

# TOWNSHIP OF INDIANA

NEWSLETTER

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2013

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## STATE ROUTE 910 ROAD CLOSURE

As you are now probably aware, State Route 910 is CLOSED near its intersection with Blue Run Road. See below for the official Press Release from the PA Turnpike Commission. **Also, please visit the "Road Closure" section on the Township website ([www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com)) for detour information, future schedules, etc.**

Pa. Turnpike Traffic Advisory: Gibsonia Road (State Route 910) Bridge Replacement to close Section of State Route 910 in Indiana Twp., Allegheny Co.: 9-month detour for local traffic

The Pennsylvania Turnpike will be closing a section of State Route 910 in Indiana Twp., Allegheny Co. to begin work on the replacement of an overhead bridge which carries Gibsonia Road (State Route 910) over the Turnpike at milepost 44.3. For local traffic, it is near the intersection of State Route 910 and Blue Run Road.

The bridge replacement will require a detour for cars and a separate detour for truck traffic. On February 11<sup>th</sup> the following detours will be in effect:

**CAR DETOUR ROUTE:** Traffic will be detoured over Saxonburg Boulevard (SR 1013), Harts Run Road (SR 1010), Dorseyville Road, Fox Chapel Road (SR 1006), Guys Run Road (SR 1006) and Locust Hill Road (SR 1006). Approximate length of detour is 12 miles.

**TRUCK DETOUR ROUTE:** Traffic will be detoured over Saxonburg Boulevard (SR 1013), SR 008 and SR 28. Approximate length of detour is 20 miles.

Joseph B. Fay Company of Russellton, PA will be replacing the existing steel girder bridge that carries Gibsonia Road over the Turnpike with a new, steel beam bridge. The project completion date is Mid-October, 2013. This early action project is a part of the future total reconstruction of the Turnpike Mainline from milepost 40 to 48.

Information about individual projects, including the MP 40 to 48 Total Reconstruction Project, can also be found on the website, [www.paturnpike.com](http://www.paturnpike.com) - click on the "Construction" link, then click Projects to easily access project information, including advisories and detour routes.

**NEW** - TRIP Talk streams audio advisories to iPhone and Droid users on America's First Superhighway. To download the free app, Pa. Turnpike travelers can visit <http://www.paturnpike.com/triptalk>. Users do not have to create an account, register or sign up with the Turnpike to use TRIP Talk.

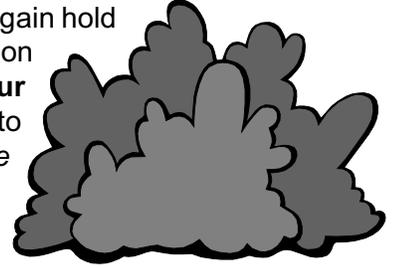
*The app uses your phone's built-in GPS to stream nearby advisories.*

## GARBAGE COLLECTION

Please note that on the week following Easter, **garbage will be picked up on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> as usual.** On the week of Memorial Day, garbage pick up will be delayed; pick up will be on **Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup>.**

# SPRING BRUSH COLLECTION

To assist residents with outdoor Spring cleanup activities, the Township will once again hold its *annual* Spring Brush Collection. Instead of picking up different Districts on different days, we will pick up brush **throughout the entire Township on four Mondays: April 1<sup>st</sup>, April 8<sup>th</sup>, April 15<sup>th</sup> and April 22<sup>nd</sup>**. Residents are asked to place all brush at the roadside **by 7:00 am**, with butt ends facing the street. *The public works department will then be out throughout the week to pick up the brush. They may not complete the pick-up on Monday, but possibly later in the week, depending on their work schedule.* Tree limbs larger than 5 inches in diameter, or longer than 8 feet, will not be picked up. Vines, rose bushes, shrubs, hedges, etc., must be securely tied in bundles no larger than 16" in diameter. Loose material will not be collected. Leaves, grass clippings, and other debris *are not* part of this program, and will not be collected. Please be certain that no metal objects are in the branches. Township personnel are forbidden to enter private property to collect brush/trimmings. Each property owner will be limited to a SINGLE PILE not to exceed 6' in width, by 8' long, and 4' high. If necessary, the amount of material to be collected from each property will be limited.



***Residents living on private roads should call 412-767-5333, ext. 319 to schedule pick-up.***

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

### SUMMER POSITIONS AVAILABLE!

The Indiana Township Public Works Department will be hiring WORKERS for the Summer. APPLICANTS MUST BE A COLLEGE/TECHNICAL SCHOOL STUDENT, OR GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL THIS YEAR AND PLANNING TO ATTEND CLASSES FULL-TIME IN THE FALL. *Consideration will first be given to Indiana Township residents.* Applications will be accepted in the Township Office until **FRIDAY, APRIL 26<sup>th</sup>**. Applications are available on the Township website ([www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com)) or can be picked up during regular business hours at Town Hall on Saxonburg Boulevard (Monday - Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm).

The advertisement features a background image of an outdoor patio with a stone fire pit, wooden chairs, and a stone fireplace. In the bottom left corner, there are two smaller inset photos: one showing a person kneeling and working on a garden bed, and another showing a person kneeling and working on a stone wall. The text is overlaid on the main image.

**R.I. Lampus Company**  
**2013 Annual**  
**Outdoor Living Expo**

Live demonstrations and exhibits of the latest do-it-yourself projects –

- Install a retaining or garden wall
- Design a patio or walkway
- Build an outdoor kitchen or fire pit
- Install a wood-fired pizza oven, patio columns and outdoor benches

**Sample pizza from our Wood-fired Oven!**  
**Free door prizes and hourly contests**

**Saturday, March 16, 2013**  
**8:00am-8:00pm**  
**Shrine Center**  
*In the heated pavilion*  
**1877 Shriners Way**  
**Cheswick, PA 15024**

# COVERING SEWER MANHOLES IS PROHIBITED!

Residents are not permitted to cover sewer manholes FOR ANY REASON! Whether in the event of an emergency, or during regular maintenance checks, the Township Public Works Department and employees of Deer Creek Drainage Basin Authority (DCDBA) must be able to access manholes at all times.

Manholes are not to be covered with dirt, fences, rocks, etc. If a manhole located on your property is currently covered, it is your responsibility to uncover it immediately.

*Submitted by Public Works Foreman John Carson*

## **PennDOT Urges Motorists to Call 1-800-FIX-ROAD to Report Potholes on State Roads**

With the freeze-thaw cycle taking its annual toll on pavement, PennDOT urges motorists to call 1-800-FIX-ROAD (1-800-349-7623) to report the location of potholes on state roads.

Callers are asked to be as specific as possible when reporting pothole locations. For state routes, callers must report the county, municipality, street name, or preferably the state route (SR) number found on small, black-and-white signs posted along state roadways. Callers should also offer a description of any familiar landmarks that will help PennDOT find the problem area.

The hotline may be used to report any maintenance concern on state roads such as potholes, deer removal or signage issues.

Once notified, PennDOT will work expeditiously to address concerns when weather permits; however, winter services remain the primary focus of maintenance crews at this time of year. To report potholes on local roads, motorists should contact the municipality in which the pothole is located.

Potholes develop when water seeps below the road through small cracks in the pavement surface. As the water repeatedly freezes and thaws, a cavity below the road is formed and larger cracks develop, causing the pavement to crumble. The 1-800-FIX-ROAD hotline should not be used to report traffic accidents, disabled vehicles or other emergencies. Motorists should continue to call 911 to report those types of incidents.

Follow PennDOT on Twitter at [www.twitter.com/PennDOTNews](http://www.twitter.com/PennDOTNews).

## **Real Estate in Indiana Twp. is Hot!!!**

### **Interested in buying or selling?**

Trust in the knowledge and experience of Irene Boros and Christie Talik Slack. Our high level of professional service and expertise will take the stress out of your next big move.



**5048 William Flynn Highway  
Gibsonia, PA 15044  
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**Christie Slack**

**412.877.0943**

[christieslack@howardhanna.com](mailto:christieslack@howardhanna.com)

**Proud to Call Indiana Township our Home.**



## INDIANA TOWNSHIP DUE DATES FOR REAL ESTATE TAXES

By policy, positively no 2% discount will be allowed on taxes not actually received at the tax collector's office or stamped RECEIVED at the Township Building before the close of business on **April 30, 2013** or by mail not post marked on or before April 30, 2013. To be accepted at the face amount, taxes must be postmarked between May 1, 2013 and June 30, 2013. Delay in delivery of mail or messenger, or failure to receive a tax statement **can not** be considered an excuse for non-payment before expiration of discount or face period payments.

### RECEIPT POLICY

Indiana Township and Fox Chapel School District real estate tax receipts will only be returned when a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided with the payment. If no envelope is submitted, you will not get a receipt in the mail.  
**Submitted by Phyllis Will, Tax Collector**

## PROPERTY TAXES

### Dates to Remember

#### ALLEGHENY COUNTY TAXES

Due at discount by April 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Due at face May 1<sup>st</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup>.  
Penalty after June 1<sup>st</sup>.

#### INDIANA TOWNSHIP TAXES

Due at discount by April 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Due at face May 1<sup>st</sup> through June 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Penalty after June 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### FOX CHAPEL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX

Due at discount by August 31<sup>st</sup>.  
Due at face September 1<sup>st</sup> through October 31<sup>st</sup>.  
Penalty after October 31<sup>st</sup>.

**FAILURE TO RECEIVE A TAX NOTICE DOES NOT RELIEVE ANY TAXPAYER FROM LIABILITY FOR PROMPT PAYMENT OF TAXES IMPOSED BY THE DISTRICT. ALL TAXPAYERS ARE TO BE CHARGED WITH THEIR TAXES AS THOUGH THEY HAD RECEIVED NOTICE, AND ALL NECESSARY ENFORCEMENT STEPS TAKEN TO ENSURE PAYMENT.**



## **JEMCO Plumbing LLC**

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# **FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK.....**

Dear Citizens:

I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable Christmas and New Year. It is my pleasure to serve you as Mayor this year. I am committed to doing a better job of using this forum to keep our community informed in the future. I am looking forward to many positive things for Indiana Township in 2013.

Last year, we completed a great deal of work on the Town Hall and Community Center. If you have not seen it yet, please stop by and ask for a tour sometime. I think you will be impressed. I am very pleased how construction has turned out thus far. It is now available for any gatherings that you might have in mind.

