

YORK TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

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2019 YORK TOWNSHIP BOARD INFORMATION

Board of Commissioners Typically meets 2nd Tuesday at 6:00 pm

Robert D. Steele (3rd Ward) President

George Jones (2nd Ward)

Vice President

Paul D. Knepper (5th Ward) Albert Granholm (4th Ward) Robert Kessler (1st Ward)

Recreation & Parks Board Typically meets 1st Thursday at 6:30 pm

Austin J. Eberly Joseph Hackett James O'Neill Laura Kirk Vacant

Water & Sewer Authority Typically meets 3rd Monday at 6:30 pm

Karen Atkinson Josephine Dick Diane Mitchell Thomas Pinkerton Jamie Reid Zane Williams

<u>Planning Commission</u> Typically meets 3rd Tuesday at 6:00 pm

Carl Dallmeyer Raymond Fertig Jodi Heffner Tammy Morrison James Norton

Zoning Hearing Board Typically meets 4th Tuesday at 6:00 pm

William Descar Glenn Myers John Myers Timothy Salvatore James Barnes Kathleen Cronin—Alternate Anthony Pantano—Alternate

All meetings are held at the York Township Municipal Building. For meeting dates, please visit the York Township website calendar.

FROM THE MANAGER'S DESK

Updates on various projects and Township news from April 2019 to July 2019

The Township 2020 budget workshop has been scheduled for Wednesday, October 23rd, 2019, at 5:00 pm. The public is invited to attend.

The Board approved the following contracts:

- A 48-month fixed-price electricity supply contract with Constellation Energy.
- A contract with JMT for the design of a Sanitary Sewer Maintenance Building and Storage Yard in an amount not to exceed \$135,000.00.
- Contracts for Bituminous Materials, Stone Aggregate, Placement of Superpave and Cold Recycling Base Course totaling \$1,522,363.75. This resulted in the following streets being paved: Southwynd Ct, Rosemill Ct, School St (portion), Circle Ct, Chestnut Hill Rd (portion), Country Ln, Evergreen Dr, Primrose Dr (portion), Chestnut Run Rd (portion), Sparton Rd (portion), Rainier Ct, Lynwood Dr, Woodside Dr, and Jolo Way.
- A contract to purchase a Rausch MC 360 Push Camera System with a trolley and cable adaptor in the amount of \$21,306.00 from Tristate Environmental Services LLC.

The Board authorized moving forward with PennDOT for the construction activities associated with a Springwood and Hollywood Green Light Go Grant.

The Board approved the following resolutions:

- Resolution 2019-10 Destruction of Records
- Resolution 2019-11 Fee Schedule
- Resolution 2019-12 Amend Capital Projects Fund for Dump Truck with Hook Lift
- Resolution 2019-13 PennDOT TE-160 Application for Traffic Signal WellSpan

The Board made the following re-appointments:

- James O'Neill to Recreation Board for a term expiring May 1, 2024
- Carl Dallmeyer to Planning Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2023

The Board approved, with conditions, various waiver requests from the Stormwater Management Ordinance for Bridgewater Lots 64-224 located at 601 Chestnut Hill Road.

The Board approved, with conditions, the following plans:

- Steve Daugherty Final Minor Land Development Plan, located at 245 Olney Road
- Wellspan Apple Hill Cancer Center Addition Final Land Development Plan, located at 25 Monument Road
- York County School of Technology's Lot Line Adjustment Plan and Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan located at 2179 S. Queen Street
- Dean and Carol Nachtigall Preliminary/Final Subdivision Plan located on Indian Rock Dam Road
- Kehinde and Sholayide Adebayo Amended Final Subdivision Plan located at 1065 S. Pleasant Avenue
- Weis Gas N Go Final Land Development Plan located at 2081 Springwood Road
- Spry Dollar General Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan located at 2603 Course Road.
- Timothy L. Salvatore Right of Way Relocation Final Land Development Plan located at 2439 Pine Grove Road
- David A. Houck Preliminary/Final Subdivision Plan located at 141 Monument Road
- SSN Hotel Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan located at 2064 Springwood Road
- Hudson Ridge Preliminary Subdivision and Land Development Plans located at 55 Yoe
- Wellspan Heart and Vascular Center Final Land Development Plan located at 2500 South George Street

The Board approved an encroachment agreement for Red Lion's Ma & Pa Greenway Trail.



COMMUNITY RECREATION CENTER SURVEY FINDINGS

The purpose of the survey was to allow residents the opportunity to provide insight and feedback as to their support for a new Community Recreation Center, as well as to determine residents' awareness and use of existing recreation services and facilities. The following research topics were explored:

- **1.** Township residents' attitudes toward the development of a new Community Recreation Center
- **2.** Residents' attitudes toward a possible tax increase to finance the development of a new Community Recreation Center
- 3. Residents' perceived benefits that a new Community Recreation Center can bring to the community
- 4. Reasons for supporting a new Community Recreation Center
- How the Township's community and recreation facilities are currently positioned in the minds of residents
- **6.** What communication methods residents would prefer to receive information about the new Community Recreation Center
- 7. Appeal of various aspects of the proposed Community Recreation Center currently under consideration
- **8.** The likelihood of using the new Community Recreation Center once it has been constructed
- Reasons for not supporting a new Community Recreation Center
- **10.** Residents' awareness of the services and facilities that are currently provided by York Township
- Reasons why residents do not currently use the Township's available facilities

The full report can be found on the Township's home page at www.yorktownship.com or the York Township Recreation's home page at www.yorktownshiprec.com.

Highlights of the Researcher's Observations/Major Findings on the Proposed Community Recreation Center Survey based on the 2,300 survey responses:

 A major component of the research was gaining a measurement of support for a proposed Center. Measuring the support for developing a Community Recreation Center within York Township is somewhat complex. When initially asked about their support for developing the proposed Center, the majority of all respondents expressed some level of support for the Center.

- When the issue of possibly raising taxes to finance the construction of the proposed Center was put forth, the support level between those who generally support the Center and those who no longer support the Center declined to a more even split.
- The data suggests, if built, there would be a strong possibility for sources of revenue to support the proposed Center's operating expenses. When asked their interest in renting one of the Center's facilities, over one-fourth of respondents note an interest in renting indoor and outdoor facilities at the proposed Center.
- Another viable source of financial support for the proposed Center is revealed when respondents express support for York Township partnering with organizations and businesses, especially those located in York Township. The majority of respondents favor allowing sports clubs/leagues within York Township to utilize the proposed Center.
- To assist York Township in the development and design, respondents were provided a list of indoor and outdoor facility features that may be incorporated in the proposed Center and asked to rate their level of interest. The top five indoor facility features include: indoor walking track, wellness/program room, free Wi-Fi, sports courts, and room for parties. The top five outdoor facility features included: paved trails, picnic areas, outdoor track, exercise stations/ equipment, and pavilions.
- Respondents were provided a list of programs and activities
 that may be incorporated in the proposed Center and asked
 to rate their level of interest. The top five activities of interest
 included: adult fitness, educational workshops for all ages,
 programs/activities geared specifically towards seniors, adult
 programs, and bus trips.
- Respondents were asked to provide any additional suggestions for features and programs that could be provided at the proposed Center. The top five features and programs of interest included: indoor fitness center/exercise equipment/gym, outdoor pool/pool, indoor track, paved walking/biking trails, and affordable cost/low/no membership fee.

Over the next several months, the Township will be reviewing the report and working with consultants to determine the Township's next course of action.

MOSQUITO SURVEILLANCE PROGRAM

The York County West Nile Virus Program has changed its name to York County Mosquito Surveillance Program and is under the control of the York County Commissioners.

Residents are reminded that eliminating standing water around their own properties, is the most effective control measure that can be done to control mosquito populations.

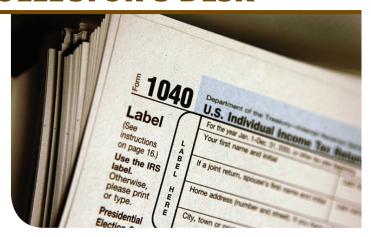


Residents with concerns should visit the PA DEP (Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection) West Nile Virus Control Program website at http://www.depgis.state.pa.us/WNV/index.html or contact the York County program administrator, Lee Graybill, at 112 Pleasant Acres, York, PA 17402 or via email at LMGraybill@yorkcountypa.gov.

FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR'S DESK

The 2019/20 School Tax Bills were sent out on 7/15/19. The discount period runs from 7/15/19 – 9/16/19. The face amount is due on 11/18/19. If you want to pay with the installment plan, the 1st payment is due by 9/16/19, the 2nd payment is due by 10/16/19, and the 3rd payment is due by 11/18/19. Please let us know if you haven't received your School Tax Bill or if you have moved and want your tax bills sent to your new address. If you are going to be away around February 15, 2019 and want your tax bill e-mailed or sent to another address, please leave me the new information.

If you have moved to a new home within York Township and haven't filled out paperwork for the Homestead Exclusion, you can get the form on the York County Assessment Office under the tab Forms and then the Homestead Exclusion tab. Forms are also available at the York Township Tax Office and can be picked up during office hours.



