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new year



Dover Township Community News



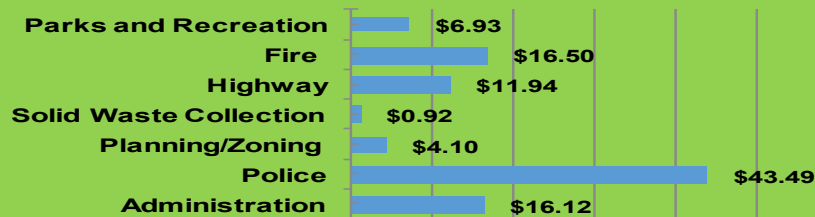
WINTER NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2016

2016 Budget: Per Capita Tax Repealed, plus no Real Estate or Utility Rate Increases

Dover Township is proud to present the highlights of the 2016 Budget. The Board of Supervisors has not increased real estate taxes since 2008, when the millage rate was increased from .828 to 1 whole mil of tax. This means on a \$100,000 assessed home, we receive \$100.00 in real estate tax to use towards the General Fund Operations. Those operations include Parks and Recreation, Fire, Highway, Solid Waste Collection (Leaf and Brush Collection), Planning and Zoning, Police and Administration. The breakout of your \$100 in real estate taxes is shown in the chart below.

**General Fund Breakout of your tax dollars
per \$100.00 received...**



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2016 will include various road and stormwater improvements. Grant funds are being pursued to perform a streambank stabilization project between Danielle and Willapa Drives. A left turn lane is scheduled to be installed on Davidsburg Road near Tower Drive and Jayne Lane. Community Development Block Grant Funds will be used to replace a culvert on Nursery Road. Sealcoating will be performed on George Street, Paradise Road, Pinchtown Road (W. Canal to Admire Rd.) and Temple School Road. A portion Rohlers Church Road will receive an overlay. Additional work held over from last year's projects include Palomino Road (Base repair) and Paradise Road (Base repair). In addition, bridge and guiderail work is planned. Equipment purchases for 2016 include a new backhoe and a crew cab truck.

The Budget also includes maintenance work to the Township Building and Parks. Paving the parking lot of the Municipal Building and engineering work to design a new garage are budgeted. Painting and repairs will be made to the Barn at the former Golf Course property. Edgewood Park will receive a new baseball field. An emergency generator and new LED lighting will be installed at the Community Building.

The Sewer Collection System is currently under a consent order with the Department of Environmental Protection to resolve infiltration and inflow into the system. We have budgeted significant funds to make repairs as breaks, cracks or leaks are discovered within the system. We have completed two lining projects in Cypress South Development/Davidsburg Road and East Canal Road over the last two years. This process is less costly than digging up and replacing existing lines. We have budgeted for another lining project in 2016, but have yet to determine the location for this project. The Sewer Authority is preparing for upsizing the Palomino Road Interceptor, a portion of the Joint User line (located along the Little Conewago Creek) and building a new line north of the Borough for future business growth.

The Water System continues to work toward improvements of a new well location at the McNaughton/Bupp property, replacing water line on Staunton and Highland Avenues and engineering for a water main replacement project on Route 74 North of the Borough. Well Analysis' will be performed in an effort to prepare for our Water Allocation Permit Renewal in 2018.

As always, Dover Township will work diligently to provide you with quality services in the most efficient, professional and cost effective manner possible. We appreciate your selection of Dover Township as your home town!

DOVER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Anne Zarlenga

Emergency Management

Coordinator

Anne was appointed by the governor in May 2015 as Dover Townships EMC. She has been in Emergency services for over 20 years as a Fire-fighter/EMT, MICU EMT and LPN. Currently continues her volunteer position since 2007 at York Township EMA as Public Health & Medical Branch director. She lives in the township with her daughter and granddaughter.

DOVER TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Dover Township EMA is operating on a “**Whole Community**” approach. Everyone in the community needs to prepare for emergencies. Pamphlets are available inside the township front doors. Please help yourself.

Staff Positions Open:

Helper: You want to help your community, but don't know what to do? Coffee, water, food, etc. Give us a call at 717-916-1832. We will train you to fill in positions.

Mass Care: Sets up & maintains shelters for temporary and heating/cooling.

