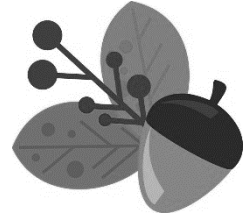




DALLASTOWN COMMUNITY CONNECTION

Fall/Winter 2024



www.dallastownboro.com

Please check our website for new updates and information.

The following “Dallastown Community Connection” is published with **YOU** in mind. Please take a minute or two to read and absorb the information contained in this newsletter. It is full of informative, useful information.

“We hope you enjoy!”

Frequently Used Phone Numbers

Dallastown Borough	244-6626
Trash Collection Company:	
Penn Waste	767-4456
Tax Collector:	
Linda Shaub	244-3885
Southern Area Fire and Emergency Rescue	246-1629
Dallastown-Yoe Water Authority	244-6626
Dallastown Post Office	244-2555
District Magistrate: 2756 S. Queen St	
Scott Laird	747-5100
American Legion	244-8028
Voter Registration	771-9604
Dallastown Area High School	244-4021
Dallastown Elementary	244-3785
Emergency Management Coordinator	
Yvonne Schrum	244-6626
Animal Control Officer:	
Michelle Klugh	916-1413

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From the Desk of Mayor Meyers.....



A new season is soon upon us and with it comes more great dates to look forward to. The Halloween parade will be on October 17th, and, in my opinion, it is one of the best parades in the county. Our staff works hard to make it better each year. Trick or Treat will be on October 31st from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Remember the night comes fast in fall and winter so make sure that your little ones have some type of bright clothing and a flashlight. Then one of my favorite times is the Christmas in Dallastown on November 2nd. This is a great time to invite friends to our town.

Don't forget we have the general election on November 5th, and it is everyone's duty to help pick the people who will represent us for the next four years.

The date has changed so mark your calendars for December 7th, we have the tree lighting and Santa Claus Christmas party at SAFER.

The police need our help by calling 911, when we see something that does not look right or when we see an actual crime happening. We can't have a police officer on every corner of the town, but we should have people who are willing to do the right thing when they see a crime. It is only when the people fight back against crime that we all can feel safe in our homes.

I want to wish all our great citizens a wonderful fall and winter.

Yours truly,

Mayor Terry L. Meyers



DON'T MISS THE DATES:

Fire Prevention Week	October 6 th – 12 th
Columbus Day – Office Closed	October 14 th
Trick or Treat/Witch Watch (6pm – 8:00pm)	October 31 st
Daylight Savings Time Ends	November 3 rd
Election Day (7:00am – 8:00pm)	November 5 th
Veteran’s Day Observance – Office Closed	November 11 th
Thanksgiving Holiday – Office Closed	November 28 th & 29 th
First Day of Winter	December 21 st
Christmas Holiday – Office Closed	December 25 th & 26 th
New Year’s Day – Office Closed	January 1 st
Martin Luther King Jr. Day -	January 20 th
President’s Day – Office Closed	February 17 th
Daylight Savings Time Begins	March 9 th
First Day of Spring	March 20 th
Good Friday – Office Closed	April 18 th
Easter	April 20 th

DALLASTOWN BOROUGH MEETING CALENDAR

All meetings will be held at the Borough Hall, 175 E. Broad St at 7:00 PM and are open to the public. Call the Borough @ 717-244-6626 to see if the second Council meeting of the month is being held.

*Historical Society meetings are at 118 E. Main St.

<u>Borough Council</u>	<u>Planning Commission</u>	<u>Zoning Board</u>	<u>EMA Meeting</u>	<u>Water Authority</u>	<u>**Historical Meeting**</u>
Oct *15,28	Oct 7	Oct 28	Oct 24	Oct 9	Oct 3
Nov 11,25	Nov 4	Nov 25	Nov No Mtg.	Nov 13	Nov 7
Dec 9,23	Dec 2	Dec No Mtg.	Dec No Mtg.	Dec 11	Dec 5
Jan 13,27	Jan 6	Jan 27	Jan 23	Jan 8	Jan 2
Feb 10,24	Feb 3	Feb 24	Feb 27	Feb 12	Feb 6
Mar 10,24	Mar 3	Mar 24	Mar 27	Mar 12	Mar 6

Penn Waste Holiday Collection Schedule...

Holidays observed by Penn Waste, trash collection (trash, recycle and bulk pick up) will be shifted a day. Any questions, please call Penn Waste 767-4456.

- 2024** *Thanksgiving Day:* No change to Monday pick-up but Thursday pick up is shifted to Friday.
- Christmas Day:* No Change to Monday pick up, No Change to Thursday pick up.

