Please note that events within this newsletter are subject to cancellation due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Please check the Township's website at whitehalltownship.org or call the Township at 610-437-5524.



Spring 2020 Newsletter

Mayor's Message

When I was appointed by the Board of Commissioners in April of 2018, I asked the individual Board members to compile their list of priorities for the Administration. Every member included a new Public Safety building at, or near, the top of their list. In 1993, the Police Department was moved from their offices in the Municipal Building to a property on Lehigh Street acquired from the Whitehall Ambulance and Rescue Corps and it was retrofitted to accommodate a smaller police force than our current force.

On my first weekend in office, I was contacted by Police Chief Mike Marks who told me that there had been a power surge in the building that had compromised the electrical service to the site. Along with stories of the basement of the building needing a lifeguard after any significant rainfall, incented me to get after a replacement as soon as possible.

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I sat down with Deputy Mayor Jack Meyers and our Department heads and we began to move forward with a plan to have a project to the Board before the end of the year. We engaged D'Huy Engineering, Inc. located in Bethlehem, to assist us along with KCBA Architects of Hatfield, Bucks County to design the project. We reviewed the previously compiled information and quickly moved to evaluate any potential location that might work as a new home for our first responders. After our evaluation, we determined that a relocation to the existing Municipal complex was optimal. We decided to coalesce our public services in one structure that would be able to serve our residents more effectively.

During the summer of 2018, our staff and advisors met regularly to determine needs for our departments located in the Municipal and an auxiliary Public Works building. We determined that a single "transaction" area was best able to serve needs of residents. Those wishing to pay bills or obtain information will be able to see our Receptionist, Treasurers, Recreation, Development departments and will have separate and more private locations to interact with our staff. Visitors will be able to gain access to the Police Department in a

reception area for information that will control entry to a secure area if necessary.

D'Huy and KCBA presented a plan to the Board of Commissioners in October that was approved funding for design of the project in December of 2018. We



Mayor Mike Harakal, Jr.

opened bids for a \$10 million bond issue that will fund the initial phases of construction and anticipate funding the rest of the project soon. With the assistance of our State Representatives McNeill and Mako and Senator Boscola we have received a \$1 million State Grant to help defray costs. We are seeking additional sources to acquire additional grants.

Throughout 2019, we continued to meet with D'Huy and KCBA to cut costs and provide the information necessary to design an economic building, cutting over \$8 million out of the original format plan. The Board ultimately approved a final design of a \$17.5 million plan which will fund a new Public Safety Building and provide for necessary improvements to the existing Municipal Building. The structure is intended to provide space for the next 40 – 50 years.

RETIREMENTS

2020 started with a few notable retirements as follows:

Officer Michael Arnold

Officer Arnold is retiring as the most decorated officer to ever serve this township. He has received eleven medals for meritorious service during his twentyfive year career. Officer Arnold was assigned many different tasks over his career at the Whitehall Police Department. He was a founding member of the Bike Patrol unit, was the leader of the warrant service unit, served in the capacity of acting supervisor numerous times and served the department as a field training officer. Mike cared about the people he trained and it showed when they hit the street on their own. Officers

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We would like to send out a Heartfelt, Safe and Healthy message to all the residents, businesses, and Township staff during this pivotal time in history.

"And the World Came Together as / the People Stayed Apart"



Mayor's Message continued

trained by Mike were more than ready to handle any call that came their way.

Officer Paul Davis

During his 25 year career at the department, Officer Davis wore many different hats. He was a member of the Whitehall Emergency Response Team, he was assigned to the Bike Patrol, was a defensive tactics instructor, department agitator for the K9 unit, Community Service Officer, and served in the capacity of acting supervisor numerous times. Paul wore the badge with pride and it showed in his dedication to the department and the township that we serve. Paul Davis did his

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job almost the same exact way from his first day on the beat until this very day. Paul could be counted on by his brothers and sisters to always be at the call.

Annette "Nettie" Bauer began her career in 1992 in the Treasurer's Department. Annette eventually became our well-known Administrative Assistant and provided a cheerful and smiling face to everyone with whom she interacted. She always went above and beyond to help solve any problem a resident had. You could always count on Nettie!

A big THANK YOU to Michael, Paul & Annette for all their years of dedicated service!

COMMISSIONERS CORNER

THE 2020 BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ARE:

Philip J. Ginder, President Joseph J. Marx, Jr., Vice President Thomas Slonaker, Secretary

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Listed below is the remaining 2020 schedule for the Board of Commissioners meetings that are held at the Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA at 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

May 4, 2020 June 1, 2020 July 6, 2020 August 3, 2020

September 8, 2020 (Tues) October 5, 2020 November 2, 2020 December 7, 2020 May 11, 2020 June 8, 2020 July 13, 2020 August 10, 2020

September 14, 2020 October 12, 2020 November 9, 2020 December 14, 2020

The Board of Commissioners reminds residents who possess a willingness to serve their Community to apply for any of the Township's various Board or Commissions. Vacancies can occur at any time during the year on various Boards/Commissions. Anyone interested can pick up an application at the Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road or at the Township website – www.whitehalltownship.org. Applications are kept on file for one year. Unsuccessful applications for current vacancies will be given future consideration in the event of a vacancy.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Whitehall-Coplay Communities That Care (CTC)

On January 23, the Whitehall-Coplay CTC together with the Catasauqua CTC held its annual breakfast hosted by Fellowship Community in the Zentz Community Center. Fifty-four people attended the breakfast sponsored in part by the Whitehall Area Rotary Club. The keynote speaker was Dr. Damon Jones of the Penn State Prevention Research Center. He spoke about the economic benefits of community coalitions that address reducing risk and increasing protection



Lehigh County Communities That Care (CTC) Annual Meeting Whitehall-Coplay CTC Catasauqua Community Cares Program (C3P)



January 23, 2020 Fellowship Community, Zentz Community Center / Whitehall, PA

Preventian Coalitions + Prevention Science = Good Economic Sense for the community's youth. Dr. Jones talked about the impacts of the "developmental cascade" where life experiences such as hunger or family instability create a cycle where children fall behind in school and continue on a downward spiral. He applauded both coalitions for tackling food insecurity, mental health and substance use prevention as a community effort.

In addition to the speaker, awards were presented to a Community Champion from each coalition. Receiving the award for Whitehall-Coplay was Michelle Khouri, the school district registrar. She was recognized for her efforts in reaching out to all families in the community including those who are new and those who need support in navigating the school system for their children. She provides resources to families that extend beyond registering the children in the district. Michelle's work is an example of how a community works to stop the developmental cascade which the speaker described.

This summer, the Whitehall-Coplay CTC will be doing an extensive review of the 2019 PAY Youth Survey, better known as PAYS, which was administered to students in grades 6, 8, 10 and 12 this past fall. This tool enables us to see how the youth perceive their school, family, community and peer relationships so that we may all work together to create a safe and healthy environment in which they and their families can grow and thrive.

WHITEHALL-COPLAY HUNGER INITIATIVE OUR MISSION: TO ALLEVIATE FOOD INSECURITY IN WHITEHALL AND COPLAY.



HUNGER INITIATIVE MEETINGS - You are invited to attend our Hunger Initiative meetings on the 4th Tuesday of the month at Faith Lutheran Church, 3355 MacArthur Rd, Whitehall at 11am -12:30 pm. If you cannot stay the whole time, that is fine. We always enjoy the added input and good discussions on our goals and future events. We

do have over 300 interested members on our database who help with our projects. We have 30 or so people attend our meetings. We would love you to help us alleviate hunger here in Whitehall and Coplay!! For more info and/or to be added to our e-mail database, please contact, Shari Noctor, President, call/text at 610-730-8067 or shari@sharinoctor.com

FREE COMMUNITY MEALS -A LOUD Shout out Thank You goes to our faith based and community partners. We are able to offer **two** free community meals a month from **4:00-6:30 pm**. We are delighted to offer both the 1st Sunday and the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Both meals are open to everyone, singles, couples, and families. All are always welcome. If you know anyone who is hungry, especially kids, youth, adults, and seniors, please encourage them attend to our free meals. The menu changes every time and the food is hot and so delicious!! **Meals are guaranteed for the first 100 people. Sometimes the meal location change. For more info on the meals and to volunteer your time, please call 610-767-7014.**

- Sunday, January 5Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 4456 Main St., Whitehall 610-262-9315
- Tuesday, May 19Commitment to Family & Community, 165 Cherry St., Coplay 610-261-2233
- Sunday, June 7.....St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, 4 S. 5th St., Coplay 610-262-2417
- Tuesday, June 16...... Whitehall Bible Fellowship Church, 3300 7th St., Whitehall 610-434-8661
- Sunday, July 5.....Open
- Tuesday, July 21..... St. John's United Church of Christ, 575 Grape St., Whitehall 610-264-8421
- Sunday, August 2...........Muslim Association of Lehigh Valley (MALV), 1988 Schadt Ave., Whitehall 610-799-6223
 Tuesday, August 18..........Open
- Sunday, September 6......Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, 3355 MacArthur Rd, Whitehall 610-435-0451
- Tuesday, September 15...Whitehall Bible Fellowship Church, 3300 7th St., Whitehall 610-434-8661

SNACK AND BATH PACK PALS – 53.67 % of the school district's student population qualifies for the free or reducedprice breakfast and lunch program. For the working poor, this program is a blessing. The students are in every grade K-12. Some of these children and young adults rely on the breakfast and lunch programs as their only source of nutritious meals. Leah Saliby, an 8th grade English teacher, oversees this in-school program.

