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IMPORTANT CHANGES IN CURBSIDE RECYCLING

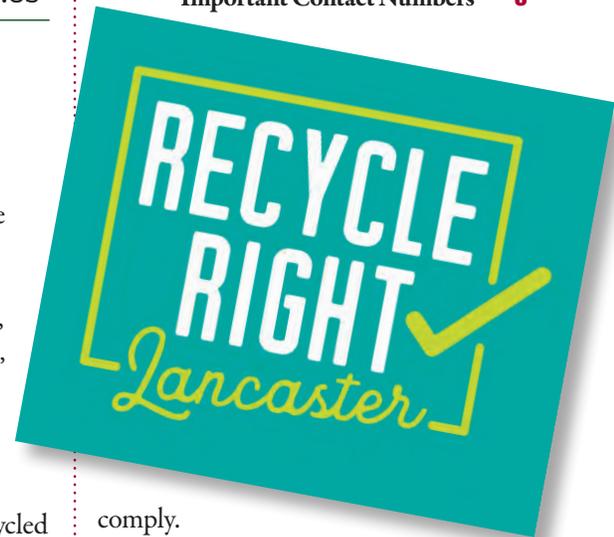
Lancaster County has single-stream recycling, meaning materials are placed in one bin, making it easier for consumers and trash haulers. However, plastic grocery bags, wet newspapers and magazines, dirty food containers, diapers, and other items not meant to be recycled, have been placed in recycling bins. This greatly impacts the recycle process. It impedes the sorting of the materials, contaminates the recyclable materials, and basically causes the recyclable materials to become useless and unrecyclable.

Recycling in Lancaster County has now been reduced to the “BIG 4,” which is: 1) corrugated cardboard, such as shipping/packing boxes and CLEAN pizza boxes; 2) plastic (with a neck) bottles, jars, and jugs; 3) metal food and beverage cans; and 4) green, brown, and clear glass bottles and jars. ONLY the Big 4 materials can be

recycled, and all materials need to be clean before putting them into the recycle bin. Everything else, such as newspapers, magazines, yogurt cups, food containers, bottle caps, cartons, egg crates, and tissue and cereal boxes should be placed in the trash. “When in doubt, throw it out!”

It’s reassuring to know that in Lancaster County materials not recycled do not end up in a landfill. They are burned in the LCSWMA waste-to-energy facility and transformed into renewable energy. This waste-to-energy process reduces the volume of waste by 90%, recovers valuable metals, and diminishes greenhouse gas emissions by eliminating the creation of methane had the waste been landfilled.

The Lancaster County Solid Waste Management Authority is working with trash haulers and municipalities to help educate residents on how to “Recycle Right Lancaster,” and get everyone to



comply. Visit

recyclerightlancaster.org for more information.

New Refuse/Recycle Contractor

Waste Management trucks are coming your way! New trash and recycle trucks will be making their way down your street starting October 1, 2018. The Lancaster Township Supervisors awarded the new three-year contract to Waste Management. Your patience will be appreciated as they become familiar with the township collection area and disposal program. To learn more about them, visit their social media pages on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram. For details on weather-related events affecting service, you can visit the Waste Management weather alert site at wm.com/weather-alert. Visit lancastertownship.org for more information on trash and recycling. ■

CLIP 'N' SAVE

FOCUS ON THE BIG 4
RINSE & PUT ONLY THESE ITEMS IN BIN

<p>1</p> <p>CORRUGATED CARDBOARD</p>	<p>2</p> <p>PLASTIC BOTTLES & JUGS W/ NECKS</p>	<p>3</p> <p>METAL FOOD & BEVERAGE CANS</p>	<p>4</p> <p>GLASS JARS & BOTTLES</p>
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It's okay to throw *everything else* away. It will be turned into renewable energy.

Visit recyclerightlancaster.org for more tips.

