

RECREATION COMMISSION

Meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at the municipal office, unless otherwise noted, at 7:00 p.m. Public is welcome to attend.

Manchester Township 3200 Farmtrail Road York, PA 17406-5699 (717) 764-4646

Commission Members:

Patti Page James Kohr Pamalee Snyder Craig Jacoby Vanessa Rutter-Garcia

Recreation Commission Meeting Dates:

April 14, 2011 July 14, 2011 May 12, 2011 August 11, 2011 June 9, 2011

Recreation Director:

GARTH ERICSON

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MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP PARKS:

Cousler Park

1060 Church Road (corner of Church & Greenbriar Roads)

Eagles View Park 2399 Friesian Road

Emigsville Park 15 Emig Road

Johnston's Park 2985 Lewisberry Road

Mt. View Park 3298 Raintree Road

Nittany Park

Olmstead Way (Penn State Estates Development)

Ridings Recreational Area

19 Martingale Drive (Ridings Development)

Stillmeadow Park 600 Kyle Road

Spring Flin

Saturday April 16, 2011 Cousler Park 8 am to 2 pm

Egg Hunt **Yard Sale** Touch-A-Truck Shredding Event

See page 8 for details

Summer Entertainment Series

The 5th Annual Summer Entertainment Series is set for 2011! Mark your calendars for the following dates and come out and enjoy some great music in our wonderful Cousler Park Stage setting. Grab the family and a blanket to enjoy a great evening in the park.

WHEN: July 9 – **Kenton Shelley Band** (Acoustic/Pop/Rock)

> July 16 – The Large Flowerheads (60's/70's) July 23 - Don Johnson Project (50's/Motown)

July 30 – Farmers Daughter (Country)

WHERE: Cousler Park Stage, Church & Greenbriar Roads

TIME: 7:30 pm

~ Summer Fun Festival ~ **August 6, 2011**

See page 9 for details

Kid Programs

EYC Football and Cheerleading Registration

Eastern York County Football and Cheerleading registration for ages 8 – 13 will be held on the following dates:

 Saturday, April 16th at Five Guys on Route 30, York from Noon - 2 pm.

• Sunday, June 5th at the Central York High School practice football fields from 2 pm - 4 pm during the NFL Flag Championships.

CONTACT INFORMATION: www.eycfootball.org



Baseball/T-Ball/ Softball/Basketball:

Manchester Township Athletic Association www.mtaaonline.org

Soccer:

York Youth - 741-6939

Panthers USA www.panthersusa.org

Lacrosse:

cylaxclub@yahoo.com

Football/Cheerleading:

Eastern York County www.eycfootball.org

Yorktowne Patriots - 676-6629 www.yorktownepatriots.org

Cricket:

www.Yorkcc.com

York Towne Patriots

Midget Football & Cheerleading Registrations

Registration for the 2011 YorkTowne Patriots Midget Football and Cheerleading program is scheduled for the following dates and times:

WHEN: April 20

> May 4 May 18

WHERE: Cousler Park - Pavilion E

TIME: 6:30 - 8 pm

AGES: Children ages 8 – 13

(Must be 8 years old by

September 1, 2011)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: www.yorktownepatriots.org or

717-505-8888



UK Youth Soccer Camps at Cousler Park

Soccer camps directed by Professional English coaches with the objective to provide players with the opportunity to have fun while learning the fundamental techniques necessary to play the game. The camps will be offered for three different levels:

Youth Soccer Camp (ages 7-14) Squirts Camp (ages 3-4) Nipper Camp (ages 5-6)

Please refer below for corresponding times for specific camps. For additional information or to register, please contact *UK Soccer at 717-825-2060* or www.uksoccercamps.com.

WHEN: July 25 – 29, 2011

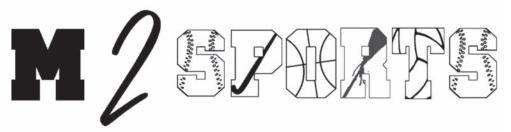
TIME: Youth Soccer Camp:

> 9 am – 1 pm Squirts Camp: 9 - 10 amNipper Camp: 10 am - Noon

LOCATION: Cousler Park. 1060 Church Road Report to Pavilion D

FEE: Please refer to www.uksoccercamps.com

for costs.



SOCCER	JUNE 13-17	AGES 5 – 12	9:00 - 12:00	COUSLER PARK
VOLLEYBALL	JUNE 13-17	4 TH GRADE- 6 TH &	9:00 - 12:00 &	MANCHESTER
		7 TH GRADE – 9 TH	1:00 - 4:00 FOR	TOWNSHIP
		GRADE	7 TH -9 TH GRADE	BUILDING
BASEBALL	JUNE 20 – 24	AGE GROUPS: 6-8	9:00-12:00	COUSLER PARK
		YRS. 9-11 YRS &		(FIELDS WILL BE
		11-13YRS		DETERMINED)
FIELD HOCKEY	JUNE 27 – JULY 1	AGES 5 -12 & 13+	9:00 - 12:00	COUSLER PARK
				(BEGINNERS AND
				EXPERIENCED
				GROUPINGS)
SOFTBALL CAMP 1	JULY 11-15	AGES 5-12 &13+	9:00 - 12:00	COUSLER PARK
BASIC SKILLS CAMP				
SOFTBALL CAMP 2	JULY 18-22	AGES 13+	9:00 - 12:00	COUSLER PARK
ADVANCED CAMP				
FOOTBALL CAMP	JULY 25 – 29	AGES 5-12 & 13+	9:00 - 12:00	COUSLER PARK
GIRLS LACROSSE	AUGUST 1 – 5	4 TH – 6 TH GRADE &	9"00-12:00	COUSLER PARK
		7 TH -9 TH GRADE		

About the Camps

M2SPORTS summer camp strives to improve participant's knowledge on position specific theory along with focusing on enjoying the specific sport. Each session emphasizes players learning the appropriate level skills, tactics, and physical training related their particular sport. Along with providing a great staff, this camp will focus on having fun while improving skill. Youth soccer and youth lacrosse camps are co-ed, as we will not have aggressive body contact in the lacrosse camp.