For the 2019-2020 School Year, the program is on track to distribute approximately 45,000 food items in Snack Packs distributed to 230 students monthly. Many more students can be served, but Leah's storage space is filled to the maximum. Also, 5 students receive Snack Packs weekly in addition to the monthly distribution. Approximately 2,500 snacks will be donated to the Gockley Building (Kindergarten and 1st grade) this school year for 200 students who are unable to bring a snack to school because they do not have any. Snacks also are given to Middle School students who stay for extracurricular activities (not just sports – who also do not have any). They receive a granola bar and juice every Tuesday. The Middle School exact count is not available, but numbers in the hundreds yearly.

Thank you for all the food drives and business donations. Leah cannot do this program without your help and the donations given by Second Harvest Food Bank. If you would like to make a food donation, Leah urgently needs 8 oz. boxes of shelf-stable white milk, peanut butter to go packs, and small boxes of raisins. Also needed are: cheese/peanut butter cracker packs, small boxes or sealed bowls of cereal, macaroni & cheese (boxes & bowls), Chef Boyardee (cans & microwavable bowls), fruit & applesauce cups, fruit snacks, juice boxes/pouches, graham crackers, and granola bars.

Drop off locations for Snack Pack Pals are at the Whitehall and Coplay Public Libraries, the Whitehall Township Building, and Re/Max Unlimited Real Estate. Leah also thanks all the school clubs and the public volunteer support. If you would like to donate your time stocking shelves, packing the distribution bags, shopping, or in any other way or have questions, please contact Leah Saliby at salibyl@whitehallcoplay.org

SUMMER BREAKFAST CAMP – You are invited to learn more and get involved with our 2020 Camps. We offer two successful 12 week FREE Summer Breakfast Camp programs for children K-12 Monday through Friday 8:30-10:30 when school is out for the summer -- June 8th through August 28th. One is at St John's Lutheran Church, 835 Third St, Whitehall. They had 51 registered campers and a total of 2331 meals were served in 2019. Our 2nd site is at the Redeemed Church of God, 5 N 3rd St in Coplay. They had 43 registered campers and 1762 meals were served in 2019. By helping food insecure children, we help working poor parents stretch their hard earned income dollars!! We really need adult volunteers to help once, once a week, the whole summer – whatever your time allows. Please tell your friends, family, and co-workers about this very important summer program and invite them to come to help with the Camp. Free adult clearances are required. For more info on the Whitehall site, call Lana 610-533-1357 on the Coplay site, call Carol 610-360-6305

SENIOR BOXES – Free Food to help Seniors stretch their food budget dollars. Income caps are set by the federal government for seniors 60+ years old. What you receive is a monthly food box which includes 4 cans of vegetables, 2 cans of fruit, 2 bottles of juice, 1 peanut butter or beans, two cereals or one bag of oats, two pounds of pasta or rice, two shelf stable milk, one instant milk(six times a year), one meat, and one block of cheese. Items needed to register: verification of id, age and address i.e. driver's license, picture id card, birth certificate or similar document. Verification of family income: W-2, previous year's tax return, social security award letter, last four paystubs or similar documents. For more info call, John Orsini at 610-390-8833

WHITEHALL FOOD PANTRY – Every month the pantry serves 150 adults including 35 seniors and 115 children on average. Since we are in warmer weather, typical items needed include: iced &hot teas, lemonade, ground coffee, cereal, juice, pancake mix & syrup, 16 oz. jam & jelly, any kind of soup (other than tomato or chicken noodle), crackers &noodles for soup, canned beets, pea & carrots, spaghetti sauce, tuna, instant mashed potatoes, pasta/rice dishes, canned pasta, and hamburger/tuna helper. Please provide the needed items or make your checks payable to Whitehall Food Pantry and mail it to 3900 Mechanicsville Rd, Whitehall. The Pantry is open every Monday from 6-8 pm. If you are in need of food, please contact the Pantry at 484-246-5715 and leave a message.

BLESSING BOXES – There are two Whitehall locations to pick up or drop off non-perishable food items: Chick-fil-A, 2610 MacArthur Rd (one box for food) and St John's Lutheran Church, 835 Third St (one box food and one box books). Take what you need and donate what you can.

UNITED WAY SUPPORTS 211 – A toll-free call to 211 (This is a phone number like 911) or 855-567-5341 or text by outing your zip code to 898211. Pennsylvania 211 East is a free, confidential, non-emergency, comprehensive information and referral service that connects Lehigh County residents with the health and human services they need. The call will put you in touch with local organizations that provide critical services that can improve—and save—lives. The website is www. pa211east.org/Lehigh One service area is Supplemental Food and Nutrition plus there are many other services.

DONATIONS are appreciated and can be made payable to the Whitehall-Coplay Hunger Initiative, C/O Shari Noctor, 1080 Schadt Ave, Whitehall, PA 18052. Please put in the memo section where you want your donation applied. The Whitehall-Coplay Hunger Initiative is a 501(c) (3) IRS approved nonprofit organization and your donation may be tax deductible. Please call /text Shari at 610-730-8067 with questions on anything written above.

COMMUNITY NEWS continued



Whitehall Township Industrial and Commercial Development Authority

WTICDA@gmail.com / www.wticda.com

"Hockin Landing" Company Historic Preservation in Whitehall, PA

Here stands the remnants of what was once a thriving industrial complex, the former Thomas Iron Works or as many locals called the "company town." For many residents that were raised in the area in the 1950s and 60s and beyond, they remember playing by the river in old buildings and tunnels.

Hokendauqua, taken form the Delaware Indian language word, "hockin," meaning "landing" was a company town laid out in 1854 and constructed in 1868 to house the many employees of the Thomas Iron Works Company. The neighborhood featured about 100 factory homes built for workers during the 1880s, including the area from Front to Third Street and Quigg to Carbon Street. For many, these workers are family and the traditions of the community remain today.

With the goal to place the neighborhood surrounding the former Thomas Iron Works in Hokendauqua on the National Register of Historic Places, the Whitehall Township Board of Commissioners unanimously approved the Township's preparation and submission of the state grant application by the Whitehall Township Industrial and Commercial Development Authority (WTICDA) to the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development for Local Share (LSA) funds. The effort began the process to engage the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC) to fund any other necessary steps to obtain approval under the National Register of Historic Places of the area known as and surrounding the Thomas Iron Works neighborhood.

Later in 2019, with the help of state Senator Lisa Boscola, and Reps. Jeannie McNeil and Zach Mako, who represent Whitehall Township and the future historic district site, WTICDA was awarded the LSA funds through the Commonwealth Financing Authority. The grant will allow WTICDA to complete the application requirements required for submission to the United States Department of Interior for designation as a National Historic Site.

Prior to the state grant submission, residents were surveyed and the response to the efforts were overwhelmingly positive. Next steps under the grant include identifying which properties will be surveyed, hiring and training site surveyors, completing more surveys and preparing a report to PHMC and completing the planning grant requirements. All work will be done under the oversight of an Historian, Artefact, Inc., a professional architecture firm selected by the WTICDA Board in Jan. 2020 for professional services.

WTICDA will undertake significant grant matching fund development efforts for the PHMC planning grant and ultimately for the submission to the US Department of Interior for designation as a National Historic Site. To show support for this initiative, the WTICDA will match all individual contributions up to \$100 each through the end of the year 2020. For more information contact Kent Newhart, President, WTICDA, wticda@gmail.com or (484) 245-4098.

Whitehall Township Public Library

Patty Vahey, Library Director - 610-432-4339 ext. 201 or 500

Whitehall Township Public Library will be celebrating its 55th year of library service in 2020 to the
residents of Whitehall and surrounding communities. Please check our website and calendars for
the special programs to be held during 2020. Since opening the doors in 1965, the library expanded
in 1976 to 13,000 sq. feet, new items are added every week, increase in computer use, and
technology has changed over the years, too, but the library staff and board have kept up with these
changes! We are still your community library! The library has a lot to offer the residents of Whitehall.
We have 12,330 registered patrons, 90,778 items (print and non-print), 18 public computers, WiFi,



the library is open 64 hours a week, programs for all ages, CCTV for visually impaired patrons to use, 32 authoritative databases, and individual attention and instruction by professional librarians just to name a few things!

