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VIA Membership Application Form

Thank you for your interest in the Village Improvement Association of Doylestown (VIA). Please take the time to fill out this form which will be used to help make your membership active and enjoyable. If there are portions that you are unable or choose not to complete, please feel free to leave them blank. The information you share will assist us in making your membership in the VIA happy and productive as we work together to meet the needs of Doylestown Hospital and our community. We look forward to your participation in our many endeavors. Thank you for joining us!

Joyce A. Hanson, President

Date: _____ Your Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

Birthday (mm/dd/year): _____ Email: _____

Home Phone: _____ Mobile: _____ Work: _____

PLEASE CHECK WHICH PHONE NUMBER YOU WOULD LIKE TO APPEAR IN THE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

PLEASE INCLUDE A PHOTO OF YOURSELF WITH THIS APPLICATION OR SEND A DIGITAL PHOTO TO: kruger@dh.org

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (School, Degrees, Fields of Interest):

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION (Past and Current – Dates. Feel free to attach a copy of your Résumé):

OTHER CLUB AFFILIATIONS AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT (Past, Current, Office Held - Dates):

Please mail this completed application and a check for \$45.00 payable to *VIA of Doylestown* to:
VIA Office, ATTN: Laura Kruger – 595 W. State Street, Doylestown, PA 18901

2018-2019 Fiscal Year Annual Dues - \$45.00	\$45.00
OPTIONAL	
Additional Donation to the Welfare Fund:	
Additional Donation to the James-Lorah Memorial Home:	
Additional Donation to the Women's Scholarship Fund:	
TOTAL:	

(PLEASE SEE REVERSE FOR VIA COMMITTEES AND DESCRIPTIONS)

www.via-doylestown.org

The VIA meets on the first Tuesday of each month from October through June. Meetings are held in various locations including the James-Lorah Memorial Auditorium, the Health and Wellness Center in Warrington and Doylestown Hospital. Meeting locations can be found in the Membership Directory provided each September.

Below is a list of VIA committees and a brief description of their mission. If you would like to serve on any of the committees, please put a check mark next to the committee(s) in which you have an interest and the Chair will get in touch with you directly.

X	COMMITTEE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION
<input type="checkbox"/>	1895 SOCIETY	Welcomes members who have donated \$100 or more to the VIA.
<input type="checkbox"/>	BYLAWS	Must be appointed by Chair. Members review the bylaws and policies and recommend changes and updates.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMMUNITY RECOGNITION	Recognizes outstanding individuals and/or organizations whose efforts have contributed to the VIA's purpose.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMMUNITY RESPONSE FUND	Receives grant applications year-round and reviews them in September. Grants are awarded once a year.
<input type="checkbox"/>	CONSERVATION	Keeps the membership apprised of conservation, beautification of the area, and methods of preventing pollution of the environment. Primary project is the maintenance of the Presidents' Garden at Doylestown Hospital.
<input type="checkbox"/>	DESIGNER HOUSE & GARDENS	Committee begins to meet in the Fall to plan selection of a house, decorators, publicity, etc. for this fundraising activity.
<input type="checkbox"/>	EDUCATION	Responsible for awarding Hannah Pollock-Laura Haddock and Ruth Boland Nursing Scholarships to students who reside in the Central Bucks School District and who are enrolled in a course of study in the medical field.
<input type="checkbox"/>	FINANCE	Prepares a proposed budget for the club year. Also, monitors the VIA System, including establishing financial policies and reviewing expenditures.
<input type="checkbox"/>	FLORAL ARTS	Responsible for arranging flowers on the tea table for the membership meetings. The James-Lorah Memorial Home is decorated for Christmas by request; centerpieces are created for the Petite and June Luncheons.
<input type="checkbox"/>	FUNDRAISING	Plans and organizes various fundraising projects for the VIA.
<input type="checkbox"/>	H.O.B.Y. SCHOLARSHIP	Works closely with high school guidance counselors to review applications and choose recipients for the Hugh O'Brian Scholarship to attend a one week leadership skills conference.
<input type="checkbox"/>	HOME LIFE	A volunteer support group for our Pine Run and Lakeview nursing facilities. Visit monthly to assist residents in planned activities, take them outside or just sit and talk with them. Holds an annual bake sale.
<input type="checkbox"/>	HOSPITALITY	Provides refreshments for VIA monthly meetings.
<input type="checkbox"/>	JAMES-LORAH MEMORIAL HOME	Members are appointed and must be approved by the Board. Oversees the maintenance and preservation of the historic James-Lorah home.
<input type="checkbox"/>	MARKETING	Promotes interest, appreciation of activities of the VIA and coordinates public relations for and with the Doylestown Hospital.
<input type="checkbox"/>	MEMBERSHIP	Welcome new members and acquaint them with committees and introduce them to other VIA members.
<input type="checkbox"/>	PEDIATRIC LIBRARY & SCRAPBOOK	Supplies reading material for the Pediatric Department at the hospital and keeps yearly scrapbook updates in lobby of James-Lorah Memorial Home.
<input type="checkbox"/>	PRESERVATION OF RECORDS	Properly preserves records relating to the history of the VIA.
<input type="checkbox"/>	PROGRAM	Meets in February and April to plan programs for the following year. VIA members are encouraged to share interests and talents.
<input type="checkbox"/>	SOCIAL	Plans social activities throughout the year to the theater, museums, dining and more.
<input type="checkbox"/>	STRATEGIC PLANNING TASK GROUP	Defines the values, purpose, vision, mission, goals and objectives of the VIA. Through the process, the SPTG identifies the outcomes the VIA wants to achieve through our programs and how we can best achieve those outcomes.
<input type="checkbox"/>	SUNSHINE	Send get well cards to members who are ill and also a sympathy card to the family of deceased spouses.
<input type="checkbox"/>	VETERANS	Provide information on military issues to the VIA membership and to supervise VIA donations to military charities and causes. Collect donations in October and November and coordinate with our selected charities to determine and fulfill their needs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	WELFARE	Members are appointed. Assist distressed members of the community and make contributions to the needy during the holidays.
<input type="checkbox"/>	WOMEN'S SCHOLARSHIP	Provide financial aid to eligible women in obtaining education and/or training necessary to prepare them to secure employment or improve their work status by upgrading their skills.