DAILY PROGRAM

(9 am - Noon OR 1 - 4 pm)

- Individual attack techniques
- Basic skill sessions
- Individual defensive techniques
- Team offensive techniques
- Team defensive techniques
- · Small games and scrimmages

ENROLLMENT

To get our registration form and camp waiver, please visit www.m2sports.net. If you have any questions, please contact us at 717-324-6507 or m2sports1@gmail.com. Cost of the camp is \$85 (check or money order) payable to M2SPORTS. Campers will be grouped by age as well as ability. Participants should bring a snack and a drink. Participants will receive a camp T-shirt.

American Red Cross Babysitting Certification Class

The American Red Cross Babysitter's Training program is a fun, interactive course that will teach your child to:

- · Care for children
- Be a good leader and role model
- Make good decisions, solve problems and stay safe
- Handle emergencies such as injuries, illnesses and household accidents
- Learn business skills such as writing a resume and interviewing for a job

Participants will receive instructional book, DVD and babysitting kit at the completion of the class.

WHEN: Tues. - June 23, 2011

TIME: 9 am – 3 pm

WHERE: Manchester

Township Building 3200 Farmtrail Road

WHO: Ages 11-15

COST: \$45.00

Registration deadline
June 17, 2011

Min<mark>im</mark>um – 8 participants/ Maximum – 12

Bring a bagged lunch

Pepsi Punt Pass and Kick

The NFL will again be sponsoring the annual Pepsi Punt Pass and Kick Competition this fall. The event will have youth ages 8-15 compete against one another for the right to win local, sectional, state and national competitions.

WHEN: Saturday, September 17, 2011

TIME: 9 am

WHERE: Cousler Park, 1060 Church Road

WHO: Ages 8 - 15 (Current age as of December 31, 2011)

REGISTRATION: Please pre-register with township by September 10, 2011.



Manchester Township Basketball School

MT Summer Basketball Camp

MT Summer Basketball Camp is for children 7-12 years old. The camp is structured to teach the fundamentals of the game of basketball. Under the direction of Camp Director and York Country Day head coach Chris Charleston, players will learn the individual fundamentals



through dribbling, passing, shooting, and defense. They will also learn how to use those fundamentals and apply them to game situations. Teamwork, hard work, and fun will be stressed throughout the week.

WHEN: Session I – July 11 – 15, 2011 (Ages 7 – 9)

Session II – July 18 – 22, 2011 (Ages 10 – 12)

TIME: 9 am – Noon

WHERE: Manchester Township Building

3200 Farmtrail Road

COST: \$50.00 (includes a camp T-shirt.)

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required by

July 1, 2011.

MT Skills Clinics

MT Skills Clinics aims to teach players of all ages the basic fundamentals of basketball in small group settings. By focusing on correct execution and understanding of why things are done, players are able to get a better knowledge of the game rather than just typical training.

One-On-One Skills Clinic

In the one-on-one skills clinic, Coach Charleston will take players through a fast paced workout focusing on developing player skills with the ball in their hand. Instruction will focus on using head and ball fakes, using the correct pivot foot, and how to set-up a defensive player.

WHEN: Session I – June 21 – July 7

(Tuesday & Thursday)

Session II - July 26 - August 11

(Tuesday & Thursday)

TIME: 10:30 am – 11:30 am

WHERE: Manchester Township Building

3200 Farmtrail Road

COST: \$30.00

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required by

June 17, 2011.

MT Shooting Skills Clinic

"You can practice shooting eight hours a day, but if your technique is wrong, then all you become is very good at shooting the wrong way. Get the fundamentals down and the level of everything you do will rise." - Michael Jordan.

Our shooting skills clinic will focus on teaching participants the correct fundamentals for shooting the basketball. Coach Charleston will break down each participants shooting form and build it up with a variety of proven shooting drills and technique tips that are time tested.

WHEN: Session I – June 21 – July 7

(Tuesday & Thursday)

Session II - July 26 - August 11

(Tuesday & Thursday)

TIME: 11:30 am – 12:30 pm

WHERE: Manchester Township Building

3200 Farmtrail Road

COST: \$30.00

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required by

June 17, 2011.

Hershey Track and Field

Join our outdoor elementary level track meet where children have fun and are introduced to physical fitness through basic track and field events such as running, jumping and throwing. Youth ages 9-14 are welcome to participate. All interested persons must pre-register by completing a Hershey Track & Field Games Official Local Entry Form and provide a copy of their birth certificate. Forms are available at the Manchester Township Building starting April 1st. You can also find entry forms at www.hersheytrackandfield.com. Forms are due by April 15, 2011. Participants may sign-up for a maximum of three events. Equipment is provided; only exceptionmust bring own baton for relay races. Youth must wear sneakers and athletic gear; no spikes or jewelry allowed. For more information, call 764-4646.

WHEN: May 6, 2011 **TIME:** 6 pm – 8 pm

WHERE: Dover Area High School WHO: Ages 9 – 14 registration

COST: FREE

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required by

April 15, 2011.

NO DAY OF EVENT REGISTRATION WILL

BE AVAILABLE.

Adult Programs

Adult Basketball

Pick-up basketball for township residents only.

WHEN: Mondays, April 11 – August 29, 2011

TIME: 8 – 10 pm

WHERE: Manchester Township Municipal Building, 3200 Farmtrail Road

COST: \$25.00 per person

Scrapbooking Crop Club

WHEN: Saturday, April 9, 2011 – 2 – 11 pm

Saturday, May 14, 2011 – 6 – 11 pm Saturday, June 11, 2011 – 6 – 11 pm Saturday, July 2, 2011 – 6 – 11 pm Saturday, August 13, 2011 – 6 – 11 pm Saturday, September 3, 2011 – 6 – 11 pm

WHERE: Johnston's Park

2985 Lewisberry Road

COST: \$5.00 each class

(Must register in advance)
Please call Tracey Wesstrom at 779-0708 for reservations.