Office hours are 8:00 am - 4:30 pm Monday – Thursday. Call for office hours from 1/3 - 2/15/20. I will send you a receipt if you request one when putting your payment in the outside drop box.

Have a Great Fall & Winter ~ Kay



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS



194 Oak Road • Dallastown, PA 17313 • 717-741-3861 x170

LEAF COLLECTION

THE 2019 LEAF COLLECTION WILL TENTATIVELY START AROUND THE MIDDLE OF OCTOBER AND END AROUND THE BEGINNING OF DECEMBER

Residents who wish to participate should place their leaves in piles next to the curb (or at the edge of the street). **Do not** mix tree limbs, grass, shrubs, hedge trimmings, concrete block, brick or any other foreign material in the leaf pile. Leaves will not be collected if foreign objects are mixed in with the pile. Our crews typically cover every Township property four to five times a season. Depending on the volume, it may take as long as two to three weeks between visits.

YORK TOWNSHIP WINTER MAINTENANCE POLICIES

OVERVIEW

The objective of the York Township Department of Public Works winter maintenance program is to provide safe roads to the traveling public.

WINTER MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

We divided all Township roads into 18 sections or routes. An operator, with pre-determined equipment, is assigned to one of these 18 routes. The majority of the time, this is the standard deployment, however, depending on the conditions, we may only deploy 6 operators to treat the snow emergency roads or what is designated as the priority routes. Snow emergency roads are posted with signs and are designated as such due to factors of high traffic volume, steep grades, and areas with limited access or close proximity to the Schools, Police, Fire and Medical Facilities.

Prior to the storm, you may notice the pretreating of certain priority roads with liquid brine. The brine is a specific concentration (23.3%) of sodium chloride that lowers the freezing point of water. Although we would like to pre-treat all of



our roads, it's just not possible due to time and equipment availability. When appropriate, we plan to pretreat all of the snow emergency routes with liquid brine.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

SNOW EMERGENCIES

On rare occasions, a snow emergency will be declared. The initial focus will be on the priority (snow emergency posted) roads. The snow emergency declaration will be broadcast on the local radio and television stations and will be posted on the York Township website. Again, all snow emergency streets are identified with signage. After the snow emergency is declared, it shall be unlawful at any time during the continuance of the emergency for any person:

- 1. To park a motor vehicle or to allow that vehicle to remain parked anywhere on any snow emergency routes designated; or
- 2. To operate a motor vehicle on any such snow emergency route in such a manner or in such a reasonable condition as to allow or permit such vehicle to become stalled on such route, either by reason of the fact that the driving wheels of such vehicle are not equipped with tire chains or effective tires or by reason of the fact that the motor fuel supply of such vehicle has been allowed to become exhausted.

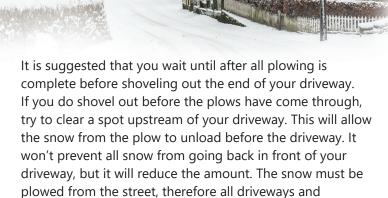
Please be aware that failure to abide by the above is a violation of a Township ordinance and may result in fines and/or towing costs. For a complete listing of the streets and a full text of the ordinance, please visit the Township website.

STATE ROADS

Many roads within York Township are owned and maintained by PennDOT. PennDOT has their own policies and procedures for winter maintenance. Please contact the local PennDOT maintenance office at 717-848-6230 for assistance. York Township does not remove snow on state roads.

MAILBOXES AND DRIVEWAYS

York Township WILL NOT compensate property owners should their mailbox, or any other object, become damaged due to the removal of snow from Township roads. Any object placed in the road right-of-way, including a mailbox, fence, landscaping, etc., is at the owner's risk. The public right of way is on average 50 feet wide (25 feet from the center of the roadway).



CONCLUSION

It takes time to get to all these roads safely. Considering the 80 plus cul-de-sacs and several hundred intersections makes it even more time consuming. Please be patient. Each and every storm is different, however the only constant is our response. You can find links to plow routes and maps by visiting the public works area on the York Township website.

properties will be affected to some degree.

EMERGENCIES

If you observe what would appear to be an emergency with sanitary sewers, roadways or stormwater facilities, please call the Public Works Department from 7:00 am to 3:30 pm Monday through Friday at 717-741-3861 x170. After these hours, or on weekends & holidays, dial 911.

CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Penn Waste will be picking up Christmas trees curbside on Saturday, January 18, 2020. Trees can also be dropped off at the Township Municipal Building during the regular brush drop-off dates listed below in January and February of 2020.

ORDINANCE REVIEW- §265-651 NONCOMMERCIAL KEEPING OF LIVESTOCK

Residents are encouraged to call the Township BEFORE bringing home any type of livestock to determine if their property meets the requirements of the Ordinance. Livestock is defined as, "Any domestic animal commonly associated with farming, including but not limited to the bovine, equine, poultry, swine and/or sheep families, raised and kept primarily for food, fiber or for recreation." The ordinance regulations are as follows:

Noncommercial Keeping of Livestock is permitted in the RA District as an accessory use, and is permitted by special exception in the RL and RM Districts as an accessory use, subject to the following:

- **A**. The minimum required lot area shall be two (2) acres. In addition, the following specifies lot area requirements by the size of livestock kept. The keeping of a combination of livestock (Group 1, 2, 3 or 4) shall require a density equal to the ratio of the number of livestock by type, in no case shall a lot contain more than fifty (50) total livestock.
 - 1. Group 1: Livestock with an average adult weight of less than ten (10) pounds shall be permitted at a density of twelve (12) per acre, up to a maximum of forty-eight (48).
 - 2. Group 2: Livestock with an average adult weight between ten (10) and 100 pounds shall be permitted at a density of five (5) per acre.
 - **3.** Group 3: Livestock with an average adult weight between 100 and 200 pounds shall be permitted at a density of two (2) per acre.
 - 4. Group 4: Livestock with an average adult weight greater than 200 pounds shall be permitted at a density of one (1) per acre.
- **B.** No structure used to house noncommercial livestock shall be located within the front yard. The following lists minimum setbacks (from side and rear lot lines) imposed upon the placement of any structure used to house noncommercial livestock. Should one structure be used to house more than one type of livestock, the most restrictive setback shall apply.
 - 1. Group 1: twenty-five (25) feet
 - 2. Group 2: fifty (50) feet
 - 3. Groups 3 and 4: one-hundred (100) feet

- **C.** All outdoor pasture/recreation areas shall be enclosed with fencing sufficient to prevent the escape of livestock; such fencing shall be set back at least ten (10) feet from all property
- **D.** All livestock and their housing and their outdoor pasture/ recreation areas shall be properly maintained so as not to become a nuisance to adjoining properties. All livestock wastes shall be managed in accordance with the most current PA-DEP published guidelines for manure management.
- E. All Noncommercial Keeping of Livestock operations shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws.

BUILDING PERMITS -WHEN DO I NEED ONE?



Construction of decks, additions, fences, swimming pools (including inflatable pools), sheds (including placement of prebuilt sheds) and paving all require that a permit be secured prior to starting any work and depending upon the project, more than one permit may be necessary.

In accordance with Pennsylvania law, York Township adopted the Uniform Construction Code (UCC), commonly referred to as "the building code." Any construction that falls under the UCC requires building plan review to ensure compliance with the Code. The UCC allows a municipality up to 15 working days to review a permit application for residential properties and either grant or reject the permit from the time a completed application is submitted to the municipality. Please keep this in mind as you are planning any home improvement projects so that delays can be avoided.

If you are uncertain if a permit is required for your project or have any other questions about obtaining a permit, please call, stop by our office or visit our website to obtain general information, instructions, fees and applications.

Keep in mind also that construction work started without the proper permits in place may cause time delays for your project, removal of work that does not meet Code requirements, and/or doubling of fees.





YORK TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY





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Before Snowstorms & Extreme Cold

- · Before winter approaches, add the following supplies to your **Emergency Kit:**
 - * Rock salt or more environmentally safe products to melt ice on walkways.
 - Sand to improve traction.
 - Snow shovels and other snow removal equipment.
 - Sufficient heating fuel. You may become isolated in your home and regular fuel sources may be cut off. Store a good supply of dry, seasoned wood for your fireplace or wood-burning stove.
 - * Adequate clothing and blankets to keep you warm.
- Make a Family Communication Plan. Your family may not be together when disaster strikes, so it is important to know how you will contact one another, how you will get back together and what you will do in case of an emergency.
- A NOAA Weather Radio broadcasts alerts and warnings directly from the NWS for all hazards.
- Minimize travel. If travel is necessary, keep a disaster supplies kit in your vehicle.
- Bring pets/companion animals inside during winter weather. Move other animals or livestock to sheltered areas with nonfrozen drinking water.

Winterize Your Vehicle

Check or have a mechanic check the following items on your car:

- Antifreeze levels ensure they are sufficient to avoid freezing.
- Battery and ignition system should be in top condition and battery terminals should be clean.