Oil & Hazmat: Coordinate resources for oil, hazmat and nuclear incidents.

Amateur Radio Operator: Technician license to communicate with York County, PEMA, and staff on the scene.

If you are interested or know of someone who is, please call Anne at 717-916-1832. Anne will meet with you to go over

Dover Township Fire Department has Bingo every

Friday night at 3700 Davidsburg Rd.

Doors open at 5 pm and games start at 6:45 pm



DOVER TOWNSHIP RECREATION EVENTS



Dover Township Fishing Show

January 9 and 10, 2016

8:00 AM – 4:00 PM (Saturday)

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Sunday)

Dover Community Building

Admission is \$3- all Proceeds benefit Dover Township Recreation Dept.

2016 Show Features:

New and used fishing and related merchandise

Guides and Charter captains

Wide variety of FREE seminars

PA Fish and Boat Commission Info

Door prizes each day

Concessions available!

Contact:

Chalet Harris, Director of Parks and Recreation,
Dover Township
717292-3634
charris@dovertownship.org

- Seminars include:

Lee Snyder– Local Musky, Walleye and Pike expert. Seminar will feature Tom Svirsco moderating a seminar forum panel by the South Central Pennsylvania's Fishermen's Education and Information Group (S.C.P.F.E.I.G.).

PA Fish & Game Commission- Ben Page, Director of the Fish Habitat Division, will be presenting his update, upcoming plans, as well as the 2015 schedule for Lake Marburg Habitat Project

BreakLine Charters- Capt. Jamie Hughes, "The Catfish Queen," Catcher of Super Huge 40+ lb. catfish. Breakline Charters provides catfishing trips on the Susquehanna River.

Koinonia Guide Service- Mr. Rod Bates will provide expertise, as well as useful hints/tips, for Bass Fishing on the Susquehanna River.

Helbent Charters- Jeff Grimes, USCG Licensed Captain has been fishing the waters in and around Ocean City MD for over 15 years.

Addicted Angler- Tony Dranzo with a brand new presentation exploring the world of Fly Fishing!

14th Annual Dover Township Groundhog Day!!

Dover Doug will emerge from his winter slumber at the Log House

Tuesday - February 2nd, 2016



WILL IT BE A LATE WINTER OR AN EARLY SPRING?

DOVER DOUG KNOWS!!!!

Join us for the *PROGNOSTICATION* AT:

7 AM –at the Log House

(Dover Community Park, 2481 W. Canal Rd)

FREE coffee and hot chocolate

Receive a ticket for a FREE Spaghetti Dinner

2 – under.....Free

ALL YOU CAN EAT SPAGHETTI DINNER

4 – 7 PM (Dover Community Building (3700 Davidsburg Road))

In-Advance ticket cost:

Adult.....\$5.00

3 – 12 yrs. old...\$3.00

2 - under..... Free

Tickets at Door:

Adult.....\$10.00

3 – 12 yrs. old...\$6.00

2– under.....Free

DOVER TOWNSHIP RECREATION EVENTS



5th Annual Dover Recreation Yard Sale

May 14th, 2016

8am – 1pm

**Old Mid-Atlantic Golf Course
2351 Municipal Rd.
(Behind the Dover Township
Building)**

Registration forms are available at the Township Building or you can email Chalet at

charris@dovertownship.org.

Vendors and Home-based businesses are welcome! Yard Sale spaces are \$10; Vendor/home-based businesses spaces are \$20. The spaces are 10 x10. You can purchase up to 3 spaces, no refunds. You **MUST** bring your own table and chairs, if needed. Pop-up tents are encouraged but must fit in a 10x10 space. Limited Space available. **Registration forms are due by May 6th. RAIN or SHINE!! 6 am setup start time.**

Easter Egg Hunt



Saturday, March 26th, 2016

Lehr Park (3700 Davidsburg Rd)

Ages 0-2 will hunt on field 1 at 10:00 am

Ages 3-4 will hunt on field 2 at 10:05 am

Ages 5-6 will hunt on field 3 at 10:10 am

Ages 7-9 will hunt on field 4 at 10:15 am

**** Refreshments will be served. Please bring your own Easter Basket to collect your eggs.****

In case of inclement weather, the egg hunt will be inside the Community Building beginning at 10 am.

