

DELAWARE TOWNSHIP

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2019 Newsletter

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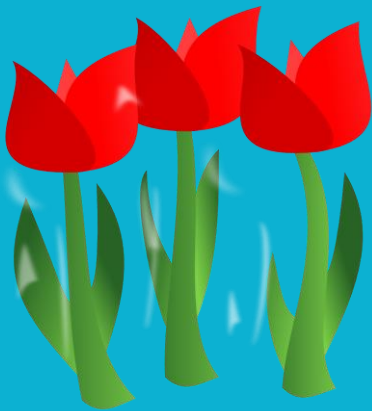
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SPRING BULK CLEAN-UP WEEK OF MAY 20TH – 26TH

Spring bulk clean-up for Township residents will be the week of May 20, 2019 on your regular collection day. Please place debris within five feet of the road the night before. Below you will find some guidance regarding which items will/will not be accepted. If you purchase garbage bag tags this will be the only time you are permitted participate the in bulk collection without having to pay an additional fee. Please call Tri-County at 724-748-4705 x215 should you have any questions regarding what will/will not be accepted.

ITEMS NOT INCLUDED WITH ANY SERVICE OPTION AND WILL NOT BE PICKED UP: Paving materials, stones, rocks, sand, dirt, broken concrete, large automobile parts (including batteries and tires), sod, paints and stains, lead-acid batteries, flammable liquids and other chemicals, metal 55-gallon drums, metal grease drums and concrete washtubs. Refuse caused by repairs, alterations, remodeling, demolition and/or construction of buildings and other structures. Propane and oxygen tanks, gun ammunition, explosives or fireworks. Bushes, shrubs or other vegetation with earth or soil attached to the root system. Tree trunks or parts of tree trunks greater than 3” in diameter. Due to fire hazards, we cannot accept ashes. Please call our Customer Service Department for information on how to dispose of items listed above.

BULK COLLECTION: One bulk collection day will be held in the spring each year. Bulk waste includes items such as household furniture, hot water tanks, appliances, plumbing fixtures, etc. Refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, etc. containing any type of Freon will be collected as long as the tag certifying that the Freon has been removed is taped to the item. We will pick up refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, and other appliances still containing Freon. The removal of the Freon and certification will be an additional charge. Please call our Customer Service Department for more information. Residents who use the Unlimited 95-gallon cart service may place bulk items at the curb at any time throughout the year. There is no additional charge to these customers for bulk collection. Bulk collection outside of the annual bulk collection day IS NOT INCLUDED FOR RESIDENTS WHO ELECT TO USE THE STICKER PROGRAM. We will collect bulk materials at other times for residents using stickers; however, please call our office for pricing and to arrange for prepayment. Our drivers will not collect bulk items from sticker customers without a written order from our office.

TOWNSHIP HUMOR

By:

The Old Hickory Nut

(Typed from the original as submitted)

Sunshine, we finally got through winter that never quit, or so we think. Might be its just taking a big breath to give us another blast. Anyhow, with the warm air and sunshine we decided to take a walk down the Creek Road to visit our old friend Fuzzy Backlash. He'd been on a hunting trip up north seeking a roaring borealis, he said they'd been seen there quite a bit lately. I thought I'd stop by and see how it went.

After a short walk I was pleased to see how well the old road had held up after the bad winter we'd had. Got me thinking that this would be good news for the road crews. They'll be busy planning the upcoming celebration.

I'm sure you all know about June 21. Oh sure as everyone knows, that is the longest day of the year. The weather service calls it the first day of summer. I'm also sure that anyone being raised around old timers out in the country that this is pickle day. You know, the day to plant pickles. Quite an event, celebrated by some even more than the onion snow.

Anyhow, I've heard through the grapevine that quite an event is being planned. They'll have a pageant to select the pickle queen. A parade, picnics and guest speakers for all to enjoy.

For the parade, it will start at one end of the Hamburg bridge and run the whole way to the other end. The whole time the newly elected pickle queen will be riding in a

wheel barrow while waving a carp over her head, fresh out of the river. Then the guest speakers will assemble in the pull off down Decks bridge for their speeches. Now, I can't slip out any of the rumors but I hear we'll have a resident that moved away one time and claims he found that there are only two types of people in this world those who live in the township and those that wish they did. After that they'll bring on the entertainment. Surely you've heard of the world famous movie "The Horse Whisper"? Well, that kind of talent will be on hand. But it will be local talent. We don't have a Horse Whisper in the township but we have the next best thing. We have the Delaware Goat Mumbler... And all this will be backed by the renowned band, the Kremis Frogetts, and they'll play requests if they know them. Sounds like a real day to be had so hope you can make it.

