



# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP AND RECREATION COMMISSION

*A message from the*

## Windsor Township Board of Supervisors

**RECREATION  
INFORMATION  
ON PAGE 13**

In 2021, the Township applied for a grant through the Penna. Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) to replace the 20+ year old equipment and correct the stormwater issue at Windsor Wonderland. Our grant application was denied. We tried again in 2022 and were awarded a grant in the amount of \$176,000! The Township also requested funding through the York County Marcellus Shale Legacy Funds and received \$30,000. Republic Services also donated \$30,000.

It was September of 2022 until the Township was given authorization to demolish the existing playground and correct the stormwater issues as well as order the playground equipment, the rubber surface and concrete.

The new playground equipment was delivered mid-November. The demolition was completed, the stormwater was addressed and the concrete work was started when we got the cold snap before Christmas. Work was postponed until March of 2023.

Fast forward to March when work resumed. The balance of the concrete was installed, the playground equipment went in and fencing was installed in time for the Grand Opening which was held April 21st.

It is an understatement that attendance at the Grand Opening exceeded our expectations. All of the children that were crawling in and out of the equipment had big smiles on their faces.

We want to thank our staff for their efforts to make this project something that the residents will enjoy for many, many years to come!

Kathy Kerchner, Chairperson  
Kim Moyer, Vice-Chairperson  
Rodney Sechrist



## Update on Community Center

Due to conflicts with First Energy and their right-of-way that crosses the community center site, the last year didn't see much progress. The conflicts resulted in the community center being moved to the front of the property along Lombard Rd. and the fields moved to the rear. The proposed schedule calls for the bids to be distributed in January 2024 and be opened in March 2024. With this schedule, construction is proposed to be underway mid-2024.

### CONNECT WITH US ON FACEBOOK WINDSOR TOWNSHIP, YORK COUNTY



This facebook account has been set up for informational purposes.

Please continue to direct questions to our website.

VISIT US AT

**WWW.WINDSORTWP.COM**

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Trick or Treat

Tuesday, October 31, 2023  
6:00pm – 8:00pm

### Woody Waste Collection

Curbside:  
Saturday, November 11, 2023  
Drop off:  
[See article for drop off dates](#)

### General Election

Tuesday, November 7, 2023

### Electronics Collection

Saturday, October 21, 2023  
9:00am – Noon

### Shredding Event

Thursday, October 5, 2023  
3:00pm – 6:00pm

### Leaf Collection

October 16, 2023 – December 8, 2023

### Christmas Tree Collection

Saturday, January 13, 2024

### Spring Leaf Collection

April 15, 2024 – April 26, 2024

### Board of Supervisors Meeting

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays at 6:00pm

### Recreation Commission Meeting

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 6:00pm

### Planning Commission Meeting

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 6:00pm

# Woody Waste Drop-off and Curbside Collection

The Township is still offering a drop off location for woody waste. The woody waste drop off will take place the 2nd Saturday of selected months from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Public Works Building located at 970 White Oak Rd., Windsor. The drop off dates for the rest of 2023 and all of 2024 are as follows:

September 9, 2023	July 13, 2024
October 14, 2023	August 10, 2024
December 9, 2023	September 14, 2024
March 9, 2024	October 12, 2024
April 13, 2024	December 14, 2024
June 8, 2024	

The drop off is for residential woody waste only. Our employees will be on hand to assist with unloading the woody waste. **This service is available to Township residents only. Photo identification will be required.** There is a six (6) ft. length limit as well as a six (6) inch diameter limit. Woody waste brought to the drop off location does not need to be bundled. **NO commercial businesses. NO grass clippings, tree stumps, sawdust, mulch, bamboo, flower debris or bagged debris.**

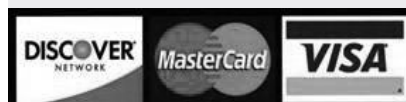
The Township will continue to provide a **curbside woody waste collection** during the months of May and November. The next curbside collection is scheduled for **Saturday, November 11, 2023 for the entire Township.** The date of the spring curbside collection will be announced after the first of the year. These collections will deal with brush and tree trimmings only.

- The trimmings must be **bundled and tied with twine** in 4 ft. lengths or placed in a biodegradable bag. Biodegradable bags are sold at most home improvement stores. Woody waste may be considered contaminated if it is bundled with anything other than twine or is mixed with other types of solid waste. Contaminated woody waste would then have to be considered municipal waste and would require disposal at the incinerator. This of course would defeat the benefits of recycling woody waste.
- Material should be one quarter to three inches in diameter.
- There is no limit to the number of “qualifying” bundles or bags that can be placed out for collection.
- **NO TRIMMINGS IN GARBAGE BAGS OR CANS.**
- **NO GRASS CLIPPINGS.**
- **NO TREE STUMPS.**

## CREDIT CARDS BEING ACCEPTED FOR PAYMENT OF QUARTERLY SEWER BILLS

Sewer customers can pay their sewer bill with a credit card. To make a payment with a credit card, go to the Township’s website ([www.windsortwp.com](http://www.windsortwp.com)) and scroll down until you see the link for online sewer payments. VISA, Mastercard and Discover are accepted. There is a \$2.95 convenience fee per transaction. The maximum payment amount is \$350.00 per transaction.

Payments with a credit card are NOT accepted at the Township Office.



## CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Christmas may seem like a long way off but it will be here before we know it. Christmas tree collection will be **Saturday, January 13, 2024 for the entire Township**. The tree must be free of ornaments, garland and tinsel. **NO PLASTIC BAGS**. The maximum tree height is 6 feet.

## NOTARY SERVICE

Notary service is available at the Township Office free of charge as long as the document being notarized pertains to Township business such as an OLDS exemption certification. Please call the Township Office at **717-244-3512** to make sure that the notary is available.

## Red Lion Area Ambulance Association

312 HORACE MANN AVENUE • RED LION, PA 17356  
717-244-0983 • Bradley E. Ream, EMS Manager • [rlaaa@redlionambulance.com](mailto:rlaaa@redlionambulance.com)

Greetings Windsor Township!

Red Lion Area Ambulance Association (RLAAA) hopes everyone has had a safe and enjoyable summer season. We would like to thank the community for supporting our first annual open house held in May. We thoroughly enjoyed meeting members of the community in which we serve and are looking forward to next year's event!

As one of the Emergency Medical Services providers for Windsor Township, along with First Capital EMS; we strive to provide the best quality prehospital patient centered care possible. Please keep the following tips in mind should you ever need our services in the event of an emergency. Please ensure residences are clearly labeled with easy to see house numbers. This helps our providers to locate your residence quickly in the event of an emergency. If you are experiencing an emergency, please do not drive to the ambulance station. The crew may be out of station for another emergency call. Call 9-1-1 and the closest ambulance will be dispatched to your location.

RLAAA thrives on support from the community. With the increase of operational expenses such as equipment, supplies, and facility maintenance; community support is always welcomed and appreciated. Donations are accepted year-round and are used for the purchase of new equipment to better serve our residents. As a Not-For-Profit, 501 (C) 3 organization, your donations may be tax deductible.

Serving our community, making a difference, one call at a time.

## Modern Landfill Eastern Expansion Update

As we have stated in previous newsletters, a portion of Modern Landfill on Mt. Pisgah Rd. is located within Windsor Township. There is also a portion of the landfill located in Lower Windsor Township. As a host municipality, Windsor Township has a Host Community Agreement with Republic Services which owns Modern Landfill.

Modern Landfill had been proposing an eastern expansion into Lower Windsor Township for several years. The expansion is being proposed as there is only approximately two (2) years of storage capacity remaining at the landfill. Their first step was to negotiate a Host Community Agreement with Lower Windsor Township. After much discussion, the Lower Windsor Township Board of Supervisors decided in December of 2020 to not move forward with a Host Community Agreement.

As of the publishing of this newsletter, discussions between Lower Windsor Township and Modern Landfill have not resumed.

Should Modern Landfill no longer accept waste into the landfill, there are multiple services that the Township and its residents have enjoyed for many, many years that will cease. These are: free garbage collection, free recycling collection, free large item collection, free Christmas tree collection, street sweeping at no charge, a place for the Township to dispose of items that have been dumped along Township roads free of charge and a disposal area for leaves free of charge.



# YORK COUNTY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

33 Oak Street, York, PA 17402 • Chief Timothy L. Damon

The York County Regional Police Department is utilizing CRIMEWATCH and social media to assist the department and community with information sharing, crime prevention and crime mapping.



YCRPD



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@YorkCoRegPD

Please login, sign-up, and "Follow-us" to stay informed as news is happening in real time.

Visit our CRIMEWATCH website: [www.ycrpd.org](http://www.ycrpd.org)

**COMMUNITY** Our department is in our second year as York County Regional and we have shown that merging two regional departments can go smoothly. At 60 officers and more resources, we can better serve our communities and look forward to interacting with our citizens at various community policing events like National Night Out, etc.

**CONGRATULATIONS RETIREES** On May 26, 2023 Lieutenant G. Kenneth Schollenberger retired from YCRPD with 26 years of service. We wish him luck in his well-deserved retirement.

We also saw two of our Police Clerks retire. April 7, 2023, Kimberly A. Smith retired after 25 years of service, and Mary Jo Keller retired on May 31, 2023, after 29 years of service. Their almost 50 years of combined experience will be greatly missed.

**WELCOME** With retirements, comes new hires, and we welcome Kelly Ankrum and Stephanie Cutler, our new Police Clerks. They have big shoes to fill, but we look forward to working with them as they become a part of the YCRPD family.

**EMPLOYMENT** Speaking of new hires, we currently are hiring officers. If you or someone you know are interested in a career in Policing, or are currently working as an officer for another department and looking to make a change, please visit [www.yorkpolicejobs.org](http://www.yorkpolicejobs.org) for employment opportunities across York County. Lateral applicants may also apply directly to our website, [www.ycrpd.org](http://www.ycrpd.org)

**K9 UNIT** We welcomed Nova, our newest K9. She is an American Pitbull Terrier, trained and certified through the American Working Dog Association in detecting Narcotics as well as tracking. Nova was a rescue dog that was found on the highway in Northern California. Officer Goodman is assigned as her handler and they are both currently assigned to the Northeastern School District as School Resource Officers. Nova joins Tango, our electronics dog. Officer Main is Tango's handler. Tango is invaluable in cases where electronic evidence needs to be found, like cell phones, flash drives etc.

