wellness			
Apr 11–May 11	11:00 am-12:15 pm	Friends Village Senior Planet5-week Computer Essention			
Apr 14	7:00–9:00 pm	Bucks Quarter Oversight Committee	Buckingham Meeting		
Apr 15		Annual Sessions Workshop Proposal Deadline	PYM Workshops June 25th		
Apr 17	9:00–9:45 am	Giant Children's Meeting	An Easter Story for Friends		
Apr 18–22		Vanguard's Big Climate Problem Walk	Sponsored by EQAT		
Apr 19–May 24	7:00–9:00 pm	Introduction to Mindfulness Meditation	Way Opens Wellness		
Apr 21	7:00-8:30 pm	The Quaker Experience During the AmericanA BQM Virtual EventRevolution			
Apr 22–May 1		Wrightstown Friends Nursery School Auction	Online portion		
Apr 23	12:00 pm-4:00 pm	Edward Hicks Day Sponsored by Langhorne Council for the Arts			
Apr 24	7:00–8:30 pm	Lenape Nation Reflections on Culture and Nature Sponsored by Westtown Meeting			
Apr 27	6:30–8:00 pm	Pendle Hill's Reading Group A Place Called Community (PHP #			
Apr 30	2:00–5:00 pm	Friends Village Rock and Roll Out Event Register now			
Apr 30	5:00–7:00 pm	Wrightstown Friends Nursery School Auction	In-person portion		
Apr 30	10:00–11:30 am	Bucks Quarter Budget & Nominating Committee	Hybrid @ Wrightstown Meeting		
Apr 30–May 1		Spring Family Overnight 2022	Camp Dark Waters, Medford NJ		
ONGOING EVENTS					
Every Sunday	4:00–5:00 pm	Southampton Meeting Vigil for Justice	Southampton Friends Meeting		
Apr 9 & 23	11:00 am-12:00 pm	Newtown Meeting Black Lives Matter Silent Vigil	State Street, Newtown PA		
LOOKING AHEAD					
May 15	9:45 am–3:30 pm	May Bucks Quarterly MeetingVirtual under the care of Doylestown Friends Meeting			
May 24	7:00–9:00 pm	Bucks Quarter Outreach Committee	On Zoom		
Jun 25	10:00 am-4:00 pm	PYM Workshop Saturday	Runway to Annual Sessions		
July 3–9		FGC Gathering 2022	Virtual and in person		
Jul 26–Jul 31		PYM Annual Sessions	Mark your Calendar!		

Spring has Sprung!

Questions? Email Wendy Kane, Coordinator at <u>quakersbucks@gmail.com</u> or call (215) 867-9557. Deadline for submissions is the 15th day of the preceding month's publication

The Quaker Experience During the American Revolution

On Thursday, April 21st at 7:00 pm, Bucks Quarterly Meeting is excited to present a lecture by Carol Ann Gray, entitled *The Quaker Experience During the American Revolution*. The lecture is based on Carol Ann's soon to be published book *Finding Our Foundation*, which explores the history of Plumstead Meeting from the days before William Penn and goes through modern times, focusing on the experiences of one rural meeting, but put in the context of American history in general and more specifically in Quaker history in the Delaware Valley.

This talk focuses on the experience of Bucks County Quakers leading up to and during the American Revolutionary War, but it also touches on events in the wider Philadelphia Yearly Meeting community. It begins with the French and Indian War and ends with the escapades of the Doan Brothers. Events during the Revolution center on the year 1777.

Quaker pacifism was misunderstood by both sides of the conflict, and during the Revolution Friends endured much suffering, including confiscation of their property, imprisonment, and execution. Just to attend weekly meeting for worship at the scheduled time was an act of courage. But at the same time, Quakers were doing much to relieve the suffering of those of all faiths who were victims of violence, and in the end, won the admiration of George Washington.



