DOVER TOWNSHIP

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community REPORT

Brush Collection

September 19 to October 14, 2011

When you have your brush placed along the curb side or roadside, please call 292-3634 to advise us of your address and a crew will be out to pick it up.

During this time period, we will only pick up brush, tree branches and shrubbery without roots, ground or sod.

Please keep the lengths no longer than six feet long and less than 6 inches in diameter; larger materials need to be brought to the drop off area.

Important! Please do not mix leaves or other yard waste into the brush you place at curb side.

If you miss curb side pick-up, remember!!

Brush drop off is located on Municipal Road behind the Township Building at 2480 West Canal Road, at the salt dome gate.



A new Brush Collection Truck was purchased via the DEP 902 Recycling Grant Program.



Date: Saturday, July 9, 2011

Time: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Location: Walgreens, 3180 Carlisle Rd., Dover

Meal includes: ½ Chicken, Baked Potato, Apple Sauce, Dinner Roll, and Butter Cost: \$7,50

> Come meet Lou! From 11 am to 1 p.m.



The York County Missing Child Task Force is a multidisciplinary team consisting of local, state and federal agencies whose purpose is to respond to missing and abducted children.

Funds raised provide continued training for the team, as well as, support for Lt. Lou, the team's Bloodhound.

Shiloh Garden Club News

On February 24, 2011 the Shiloh Garden Club held installation of new officers for 2011-2013...President: Margaret KlingerAssistant Recording Secretary: Cheryl EverhartFirst Vice President: Karen BuppCorresponding Secretary: Beverly HaroldSecond Vice President: Yvonne MeisenheimerTreasurer: Jane AhrensRecording Secretary: Helen LehmanAssistant Treasurer: Shirley LohmanMarch: We honored members with 50 or moreyears of service...Dorothy Warner, Phyllis Frey, Arlene Myers, and Dorothy Behler

July: We will bring planters and soil for "Gardening Goes to Pot"

August: Picnic at Cousler Park, covered dish

September: Disease Transmitted by Mosquitoes and Ticks, presented by Thomas Smith All meeting are held at the Dover Township Community Center at 10:45 a.m. on the 4th Thursday of the Month.

Dover Area Ambulance Update

May 2011, Dover Ambulance placed into service a Bariatric Unit. This unit was placed in Ambulance 6-1 and is for patients weighing over 450 pounds. This unit consist of a large Stryker manual litter that is capable of handling up to 1,600 pounds in the down position, a winch pulley system that is mounted in the ambulance and two portable aluminum ramps. The patient is placed on the litter, the cable to the winch is fastened to the litter and the litter is pulled up into the ambulance via the aluminum ramps.

This unit saves our EMT's and firefighters from lifting injuries. With the price of our insurances rising thru the roof, we must try to keep our claims down. This project was funded by a PEMA grant.

You will also see DAAC personnel in bright yellow and black coats. These coats meet the Federal Highway requirement for safety when working along highways. These coats were also purchased with grant monies from EMSOP. The monies come from the extra \$10 tacked on to a moving violation citation.

In the past grant monies have refurbished our building, put in a generator, an exhaust system for our diesel ambulances and bought numerous pieces of equipment.

New subscriptions this year will be coming out in late August, with a new look! Keep an eye out for a yellow flyer. Have a safe Summer!



Neighbors Helping Neighbors

Dover Center 1836 Industrial Court Dover, PA 17315 717-292-3441 www.nhm-pa.org

New Hope Ministries is a Christian social service agency that shows the love and hope of Christ by serving our neighbors in times of need and supporting their efforts toward stability.

A thank you note from a client that stated: "I wanted to thank you with deep appreciation for helping me out in so many ways. My life is so blessed these days by all the help I have received. It makes life easier for me in many ways. Thanks a million for being part of my life and helping with all that you do. God Bless all."

<u>Walk for Hope:</u> Thank you to everyone who participated or supported us in the Walk for Hope this year here in Dover. God truly blessed us this year. We had around 70 people that walked this year and were able to raise a little over \$10,000 here in Dover!!! We are very thankful



for all the love and support that has been given to help reach the people in the Dover community.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteer Applications can be obtained by visiting our web site, or by stopping by the center. Here are some of our current needs: Receptionist:

Volunteer Services

Tuesday 12:30 - 4:00 pm; Wednesday 12:30 - 4:00 pm; Thursday 12:30 - 4:00 pm; Friday 8:45 am - 12:30 pm

After School Children and Youth Program:

Middle School/ High School – Monday, Wednesday, Friday 2:45-5:30 Summer volunteers:

Volunteer help (chaperones) during summer programs

Lunches provided each day for children and youth

Two 15 passenger vans, one each for transportation in Dillsburg and Dover

Advisory Council Members Needed:

Advisory Council members serve as ambassadors between New Hope and the organization or congregation they represent.



