



# RECREATION

## Family Fun Festival

**Saturday, September 21, 2024 / 3:00 pm**

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

### Where:

#### Cousler Park

1060 Church Road

### Food Trucks:

**3:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

### Entertainment:

**6:30 pm**

Music by: **Unforgettable Big Band**

### Fireworks:

**8:00 pm**

Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and the whole family to Cousler Park for the best fireworks display in York County!

### Children's Activities:

**3:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

- Bounce Houses
- Face Painting
- Spin Art
- Create a Custom Fall Craft
- Caricatures
- Creatures Great and Small Animal Show
- Magician



## Manchester Township Parks

### Cousler Park

1060 Church Road  
(Corner of Church & Greenbriar Roads)

### Nittany Park

Olmstead Way  
(Penn State Estates Development)

### Eagles View Park

2399 Friesian Road

### Mt. View Park

3298 Raintree Road

### Emigsville Park

15 Emig Road

### Ridings Recreational Area

19 Martingale Drive  
(Ridings Development)

### Johnston's Park

2985 Lewisberry Road

### Stillmeadow Park

600 Kyle Road

## Power Wheels Rally in The Park

**Sat. April 13, 2024**

**10 am**

**Cousler Park**

1060 Church Road

**Bring your Power Wheels to Cousler Park for our Rally in the Park.**

**Who: Ages 3 - 8**

**Cost: \$5.00**



Visit [www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)  
or scan QR code to register.

"Racers" will navigate a course through the park, stopping at various stations to complete tasks. All drivers and passengers must wear a helmet.

**Parents are required to walk with their child(ren) throughout the course.**

## Summertime in New York City



**Sat. May 18, 2024**



Visit [www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)  
or scan QR code to register.

### Enjoy the Summertime in New York City!

Travel comfortably by deluxe motorcoach for a day full of NYC's famous sites on your own. With over 150 world class museums, 18,000 restaurants, 135 Broadway theatres, and an array of shopping there is something for everyone!

**Please note that our bus trips are now run by Lowee's Group Tours which is why the pickup and drop off destinations have changed.**

#### Time:

**6:30 am** – Depart Springettsbury Park  
(Amphitheater Parking Lot)  
1501 Mt. Zion Road, York,  
PA 17402

**10:00 am** – Approximate arrival into  
New York City

**7:00 pm** – Depart New York City for  
home

**10:30 pm** – Approximate return to York

#### Cost:

**\$85.00** per person  
(which only includes  
transportation)



# Food Trucks And Flicks Friday Evenings / 5:00 pm

Manchester Township is excited to announce its lineup for Food Truck and Flicks.

Join us in the park for a variety of foods from area food trucks from **5:00 PM – 8:00 PM**. This event is free and open to the public, just pay as you eat! Some vendors accept cash and credit cards, so it is best to check with each vendor before ordering.

Food trucks will be set up to serve visitors in the parking lot in front of Inspiring Hope Playground. Enter the park at the Greenbriar road entrance.

## Food Truck Dates:

**Vendors subject to change** – Check Manchester Township Parks and Recreation Facebook Page for updates.

**June 7:** Sarah's Creamery, Mac Stack, Bayou Snow, Johnny's Eats and Treats, Sam and Jo Gyro

**June 14:** Lettusknow, Bayou Snow, Sarah's Creamery, Choco L'more

**June 21:** Sarah's Creamery, Vampire Taco Truck, Bojangles, Choco L'more, Bayou Snow

**June 28:** Lettusknow, Sarah's Creamery, Bayou Snow, Choco L'more

**July 12:** Lettusknow, Sarah's Creamery, Dandelion Thyme, Mac Stack, Choco L'more, Bayou Snow

**July 19:** Lettusknow, Sarah's Creamery, Vampire Taco Truck, Bayou Snow, Johnny's Eats and Treats

**July 26:** Lettusknow, Sarah's Creamery, Bayou Snow, Messy Kitchen Cupcakes, Baltimore Style Pit Beef

## Movie Dates & Time:

The outdoor movies will be held at Raver Stage and will begin at **dark**.

**June 7** – Super Mario Brothers

**June 14** – Trolls Band Together

**June 21** – Migration

**June 28** – Top Gun Maverick

**July 12** – Wonka

**July 19** – Elemental

**July 26** – The Hunger Games: The Ballad of Songbirds and Snakes



# The Great Family Campout

**Fri. May 10 / 5:00 pm – Sat. May 11 / 9:00 am**

Grab a tent and enjoy an evening being active with other families, make a s'more, sleep under the stars and wake up refreshed in beautiful Cousler Park! Bring your bikes, yard games, sports equipment and whatever camping gear you need.

**Where: Cousler Park**

1060 Church Road

**Manchester Township**

**Residents:**

**\$15 / Family**

Use coupon code "Campout" at checkout to apply discount.

**Manchester Township**

**Non-Residents:**

**\$25 / Family**

**5:00 pm – 6:00 pm**

Tent Set Up

**6:00 pm**

Dinner provided by Manchester Township

**6:30 pm**

Gaga, Soccer, Basketball, Fishing, Playground and more!

**10:00 pm**

Camp Fire / Lights Out

**8:00 am**

Breakfast

**8:30 am – 9:00 am**

Camp Clean Up



Visit [www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)  
or scan QR code to register.

## Pickleball: Come play year round!



**When:**

**Mondays, Wednesdays,  
Fridays**

**Time:**

**12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Where:**

**Manchester Township  
Municipal Building**

3200 Farmtrail Road

**Cost:**

**Residents:**

**Free**

**Non-Residents:**

**\$2 drop-in fee**



# CrunchTime Hoops Training Camp



Charlie Parker, an All American and Hall of Fame inductee for the Millersville University Basketball Program, and a former professional basketball player in European leagues and the NBA G-League is offering two sessions of skill development camps to players of all skill levels. Players will participate in drills involving ball handling, footwork, scoring, passing, defense, and shooting techniques

that will provide them a foundation to build upon and continue to raise their level of play in the years to come. Competitive drills and games will add to the excitement level of each camp and the overall experience for all participants.