**MOUNTED HORSE UNIT** We welcomed two horses to our newly created mounted unit. Bishop and Judge. Both horses are Percherons, Bishop is 7-years-old and Judge is 11-years-old. The horses and officers have been training hard to get the unit up and running. Recently Bishop and Judge competed at the Mason Dixon Fair. Bishop won 4th place in halter, 2nd place in men's cart and was reserve champion halter gelding. Judge won 2nd place in halter and 1st place in ladies cart. This unit can only be possible with the support of our civic organizations, donations from businesses, persons involved in the equine industry, and supporters of law enforcement. Please check out our website to see how you may be able to assist. [www.ycrpd.org](http://www.ycrpd.org)

**CRIMEWATCH SPECIAL NEEDS REGISTRY/CAMERA REGISTRY** YCRPD Website has a new feature for parents and guardians to register individuals identified with special needs with the Department. This allows the Police Officers and First Responders to have access to information, provided by the family, related specifically to the individual with special needs. Officers responding to calls for service related to the individuals will have access to this information which could be invaluable to the officer in identifying and reuniting the person with their family. We still have our camera registry for those who have outdoor and doorbell cameras. Footage from those cameras could be very valuable to solving crimes. Register at [www.ycrpd.org](http://www.ycrpd.org)

Mini stuffed- animal  
"Tango" dogs are  
now available at the  
department for sale,  
\$20 each. The proceeds  
will directly benefit the  
K9 program.



## Building Permits

Building Permits are required for most projects. Contact the Township Office at (717) 244-3512 if you have a specific project upcoming. Some examples that require permits are additions, sheds, carports, new or replacement patios or decks, resurfacing or enlargement of driveways, fences and above ground, inground or temporary swimming pools.

Windsor Township strives to process applications for permits as quickly as possible. It may take up to 15 business days to issue a Building Permit once it has been submitted. A completed application includes an entirely filled out application form and a plot plan for the entire lot identifying all existing and proposed improvements, including dimensions (length and width) on the lot (including house, driveway, sheds, patios, decks, sidewalks, etc). Depending on the project, additional information may be required for submission.

No work can be started until a Building Permit has been issued and the placard card has been placed in a location that can be seen from the street.

## LEAF COLLECTION

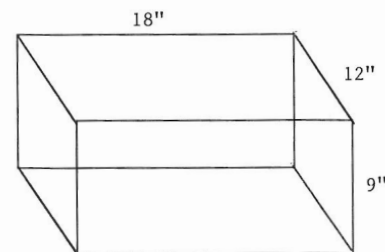
Leaf collection will run from October 16, 2023 through December 8, 2023. The Township uses a leaf collector that is self contained and is operated by one person. This eliminates the need for rakers. Remember to rake leaves as close to the edge of the blacktop/curb as possible in narrow rows away from fences, posts, poles or cars. Tree limbs, grass, shrubs and hedge trimmings, bricks, stones or any foreign objects are **not** to be deposited in the leaves. If foreign objects are found, the leaves will not be collected.


## SPRING LEAF COLLECTION

The Township will hold a spring leaf collection program again next year. It will run from April 15, 2024 through April 26, 2024. All aspects of the fall collection will apply during the spring collection.


## SHREDDING EVENT

The Township will again be sponsoring a shredding event. Due to the unavailability of a Saturday, it will be held on **Thursday, October 5, 2023 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** at the Township Office located at 1480 Windsor Rd., Red Lion, PA. This event is a free event for Township residents only. **Photo identification is required.** NO BUSINESSES. There is a two (2) box limit. A box is defined as 18 inches long/9 inches high/12 inches wide.





### 7 Ways to Save the Bay




**RECYCLE-** The average American discards 1.5 tons of garbage a year. Recycle just one aluminum can and save enough energy to power a TV for 3 hours.

**TAKE YOUR CAR TO A CARWASH-** Your driveway is a first class, non-stop ticket to the Bay for dirt, soap and chemicals.

**PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET-** You wouldn't bathe with the bacteria and pollutants pet waste contains... Why swim with them, or eat fish that do.



**BUY LOCAL FOODS-** Did you know that most foods you eat travel 1,300 miles before they get to your plate? Buying food that's grown on local farms minimizes transportation-related emissions. It also keeps local farmers in business—which is good for Bay lands and, ultimately, Bay water quality.



**PLANT A TREE-** Clean the air, cool the earth (and your home). Provide habitat for wildlife.

**CONSERVE WATER-** Take shorter showers. Turn off the water while you're Brushing your teeth, washing your hands, or doing dishes in the sink. By reducing your use of water, you help wastewater treatment plants function more effectively by reducing the volume they process.

**REDUCE ELECTRICITY-** Besides auto emissions, coal-burning power plants are among the largest sources of mercury and nitrogen compounds in air pollution.



## COMPACT FLUORESCENT LIGHT (CFL) BULB RECYCLING

Just a reminder that CFL bulbs can still be brought to the Township Office for recycling. Bring your unbroken CFLs to the Township Office during normal business hours and we will take it from there. Sorry, we cannot accept tube fluorescent bulbs. This is only for CFL bulbs.

# Garbage and Large Item Collection

Just a reminder that there is a four (4) bag/container limit on your weekly trash service. Each bag/container, when filled, may not weigh more than 75 lbs. nor exceed a volume of 32 gallons. If you are using a toter supplied by Republic Services, the toter is considered 3 bags of garbage. Therefore, you can put out a toter plus one (1) bag of garbage.

