

# Bulletin Board

The Polish American Congress Encourages All to Support Our Area Activities!

**Friday, December 2 - Kosciuszko Foundation Philadelphia Chapter, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine and the Chemical Heritage Foundation sponsoring "Marie Sklodowska Curie Exhibit & Reception,** Translational Research Center & Perelman Center for Advanced Medicine, 3400 Civic Center Blvd., Bldg. 421, Philadelphia, 5:30 P.M. Free - RSVP required. Info call Teresa Wojcik 215-752-9270.

**Sunday, December 4 - St. Stanislaus Church Christmas Bazaar,** 3rd and Fitzwater Streets, South Philadelphia, 12 Noon to 4 P.M. Polish food, games of chance, and much more. Info call rectory 215-468-1922. Everyone invited!

**Sunday, December 4 - Polski Uniwersytet Ludowy Lecture in the Polish language,** Associated Polish Home, 9150 Academy Road, Northeast Philadelphia, 3 P.M. Speaker: Mgr. Ryszard Druch. Topic: "100 Salonow Artystycznych Ryszarda Drucha - oryginalna forma promocji polskiej kultury i sztuki w USA". Free. Info call 215-624-9954.

**Sunday, December 4 - Polka Dance,** Thaddeus Kosciuszko Club (TK), East Hector and Apple Streets, Conshohocken, PA. Music by Shoreliners Band, 3 to 7 P.M. Free parking. Admission price includes a meal. Info call 610-828-9352.

**Saturday, December 10 - Polish Christmas Open House,** Polish American Cultural Center Museum, 308 Walnut Street, historic Philadelphia, 11 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. 11 A.M. snacks & refreshments, 12 Noon magic show, 12:30 P.M. visit by Sw. Mikolaj and singing of koledy. Everyone is invited. Free Admission. Info call 215-922-1700.

**Sunday, December 11 - Marcella Kochanska Sembrich Female Chorus & Adam Mickiewicz Polish Language School Christmas Concert,** Associated Polish Home Ballroom, 9150 Academy Road, Northeast Philadelphia, 3 P.M. Reception following the concert. Everyone is invited. Info/tickets call Dolores Czaplicka 215-633-0560 or e-mail Barbara at basiav1@comcast.net.

**Tuesday, December 13 - St. Laurentius Christmas Pageant,** Berks & Memphis Streets, Fishtown section of Philadelphia, 7 P.M. Featuring St. Laurentius school children, St. Laurentius Choir, Children's Hand Bell Choir, and Duane Rutkowski, Organist. Everyone is invited. Free Admission. Info call 215-739-1776

**Saturday, December 17 - Polish American Heritage Association of Berks County Seventh Annual Polish Christmas Eve "Wigilia",** Stirling Guest Hotel, 1120 Centre Avenue, Reading, PA. Cocktails 5 P.M. followed by Dinner at 6 P.M. Info call Henry Pruski 610-372-1279 after 6 P.M.

**Sunday, December 18 - Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic School Christmas Ceremony,** St. John Cantius Church, 4415 Almond Street, Bridesburg section of Philadelphia, 7 P.M. Giving Tree, Scripture Readings, Christmas Carols, Living Nativity. Info call Linda Milewski 215-535-3446.

**Sunday, December 18 - St. Valentine Church Christmas Wigilia Dinner,** 2330 Margaret Street, Frankford section of Philadelphia. Candlelight service 4 P.M., St. Valentine Church, followed by the Wigilia Dinner. Santa Claus will visit. Info call Fran 215-632-1816. All are welcome.

**Sunday, December 18 - The Philadelphia Chapter of the Kosciuszko Foundation Polish Christmas Celebration,** Montrose Mansion at the Villanova Conference Center, 601 County Line Road, Radnor, PA, 5 P.M. Sharing of the Oplatek, Dinner, Concert featuring Marta Wryk, mezzo-soprano. Info/tickets call Teresa Wojcik 215-752-9270 or e-mail tereska@yahoo.com.

**Sunday, January 8 - St. Adalbert Polish Language School Annual Christmas Program, "Jaselka" - St. Adalbert Auditorium,** Thompson Street and Allegheny Avenue, Port Richmond section of Philadelphia, 1 P.M. Free. Info call Maria Koleda 610-368-1604.

**Sunday, January 8 - Polski Uniwersytet Ludowy Lecture in the Polish language,** Associated Polish Home, 9150 Academy Road, Northeast Philadelphia, 3 P.M. Speaker: Mgr. Joanna Sokolowska Gwizdka. Topic: "Helena Modrzejewska i Jej Artystyczna Spuscizna w Ameryce". Free. Info call 215-624-9954.

**Sunday, January 15 - Our Lady of Czestochowa Polish Language School Christmas Program, "Jaselka",** Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Ferry Road, Doylestown, PA, Visitors Shrine Cafeteria, 2 P.M. Info call the shrine 215-345-0600.

**Saturday, February 11 - Police Police Association of Philadelphia 36th Annual Founder's Day Banquet,** King's Caterers II, 4010 New Falls Road, Bristol, PA, 6 P.M. to midnight. Continuous music by Plus Five Orchestra and Rick Gazda Band. Cocktail hour, surf and turf sit down dinner and a 6 hour open bar. Info call Edward McCloskey 215-425-4783.

**Sunday, February 12 - Polski Uniwersytet Ludowy Lecture in the Polish language,** Associated Polish Home, 9150 Academy Road, Northeast Philadelphia, 3 P.M. Speaker: Mgr. Aleksandra Ziolkowska Bohem. Topic: "Od Wankowicza do Amerykanskich Indian". Free. Info call 215-624-9954.

**Visit us on the Internet at:  
PolishAmericanCenter.com**

Everyone is invited to attend the **Annual Tribute Ceremony Honoring American Revolutionary War Hero and Freedom Fighter for Poland General Thaddeus Kosciuszko Marking the 266th Anniversary of his Birth**



**Saturday, February 4, 2012 - 12 Noon  
Holiday Inn Hotel Ballroom  
4th & Arch Streets in Historic Philadelphia**

sponsored by the  
**Polish American Congress  
Eastern Pennsylvania District**

A Luncheon will follow the Ceremony

**For additional information or luncheon reservations call the:**

Polish American Congress at (215) 739-3408 or call the Polish American Cultural Center, Monday through Friday between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. at (215) 922-1700.

**September 13, 2011 at Delaware County Council Chambers, Media, PA, proclaiming October as Polish American Heritage Month**



Back row standing left to right: Councilman Tom McGarrigle, Councilman John J. Whelan, Chairman, Delaware County Council, Councilman Mario Civera, Jr. 1st row standing left to right: Hedwig Pennell, Jan Szymczyk, Phil Tarashuk, Councilman Andy Lewis, David Chominski, Helen Chominski, Gina Dubinski, Sophie Szymczyk. Child in forefront is Hedwig Pennell's grandson, Jack Nagle.



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Bozego Narodzenia  
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Szcześliwego Nowego Roku  
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**Christmas Greetings from  
Sacred Heart Parish  
Clifton Heights, PA  
St. Hedwig's  
Chester, PA**



May God continue to bless you and all the good work you do for the community

**The Board of the Polish American Congress  
welcomes all proud Polish Americans to join the PAC**

**Polish American Congress**

**2012 District Membership 2012  
(For New Members)**

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I understand membership will include a one-year subscription to the Polish American News.

Please return the above form with your payment.  
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