Dates to Remember

- OCTOBER 1: TRASH/RECYCLING BILLS MAILED OUT
- OCTOBER 1-4: YARD WASTE COLLECTION ENDS
- OCTOBER 8: LEAF PICKUP FOR NON-SIGNED STREETS BEGINS
- OCTOBER 16 & 17: LEAF PICKUP FOR SIGNED STREETS BEGINS
- OCTOBER 30: TRASH/RECYCLING BILLS DUE
- NOVEMBER 5-8: APPLIANCE/TIRE COLLECTION
- NOVEMBER 17: LAST SATURDAY FOR YARD WASTE DROP OFF
- NOVEMBER 21: YARD WASTE FACILITY CLOSES
- DECEMBER 4 & 5: LEAF PICKUP FOR SIGNED STREETS ENDS
- DECEMBER 14: LEAF PICKUP FOR NON-SIGNED STREETS ENDS
- JANUARY 7: BO'S REORGANIZATION & REGULAR MEETING
- JANUARY 2-5 & 7-11: CHRISTMAS TREE DROP-OFF, 7:30AM-3:30PM
- JANUARY 8: BOARD OF AUDITORS MEETING
- JANUARY 7-10: CURBSIDE CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Office Closings

- NOVEMBER 22 & 23, 2018
- DECEMBER 24 & 25, 2018
- JANUARY 1, 2019
- JANUARY 21, 2019
- FEBRUARY 18, 2019

School District of Lancaster

VISIT LANCASTER.K12.PA.US FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL CALENDAR AND BOARD MEETING DATES, OR CALL (717) 299-2700.



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Connect with your community—join Nextdoor.com

Trick or Treat Night

Wednesday, October 31, 2018, 6-8pm



NEW ORDINANCES APPROVED:

2018-02: Authorizing the installation of a traffic control device prohibiting left turns at the intersection of Race Avenue with Columbia Avenue.

2018-03: Amending Chapter 280-Zoning, to add definitions and self-storage facilities as a use permitted by right or special exception subject to specific criteria, and to amend section 903 to add mobile home park.

2018-04: Amending dog ordinance 1992-2, §96-3 to require dogs to be leashed and under control of the owner at all times when on any public property or the property of another person.

Complete ordinances are available for public inspection during regular office hours.

COVERED DEVICES RECYCLING ACT

PA Act 108 of 2010 instituted a recycling law for covered devices/e-waste. Residents are prohibited from disposing of televisions, computers and accessories, cell phones, cameras, etc. with curbside trash or recycling. These items must be taken to the Hazardous Waste Facility at 1299 Harrisburg Pike. (717) 397-9968; www.lcswma.org. See the township website for more details. ■

Dogs must be leashed

An amendment was made to Ordinance 2 of 1992, Chapter 96, Animals, Article I. Dogs, §96-3 Running at large is prohibited. Approved at the September 10, 2018 Board of Supervisors meeting, and now in effect, Ordinance 2018-04 states, "No owner shall permit any dog to be upon any public property or the property of another person unless the dog is leashed and under control of the owner at all times."



Trash/Recycling Bills

SEMIANNUAL TRASH/RECYCLING BILLS WILL BE MAILED OCTOBER 1, 2018, ARE DUE OCTOBER 30, 2018, AND CAN BE PAID ONLINE USING CREDIT CARD OR CHECK. THE FEE IS \$110 FOR SIX MONTHS. A 10% DISCOUNT (\$99) IS OFFERED TO RESIDENTS 60 YEARS+. BRING ID WITH PROOF OF AGE TO THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE.



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- Planning/Zoning Officer & Asst. Township Manager Tom Daniels
- Planning/Zoning Assistant Gretchen Smith
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- Township Engineer Ben Webber
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Lancaster Township Office
1240 Maple Avenue
(717) 291-1213
Maintenance Facility
1357 Meadowcreek Lane
(717) 293-1733

► **Needle Disposal**

Dispose of used sharps/needles safely and properly! Always use a Safe Clip™, a portable device that clips and stores up to 1500 needles. Sharps are biohazardous waste and a public health hazard. Never put loose needles in the trash. Use a Safe Clip™ specifically designed for sharps. Do not use drink cans, plastic food boxes, detergent bottles, or any other hard-plastic container. Those containers burst open when compressed in garbage trucks. Lancaster County Solid Waste Management Authority provides Safe Clips™ for free. Once full, it can be disposed of in your regular trash, never in the recycle bin. Safe Clips™ are also available for purchase at most pharmacies.