A frequently asked question is what to do with paint cans. If there is paint in the can, add some sawdust or kitty litter to absorb the paint. Once that has been done, it can be put out with your regular trash.

Residents are permitted to put out **one (1) large item per week** as part of their regular trash collection. All items must be out at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on your regular trash collection day. It is suggested that items be placed at the curb the night before your collection day. **Please contact the Township Office at 717-244-3512 by 1:00 p.m. the day before your collection to inform us you will be putting a large item at the curb.**

**> THIS COLLECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO THE TOWNHOUSES IN WINDSOR COMMONS APARTMENTS AND LION'S GATE (FORMERLY WINDSOR POINTE).**

Items which **WILL** be collected per household:



- Furniture (*sofa, chair, etc.*)
- White goods (*stove, water heater, etc.*)
- Carpet – rolled, tied in 4 ft. lengths
- Mattresses & Boxsprings (**Must be wrapped**)
- Car tires only, **must be off rims.** (*No large truck tires*)

Items which **WILL NOT** be collected:



- Construction debris (*drywall, tile, shingles, bricks, etc.*)
- Batteries and automobile parts
- Treated lumber & roofing shingles
- Hazardous materials (*Pesticides, propane tanks, etc.*)
- Tree stumps and other woody waste
- Electronics

**When there is a holiday on a weekday, collection will be one day late after the holiday. The holidays observed by Republic Services are:**

- New Years Day
- Memorial Day
- July 4th (if it is a weekday)
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving
- Christmas Day

For example:

Thanksgiving Day is a Thursday. Therefore, the regular Thursday collection will take place on Friday and the regular Friday collection will take place on Saturday.

REMEMBER: Due to the “Covered Devices Act”, electronics **will not** be collected as part of our trash/large item collection program. They cannot be disposed of at Pennsylvania waste disposal facilities. They must be recycled through an approved recycler or recycling program. Please see the article in this newsletter on electronics recycling.

## ON-LOT DISPOSAL SYSTEM (OLDS) MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Earlier this year residents within District #3 were notified of their requirement to comply with the OLDS Management Ordinance. District #3 covers all properties served by on-lot septic systems East of Freysville Rd. and north of Rt.624 (Craley Rd.). If you received a notice and have not yet taken steps to have your system pumped/inspected and if necessary, brought to full ordinance compliance, please do so prior to the end of the year.

It has been brought to our attention that pumping companies are sending out letters that do not reflect our pumping cycles. Please do not have your septic system pumped without first getting a letter from the Township, unless it is necessary to do so. If you have your septic system pumped outside of your scheduled year, you will still be required to have your septic system pumped during your normally scheduled year.

If you have questions as to whether you have complied or what year you are scheduled to have your septic system pumped, please contact the Township Office. Noncompliance will result in penalties.

# SUSQUEHANNA SENIOR CENTER

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Susquehanna Senior Center is a place for Seniors of all ages to Connect! Connect where Lifelong Giving is Lifelong Learning... We support overall wellbeing and resources to provide overall wellness. We encourage fitness, education, fun and community, we are an Extended Family!

There are a variety of programs, speakers, outings, games, fitness, and multiple day adventures being provided at the Susquehanna Area Senior Center. Come sit enjoy a game, chat over a meal! SASC is family!

Susquehanna Senior Center thrives on community support and needs your help to replace their current exterior sign which is in bad repair. We are looking at replacing it with an electronic sign to keep the community and seniors aware of current events at the center. It will also serve to inform the community of emergency closures and provide resources. Your generous support in any amount would be greatly appreciated.

We welcome Veterans to our center, Steve Weigert has been working along with our local Veteran's affairs office to ensure Veterans are receiving services and benefits available to them.

Our Center is looking for Board members to be a part of a team to support the overall wellbeing of our Older American population. We are seeking people who are willing to invest in the center to provide support to seniors in our community. We are intergenerational and all ages are welcome to inquire. Please contact Patricia Wilkerson, executive director at 717-244-0340 or send a letter of interest to the center at 2427 Craley Rd, Wrightsville PA, 17368. The only thing we leave behind is what we give.

There are volunteer opportunities for you to get involved. We continue to be singularly staffed by the executive director, Patricia Wilkerson, who is being supported by a host of volunteers. It is exciting to see how Patricia has been able to create an intergenerational environment within the center and train seniors to use technology, we are here to advance learning, improve skills to improve access, and to tap into the wealth of ability and experience of our CONNECT Community. We have begun to call our center CONNECT, because we are connecting with people and bringing community together.

Catholic Harvest Food Pantry will be here at the Center once a month on the second Thursday. September 14, October 12, November 9, & December 14 for 2023. **You must register by calling 717-846-8571 – option 3.** Pickup will be in the Lower Parking lot, outside of the center. You will be able to choose what you would like to take home from the selection provided.

**All are welcome to join us on our trips, daily or multiple days, you do not have to be a member of the senior center.**

There are about 100 people traveling with us to The Ark Encounter & Savannah trips, seats are full.

