



DALLASTOWN COMMUNITY CONNECTION

Spring/Summer 2025



www.dallastownboro.com

Please check our website for new updates and information.

The following “Dallastown Community Connection” is published with **YOU** in mind. Please take a minute or two to read and absorb the information contained in this newsletter. It is full of informative, useful information.

“We hope you enjoy!”

Spring/Summer Newsletter will be mailed out to the Borough residents.
Fall/Winter Newsletter will not be mailed out, please see our website dallastownboro.com in October to view.

Frequently Used Phone Numbers

Dallastown Borough	244-6626
Trash Collection Company:	
Penn Waste	767-4456
Tax Collector:	
Linda Shaub	244-3885
Southern Area Fire and Emergency Rescue	246-1629
Dallastown-Yoe Water Authority	244-6626
Dallastown Post Office	244-2555
District Magistrate: 2756 S. Queen St	
Scott Laird	747-5100
American Legion	244-8028
Voter Registration	771-9604
Dallastown Area High School	244-4021
Dallastown Elementary	244-3785
Emergency Management Coordinator	
Yvonne Schrum	244-6626
Animal Control Officer:	
Michelle Klugh	916-1413

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DALLASTOWN BOROUGH 2025 MEETING SCHEDULE

Planning Commission 7:00	Borough Council 7:00	Borough Council 7:00	Zoning Board 7:00	EMA Meeting 7:00	Water Authority 7:00	Historical Meeting 7:00	Recreation Committee 7:00
Jan 6	Jan 13	#Jan 27	Jan 27	Jan 23	Jan 8	Jan 2	Jan 6
Feb 3	Feb 10	#Feb 24	Feb 24	Feb 27	Feb 12	Feb 6	Feb 3
Mar 3	Mar 10	#Mar 24	Mar 24	Mar 27	Mar 12	Mar 6	Mar 3
Apr 7	Apr 14	#Apr 28	Apr 28	Apr 24	Apr 9	Apr 3	Apr 7
May 5	May 12	#May *27	May *27	May 22	May 14	May 1	May 5
June 2	June 9	#June 23	June 23	June 26	June 11	June 5	June 2
July 7	July 14	#July 28	July 28	July 24	July 9	No Meeting	July 7
Aug 4	Aug 11	#Aug 25	Aug 25	Aug 28	Aug* 27	Aug 7	Aug 4
Sept *2	Sept 8	#Sept 22	Sept 22	Sept 25	Sept 10	Sept 4	Sept *2
Oct 6	Oct *14	#Oct 27	Oct 27	Oct 23	Oct 8	Oct 2	Oct 6
Nov 3	Nov 10	#Nov 24	Nov 24	No Meeting	Nov 12	Nov 6	Nov 3
Dec 1	Dec 8	No Meeting	No Meeting	No Meeting	Dec 10	Dec 4	Dec 1

- Call the Borough @ 717-244-6626 to see if the second Council meeting of the month is being held.

2025

General Primary Election – May 20

Free Yard Sale – June 6 & 7

PSAB Annual Conferences – June 1-4 @ Hershey Lodge & Convention Center

Annual National Night Out Against Crime – August 5

Dallastown Carnival – August 12 - 16

Free Yard Sale – September 5 & 6

Halloween Parade – October 16 - Mayor and Council to participate

Trick or Treat – October 31 from 6-8 pm

General Election – November 4

Christmas in Dallastown – November 8

Tree Lighting & Party w/Santa – November 29

The Budget Committee is scheduled to meet on October 27

Website: dallastownboro.com

Fax – 717-244-1076

E-mail: David@dallastownboro.com

All meetings will be held at the Borough Hall, 175 E. Broad St., Dallastown, PA @ 7 PM; Committee meetings will be held at the discretion of the Chairman. Public notice will be given for special meetings.

Historical Society meets @ 7 PM at 118 E. Main St., Dallastown, PA 17313

The following Holidays will be observed: **New Year's** – Wednesday, January 1; **Martin Luther King** – Monday, January 20; **President's Day** – Monday, February 17; **Good Friday** – April 18 ; **Memorial Day** – Monday, May 26 ; **Independence Day** – Friday, July 4; **Labor Day** – Monday, September 1; **Columbus Day** – Monday, October 13; **Veterans Day** – Tuesday, November 11; **Thanksgiving Holiday** – Thursday & Friday, November 27 & 28 ; **Christmas Holiday** – Wednesday & Thursday, December 24 & 25

Garbage Contract for

Monday & Thursday Pick-up: Monday recycling & trash pick-up (3 bags max.)

Thursday bulk item and trash pick-up (3 bags max.)

Holidays that fall on trash pick-up days will shift the entire week.

Ex: If a holiday falls on a Monday then trash will be picked up on Tuesday & Friday.

* Change of regular meeting day due to Holiday

*** MS4 – Open meeting for public comment

BOROUGH NEWS.....



FLUSHING: The Dallastown-Yoe Water Authority will begin flushing hydrants on May 12th. Please be aware that some discoloration of the water may occur, and you may be without water for short periods of time during the flushing procedure. **Make sure your water is not discolored before doing laundry.**

STREET SWEEPING: Borough Maintenance will be starting street sweeping (Alleys) on Monday, April 14th and (Main Roads) on Monday, April 21st depending on the weather. Please have your sidewalks cleaned before street sweeping begins.



POTHOLES:

With the winter that we've had, it's almost a guarantee that there will be potholes throughout the Borough. If you happen to discover any, that Borough Maintenance has not, please contact the Borough Office at 244-6626. Thanks so much for your help!