No Instruction! No sales pitch! Lots of space! Lots of ideas! Just lots of time to work on preserving your memories for future generations.

York County Senior Games

Sponsored by York County Area Agency on Aging, the York County Senior Games combine sports, recreation, friendly competition and fellowship into a week of fun activities at various locations throughout York County.

WHEN: June 19 - 25, 2011

COST: \$6.00 registration fee

(fee enables you to compete in an unlimited number of events)

Call the York County Area Agency on Aging for registration information at 717-771-7001.

Summer Library at Sinking Springs Elementary

The Central York School District in conjunction with the Central York P.T.O. and Manchester Township will be offering open library times at Sinking Springs Elementary during the summer of 2011.

WHEN: Wednesdays,

June 15 - July 27, 2011

TIME: Noon – 3 pm

LOCATION: Sinking Springs Elementary, 2850 Susquehanna

Trail N.

Senior Day

Come join us at this annual event.
Bring your lunch. Drinks and dessert will be provided. Games, activities, and conversation will be enjoyed by all.

WHEN: Friday, June 3, 2011

TIME: 11:30 am – 1:30 pm

WHERE: Cousler Park

1060 Church Road

Pavilion B

WHO: Adults ages 55 and over

COST: Free

REGISTRATION

DEADLINE: May 27, 2011

FITNESS CLASSES FOR WOMEN

SESSION I: March 28 - June 2 SESSION II: June 13 - August 18

SESSION III: September 12 - November 17

ZUMBA: Latin-inspired, easy to follow, calorie burning dance fitness party. Feel the music and let loose. This has become the fastest, hottest growing dance based fitness craze. Learn the Salsa, Rumba, Cha-Cha, Regatton, Cumbia, and Merengue Hip Hop moves while burning body fat and working your cardiovascular system. No experience necessary, all fitness levels welcome.

WHEN: Mondays 5:45 – 6:45 pm (Session I only)

\$55/Residents per session \$60/Non-Residents per session

FIT-N-SLIM FOR WOMEN: Get results with our 60-minute class! Burn body fat as you build lean muscle and boost your metabolism! We've developed this total body workout based on our experience working with thousands of woman over the last 20 years. When combined with healthy eating. Fit-n-Slim can help you manage your weight. Resistance training tones muscle and improves your strength, too. Please bring 3-5 lb. handheld weights and a mat.

WHEN: Mondays and/or Thursdays 7 – 8 pm \$43/Residents – 1 Day per session COST:

\$47/Non-Residents – 1 Day per session

\$65/Residents – 2 Days per session \$70/Residents - 2 Days per session

Package Pricing (per session):

1 day of Zumba & 1 day of Fit-n-Slim \$90/Resident, \$100/Non-Resident 1 day of Zumba & 2 days of Fit-n-Slim \$115/Resident, \$120/Non-Resident

To register or for more information contact Diane at 741-1872 or email cnfeel@hotmail.com

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI)

For adults who never stop experiencing life, there is a place and a community that celebrates learning in a relaxed and accepting environment. We invite you to join in a learning adventure through the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Penn State York (OLLI at Penn State York). OLLI is open to all adults who love to learn.

OLLI at Penn State York is an association of, by, and for older adults who wish to continue to study and learn. OLLI is dedicated to the proposition that learning is a lifelong process and curiosity never retires. Members may participate in any OLLI activities, which include courses and special events. OLLI activities take place during the day. They are designed for pure enjoyment and there are no requirements, exams, or grades. All activities are designed by members for members.

There is a \$50 membership fee and additional \$20 fee for each course taken. The yearly membership fee covers two semesters. For more information please call 6 717-771-4015 or visit http://olli.yk.psu.edu.

Health Insurance Assistance

The York County Area Agency on Aging is sponsoring a monthly program to help seniors with Medicare benefits and services. Apprise Counselors are trained to answer your questions regarding Medicare, Medicaid, Medigap, prescription drugs, preventive care and assist with paperwork.

WHEN: Thursdays - April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, 2011

TIME: 8:30 am - Noon

WHERE: Manchester Township Bldg.

3200 Farmtrail Road

Please contact the York County Area Agency on Aging at 717-771-9002 or 1-800-632-9073 to schedule an appointment.

LOST & FOUND

A lost & found is located at the township office. If you are missing items and may have left them at one of our parks, please check at the municipal office at 3200 Farmtrail Road, York, PA 17406.



York County Parks -Canine Meadows: Off-leash Dog Area

A 13.5-acre regional off-leash, fenced dog area is available at John Rudy County Park, 400 Mundis Race Road, York.

For further information contact York County Parks at 717-840-7440 or parks@yorkcounty.org or visit web site at www.yorkcountyparks.org

Recreation Facility Rental Fees

EMIGSVILLE SCOUT BUILDING & JOHNSTON'S PARK:

Resident

\$90 (more than 2 hours) +

\$50 security deposit

\$60 (less than 2 hours) +

\$25 security deposit

Non-resident

Non-resident

\$120 (more than 2 hours) +

\$50 security deposit

\$80 (less than 2 hours) +

\$25 security deposit



Resident

\$40 with electric

Non-resident

\$45 with electric \$20 without electric \$25 without electric

TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL COMPLEX MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM:

Resident

\$75 full gym per hour \$45 half-gym per hour

\$85 full gym per hour \$60 half-gym per hour

All Multi-Purpose Room rentals include a \$50.00 security deposit.

Only full gym rentals are granted kitchen access.