- The **Summer Reading program** will be held from June 12 to August 15, 2020. The theme this year for the reading program will be "**Imagine Your Story**" and it is for ALL ages from children to adult. Theme includes fairy tales, mythology and fantasy. Stop by and pick up a reading log or go to our website for more information.
 - One Card Rules Them All! Did you know you can get ONE purple library card and use it at 10 other libraries!? It is the Lehigh Carbon Libraries Cooperative (LCLC). It is called SPARK! SPARK libraries included in LCLC are: Whitehall Township Public Library, Emmaus Public Library, Coplay Public Library, Dimmick Memorial Public Library, Lehighton Area Memorial Library, Southern Lehigh Public Library, Palmerton Area Library, Parkland Community Library, Slatington Library and Lower Macungie Public Library. Notice: Allentown, Bethlehem and Easton public libraries did not join LCLC system.
 - See info on our website or newsletter or call the library for more information on any of our programs. Our website is: www.whitehallpl.org Call WTPL at 610-432-4339.

ROTARY

The Whitehall Area Rotary continues our theme of PEOPLE OF ACTION into 2020. This past December we were exceptionally busy hosting two major activities: Jingle Bell Run/Walk and our newest endeavor, Pet Adoption Event. Our 3rd Annual Jingle Bell 8k Run/5k Walk was held on December 14th along the Ironton Rail Trail, commencing at the Coplay Saylor's Pavilion. With the support of participants and sponsors, we raised over \$6,000 to benefit a variety of local charities. Our 1st Pet Adoption Event was held on December 7th on the Lehigh Valley Mall property. The mission of this event is to raise awareness "Adopt, Don't Shop", to match as many pets as possible to their forever homes and collect donations for the Animal Food Bank. We will be hosting a Pet Adoption Event guarterly with the next one scheduled for Saturday, March 14th. If you would like more information about supporting this event, please contact Jan Chicka at jchicka@gmail.com Also held this March was the 4-way Speech Contest. This is an annual event we coordinate with Whitehall High School and the students. The purpose of the speech is to persuade others while applying the 4-way test. The questions are: Is it the TRUTH? Is it FAIR to all concerned? Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned? The winner will be presented with a check to use toward future educational needs as well as progress onto Regional and hopefully, District competitions.

One of our ongoing activities is the monthly distribution of the SUNShine Boxes, provided by Second Harvest Food Bank. SUNShine (Serving Under-Nourished Seniors) are distributed by volunteers on the 3rd Monday each month at St Stephen's Episcopal Church, Whitehall.

We are in the planning stages for these events for 2020: Rotarians will be volunteering their time to conduct the Spring Mock Interviews with Students at the Whitehall



High School. This biannual event gives the students an opportunity to practice interview

skills and talk to professionals in a variety of businesses. Career Day, held in the Spring at Whitehall High School, is another way we connect Rotarians with the students to help guide them into the world beyond High School. Make A Difference is held annually to celebrate the creation of our current Whitehall Area Rotary. This year we are partnering with the American Red Cross on their Sound the Alarm, Save a Life event, April 25th. This event partners local fire departments, community leaders and volunteers to install life-saving smoke alarms and help families make emergency escape plans, so they'll know what to do when the alarm sounds in the middle of the night.

Lastly, the Whitehall Area Rotary is working to engage our neighboring Borough of Catasauqua to establish a Satellite Rotary Club. This will allow Rotary to have a positive impact in Catasauqua, establishing similar service projects and partnering with the school district to involve students in service to the community, as well as learning opportunities with Mock Interviews. If you would like more info about this, please contact Denise Continenza at: dhc128@psu.edu

We have lots of opportunities to be *PEOPLE OF ACTION* and show our *SERVICE ABOVE SELF*. If you would like more information about joining our Club, please check out our Facebook page: Whitehall Area Rotary, call President, Diane Davidson 484-619-2340 or email: DMDavidson@ KW.com Or stop by to join us for one of our monthly events: Breakfast Meetings are the 2nd Tuesday of each month, starting at 7:30 am, held at the Zentz Community Center at Fellowship Community – 3020 Fellowship Dr., Whitehall. Our 4th Tuesday mixer meetings start at 5:30 pm at varying locations, which allows us to explore a variety of local restaurants and businesses. For more details check our Facebook page or contact Diane Davidson.



COMMUNITY NEWS continued The Whitehall Active Community Center



The Whitehall Active Community Center has been growing since the beginning of 2020 with our article in the last Newsletter. We are located at 2301 Pine St (the West Catasauqua playground building) and are open Monday through Friday 9am to 2pm. There are three ways to be a member of the Senior Center: 1) Silver Sneaker member, 2) Silver and Fit member, or 3) cash member for \$20/year. If you do not have Silver Sneakers or Silver and Fit, there will be a charge for exercises classes.

One of the major advantages for seniors in having an active community center is to focus on fitness. Even though the population of the United States is becoming older, this does not mean we are slowing down. To prevent issues with our health, we need to remain active and involved with others. Exercise classes are a way for us to keep active and to develop friendships with others. This helps us to stay healthy longer and to decrease risk of isolation and depression. Please check out our exercise class schedule below.

As we grow and involve more seniors in Whitehall, we would like to expand our activities as we are always looking for suggestions. We have applied for a State Grant and if we are a recipient we would like to begin computer classes geared for senior citizens which will be taught by the Whitehall Township Public Library. Watch for that news in summer.

Lunch is served daily at 11:30 am and is provided by the Lehigh County Agency and Adult Services. Our Senior Center Manager is Andrea (Bear) Shumack. We accept a donation of \$2.50 for seniors over 60 years old to help defray the cost of the meal. Please call 610-443-0675 before 10 am the **day before** to order your meal to ensure everyone receives a meal.

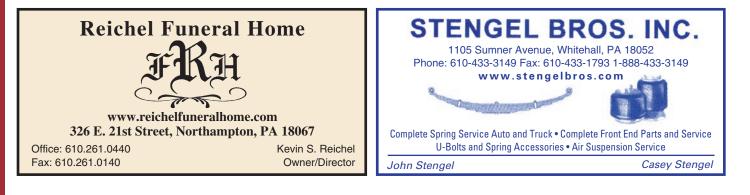
Feel free to stop by between 9 am and 2 pm any weekday to meet Bear and visit our Senior Center. All are welcome, and we look forward to meeting you.

CLASS SCHEDULE:

Silver Sneakers & Silver Fit Certified Chair Yoga • Tuesday & Thursday - 9:30-10:30 am Chair Strength and Balance • Wednesday & Friday - 10:00-11:00 am Tai Chi • Tuesday - 12:30-1:30 pm & Friday -1:00-2:00 pm

In addition to classes we hold weekly cash bingo on Thursday at 12:30 pm following lunch. On the fourth Sunday of the month, we have a Cash Bingo which includes a \$100 jackpot. There is a group of bean bag enthusiasts who play bean bag every Thursday at 10:30 am and would like more to join in with them.

Bus trips and craft projects have been added to our list of activities as well. We are always looking forward to meeting new folks.







Whitehall Township Historical Preservation Soc

FYI: All program meetings are held at the Helfrich Springs Grist Mill, 501 Mickley Rd. Whitehall and are open to the public and free of charge unless otherwise stated.

MEMBERSHIPS are accepted at any time by calling 610 776-7280 or by visiting our website at www. whitehallhistoricalsociety.org to download an application. Select a Level that is right for you. *Individual:* \$15, *Family:* \$25, *Sponsor/Business:* \$50, *Patron:* \$100, *Student:* \$8. *JOIN TODAY!*

MAYOR MIKE HARAKAL and wife JUDY have graciously donated \$1,000 of the excess 2019 mayoral campaign funds to the *Whitehall Historical Preservation Society*. We are much appreciative of this financial support.



May 16, 2020—Spring Flea Market—8 AM to 2 PM



Have you noticed...we've changed the name? This fundraising event that has been held once a year was, if you recall, known as our "Annual Flea Market". For the first time, last year, we ran a second flea market in the Fall. It was the decision of the Board to continue with that change and hold 2 Flea markets a year, one in the Spring and one in the Fall. A date for our Fall flea market has been scheduled for *September 12, 2020*.

