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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: August 20, 2013**

## **Butterfly Release Celebration**

***Saturday, August 24, 2013 from 11:00am – 1:00pm***

**Royersford, PA (August 20, 2013)** – Come to Upper Schuylkill Valley Park on Saturday, August 24, 2013 from 11:00am – 1:00pm to help celebrate an amazing little insect – the butterfly. The park's fourth annual celebration will include information on tagging, feeding, and raising butterflies. This year the park is hosting local experts Dave and Audrey Harding of *Marvelous Monarchs* from 11:30am to 12:30pm to share their passion for monarch butterflies.

Fun for the kids will include hands-on activities, face painting, a butterfly themed craft to make and take home, and butterfly bingo played at 10:45am, 11:45am, and 12:15pm. If the weather allows, the butterflies will be released so they can begin their journey before winter. There will be a small release at 11:15am with the finale at 12:45pm.

This program is for all ages. There is a \$4.00 per person suggested donation. This event is weather permitting as most of the activities will be held outdoors. Visitors should park in the lot by the Schuylkill River and follow the pathway to the activities in the wildlife center.

Upper Schuylkill Valley Park is located on Route 113 in Royersford, PA, directly across from Parkhouse (Montgomery County Geriatric Center). The park is open year-round, except major holidays. For more information about the park, please visit:

<http://www.montcopa.org/index.aspx?nid=875>. For further information about this program, please call 610-948-5170.