

HORSHAM TOWNSHIP REPORT

This newsletter is published by the Horsham Township Council to provide residents with important information about their township.

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BOARD MEETINGS

Township Council
1st & 4th Monday @ 7:00PM
2nd Wednesday @ 8:00PM

Planning Commission
1st Tuesday @ 8:00PM

Zoning Board
2nd Tuesday @ 7:30PM

Park and Recreation
3rd Thursday @ 7:30PM

Water & Sewer Auth.
2nd & 4th Mon. @ 7:30PM
(215) 672-8011
617 Horsham Road

Environmental Advisory
3rd Monday @ 7:00PM

This newsletter is printed on recycled paper that is recyclable.

Horsham Township Council recently toured the 235 acre College Settlement Camp and Kuhn Day Camp located on Witmer Road in Horsham with Executive Director, Frank Gerome.

Pictured (L to R), are:
Gregory Nesbitt, Esquire, V.P.
Mark McCouch, President
Frank Gerome, Executive Director
Deborah Tustin
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Andrew Santacroce



Executive Director, Frank Gerome started at College Settlement Camp as a camp employee in 1965. He later went on to become the Executive Director in 1982. Council congratulated Mr. Gerome in advance, on his plans to retire in May, 2013, after 48 years of being part of the organization.

College Settlement Camp in Horsham was founded in 1922 by Anna Freeman Davies to augment the cultural, educational and recreational programs conducted in the city by The College Settlement of Philadelphia. Since that time, The College Settlement Camp has been providing camping services for people from the greater Philadelphia area. Horsham Township Council would like to thank College Settlement for 90 years of being part of the Horsham community.

HORSHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT HONORED WITH 4TH ACCREDITATION

The Horsham Township Police Department has maintained its status as an "Accredited Law Enforcement Agency" for the fourth time running.

The Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association developed 133 standards that have to be met by any law enforcement agency within the Commonwealth if the agency desires to become accredited. These standards were designed to help law enforcement agencies reduce liability risk and exposure to lawsuits. The standards are met by having specific policies/procedures in place and showing that these policies/procedures are followed.

The Horsham Township Police Department received accreditation from the Pennsylvania Law Enforcement Accreditation Commission beginning in 2003. Since then, the Police Department has completed a reassessment in 2006, 2009 and has now maintained their accredited status for another three (3) years. Currently, there are only 82 police departments state accredited out of over 1,154 police departments in Pennsylvania.

As the Chief Executive Officer of the department, Chief Robert Ruxton was fully committed and provided all of the resources needed to successfully achieve re-accredited status. Special congratulations to Sergeant Colleen Troxel for a job well done. Sergeant Troxel is responsible for keeping current on new legislative law and case law handed down from our courts, reviewing policy, revising policy, writing new policy, training members and assuring departmental compliance. Her exceptional work and dedication to the program has been the catalyst for its success.



Chief Robert Ruxton and Sgt. Colleen Troxel proudly display the reaccreditation certificate



FALL STORMWATER

Rake it or leave it.... Here is what to do with your yard full of leaves.

Leaves don't belong in the stormdrain



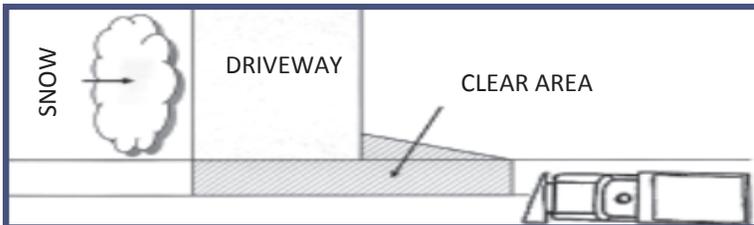
Rake it! Never rake leaves into or near storm drains, ditches, creeks or the river. Decaying leaves use up the water's oxygen, harming aquatic inhabitants.

Leave it! Mulch leaves by running over them with your lawn mower. Leaves and grass clippings are the best fertilizer for your lawn.

Or...Rake it and Leave it! Rake leaves into a compost pile for a nutrient-rich fertilizer to use on your garden next spring.

To report an illicit discharge to the Storm Sewer System, contact Mark Hudson at (215) 643-3131 or email stormwater@horsham.org.