► **Large Appliance & Tire Collection**

November 5–8 on your regular collection day. Includes washers, dryers, dishwashers, refrigerators, dehumidifiers, etc. A \$12 blue tag must be attached to each appliance. Items too heavy to be lifted by two people will not be accepted. Each tire, removed from the rim, requires a \$2 purple tag. NO commercial truck tires. Purchase tags at the township office. Your address and item(s) must be placed on the collection list at least two business days in advance of your collection day. Email jyost@twp.lancaster.pa.us or call (717) 291-1213 x301.



PUTTING OUT THE TRASH

Curbside yard waste collection ends the week of October 1, on your regular collection day. Bio-bags will be available at the yard waste facility until Wednesday, October 3 (or while supply lasts). Yard waste must not exceed 30 pounds. Larger branches, three inches or more in diameter, must be cut into 4-foot lengths and bundled/tied. Once curb collection stops, residents must take their bio-bags to the yard waste facility at 1357 Meadowcreek Lane until it closes on November 21. After November 21, yard waste should be included with regular trash in plastic bags, and set out as part of your 96 gallons per week collection.



What and when on the curb

Trash & recycling must be curbside by 5:00am on your scheduled collection day. Containers should have lids to help keep birds and squirrels out, and should have pre-molded handles. Fifty-five gallon barrels, or any barrel without handles, are unacceptable. No more than three trash bags/cans will be collected each week. Additional bags/cans may be put out, but must have a YELLOW extra service tag attached to each. Bags/cans must not exceed 32 gallons or 30 pounds each week; however, if they do, each requires a RED extra service tag attached. Oversized items, such as a sofa, mattress, or carpet, may be put out with the trash (limit 2 per week), and each one must have a RED extra service tag attached. Items too heavy to be lifted into a truck by two people will not be accepted. Purchase tags at the township office during regular business hours. No construction/demolition debris will be collected. It must be disposed of at the Lancaster County Solid Waste Facility.



Recycling bins

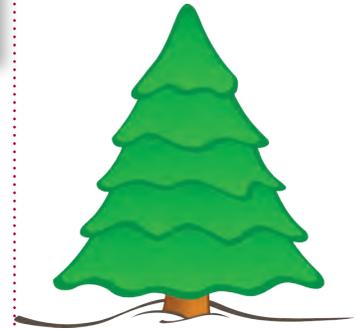
Recycling is mandatory in Lancaster Township, and is picked up on the same day your trash is collected. This is a co-mingled recycling program, and all items should be cleaned before putting into recycle bin. The list of acceptable materials for placement in the curbside recycling bin is the Big 4 (see page 1). Recycle containers can be purchased at the township office, or you may purchase a container elsewhere; just be sure to clearly mark it RECYCLING so it is not mistaken for trash. If the forecast calls for rain, snow, ice, or high winds, keep your corrugated cardboard recyclables inside until the following week.



Wet cardboard is heavy and difficult to process, and winds will make a mess by blowing it all around the neighborhood. ■

► **Illegal dumping**

OF ANY REGULATED MATERIAL IS A PUNISHABLE OFFENSE. LANCASTER TOWNSHIP WILL ENFORCE ALL REGULATIONS AND IMPOSE PENALTIES ON VIOLATORS.