The cost for a **12' x 20'** reserved space remains at a low price of just **\$10** for all **WHPS members.** For <u>non-WHPS members</u>, the cost has increased to <u>\$15 dollars</u>

per 12' x 20" space. If you choose not to reserve your space in advance and pay on the day of the flea market event, members cost is \$15 and non-WHPS members will pay \$20. Call **610** 776-7280 to reserve your space today. Tell a friend. Location of the flea market is at **506 Mickley and Lehnert Road, Whitehall, PA 18052,** on the Community Greene, behind the Peter Grim House. Refreshments will be available. <u>A rain date is scheduled for May 17.</u>

If "selling" is not your thing, you can rid yourself of those unwanted items by donating them to WHPS. Items can be dropped off on the side porch at the above address. We hope to see you on the Greene.

May 16 and 17, 2020—Passport to History

The Lehigh Valley Passport to History is a partnership of historic sites and resources in and around PA's Lehigh and Northampton Counties. This is an annual celebration of local history, stories, and the community that brings Lehigh Valley history to life. It allows everyone a more ample opportunity to connect with our local past with historical activities, events, tours and exhibitions.



The **Helfrich Springs Grist Mill and Peter Grim House** will be open for tours from **10 am to 2 pm.** After shopping our flea market, stop in to say hello and see the progress we are making. Visit www.lvhistory.org to find other historic sites partaking in this event. Free admission and activities for the whole family.

May 27, 2020—Lehigh County Government—Phil Armstrong—7 PM



Most of us, especially if you're from the Whitehall area, recognize the name Phil Armstrong. Some of you may know this gentleman on a personal level. Perhaps he was your or your child's Social Studies teacher during the 40 years he taught at Whitehall HS. Mr. Armstrong also was involved in many other school activities, including Head Girls' Varsity Basketball Coach, Tennis Coach, Advisor to many Classes and Clubs and more. For 4 years he served as Commissioner for Whitehall Township, holding the position of President of the Board until he was elected Lehigh County Executive in November of 2017.

With a passion for public service, Mr. Armstrong is eager to speak about how he, as Executive, can serve the community and will highlight what Lehigh County has to offer for its people. Please join us, won't you.

July 11, 18, 25, 2020 OPEN House at the Mill—10 AM til 2 PM

This occasion allows the public the chance to step back in time. Walking through the doors of the Helfrich Springs Grist Mill and Peter Grim House will satisfy your curiosity of what you often wished to know as you traveled by the intersection of Mickley and Lehnert Rd. If you have had the pleasure to visit us in the past, please stop in again to say hello and see the changes that have been done.

On July 25th the 153rd Volunteer Infantry will be on the Community Greene behind the Peter Grim House performing various activities such as pitching a tent, doing "Drills", visiting a Doctor, fire demonstrations and more, all for your viewing pleasure. Come learn about the life of a Civil War Soldier. They would love to answer

any of your questions you may have about our local regiment from Northampton County.

We also offer the opportunity to take a tour of these Historic buildings throughout the year by making an appointment. You may do so by calling 610 776-7280 and we will do our best to accommodate your schedule.



WHITEHALL TOWNSIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

Michael Marks, Chief of Police

3731 Lehigh Street • Whitehall, PA 18052 Phone 610-437-3042 • Fax 610-437-9516



2019 STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The following is a broad review of police initiatives from calendar year 2019.

The Bureau of Police has grown to include a budgeted allotment of forty-nine (49) sworn officers and five (5) civilian support staff. The township is the second largest police department within Lehigh County. The current department staffing is currently at forty-six (46) officers with three vacancies. One (1) officer is on extended medical leave, as a result of a gunshot wound suffered in the line of duty. One (1) officer is on extended medical leave, as a result of a suspect into custody. One (1) officer is pregnant and assigned light duty status for the near future.

The Whitehall Police Patrol Division, including the Traffic Unit, is the backbone of the police department and according to Lehigh County Dispatch Data, responded to almost 22,000 calls for service in 2019. This was an increase of over 4,000 calls for service from the 2014 calendar year. The Patrol Division covers approximately 162 miles of roads in Whitehall Township on a daily basis, while serving the 27,714 residents, and an estimated 60,000 people who work or commute through the township.

The Patrol Division and Traffic Unit conducted an aggressive driving enforcement initiative that focused on reducing accidents along the MacArthur Road corridor and secondary streets. The Traffic Unit was created in 2018 to address accident and traffic enforcement concerns that focused on the MacArthur Road corridor and problematic secondary streets of the Township.

I am hereby recognizing the Whitehall Township Police Officers for their commitment to the community, as their efforts to reduce and prevent crime, as well as reducing and preventing reportable accidents, which have produced noticeable results in a short span of time.

The Criminal Investigations Division assigned 564 cases amongst the three detectives and one supervisor. The CID made 41 arrests and cleared an additional 126 cases. Overall, CID had a clearance rate for 2019 of 30%. With an average of 141 cases assigned per detective, per year, the detectives are doing an admirable job to maintain the clearance rate. An additional Detective was promoted to CID in February of 2020 in order to provide a better service to the community. In addition to the cases that they were assigned, the detectives were also tasked with background investigations for entry-level police candidates. In 2019, CID conducted twenty-two (22) background investigations, in addition to their assigned cases.

The Whitehall Police Department also participates in several, regional task forces to better serve the community and Lehigh County as a whole. One (1) Whitehall Officer serves in a full time capacity as a Vice Detective assigned to the Lehigh County Drug Task Force. One (1) Whitehall Officer serves in a full time capacity as an Auto Theft Detective assigned to the Lehigh County Auto Theft Task Force. Two (2) Whitehall Officers serve on a part time basis as Computer Crime Investigators with the Lehigh County Regional Computer Crimes Task Force. One (1) Whitehall Detective serves in a part time capacity with the FBI Safe Streets Task Force. Seven (7) Officers serve in a part time capacity with the Lehigh County Municipal Emergency Response Team. Six (6) officers are also assigned on a part time basis as accident reconstructionist with the Lehigh County CART (CrAsh Reconstruction Team). The police department also participates in the Blue Guardian program, which is a county-based program that hopes to reduce the effects that the opioid epidemic has had on Lehigh County.

In 2018, the Whitehall Police Department created a Police Explorer Post. The Police Explorers Post gives young adults an inside look at the field of law enforcement. The program is open to 14-20 year olds, who plan to pursue a law enforcement related career. The department also participates in the Project Lifesaver program, which helps police find people with Alzheimer's disease, autism or other cognitive problems who wander away from home. These individuals are fitted with an ankle bracelet containing a transmitter that emits an individualized locating signal. In the event that someone wearing a bracelet wanders away, the department can track them down quickly by homing in on the signal from the bracelet.

As safety and liability is an everyday concern in the police field, the Whitehall Township Police Department has dedicated itself to be at the forefront of police training in the Lehigh Valley. Forty-five (45) officers attended sixty-six (66) different trainings in 2019. The trainings were on variety of topics including crisis management, criminal investigations, forensics, accident investigation, patrol interdiction, police bicycle operations, school resource officer, advanced use of force training, supervisor courses, and mental health recognition and de-escalation techniques.

The members of the Whitehall Township Police Department are committed to maintaining a safer community in 2020 as we continue to focus our efforts on enhancing overall public safety and crime reduction.



TAX FRAUD

April is tax season and the Whitehall Police Department is prepared to handle any questions or concerns regarding matters of TAX FRAUD. Tax Fraud is a form of identity theft where someone has used your personal identification information to file for a fraudulent tax refund. Tax Fraud can be scary but we can get you started on the right path. Tax Fraud is a Federal Crime, which has risen in the last ten years to epidemic proportions. The Internal Revenue Service is constantly revising the way they deal with this type of Identity Theft. Check their website first should you discover your Social Security Number has been used to file a fraudulent claim.

You can find the IRS and their identity theft solutions at:

https://www.irs.gov/individuals/identity-protection

It may be necessary to make a police report. Please do so at your earliest convenience. You can make the report in person or dial (610)-437-5252 and an officer will come to you.

Instead of Tax Fraud, you may get a phone call from someone claiming to be the FBI or IRS.

Please keep these things in mind:

- The FBI (Federal Bureau of Investigation) does not collect tax money.
- The IRS (Internal Revenue Service) will notify you by mail if you owe back taxes, not by phone or email.
- The IRS does not accept payment by Green Dot Card, Pre-paid Visa Card, iTunes Card, etc. They only receive payment by personal check and/or electronic transfer.
- The FBI does not receive direct payments for anything from citizens.
- Please verify the validity of any request made of you to send funds to anyone who demands it in the name of a Federal agency. Please call the police department if you have questions. It is better we have a chance to answer your questions than you become the victim of a scam.

TO REPORT AN EMERGENCY USE 9-1-1

9-1-1 should only be used for an emergency. An emergency is any life threatening situation including crimes, fires, traffic accidents, or any crime in progress or a serious crime which has recently occurred.