- 2025** *New Year’s Day:* No Change to Monday pick up, No Change to Thursday pick up.

****CHRISTMAS TREES CAN BE DISPOSED OF ANY THURSDAY AS A LARGE ITEM****





SIDEWALKS – Snow/ice is to be removed from the sidewalks within 24 hours after a winter storm ceases. Properties at street intersections: **please** clear the snow that piles up at the sidewalk corners. This will help school children, the postal service and other pedestrians safely cross the street. We ask those who do not have sidewalks to follow this as well.

PLOWING STREETS – **Please keep trees & shrubs cut back from the roadway, or the roadway may not be plowed.** The snow plows will be plowing snow from “curb to curb” to remove as much snow from the streets as possible. This process takes time so please have patience and bear with us as we work to clear the streets as quickly as we can. When removing snow from your sidewalks, do not shovel the snow into the streets.
**In heavy snow storms, plows will be clearing driving lanes as quickly as possible and then will go back to work on clearing the sides/shoulders of the roads from curb to curb. Unfortunately, this sometimes pushes snow back on to your sidewalks which you may already have shoveled. If this occurs, we apologize for the inconvenience and added work that it may cause you, but it is essential to make our streets safe.

In the event of a **Snow Emergency**, announcements will be made on **WGAL-TV 8, FOX 43, ABC 27 WHTM, CBS 21, WARM 103.3, 96.1 WSOX, FROGGY 107.7, ROCKY 98.5** and the local newspapers.

NO PARKING will be allowed on the “snow emergency routes” when an emergency is declared. Vehicles that are not moved will be towed at the vehicle owner’s expense.

Snow Emergency Routes:

The following streets shall be declared snow emergency routes: (Streets are posted)

- Main St.
- South side of W. Maple St. from Borough Line to N. Walnut St.
- South side of E. Maple St. from N. Walnut St. to N. Park St.
- N. Walnut St. from Main St. to Maple St.
- S. Walnut (WEST SIDE ONLY) from Main St. to E. Gay St.
- E. Gay St. (SOUTH SIDE ONLY) from S. Walnut St. to S. Pleasant Ave.
- N. Pleasant Ave. from Main St. to E. Broad St.
- E. Broad St. from N. Pleasant Ave. to N. Lombard St.
- N. Lombard St. from E. Broad St. to Borough Line
- S. Pleasant Ave. from Main St. to Borough Line
- N. Park St. from Main St. to E. Maple St.



Temporary parking is available at the following locations when a snow emergency is in effect: SAFER parking lot, High School and Elementary School parking lots and Bethlehem Life Church, Christ Lutheran Church and Truth Tabernacle 7th Day Adventist Church parking lots.

LEAF COLLECTION IN THE BOROUGH

Leaf collection will run
from **October 16th through
December 8th, weather permitting.**



Please remember to rake them as close to the edge of the curb as possible away from cars, fences, posts, or poles. **Tree limbs, sticks, shrub or hedge trimmings, grass, stones, dog waste, or any other foreign objects are not to be deposited in the leaves, otherwise the leaves will not be collected.** Thank you for your cooperation.



STREET LIGHTS

If you see a street light that is out or not working properly, please contact the Borough at 244-6626. We are not always around at night to see the problems first-hand, so any help would be greatly appreciated.

PET OWNERS!!!!!!!!!!!!

When walking your pets, **PLEASE** be responsible and clean up after them.



A MESSAGE FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR.....

A Per Capita Tax of \$10.00 is levied upon each resident of the Borough who is eighteen (18) years of age or older and has lived in the Borough during any part of the fiscal year.

If you have not received a bill, please contact the Tax Collector at LindaShaub@aol.com or call 717-244-3885.

Tax Collector will be at the Borough Office on Friday, September 13th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm and Monday, September 16th from noon to 2:00 pm. She will be in the Council Room to the rear of the building. Please enter through the double glass doors on the side of the building.

SIGNUP FOR SAVVY CITIZEN

Savvy Citizen is a new way for the borough to contact all of our residents and water subscribers at any given time in case of an emergency such as water main breaks in your area, snow emergencies, hydrant flushing, etc. We are in the set-up process and need your help by providing your contact information. Signing up on **Savvy Citizen** is free, quick and easy, plus very helpful for both you and the borough. You can sign up using the borough website (dallastownboro.com) or by using the QR Code or visit SavvyCitizenApp.com. Any questions, please call the Dallastown Borough office or email jarod@dallastownboro.com.



