



# ***YORK TOWNSHIP*** ***NEWSLETTER***

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## 2020 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  
Kathleen Dellinger  
Vacant

### Water & Sewer Authority

*Typically meets 3rd Monday at  
6:30 pm*

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

### Planning Commission

*Typically meets 3rd Tuesday at  
6:00 pm*

Carl Dallmeyer  
Raymond Fertig  
Jodi Heffner  
David Koratich  
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

Township news from February – May 2020

Dear York Township Resident,

My hope is that by the time this newsletter is published, some semblance of a normal life has returned. During this time of uncertainty, the Township's top priority is the safety and well-being of our employees, residents, and businesses.

The Township has been adhering to guidelines from the CDC and Governor's Office, and we reopened our doors to the public on May 8, 2020. Below is a summary of actions currently taken by the Township as part of our response to the coronavirus emergency.

- Township staff continues to serve the needs of our residents and businesses while not having direct contact with the public. Interactions with staff are done via telephone, e-mail, or by utilizing the outside drop boxes located at the entrance to the Township Municipal Building.
- Payments to the Township or to the Tax Collector can be made by using the outside drop boxes or in person starting May 8. If using the drop box, please pay by check or money order **only** (no cash) and place in an envelope. All envelopes must be clearly marked with your name, property address, phone number, account number and e-mail address (if applicable). If an e-mail address is provided, a receipt will be e-mailed to you.
- The Federal and State Tax filing due dates have been extended to July 15, 2020. York Township Municipal Taxes are tied to the County Tax bill and the Township will support and follow the lead set by the County. For businesses, York Township has extended the due date of the Mercantile and Business Privileges Tax to July 15, 2020.
- All sewer bills issued March 1, 2020, will not have a late fee imposed if paid by June 16, 2020. All sewer bills issued April 1 or May 1, 2020, will have a due date of June 16, 2020. The Township will not pursue water shut off for unpaid sewer bills through June 16, 2020.
- The Recreation Department is still collecting registration for upcoming programs. For information on how to submit payments and for status of future programs and events, please visit the Recreation website at [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com) or follow YTRecreation on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/YTRecreation/>.
- Park trails and open spaces are open for passive activities and we strongly encourage social distancing when using them. Since playgrounds and sports courts do not follow the CDC guidelines for social distancing or social gatherings, they are temporarily closed. For now, portable toilets have replaced the public bathroom facilities. Use hand sanitizer after using these facilities.
- The brush drop-off gate will remain open until the end of May and mulch is available to residents free of charge.
- The Permits and Codes Department was only accepting applications, issuing permits and doing inspections for "life-sustaining" projects such as health care facilities, residential emergency repairs, and work being conducted in connection with a DCED waiver. Starting May 8, 2020, the Township started accepting applications and issuing building permits for all construction activities.
- Police, Fire and EMS services remain available and ready to respond to the emergency needs of residents and businesses. The Township is asking residents and businesses for donations of masks, gloves or other personal protective equipment to provide to emergency services. Please drop all donations off in the blue bin outside of the York Township Municipal Building during weekdays.

- The Township is conducting our public meetings via video conferencing software during this time. For more information, go to the Township web page and click on an agenda for an upcoming meeting: <http://www.yorktownship.com/boards/>.

Visit the York Township website, at [www.yorktownship.com](http://www.yorktownship.com), for continuous updates. To receive e-mail alerts, click "Notify Me" on the homepage. Similar information can be found on the Township Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/YorkTwp](http://www.facebook.com/YorkTwp).

Once the Stay at Home order has been lifted and businesses have reopened, I encourage you to visit our local businesses to help support our community.

Sincerely,  
Gary Milbrand  
York Township Manager



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### York Township is now offering a Direct Dial option to use to contact specific Departments!

Inspections: 717-428-5641

Finance, Sewer billing, Septic: 717-428-5642

Recreation: 717-428-5645

Public Works: 717-428-5644

Permits and Zoning: 717-428-5643

Field Hotline: 717-428-5640

If you do not know your department, have general questions or wish to use the Township directory or dial an extension, please dial the main number at 717-741-3861.

## ZONING

### YARD SALES

If you're thinking of having a yard sale to make a few bucks selling off your unwanted treasures, please remember to stop by the Township for a Yard Sale Permit and take a minute to read over the following information:

**Frequency and duration requirements; permissible and prohibited sales.** Two yard sales are permissible per household in any twelve-month period. The maximum duration of each sale shall be two consecutive calendar days between the hours of 9:00 am and 9:00 pm prevailing time. No merchandise intended to be sold shall be displayed on the premises except for one hour before and during the hours of sale. No amplified sounds shall be permitted in connection with the sale.

**Permits.** No yard sale may be held until a permit therefore has been obtained. The permit cost shall be as established from time to time by the Board of Commissioners. All permit fees shall be paid to the township prior to issuance of the permit. The permit granted by the Township shall be prominently displayed on the premises during the sale.

### **On-site garage/yard sale signs**

Maximum permitted number – 2 per sale

Maximum permitted sign area – 6 square feet per sign

Permitted time frame – Between 2 days prior to and during the sale. No more than 2 consecutive periods totaling 12 days during any calendar year.

### **Off-site garage/yard sale signs with written permission of landowner**

Maximum permitted number – 2 per sale, 1 per property

Maximum permitted sign area – 1 square foot per sign

Permitted time frame – Only on the day of the sale. No more than 4 days during any calendar year.

### PERMITS FOR DRIVEWAY OVERLAY

If you are planning to have your driveway overlaid with a new layer of blacktop this year, please keep in mind that a zoning permit is necessary and it is the responsibility of the homeowner to ensure the permit is in place prior to start of any work by your contractor. Sealing of your driveway does not require a permit. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Township Office.



York Township recently lost an amazing lady and great supporter of our community with the passing of Tammy Morrison on February 12, 2020. Tammy spent a year courageously battling cancer with the support of her greatest pride and joy – her husband Bob and their beautiful family. Along with other community involvement, Tammy was a dedicated member of the Township Planning Commission since 2010. She cared about her community and always worked hard looking for opportunities to make it a better place to live, work and play. Tammy's friendship and her quick smile and easy laugh are what we will remember most!



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

194 OAK ROAD • DALLASTOWN, PA 17313 • 717-741-3861 x170

### 2020 STREET PAVING/PAVEMENT PRESERVATION

As of March 20<sup>th</sup> 2020, the following streets were selected to be re-paved this summer.