- Brakes check for wear and fluid levels.
- Exhaust system check for leaks and crimped pipes and repair or replace as necessary. Carbon monoxide is deadly and usually gives no warning.
- Fuel and air filters replace and keep water out of the system by using additives and maintaining a full tank of gas. A full tank will keep the fuel line from freezing.
- Heater and defroster ensure they work properly.
- **Lights and flashing hazard lights** check for serviceability.
- Oil check for level and weight. Heavier oils congeal more at low temperatures and do not lubricate as well.
- **Thermostat** ensure it works properly.
- Windshield wiper equipment repair any problems and maintain proper washer fluid level.
- Install good winter tires make sure the tires have adequate tread. All-weather radials are usually adequate for most winter conditions. However, some jurisdictions require that to drive on their roads, vehicles must be equipped with chains or snow tires with studs.

"By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail." – Benjamin Franklin

STORMWATER NEWS

STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION: YARD WASTE

Yard waste, including leaves and other organic plant material like shrubbery trimmings and grass clippings, are a significant source of stormwater pollution. When lawn waste is blown into the street, it can clog storm drains and cause drainage and flooding issues. Storm drains are not connected to the wastewater system, therefore there is no treatment to remove the debris from the water source before it reaches nearby lakes, streams, etc.

Why are grass clippings and leaf litter harmful? As this waste breaks down in our local waterways, it adds excess nutrients like nitrogen and phosphorus to the water. This leads to unwanted and uncontrolled growth of algae and native and non-native aquatic weeds.

What is so bad about algae? Algae will naturally occur in lakes and ponds, but excess nutrients can lead to high levels of algae growth. Apart from looking unsightly, excessive algae blooms can block out sunlight and deplete the oxygen level in the water, which can lead to fish kills.

What can you do to protect water quality while keeping your vard maintained?

✓ Mow your lawn often enough so no more than one-third the length of the grass is removed. Taller grass has deeper roots which prevent soil loss and help rain soak into the ground.

- ✓ Leave clippings on the lawn or compost them. Be sure to sweep or blow clippings off paved surfaces and back onto the lawn. Intentionally blowing or placing lawn waste in the street is a violation of Section 701 of the Township's Stormwater Management Ordinance.
- ✔ Fertilize only when necessary, or not at all if it might rain in the next day or two.
- ✓ In the fall, place leaves for municipal collection along the curb - not in the street.
- ✔ Clean up after your pets. Scoop up pet waste and put it in the trash.
- ✓ Directing your roof drains to a rain garden can significantly reduce the stormwater runoff from your property, along with use of other Best Management Practices (BMPs).

Additional information regarding our Stormwater Management Program can be found at www.yorktownship.com/ our-township/stormwater/. Any questions or comments can be submitted by calling 717-741-3861 or e-mailing stormwater@yorktownship.com.





RECYCLING & TRASH INFO



BRUSH RECYCLING

Brush is defined as tree limbs, shrubbery, leaves and the like (no grass) no larger than 8 inches in diameter and 6 feet in length. York Township accepts brush from York Township residents only as part of our recycling efforts. Brush recycling is intended to clean up small amounts of debris from residential properties. The program is not intended to accept large tree removal projects. Large projects, such as removing entire trees, should utilize the services of a commercial contractor. If you have large amounts of material to dispose of, please contact York Township first for approval.

In addition, we suspect non–residents of York Township are illegally dropping brush off at the site. In response to this, the Township may require proof of residency or begin to limit the disposal open times.

The drop-off site is located at the Township Municipal Building beyond the gate between the two signs. Please enter from Oak Road. Do not enter from Coventry Road, for this is a restricted area for Township employees only.

The site will be open for self-serve (unassisted) use only for 4 consecutive days in the months of December, January and February. It starts the first full weekend of the month, beginning on the first Friday and closing the following Monday. Daily hours are dawn to dusk. See specific date below.

December 6, 2019 through December 9, 2019 January 3, 2020 through January 6, 2020 February 7, 2020 through February 10, 2020

During the months of March through November, the drop off site will be open for self-serve (unassisted) for 18 consecutive days beginning the first Friday of the month and closing three Mondays later. Daily hours are dawn to dusk. See specific dates below.

October 4, 2019 through October 21, 2019 November 1, 2019 through November 18, 2019

We ask that you participate in this program responsibly by not dumping unlawful items at the site. Examples are garbage, metals, concrete, lumber, stumps, stones, grass clippings, etc.

All other material and items you see beyond the gate are for Township use only and are not meant for the general public to use or take. If you see a violation, please report it to the Township or York Area Regional Police Department. The site is under constant video surveillance.

Public Works will process the brush into mulch that will be made available to Township residents currently free of charge and on a first come first serve basis. The mulch pile is located in front of the gate (left side). Even though the gate may be OPEN, **DO NOT drive past the gate when the site is closed**, as indicated by the red sign on the left gate AND THE

as indicated by the red sign on the left gate AND THE ELECTRONIC SIGN BOARD. Mulch may not be available at all times. Mulch availability and the times and dates of brush recycling are subject to change at Township discretion.

RESIDENTIAL RECYCLINGCAN BE INCLUDED:

<u>Metal</u> – aluminum beverage cans, steel food and beverage cans, empty aerosol cans, empty paint cans

Glass – clear, brown, and green glass food and beverage containers **Plastics** – bottles and jugs #1, #2, & #5, neck narrower than the sides of the bottle

Newspaper – clean and dry, no food contact
Cardboard – dry and flattened, no food contact
Cartons – milk, juice, soup, wine, broth, cream, egg substitutes

CANNOT BE INCLUDED:

<u>Soiled Materials</u> – dirty diapers, wet cardboard, food waste, food-soiled materials, used paper towels or tissues

<u>Hazardous Materials & Medical Waste</u> – all solvent, oil, chemical containers, propane tanks, pool chemicals, *batteries, and NEEDLES <u>Electronic Waste</u> – computers, computer accessories, televisions, monitors, and e-readers

Packing Materials – styrofoam, packing peanuts, shredded paper, and bubble wrap

<u>Lights & Glassware</u> – light bulbs, strings of lights, drinking glasses, broken glass and mirrors

<u>Paper & Paperboard</u> – newspaper inserts, magazines, catalogs/ brochures, envelopes & junk mail, food boxes (i.e. cereal & Jello), pizza boxes, paper towel & toilet paper rolls, office paper (any color), tissue boxes, phone books, and other soft cover books

- * Household (alkaline) batteries can be placed in the trash. Rechargeable batteries can be recycled at select retailers.
- ** Plastic bags should be recycled at grocery stores and department stores, including Walmart, Target, etc.





RECYCLING & TRASH INFO



RESIDENTIAL ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

The York County Solid Waste Authority's Residential Electronics Recycling Program is free and open to York County residents ONLY and is conducted Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm and Saturdays from 8:00 am to noon at the Small Load Drop-off Facility at the York County Resource Recovery Center, 2651 Blackbridge Road, York, PA 17406.

For additional information, please visit their website at www.ycswa.com, their Facebook page, or contact them by phone at 717-845-1066.

ACCEPTED ITEMS:

- Computer Devices PCs/ Laptops/Servers
- Monitors / Televisions
- Networking Devices
- Printing Devices
- Receivers
- Communication Devices
- Power Supplies

NOT ACCEPTED:

- Any fossil fuel or materials used in collecting fossil fuels.
- · Any infectious or biological waste.
- · Any media contaminated with oil.
- · Any chemicals, oils, or powders.
- · Any equipment that contains chemicals of any kind.

See full list on website

NATIONWIDE RECYCLING CRISIS

Unfortunately, due to the "hopeful recycling" many citizens have done in the past, our recyclables have been contaminated with items that DO NOT belong in the recycling stream (garden hoses, scrap metal, plastic toys, disposable diapers). The excessive contamination has caused China, the world's largest consumer of recycled materials, to reject most recyclables from the United States. New recycling guidelines have been set forth to encourage residents "back to the basics" in order to clean up the recycling stream. The two major changes are:

- **1) Plastics** #1, #2, & #5 only, bottles & jugs, narrower neck than the sides of the bottle
- **2) Newspaper/Cardboard** clean, dry and flattened newspaper and cardboard only, NO food contact

Cans, glass and cartons are still acceptable items for recycling. All items should be clean, caps removed.

Please help our recycling center achieve a clean and pure recycling stream that can be marketed and eventually used to produce new items. "When in doubt – throw it out!"

COMMERCIAL RECYCLING IS REQUIRED BY LAW

Pennsylvania State Act 101 of 1988 and York Township Ordinance 2006-12 require nonresidential establishments to recycle. Nonresidential establishments include all commercial, municipal, institutional, and community groups that do not fit into a residential category. To comply with the State and Local laws, you are required to recycle the following items:

- Aluminum
- Steel and bimetallic cans
- High-Grade Office Paper
- Leaf waste
- Corrugated Paper (cardboard)
- · Glass (clear, brown and green)

RESIDENTIAL TRASH COLLECTION GUIDELINES

Residential trash and recycling collection begins at 6:00 am on your collection day. All refuse and recycling containers and any larger (bulk) item shall be placed curbside no earlier than 5:00 pm on the evening preceding the day scheduled for collection and shall be removed no later than 12:00 midnight in the evening when collection occurs.