TREES & SHRUBS OVERHANGING THE STREETS & SIDEWALKS.....

Trees that are overhanging streets & sidewalks should be trimmed up about 15 feet. Bushes & shrubs growing out into the streets & sidewalks should be trimmed away from the right-of-way, no less than 6 feet.



SPRING STREET SWEEPING

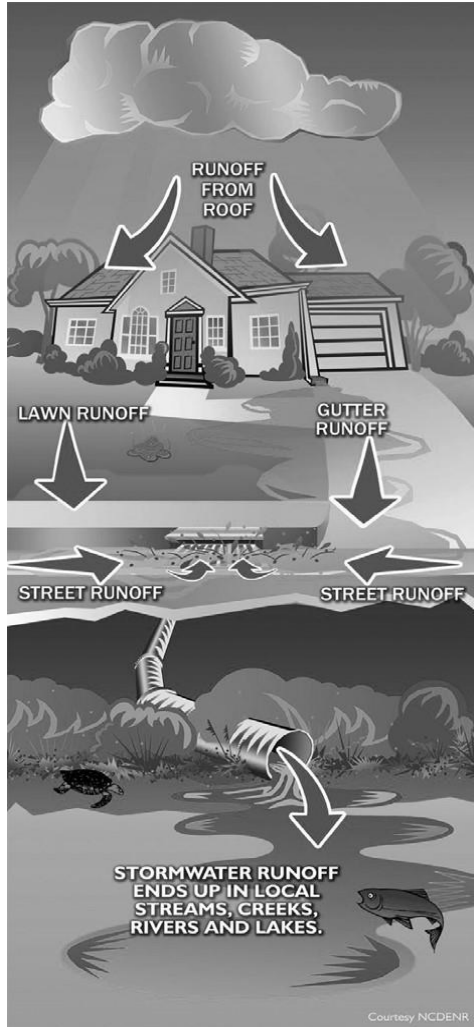
Please remember to keep your sidewalks clear for street sweeping this year. If your walks are not cleared, a "Quality of Life" violation can and will be issued.

DON'T FORGET.....

Disconnect your garden hose from the outside faucet when the temperature drops.



THE PATH OF STORMWATER



What is Stormwater?

Stormwater is the precipitation that flows across the ground after it rains or when snow and ice melt.

Stormwater can become an issue as it picks up debris, dirt, and chemicals when it flows. It can also cause flooding that erodes stream banks. This polluted stormwater is collected in our storm sewer systems which are made up of pipes and roadside ditches. All of the stormwater collected eventually makes it to our streams, lakes, and wetlands. Since stormwater is not treated, the pollutants that have been collected make it back into our waters!

What can we do to help?

- Properly dispose of hazardous waste, and never put them down the storm sewer drain.
- Pick up after pets and dispose of their waste properly.
- Use pesticides, fertilizers, and herbicides properly as to not create excess runoff.
- Install residential stormwater systems such as rain gardens or rain barrels that keep the stormwater on site and not into the storm sewer system.

It All Adds Up to a Cleaner Neighborhood and Community

Help make Dallastown and your community a cleaner place to live by **WINNING a DIY Rain Barrel.**

Please Fill & Cut out the slip and drop it in the bucket at the Dallastown Borough Office located at 175 E. Broad Street, Dallastown, PA 17313. Drawing will be held on 11/15/2024.

2024 Rain Barrel Raffle Due by Nov 14 2024 (DRAWING 11/15)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____



RECYCLABLES & HOW TO PREPARE THEM

CARDBOARD

Corrugated Cardboard and Shipping Boxes Only

Remove all packaging inside the box (such as peanuts, bubble wrap, etc.).
Flatten ALL boxes



PAPER

Newspapers Only

Cover loose papers with heavier items in the container to prevent them from blowing away.

PLASTIC BOTTLES

**Plastic Water, Juice & Soda Bottles
Plastic Containers & Bottles #1, #2 & #5 – This may include items such as shampoo bottles, liquid detergent containers, condiment bottles, etc. Please check the container to find the designated number. (The neck of the bottle should be smaller than the base.)**

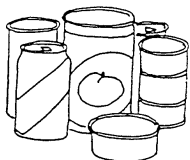


Remove caps or lids.
Rinse thoroughly to remove any residue.
Labels & neck rings do not need to be removed from containers.

METAL & ALUMINUM

Aluminum Cans, Steel Cans & Food Containers

Rinse thoroughly to remove any residue.