STREETLIGHTS:

If you happen to see a streetlight that is out or not functioning properly, please contact the Borough Office. We are not always around at night to see the problems first-hand, so any help would be greatly appreciated. We will contact Met Ed to have them fixed.



TAX COLLECTOR:

Linda Shaub, the Dallastown Borough Tax Collector will be at the Borough Office on Monday, April 14th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm and Tuesday, April 15th from noon to 2:00 pm. She will be located in the Council Room to the rear of the building. Please enter thru the double glass doors on the side of the building.



PET OWNERS: When walking your pets, please be responsible and clean up after them. Also remember your pets must be leashed, and under your control at all times when not on your property. Thank you!



RENTAL UNITS: All residential rental units must be registered and inspected by the Borough. If you have a rental, or plan to rent your property, please call the Borough office for details.



VEHICLES: All vehicles parked outside of an enclosed structure (garage) shall be current with both inspection & registration, shall not have flat tires or be dismantled and must be operable.

POOLS: All Pools (temporary or permanent) capable of holding 24 inches of water or more must meet the building code regulations of Dallastown Borough. Please fill out the building permit application prior to setting up your pool.



TREES & SHRUBS OVERHANGING THE STREETS & SIDEWALKS:

Trees that are overhanging streets & sidewalks should be trimmed up about 15 feet. Bushes & shrubs growing out into the streets & sidewalks should be trimmed away from the right-of-way.



GRASS GROWING IN THE CURBS & SIDEWALKS:

Help Dallastown Borough keep its small-town charm by removing the weeds from your sidewalks. The sidewalks adjacent to your property are yours to maintain. Grass & weeds are to be removed from curbing & sidewalks. This includes where the curb joins the street and around utility poles & traffic signs. Kindly refrain from discharging grass clippings into the streets or on the sidewalks.



GRASS GROWING IN EXCESS OF 8 INCHES ON YOUR PROPERTY:

Grass & other vegetation shall be maintained to a height of no more than 8 inches on your property. Poison ivy and other nuisance "weeds" shall be removed as well.



If your property falls into a non-compliance state, a violation letter will be sent by certified mail to the owner or tenants who reside on the property. If the nuisances still exist, a non-traffic citation will be issued each day the property is in non-compliance.

YARD SALE PERMIT: A permit is required per Dallastown Borough Ordinance. You may stop into the Borough office at 175 E. Broad St. to purchase a permit, the cost is \$10.00.



ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

The following items **ARE** recyclable.

Aluminum & Steel Cans
Glass Bottles & Jars
Plastic Bottles & Jugs
Cardboard (Dry & Flattened No Food Contact)
Newspaper (Clean & Dry No Food Contact)
Cartons



If you have any questions about acceptable materials or would like to learn more about increasing the amount of materials you are recycling, call the Penn Waste Customer Service team at (717) 767-4456.

UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

The following items are **NOT** recyclable.

Food-Soiled Materials	Soaked and/or Wet Papers or Cardboard
Needles and Medical Waste	Broken Glass
Windows, Mirrors, Ceramics	Drinking Glasses
Scrap Metal	Aluminum Foil
Plastic Tableware (Knives, Forks, etc.)	Light Bulbs
Plastic Bags (Including Grocery Bags)	Waxy Cardboard
Solvents, Oil and/or Chemical Containers	Hoses
Plastic Food Wrappers	Propane Tanks
Used Paper Towels or Tissues	No Clothing
Christmas Lights	No Styrofoam
Shredded Paper/Magazines	

Penn Waste would like to issue a reminder to residents in south central Pennsylvania that pool chemicals should NOT be disposed of in your curbside trash and recycling bins. Pool chemicals are considered hazardous waste and need to be disposed of properly.

Bulk Item Guidelines - Call to Schedule Pickup @ 717-767-4456



Dallastown Borough residents may dispose of one (1) bulk item per week on Thursday. Please contact Penn Waste to schedule your bulk item for collection. Please have your bulk item available for collection at the curb by 6:00 AM.

ACCEPTED MATERIALS – Appliances, furniture, mattresses, box springs, one (1) car tire without the rim, lawn mowers (oil and gasoline removed), plumbing fixtures such as toilets and sinks, three (3) 4 ft. rolls of carpet (tied). Items too heavy to be lifted into truck by two people will not be accepted. Additional trash bags are NOT considered a bulk item.

To stay up to date on collection updates, sign up for our E-News Updates at www.pennwaste.com.

BASIC RESIDENTIAL GUIDELINES

Trash, Recycling, and one item (on schedule dates) must be curb side by 6 am on your scheduled collection day. No more than two containers will be collected each week. Bags or containers must not exceed 32 gallons or 60 pounds.

