

## **Coalport Center Creating Beauty With Glass**

From the earliest times of glassmaking, vessels and objects have been worked, shaped, and finished using different techniques. Glassmakers realized that the addition of even a simple design added interest to a glass piece making it more desirable. Some glassmakers developed their own personal style making their objects more valuable as time went by.

Participants at the Coalport Senior Community Center are learning the ancient art of glass etching with instruction from William Yavorsky, a local resident of the Coalport area. Mr. Yavorsky has donated his time as a volunteer in the past by serving as a 55 Alive Driving Instructor. He is donating his time to teach this technique to individuals interested in learning the craft.

The classes at the Center are free, although there is a minimal charge for the materials. For dates and times, contact the Coalport Senior Community Center at 672-3574 or view the program listing on the Clearfield County Area Agency on Aging's web site at [www.ccaaa.net](http://www.ccaaa.net).