

# CARROLL COUNTY SENIORS IN ACTION RECREATION COUNCIL



## JUNE 2018 NEWSLETTER

We hope that everyone has dried out from the May rains and are enjoying FINALLY some beautiful spring weather!

Our June lunch will be held on Tuesday, June 12 starting at noon at Baugher's. If you didn't RSVP at the May lunch, please call Darlene Rohrbaugh at 410-374-4065 by the Tuesday before (June 5). Doors open at 11:30 and lunch is served at approximately noon. The June menu will be fried chicken, roasted red potatoes, Cole slaw, applesauce, and salad, as well as drinks and your choice of pie. Cost is \$15 per person and is payable to us when you enter.

Please let us know at the June luncheon what your thoughts are about Baugher's. The reviews have been very mixed, and the quality of food and service has had good and not so good moments. As we said in September when we decided to go to Baugher's, our options are becoming more and more limited. The social organizations in Westminster (American Legion, Elk's, VFW) have issues ranging anywhere from price to lack of volunteers to host a lunch. There are very few restaurants in the County that can provide us an area to hold our private lunches with a speaker. As always, your Board is open to any and all suggestions and we are always investigating other options. Our numbers continue to be steady and around 50, so that is most definitely a good sign!

Our June speaker will be Brooks Paternotte, Executive Director of the Irvine Nature Center in Owings Mills. Brooks is also the voice of "The Nature Things" on WYPR. While a part of the community for over 40 years, Irvine has grown and changed significantly since they moved to their Garrison Forest Road location in 2008. Irvine is the only privately owned, non-profit nature center in the region. They serve more than 80,000 visitors a year. It's a hidden gem so close to us. And we promise no reptiles or birds of any kind will be coming!

The June meeting is the deadline for the Choptank Riverboat tour with lunch at Suicide Bridge Restaurant in Hurlock. This trip is filling up fast! We will also have information at our June meeting for our summer crab feasts, so please stay tuned for those. We also want to thank Bob Alexander and Ruth Whitlock for taking a few minutes to introduce themselves to everyone at the May lunch. And if you took your name tag home after lunch, please don't forget it in June!