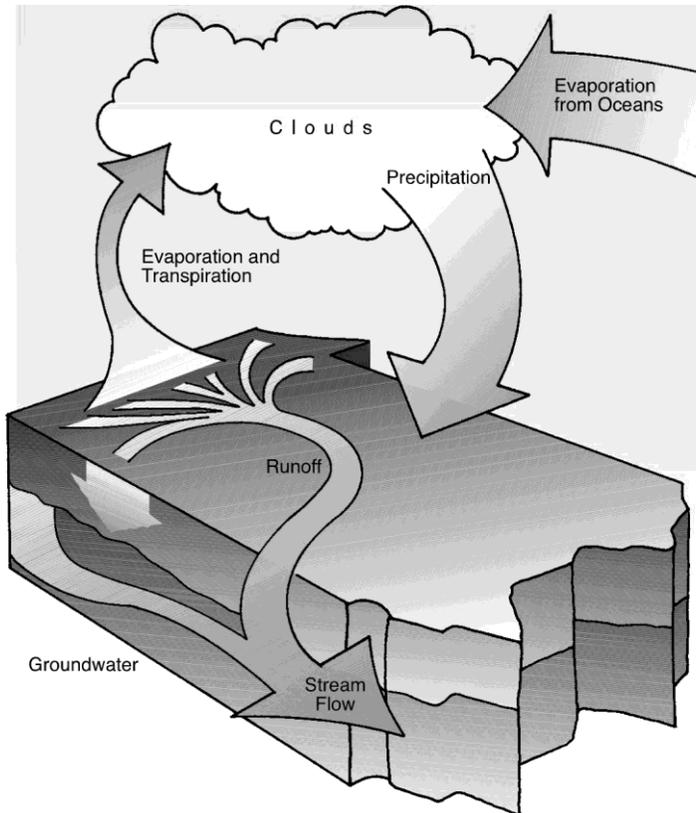
Collection days that fall on or after the holiday will shift the whole week by one day.

EXCEPTION: If holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there is no change in service prior to or after the holiday.

Holidays Observed:

- Memorial Day – Trash & recycling pickup Tuesday May 27th, trash pickup Friday May 30th.
- Labor Day - Trash & recycling pickup Tuesday September 2nd, trash pickup Friday September 5th.
- Thanksgiving Day – Trash pickup Friday November 28th.
- Christmas Day – Trash pickup Friday December 26th.

MS4- PROTECTING YOUR WATER SHED



BECOME a volunteer and monitor water quality conditions, increase community awareness and help identify and restore problem sites.

ORGANIZE your own trash cleanup program in your community.

BUILD a rain garden. Rain gardens planted with native vegetation help reduce the negative impacts of stormwater runoff by soaking up excess rainwater.

START a storm drain marking project by producing flyers or door hangers or find out if your community needs volunteers to place decals on storm drains.

GREENSCAPE your yard by implementing practices that help improve your lawn while conserving our watershed.

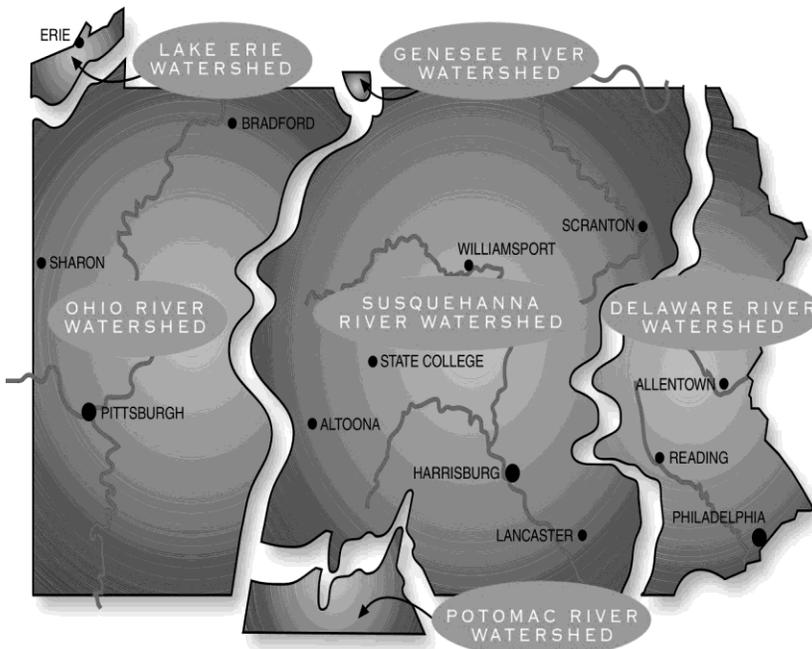
HELP spread the word! Do your research and talk to your neighbors, friends, and co-workers about what you have learned to help spread the message.

Pennsylvania contains almost 83,000 miles of streams, ranging from small trickles to large rivers. All of these streams are important because they provide

water for people, farms, and industries. They are home to many kinds of wildlife and fish. Streams also give us great places to go fishing, swimming, and boating.

Streams receive water from the land that surrounds them. The land area through which any water moves or drains to reach a stream is called a watershed. Dallastown Borough has two

distinct drainage areas. Water runoff either flows north to Mill Creek or south to Inners and Barshinger Creek. The water from these streams ultimately joins up in the Codorus Creek which is in the Susquehanna River Watershed.





Pennsylvania Urban Nutrient Management - Spring Greening

Spring to Life

As the snow slowly melts away, the birds begin to sing and fresh life bursts from the soil heralding the approach of Spring and the lawn maintenance season. For the 1 million-plus acres of home lawns in Pennsylvania, selecting and implementing an appropriate lawncare management program to promote healthy and aesthetically pleasing lawns is not only important to homeowners, but is also essential to protecting our waterways.

Know What's Best. Soil Test!

The first step to understanding what your lawn really needs to be lush, healthy, and green is to know what your soil needs. It is important to conduct regular soil tests to determine nutrient deficiencies that should guide fertilizer selection and application. Soil test kits can be purchased for a nominal fee from your local Penn State Extension office.

Following soil test recommendations, reading fertilizer label instructions, and using a properly calibrated spreader will ensure the right amount of nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium are applied, while reducing nutrient loss and fertilizer cost.

Soil Health. It's the bottom line.