► **Christmas Trees**

Collection of REAL Christmas trees is the week of January 7–10, 2019 on your scheduled trash day. This is the only free pickup. If you miss the collection, it will require a \$4 oversized item tag for disposal. All decorations must be removed; no tree bags. Do not put trees out before January 7. REAL TREES ONLY may also be dropped off at the yard waste facility at 1357 Meadowcreek Lane, January 2–4 (W-F) and January 7–11 (M-F), 7:30am–3:30pm. No decorations or tree bags, and absolutely no yard waste will be accepted. Users of the yard waste facility must enter via the Elm Avenue driveway and exit onto Meadowcreek Lane. Artificial trees put out with trash require a \$4 tag. Purchase tags at the township office.

Planning & Zoning

Know what's below! **Dial 811** before you dig! Did you know that every property owner doing excavating or digging *must* call PA-One Call before they begin the project? It's the law and it is intended to protect people and underground facilities such as gas lines, electric, water and sewer pipes from accidental and very dangerous ruptures. The repairs, if PA One is not notified, can be extremely costly to the home and the property owners as well. This includes projects large and small, from earth-moving to fences, trees, and even mail boxes. PA One Call is a communications facilitator. They do not identify the lines. They send the utility companies out to identify their lines.

A few tips:

1. When calling, know the type of work, where it is being done, and who is doing it. Check the website paonecall.org for the full list of questions they will be asking.
2. The person doing the digging needs to call PA One Call. The call center is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, every day of the year.
3. Make sure the work area is clearly marked in white before anyone comes out to identify the lines.
4. The property owner needs to make sure everyone has responded to the PA One Call before starting to dig.
5. **If you hit a gas line when digging, call 911 first, then call 811.**

Your LAWFUL START DATES, determined by your scheduled excavation date, will be provided at the time of your call. It will be a minimum of 3 business days, but not more than 10

business days from the date the call is placed. These dates indicate the earliest date, by law, that digging can begin and the last possible date when digging must begin. Make sure this becomes part of your project schedule. It can save you a lot more than time. **Know What's Below! And Call Before You Dig!** ■



Visit LancasterRec.org for a complete listing of programs.

Special events

- Fall Family Fun Fest at Conestoga Pines Barn. October 19, 6–8:30pm.
- Mom-Son Fall Ball at the Lancaster Marriott. November 9, 5:30–8:30pm. Boys ages 5–13 and their female family members. \$55 per couple.
- Candy Cane Hunt at Musser Park. December 7, 7pm. Ages 2–14.
- Extraordinary Give. Stop by Tellus 360, November 16 11am–9pm to show support for Lancaster Rec!
- Daddy-Daughter Dance. February 8

Year-round

State-licensed quality child care for infants (6 weeks and older), toddlers, and preschool-age children at McCaskey and the Lancaster Recreation Center. Before and After School programs also provided in School District of Lancaster elementary schools—no transportation needed!

Youth sports include dance, tennis, flag football, volleyball, field hockey, gymnastics, basketball, soccer, football, and wrestling. Adult sports include coed kickball and softball leagues and Tai Chi fitness classes.

The Lancaster Rec Senior Center offers weekly activities to those over the age of 60. Membership is free and a daily lunch is provided. Activities include shuffleboard, pinochle, art projects, fitness classes, craft club, picnics, parties and more. The senior orchestra meets weekly on Wednesdays. ■

MS4: JUST BECAUSE IT'S GREEN ... DOESN'T MAKE IT OK

Most homeowners have a yard covered by grass. It turns out we've planted so much grass that some experts have estimated grass is the largest cultivated plant in Pennsylvania. But, it needs to be mowed and sometimes weeded and sometimes fertilized. The township has ordinance requirements for grass height (no taller than 6") and monitors properties as cost-effectively as we can. If the property is 10 acres or more, grass or grain is permitted to grow higher than 6" for the purpose of harvesting agricultural products.

The maintenance of the area next to the street is important for keeping sidewalks and right-of-ways clear. At intersections, this becomes even more important, to make sure there is adequate sight distance. Easements are often required during property subdivision processing to ensure that sight distances are maintained.

What about invasive species? Although some may be attractive, they can become a real nuisance. Controlling them early is the key. Bamboo and many ivies are examples of fast-growing vegetation

that really have no business in our community. The township website has some good information about identifying invasive species and how to eradicate them.