Remove any tops unless of the can.
Labels do not removed from



plastic caps or they are part need to be cans.

CARTONS

Cartons are defined as a type of packaging that food & beverage products come in that you purchase at the store.

There are 2 types of cartons:



Shelf-Stable Cartons – soup & broth, and wine cartons.

These are cartons that do not need to be kept cold.

Refrigerated Cartons – include milk, juice, cream and egg substitute cartons. These items must be kept cold.

Be sure to remove straws.

Make sure carton is empty and rinsed out.

Cartons may be placed in your bin along with all other recyclables.

GLASS

Food & Beverage Glass only Clear brown, blue & green glass food & beverage containers



Rinse thoroughly to remove any residue.

Remove any plastic caps or tops.

Labels do not need to be removed.

UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

The following items are NOT recyclable:

- Food-Soiled Materials
- Broken Glass
- Drinking Glasses
- Scrap Metal
- Needles & Medical Waste
- Windows, Mirrors & Ceramics
- Aluminum Foil
- Plastic Tableware (Knives, Forks, etc.)
- Plastic Bags (including grocery bags)
- Solvents, Oil and/or Chemical Containers
- Waxy Cardboard
- Used Paper Towels or Tissues
- Hoses
- Shredded Paper
- Light Bulbs
- Soaked and/or Wet Papers or Cardboard
- Plastic Food Wrappers
- Christmas Lights
- Propane Tanks



If you have any questions about acceptable materials or would like to learn more about recycling call Penn Waste Customer Service team (717) 767-4456.

It's ok to ask for help!

Where did you get that? I have been searching everywhere?

I created it myself with help! I asked for help for my mental health!



**BUILDING BRIDGES
FOR BRIANNA**

www.bb4bpa.org
info@bb4bpa.org
717-801-2965



BUILDING BRIDGES FOR BRIANNA

**IS HERE TO ASSIST
YOUR COMMUNITY BY PROVIDING:**

- **FREE & REDUCED COST MENTAL HEALTH THERAPY**
- **QPR SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING FOR ORGANIZATIONS**
- **PRESCRIPTION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS FOR THE UNDERINSURED & THOSE WITH NO INSURANCE**
- **SUPPORT & DEVELOPMENT OF COPING SKILLS**
- **CO-PAY ASSISTANCE FOR THERAPY & COUNSELING**
- **SUPPORT GROUPS FOR FAMILIES THAT HAVE A LOVED ONE DEALING WITH MENTAL HEALTH**



BUILDING BRIDGES FOR BRIANNA IS A SUICIDE PREVENTION ORGANIZATION FOCUSED ON THE PROMOTION OF AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS AND FUNDING SUPPORT PROGRAMS FOR FAMILIES WHO HAVE A FAMILY MEMBER DEALING WITH A MENTAL HEALTH CONDITION.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE, PLEASE CONTACT US AT:
SERVICES@BB4BPA.ORG**

**IF YOU NEED MENTAL HEALTH ASSISTANCE PLEASE CONTACT:
717-801-2965**

RECREATION EVENTS.....



25TH ANNUAL DALLASTOWN CARNIVAL

It was nice to see everyone out enjoying the festivities this year!

We'd like to thank all our sponsors whose donations made it possible to provide all the free nightly entertainment.

Silver Sponsors:

HRG
River's
Thorton Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram

Bronze Sponsors:

Village Realty
King & Associates
Jeff Arnold Plumbing
Smith Village
Stock & Leader
Yorktowne Lawns Inc.

We also need to thank:

York County Regional Police Dept.
SAFER - Fire Police
Penn Waste - for the dumpsters
D&K Surplus Grocery - gift card
Giant - gift card
York County Parks - borrowed light tower
Red Lion Borough - borrowed light tower

**Mark your calendars for next year's 2025
Carnival... August 12th thru the 16th.**

DALLASTOWN RECREATION SCHEDULED EVENTS

- **Annual Halloween Parade-** Thursday, October 17th at 7 pm. The route will be the same as last year.
- **Trick or Treat** - Thursday, October 31st from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Please turn your porch light on during that time if you wish to participate.
- **Town & Tree Lighting & Children's Christmas Party** - Saturday, December 7th beginning at 6:30 pm. The evening will start at the tree in front of the American Legion. The Party will follow at Southern Area Fire Emergency Rescue No 13-1 where there will be refreshments, and every child will get a chance to visit Santa.



15TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS IN DALLASTOWN

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

There are several businesses participating this year. SAFER (Dallastown), American Legion, Dallastown Elementary School and our local churches (Christ Lutheran & Bethlehem United Methodist) will be filled with a multitude of vendors selling everything imaginable. Each venue will also offer food in case you're famished from all your shopping! Maps will be located at all five of the venues above, so pick one up and start your Christmas shopping early. And don't forget to get your map stamped at all five venues & three businesses to qualify for a prize. In 2023 we had enough donations to give away over 20 bags of prizes!!

Mark your calendar & join us for a great day!

IN THE BOROUGH & BEYOND.....



POLICY FOR LARGE ITEM PICKUP

For large items to be acceptable, they must be able to be lifted into a truck by two people. Loose piles are not able to be accepted. You must call Penn Waste to arrange your large item pickup @ (717) 767-4456.

Acceptable Items

- Appliances such as Refrigerators and Washing Machines
- Carpet (48" max. length, rolled and tied)
- Furniture
- Mattresses & Box Springs
- Car Tires (TIRES ONLY. Must be removed from rims)
- Scrap Metal (48" max. length)

Non-Acceptable Items

- Paints, Stain, Chemicals and Liquids
- Batteries
- Automobile Parts
- Household Hazardous Waste
- Tires on Rims
- Commercial and Industrial Waste
- Construction Materials or Debris, including:
 - Drywall
 - Brick
 - Block
 - Treated Lumber
 - Roofing
 - Shingles
 - Ceiling Tiles
 - Concrete

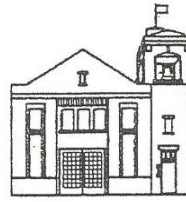
New Trash Contract!

The borough recently approved a bid from Penn Waste for hauler services **starting in 2025**.

Due to the new contract, trash & recycling rates will be increasing starting in 2025. Once the new rates have been determined, Dallastown Borough will post a notification on their website. Notification will also be sent out through Savvy Citizen.

If you haven't already signed up for Savvy Citizen, more information is on the borough's website:

www.dallastownboro.com



DALLASTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

118 E Main Street, Dallastown PA 17313

Dallastown Borough Newsletter Fall/Winter 2024

Dallastown Area Historical Society 118 E Main Street,
Dallastown PA 17313

Open Houses are held the first Sunday of the month from 1 to 4 pm unless otherwise noted. Dates are posted on our website as well as the marquee facing Main Street.

Sunday, October 6 Dallastown's Grocery Stores and Walking Tour: A speaker will present a talk on the topic at 1:30pm. A phone app or printed map containing route directions and historical information for the participating sites will be provided. Stroll along the approximately 1.5-mile route to view the sites which will be marked with a numbered sign. The event will be held Rain or Shine.

Thursday, October 17 Dallastown Recreation Halloween Parade: DHS will sponsor a float in the parade with a theme befitting both the holiday and our purpose.

Saturday, November 2 Christmas in Dallastown: The historical society museum will be decorated for Christmas and open to visitors from 9am to 3pm. Dallastown books and cutouts will be available for purchase.

Sunday, November 3 Special Open House to allow more time for visitors from the 2nd.

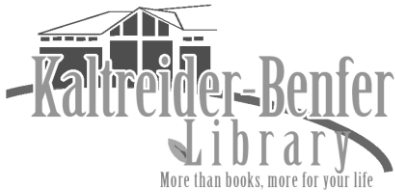
Sunday, December 1 Christmas: View our exhibits and collections adorned with holiday decorations.

In 2025, our Sunday Open Houses from 1 to 4pm on **January 5, February 2, and March 2** will debut **Dallastown Recollections**. Each month at 1:30, a speaker will briefly introduce a topic with their recollections, then open the floor for other participants to share memories and photos or artifacts. The January topic is **Winters in Dallastown** with Judy Grove opening the conversation. As always, the museum displays and collections will be available to visit.

Follow us on

<https://www.facebook.com/DALLASTOWN.HISTORICAL/>
or visit our website <https://dallastownhistorical.org/> for up-to-date information and resources. Membership is available on the website or at the museum during any open house.

Interested volunteers may help with our public events as well as behind the scenes on displays, website, publicity, and such. Use the website contact form.



147 S. Charles St., Red Lion PA 17356

KBL provides free educational opportunities to all. We encourage families to participate in our ongoing reading rewards programs such as 1000 Books before Kindergarten, Grade One at the Library (GOAL), and Summer Quest. We offer children the following regularly scheduled classes, where literature is used to teach the foundations of reading & learning.

