# DOUGH TOUNSHIP Hork County, Pennsylvania SUMMER 2014

# Old Fashioned Carnival

istoric Brookside Park! There will be games to play, a baked goods sale by the Heritage Senior Center, and live music by the Emigsville Band. There will also be a moon bounce, 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 23rd • TIME: 4 PM-8 PM

PLACE: Brookside Park • 4054 Fox Run Road • Dover, PA 17315



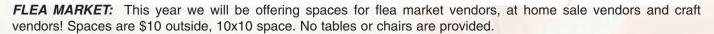
For more information please contact Kristal Kennedy at 717-292-3634.



# Family Fun Fest 2014

Saturday, September 27th at Lehr Park

11:00 am - 4:00 pm • 3700 Davidsburg Road



**HEATH BENDER:** Nationally known chain saw artist Heath Bender will demonstrate his amazing chainsaw talents! Heath will perform onsite carvings throughout the day. He will also have completed carvings on hand for sale. Check out his amazing pieces at www.hbchainsawsculptures.com

MONKEY MOTION IS BACK!! Look out for some new and exciting rides and inflatables!



#### **OTHER EVENTS INCLUDE:**

Carnival games • Carnival Rides • Free Concerts

Dover Volunteer Fire Department Open House • Ice Cream • Concessions

Library Book Sale! • Flea Market - Vendors Needed!

Baked Goods Courtesy of the Heritage Senior Center

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### **ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENT**

Our Electronics recycling event was huge!!!! A special thanks goes out to Coach Eric Lam and the Dover High School Football team for their volunteering that day to help us out with the event. If you missed that Electronics drop off below are other places you can take and drop it off:

**WARRINGTON TOWNSHIP - 717-432-9082** 

3345 Rosstown Rd., Wellsville, PA Week days Mon-Fri, 9am - 5pm



#### YORK COUNTY SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY

Flour Mill Rd York PA –Y ard Waste Transfer Site Weekends: 3rd sat of every month, 9am to 1pm

### **RECYCLING GUIDELINES**

#### **Acceptable Items:**

- · Aluminum food and beverage containers
- Glass food and beverage containers-brown, clear, or green
- Bi-Metal, Steel and Aerosol cans
- PET Plastic containers with the symbol #1 narrow neck containers only
- HDPE Plastic containers with the symbol #2 narrow neck containers such as milk and water bottles, detergent, shampoo, bleach bottles etc without caps
- Plastics with symbols #3,#4,#5,#6 #7 narrow & screw top containers
- Newsprint
- Cardboard-flattened in 2' x 2' bundles (may be placed in recycling bin along with other recycling)
- Residential mixed paper (Junk Mail, magazines, glossies, telephone books, printer/copier paper)
- Cereal Boxes



#### **Non-Acceptable Items:**

- Window or Auto glass, drinking glasses, mirrors, light bulbs, ceramic, porcelain, microwave trays, glass cookware/bake ware
- Unnumbered plastic items
- Plastic Bags
- Salad/Deli containers, Plastic food tubs
- · Household items such as cooking pots
- Batteries
- Cardboard/Paper with wax coating or liners
- · Scrap metal, siding

Penn Waste will take ONE large item once a week with your regular trash pickup. If you need to put out more bags than your limit you can buy bags at the Township Building.

The price of a bag is \$4.00.



### UNION FIRE AND HOSE CO. #1

30 East Canal St • Dover Pa. 17315 Phone # (717) 292-1493 Fax# (717) 292-3521



Check out our new web site www.unionfireandhose.com

#### **EVENTS:**

#### BINGO:

Every Monday night starting @ 6:45pm.

