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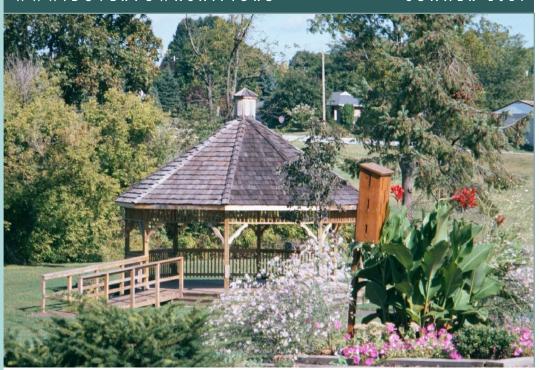
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# DOVER TOWNSHIP

**NEWSLETTER** 

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SUMMER 2021



### Help Doug maintain a clean Burrowhood

over Doug says DON'T DUMP IN his Burrowhood! Illegal Dumping Impacts our source water to the Dover Township Drinking Water System. It impacts the fish and wildlife that use the stream, like Doug. It degrades our stormwater that drains to other creeks and rivers, and the debris can increase the chance of property damage during flooding events. Help Doug maintain a clean Burrowhood by doing your part. Report violators to 911. If you live near a stream, clean up the debris that you see to help keep our community clean and protected. See the information on the law and penalties here: *PA Vehicle Code, Title 75, Chapter 37, c*overs litter and waste dropped, thrown, or deposited from a vehicle that lands upon any highway, other public or private property without the consent of the owner, or into or on the waters of the Commonwealth. Vehicle owners are responsible even if the owner was not driving or was not in the vehicle. It is a summary offense and may be sentenced to either or both: 1. To pay a fine of not more than \$900 in an

both: 1. To pay a fine of not more than \$900 in an easement purchased under the Agricultural Area Security Law, \$600 in an agricultural security area, or \$300 anywhere else. Fines are doubled in designated Litter Enforcement Corridors. 2. To pick up trash: 1st conviction: between 8 and 16 hours. 2nd conviction: between 16 and 32 hours. 3rd and more convictions: 40 and 80 hours.



# **Public Meetings**

#### **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

The Board of Supervisors will hold their regular meetings in the Township Municipal Building, 2480 West Canal Road, Dover, Pennsylvania, at 7:00pm on the second ( $2^{nd}$ ) and fourth ( $4^{th}$ ) Mondays of the month. The Dover Township Board of Supervisors invites the public to attend.

#### INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Dover Township Industrial and Commercial Development Committee promotes industrial and commercial activities that will expand the greater Dover area tax base. Meetings are held at the Township Municipal Building, 2480 West Canal Road, Dover, Pennsylvania, at 4:00pm on the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) Wednesday of the month.

#### PLANNING COMMISSION

The Dover Township Planning Commission is a five member Commission with one alternate member. The term of office is a five year staggered term. This Commission is an advisory body to the Board of Supervisors. The Authority is granted by the Municipal Planning Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The local ordinance of control is the Subdivision and Land Development Plan of Dover Township and the Dover Township Comprehensive Plan. Meetings are held at the Township Municipal Building, 2480 West Canal Road, Dover, Pennsylvania, at 7:00pm on the first (1st) Wednesday of the month.

#### **SEWER AUTHORITY**

The Dover Township Sewer Authority is the owner and financier of the Wastewater Treatment Facility, a regional facility, for Dover Township. The body is a five member, staggered term, Authority authorized by the Authorities Act of 1945 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. It is a Non-Operating Authority due to a "Lease Back Agreement" of operation to the Township. Meetings are held at the Wastewater Treatment Plant, 851 Graffius Road, York, Pennsylvania, at 6:00pm on the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) Wednesday of the month.



Do you need faster or more reliable internet for your home or business?

Complete this survey!

York County government, York County Economic Alliance, and the YoCo Fiber Broadband Task Force are working towards the goal of countywide broadband access. We are gathering data on your current internet access, speeds, and costs to help advance this initiative, secure grants, and ultimately bring better internet to your home or business.

Visit YoCoFiber.com to complete the survey and learn more.



York County
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Alliance



# July 24th - \$9 meal

Must pre-order. No Refunds!

# CHICKEN BBQ



# BUY TICKETS AT <u>www.DoverTwpRec.com</u> or at the Dover Library

#### **Proceeds benefit:**

Friends of the Dover Library, Dover Township Fire Dept., and Dover Rec

Pre-order your meal by coming to the library between June 21st and July l6th to pick up a \$9.00. Dinner's will include: ½ chicken, baked potato, applesauce, and roll. The library will accept cash, check, or credit cards. You can also order online at: www.DoverTwpRec. Pick up will be on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> from II:00am— 1:00 pm at Lehr Park on Davidsburg

# **Dover Community Library News**

Our spring book, bake, and plant sale was such a success that we decided to hold another in September. It will be at Brookside Park, 4054 Fox Run Rd., Dover. September 15th—19th. The hours are Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 10am—7pm. Saturday and Sunday 10am—2pm There will be used books, fall plants, and homemade baked goods.