In an effort to increase participation in the state mandated recycling of leaf waste, the Township has located a container in the rear parking lot of the Municipal Complex at 1025 Horsham Road. All leaf waste must be placed in biodegradable bags. This service is available to residential property owners only.



SNOW REMOVAL TIP

While facing your house, shovel an opening in the snow to the right of your driveway and toss the snow to the left. This way when a plow comes, the snow on its blade will go into the opening and not into your driveway.

PERMIT REMINDER

As our busiest season of the year ends, we would like to give everyone a reminder to close out any open permits. Once a project is started and all necessary inspections are performed, it is often that a final inspection is missed. This is usually forgotten because the project is finished and it is probably the last thing on your mind.



A final inspection is important to ensure the work complies with code and meets all requirements. It could also point out some items you or your contractor might not have known to address and ensure the safety of your home improvement. Please contact the Code Enforcement Department at (215) 643-3131 to schedule your inspection. We are available Monday – Friday from 8:30am – 4:30pm to inspect your project.

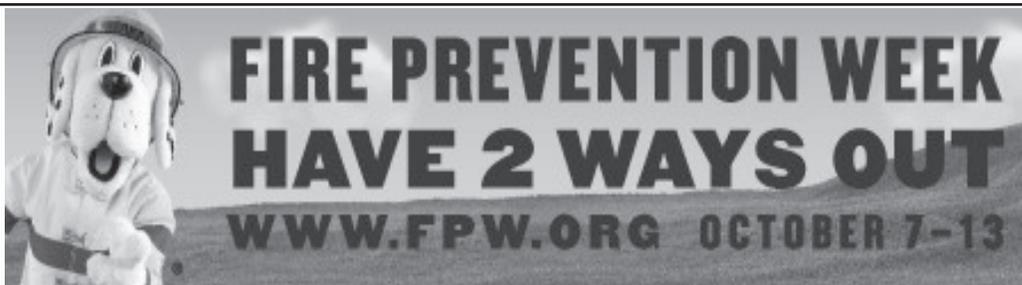
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Are you prepared? The time to ask this question is not when the rain starts to fall or the winds starts to blow. The Department of Emergency Management would be happy to meet with you and help you create a personal preparedness plan that will assist you and your family during any emergency.



To request a meeting, contact the Department of Emergency Management at (215) 643-3131 or email Gary Bissig at gbissig@horsham.org with your name and phone number. We will contact you and schedule an appointment for one of our staff to meet you at your home. A typical plan meeting will take approximately 45 minutes. If you already have a plan, we would be happy to review it with you. This service is free of charge to any Horsham Township resident or business.

Being prepared is everyone's responsibility. Let us help you take the first step.



October 7-13 is Fire Prevention Week and the members of the Horsham Fire Company would like to invite you to their **Open House on Saturday, October 13, 2012 from 11:00am to 1:00pm** at the fire station located at 1023 Horsham Road. Stop by to learn more about how you can help keep Horsham a safe place to live and work. The initiative of this years Fire Prevention Week is to make sure that everyone has 2 ways out of every room in their home.

When fire strikes, the reality is that your home could be engulfed in smoke and flames in just a few minutes. It is important to have a home fire escape plan that prepares your family to think fast and get out quickly when the smoke alarm sounds. What if your first escape route is blocked by smoke or flames? That's why having two ways out is such a key part of your plan. Get a jump on fire safety; visit www.fpw.org for a checklist to make sure your family is ready in case of a fire in your home.

VOLUNTEER

Volunteers are always needed at the Horsham Fire Company. We are looking for Fire Fighters, EMS members and Fire Police. Stop by and see us at the Meetinghouse Road Fire Station or call @ 215-675-9859 for more information.

2012 FALL RECREATION PROGRAMS

Horsham Township Recreation Department • www.horsham.org • (215) 643-3131

Bus Trips



OCTOBER, 2012

PA MOHEGAN SUN CASINO

Wednesday, October 24, 2012

Join us on a bus trip to the Pocono's! You get to enjoy 5 hours at the Mohegan Sun at Pocono Downs where they have over 2,300 slot machines and all of the popular table games. Package includes a \$10.00 food coupon and \$25.00 free slot play. Must be 21 years or older to go on this trip. **Cost is \$26.00.**



Depart Horsham: 8:00am (from Community Center)
 Depart Casino: 3:00pm
 Trip #: 5555.301