#### PUBLIC SUPPERS:

June 28th, turkey pies and boiled beef potpie, No public supper in July & August

#### LOTTERY DRAWING:

Based on the evening daily number. Interested in tickets, please contact Sue Deardorff @ 292-6260

#### CARNIVAL:

Saturday August 30th and September 1st the 6th, 2014 (See our website for nightly entertainment, rides, supper's concessions and Bingo)

#### CAR SHOW:

Oct 4th, 2014 (see our website for more application)

#### HALLOWEEN PARADE:

Oct 5th, 2014 (see our website for application)

#### FIRE PREVENTION OPEN HOUSE:

Wednesday October 18th, 2014

#### GUN RAFFLE AND DINNER:

Saturday October 18th, 2014



All boys in grades 1 through 5 please come join Cub Scouts Pack 22 by calling Butch Taylor at 717-841-5239.

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### **5 SUMMER FIRE SAFETY TIPS**

Summer weather means cookouts, Fourth of July fireworks, and all sorts of campfire fun as families across the country take advantage of the warm temperatures to get back in touch with nature.

Dover Township Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank FEMA and the U.S. Fire Administration for their assistance in putting together this list of five summer fire safety tips:

1. Keep a bucket of water or hose handy. If an ember floats out of your U.L. approved fire pit, or a log falls down from your bonfire stack and sets nearby foliage, paper, or other flammable materials aflame, you don't want to be scrambling for a way to put the fire out. Having a bucket of water nearby is a great first response tool to keep a fire under control. Remember to check the local regulations for burning before you have a recreation fire or decide to burn up that yard waste. Controlled burns are only allowed in Agricultural and Conservation zoned areas in Dover Township.



- 2. Sparklers and pinwheels might seem "low risk," but the reality is that there aren't any fireworks out there that are safe enough for kids to use. It's also important to ensure that no one tries to re-light fireworks that don't work properly the first time. Dump these in a bucket of water and move on to the next package. Best bet- only attend fireworks displays put on by the professionals.
- 3. **Don't let barbeque grease build up.** Whether you're using a charcoal or a gas grill, it's important to keep it clean to prevent accidental grease fires caused by all of the gunk that can accumulate on a grill over time.



- 4. *Inspect the area around your BBQ.* You don't want to grill anywhere near other flammable materials. This includes deck railings, overhanging branches, dry grass or that pile of dry wood and recycling sitting in the back corner of your yard.
- 5. When you're done with the fun, put out the flames. While it might seem romantic to fall asleep in front of a campfire, you really should dump water and/or sand on those embers before catching some shut-eye. The same goes for BBQs close your propane valve and the unit's lid, as well as any vents on a charcoal grill once you're done. Unsupervised BBQs can easily tip over in the wind. A breeze can pick up and carry coals and embers from that campfire, dropping them where they can ignite dry grass, branches, trees or deck planks.

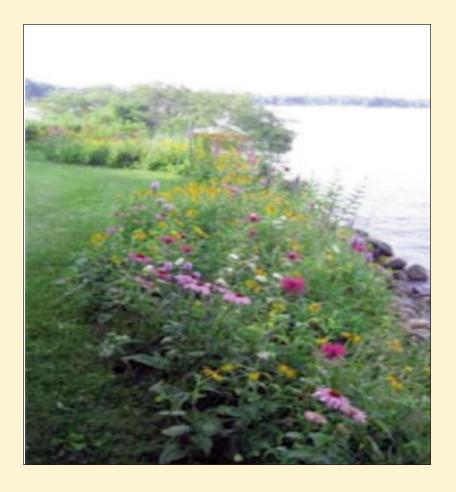
#### **ENJOY THE SUMMER!**

From your Friends at Dover Township Volunteer Fire Department



## **OPEN HOUSE**

Save the date! On September 27th, Dover Township Fire Department will be hosting our annual open house. Come join us from 11am to 4pm at 3700 Davidsburg Rd for an exciting day of family fun. The Dover Township Fire department will be opening its doors to the public! The day will be filled with fun events for everyone including face painting, fire education, and of course fire truck rides. There will even be a vehicle extrication demo. The public will have a front row seat to what the fireman of Dover Township do! We hope to see everyone there!



**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2014** 

FROM 6:30 TO 7:30 PM

At Brookside Park's Carousel Building

4054 Fox Run Road

Dover PA 17315

Light refreshments will be served.