- Green Valley Road from Honey Valley Road to Iron Stone Hill Road – repaved
- New School Lane from Blymire Road to South Pleasant Avenue – repaved
- Kirch Road from Powder Mill Road to Radnor Road – repaved
- Primrose Lane from Chestnut Run Road to Chestnut Run Road – repaved
- Chestnut Run Road from Chestnut Hill Road to Primrose Lane – repaved
- Arbor Drive from South Franklin Street to Winterstown Road – reclaimed/repaved
- South Park Street ext. from Horn Road to North Hopewell Twp. – preservation
- South Park Street from Aldinger Drive to South Franklin Street – preservation
- Mellinger Drive from Aldinger Drive to Ridgelynn Drive – preservation
- Aldinger Drive from Stine Hill Road to South Park Street – preservation
- Stine Hill Road from South Pleasant Avenue to county bridge – preservation
- South Pleasant Avenue ext. from Iron Stone Hill Road to Hess Farm Road – preservation
- Curds Way from Country Club Road to end – preservation

Due to the timing of this newsletter edition, the contracts were not in place and it is possible that changes to the list may have occurred. Please check the York Township website ([www.yorktownship.com](http://www.yorktownship.com)) after April 30, 2020 for the final list of streets to be re-paved in 2020.

### OBSTRUCTIONS THAT OVERHANG THE ROAD

Please be aware that as property owners in York Township, you are responsible to keep your property clear from any obstructions that overhang the edge of the road. Examples include but are not limited to: tree limbs, shrubbery, hedges, grassy areas, mailboxes, fencing, etc. Many activities occur close to the curb with large vehicles that can be impacted when these obstructions exist. Examples include snow and ice removal, street sweeping, street paving, trash collection, school bus travel, etc. Overgrown tree limbs and vegetation also impact the sight distance for the motoring public which can be a safety concern. Refer to Ordinance # 2014-5 found on the website for the specific requirements.



### EMERGENCIES

Check our website at [www.yorktownship.com](http://www.yorktownship.com) or call the Public Works Department at 717-741-3861 x170 for questions or concerns. Please direct after hour emergencies to 911.

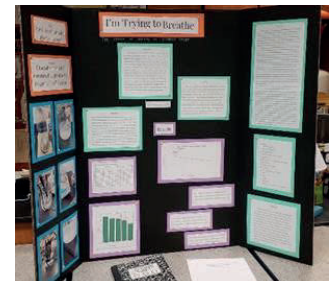
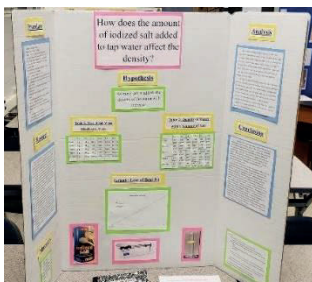
## STORMWATER

### 2020 DALLASTOWN AREA HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR WINNERS

York Township congratulates the 2020 York Township Science & Engineering Fair scholarship winners. York Township provides scholarships for the best junior and senior "Water Quality or Stormwater Management Project" as part of our stormwater management program.

The senior project winner selected was "I'm Trying to Breathe," by **Rylee Dunkerley**, 10<sup>th</sup> grade. The purpose of Rylee's experiment was to test different salt concentrations in water and study the effect of that on dissolved oxygen.

The junior project winner selected was "How does the Amount of Iodized Salt Added to Tap Water Affect the Density?" by **Rachel Miller**, 9<sup>th</sup> grade. The purpose of Rachel's experiment was to test how the amount of salt added to water affected the density.



York Township would also like to congratulate all of the 2020 Dallastown Area High School Science & Engineering Fair winners: Senior High Grand Champion Ibnat Meah, Senior High Reserve Grand Champion Astha Ray, Junior High Grand Champion Mia Karlie, and Junior High Reserve Grand Champion Jeremiah Ondrasik.

Additional information regarding our stormwater management program can be found at [www.yorktownship.com/our-township/stormwater/](http://www.yorktownship.com/our-township/stormwater/). Any questions or comments can be submitted by calling 717-741-3861 or emailing [stormwater@yorktownship.com](mailto:stormwater@yorktownship.com).

## STORMWATER

### WHY SHOULD I CARE ABOUT STORM DRAINS ANYWAY?

Storm drains, otherwise known as inlets, are designed to remove stormwater runoff from streets and other impervious surfaces to prevent flooding. Currently, there are 2,957 inlets in York Township. These inlets are connected directly to local streams and creeks via the Township's MS4 (Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System) which means anything dumped into them goes directly into the watershed **untreated**.

Any debris such as leaves, plastic cups, trash, etc. placed in or on top of storm drains can block them, causing stormwater to back up and flood streets. Please do not ever dump motor oil, paint, pet waste, antifreeze, grease, gasoline, cigarette butts, etc., into storm drains as these can lower water quality and be harmful to wildlife living in and around streams, creeks and rivers. The pollution of waterways can also harm humans using them for recreation or those who get their water supply from wells.

Our local waterways are part of the Susquehanna River basin, which drains into the Susquehanna River, and subsequently, the Chesapeake Bay. The Chesapeake Bay is North America's largest and most biologically diverse estuary, home to more than 3,600 species of plants, fish, and animals. For over 300 years, the Bay and its tributaries have sustained the region's economy and defined its traditions and culture. It is a resource of extraordinary productivity, worthy of the highest levels of protection and restoration. Accordingly, in 1983 and 1987, the states of Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, the District of Columbia, the Chesapeake Bay Commission and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, representing the federal government, signed historic agreements that established the Chesapeake Bay Program partnership to protect and restore the Chesapeake Bay's ecosystem.

In an effort to help clean our local streams and the Bay, we will be installing storm drain markers at several locations throughout the Township in early Fall. These **NO DUMPING - DRAINS TO CREEK** markers will serve as an educational tool for residents to help prevent pollution of waterways by reminding people that storm drains are connected directly into the municipal storm sewer system. The markers will help remind people to think about what they throw down on the ground and help reduce erosion and runoff sediment, nutrients, oils, litter bug polluters, runoff of chemicals and fertilizers from lawn care, leaking oils and gasoline from cars, and other potential pollutants that are currently running into these drains.