New for 2016

Farmers Market (May-October)



New for 2016! Dover Township Recreation will sponsor a Farmers Market on Saturdays from 10am-2pm at the Old Mid-Atlantic Golf Course. We are looking for vendors for this event. If you are interested, please contact Chalet at 292-3634 or charris@dovertownship.org. This is strictly for vendors of produce, honey, etc. We will not be accepting flea market types of vendors for this event. More information regarding specific start dates will be available around March.

Screen Free Week

Save the date! Screen Free Week will be May 2-6. Sign your kids up and they can enjoy a different activity each evening that does NOT involve electronics. More information will be available in the spring. Contact Chalet with questions at 292-3634 or charris@dovertownship.org.

DOVER TOWNSHIP FITNESS PROGRAMS



Keep It Fit
SPRING
SESSION 2016
Monday,
Wednesday:
9:45 am- 11 am

Classes are held at the Dover Community

Building: **3700 Davidsburg Road**

~ 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

This class is great for ZOOMERS!! (Def= Active Boomer) A beginning warm up is followed by low and no-impact floor aerobics to strengthen the cardio system. A choreographed cool down follows.

Next, we tone & strengthen the muscles and core with weights, balance balls, bands, and more. A final stretch gets us ready for the day! Everyone is encouraged to work at their own fitness level!

Please bring hand weights and mats
with you.

Relaxation & Saturday
Morning
Yoga
2016



Tues. & Thurs.

6:00 to 7:00 PM

Saturday

8:30- 9:30 AM

Dover Township Building
2480 W. Canal Road Dover, PA 17315

Instructor: **Millie Merkert**

~Move at your own pace and attempt postures
only you are comfortable completing.

**Any questions please contact Chalet at 292-
3634 or charris@dovertownship.org.**

Soccer Shots

Indoor Winter Soccer will be held at the Dover Community Building (3700 Davidsburg Rd) starting on January 14th.

4:15pm- Classic ages 3-4

5:00pm Classic ages 4-5; 5:45pm

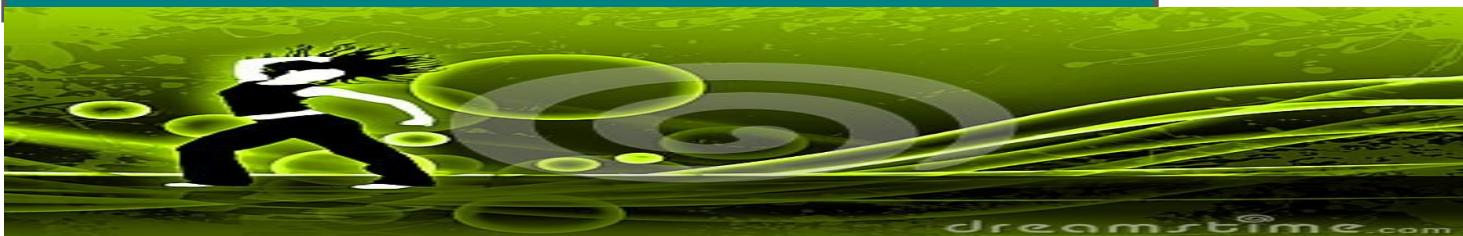
Mini age 2; 6:30pm - Premier ages 5-7 (K&1st grade).

A parent must be present for the MINI session.

Register online at www.soccershots.org/york



DOVER TOWNSHIP FITNESS PROGRAMS



ZUMBA

DOVER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY BUILDING 3700 DAVIDSBURG ROAD DOVER, PA

Looking to feel recharged and stress free after the holidays? Then maybe this is what you have been waiting for, or maybe, this is what's been waiting for YOU!

For those of you looking for a new way to jump start your fitness program in 2016, or add a little something to your current routine, come and give it a try! Zumba is a Latin-inspired, dance fitness program suitable for all ages, body shapes/sizes and genders. Get ready to shake your booty to some of your favorite tunes, as well as the Zumba inspired Salsa, Merengue and Reggaeton beats. My goal is to motivate and inspire you to be the best that you can be, all while encouraging you to work at your own fitness level. Whether Zumba is something totally new to you, or you're a seasoned Zumba participant that does Zumba every night of the week, come and join us for an energetic, sweat-inspired hour of fun! If you enjoy dancing, you will LOVE this class!!!