Uncontrolled vegetation can lead to substantial problems for our infrastructure. Unhealthy or improperly pruned trees can fall on roadways. Stands of bamboo have clogged roadside swales and have had to be trimmed or removed. Excessive growth of trees or bushes can make sidewalks impassable. Several stormwater basins and many swales have had to be cleared of overgrowth and then rehabilitated.

So, we encourage property owners to be aware of all of the vegetation on their land so that they can take the proper steps for our common good. ■



Public Works Department

When street sweeping ends prior to leaf pickup, parking restrictions will remain in force on signed streets. There will be no warning notices; parking tickets will be issued. Leaf pickup for signed streets begins October 16 & 17; ends December 4 & 5 (the first & third Tuesdays and Wednesdays of the month). Please abide by the schedule as it appears on your street sign to avoid a parking ticket. Leaf pickup for non-signed streets begins October 8; ends December 14. There is no scheduled pickup for non-signed streets. Leaves are collected on a rotating basis. The crew starts at one end of the township, and continues day after day until the entire township has had a collection, then it starts all over again. The leaf pickup schedule may be altered at any time due to weather conditions.

ONLY leaves are to be placed on the street for pickup; no grass or yard waste. The township will pick up bagged leaves on some high-traffic state highways that are not included in the regular schedule (Marietta Avenue, Columbia Avenue, Wabank Road, Millersville Pike). Plastic or paper bio-bags can be used. Call (717) 293-1733 when your bags of leaves are at the curb ready for pickup. See the township website for more details on leaf pickup.

Final dates for leaf pickup

(weather permitting!)

- Monday, Dec. 10: All areas between Columbia Ave., Marietta Ave., Race Ave., and 0–200 block River Drive.
- Tuesday, Dec. 11: All non-signed areas in East and West Township including Conestoga Woods area.
- Wednesday, Dec. 12: All non-signed areas in East and West Township finish Conestoga Woods area.
- Thursday, Dec. 13: All areas between Marietta Ave. and Newton Rd. N., President Ave., and the 300–700 block of River Dr.
- Friday, Dec. 14: Areas west of Abbeyville Rd., School House Rd., N. Bausman Dr., Bausman, Gable

Park, Bentley Lane, Chadwick Circle, Bean Hill Rd., Wedge Wood, Windolph Landing, Honeysuckle Ln., and Millrace Development

Yard waste

Users of the yard waste facility should continue to enter via the Elm Avenue driveway and exit onto Meadowcreek Lane until further notice. NEW days and hours of operation are Mondays and Wednesdays 3:30pm until 7pm; Every Saturday 9am to 1pm. Monday and Wednesday hours will be adjusted for Daylight Savings Time. Check the township website for hours. Facility closes November 21. This service is for residents only; ID is required.

NO CONTRACTORS WILL BE ADMITTED. Yard waste bags are available from the attendant, up to a maximum of 10 bags per visit, until October 4 (or while supply lasts); 20 bag limit per week, per property owner. Plastic bags are not allowed in the yard waste facility.

Snowstorms



During a snowstorm, while snow is still falling, the road crew makes an “Emergency Pass,” plowing in two directions up and down the street to allow for the passage of emergency vehicles. The crew will continue to plow this “Emergency Pass” as snow continues to fall. When the snow stops, the crew will return to widen the streets for on-street parking and allow room for future storms. Please remove vehicles from the street, if possible, to allow plows to get close to the edge of the road in order to get the road as wide as possible. It is recommended that reflective markers be placed along your yard in non-curbed areas since it is impossible for the plow driver to determine where the road edge is and your lawn edge begins. Sometimes mailboxes are toppled or damaged by the snowplow if they are too close to

the road edge or mounted poorly. Even properly installed mailboxes can be damaged by heavy wet snow that comes off the plow more forcefully. Every effort is made by our operators to avoid or minimize damage to property; however, the repair of mailboxes, lawn areas, trees, and/or shrubbery planted on the right-of-way is the property owner’s responsibility.