These events benefit the Dover community and its programs and activities are for all ages!

# **Andover Utility Replacement Project**

On December 14, 2020, the Dover Township Supervisors approved a proposal for Spotts, Stevens, and McCoy to design, bid, and award the sanitary sewer and water replacement in Andover. This is one of Dover Townships older developments. The goal is for construction to being in September 2021 and be substantially completed in March of 2022. This project will include the replacing of all sanitary sewer and water mainlines. This project will also include the replacement of all sanitary sewer laterals and water service lines to the township right-of-way.



# Ford F550 with Cues Mainline & Lateral Inspection

The unit is outfitted with LAMPII Lateral Launch transporter, Compact Pipe Ranger Mainline transporter, MP+ Push Camera as well as CUES GraniteNet Software.

The LAMPII is capable of inspecting 6"-30" mainlines and launching laterals from 3"+ with the use of the included large line wheel kits, steel wheel kits, and lateral pan and tilt camera.

The Compact Pipe Ranger is capable of 6"-48" mainline inspection with the use of the included large line kits and remote-controlled camera lift. The MP+ push camera with 200' of cable is capable of lateral push inspections in pipes from 3"+. A GPS Mapping stick is also included

Also included is CUES designed and supported GraniteNet inspection collection software. GraniteNet allows for seamless, bidirectional communication between the Township's ESRI ArcGIS database and the GraniteNet software allowing for data to be automatically updated after each synchronization.







# It's Pool Season!

Thinking about purchasing a pool? Please call the Township to discuss the requirements for your pool installation. Many of the marketed inflatable pools available in stores and online retailers are not in compliance with the Building Code. If a pool is capable of holding more than 24 inches of water, it is defined as a Swimming Pool and must meet the requirements of the Dover Township Zoning Ordinance and the 2015 International Swimming Pool & Spa Code, as amended. Per Dover Township Zoning Ordinance, a pool must be set not closer than 10 feet to a side or rear property line. Any decking or concrete around the pool shall be at least 5 feet from the side or rear property line. Pool water shall also not be discharged onto any public street or alley, storm drain, or any neighboring property. Per the International Swimming Pool & Spa Code, a fence or wall acting as the pool barrier must be a minimum height of 48 inches. Gates installed in the barrier wall must contain an automatic latch, be self-closing, and open away from the pool. If your dwelling serves as one of your "barrier walls", the doors and windows having access to the pool area must contain an alarm producing an audible warning when the door or window is opened. For above ground pools, the height of the pool walls serve as the protective barrier if they exceed 48 inches and have a lockable ladder.

This information is being provided for informational purposes only and does not represent the comprehensive list of requirements associated with swimming pools. When submitting the required permit application for your pool, provide a site plan showing the pool in

relationship to your dwelling and property lines, as well as the pool pump specifications. The basic electric requirements for pool pumps can be found on the "Permits & Forms" section of the Dover Township Website, along with the permit application and an example site plan. For more information, please call 717-292-3634 and ask to speak with someone in the Building Department.



Enjoy the summer, and swim safely!

# **Highway Maintenance Projects**

The Township will be resurfacing Belair Drive, and Raycom Road this year. Along with replacing storm pipes and inlets on Blackberry Road.

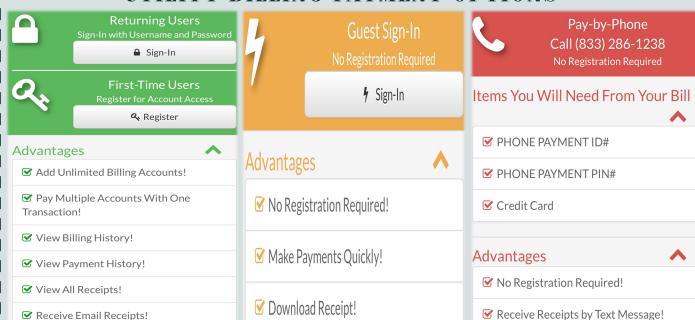
The Township Roadside mower will be out mowing all summer, please slowdown be on the lookout for that piece of equipment.

The township will also have a subcontractor in the next month or so repainting the yellow and white lines on our roads, so please do not blow your grass clippings, or other debris on the roads. Not only is this practice illegal, it does not help with the line painting.



Construction on the Rohlers Church Road bridge replacement is proceeding.