Wish List: Shelving units are needed for a storage area. Paper Towels (Greatest Need), Tissues, Toilet Paper, Dish Soap, Laundry Detergent, Shampoo, Conditioner, Toothpaste, Bar Soap, Liquid hand Soap, Deodorants, Maxi Pads, Tampons, Diapers (size 4 & 5), Baby Wipes, Pull-ups (size 2T-5T) & Cleaning Supplies

Thank you for helping us share Christ's love by meeting human needs!

Free Seminar: Scams & Fraud

The Greater Dover Historical Society will sponsor a presentation on Scams and Fraud. The PA Office of the Attorney General offers this free seminar "The Senior Crime Prevention University Program" making citizens AWARE of the kinds of scams used by con artists. Some of the issues covered are: Home Improvement Rip-offs, Foreign Lottery Schemes, Telemarketing Fraud, and Sweepstakes Scams.

Date: August 18, 2011

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: Dover Lutheran Church - Enter from the alley off E. Canal St.

All are welcome, young and old. No need to be a member of the Society to attend.



Dover Township does not require permits for yard sales but asks that you limit your yard sales to 2 a year. If you have 3 yard sales a year you must register as a business with the PA State Department of Revenue. The purpose of a yard sale is not to go to other sales and buy items for the purpose of selling at your yard sale. Also, keep in mind, signs advertising your sale are not permitted anywhere other than on your property. Please do not put signs at intersections, telephone or electric poles or vacant lots because that would be a violation of the Township's sign ordinance. Dover Township thanks you for your cooperation in this matter.

Union Fire & Hose Co. #1

30 East Canal St. • Dover Pa. 17315 • Phone # (717) 292-1493 • Fax# (717) 292 3521 Check out our new web site <u>www.unionfireandhose.com</u>		
EVENTS:	Public Supper	s: No public suppers in July-September
	Lottery Drawi	ng: Based on the evening daily number July-September Interested in tickets, please contact Sue Deardorff at 292-6260
Firemen's Carnival: September 3rd, 5th-10th		
	Sept. 3th	Roast Beef Platter Little Roy and Lizzy
	Sept. 5th	Roast Beef Platters
	Sept. 6th	Baked Turkey Pie
	Sept. 7th	Pork and Sauerkraut Jean Shepard - jeanshepardcountry.com
	Sept. 8th	Boiled Beef Pot PieLeah Burkey and Pat Garrett - patgarrett.com myspace.com/leahburkeyfans
	Sept. 9th	Baked Ham and Scalloped Potatoes Yesterday's Country
	Sept. 10th	Chicken Corn Soup Jess Garron-Tribute to Elvis

Hoarding and Squalor Fire Safety

By Fire Marshal Glenn Jansen Sr.

In the USA, fires in hoarding households represent 8% or one in twelve of all fire fatalities since 2000. One third of these fire fatalities were aged 60 years and over (NSWFB Fire Investigation & Research Unit, August 2009).

Hoarding has been known to increase the risks of fire because:

- The accumulation of possessions results in an abnormally high fuel load which provides a much greater opportunity for ignition.
- Blocked exits and narrow internal pathways impede escape for the occupant and make firefighting difficult.
- Utilities such as electricity are often disconnected or misused. Non functional utilities can result in the occupant conducting unsafe practices when cooking and heating.

Hoarding is a complex issue which requires intervention and long term support from appropriate agencies. Even if action is taken to remove materials from a hoarder's house, because of the attachment to the behavior, it creates a high level of stress and the hoarder usually immediately replicates the behavior, often within days or weeks.

The Dover Township Fire Department recommends that individuals or agencies assisting those affected by hoarding should:

- Install smoke alarms and test them.
- Unblock exits.
- Widen internal pathways.
- Get utilities reconnected for the resident as soon as possible.
- Ensure safe cooking and heating areas.

