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This document has been assembled by the Ephrata Alliance to help get the word out about local events to non-profits, business leaders and residents of the Ephrata Community. If you have information (or corrections) you'd like included in our monthly flyer, please forward it to Rebecca Gallagher by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month for the next month's flyer. [rgallagher@smithtoninn.com](mailto:rgallagher@smithtoninn.com).

**OCTOBER**

	<p><b>American Legion – First Sunday Motorcycle Rally</b></p> <p>Date: Sunday, October 1st  Time: Breakfast thru Lunch  Address: 300 Cocalico Street, Ephrata</p> <p>Website:  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/EphrataFirstSundayMotorcycleRally/">https://www.facebook.com/EphrataFirstSundayMotorcycleRally/</a></p>
	<p><b>The Retreat's Fall Fest</b></p> <p>Date: Sunday, October 1st  Time: 12:00 noon – 3:00 pm  Address: Retreat Outpatient Center, 333 S. 7th Street, Akron, PA</p> <p>Admission: FREE</p>
	<p><b>Ephrata Chamber Fall Dinner</b></p> <p>Date: Thursday, October 5th  Time: 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm  Address: Inn at Leola Village  38 Deborah Dr, Leola, Pennsylvania 17540</p> <p>Website:  <a href="https://secure2.chambermaster.com/directory/jsp/events/dlg/Public_AddReg.jsp?ccid=791&amp;eventid=980">https://secure2.chambermaster.com/directory/jsp/events/dlg/Public_AddReg.jsp?ccid=791&amp;eventid=980</a></p>

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**Ephrata Cloister – Apple Dumpling Sales**

Date: Friday & Saturday, October 6-7  
Time: 9:30 am – 4:00 pm  
Address: 632 W. Main Street, Ephrata

Website: <http://www.ephratacloister.org/events.htm>



**60th Anniversary of the Historical Society of the Cocalico Valley Dinner – Speaker General Tom Hobbins**

Date: Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 6:00 pm  
Address: Fox Chase Golf Club

Cost: \$40

Call: (717) 733-1616 (once ticket sales are opened up to non-members)



**Ephrata Cloister – Day of Music**

Date: Sunday, October 8th  
Time: 2:00, 3:00 and 4:00 pm  
Address: 632 W. Main Street, Ephrata, PA

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	<p><b>Ephrata Unexpected</b></p> <p>Date: Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>          Time: Gates open at 4:30 pm          Address: 16 E. Main Street (Whistle Stop Plaza)</p> <p>Cost: \$25/person</p> <p>Webiste: <a href="http://www.ephrataunexpected.org/">http://www.ephrataunexpected.org/</a></p>
	<p><b><i>EICHER ARTS CENTER CONCERT: Quittapahilla Highlanders Scottish and Irish Bagpipe and Drum Musicians extraordinaire-</i></b></p> <p>Date: Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 pm          Address: 409 Cocalico St, Ephrata</p> <p>Lawn Concert along the creek</p> <p>Cost: FREE ADMISSION!</p>
	<p><b>Sweeny Todd</b></p> <p>Date: October 19 – November 4          Time: check website          Address: Ephrata Performing Arts Center          320 Cocalico Street, Ephrata</p> <p>Website:  <a href="https://www.ephrataperformingartscenter.com/productions/sweeney-todd-2017.php">https://www.ephrataperformingartscenter.com/productions/sweeney-todd-2017.php</a></p>

	<p><b>Whistle Stop Night Market</b></p> <p>Date: Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>  Time: 4:30 pm – 8:00 pm  Address: 16 E. Main Street (Whistle Stop Plaza)</p> <p>Open Air market with Vendors, Food Trucks, Live Entertainment &amp; Adult Beverages available for purchase</p> <p>Cost: FREE ADMISSION!</p>
	<p><b>Jack Frost Parade</b></p> <p>Date: Wednesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, Rain date October 26<sup>th</sup>  Time: 6:00 – 6:30: Line up; 7:00: Parade  Address: Ephrata VFW, 141 S. State Street, Ephrata</p> <p>Details: Food and drinks for sale. Parade led by Ephrata High School marching band. Prizes for all participants. Top winners get additional cash prizes.</p>
	<p><b>Ephrata Chamber – Business &amp; Community Expo</b></p> <p>Date: Thursday, October 28th  Time: 4:30 pm – 7:00 pm  Address: American Legion, 300 Cocalico St., Ephrata</p> <p>ADMISSION FREE</p>
	<p><b>Woman's Club Fall Fashion Show</b></p> <p>Date: Saturday, October 28th  Time: Lunch  Address: American Legion</p> <p>Tickets: Call Deb at 717-738-1632 to reserve your tickets</p>




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	<p><b>Ephrata Rec Center's Clare Point Derby</b>          Date: Saturday, October 28th          Time: 5:30 pm – 10:00 pm          Address: Ephrata Rec Center, 130 S. Academy Dr.           Website: <a href="https://www.ephratarec.com/">https://www.ephratarec.com/</a></p>
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**November:**

	<p><b>OMPH – Treasure Island Fundraiser</b>          Date: Saturday, November 4th          Time: 6:00          Address: 320 Church Ave, Ephrata           Admission: \$15, includes food &amp; beverage. Includes Silent, Live and Chinese Auctions.</p>
	<p><b>Veterans Day Luminary Tribute</b>          Date: Saturday, November 11th          Time: Dusk – 8:00 pm          Address: 29 Railroad Drive           Website: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/WintersLeadershipMemorial">www.facebook.com/WintersLeadershipMemorial</a></p>
	<p><b>Wellspring Community Hospital – Starlight Gala</b>          Date: Saturday, November 11th          Time: 5 pm – 10 pm          Address: Lancaster Country Club           Website: <a href="http://www.wellspring.org/about-wellspring/philanthropy/ephrata-community-health-foundation/events/starlight-gala-a-night-by-the-nile/">http://www.wellspring.org/about-wellspring/philanthropy/ephrata-community-health-foundation/events/starlight-gala-a-night-by-the-nile/</a></p>

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	<p><b>Shortline Trail Club: Model Train Display</b>          Date: Mid-November – Mid-January          Day: Saturdays &amp; Sundays          Time: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm          Address: 11 S. State Street (entrance behind building)           Website: <a href="http://www.slmrc.com/">http://www.slmrc.com/</a></p>
	<p><b>DEI – Downtown Ephrata Tree Lighting</b>          Date: Friday, November 24th          Time: 5:30 pm          Address: 16 E. Main Street</p>
	<p><b>Ephrata Cloister – Candlelight Open House</b>          Date: Saturday, November 25th          Time: 5:00 pm – 8:30 pm          Address: 632 W. Main Street, Ephrata           Website: <a href="http://www.ephratacloister.org/events.htm">http://www.ephratacloister.org/events.htm</a></p>

**“BIG” EVENTS LOOKING FORWARD:**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
December 11-12, 2017:	Spruce Up the Rec Bingo Jingle Bell Trolley Tour
December 27-30, 2017:	Ephrata Cloister’s Christmas at the Cloister Ephrata Cloister’s Lantern Tours