Carol Ann Gray is a retired veterinarian and a long time member of the Society of Friends, first at Newtown Friends Meeting, and now at Plumstead Friends Meeting. She has a special interest in history and is the author of a previous book, *Fourteen Quaker Meetinghouses*. Registration is required; click here to register to receive the Zoom link.

Bucks Quarter Meeting for Worship Schedule				
Bristol	4th Sunday 10:00 am	Indoor worship; Email for information: pws@seas.upenn.edu		
Buckingham	Sunday 10:30 am	Indoor hybrid; email for zoom link: <u>buckinghamfriends@gmail.com</u>		
Doylestown	Sunday 10:00 am	Virtual or labyrinth walk; email: <u>doylestownfriends@gmail.com</u>		
Fallsington	Sunday 11:00 am	Indoor hybrid; go to <u>fallsingtonmeeting.org</u>		
Lehigh Valley	Sunday 9:30 am Wed 8:00 pm	Indoor hybrid; zoom link at lehighvalleyquakers.org		
Makefield	Sunday 10:00 am	Indoor worship		
Middletown	Sunday 11:00 am Wed 7:00 pm	Indoor hybrid; email for zoom link: robin.hipple@gmail.com Wednesday worship in person only - SUSPENDED		
Newtown	Sunday 11:00 am	Indoor hybrid; for zoom link go to newtownfriendsmeeting.org		
Plumstead	Sunday 9:30 am	Indoor worship		
Quakertown	Sunday 10:30 am	Indoor worship		
Solebury	Sunday 10:00 am	Indoor worship with virtual option; go to <u>soleburyfriendsmeeting.org</u>		
Southampton	Sunday 10:00 am Tuesday 7:30 pm	Indoor hybrid; email for zoom link: jmm9724@gmail.com		
Wrightstown	Sunday 10:00 am	Indoor hybrid; email for zoom link <u>daugen13@hotmail.com</u>		
Yardley	Sunday 10:00 am	Indoor hybrid; email for zoom link: info@yardleyfriendsmeeting.org		

More information can be found at *quakersbucks.org/local-meetings*

Workshop Proposals At the February Quarterly Meeting, the following two workshop proposals were raised to see if there was any interest; we are giving it one more month and then a decision will be made if there is interest; please read the descriptions and

email the coordinator at <u>quakersbucks@gmail.com</u> if you are moved to participate:

Meditative Writing Workshop: Doylestown Friend Jen de Richemond has presented this workshop at two FGC Gatherings, with the goal of participants using writing as an avenue of discovery and to expand the experience of personal creativity. Workshop goals would be to develop skills and comfort levels in using writing as an avenue for worship, daily journaling, and an increased confidence in the ability to use writing as a form of self-expression. This would begin as a weekly workshop, running for 1-1.5 hours in the early evening for eight weeks, with the possibility of continuing longer if participants wish.

Friends Position Papers: Makefield Friend Jerry Taylor describes himself as a "political creature." With this in mind, he has created a platform for a "Party of Friends" and suggests that at each Meeting Friends gather, debate and present position papers from their Meeting on a variety of topics, such as climate change, immigration and health care. *This is supposed to be light*. It could be Young Adult focused or it could be inclusive of all ages. If we get a few meetings participating, we could create a zoom meeting with chat rooms to discuss and formulate positions. Questions? Contact Jerry Taylor at jerry.taylor35@verizon.net.

Meeting Milestones

Newtown Meeting suffered the loss of Elizabeth Hurst on March 2.

Middletown Meeting suffered the loss of Dwayne Gessner on March 9.

Wrightstown Meeting and **Friends Village** experienced the loss of Sam Nicholson on February 21.

Wrightstown Meeting experienced the loss of Bill Hunter.

Buckingham Meeting suffered the loss of JoAnne Maclatchie on March 6.