On another note, road construction is underway. As you may know, State Route 910, where it passes over the Pennsylvania Turnpike in Indiana Township, closed as of February 11, 2013 to allow for the reconstruction of Pennsylvania Turnpike Bridge WB-433. This structure is located just West of the Tank Farm in Indianola, PA. A posted detour for cars and trucks is in effect for the duration of the project. At this time, we anticipate the road re-opening on October 4, 2013. Also, we are now in the bid process for major improvements on Cove Run and hope to begin construction in the Spring. Please be patient with us during these projects and do contact us with any feedback. We are sincerely interested in hearing your thoughts.

I also wanted to let you know that our Township, as always, is both safe and financially sound. We are considering many other improvement projects in 2013. I want to thank all departments for their dedication and service. We have a great community and our objective is to keep it that way! If you should have any questions, comments or suggestions, please contact our Manager, other Board Members or myself at anytime. Thank you.

***Submitted by Mayor Darrin J. Krally, DISTRICT #3-RURAL RIDGE***

FROM THE OFFICE OF STATE REPRESENTATIVE FRANK DERMODY...

## **Don't pay for something that is FREE!!**

Senior citizens and others are encouraged to discard a solicitation offering to complete the application for the state's Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program for a fee.

Several area residents have brought to my attention a mailing from a non-government agency in Harrisburg identifying itself as the "Senior Advisory Center." The company offers to fill out the Property Tax/Rent Rebate form for a fee.

My office staff is trained to help people apply for this program and our assistance always is FREE. The Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program provides state rebates on property taxes or rent paid in 2012 to eligible Pennsylvanians 65 or older; widows and widowers 50 or older; and people with disabilities 18 or older. The income limit is \$35,000 a year for homeowners and \$15,000 annually for renters, and half of Social Security, Supplemental Security or federal Railroad Retirement Tier I income is excluded.

My office is located at 1331 Freeport Road, Cheswick, PA 15024-1233, telephone: (724) 274-4770. And don't forget to follow me on Twitter.

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JOIN US IN HONORING  
OUR VETERANS  
**MEMORIAL DAY**  
**MONDAY, MAY 27<sup>th</sup> at**  
**11:00 a.m.**

**The Indiana Township Veterans' Memorial**

located at Town Hall, 3710 Saxonburg Blvd., Dorseyville  
*Services by the Disabled American Veterans, American Legion, and the VFW*

**SPECIAL PERFORMANCE BY THE ALLEGHENY BRASS BAND!**

*Refreshments will be served following the ceremony*

**MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY REMINDER....**

Anyone wishing to have a brick in place for the MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY, held each year at the Township Building, **MUST** have their completed order form and payment in the Township Office **NO LATER THAN April 30, 2013.**

**BRICK ORDER FORM**

**TOWNSHIP OF INDIANA**

3710 SAXONBURG BLVD., PITTSBURGH, PA 15238

**TO ORDER:** Fill out the order form below. Your personalized brick(s) will be engraved with up to 14 characters (including spaces and punctuation) per line, and up to 3 lines per brick.

**BRICK #1**


**EXAMPLES:**

IN HONOR OF  
JOHN DOE  
1942-1945

IN MEMORY OF  
JOHN DOE  
WORLD WAR II

**BRICK #2**


Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**BRICK #3**


Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**ENCLOSED IS A CHECK/MONEY ORDER FOR:**

\_\_\_\_ (qty) bricks @ \$40.00 each: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

\_\_\_\_ Veterans' Portion of Walkway

\_\_\_\_ Resident/Family-Business Section

*Bricks become the property of  
"INDIANA TOWNSHIP"*

**CONTRIBUTIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE TO THE  
EXTENT ALLOWABLE BY LAW**

Make checks payable to: Township of Indiana  
NOTE ON MEMO LINE: "Vets Memorial Fund"

# DEPARTMENT OF CODE ENFORCEMENT

## REGISTRATION:

ALL new residents, tenants and/or businesses MUST register with the Township within 30 days. IN THE CASE OF RENTAL PROPERTIES, IT IS THE LANDLORD'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REGISTER THE TENANT(S). Failure to do so could result in the issuance of a citation. Please call the Township office to obtain the proper forms.

## CALL BEFORE EXCAVATING:

Always check with the Township prior to grading or digging; a Grading Permit may be required. PA ONE CALL (1-800-242-1776) must also be notified at least 3 days prior so they can check for underground utility lines in the proposed excavation area. This service is FREE of charge.

## SEPTIC PROBLEMS:

Before attempting to modify or repair a septic system, you must contact:

*ALLEGHENY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT - (412)578-8040 or (412)350-4046*

## PROPERTY CLEAN-UP:

Please call the Code Enforcement office if you need assistance in hauling building and lawn materials, junk vehicles, auto parts, or any other items not collected by the refuse company. We have names and phone numbers of companies which haul materials for a nominal fee.

## TOWNSHIP ROADS AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY:

If you have plantings within the road rights-of-way, please maintain them at least two (2') feet from encroaching the edge of the roadway, i.e. trees, shrubbery, plants, etc. Sporting apparatus and equipment shall NOT be placed within the road system. Furthermore, Township ordinance prohibits temporary storage of any construction/landscaping materials on a public street. Please do not arrange to have lumber, bark chips, gravel, etc. unloaded onto the street.

## SIGNS:

Township Ordinance prohibits temporary signs to be posted without the consent of the property owner(s). Signs announcing a short term event, such as garage sales, may be put up but must be removed immediately after the conclusion of the event. The posting of temporary signs detracts from the character of the Township.

## **BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED IN 2012**

The Code Enforcement Office issued sixty eight (68) new Building Permits in 2012, with a total construction cost of \$6,150,761. Of these permits, eleven (11) were for new Single Family Dwellings and the cost of construction was \$4,604,939. Seven (7) permits were issued for Commercial Buildings/Renovations and had a total cost of construction of \$209,500. The final fifty (50) permits issued were for various types of construction, such as additions, decks, swimming pools, etc. with a cost of construction of \$1,336,322. In addition, thirty two (32) Zoning Permits were issued for fences and accessory structures less than 1,000 square feet in size.

Should you need to apply for a Building or Zoning Permit, you can download the forms from the Township website ([www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com)), then go to "Departments", and scroll down to the Code Enforcement Department, and click on the link to "Forms". You may also stop in and pick up the Application for a Building or Zoning Permit at the Town Hall during regular business hours.

The cost of a residential Building Permit is as follows: a \$35.00 filing fee, plus an additional \$6.00 for every \$1,000 of the construction cost for projects over \$8,000 in construction costs. For projects under \$8,000 in construction costs, the price is \$50.00 plus the \$35.00 filing fee. In addition, if it is a new home or a business, an additional occupancy fee will apply. The cost of a Zoning Permit is a flat \$50.00.

If you are unsure if your project requires a Building or Zoning Permit or have any other questions, please feel free to contact the Code Enforcement Office at 412-767-5333, then dial "4" for the Code Enforcement Department.

***Submitted by Jeffrey S. Curti, Code Enforcement Officer***



## **ANIMAL TRESPASSERS BOX TRAPS**

Box Traps are available through the Township, and must be signed out. If an animal is caught, you must notify Hoffman Kennels, the Township Animal Control Agency, who will then pick up the trap and animal and return the trap to the Township office. If you are unsuccessful in trapping the animal, the traps should be returned, clean and empty, to the Township Building. They may be kept for one

week at a time and are available on a first come, first served basis. If Hoffman Kennels picks up a trapped animal at your home more than **once** in a calendar year, you will be charged **\$55.00 for each subsequent pickup** (the first pickup is free). Traps are not available to non-residents of Indiana Township. If you have an ongoing pest problem, you may want to consider purchasing a box trap of your own. The Township uses Havahart Box Trap Model #1079, which can be purchased from Home Depot, Wal-Mart, Ace Hardware, True Value/ServiStar Hardware, Lowe's, etc. Or, you may purchase one directly on the internet at [www.havahart.com](http://www.havahart.com). Havahart can be contacted directly at 1-800-800-1819.

## **CRITTER CONTROL SERVICE**

You may use one of the many companies who specialize in the removal of nuisance wildlife, such as: SQUIRRELS, BATS, BIRDS, RACCOONS, PIGEONS, SKUNKS, GROUND HOGS, and OPOSSUMS. A company recommended by the Township is "CRITTER CONTROL", who provides complete animal removal services, as well as prevention and exclusion services, such as repairing entry damage, installing chimney caps, and screening attic and exhaust vents. They have many years of experience in Nuisance Wildlife Control, are licensed by the PA Game Commission, and are fully insured. They are also located in Indiana Township on Saxonburg Boulevard. The phone is answered 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. The company is owner operated, and the owner responds to and completes all calls. They can be reached at (412)767-4067.

*Submitted by Chief of Police Robert Wilson*

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## **CRIME WATCH EMAIL ALERT SYSTEM**

The Indiana Township Police Department "Neighborhood Crime Watch" is now using a new tool to help stop crime in the Township. All residents of the Township are welcome to join.

All you need to join is to have a working email address that you check on a regular basis. To participate, you can send an email to: [itpdcrimewatch@gmail.com](mailto:itpdcrimewatch@gmail.com) or [mmyers@indianatownship.com](mailto:mmyers@indianatownship.com). Be sure to provide your email address, name and home address so you can be grouped in the correct "Crime Watch" area.

This system is only used to send out Crime Watch Alerts. Officers will not respond to any emails sent to this address. When there are incidents taking place in the Township, residents can now be alerted by email. This system will only be used when there is a need to get information out to the residents.

Should you have further questions regarding the program, please send an email to [mmyers@indianatownship.com](mailto:mmyers@indianatownship.com) or call me at (412)767-5333, ext. 350.

*Submitted by Officer Marc Myers*

## **ATTENTION HOMEOWNERS WITH SECURITY SYSTEMS**

If you have a security alarm system at your home, please make sure to advise your security company of alternate phone numbers where you can be reached, as well as a secondary contact and phone numbers. In the event the police and/or fire department are called to your home on an alarm call, a secondary contact is very helpful should you not be able to be reached and entrance is needed into your home.



# PARKING ORDINANCE

The Indiana Township Police Department would like to remind all residents that the Parking Ordinance is in effect, and to make sure that you obey the posted signs. The police department will be enforcing the Parking Ordinance and parking tickets will be issued.

We would also like to advise parents who are driving their children to the bus stop not to park on both sides of the roadway and to make sure that all vehicles can gain access onto an intersecting street without problems. Furthermore, please remember that according to the PA Vehicle Code, you **CAN NOT** park within 30' of a stop sign.

An additional reminder that during weather conditions such as rain, snow, etc., all drivers should operate their vehicles in a safe speed, and are required by law to have all windows free of snow, ice, and other obstructions. During a rain storm, make sure your headlamps are on and wipers are in use.

If you have any questions in regards to parking violations, speeding vehicles, or any other traffic complaints, please contact the Indiana Township Police Department at 412-767-5333, ext. 315.