Maintaining a happy, healthy soil is imperative to your lawn's success. Soil is the foundation for your lawn and is home to a multitude of microorganisms that are essential for plant growth. Take the time to support your soil by incorporating some simple practices into your lawn care program. Your lawn and wallet will thank you.

- Keep it open. Routine soil aeration can help reduce soil compaction. Good soil structure is essential for proper root growth, healthy microbe communities, and the movement and exchange of water, air, and nutrients.
- Raise it up. Maintain a taller lawn by only cutting 1/3 of the grass blade with each mowing. Taller lawns slow runoff and promote deeper roots, which reduces lawn stress and improves soil structure.
- Put it back. Return nutrients and organic matter back to the soil by mulching your leaves and grass clippings.

For more soil management strategies, contact your local county conservation district or Penn State Extension office.

Green Lawns – Clean Streams

Pennsylvania's 2022 Fertilizer Law amendments were developed to protect Pennsylvania waterways and the waterways downstream. As a bonus, following the limitations in the law will boost your bottom line by ensuring that your investment doesn't wash away. The 2022 law established the following nitrogen and phosphorus limits for turf fertilizer applications. Good soil structure has adequate pore space between soil particles to allow for the movement of air, water, and nutrients into the root zone .

- Nitrogen is limited to 0.9 pounds of total nitrogen and 0.7 pounds of available nitrogen per 1000 ft² per application.
- No phosphorus can be applied unless establishing or repairing turf.
- Nitrogen and phosphorus rates can be adjusted based on soil test recommendations and/or if using an enhanced-efficiency fertilizer.

In addition to the nutrient limitations, the law also established application parameters to prevent direct movement of fertilizer nutrients into our streams:

- Do not apply fertilizer if a heavy rain event is expected.
- Keep fertilizer away from drainage ditches, storm drains, or water. Maintain a 15-foot buffer from the banks of all waterways.
- Remove fertilizer that lands on impervious surfaces (driveways, sidewalks, roads, parking lots).

Working Together for Clean Water

With ever growing acres of managed turf in Pennsylvania, controlling what goes into PA waterways is ALL of our responsibility. Help protect Pennsylvania's waterways by being wise when you fertilize! For more information on the Pennsylvania Fertilizer Law, visit the Department of Agriculture's website at agriculture.pa.gov/fertilizer or contact Denise Uzupis at duzupis@pa.gov.



26TH DALLASTOWN RECREATION



CARNIVAL

AUGUST 12-16, 2025

DALLASTOWN COMMUNITY PARK

50 S. SCHOOL PLACE



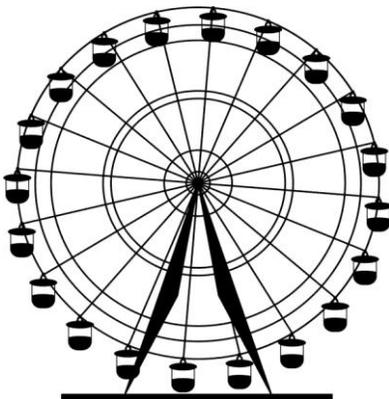
FREE
ENTRY

GAMES

LIVE
MUSIC
6 PM

FOOD

VENDORS



Tuesday – Deep Six- Acoustic Rock with an Edge
 Wednesday – Bluestone – Traditional Bluegrass & Country
 Thursday – Half Serious - Classic to Current Rock & Country cover band
 Friday – StoneWood – Country music & Rock
 Saturday – Emily’s Toy Box – Rock music & Blues



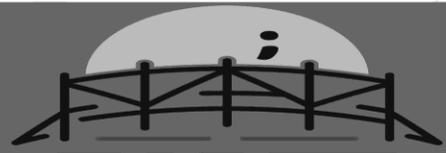
For more information visit: dallastownboro.com





At risk? Call/Text 988 or Chat at 988Lifeline.org

QPR INSTITUTE



BUILDING BRIDGES FOR BRIANNA

WHAT IS QPR Training?

The QPR mission is to save lives and reduce suicidal behaviors by providing innovative, practical, and proven suicide prevention training.

We believe that quality education empowers all people, regardless of their background, to make a positive difference in the life of someone they know.

WHAT IS A QPR GATEKEEPER

A gatekeeper is someone in a position to recognize a crisis and the warning signs that someone may be contemplating suicide.

QPR Gatekeepers can be anyone, but include

- Parents
- Teachers
- Minister
- Youth
- Doctors
- First Responders
- Mental Health Professionals
- Community Members

AS A CERTIFIED QPR GATEKEEPER YOU WILL LEARN TO

1. Recognize the warning signs of suicide
2. Increase awareness of stigma and understand suicide as a public health issue
3. Know how to offer hope
4. Know how to access local and national referral resources
5. Know how to get help and save a life

TRAINING CONTACT INFORMATION

Info@bb4bpa.org
717-801-2965

LOCATION

Your Location or At Our Location

INSTRUCTOR: Matt Dorgan



To contact BB4B:
Email: info@bb4bpa.org
Phone: (717) 801-2965
Website: www.bb4bpa.org

5th Annual BRIDGE BUILDING Festival



SUICIDE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION EVENT

FOOD TRUCKS, 120+ VENDORS, KID GAMES, MOTORCYCLE/ JEEP MEMORIAL RIDE, MENTAL HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS, 50/50, RAFFLES, AND MUCH MORE!