Monday and Wednesdays Evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Cost: Drop in Fee: \$6 / Class

Resident Non-Resident

1 Class/Week (4 classes) for One (1) Month	\$ 20.00	\$ 30.00
2 Classes/Week (8 classes) for One (1) Month	\$ 35.00	\$ 45.00

Jennifer Miller
Zumba Instructor

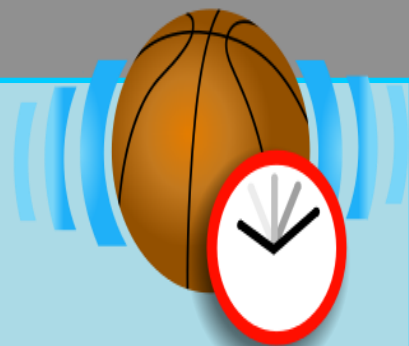
717.891.4844

jlmiller13@comcast.net

<http://jennifermiller13.zumba.com>

Over 30 Basketball

Join the game! Pick-up games for men over 30 are Tuesday evenings from 7-9 PM. The program begins January 12 – April 19, 2016 at the North Salem Elementary School Gym. Each session is \$1.



Snow Emergency Routes!



NOTE:

The roads on the left have been designated as snow emergency routes. No person shall operate a motor vehicle on the designated roads in a manner that may cause the vehicle to become stalled either by not being properly equipped with chains or effective snow tires or running out of gas. The term motor vehicles also include, but are not limited to, snowmobiles, trailers, three-wheeled and four-wheeled vehicles. If a snow emergency is declared, parking on these streets is prohibited until the emergency is declared terminated.

Things to Keep In Mind...

*If a storm is anticipated, remove vehicles from the roadside shoulders. This allows plows to clear the area the first time through, making return trips unnecessary.

*Do not shovel snow into the road or have your driveway plowed into the road. This can cause a serious traffic hazard.

*If possible, wait until the road has been plowed before cleaning out the end of your driveway. There is no practical way to plow the road without depositing snow into your driveway.

*Plow operators are urged to take precautions to avoid hitting mailbox posts. Experience has shown that reduced visibility during a storm makes it difficult for a driver to see a post in time to avoid striking it or pushing it over with plowed snow. Any installation with the right-of-way, including a mailbox is placed there at the owner's risk.

*Do not be misled by trucks running with their plows raised. They may be returning for fuel or they may be headed to another area. The municipality may not be responsible for all roads in the area. Some roads may be maintained by the state, some by the county, and some roads may be private (as in developments where roads have not yet been dedicated).

Baker Road (entire length)

Blue Jay Drive (entire length)

Butter Road (Borough to Bull Road)

Clearview Road (entire length)

Condor Lane (entire length)

East side of Conewago Road and Rohlers Church (Carlisle to Bull Road)

Emig Mill Road (entire length)

Falcon Lane (entire length)

Fox Run Road (East Canal to Carlisle Road)

Glen Hollow Drive (entire length)

Hilton Avenue (entire length)

Long Meadow Drive (entire length)

Milky Way Road (entire length)

North Salem Church Road (entire length)

Old Carlisle Road (entire length)

Park Street (entire length)

Poplars Road (entire length)

Rainbow Circle (entire length)

Rohlers Church Road

Salmon Run Road (entire length)

Schoolhouse Road (N Salem Church to Harmony Grove)

Solar Drive (entire length)

Spectrum Road (entire length)

Sundial Road (entire length)

Sunshine Drive (entire length)

Taxville Road (entire length)

Timberlyn Drive (entire length)

Weeping Willow Lane (entire length)

DOVER TOWNSHIP WATER AND SEWER

Checking for Leaks

A sudden increase in your water charges could indicate a water leak. Water leaks are often silent and unnoticeable until you get a high water bill.