*Prepared by Officer Robert Thompson*

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## May is CommuteInfo Commute Options Awareness Month!

The month of May is a specially designated month used to celebrate and focus extra attention on the promotion of commuting options available to commuters and employers in southwestern Pennsylvania. The overall goal for the month is to further encourage more people to use an alternative commute (transit, vanpools, carpools, biking, and/or walking) to get to work or school.

May was chosen as this special month since it includes National Transportation Week, National Bike to Work Day, National Employee Health and Fitness Day, and National Clean Air Week. CommuteInfo staff, partners, and collaborating organizations help support the month-long celebration. CommuteInfo Commute Options Awareness Month was first celebrated in 2004.

The Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission's CommuteInfo program provides resources and information to assist individuals traveling to work or school and helps regional employers learn more about commuting options. Learn more by visiting the CommuteInfo website, [CommuteInfo.org](http://CommuteInfo.org) or by calling toll-free 1-888-819-6110.

### ALL NEW RESIDENTS, TENANTS, AND/OR BUSINESSES must register with the Township.

In accordance with Ordinance #287, failure to do so **WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER OCCUPANCY** may result in the issuance of a citation to the property owner and/or tenant.

***Please contact Jacque Rouggie at the Township office at 412-767-5333, extension 322 or via email at: [jrouggie@indianatownship.com](mailto:jrouggie@indianatownship.com) to obtain the proper form.***

### THE TOWNSHIP BUSINESS OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED:

Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> for  
Good Friday  
Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> for  
Primary Election Day  
Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup> for  
Memorial Day



# WASTE MANAGEMENT'S BAGSTER®

## "Dumpster in a Bag" Program

The Bagster from Waste Management is the economical solution to your projects that generate unwanted debris. **It is a portable dumpster that can be purchased at the Township Building, during regular business hours, for \$29.95.** The Bagster bag has the capacity to hold up to 3 cubic yards/3,300 pounds of debris. Acceptable items include concrete (1 cubic yard), construction material, plaster, roofing shingles, carpet, etc. The bag measures 8' long by 4' wide by 2'6" tall. The Bagster is the perfect solution for many types of projects including renovations/remodeling, organizing a garage or attic, landscaping, roofing and concrete. Once notified, Waste Management will collect the Bagster within three business days for a fee of \$124. For additional information, visit [www.thebagster.com](http://www.thebagster.com) or Bagster customer care at 877-789-2247.

Please place your Bagster in an area that can easily be picked up by Waste Management when it is full. But the Bagster **CANNOT** be placed right on a public street. It is illegal to block roadways within the Township.

We are hoping that residents find this new program to be very effective in aiding in their clean-up projects, and much cheaper than renting a full-sized dumpster. Let's continue to keep Indiana Township a beautiful place to live!!

## GARBAGE- MONTHLY YARD WASTE

The Township's "Garbage Contract" enables residents to participate in a monthly yard waste pick up program. Yard waste is limited to: leaves in biodegradable bags, garden residue, shrubbery trimmings, limbs, twigs, brush & tree trimmings and similar material, but **NOT** including grass clippings. All tree trimmings and limbs should be cut in lengths not over 48" and securely bundled. Each bundle shall not weigh in excess of 40 lbs. and individual limbs shall not be more than three inches in diameter.

Be sure to leave yard waste in a place that is **VISIBLE** for Waste Management drivers. Do NOT place yard waste under trees, shrubs, or anywhere else the waste cannot be seen from the road.

Yard waste will be picked up only ONE scheduled garbage day per month during the period of March through December. **The upcoming pickups will be on: March 20<sup>th</sup>, April 17<sup>th</sup>, May 15<sup>th</sup> and June 19<sup>th</sup>.** The Township **MUST** be notified in advance of your willingness to participate, EACH time, at least a week and a half in advance. If you live on a private road, you must put your yard waste at the main road. Anyone who fails to notify the Township in time to be put on the list will not qualify for that month's pickup. Please call (412)767-5333, then dial "5" for Administration to be placed on the list for the month.

If you have any additional questions, or need to sign up for the Senior Sticker Program, please contact Waste Management directly at 1-800-458-4090. DO NOT call them to be placed on the yard waste program list.

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# INDIANOLA REUNION - SUMMER OF 2014

*(Open for all past and present residents of Indianola and their families!)*

Hello! My name is Toni Blyth (originally Boncella) and along with other past residents of Indianola, are thinking of arranging a Reunion Weekend next Summer for all of those now or formerly from Indianola to get acquainted again, reminisce, etc.!!!

As of now, we need to get an approximate head count for everyone who is interested in attending. Our plans are to attend a Pirate Baseball Game, a huge picnic at Emmerling Community Park and then spend a day at Kennywood. Deposits will need to be made for some of these events by the Fall of 2013.

Reunion pricing will be based on a "per person - per event" cost. So far, we are planning on having specially made souvenir t-shirts, a Pirates Baseball game ticket, a Kennywood ticket, and the Picnic at Emmerling Community Park. Decisions still need to be made regarding food for the picnic, such as whether it should be pot luck or catered, as well as drinks.

***At this point, a cost per person cannot be determined until an approximate headcount has been received. Also, please note you do not have to attend all events.***

I am making the RSVP cut off for **MAY, 31, 2013** so that we can spend the Summer coordinating payments. We also need to confirm a date as well. I am thinking either mid to late June or after the 4th of July weekend. I would like to try and plan Kennywood for a Monday because the park will not be as crowded.

Please contact me, Toni (Boncella) Blyth, at: indianolareunion@yahoo.com or via phone at 704-813-4542 if you are interested in attending any and/or all of the events, approximately how many people would be in your group, what would be a good date for you, if you would like to volunteer, or even share any other ideas you may have. You can also check out information about the Reunion on the Facebook page "People of Indianola" (*under Events*).

***WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO GETTING TOGETHER ONCE AGAIN!!***



## SUMMER CAMP 2013 COUNSELORS

Are you a responsible person who loves working with children and being outdoors? Consider becoming a Summer Day Camp Counselor for Indiana Township. Applications for Summer Camp 2013 (which is held at Emmerling Community Park) are available now at the Indiana Township Town Hall in Dorseyville or online at [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com). All completed applications are to be returned to the Town Hall **NO LATER THAN Friday, May 3, 2013 at 4:00 pm**. **PLEASE NOTE THAT PREFERENCE IS GIVEN TO APPLICANTS WHO ARE 16 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER. All counselors hired who are 18 years of age or older, MUST have "Act 33 & 34 Clearances" before working with children.**

***Submitted by Park and Recreation Director  
Audrey-Marie Masci***



### Greetings from the Park & Recreation Board!

Spring is upon us! The parks will soon be in full swing and we want to hear from you! The Park and Recreation meetings have an open Citizen's Forum in which the public can address the Board with concerns or ideas for improving our parks.

Meetings will be held the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday May, August & November. If you have an important topic, the Board can call a meeting in any other month. You can also send letters to the Park & Recreation Board, 3710 Saxonburg Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15238.

Hope to see you in the parks soon!  
Megan Carson, Secretary

## EMMERLING & MIDDLE ROAD COMMUNITY PARKS & RURAL RIDGE COMMUNITY PARKLET RESERVATIONS & FEES

The Township began taking applications for shelter rentals on **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2013**. Application must be made at the Township building during regular business hours and are granted on a first-come, first served basis. Individuals must be at least 21 years of age. ***PAYMENT FOR RENTAL AND DEPOSIT MUST BE MADE AT THE TIME OF SIGN-UP; NO SHELTERS WILL BE HELD WITHOUT PAYMENT. TWO SEPARATE CHECKS OR CASH ARE REQUIRED; THE TOWNSHIP DOES ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS FOR THE RENTAL FEE BUT NOT THE DEPOSIT!***

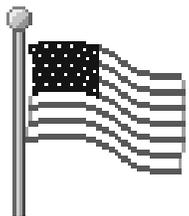
<u>EMMERLING PARK</u>				
Old Mill Dam ( <i>by ballfield</i> ), Dogwood ( <i>by volleyball</i> ), Laurel Oak ( <i>before Emmerling House</i> )				
<u>MIDDLE ROAD</u>				
Pleasant View (next to ballfield) (The Tyler Morris shelter fee is ½ off, across the field)				
<u>RURAL RIDGE</u>				
(½ off the fee up to 50 guests)				
CATEGORY	# OF PEOPLE	FEE	DEPOSIT	ALCOHOL FEE
TWP. RESIDENT or RESIDENT REPRESENTING A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION	1-50 51-100	\$50.00 \$65.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$10.00 \$10.00
NON-RESIDENT OR NON-RESIDENT REPRESENTING A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION	1-50 51-100	\$80.00 \$110.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$25.00 \$25.00
ANY PROFITABLE ORGANIZATION OR CORPORATION	1-50 51-100	\$120.00 \$200.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$60.00 \$60.00
<u>EMMERLING PARK - GAZEBO</u>				
CATEGORY	NUMBER OF PEOPLE	FEE	DEPOSIT	ALCOHOL FEE
TWP. RESIDENT or RESIDENT REPRESENTING NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION	1-50 51-100	\$70.00 \$95.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$10.00 \$10.00
NON-RESIDENT OR NON-RESIDENT REPRESENTING A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION	1-50 51-100	\$145.00 \$220.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$25.00 \$25.00
ANY PROFITABLE ORGANIZATION OR CORPORATION	1-50 51-100	\$220.00 \$295.00	\$100.00 \$100.00	\$60.00 \$60.00

### ATTENTION EMMERLING PARK PATRONS:

#### Restricted public use during Summer Camp Hours!

Emmerling Community Park will be CLOSED to the public Monday-Friday, 8:30am-1:30pm beginning Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> through Friday, July 26<sup>th</sup>. Laurel Oak pavilion will remain open during these times for anyone wanting to utilize a pavilion. This closure is to ensure all campers'safety during camp hours.

Thank you for your cooperation.



## RETIRE YOUR FLAGS PROPERLY!

The Township has a flag disposal bin in the Town Hall lobby. Each fall the flags are given to Allegheny County for proper retirement at the County's Flag Retirement Ceremony in North Park. The ceremony honors all who have and continue to fight for our country. As well, the victims of the September 11, 2001 terror attacks are honored. Please contribute by donating your flags.

Indiana Township Town Hall  
3710 Saxonburg Blvd.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

# WANTED

WHO: Indiana Twp. High School Senior Student

WHAT: Youth Member on the Park & Recreation Board for the 2013-14 school year. Term is September 1, 2013-August 31, 2014.