# UTILITY BILLING PAYMENT OPTIONS



Visit our website at: www.dovertownship.org

Click on the dropdown box that says "View Utility Account"

### ATTENTION:

FAILURE TO RECEIVE A BILL DOES NOT VOID RESPONSIBILITY FOR IT'S PAYMENT OR WAIVE THE PAST DUE PENALTY.

6 WAYS YOU CAN DO AT HOME TO

# **CONSERVE WATER**



Monitor your quarterly water bill



Run the dishwasher only when it's full



Turn off the faucet when lathering hands



Do not leave running water while brushing your teeth



Water the graden early in the morning or late in the evening



Regularly check hoses and faucets for leaks



# **WATER LEAKS**

Research has shown that water leaks can lead to 2,000—20,000 gallons of water being wasted each day.

The 7 most common areas where leaks occur are: showers/bathtubs, toilets, sinks, dishwashers, washer, water heaters, and outside spigots.

# ADOPT A ROAD/PARK Program

Adopt A Road/Adopt a Park is a National Litter Awareness
Program. This program helps to provide Dover Township and
its residents with a clean environment, acts as a reminder not
to litter, saves taxpayers money and promotes civic pride.
Dover Township is happy to sponsor this program and is
looking for volunteers. If you, your family or your civic minded
group would like to volunteer for a 2 year period, please
contact us. We will give you all the supplies you need. With
that two year commitment, we will erect a sign identifying the
name of your organization.

Please contact Brooke Scearce for more information at 717-292-3634 or bscearce@dovertownship.org

# RECYCLING TIP FROM PENN WASTE



PLASTIC BAGS GET WRAPPED AROUND OUR RECYCLING EQUIPMENT AND JAM UP THE MACHINERY. OUR EMPLOYEES MUST CLIMB INTO THE MACHINERY TO MANUALLY REMOVE THE PLASTIC BAGS THAT GET WRAPPED AROUND THE EQUIPMENT. FOR THIS REASON, PLEASE DO NOT PLACE PLASTIC BAGS IN YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING BINS!

REDUCE. REUSE. RECYCLE.

### 2021 Dover Township Trash & Recycling Collection Calendar

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= Christmas Tree Collection

Observed holidays are noted in RED. Collection days that fall on or after the holiday will be delayed one day. EXCEPTION: If holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there is no change in service prior to or after the holiday.

#### BASIC RESIDENTIAL GUIDELINES



- · Trash, Recycling, and one bulk item must be curb side by 6:00 AM on your scheduled collection day.
- All waste must fit into the mobile cart provided. Extra bags of trash will not count as a bulk item.
- Recycle Only customers may not dispose of any trash through curbside collection.
- Bulk items that are too heavy to be lifted into a truck by two people will not be accepted.
- Call Penn Waste to schedule collection of appliances containing freon (air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, etc.)
- · No construction debris will be collected curb side.
- To stay up to date on collection updates, sign up for our E-News Updates at www.pennwaste.com.



Creating a green community together.

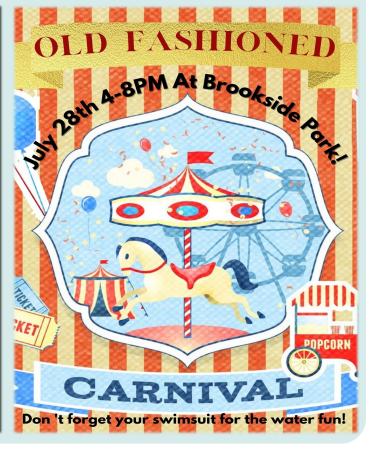




# **PARKS & RECREATION**











# UPCOMING EVENTS







Township
Volunteer
Fire
Department
will sponsor a
Food Truck and
Vendor Event on
Sunday, August
8th from
11:00am to
4:00PM at Lehr
Park,
Davidsburg
Road.

Anyone
interested in
having a food
truck or vendor
spot may
contact Carly at:
570-926-7827.

### The Weigelstown Lions Club Chicken BBQ



# Saturday, August 7th and Saturday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> beginning at 10:30 AM until sold-out.

The meal will include ½ BBQ Chicken, Baked potato, roll & apple sauce. Stop by our stands at the Fox Run Road & Route #74 intersection or at CVS parking lot intersection of Route #74 and Davidsburg Road. Proceeds benefit Dover Community organizations and the sight impaired.

### Weigelstown Lions Membership

Any Dover area resident interested in serving the community is invited to join the Weigelstown Lions. More information can be found on our web site at <a href="http://www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/weigelstown/">http://www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/weigelstown/</a> or our Facebook page. You may also call Dennis Meckley (717-764-3131) or any Lion member to discuss membership details.