- Every Tuesday, at 10:00, we offer Preschool Literacy Class for those ages 3 to 5.
- Every Wednesday, at 10:00 we offer a Toddler Literacy Class for those ages 18 mos. to 3 years.
- Every Thursday, at 10:00 we offer a Baby Literacy Class for those from birth to 18 months.

In addition to these regularly scheduled classes, we offer weekly take & make crafts, adult book discussion groups, knitting nights, and so much more! To see our full schedule, please visit us on the web at kaltreider-benfer.org.



Nov. 5, 2024, is the General Election

- Phone number for Election/Voter Registration – 717-771-9604.
- Polls are open on election day from 7 A.M. - 8 P.M.
- Last day to register to vote: Oct. 21, 2024
- Last day to request a mail-in or absentee ballot: Oct. 29, 2024
- You may **drop off your mail ballot in person until 8 p.m. on Election Day**, so long as you have applied for it before the deadline.



DALLASTOWN LIONS CLUB

**500 Lions Drive,
Dallastown PA 17313**

Looking for a great place to hold that graduation party, a family reunion, a business picnic, a school reunion, or just a great day at the park? Consider renting the facilities at the Dallastown Lions Club Community Park. The Lions have made extensive improvements to the facilities in the park conveniently located directly across from the Dallastown High School Football Field. There are new swings for infants, toddlers, teens and adults and a brand-new playground for 2- to 5-year-olds and handicapped individuals.

The park is available for everyone to enjoy and picnic tables and horseshoe facilities are provided for those family picnics. The building, kitchen, baseball field, and band shell are available for rentals for those large family or business picnics.

If you are interested in renting the park, its building and kitchen, please contact Lion D. Michael Craley at (717) 880-5052.



Please like our Facebook page: Dallastown Lions Club.

DALLASTOWN LIONS CLUB UPCOMING EVENTS

Trunk or Treat – October 27th, 4 pm to 7 pm @ 500 Lions Drive, Dallastown PA 17313. Candies, Costume Contest, Music, and Kids Choice Prize for best decorated vehicle.

Murder Mystery – February 8th, starts at 5:30 pm @ 109 E Main Street Dallastown, PA 17313. Tickets \$40/person + credit card processing fees. Tickets available online: bit.ly/dtownlionsmurdermystery25





SOUTHERN AREA FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESCUE (SAFER)

Dallastown, Yoe, and Yorkana pulling together to make a better community.

Located at 50 South School Place, Dallastown (Station 1),
36 East George Street,
Yoe, PA (Station 2), Yorkana (Station 3) 5410 Mt Pisgah
Road, York.

Website: <https://saferyork.com/> Phone: 717-246-1629 or
717-244-4228

On May 29, 2024, Community Fire Company No. 1 of Yorkana, PA, officially joined the SAFER organization. This partnership has already brought significant advantages to the department, primarily through an increased workforce. This boost in personnel has proven to be a substantial asset. As a result, the operational staff is now considering redistributing and downsizing equipment to maximize efficiency. We are delighted to welcome Community Fire Company No. 1 into the SAFER family. This collaboration will enhance emergency services' efficiency and effectiveness, benefiting the valued residents of Dallastown Borough and surrounding areas.

Why Volunteer with Us?

- **Make a Direct Impact:** Your contributions play a crucial role in protecting lives and property in our community.
- **Comprehensive Training:** We provide all necessary training for aspiring firefighters and fire police. No prior experience is needed—just your commitment and enthusiasm.
- **Diverse Roles:** There are numerous ways to get involved beyond firefighting. Support our fundraising efforts, assist with administrative duties, and strengthen our organization through various volunteer roles.

You can join as a junior member starting at age 14. Additionally, the county now offers a tax credit for property owners who serve their community as volunteers in emergency services. If you're ready to make a difference and become part of our dedicated team, please contact us at 717-246-1629 or 717-244-4228 or visit our website at www.saferyork.com for more information.

Upcoming Events – For information or tickets please call the station at 717-246-1629 and select option Bingo/Fundraising.

Thursday, October 10th Fire Prevention Open House at the Yorkana Station from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm. This community engagement event will include food trucks, kid's activities, to include face painting, pumpkin painting, and fire prevention handouts. There will also be several other vendors present at this event.

Saturday October 12th Fire Prevention Open House at the Dallastown Station from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm
There will be fire truck rides, bounce house, and snacks available.

Saturday, October 26 – Cheap Sneakers – Held at the Dallastown Station

Saturday, November 16 – Glow Bingo – Held at the Dallastown Station

Saturday, January 11 – 50/50 Banquet and drawing – Held at the Dallastown Station

We hold a weekly cash Bingo on Friday nights at Station 1, Dallastown. Doors open at 5:00 pm and games begin at 7:00 pm. There is food available to purchase. Check our Facebook page for jackpot and players pool amounts.