WHERE: Indiana Twp. Town Hall Board Room

WHY: Offer suggestions, opinions and comments relative to parks/recreation issues on behalf of the Youth of Indiana Township. Gain insight to your local government.

HOW: Send letter of interest to the following:

Mr. Daniel Anderson, Township Manager  
3710 Saxonburg Boulevard  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

Or via e-mail: [danderson@indianatownship.com](mailto:danderson@indianatownship.com)

## RECYCLE



### INDIANA TOWNSHIP NOW HAS ABBITIBI BINS!



Location:

*Town Hall Building, 3710 Saxonburg Blvd., Pgh., 15238 (parking lot)  
Please do not put your items in plastic bags, items will not be accepted if in plastic!*

We have two ABITIBI BINS available for recycling specific materials. Please be sure to read the signage on each bin before disposing of your items. Each bin accepts different types of materials.

**YELLOW BIN:** Newspapers/ Inserts, Magazines, Catalogs, Office/School Papers & Mail  
(on left)

**BLUE BIN:** Cardboard and Phonebooks  
(on right)

**PLASTIC IS NOT ACCEPTED (including plastic bags)!**

# IS THIS THE BEGINNING OF THE END FOR BUDGET-DRAINING UNFUNDED MANDATES?

## *Costly Practice Eats Up Your Local Tax Dollars*

**Unfunded mandates.** This probably isn't a phrase you hear every day, but they have a big impact on our township and an even bigger impact on your taxes and services. So what exactly is an unfunded mandate? In a nutshell, it's an often costly requirement that state and federal governments pass along to their local counterparts — your township supervisors — with little or no funding.

Suppose the Township supervisors passed an ordinance that required you to paint your house every year at your own expense or face a fine. That would be an unfunded mandate. Or maybe the supervisors mandated that every resident over 18 buy and carry a \$25 "residency card" each year. That would be an unfunded mandate, too.

Not fair? Well, you're right, and fortunately, it's unlikely that any municipality would ever enact one of these outrageous what-ifs. But guess what? The above scenarios do give you a good idea of what our township is up against.

From implementing a new statewide earned income tax collection system to keeping up with an ever-changing and arbitrary menu of federal clean-water requirements, our community and others face a range of budget-draining unfunded mandates. But before you brush this off as something you don't need to worry about, consider this: It's your tax dollars that have to pay for these unfunded mandates.

And every time our Township is socked with another one, we have to find the money to pay for it from a limited list of not-so-great options. We might have to divert funding from a local project (*maybe repairing your road*), cut other services, or increase taxes (*as a last resort*). With any luck, however, a newly released state study signals the beginning of the end for unfunded mandates.

### **'A major problem'**

A collaborative effort between the Pennsylvania Local Government Commission, lawmakers, the state's local government associations, state agencies, and a team of academic advisers, the report is the first to document the problem with unfunded mandates and spell out solutions. It took two years to complete. And what the study found is that Pennsylvania's municipalities and counties have had 6,500 unfunded mandates imposed on them since 1982, the year that the state began collecting this data. Of those, some 800 directly impact Townships.

The study's ultimate goal is to reverse these existing mandates and stop future ones. Indeed, the report provides a valuable snapshot of the most troublesome mandates facing Pennsylvania's local governments today. Interestingly, of the 23 outlined, several mandates emerged as common problems among all municipalities — townships, boroughs, and cities. They are:

- **the prevailing wage**, which establishes wages for workers on certain public projects and can inflate costs by as much as 30 percent;
- **collective bargaining and arbitration**, a lopsided negotiation process that places a lot of power in the hands of third-party arbitrators who are not required to consider a municipality's financial situation when determining awards;
- **federal stormwater management guidelines** aimed at reducing pollution in the Chesapeake Bay and beyond;
- **earned income tax collection**, which requires municipalities to ante up funding to cover the administrative costs of the newly consolidated system; and
- **municipal legal advertising and bidding requirements.**

There are 27 states that have laws that prohibit unfunded and underfunded mandates, and Pennsylvania has no restrictions at all.

### **Common-sense solutions**

Fortunately, the SR 323 report looks beyond the problems. In fact, it offers specific, common-sense solutions, many of which would result in no cost to the state but would translate into significant savings for municipalities like ours and you, our taxpayers.

For starters, the task force is recommending that lawmakers amend a number of existing laws and regulations governing such things as the prevailing wage, collective bargaining, legal advertising, and public records requests to ease the financial burden on townships and other municipalities.

In addition, the task force wants the state to establish protocols for reviewing and reducing the impact of future mandates. Namely, the group is supporting the creation of a State Mandate Task Force that would carry out the report's recommendations, conduct follow-up studies, and evaluate any new local government mandates at least every five years.

But most important, the SR 323 Task Force is suggesting that the General Assembly begin attaching fiscal impact statements to bills so lawmakers understand the potential costs to municipalities; require the state to share the costs of mandates or anticipate them; and place sunset provisions in legislation that would require lawmakers to revisit and restudy particular statutes within five or 10 years.

Since its release, the report has been presented to state lawmakers for review. The hope is that they will begin introducing legislation to address the recommendations this year.

***Submitted by Manager Dan Anderson***



## PROPERTY TAX/RENT REBATE PROGRAM APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

Application forms for rebates on property taxes or rent paid in 2012 are now available. All residents who received rebates last year should have received 2012 application forms in the mail by now. Applications are also available online at [www.revenue.state.pa.us](http://www.revenue.state.pa.us) or by calling 1-888-222-9190. Additionally, forms and assistance are available at Department of Revenue district offices (listed in the government section of local telephone directories), local Area Agencies on Aging, senior centers and state legislators' offices (located on the inside rear cover of the Newsletter).

Older adults must reapply for rebates by June 30<sup>th</sup> every year because rebates are based on property taxes or rent paid each year and annual income.

The rebate program benefits eligible Pennsylvanians age 65 and older; widows and widowers age 50 and older; and people with disabilities age 18 and older. The income limit is \$35,000 a year for homeowners and \$15,000 annually for renters, and half of Social Security income is excluded.

The maximum standard rebate is \$650, but supplemental rebates for qualifying homeowners can boost rebates to \$975.

The deadline to apply for a rebate on property taxes or rent paid in 2012 is June 30, 2013. Rebates will be distributed beginning on July 1, as specified by law.

The Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program is one of five programs supported by the Pennsylvania Lottery. Since the program's 1971 inception, older and disabled adults have received billions of dollars in property tax and rent relief. The expanded portion of the rebate program is paid for with revenue from slots gaming.

For more information, visit [www.revenue.state.pa.us](http://www.revenue.state.pa.us).

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# Township of Indiana

## FREE ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENT

**Saturday, April 6, 2013**

**10:00am-2:00pm**

### **Location:**

**Town Hall Community Center parking lot  
3710 Saxonburg Boulevard  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238**

### Bring your unwanted electronics:

- Computers
- Monitors
- Printers
- Fax Machines
- Televisions
- VCRs
- Stereo systems
- Cell phones
- Digital cameras
- Microwaves

Goodwill offers free, safe, easy and environmentally responsible recycling of computers and electronics. Computers are either disassembled and recycled or are refurbished to be sold at Goodwill stores. Donating your computer not only helps keep e-waste out of landfills and helps families buy used electronic products at an affordable price, but brings the Power of Work to someone in your community. Goodwill is not responsible or liable for personal data on hard drives or other storage media. Newer computers have the hard drives wiped exceeding Department of Defense standards and the hard drives of older computers are destroyed, but ultimately Goodwill cannot take responsibility for confidential information. If you wish to remove data before donating, a number of free services are available online that will completely erase hard drives.

PA DEP Permit No. WMGR081D011



This year, we will also be accepting donations of clothing and household items!

## Hard- to- Recycle Collection/ Paper Shred Event - April 20, 2013

The Pennsylvania Resources Council (PRC), in partnership with the Allegheny County Health Department and Colcom Foundation will sponsor a Hard-to-Recycle Collection/ Paper Shred Event on Saturday, April 20, 2013 at the Galleria at Pittsburgh Mills from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**NO CHARGE** for: televisions, computers, monitors, laptops, keyboards, printers, scanners, fax machines, small appliances, cell phones, ink & toner cartridges and CFLs.

**FEE CHARGED** for: batteries (\$1.50 lb.), fluorescent tubes (.25 cents/foot), small Freon containing appliances (\$10), CDs and floppy disks, and paper for shredding (\$5 box).

On-site secure document paper shredding provided by Business Records Management. Paper must be kept separate from CDs and floppy disks. Binders, newspaper, metal, and food are not accepted. Paper may include staples, binder clips and paper clips. Paper will be recycled once shredded - CDs and floppy disks will not.

For more information contact Sarah Alessio Shea of PRC at 412-488-7490 ext. 236 or visit PRC's Zero Waste Pittsburgh website at: <http://zerowastepgh.org/ZW-PRC-hardtorecycle.html> for a detailed list of fees.

## Household Chemical Collection

May 4, 2013

The Pennsylvania Resources Council (PRC) and partners will also host the first Household Chemical Collection for 2013 on Saturday, May 4, 2013 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the North Park Swimming Pool parking lot. Acceptable materials include paint, varnish, stains, household chemicals, gasoline, kerosene, photo and pool chemicals, aerosol cans, automotive fluids, mercury, pesticides and more. **Fee: \$2 per gallon, cash only.**

For more information please contact Michael Stepaniak of PRC at 412-488-7452 or visit PRC's Zero Waste Pittsburgh website at: <http://zerowastepgh.org/ZW-hcw-events.html>.

## Fox Chapel District Association

Thirteen may be an unlucky year for doubters and putters, for skeptics and kleptics, but for us in the Fox Chapel District Association, it is nothing but excitement. We have finished an amazing year of raising over \$140,000 for the Aspinwall Riverfront Park. We have donated \$5,000 for a pocket park in Sharpsburg, over \$25,000 to the Boyd Community Center, \$5,000 to the arts program in the public schools, and \$10,000 to the new landscaping in the front of the Cooper Siegel Library, in addition to donations to Aspinwall Borough, St. Margaret's Foundation, the High School and the University of Pittsburgh.

Our small but mighty organization looks forward to even greater growth in 2013 as we continue to help develop the Park now that the plans are finalized. The 2.3 million took six months; we need over 5 million to make it the vibrant place it was meant to be. Now let's see: doing the math, that should take just over a year. Don't smile; I could be serious.

