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Embody's is the only 100 percent service center in the Pottstown area providing old-fashioned service, which includes washing windshields, checking fluids under the hood, and checking air in tires. Offering road services for flat tires and no starts, the service center also performs a complete safety check at no additional cost with every oil and filter change.

Other services offered by Embody's include: Pick up and delivery of vehicle; PA State safety and emissions inspection; factory-scheduled maintenance; sales and service of many major brands of tires;

computerized wheel balancing; brake service; exhaust repair and replacement; air conditioning and cooling system maintenance and repair; tune-ups and computerized engine diagnostics; fuel injection service; engine repair; transmission service such as fluid flushing and filter changes; steering and suspension repairs; replacement of shocks & struts; and road services.

Hours are Monday through Friday 6 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. All major credit cards are accepted. Call 610.326.2250 any time you need car repairs. Embody plans to stay in business as long as possible and has no plans to sell or retire.

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## Pottstown Dance Theatre Repertory Ensemble Performs Beloved Christmas Classic

The Pottstown Dance Theatre will once again perform the Christmas classic, "The Nutcracker", on December 7 at 1pm as well as 4pm so that everyone can enjoy this fun ballet! Under the direction of international dance artist, Michelle Jones Wurtz, approximately thirty locals will perform 100 percent of the roles, as many of the dancers are now dancing at professional levels. The performance will take place at the

Boyertown Area High School which has state of the art lighting and sound.

Rick Boone will play the role of Drosselmeyer, the eccentric uncle/godfather to the lead female character, Clara. His real, true-life daughter Lucy Boone is sharing the role of Clara with Kate Garcia; and Sarah Boone (Lucy's mother and Rick's wife) is playing an Adult Lady in the party scene. They are not the only

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members of the same family working in this production. Adleigh Strickland is sharing the role of the Snow Queen with Teagan Lee, and Adleigh's brother, Aidan, is a Gentleman in the performance. Other siblings include Harlow and Harper Heber, Cordelia and Lorelei Mowrer, and Joshua and Susan Shirk. The role of Fritz (Clara's brother) is portrayed by Alaina Faust, while her mother Lara is an Adult Lady as well as Archangel. This truly is a remarkable family production!

Other noteworthy roles include Kelsy Noble (a choreographer and rehearsal assistant) as Mother Ginger and Clara's

mother, Teagan Lee as the Sugar Plum Fairy, Ella Mazur (a graduating senior) as the Dew Drop Fairy, Joshua Shirk as the Mouse King, and Natalia Jones as the Nutcracker. This performance has been cited and therefore funded at times by the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts for years. Tickets are available at Pottstown Dance Theatre (72 West Main St., Pottstown 19465), by calling 610.323.2569, or online at [www.pottstowndance.com](http://www.pottstowndance.com). Discounts are given for purchasing in advance and group rates are available. Call to inquire about bringing a group. Do not miss this Holiday classic!

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Hobart's Run's Adopt-a-Trashcan program is part of this fight in Pottstown. We have provided 87 trash bins to property owners throughout the Borough – but there are more areas that would benefit from these resources. In exchange for a promise to routinely add the trash to their collection and change the bags, adopters receive a free bin, roll of starter bags, and a weight to keep the can in place – all delivered to their doorstep. Participants agree their trashcans have made a huge positive difference on their blocks.



We need more sponsors to keep this high-impact program growing. Sponsors are recognized with a logo sticker on each bin they fund, among other recognition. Most importantly, they play a tangible role in making our town cleaner. Information on how to sponsor or adopt a bin can be found on the Hobart's Run website. One bin sponsorship costs \$200, with a price break if you pitch in more!

### See the FIRST and BEST Nutcracker in the area!

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Date: Dec. 7 at 1pm and 4pm  
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Mr. Sticky's is located at 600 Heritage Drive, Suite 102, Pottstown, PA 19464. For more information, please call 610.550.3680 or email [mrstickyspottstown@gmail.com](mailto:mrstickyspottstown@gmail.com) and visit [www.MrStickysbuns.com](http://www.MrStickysbuns.com).

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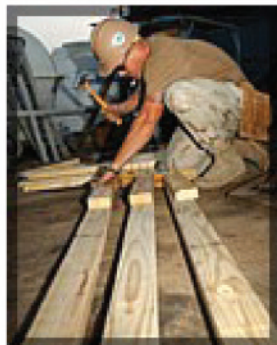
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So, if you're considering selling your home in the near future, give Hydier Builders a call to check out and remedy any problems so that they don't prevent your house from selling... or prevent you from getting the price you want when you do sell it.

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