Are you looking to rent space for an event? SAFER has options available. We also provide catering/banquet services. Call the station 717-246-1629 and leave a message in the rentals voice mail for availability and details.



**DALLASTOWN
AMERICAN
LEGION POST 605**
57 W. MAIN STREET

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Veterans Day Ceremony - Sunday November 10th, 2024, from 2 pm to 4 pm at the Dallastown American Legion

Children's Christmas Party - Saturday December 14th, 2024, from 10 am to 11 am ages 2-12. Story telling by Polar Express, children's gifts etc. Held at the Dallastown American Legion

Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday April 19th, 2025, ages 2-12 from 10 am - 11 am. Held at Dallastown Park behind SAFER 13-1.



DALLASTOWN EMA NEWS

As we approach the fall/winter season, keep in mind.... how prepared are you? Do you have your "Go Bag" packed? If you need a copy of the list for your bag, they are available at the Borough office. Also, make sure your generators are serviced, all family members have an ICE (in case of emergency) contact in their mobile devices, and know your shelter location. It is very important to make sure all family members know how to dial 911 when there is a life-threatening emergency. Checking on your neighbors is always a good idea too. And don't forget your furry family members.... they also need a "Go Bag" and shelter placement along with a contact list including the veterinarian.

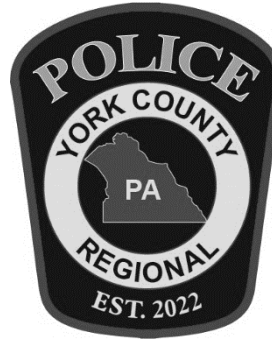
Not only do we need to worry about the preparation of our residential community, but also our community businesses need to ask themselves.....how prepared are we? What is your "Ready to Go Plan"? Check out Homeland Security's website at www.ready.gov for business toolkits. The link is "Business Emergency Preparedness Social Media Toolkit". Get your employees involved in putting your plan in place.

If you are interested in preparedness training, you can contact the Borough Office at 717-244-6626. Training is free. Appointments can be made for me to come to your residence, business, school or daycare.

All our work is volunteer and very rewarding.

Have a safe and happy holiday season!

Yvonne Schrum, EMA Coordinator
Ph # 717-855-6927



THE YORK COUNTY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

The York County Regional Police Department is utilizing CRIMEWATCH and Facebook to assist the department and community with information sharing, crime prevention, and crime mapping.

Visit our website,

<https://york.crimewatchpa.com/yorkcountyregionalpd>,
and Facebook,
<https://business.facebook.com/yorkregionalPD/>

Employment

If you or someone you know are interested in a career in Policing, please visit www.yorkpolicejobs.org for employment opportunities across York County.



STOP HOPPER: HOP ABOARD!

Riders can travel anywhere within the Red Lion/Dallastown/East York service zone by requesting a ride using the Stop Hopper smartphone app. Following a ride request, the app provides an estimated pick-up time, tracks vehicles in real-time and alerts passengers when their ride is about to arrive. Passengers are picked up in a nine-person, ADA accessible van and taken where they want to go.

Operating hours range from 6:30am to 6:30pm, Monday through Friday. The service is free for seniors 65+ who possess a registered free fare ID card. Riders may also place a ride request by calling 1-800-632-9063, one hour before their desired pick-up time.

Learn more about the Stop Hopper at
www.ridethestopper.org.

SENIOR NEWS.....



WILL YOU NEED HELP WITH RAKING AND SHOVELING?

York County older adults age 60+, who are interested in getting help with fall cleanup, raking, snow shoveling, programming electronic devices, or with other household chores are encouraged to arrange for help from a Rent-A-Kid. The Rent-A-Kid program is sponsored by the York County Area Agency on Aging. This is an “intergenerational program” that connects together York County older adults who need help, and nearby middle and high school students in grades 7-12, who want to help. For over 30 years, “Kids” have been helping and learning from older adults through the Rent-A-Kid program. The **goal** of the Rent-A-Kid program is not only to get an important job done, but also to foster friendships between older adults and youth. Lifelong, rewarding relationships have blossomed between kids and older adults!