Thirteen also means for us a return of the Fox Chapel Follies. Save the dates (Nov. 14 - 16 and 21 - 23), don't leave town (even for an invitation to the Turks and Caicos), invite all of your relatives, and enjoy the rollicking irreverent fun of this every three year event. We have been totally sold out for the past six years. If you are not currently a paying member of the Fox Chapel District Association, you may miss the invitation list. Go on line to [www.foxchapeldistrictassociation.org](http://www.foxchapeldistrictassociation.org). Join us not only for the Follies but to support all that we do in this area. Happy 2013!

**Submitted by: Melinda Beard**

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# Town Hall Community Center Rental Information

Let us help you celebrate! The Town Hall Community Center is available for rent! Please call Holly Sammartino, 412-767-5333 x311 or e-mail [hsammartino@indianatownship.com](mailto:hsammartino@indianatownship.com) to check availability. Indiana Township residents can rent one full year in advance! Start thinking about your graduations, communions, birthdays and anniversaries!

All rules and regulations are available on the Indiana Township website, [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com) as well, rental literature is available at the Indiana Township Town Hall.

## Facility Rental Rates:

First fee residents/second fee non-residents

Primetime: Monday-Friday, 3:30pm-10pm Saturday and Sunday all day

Non-Primetime: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-3:30pm, rentals during these times qualify for 25% discount

	Hourly	3 Hours	6 Hours	8 Hours
Gymnasium <small>(Hourly only)</small>	\$45/54	-----	-----	-----
Classroom <small>Capacity of 40</small>	\$30/36	\$72/86	\$135/162	\$168/202
Community Room <small>Capacity of 120</small>	\$50/60	\$120/144	\$225/270	\$280/336
Kitchen	\$25/30	\$60/72	\$113/135	\$140/168



### “BIRTHDAY BUNDLE”

3 hours of usage of the classroom & gymnasium  
Resident: \$150.00 / Non-Resident: \$180.00

- Alcohol Consumption Permits are available to renters except for Gymnasium use. The fee is \$25.00 per rental date
- A Damage Deposit is required for every rental. Deposit must be in the form of a check in the amount of \$100.00
- Damage Security Deposit must be on file with all necessary rental paperwork to confirm rental date, location, time, etc.

Township of Indiana  
**Kevin M. Brozek**  
**COMMUNITY CENTER RENTAL**  
**INFORMATION**

**Kevin M. Brozek Community Center:**

400 Crawford Run Road  
Cheswick, PA 15024

**Recreation Room:**

Resident Hourly Rate: \$30.00  
Resident 3 Hour Package: \$75.00 (additional hour: \$30)  
Resident 5 Hour Package: \$120.00 (additional hour: \$30)

Non-Resident Hourly Rate: \$40.00  
Non-Resident 3 Hour Package: \$90.00 (additional hour: \$40)  
Non-Resident 5 Hour Package: \$130.00 (additional hour: \$40)

**Dining Room/Kitchen:**

Resident Hourly Rate: \$40.00  
Resident 3 Hour Package: \$90.00 (additional hour: \$40)  
Resident 5 Hour Package: \$130.00 (additional hour: \$40)  
Non-Resident Hourly Rate: \$50.00  
Non-Resident 3 Hour Package: \$120.00 (additional hour: \$50)  
Non-Resident 5 Hour Package: \$160.00 (additional hour: \$50)

Rentals must be paid in full in order to confirm and lock in date. A damage security deposit must be submitted as well. Rules and Regulations are available online at [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com)  
Call Community Services Coordinator for details:  
412/767-5333 x 311, Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4:30pm

*10% rental fee discount if rented Monday-Thursday, 9am-8pm*

*Alcohol Consumption Permit: \$25.00/rental date*

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**OPEN GYM**

The Town Hall Community Center  
GYMNASIUM  
is available for OPEN GYM  
the following dates/times:  
Thursday, 7pm-10pm  
Saturday, 8am-3pm  
Sunday, 11am-4pm

*\*Open Gym days/times may change due to availability!*

*\*All children 11 years old and younger must be accompanied by an adult (18 yrs+) while in the facility*

*\*Gymnasium will open & close promptly at above noted times (no exceptions)!*

*\*Please share the gym with all who attend!*

**SPRING FORWARD...**

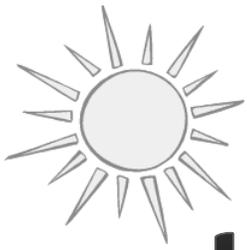
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# Indiana Township Summer Day Camp 2013



Yes, the Indiana Township Summer Program is beginning again at the beautiful Emmerling Park and this year is sure to be the best yet! The camp is a wonderful opportunity for children to make new friends, enjoy new experiences, take part in athletic activities, and express their creativity through art. Weekly exposure to the arts will be provided by the Children's Museum of Pittsburgh's Outreach Program, with performances of music, theater, storytelling, etc. In addition to the wonderful activities provided on location, children will have opportunities to participate in field trips to fun and exciting places around the town. The Indiana Township Summer Program has something exciting to offer all children. Registration must take place by June 14, 2013 to receive the discounted rate. Visit [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com) for a complete camp schedule for the summer 2013 session. (Please note: schedule is subject to change)

*Someone once said, "Every child is creative, he or she only needs a media in which to express it."*

**COULD THE SUMMER PROGRAM BE THAT FIRST STEP???**

- WHEN:** Weekdays, Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 26<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – 1:00pm
- WHERE:** Emmerling Community Park (Cove Run Road)
- AGE LEVEL:** Completed Kindergarten through Fifth Grade
- REGISTRATION:** Completed forms must be returned to the township office by  
**Friday, June 14, 2013**
- SNACK:** Provided each day
- COST:** Resident Children: first child \$115; second child additional \$115;  
family of three or more children \$250

*FEES ARE DOUBLED FOR NONRESIDENT CHILDREN IN EACH CATEGORY*

***Register early and SAVE MONEY!***

The rates for registration forms received on or before **June 14, 2013**  
are as follows:

First child **\$85**; second child additional **\$85**; family of three or more children **\$200**.

***Don't waste time...REGISTER TODAY!***

# INDIANA TOWNSHIP SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTRATION FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE BY FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2013 AT 4:00 PM.

CHILD'S NAME	AGE	LAST GRADE COMPLETED

STREET ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

MUNICIPALITY OF ABOVE ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

FATHER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_

### RELEASE

I, the undersigned, as parent or legal guardian of the above named child or children, hereby release Indiana Township from any and all liability for damage to, or loss of, personal property or for personal injury arising from the above named child's or children's participation in the Summer Recreation Program except as the same may be caused by the negligent or intentional act of Indiana Township or its employees or agents.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of parent or guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

**\*\* I would like to purchase an Indiana Township Summer Camp T-shirt for \$7.00 each. \*\***

\_\_\_ Child Sm.    \_\_\_ Ch. Med.    \_\_\_ Ch. Lg.    \_\_\_ Adult Sm.    \_\_\_ Ad. Med.    \_\_\_ Ad. Lg.    \_\_\_ Ad. XL

*-Include additional money for t-shirt in registration fee-*

**PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM ALONG WITH A CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO "INDIANA TOWNSHIP" TO THE INDIANA TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING or MAIL TO:**

**INDIANA TOWNSHIP SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM**

3710 Saxonburg Boulevard; Pittsburgh, PA 15238

**DO NOT WRITE BELOW LINE. FOR TOWNSHIP USE ONLY.**

Amount of Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash: \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2013 ANNUAL DEER CREEK/ EMMERLING COMMUNITY PARK CLEANUP

Save the date and help make a difference. On **April 6, 2013** (rain date: April 20, 2013), the Tri-County Trout Club is sponsoring the annual stream and park cleanup. Supporting this event is Indiana Township, the Oakmont Boy Scouts and PA Cleanways . For the past 25+ years, we have removed hundreds of tires, all kind of debris and filled many dumpsters - and every year there is less to clean up! We will be meeting at 8:00 am at Emmerling Community Park for registration. Coffee, hot chocolate & donuts will be provided in the morning. Trash bags, gloves and safety vests will be passed out along with stream assignments with experienced club members. We can't predict the weather so dress warm and bring sturdy shoes or boots. If you plan on crossing the stream, waders & boating vests are recommended. A hot lunch will be provided at noon and we should wrap things up in the early afternoon. All group & volunteers are welcome. Let us know if you plan to participate. You can call Bob Simko at 412-302-8382 or via email at [rmsimko@verizon.net](mailto:rmsimko@verizon.net). More information is available for this event at [www.gacofpa.org](http://www.gacofpa.org) at the website, click on "find an event", select Allegheny County and scroll down to the April 6<sup>th</sup> date. Be advised that the bridge on Route 910 (near the intersection with Blue Run Road), which crosses over the Turnpike is CLOSED. This bridge is just south of the park. The suggested route is to come from Saxonburg Blvd., make a right onto east Route 910, and then a left on Cove Run Road. There are additional detours posted on the Township's website: [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com), under "Road Closures".



## SQUAW RUN GARDEN CLUB'S ANNUAL "MAY PLANT SALE"

Squaw Run Garden Club will hold it's May Plant sale on **Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** from **9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**, at the Squaw Valley Park gazebo. A wonderful selection of perennials, herbs, hanging baskets, planters and vegetable plants will be available for sale as well as perennials dug from members' gardens.

Proceeds benefit local gardening projects such as marking and enhancing the trails along Trillium Trail, landscaping the Cooper-Siegal Library, and donations to Camp Guyasuta and The Riverfront Project.

*Enjoy a lovely day of shopping in the park where you are guaranteed to find the perfect Mother's Day gift!*

\*\*\*Cash & Checks only\*\*\* Contact: Kate Brown - Cell phone: 412-352-5984 - Email: [bkaterown@aol.com](mailto:bkaterown@aol.com)

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*To find out more about what PALCS can make possible for you,  
visit us at [www.PALCS.org](http://www.PALCS.org), or call us at 412-828-3331 .*

# Indiana Township Police K-9 T-shirts For Sale!!!

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# YOUTH DAY 2013

SATURDAY, JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup>

4:00 pm - 9:00 pm

with a FIREWORKS FINALE!

The Youth Day Committee is already busy planning a very special Youth Day 2013. This year's event will be held on **Saturday, June 1, 2013 at Emmerling Community Park**. The day's activities will once again include food, fun, activities, and prizes. As in the past, all of the activities and food are free of charge. However, the Committee relies on the generosity of residents and businesses in order to make this possible.

We are in need of the community's help. The Committee is seeking businesses, neighbors, residents, and families who are willing to sponsor some of our displays and demonstrations once again this year. Different levels of sponsorships are available. We can also accommodate anyone willing to join together with another family or group to sponsor.

All proceeds from Youth Day go directly into the Indiana Township D.A.R.E. fund. By supporting Youth Day, you support D.A.R.E. Please visit our website at [www.youthday.info](http://www.youthday.info) for more information.

