



# PADETTE

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## President's Corner

Hello members & friends,

Happy Spring!! PAD is currently under construction as I mentioned in previous letter, we finally have a roof over our building. They began last week by installing the trusses and plywood. They will be laying roof shingles very soon, in same time, we will put the insulation between old and new roof to keep our building warm during winter, and cool during summer.

We will relocate the air condition unit too. Check out our Facebook for pictures of new roof.

We have set up Gofundme page, for roof expenses donation. Please consider to donate PAD/GPCCD for our roof expenses. Any donation over \$100, will be posted on President circle plaque inside our building. You may donate in person or mail us at our PAD address. You will be able to write off the tax if you donate. Thank you for your consideration.

Enjoy your Spring season, school is coming to end, soon, we will be enjoying our summer vacation. PAD/GPCCD will host many events too. Travel safe!

Don't forget to pay your membership due, see Alex!

Any feedbacks, or suggestions, please contact us thru website or Facebook!

Truly yours,

President Robert Maher Jr.

## Editors

Hello everyone, Finally Spring is here and in few more months Summer will be here...

If you want any news to post on the newsletter or website please let us know about it. Please keep eyes for more information on our website at [www.pghdeafclub.org](http://www.pghdeafclub.org) If you haven't register to receive our newsletter, please go to this website to register. Hope you all have great spring and summer. Congrats to the Graduates from High School and College kids!! Good luck in the future.

Jeff and Lori Ann

## 2018 Annual PAD Membership Drive

It is time to renew your PAD Membership. You can see our Financial Secretary, Alex Lemanski to get the forms. Also, remember that your membership due will be included with 4 issues of PADette Newsletter.

*Please don't wait for Alex Lemanski to tap your shoulder to remind you to pay the dues!! He has lots of work to be done and will be appreciated with your cooperation.*

MEMBERSHIP TYPE	Due (by March 31, 2018)	Due(after April 1,2018)	New Member to Join
Active	\$45.00	\$50.00	
Associate	\$35.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Life	\$15.00	\$20.00	
Senior Citizen	\$20.00	\$25.00	
College Student	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$20.00

Please note that you will pay higher due on and after April 1, 2018. Also, remember that your subscription of PADette Newsletter will be temporarily suspended after March 31, 2018 unless you pay your due.

If you are **NEW** to join, you can only choose either Associate or College Student. An add \$5.00 membership Initiation fee to your membership due.

Make a check or money order payable to Pittsburgh Association of the Deaf. Please write "2018 Annual PAD Membership" after the memo on lower left corner of your personal check.

Mail to  
P.A.D.  
1854 Forbes Ave  
Pittsburgh, PA 15119

DATE	2/3/18	2/17/18	3/3/18	3/17/18	4/7/18	4/21/18	5/5/18
<b>J</b>	149 Pts. No Winner	160 Pts No Winner	160 Pts. No Winner	180 Pts. No Winner	180 Pts. No Winner	200 Pts No Winner	200 Pts.
<b>B</b>	770 Pts. David Binning #1145 No Winner	790 Pts Faith Roberts #855 No Winner	810 Pts. Bernice Crow #444 No Winner	830 Pts. Donald Galloway #546 No Winner	870 Pts. Rafi Diaz #180 No Winner	890 Pts. Elaine Schneck #211 No Winner	930 Pts
<b>A</b>	670 Pts. William Brown #391 No Winner	690 Pts Jerry Stewart #213 No Winner	710 Pts Kim Olean #410 Winner	100 Pts. Andrew Weber #881 No Winner	140Pts. Karen Craven #1202 No Winner	160 Pts. Mary Contestible #1191 No Winner	200 Pts
<b>N</b>	560 Pts. John Fisher #292 No Winner	580 Pts Cheryl Birnbaum #1140 No Winner	600 Pts. Steven Douglas #1075 No Winner	620 Pts. Lori Ann Abshier #611 No Winner	660 Pts. Todd Langer #1250 No Winner	680 Pts. James Yost #665 No Winner	720 Pts
<b>K</b>	100 Pts. Kathy Conte #612 Winner	100 Pts Tom Halik #369 No Winner	120 Pts. Donna Bennett #1093 No Winner	140 Pts. Lillian Comminotti #1271 No Winner	180 Pts. Richard Vogtsberger #935 No Winner	200 Pts. Wesley Jarrell #470 No Winner	240 Pts