**Here is your chance to make a difference for the environment:**

My name is **Christian Snouffer**. I am a Life Scout with Troop 69 at Salem Lutheran Church in Jacobus and I am looking for volunteers to help with this large conservation project. If you are interested in helping, please contact me at [SnoufferScouting@gmail.com](mailto:SnoufferScouting@gmail.com). This project is one of four significant conservation projects required for me to earn the BSA William T. Hornaday Award Silver Medal, which is Scouting's highest award for conservation.

To donate to help cover costs of these projects, please go to [www.gofundme.com/christian039s-fundraiser-for-nature-projects](http://www.gofundme.com/christian039s-fundraiser-for-nature-projects). Every donation will help!



## RECYCLING

### 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.

### 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 includes 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
- High-Grade Office Paper
- Corrugated Paper (cardboard)
- Glass (clear, brown and green)
- Steel and bimetallic can
- Leaf Waste

## RECYCLING

### 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) items 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 items per year curbside yard waste collection and a Township administration fee for \$1.50. For the first time since 2017, York County Solid Waste Authority must increase the cost of disposal of solid waste beginning January 1, 2020 for \$62 per ton to \$65 per ton. This tipping fee equates to a 77¢ increase per quarter per household added to the Penn Waste costs allowed under the current residential contract. Please note the new rates as follows:

**January 1, 2020 – June 30, 2020 = \$50.15 per quarter**  
**July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 = \$51.59 per quarter**  
**July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022 = \$53.12 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 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.

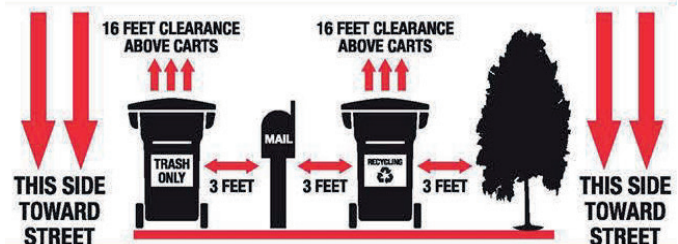
### WASTE OIL DISPOSAL

Waste oil (motor, cooking, transmission) may be dropped off at the Public Works Service Building M-F from 7:30 am – 3:00 pm. You may enter the lower restricted area for this purpose. Drop the product off at the end of the Service Building, smaller of the two buildings, at the designated area identified by a sign. Do not drop off products after hours. We do not accept gasoline or engine coolant (anti-freeze). **Please be aware that the site is under constant video surveillance.**

### CART PLACEMENT IS IMPORTANT!

With 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 street.

**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.**





## RECYCLING

### RESIDENTIAL RECYCLING

#### CAN BE INCLUDED:

**Metal** – 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:

**Soiled Materials** – dirty diapers, wet cardboard, food waste, food-soiled materials, used paper towels or tissues

**Hazardous Materials & Medical Waste** – all solvent, oil, chemical containers, propane tanks, pool chemicals, \*batteries, and NEEDLES

**Electronic Waste** – computers, computer accessories, television, monitors, and e-readers

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

**Lights & Glassware** – light bulbs, string of lights, drinking glasses, broken glass, and mirrors

**Paper & Paperboard** – newspaper inserts, magazines, catalogs/brochures, envelopes & junk mail, food boxes (i.e. cereal & Jell-O), pizza boxes, paper towel & toilet paper rolls, office paper (any color), tissue boxes, phones 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.

### RESIDENTIAL BRUSH DROP OFF

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 employ the services of a commercial contractor. If you have large amounts of material to dispose, please contact York Township first for approval.

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

The drop-off site is located at the Township 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.

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

\*June 5 – 22

\*July 3 – 20

\*August 7 – 24

\*September 4 – 21

\*October 2 – 19

\*November 6 – 23

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 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.



## RECYCLING

### 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](http://www.ycswa.com), their Facebook page, or contact them by phone at 717-845-1066.

#### ACCEPTED ITEMS:

- Computer – Devices/PCs/Laptops/Servers
- Monitors/Television
- 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 oils
- Any chemicals, oils or powders
- Any equipment that contains chemicals of any kind

See full list on website

### 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 kraft 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:

June 27 • July 25 • August 22 • September 26

### 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 cleaned and 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!"***





# YORK TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

## THIS IS WHY WE PLAN AND PREPARE

The core functions of Emergency Management are: **Prepare, Prevent, Respond, Recover, Mitigate**. These are functions that municipal EMAs perform for their townships and boroughs, that County EMAs perform for their counties, that state EMAs perform, and that FEMA performs for the nation. Each level of the hierarchy has different functional areas in any disaster or emergency.

The level that is closest to the citizens is the municipal level. We are the EMAs that live in the same communities that you do. Our homes, our families, our fuzzy animals are here, just like yours. We shop in the same stores and use the same services that you do.

As we compose this article, even though you are reading it in June, it is March, and the COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic is beginning to ramp up. The first positive patients have been diagnosed in York County. We are currently working to guide you through **responding to** the evolving situation, through our Facebook page primarily (<https://www.facebook.com/YorkTownshipEMA/>). Nearly 6 weeks before the first cases in PA were diagnosed, we were posting important information about **planning** and **preparing**.

You see ... the functions that WE perform ... are the functions that EACH PERSON needs to perform in their individual lives. **We are each our own personal EMA!** In terms of preparing: we talk about having an emergency plan, having money saved and cash on hand, having a communication plan, having provisions and medications to carry your family through a period where you cannot obtain them. You see now. It is not abstractions and wacky prepper stuff. It is real, and it is critical for you to be prepared, because emergencies can happen at ANY time. Your ability to navigate the circumstances of an emergency directly correlate to your level of preparedness. You don't need a bunker in the back yard. But you do need stuff, and you do need a plan.

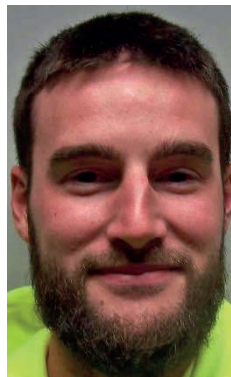
Our families, our communities, and our businesses will **recover** from this emergency. There will be losses, and tragedies, and there will be stories that inspire us about how people can rise above difficult times to help others. And we will learn.

Each person living through these times has made mistakes and is learning lessons. We sure are in EMA. We will take the lessons we learn, and we will improve our emergency plans, so that the next time an emergency occurs, we will have **mitigated**, or decreased the damage-potential of the emergency. When you do the same thing in your personal lives, you will find that the next emergency doesn't hit quite as hard.