Registration and payment can be completed at [mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com) or scan the QR code.

**Where:** Manchester Twp. Bldg.

**When:** June 17 – 20

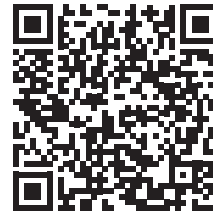
**TIME & COST:**

**K – Grade 2**

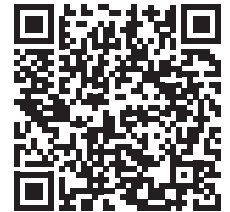
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm / \$60

**Grade 3 – 7**

6:45 pm – 8:00 pm / \$65



Kindergarten – Grade 2



Grade 3 – 7

## It's Just Around The Corner ... 2024-2025 Basketball Season

### Manchester / Springetts Basketball Registrations

Registration for the 2024-25 Manchester Township Rec Sports basketball league will be open to boys and girls up to grade 12, beginning September 1, 2024.

Visit [mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com) for a link to our online registration platform beginning September 1, 2024. For questions or more information please email the Recreation Director, Nate Lankford, at [n.lankford@mantwp.com](mailto:n.lankford@mantwp.com).

*25% registration refunds will be offered to those persons who serve as a team head coach for the season.*



### Grade Groups:

Co-Ed	Grade
	K-2 / 8' Rim
	1-2 / 10' Rim
Boys	Grade
	3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-12
Girls	Grade
	3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-12

**Cost:** **K-2** 8' Rim - \$75.00  
**1-2** 10' Rim - \$130.00  
**All Other Age Groups**  
 \$130.00

Questions about your Medicare?

We are here to  
**HELP**

**Understanding Medicare can be difficult.**

PA MEDI counselors are specially trained staff and volunteers who can answer your questions and provide you with nonbiased, objective, easy-to-understand information about Medicare. They can help you:

- Make informed choices about Medicare coverage options, Medigap policies and Medicare Advantage Plans
- Apply for Medicare Savings Programs to save you money... and more!



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Medicare Education and Decision Insight

Call the PA MEDI Helpline,  
Monday - Friday, 8AM - 5PM

**1-800-783-7067**

**York County Area Agency on Aging**

**717-771-9008**

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**SHIP**  
State Health Insurance  
Assistance Program

# Summer Playground Program

**Monday – Friday / June 10 – August 2, 2024 / 9:00 am – Noon**

Supervised playground program includes a variety of daily age-appropriate activities that are enjoyed by hundreds of children. To register for Summer Playground please visit – **[mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com)**.

**Capture the Flag**  
**Card Club**  
**Gaga Ball**

**Water Day**  
**Water Balloon &**  
**Squirt Gun Battles**

**Face Painting**  
**Playground**  
**Kick Ball**

**Crafts**  
**Basketball**  
**Soccer**

**Dodgeball**  
**... And More!**

## Where:

### Cousler Park

Church & Greenbriar Road

### Mt. View Park

Raintree & Lewisberry Road

### Nittany Park

Olmstead Way

## Ages: 6 – 13

Children must have completed Kindergarten

## Cost:

**Residents \$60 / Child**

**Non-Residents \$80 / Child**

**Counselor in Training - \$10**

## Summer Playground Positions

Manchester Township Parks and Recreation is now accepting applications for Summer Playground Counselors and Arts and Crafts Coordinator for the summer of 2024. Summer Playground runs **June 10 – August 2, 2024**. Applicants must be 16 years of age and older. Applications can be picked up and returned to the Manchester Township Building, 3200 Farmtrail Road, York PA 17406. Applications are also available on our website at **[www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)** and may be sent to **[n.lankford@mantwp.com](mailto:n.lankford@mantwp.com)** when completed.

## Active Adult Activities

**Call 717-266-1400 for information.**

**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 717-266-1400 if interested.**

## Multi-Purpose Field Closing Information

**To receive information any time the soccer, baseball & softball fields are closed:**

Text the word **@fieldclose** to the phone **#81010**. If you have any questions please contact **717-764-4646 extension 115** for more information.



## Sports Contact Persons



### Baseball / Softball Tee Ball

Manchester Township  
Athletic Association  
[www.mtaaonline.org](http://www.mtaaonline.org)



### Basketball

Manchester Township  
717-764-4646  
[www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)



### Soccer

York Youth Soccer League  
717-741-6939  
[www.yysl.org](http://www.yysl.org)

Keystone FC SOUTH  
[www.keystonefc.com](http://www.keystonefc.com) or  
[info@keystonefc.com](mailto:info@keystonefc.com)



### Lacrosse

Central York Lacrosse Club  
[centralyorklacrosseclub@gmail.com](mailto:centralyorklacrosseclub@gmail.com)

## Drones / RC Airplanes

The use of motorized model airplanes and drones is restricted to designated areas and prohibited after **9:00 a.m.** Model rockets or the like are prohibited at all times. The restricted hours for the use of drones may be modified upon written request to the township manager or recreation director, and upon request of a written modification. The use of drones must comply with applicable federal aviation administration (FAA) regulations. The drone operator is responsible for compliance.



### Section 16-111 of the Codified Ordinances of Manchester Township

## Motorized Vehicles At Township Parks

### Please Observe Park Rule #12 When Using All Township Parks

The use of motorized vehicles, except on areas designated as driveways or for parking during the time when recreational facilities are open to the public and for Manchester Township maintenance vehicles, within Manchester Township recreational facilities, is **PROHIBITED**. The term "motorized vehicles" shall include, but not be limited to, licensed motor vehicles as defined by the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code, trail bikes or dirt bikes, all-terrain vehicles (three or four wheeled,) snowmobiles, golf carts and hoverboards.