Our Brookside Park Rain Garden is in full bloom. Stop in and see our Education Station! Dover, West
Manchester and
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Townships Present:

PLANNING &
CREATING
A HEALTHY
BACKYARD
BUFFER ZONE

Learn: What is a riparian buffer yard?

Why are buffer yards important to me and my community?

Join us for a presentation by Jake Romig of Ecostruction, LLC. The presentation will cover what a buffer yard is, why they are important, how to protect and maintain them, and ideas on planning and creating them.

# **Sports Organizational Information:**



















#### DOVER AREA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

www.doverathletics.com

Please contact Crystal Smith for more information 717-767-8934 CSHairstylist@comcast.net

#### DOVER BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

www.leaguelineup.com

Registrations will be held in early September 2014.

#### DOVER AREA SOCCER ASSOCIATION

Please visit www.doverareasoccer.com to register.

For more information please contact

Chuck Lambert at 410-507-7224 or Email:president@doverareasoccer.com.

#### EAGLE LACROSSE CLUB - Lacrosse in Dover!

Join the fastest game on two feet. Spring '15 season registrations will start this October. Clinic- 3 Saturday mornings in September. Serving Girls-2nd grade and up and Boys-age 6 and up. Watch for more details at **www.eaglelacrosseclub.com** or email elcinfo1 @gmail.com.

#### TRI-TOWN FOOTBALL

www.tri-townboysclub.com

For more information please contact



Dover Township Recreation is very excited to announce their lineup for the 2014 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 bad weather "The show must go on" and it will at Carousel Building, 4054 Fox Run Rd. ALL proceeds from concession sales will go Pack 67 of Dover. Come out on a 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 13th - 6 pm-8 pm

We don't have Chili in a bowl but we have Chili in the Band!! Join "Chili bear" and the gang for some good time music!

# DOVER COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

August 10th - 6 pm-8 pm

OrangeMite Studios presents the Dover Community Orchestra. They are comprised of musicians of all ages and ability levels, from York County and beyond. Come out and enjoy some great classics while we enjoy the last weeks of summer!



# **Tennis For Kids**



REE Tennis for Kids program here in Dover Township. Tennis for Kids provides children ages 7-16 with basic tennis instruction. The best part of Tennis for Kids is that it is FREE!!

Tennis For Kids sessions run 9:00-11:00 AM, June 23 through July 24, 2014 weather permitting and unless otherwise determined. Dover sites run Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Initial registration time is 8:30 am- 9:00 am June 24 at Dover Tennis courts (at Dover High School). However, we will accept children until July 22, 2014.

You can print a registration form from the Tennis for Kids website at www.tennisforkidsyork.com





# 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! New this summer we will be taking a lot more field trips to some fun locations like the Utz Chip Factory, Gifford Pinchot State Park, the Turkey Hill Experience along with bowling and swimming. Registration for the field trips will be taken at camp. More information will be available on our website at www.dovertownship.org under Parks and Recreation.

**DATES:** June 23rd - August 1st (Mon- Fri)

No camp on July 4th or July 23rd

TIME: 9 am - Noon

**COST:** \$50 Residents (for all 6 weeks of camp)

\$65- Non Residents (for all 6 weeks of camp)

\*\*NEW Early Drop Off: 8:30 am- 9 am- \*\*Additional \$15 \*\*

BACKPACK CRAFT: It is a canvas drawstring bag that the campers get to decorate

and color! It is great to use for all of camp for all of their items!

AGES: 6-12 year olds

(must be 6 yrs old by June 23rd)

#### TWO LOCATIONS:

DOVER COMMUNITY PARK: 2481 West Canal Rd.