What to expect when you call 9-1-1

When you call 9-1-1 for an emergency, it is important that you remain calm and you are prepared to answer questions from the 9-1-1 emergency dispatcher. The "who, how, what, when and where" of the emergency situation are extremely important. It may seem these questions are unnecessary; or may not make sense to you at the time, but the details of the incident may be crucial to successfully resolving the emergency. You can help by providing brief accurate answers. Your patience will help process the emergency call and get help to you as quickly as possible.

For non-emergency contact you call the dispatch center at (610) 437–5252

All non-emergency calls for service are routed through the Lehigh County Communications Center and dispatched to the members of the Whitehall Township Bureau of Police. All citizen phone calls are viewed as important and residents should never be reluctant to place the call. Telephone callers may remain anonymous if they so choose.

Always call the Police when you observe suspicious activity, wherever you are. See Something, Say Something!

Continue to monitor the Whitehall Police Department's Social Media for more information.

Website http://www.whitehalltownship.org/police_about.html,

Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/WhitehallTownshipPD/

Twitter account https://twitter.com/Whitehall_PD

We are looking forward to warmer weather! Have a great summer from the men and women at the Whitehall Police



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BUREAU OF PUBLIC WORKS



REMINDER ON STREET TREES

- The Bureau of Public Works reminds residents that trees between
- the curb and sidewalk, need to be maintained by the home owner
- and branches overhanging public streets or right-of-ways need to

• be a clear height of 14 feet above the road surface and 8 feet over

- the sidewalk and is required by Township Ordinance 1841.
- Cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

CAMERON TRACT

The Cameron Tract at 2600 Eberhart Road (yard waste drop-off facility) will be open Saturdays from 7:00 am to 11:00 am and Noon to 3:00 pm on the following 2020 dates:

- May 2nd, 9th, 16th and 30th
- June 6th and 13th
- July 11th and 18th
- August 22nd and 29th
- September 12th, 19th and 26th

Appointments are required for weekday use at either 10:00 am or 1:00 pm by calling 610-437-5524, ext. 139. Rules and Regulation pamphlets are available at the Cameron Tract or Township offices during business hours. Proof of residency is required!

> **Resident home owners **ONLY!! NO** contractors, commercial, or hired services **

RECYCLING DROP-OFF CENTER

The center, located at the corner of Eberhart and Range Roads, takes any recycling item that can be put out at curbside as well as: scrap metal, 4 auto tires without rims, clothes and textiles, books, cardboard, household flashlight type batteries (no mercury), lead acid batteries, cell phone batteries and all plastics #1 thru #7.

2020 Regular Hours: Tuesdays and Thursdays – 11:00 am till 5:00 pm

Saturdays - 9:00 am till 5:00 pm

2020 Holiday Closures: Saturday, May 23rd Saturday, July 4th

Saturday, September 5th

The center is a service to Township residents and is NOT to be used by businesses.

REFUSE AND RECYCLING

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Waste Management will continue to be the hauler of garbage, recycling, yard waste, grass and leaves for Whitehall Township in 2020. If any of your collections are missed, please call the Township at 610-437-5524, ext. 139 or 100.

Waste Management has a website with information for Whitehall Township residents. Residents can reach the site

through WM.com or a Google search. Customer service reps will also have the ability to assist residents with issues by utilizing the same site.

TOWNSHIP REFUSE CART

The designated Whitehall Township refuse automated cart is the ONLY container that will be picked up at the curb. NO loose garbage or garbage in any other container will be picked up.

Bulk Item Collection – residents are allowed two (2) bulk items, e.g. mattress, sofa, etc., can be placed at the curb each week on your regular collection day.

Pick-up of any appliance containing Freon, CFC or HCFS, can be put at the curb for pick-up on the **4th Wednesday of each month** after paying a \$25.00 at the Township Tax Office.

Pick-up for any Non-Freon appliance or "White Goods", e.g. washer, dryer, hot water heater, etc., can be placed for a monthly curbside collection on the **4th Wednesday of each month** after calling 610-437-5529 to get put on the monthly list for pick-up.

TOWNSHIP RECYCLING CART

The designated Whitehall Township automated recycling cart is the only container that will be picked up at the curb. NO LOOSE recycling or any other container will be picked up. Excessive recycling can be taken to the Township's Recycling Center on Range Road.

COMMERCIAL RECYCLING

Pennsylvania Act 101 and Whitehall Township require that businesses, professionals, non-profit organizations, institutions, and industrial and residential landlords must recycle plastics containers, #1-7, glass bottles and jars, newspapers, office paper, magazines, junk mail, phone books, cardboard, and yard waste. It further requires that you report your recycling information to the Township each year by February 1st.

RECYCLING OR TRASH CARTS

If you are new to the Township and have bought an existing home, the trash and recycle carts should have been left with that home. If not, call the Municipal Building at (610) 437-5524 and report it. If you have moved into a newly built home, use the same telephone number to contact the Township and carts will be delivered after a moving permit is purchased.



REMINDER TO PROPERTY OWNERS: NEW FOR THE YEAR OF "2020" ****ALL YARD WASTE, GRASS & LEAVES WILL NOW GO OUT THE DAY AFTER YOUR SCHEDULED TRASH COLLECTION DAY****

• Yard waste (shrubs, hedge clippings, weeds, tree branches (no longer than 4 ft. in length) cannot be

mixed with regular garbage and are collected on the day after your garbage day beginning the first full week of March until the last full week of November. Please keep lids off of those containers so they can be distinguished from the regular garbage.

· Grass collection starts April 6th and transitions into leaf collection and ends November 30, 2020. Grass and leaves can be mixed together between October-November.

HOLIDAY CURBSIDE COLLECTIONS

When a holiday falls anytime during a work week, there will be no pick-up on the holiday and it will push ALL collections to the next day(s) for the week.

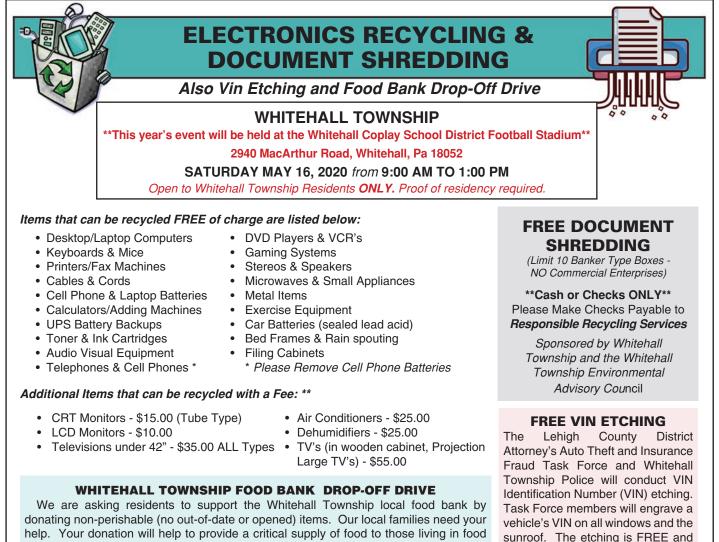
This applies to:

- Memorial Day, Monday, May 25, 2020
- Labor Day, Monday, September 7, 2020

IT'S THE LAW: NO ELECTRONICS IN THE TRASH!

It became illegal in 2013 under the PA Act 108 of 2010, for any individual to dispose of electronic waste in any other way except to recycle it. You may take your electronics to any of the following locations.

- 1. GER Solutions, LLC, 795 Roble Road, Allentown, PA (near the Airport).
 - Accepts most electronics that require a plug or battery.
 - Call 484-866-0927 to inquire for pricing.
 - Visit their website www.gersolutions.net for a complete list of acceptable
- 2. DRC Technologies, 2005 Main Street, Northampton, PA 18067
 - Call 610-502-0854 for acceptable materials I



help. Your donation will help to provide a critical supply of food to those living in food insecurity and without regular access to affordable and nutritious food. It also fosters a strong sense of community and social responsibility.

Donations are always accepted at the food bank which is located at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 3900 Mechanicsville Road, Whitehall or at the Township Municipal Building lobby between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, Monday thru Friday.

takes about 5 minutes but can save

vehicle owners time, money and

aggravation by deterring thieves

from targeting etched cars, trucks

and sport utility vehicles.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC WORKS - continued





Always recycle:



Plastic Bottles & Containers Botellas y envases de plástico



Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard Cartón y cartulina aplastados



Recicle siempre:

Food & Beverage Cans Latas de alimentos y bebidas



Food & Beverage Cartons Cartones de alimentos y bebidas



Paper Papeles

NO incluya en su contenedor de reciclaje mixto.



Glass Bottles & Containers Botellas y frascos de vidrio

Do NOT include in your mixed recycling cart:



NO Food or Liquids NO comida o líquidos



NO Foam Cups & Containers NO vasos y recipientes de poliestireno

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FROM YOUR

SMARTPHONE

FOR OUR MOBILE APP!