Your sponsorship will be acknowledged on a banner displayed at the booth or demonstration which you sponsor, as well as in the Township Newsletter and on the website. For details, contact Officer Kirk Vandebord at 412-767-5333, ext. 345.

**MARK YOUR CALENDERS: JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> - WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!!!**



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# YOUTH DAY VOLUNTEERS & SPONSORS NEEDED!

If you would like to help the Township celebrate YOUTH DAY 2013 on **Saturday, June 1, 2013**, please contact Holly Sammartino at 412-767-5333 x311 or [hsammartino@indianatownship.com](mailto:hsammartino@indianatownship.com). You can help with games, events, displays, performances, etc. Once again, everything at the celebration will be **FREE!** However, we still depend on your generous at-will donations and support of our fundraising efforts. **We are appealing to all of our residents to donate in any way they can. Youth Day needs businesses to donate goods and services to be raffled off at the event. Remember: We have PayPal on the Youth Day Website! If you would like to make a donation electronically, please visit the Youth Day Website at [www.youthday.info](http://www.youthday.info). We are also in need of volunteers to help at Youth Day, as well as sponsors for events, activities and inflatables. We could use your help! High school students can use this as community service hours and they also can count as community service hours for the National Honors Society. Thanks for caring!**

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## COOKIE DONATIONS NEEDED

We are counting on the generous members of our community to provide the cookies needed for Youth Day. Every year we give out approximately 5,000 cookies\*. All kinds of cookies are needed: **store bought or homemade, brownies, bar cookies, etc. – whatever you want to donate.** Please bring the cookies to the Town Hall at 3710 Saxonburg Blvd. in Dorseyville on Friday, May 31, 2013 between the hours of 8:30am-4:30pm. Thanks for your generosity!

**\*Last year we ran out of cookies before the end of our event!**

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## COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Kirk Vandenburg, Co-Chairman

Jeff Curti, Co-Chairman

Holly Sammartino,  
Secretary/Treasurer

David Allison

Daniel Anderson

Megan Carson

Tammy Curti

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Indiana Township Youth Day/D.A.R.E.

Needs Your Support!!

# RAFFLE TICKETS FOR MONTH OF JULY 2013

This is our biggest fund-raiser for Youth Day/D.A.R.E. and we need your help. The raffle ticket is good for the Month of July 2013. The winning number is based on the 3-digit evening lottery number. A donation of \$5 is requested.

Youth Day is Saturday, June 1, 2013 at Emmerling Community Park. Come join your neighbors and help support our D.A.R.E. program and Youth Day. For a complete schedule, visit our website at: <http://www.youthday.info>.

Raffle Tickets are available at Hartwood Elementary School from Mrs. Rovnak, the Indiana Township Town Hall, or from any Committee member (see website for list).

We also need some volunteers to help sell raffle tickets. If you can help us out, please call Susan Pastura at 412-767-4392 or contact us via the website. We would like to have some teenagers sell tickets in their local neighborhoods. Keep in mind this can be counted as community service hours!

## July 2013

### Benefits the 16<sup>th</sup> Indiana Township Dare/Youth Day

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 \$50	2 \$50	3 \$100	4 \$50	5 \$50	6 \$100
7 \$50	8 \$50	9 \$50	10 \$100	11 \$50	12 \$50	13 \$100
14 \$50	15 \$50	16 \$50	17 \$100	18 \$50	19 \$50	20 \$100
21 \$50	22 \$50	23 \$50	24 \$100	25 \$50	26 \$50	27 \$100
28 \$50	29 \$50	30 \$50	31 \$100			

Winning number determined by the 7:00 PM 3-digit PA Daily Number

### Donation \$5.00

Sponsored by: Middle Road Volunteer Fire Department  
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# Backyard Splendors of Indiana Township



## Garden Tour



Please join us for a tour of gardens in Indiana Township, Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 11:00am -4:00pm. The day will begin at the Indiana Township Community Center located at 3710 Saxonburg Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15238 at 11:00am at which time each participant will be given a program which includes information on each garden. This is a self drive event.

Feel free to carpool with friends!

### Don't delay, register today!

Registrations will be accepted until Monday, June 17, 2013, in order to plan and prepare lunches (A maximum of 100 registrations will be accepted for lunch & tour; an additional 50 registrations will be accepted for tour only)

#### BASKET LUNCHES INCLUDE

Chicken Salad Croissant

Pasta Salad

Fruit

Drink

Cookie

Lunch will be served at the Indiana Township Town Hall Community Center, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, between the hours of 11:30am-3pm.

Preregistration required for lunch. NO EXCEPTIONS!

COST/person: \$30.00 tour & lunch; \$20.00 tour only; (\$22.00 day of tour (tour only))

Proceeds benefit the Indiana Township D.A.R.E. fund (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) in the Fox Chapel Area School District.



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### 2013 BACKYARD SPLENDORS OF INDIANA TOWNSHIP GARDEN TOUR

NAME OF EACH PARTICIPANT(S): \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETE ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian lunch desired (check here) \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT TYPE: CASH \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Once registered, your name(s) will be posted on the Garden Tour List, which will be given to each garden owner.

#### Please submit registration form to:

Indiana Township Town Hall

Attention: Garden Tour

3710 Saxonburg Boulevard

Pittsburgh, PA 15238

Please make checks payable to INDIANA TOWNSHIP D.A.R.E.

## COUNTY EXECUTIVE FITZGERALD/UNITED WAY REMIND RESIDENTS ABOUT FREE TAX PREPARATION

Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald and United Way of Allegheny County remind residents to take advantage of the Money in Your Pocket (MIYP) Coalition Free Tax Preparation Campaign, which helps financially struggling individuals and families file their 2013 federal, state and local tax returns. There are 11 locations staffed with IRS-trained tax preparers throughout Allegheny County.

Now in its fifth year, the free tax preparation campaign helps low and middle-income workers maximize their tax refunds by claiming valuable state and federal tax credits, such as the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and the Child Tax Credit (CTC). Services are provided free of charge, offering clients a cost-saving alternative to expensive commercial tax preparation fees.

The Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) is a federal tax credit for people who work but do not earn high incomes. Taxpayers who qualify for and claim the credit pay less federal tax, pay no tax at all, or even get a tax refund. Qualified residents could be eligible for a refund between \$475 and \$5,891.

"The Earned Income Tax Credit was created to assist hard working people struggling to make ends meet, but it is estimated that only 75 percent of those eligible actually apply," said Fitzgerald. "The Money in Your Pocket Coalition Free Tax Preparation Campaign strives to educate residents about their taxes, and assist them with filing, so that tax refunds are not left unclaimed. We want every Allegheny County citizen in need to be aware of the campaign. Tax refunds and tax credits, like EITC, can put thousands of dollars into their pockets. That's money that can be used for basic needs, like putting food on the table, paying monthly utility bills, purchasing gasoline or bus passes, making rent payments, or eliminating personal debt."

IRS-trained tax preparers help residents get the refund they deserve without expensive service fees and without predatory "payday" loans. In today's economy, more workers may qualify due to reduced incomes. EITC can make their lives a little easier. The credit can increase their federal income tax refunds by up to \$5,981, depending on their individual circumstances. But to get their EITC, they must know about the credit, then file and specifically claim it.

The Money in Your Pocket Coalition wants to reach every working individual who may qualify for EITC, including:

- Newly eligible taxpayers, due to changes in their income, marital or parental status during 2012;
- Self-employed individuals;
- Workers with disabilities;
- Workers in non-traditional situations, such as grandparents raising grandchildren;
- Childless workers, especially those whose earnings may be too low to require filing; and
- Workers with limited English proficiency.

Angela Reynolds, Director of Programs for Financially Struggling Adults and Families with United Way of Allegheny County said, "To get things started, individuals may call 2-1-1, the free hotline providing easy access to health, housing and human services information. This year, PA 2-1-1 Southwest is taking MIYP tax calls and scheduling appointments. In addition, PA 2-1-1 staff are making referrals to MyFreeTaxes.com, a resource for those residents with incomes higher than the MIYP limits, but not exceeding \$57,000. Call specialists can also talk with residents about other resources available to help them in times of need."

Through April 15, 2013, volunteers will help Allegheny County residents whose annual incomes do not exceed \$20,000 for an individual or \$40,000 for a household that can claim at least one dependent. Residents can receive their refund in as little as 9 days.

The coalition wouldn't be possible without the team of 150+ students, retirees and professionals who have committed to volunteering at least three hours per week at one of tax sites. Volunteers have trained and been certified in the basics of IRS tax preparation.

"During the 2012 tax season, the Money In Your Pocket Coalition prepared more than 6,000 tax returns and delivered \$10.6 million in tax refunds to Allegheny County residents, including \$4.4 million in Earned Income Tax Credits," said Reynolds. "This money makes a positive financial difference in the lives of thousands of hard-working people and their families."

For more information about the Free Tax Preparation Campaign, visit the Money In Your Pocket Coalition website at [www.pghfreetaxes.org](http://www.pghfreetaxes.org) or dial 2-1-1.

Find out more about the impact MIYP makes in our community by watching this one-minute video to learn how "Every Dollar Matters".

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## The Rotary Club of Fox Chapel Area Hosts May 20<sup>th</sup> Charity Golf Outing at River Forest CC

Proceeds will benefit local non-profit organizations in a variety of fields ranging from education, libraries, recreation, and food pantries. A "Computers for Students" program, which will enable disadvantaged district students to access laptop computers and home internet access, also will receive funds this year from a special raffle as part of the golf outing.

Individuals, foursomes and corporate sponsors may participate. The cost is \$95 for golf, lunch, photos and prizes - or \$50 for lunch and prizes. There are also a number of advertising and raffle opportunities for those who cannot attend but want to support the Rotary charities. Lunch begins at 11:15 a.m. with the tee-off at 12:45 p.m.

Registration forms may be requested by contacting Event Chair Tom Benic via email at: [tom@benic.net](mailto:tom@benic.net), by phone: 412-781-9463 or by mail: 28 Wedgewood Lane, Pittsburgh, PA 15215.

A list of local civic organizations that have benefitted from the golf outing in the past include: Aspinwall Meals on Wheels, Audubon Society of Western Pennsylvania, Boyd Community Center, Camp Guyasuta, Cooper Siegel Library, Fox Chapel Area High School – Student Support Services, North Hills Community Outreach, Sharpsburg Family Worship Center, St. Margaret Foundation, St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry, and Volunteers of America/All of Us Care.

The Rotary Club of Fox Chapel Area is part of Rotary International, which has 1.2 million members and 34,000 service clubs worldwide. The local club, which always welcomes new members and guests, meets most Wednesdays at noon at the Pittsburgh Field Club.