LEHR PARK: 3700 Davidsburg Rd









# UK Soccer Professional British Coaches

#### 2014 SUMMER SOCCER PROGRAMS

CAMP	AGES	TIMES	COST
Kickers Camp	3 & 4 yrs. old	4:00pm - 5:00pm	\$60
Nippers Camp	5 & 6 yrs. old	5:00pm - 7:00pm	\$90
Goalkeeper Camp	8-15 yrs. old	7:00pm - 8:00pm	\$60
Youth Camp	7-10 yrs. old	4:00pm - 8:00pm	\$130
Premier Camp	11-15 yrs. old	4:00pm - 8:00pm	\$130
Team Camp	9-15 yrs. old	4:00pm - 8:00pm	\$1200 per team

DATE: AUGUST 11-15

LOCATION: Lehr Park, 3700 Davidsburg Rd Dover, PA Register online at UKSoccerCamps.com or call (717) 825-2060

he objective of UK Soccer camps is to provide the player the opportunity to have fun while learning the fundamental techniques necessary to play the game. The programs are focused at individual skill development with technical curriculums that are designated according to age and ability. Includes free UK camp ball, T-shirt and certificate or evaluation.

# **Art of a Different Color**







We invite you to allow us to introduce your children to the world of the Master Artist. We will teach your children about famous artist such as, Picasso, Van Gogh and Matisse. Children will learn about the artist as well as the techniques and media used to create their art. Then students will create their own versions of these Masterpieces, applying the techniques learned. We have seen children's self-esteem flourish when they see what they can create.

\*\*Pre-Registration is required! Class size limited to 10 children per session!\*\*

#### SESSION I PRESCHOOL

4-5 year olds Ages: Times: 9:30 am to 11:30 am Dates: Monday & Tuesday-

September 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 & 23

Log House Location:

2481 W. Canal Rd. Dover, PA

\$75 Dover and West Manchester Fee:

Township Residents

\$85 non-residents

#### SESSION I SCHOOL AGE

6-7 year olds Ages: 5:30 - 7:30 pm Times: Dates: Tuesdavs-

September 16, 23, 30;

October 7, 21, 28

Location: Log House

2481 W. Canal Rd. Dover. PA

\$75 Dover and West Manchester Fee:

Township Residents

\$85 non-residents



Ages: 4-5 year olds Times: 9:30 am to 11:30 am Dates: Monday & Tuesday-

October 6, 7, 13, 14, 20 & 21

Location: Log House

2481 W. Canal Rd. Dover, PA

\$75 Dover and West Manchester Fee: Township Residents

\$85 non-residents

#### SESSION II SCHOOL AGE

6-7 year olds Ages: 5:30 - 7:30 pmTimes: Dates: Tuesdays-

November 4, 18, 25

December 2, 16, & 18 (Thursday).

Location: Log House

Fee:

2481 W. Canal Rd. Dover. PA \$75 Dover and West Manchester

Township Residents

\$85 non-residents



<sup>\*\*</sup>Please call Kristal Kennedy for more information at 717-292-3634. To register please fill out a registration form (available at www.dovertownship.org under Parks and Recreation) and drop off or mail payment to Dover Township Building, 2480 W. Canal Rd. Dover PA 17315 to be registered for the classes. We also have forms in our lobby area, open 24 hours. \*\*

# **Dover Township Bus Trips for 20 I 4**

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND - SUNFEST

September 20, 2014

\$35 resident • \$45 Non-resident

6 am departure - 6 pm Return

Do you want to get one last trip to the beach before Summer is over? Our coach bus will take you as close as possible to SunFest! Why drive when you can relax on the bus to and from Ocean City!





#### NEW YORK CITY - ON YOUR OWN!

**December 6, 2014** 

\$45 resident • \$55 non-resident

6 am departure - 6 pm Return

Our coach bus will drop you off near Times Square and then will pick you back up at the same location. This is an on your own trip! What a great deal to see all that NYC has to offer at Christmas time!



#### LONGWOOD GARDENS

Entrance Ticket and Guided Tour Included

December 20, 2014

\$50 Resident/ \$60 Non-resident

12 Noon departure - 8 pm Return

Are you looking for something special to do for Christmas this year? What a great way to prepare for the holiday season by seeing the Christmas Spectacular at Longwood Gardens! You will have a guided tour of the grounds and a comfortable bus ride there and home!