NO Batteries or Needles in the Recycling or Trash Batteries and needles pose safety risks for our employees. Check for local drop-off programs for proper disposal

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Las pilas y las agujas presentan riesgos de salud para nuestros empleados. Puede visitar los programas locales de entrega para su disposición adecuada.

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NO Clothing, Furniture & Carpet NO ropa, muebles y alfombras



NO Loose Plastic Bags, Film or Bagged Recyclables Empty recyclables directly into your cart

NO bolsas y envolturas de plastico sueltas, o materiales recyclables embolsados Vacié directamente los materiales reciclables en nuestro carrito

To Learn More Visit: Para más información, visite: RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com

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COLLABORATIVE EFFORT FOR IMPROVING OUR STREAMS

A 600 ft. section of the Coplay Creek that runs along the Prydun Farm is in the design phase for some restoration. This section, along with many of our streams, have bank erosion from increased stormwater flows, they lack natural cover and manmade obstructions creating poor fish habitat. Barren stream beds with sediment deposits is like a desert to native Trout and the bugs they eat. This project is a step in the right direction to help restore streams close to their once natural state. It all started with a study that was funded by Cold Water Heritage Partnership and PA DEP. Supporting



partners include PA Fish and Boat Commission, Trout Unlimited and the Townships of Whitehall and North Whitehall. The study identified the areas that are in good condition along with the ones that need restoration. American Engineers Group, LLC was selected after a public bid to come up with a design to improve this section of the stream.

In late February, a conceptual plan was submitted and reviewed by the Township and Trout Unlimited Volunteers. Through one of the Trout Unlimited very active and knowledgeable members, Fish and Boat existing Fish Habitat improvement recommendations were obtained and are being plugged into the project. Trout Unlimited has been involved with other successful projects along the Coplay Creek in Whitehall and throughout the region. For more information, see Stormwater at Whitehalltownship.org under the Public Works Tab. Also, if you would like to help improve a stream, please inquire to the Township about the Adopt a Storm Drain Program by email at pwdispatch@whitehalltownship.com

TREASURER'S OFFICE

Tax Office Hours: Monday Thru Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Township Real Estate Bills and Garbage Fees are due in the flat amount by June 30, 2020. From July 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 bills are due in the penalty amount.

FAILURE TO RECEIVE A BILL DOES NOT ENTITLE OWNER TO DISCOUNT OR REMISSION OF PENALTY TAXES OR GARBAGE FEES.

Senior discounts (any individual over 72 years old by December 31, 2019 and a homeowner residing in Whitehall or a lifetime tenant) and total exonerations (total household income under \$15,000 meeting the criteria) can only be applied for at the Tax Office. Proof of age is required for the senior discount. Proof of income for total exoneration must be submitted along with a (PA-100) property rebate form.

ALL PRIOR YEAR DELINQUENT GARBAGE IS NOW COLLECTED BY PORTNOFF LAW FIRM. They can be reached at 1-866-211-9466.

PLEASE REMEMBER MORTGAGE COMPANTIES DO NOT PAY GARBAGE BILLS.

School Real Estate Tax Bills will be mailed by July 1, 2020. Taxpayers have the option of using the installment payment plan which has the first payment due by **AUGUST 10, 2020**. The amount due is based on the flat amount. Millage will be available by the end of June 2019 when established by the Whitehall-Coplay School Board.

Per Capita Bills will be mailed by July 1, 2020. Bills must be paid by December 31, 2020, Any delinquent bills will be collected by G H HARRIS Collection Agency. All residents between the ages of 18 and 72 are required to pay a Per Capita bill. All exonerations for the 2020 Per Capita bill must be submitted by December 31, 2020. Taxpayers 72 years of age by June 30, 2020 and active military personnel are exonerated. Also included in the exonerations are full time college students for Fall of 2019 with income below \$5,000.00 for tax year 2018. Proof is required and needs to be submitted.

BUSINESS PRIVLEGE TAX IS DUE BY JUNE 1, 2020.

A MOVING PERMIT (with a \$5.00 fee) IS REQUIRED TO MOVE IN, MOVE OUT OF OR WITHIN WHITEHALL.

PLEASE NOTE: We accept cash, check or money order for payments. We DO NOT accept debit or credit cards. When making a payment by mail, a postmark is accepted as an on-time payment. If you wish to make a payment after-hours, there is a secure lock box located to the right of the main entrance doors to the Municipal Building. Tax payment also accepted at Fulton Bank (*Whitehall Branch only*).



BUREAU OF DEVELOPMENT HOME CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Planning a new construction project on your home this spring/summer? Please know that several items regarding your project may have changed over the past year. For example, any new residential addition or new construction project will, as of MAY 1, 2020 require the submission of THREE (3) sets of plans for your project. Any other type of residential construction typically requires two (2) sets. In addition, there have been more updates and changes to the deck construction regulations which may affect your project. It is always a safe and good idea to check with the Township regarding your project prior to commencing same so that you don't get



any surprises at time of permit submission. Many helpful guides are located on the township's website at www.whitehalltownship. org; and for more specific construction questions you can call the Township's code inspection agency, Keycodes Inspections 610-866-9663.

Spring And Summer Did You Know??

Did you know?

Any growth on your property can **not** extend into the public right of way or cause an obstruction to passing pedestrians or motorists. This includes the 'alley out back'. All growth must be maintained entirely on the owner's property. Street trees must be maintained at a minimum height of 8 feet over the sidewalks and 14 feet over the street, and no growth can obstruct traffic signs. In addition, your grass cannot exceed 15" in height. It is important to note that the township does not regulate growth between properties, and any trees or shrubs that extend from your neighbors property onto yours are a civil matter between the two of you to resolve.

Did you know?

You can **not** park your vehicle (with the exception of the boat or rv or trailers for same) on the grass of your property. All vehicles must be parked on a **paved** surface. In addition, if there are concrete sidewalks abutting your property, all driveways or parking areas (even for the boat or rv) must be accessed with an approved concrete apron.

Did you know?

Standing water still breeds mosquitoes – and now some 'new' exotic disease carrying types like the asian tiger....and the west nile virus! Therefore, you are required to eliminate any standing water on your property. This also means that you cannot store tires outside (which are frequently the highest incidence of standing water for mosquito breeding). Remember to check your plant pots too! These are excellent mosquito breeding environments.

16 Did you know?

All of the Bureau's forms and permit applications can be accessed on the Township's website – www.whitehalltownship. org. However, please know that all permits must be submitted on hard copy either in person or via mail to the Township. In addition, if you have a contractor doing your work, **they** must be the permit applicant, as they will be required to be responsible for their work by securing the appropriate business license and providing proof of workmen's compensation insurance.



Did you know?

Only certain types of businesses may be run from the home.... Those that do not in any way alter the character of the neighborhood. For more information on what is allowed and what is not, contact the zoning office at 610-437-5524 x155.

Did you know?

The federal NPDES (national pollutant discharge elimination system) regulations trickle all the way down to you as an individual property ownerand regulate any discharges you have on your property into the public storm sewer system. This means that no mud or debris can leave your property and be deposited in the roadway (not to mention the fact that this is considered *litter* and you could be cited by the police for littering!!!) – this includes if you are having work done on your property that involves excavation or landscaping. In addition, neither you nor your contractor can use the public rights of way - streets or alleys - for storage of landscaping or building materials. This too is litter and could end up in the storm drains. No mulch, stone, or other items can be deposited in the street. Keep it on your private property, and during construction make certain you or your contractors are not dragging or causing soil or mud to exit your property into the street. Clean water benefits all of us!

Did you know?

If you are having a property line dispute with your neighbor you will need to consult with an attorney. The Township will not and actually cannot ajudicate disputes of property lines, this can only be done by a judge. In addition, the Township cannot locate your property lines for you. You will have to contract with a private licensed professional land surveyor for this service. It may seem like a costly investment, but it is of great benefit to you to have the knowledge of where your property lines are.

BUREAU OF FIRE



Fire Chief David Nelson 3219 MacArthur Blvd,Whitehall, Pennsylvania 18052 Phone: 610-437-5524 Ext. 166 • firechief@whitehalltownship.co Cell: 484-239-1305 • Fax 610-437-6963 HONOR, COMMITMENT, DEDICATION

The Whitehall Township Fire Department has instituted a Commercial Fire Inspection Program. We have hired a Fire Inspector to assist with these tasks. Lack of staff has required us to be reactive with our fire inspections. With the new Fire Inspector, we will become proactive. We will inspect properties subject to our property maintenance fire code. Though many commercial properties are well maintained, substantial numbers have evidenced dangerous conditions. Examples are extension cords run from one side of the building to the other; taped open fuses in a panel box; emergency exits blocked or improper hardware of placement of hardware. We hope to mitigate these types of issues and make the buildings safer for owners, employees and customers. The cost of inspections will be square footage dependent.