## Reminder For Manchester Township Parks

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

Smoking including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, illegal drugs, and vaping is prohibited in/on all Manchester Township park facilities at any time.

## 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@york-county.org](mailto:parks@york-county.org) or visit web site at [www.yorkcountyparks.org](http://www.yorkcountyparks.org).



# Recreation Facility Rental Fees

Effective Date January 1, 2024

Recreation Area	Resident	Non-Resident
Athletic Fields #1-10	\$10.00 / per hour	\$25.00 / per hour
Athletic Fields #11-13, 16-18	No Fee	\$30.00 / per hour
Athletic Fields #14-15	No Fee	\$35.00 / per hour
Emigsville Park Building	\$175.00 + \$250.00 sec. deposit	\$300.00 + \$250.00 sec. deposit*
Johnston's Park Building	\$175.00 + \$250.00 sec. deposit	\$300.00 + \$250.00 sec. deposit*
Park Pavilion (w/ electric)	\$60.00	\$80.00
Park Pavilion (w/o electric)	\$40.00	\$60.00
David A. Raver Stage	\$30.00 Per Hour + \$100.00 sec. deposit	\$60.00 Per Hour + \$100.00 sec. deposit
Multi-Purpose Room (1/2 Room Rate)	\$50.00 Per Hour + \$50.00 sec. deposit	\$65.00 Per Hour + \$50.00 sec. deposit
Multi-Purpose Room (Full Room Rate)	\$75.00 Per Hour + \$50.00 sec. deposit	\$95.00 Per Hour + \$50.00 sec. deposit



## York County Libraries Martin Library Satellite Service

York County residents can order books and other library materials online at [york.sparkpa.org](http://york.sparkpa.org) or by calling Martin Library at **717-846-5300**.

Pickup and drop off is simple! Just bring your library card to the Manchester Township Building located at 3200 Farmtrail Road.

**8:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday  
through Friday.**



### Pick Up Your Dogs Poo!

Manchester Township Code of Ordinance Section 2-103 states that the owner of any dog that defecates on any private or public land within Manchester Township must immediately remove or clean up such deposit or be subject to a fine of up to \$1,000.00.

# Home Delivered Meals

Monday – Friday / 11:00 am - 1:00 pm



The Home Delivered Meals Program is designed to provide a well-balanced daily meal to homebound older adults who are unable to prepare adequate meals for themselves and have no other means for assuring healthful nutrition.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, a hot meal is delivered to the older adult's home. Tuesday and Thursday meals are a cold bag lunch delivered with the previous day's hot meal.

Volunteers from the local senior center deliver the meals to the older adult's home. The Northeastern Senior Center is seeking volunteers for home delivered meals, please call 717-266-1400 if interested. Although this is a brief contact it does provide a check on the well being of the homebound individual. The home delivered meal service is not a cost shared service.

Monetary donations can be made to the York County Area Agency on Aging.

Care managers need to complete an in-home assessment to determine eligibility for Home Delivered Meals.

## Eligibility For Home Delivered Meals

To be eligible for Home Delivered Meals services an individual must be:

- A York County resident in a non-institutional setting.
- 60 years of age or older.
- Have a physical, mental or emotional disability, which prohibits the individual from leaving his/her residence on a regular basis and/or prevents them from preparing a nutritious meal.
- Living alone or with someone who also meets the above criteria





## Rent-A-Kid Program



### Call for a Rent-A-Kid in Your Area

York County seniors interested in help with spring cleanup, mowing, yard work, electronic devices, or with other household chores are encouraged to arrange for a Rent-A-Kid.

The Rent-A-Kid program, sponsored by the York County Area Agency on Aging, is an intergenerational program that connects York County older adults and teenagers together.



For over 30 years, Kids have been helping and learning from older adults through the Rent-A-Kid program. It gives individual teenagers the chance to help York County senior citizens, 60 years or older, with indoor and outdoor household chores. The senior needs to be agreeable to a reimbursement of a minimum of \$5/hour, or a negotiated rate based on the job.

Interested York County residents age 60 or older can get assistance by calling Hope Eberly at 717-771-9103 or 1-800-632-9073. Information is also available at [www.ycaaa.org](http://www.ycaaa.org).

## Osher Lifelong Learning Institute / OLLI

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

OLLI at Penn State York provides educational courses, trips, social activities, and special events for its members. Whether you're just intellectually curious, interested in discovering new facts, building social

connections, or even wanting to stay young at heart, OLLI is for you. No tests, no grades, no stress. All for the love of learning! Courses are noncredit and are offered during the day.

There is a \$50 membership fee. For more information please visit the website at [olli.york.psu.edu](http://olli.york.psu.edu) or call the office at **717-771-4015**.



**PennState**  
York



### Class Cancellations

**All classes, programs, and bus trips are subject to adequate participation. You will be contacted *ONLY* if the activity is cancelled.**





## Online Building Rentals and Pavilions!

Emigsville Park and Johnston's Park Buildings as well as Pavilions are now available to rent online! To rent a building or pavilion:

**1** Go To  
[www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)

**2** On Homepage,  
Click On Recreation

**3** Click On Building &  
Pavilion Rentals

**4** Click on  
Facility Rentals

**5** Select the Building or  
Pavilion you would  
like to rent

**YOU MUST CREATE AN ACCOUNT IF YOU DO NOT ALREADY HAVE ONE IN ORDER TO MAKE A RESERVATION!**

**YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PICKING UP THE KEY FOR THE BUILDING ONE BUSINESS DAY PRIOR TO YOUR RENTAL. ALSO PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN YOUR KEY THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY AFTER YOUR RENTAL!!!**

Please check website for Township office hours and holiday closings.



