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## Ocean City 2018



## VOICE OF THE GAVEL

Hello Brother and Sister Artisans;

It is hard to believe that we are half way through the year and our annual Ocean City family weekend has already come and gone. Everyone I spoke with said they had a fantastic time down at the shore. I want to congratulate our new Miss Artisan, Joslin Negron, and wish her a successful reign for 2018/19. I want to thank all those persons who helped make this another great weekend for all our Brother and Sister Artisans to enjoy.

Our new website and social media campaign is now up and running and there are many videos and pictures online that are constantly being up-dated. We are just finishing up running a month worth of radio ads on KYW news radio and the response has been very good. If you are not receiving the e-mail blast please call Bryan at the office so he can add you to our e-mail list.

Finally I want to give my wife Barbara a special thank you for all her hard work in helping make this weekend a success. It was a great weekend thanks to her and efforts and all those who volunteered and worked so hard that evening.

Fraternally,  
Patrick Ennis  
Most Excellent Master Artisan

### SUBMIT YOUR ARTICLES AND PHOTOGRAPHS TO THE ARTISAN

Do you have an event planned, some news to report, or any other interesting bit of information that the membership might find interesting? Submit your articles and photographs to *The Artisan*!

**All articles for publication in *The Artisan* must be submitted**

**in Microsoft Word or Word Perfect electronic format.**

All articles may be edited. Articles should briefly explain the "Who, What, When and Where."

Write your articles for the general membership who may not be familiar with your assembly, association or members. Readers will be most interested in major events, unusual events, ideas or other interesting information.

**Material being sent for consideration for *THE ARTISAN* should be packaged (to protect photographs) and mailed to: Artisans Order of Mutual Protection, 8100 Roosevelt Blvd., Philadelphia, PA 19152, attention: *THE ARTISAN*. The copy deadlines are December 1 for the Winter Issue, March 1 for the Spring Issue, June 1 for the Summer Issue and September 1 for the Fall Issue. The Artisans cannot assume any liability for the safe receipt of any materials submitted.**

## 2018 Ocean City Weekend

The weather was a little unpredictable but cooperated enough to help make for a very successful Ocean City Weekend. MEMA Patrick Ennis and his wife Barbara did a great job as host and hostess at the hospitality room on Friday night. Saturday was a busy day with our members attending the amusement pier, mini golf, water park and the St. Johns pool party. Later that night we had 14 girls in the Miss Artisan pageant. Miss Joslin Negron took home the crown for the Recorders Association. Finally many of our members met up and had breakfast together on Sunday morning at the Flanders Hotel. It was a great time but the weekend flew by too quickly. **Please checkout the video about our Ocean City weekend event and activities. This video is available to view on Facebook, our website or on YouTube under Artisans Ocean City Weekend 2018.**

2017 Miss Artisan Angela Bucci with 2018 winner Joslin Negron



The Original Hobo Band playing outside the Music Pier in Ocean City N.J.



## COMING EVENTS

### JUNE

28, GAA Quarterly Meeting

30, Deadline for ADC continuing education scholarship applications.

### JULY

18, Board Meeting

### AUGUST

14, Reading Phillies game

24, 25 and 26 MEMA Family trip to Knoebels

### SEPTEMBER

10, Dining Club

22, JDRC Dinner

26, ME Family visitation to St. Johns

*There is plenty of  
Fraternal fun for  
all ages when you  
are a member of the  
Artisans.*



## M.E. SUPERINTENDENT LETTER

Ocean City was fantastic and it was really nice to see so many families and their children down the shore for this great fraternal event. Make sure you check out our website and Facebook page for up-coming events. We have many new activities coming up in the near future. If you haven't seen the video that is online that shows the highlights from our Ocean City Weekend it is definitely worth your time to visit our website and click on the video. It is very entertaining and gives a thorough look at what went on throughout the weekend.

Fraternally yours;

Barry Spindler



Members of the Artisans American Legion Post at the annual Memorial Day breakfast and memorial service held at the Hall.



Pictured are just some of our Brother and Sister Artisans who attended the Armed Forces Day service at the Chapel of the Four Chaplains at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.