Important guidelines to keep in mind for residential trash collection services are as follows:

On April 10, 2018 the York Township Board of Commissioners awarded the residential trash collection contract to Penn Waste for the next four years. The quarterly fees for basic service of (3) 32-gallon bags or cans of trash, unlimited recycling with cart, one large item per week, 12 times per year curbside yard waste collection and a Township administration fee of \$1.50 are as follows:

July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020 = \$49.38 per quarter July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 = \$50.82 per quarter July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022 = \$52.35 per quarter

The optional 96-gallon mobile trash cart rental fee will be:

July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020 = \$11.80 per quarter July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 = \$12.20 per quarter July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022 = \$12.55 per quarter

The price for extra service bags will remain at \$4.00 each from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 and will increase to \$4.50 for July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

Large (Bulk) Items: If your waste collection falls under the Township residential contract (directly billed by Penn Waste), you are entitled to place one large (bulk) item out per week with your regular trash and recycling. You only need to contact Penn Waste in advance if the item contains refrigerant (i.e. refrigerator, dehumidifier, air conditioner). Bulk items are those which cannot be disposed in the regular trash container and can be lifted by two people (i.e. sofa, mattress, carpet, etc.) Residents who pay for waste collection as part of their rent or condo/homeowners fee must contact their landlord or association for the rules regarding bulk items per their commercial contract.

Round Recycling Bins: Are the property of York Township, not the contracted hauler. The bins should remain with the property if sold. The bins are partially funded through a State recycling grant. If you never received a 32-gallon bin and you are billed directly by Penn Waste, you may pick one up at the Township offices. If your bin is cracked or broken, you must bring it to the Township office to obtain another bin. Additional bins may be purchased for a fee of \$7.50. Recycling bin stickers are available free-of-charge for those who wish to provide their own smaller bin for recycling.

If you are not directly billed by Penn Waste and your refuse service is provided through your landlord, condo association, or homeowner's association, you must contact the landlord or association to get a recycling bin through your refuse hauler.

Recyclables must be placed in a separate bin from trash and are picked up on your regular trash day. Replacement bins are available at the Township Administrative Office or the Public Works Department.



RECYCLING & TRASH INFO



YARD/WOODY WASTE

Township residents are encouraged to recycle their yard/woody waste by either the curbside collection or at the Township drop-off facility. Material such as tree and shrubbery trimmings and other organic landscape vegetation no larger than 8" in diameter is accepted. In no instance should anything other than the aforementioned items be placed in the brown Kraft bags for collection or drop off. **NO grass, weeds, dirt, stones, fruit & vegetable scraps, trash or recyclables are acceptable.** The Township has been experiencing some of these items "hidden" in the bottom of the Kraft bags which causes damage to the equipment used to process the yard/woody waste into mulch.

CURBSIDE YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Please follow these guidelines when placing yard waste for collection: Place curbside by **6:00 am** on the designated Saturdays. The hauler starts promptly at 6:00 am and quickly moves through the township as they do not need to stop at every residence.

Yard waste includes material such as tree trimmings, shrubbery and other organic landscape vegetation no larger than 8" in diameter. Yard waste DOES NOT include: grass clippings, weeds, fruit and vegetable scraps, tree stumps, dirt and stones, or any trash or recyclable materials.

Prepare for collection: Place yard waste in biodegradable brown craft bags or bundle with biodegradable twine in bundles no longer than 4 feet in length, not weighing more than 50 pounds. You may also use the round blue 32 gallon recycle bins or similar 32 gallon can without a lid. The yard waste must be visible to the hauler.

Yard waste in plastic bags or mobile carts will not be collected on the designated Saturday yard waste collection days.

CURBSIDE DATES:

October 26

November 9

November 23

CART PLACEMENT IS IMPORTANT!

With the new single operator vehicles (SOV) now being utilized in the Penn Waste collection fleet, it is important to properly place trash and recycling carts curbside to reduce employee injuries and property damage. Carts should be a minimum of **3 feet** from all other objects, including mailbox posts, and from each other. Please place the cart with the lid opening and pick-up bar facing the curb.

Please place cart at curb with lid opening toward street. Keep cart three feet from all objects and clear from overhead hazards such as trees and power lines.





TANGLERS

Many people try to recycle items that cannot be recycled or processed by the equipment we use at our recycling facility. Some common materials are what we call "tanglers."

Tanglers are non-recyclable items that get wrapped around the rolling screens that are used to help separate recyclables during the recycling process. Penn Waste team members do try to remove as many of the tanglers as possible, but some still make it through.

Some examples of tanglers are plastic shopping bags, garbage bags, hoses, clothing, rope, Christmas lights, plastic and metal strapping, towels, electrical cords, and VHS tapes.

Every day, 10 Penn Waste team members must climb into the machinery and cut off the tanglers. It takes at least 1 hour to remove the tanglers from each of the 4 screens and this required maintenance happens 4 times per day. The machinery must be shut down during this time which wastes time and money. In addition, climbing into the equipment puts our employees in harm's way.

The good news is, you can help! Please do not bag your recyclables. Also, do not place plastic bags, plastic packaging, or other non-recyclable items in your curbside recycling bin.

There's a list of acceptable items at www.pennwaste.com and here's a reminder... the only items that should be going in your curbside recycling bin are metal cans, plastic bottles and containers with numbers 1, 2 and 5 on the bottom, newspaper, glass bottles and jars, dry and flattened cardboard, and cartons.

And don't forget...all of these items should be clean and dry before placing in your recycling bin.

The Penn Waste team appreciates your help!

For more information, visit www.PennWaste.com

WASTE OIL COLLECTION

Waste oil may be dropped off at the Public Works Service Building Monday – Friday from 7:30 am – 3:00 pm. Please do not drop off oil after hours.



THE POLICE REPORT

UPDATES FROM THE YORK AREA REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

An Accredited Law Enforcement Agency • www.yapd.org



POLICE ALERTS:

Get the news as it's happening and be alerted to the latest incidents, crimes, traffic accidents, and posts that the department publishes. Follow us on social media.



Like us on Facebook: York Area Regional Police Dept. https://www.facebook.com/pages/York-Area-Regional-Police-Dept/194597077241932



Follow us on Twitter: York Regional Police @YorkRegPD

CONTACT US:

If you have general questions/concerns, you can email the department at: admin@yapd.org
If you have traffic-related concerns, you can email us at: trafficconcerns@yapd.org

EMPLOYMENT:

We are currently accepting applications for the position of police officer. The testing consortium, the Metro York Police Testing Consortium, is made up of 10 police departments in York County, and will be accepting applications until December, 2019. Testing will commence in January, 2020.

Go to www.yorkpolicejobs.org to fill out an application for police officer testing.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT UNIT:

On June 10, 2019, four officers were tasked with addressing traffic-related concerns within our jurisdiction. In February, the department hosted a meeting with citizens who had concerns and complaints about traffic problems in the jurisdiction. Over 50 residents attended the meeting and expressed their concerns and complaints. This meeting put in motion the need for officers who are dedicated to enforcing traffic laws and investigating crashes.

RECORDS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (RMS):

The police department recently transitioned to utilizing a new RMS, CODY Systems, for the documentation and reporting of the officers. This RMS includes documenting reports, criminal complaints, search warrants, evidence, traffic citations and crashes. Previously, the department was utilizing 3 different programs that did not interact with each other to document and report police activities. The CODY System will provide enhanced and new methods of efficiency in recording police activities.

YORK TOWNSHIP EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES

The following employees will celebrate anniversaries October 2019 – January 2020:

October 1Russell Dennis II43 years
October 10 Barbara Smith 14 years
October 20 Monica Newcomb 22 years
November 2 Charles Landis 26 years
November 6 David Naylor 19 years
December 1 Debbie Grove 11 years
December 101 year
December 17 Scott Keech 12 years
January 16 Bradley Murphy 19 years
January 18Larena Keller21 years

NEW EMPLOYEE



Ryan Grigg began working with the York Township Finance Department on December 10, 2018. Ryan is originally from Enola, Pennsylvania and graduated from East Pennsboro Area High School in 2008. Afterwards, he attended Shippensburg University where he earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting and

Management Information Systems. Ryan also was accepted to Shippensburg's Masters of Business Administration graduate program and graduated with his MBA in 2013. Ryan worked as an auditor at a regional CPA firm for four years where he specialized in local government financial statement audits. He then spent two years working as a senior accountant at a large nonprofit that worked closely with the FCC in Washington, DC. When Ryan is not working, he enjoys golfing, attending sporting events, and spending time with friends and family.