## SilverSneakers® Programs

### Monday

**SilverSneakers® EnerChi™** ..... 9:15 am – 10:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Classic** ..... 10:15 am – 11:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Walking Cardio** ..... 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

### Tuesday

**SilverSneakers® Yoga**..... 9:15 am – 10:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Strength & Balance** ..... 10:15 am – 11:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Seated Cardio**..... 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

### Wednesday

**SilverSneakers® BOOM™** ..... 9:15 am – 10:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Walking Cardio**..... 10:15 am – 11:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Yoga**..... 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

### Thursday

**SilverSneakers® EnerChi™** ..... 9:15 am – 10:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Strength & Balance** ..... 10:15 am – 11:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Classic** ..... 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

### Friday

**SilverSneakers® BOOM™** ..... 9:15 am – 10:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Walking Cardio**..... 10:15 am – 11:00 am  
**SilverSneakers® Yoga**..... 11:15 am – 12:00 pm

### Where:

**Manchester Township Building**  
 3200 Farmtrail Road  
 York, PA 17406

### Instructor:

**Rhonda Smith**  
**c/o Remain Calm, LLC**  
 Rhonda315@yahoo.com  
 443-854-4161

### Cost:

Punch cards are available for participants without Renew Active® or SilverSneakers® benefits. 5 punches for \$20. Unlimited Monthly attendance \$35, paid on the 1st or 15th.

**Register in person.**



# SUPERVISOR'S NEWS

## 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

Rodney K. Brandstedter  
Debra K. McCune  
Craig M. Miller  
Harry M. Long, Jr.  
David J. Chiaverini

## Supervisors Meetings

Held the **2nd Tuesday** of each Month at **6:00 pm** at the Municipal Building unless otherwise posted on our website.

## Township Manager

Timothy R. James

## Administrative Director

Kimberly A. Hackett

## Finance Director

Danelle L. Goodwin

## Public Works Superintendent

Robert Hartman

## Zoning/Planning Officer

Rachel M. Vega

## Staff Engineer:

Benedict "B.J." Treglia

## YAUFIR Fire Chief

Daniel J. Hoff

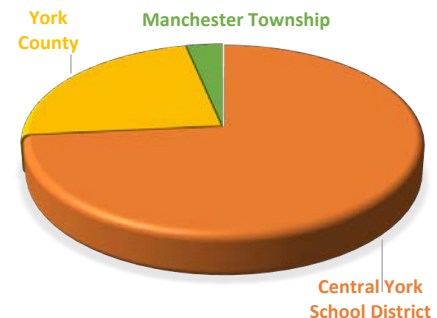
## NYCRPD Police Chief

David L. Lash

## 2023/2024 County, Local & School Taxes *Who Gets Our Property Taxes?*

Pennsylvania property tax is assessed based on the millage rates established by three entities: County, School, and Municipality.

Here in Manchester Township our property taxes are divided among York County, Central York School District, and Manchester Township.



The rates are as follows:

21.87 mills	Central York School District
6.9 mills	York County
1.00 mill	Manchester Township

29.77 mills Total Property Tax

One mill is equal to 1/1,000 of a dollar tax on your property value, so if your property is worth \$100,000 your tax will be \$2,977.00. \$2,187.00 goes to the school district \$690 goes to the county \$100.00 goes to our local government. Manchester Township does not receive any portion of either county or school taxes.

## Compare Manchester Township

Comparing apples to apples between municipalities isn't easy. Many factors affect the cost and responsibilities a municipality must cover, such as miles of road to maintain, overall acreage, total population, and local services. The closest population comparison to Manchester Township may be West Manchester Township.

### MILLAGE RATES OF LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES



For information about the township and events please visit our website  
[mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com)

**Become a Savvy Citizen!**



## Want to know what's going on in Manchester Township?

Our new Savvy Citizen app will keep you better informed of important township news and happenings in our community.



- Sign-up for **Apple** and **Android** users is simple and free. Become more savvy and receive useful borough updates, community news, and event reminders by downloading today.



or visit **SavvyCitizenApp.com** for more info and download links

As a way to offer you more convenient ways to pay your sewer/trash bills, Manchester Township now offers online payments and paperless billing options. We have partnered with Xpress Bill Pay, the premier provider of online & electronic payment systems. All you need is an internet

connection and an email address. It is simple to use. Every quarter we'll send you a reminder email to let you know when your bill is online. Then, you just log into your account at [xpressbillpay.com](http://xpressbillpay.com) or use our mobile app to view your bill. When you're ready to pay your bill, select a payment type. You can pay with credit card, debit card, or electronic funds transfer. Enter the information and you are done! It's that easy, and only takes you a few minutes each quarter. Or you can set up your bill on Auto Pay and have it automatically paid for you each quarter. To sign up, go to [www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com) and follow the instructions there, or go to [www.xpressbillpay.com](http://www.xpressbillpay.com).

### 3 Easy Ways to Manage and Pay Your Bills with Manchester Township!



#### 1. Create a free on-line account

Go to [www.xpressbillpay.com](http://www.xpressbillpay.com) or download the app.

#### 2. Pay without creating an account

CHECK OUT AS A GUEST:

- Go to [www.mantwp.com](http://www.mantwp.com)
- Go to Pay Bill Online
- Click CHECKOUT AS GUEST

#### 3. Pay by phone with a live operator

1-385-218-0343 Xpress Bill Pay Customer Support



Download Xpress Bill Pay App today!

Manchester Township Partners with:

**xpress**  
BILL PAY

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



#### Paperless Billing

Get rid of the clutter and go paperless. Get notified via email or text when your statement is ready.



