

CHEVERLY VILLAGE SPECIAL EVENTS

See the Events List at www.cheverlyvillage.org

Reading Jane Austen: Saturday, March 20, 2:00—3:30 pm. What is it about Jane Austen's books that have kept readers laughing, and sighing, for almost two centuries? Join Cheverly's own Margie Burns and Janet Mullany to learn more about the author and her life, and talk about her novels.





Cheverly Village's Annual Gathering: Sunday, March 21, 2:00—3:30 pm. Come be recognized for how YOU—as a member, as a volunteer, as a donor—have "been the Village" over this past challenging year! This is a great occasion to invite your neighbors to get a taste of the Village, and

to invite your family members—wherever they live—to find out what you've been up to as a Village member and/or volunteer. We'll also be looking ahead, so bring your wish-list for the Village's coming year. This gathering serves as our Annual Meeting, so you'll witness the brief but important election of Cheverly Village's new Board of Directors.

REGULAR EVENTS SPONSORED BY CHEVERLY VILLAGE

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Tea and Tech: Tuesday, March 9, 2:00-3:00 pm. Let's talk tech! Techsavvy Village volunteers will help you unknot the mysteries or misbehavior of your devices and software.

Cheverly Village Book Club: Wednesday, March 10, 2:00-4:00 pm. We will discuss Caste: The Origins of our Discontent by Isabel Wilkerson. The author explores the structure of an unspoken system of human ranking

and reveals how our lives are still restricted by what divided us centuries ago. New members are welcome.

BINGO Online: Tuesday, March 16, 2:00-4:00 pm. Join the fun on your computer or on your phone! Please request cards if you are new to the game.

Afternoon Coffee Chat: Tuesday, March 23, 2:00-3:00 pm. Join in a visit with fellow Village members and talk about green things. What's coming up in your yard right now?

Virtual Social Hour: Every Friday at 5:00 pm. Relax in good company and catch up on the week.

Coming soon:

Do you have a story to tell? New sessions (morning and afternoon) of **Cathy Smith's** popular **Memoir Writing Class** begin on Monday, April 5. Registration is open now. Scroll down to April on the Events List at www.cheverlyvillage.org

The Cheverly Village Book Club's April book is *Things Fall Apart* by **Chinua Achebe.**

COMMUNITY AND OTHER VILLAGES' EVENTS See the Events List at www.cheverlyvillage.org

New! WAVE (Washington Area Villages Exchange) publishes a comprehensive Calendar of Events of shared activities at http://www.dmvvillageevents.org/

Explore ongoing events in our community anytime at **Events on Demand** under the Events tab.

Note that most events sponsored by other organizations on our Events List have a two-step registration process. Cheverly Village Members may contact the Coordinator at 240-770-1033 for help with registrations. To browse all events, go to the Events List at www.cheverlyvillage.org.

Movies@Hope presents Bonhoeffer, Friday, March 5, at 7:30 pm., which profiles the life of Dietrich Bonhoeffer, theologian, pastor, and war resister. No registration is required—join the event at https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86455123132.

The Prescription Drug Pricing Problem: Thursday, March 11, 1:00—2:30 pm. US drug prices are the highest in the world. Bill Corr, former Deputy Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services, has spent the bulk of his impressive career advocating for better healthcare access at almost every level of society.

The Art of Doodling (ongoing series) Thursday, March 18, 5:30-7:00 pm. with Cheverly Artist and Sculptor Liz Lescault. Optional donation requested.

Who Should Live and Whom Should We Let Die? Wednesday, March 24, 1:00—2:30 pm. Dr. Mildred Solomon, President of the Hastings Center on Bioethics, will describe COVID-19's ethical landscape. She will raise for discussion the major ethical issues we must resolve to bring the pandemic under control and will help us think about how we might rebuild our society.

Developing a Native Garden: Friday, March 26, 1:00—2:30 pm. Master gardener **Linda Rieger** will show you how you can develop a native garden no matter how big—or small—your space.

Understanding the Power of Story in Our Lives: Wednesday, March 31, 2:00—3:30 pm. Join author and educator Carol S. Pearson, Ph.D., to learn about how myths and universal patterns apply to contemporary life.

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BEWARE OF COVID-19 SCAMS!

Scammers are taking advantage of the Coronavirus crisis to steal your information or money. Here's what to look out for in phone calls or emails:

AN OFFICIAL PERSON OR AGENCY NEVER ASKS FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION like your Social Security number, insurance information, or bank account number.

NEVER CLICK ON LINKS in your emails. Go to the government agency site directly.

CORONAVIRUS VACCINATIONS ARE FREE TO ALL. Do not accept offers to help you get an appointment for a fee. Never give your Social Security or insurance information to anyone to facilitate getting an appointment.

CORONAVIRUS TEST KIT OFFERS asking for your Medicare, Insurance information, and Social Security numbers are very often SCAMS!

CONTACT TRACER IMPOSTERS may tell you that you have been exposed to Covid-19 and ask for personal information.

AIR FILTER SYSTEMS which promise that their product will filter out the virus are almost certainly scams.

NEVER TRUST YOUR CALLER ID—scammers know how to make their call look official.

REMEMBER that scammers want money or your personal information to commit fraud.

REPORT suspect calls or emails to the Federal Trade Commission, or find out more, at https://www.ftc.gov/coronavirus, and report identity theft to https://identitytheft.gov.