FIRE DEPARTMENT



YORK TOWNSHIP SUPPORTED BY VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES

York Township Goodwill Fire Company - Station 19

Phone: 717-741-0023 / www.ytfd19.org

Leo Fire Company, Red Lion - Station 34

Phone: 717-244-8811 / www.redlionfire.org

Goodwill Fire Company Jacobus – Station 18

Phone: 717-428-1436 / www.goodwillFire18.com

Rescue Fire Company No. 1 – Station 35

Phone: 717-246-1629 / rescuefire35.com

Yoe Fire Company No. 1 – Station 36

Phone: 717-244-4228 / www.YoeFireRescue.com

YOE FIRE COMPANY FALL BINGO

Yoe Fire Company will hold their fall bingo featuring Thirty-one, Vera Bradley and other designer purses on Sunday, October 20, 2019. Bingo starts at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$20. There will be 20 games, 1 special game, raffles and small games of chance. Kitchen will be open. Call 717-324-4726 for more information or to purchase tickets.

YOE FIRE COMPANY FIRE PREVENTION OPEN HOUSE

Yoe Fire Company will hold an Open House on Sunday, October 13, 2019 from 11:00 am – 3:00 pm. Come on out for demonstration, fire truck rides and much more. This event will be held at the fire station at 36 E. George St. in Yoe.

FIRE COMPANY NO. 1 DALLASTOWN

Ladies Auxiliary Rescue 2019 Soup and Sub Sale



Walk-Ins Welcome

2nd Saturday of each Month between March and November

Saturday, October 12 – Chicken Corn Soup and Beef Noodle

8:00 am until sold out.

Advance orders please pick-up before 11:00 am.

Thank You!

717-244-3877

Call for orders before October 6, 2019. 717-244-3877

(Last Soup and Sub Sale for the year)

November 9 – Chicken Corn Soup and Beef Vegetable Call for orders before November 3 8:00 am until sold out Advance orders please pick-up before 11:00 am.

Thank You for Your Support!

WE'RE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE FIRST CAPITAL EMS!



First Capital EMS is a management company that is consolidating the services and personnel of Grantley Fire & EMS, West York Ambulance and York Regional EMS organizations.

Through grant funding provided by the York County Community Foundation, First Capital EMS has been able to combine these three non-profit EMS organizations into a newly formed entity that improves services to our York community. This effort will contribute to a more sustainable EMS service with a wider range of highly-skilled Paramedics and Emergency Medical Technicians to assist the region's changing emergency needs.

This collaboration allows these organizations to plan for the future while placing the emergency medical needs of the York community first. This cooperative effort will optimize service, help contain expenses and create new employment opportunities.

As mission-driven organizations, focused on the well-being of our neighbors, we will continue to be community-centric with our primary focus on our patients and the

ability to create a sustainable and affordable service for those that we serve.

As we finalize the combining of our organizations, there will be no disruption to service. Each will continue to operate under their current name and in their current response areas as our collaboration progresses.

Your subscription will continue to be serviced with no disruption. Please call 717-246-3679 with any questions. Office hours are 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday through Friday.

Additional updates may be obtained at www.FirstCapitalEMS.org.

First Capital EMS. We're getting better for you.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOLDEN CONNECTIONS COMMUNITY CENTER

20-C GOTHAM PLACE, RED LION PA • 717-244-7229

LINE DANCING CLASSES

The Golden Connections Community Center (GCCC) will continue Line Dancing Classes as we have had great success! Classes are every Tuesday from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Classes cost \$3.00 per person or \$5.00 per couple. Walk-ins are welcome. Make sure to bring your own water bottle as you are likely to break a sweat. All proceeds from Line Dancing will be used to support programs and services that benefit older adults in our community.

WHAT DOES THE GOLDEN CONNECTIONS COMMUNITY CENTER OFFER?

Since our founding, the goal of the GCCC has been to assist and empower the older adults of the Red Lion and Dallastown Area to remain part of a thriving community environment for as long as they are willing and able. The GCCC offers a wide range of free services and programs to seniors age 60 and older. Activities include those that respond to the social, cultural, economic, emotional, and physical needs of the older adult, thus encouraging independence, stimulating growth, alleviating loneliness, and providing volunteer opportunities.

Counseling, referral services, and provision of home delivered and congregate meals are also an important part of our mission.

You can come visit the GCCC Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm at 20 Gotham Place, Red Lion or visit our website at www.gcccenter.com.

RENTALS

Looking for a space to rent for your family reunion, baby shower, birthday party, or any other upcoming event you plan on throwing, then look no further. The GCCC offers space to rent for all types of events. You can rent our "Community Room," which is large and spacious with a sound system and buffet table access for only \$25.00 per hour. If you're looking for something a little cozier, then you may be interested in renting the "Meeting/Program Room," which is a smaller setting but still with ample space for \$15.00 per hour. Dates fill quickly, so if you have need for a rental space, contact Kasie Ream, Director of Social Services, at 717-244-7229.

-The Golden Connections Community Center is in part funded by the York County Area Agency on Aging-

COME HELP US LIGHT THE NIGHT

Help Us Light Up the Night at the first Pappus House *Lanterns of Light Memorial Event* on October 6, 2019 at 6:00 pm at Cousler Park. Join us as Pappus House remembers and celebrates the lives of loved ones who have gone before us.

This special event will provide a unique way for York County families to memorialize their loved ones, including pets, with a personal message on their lanterns, if they choose.

Pappus House is an independent, community-supported, nonprofit residence that welcomes those near the end of life's journey and are unable to remain in their own home. Staff and volunteers serve as extended family, providing round-the-clock care and support for residents and their loved ones in collaboration with their chosen hospice agency.

For more information on this fundraising event and to purchase lanterns, please check out our website at **www.PAPPUSHOUSE.ORG**

We hope that you will come light the water with us! Thank you for your generous support!

2020 CENSUS

In advance of the 2020 Census, the U.S. Census Bureau is recruiting thousands of people for jobs across the country to execute this monumental task. Temporary part-time and full-time employment opportunities are being offered by the U.S. Census Bureau to folks in our local community to ensure everyone is counted. These are good opportunities for Township residents who are interested in part time or full time employment in the local area while serving their local community to ensure an accurate Census count. The results of the 2020 Census will help determine each state's representation in Congress, as well as how certain funds are spent for schools, hospitals, roads, and more.

Interested applicants simply go to **2020census.gov/jobs**, create an account, and the applicant will receive an email with a link to the Recruitment and Assessment Portal to complete the application.

JOIN THE 2020 CENSUS TEAM **BE A CENSUS TAKER**

APPLY ONLINE! 2020census.gov/jobs

The U.S. Census Bureau is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

DALLASTOWN BOROUGH'S ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARADE

Thursday, October 17 7:00 pm

The route will be the same as last year starting at the high school campus, traveling down S. Pleasant Ave to E. Main, then west on Main to S. Walnut and returning to the high school campus. Anyone interested in participating, please contact the Dallastown Borough Office at 717-244-6626.





HOPPER

11TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS IN DALLASTOWN

Saturday, November 2nd 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

This event keeps getting bigger and better with each passing year. The main purpose for the event was to get people into Dallastown Borough to support our local businesses. Since then it has grown by leaps and bounds, with record numbers each year. There are several businesses participating again this year, some old, some new.

The Fire Companies (Both Dallastown & Yoe), American Legion and local churches (Christ Lutheran, Bethlehem United Methodist, St. Joseph's and St. Paul's UCC) will be filled with a multitude of vendors selling everything imaginable! Each venue will also offer food in case you are famished from shopping! Maps are available at each venue, so pick one up and start your Christmas shopping early! Don't forget to get your map stamped at all the venues and businesses to qualify for a prize. Last year we had enough donations to give over 20 prizes!

So mark your calendar and join us for a great day!

rabbittransit...

Rabbittransit provides regular service between Downtown York and South York Plaza via Route 10S with weekday service to Leaders Heights, Dallastown and Red Lion by way of South Queen Street. Other destinations along the way include Edgar Square, Penn State York Campus, Queensgate Shopping Center, South York Value Center, York County School of

Technology, Elizabethtown College, Wellspan Dialysis and Orthopedic & Spine Specialists (OSS). Go farther by using Route 10S to connect to

Stop Hopper, rabbittransit's on-demand Microtransit in the Red Lion/Dallastown area. Stop Hopper is available 7:00 am to 7:00 pm for \$2.00 a trip. Vehicles are ADA accessible. View the Route 10S schedule and more on rabbittransit.org.





Your Guide to Recreation in York Township





Oct. 2019-Jan. 2020

www.yorktownshiprec.com _

For YTRec program cancellations and field conditions, please call the YTRec Hotline at 717-741-3861 x350. This will be updated as needed. For field conditions, decisions will be made at 4:00 pm, so please call after that time.