NOVEMBER, 2012

NEW YORK CITY YOUR WAY

Saturday, November 10, 2012

Leave the driving to us and enjoy a day in the Big Apple your way! The bus will drop off and pick-up near Times Square. From there, your trip leader will take those interested to the 1/2 price ticket line for Broadway shows. Not interested in a show? Then the day is yours to sightsee, shop, eat or just enjoy the cool climate of the New York area. **Cost is \$38.00.**



Depart Horsham: 7:00am (from Community Center)
 Depart NYC: 6:00pm
 Trip #: 5002.501

DECEMBER, 2012



Tuesday, December 11, 2012

We will travel to NYC to see the world renowned "Rockettes" at the Radio City Music Hall. You will receive lower level orchestra seats for the 5:00pm matinee show. This is a wonderful show for the entire family! You will also have some free time to shop and sightsee. **Cost is \$103.00.**

Depart Upper Dublin: 9:00am (Loch Alsh Ave)
 Depart NYC: 6:30pm (immediately following show)
 Trip #: 5003.501

DISCOUNT SKI TICKETS

Get discount lift tickets to the following Ski Resorts:

Camelback	Bear Creek
Blue Mountain	Big Boulder
Jack Frost	Alpine Mountain
Blue Knob	Elk Mountain
Seven Springs	Shawnee Mountain
Roundtop/Liberty/Whitetail	



Horsham Township Council and the Greater Horsham Chamber of Commerce sincerely thank our sponsors, volunteers, community groups and staff for making Horsham Day on June 2nd such a success!

Major Sponsors

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FALL-O-WEEN FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 28, 2012

Come out and have fun at the Horsham Township Parks and Recreation Fall-O-Ween Festival on Sunday, October 28th from 1:00-3:00pm for ages 0-8 at Deep Meadow Pavilion. There will be hayrides, face painting, pumpkin painting, snacks, a pumpkin patch and more. We will have an exciting Hallowed Egg Hunt where everyone is a winner. Space is limited, so reserve your space now for this exciting event. In case of rain, this event will be held in the Horsham Township Community Center (pumpkins, goodie bags face painting and pumpkin painting only). **Cost is \$12.00 per child** (parent stays with child). Course #7001.301



5K RUN

Horsham Township Parks and Recreation Department invites adults and families of all ages to participate in the 1st Freezer 5K Run & 1 Mile Family Fun Walk. The run/walk will start/finish at Simmons Elementary School and run along the Powerline Trail. Help us promote fitness and healthy living for all ages. Visit the Horsham Township website for up-to-date information on this event.

Sunday, December 16, 2012 at 10:00am
Cost for Pre-registration \$25 5K • \$10 per person for family walk



SPECIAL INTERESTS



YOUTH CLASSES

AIKIDO

NEW

Age: 18+ Location: Horsham Township Community Room
Learn Aikido, a disciplined and ethical method of self-defense that redirects an aggressors energy to prevent serious injury to all. Wear comfortable workout clothes. Belt advancement available.

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2064.301	Mon &	7:00-8:30pm	Oct 1—Oct 29	\$75
2064.302	Thurs	7:00-8:30pm	Nov 1—Nov 29	\$75
2064.303	per Session	7:00-8:30pm	Dec 3—Dec 27	\$75

PETITE SOCCER

Age: 3-5 years old Location: Carpenter Park 
A fun introduction to the world of soccer! This is an activity-based program, with an emphasis on the “Game Based” approach to coaching soccer within a fun learning environment. Parents stay and are welcome to join in on the fun.

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
0022.301	Thurs	1:00-2:00pm	Oct 4—Nov 8	\$88
0022.302	Thurs	2:00-3:00pm	Oct 4—Nov 8	\$88

CHILDREN MAKING MUSIC

Age: 6 mos. - 4years old Location: Community Center 
This program is a fun and interactive program for parents and their children; combining songs, rhythm, instruments, musical games, sign language and other exploratory activities. Through participation, language development and motor skills will be enhanced. *(no class 11/21)*

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
0001.301	Wed	10:00-10:45am	Oct 10—Dec 5	\$90
0001.302	Wed	11:00-11:45am	Oct 10—Dec 5	\$90