Things to be considered on larger Sole Occupancy Unit (SOU) complexes where hoarding is present:

- Installed sprinkler system could be compromised by increased fuel loads with the possibility of being overrun or high levels of storage causing a shielding effect between the sprinkler and the fire.
- Fire stairs are not permitted to have any storage located in the stairs. It is an offence to impede free access of a person in fire stairs and fines can be imposed.
- Ensure doors to SOUs are fire doors with a self closer installed.
- Stored items in common areas could reduce required egress width and contribute to fire spread.

The Dover Township Fire Marshal cannot inspect residential premises without permission, even if they are suspected of being a fire hazard, as fire services do not have any powers of entry unless there is a fire emergency.

Dover Area Recreation Programs

For more information or to reserve a park, call Dover Township Office at 292-3634 (ask for Kristal)

Summer Concert Series

Dover Township Recreation is very excited to announce their lineup for the 2011 Summer Concert Series! Our concerts are held at the Dover Community Park, which is located at 2481 W. Canal Road (just across from the township building). In the case of inclement weather, "the show must go on" at the Community Building located at 3700 Davidsburg Road. ALL proceeds from concession sales will go to various non-profit organizations throughout the Dover Community. Come out on a lazy Sunday afternoon with your lawn chair, have a hot dog to support a local organization, and enjoy some great music for free! Yes, that's right, all the concerts are FREE!!

Tall in the Saddle - Sunday, July 10th from 6-8 p.m. - We don't have Chili in a bowl, but we have Chili in the band!! Join "Chilibear" and the gang for some good time country music!

Emigsville Band - Sunday August 21st from 6-8 p.m. - The Emigsville band is an all-volunteer band comprised of community members from the York County area. Members range from teenagers in the beginning years of playing their instrument to those in their seventies and eighties with decades of musical experience.

Sherwood Country - Sunday September 11th from 5-7 p.m. - Come and enjoy some good old-fashioned country music with Sherwood country. They have performed in Dover for many years and have a great sound!

Old Fashioned Carnival!!

Come enjoy an Old Fashioned Carnival at Historic Brookside Park! There will be many old fashioned games to play, a Baked Goods Sale by the Heritage Senior Center, and live music by the Emigsville Band. There will also be cake walks, penny candy and lots more! Come hungry and enjoy lots of great food for low prices, just like in the old days!

Date: July 13th

Time: 4-8 p.m.

Place: Brookside Park, 4054 Fox Run Rd., Dover, PA 17315

For more information please contact Kristal at 292-3634.



Summer Playground

This is a great opportunity for the children of Dover to continue to learn and grow with their peers throughout the Summer. They will be supervised by an outstanding staff, participate in numerous activities, and have the opportunity to enjoy field trips around the area!

Dates: June 22nd-July 29th (Mon. - Fri.) Camp is closed July 4th and July 13th
Time: 9 a.m.-Noon
Ages: 6-12 year-olds
Two locations: Dover Community Park: 2481 West Canal Rd. Lehr Park - 3700 Davidsburg Rd.
Cost: \$30 Residents - \$45 Non-residents

New

US Sports Institute 2011

MULTI SPORTS Learn and play over 15 different sports from around the world in one fun packed week! This is the only sports camp dedicated to the truly sports minded youngster.

Lehr Park 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Ages 6 to 14 Aug. 8-12 \$154/ea. Aug. 8-12 Lehr Park 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Ages 5 to 14 \$134/ea. Aug. 8-12 Lehr Park 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Ages 5 to 14 \$124/ea. **SPORTS SQUIRTS** A great way to introduce children to a variety of new and exciting

HOW TO REGISTER

No Internet Access? Call (866) 345-BALL and one of our

Saturday

Morning YOGA

Saturday Mornings

8:30 to 9:30 AM

At the Dover Township Building,

2480 W. Canal Road

Cost: 1 Class a week (12 classes) for

3 months-\$42 Resident/\$47 Non-resident

your questions.

friendly staff will answer all of

Online: www.USsportsInstitute.com By Phone: (732) 563-2520 By Mail to: US Sports Institute, 12 Maiden Lane, Suite 3, Bound Brook, NJ 08805

SPORTS SQUIRTS A great way to introduce children to a variety of new and exciting
sports including Soccer, T-Ball, Basketball and Lacrosse.Aug. 8-12Lehr Park4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.Ages 3 to 5\$74/ea.