YORK TOWNSHIP WEEKS AT CHRISTMAS MAGIC

York County Department of Parks and Recreation Proudly Presents:

2019 Christmas Magic - A Festival of Lights

At Rocky Ridge County Park

November 29 - December 31 • Closed December 24 and 25



Hours:

Mon. – Thu., 6:00 – 9:00 pm Fri., Sat. & Sun., 5:00 – 9:00 pm

600,000+ lights
Trains and Holiday Displays
Entertainment and Food

Admission Rates:

Adults - \$10.00 Children (4-12) - \$5.00 Under 4 Free Seniors (over 59) - \$9.00



For more information and trail updates, call 717-840-7440. <u>Tickets MUST be reserved in advance from our website</u>. Visit our website at www.yorkcountyparks.org

YORK TOWNSHIP 2019 COUPON

36th edition of Christmas Magic – A Festival of Lights

November 29 – December 31, 2019 (Closed Dec. 24 and 25 and inclement weather)

Rocky Ridge County Park

Coupon is redeemable for Buy One, Get One of equal or lesser value free. Code: MUNICIPALITY2019 Valid Mon., Tues., Wed., or Thurs. through Dec. 12 and anytime December 26 – 31. *Good for 2019 Program only*.

SPECIAL EVENTS

YORK TOWNSHIP'S ANNUAL TOUCH-A-TRUCK AND



Saturday, October 12 9:00 am – 12:30 pm at the York Township Municipal Building

Come out and enjoy a day of fun with a bounce house, scarecrow stuffing (please bring clothes to stuff), pumpkin bedazzling, stormwater demo table, TRUCKS and more!! Face Painting and Pony Rides will be available beginning at 10:00 am and end at 12:00 pm. Tickets for both are \$3.







SPECIAL EVENTS

YORK TOWNSHIP'S ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY



Friday, December 6th

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm At the York Township Municipal Building

Join Santa on Friday, December 6 for cookies, cocoa, and the beautiful voices of Dallastown High School's Vocal Ensemble after the tree lighting ceremony. Following the tree lighting ceremony, take the path and enter through the inflatable archway to visit with Santa. Be sure to bring your camera and have your picture taken!!

DISCOUNT MOVIE TICKETS

At the time of the newsletter going to print, prices have not been determined. Please contact the Recreation Department at 717-741-3861 x142 or visit www.yorktownshiprec.com for pricing.

Roundtop/Liberty/Whitetail

TBD

		Window Price	Selling Price	Savings
Frank Theatres-	Gold*	\$9.50	\$7.50	\$2.00
Queensgate 13	Platinum**	\$9.50	\$8.50	\$1.00

^{*}Gold Ticket—This ticket is good for one ticket; however, it is not valid during the first two weeks of a film's release or when film/studio restrictions apply (see www.franktheatres.com for restrictions).

Tickets do not include upgrades for IMAX, 3D, etc.



YOUTH / PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Registration Process—Unless otherwise stated, visit our website at **www.yorktownshiprec.com**, create a Household Account (*if you do not already have one*), print registration form and submit with payment <u>no later than 1 week prior</u> to session start date or by deadline listed. **R**=Resident Rate; **NR**=Non-Resident Rate.

WATER BABIES

Enjoy water play with your child while she/he becomes familiar with elementary skills such as water entry, bubble blowing, front kicking, back floating and underwater exploration. This is a great time for parents/grandparents to interact with their children in the water. It's fun for the children and a great workout for the adults.

INSTRUCTOR: Miss Monica

DATE/TIME: Saturdays, October 5 – November 9

(no class Oct. 19) 1:30 pm – 2:00 pm

LOCATION: Dallastown Middle School Pool

MIN/MAX: 6/10

AGES: 6 months – 18 months

COST: \$70 R / \$75 NR



YT REC IS ONLINE ...



Like us on Facebook at York Township Recreation

WATER TOTS

INSTRUCTOR: Miss Monica

DATE/TIME: Saturdays, October 5 – November 9

(no class Oct. 19) 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm

LOCATION: Dallastown Middle School Pool

MIN/MAX: 6/10

AGES: 18 months – 36 months

COST: \$70 R / \$75 NR

LEARN TO SWIM

Enjoy smaller classes for the younger children. Children will learn the fundamentals of swimming.

INSTRUCTOR: Miss Monica

DATE/TIME: Saturdays, October 5 – November 9

(no class Oct. 19) 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm (Have taken class before)

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm (Have never taken class)

LOCATION: Dallastown Middle School Pool

MIN/MAX: 4/6

AGES: 3 years – 6 years old **COST:** \$70 R / \$75 NR

^{**}Platinum Ticket—This ticket is good for one ticket and can be used on opening weekends.

YOUTH / PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

INDOOR PEE-WEE SOCCER

Learn to dribble, trap, pass and giggle. Giggle?? Yes, giggle, and lots of it!! Children will have fun playing games that will teach them the fundamentals of soccer. Size 3 soccer balls will be used, but are not required. If your child would like to bring a ball make sure their name is on it. Children should wear sneakers and bring a water bottle.

INSTRUCTOR: YTRec Staff

DATE/TIME: Saturdays, November 2 – November 30

8:00 am - 8:45 am

Saturdays, January 11 – February 8, 2020

8:00 am - 8:45 am

LOCATION: Ore Valley Elementary Gym

MIN/MAX: 7/20

AGES: 3 years – 5 years old **COST:** \$50 R / \$55 NR

YORK TOWNSHIP GIRL'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Registration for the Softball League will be held at York Township's Municipal Building Lower Level Training Room on **Saturday, February 1, 2020** from 9:30 am – 12:00 pm. Forms will be available at the Recreation Office prior to signups or you may get one the day of signups. All players MUST wear the York Township League Softball Uniform; socks, shorts/pants, shirt, and visor.

Teams are U7, U10, U12, U14 and U18. To play in an age group, players must have turned the appropriate age by December 31, 2019. Players may play up in age, but may not play down. All players must show a copy of their birth certificate at registration.

ADULT PROGRAMS (for those 18+ unless otherwise stated)

AARP SAFE DRIVER'S COURSE

This course is designed to meet the specific needs of older drivers. Topics covered will be how to compensate for changes in vision, hearing and reaction time, how to handle problem situations such as left turns, right-of-way, freeway traffic, trucks, and blind spots, aggressive drivers, how medications may affect driving and how to properly use anti-lock brakes, air bags, and safety belts. In Pennsylvania, everyone who successfully completes this course will receive a 5% discount on automobile insurance for three years. If both husband and wife drive, they both must complete the class to receive the discount. This is a two day class, four hours each class and participants must attend both.

INSTRUCTOR: AARP

DATE/TIME: Thursday & Friday, October 31 & November 1

8:30 am - 12:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Municipal Building

Lower Level Training Room

MIN/MAX: 12/30

AGES: 55 years and older

COST: \$20 non-member / \$15 for AARP member.

Checks should be made payable to AARP.

LOCATION:

If you are a member, please include your membership #.

AARP REFRESHER COURSE

This course is for those who have taken the eight hour course and their certification needs to be renewed. This course will cover everything required to keep your certification current. Participants need to bring verification they have completed the eight hour course either by a copy of their certification from AARP or information from the insurance company.

INSTRUCTOR: AARP

DATE/TIME: Friday, October 25

8:30 am - 12:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Municipal Building Lower Level

Training Room

MIN/MAX: 12/30

AGES: 55 years and older

COST: \$20 non-member / \$15 for AARP member.



Checks should be made payable to AARP.

If you are a member, please include your membership #.



YORK COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING'S PRIMETIME HEALTH PROGRAMS

MATTER OF BALANCE

INSTRUCTOR: York County Area

Agency Staff

DATE/TIME: Mondays & Wednesdays,

October 2 – 30

(no class October 14)

10:00 am – 12:00 pm York Township Park Building **MIN/MAX:** 6/12

AGES: 55 years and older

COST: Free

REGISTRATION: Contact York County

Area Agency on Aging at 717-771-9610

to register.

YORK TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

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HAM RADIO CLASS

Preparation and Test for FCC Amateur Radio General License. Come with an open mind, pen and paper. We discourage the use of iPhones, etc. in the class except for emergencies, please put on vibrate. A simple calculator and a windows PC are useful.

INSTRUCTOR: Ralph Brandt K3HQI

717-885-3063

DATE/TIME: Saturday, October 19

8:00 am – 4:00 pm and Sunday, October 20 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

FCC License Testing: October 20

12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Municipal Building Lower Level

Training Room

MIN/MAX: 4/12 **AGES:** 18 years

and older

COST: Free

There may be a \$15 FCC License Testing Fee.

This is determined by the testing

team that is independent of the instructor.
The class is targeted to prepare the student to pass the General Class License test.
In order to take the General Class License Test, a Technician Class License must already be held.



BASIC HANDGUN TRAINING

This 3.5 hour course will teach firearm ownership responsibility, facing an imminent threat (perpetrator), multiple shooting stances, shooting defensively, handgun action types, draw stroke from a concealed position, racking the slide, holsters, loading/unloading, grip, causes of firearm accidents, ammo storage and more.

INSTRUCTOR: Gary Smith (Point Blank Defense),

NRA Certified

DATE/TIME: Saturday, October 12

5:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Saturday, January 11, 2020

5:00 pm - 8:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 6/20

AGES: 18 years and older **COST:** \$70 R / \$75 NR

ATTACK, PREVENT BEING VICTIMIZED

This course will provide you with the skill-set and training to not be an easy target.