The Most Excellent Family and Board of Directors visited Watsontown Assembly. It was a great day of fraternal fun and bonding. (Not pictured because he was the photographer is Bryan Werner)



## Term and Whole Life Policies

For Those Who Are 50 Plus

An Artisan term or whole life policy is an affordable and smart way of helping plan for funeral and estate expenses that can be incurred by a family when a loved one passes on.

The average funeral is over \$10,000 and most people wind up paying for this and many other estate expenses and taxes out of their pockets.

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AND TRIPS OFFERED  
THROUGHOUT THE YEAR**

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## Fraternal Activities



Some of our Extension Committee members outside the Music Pier on Saturday morning.



Carl Bornmann received a watch and name plate in recognition of his many years of service as a Board of Director.



Barbara Ennis with family and friends playing hostess at the hospitality room in Ocean City.



Barry "Cookieman" Spindler showing off his baked goods at the hospitality room in Ocean City.



Two of our Miss Artisan contestants helped across the boardwalk by Bryan Werner. All three were in fast trot to avoid the rain. Luckily the weather cleared before the contest.



MEMA Patrick Ennis and Jim Guinn are shown collecting tickets at the front gate of Gillian's Amusement Pier.



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## OVERVIEW

# Juvenile Term Policy

Regular insurance policies do not give you all the returns and benefits that an Artisan policy does.

**\$12.00**  
**the first year**

\$24.00 a year after that

**Juvenile policy goes until age 25**

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- 1 Great Price
- 2 Scholarships
- 3 Activities
- 4 Partial College Book Reimbursement



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- **Some of the other benefits include a host of activities at reduced prices for members.**

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# Miss Artisan Pageant 2018



Miss Northeast  
Kylie Ennis



Miss Watsonstown  
Allison Kuvik



Miss Philadelphia  
Alyssa Pinkl



Miss Union  
MacKenzie Burns



Miss St. Johns  
Elayna Werner



Miss Haddon  
Jenna Rose Paiano



Miss Tri County  
Allison Wierzbicki



Miss Red Rose  
Devon Russo



Miss Artisan Post  
Brittany Dorsonne



Miss Delaware  
County  
Lauren Mitchell



Miss Northwestern  
Gina Bucci



Miss G.A.A.  
Julia Paiano

## Miss Artisan Pageant 2018



Miss Recordors  
Joslin Negron



Miss Golden  
Artisans  
Danielle Cech



Gene Geary presents Elayna Werner, Miss St.  
Johns, with the Joan Geary Award.



Miss Artisan 2018, Joslin Negron, with first  
runner up Brittany Dorsonne and second  
runner up Danielle Cech.



Miss Artisan 2017, Angela Bucci, crowns  
Miss Artisan 2018 Joslin Negron.