## YORK TOWNSHIP EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES

The following employees will celebrate anniversaries June – September 2020

June 6.....	Kyle Miller.....	4 years
June 7.....	Bryan Worker.....	21 years
June 18.....	Justin Dietz.....	13 years
June 25.....	Brian Junkins.....	24 years
June 26.....	Keith Lutz.....	31 years
July 17.....	Scott Cunningham.....	20 years
July 27.....	David Cozzi.....	5 years
July 29.....	Shane Walker.....	7 years
August 1.....	Jeffrey Wagner.....	17 years
August 17.....	Richard Smith, Jr.....	5 years
August 22.....	Adam Wolf.....	9 years
September 6.....	Casey Raver.....	9 years
September 18.....	Andrew Mitchell.....	3 years
September 20.....	Douglas Hinkle.....	16 years
September 27.....	Robert Miller II.....	27 years
September 27.....	Daniel Smith.....	16 years



## NEW EMPLOYEES

### WILLIE NEVIN

Before the Township, I was an arborist for Bartlett Tree Experts. I am currently finishing my last semester at Penn State for a degree in Forestry. I love outdoor recreation from hunting/fishing to biking and kayaking. I have a love for the outdoor world and what all it offers us. I like to spend my time with friends and family. My perspective on life is to always be a student, and never stop learning.



### DOUG WEAVER

I live in Red Lion with my wife and dog where we bought our first house almost 2 years ago. We enjoy spending time outdoors and going on walks together with the dog. I previously worked for Baltimore County Public Schools in the Grounds Department. I enjoy watching the Orioles during baseball season and the Dallas Cowboys during football season. I also enjoy riding my Harley Davidson in my spare time.

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS



### 22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL DALLASTOWN CARNIVAL AUGUST 11 – 15

**FREE ADMISSION & PARKING  
PLUS FREE MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTLY!**

This year's Carnival will run from Tuesday, August 11<sup>th</sup> through Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at the Dallastown Community Park located behind the Rescue Fire Co. The hours of operation are Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm and Friday & Saturday from 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

The musical entertainment is from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm each night. The bands have not been determined at this time, so check our website closer to the event. Bleacher seating will be available or bring your own chairs and spend the evening with us.

The rides & games will once again be courtesy of Russ Amusements. Wristbands will be available every night. Watch in the Community Courier for wristband coupons which will only be good for a designated night(s).

As always, there will be an abundance of vendors offering a variety of foods.

If you're new to the area or have never had the opportunity to attend, mark your calendar and make 2020 the year to give it a try.



### SAVE THE DATE CHRISTMAS IN DALLASTOWN NOVEMBER 7, 2020 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

### MAINTAIN YOUR INDEPENDENCE



Do you still have an active schedule but not able to drive? At times, it can feel a little overwhelming or burdensome to ask friends and family for a ride. We have the perfect solution for you! Rabbittransit offers a shared ride service for seniors 65 years of age and older. Despite being a door-to-door service, this shared ride service does not provide "taxi" service and is not a non-stop ride for one person. Different riders are grouped together depending upon their travel time and location(s). Keep in mind, shared rides do not provide emergency medical transportation services. Our riders use this shared ride program for a plethora of trips including; medical appointments, grocery shopping, beauty salons, banking, recreation, physical therapy, visiting friends, and more! There may be a co-pay each time you board the vehicle. The cost depends on many different factors.

It's easy to schedule your own rides online through FindMyRidePA.com or by calling 1-844-PA-4RIDE. You can also prepay for trips on our website or by calling customer service. Cash upon boarding is acceptable if exact fare is used.

There is a required application process to use Shared Ride, so call today to speak with a customer service representative or visit FindMyRidePA.com to learn more.

## DISCOUNT TICKETS

### DISCOUNT MOVIE TICKETS

		Gate Price	Selling Price	Savings
R/C Theatres -	Orange*	\$10	\$7.50	\$2.50
Queensgate	Grey**	\$10	\$8.50	\$1.50

\*Orange Ticket (restricted) – This ticket is not valid during the first two weeks of a film's release or when film/studio restrictions apply. (See [www.rctheatres.com](http://www.rctheatres.com) for restrictions.)

\*\*Grey Ticket (unrestricted) – This ticket can be used on opening weekends. Tickets can be upgraded to IMAX, 3D, etc. at theatre for an additional cost.

*Prices subject to change*

### SUMMER DISCOUNT TICKETS

At the time of the newsletter going to print, tickets available and prices have not been determined. Please contact the Recreation Department at 717-741-3861 x142 or visit [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com) for tickets available and pricing.

## EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES

**YORK REGIONAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES INC.  
36 E. GEORGE STREET • P.O. BOX 485 • DALLASTOWN, PA 17313-0485**

**York Regional Emergency Medical Services Inc.** (formerly Yoe Ambulance Service) has been serving from Yoe Fire Company since 1972 and from Goodwill Fire Company since 2004. We serve a primary population of 40,000+ people residing in four municipalities; Yoe Borough, Dallastown Borough, Windsor Township and York Township. We provide 24-hour Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance service from each station. Peak-hour units are staffed from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm, weekdays, in order to enhance the level of service provided during this high demand period.

York Regional Emergency Medical Services Inc. is a non-profit, 501(c)3, charitable organization incorporated in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We are licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Health and are dispatched by the York County Department of Emergency Services – 911 Center.

The 2020 Annual Subscription requests will be mailed in March. While many Subscriptions expire at different times during the year, the bulk of our Subscribers are on an annual cycle for each Spring. The Subscription is available to the residents and businesses of Yoe and Dallastown Boroughs, and those portions of York Township and Windsor Township serviced by York Regional EMS. If you have questions, call us at 717-246-3679, Monday through Thursday between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm.

### **Annual Subscription Rates:**

Individual: \$35.00

Household: \$50.00 (all those living at the address must be listed on the subscription card to be covered)

Business: Varies by Number of Employees – Please Call for a Quote

### ***Why Should I Buy an Ambulance Subscription?***

#### **Peace of Mind in an Emergency:**

Although many patients have medical insurance coverage of some type, most insurance plans cover only a portion of the fees associated with transportation to the hospital or will pay for only those fees they consider to be “usual and customary.” Unfortunately, this amount is usually far below our cost to provide 24-hour emergency ambulance service to a population of 40,000+ citizens. Any portion of the fees not covered by private insurance becomes an out-of-pocket expense for the patient.