KIDS MAKING MUSIC

Age: 4-5 year olds Location: Community Center 
Children will interact musically through stories, playing all types of rhythm and melodic instruments, dancing/ moving to music and be introduced to the orchestra and instrument families. Parents join in the last 10 minutes. *(no class 11/21)*

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
0002.301	Wed	12:00-12:45pm	Oct 10—Dec 5	\$90

COOKING WITH BOOKS

Age: 3 - 5 year olds Location: Community Center 
This exciting program incorporates the fun of literature with the science of cooking! In each session, a book is read and the children share their ideas about what took place in the story. Then, it's time for a hands-on cooking activity that relates to the story. They will also enjoy creating a story related craft and of course, eating their snack! *(\$5.00 supply fee due at the first class.)*

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
0011.301	Thurs	1:15-2:30pm	Oct 11 - Nov 15	\$84
0011.302	Thurs	1:15-2:30pm	Nov 29 - Dec 20	\$56

MUD SHACK • 515 STUMP ROAD • NORTH WALES, PA

All Mud Shack classes held at store. Classes are for Ages 16+

COLORS OF FALL GLASS PLATTER

Students will create a 6" x 12" rectangular platter using shades of red, orange, yellow, brown and green to portray the season's hues in glass.

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2002.301	Wed	6:30-8:00pm	Sept 20	\$45
2002.302	Wed	6:30-8:00pm	Oct 10	\$45

MOSAIC HOUSE NUMBER PLAQUE

Make your house number stylish with mosaics! Using mosaic tiles, glass, and mirrors, we'll teach you how to transfer your house number from a variety of fonts onto your base, and then how to cut tiles to best fit your design. A grouting kit will be sent home with you to complete the final step at your leisure (demonstration will be given.)

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2003.301	Tues	6:30-8:00pm	Oct 24	\$45
2003.302	Tues	6:30-8:00pm	Nov 20	\$45

FAMILY TRI-FRAME & NAME PLAQUE

In this 2-class workshop you will create a custom frame wall hanging, as well as a family name plaque! We'll combine three photo frames with decorative pieces in between the frames to hold them together. This is a great project to show off your own favorite family memories or would make a wonderful, personalized gift for someone special!

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2004.301	Mon	6:30-8:30pm	Oct 22 & 29	\$45

GROUP ICE SKATING LESSONS @ WINTERSPORT ICE ARENA

Age: 3 - Adult Location: Wintersport Ice Arena—551 North York Road, Willow Grove, PA, 19090
Lessons include a 30 minute group lesson and 30 minutes to practice. Please bring warm clothes, mittens or gloves, and a helmet (bike, ski or hockey) . Skate rental is also included. Please arrive at the ice rink 30 minutes early the first week to find out the class schedule, teacher and to put skates on. **Cost for each session is \$99.**

Class	Day	Time	Date
0025.301	Sat	11:25am-12:25pm	Oct 27—Dec 15
0025.302	Sun	11:50am-12:50pm	Oct 28—Dec 16
0025.303	Wed	4:50pm-5:50pm	Nov 7—Dec 19

Class	Day	Time	Date
0025.101	Sat	11:25am-12:25pm	Jan 5—Feb 16
0025.102	Sun	11:50am-12:50pm	Jan 6—Feb 17
0025.103	Wed	4:50pm-5:50pm	Jan 9—Feb 20

SPECIAL INTERESTS



FITNESS CLASSES

CERTIFIED BABYSITTER CLASS

Age: 11-15 year olds Location: Community Center
 American Red Cross certified teachers will host a babysitting workshop to teach teens how to supervise children, feed babies, prepare simple food, how to diaper and dress infants. Also, we will talk about ways to select safe toys, games, how to stay safe on the job, prevent accidents, how to respond to emergencies and job interview tips. Each participant should bring a lunch & drink.



Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
3002.303	Sat	9:00am -3:00pm	October 6	\$70

2-DAY SAT IMMERSION LAB

Age: 12+ Location: Horsham Library
 Give your child an edge to SAT success. Learn the strategies to score higher on the SAT's. The students will be taught the most effective strategies. You will receive the test results, diagnostic analysis, and recommendations after you take a practice test. The tuition also includes an appointment with a college preparation counselor to discuss the test results. Must bring to class the following: Pencils, Highlighter, calculator, 3 ring binder, and Lunch, Snack and Drink.



Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
1822.301	Thurs	6:00pm - 8:30pm	November 8	\$150
	Sat	10:00am - 2:00pm	November 10	

NEW FREEDOM ART ENRICHMENT MULTI-MEDIUM PROGRAM

Location: Community Center
 This program is for students to work in a variety of mediums including charcoal, pastel, watercolor, and acrylics. On a variety of surfaces from specialty papers to canvas panels to alternate surfaces.



Students will advance as they learn how to compose and begin a painting, mix colors, use brushes and discover the creative and technical versatility of acrylic painting. Lessons are taught in a fun, creative environment that encourages students to enjoy the process of creating unique art. Our program encourages individual expression while teaching new skills, ideas and techniques. Skill levels are at an individuals pace of artistic growth and new skill developments. **ALL MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES INCLUDED!**
 www.newfreedomart.com (2nd sessions - no class on 11/21)

Class	Age	Time	Day	Date	Cost
2101.301	50+	2:00 - 3:00pm	Wed	Oct 3 – Oct 24	\$55
2101.302	50+	2:00 - 3:00pm	Wed	Nov 7 – Dec 5	\$55
2102.301	5-10	5:00 - 6:00pm	Wed	Oct 3 – Oct 24	\$55
2102.303	5-10	5:00 - 6:00pm	Wed	Nov 7 – Dec 5	\$55
2103.301	11-16	6:15 - 7:15pm	Wed	Oct 3 – Oct 24	\$55
2103.302	11-16	6:15 - 7:15pm	Wed	Nov 7 – Dec 5	\$55
2104.301	Adults	7:30 - 8:30pm	Wed	Oct 3 – Oct 24	\$55
2104.302	Adults	7:30 - 8:30pm	Wed	Nov 7 – Dec 5	\$55

STRENGTHEN THE BONES

Age: 16+ Location: Community Center
 A full body, muscular conditioning workout filled with resistance exercises that strengthen and tone with little impact on your joints. A specialized program for people with osteoporosis, arthritis or those that want to strengthen their bones. (no class 11/22)

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2055.301	Thurs	9:30-10:30am	Oct 11 - Dec 6	\$80



Age: 16 + Location: Community Center
 Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that will blow you away. Fast and slow rhythms, plus resistance training are combined to tone and sculpt your body while burning fat! Wear sneakers and comfortable exercise attire. (no class 11/22)

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2050.301	Thurs	7:30-8:30pm	Oct 11 - Dec 6	\$65

YOGA

Age: 16+ Location: Community Center
 If you have cranky joints, feel stressed or have discomfort in your neck, shoulders or back, try yoga. This is a gentle class designed to stretch your body, quiet your mind, uplift your spirit and challenge your perception of what you are capable of. Come to class and remember how good it feels to use your body!



Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2060.301	Tues	7:00-8:00pm	Oct 9 - Nov 27	\$60

TOTAL BODY INTERVAL TRAINING

Age: 18+ Location: Community Center
 Get results you want-FAST! The 45 minute class combines aerobics with functional strength training that improves strength, energy, bone density, increased metabolism and cardiovascular endurance. Class is geared to accommodate all fitness levels working at their own pace. Bring a set of light dumbbells to class. (no class 11/17)



Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2020.301	Mon	9:30-10:15am	Oct 22 - Dec 17	\$90

STRETCHING FOR EVERYDAY LIVING

Age: 18+ Location: Community Center
 Revitalize your body by stretching all of your major muscle groups. Stretching keeps your body moving by keeping joints mobile and it helps flush the muscles from lactic acid after exercise. Class is geared to accommodate all fitness levels working at their own pace. Bring a yoga mat to class. (no class 11/17)

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2021.301	Mon	10:30-11:15am	Oct 22 - Dec 17	\$90

ART & RENTALS



HORSHAM SENIORS

ADULT WATER COLOR PAINTING

Age: Adults Location: Community Center
 This class is for those who want to learn about watercolor painting and those who just want to brush up on their painting skills. At the first class, the class will decide as a group how the class is going to flow and what subjects will be studied. (Must supply own materials)

Class	Day	Time	Date	Cost
2001.301	Mon	1:00-3:00pm	Oct 8 - Nov 26	\$40

REGISTER FOR CLASSES/ACTIVITIES:

The registration form for all classes/activities is available for download on the Horsham Township website at www.horsham.org under Departments/Parks and Recreation/Recreation Programs. You may register through the mail, or in person at the Horsham Township Building, 1025 Horsham Road - Horsham, PA 19044. The office is open M— F, from 8:30 am and 4:30 pm. All registration forms must be signed by the parent/guardian of the participant under the age of 18 or the adult registering for the program.