To check for a leak:

- Turn off all faucets in and around the house.
- Make sure the dishwasher and washing machine are not on.
- Switch off the ice-maker.
- Find your water meter box which is usually located in your front yard near the property line.
- Look for a leak indicator on your meter (usually a small triangle dial visible through the meter sight glass).
- If the indicator is spinning, water is running through the meter and you have a leak.
- If you do not have a leak indicator, write down all of the numbers on the register including the position of the dial if there is one.
- Leave all of the water off in the house and check the meter again in one hour. If the dial has moved or the numbers have changed, you have a leak.
- If you verified a leak, you need to find out where it is.
- The most common culprit is a toilet. A hanging flapper valve or a flap that is not seated correctly can cause water to constantly seep from the tank to the bowl. The flapper valves and internal components do wear out, requiring servicing.
- Take the toilet tank lid off and see if you can either hear or see a leak. If not, place a few drops of food coloring in the tank (the back of the toilet). Let it sit for 15-20 minutes without flushing. Then check the bowl for traces of the food coloring. If the water in the bowl is colored, you have found a leak.
- Other common leaks are faucets that drip or slowly run. Make sure and check outside spigots and around the bottom of your hot water heater also. Even small leaks can add up quickly.
- If you have determined that you do have a leak and can't find it, then it could be underground. Most plumbing service companies have detection equipment and are experienced in finding underground leaks. The Dobbin Plantersville Water Service Corporation typically does not repair water leaks on the customer or "service" side of the meter and would not be involved in the repair.

Of course, our staff will be happy to answer any of your questions about high water use. Please contact us at (717-292-3634)

To Flush or Not To Flush Disposable vs. Flushable

Clean water is critical to sustaining life and health, yet people often take for granted the flow of water into and out of their homes and businesses. Where does it go after we flush the toilet, empty the sink, take a shower or do laundry?



Wastewater drains into a community's sanitary sewer system, an underground network of pipes that leads to the wastewater treatment plant. At the wastewater treatment plant, the used water is "cleaned" by several treatment processes and returned back to the environment to be used over and over again.

Sewers are designed to take away used water from sinks, baths, showers, laundries and toilets. Flushing away "unflushable" items such as garbage, paper towels and wipes create blockages in sewers. This leads to backups and adds to the cost of operating and maintaining your sewers and the treatment plant. **"Disposable" does not mean flushable.** "Disposable" is a product for single use that can be recycled or thrown away after it is used. Baby wipes and adult wipes are not flushable because they stay intact in water and don't disintegrate like toilet paper. **Even wipes labeled "flushable" should NOT be flushed. These wipes stay intact and will cause sewers to clog.** Sewer clogs can result in sewage backing up into homes. Yuck! These wipes should be thrown away in a trash can. Other items such as rags, towels, diapers, kitty litter, cigarette butts and unused medicines should be disposed of properly – in the trash and not in your sewer!

DOVER TOWNSHIP GREEN CORNER



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 and 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
be collect-
ing
Christmas
trees for
recycling
January 9,
2016.
Place at
your curb
for pick up
lose and
not in a
bag.**

SHILOH GARDEN CLUB

JANUARY 28, 2016 Tonya Young, President of the Garden Club of York, will present *ARRANGING FLOWERS FOR YOUR HOME*. A New Year brings new ideas!

FEBRUARY 25, 2016

Beth Kepley-McNutt, Gifford Pinchot Park Naturalist, will present *HISTORY OF GIFFORD PINCHOT STATE PARK AND LAKE*. 2,238 acres near York & Harrisburg in the South-Central part of the state. Founded in 1961, it holds many options.

MARCH 24, 2016

Connie Holland, a Master Gardener and a member of both the Gettysburg & Biglerville Garden Clubs, will give a presentation on *ANTIQUE GARDEN TOOLS*. Connie was formerly a Chemist at Dupont for 30 years. You may even have some antique tools in your garden collection.

APRIL 28, 2016

Julie Flinchbaugh, a former scholarship winner from our Club, will present a program on *FLINCHBAUGH'S ORCHARD AND FARM MARKET*. Learn about this inviting destination just minutes from your home!

SHILOH GARDEN CLUB MEETS THE FOURTH THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE DOVER COMMUNITY CENTER, 3700 DAVIDSBURG ROAD, DOVER TOWNSHIP. OUR PROGRAM BEGINS AT 2:30 PM, PRECEDED BY NOON DESSERT BY THE HOSTESS COMMITTEE.

OUR CLUB MAINTAINS THE GARDENS @ DOVER COMMUNITY CENTER. THESE SEASONAL CHANGES ARE INTERESTING TO WATCH--THE MEMBERS PUT A LOT OF WORK INTO THIS VENTURE. ENJOY!