As a *York Regional EMS Subscriber*, we will only bill Primary and Secondary Insurance providers. Payment from a subscriber's insurance carrier will satisfy your obligation to us for our service costs\*. Non-Subscribers are responsible for payment in full for services, regardless of the amount covered by their insurance carrier. Subscribers shall forward any payments received directly from their insurance carrier to York Regional EMS immediately upon receipt.

The demand for emergency medical services has grown dramatically over the past several years. If we are already committed to an emergency when you need us, the 911 Center will dispatch the next closest available ambulance service. This subscription is also honored by 8 neighboring EMS agencies shown below:

- West York Ambulance
- Jacobus Ambulance
- Red Lion Ambulance
- Southern York County EMS
- Canadochly Valley Ambulance
- Eureka Fire and Ambulance
- Rose Fire Company (New Freedom)
- Grantley Fire and EMS

*\*All patients will be responsible for a minimum charge of \$95 for refusal of transport, when evaluation and/or treatment is provided. Non-transport is not covered by the subscription.*



**COMMUNITY CENTERED \* COMMUNITY DRIVEN**



## FIRE DEPARTMENT

### **YORK TOWNSHIP SUPPORTED BY VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES**

**York Township Goodwill Fire Company – Station 19**  
Phone: 717-741-0023 / [www.ytfd19.org](http://www.ytfd19.org)

**Alliance Fire and Rescue Services – Station 77**  
Phone: 717-244-8811 / [www.redlionfire.org](http://www.redlionfire.org)

**Goodwill Fire Company Jacobus – Station 18**  
Phone: 717-428-1436 / [www.goodwillFire18.com](http://www.goodwillFire18.com)

**Rescue Fire Company No. 1 – Station 35**  
Phone: 717-246-1629 / [rescuefire35.com](http://rescuefire35.com)

**Yoe Fire Company No. 1 – Station 36**  
Phone: 717-244-4228 / [www.YoeFireRescue.com](http://www.YoeFireRescue.com)

### **YORK TOWNSHIP GOODWILL FIRE COMPANY – STATION 19 CHICKEN BBQ DATES**

June 13  
July 11  
**NO AUGUST**  
September 5



### **CHANGE OF DATE**

### **ANNUAL SPORTSMANS RAFFLE**

Yoe Fire Company has CHANGED the date of their Annual Sportsmans Raffle to SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2020 at Yoe Park. This event is rain or shine. Follow the Yoe Fire Company Facebook page for ticket availability.

## THE GAME PLAN



[www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com)  
**717-741-3861 x142**

“When’s your next PLAY DAY?”

## SPECIAL EVENTS

For YTRec event cancellation, please check out our website at [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com) or our Facebook page @YTRecreation. For field conditions, please call the YTRec Hotline at 717-741-3861 x350. Decisions on field conditions will be made at 4:00 pm, so please call after that time.



**CAMP NIGHT AND  
PANCAKE  
BREAKFAST WITH  
DAD  
SATURDAY & SUNDAY,  
JUNE 13 – 14  
5:00 PM – 10:00 AM**

Celebrate a night of camping with dad and pancake breakfast at York Township Park! Bring your tents (15 x 20 space), sleeping gear, best camp stories and enjoy a night of games, crafts, hot dog dinner and outdoor movie!

**COST:** \$15 adults  
\$10 (one child) all children must be accompanied by an adult  
\$5 (each additional child)



### **NEW DATE**

**YORK TOWNSHIP SHRED-FEST  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26  
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

Bring your unwanted documents for a secure, curbside shredding service at York Township Municipal Building located on 190 Oak Road! Please enter off of Coventry Road.

The shredding is open to York Township Residents only—Donation of 2 canned goods per box, limit of 2-3 boxes per person. Three-ring binders, hardcover books, newspapers, magazines, plastic objects, metal objects, and electronic media WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED! For larger quantities or for more information, please contact 717-741-3861 x142.

All canned goods will be donated to a local food bank

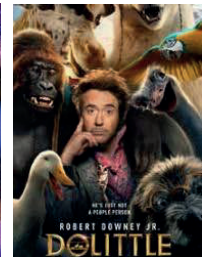
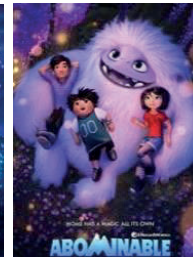
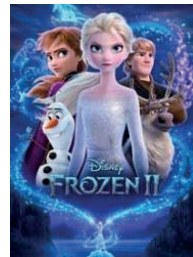
## 2020 Friday Night Flicks at York Township Park

June 19	Frozen II	PG
<b>*June 26</b>	<b>Abominable</b>	<b>PG-13</b>
July 10	Dolittle	PG
July 17	The Addams Family	PG
July 24	Toy Story 4	G

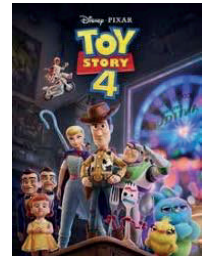
**\*Fireworks prior to Friday Night Flick on June 26**

In the event of inclement weather, please call 717-741-3861 x350  
Rain date for Fireworks: July 10

Movies start at dusk. These movies are exactly the same as shown in theatres, so please remember that when viewing the ratings.  
-Concession available in the Park Building-



ALL MOVIES  
ARE SHOWN  
ON SOCCER  
FIELD #2 AT  
YORK  
TOWNSHIP  
PARK



## THE BIG YARD SALE

**AUGUST 1, 2020**

**8:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

Join York Township for our annual BIG YARD SALE at  
Dallastown Area High School parking lot.

**Rain or Shine**

VENDOR SPACES AVAILABLE – an 18 x 18-foot space (2 parking spaces) will be \$20. You do not have to be a York Township resident to reserve a space. To reserve your spot, call the YTRec Department at 717-741-3861 x142. Onsite concessions will be available.

## YORK TOWNSHIP'S ANNUAL TOUCH-A-TRUCK & FALL FUN FEST SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

**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, Monkey Bus, 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.

## BUS TRIPS

All trips depart from the York Township Municipal Building unless otherwise stated.

**RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.**

To register, please visit [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com)

**PLEASE NOTE: PAYMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH REGISTRATION 30 DAYS PRIOR TO DATE OF TRIP**



### SUNFEST AT OCEAN CITY, MD

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3**

Our annual trip to the beach returns! Eat French fries, taffy, listen to music, or just sit by the ocean. Say goodbye to summer without having to drive. This is an "on your own" trip. The bus will drop off at Trimpers Amusements.