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: Our 2024 Travel Adventures registration is underway, go to our website at [sasc-craley.org](http://sasc-craley.org). **On May**  
: **6–10 we will travel to Virginia Beach, Colonial Williamsburg, & Historic Norfolk, sign up while seats**  
: **last.** The cost of this 5-day trip is \$894 per person, double occupancy. We've received numerous calls  
: so, don't delay. This trip is the perfect spring adventure, you will beat the heat, and it is a great Mother's  
: Day gift. Details will be posted on our website and Facebook pages. This allows you enough time to use  
: the layaway plan and ensure that you have a seat on this and other upcoming travel experiences. One  
: hundred dollars (\$100) is due upon registering. Price is per person, based on double occupancy. Add \$195  
: for single occupancy. Final Payment Due: **2/6/2024. Travel insurance can be obtained by calling**  
: **1-855-376-2037** within 14 days of signing up for the trip.  
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# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP FIRE & EMERGENCY RESCUE ASSOCIATION

Have you thanked a volunteer firefighter lately? Fire protection services are provided to Windsor Township and its residents by volunteer firefighters. These volunteers spend countless hours of their free time working tirelessly to keep us safe during our darkest time. Please consider supporting their efforts in every way possible including donations. New recruits are always welcome!

Each year the Township offers two (2) \$1,000 scholarships through the Windsor Township Fire & Emergency Rescue Association. To be eligible for the scholarships, the recipients have to be a member or family of a member who volunteers with one of the four (4) fire companies that serve Windsor Township.

At the Windsor Township Board of Supervisors meeting on July 19, 2023, a scholarship was awarded to Faith Brady. Faith is currently attending the University of Valley Forge where she is pursuing a Bachelor's Degree in Social Work. CONGRATULATIONS FAITH!

Since there was only one (1) scholarship being awarded this year, the Township has re-opened the scholarship applications. If you are a member or family of a member of one of the fire companies that serve the Township, stop at the Township Office to pickup an application. Applications will be accepted until September 30, 2023.

Come to Windsor Commons Shopping Center on Saturday, October 7, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. to celebrate Fire Safety Week. There will be various pieces of fire equipment from the fire companies that serve the Township as well as goodies for the kids!

## Golden Connections Community Center

20-C Gotham Place | Red Lion, PA 17356 | 717-244-7229

Kasie Ream, *Director of Social Services* | [socialservices@gcccenter.com](mailto:socialservices@gcccenter.com)

### What does the Golden Connections Community Center offer?

Since our founding, the goal of the Golden Connections Community Center has been to assist and empower the older adults of the Red Lion and Dallastown Area to remain part of a thriving community environment for as long as they are willing and able. The GCCC offers a wide range of free services and programs to seniors age 60 and above. Activities include those that respond to the social, cultural, economic, emotional, and physical needs of the older adult, thus encouraging independence, stimulating growth, alleviating loneliness, and providing volunteer opportunities. Counseling, referral services, and provision of home delivered and congregate meals are also an important part of our mission.

You can come visit the Golden Connections Community Center Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at 20 Gotham Place, Red Lion or visit our [website at www.gcccenter.com](http://www.gcccenter.com).

### Line Dancing Classes

The Golden Connections Community Center now hosts weekly Line Dance Classes every Monday night. Basic Line Dance Step class is 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. and Beginners/Improver Line Dance class is 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Feel free to participate in one or both classes for a small charge of \$3.00 per person. Classes are led by Line Dance Instructor, Jean Carter. Jean has been teaching Beginner Line Dance classes up and down the east coast for 20 years, 6 of those being at the GCCC. Walk-ins are welcome.

### Rentals

Looking for a space to rent for your family reunion, baby shower, birthday party or any other upcoming event you plan on throwing, then look no further. The Golden Connections Community Center offers space to rent for all types of events. Building Rentals are \$50.00 per hour. Dates fill quickly, so if you have need for a rental space, contact Kasie Ream, Executive Director, at 244-7229 ext. 106.

The Golden Connections Community Center is in part funded by the York County Area on Aging



# Electronics Recycling Collection

The Township will continue to provide an electronics event twice a year, in the spring and fall. The April event was very successful. The Township would like to thank Boy Scout Troop #35 and their leaders for their help.

The October collection date is Saturday, October 21, 2023 from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the Public Works Building located at 970 White Oak Rd. **This service is available to Township residents only. Photo identification will be required.** Check the Township website ([www.windsortwp.com](http://www.windsortwp.com)) next year for the spring date.



Materials accepted includes televisions, desktop and laptop computers, computer monitors, peripherals (mouse, keyboard, printer, etc.) as well as cell phones, vacuum cleaners, alarm clocks, irons, coffee makers or anything with a plug that does not contain Freon. Examples of items containing Freon include refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners and dehumidifiers.

If you have electronics to dispose of either before or after our event, the York County Solid Waste Authority accepts electronics free of charge to York County residents ONLY. They are located at 2651 Blackbridge Rd. (Toronita Street off Rt.30). When you arrive at their facility, go in the main entrance and proceed to the scales. You will then be directed to the small load drop-off facility. They can be reached at 717-845-1066 for their hours and what items they accept.

## Delinquent Sewer Bills and Water Shut Offs

Due to the number of properties in the Township that are delinquent on their quarterly sewer bills, the Board of Supervisors entered into agreements with the York Water Company and the Red Lion Municipal Authority to shut off public water to properties that are delinquent on their sewer bills. Any delinquent account that has not been paid within thirty (30) days of receiving the next quarterly bill will receive a notice that the delinquent amount is due within thirty (30) days. If the delinquent amount is not paid in full by the due date, water termination procedures will be started.