Check out what's happening at Heritage Senior Center for Dover Community residents age 60 and over. YOU are invited to stop in Mon-Fri, 8am-3pm.

We serve a hot lunch at Noon each day. Activities include cards, Wii games, Bingo, Exercise Classes, Bible Study, Knitting Group, Book Discussion Group, Day/Overnight Trips, Computer Lab, Health/Nutrition Education and lots of fun and socialization.

As a non-profit organization providing services to the seniors in the Dover community, we have volunteer opportunities that may interest you.

Our Meals-on-Wheels program distributes meals to homebound seniors Mon-Wed-Fri. Call Marci at 292-7471 for details. We also need kitchen help to serve our hot meal at Noon, Mon-Fri. Do you have a skill that you'd like to share with our Seniors?



If you find it difficult to exercise during the cold, winter months, you should check out one of the classes offered at Heritage. Pictured above, members of our Strong Bodies class, which focuses on strength and balance. In addition, we offer Tai Chi (Sun Style), especially recommended for those suffering with arthritis, Healthy Steps in Motion and Zumba Gold. For more information, give us a call at 292-7471 or check out our web site at: www.heritagesrcenter.org.

**3700-4 Davidsburg Road
Dover, PA 17315**

Dover Township Volunteer Fire Department

Did you know?

The Department was founded over 70 Years ago.

We had buildings on Alta Vista Road- Carlisle Road and now on Davidsburg Road.

We responded to over 600 alarms in 2015.

All our members are volunteers.

We have several members with over 40 years of volunteer service.

We have agreements with Dover Borough, West Manchester, East Berlin, Jackson Township, Conewago Township, Manchester Township and York City to assist them if needed and they will assist us if needed.

Funding comes from taxes, Bingo on Friday nights and our annual Fund drive. We also apply for Grants yearly

We have 11 members who currently live at the fire station- this provides us with response times of under 1 minute from time we receive the alarm 24 hours a day ,7 days a week 365 days a year.

We have 2 fire engines and 1 rescue truck as well as 3 support vehicles.

Our members are part of the County Technical Rescue Team and respond to Water Rescue calls, Trench collapse, Building Collapse, Ice rescue and Confined space rescue.

Our Fire Police respond to help local police at traffic and fire incidents and can be called on to help at special events.

A new tanker truck is on order to supply 3000 gallons of water to residents who do not live near a fire hydrant. Almost 80% of the Township does not have hydrants.

The department has a Board of Directors who manage the day to day operations of the department.

You can visit us on Facebook.

We provide station tours to groups- simply call the station at 292-4196 to schedule.

It takes hundreds of hours to train a new firefighter and we never stop learning and training.

We have administrative positions just like a business such as Treasurer, Membership Director, Secretary, Vice President, President, Financial and House Directors.

In 2015 we logged over 10,000 hours of volunteer service for our Community.

In an emergency dial 911.



Dover Area Community Library

Dover Area Community Library

3700-3 Davidsburg Rd.

Dover, PA 17315

717-292-6814

Hours

Monday 12-8

Tuesday 10-8

Wednesday 10-8

Thursday 10-5

Friday 10-1

Saturday 10-1

Sunday Closed



Sign up for Wowbrary on our site. Receive free email alerts about new books and library materials! Then reserve them in our catalog!

Friends of the

Library meet on the 3rd

Monday of each month at

1pm at the library.

All are welcome to attend.

When Nature Calls

Dover Area Community Library and Gifford Pinchot State Park present: When Nature Calls! Answers to Animal Life's Big Questions

The library's storytelling "Mr. George" Matthew and Pinchot's Environmental Education Specialist, Elizabeth Kepley-McNutt, combine the forces of fact and fiction in this series of fun-filled family programs!

Whoo Are You (A program about owls)

January 16, 2016 10:30 am

Owl Babies by Martin Waddell

Three baby owls, Sarah, Percy, and Bill, wake up one night in their hole in a tree to discover their mother is gone. So they sit on a branch and wait. Darkness gathers, and the owls grow anxious, wondering whether their mother will return. Beautifully written and illustrated, the book introduces us to unique characters and a mother who takes care of her young. What owls can we expect to see in this area? Do they, like the owl babies' mother, take night flights. Beth will introduce us to our area's owls.