Extra steps after a snowstorm:

- Snow is to be plowed or shoveled to the side of the driveway away from the flow of traffic.
- Clearing snow for a distance before the driveway allows the plow to unload before reaching the driveway entrance.
- Eliminate snow piles at driveway entrances; they may obstruct a motorist’s vision on the main road, as well as those exiting the driveway.
- Assist the fire and highway departments by clearing snow away from fire hydrants, and opening up storm inlets to allow the melting snow a place to go and avoid possible flooding of the roadway.
- Do not throw snow onto roads after they have been plowed. This creates hazardous driving conditions, and is against the law by violating Ordinance No. 3 of 1987.

Updated information sources

During inclement weather, storms or any unusual situation, please check the following for Public Works Updates:

- The township website at www.twp.lancaster.pa.us
- On Twitter Lancaster Township @Itemc
- Nextdoor, the private neighborhood and community social network at www.nextdoor.com
- WGAL and LNP during snow and other emergencies
- Public Works Office: (717) 293-1733, M–F, 7am–3:30pm
For true emergencies call 911 or Non-Emergency Police Assistance at (717) 664-1180

Manheim Township Police Department VEHICLE THEFT CAN BE PREVENTED

Theft of property from parked vehicles, and sometimes of the vehicle itself, has occurred in Lancaster Township. Most of these thefts are crimes of opportunity.



Thieves will walk around vehicles, reach in windows, or try doors until they find one unlocked. Once in, they grab whatever they can—loose change, money, valuables, or even a spare key allowing them to steal the car for a joy ride, or use it to further their criminal activities. Another crime of opportunity is when vehicles are left running, unattended, to warm up during winter weather. PA Vehicle code (PA Title 75,

§3701a) makes it unlawful to allow your vehicle to be parked on a street with the keys in it, left unattended.



Lancaster Township Ordinance (§270-1) makes it unlawful to leave keys in an unattended vehicle.

In addition to stealing property and vehicles, there have been cases where suspects are stealing catalytic converters off of the exhaust systems of parked vehicles. Suspects are reported as wearing clothing that makes them appear to be repairmen. In reality, they are stealing the catalytic converter, which contains valuable metals inside, and then selling it for scrap metal.

If you see something, say something.

The police depend on citizens to be a part of the team and to report what they believe is suspicious activity. You never know when you hold a piece of the puzzle that may lead to the arrest of a criminal, or actually help stop a crime in progress. The Manheim Township Police Department reminds residents to always lock vehicles, keep windows closed, remove valuables, or secure them out of sight. Do not leave spare vehicle keys, or even house keys, in your vehicle, and do not allow the vehicle to run unattended. These simple steps may be all that is needed to prevent you from becoming a victim of theft. ■

REMINDER: EMERGENCY 911

Nonemergency: (717) 664-1180

Police Administration: (717) 569-6401

Anonymous Crime Tip Line: (717) 569-2816
— 24 hours a day/7 days a week

Lancaster Family YMCA

265 Harrisburg Avenue, Lancaster • (717) 393-9622

The Y is the place where families have fun and spend quality time together. Kids play and build character, adults develop ways to live healthier, and neighbors connect with their community. The Lancaster Family YMCA has been strengthening the foundations of the community since 1854. As a nonprofit, charitable organization, the Lancaster Family YMCA is accessible to all people. Financial assistance is available towards memberships and programs. Visit lancasteryymca.org to learn more about events and programs being offered. ■



LANCASTER PUBLIC LIBRARY

125 N. DUKE STREET, LANCASTER
OPEN MONDAY–THURSDAY: 10AM TO 8PM
FRIDAY–SATURDAY: 10AM TO 5PM
SUNDAY: CLOSED

For detailed information and registration for all library programs/events, visit lancasterpubliclibrary.org, or call (717) 394-2651.