FREE ADMISSION

SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2025

DALLASTOWN COMMUNITY PARK - 50 S SCHOOL PL DALLASTOWN PA 17313

WITH LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

ENTERTAINMENT STARTING AT 12PM

EVENTS.BB4BPA.ORG



BUILDING BRIDGES FOR BRIANNA



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

Visit our CRIMEWATCH website, www.ycrpd.org.

Facebook, facebook.com/YCRPD

Instagram, [ycrpd](https://instagram.com/ycrpd)

Twitter, [YorkCoRegPD](https://twitter.com/YorkCoRegPD)

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

COMMUNITY: York County Regional Police Department Is committed to serving our citizens and communities. We are looking for opportunities to grow and consolidate resources to better serve our communities.

MERGER: On February 13, 2025, the YCRPD Commission voted to merge with Spring Garden Township Police Department, bringing Spring Garden Township on as 4th Charter member of the commission. MOU’s have been signed so that officers from both departments may handle calls for service in either jurisdiction until the merger is complete on June 1, 2025. This merger will raise our officer compliment to over 80 sworn officers.

HIRING: Metropolitan York Police Testing Consortium (MYPTC) will be accepting applications for fall 2025. Please check our website for details yorkpolicejobs.org

CONGRATULATIONS: At the January York County Regional Police commission meeting Officer Mathew Eckert was recognized by Police Chief Timothy Damon & Fire Chief Joseph Stevens, with Chief’s Commendation for his actions on November 30, 2024. Officer Eckert responded to a structure fire call, with entrapment, in the 400 block of Holly Dr. in East Manchester Township. Upon arrival Officer Eckert noticed a female within the residence who was leaning out of a window. Eckert attempted to extract the woman through the window but moved to a backdoor that was nearby. Officer Eckert was able to pry the back door open to allow the women to crawl through and get out of the home. At the February York County Regional Police commission meeting Corporal Christopher Glass was recognized by Police Chief Timothy Damon with a Chief’s Commendation for his actions on December 28, 2024. Corporal Glass responded to a bank robbery at the Orrstown bank on Cape Horn Rd.in Windsor Township. While responding, Corporal Glass received updated information on the location of the suspect vehicle but not a description of the vehicle. Corporal Glass observed a vehicle in the area with an occupant who was acting suspiciously. He observed the vehicle passing another vehicle on Winterstown Rd. Corporal Glass attempted to stop the vehicle while the occupant tossed cash out the window of the vehicle. Glass was able to get the vehicle stopped and arrested the suspect and recovered the money taken in the bank robbery.

EVENTS: On November 2024 we held a “Cram the Cruiser” food drive at GIANT Foods 3175 Cape Horn Rd. The food items collected were donated to the York County Food Bank.

K9 UNIT: Throughout Tango’s 3.5-year career between training and deployments he has searched for electronic devices over 2,500 times and has located over 10,000 devices. Tango had a productive 2024 and was deployed on multiple searches throughout York, Lancaster, Adams, Dauphin, and Cumberland County. Tango conducted searches for cases related to child exploitation, homicides, lost property, and prison/correctional facility searches. Dozens of electronic devices were located on these searches. He attended multiple PR events/demonstrations where we continue to raise awareness for the fight against child exploitation. Tango has been healthy & has had no medical issues since his medical scare earlier in 2024.

CRIME: Dallastown Borough – 3 masked black males assaulted and robbed the victim, stealing a vehicle and other items. One of the males had brandished a firearm. The vehicle was later recovered, suspects identified, and charges were filed.



National Night Out will be held by YCRPD on Tuesday, August 5th at Dallastown Community Park starting at 5:00 pm. Once again, the park will be filled with fun activities, crime prevention information, demonstrations, and entertainment.

IN THE BOROUGH & BEYOND.....

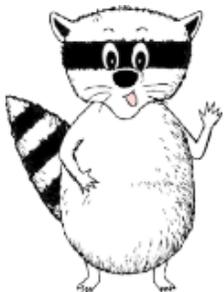
SIGNUP FOR SAVVY CITIZEN

Savvy Citizen is a way for the borough to contact all our residents and water subscribers at any given time in case of an emergency such as water main breaks in your area, snow emergencies, hydrant flushing, etc. We are in the set-up process and need your help by providing your contact information. Signing up on **Savvy Citizen** is free, quick and easy, plus very helpful for both you and the borough. You can sign up using the borough website (dallastownboro.com) or by using the QR Code above or visit SavvyCitizenApp.com. Any questions, please call the Dallastown Borough office or email jarod@dallastownboro.com.



WILDLIFE CONTROL

It's that time of year for those pesky creatures to be invading our backyards again. If you aren't a fan of skunks, raccoons, or opossums, and would like to get rid of them, call **Ellis Wildlife Control**. They are a reliable, family-owned business with over 30 years' experience and are fully licensed in Pennsylvania to remove and control wildlife year-round. They even offer a senior citizen discount. Check out their website at www.elliswildlifecontrol.com. There is a whole list of wildlife they will help you with. Ellis Wildlife Control is in Manchester, and you can contact them either at (717) 266-1712 or ewildlifecontrol@gmail.com.



SOUTHERN AREA FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESCUE (SAFER)

Website: <https://saferyork.com/> Phone: 717-246-1629
or 717-244-4228

Dallastown, Yoe, and Yorkana are pulling together to make a better community. Located at 50 South School Place, Dallastown (Station 1) and 36 East George Street, Yoe, PA (Station 2)

SAFER Launches First Due Community Connect

Southern Area Fire and Emergency Rescue (SAFER) is proud to introduce **First Due Community Connect**, a cutting-edge platform enhancing emergency response and public safety. Residents and businesses can securely share critical property, medical, and occupancy details, helping first responders act swiftly and effectively.