COMMUNITY CENTER RENTALS

The Horsham Township Community Center is available to rent for birthday parties, bridal and baby showers and other events. For more information on renting the Community Center, please call us at (215) 643-3131 and ask for the Recreation Department. Information is available at our website www.horsham.org under Parks & Recreation.

SENIOR'S CLUB

Age: 50+ Location: Community Center
 Come join the Seniors Club the third Thursday of the month at 9:30am in the Community Center to enjoy a continental breakfast and the monthly program. This club provides you opportunity to meet new people from your community and the surrounding area. We are always looking for new members to give new ideas and help move the club forward. So attend a meeting, bring a friend or two and get ready to have fun. The \$2.00 monthly program fee is payable the morning of each program.

- September 20 Visiting Angels (Fall Prevention)
- October 18 United Health Care
- November 15 Graeme Park
- December 20 Senior Holiday Luncheon (price tba)

SENIORS OPEN AFTERNOONS

Age: 50+ Location: Community Center
 Come to the Horsham Township Community Center on the first and third Mondays of the month starting in September from 12:00-3:00pm and running through December. A room in the Community Center will be open for the Seniors Club friends to play games, bring crafts to work on, or just socialize with others. We encourage you to bring a snack and beverage with you so that you can enjoy your open afternoon. No cost for this program

Sign up for E-mail Alerts to get up-to-date Parks & Recreation information at: <http://eepurl.com/kmrh9>



HORSHAM LIBRARY

Celebrate Halloween October 25th at the Horsham Township Library

The Friends of the Horsham Library present "Sleepy Hollow" a special performance by Kitty Jones and her Kit's Interactive Theater

Thursday, October 25, 2012 at 7:00 PM.

This family show for all ages weaves the characters from Washington Irving's classic story into a new and exciting tale. Designed to be spooky (but not scary), the show begins where the original story leaves off.

The time: 1799. The place: Sleepy Hollow, New York. Ichabod Crane was last seen riding home from Herr Van Tassel's October gala. No one seems to know what happened to Ichabod...until now.

Kitty Jones portrays Katrina Van Tassel - a fictional colonial woman. She wears the fashions of the day--a handmade colonial dress, a mob cap, lace boots and a choker.

IT'S TIME TO FALL BACK!

Just a friendly reminder to turn your clocks back one hour on Saturday night, November 4, 2012. Also, now is a great time to change the batteries in your smoke detector when you are "falling back!" Enjoy the beautiful Fall season!



HORSHAM LIBRARY CLASSES

The Horsham Library will be hosting the following computer courses this Fall. All classes will be general introductions. Pre-registration is required for each class. Please call the library at (215) 443-2609.

October 3, 2012 • 1:00 - 2:30pm
 General skills (Computer & Internet)

October 10, 2012 • 1:00 - 2:30pm
 Ipad, Kindle & Nook : How to Get that e-book from the Library

October 17, 2012 • 1:00 - 2:30pm
 Your Class – Ask any question about Computers



Trick or Treat!

Halloween is Wednesday, October 31, 2012

Kids should always Trick or Treat with an adult. Be careful when walking the streets. Wear something reflective on your costume so cars can see you. The Horsham Township Police will be giving out candy from their patrol cars.

Happy Halloween!



HORSHAM POLICE TO HONOR FALLEN COMRADES

The 14th annual Project Blue Light ceremony will be held on Tuesday, December 11, 2012 at 6:30pm in the Horsham Firehouse next to the Township Building on Horsham Road. The purpose of the project is to heighten awareness of law enforcement personnel who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty. Residents are asked to place a blue light in a window of their home during the holiday season to show your support for your police officers. For more information please visit www.horsham.org/departments/police/project-blue-light or contact us at (215) 643-3600.



HORSHAM TOWN WATCH

Horsham Town Watch is looking for residents who are interested in helping to keep our community safe.

