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O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C. and Stephen I. Baer Join Forces

The law firm of O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C. (OWM), 41 E. High Street, Pottstown, PA, and 347 Bridge Street, Suite 200, Phoenixville, PA, recently announced that Stephen I. Baer, Esquire has joined the Firm as of October 1, 2023.

Attorney Baer has been practicing law in Phoenixville, Chester County and surrounding areas for more than 40 years. Stephen concentrates his practice in the areas of criminal law, estate planning, estate administration, mediation and family law. He began his law career as an Assistant District



Stephen I. Baer

Attorney with the Chester County District Attorney's office and established his law practice, Baer Romain, shortly thereafter.

Stephen was born and raised in Phoenixville. He received his B.A., magna cum laude, from the University of Pittsburgh in 1974 and his J.D. from Temple University in 1978. Mr. Baer was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar in 1978, the U.S. District

Court Eastern District of Pennsylvania in 1981, and the U.S. Supreme Court in 1984.

After a long and successful run with Baer Romain & Ginty LLP, Stephen has decided to make the transition to OWM to continue his practice and to provide a wider array of services to his clients and add significant depth to his practice areas. The members of OWM Law and Stephen Baer share the same values and are confident this combination will provide an environment which will benefit clients and will allow the tradition of excellent service to continue.

The law firm of O'Donnell, Weiss & Mattei, P.C. has been serving clients from the original office location in Pottstown, at 41 E. High Street, for more than 60 years. In January 2006, OWM Law established its second, fully staffed office, at 347 Bridge Street, Phoenixville, PA, which is where Attorney Baer will be located. The firm's

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The Shareholders of OWM Law believe "the addition of Stephen Baer enhances the services offered to our clients. It is a natural fit." The lawyers and staff of OWM Law look forward to welcoming the clients of Stephen Baer.

Stephen can be reached at 610.917.9347, or by email at sbaer@owmlaw.com. Also, please feel free to call any of the attorneys at OWM Law for further information or assistance, and please visit www.owmlaw.com.



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Company president and founder John A. Bigham III has lived in the Pottstown, PA area his entire life. He attended Owen J. Roberts High School and received his MIS degree from Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia, PA. Upon graduation from college, John worked for a large accounting and finance firm as a consultant for large insurance companies. He became a producing insurance agent/broker in 2005. Since then John has become successful by utilizing his insurance knowledge and strong work ethic to provide his clients with the necessary insurance coverage at a competitive price combined with superior customer service.

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Classic Returns with Extended Sections for a Superb Holiday Experience

The Pottstown Dance Theatre Repertory Ensemble brings back their Holiday classic, "The Nutcracker" to Boyertown Area High School on Dec. 9 at 7pm and Dec. 10 at 2pm; and they are adding two sections that will blow your mind and delight your senses! Under the direction of international dance artist Michelle Jones Wurtz, the production will include an extended battle scene and a brand-new moment entitled "Clara's Conflict" inspired by the greatest dancer of the 20th Century, Mikhail Baryshnikov. The experience will be a Holiday treat for the entire family!

One of the reasons "The Nutcracker" is a family favorite is the inclusion of dances from various cultures, particularly in the second act. There is dance with a Spanish flare, Eastern European flare, Swiss, Chinese, and even Middle Eastern, making something for every taste and background. Kelsey Nieckoski Noble has added chore-



ography in various parts and will be performing support roles throughout the production. Lucy Boone and Haley Iannarino will be sharing the lead role of Clara as well as the nutcracker, while Teagan Lee and Holly Lucas will be performing roles such as Sugar Plum Fairy and Snow Queen. THE ENTIRE PRODUCTION UTILIZES ONLY

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"The Nutcracker" presented by Pottstown Dance Theatre Repertory Ensemble, **Dec. 9** at 7pm and **Dec. 10** at 2pm at **Boyertown Area High School**. Adults: \$21-\$25; Students/Seniors: \$18-\$22. Call 610-323-2569 or visit pottstowndance.com for ticket purchasing and information! Partially funded by PA Council on the Arts Visit www.pottstowndance.com or call 610-323-2569 for more info.



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Theatre (72 W. Main St., Pottstown PA 19465), by calling 610.323.2569, and online at www.pottstowndance.com. Get them at the studio in advance with cash or a check and save! If you purchase them in advance with cash or check in person, adult tickets are \$21 (\$25 with credit card or at the box office); advance tickets with cash or check for students or seniors (60+) are \$18 (\$22 with credit card or at the box office). Start your Holiday Season with classic production that is right in your backyard!

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