

**SATURDAY-SEPTEMBER 14, 2019**

THE  
VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB  
— *of Sewickley* —

# ROAD RALLY

If you are a driver, navigator or passenger your day will start at 9:00 am at War Memorial Park 811 Blackburn Road Sewickley PA 15143.

Driver, navigator and passengers check in at the registration table and sign the event waiver. At the 9:30 am brief, drivers meeting, you will receive your navigation directions for the 85-90 mile adventure.

You will proceed to our first stop in Richland Township to visit the Eden Hall Campus of Chatham University for a tour. Chatham is a recognized leader in sustainability and is the alma mater of environmental icon Rachel Carson. You will tour principal facilities of the world's first university campus designed to be a showcase for sustainable solutions. A delicious lunch will be served in the beautifully restored barn.

The next stop is Concordia Villa Saint Joseph in Baden. You will have an opportunity to take off your driving gloves and put on your gardening gloves and plant spring bulbs or even plant a tree. Don't want to dig in the dirt? Perhaps you prefer to stretch your legs and stroll the grounds. There will be representatives to speak to us about the history of Villa St Joseph and the range of their inspiring work.

The Rally's final stop is Wilpen Hall. Completed in 1897 it is the last of the gilded age estates in Sewickley Heights. This 23,000-square foot home was built for entertaining. Enjoy the wine bar and tour the restored carriage house containing many fine antique horseless carriages. Walk the pathways to the elegant cocktail party on the spacious covered stone veranda and enjoy more libations and hors d'oeuvres.

The north veranda faces a white garden with a water feature. The east veranda oversees four terraces all with gardens, and on the south side resides the cutting and vegetable gardens.

The special motor cars, including one from Wilpen's extensive collection, will be on display along the driveway and guests will have a chance to talk and mingle with the automobile owners and admire the beautiful cars.

The \$175 entry fee includes car, driver, navigator, lunch and the cocktail party.

Car Passengers are \$75 per person and includes lunch and the cocktail party. Nondriving guests at Wilpen Hall are \$75 per person.

Arrival time at Wilpen is approximately 4:30 pm for rally cars and nondriving guests. There will be parkers directing cars to appropriate areas.

No pets, please.

Mail entry form and check made payable to: ***Village Garden Club of Sewickley***  
Mail to: Glenda Larson, VGC Treasurer, 1114 McDonald Place, Sewickley, PA. 15143  
Email for questions: [roadrally@sewickleygardenclub.org](mailto:roadrally@sewickleygardenclub.org)

***REGISTRATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 24, 2019***

***The Village Garden Club of Sewickley*** is a 501(c)(3) all volunteer, charitable organization and a portion of your fee is tax deductible.

*This event will support our charities, including our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary gifts to the community.*