Friends Village **FREE Technology Classes:** Friends Village is partnering with Senior Planet from AARP to help older adults use technology to learn new skills, save money, get in shape, and make new friends. Classes are hosted at the

Styer Campus and are are intended for adults 60 and over. Sessions will be held on Mondays and Thursdays from 11 am to 12:15 pm. A 5-week course covering the essentials of how to use the basic functions of a personal computer, how to navigate the internet, and how to send and receive email begins April 11th. By the end of the course, you'll have a foundation for using a computer and the internet to enrich your life. <u>Click here for registration information</u>.

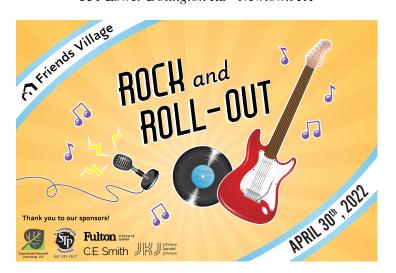
Prerequisites: A Gmail address. This course is best suited for people who have had some experience using the internet on any device. If you need help setting up a Gmail address, please call the Senior Planet hotline: 888-713-3495.

Look interesting? Sign up! Call (215) 968-9222 x206 or email <u>info@fhvpa.org</u>.

Writing Group: have you every wanted to write a book or start journalling but didn't know to get started? We can help you get clearness about what you would like to write about and help you get started. Contact Judith Solt at 215-968-2897 or email judysolt2@gmail.com.

New Look! Come to Friends Village–Styer Campus on Saturday, April 30th from 2:00–5:00 pm as they Rock and Roll-Out their new mission, vision and brand new look. Hear about future planning with good times and great friends! There will be live doo-wop music from Joel Katz and the Dynamics, classic cars, games and a silent auction. Great food served by Chewy's Gourmet Food Truck. <u>Click</u> here to register for the event.

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April Events

Join Fallsington Friend Amy Ward Brimmer for one or all of these virtual and in-person workshops:

Breathe Easy with the Alexander Technique: Apr 2nd, 11 am–12 pm. In this workshop, we'll take a look at the anatomy and mechanics of breathing and discover some ways to direct the breath. Through these explorations, we'll begin to reverse some of the negative effects of the breathing habits that are often the underlying cause of unpleasant symptoms, such as fatigue, muscle pain, and foggy brain. \$10 suggested fee.

Meditation Myth-Busters: Apr 9th, 10–11 am. Join a free webinar that will bust the many myths surrounding meditation, as we wonder together about just what insight meditation is, and what it is not. You'll get a chance to experience it for yourself, ask questions, and get a sneak preview of...

Introduction to Mindfulness Meditation: Apr 19–May 24th, 7–9 pm. This 6-week course will provide fundamental instruction in Insight (Vipassana) meditation. Emphasis is placed on the practices of sitting and walking meditation and developing mindfulness in daily life. Explanation and discussion of the teachings central to insight meditation are part of each class. The course is appropriate for beginners as well as experienced meditators who wish to maintain their "beginner's mind." Each class will include practice sessions, instruction, and talks, as well as group dialogue and inquiry. There will also be ongoing practice assignments each week to support the practical application of these teachings into your daily life. Cost is on a sliding scale; financial aid available.

Wrightstown Friends

Wrightstown Friends Nursery School Auction

Wrightstown Friends Nursery School, a Friends nursery school under the care of Wrightstown Friends Meeting, will be holding their annual fundraising auction

both virtually and in person. The auction will begin online on Friday, 4/22 and will close on Sunday, 5/1. The inperson portion of the auction will be held on the grounds of Wrightstown Friends on Saturday, April 30th from 5 to 7 PM. You can register for the online event at <u>https://</u> ourschool.auction/WFNS2022AUCTION.

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Edward Hicks Day

Langhorne Council for the Arts will host a community-wide celebration of Langhorne's native son, primitive folk artist Edward Hicks, on Saturday, April 23 from noon -4 PM. Rain date is Sunday, April 24.