Horsham Town Watch is a volunteer division of the Horsham Police Department's ChAT's Community Policing program whose mission is to Observe, Evaluate, and Report activities in our community that may affect the safety and/ or well being of our residents.

Town Watch volunteers assist the police department with regular patrols in our neighborhoods, with parking at community events such as high school dances, and other assignments as needed.

Please contact the Horsham Town Watch Director, Tony Trotter at (215) 317-9616 or via email at aatrot@aol.com or Lieutenant Jon Clark of the Horsham Township Police Department at (215) 643-3600. For more information, please visit the ChATs website at www.horshamchats.com

MONTGOMERY COUNTY COLLECTION PROGRAM



Household Hazardous Waste Collection
Saturday, October 20, 2012
 Lower Merion Public Works
 1300 N. Woodbine Avenue • Penn Valley, PA 19072

Electronics & Tire Collection
Thursday, November 15, 2012
 Montgomery Mall
 230 Montgomery Mall • North Wales, PA 19454

All Events are 9:00AM—3:00PM
www.montgomerycountyrecycles.org • (610) 278-3618

MONTGOMERY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FLU CLINICS SCHEDULED

The Montgomery County Health Department will be conducting several flu clinics for any Montgomery County resident age 6 months and older. The shots are free for Montgomery County residents. The following is a list of clinic dates where you will be able to receive a flu shot.

10/11/12 Thursday 10 AM – 1 PM (walk-in)
 Congregation Beth Or
 239 Welsh Road, Maple Glen

10/13/12 Saturday 10 AM – 1 PM (drive-thru)
 Montgomery Co. Community College
 340 DeKalb Pike, Blue Bell

10/20/12 Saturday 10 AM – 1 PM (walk-in)
 Abington Junior High School
 2056 Susquehanna Road, Abington



For more information, visit www.health.montcopa.org or call the Montgomery County health Department at (215) 784-5415.

MUNICIPAL WASTE—FALL 2012/WINTER 2013 COLLECTION DATES

TRASH HAULER	SERVICE	DAY	DATE
REPUBLIC SERVICES (formerly Allied Waste) 215-723-0400	Leaf Collection	Saturday	November 3, 2012
	Leaf Collection	Saturday	December 1, 2012
	Holiday Trees	Saturday	January 5, 2013
WASTE MANAGEMENT 800-869-5566	Leaf Collection	Saturday	November 3, 2012
	Leaf Collection	Saturday	December 1, 2012
	Holiday Trees	Saturday	January 5, 2013
ARTHUR MOORE 215-646-6279	Leaf Collection	Wednesday	October 3, 2012
	Leaf Collection	Wednesday	November 28, 2012
	Holiday Trees	Wednesday	January 16, 2013
INTERSTATE WASTE (formerly Chest-Mont & Evergreen Waste) 866-342-5497	Leaf Collection	Saturday	November 17, 2012
	Leaf Collection	Saturday	December 15, 2012
	Holiday Trees	Saturday	January 5, 2013
G & C WASTE 610-313-9710	Leaf Collection	Saturday	October 13, 2012
	Leaf Collection	Saturday	November 10, 2012
	Holiday Trees	Saturday	January 19, 2013

Please check with your hauler on bag limits and for any other special instructions and/or regulations.



STAY CONNECTED TO HORSHAM TOWNSHIP

VISIT

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At their August 27, 2012 meeting, Horsham Council congratulated and welcomed new police officers Kelli Fronk and Sean Gallagher after their swearing in ceremony.
Pictured L to R: Andrew Santacrose, W. William Whiteside, Officer Kelli Fronk, Mark McCouch, President, Officer Sean Gallagher, Deborah Tustin and Gregory Nesbitt, Esquire, Vice President

HLRA UPDATE



Horsham Township Council has created a new municipal authority to implement the NAS-JRB Willow Grove Redevelopment Plan submitted to the U.S. Navy in April 2012. The new Horsham Land Redevelopment Authority (HLRA) will work with the Navy on an Economic Development Conveyance (EDC) which will be the basis for the federal surplus property to be transferred to the HLRA. The "implementation" HLRA consists of five members, all with strong ties to Horsham Township and with extensive experience with the base closure process.

VOTER ID LAW - BE PREPARED TO VOTE ON NOVEMBER 6, 2012

You MUST present one of the following forms of PHOTO ID when you go to your poll to vote:

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