## SENECA AREA EMS - SUBSCRIPTION DRIVE!

It's that time of the year again. Seneca Area Emergency Services would like to remind the residents of Indiana Township that are serviced by Seneca Area EMS (*not Lower Valley EMS*) that it is time for the annual Subscription Drive. The Subscription drive will be going out to applicable residents of Indiana around the end of March. If you didn't received your subscription drive, or are unsure if you are serviced by Seneca EMS, please contact Sheri Carricato, Office Manager at (412)781-8596. She will be more than happy to send you out one if you haven't received it by **April 15, 2013.**

### TOWN MEETING

*with Supervisor Darrin Krally*

*for residents in the*

## RURAL RIDGE AREA

(District #3)

on

### SUNDAY, MARCH 24<sup>th</sup>

from 12:00 Noon - 2:00 p.m.

**At the Indiana Township Town Hall**

**(3710 Saxonburg Blvd., Dorseyville)**

**YOU MUST R.S.V.P. BY CALLING 412-828-6881 EITHER ON OR BEFORE FRIDAY, MARCH 22<sup>nd</sup>. BE SURE TO LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE A SPECIFIC TOPIC FOR DISCUSSION.**

If you plan to attend, please arrive PROMPTLY at Noon as the meeting will begin at this time. Should you arrive AFTER the scheduled starting time, please be sure to ring the doorbell in the vestibule (*located to the right of the door*) so we can let you inside.

**BASED UPON BOTH ATTENDANCE AND ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED, THE MEETING MAY ADJOURN SOONER THAN 2:00 PM.**

### Friends & Neighbors

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Indiana Township  
Supervisor, District 3

**Thanks!**

# DON'T MISS THE GARDEN & LANDSCAPE SYMPOSIUM OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AND THE GARDEN MARKETPLACE!



The 18th annual Garden & Landscape Symposium of Western Pennsylvania, presented by Penn State Extension, Phipps Conservatory and Shady Side Academy, will be held Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Shady Side Academy's Hillman Center for Performing Arts in Fox Chapel. Internationally acclaimed educators and authors will treat attendees to an entire day of presentations.

These horticultural experts will share their knowledge on a wide variety of topics including R. William Thomas, executive director and head gardener of Chanticleer, Wayne, Pennsylvania, on *Chanticleer: Pleasure Garden*, Kerry Mendez, garden consultant and designer - *The Perennial Plant Collector's Corner* and *Branch Out with Flowering Shrubs*, Thomas Rainer, landscape architect and designer - *Contemporary Planting Design using Native Plants*, Whitney Cranshaw, professor and entomology specialist at Colorado State University - *Natural Enemies of Landscape Insect Pests*, and Joseph Tychonievich, Nursery Manager, Arrowhead Alpine - *Growing Alpines and Miniature Plants*. The Symposium includes breakfast and lunch as well as plenty of time to shop at the Garden Marketplace.

The **Garden Marketplace** is free and open to the public as well as those registered for the Symposium, from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The Marketplace will feature unusual, hard-to-find perennials, annuals, shrubs, heirloom vegetable plants and seeds, natives, bonsai specimens, alpines and rock garden plants and garden accessories. Browsing the Garden Marketplace has never been easier, as it is entirely indoors, located in the Ice Rink on the Shady Side Senior School campus. Convenient, ample parking is nearby and free.

Register for the Symposium by calling Phipps Garden Center at (412) 441 – 4442. The fee is \$ 99 when registering by April 1 or \$ 115 after April 1. There is no charge to visit the Garden Marketplace. For further details or to register online, visit [www.landscapesymposium.org](http://www.landscapesymposium.org).

## St. Mary of the Assumption Parish Festival 2013 2510 Middle Road, Glenshaw, PA

### FESTIVAL

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June 21, 7:00 – 11:00PM

June 22, 6:00 – 10:00PM with Fireworks!

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Friday – Chicken

Saturday – Roast Beef

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www.coopersiegelcommunitylibrary.org

**Library Programs for Adults:** Please register by calling the reference department at 412-828-9520 ext. 215 or by sending an email to [coopersiegelref@einetnetwork.net](mailto:coopersiegelref@einetnetwork.net).

Some programs and classes will have fees and some will be free.

Celebrate National Library Week all week beginning April 14---free events, a children's contest, and refreshments all week!

**Tartan Day, April 6, starts at 12 pm:** An annual Scottish celebration comes to the Cooper-Siegel Community Library! Enjoy Celtic music performed by Callan, Scottish dancing, storytelling and song singing. A free event for all ages! **The Civil War in Pennsylvania on April 15:** Historical interpreter Alan Irvine returns to the library to tell the true stories of the Civil War. **Award-Winning Poet Sam Hazo on April 17 at 7 pm:** Celebrate National Poetry Month in April with world-renowned local poet Sam Hazo, whose topic will be "Poetry & Public Speech." **As Seen on TV: Handwriting Expert Michelle Dresbold on April 18:** Michelle Dresbold will share her expert perspective on several famous criminal cases. **Library Walking Group: Local Gardening Expert Doug Oster on April 27 at 10 am:** Meet Pittsburgh's Doug Oster as he shares his tips for spring gardening. **Our walking program Wise Walk begins on April 26:** walk on your own or with a group... free programs and prizes. **Dealing with Divorce (for Women):** This workshop will deal with the financial, family and legal aspects of divorce. Call 724-493-9695 to register and pay the \$35 fee. **Free How-To Day at the Library on June 22:** A free day of classes for all ages will be offered. Check with the library for full details. **Library Customer Appreciation Day in June:** A tour of the library's Welcome Garden will be offered. Check with the library for the date and details. **Annual Library Fundraiser Love the Library on April 20 at the Pittsburgh Field Club.** Tickets are \$125, contact the library for details. **Support Group: TWST:** A support group for teens who stutter meets monthly on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at 2 pm. Just drop in! **UPMC Physician Lecture Series:** A series of lectures presented by UPMC physicians. Contact the library for details. **Summer Reading Program:** Sign up to win free prizes for reading! Starts in June. **Foreign Language and Computer Classes: Ongoing all year.** Contact the reference department for schedules. The library offers book discussions, computer classes, delivery to homebound residents, and more. Please check with the Reference Department for more information. We are accepting food donations and recycled electronics (NOT computers or printers)

**Library Programs for Children: Registration is required.**

Please register by calling the children's department at 412-828-9520 ext. 218

**Story times for toddlers** (ages 24 to 36 months) are held on Thursdays at 10:30 am. Story times for preschoolers (ages 3 to 5 years) are held on Tuesdays at 10:30 am or Wednesdays at 1:30 pm. Baby lap-sit story times (ages infants to 24 months) are held on Mondays or Fridays at 10:30 am. **Check out our spring events: Earth Day Celebration:** Apr. 20 from 1-3 pm. For all ages. **Children's Book Week:** Week of May 9. For all ages. **Join our Summer Reading Program beginning in June:** This year's theme is "Dig Into Reading" Oct.15.

**Library Programs for Teens: Registration is required.**

Please register by calling the teen department at 412-828-9520 ext. 210

**Art Club:** Stop by the last Friday of each month at 5 pm for a fun craft and snacks! **Poetry Picnic on April 18 at 6 pm:** Celebrate National Poetry Week with fun activities. **Summer Reading for Teens:** Begins in June.

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# Fox Chapel Area Adult Education Classes Opening in March and April 2013



The Winter/Spring 2013 semester of Fox Chapel Area Adult Education classes is well underway. However, classes have varying start dates. The classes which will take place in late March and early April are:

**"Gettysburg and the Civil War"** on Wednesday, April 10th from 7-9 p.m. at the Fox Chapel Area High School LGI Room. Join Andy Masich, president of the Heinz History Center, as he uses artifacts and historic images to tell the story of the battle of Gettysburg and the Pennsylvanians, famous and forgotten, who took part in the epic struggle. Open to students ages 10 and above when accompanied by an adult.

**"Heartsaver CPR and AED Training Including Infant and Child Training"** will be held on Saturday, April 13th from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the Foxwall EMS Building on Squaw Run Road, Fox Chapel. Open to ages 15 and above when accompanied by an adult. Learn adult, child and infant CPR, foreign body airway obstruction removal and use of the AED. Upon successful completion of the class, participants will earn a two-year American Heart Association certificate.

**"Women's Fitness and Strength Training"** classes begin a new session at the Fox Chapel Area High School Fitness Center starting the first week of April on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8 p.m. and Saturday mornings from 9:30-11 a.m. Strength training is the most important exercise for women. Learn to use weight training equipment under the guidance of exercise professionals and work at your own pace during this open gym time.

*For further assistance, please check the FCAAE website at [www.fcaae.org](http://www.fcaae.org) or call 412.696.1410 and leave a voice mail message for the Executive Director.*

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412-578-7518 or [admission@winchesterthurston.org](mailto:admission@winchesterthurston.org)

## PA RESOURCES COUNCIL WORKSHOPS

The Pennsylvania Resources Council will present two different composting workshops in your area in March:

### Worm Composting Workshop

March 16, 2013 from 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. at Cooper-Siegel Library, 403 Fox Chapel Road

### Backyard Composting Workshop

March 30, 2013 from 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. at Boyd Community Center, 1220 Powers Run Road

*The cost of each workshop is \$50 person/ \$55 couple. The Backyard Composting Workshop includes one bin per registration and the Worm Composting Workshop includes the bin and worms. For more information about each workshop and online registration please go to: <http://zerowastepgh.org/ZW-PRC-byvc.html>. Pre-payment is required for the Worm Composting Workshop.*

## BEECHWOOD FARMS NATURE RESERVE

614 Dorseyville Road, Pittsburgh PA 15238 (412) 963-6100 or [www.aswp.org](http://www.aswp.org)

Be sure to join us every Wednesday morning at 9:00 am for a free naturalist led hike at Beechwood Farms Nature Reserve! On May 4<sup>th</sup>, stop by the Audubon Center for Native Plants at Beechwood Farms Nature Reserve for our **Spring Native Plant Sale**. Receive discounts on plants that attract birds and butterflies to your backyard! Experts will be on hand to help you choose the right plants for your garden. And May 10<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, join us for **BirdFest Weekend** - a full weekend of events for birders and bird lovers. On Friday, we will host a "Birds and Beer" kick off event, and on Saturday, the BirdFest Festival will take place at Beechwood. On Sunday, join us at Succop Conservancy in Butler for a Mothers' Day Brunch and birdhouse painting event! We're also holding two birding trips that weekend. Please check our website at [aswp.org](http://aswp.org) to register and for more information.

