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## Serendipity Farm Selected for the 2014 Bucks County Designer House & Gardens

Doylestown, PA

Situated on nine wooded acres in Doylestown Township, Serendipity Farm has been selected by the Village Improvement Association of Doylestown (VIA) as the 39th Bucks County Designer House & Gardens.

Over the past 245 years of this former working farm's history, it has undergone several expansions and renovations and now includes amenities found in a modern home. In 2014, it will be changed once again, in grand style, by a team of talented professionals who will soon descend on the main house, guest house, outbuildings and grounds to transform the estate into a stunning showcase.



Photo by Liesbeth Bisschops 215.588.7735

The main house has a large eat-in kitchen opening to a glass enclosed sunroom and a formal dining room with French doors leading to a patio and gardens. A living room with large fireplace, deep windowsills and built-ins and family room with fireplace complete the first floor all with exquisite views of a serene pond accented by a bridge evocative of Bucks County's historied past. Beyond the farm house lie an enchanting two-bedroom guest house, pool, pool house, and large barn. The Bucks County Designer House & Gardens will open for tours April 27, 2014. Preview events include the Empty House Party on Sunday, February 23, 2014 and Gala to be held just prior to the house opening for tours. Additional special events will be held in May including a Fashion Show & Brunch and other special events to be announced. Visitors will also have access to boutiques and a café.

Joyce Hanson, 2014 Designer House chairwoman, says "Serendipity Farm offers a warm ambiance and sense of tradition that harmonizes perfectly with the mission of the VIA -- to improve the quality of life in our community --and our commitment to revitalize the VIA Maternity Center at Doylestown Hospital. We hope this setting inspires the design and creative abilities of our design team and offers an exciting and enjoyable experience for our visitors."

Proceeds from the Designer House contribute to the VIA's 1,000,000 dollar pledge to renovate the VIA Birthing Center at Doylestown Hospital and to fulfilling the VIA's mission. The renovated maternity center will have 9 labor and delivery suites and 22 private postpartum rooms, allowing families a quiet and personal environment to bond with their newborns.

Designers, landscapers, artists, skilled craftspeople and businesses are invited to participate in and to support this fundraising event that attracts over 7,000 visitors each year. Sponsorship and advertising opportunities are available.

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