Keep your line wet, your bow bent and your powder dry.





IMPORTANT 2019 ELECTION DATES

Municipal Primary Election – May 21st

Municipal Election – November 5th

REYNOLDS REBELS SOFTBALL

Softball season is here!! Games are held at 6:00 p.m. during week. We wish all the girls a safe and successful season. Come cheer them on!!



The Township Supervisors and Park Board Members would like to give a huge *Thanks* to the Reynolds Rebels parents, players, coaches and Board Members for all of your ongoing efforts to ensure that the fields and grounds are maintained and adding the new field with dugouts.

DIRT

Due to ditching in various areas of the Township dirt will be available to Township residents. Please call the office to have your name added to the list to receive dirt.

TRI-COUNTY INDUSTRIES, INC.

159 TCI PARK DRIVE
GROVE CITY PA 16127

TRI-COUNTY INDUSTRIES, INC.
OPERATES A RECYCLING DROP-OFF SITE
AT THE ADDRESS NOTED ABOVE. LOCAL
RESIDENTS MAY DROP OFF ANY OF THE
FOLLOWING ITEMS TO BE RECYCLED:

ALUMINUM & BI-METAL CANS;
PLASTICS (#1 & #2 ONLY);
NEWSPRINT AND MAGAZINES;
AND CARDBOARD.

DROP OFF CONTAINERS ARE LOCATED
INSIDE OUR GATED FACILITY WITH SIGNS
MARKING THE

NEW LOCATION EFFECTIVE
FEBRUARY 1ST, 2019, AND ARE OPEN
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY
FROM 9 AM TO 4 PM
AND SATURDAY FROM 7 AM TO 11 AM.

Veterans ID Discount Program

The program provides ID cards to Mercer County Veterans who have recorded their US Military Discharge with the Recorder of Deeds Call 724-662-3800 Ext. 2274 with questions.

TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

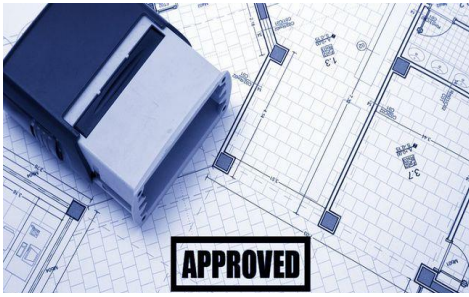
Township meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Office.

ANTICIPATED ROADS FOR SUMMER 2019 SEAL COAT

Bend Hill, Homer, north end of Creek, River, Keystone, Haas, east end of Hamburg and Frye will be chip sealed.

CULVERTS

Please remember that each homeowner is responsible for the maintenance of their own culvert pipe. Ensure the pipes are free of all debris in order for the water to drain properly and prevent damage to the roadways.



BUILDING PERMITS

Remember to obtain a permit before you start your construction! For more information you can visit: www.richardsoninspectionsservices.com or call 724-406-0031 for any of your any of your permit questions. For construction 1,000 square feet or less and not attached to a residential dwelling, please obtain a permit from the Township Office.

DELAWARE TOWNSHIP PARK BUILDING RENTAL

Do not forget to consider the park building for your next celebration or meeting. Please call the Township Office to see if the date you are considering is available. Rental fees as follows:

Resident rates:

Summer Rate: \$85.00

Winter Rate: \$100.00

Non-Resident Rates:

Summer Rate: \$125.00

Winter Rate: \$150.00

First time renters must provide a \$100.00 deposit in addition to the rental rate. Upon confirmation that the building has been swept, mopped and all trash/other items removed the \$100.00 deposit will be returned.

Household Hazardous Waste Drop-off Program

Important Consumer Notice: Before taking any hazardous wastes to collection points please contact the program representative to learn what types of materials will be accepted. Some programs have registration requirements and/or have nominal fees associated with disposal of some types of waste.

Mercer County – Tri County Industries – Contact Elizabeth Bertha 724-748-4705

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