The Whitehall Bureau of Fire is a combination Fire Department with a career Fire Chief and a volunteer staff. The department operates out of five stations: Fullerton, West Catasauqua, Hokendauqua, Egypt and Cementon. We have a staff of approximately one hundred volunteers. Of those volunteers fifteen are Honorary Firefighters – retired members that still assist with fundraising and education our newer members regarding firefighting tactics and operations. Of the eighty-five remaining, on an average of fifty-seven members respond on a regular basis. Of the fifty-seven, thirty-two are qualified as interior firefighters. The remaining thirty-five are exterior Firefighters or Drivers.

This information is illustrative of what is taking place across the United States. The decline of the volunteer Firefighters is real. Ten years ago, the state of Pennsylvania had Three-Hundred thousand volunteers in the state. Currently, the state has under thirty-thousand volunteers. The thirty-two interior Firefighters that we have spread out among five stations, gives an average of six firefighters per station. On an average structure fire call, we need twenty-six interior firefighters within the first ten minutes of the fire. Fire grows at a rate of four times a minute in heat. Our department is faced with the same issues that all volunteer departments are having -recruitment. Our average interior firefighters age is fortytwo to fifty. Without a steady resource of new younger firefighters, our department is in peril. In ten years, our interior Firefighters will be of the age of fifty-two and sixty with a reduced number of interior firefighters.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS. It has become difficult to obtain younger Firefighters. They are at the age where they are getting ready to go to college or obtaining their first jobs, starting their careers, or moving out of their parents' homes and moving out of the area.

In order to assist in looking for all possibilities to aid with these issues, we have partnered with other local Fire Departments with the same issues and have applied for a regional grant in order to have a survey from an outside resource to look into our operations, facilities and equipment for our department.

PLEASE NOTE:

Whitehall Bureau of Fire would like to remind our residents that the only outside burning allowed is a natural gas / propane fed fire. The flame cannot be any taller than eighteen inches in height. Any resident caught burning is subject to a citation and fine.



BUREAU OF RECREATION

EGYPT MEMORIAL PARK 75TH ANNIVERSARY FESTIVAL



Route #329/Main Street & Bank Street/Curt Simmons Way

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 2020

PARADE Noon down Main Street (Route 329)

ENTERTAINMENT: STEEL CREEK 2:00 to 5:00 pm • AARDVARKS 7:00 to 10:00 pm

** Food ** Beer/Wine ** Games ** Kiddie Rides ** No Outside Coolers or Mugs Allowed Only 2020 75th Anniversary Special Edition Mugs Permitted www.egyptpark.org

WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP PARK & PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATIONS UMMER FAIRS 5

Fullerton Fair Cement Belt Fair

June 3rd - 7th at Fullerton Memorial Playground, 901 Jefferson Street

June 22nd - June 27th at Cementon Park, 5185 Dewey Street (Route 329 & Fornaciari Drive/Dewey Street)

Fireworks

Saturday, June 27th For Information Contact: Steve Nemeth at 484-597-1550



2020 ANNUAL FISHING DERBY

Saturday, May 23rd, 2020 at Hokendaugua Park & Playground The contest is ONLY open to children 15 years of age and under! REGISTRATION: 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. Contest Runs from: 9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon Bring your own bait and tackle



KIDS' FISHING DERBY

1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Awards in four age groups: 6 and under, 7-9, 10-12 and 13-15 - Plus a Price for overall BIGGEST fish!

This is a **FREE YOUTH** fishing contest hosted by the Whitehall Township Bureau of Recreation and the Hokendauqua Park & Playground Association, 3417 Lehigh Street.

Any questions, please contact the Recreation Office at (610) 437-5524, ext. 160 or the Recreation Hotline: 610-437-5524, ext. 200 or E-mail: recrdept@whitehalltownship.com or website: www.whitehalltownship.org **THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSOR - Willie Marx Bait & Tackle**



LEHIGH VALLEY CIVIL WAR DAYS 1864 – The Changing Face of War

Brought to you by: Friends of Camp Geiger

Learn how the Civil War was fought in 1862 through battle reenactments, discussions with Living Historians and tours of the trenches. Visit the Military Camps to learn about a soldier's life and activities in camp. Visit the History Street to learn about other aspect of life during the Civil War.

18 Visit the Lyceum to learn about Civil War period music and to hear lectures. Children's Activities, Infantry and Artillery firing demonstrations and Saturday evening candlelight concert followed by Artillery night firing.

Battles & Skirmishes, Living History Scenarios, Camp Life Displays, Civil War Music & Cooking. Saturday evening Candlelight Concert and Infantry and Artillery Firing Demonstrations.

This event is **FREE** to spectators, but donations will be accepted for Flag Preservation.

For inquiries/questions please email: cholub@jtasd.org or visit the website at: www.friendsofcampgeiger.webs.com



Camp Opens to the Public on Saturday, May 30th, 2020 from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm Camp Resumes on Sunday, May 31st, 2020 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Where: Whitehall Parkway Recreational Area, 4689 South Church Street, Whitehall, PA 18052

IRT CALENDAR OF EVENTS ANTIVERSARY COLUMNET WHITENLY COLUMNET WHITE					
MONTH	DATE	EVENT		LOCATION	
Мау	09 19	Workday - Whitehall Section Public Meeting	8 am 7 pm	Trailhead – N. Ruch & Chestnut Streets Trailhead Pavilion	
June	06	National Trails Day	8 am		
	07	IRT 5K Run/Walk	8 am	N. Whitehall Township Athletic Fields	
	13	Workday - Coplay Section	7 pm	Maintenance Trailer 2nd Street - Coplay	
	16	Public Meeting	7 pm	Trailhead Pavilion	
July	11	Workday - North Whitehall Section	8 am	Trailhead - Quarry & Portland Streets	
	21	Public Meeting	7 pm	N. Whitehall Township Trailhead Pavilion	
August	08	Workday – Whitehall Section	8 am	Trailhead – N. Ruch & Chestnut Streets	
	18	Public Meeting	7 pm	Trailhead Pavilion	
	22	19th Annual IRT 10K Run/Walk	8 am	Saylor Park 2nd Street - Coplay	

CAMP WHITEHALL 2020

A Day Camp open to children who have completed Kindergarten (minimum age 5) through Eighth Grade (Maximum age 15) as of June 2020.

This camp will provide a safe and wonderful experience while building character, appreciation, and respect for one another and our surroundings.

Camp is open to both Residents of Whitehall-Coplay, as well as Non-Residents (at an additional fee).

WALK-IN REGISTRATION AT: Whitehall Township Municipal Building Recreation Office, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

RESIDENT: \$110/week, except week of June 29th is \$100 NON-RESIDENT: \$140/week, except week of June 29th is \$130

> NO camp on Thursday, July 3, 2020 You may pick and choose weeks

ADDITIONAL FILED TRIP FEES MAY APPLY

Swim lessons will be provided at an additional charge

CAMP CEMENTON Cementon Park, 5185 Dewey Street (Completed Grades K-3 in June, 2020)



(Rain date: July 14th, 2019)

at the Jefferson Street Pool

(Behind the former Toys 'R Us) Registration Opens: 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Wacky Water Games: 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

 Free Admission, Prizes, Games, Fun, Swimming
 Free T-shirts, limited supply, first come, first served PLEASE CONTACT THE RECREATION OFFICE IF INTERESTED IN BECOMING A SPONSOR!!! Contact Whitehall Recreation Office for more info: 610-437-5524, Ext. 160 Weekly sessions run from June 23rd through August 14th, dates subject to change, operating between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Payment MUST be made at time of registration by CASH OR CHECK ONLY and you MUST register in person. All registrations are confirmed with full payment.

Transportation is provided for **Whitehall-Coplay Residents**, although parents can transport their children to and from camp, if they wish. All Non-Residents are required to provide their own transportation to and from Camp.