### Upcoming events:

**April 11<sup>th</sup> (Thursday):** Preschool Program: Fledglings (10am-11am): \$4 member, \$6 non-member. Give your 3-5 year old a head start on a lifetime of loving the outdoors. These naturalist-led programs incorporate stories, activities and a trail walk on seasonally appropriate topics. Parent or caregiver must be present.

**April 14<sup>th</sup> (Sunday):** Wildflower Walk (2pm-4pm). See what's popping up in the woods. We'll look for spring beauties, bloodroot, hepatica and others along our trails. Cost: Free

**April 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> (Saturdays):** Birdwatching Hikes from 8 am - 10 am. Free of charge!

**April 28<sup>th</sup> (Sunday):** Audubon Center for Native Plants -Basic Landscaping with Native Plants (2pm-4pm) *Cost: \$6 member, \$10 non-member.* Wake up your garden with cheerful spring blooming native plants. Learn how to enhance your landscape using native plants, reduce the spread of invasive species, and explore the benefits of these adaptable plants. Bring a picture of your garden space or create a new landscape using design techniques such as sketch, paint and collage to create designs that will bring nature closer to you.

**May 2<sup>nd</sup> (Thursday):** Toddler Program: Babes in the Woods (10am-11am) \$4 member, \$6 non-member. Parents and toddlers (2 and under) will delight in using sight, sound, touch and smell to discover the natural world. These naturalist led programs incorporate seasonally appropriate topics. Parent or caregiver must be present. Strollers/Baby Backpacks welcome.

**May 4<sup>th</sup> (Saturday):** Birdwatching Hike (8am-10am). Free of charge!

**May 4<sup>th</sup> (Saturday):** Audubon Center for Native Plants Spring Sale (9am-1pm). Annual Spring Plant Sale with discounts on all of our nursery propagated Western Pa native plants including hard to find favorites. Plant Experts will be available to help answer questions.

**May 5<sup>th</sup> (Sunday):** Audubon Center for Native Plants -Get Your Garden Ready for the Season (2pm-4pm). Join us for tips and low cost techniques to prepare an organic landscape space that will enhance backyard biodiversity and create a chemical free environment where plants can thrive. Come prepared for working outdoors with hand tools. Each participant will learn to make then take home compost tea. *Cost:\$6 member, \$10 non-member.*

**May 9<sup>th</sup> (Thursday):** Preschool Program: Fledglings (10am-11am) \$4 member, \$6 non-member. Give your 3-5 year old a head start on a lifetime of loving the outdoors. These naturalist-led programs incorporate stories, activities and a trail walk on seasonally appropriate topics. Parent or caregiver must be present.

**May 10<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> (Friday-Sunday):** BirdFest Weekend. It's our yearly festival for the birds-taking place on International Migratory Bird Day—and this year we're expanding it to last the whole weekend! Enjoy bird themed activities for the entire family, including bird watching hikes, games, hikes and special speakers. Check [aswp.org](http://aswp.org) for a full schedule of events.

**May 18<sup>th</sup> (Saturday):** Birdwatching Hike (8am-10am): Free of charge!

**May 19<sup>th</sup> (Sunday):** Wildflower Walk (2pm-4pm): Free. Catch the last of the spring wildflowers before they disappear for another year.

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## SUCCOP CONSERVANCY IS HIRING!!

Audubon Society of Western Pennsylvania at Succop Conservancy is seeking seasonal employees to fulfill a number of jobs, including helping to support weddings and receptions at the Conservancy and prepare the grounds for the busy summer season. Succop Conservancy is located in Butler, Butler County, adjacent to the Butler County Airport. Audubon Society of Western Pennsylvania is headquartered at Beechwood Farms Nature Reserve in Fox Chapel. To learn about seasonal employment opportunities, please contact Brian Shema at 412-963-6100 or [bshema@aswp.org](mailto:bshema@aswp.org).

# NEWS FROM SHADY SIDE ACADEMY

## Spring Admissions Open Houses

Interested families are invited to attend an admissions open house to learn more about Shady Side Academy. Spring 2013 admissions open house dates are as follows; RSVP online at [www.shadysideacademy.org/openhouse](http://www.shadysideacademy.org/openhouse).

Junior School (PK-5, Point Breeze)	Wednesday, May 8	9:15 AM
Middle School (6-8, Fox Chapel)	Thursday, May 2	9:00 AM
Senior School (9-12, Fox Chapel)	Saturday, May 11	11:00 AM



## Hillman Center Presents: An Evening With Ira Glass

Join acclaimed radio journalist Ira Glass, executive producer and host of NPR's *This American Life*, for a special evening at the Hillman Center for Performing Arts on Saturday, April 16, at 7:30 p.m. Sponsored by WYEP and WESA. Tickets are just \$40; VIP tickets are \$125 and include an exclusive pre-show reception with Ira Glass. Buy tickets online at [www.thehillman.org](http://www.thehillman.org) or by phone at 412-968-3040.

## Register Now for Summer Programs!

Looking to plan an unforgettable summer for your kids? Shady Side Academy offers a wide array of affordable, fun programs all summer long for kids ages 3-18. Offerings include: day camps for pre-kindergarten, elementary and middle school students; week-long focus camps; sports and specialty camps; and for-credit summer school classes. High-energy programming, combined with a knowledgeable and experienced staff, make SSA Summer Programs unlike any other in the region! Most programs are held at the SSA Senior School campus at 423 Fox Chapel Road. Register by April 1 and save 5%! For more information or to register, visit [www.shadysideacademy.org/summer](http://www.shadysideacademy.org/summer) or call 412-968-3160.

## **BOUQUET PARK POOL**

[www.bouquetpark.com](http://www.bouquetpark.com)

The Bouquet Park Pool in Springdale is now accepting applications for the 2013 season. Bouquet Park is a family oriented, outdoor, heated swimming pool, tucked away in a tree-lined grove minutes from the Pittsburgh Mills Mall. We offer Indiana Township residents the same rates as Springdale residents, with many different membership options.

Visit our website for membership information, rules and regulations. We offer discounted senior membership rates for those joining that are 62 and over. Our pool has amenities including a baby pool, a swim team, Adirondack chairs, and a refreshment stand, as well as picnic tables if you decide to pack your own snacks.

Take advantage of our payment plan options, with a discount if paid in full prior to May 1, 2013. Give your family something to look forward to everyday of the Summer!

Questions may be sent to: [bouquetpark@gmail.com](mailto:bouquetpark@gmail.com) or call Janeane at 724-274-8920.

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John Carson (Ext.319)

### *Code Enforcement Officer/Fire Marshal*

Jeffrey Curti (Ext. 320)

### *Engineer*

Daniel Slagle (412-269-9440)

### *Solicitor*

Irv Firman

### *Tax Collector*

Phyllis Will

2505 MIDDLE RD, GLENSHAW, 15116 (412)486-5559

### *Earned Income Tax Collector*

Keystone Collections Group  
(724)978-0300 Fax: (724)978-0322  
[www.keystonecollects.com](http://www.keystonecollects.com)

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## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Township Office & Police (non-emergency). (412)767-5333  
Fax Number . . . . . (412)767-4773  
EMERGENCY (Police/Fire/Ambulance) . . . . . 9-1-1

WEBSITE: [www.indianatownship.com](http://www.indianatownship.com)

## TOWNSHIP E-MAIL ADDRESSES:

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Police: [police@indianatownship.com](mailto:police@indianatownship.com)

## FOX CHAPEL AREA

### SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS

(representing Indiana Township residents)

Sandra Garbish. . . . . (412)767-5323  
Robert Mauro. . . . . (412)963-6152  
Terrence L. Wirginis. . . . . (412)963-6712

## »» GARBAGE REMINDER ««

**ORDINANCE #253 MANDATES THAT EVERY TOWNSHIP RESIDENT MUST SUBSCRIBE TO GARBAGE SERVICE. REGULAR GARBAGE PICKUP IS ON WEDNESDAYS.** Recycling is also mandated. Do not place recyclables in plastic bags; place them in your recycling bin! Use paper grocery bags for newspapers and magazines. **IF A HOLIDAY FALLS ON A MONDAY, TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY, YOUR GARBAGE WILL BE PICKED UP ON THURSDAY. IF THE HOLIDAY FALLS BETWEEN THURSDAY THROUGH SUNDAY, THEN IT WILL BE PICKED UP ON WEDNESDAY AS USUAL.** The Township's hauler is Waste Management, who can be reached at 1-800-458-4090, should you have any questions.

## YOUR VOICES IN GOVERNMENT

### FEDERAL SENATORS

**ROBERT P. CASEY, JR.**

393 Russell Senate Office Bldg.  
Washington, DC 20510  
(202)224-6324  
(412)803-7370 (*Pgh. Office*)

### CONGRESSIONAL

**KEITH ROTHFUS**, 12<sup>th</sup> District  
6000 Babcock Blvd., Ste. 104.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15237  
(412)837-1361

### STATE SENATOR

**JIM FERLO** (38<sup>th</sup>)

1633 Pacific Avenue  
Natrona Heights, PA 15065  
(724) 230-2000

### STATE REPRESENTATIVE:

### COUNTY COUNCIL:

**FRANK DERMODY** (33<sup>rd</sup>)

**RICH FITZGERALD**, CTY EXEC. 1321 Freeport Road, Ste. 202  
101 Cty Courthouse, 436 Grant St. Cheswick, PA 15024  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219 (724) 274-4770  
(412) 350-6500

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Pittsburgh, PA 15219  
(412)350-6535

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## COMMUNITY SERVICES

All of Us Care/Volunteers of America. . . . . (412)782-5344  
Boyd Community Center. . . . . (412)828-8566  
Cooper-Siegel Community Library. . . . . (412)828-9520

## TOWNSHIP OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm  
(Closed Weekends and Holidays)

## MEETING INFORMATION

### REGULAR TOWNSHIP MEETING

2<sup>ND</sup> TUESDAY at 7:00 PM

### PLANNING COMMISSION

4<sup>th</sup> WEDNESDAY at 7:00 PM

### PARK AND RECREATION BOARD

Various THURSDAYS at 7:15 PM  
(Refer to Twp. website for schedule)

### HISTORICAL COMMISSION

1<sup>ST</sup> MONDAY at 7:00 PM

All meetings are open to the public and are held at the Town Hall at 3710 Saxonburg Boulevard in Dorseyville



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### **The HISTORICAL COMMISSION HAS A BOARD OPENING!**

**Five year term, expiring December 31, 2017**

*If you are interested in volunteering to fill this vacancy, please submit a letter of interest to Manager Dan Anderson at the Township Building or via email at: [danderson@indianatownship.com](mailto:danderson@indianatownship.com).*