**LOCATION:** Bus will depart from Four Point Sheraton

**COST:** \$45 R / \$55 NR

### JIM THORPE

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10**

Nestled in the breathtaking Lehigh Gorge, this Victorian town is teeming with history, romance and family fun. You'll enjoy the walkable downtown's accommodations, shops, restaurants, pubs, wine-tasting and live entertainment, as well as all the outdoor adventure you'd expect in the Pocono Mountains. **This is an "on your own" trip.**

**LOCATION:** Bus will depart from Four Points Sheraton

**COST:** \$45 R / \$55 NR

### WELLSBORO DICKENS CHRISTMAS

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5**

Enjoy an early Victorian marketplace featuring all types of delectable wares for eating and drinking, as well as delightful gift items for wearing or enjoying. **This is an "on your own" trip.**

**LOCATION:** Bus will depart from Four Points Sheraton

**COST:** \$45 R / \$55 NR

**NEW YORK CITY SHOPPER TRIP****SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14 OR DECEMBER 19**

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 43<sup>rd</sup> street.

**LOCATION:** The bus departs from the York Township Municipal Building at 6:30 am

**COST:** \$65 R / \$70 NR

**RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SHOW****SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14**

Enjoy the Christmas spectacular that has become a favorite tradition for all to see! 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 23.

**LOCATION:** The bus departs from the York Township Municipal Building at 6:30 am

**COST:** \$150 R / \$160 NR

**NOVA SCOTIA (passport needed)****SEPTEMBER 21 – OCTOBER 1, 2021**

- Trip includes Motor Coach transportation
- 10 nights lodging including 5 nights in Canada
- 18 Meals including: 10 Breakfasts and 8 Dinners
- Guided Tour of ACADIA NATIONAL PARK
- Guided Tour of HALIFAX, PEGGY'S COVE, & LUNenburg
- Admission to KING'S LANDING HISTORICAL SETTLEMENT
- Guided Tour of PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
- Admission to the Natural Wonder; "HOPEWELL ROCKS"
- Visit to the Waterside Town of Saint John
- Visit Green Gables Heritage Site home of fictional character Anne of Green Gables

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

**COST:** \$1264 per person double occupancy  
\$1889 single occupancy

Registration form with a \$75 deposit is due by January 1, 2021.

## YOUTH PROGRAMS

**REGISTRATION PROCESS** – Unless otherwise stated, visit our website at [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://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.

### YORK TOWNSHIP RECREATION'S SUMMER CAMPS

**CAMPERS REGISTERED BY MAY 15 ARE  
GUARANTEED A T-SHIRT, SO DON'T DELAY!**

Parent packets are available at the York Township Recreation Office.

**SUMMER PLAYGROUND CAMPS**

**DATE:** Monday – Friday,  
June 8 – August 7 (no camp on July 3)

**TIME:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Park & Dallastown  
Community Park

**MAX:** 60 children per week at York Township  
Park  
50 children per week at Dallastown  
Community Park

**AGES:** 6 years – 12 years old (must be 6 years  
old by June 8, 2020)

**REGISTRATION**

**FEE:** \$35 per person (includes t-shirt)

**WEEKLY FEE:** \$70 R / \$75 NR per week (includes  
swimming, field trips and Kona Ice)  
First week's fee must be submitted with  
registration fee.

**BEFORE**

**CARE:** Monday – Friday  
7:30 am – 9:00 am  
York Township Park and Dallastown  
Community Park  
\$25 per week

**VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

**DATE:** Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
June 22 – July 31 (no camp July 3)

**TIME:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Municipal Lower Level  
Training Room

**MIN/MAX:** 10/12 per week

**AGES:** 13 years – 16 years old (must be 13 years  
old by June 22, 2020)

**REGISTRATION**

**FEE:** \$25 per person (includes t-shirt)

**WEEKLY FEE:** \$35 R / \$40 NR per person, per week  
(includes field trips)

### **JUNIOR WEEK GOLF CAMP AT BRIDGEWATER GOLF CLUB**

Elements covered will be putting, chipping, swing basics, pitching, full swing, etiquette, rules and on course games and contests as well as an Instruction Booklet, and on course instruction from a PGA Professional. Students will receive a \$20 range discount card, 2 free lessons with a Golf Pro, \$5 discount on a private lesson, 10% off on a golf club set (\$58 value and up) and an instruction booklet with the complete lesson plan.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Bill Brander, Golf Pro

**DATE/TIME:** Monday – Friday, June 15 – 19  
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**LOCATION:** Bridgewater Golf Club Pro Shop

**MIN/MAX:** 4/20

**AGES:** 10 years – 15 years old

**COST:** \$100 per person per session



## YOUTH PROGRAMS

### MINDS IN MOTION WORKSHOP

#### 7-IN-1 RECHARGEABLE SOLAR TRANSFORMER ROBOT

Build and take home your very own 7-in-1 Rechargeable Solar Transformer! This innovative solar science kit will encourage you to exercise your sense of creativity and imagination. This is a great starter for those new to robotics and features all snap together plastic parts where no screws or tools are required! It is incredibly easy to assemble the 7 different modules, 2 power charging stations and 5 different vehicles, along with solar panel and accessories. Using your box, you can build a ramp and watch them go! Each team will be given a robotic kit containing motors, wheels, engines and a remote. Students will use hundreds of parts to hone their robotic skill to free-build their own robot and compete in Minds in Motion robot battles.



**INSTRUCTOR:** Minds in Motion Staff  
**DATE/TIME:** Monday – Friday, August 10 – 14  
 9:00 am – 12:00 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Municipal Building  
 Lower Level Training Room  
**MIN/MAX:** 8/20  
**AGES:** 7 years – 11 years old  
**COST:** \$150 per child

### JUNIOR GOLF CAMP

#### AT BRIDGEWATER GOLF CLUB

Elements covered will be putting, chipping, swing basics, pitching, full swing, etiquette, rules and on course games and contests, as well as an instruction booklet, and on course instruction from a PGA Professional. Students will receive a \$20 range discount card, 2 free lessons with a Golf Pro, \$5 discount on a private lesson, 10% off on a golf club set (\$58 value and up) and an instruction booklet with the complete lesson plan.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Bill Brander, Golf Pro  
**DATE/TIME:** Fridays, June 12 – August 14  
 8:00 am – 11:00 am  
**LOCATION:** Bridgewater Golf Club Pro Shop  
**MIN/MAX:** 4/20  
**AGES:** 10 years – 17 years old  
**COST:** \$100 per person per session, plus \$20 for each additional session attended