FACILITIES AVAILABLE	Cousler	Emigsville	Nittany	Mt. View	Stillmeadow
Pavilion	7	1	1	1	1
Soccer Field	8	0	0	0	0
Baseball Field	10	1	0	0	0
Sand Volleyball	2	1	0	0	0
Basketball Court	3	1	1	0	0
Tennis Court	2	2	0	0	1
Playground Equip.	3	1	1	1	1

2011 Bonus Books are available

at the Manchester Township Building - 3200 Farmtrail Road.

\$24.00 Residents \$26.00 Non-Residents

Reminder: As contained in Chapter 16, Part I of the Codified Ordinances of Manchester Township.

Smoking at any Manchester Township park is prohibited in the following areas:

• Stage area at Cousler Park. • All playground areas. • All indoor facilities.

We also ask you to refrain from smoking in any area where large groups of children are at play.

ALL CLASSES, PROGRAMS, AND BUS TRIPS ARE SUBJECT TO ADEQUATE PARTICIPATION. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED **ONLY** IF THE ACTIVITY IS CANCELLED.



York County/ **Martin Library** Satellite

REMINDER: Books may be dropped off for return to any York County Library or ordered from any York County Library to be picked up Monday thru Friday between 8 am – 4 pm at the MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP BUILDING, 3200 Farmtrail Road

Spring Fling

Saturday April 16, 2011 · Cousler Park · 8 am to 2 pm

Egg Hunt

Come and hunt eggs with the Easter Bunny. Bring a basket and have the children wear appropriate outerwear.

TIME: Promptly at 10 am

WHO: Ages 9 and under - Manchester Township

Residents Only

COST: FREE!!!

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: April 8, 2011

Community Yard Sale

Do you have personal items that you no longer want or need? Why not sell them at Manchester Township's first Community Yard Sale! You'll have all the benefits of a yard sale without having to advertise or hang signs! All items must be in good taste and suitable for family viewing. Items cannot promote personal businesses to patrons and no solicitation is allowed during the sale. You will need to provide your own tables and chairs.

Shoppers - Why drive all day searching for your local garage sale? Come to our Community Yard Sale and leisurely browse through all sorts of items.

TIME: 8 am - 2 pm (RAIN OR SHINE)

COST: \$15.00/resident \$20.00/non-resident

(10x10 space, maximum 3 spaces)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: April 8, 2011

Touch-A-Truck

Put your imagination in gear and go! Join us for our 1st Annual Touch-a-Truck where children get a chance to get behind the wheel and rub elbows with their hometown heroes. Come and climb on and explore your favorite vehicles including fire engines, construction vehicles, and a variety of other exciting vehicles!

TIME: 10 am – 2 pm (Weather Permitting)

WHO: Kids of all ages!

COST: FREE!!!

Shredder Truck

Still have those old bills and tax returns clogging your filing cabinets at home? Manchester Township will be sponsoring a shredding truck for township residents to bring their private documents to be shredded safely and securely.

TIME: 10 am – 2 pm

WHEN: Saturday, April 16, 2011

COST: FREE

In the event of inclement weather, please call the Recreation voice mailbox (764-4646 #200) the morning of the event for a possible location change to the Manchester Township

Building.



Manchester Township Historical Society Presents

The Unspoken Language of Quilts

May 2, 2011 • 7 pm • Providence Presbyterian Church Bobbe Benvin returns this year to discuss the role symbolism played in the lives of Pennsylvania German populations and to what extent these folk art motifs were integrated into their quilts. She will use some of her own collection of quilts along with her extensive slide collection to illustrate some of the subtleties of these designs and the message they convey. After the presentation, Ms. Benvin will be available to take questions about quilts belonging to the audience. Please limit your questions to just one quilt. In addition Mrs. Virginia Lehr will be showing The School House Quilt that she has made to be raffled to support the Center Square School restoration. Raffle tickets may be purchased to help save this historic school house located at the corner of Church Road at Sinking Springs Lane.



Motorized vehicles at township parks

Please observe Park Rule #12 when using all township parks:

The use of MOTORIZED VEHICLES are PROHIBITED within Manchester Township Recreational facilities. The term "motorized vehicles" shall include, but not be limited to, licensed motor vehicles (three or four wheeled), snowmobiles and golf carts. Township vehicles are exempt.

Shakespeare in the Park "Much Ado About Nothing"

Dreamwrights Youth and Family Theater presentation of Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" will be performed on the Cousler Park Stage. Bring your lawn chair or blanket and come out and enjoy this 'Theatre Under the Trees' performance.

WHEN: Sunday, July 24, 2011

TIME: 6:30 pm

LOCATION: Cousler Park Stage, 1060 Church Road

COST: Free

Summer Fun Fest

Manchester Township's Summer Fun Festival is a community tradition with fun for the whole family. The day will include carnival games, food, music, non-profit vendors, and lots of other events.

Saturday August 6, 2011 · Cousler Park, 1060 Church Road

Tournament of Champions

M2 Sports will be organizing a variety of sports and recreation tournaments for youth and families. Tournaments will be held in:

- 4 on 4 Sand Volleyball (maximum of 6 on roster)
- Wiffleball (1 minimum; up to 5 on a roster)
- Family Kickball (no base running; see rules for details)

TIME: 9 am – Registration Check-in 10 am – Tournaments Start

ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 for each tournament

For rules and registration forms, visit www.m2sports.net.

Children's Activities

Children can walk up and down our midway filled with carnival style games, face painting, and other great activities for children of all ages.

TIME: 1 pm - Midway opens

Sounds of Manchester Township

This year, our musical performances will spotlight those outstanding musical acts from right here in Manchester Township.

Line-up:

1:30 - Leah Burkey (Country) – Leah, a student at Central York Middle School, performs a variety of modern country music by various artists including Taylor Swift, LeeAnn Womack, and Rascal Flatts. She also has taught herself to play the guitar.