The first step toward safeguarding your personal safety is making a proactive decision to develop personal awareness before you need it. The following topics and more will be covered:

Criminal mentality

Personal boundaries

Levels of awareness

• Common places of attack

Self-defense devices

Self-defense techniques

Physical security

Home, auto security

INSTRUCTOR: Gary Smith (Point Blank Defense),

NRA Certified

DATE/TIME: Sunday, November 3

5:00 pm - 8:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township

Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/30

AGES: 18 years and older **COST:** \$60 R / \$65 NR

INDOOR SHUFFLEBOARD

For those who enjoy the skill and challenge of shuffleboard or for those who would like to learn, join York Township's Winter Indoor Shuffleboard League. No equipment needed as it will be supplied by the department.

INSTRUCTOR: Recreation Staff

DATE/TIME: Tuesdays, October 8 – December 10, 2019

(no play on November 5 and 26)

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Wednesdays, February 5 – March 25, 2020

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 4/16

AGES: 18 years and older **COST:** \$15 R / \$20 NR

CARDS ANYONE??

Bridge Club – The Bridge Group meets at the York Township Park Building every Friday

from 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm.

There is no cost to play-just come and enjoy!

Card Club – Card Club meets every Thursday from 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm at the York Township Park Building. Various games are played, including pinochle,

dominoes and 500.



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ADULT FITNESS CLASSES TONING, ABS AND PILATES

This hour-long class is a mix of weight training, abdominal workout, and core strengthening Mat Pilates.

INSTRUCTOR: Monica L. Newcomb

DATE/TIME: Tuesdays & Thursdays, October 1 – November 26

(no class October 17, 31 & November 5)

9:00 am - 10:00 am

Tuesdays & Thursdays, December 3 – January 28

(no class December 24, 26 & 31)

9:00 am - 10:00 am

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/12

COST: \$70 R / \$75 NR (7 week session)

HATHA YOGA

Join instructor, Sweet Melissa, as she guides you through a fun and creative hour long Hatha Yoga practice. Melissa will help you to connect to your breath, guide you through sun salutations and other asanas (poses) and finish the class with a nice restorative rest. This practice can improve flexibility, strength, balance, improve breath, and help center the mind. The class incorporates relaxing music, breath awareness, movement, essential oils, compassion, sound therapy, friendship and more.

INSTRUCTOR: Melissa Grove

DATE/TIME: Wednesdays, October 9 – November 20

(no class November 6) 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/20

AGES: 18 years and older COST: \$35 R / \$40 NR



SENIOR STRIDES

This is a low-impact class with interval weight training. If you are able to march forward, backward, and step side to side, then this class is for you! This class also helps you develop stronger muscles in your chest, shoulders, biceps and back by using light hand weights.

INSTRUCTOR: Monica L. Newcomb **DATE/TIME:** Mondays & Wednesdays,

October 2 – November 20 (no class October 16) 8:15 am – 8:45 am

November 25 – January 22

(no class December 23, 25, 30 & January 1)

8:15 am – 8:45 am

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/12

COST: \$35 R / \$40 NR (7 week session)

KARATE FOR BEGINNERS

Blending physical training, practical self-defense techniques, and Zen meditation, Shinbudo Karate is a modern style taught in the formal Japanese tradition. Learn to strengthen your spirit, calm your mind and protect yourself. Everyone is welcome to come and train in a safe, encouraging environment, regardless of age, gender, or physical ability. Students should wear loose fitting clothing and be prepared to sweat. No prior experience required!

INSTRUCTOR: Michael Gurklis (4th degree black belt) **DATE/TIME:** Wednesdays, January 6 – March 11, 2020

7:30 pm – 8:30 pm

LOCATION: Ore Valley Elementary Gym

MIN/MAX: 2/10

AGES: 18 years and older COST: \$85 R / \$90 NR

INTERMEDIATE KARATE

This class is a continuation of karate training with the opportunity for level advancement.

Completion of the beginner's course is required.

INSTRUCTOR: Michael Gurklis (4th degree black belt) **DATE/TIME:** Session 1: Mondays & Wednesdays,

October 9 – December 18

(no class November 18, 27 & December 2)

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Session 2: Mondays & Wednesdays,

January 6 – March 11, 2020

(no class February 17 & March 2, 2020)

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm

LOCATION: Ore Valley Elementary Gym

MIN/MAX: 4/12

AGES: 18 years and older

COST: \$125 R / \$130 NR (session 1)

\$125 R / \$130 NR (session 2)

LESSONS OF LAVENDER

This class will focus on lavender and the mind, body and spirit connection. Three make and take projects are included, a body spray, bath salts and a meditation oil, all using lavender oil and other essential oils. There will be a short meditation dedicated to lavender and lavender refreshment.

INSTRUCTOR: Melissa Grove

DATE/TIME: Wednesdays, December 11

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township

Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/20 AGES: 18 years

and older

COST: \$38 R /

\$48 NR



Registration Process—Unless otherwise stated, visit our website at www.yorktownshiprec.com, create a Household Account (if you do not already have one), print registration form and submit with payment no later than 1 week prior to session start date or by deadline listed. **R**=Resident Rate; **NR**=Non-Resident Rate.

SECRET CRAFT CHOCOLATE SOCIETY

Enjoy learning about craft chocolate along with a tasting. You will take a journey through craft chocolate, where it comes from, how it is made, and you will experience a proper chocolate tasting of 5 amazing chocolates.

INSTRUCTOR: Melissa Grove

DATE/TIME: Wednesday, November 20

6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

York Township LOCATION:

Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/20

AGES: 18 years and older

COST: \$5 R / \$6 NR



ESSENTIAL OILS and MUCH MORE

Everywhere you turn lately, you hear or read something about Essential Oils. People are excited and they're talking about it! This class is an introduction to the incredible benefits and uses of essential oils. You will be amazed at how high quality oils can have so many uses!

ESSENTIAL OILS FOR BEGINNERS

INSTRUCTOR: Christine Hartle DATE/TIME:

Tuesday, October 15

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 6/30

AGES: 18 years and older

COST: Free

HOLIDAY DIY WITH ESSENTIAL OILS

Looking for gift ideas you can make on your own? DIYing is a great and inexpensive way to give heartfelt oily gifts to friends, family, teachers, or anyone on your gift list! Join me and learn how to make oily gifts this holiday season. During this class you will make a spray air freshener. You must pre-register for this class no later than October 27th.

INSTRUCTOR: Christine Hartle

DATE/TIME: Saturday, November 9

9:00 am - 10:30 am

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 6/30

All ages welcome, **AGES:**

> one air freshener spray per family

COST: Free



WINTER BLUES? OILS TO THE RESCUE!

Don't let the winter blues get you down! Come join us to find out how oils can help you when it's cold outside. Do you enjoy the smell of fresh lemon? Or maybe you like the flowery scent of Joy essential oil? Whatever you prefer we will have fun and learn more about how oils can be used during the winter season.

INSTRUCTOR: Christine Hartle

Saturday, January 11, 2020 DATE/TIME:

9:00 am - 10:30 am

York Township Park Building LOCATION:

MIN/MAX: 6/30

AGES: 18 years and older

COST: Free

BASIC CHINESE

This course aims to provide basic level language training to students through listening, speaking, reading and writing. The course content focuses on conversation in everyday settings. The topics include introduction to Chinese characters, greetings, family, dates and time, hobbies, making appointments and school life. This course will enable students to participate in brief conversation with basic Chinese vocabulary and grammar and collect simple information through asking and answering questions. Through various kinds of exercises, students are expected to understand simple signs and general messages that contain familiar characters and give brief answers to simple questions closely related to their personal life with what they have acquired in Chinese.

INSTRUCTOR: Serena Chou

DATE/TIME: Session 1: Mondays,

October 7 – December 2

(no class October 14 & November 4)

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Session 2: Mondays, December 2 – February 3 (no class December 30) Must have taken Session 1 to register for Session 2 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 10/20

AGES: 18 years and older COST: \$130 R /\$135 NR

LOST AND FOUND

If you have lost something at any of the York Township Parks, check the lost and found located at the York Township Municipal Building. Unclaimed items are donated every 3 months.

CRAFT CORNER

Faux Metal Flower

Bring a glue gun, glue sticks and extension cord and get ready to create a beautiful Faux Metal Flower for inside or outside decor! You'll be surprised how easy it will be to make.



INSTRUCTOR: Monica L. Newcomb Thursday, October 24

6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 5/12

AGES: 18 years and over **COST:** \$30 R / \$35 NR

COUPONING 101

Looking for ways to save money at the grocery store? Want to cut your bill in half? At this seminar, we'll tell you how to do just that! Plus, we'll tell you about the coupon policies at 4 major retailers and show you how to stay organized.