Please call Kristal for more information at 292-3634. You need to fill out a registration form and bring payment to Dover Township Building to be registered for the bus trips. If there is a large group, please turn in all paperwork and payments at one time. There is a two week cancelation period prior to the trip. No refunds will be given after that two week period leading up to the departure date unless trip is canceled by Township.

# Fitness Programs



Are you looking to get back in shape or just looking to add something new to your workout? Dover Township Recreation has several fitness programs for you to try! All fitness programs run all year long. You can sign up at any time with the instructor right at the class. Zumba and Keep it Fit share a punch card so you can go to either class. The Yoga punch card is only good for Yoga classes. Any questions, please call Kristal at 292-3634 or visit our website at www.dovertownship.org



#### **MORNING - KEEP IT FIT!**

This class is designed to strengthen your body and tone muscles. The class begins with no impact aerobics to strengthen your heart and warm up your body. We then conclude with muscle conditioning exercises and stretches. We use hand weights, stability balls, bands and more! There is something for everyone and you are encouraged to work at your own fitness level. Class is held at the Community Building.

#### **COST - DROP IN FEE: \$5**

Punch cards: (can be used for Keep it Fit! Only)

- ~ 1 Class a week (8 classes) for 3 months- \$25 resident/ \$35 non-resident
- ~ 2 Classes a week (16 classes) for 3 months- \$45 resident / \$55 non-resident
- ~ 3 Classes a week (24 classes) for 3 months- \$65 resident/ \$75 non-resident

Class: Monday & Wednesday 9:45 am - 11 am

Friday - 10 am to 11:15 am

## YOGA - At the Dover Township Building 2480 W. Canal Road

### YOGA FOR RELAXATION - Tuesday and Thursday Evenings 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

This class allows you to slow down and relax your mind and body. With our busy lifestyles, slowing down can be a difficult thing to obtain. Sometimes it inhibits our sleep and it can get in the way of our focus. Never giving ourselves time to rejuvenate can lead us to being irritable and short with the people we work with and our loved ones. If you have ever had a desire to try yoga but feel as though you are not flexible, thin or young enough, this is the class for you.



### POWER YOGA - Tuesday and Thursday Evenings 6:45 pm - 7:45 pm

This class has much more movement and is more likely to make you sweat. You will feel both relaxed and rejuvenated by the end of this class as well, it is just a different path to get there. If you have never done yoga before and you have healthy wrists and back, this is a fine class to start with. It is also a great class to continue with.



#### SATURDAY MORNING YOGA - 8:30 am - 9:30 am

A fabulous way to shift gears from the work week to the weekend. Shed the worries of the week and re-claim your weekend time with this gentle Yoga class.

#### COST: Drop in fee: \$5

#### PUNCH CARDS: Yoga cards are only good for Yoga classes!

- ~ 1 Class a week (8 classes) 3 months- \$30 resident/ \$40 non-resident
- ~ 2 Classes a week (16 classes) 3 months- \$50 resident / \$60 non-resident
- ~ 3 Classes a week (24 classes) 3 months- \$70 resident/ \$80 non-resident





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**Check out what's happening** at Heritage Senior Center for Dover Community residents age 60 and over. Stop in Mon-Fri, 8am-3pm and get acquainted!

**Check out our Tai Chi classes**, Mondays 1-2pm. This class is the Arthritis Foundation's sun style Tai Chi. Members (60 and 0ver) – No Charge. Non-members - \$3/class.

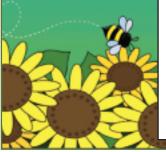
## HERITAGE SENIOR CENTER 3700 Davidsburg Rd., Dover, PA 17315

#### Dear Neighbor,

Heritage Senior Center is appealing to Dover residents, businesses and organizations to get involved at our senior center. How YOU can help:

- · Kitchen help to serve our Noon meal.
- · Volunteer at the Center or as a Meals on Wheels delivery driver.
- Make a tax-deductible donation of merchandise or gift cards.
- Advertise in our monthly newsletter or become a Community Partner with an annual donation.

Call 292-7471 to discuss volunteer/donation opportunities with Emma Crossley, Executive Director.