3:30 - Jason Barshinger (Acoustic/Rock) – Jason was the winner of the 2010 York Revolution "Battle of the Bands III" competition at Sovereign Bank Stadium. Jason will perform a variety of original music and popular covers sure to entertain young and old alike.

7:30 - Little Ivory Blues Band (Blues/Soul) – Although still young, Little Ivory Blues Band has already racked up a considerable degree of valuable experience, developed a sizable fan base, and is rapidly becoming known for their unique approach and high-energy performances. Having been listed among the Top 20 Bands in Central PA by 105.7 The X, LIBB has took first in the BSCP Blues Competition and were chosen to represent Central PA in Memphis, Tennessee at the 2010 International Blues Challenge!

Gift of Life Tree and Bench Dedication Ceremony

Each year, we take time to thank those individuals who donate a tree or bench to our parks system in honor or in memory of family, friends, and loved ones. Our ceremony also allows our donors the chance to come and see their gift in the park.

TIME: 5:30 pm

LOCATION: Cousler Park Stage

Peach Dessert Contest

Do you think you have the area's best peach dessert? Well, we're going to give you the chance to prove it. Make your best dessert with peaches as the primary ingredient and bring it to Summer Fun Fest. Refrigeration will not be available, so contestants will need to be able to keep their item chilled as long as needed.

TIME: 5:30 pm – Check-in at the Information Tent

6 pm – Judging will begin

ENTRY FEE: FREE

Prizes will be awarded to our overall winner.

Fireworks

Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and the whole family to Cousler Park for our annual fireworks display.

TIME: Fireworks will begin at approximately 9 pm

Summer Discount Tickets

Manchester Township, in partnership with the Pennsylvania Recreation and Parks Society, will once again be offering discounted tickets to area attractions. Discount tickets will be offered to the following attractions:

Hershey Park • Dutch Wonderland • Baltimore Aquarium • Philadelphia Zoo • AND MORE!!!

The program should be available in mid-May and run all summer long. Quantities for some attractions are limited, so be sure to act quickly. For more information, contact 764-4646.

MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP

Office:

3200 Farmtrail Road York, PA 17406-5699

Phone:

717-764-4646

Hours:

Monday-Friday 8 am - 4:30 pm

E-mail:

info@mantwp.com

Board of Supervisors

Lisa D. Wingert
Michele M. Schanbacher
Lawrence V. Young
Delmar L. Hauck
Rita D'Ottavio

Supervisors Meetings are held the **2nd Tuesday** of each month at **7:00 p.m.** at the Municipal Building

Township Manager: David A. Raver

Assistant Manager/ Secretary/Treasurer: Timothy R. James

Office Supervisor/ Assistant Secretary: Debra K. McCune

Public Works

Superintendent: Kenneth E. Goodyear

Zoning/Planning Officer:

Stewart S. Olewiler, III

Fire Chief:

Robert H. McCoy

Road Scholars

On February 8, 2011, the Manchester Township Board of Supervisors recognized five public works department employees, for the successful completion of the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP) "Roads Scholar" Program.



Pictured L to R Twp Supervisor Del Hauck, Public Works Crewmember P. Hoover, J. Beshore, Foreperson T. Heilman, Public Works Superintendent K. Goodyear, Public Works Crewmember G. Frye, Twp Supervisor Lisa Wingert

Office Closed:

April 22, 2011 GOOD FRIDAY May 30, 2011 MEMORIAL DAY July 4, 2011 INDEPENDENCE DAY September 5, 2011 LABOR DAY For information about the township and events please visit our web site:

www.mantwp.com



If you are a person with a disability and wish to attend any township meetings, please contact the office at least three (3) business days prior to discuss how your needs may best be served.

Manchester Township now accepts:









For all transactions see pg. 19

When considering your spring clean up and/or landscaping, please remember to keep your trees, hedges and bushes trimmed to no higher than three feet (3') within the clear sight triangle of any intersection of any street to improve safety and visibility.



If you have any questions concerning elections or polling places, please contact the:
YORK COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICE
At 771-9604

Payment of Sewer Accounts

Manchester Township does not provide for automatic deduction of quarterly sewer invoices from customer bank accounts.

However, please check with your bank, as they may have a bill payer service which you could use to automatically pay your sewer invoice.

Tips from the Tax Collector

It's tax time again and I'd like to remind you to **please write a contact phone number on your check.** Unlisted phone numbers make it difficult to reach you if there is a question or problem with your check, resulting in missed rebates and late payments.

The rebate period for 2011 County/Township payments ends at midnight on April 15, 2011. The office window will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on April 15th for last minute payments. Any payments received in the night drop box on the morning of April 16th will be considered paid at rebate. Please do not ask me to break the law and accept payments after the deadline.

Tax Collector – Window Hours

Window hours are **Tuesday**, **Wednesday**, **Thursday**, **Noon – 3 pm**, except for April 15th (as noted above) and holidays.

As always, a secure night slot on the <u>outside</u> of the Township building is available for payments when the window is closed.

I receive many requests for changes to the homeowner information on the tax bills. Please note, for your protection, I am not able to change the name printed on your tax notice. The name on the tax bill comes from the York County deed database. If you'd like to change your name due to marriage, etc. it must be changed at the Recorder of Deeds office. The only exception is I can remove a deceased spouse's name from the bill at the surviving spouses' request.

Please call the tax office at **767-6689** with any questions.

Jean Stambaugh, Manchester Township Tax Collector

Nuisance Ordinance

Per Ordinance #2007-01, don't place basketball hoops or other sporting equipment in roadway or in road right-of-way so play can occur in the street.

The following are strictly prohibited and declared a nuisance:

- a) The placing of mulch, stone, dirt or building materials from private property into or onto a cartway of any street.
- b) Basketball hoops or other sports equipment within the street or road right-of-way.
- c) Detached trailers or storage units within the cartway.
- d) Dumping of any substances (oil, grass, etc.) into any storm sewer.