- **LPL Reads: The Night Circus.** September 26, 6pm
- **Are You Smarter than a Librarian?** October 11, 6:30pm at Tellus 360. Registration fee for teams; suggested donation at the door for the audience.
- **Fall ReSort Book Sale** at the Marshall Street Book ReSort Center. October 12, 9am–5pm; October 13, 9am–5pm; October 14 (1/2 price day), 9am–5pm.
- **The Business of Art.** October 17, 2pm and 6:30pm. Registration required.
- **LPL Reads: Frankenstein.** Tuesday, October 23, 6:30pm.
- **Haunted Library.** October 26, 6pm to 8:30pm. **MUST** have ticket to enter. Costume contest (ages 0–18), trick-or-treat trail (ages 12 and under), games & crafts; DJ dance party, refreshments. The basement maze is appropriate for teens 14 and older, and teens 12–13 with a parent or guardian. Tickets are \$5 in advance.
- **Friends of Lancaster Public Library Baubles & Bling Sale.** November 1, 10am–7pm; November 2 and 3, 10am–4pm
- **Build your Family Tree: A Genealogy Workshop.** Monday, November 5, 11am–12:30pm
- **Thursday Book Group.** 2nd Thursday of each month, 10am.
- **The Night Circus.** Dec. 7,

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Lancaster Township Fire Department (LTFD)

Checking Car Seats September 26

A car seat check event will take place in Lancaster Township, free of charge and by appointment only, on Wednesday, September 26, 2018 from 5:30–7:30pm at the LTFD North Station at 1250



Centers for Disease Control, via Wikimedia Commons

Maple Avenue. Email Lieutenant Jennifer Miller at jmiller@ltdf.org for an appointment. Car seat check events will be held two or three times

throughout the year. Residents should watch the LTFD website and Facebook page for scheduled dates and times.

Santa is coming to town!

Lancaster Township firefighters will escort Santa as he visits the children of western Lancaster Township. Santa will be out between 6pm and 8pm on a fire truck, with lights flashing, sirens sounding, and Christmas music playing!

Here is the 2018 Santa Run schedule:

Monday, 12/3: Sterling Place

Wednesday, 12/5: Hawthorne Ridge

Thursday, 12/6: Hamilton Park East, Manor House

Library, Continued

7pm–11pm. Join community leaders, young professionals, local entrepreneurs, and library enthusiasts at the party of the year inspired by this New York Times bestselling book. Tickets \$65 in advance, \$75 at the door. 21 and over.

- **Lapsit Storytime.** Ages 0–3 years. Most Wednesdays & Thursdays at 10:30am. Registration required.
- **Family Movie Night.** First Tuesday of the month at 6pm at the library.
- **STEM Night.** Fourth Monday of the month at 6pm. STEM Night is

- Friday, 12/7: Gable Park
- Monday, 12/10: School Lane Hills North
- Tuesday, 12/11: School Lane Hills South
- Wednesday, 12/12: Kensington Club, Southern Village, Gentlemans Way, Quail Run
- Thursday, 12/13: Windolph Landing



Friday, 12/14: Millcreek Manor, Millrace, Honeysuckle Lane

Monday, 12/17: Wedgewood Estates

Tuesday, 12/18: Bausman, N. Bausman Drive, Bentley Lane, Hamilton Park West

Wednesday, 12/19: Lancaster Green, Lancaster Arms, Chadwick Circle

Thursday, 12/20 & Friday, 12/21 will be make-up nights.

All nights are dependent on weather and fire calls. Consult the LTFD website or Facebook page for additional information and schedule updates. ■

appropriate for students ages 9–13. Registration required.

- **Coder Dojo.** 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm. Join professional software developers and learn how to code, explore technology, and develop websites, apps, programs, and games. All skill levels welcome! Ages 9–18. Registration required.
- **Adult Computer Classes.** Free classes taught by experienced volunteers. Most weeknights 6pm–7:45pm. For more information or to register, visit the LPL reference desk or call (717) 394-2651, ext. 128. ■

Lafayette Fire Company

Gear up, give back, save lives, volunteer!