The water termination process is as follows:

- A ten (10) day notice is mailed and posted at the property requiring **payment in full plus an administrative processing fee which is an additional \$30.00**. Payment must be made at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once seven (7) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fee have not been paid, a three (3) day notice is posted. Another \$15.00 is added to the amount owed. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once eight (8) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fees have not been paid, a 48-hr. notice is posted. Another \$15.00 is added to the amount owed. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once the ten (10) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fees have not been paid, the appropriate water company is contacted to shut off the water. The cost to shut off and restore water service is a total of \$30.00 for the York Water Company and a total of \$150.00 for the Red Lion Municipal Authority. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the appropriate shut off/restoration fee and administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.

We encourage the payment of the quarterly bill by the due date to ensure that there will be no interruptions of your water service.

If you mail your payment, pay at the Township Office or pay at PeoplesBank, it is important to include the bottom portion of the invoice as it contains your account number. At the least, please write your account number on your check.

## Recycling Program

The restrictions on contamination placed on recycling materials exported to China continue to be in effect.

**Only the items listed in the columns on the right are a part of the program.**

**Wheeled toters with lids for your recycling were delivered free of charge by Republic Services earlier this year.**

If you did not get one or there wasn't one at your home when you moved in, please contact the Township Office (717-244-3512) to make arrangements to have one delivered.

### *Must I Recycle?*

Yes. Pennsylvania law requires all Windsor Township residential and commercial properties to recycle. All recyclable materials must be removed from the regular trash. This is not only the right thing to do environmentally, but it saves money in disposal costs.

### Acceptable Items



- Aluminum food and beverage containers with food debris removed. Labels do not need to be removed.
- Glass food and beverage containers with lids and food debris removed: Clear, Brown, Green. Labels do not need to be removed.
- Natural and pigmented plastic narrow-neck containers with symbols 1,2,5 (milk bottles, water bottles, etc.) Lids and food debris removed. Labels do not need to be removed.
- Ferrous (Iron, steel, tin) cans with food debris removed.
- Newsprint – black and white or pigmented.
- Beverage cartons (milk, orange juice, etc.)
- Corrugated cardboard cut down small enough to fit into the recycling bin.

### Non-Acceptable Items



- Construction paper, craft paper, cereal boxes, shoe boxes, or similar.
- Printer paper, computer paper, copy paper
- Junk mail
- Magazines, catalogs
- Phone books
- Aerosol cans
- Window or auto glass, drinking glasses, mirrors
- Light bulbs
- Microwave trays, glass cookware/ bake ware
- Plastic bags
- Styrofoam salad/deli containers
- Household items such as cooking pots, appliances and aluminum foil
- Batteries
- Scrap metal

As in the past, recycling should not be put out for collection in plastic grocery bags. It will not be collected.

The recycling and trash collections are provided to the residents of Windsor Township at NO CHARGE. The cost of collection is paid by Modern Landfill as a part of the Host Community Agreement.

## Hop Aboard rabbittransit Shared Ride

Getting around shouldn't be a challenge! Whether you want to run errands, attend medical appointments, join recreational activities, or visit friends, there's an easy way to get there: Book a Shared Ride with rabbittransit.

Unlike a scheduled bus route that only operates in one area, Shared Ride (a.k.a. Paratransit) provides consolidated trips between travel origins and destinations during limited hours and specific areas.

All Shared Ride trips require a reservation. If you would like same-day service, you must make your reservation by 1:30 p.m. Otherwise, reservations must be made no later than 12:00 p.m. the business day before your ride. Reservations may be made two weeks in advance. For trips on Saturday, Sunday or Monday, reservations must be submitted by 12 p.m. the Friday before. Visit [www.rabbittransit.org](http://www.rabbittransit.org) > **Shared Ride > Reservations** to schedule a reservation.

When making a reservation for Shared Ride, it's essential to plan accordingly since the service accommodates other passengers' travel plans. Riders are grouped together based on their travel time and location(s). Travel times may be shorter or longer, depending on the total number of riders at the time. While ride times may vary, Shared Ride is a reliable and safe transportation option that can give you peace of mind when accessing life-sustaining services.

If Shared Ride sounds like a fit for you, the first step is to submit an application to the program you'd like to participate in. Shared Ride programs vary from Senior Shared Ride to the Medical Assistance Transportation Program (MATP), ADA Complementary Paratransit Program (ADA), or Paratransit Full Fare. Riders in select programs may be eligible for free fares. Easily apply online by visiting [www.rabbittransit.org](http://www.rabbittransit.org) > **Shared Ride > How to apply**. For additional questions about Shared Ride services, call **1-800-632-9063**.

Save money, save gas, and help your community do the same! If you're looking for a job, rabbittransit is hiring! Visit [rabbittransit.org/jobs](http://rabbittransit.org/jobs) to view open positions in the York area.



## Drug Take Back Box

Several years ago, a Drug Take Back Box was installed in the lobby of the Township Office courtesy of the York County Regional Police Department. It is available during our normal business hours. Remove your personal information from the containers then place your unwanted or expired medications in the box to help prevent dangerous accidents with the children in your household. Please do not leave medications outside the front doors.