#### Auto Pay

Set it up once and never worry about paying on time ever again.



#### Pay by Text

Set up text notifications and then simply reply "PAY" to have your bill paid in full.



# Medication Take-Back Box Program



**York County Solid Waste Authority**

Our Mission: Facilitate Responsible Solid Waste Management

York County residents may anonymously deliver unused prescription and over-the-counter medications to secure Medication Return Boxes located in nearly all York County Police Department lobbies. There is no fee and the boxes are available year-round during lobby hours as listed, except on holidays. Residents interested in disposing of medication in a Medication Return Box location should remove their personal information from containers before disposal.

Place unused medications in your regular garbage – To minimize potential impacts to human health and the environment, take medication out of its original container and mix it with an undesirable substance, such as used coffee grounds or kitty litter. The medication will be less appealing to children and pets, and unrecognizable to people who may intentionally go through your trash. Place the mixture in a sealed bag, can or other container to prevent the medication from leaking. Before disposing of a prescription medicine container, destroy all identifying information to protect your identity and personal health information.



Free prescription medication delivery at the RRC – Make an appointment to deliver your unused prescription (no over-the-counter) medications to the RRC at no charge. Prescription medications accepted must come from a single York County household (medications collected from multiple households cannot be accepted). Residents must call 717-845-1066 to make an appointment to deliver prescription medications to the RRC and are required to complete a brief registration form. At the RRC, residents will be escorted by an Authority representative to dispose of the medications. The disposal process takes approximately 20 minutes.

For more information about the Authority's secure medication take-back box program or to find a location near you, visit the Authority's web site at: [www.ycswa.com](http://www.ycswa.com).



## Have An Old Or Torn American Flag?

Bring your old or torn American Flags to be retired by Cub Scout Pack 67 at a future ceremony.

Collection box available at:  
**Manchester Township Building**  
 3200 Farmtrail Road, York, PA 17406

Cub Pack 67 meets at Dover United Church of Christ on Wednesdays from 7 pm to 8 pm, 45 West Canal Street, Dover

## Tips from your Tax Collector

It is tax time again and I would 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 2024 County/Township payments ends at midnight on April 15, 2024. The office window will be open from 9:00 am to 4:30 pm on Monday, 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.**

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 would 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 spouse's request with a copy of the death certificate.

Please call the tax office at **717-767-6689** with any questions.

**Jean Stambaugh / Manchester Township Tax Collector**

### Tax Collector-Window Hours

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday**  
12:00-3:00 pm, except for April 15th  
(9:00 am – 4:30 pm) and holidays.

**As always, a secure night slot on the outside of the township building is available for payments when the window is closed.**

## Yard Waste Collection

Penn Waste will be performing this service. Please visit the website for additional information [pennwaste.com](http://pennwaste.com).

Items will need to be placed at curbside by 6:00 am.

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

### Materials should be packaged as follows:

- Place items in either Biodegradable Kraft bags or tied in easily handled bundles.
- Bundles should be no longer than four (4) feet in length.
- Bundles should not weigh more than 30 lbs. each.
- Branches should not exceed 6 inches in diameter.

### The following items should not be placed out for Yard Waste Collection:

- Leaf Waste (Note: Manchester Township provides this service)
- Dirt or Stones
- Fruits and/or Vegetables
- Any material in a Plastic Bag

### Held the 4th Saturday of each month March – November:

April 27, 2024  
May 25, 2024  
June 22, 2024  
July 27, 2024

August 24, 2024  
September 28, 2024  
October 26, 2024  
November 23, 2024





## Lets Have A Neighborhood Block Party

**HOW?** A few simple steps will allow you to close your street for some fun.

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, & 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.

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

Once these 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 that there would be 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.





# Central York *School District*

Community Update

Greetings Manchester Township!

On behalf of the Central York Community, we are pleased to partner with the township to share with you various updates from the District.

We were recently one of the first few districts in the state to receive a Great PA School Designation from the Pennsylvania School Boards Association, and ranked in the top three school districts in York County according to Niche.com for the start of 2024. From athletics to arts, our Panthers continue to excel in all avenues.

We invite you to visit our District Website at [www.cysd.k12.pa.us](http://www.cysd.k12.pa.us) for the latest news and events about your school district.

Thank you for your continued support. -pja

**Peter J. Aiken, Ed. D**  
Superintendent

## WE ARE HIRING



Scan the QR code or visit our District website to learn about various career opportunities here at Central York.

In addition to our comprehensive benefits, time off, and staff development program, Central York:

- Is one of the Top 50 Employers in York County (PA Department of Labor)
- One of the Best Communities for Music Education (NAMM Foundation)
- One of the Top 75 most diverse school districts in PA (Niche.com)
- Offers a device to every student to expand their learning

More than 5,000 students and approximately 800 employees make our District great. Apply today!

## GOLDEN AGE PASSES

Golden Age Passes allow District residents ages 65 and older to free admission to school-sponsored events including home athletic events, plays, musical productions, and other Central York programs that may have an admission fee. They do not apply to PIAA playoff games.

Passes are available at the Educational Service Center located at 775 Marion Road, York, PA. A driver's license or identification card for proof of age and residence is required. The District Office is open 7:30AM - 4:30PM during the week.



## *Our Mission*

Central York School District provides a high-quality academic experience within a supportive, valued, collaborative community that promotes students' personal growth and the pursuit of their passions and interests.

## *Our Vision*

**Pursuing Excellence:  
All Panthers.  
Every Day.  
In All Ways.**

## MS4 / Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System

**PLEASE DO NOT POLLUTE. 10 things you 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](http://www.epa.gov/npdes)

### Sewer Backup Claims

Under the Pennsylvania Governmental Immunity Statute, Manchester Township has limited legal responsibility for sewer and water backups. You should contact your homeowner's or commercial insurance agent to make sure you carry coverage for sewer and water backups under your homeowner's or commercial property policy. Some homeowner's policies do not include this coverage automatically. We recommend that you purchase this valuable coverage.