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## How to Properly Dispose of HOT ASHES

In order to properly dispose of the hot ashes, here are some tips to keep in mind:

- If possible, allow ashes to cool in the area where you had the fire for several days. These areas are designed to contain their heat safely.
- When it is time to dispose of ashes, test to ensure the not ashes are cool by placing them in a cardboard box or bag before disposal. In this situation, never leave these ashes unattended until they are cool enough for disposal. If the ashes are too hot, they will begin to burn through the box or bag.
- DO NOT dispose of hot ashes with yard waste, such as tree trimmings or leaves, the potential for fires increase substantially.





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Stay tuned for Sunflower Fest Updates!



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WHO WE ARE: Greater Dover Area Dollars for Scholars is a 501c3 in Dover, PA which awards scholarships to graduating seniors from the Dover Area School District planning to attend a 2 or 4 year college, university, or technical school. Scholarships range from \$250 to \$4,000 on average and are directly funded by our fundraising events, donations from individuals and businesses and our partnership with the York County Community Foundation. Since the organization was founded in 2002, GDADFS has awarded over \$300,000 in scholarship money, including over \$25,000 last year alone to 12 different students.

WHAT YOU CAN DO: Volunteer by joining our Board, connect us with businesses that want to create a named scholarship, help to fund our existing scholarships, participate in our fundraisers, or spread the word to graduating high school students to apply for scholarships!

UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS:

#### 2021 SHOOTING FOR SCHOLARSHIPS SPORTING CLAY SHOOT

Saturday, May 15, 2021

Registration & Breakfast 9:00am – 9:45am 10:00am shot-gun start / Lunch to follow Central Penn Sporting Clays 75 Quarry Rd Wellsville, PA 17355

\$85 per person / \$300 per team

Registration Includes: Light Breakfast, 50 Targets / 50 Shells, Lunch & Beverages, Prizes to Top 3 Individuals

REGISTER Online or Email for a mail in form: greaterdover.dollarsforscholars.org www.eventbrite.com/e/136583261211

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#### 2021 GIVE LOCAL YORK Friday, May 7, 2021

12:01am - 11:59pm

a 24-hour online giving extravaganza

For 24 hours only, donors may visit <a href="www.givelocalyork.org">www.givelocalyork.org</a> to make secure donations to their favorite local nonprofit organizations like us. The minimum donation is \$5 and there is no maximum. Every dollar donated will be enhanced with bonus funds provided by Give Local York sponsors—making donor dollars stretch further! All donations go directly to funding our scholarships!

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION: All scholarships are offered to Dover Area School District graduating seniors. The 2021 total available amount is over \$30,000 including those scholarships possible through our partnership with the York County Community Foundation. All applications must be submitted in electronic form through greaterdover dollarsforscholars.org. This year, scholarships opened for application on February 28, 2021. The due date for all applications is April 2, 2021. We look forward to announcing the winners in May 2021.

HOW TO APPLY: Go To: GreaterDover.DollarsForScholars.org and select the tab "Students & Parents" then press "Click to Login" to the ChapterNet Portal. Create a student profile and the apply for all possible scholarships!



Sharing Christ's love by meeting human needs

New Hope Ministries remains open and safely serving those in



need in the Dover community! If you or someone you know in the Dover area needs help with food, housing (rent, utility assistance), or finding a job, please contact us. If you are healthy and able to volunteer or can make a financial gift to support your neighbors in need, please contact us at <a href="https://www.nhm-pa.org">www.nhm-pa.org</a>. Thank you!

The Dover Center's most needed items include:

- Ramen noodles, canned carrots, Spaghetti O's
- Coffee and personal care items including laundry detergent
- We accept all school supplies to help our students start off the school year right!

Dover Center 62 N. Main Street, Dover PA (717) 292-3441

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We are excited to announce that the Northern York County Regional Police Department has joined Neighbors by Ring! The 'Neighbors' app is a digital neighborhood watch right on your phone where you can get real-time crime and safety alerts from your neighbors and law enforcement.

NYCRPD will be using 'Neighbors' to monitor crime in your area and send you updates on key crime incidents so you can all stay informed. By working together, we can all make our area a safer community.

Download the free 'Neighbors' app

(https://download.ring.com/northernyorkcounty) today to see what's happening in your neighborhood









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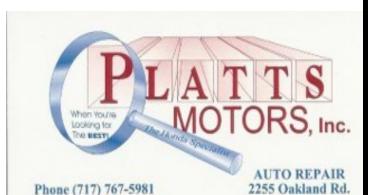
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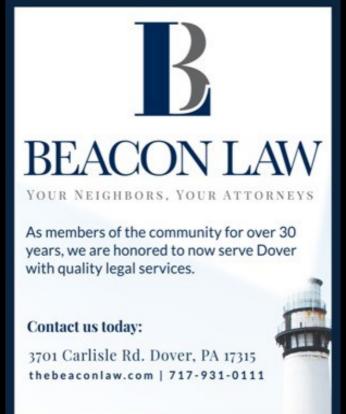
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