Stone or brick mailboxes require a road occupancy permit before construction.

Any person who violates or fails to comply with these provisions may be fined up to \$600.00 per day.

Street Sweeping

The Manchester Township Public Works Dept. will be performing street sweeping throughout the spring. We will try to get to all areas as expeditiously as possible.

<u>Please be cooperative by moving all vehicles</u> from posted streets.



Smoke Testing Sewer Lines

NOTICE — Manchester Township Public Works Department periodically conducts smoke tests of the sanitary sewer lines. Testing is conducted Monday through Friday **from 7 am to 3:30 pm.**

Smoke should not enter premises unless a leak is present. This smoke is non-toxic, non-corrosive, and will not leave a stain. If smoke enters a home, it will soon dissipate. Opening doors and windows will help. Any presence of smoke within the house should be reported to the township office at 764-4646. Avoid unnecessary exposure to the smoke. The smoke is relatively harmless, but all smoke is temporary and quickly disappears after exposure has ceased.

Reminder: Turn Your Headlights On!

Penna. Act 229 of 2002, portions of which became effective on February 21, 2003, requires motorists to turn their headlights on when driving through a posted work zone.

Additionally, Act 229 establishes penalties for a motorist convicted of exceeding the work zone speed limit by 11 miles or more per hour by having his or her license suspended for 15 days.



Slow Down...

The spring weather will bring some added dangers while driving in residential areas. Young children are playing outdoors, walkers, bikers, runners, and other pedestrians will also be out in force. Are you driving too fast for conditions?

The Northern York County Regional Police Department receives several complaints each week in regards to vehicles exceeding the speed limit in numerous neighborhoods. Please be mindful of your speed and the inherent dangers while driving through the neighborhood.

The Board of Supervisors and police department jointly ask you to please eliminate the risks inherent with speeding vehicles by slowing down.



VACATIONS

The NYCRPD offers a free service for all residents when they are away from their homes on vacation. The NYCRPD will conduct periodic home checks to insure that your home is secure while you are away. Please complete the form on **www.nycrpd.org** and call 911 when you return home to cancel the home check.

Relax and enjoy your vacation!



WEST NILE

How can you reduce the number of mosquitoes around your home and neighborhood?

Mosquitoes breed in standing water. Even a small bucket that has stagnant water in it for seven days can become home to up to 1,000 mosquitoes. Here are some easy tips to eliminate standing water:

- a. Dispose of tin cans, plastic containers, ceramic pots or similar water holding containers that have accumulated on your property. Do not overlook containers that have become overgrown by aquatic vegetation.
- b. Pay special attention to discarded tires that may have accumulated on your property.
- c. Drill holes in the bottom of recycling containers that are left out of doors. Drainage holes that are located on the container sides collect enough water for mosquitoes to breed in.
- d. Clean clogged roof gutters on an annual basis, particularly if the leaves from surrounding trees have a tendency to plug up the drains. Roof gutters are easily overlooked but can produce millions of mosquitoes each season.
- e. Turn over plastic wading pools when not in use. A wading pool becomes a mosquito producer if it is not used on a regular basis.
- f. Turn over wheelbarrows and do not allow water to stagnate in birdbaths. Both provide breeding habitat for domestic mosquitoes.
- g. Aerate ornamental pools or stock them with fish. Water gardens are fashionable but become major mosquito producers if they are allowed to stagnate. Clean and chlorinate swimming pools that are not being used. A swimming pool that is left untended by a family that goes on vacation for a month can produce enough mosquitoes to result in neighborhood-wide complaints. Be aware that mosquitoes may even breed in the water that collects on swimming pool covers.



Rabbit Transit will expand its 83S **rabbit***EXPRESS* service into Towson, Maryland beginning Monday, March 14, 2011. This commuter bus service currently operates six round trips on weekdays between the York Metro area and Hunt Valley/Timonium. The newest expansion into Towson will allow riders to reach major employment areas including the Towson Town Center, Towson Commons, Black & Decker and a variety of County Office Complexes. The service will also make a connection to the Towson University Shuttle. For more details and full schedule, please visit www.rabbittansit.org/express.



Northeastern Senior Center serves the senior residents of a number of municipalities, including Manchester Township. The Senior Center is located at 131 Center Street. Mount Wolf.

Northeastern Senior Center is actively seeking volunteers for various activities. Please call 266-1400 if interested.

Plan Ahead for Building Permits

All construction, additions, placement of prebuilt structures (sheds, swimming pools, etc), paving, patios, fences, and decks require that a permit be obtained BEFORE any work can legally be started. This includes inflatable swimming pools over 18" if new or previously removed.

State law requires the township to adopt the Uniform Construction Code (UCC), better known as the "building code". The UCC allows a municipality up to 15 working days to review a permit application for residential properties and either grant or reject the permit from the time a completed application is submitted to the municipality. A completed application includes a completely filled out application form, 3 copies of a site plan for the entire lot showing all existing and proposed improvements on the lot (including driveways, buildings, patios, decks, and sidewalks) with all dimensions and distances to property lines and 3 copies of all documentation related to the proposed improvements. Manchester Township strives to process the permits as quickly as possible although during busy times of the year it may take the full 15 working days. NO WORK can be started until you have a granted permit in hand and a placard placed in a location that can be seen from the street.

Reminder!!!

Do **NOT** place trash receptacles at your collection point more than 24 hours before the scheduled collection.

THIS WOULD BE A VIOLATION of section 20-105.1 of the Manchester Township Code of Ordinances. It is also a violation of section 20-210 to steal recyclable materials from recycling containers.

Electronics Recycling...

Beginning Saturday April 16, 2011 held the third Saturday of every month from 9 am to 1 pm at the York County Solid Waste Authority's Yard Waste Transfer Facility located off of Flour Mill Road in Manchester Township.