For more information, contact the Whitehall Township Recreation Bureau at: (610) 437-5524, ext. 160 or via our Website: www.whitehatownship.org

E-mail: recrdept@whitehalltownship.com

CAMP JEFFERSON

Jefferson Street Playground, 901 Jefferson Street (Completed Grades 4-8 in June 2020)



Basic package:

- \$9.00 per person
- 3-hour party at the pool of your choice
- Includes Hot dog or Pizza, chips and soda
- LIMIT OF 25 GUESTS

All Parties are weekdays from 3:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. *or* weekends after 12:00 noon with a 3-hour limit. Patron will supply Cake and Paper Products. Pool Passes are not needed to attend a party and a Pool Pass <u>does not</u> cover the fee per person. **For information on dates and times,** call the Recreation Office at: 610-437-5524, ext. 160 or email recrdept@whitehalltownship.com 19

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WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP CONTACTS FOR PARK/PLATGROOND RENTALS:						
Park	Contacts for Rentals	Capacity				
Cementon Park & Playground 5185 Dewey Street	610-437-5524, x160 or x165	Indoor Building, Capacity 250				
Egypt Memorial Park 4548 Main Street	610-262-9841 & 610-217-5820 www.egyptpark.org	Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 400 Indoor Pavilion, Capacity 200				
Fullerton Memorial Playground 901 Jefferson Street	610-704-0311	Indoor Building, Capacity 150 Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 30				
Hokendauqua Park & Playground 3417 Lehigh Street	484-294-6966 www.hokeypark.org	Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 50				
Zephyr Park 1975 Schadt Avenue	610-248-9119 or Email: rentals@schadtave.org	Indoor Building, Capacity 140 Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 25				
Stiles Playground 3017 South Fourth Avenue	610-437-5524, x160	Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 40				
West Catasauqua Park 2301 Pine Street	610-443-0675	Indoor Building, Capacity 100 Outdoor Pavilion, Capacity 50				

We also have smaller Open-Air Pavilions throughout the park system for small group gatherings. Contact Whitehall Recreation for details on this option. Whitehall Township Recreation, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA 18052 610-437-5524, ext. 160, Email: recrdept@whitehalltownship.com, Website: www.whitehalltownship.org



The Whitehall Area Chamber will be hosting "Ride with the Chamber" on June 4, 2020 from 4:30 – 7:30 PM! Join our local Mayors and County Executive for a leisurely bike ride and tour of the Ironton Rail Trail and see what a beautiful historical and natural resource we have right here in our backyard! Participants are invited to join in a mixer after the walk/ride with food and vendors. Tickets are \$10 and benefit the Ironton Rail Trail; sign up today and find more information on the Whitehall Area Chamber Facebook Page (www.facebook.com/WhitehallAreaChamber)!



RIDE WITH THE CHAMBER!

Ride or Walk through Historic Ironton Rail Trail at this family friendly event! June 4th @ Ironton Rail Trail

4:30 - Registration

5:00 - Scenic Bike Ride with Lehigh Executive & Local Mayors

5:30 - Nature Trail Walk

6:15-7:30 - Enjoy Live Music, Refreshments, & Networking

RSVP: kyliea@lehighvalleychamber.org



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2020 SUMMER SWIM SEASON

POOLS OPEN JUNE 13TH, 2020 REGULAR HOURS OF OPERATION - 12:00 NOON TO 7:00 PM

9:00 am to 11:00 amFree Swim (No Wednesdays or Sundays) 12:00 pm to 7:00 pm.....Paid Admission

Pool Passes are on sale starting **Monday**, **May 4**, **2020**, **between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm** at the Recreation Office in the Township Municipal Building, 3219 MacArthur Road, Whitehall, PA.

GENERAL ADMISSION (daily) PRICES are as follows:Resident:\$5.00 per person per day with Photo ID, from 6 to 61 years of ageNon-Resident:\$10.00 per person per day, from 6 to 61 years of ageFree of Charge:Children under 6 years old or Persons 62 years old and older

2020 SEASON POOL PASS PRICES are as follows:

Pass Type	Resident (Photo ID, proof of residency required)	Non-Resident
Family	\$140.00 2 Adults, 2 Children, \$20-Add'l Child	\$250.00 2 Adults, 2 Children, Limit of 150 to be sold
Adult	\$50.00	\$100.00
Student	\$40.00	\$80.00
	Up to & including a 2020 High School Graduate	Up to & including a 2020 High School Graduate
Grandchild		\$40.00 Ages 6-12 - Accompanied by Resident Grandparent

GUEST PASS OFFER

- Guest pass booklets will be sold to resident and non-resident "Season Pass Holders"
- Guest pass booklets will be <u>ONLY</u> sold at the Township Municipal Building.
- Season pass holders must accompany guest(s) to pool.
- Purchase Price: \$35.00 for a booklet of 5 passes (\$7.00 per Pass)

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	2020 Summer A	quatic Scl	hedule		
When: Time: Where: Cost:	June 16th thru July 30th, 2020 : 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. re: Cementon Pool : \$45.00 for Whitehall Residents \$55.00 for Non-Residents		TWILIGHT SWIM Wednesday • Saturday • Sunday 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. \$2 for Residents with Photo ID \$5 for Non-Residents SUMMER YOUTH SWIM LESSONS – Mornings		
When: Time: Where: Cost: Registration: When: Session I:	ADULT SWIM LESSONS Wednesday Evening July 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Jefferson Street Pool \$50.00 for Whitehall Residents \$60.00 for Non-Residents Opens June 1, 2020 TOT-PARENT SWIM LESSONS Tuesday & Thursday Evenings	When: Session I: Session II: Class Time: General Public: Ages: Where: Registration: Class Size: Cost:	Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-Friday Mornings July 6th to July 17th July 20th to July 31st Daycares/Campers: 9:30 am – 10:00 am 10:00 am to 10: 30 am 6 through 12 Cementon Pool, Parkview (Hokey) Pool and Jefferson Street (Fullerton) Pool Opens June 1, 2020 Maximum of 30 Registrants per Site \$50.00 Whitehall Residents \$60.00 Non-Residents		
Session II: Where: Registration: Class Size: Class Time: Cost:	June 16th to July 9th July 21st to August 13th Jefferson Street Pool Opens June 1, 2020 Minimum 6 - Maximum 15 (per group) 2 1/2 & 3 year olds 6:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. <i>(must be toilet trained)</i> 4 & 5 years olds 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. \$50.00 Whitehall Residents \$60.00 Non-Residents NOTES: Parent Participation is Mandatory!!! No Floatation Devices Allowed	SUMMER When: Session I: Session II: Time: Ages: Where: Registration: Class Size: Cost:	YOUTH SWIM LESSONS – Evenings Tuesday & Thursday Evenings June 16th to July 9th July 21st to August 13th 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. 6 through 12 Jefferson Street Pool Opens June 1, 2020 Maximum of 30 Registrants \$50.00 Whitehall Residents \$60.00 Non-Residents		

Register For All Swimming Activities at: WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP RECREATION BUREAU, 3219 MacArthur Rd, Whitehall, PA, Monday thru Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Phone: (610) 437-5524, EXT. 160, Recreation Hotline: 610-437-5524, EXT. 200, EMAIL: recrdept@whitehalltownship.com, WEBSITE: www.whitehalltownship.org

WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL CONTACT DIRECTORY

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Bureau Chief	Ext. 135

WHITEHALL TOWNSHIP MEETING SCHEDULE - MAY THROUGH AUGUST, 2020						
	TIME	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	
Board of Commissioners Workshop	7:00 pm	4th	1st	6th	3rd	
Board of Commissioners Regular	7:00 pm	11th	8th	13th	10th	
Zoning Hearing Board	7:00 pm	19th	16th	21st	18th	
Planning Commission	7:30 pm	20th	17th	15th	19th	
Legal & Legislative	7:00 pm	13th	10th	8th	12th	
Recreation Commission	7:00 pm	26th	22nd	27th	24th	
Ethics Board	7:00 pm	21st			20th	
Environmental Advisory Council (EAC)	7:00 pm	14th	11th	9th	13th	
Park & Recreation	7:00 pm	6th	3rd	1st	5th	
MISCELLANEOUS						
Submission Deadline Zoning		4/23/20	5/21/20	6/25/20	7/23/20	
Submission Deadline Planning		4/22/20	5/20/20	6/24/20	7/22/20	
Appliance curbside pickup		27th	24th	22nd	26th	

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETIN	GS	
	Monthly	Time
Board of Commissioners Workshop	1st Monday	7:00 pm
Board of Commissioners Regular	2nd Monday	7:00 pm
Crime Watch	4th Monday	7:00 pm
Environmental Advisory Council (EAC)	2nd Thursday	7:00 pm
Legal & Legislative	2nd Wednesday	7:00 pm
Planning Commission	3rd Wednesday	
Workshop	-	6:30 pm
Regular		7:30 pm
Planning Commission Workshop Regular Recreation Commission	4th Monday	7:00 pm
Park & Recreation Commission	1st Wednesday	7:00 pm
Zoning Hearing Board	3rd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Ironton Rail Trail Commission		
(Alternates between Whitehall, Coplay and North Whitehall)		·
Coplay-Whitehall Sewer Authority	3rd Thursday	7:30 pm
Whitehall Township Authority		

Township Municipal Building Closings

Memorial Day, Monday May 25, 2020 • Independence Day, Friday, July 3rd, 2020 • Labor Day, Monday, September 7, 2020



Primary Election Day is: Tuesday, June 2nd, 2020 (Township Offices close an hour early)



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