Serving the east end of Lancaster Township, Lafayette Fire Company seeks volunteers. Do you: Thrive in a setting that is challenging and never predictable? Enjoy the camaraderie of being part of a team? Seek out opportunities to learn new skills? See yourself as a dedicated, motivated and courageous person? Believe it's important to help others? If so, you have what it takes to be a Lafayette Fire Company Volunteer Firefighter!



Lafayette Fire Company has many volunteer positions open. Call (877) 79-JoinLFC and leave a message, or submit your online inquiry at joinlafayette.com/volunteer. ■

Hamilton Park Church Halloween Parade:

Saturday, October 20, 2018; begins at 11am, Hamilton Park Playground. For details, call (717) 397-9791 or email admin@hpucc.org.



Fitness classes are offered by Hamilton Park United Church of Christ every day of the week. Check the website hpucc.org and Facebook page www.facebook.com/hpucc for more information.

Lancaster Township Officials

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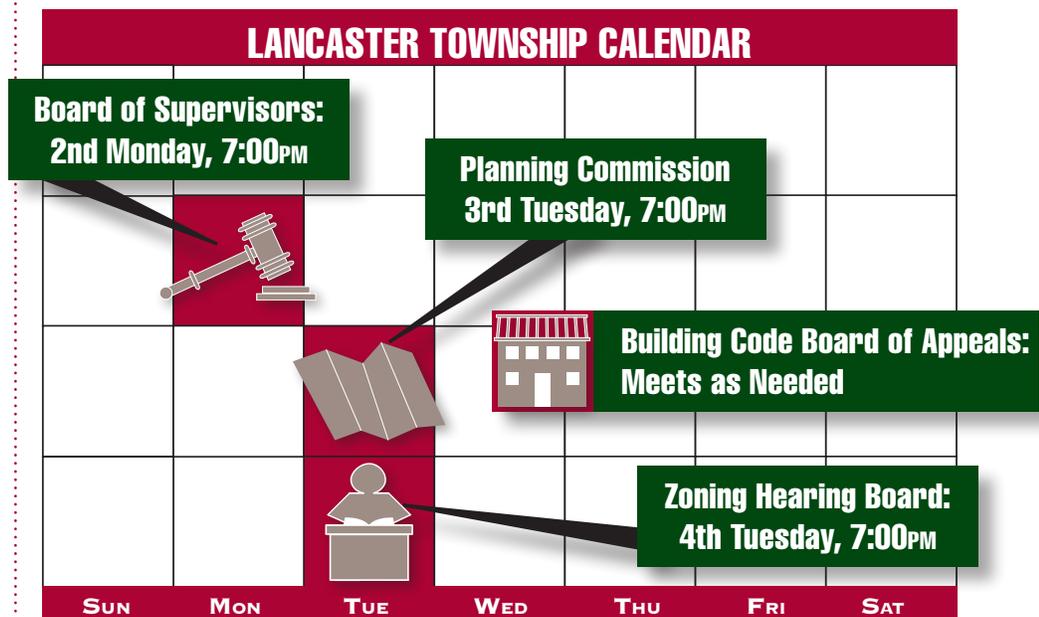
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 Billing: (717) 735-3425
 Service: Weekdays (717) 291-4820
Water Emergencies: (717) 291-4816

PPL Electric
 Power outage or downed/broken street light: (800) 342-5775
 Downed wires: (800) 342-5775 (press 1, then 3, for emergency)

Sewer Services
LASA (Lancaster Area Sewer Authority – west side): (717) 299-4843
Emergencies: Evenings, Weekends, Holidays: (717) 396-9619
SLSA (Suburban Lancaster Sewer Authority – east side): (717) 560-7500
Emergencies: (717) 293-5533

UGI Gas Utilities
 Gas leak inside: Leave immediately, taking all people and pets.
 Call (800) 276-2722 away from the building.
 Gas leak outside: Call (800) 276-2722 or 911.

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