Residents, businesses, non-profits and institutions are eligible to participate and may bring up to three of each type of electronic device. There is no fee to participate.

Yard Waste Collection

Manchester Township will provide a Yard Waste Recycling Collection on:

4th SATURDAY – OF EACH MONTH

April 23, 2011 May 28, 2011 June 25, 2011 July 23, 2011 August 27, 2011 September 24, 2011 October 22, 2011

Items will need to be placed at the curb side by 6 am.

"Yard Waste" materials are defined as tree trimmings, shrubbery and any other organic landscape vegetation, excluding grass clippings.

Once again, Penn Waste will be performing this service. Please visit their web site for additional information: www.pennwaste.com

What do I do with Stumps larger than 12 inches in Diameter?

Modern Landfill in Windsor and Lower Windsor Townships and H&H in Spring Grove accept stumps larger than 12 inches in diameter. Call for more info:

Modern Landfill:

717-246-2686

H&H: 717-225-4669

Please Recycle

In addition to weekly trash removal, Manchester Township residents are reminded that in accordance with Pennsylvania Act 101, the following recyclable items are collected on the same day as the regular trash:

GLASS • NEWSPRINT • ALUMINUM/BIMETALS • CARDBOARD • PLASTICS

MS4

Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System PLEASE DO NOT POLLUTE

10 things we can do at home:

- 1. Use fertilizers sparingly and sweep up driveways and gutters.
- 2. Never dump anything down storm drains or in streams.
- 3. Vegetate bare spots in your yard.
- 4. Compost your yard waste.
- 5. Use least toxic pesticides, follow labels, and learn how to prevent pest problems.
- 6. Direct downspouts away from paved surfaces; consider a rain garden to capture runoff.
- 7. Take your car to the car wash instead of washing it in the driveway.
- 8. Check your car for leaks and recycle your motor oil.
- 9. Pick up after your pet.
- 10. Have your septic tank pumped and system inspected regularly.

For additional information visit: www.epa.gov/npdes

Solicitors Permits

Are required in Manchester Township

Permits are issued by
Northern York County Regional
Police Department
1445 E. Canal Road
Dover, PA 17315

If you **do not want** solicitors, you must post a sign at least 3"X5" with letters no less than 1/3" in height near the main entrance of your residence. Sign must read "NO SOLICITORS". Each residence must be posted; signs at entrance to developments are not permitted or enforced.

Ever wonder what you need to do to close your street and have a NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK PARTY?



During the summer and early fall the office staff often receives calls asking this very question.

The Board of Supervisors must authorize any closures of township streets (this does not include state roadways).

Your request should be submitted in writing, in a timely fashion, to the attention of the township manager.

Please include the following in your request:

- 1. The date and time of the block party and whether there is a rain date
- 2. A drawing showing the exact location and whether there is an alternate route which can be used by motorists while the road is closed
- 3. The signature of all property owners adjacent to the section of the affected roadway which you would like to close indicating they have no objection.

If these easy steps are followed, the Board will most likely grant your request. Upon granting such a request, the Board directs that the township public works department drop off barricades, which can be used to close the roadway during your block party. The township does request you keep all tables and chairs to one side, so in the event of an emergency situation an ambulance, fire truck or police car, could easily gain access to the area by using the side of the roadway where there are no obstacles.

The Fire Department News



Department of Fire Services:

Manchester Township Career Firefighters Offer REFLECTIVE ADDRESS MARKERS

Only \$15.00

Insure That Your Home Can Be Located By Emergency Personnel

Applications for address markers are available at: 3200 Farmtrail Road
York, PA 17406-5699

911 Hang Up Calls

It is important that all telephone owners be responsible for the proper use of their telephones so that police officers are not required to spend important patrol time in responding to false 911 calls. An excessive number of 911 hang up calls from a telephone will result in the assessment of fees or penalties in accordance with

ordinance #2007-03.
Please be
responsible for the
proper use of
telephones.



Contacting The Fire Department

Emergency - 911

For business related information contact paid personnel at the 24 hour manned station at 3200 Farmtrail Road:

767-1954

For the Alert Fire Company trustees or other business, call the volunteer station at 3118 North George Street in Emigsville:

764-1148

Hall Rental

The **Social Hall** of the Alert Fire Company 3118 N. George Street, **Emigsville** station is available to be rented for personal parties and/or business functions. The proceeds from the rentals are used to offset the expenses of the operation of the volunteer fire station.

For Hall Rental call: 324-1583

-EMERGENCY INFORMATION --- CONFIDENTIAL

******EVACUATING COUNTY RESID	ENTS IN NEED***** **Municipality		
	BER: ** A / I / D: Completes		
R. Date of Initial Completion:/_/_	R. Date of Last Update:/_/_		
	/R Group Home CYS Foster Care		
	R. Do you READ English? Yes No Language?		
Personal Information	30.50 S205		
R. Name:	R. Phone:		
R. Address:	R. Cell Phone:		
R. Township / City / Borough:	E-mail: R . Date of Birth: / /		
R . Zip Code: R. Male: Female:	K. Date of Birth. 7		
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R. Mobility: Check if the answer is 'yes.' Confined to Bed Confined to Wheelchair Require Medical Support Equipment, Oxygen/Ventilator, or Other: Walk with Walker, Cane or Other: Hearing impairment Sight impairment Other Personal Situation: Without any Personal Means of Transportation Service Animal R. I might not be able to evacuate without help due to a: Mental Disability, Mental Retardation, Autism, Alzheimer's or due to not being able to verbally respond. Yes No These things make me afraid (Loud Noises, Sirens, Being Approached from Behind, etc.): This is where I would hide if I was fearful (Inside, Outside):			
I must take medicine daily which is prescribe	ed by my doctor. Yes No		
Primary Care Physician: Name:	Telephone Number: Address:		
EMERGENCY CONTACT:	EMERGENCY CONTACT:		
Name:	Name:		
Phone:	Phone:		
Cell: Address:	Cell: Address:		
Address.	Addiess.		
E-mail:	E-mail:		
Relationship:	Relationship:		
Do you have pets in the household needing			

-EMERGENCY INFORMATION --- CONFIDENTIAL

<u>Privacy Information: Privacy of Health Information / HIPAA Disclosures in</u> Emergency Situations

Question: May an emergency official make disclosures to public officials who are responding to any man-made or natural emergency?