Join this vital initiative by registering at <https://www.communityconnect.io/info/pa-saferfra>.

Volunteer Opportunities

SAFER welcomes volunteers for firefighting, fire police, fundraising, and administrative roles. Junior membership starts at age 14, and property owners may qualify for a tax credit for emergency service contributions.

Leadership Update

As SAFER York enters its 5th year, **Donald Hopple** has been appointed Fire Chief, succeeding **Dave Stump**, whom we thank for his leadership. Officers for 2025-2026 include:

1st VP: Randy Sharp, **Senior Trustee:** John Sanford, **Trustees:** Nick Sabold, **Assistant Chief:** Dave Stump, **Captain:** Bob Bracken, and **Lieutenants:** Andy Bracken & Cody Eberly

Upcoming Events

April 6 – Purses & Pistols Bingo (Tickets: Eventbrite or call 717-246-1629)

June 14 – Sportsman Raffle at Yoe Park

July 30 – **Aug 2** – Yorkana Carnival (Station 3)

Weekly Cash Bingo – Fridays at Station 1, Dallastown (Doors 5 PM, Games 7 PM)

Event Rentals & Catering – Call **717-246-1629** for availability. Stay updated via Facebook!



Established in 1974 and incorporated in 1975, Community REACH, Inc. is a 501(c) 3 not-for-profit human services agency providing basic support to nearly 350 families residing in the Dallastown, Eastern York, and Red Lion school districts of York County. Food insecurity is a real concern for nearly 12% of the population.

We offer our clients a wide range of services including a choice of food, pantry, school supplies, cold weather gear, plus classes. Our friendly staff and volunteers are here to resource, educate, advocate, connect and help our clients and our community.



STOP HOPPER: HOP ABOARD!

When communities have increased mobility options, residents have increased possibilities to improve their quality of life. Rabbittransit's **Stop Hopper** microtransit service, available in Red Lion, Dallastown, and East York, offers area residents the opportunity of greater mobility.

The Stop Hopper is a compact, neighborhood friendly-sized public transit vehicle. Unlike fixed route or shared ride, the Stop Hopper is designed for smaller, rural communities, allowing patrons to access the benefits of public transportation through a direct ride model.

Riders can travel anywhere within the Red Lion/Dallastown/East York service zone by requesting a ride using the Stop Hopper smartphone app. Following a ride request, the app provides an estimated pick-up time, tracks vehicles in real-time and alerts passengers when their ride is about to arrive. Passengers are picked up in a nine-person, ADA accessible van and taken where they want to go. The Stop Hopper app is available for download via the **App Store** or **Google Play**.

Operating hours range from 6:30am to 6:30pm, Monday through Friday. The service is free for seniors 65+ who possess a registered free fare ID card. Riders may also place a ride request by calling 1-800-632-9063, one hour before their desired pick-up time.

Learn more about Stop Hopper at www.ridethestopper.org.

Dallastown Community Park will be temporarily closed. The Borough received a grant through DCNR & DCED. This grant will help make the Community Park more ADA accessible by adding ADA-accessible parking at the entrance off E Cherry Lane. It will also fix the stormwater problems at the ballfields, update some new fencing and backstops, and provide some new playground equipment. The park renovations will be completed July 31, 2025.

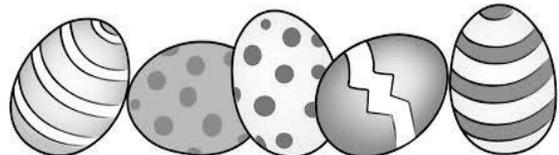
EASTER EGG HUNT

The annual Easter Egg Hunt changed its location this year. **Lions Park located at 541 Lions Dr, Dallastown** and is being hosted by the Dallastown American Legion Post #605. It will be held promptly at 10:00 am on **Saturday, April 12th**.

The children (ages 2-12) will be divided into age groups and there will be "prize eggs & special treats".

View our calendar of upcoming events
www.dallastownpost605.org

Come join in the fun!!!!



DALLASTOWN
AMERICAN
LEGION POST 605
57 W. MAIN STREET

The Dallastown American Legion's annual Memorial Day Ceremony will be held on **Monday, May 26th**. The parade will kick off at 9:00 am at Main & Park Streets, proceeding west on Main St. to Union Cemetery where the Ceremony will be held.

View our calendar of upcoming events @ www.dallastownpost605.org





FIRST CAPITAL **EMS**



Our care is Driven and Centered around our Community.

First Capital EMS. is a non-profit, 501(c)3, charitable organization incorporated in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We are dispatched by the York County Department of Emergency Services - 911 Center.

Why Should I Buy an Ambulance Subscription?

Peace of Mind in an Emergency:

Although many patients have medical insurance coverage of some types, most insurance plans cover only a portion of the fees associated with transportation to the hospital. Any portion of the fees not covered by private insurance becomes an out-of-pocket expense for the patient.

As a *First Capital EMS Subscriber*, payment from your insurance carrier(s) will satisfy your obligation to us for our service costs*. Non-Subscribers are responsible for payment in full for services, regardless of the amount covered by their insurance carrier. Subscribers shall forward any payments received directly from their insurance carrier to First Capital EMS immediately upon receipt.