**Primary  
Election  
Day**

**When: Tuesday, April 23, 2024**

If you have any questions concerning elections or polling places, please contact the **York County Elections Office** at 717-771-9604.

## Emergency Contacts

### Fire Department Contact Information

#### Emergency – 911

For business related information contact Department of Fire Services or paid personnel at the 24 hour manned station at 3200 Farmtrail Road: **717-992-2679**

For the Alert Fire Company trustees or other business, call the volunteer station at 3118 North George Street in Emigsville: **717-764-1148**

### 911 Hang Up Calls

#### Ordinance #2007-03

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.

## Notices and Reminders

### ADA Notice

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 be served.



## Department Of Fire Services

Manchester Township Career Firefighters Offer **Reflective Address Markers.**



Firefighters and emergency personnel may need to find your home quickly if an emergency occurs. It is difficult for emergency personnel to find homes and businesses when address numbers are not properly posted.

**Applications for address markers are available at:**

3200 Farmtrail Road  
York, PA 17406-5699

**Cost: \$15.00**

## Animal Control Ordinance / #2009-05

In 2009 the Manchester Township Board of Supervisors adopted an animal control ordinance which addresses the keeping of domestic animals, as well as feral cat(s), and requires that anyone “keeping” a feral cat or cats, must see that they have been trapped, neutered and released (TNR) back into the wild.

The York County SPCA (717-764-6109) or Manchester Township’s animal enforcement officer, Michelle Klugh (Klugh Animal Control) (717-916-1413), can provide assistance with feral cats.

**PLEASE BE RESPONSIBLE IN HELPING PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY BY PARTICIPATING IN A TNR PROGRAM TO CONTROL THE FERAL CAT POPULATION.**

## Smoke Testing Sewer Lines

**When: Monday through Friday. 7:00 am to 3:30 pm**

**NOTICE — Manchester Township Public Works Department periodically conducts smoke tests of the sanitary sewer lines.**

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 **717-764-4646**. Avoid unnecessary exposure to the smoke. The smoke is relatively harmless, but all smoke is temporary and quickly disappears after exposure has ceased.

### Smoke Testing Areas

Raintree	Lightner Tract/Beshore Tract
Vintage Acres	Mountainview
Aurora Heights	Farmbrook Meadows
Gwendale	

**\*\*PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE THE GREEN FLAG IN YOUR YARD.\*\***



# Electronics Recycling

**Where:** York County Solid Waste Authority's  
Recycling Drop-Off Facility,

2651 Blackbridge Road, York, PA

**Mon. – Fri. / 8 am – 4 pm**

**Sat. / 8 am – Noon**

## Accepted Items:

- Computers – Devices PC's/ Laptops/Servers
- Computer Peripherals – Keyboards, Mice, Printers, etc.
- Computer Monitors
- Televisions of all types (Limit of 5 TVs per resident per visit)
- Audio/Video Devices – CD/DVD/VHS/Blue-Ray Players, MP3 Players, Projectors, Amplifiers, Receivers, Recorders, Stereos, Video Game Consoles, etc.
- Communication Devices – Cell Phones, Smartphones, Telephones, Answering Machines, Pagers, etc.
- Food Preparation Devices – Microwaves, Coffee Makers, Mixers, Blenders, Toasters, etc.
- Healthcare Devices – Blood Pressure Monitors, CPAP Machines (remove mask), TENS Units, etc.
- Networking Devices – Modems, Routers, Servers, Switches, Hubs, etc.
- Power Tools – Drills, Sanders, Saws, etc. that are powered using an electrical cord
- Printing Devices – Printers, Copier/Scanners, Fax Machines, Typewriters, Word Processors, etc.
- Electronic Device Hardware – Circuit boards, Hard drives, Processors, Power Suppliers, Converters, etc.
- Wires and Cables used in the operation of electronic devices



## Recycle

Please place all of your trash and recyclables at the curb by **6:00 am** the day of your scheduled collection.



## 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.



## Vandalism Costs You...

Whenever there is a theft or disfigurement of road signs and other Township property, this vandalism costs tax dollars to replace and repair – dollars that could be spent elsewhere.

If you witness abuse on public property, please dial 911 to report it. If you have information after the fact, please report it to the Township office at 717-764-4646 or to the Northern York County Regional Police Department at 717-292-3647.



## 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 or in our gym, please check at the municipal office.

**For more information, call (717) 845-1066 or visit: [www.ycswa.com](http://www.ycswa.com)**



## NORTHERN YORK COUNTY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

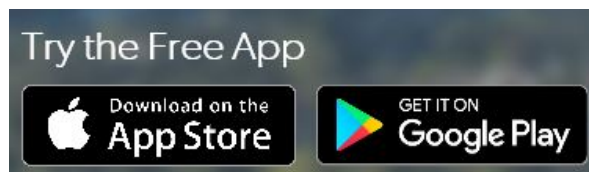
We're excited to announce that the Northern York County Regional Police Department has joined Neighbors by Ring! The 'Neighbors' app is a digital neighborhood watch right on your phone where you can get real-time crime and safety alerts from your neighbors and law enforcement.

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

Download the **free 'Neighbors' app** (<https://download.ring.com/northernnyorkcounty>) today to see what's happening in your neighborhood



Neighbors by Ring  
Ring.com



## 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 throwing, pushing, blowing, placing or plowing of snow from private property into or onto a cartway of any street.
- b) Piling snow more than 3 feet high within the clear sight triangle of any intersection of any street.
- c) The placing of mulch, stone, dirt or building materials from private property into or onto a cartway of any street.

d) Basketball hoops or other sports equipment within the street or road right-of-way.

e) Detached trailers or storage units within the cartway.

f) 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.