Tennis For Kids



It is the 20th year for the Tennis for Kids program here in Dover Township. Tennis for Kids provides children ages 8-16 with basic tennis instruction. The best part of Tennis for Kids is it is FREE!!

Sessions run 9:00 am – 11:00 am every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from June 20th through July 22nd weather permitting and unless otherwise determined.

Initial registration time is 8:30 am- 9:00 am June 20th at Dover Tennis courts (at Dover Intermediate School). However, we will accept children until July 16, 2010. You can print a registration form from the Tennis for Kids website at www.tennisforkidsyork.com

ZUMBA

When: Monday Morning- 11:15 am – 12:15 p.m. Monday Evenings- 5-6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings- 6-7 p.m. Wednesday evening- **ZUMBA TONING** 7-7:45 p.m.

Where: Community Building, 3700 Davidsburg Rd.

Cost: Punch cards: Regular Zumba

- 1 Class a week (12 classes) for 3 months-\$30 Resident/\$35 Non-resident
- 2 Classes a week (16 classes) for 2 months-\$40 Resident/\$45 Non-resident
- 3 Classes a week (24 classes) for 2 months-\$60 Resident/\$65 Non-resident
- Zumba Toning: \$45 Residents/\$50 Non-residents for 12 week class

YOGA

Tuesday & Thursday

Gentle YOGA: 5:30-6:30 p.m. Intermediate YOGA: 6:45-7:45 p.m.

Cost: 1 Class a week (12 classes) 3 months \$42 Resident/\$47 Non-resident

> 2 Classes a week (16 classes) 2 months \$56 Resident/\$61 Non-resident

> 3 Classes a week (24 classes) 2 months \$84 Resident/\$89 Non-resident

Class held at the Dover Township Building - 2480 W. Canal Road.

Morning- Keep it Fit!

If you are a "ZOOMER"... Active Boomer... This class is for you! We begin with a warm-up to get the blood flow going... then we strengthen the cardio system with low and no-impact floor aerobics. A choreographed cool down is then followed by toning and strengthening the muscles and core with weights, bands, balance balls and more. A final stretch gets us ready for the day!! Bring your own weights and floor mat. We do have a few weights if you forget. The first class is FREE!!

Give "Keep It Fit" a try!!

Class – Mon. & Wed 9:45 – 11 AM

Cost - Punch cards: 1 Class a week (12 classes) for 3 months \$30 Resident/\$35 Non-resident 2 Classes a week (16 classes) for 2 months \$40 Resident /\$45 Non-resident

To register for any programs, please stop by the Dover Township offices between the hours of 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., located at 2480 W. Canal Rd. Any questions about any programs can be directed to Kristal Narkiewicz at 292-3634.





RECYCLING CORNER

Dover Township residential trash and recycling services are provided by York Waste Disposal. This service is mandatory. Please call York Waste Disposal at (717) 845-1557 to set up service. Extra waste tags can be purchased at the Township Building at a cost of \$4.00 per tag. If you were missed getting a rolled cart, call York Waste.



ACCEPTABLE ITEMS FOR BULK PICKUP

- Appliances (Freon Free) -(appliances with Freon must call York Waste Disposal ahead to schedule pickup)
- Washer & dryer (individually)
- Furniture
- Mattresses & box springs (individually)
- TV sets
- Plumbing fixtures toilets, sinks
- Carpet 4 foot bundles

- ACCEPTABLE ITEMS FOR RECYCLING
- Glass food and beverage containers
- Aluminum food and beverage containers
- Newsprint
- Plastics (water, milk, shampoo, detergent bottles, etc.)
- Cardboard flattened (place along recycling bin) Break down to 2 x 2 and bundled
- Mixed paper (junk mail, printer/copy paper, magazines
- Tires without rims

NON ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Automobile parts
- Construction material or debris (drywall, brick, treated lumber, shingles, concrete, etc.)
- Tires on rims
- Salad/deli containers
- Batteries
- Light bulbs
- · Steel and aerosol cans

Broken recycling bins can be replaced at the Township Building when you bring the old one in.

Bored? Need to Socialize? Check out what's happening at...