## May 2018

Wednesday		Friday		Saturday	
	<b>2</b>	The Deaf Club ASL Movie 8:30pm	<b>4</b>	Bingo Night 7pm	<b>5</b>
PAD Senior Citizen 10a-4p	<b>9</b>	PAD Poker League 8:30pm	<b>11</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Annual Corn hole 12p PAD Active Meeting 7:30p	<b>12</b>
	<b>16</b>	PAD Poker League 8:30pm	<b>18</b>	Pingo Night 7:30pm	<b>19</b>
	<b>23</b>	WPSD GALA	<b>25</b>		<b>26</b>

## June 2018

Wednesday		Friday		Saturday	
			<b>1</b>	Bingo Night 7pm	<b>2</b>
Deaf Awareness Kennywood Day June 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	<b>6</b>	Poker League 8:30pm	<b>8</b>	Active Meeting 7:30pm	<b>9</b>
PAD Senior Citizen 10a-4p	<b>13</b>		<b>15</b>	Pingo Night 7:30pm	<b>16</b>
	<b>20</b>	Poker League 8:30pm	<b>21</b>		<b>22</b>
	<b>27</b>		<b>29</b>		<b>30</b>

## July 2018

Wednesday		Friday		Saturday	
	<b>4</b>		<b>6</b>	Bingo Night 7pm	<b>7</b>
PAD Senior Citizen 10a - 4p	<b>11</b>	Poker League 8:30pm	<b>13</b>	Active Meeting 7:30pm	<b>14</b>
	<b>18</b>		<b>20</b>	Pingo Night 7:30pm	<b>21</b>
	<b>25</b>	Poker League 8:30pm	<b>27</b>		<b>28</b>

# P.I.N.G.O Night



May 19, 2018 Start 7:30pm

June 16, 2018 Start 7:30pm

July 21, 2018 Start 7:30pm

Donation \$10.00

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Poker League Season 12 Session 1 2018

Will start Friday March 24 2018

Start at 8:30 pm

We will play 12 weeks of regular season

On 13<sup>th</sup> week will have League Finals!

Come on and have fun play poker  
every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday nights!!

# **PAD/GPCCD**

## **END OF SUMMER COOKOUT**

### **Face Painting:**

Butterfly, Hearts, rainbow, flower, baseball, soccer, football, spider, etc...

### **Kids Activities:**

Water balloons  
Bean Bag Toss  
Playground  
Many more...

### **KIDS PLAY**



### **Recreation**

Horse Shoes

Poker

Corn hole

Many more....

**Come and Have Fun!!!**

**When: SATURDAY, AUGUST 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Time: 11am – Dusk**

**Lunch: 12 – 1 PM - Cold Cut Sandwiches, Fruit Salad, Veggie Tray, Snacks**

**Dinner: 4:30 – 6 PM - Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Side Dishes, Salads**

**Where: White Oak Park--Maple Shelter**

**Signs of PAD/GPCCD will be post along by McClintock Rd, off by Route 48 (Jack Run Road)**

**(Access to restroom same location as shelter. BYOB, This is a picnic you do not want to miss)!!!!**

**Donation: Children under 3: FREE / Children 4-12 years old: \$5.00 / Adults \$10.00**

**Proceeds will be going to PAD and GPCCD Kids Event Fund**

**More information, contact: Holly Mendel / Lori Ann LaSorsa Abshier/ Jeff Janaszek**

**Email: [Gpccdkidsevent@gmail.com](mailto:Gpccdkidsevent@gmail.com)**

# THE DEAF CLUB

ASL Movie



When: Friday May 4<sup>th</sup> 2018

Also TBA if more people want to see the movie

Time: 8:30pm to 10pm

Donation \$5.00

Purpose donation for Roof Fundraising



# 2018 Western Penna

## Pig Roast Bash Event

Friday, August 10th to Sunday, August  
2018



12th

At Falcon Park, Ford City, PA.16226

Website Information: [www.Facebook.com/FalconPark](http://www.Facebook.com/FalconPark)