### Accepted



- Prescription medications (Controlled and Non-controlled substances)
- Over-the-counter medications

### Not Accepted

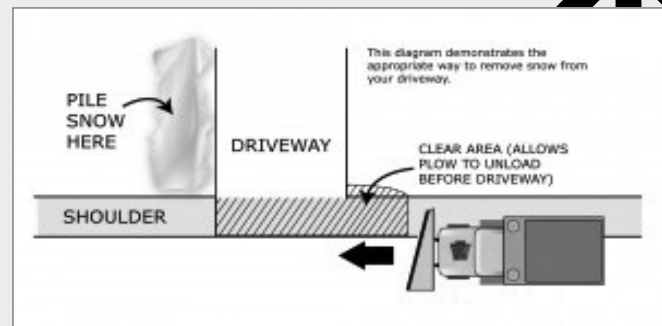


- Illegal drugs
- Needles
- Lotions or liquids
- Inhalers
- Aerosol cans
- Thermometers
- Hydrogen peroxide

## Winter Tips

Below are some helpful reminders of municipal regulations and practices related to winter precipitation:

- Once a Snow Emergency has been declared, all motor vehicles **MUST** be removed from all Township streets to allow road crews to properly remove snow from the roads. The Snow Emergency will be announced on the local television stations as well as on our website and Facebook page.
- Snow Emergencies are typically declared when significant amounts of snow are being forecasted. We are noticing that more and more cars are being parked on the street during snow events which makes it harder for the trucks to plow. Based on this, a Snow Emergency may be declared more often for lesser snow storm events.
- Please do not deposit any snow onto public streets; this act is prohibited by the Snow Emergency Ordinance.
- Sidewalks must be kept clear of snow/ice within 24 hours after each storm event to provide pedestrian access regardless of whether a snow emergency has been declared.
- If you see that a neighbor hasn't removed the snow/ice from their sidewalk, check with them to see if there are health problems that have prevented the sidewalk from being cleared. If there are health problems, enlist the help of other neighbors to get the sidewalk cleared before calling the Township.
- If you go out of town during the winter months, have a plan in place with a neighbor or friend to remove the snow/ice from your sidewalk.
- If the Township Office receives a complaint that a sidewalk is not cleared of snow/ice, the entire development is checked for compliance. The Township **does not** remove the snow/ice from the sidewalk.
- If you live near or have a fire hydrant on your property, please keep it cleared to allow emergency services to be able to quickly locate and access them in case of an emergency.
- Check your mailbox post to see if it needs to be replaced. As of August 2014, the Township will not compensate property owners should their mailbox be damaged during snow removal.



# Glo Fiber Announces Plans to Expand its High-Speed Fiber-Optic Network into York County, PA

Glo Fiber, powered by **Shenandoah Telecommunications Company ("Shentel")** announced they have reached agreements with municipal officials to deploy next generation fiber-to-the-home (FTTH) broadband services to several areas in York County, Pennsylvania including:

- York Township
- Dallastown Borough
- Red Lion Borough
- Yoe Borough
- Windsor Borough
- Windsor Township
- Spring Garden Township

Construction began in York Township and will continue into 2023 and 2024 in the remaining boroughs and townships, bringing a future-proof fiber network to over 24,000 homes and businesses throughout the County. To check the status of their neighborhood and receive updates, interested residents and businesses can pre-register at [www.glofiber.com](http://www.glofiber.com).

The franchise agreement with Shentel will provide the residents of Windsor Township with an alternative broadband company. Installation of Glo Fiber in the Township is scheduled to begin late 2023 or early 2024.

Glo Fiber provides unlimited multi-gigabit internet access with symmetrical upload and download speeds, streaming TV, and phone services in the Mid-Atlantic region. Using Shentel's 7,900-mile regional fiber network, Glo Fiber can ensure high speeds, low latency, and fair pricing. The company has earned a reputation for providing superior

local customer service across its markets, including the growing list of communities in Pennsylvania, Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia, and Delaware.

Glo Fiber will offer symmetrical, high-speed internet access, streaming TV, and unlimited local and long-distance phone service to the area. Glo TV service is delivered via an app and is compatible with Apple TV, Amazon's Fire Stick, and many smart TVs with embedded streaming software. Optional Wall-to-Wall WiFi is available, allowing customers to connect anywhere in their home or business. There are no contracts, and pricing is straightforward with affordable options for individuals and families relying on the internet for work, school, and play.



To learn more about Glo Fiber, please visit [www.glofiber.com](http://www.glofiber.com) or **1-800-IWANTGLO**.

For more information about Shentel, please visit [www.shentel.com](http://www.shentel.com) or call **1-800-SHENTEL** (1-800-743-6835).



## Trick or Treat

Tuesday, October 31, 2023 | 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

# REMINDER

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# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP RECREATION COMMISSION

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## *A message from the* **Recreation Director**

Community Members,

It's been quite a year for Windsor Township Recreation! Highlighting 2023 thus far is the all-new Windsor Wonderland playground. I think it's safe to say that our new park is popular as there is rarely a time when you can drive by and it's not being enjoyed by children and their families. In addition to the successful completion and opening of the new playground, we also had a very successful spring and summer of youth sports and summer camps. Of course, all of these programs would not be possible without hundreds of dedicated volunteers giving up their time to lead and mentor the young people in our community.