Miss Artisan Pageant 2018



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AMERICAN  
MUSIC  
THEATRE



**Artisans bus trip to the American Music Theater**

**Saturday, December 1, 2018**

**\$105 per person**

**Round trip transportation**

**The First Noel at American Music Theatre**

**Family style lunch at Good N Plenty restaurant**

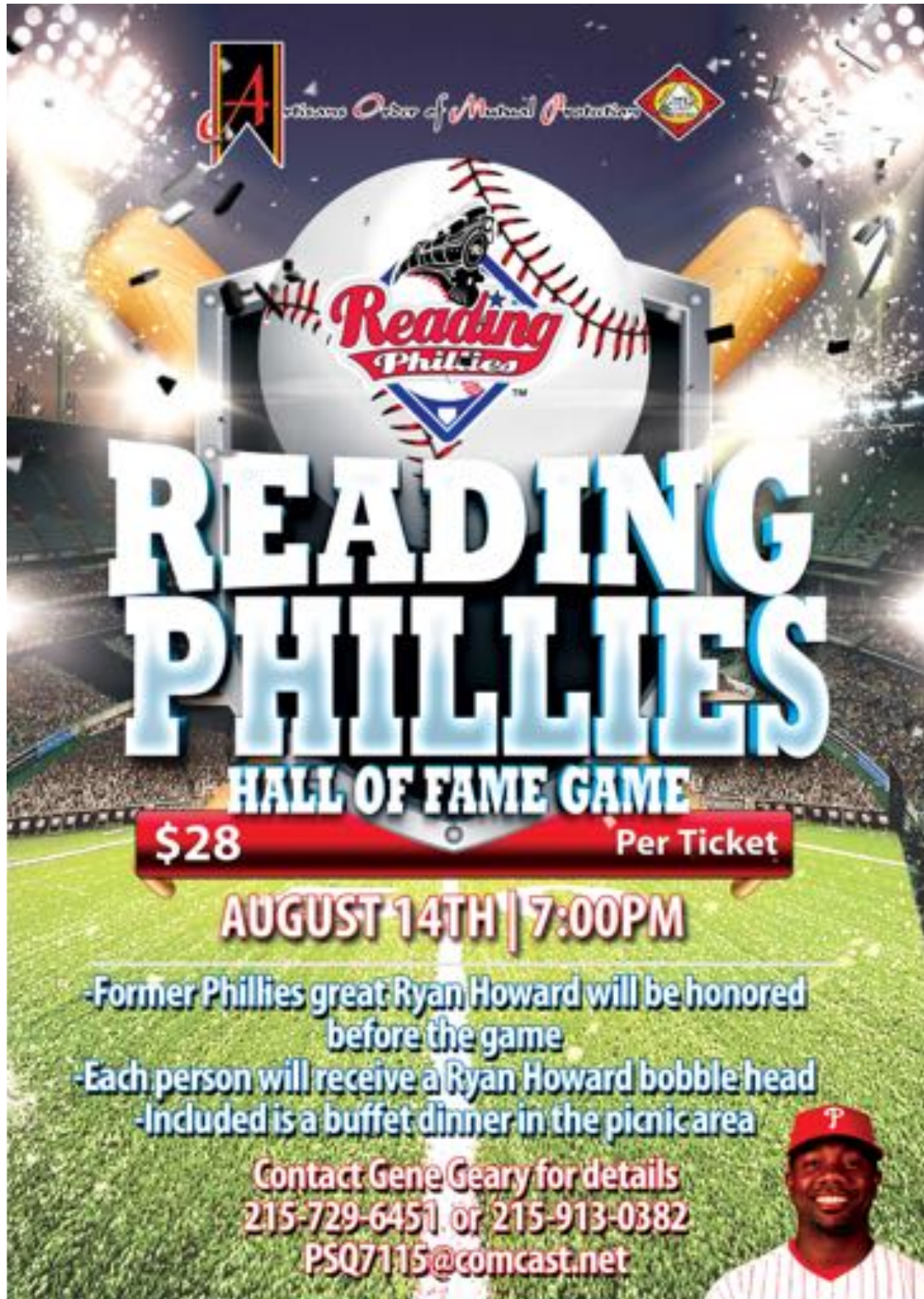
**Shopping at the Tanger Outlets**



**Call the office to reserve your seat before they are all sold out!**

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A promotional poster for the Reading Phillies Hall of Fame Game. The background features a baseball field at night with stadium lights and confetti. In the center is a large baseball with the Reading Phillies logo. Above the baseball is a banner for the American Order of Mutual Protection. The text 'READING PHILLIES' is prominently displayed in large, white, 3D letters. Below it, 'HALL OF FAME GAME' is written in smaller white letters. A red banner indicates the price is '\$28 Per Ticket'. The date and time 'AUGUST 14TH | 7:00PM' are shown in large, stylized letters. A list of event details is provided, including the honoring of Ryan Howard and a buffet dinner. Contact information for Gene Geary is at the bottom. A photo of Ryan Howard in a Phillies uniform is in the bottom right corner.

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# READING PHILLIES


## HALL OF FAME GAME

**\$28** Per Ticket

**AUGUST 14TH | 7:00PM**

- Former Phillies great Ryan Howard will be honored before the game
- Each person will receive a Ryan Howard bobble head
- Included is a buffet dinner in the picnic area

Contact Gene Geary for details  
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## 2018 DINING CLUB SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Alexandra DePascale  
Philadelphia #1  
Penn State University



Cali Brown  
St. John's #28  
University of Central Florida



Philip J. DeAngelis, III  
St. John's #28  
West Chester University



Lori Strahan  
St. John's #28  
Kutztown University



Olivia Mahony  
Delaware County #31  
University of North Carolina



Emily Pelletier  
Watsontown #31  
University of Susquehanna