INSTRUCTOR: Lisa Barshinger, Coupon Queen

DATE/TIME: Thursday, October 10

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

MIN/MAX: 8/20

AGES: 18 years and over

COST: Free



BUS TRIPS

All trips depart from the York Township Municipal Office at the corner of Oak and Coventry Roads unless otherwise stated.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. To register, please visit www.yorktownshiprec.com

NEW YORK CITY SHOPPER TRIP

Saturday, November 16 or December 14

Hop on the bus and head for the Big Apple! Central Park looks so beautiful any time of year and now you have to decide when to go. Take a tour on the Circle Line Bus, see the Statue of Liberty, or have a meal at the Heartland Brewery in Times Square on West 43rd street.

LOCATION: Bus departs 6:30 am and returns around

11:00 pm. Bus departs from York Township

Municipal Building

COST: \$65 R / \$70 NR

RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SHOW Saturday, November 16

Enjoy the Christmas spectacular that has become a favorite tradition for all to see! RADIO CITY

Please do not wait until the last minute!

This trip fills up fast, so call now to reserve your seat! Payment is due by October 17. There will also be seats available on the bus for just shopping in New York.

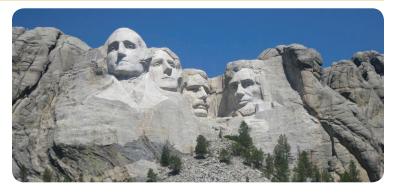
DATE/TIME: Saturday, November 16

LOCATION: Bus departs 6:30 am and returns around

11:00 pm. Bus departs from York Township

Municipal Building

COST: \$140 R / \$150 NR



MT. RUSHMORE

September 25 - October 5, 2020

- Trip includes Motor Coach transportation
- 10 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in South Dakota
- 18 Meals including: 10 Breakfasts and 8 Dinners
- Tour of Wildlife Look Road at Custer State Park
- Admission to the Unique Journey Museum
- Visit to the amazing Crazy Horse Memorial
- Visit to Mount Rushmore National Memorial
- Visit to the spectacular Badlands National Park
- Guided Tour of Deadwood, plus gaming at a Deadwood Casino

Call Monica at 717-741-3861 x129 for more information

COST: \$1,030 per person double occupancy

\$1,430 single occupancy

A deposit of \$75 along with registration

form is due by January 1, 2020

Gardens

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Park

Building

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FACILITY / ITEM RENTALS

Undeveloped

The parks have many amenities for the public to use and enjoy on a first come, first serve basis. However, they may be reserved for a fee by individuals, groups and organizations for recreational purposes. Call 717-741-3861 x142 to reserve a facility. Township-sponsored programs and reservation holders have priority use.

FACILITY/ITEM	Resident	Non-Resident
York Township Park Building	\$30/hour	\$50/hour
Basketball/Tennis Courts	nc	\$10/hour/court
Sand Volleyball Courts	nc	\$10/hour/court
Bocce Courts/Horseshoe Pits	nc	\$10/hour
Park Pavilions (4 hour block rental*)	\$20/block	\$40/block

^{*}Blocks are 8:30 am-12:30 pm; 1:00 -5:00 pm; and 5:30-9:30 pm

ATHLETIC FIELDS

Camp Betty Washington Road York 17403

Markey Park - (35 acres)

Oak Road York 17403

The YTRec Department partners with local sports organizations to offer various athletic leagues on York Township fields. These are the only groups authorized to use the fields in this manner. If you would like to become a sports partner, please contact the department at 717-741-3861 x142.

PARTICIPATION AND REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

- **REGISTRATION FORMS for various programs** will be placed online at <u>www.yorktownshiprec.com</u> as they become available. Forms for some programs may also be picked up at the YTRec Office.
- ADVANCE PAYMENT is required for all programs as it will ensure a space in the class/program. Checks may be made payable to York Township.
- PARTICIPATION in any class/program/event constitutes permission to use likeness in promotional materials.
- THE DEPARTMENT is NOT responsible for injuries while participating in any of its activities.
- **REFUNDS** will not be granted after the start of a class except in the case of injury or illness. Written documentation from a physician will be required. No refunds for Bus Trips will be given when spots are cancelled less than 30 days before trip unless the trip is cancelled by the Township or unless you find a replacement for your seat.
- PROGRAM SIZE is limited and will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. Classes/events reaching capacity will start a wait list.
- PROGRAM DATES & TIMES are contingent on availability of facilities and are subject to change.
- **PROGRAMS** postponed or not held by the instructor due to emergencies will be made up by the instructor or fees will be prorated. Classes missed by the participant will not be made up.
- **POLICY ON CHILDREN**—Participants are not permitted to bring children with them to class. Enrollment age is included with the description of most of the classes.
- **CANCELLATIONS**—In case of inclement weather, we may cancel our programs. Remember, if the Dallastown Area School District cancels classes, then our activities are cancelled also. The YTRec Hotline number is 717-741-3861 x350 and it is typically updated by 4:00 pm when needed for cancellations/field closures.
- MIN/MAX—There is a minimum number of participants needed before a class can "go." If a sufficient number does not register, the class will be cancelled. Ensure your choice—register now!

PARK RULES / HOURS

- 1. ALL Parks are closed between dusk and dawn, with the exception of York Township Park. York Township Park is closed between the hours of 10:00 pm and 6:00 am. No trespassing during these hours or when area is otherwise closed by the Township.
- 2. No littering.
- 3. No negligent or deliberate destruction or removal of natural or physical property.
- 4. NO GOLFING IN PARKS. Outdoor recreation activity is restricted to locations appropriate to the activity or as directed.
- 5. Open fires or hot coals must be in fireplaces or grills. Fires may not be left unattended and must be thoroughly extinguished before they are abandoned.
- 6. No solicitation.
- 7. No alcoholic beverages or drugs. No one permitted in the area under the influence of alcoholic beverages or drugs.
- 8. Use of explosives, fireworks, guns, rifles, air guns, bows, slingshots, or similar items is prohibited.
- **9.** Injuring or killing wild animals is prohibited.
- **10.** Boisterous, immoral or indecent conduct is prohibited.
- 11. No facilities may be reserved without completion of an application form and approval of the Recreation Director of the Township.
- 12. Dogs must be kept on a leash or otherwise tied. All canine solid waste must be removed from the park.
- **13.** Motor vehicles may be driven and parked only in designated areas.
- 14. No inflatables, pony rides, petting zoos, game trucks, etc. allowed with pavilion/building rentals.

COMMUNITY CONTACTS & SPORTS PARTNERS

YORK COUNTY PARKS

www.yorkcountyparks.org

DALLASTOWN COUGARS BASEBALL www.dallastowncougarbaseball.com

FC DALLASTOWN SOCCER CLUB

www.dallastownsoccerclub.org

DALLASTOWN WILDCAT BASKETBALL

http://eteamz.active.com/DallastownWildcats/

YORK COUNTY MEN'S SOCCER LEAGUE

www.ycmsl.com

YORK TOWNSHIP BASEBALL CLUB

www.leaguelineup.com/yorktownshipbaseball

WILDCAT LACROSSE

http://wildcatlax.leagueapps.com/

YORK TOWNSHIP

190 Oak Road Dallastown, PA 17313

717-741-3861 www.yorktownship.com

YORK TOWNSHIP CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER

4 – 21*Branch/Brush Drop Off 12 Touch-a-Truck & Fall Fun Fest 26*Curbside Yard Waste Pickup by Penn Waste



NOVEMBER

1 – 18	3*Branch/Brush Drop Off
3	Daylight Savings
9	*Curbside Yard Waste Pickup by Penn Waste
16	NYC Radio City Bus Trip
23	*Curbside Yard Waste Pickup by Penn Waste
28	Township Office Closed

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DECEMBER

6Cookies & Cocoa with Santa
6-9*Branch/Brush Drop Off
14NYC Shopper Bus Trip
24Township Office Closes at noon
25Township Office Closed
31Township Office Closes

JANUARY

1	. Township Office Closed
3-6	.*Branch/Brush Drop Off
18	Christmas Tree Pickup

FEBRUARY

7 –	10*Branch/Brush Drop Of
17	Township Office Closed

* These services are for Township residents only.

The schedule for different boards of the Township are listed on page 2. For special meetings, please check the Township website for updated notices at www.yorktownship.com.

-YORK TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION STAFF AND OFFICE HOURS-

Monday-Friday from 8:00 am – 4:30 pm • Public Works from 7:00 am – 3:30 pm 190 Oak Road, Dallastown, PA 17313

All phone numbers are **717-741-3861** unless otherwise indicated.

Township Manager—Gary Milbrand

Director of Economic Development—Lisa Frye

Finance Director—Ryan Grigg

Recreation Director—Carly Mercadante

Public Works Director—Scott DePoe

Human Resources—Linda Marshall

Building Codes Supervisor—Keith Lutz

Code Enforcement Officers

Charles Landis German Barranca Scott Keech

Chief of York Area Regional Police

Timothy Damon (717-741-1259)

Emergency Management Coordinator

Kathleen Dellinger (717-741-3861 x189)

Treasurer/Tax Collector

Kay Crumling (717-741-0056)

Animal Control Services

Michelle Klugh (717-916-1413)

Residential refuse and recycling collection contracted through Penn Waste. To start service, please call 717-767-4456.