### 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.

## ADULT PROGRAMS

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### RAIN BARREL PROGRAM

Penn State Extension Master Watershed Stewards will be presenting an informative program about stormwater, its impacts on our waterways and stormwater best management practices for homeowners, emphasizing the use of rain barrels. Participants will then have the option to place an order for a 65-gallon rain barrel built by the watershed stewards. There is no fee for the presentation. Cost of a rain barrel is \$45. You will pay this fee when you pick the rain barrel up at the Penn State Extension, York office.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Penn State Extension Master Watershed Stewards  
**DATE/TIME:** Tuesday, July 14  
 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building  
**MIN/MAX:** 5/10  
**AGES:** 18 years and older  
**COST:** Free

### YORK COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING'S PRIME TIME HEALTH PROGRAM A MATTER OF BALANCE

This is a program designed to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels among older adults. Many older adults experience a fear of falling. People who develop this fear often limit their activities, which can result in physical weakness, making the risk of falling even greater.

**INSTRUCTOR:** York County Area Agency Staff  
**DATE/TIME:** Mondays and Wednesdays,  
 September 14 – October 7  
 10:00 am – 12:00 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building  
**MIN/MAX:** 8/15  
**AGES:** 60 years and older  
**COST:** Free  
**REGISTRATION:** Contact York County Area Agency on Aging at 717-771-9610

## ADULT PROGRAMS

### ADULT DANCE CLASSES

#### SOCIAL DANCE BASICS

This six-week course is for beginners or anyone who wants to focus on learning to dance on small dance floors to popular music in social applications. In this class you will learn the slow dance called the Night Club 2Step, the Rumba and the Basic Swing. Bring a partner, bring a friend, or just bring yourself. This starter course designed with lots of fun dancing just for you. No experience necessary and two left feet are welcome!

**INSTRUCTOR:** Vera Kywa  
**DATE/TIME:** Thursdays, June 18 – July 23  
 6:00 pm – 6:50 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building  
**MIN/MAX:** 5/20  
**AGES:** 18 years and older  
**COST:** \$70 R / \$75 NR

#### THE LATIN/NEW YORK HUSTLE

Get charged up for an active session on the dance floor as you learn how to dance to today's hottest Club and Latin music. This dance is not as fast as the 3-count hustle and is the most attractive style of the "Hustle." It's one of the most popular dances and the one to learn to ready yourself for wedding, club night out, next vacation, or just to start having fun on the dance floor. You don't need a partner – just a desire to learn and have fun!

**INSTRUCTOR:** Vera Kywa  
**DATE/TIME:** Thursdays, June 18 – July 23  
 7:00 pm – 7:50 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building  
**MIN/MAX:** 5/20  
**AGES:** 18 years and older  
**COST:** \$70 R / \$75 NR

#### FOXTROT/WALTZ FANTASIA

If you are not a beginner and are ready to take your Ballroom Dance repertoire up a notch, this is the course for you. In this dance class we will explore beautiful patterns in the Foxtrot and Waltz. This is the class to improve your Ballroom Dance skills, manage the dance floor better, and increase your overall enjoyment. No partner necessary, but you must be comfortable in the two dances to participate.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Vera Kywa  
**DATE/TIME:** Thursdays, June 18 – July 23  
 8:00 pm – 8:50 pm  
**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building  
**MIN/MAX:** 5/20  
**AGES:** 18 years and older  
**COST:** \$70 R / \$75 NR

### AARP 55 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 Staff  
**DATE/TIME:** Monday & Tuesday, August 17 & 18  
 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 per person and \$15 for AARP member.

**Checks should be made payable to AARP.**

**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 Staff  
**DATE/TIME:** Friday, August 21  
 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 per person and \$15 for AARP member.

**Checks should be made payable to AARP.**

### CARDS AT THE YORK TOWNSHIP PARK BUILDING

**Bridge Club** meets every Friday from 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm. No cost to pay, just come and play!

**Card Club** meets every Thursday from 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm. Various games are played, including pinochle, dominoes and 500. No cost to pay, just come and play!

## ADULT PROGRAMS

### MAGIC FAUCET FOUNTAIN

Amazingly clever idea and you can say you made it! All supplies are included.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Monica L. Newcomb

**DATE/TIME:** Thursday, July 30  
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building

**MIN/MAX:** 4/12

**AGES:** 18 years and older

**COST:** \$55 R / \$60 NR



### BOCCE LEAGUE

If you haven't played bocce before, you are in for a lot of fun! If you can play horseshoes, you can play bocce. If you can toss a ball the size of a grapefruit, you can play bocce.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Recreation Staff

**DATE/TIME:** Thursdays, August 20 – October 15  
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Park Bocce Courts

**MIN/MAX:** 4/16

**AGES:** 18 years and older

**COST:** \$10 R / \$15 NR

### WOOD ART AT THE PRANCING PIG

Bring your friends and enjoy creating beautiful Wood Art for your home or office. You can give it as a gift or keep it for yourself. Enjoy a night out with your friends or family creating not only a beautiful piece of art, but lasting memories.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Prancing Pig Staff

**DATE/TIME:** Friday, August 21  
5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

**LOCATION:** Prancing Pig  
2021 Springwood Rd  
York, PA 17403  
Queensgate Shopping Center

**MIN/MAX:** 5/15

**AGES:** 18 years and older

**COST:** \$42 R / \$45 NR



### POINT BLANK DEFENSE: HANDGUN SHOOTING & SAFETY COURSE

Topics: Firearm ownership responsibility, firearms/ammunition storage, pistol action types, loading, unloading, grip, stance, PA castle doctrine, causes of firearm accidents, conceal carry, home defense, and more.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Gary Smith (Point Blank Defense),  
NRA Certified

**DATE/TIME:** Tuesday, August 11  
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 seminar teaches easy-to-understand methods you can use to increase awareness and prevent criminal confrontation. You will get the tools you need to develop your own personal safety strategy, including information about:

- Psychology of the Criminal mind
- Home Security & Evacuation Strategy
- Automobile & Travel Security
- Personal & Technological Security
- Self-Defense Devices
- Physical Security

**INSTRUCTOR:** Gary Smith (Point  
Blank Defense),  
NRA Certified

**DATE/TIME:** Tuesday, July 21  
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building

**MIN/MAX:** 5/30

**AGES:** 18 years and older

**COST:** \$60 R / \$65 NR per class



### 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:** Monday, July 27  
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