For the children, there will be a petting zoo, face painting, and colonial games and crafts. For all ages, there will be costumed actors portraying Edward Hicks in his youth and older years, live colonial-era music, a pop-up art gallery of Hicks' most famous paintings, a virtual walking tour of Langhorne and its ties to the Hicks family, craft vendors, and artists of present-day Langhorne. There will also be a lecture on the elements of Hicks' work as influenced by his Quaker faith.



Shoppers will enjoy the Colonial Flea Market, featuring high quality antiques and collectibles, and the Four Lanes End Garden Club's annual plant sale. The highlight of the day will be the dedication of three murals, created by Langhorne artist Jean-Marc Dubus, that honor Edward Hicks, his art, and his commitment to peace.

On Sunday, March 27, Langhorne Council for the Arts will offer an exciting photo op for adults, kids, and pets: get your photo taken with the Edward Hicks panel of the mural before it is installed in its permanent location. Come to the Richardson House, 102 W. Maple Avenue (corner of Maple and Bellevue Avenues, aka The Peace Center) between 1-3 PM. For more information, please visit <u>www.LanghorneArts.org</u> or email <u>LanghorneArtsEvents@gmail.com</u>.

Around the Yearly Meeting

Annual Sessions Workshop Proposals Applications are currently being accepted to facilitate a workshop at Annual Sessions. Workshops will take place simultaneously on Saturday June 25, 10 am to 4 pm. Five workshops will be chosen. This makes it imperative for workshop applications to

reflect the goals set by the Sessions Coordinating Committee. Workshops need to be simple, direct, and they should be grounded in Quaker faith and practice. Workshops should respond to this year's theme of: "Across the generations, as we repair broken foundations, we become unified in our beloved Quaker community." Workshops need to relate to at least one of the following topics: inclusion and belonging, embracing new people, climate change, equity and justice, or supporting local



Quaker meetings. They should also include opportunities for skill building, concrete suggestions for further engagement with the issues being discussed, relationship building, and concrete things to take back to participants' communities. <u>Click here to apply.</u>



The Quaker College Fair is for students interested in Quaker values-based higher education. Instead of a one-day in person event, information will be presented in a series of virtual conversations:

BIPOC Student Space: Thursday, March 31 (7-8 pm), Facilitated by PYM's Inclusion & Belonging Coordinator Afroza Hossain, this space welcomes BIPOC students to meet with one another.

Conversations with College Counselors: Monday April 4 thru Wednesday April 7 (7:00–7:30 pm). Friends school college counselors have generously offered to answer questions and share specific information about the various Quaker colleges.

Panels Series: Saturday, April 9 (10 am–12 pm & 1–5 pm) Six hour-long sessions featuring panelists speaking to a series of relevant topics. Current panel topics include: inclusion and belonging, social justice opportunities, the impacts of virtual learning and paying for college.

The "Traditional" College Fair: Sunday, April 10 (1–3 pm). Quaker College admissions departments are invited to represent their schools in a "traditional" style fair to connect with different students who visit the zoom rooms they're interested in, offering the chance for more personal communication. Register here.

Quaker Employment Opportunities

Philadelphia Yearly Meeting: Director of Development

Friends Committee on National Legislation: <u>Associate General</u> Secretary for Community and Culture

Abington Friends Meeting: <u>Children's Religious</u> Education Coordinator

Pendle Hill: <u>Choose from 8 opportunities</u>, including Director of Finance, Director of Operations and Director of Advancement

Swarthmore Friends Nursery School: School Director

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Earth Quaker Action Team

Grand Finale of Vanguard's Big Climate Problem Walk

What better way to celebrate Earth Day than to challenge those who profit from the Earth's desecration? As one of the world's biggest investors in coal, oil, and

gas, Vanguard has the power to help steer our economy away from climate catastrophe and environmental injustice, but first it needs to chart a new course. That is

why EQAT is concluding a five-day walk from the Delaware River with a huge, vibrant action at Vanguard's

corporate headquarters in Malvern.