Heritage Senior Center members and friends will travel to Tunica/Memphis, TN

October 11-19, 2014, 9 days, 8 nights, \$655/person (double occupancy). \$75 Reservation fee, Final payment due August 5, 2014

Includes 14 meals: 8 breakfasts, 6 dinners

Platinum Tour of Graceland, Guided Tour of Memphis, Tunica Museum, Free time on Beale Street, lodging and free time at Tunica Casinos & much more. Call 292-7471 for more info and flyer.





# Summer 2014 Events for Dover Township

ROYAL ROOKS CHESS CLUB - Meets every Monday 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm. Please join us. No registration necessary. Grades K-12.

SUMMER READING CLUB EVENTS continue through August 17.

WEDNESDAY JULY 2, 9, 16, 23, AND 30, 11:00 am - 7:00 pm - Make and Take Craft Day, All ages

MONDAY, JULY 7, 11:00 am - Yoga for Teens with Milly Merkert, Ages 13-18

MONDAY, JULY 7, 14, 21, AND 28, 7:00 pm - Evening Story Time

TUESDAY, JULY 8, 11:00 am - Dave Rojahn, Magician - All ages

TUESDAY, JULY 8, 6:30 pm - Molecular Gastronomy and Candy Sushi, Ages 13-18

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 9,** 10:00 am – 12:00 noon - **Wilderness Survival Skills,** Part 3 of 4, (See part 1 for details).



THURSDAY, JULY 10, 11:00 am - A Very Windy Story Time with Miss Lisa, Ages 6-12

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm - Spark in the Park @ Codorus State Park, All ages

MONDAY, JULY 14, 10:00 am - 12:00 noon - Morning Minecraft, Ages 8-14 - Limited to 8 computers or bring your own device. Sign-up required.

**MONDAY, JULY 14,** 6:00 pm - **Meet storybook favorite Llama Lama at your library!** Be sure to bring your camera! Story time follows at 7:00 pm.



TUESDAY, JULY 15, 11:00 am - "Hiss, Zoom. LEAD!" with "The Bug Man" Ryan Bridge, All ages. Held in the Community Center

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 11:00 am - Bee-ginning programming, Grades K-3 (maximum 20)

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 2:00 pm - Leap Into Science, Grades K-4

FRIDAY, JULY 18, 10:00 am - 12:00 noon - Wilderness Survival Skills, Part 4 of 4, (See part 1 for details)

MONDAY, JULY 21, 10:00 am - Right on the Money Mini-Camp: Miss Carla & Miss Arlene share fun ways to learn smart money habits. Ages 5-7; Registration required

TUESDAY, JULY 22, 11:00 am - Science in Your Backyard w/ York County Parks, All ages

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 10:00 am - Right on the Money Mini-Camp: Miss Carla & Miss Arlene share fun ways to learn smart money habits. Ages 5-7; Registration required

THURSDAY, JULY 24, 11:00 am - Bee-ginning programming, Grades K-3 (maximum 20)

THURSDAY, JULY 24, 2:00 pm - Story time with Cannonball Charlie from York Revolution, ages 4-8

MONDAY, JULY 28, 10:00 am - Right on the Money Mini-Camp: Miss Carla & Miss Arlene share fun ways to learn smart money habits. Ages 5-7; Registration required

## Dover Area Community Library: Phone (717) 929-6814 3700-3 Davidsburg Rd., Dover, PA 17315

TUESDAY, JULY 29, 2:00 pm - Sciencetellers, All ages, held in the Community Center

TUESDAY, JULY 29, 6:30 pm - Shakespeare's Birthday Bash! Party with the Bard and his characters, ages 9-18 Senior Center

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 10:00 am - Right on the Money Mini-Camp: Miss Carla & Miss Arlene share fun ways to learn smart money habits. Ages 5-7; Registration required

MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 11, 7:00 pm - Evening Story Time

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, OR THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 13, 14, 6:30 pm - Harrisburg Senators Night for 800 Minute Readers, All ages

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13,** 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm - **Lego Builders Club,** Grades 1-6, supplies will be provided.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Pool Party, Green Valley Pool, rain date Aug. 21

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 12:00 noon - 2:00 pm - Pizza Party, Ray Owen, entertainer at 1 pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17 - Last day to find, post & record reading minutes

MONDAY, AUGUST 18, 6:00 pm - Readers Celebration Night for 800 Minute Readers @ The York Revolution

TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm - Chick-fil-A Ice Cream Party for 800 Minute Readers, all locations, All ages

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 - York Fair, All ages

FALL STORY TIMES WILL BEGIN THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22. They will continue 12 weeks until week of December 15 (off Thanksgiving week).