Heritage Senior Center

Dover Community residents, age 60 or over, are invited to stop in Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m.-3 p.m. for fun, fellowship and a nutritional lunch served at Noon each day. We're handicapped accessible and air-conditioned. Listed below is just a sampling of our daily activities:

- Health and Nutrition Education
- Strong Bodies Exercise Program
- Wii Bowling/Games
- Bingo
- Cards/Games/Dominos
- Bible Study
- Day/Overnight Trips

- Special Events/Celebrations
- Guest Speakers
- Computer Lab/Classes
- Lunch served Mon-Fri at Noon
- Community Outreach Opportunities
- Zumba Gold

Call 292-7471 for more information.

The Heritage Senior Center is located at 3700-4 Davidsburg Rd, Dover.

Heritage Senior Center also serves as a **Meals on Wheels** distributor for Dover, Shiloh, Weigelstown, Spring Grove, York New Salem, and West York areas.

Looking for a meaningful way to contribute to the lives of others? Volunteers can deliver as little as once a month or as often as once a week. This is a wonderful opportunity to help our home-bound neighbors maintain their independence. We also have openings for substitute drivers. Call Marci at 292-7471 for details.

Be sure to visit our stands at the **Old Fashioned Carnival**, July 14 at Brookside Park and again at the Family Fun Festival on Oct. 1 at the Community Building!

DO YOU OR YOUR HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION (HOA) HAVE A STORMWATER BMP?

Do you have a BMP on your property or in your neighborhood? Ponds, ditches and depressions that you see every day may actually be engineered stormwater facilities designed to reduce flooding and improve water quality. The most common BMPs are detention basins, vegetated swales, vegetated buffers, and designed constructed wetlands. The long-term benefits of BMPs only work if they are maintained regularly.

Sources of pollution include sediment, nutrients, motor oil, and lawn care products that run off hard surfaces and yards into storm drains. Fortunately for Dover Township and our watersheds, there are BMPs in place to help reduce the impact of these pollutants.

It is also important to work with your facility maintenance professional to ensure that their activities do not contribute pollutants to your property. This includes the use of fertilizers or deicers, proper disposal/recycling of chemicals, trash area, pool and landscaping debris management.

Dover Township Stormwater Management Ordinance requirements regarding the Inspection and O&M of Stormwater BMPs:

Section 19-902. Inspection

SWM BMPs should be inspected by the landowner, or the owner's designee (including the Township for dedicated and owned facilities), according to the following list of minimum frequencies:

- A. Annually for the first 5 years.
- B. Once every 3 years thereafter.
- C. During or immediately after the cessation of a 10-year or greater storm.
- D. All stormwater BMPs serving non-residential development, or serving more than one residential unit shall be inspected, and a report of such inspection shall be submitted to the Township for review on an annual basis.
- E. All inspection records shall be maintained by the landowner and shall be made available to the Township upon written request.

Section 19-602. Operation and Maintenance Agreements

1.C. The owner shall keep on file with the Township the name, address, and telephone number of the person or company responsible for maintenance activities; in the event of a change, new information shall be submitted by the owner to the Township within 10 working days of the change.

If you have any questions regarding the maintenance and care of Stormwater BMPs, you may contact Chuck Farley, PWD at 292-3634 or by e-mail at cfarley@dovertownship.org



Attention Craft Vendors!

Are you looking for a great craft show to sell your wares?

Dover Township has a great event coming your way. The Dover Township Family Fun Fest and Craft Show will be held on October 1st at Lehr Park (3700 Davidsburg Rd.).

Indoor space is \$10; outdoor space is \$5.

Please stop by the township building to pick up a registration form, or please call Kristal at 292-3634 for more information.

Space is limited so please sign up early!

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Dover Area Community Library

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CHILDREN: It is not too late! You can still get a library card, register for the Summer Reading Club – **One World**, **Many Stories** – Read, Record your minutes, Enter for Raffle Prizes and attend programs and join GO! York and visit the local parks. IT IS ALL FREE! Join in the fun!

ADULTS: We are planning programs for you this fall! It is never too late to learn!

Financial Workshops for Adults - Presented by Larry Forbes, President of Wealth Protector Solutions

Managing Your Retirement Assets in a Difficult Economy Tuesday, Sept. 13th from 6 to 7:30 PM Learn prudent and sensible financial strategies for your 401ks, IRAs, CDs, Mutual Funds, or other investments. Call 292-6814 to register.

College Funding & Planning Tuesday, Sept. 20th from 6 to 7:30 PM College cost is one of the most expensive investments you will make. Learn the concepts needed to prepare

and find the best college for your HS student and pay the least out of pocket. Call 292-6814 to register.

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