Older adults in need of assistance can call the Rent-A-Kid coordinator, Hope Eberly, at **717-771-9103**, who will provide names and phone numbers for youth nearby who may be interested. It is the responsibility of the older adult to contact the youth and discuss the job to be done, when it is to be done, the rate of pay for the job, and any other arrangements that need to be made. The older adult needs to be agreeable to a reimbursement of a minimum of \$5/hour, or a negotiated rate based on the job.

Middle and high school students in grades 7-12 who are interested in participating should contact their local school guidance counselor for the application. Home schoolers can obtain an application at www.ycaaa.org on the Forms and Documents page or call Hope Eberly at **717-771-9103** for an application.



Established in 1974 and incorporated in 1975, Community REACH, Inc. is a 501(c) 3 not-for-profit human services agency providing basic items of support to nearly 350 families residing in the Dallastown, Eastern York, and Red Lion school districts of York County. Food insecurity is a real concern for nearly 12% of the population.

We offer our clients a wide range of services including a choice of food pantry, school supplies, cold weather gear, plus classes. Our friendly staff and volunteers are here to resource, educate, advocate, connect and help our clients and our community.



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Kasie Ream, Director of Social Services
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Evening Line Dancing

The Golden Connections Community Center is happy to continue to offer weekly evening line dance classes every Monday. Classes are led by Line Dance Instructor, Jean Carter. Jean has been teaching Beginner Line Dance classes up and down the east coast for 20 years, 6 of those being at the GCCC. The Golden Connections Community Center is beyond grateful to host Jean and her many talents on a weekly basis for a variety of programs. The GCCC will host Basic Step Line Dance Class from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. and then follow-up with a Beginners Line Dance Class from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. every Monday Night. These classes cost \$3.00 per person. Walk-ins are welcome. Make sure to bring your own water bottle as you are likely to break a sweat.

Makers Market

The Golden Connections Community Center is excited to announce our first Makers Market on November 16th! We are currently looking for Food, Craft, or Demonstration Vendors to fill our building, inside and outside spaces are available. \$35 per space without electric hook up, \$60 per space with electric hook up, \$20 Outdoor Space. All proceeds will go towards programs and services for older adults in our community. Please consider joining us for this event, whether you are looking to become a vendor or to simply shop and enjoy another’s creations. For more information or to receive a Vendor registration Brochure, please contact Kasie Ream, Executive Director, at 717-244-7229 or executivedirector@gcccenter.com
PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY!

Meals on Wheels Volunteers needed!

The Golden Connections Community Center is currently looking to recruit volunteers for the GCCC Home Delivered Meal Program. The GCCC is proud to offer this program to home bound seniors in our community. A huge aspect of this program is a partnership with community Volunteers.

The GCCC is in dire need of volunteers for the HDM program.

We currently deliver 1 day a week; however, this is to change in the coming months. We are looking to start delivering 2-3 days a week in the near future. The Meals on Wheels Program is vital to the senior community, as this can be the only way some older adults receive a hot meal.

If you, or someone you know, would be interested in joining the GCCC Volunteer Team and give back to your community, please call Kameryn Parker, Meal Coordinator, at 717-244-7229 ext. 104 or email at mealcoordinator@gcccenter.com.

What does the Golden Connections Community Center offer?

Since our founding the goal of the Golden Connections Community Center 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 aged 60 and above. 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 Golden Connections Community Center Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. 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 Golden Connections Community Center offers space to rent for all types of events. You can rent our building, which offers two spacious rooms, and access to tables and chairs for only \$50.00 per hour. Dates fill quickly, so if you have a need for a rental space, contact Kasie Ream, Director of Social Services, at 244-7229.

NEWS FROM OUR LOCAL CHURCH...



St. John's Blymires
UCC

1009 Blymire Road, Dallastown

Fall Activities:

Chicken BBQ

October 12th, Hours of sale 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 pm
½ chicken, baked potato, roll and butter - \$10.00 take-out or eat-in

Drive through pickup, no need to exit your car. Drinks and baked goods available

To guarantee your meals call the church at 717-244-0655 to reserve

Card and Game Day

October 9th, November 13th, December 11th, January 8th, February 12th, and March 12th.

Bring your favorite card or board game or join come and join in on the fun with others. The day lasts until people get tired of playing.

Messy Church

October 18th, November 15th, and December 20th from 6:00 – 8:00 pm. An alternate for Youth to enjoy. A meal is included:

Emmanuel's Closet Held at the Church Every Saturday from 9:00 am until Noon open for any Dallastown family. Nonperishable foods, toiletries or cleaning products are available. Because of limited space, clothing is not available.

Check the church website at www.stjohnsblymiresucc.com for additional events or call 717-244-0655.