#### ADULT PROGRAMS:

#### **TECH GURU**

3rd Wednesday of the month from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Drop in and talk to the Tech Guru to get help with your PC, laptop, Tablet, eReader, or mobile device. No registration required.



#### KNITTING GROUP

Wednesdays - 6:00 p.m.

Knit, chat, share, learn, and get out of the house... who could ask for more? Check at the main desk to see if there is a special project this month or bring in your current project. All knitters welcome. Group meets each Wednesday of the month.

#### FRIDAY MORNING KNITTING GROUP

Second Friday 10 a.m.

Knit, chat, share, learn and get out of the house...who could ask for more? Check at the main desk to see if there is a special project this month or bring in your current project. All knitters are welcome.

#### CHRISTIAN FICTION BOOK GROUP

3rd Tuesday - 6:30 p.m. Off for the summer months.



# Stray Cats of Dover Township

s you are probably aware, we have many stray cats and kittens in our township. Here hare some ways we can help our community cats and our neighborhoods as well.

If you let your pet cat(s) outdoors, please make sure they have a current rabies vaccine (required by law) and are spayed (female) or neutered (male). The York County SPCA has a low cost spay/neuter program and also offers affordable vaccinations.

The new spay/neuter clinic at the York County SPCA has a program called Spay Our Strays (SOS). It advocates Trap-Neuter-Release (TNR) of stray cats as a humane alternative to euthanasia.

Stray cats can be dropped off by appointment. But I have found it easier to utilize their walk-in clinic. On Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings between 8:00 and 8:30 am, stray cats can be dropped off in your own covered humane trap (or one you have borrowed from family/friends). For the very low cost of \$15, the cat will be tested for leukemia, spayed/neutered, given a rabies vaccine, given a green tattoo next to their incision and ear



tipped. This is an excellent value! You then pick up the cat between 4:00 and 4:30 the same day. After sheltering the cat in the trap in your garage or shed overnight, it can then be released back to the place it was trapped the following afternoon (24 hours after surgery).

TNR is an effective program that prevents many problems including feline overpopulation (shelters have many more animals than available homes), euthanasia of healthy cats, the spread of rabies, and undesirable traits such as howling, roaming and fighting. Community cats who have been spayed/neutered will also prevent additional cats from moving into their neighborhood.



Stray kittens have a chance to be fostered through the SPCA and adopted if caught between the ages of 5 weeks (weaned from mom and running/playing) and 8 weeks. Older kittens are harder to tame and should be trapped-neutered-released.

I live in Stonebridge Crossing and have trapped litters of kittens who have found loving forever homes after being fostered by wonderful people affiliated with the SPCA. I have also begun to implement TNR for our neighborhood's adult stray cats. Other township residents have as well. Remember, if you see a stray cat with its left ear tip removed, it has already been spayed/neutered and received a rabies vaccine. Please do not take an ear-tipped cat to a shelter. If you already implement TNR in your neighborhood, I would love to hear from you. Please contact me, Jeanette Lee, at jenlee64@comcast.net.

### **FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

#### York County SPCA:

Spay Our Strays program, low cost spay/neuter and vaccines, pet adoption www.ycspca.org • 717-764-6109



Nobodyscats.org (located in Camp Hill): TNR info, trapping tips, humane deterrents to cat problems, info on local spay/neuter services, etc.



Alleycat.org (Alley Cat Allies): Caring for community cats, what to do if you find kittens, trapping tips, etc.



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