Meet the team at the Paoli Train Station on Friday, April 22nd at 8:30 am to walk the final mile with the walkers. <u>Please register here</u> so they can estimate attendance and keep you up to date on things like parking and how to get a ride if you can't walk a mile. To learn more about the whole walk, visit their <u>walk webpage</u>.

Paoli Train Station • 13 Lancaster Ave • Paoli, PA 19301

Hybrid Extended Worship **April Extended Worship: April 3rd –** March's hybrid extended worship at Abington Friends Meeting was a resounding success! A hybrid location for April's meeting has yet to be identified, so

at this time the group will be meeting virtually only using the Zoom link below, with the day following the usual format of worship from roughly 9:30 to 12:30, and worship sharing from 1:00 until around 2:30 to 3:00, with a bring-your-own lunch break in between.

The best way to stay informed is to be placed on an e-mail list to receive Zoom links for this and future Extended Worship meetings; contact Jim Strong at jmmstrong@gmail.com.

To join the Zoom Meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83761339634? pwd=aEpQZGgwaVhhZ3hOd2IyN0dDWU51Zz09

Meeting ID: 837 6133 9634 Passcode: 077432



Resource Friends help our PYM community thrive by providing support in specific areas of concern in our monthly and quarterly meetings. These are Friends who offer a diversity of gifts and extensive

"how-to" knowledge.

<u>Resource Friends</u> are available for your meeting's work surrounding anti-racism, climate change, ministry and care, outreach and communication and religious education and youth work. While PYM funds the training, staff time, and other administrative costs for Resource Friends, meetings are asked to chip in the small amount of money to cover the cost of honoraria.

With more meetings opting for hybrid worship, PYM welcomes our own John Marquette, a member of <u>Lehigh</u> <u>Valley Friends Meeting</u>, to the role of Resource Friend for Hybrid Meetings. John is available for email, phone, Zoom, and in-person consultation throughout the four-state area.

Sound interesting? Email Zachary Dutton at <u>zdutton@pym.org</u> with inquiries or fill out this <u>inquiry</u> form.

PYM Youth Programs

Spring Family Overnight

Please join PYM families for an in-person gathering at Camp Dark Waters, Medford NJ, Saturday April 30th through Sunday May 1st.

Youth Programs staff will welcome everyone on Saturday when families will have time to settle into bunk houses, followed by time to gather, connect and explore the camp. Dinner will be prepared together, followed by a campfire, yoga and stories. After the kids go to bed there will be time for parents to spend time together. Sunday morning activities will include breakfast, Giant Children's Meeting in person then packing with plenty of time for families to get home and prepare the the coming week.

Family Overnights are designed for children in K-5th grade, but family members who are outside this range are also welcome to attend. Cost is \$35 for the first three family members age 5 and older, and \$10 for additional people and for any child under age 5 and there are opportunities for scholarships to help defray the costs. For more information and registration <u>click here</u>.

26 New Freedom Rd • Medford, NJ

Speaking to Children About War

PYM Youth Religious Life Coordinator Melinda Wenner Bradley offers this: "A parent in my meeting shared with me that they were not sure how to talk to their children about Russia's war on Ukraine. I recalled a line in an article that had resonated for me as a parent and educator: *We don't have to protect children from difficult feelings, but we must not leave them alone with them.* Here are three good pieces to read and share with parents as we support our children in an uncertain time":

- How to Talk to Kids about the Ukraine Invasion
- <u>What to Tell Kids About Ukraine: Recommendations</u> from a Psychologist
- <u>How do you talk to your young children about war?</u>

Earth Day Activity for Children



<u>Blue Dot Kids Press</u> is celebrating by planting trees! They will plant a tree, via a partnership with One Tree Planted, for each child who participates in a simple Earth Day coloring or photography

activity (<u>instructions here</u>). The initiative is designed to promote citizen action—children

like knowing they're making a difference in the world!