## 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](http://www.nycrpd.org) and call 911 when you return home to cancel the home check. Relax and enjoy your vacation!



**Contact 8-1-1 before you dig.**

**Pennsylvania Law Requires  
3 Business Days' Notice**

**1-800-242-1776**

PA One Call offers free training programs and presentations, and will attend safety meetings or conferences to promote safe digging.  
Contact your local Damage Prevention Liaison  
[www.paonecall.org/liasons](http://www.paonecall.org/liasons)

Pennsylvania One Call: The Keystone of Damage Prevention [www.paonecall.org](http://www.paonecall.org)

### Leaves Don't Belong In The Stormdrain

When it rains, it drains! Clean up leaves from the stormdrain at home, work or play.

For more information about what you can do to help keep clean water and save the Chesapeake Bay, contact the Watershed Alliance of York, Inc. [watershedallianceofyork.org](http://watershedallianceofyork.org)



### The Drain Is Just For The Rain

It is illegal to dump anything into the storm sewers located along the streets. Do not dump used oil, gasoline, or grass clippings into the storm sewers.



## 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 or an electronic version 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 or an electronic version 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.

The permit application can be found online at [mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com). Then click on the forms tab and you can find the application. Permit applications and supporting documents can be dropped off in person or emailed to [zoning@mantwp.com](mailto:zoning@mantwp.com).



## Zoning Spotlight

**Alicia Johnson** joined the Manchester Township Zoning Department in July 2023 as the Codes Enforcement Officer. One of Alicia's main responsibilities is to respond to resident property complaints. When a property complaint is received a site inspection will be conducted. If a violation is found, Alicia will contact the property owner via letter to seek resolution of the violation. Upon receipt of a letter, the property owner should contact the office to resolve the violation. If there is no resolution, a Notice of Violation would follow. A continued lack of resolution would result in a formal filing with the Magisterial District Judge. Alicia works hard to help residents come into compliance.

Alicia and the Zoning Team also work to ensure building permits are completed and Certificate of Occupancy are issued. Please consider this as a reminder to contact the township office at the conclusion of permitted work as this will aid in the process and assist with open permit backlogs.

Alicia's job has her out throughout Manchester Township. If you see her, she will display a township employee identification badge and adorn Manchester Township apparel. If you need to contact Alicia, please do so at [a.johnson@mantwp.com](mailto:a.johnson@mantwp.com) or **717-764-4646 extension 103**.

# It is Spring!!

## Time to Change Those Batteries in Your Smoke Detectors!!!

If you have a sealed smoke detector with a 10-year battery test the detector by pressing the test button to activate.

Check the dates on all your detectors. We recommend replacing all smoke and CO detectors every 10 years.

Hard wired smoke detectors should have a battery backup. Replace the battery to ensure operation in a power outage.

Smoke and Carbon Monoxide detectors come in many styles and models. If you have any questions on what you need for your home contact York Area United Fire & Rescue.

We recommend at least one detector on each floor of your home. And prefer one in every bedroom. (Sleeping with your bedroom door closed)

You can install individual smoke and Carbon Monoxide detectors or purchase combination detectors which are both smoke and Carbon Monoxide detecting.

If you are in need, have any questions on types of detectors or installation, please give us a call.

York Area United Fire & Rescue  
717-718-2383

Or jump on our website click on **How do I?** Click on **Get a smoke detector** or **Contact YAUFR.**





## Tree Trimming Ordinance #2014-01

Property owners are required to maintain clearance of trees and similar vegetation from the street cartway (curb to curb) to a height above the cartway of fourteen feet (14'). Upon notification of a violation, the property owner shall have **30 days** to correct the violation prior to being subject to penalties.

Ordinance #2014-01 is available for review on the township web site [mantwp.com](http://mantwp.com).

## 3 Foot Hedges

When considering your 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.

# Storm Water Management Requirements

Any building or zoning permit application that proposes any new impervious area must first satisfy the requirements of the storm water management ordinance.

***Ultimately it is the property owners' responsibility to control runoff from their property.***

This requirement is a mandate from the United States Environmental Protection Agency EPA, Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection DEP and the County of York. Manchester Township passed Ordinance 2022-06 in order to comply with the mandate. Failure to comply with the mandates would subject the township as a whole to penalties from either DEP and/or EPA.

**Put simply, if property owner builds or places on their lot something that covers the ground so that rainwater cannot penetrate or that will not allow grass to grow something must be done to allow the runoff to soak into the ground under a *normal* rain condition.**



Anyone applying for a Building or Zoning Permit is required to address the storm water runoff from any new impervious area to be installed or placed on any lot.

You will need to know the measurements of all structures, patios, sidewalks, swimming pools and paving, existing and proposed, on your lot in order to obtain a storm water permit to meet these requirements **BEFORE** a building or zoning permit will be able to be issued.





50 Commons Drive

York, PA 17402

Citizens Of

**MANCHESTER, SPRING GARDEN, and SPRINGGETTSBURY TOWNSHIPS**

Are proudly protected by the men and women of

**York Area United Fire and Rescue***Pennsylvania's First Regional Combination Fire Department*

For more information on fire department activity and services, membership information and contact information please visit our website at **yauftr.com**

Sign up for our quarterly newsletter and keep up to date with everything your fire department is doing to be a service to our citizens.

**YORK AREA UNITED FIRE & RESCUE****Daniel Hoff, Fire Chief****717-718-2383**

## 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:

- 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.
- Pay special attention to discarded tires that may have accumulated on your property.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- Turn over wheelbarrows and do not allow water to stagnate in birdbaths. Both provide breeding habitat for domestic mosquitoes.
- 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.