Leaving A Mark (A program about animal tracks and scat)

February 6, 2016 10:30 am

Everyone Poops by Taro Gomi

Everyone poops. Really. Seriously. Since we all eat, we all must poop. It is not only a fact, but the title of the book to be shared today. The basic message here is that everyone does indeed poop. Gomi presents this in an informative and humorous manner. One can tell much about an animal by examining its scat (you know, poop). They also leave clues to who they are by their tracks. Beth will help us spot the clues left behind by the critters who call our area home.

It's A Bug's Life (A program about arthropods/insects)

March 5, 2016 10:30 am

Martina, the Beautiful Cockroach: A Cuban folktale retold by Carmen Agra Deedy

At the age of 21 days, Martina Josefina Catalina Cucaracha, a beautiful cockroach who lives with her family in a street lamp in Old Havana, is ready to give her leg in marriage. She is guided by the advice of Abuela, her Cuban grandmother. A wonderful series of encounters with potential suitors ensues. Will she find her match? At the conclusion of this tale, Beth will help us determine what exactly arthropods are and how they differ from us. Some of the most commonly encountered insects here in York County will be presented.

New Additions to The Collection!

Non-Fiction

Windows 10 for Seniors for Dummies by Peter Weverka

Windows 10 Simplified: Step-by-Step Instructions for Easy Learning by Paul McFedries

Getting (More) of What You Want by Margaret A Neale and Thomas Z. Lys

Unfinished Business by Ann-Marie Slaughter

Fiction

The Hummingbird by Stephen P. Kiernan

The Night Sister By Jennifer McMahon

The Tears of Dark Water by Corban Addison

After You by JoJo Moyes

Reserve any of these titles at:

<http://york.sparkpa.org/eg/opac/home>



For Inclement Weather Information:

Please visit our Facebook page or call the library to hear if we are open!

New Hope Ministries is a community based Christian social service agency which provides assistance to at risk and in crisis individuals and families. New Hope Ministries shows the love and hope of Christ by serving our neighbors in times of need and supporting their efforts toward stability.

~ The Dover community is a huge supporter of New Hope Ministries! Thank you for your continued dedication to our agency. We could not continue to serve the people in need in your community without the support of the churches, civic groups, municipalities, businesses, schools, individuals and other groups that support our agency.

Our Food Pantry is in the need of Peanut Butter, Tuna, Canned Chicken, Canned Meat, Canned Veggies, Canned Fruit, Soups, Shampoo, Toilet Paper, Dish Soap, Bath Soap, Cleaning Supplies, Tissues, Tooth Paste and Paper Towel.

Donations can be dropped off at the center Mon. – Fri. 9:00am – 4:00 pm.

Seeds of Success (SOS) Afterschool Program - This is a no cost after school program for the Dover School District Elementary School Students. The program is held Monday – Friday from school dismissal time to 5:30 pm. The program includes snack, homework help, educational enrichment, life skills lessons, bible lessons, team – building activities, fun and games. Students are picked up at school by a staff person. The program is held at Harmony Grove Church in Dover. Parents need to pick up their children at Harmony Grove Church by 5:30 or the New Hope Dover Center by 5:45. For more information, contact Joel Giovannetti, After School Program Manager at jgiovannetti@nhm-pa.net 717-292-3441 ext. 3016 or 717-329-5119.



Save the Date

Sunday, April 17, 2016

**Form a team of friends, your civic group, church group or family!
Ketterman Park, Dover**

Thank you!

Thanks to all those who supported New Hope Ministries in 2015! We are truly blessed by the local churches and the community as a whole who help make our programs and services available to our neighbors in need. Your gifts of time as a volunteer, food for our food pantry, and financial support help us achieve our mission of sharing Christ's love by meeting human needs. ***We can't do this without you-thank you!***

Need help?

If you or someone you know needs help with food, learning budgeting skills, finding a job, or dealing with a financial crisis, please contact us at 292-3441.

Our Wish List...



Peanut Butter	Toothpaste
Canned Meat	Shampoo
Canned Fruit	Cleaning Supplies
Soups	Paper Towels
Canned Vegetables	Bath Soap
Toilet Paper	Dish Soap