If we are already committed to an emergency when you need us, the 911 center will dispatch the next closest available ambulance service. This subscription is also honored by 5 neighboring EMS agencies shown below:

- Jacobus Ambulance
- Red Lion Ambulance
- Southern York County EMS
- Eureka Fire and Ambulance
- Rose Fire Company (New Freedom)

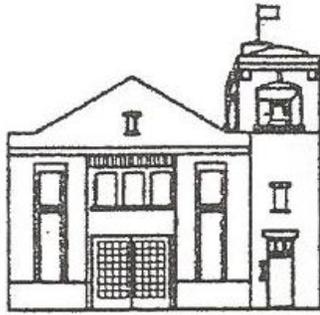
All patients will be responsible for a charge of \$95 - \$300 for refusal of transport, when evaluation and/or treatment is provided. **Non-transport is not covered by subscription.*



DALLASTOWN EMA NEWS

As we approach the Spring/Summer season, Keep in mind..... How prepared are you? Climate change is a priority to Emergency Management. The changing climate is a force multiplier- increasing the number of storms, floods, fires, and extreme temperatures. That threatens the well-being of people across our nation and communities. Our Emergency Managers plan for and strategically invest in climate adaptation measures, the effects from disasters are less severe and the road to recovery starts sooner for survivors. FEMA has developed tools people can use to understand their immediate /future climate risks to make a plan, including the FEMA app and the FEMA National Risk Index. The mobile app is for weather alerts, giving users access for up to five locations. It helps to identify immediate threats to protect yourselves and loved ones. FEMA National Risk Index- Is an online tool that helps illustrate the extreme weather events facing the nation and your community. Plan, now, and prepare - knowing your risk isn't enough. Checkout Homeland Security website "www.ready.gov" while preparing don't forget your furry family members.....they also need a "Go Bag" and shelter placement along with a contact list including the veterinarian. If you are interested in preparedness training, you can contact the Borough office 717-244-6626. Training is free. Appointments can be made for me to come and visit residence, business, school or daycare. All our work is volunteer work and very rewarding. Have a safe and happy spring and summer season.

Yvonne Schrum, EMA Coordinator
Borough Office 717-244-6626



THE DALLASTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

118 E. Main Street Dallastown

Help Us Raise the Roof! The Dallastown Area Historical Society is thrilled to join **Give Local York** for the first time on **May 1st and 2nd**—and we need your support. **Our roof needs complete replacement.** Without urgent repairs, our ability to protect and share Dallastown's story is in jeopardy. The cost? **\$30,000.** This fundraising opportunity will jump start our capital fund campaign. Visit us online to donate and unlock exclusive benefits at each giving level.

Want to explore more? Our regular Open Houses take place **the first Sunday of every month from 1-4 pm at 118 East Main Street**—a historic gem that once housed functioned as the town's firehouse, borough office, and even its jail. Don't miss this chance to connect with the past and be part of our future.

Our May 4th **Open House** from 1-4 pm will be a **Give Local York Fundraising Celebration** so our friends and neighbors can share our successes, donate in person, or pick up giving level prizes.

Stop by our **Soft Pretzel Stand** at the **Dallastown Carnival August 12th to 16th.**

The **October 5th Open House** will feature a **Walking Tour of Dallastown Churches** during our regular 1 to 4 pm hours.

Look for more details about all our activities on the **Dallastown Historical website** and **Facebook** pages. New members and volunteers are always welcome. Memberships are available online. Contact us dallastownhistorical@gmail.com or leave a message at 717.741.4366 about questions or volunteer opportunities.



**DALLASTOWN
LIONS CLUB**
500 Lions Drive Dallastown

EVENTS AT DALLASTOWN LIONS PARK:

APRIL 26th – Trivia In The Park – Music through the decades. Admission 5:30 pm, Trivia 6 pm, \$10/person.

bit.ly/triviainthepark2025

Proceeds benefit community service projects.



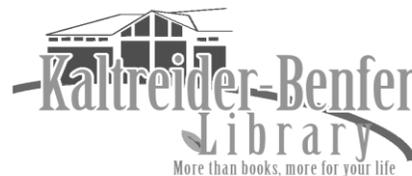
MAY 17th - Vendor & Craft Show & Pie Contest – From 10 am to 3 pm. **Vendor Registration & Info:**

bit.ly/2025craftshow

Proceeds benefit community service projects.

JUNE 7th – Chicken BBQ – Meals are \$11.00 for ½ BBQ Chicken, Baked Potato, Applesauce, Roll with Butter & Dessert. You must pre-order meals by calling before May 27th. Call Lion Bob Schmuck @ 244-5906 or Lion Mike Craley @ 880-5052. Orders must be picked up at Lions Park between 12 pm & 12:30 pm. Proceeds benefit community service projects.

Support Dallastown Lions Club. Give local York presented by Giant. The day of online giving is the first Thursday & Friday in May.



147 S. Charles St., Red Lion, PA 17356

KBL provides free educational opportunities to all. We encourage families to participate in our ongoing reading rewards programs such as 1000 Books Before Kindergarten, Grade One at the Library (GOAL), and Summer Quest. We offer regularly scheduled classes. We offer weekly take & make crafts, online LEGO challenges, cooking classes, and more!

To see our full schedule, please visit us on the web at yorklibraries.org/events.

SENIOR NEWS.....