Request a Visit from Youth Program Staff

PYM staff are focusing on outreach and visitation with local and Quarterly meetings! They will traveling to you to attend worship, share fellowship, and spread the word about the Yearly Meeting's programs for children, youth, and families, and the spaces they create to connect with other young Friends.

Youth Programs staff have planned and facilitated the children/youth programs at past local meeting and Quarterly meeting retreats, and hope to do more as a way to support Friends in community and re-gather our youth community!

A gift of the pandemic is the opportunity to rethink, "that's the way we've always done it," and our local meeting communities might consider how a more intentional intergenerational focus in worship and meeting life serves to invite more active family and youth participation. If you're a meeting who is doing this — invite staff to come learn from you! If you're interested in this idea and not sure where to begin, <u>click here to request a visit</u>.

Pendle Hill Programs

First Monday Lecture – How Did We Get Here? An Exploration of Ripples from Nineteenth-Century Quaker Parenting – April 4th, 7:30–9:00 pm: Through the lens of nineteenth-century Quaker families' parenting, education, and expectations of their

children, we will explore some institutional foundations for today's Quakerism. What sorts of role models did parents seek to be and provide for their children? Presented by Emma Lapsansky-Werner, a member of Lansdowne Friends Meeting and Emeritus Professor of History and Curator of the Quaker Collection at Haverford College Register here.

Pendle Hill's April Reading Group –Apr 27th, 6:30–8:00 pm: In April, the group will



be considering Parker Palmer's *A Place Called Community* (PHP #212), which is about the relationship between community and education. You can <u>purchase a copy here</u>. <u>Register here</u>.

April Programs and Workshops: Check out all of the wonderful April workshops at Pendle Hill <u>here</u>, including:

- Narrative Gardening: Growing Your Memoir from the Seed
- Experiment With Light: A Guided Quaker Meditation Based On Historical Practices
- Café Darkness In-Person Writing Workshop for People of Color
- Hope and Witness in Dangerous Times Online Workshop

Westtown Meeting

Lenape Nation Reflections on Culture and Nature

On Sunday, April 24th, from 7–8:30 pm, Westtown Monthly Meeting and the Interfaith Action Community of Chester

County will welcome Adam Waterbear DePaul, storykeeper and tribal council member for the Lenape Nation of PA. Adam will present a brief history of the Lenape Nation and information on the present day community including spiritual practices and beliefs and their primary missions, reviving and preserving Lenape culture and supporting the natural world. Please register in advance; contact Paula Kline at <u>kline.paula@gmail.com</u> for registration information.

Arch Street Meeting House

The Quaker History of Eastern State Penitentiary

Join Arch Street Meeting House for an inperson event when they will be hosting Matt Murphy from Eastern State Penitentiary for an evening program! Matt's presentation will

discuss the many connections between Quakers, prisons, and Eastern State Penitentiary. Matt Murphy has served as the Tour Programs Supervisor at Eastern State Penitentiary Historic Site since 2015.

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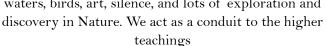


This program is free and open to the public; registration is required. <u>Register here</u>.

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June 13 - Aug 19, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Contact Patricia Walsh-Collins, member of Solebury Friends Meeting @ <u>pwalshcollins@gmail.com</u> for more information:

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"Simply Real" News is Growing!

Published monthly with Quaker Values Times Publishing Newspapers, Inc. has rolled out with our ninth newspaper in Bucks County - the Fairless FOCUS. Covering the Fairless Hills area our new total mailed (via US Postal Service) circulation is 115,716 households and businesses. We cover "all the 'good news' that's fit to print." Over the past 18 years we've started and continue to publish these additional 8 monthly publications: Yardley VOICE, Morrisville TIMES, Newtown GAZETTE, Northampton HERALD, Lower Southampton SPIRIT, Langhorne LEDGER, New Hope NEWS, and the Doylestown OBSERVER.

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