Response: Yes. Various agencies and public officials will need protected health information to deal effectively with a man-made or natural emergency. To facilitate the communications that are essential to a quick and effective response to such events, HIPAA permits covered entities to disclose needed information to public officials in a variety of ways. Covered entities may disclose protected health information, without the individual's authorization, to a public health authority acting as authorized by law in response to a man-made or natural emergency see 45 CFR 164.512(b), (see 45 CFR 164.512(f)); 45 CFR 164.512(k)(2)); or judicial and administrative proceedings (see 45 CFR 164.512(e)).

MY CONSENT

My Signature Below Authorizes Us to Share Information With:

*York County Human Services, Emergency Management, and other Individuals involved in entering data into ECRIN

*Fire *Police *Emergency Responders

*Emergency Officials *Municipal Officials

My Signature Below Also Represents Agreement With the Following Statements:

<u>Liability</u>: Neither the County of York (or any of its elected officials, employees, agencies or departments), York County Planning Commission, your local Municipality nor any of the individuals or entities involved in the accumulation of data, entry of data or use of the data can assure the accuracy, completeness, or reliability of the information provided or the use of that information in an emergency situation. Under no circumstances shall the County of York nor the other entities as noted previously be liable to you, including claims of negligence, for any special, incidental, direct, indirect, punitive or consequential damages.

Information: I agree that you may retain my information and use it for emergency planning and response, effective from the date of my signature and continues until / if I submit a signed, dated notice to my local Municipal Office, to the attention of Emergency Management, requesting that they remove my information. I understand that my local Municipality may contact me to verify my information, and if I fail to respond, the Municipality may remove my name from the ECRIN service. I understand that I am also responsible for notifying my Municipality if I change my address.

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_	(Signature or Authorized person)		(Witness)	
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	DATE		Relationship	

City, Borough, Township:

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Registration Form

NAME	
CHILD'SNAME	AGE
	AGE
ADDRESS	
HOMEPHONE	_WORKPHONE
EMAIL	
CLASS TITLE/EVENT:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
LOCATION:	
AMOUNT ENGLOSED:¢	
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PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP, 3200 FARMTRAIL ROAD, YORK, PA 17406

Registration Forms:

If you are registering for more than one event, you may duplicate the registration form or complete all of the information on a separate sheet of paper.

ALL CLASSES, PROGRAMS & BUS TRIPS ARE SUBJECT TO ADEQUATE PARTICIPATION. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED ONLY IF THE ACTIVITY IS CANCELLED.

To Pay By Credit Card

Name
Phone #
I wish to pay
Circle One:
WISA MasterCard.
Credit Card #(9 dig
Expiration Date
Zip code where bill is received
Amount \$
Signature

Return with registration form, or stub from invoice

New York City Bus Trip

Cost will include transportation to and from New York, light breakfast on the trip, driver tip and refreshment on return. We will be offering two separate days for the trips. Shop, sight see or just enjoy the Big Apple in all its holiday glory.



When: Saturday, November 19, 2011

Saturday, December 3, 2011

Time: 6 am - Departing from Municipal Building

10 am - Arrive in New York City 7 pm - Leave New York City

11 pm - Arrive at Municipal Complex

Cost: Resident - \$50.00 per person

Non-Resident - \$54.00 per person

"Gift of Life" Trees

Donating a tree is a great way to remember or honor someone special to you. Trees may be placed at any of our eight parks.

For additional information contact the Manchester Township Office at 717-764-4646.

ATTENTION BUS TRIP PARTICIPANTS

Manchester Township Residents will receive preference on all bus trips up to 45 days prior to the trip. Non-Residents may sign up immediately, however, they will be placed on a waiting list until the 45th day, at which time, any remaining seats will be filled 1st come, 1st served. There is no limit to the number of seats residents may reserve.

A \$5.00 non-refundable deposit will reserve your seat for all bus trips unless otherwise noted.

FINAL PAYMENT IS DUE 5 WEEKS PRIOR TO THE TRIP!

Please note that refunds on cancelled seat(s) for bus trips will not be issued unless a written cancellation is received at least two (2) weeks prior to the trip and only if the cancelled seat(s) are filled by another party. The \$5.00 deposit in non-refundable.

Manchester Township

3200 Farmtrail Road York, PA 17406-5699 PRESORTED STANDARD U.S. POSTAGE PAID PERMIT NO. 273 YORK, PA

Summer Playground Program

Supervised playground program includes a variety of daily age-appropriate activities that are enjoyed by hundreds of children.

WHEN: June 20 – August 12, 2011

Monday through Friday

TIME: 9 am – Noon

4 LOCATIONS:

Cousier Park, Church & Greenbriar Roads

Emigsville Park, 15 Emig Road

Mt. View Park, Raintree & Lewisberry Roads

Nittany Park, Olmstead Way

WHO: Ages 5 – 12

(Children must have completed Kindergarten)

COST: Free for Manchester Township Residents

\$45.00 a child for Non-Residents

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required by June 10, 2011

Counselor In Training (C.I.T.)

A volunteer counselor program, in coordination with the Summer Playground program, in which participants work directly with Summer Playground staff to help administer Summer Playground activities.

WHO: Ages 13 – 16

WHEN: June 20 – August 12, 2011

WHERE: 4 Locations in coordination with

Summer Playground Program

WHAT: Interested volunteers should

pick up an application at the Manchester Township Office, 3200 Farmtrail Road, **no later**

than June 10, 2011.