Project Lifesaver provides law enforcement with a program designed to protect, and when necessary, quickly locate individuals with cognitive disorders who are prone to the life threatening behavior of wandering. The necessity of this program was determined through the correlation between cognitive conditions and the act of wandering. The program has grown from a localized program to a program recognized internationally as a proven and effective method of "bringing loved ones home."

The method relies on proven radio technology and specially trained search and rescue teams. Citizens enrolled in Project Lifesaver wear a small transmitter on the wrist or ankle that emits an individualized frequency signal. If an enrolled client goes missing, the caregiver notifies their local Project Lifesaver agency, and a trained emergency team responds to the wanderer's area. The first responders will then use the client's individualized frequency to locate the position of the individual.

The Northern York County Regional Police Department has nine officers trained in the operation of the Project Lifesaver Program. Four of these officers are School Resource Officers.

If you are a Parent, Guardian or Caregiver of an individual that is at risk of wandering away and you feel they should be enrolled in the Project Lifesaver Program please visit [www.nycrpd.org](http://www.nycrpd.org) and complete the information on the Project Lifesaver Page located on the right side of the home page.

If you don't believe that your loved one is a wandering risk but would like to provide the NYCPRPD with information about their at risk or special circumstances, please visit [www.nycrpd.org](http://www.nycrpd.org) and complete the information on the At Risk Individual / Special Circumstances Page located on the right side of the home page.

## 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?

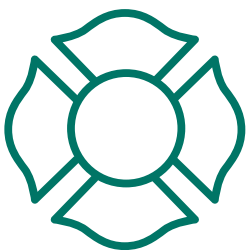
The Northern York County Regional Police Department receives several complaints each week in regards to vehicles exceeding the speed limit in numerous neighborhoods. Please be mindful of your speed and the inherent dangers while driving through the neighborhood.

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

## 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.

*Please be cooperative by moving all vehicles from posted streets.*



## Alert Fire Company Hall Rental

The **Social Hall** 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.

**Where: 3118 N. George St, Emigsville**

**For Hall Rentals call 717-324-1583**

## Solicitor's Permits

*Solicitor's 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.



# LIVING GREEN: RAIN BARRELS



**West Manchester, Manchester, & Dover Townships**

**Present**

## **RAIN BARRELS**

**Learn why Rain Barrels are so beneficial for the environment! Learn how to use and make your own rain barrel.**

**THURSDAY APRIL 11, 2024**

**6:30 pm – 7:30 pm**

**Presentation by: PENN STATE EXT.**

Everyone is welcome to join us for this free event at the:

**West Manchester Township Building**  
380 East Berlin Road, York PA 17408

# Spotted Lanternfly

Agriculture Secretary Russell Redding shared some scary thoughts while reminding Pennsylvanians to be vigilant against the Spotted Lanternfly as the bugs begin laying eggs on flat surfaces to hatch in the spring.

“Every Spotted Lanternfly egg mass not scraped and destroyed now is up to 50 more of these invasive, destructive bugs we can expect to hatch next spring,” said Redding. “We need every Pennsylvanian to hunt for egg masses this fall and winter and destroy them – or we’re in for a scary spring.”

Spotted Lanternfly egg masses are a light gray wax-like substance that take on the appearance of mud and include 30-50 eggs. Egg masses can be found on many flat surfaces including trees, rocks, and outside objects such as picnic tables, playground equipment, grills, and sidings of homes.

Property owners can scrape egg masses whenever encountered using a hard or rigid tool such as a credit card, putty knife, or a stick. Research has not yet confirmed whether egg masses can survive if scraped onto the ground, so it is best to scrape the egg masses in a downward motion into a container or bag with rubbing alcohol or hand sanitizer.

For more information on Spotted Lanternfly, visit [agriculture.pa.gov/spottedlanternfly](https://agriculture.pa.gov/spottedlanternfly) or <https://extension.psu.edu/spotted-lanternfly>.



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

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### Recreation Commission

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

### Commission Members

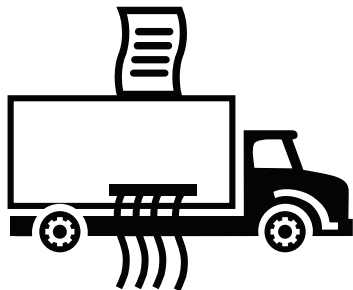
Craig Jacoby, Chairperson  
Virginia Hobbs, Vice-Chairperson  
James Kohr  
Douglas Hershey  
Adam Levine

### Recreation Commission Meeting Dates

April 11, 2024  
May 9, 2024 – Emigsville Park  
June 13, 2024 – Mt. View Park  
July 11, 2024 – Cousler Park  
August 8, 2024 – Nittany Park  
September 12, 2024 – Johnston's Park

### OFFICE CLOSED:

MEMORIAL DAY – May 27, 2024  
INDEPENDENCE DAY – July 4, 2024  
LABOR DAY – September 2, 2024



## Document Shredder Truck

**Tuesday, June 18, 2024 | 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

Time to clean out those old files! Manchester Township will be sponsoring a shredding truck for residents to bring their private documents to be shredded safely and securely. **(NOTE: This offering is for Manchester Township residents only.)**

### 5 BOX LIMIT – PAPER ONLY. NO PLASTIC, METAL, CD's, OR CREDIT CARDS OF ANY KIND!

These items will not be accepted, so please have your boxes sorted before the event. Make sure you remove all paper clips and binding clips from papers. If you have any questions about what is accepted, please contact us at **717-764-4646 extension 115.**

**Where:** **Cousler Park**

Greenbriar Road Entrance

**Cost:** **FREE**

Canned food donation will be accepted for the York County Food Bank.

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