The York County Area Agency on Aging has a variety of services and resources available for older adults. While many people know that we provide care management and protective services for older adults who need them, they may not realize all the other services and resources that are available through our office. Caregiver support, free health and wellness classes, home delivered meals, Medicare education, senior centers, and information on a variety of services, benefits, and programs are available to older York County adults through our office. Information available includes senior housing, recently updated personal care/assisted living and nursing home guides, medical and dental resources, food bank listings, financial information, and lots more. For those with a computer, you can read more about what the York County Area Agency on Aging can provide by visiting our website at www.ycaaa.org or making an email inquiry at aging@yorkcountypa.gov. If you do not have a computer, you can simply call our office at 717-771-9610 to inquire about any of these services or programs. We will be happy to speak with you live on the phone.

RENT-A-KID

The Rent-A-Kid program, sponsored by the York County Area Agency on Aging (YCAAA), is a unique, intergenerational program bringing senior citizens and teenagers together. York County senior citizens, 60 years of age or older, who need help with household chores, odd jobs, and yard work are matched with a teenager in their area who can assist. The older adult needs to be agreeable to a reimbursement of minimum wage or a negotiated rate based on the job. Don't wait – arrange for help with your chores BEFORE you need it. Call (717) 771-9103 for information on Rent-A-Kid participants in your area.



20 GOTHAM PLACE RED LION, PA 17356
244-7229

Golden Connections Community Center is a multi-service facility for older adults 60+. The Center can fulfill many social, emotional, and intellectual needs. Center activities are designed to overcome loneliness, enhance self-esteem, encourage personal growth, and to facilitate independence through involvement.

Events

Weekly Line Dancing Class - Every Monday Night
Line Dance lesson from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm.

Line Dance Workshop - Saturday, April 12th from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm doors open at 9:30 am.

Tee It High & Let It Fly Golf Tournament - Saturday, May 17th at Cool Creek Golf Club in Wrightsville, PA.

Community Yard Sale Extravaganza
Looking for a place to sell your treasures? Yard Sale event on June 13th & 14th, at 8:30 am – 2:00 pm

Longaberger Basket Bingo Fundraiser - Saturday, August 30th, at 2 pm doors open at noon.

Open House & Health/Wellness Fair - 4th Annual Open House & Health/Wellness Fair on Friday, September 19th at 9:30 am – 1:00 pm.

Makers Market - 2nd Annual Makers Market! On October 18th. We're looking for vendors.

Rentals

Looking for a space to rent for an upcoming event you plan on throwing, then look no further. The Golden Connections Community Center offers space to rent for all types of events. You can rent our building, which offers two spacious rooms, and access to tables and chairs for only \$50.00 per hour.

For more info on these events or rentals contact Kasie Ream, Director of Social Services, at 244-7229 or go online to www.gcccenter.com.

Make a Difference—Become a Meals on Wheels Volunteer in 2025!

NEWS FROM OUR LOCAL CHURCHES...



CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

126 West Main Street • Dallastown,

Phone: (717)244-2605

Fax: (717)244-2210

Email: clc5@comcast.net

Web: www.clcdallastown.org

Weekly Events:

Chair Yoga - M / W 9:00 am

Cubs / Boy Scouts - Mondays 6:30 pm

Choir - Wednesdays 6:00 pm

Bible Study - Thursdays 10 am

Traditional Worship - 10 am Sundays

SCS for 3-yrs - adults 9:00 - 9:45 Sunday mornings

No SCS May 25th - Sept 7th

Upcoming Missions/Ministries

April 5th - Chili Cook off

April 12th - Easter Egg Hunt – 9 am

April 17th - Maundy Thursday Service 7 pm

April 17th & 18th - Prayer Vigil

April 18th - Good Friday Service 7 pm

April 19th - Bag Lunch Distribution

April 20th - Sunrise Service 6:30 am, Easter Service 10:00 am

April 24th - QPR Training 6 pm

May 10th - Bag Lunch distribution

May 26th - Coffee & Donuts for the Memorial Day Parade

June 8th - Food Truck Party 4 - 6 pm

June 11th - Vacation Bible School

June 18th - Vacation Bible School

June 25th - Vacation Bible School

June 29th - Community Lunch

July 9th - Vacation Bible School

July 16th - Vacation Bible School

July 23rd - Vacation Bible School

July 24th - QPR Training

July 27th - Community Lunch

Aug 17th - Blessing of the Backpacks 10 am Service

Aug 24th - Community Lunch

Sept 13th - Bag Lunch distribution

Sept 14th - Kick Off Sunday

Please check our website or Facebookpages for updates.



ST. JOHN'S BLYMIRE'UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

1009 Blymire Road, Dallastown

2025 CHICKEN BBQ SCHEDULE



April 12th

May 10th

June 14th

July 12th

August 9th

Dinners include ½ chicken, baked potato, roll & butter all for \$10.00

Sale hours are from 11 am until 1:00 pm. To guarantee your meals call the church at 717-244-0655 to reserve.

EVENTS:

April 6th, June 8th, August 10th from 6:00 – 8:00 pm
Hymn Sing – Free

April 18th, May 16th, June 20th from 6:00 – 8:00 pm
Messy Church for Youth- Free

April 19th, May 17th, June 21st, July 19th, August 16th
from 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Emmanuel's Closet Distribution -Free

May 3rd from 12:30 – 3:30 .m

Ladies Day Out Chocolate Buffet - Free

May 30th Departure from church at 9:00 am
Lancaster Thrift Day -Thrift Shopping by carpool

July 19th from 5:00 – 7:00 pm
Picnic Potluck - Bring a picnic pot dish - Free

August 15th Departure from the church at 9:00 am
Farm Market Tour of Adams and Franklin counties
Carpool shop farm markets

Call 717-244-0655 for more information or check www.stjohnsblymiresucc.com



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