**LOCATION:** York Township Park Building

**MIN/MAX:** 8/20

**AGES:** 18 years and older

**COST:** Free



<b>PARKS</b>	Multi-Purpose Fields	Baseball/Softball Fields	Basketball Courts	Sand Volleyball Courts	Bocce Courts	Horseshoe Pits	Play-ground Area	Pavilion/Gazebo	Trails	Tennis/Pickleball Courts	Community Gardens	Park Building
<b>York Township Park</b> (67 acres) Oak Street York 17402	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊			😊
<b>Stump Memorial Park</b> (23 acres) Days Mill Road York 17403	😊								😊			
<b>Heritage Hills Park</b> (3 acres) Heritage Hills Drive York 17402		😊	😊				😊	😊				
<b>Tyler Run Park</b> (3 acres) Bayberry Lane York 17403	😊		😊				😊	😊				
<b>Snyder Park</b> (8 acres) Beaumont Road York 17402		😊	😊				😊					
<b>Shryock Park</b> (6 acres) South Queen Street York 17402		😊	😊									
<b>Fitz Park</b> (7 acres) Sharon Ave South York 17402	😊	😊	😊				😊	😊		😊		
<b>Mill Creek Preserve</b> (8 acres) Camp Betty Washington Road York 17403									😊		😊	
<b>Markey Park</b> (35 acres) Oak Road York 17403					<b>Undeveloped</b>							

## FACILITY/AMENITY RENTALS

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 recreation purposes. Call 717-741-3861 x142 to reserve a facility.

**Township-sponsored programs and reservations holders have priority use.**

<b>FACILITY/AMENITY</b>	<b>Resident</b>	<b>Non-Resident</b>
York Township Park Building	\$30/hour	\$50/hour
Basketball Courts	no charge	\$10/hour/court
Tennis/Pickleball Courts	no charge	\$10/hour/court
Sand Volleyball Courts	no charge	\$10/hour/court
Bocce Courts / Horseshoe Pits	no charge	\$10/hour/court
Park Pavilions (4-hour block rental*)	\$20/block	\$40/block

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

### ATHLETIC FIELDS

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 Recreation Department at 717-741-3861 x142.

## PARTICIPATION AND REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

- **REGISTRATION FORMS** for various programs will be placed online at [www.yorktownshiprec.com](http://www.yorktownshiprec.com) 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

- All Township Parks, with the exception of York Township Park, are closed between dusk to dawn. 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.
- No littering.
- No negligent or deliberate destruction or removal of natural or physical property.
- **NO GOLFING IN PARKS.** Outdoor recreation activity is restricted to locations appropriate to the activity or as directed.
- 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. Grills may not be placed on picnic tables.
- No solicitation.
- **No alcoholic beverages or drugs.** No one shall use or be under the influence of alcoholic beverages or drugs in any parks.
- **Use of explosives, fireworks, guns, rifles, air guns, bows, slingshots, or similar items is prohibited.**
- Injuring or killing wild animals is prohibited.
- Boisterous, immoral or indecent conduct is prohibited.
- No facilities may be reserved or events scheduled without completion of an application form and approval of the Recreation Director of the Township.
- Parks may be closed if hazardous conditions endanger life or property. In said event, there should be no trespassing on park property in said times.
- Dogs must be kept on a leash or otherwise tied. All canine solid waste must be removed from the park.
- Motor vehicles may be driven and parked only in designated areas.
- **No inflatables, pony rides, petting zoos, game trucks etc. allowed with pavilion/building rentals.**

## COMMUNITY CONTACTS & SPORTS PARTNERS

**YORK COUNTY PARKS** – [www.yorkcountyparks.org](http://www.yorkcountyparks.org)  
**FC DALLASTOWN SOCCER CLUB** – [www.dallastownsoccerclub.org](http://www.dallastownsoccerclub.org)  
**DALLASTOWN COUGARS BASEBALL** – [www.dallastowncougarbaseball.com](http://www.dallastowncougarbaseball.com)  
**DALLASTOWN WILDCAT BASKETBALL** – <http://eteamz.active.com/DallastownWildcats/>  
**YORK COUNTY MEN'S SOCCER LEAGUE** – [www.ycmsl.com](http://www.ycmsl.com)  
**YORK TOWNSHIP BASEBALL CLUB** – [www.leaguelineup.com/yorktownshipbaseball](http://www.leaguelineup.com/yorktownshipbaseball)  
**WILDCAT LACROSSE** – <http://wildcatlax.leagueapps.com/>

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## YORK TOWNSHIP CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### June

5-22....\*Branch/Brush Drop Off  
8.....Summer Playground  
Program Begins  
13-14...Camp Night Out and  
Pancake Breakfast  
with Dad  
19.....First Free Friday Night  
Flick at YT Park  
22.....Volunteer Program  
Begins  
26.....FIREWORKS prior to  
Free Friday Night Flick  
at YT Park  
27.....\*Curbside Yard Waste  
Pickup by Penn Waste

### July

3-20....\*Branch/Brush Drop Off  
3.....Township Office  
Closed  
10.....Free Friday Night Flick  
at YT Park  
17.....Free Friday Night Flick  
at YT Park  
24.....Free Friday Night Flick  
at YT Park  
25.....\*Curbside Yard Waste  
Pickup by Penn Waste  
31.....Last Day of  
Volunteer Program

### August

1.....The BIG Yard Sale at  
Dallastown High  
School  
7.....Last Day of Summer  
Playground Program  
7-24....\*Branch/Brush Drop Off  
22.....\*Curbside Yard Waste  
Pickup by Penn Waste

### September

4-21....\*Branch/Brush Drop Off  
7.....Township Office  
Closed  
25.....Mt. Rushmore Bus Trip  
26.....**NEW DATE** Shred  
Event  
26.....\*Curbside Yard Waste  
Pickup by Penn Waste

### October

2-19....\*Branch/Brush Drop Off  
3.....Sunfest at Ocean City,  
MD Bus Trip  
10.....Jim Thorpe Bus Trip  
12.....Township Office  
Closed  
17.....Fall Fun Fest  
31.....Trick or Treat Night

\*These services are for  
Township residents only.  
**The schedule for different  
Boards of the Township  
is 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 stated

**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** – Emily Slye

**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**

Laura Kirk (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.