As we head into the fall season, we're looking forward to great seasons for our soccer, baseball, softball, field hockey, and flag football programs. We've seen yet another great turnout and are looking forward to providing another quality season for our participants and their families.

We have some programs and events scheduled over the next few months with more to come. Meanwhile, mark your calendars for our fall yard sale on 9/30, our next session of Zumba, and our bus trips on 12/2 and 12/9. More info on each of the above programs can be found on the next few pages of this newsletter. I've included a timeline for when to look for our youth sports registration openings and deadlines. If your child(ren) attend RLSD, you will also receive a flyer for each program through their email blast system. Registration is simple and done 100% online, so it's never been easier.

I'd like to say a huge thank you to the hundreds of volunteer coaches, instructors, and staff at Windsor Township and RLSD that help to make our programs possible! Because of you, we continue to grow our current programs and are able to continue adding opportunities for our community.

Lastly, we are always looking to add to our programs. If you personally have a special talent or hobby that you would like to share with the community, please reach out to me at [recdirector@windsorrec.com](mailto:recdirector@windsorrec.com) to see how we can partner.

Thank you,

*Christopher Shaffer*

Christopher Shaffer, Recreation Director



Visit [www.windsorrec.com](http://www.windsorrec.com) for a full list of our offerings



# WINDSOR REC YOUTH SPORTS REGISTRATION TIMELINE

## SPRING 2024

### Soccer

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
U4 through U8	Mid-November	Late February
U9 through U15	Mid-November	Mid-December

### Baseball and Softball

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
8U through 19U Baseball	Early January	Mid-February
7U through 14U Softball	Early January	Mid-February

## SUMMER 2024

### Tee Ball

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
4 & 5 year old	Early April	Mid-May
6 & 7 year old	Early April	Mid-May

## FALL 2024

### Soccer

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
U4 through U8	Mid-April	Mid-July
U9 through U15	Mid-April	Mid-May

### Field Hockey

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
K through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade	Early May	Mid-July
1 <sup>st</sup> through 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade	Early May	Mid-July
4 <sup>th</sup> through 6 <sup>th</sup> grade	Early May	Mid-July

### Flag Football

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
4 <sup>th</sup> through 6 <sup>th</sup> grade	Early May	Mid-July

### Baseball and Softball

PROGRAM	REGISTRATION OPENS	REGISTRATION CLOSES
7U through 19U Baseball	Early June	Mid-July
10U through 14U Softball	Early June	Mid-July

## PROGRAMS TO WATCH OUT FOR IN 2023!

Fitness  
Classes



Bus Trips



Youth  
Sports

Camps



Clinics



Yard Sales



Art Classes

Summer  
Day Camp



Food Truck  
Friday's

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### Bus Trips

**Dickens of a Christmas Celebration Bus Trip on 12/2/23** - Are you looking for a getaway trip to rekindle the old-fashioned Christmas spirit? Then plan to join us in Wellsboro, PA on Saturday, December 2nd for the 39th annual Dickens of a Christmas.

Wellsboro's Main Street and the surrounding side streets will be closed to traffic and will become an early Victorian marketplace featuring all types of delectable wares for eating and drinking, as well as delightful gift items for wearing or enjoying.

Bus will depart Freysville Park at 6am on 12/2 and arrive back at Freysville Park at 10:30pm.

**New York City Bus Trip on 12/9/23** - Spend the day strolling around New York City and enjoy the sights and sounds of this fabulous city. Go shopping, take in an afternoon show, or enjoy the winter activities, which include ice skating or the Rockefeller Christmas tree. Seats for this trip go fast, so register early!

Trip departs Freysville Park (Windsor Wonderland) at 6am and arrives back at Freysville Park at approximately 11:15pm. Travelers will be dropped off at the Winter Garden Theatre.

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## Zumba

Join the biggest dance party that's been movin' the world since 2001! Zumba is a high-energy dance fitness class that incorporates Latin flavors with upbeat music to help you burn calories, boost your metabolism and your mood! Zumba is appropriate for all ages and fitness levels, with modifications so everyone can find their own groove. So what are you waiting for? We'll z-ya on the dance floor!

**Instructor:** Gina Meini

Gina has been part of the Zumba family for 15 years. She started as a student in the back of the room, shy and reserved, but once that music came on, she couldn't stop herself from having the best time of her life! With the support of the Zumba community, she's lost 100lbs and gained so much confidence. She's been an instructor for 4 years now, teaching all over York county. She's also certified to teach Zumba kids and Zumba kids jr. She loves bringing the joy of Zumba to her students and helping them feel confident, happy, and empowered!

**6 week sessions offered throughout the year. Next session starting 9/19!**

## Yard Sale

Stop by our large yard sale at Freysville Park (Windsor Wonderland) on Saturday 9/30/23. You never know what great deals you may find! Approximately 30 vendors will be set up and ready to sell!

K.W.'s Pit Beef and Catering will be setting up selling BBQ! A portion of these proceeds will benefit Windsor Recreation programming.

**Date:** Saturday, September 30th

**Time:** 8am-1pm

**Location:** Freysville Park (Windsor Wonderland)

**\*Spring yard sale tentatively scheduled for Saturday 5/11/24\***

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