Please fill out the form and mail to PAD Club % - WPA Pig Roast

1854 Forbes Ave, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15219

Please make check payable to PAD/GPCCD

(Cash only...At The Door)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### BOOTHS ARE WELCOME...

Price Includes campsite, Saturday Dinner & Door Prizes.

By July 10th    At Door

\_\_\_ # of Adults for 3 days / 2 nights    \$30 X \_\_\_    \$40 X \_\_\_

\_\_\_ # of Adults for 2 days / 1 nights    \$20 X \_\_\_    \$30 X \_\_\_

\_\_\_ # of Juniors for 3 days / 2 nights    \$25 X \_\_\_    \$30 X \_\_\_

\_\_\_ # of Juniors for 2 days / 1 nights    \$15 X \_\_\_    \$20 X \_\_\_

### EARLY BIRD

\_\_\_ # of Visitors for Saturday Dinner & Door Prizes

Before August 1st \$20 X \_\_\_

At The Door \$25 X \_\_\_ - Cash Only

(Kids - Ages 5 & Under - Free)

(Juniors - Ages 6 - 17) Amount Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# PADSC/GPCCD

## 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Buffet

### Rain or Shine

July 15, 2018 – 12 PM  
Buffet – Cash Bar  
Door Prizes – Souvenir

Downey's House  
6080 Steubenville Pike – West Way Shoppes  
Robinson Twp., PA 15136

Donation: \$35.00 per person

Proceeds going to PADSC/GPCCD

More information, contact Brad Scheidmantel at [Brad1940@icloud.com](mailto:Brad1940@icloud.com)  
Please send your form and check (payable to PADSC) before July 7<sup>th</sup> to PAD  
Attn: Brad Scheidmantel, 1854 Forbes Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15219-5836

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Full Name (Required)

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Full Guest Name #2 (Optional)

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Street Address

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Full Guest Name #3 (Optional)

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City, State, Zipcode

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Full Guest Name #4 (Optional)

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Email Address

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Accommodation: DB/SSP





**Welcome to the Deaf Men Softball team's very FIRST ANNUAL CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT!**

**Sign up as an individual and be paired with someone else or in teams of two - every team will have the opportunity to win CASH prizes! With our DOUBLE ELIMINATION tournament, every team is GUARANTEED to play at least two games!**

**Where?**

**CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND SHELTER AT BOYCE PARK!  
675 OLD FRANKSTOWN RD  
PITTSBURGH, PA 15239**

**When?**

**MAY 12th, 2018 AT NOON!**

**How much?**

**Players: \$30 PER TEAM (\$15 per player + see below).**

**Nonparticipants: \$15 (see below).**

**Payment includes,**

**HAMBURGER/HOTDOG/CORN/APPETIZERS/SNACKS/  
VARIETY OF BEERS (you will be carded - 21+ only)/BIG CASH PRIZES.**

**We hope to see you there, let's have some fun!**

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**Your support goes towards the Deaf Men Softball team fund.**

**Pittsburgh Association of the Deaf  
Greater Pittsburgh Community Center for the Deaf  
1854 Forbes Ave, Pittsburgh Pa 15219**

VP (412) 246-8040

PAD Email- [contact@pghdeafclub.org](mailto:contact@pghdeafclub.org)

*"All the news you can't hear, is all  
The news you can read."*

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Spring/Summer 2018