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Township



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LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Dear Friends, Neighbors and Fellow Residents,

On behalf of the Board of Supervisors and Township staff, I would like to wish you all a very happy holiday season! I hope that you are all able to spend ample time with family and friends over the next few weeks.

I am very pleased to report—and only partly in jest—that Santa Claus arrived early in East Goshen this year. Since the last newsletter was published in September, **the Township has been awarded nearly \$1 million in grants for the planned improvements at the Milltown and Hershey Mill Dam open spaces.** The recent grants are in addition to over \$500,000 in previously awarded grants for these sites, plus over \$3.5 million in grants for the Paoli Pike Trail and the new destination playground.



Rendering of Milltown Dam Park

If you're doing the math at home, that's over \$5 million in awarded grants over the past several years. As always, a special shout out goes to Jason Lang, our Director of Parks and Recreation and grant-writing *wunderkind*, for his excellent work in securing this funding.

In early December, **the Township adopted its 2019 budget and 2019-2023 Capital Improvement Plan**, which lays out all the planned capital projects and funding sources over the next five years. Based on that plan, we are targeting 2019 and 2020 to complete the improvements at the Hershey Mill Dam site; 2020 to complete the improvements at the Milltown Dam site; and 2020 and 2021 to complete the segments of the Paoli Pike Trail between North Chester Road and Reservoir Road

The **Township's new Pipeline Task Force** had its first meeting on November 12. This group, which has been tasked with advising the Board and making recommendations on pipeline legislation and regulatory matters (among various other responsibilities), is made up of five very talented individuals, and the Board looks forward to working with them as they hit the ground running in the months to come. The members of the Task Force are Judy DiFonzo, Russ Frank, Caroline Hughes, Karen Miller and Bill Wegemann.

In October, **Sunoco announced that it plans to complete construction on the Mariner 2 and 2x pipeline in late 2020.** However, we don't know precisely when it expects to complete

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MEETINGS

East Goshen Township meetings are advertised in the *Daily Local News*.

All Township meetings and workshops, with the exception of Board of Supervisors executive sessions, are open to the public.

Thank You To The Businesses

The Board of Supervisors would like to thank the businesses that appear in this newsletter and to recognize them each as supporters and cornerstones of our community. For it is with their contributions that this newsletter has been produced at minimal charge to our residents.



LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN..... *continued from cover*

work in East Goshen specifically. As many of you know, in the interim, Sunoco will be conveying natural gas liquids temporarily through Chester County via an existing 12 inch line already in the ground.

Unfortunately, due to the heavy rains over the past several months, we have had to temporarily halt dredging the **Marydell Pond** until later in the winter. The ground was simply too wet to make adequate progress. However, we are hopeful that our crews will be back on site before the spring newsletter arrives in mailboxes and that we can implement a landscaping plan in the fall of 2019.



The negotiating team representing East Goshen and Westtown Townships were, unfortunately, unable to reach an agreement with the Westtown-East Goshen Police Association on the terms of the next **police labor agreement**. As of this writing, the two sides are scheduled to go to binding arbitration in the spring, where a panel of three arbitrators will determine the details of the next labor agreement. Special thanks go to East Goshen Supervisors Janet Emanuel and Mike Lynch, along with Westtown Supervisor Scott Yaw, for working tirelessly and productively with the Police Association to hammer out a deal, even if both sides were ultimately unable to find common ground on all the issues.

The Township held a very productive and well-attended meeting on October 25th on a **proposal to amend the Township's zoning ordinance** to allow for duplexes and triplexes on undeveloped parcels of over 20 acres in the R-2 zoning district, the predominant residential zoning district in the Township, with no change in the maximum density of one housing unit per available acre. Currently, only single family detached homes are allowed in the R-2, and concern has been raised about the potential loss of open space and environmental impact from the continued building of detached homes, rather than two or three-unit townhomes, which can be built more closely together. Importantly, under this proposal, no change in the total number of individual dwellings that can be built on a parcel is recommended—there would still be a maximum of one dwelling unit (or, in layman's terms, one front door) per acre. As a result, building duplexes and triplexes has the

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potential to preserve more open space than if detached homes, with their much larger front, side and rear yard set-back requirements, were to be built. Thank you to the many residents who turned out that night to share their concerns. Township staff is gathering further information for the Planning Commission and the Board of Supervisors, and hopefully, we will be in a position to make a final decision in early 2019.

As mentioned in previous newsletters, the Township has an e-mail communication called **Constant Contact**. Residents are able to receive timely information on specific areas of interest. Residents can sign up by going to the Township's website at www.eastgoshen.org. Residents are also encouraged to sign up for ReadyChesco, an emergency notification system, to be made aware of any emergency in your area. **ReadyChesco** uses mapping technology to tailor specific messages to residents based on where they work or live. Visit www.readychesco.org to sign up today.



If you have an interest in giving back to the community, let us know. We are always looking for motivated folks to volunteer to serve on any one of our Authorities, Boards or Commissions.

The Board welcomes feedback and suggestions from our residents. You may call the Township at 610-692-7171, respond through our website or contact me at mshane@eastgoshen.org.

Happy Holidays!

Marty

E. Martin Shane, Chairman

UPDATE ON TOWNSHIP LOGO REDESIGN

Thank you to the hundreds of Township residents who provided feedback on the proposed redesign of the Township's logo! All total, feedback was received from 259 residents, 32% of whom preferred the Township's existing two logos to the proposed redesigns. Among the proposed redesigned logos, no clear consensus emerged about the most popular design. Therefore, after considerable deliberation, the Board decided to table the matter and retain the existing logos for the time being.



EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP: SUPPORTING OUR EMERGENCY RESPONDERS

Have you ever noticed a Goshen fire truck parked on your street while our Public Works crews are working nearby? Don't be alarmed! Chances are that there's no emergency nearby.

Over the past several months, the East Goshen Township Public Works Department has been manning a truck during the day to help the Goshen Fire Company, should the need arise. Currently, seven of our Public Works Operators serve as volunteer firefighters and are able to provide the Fire Company with a valuable resource during regular working hours when volunteer fire departments frequently have trouble getting the trucks out to calls as most of their volunteers are at their own paid jobs. Our crews pick the truck up every morning and are ready to respond to any emergency in the Township at the drop of their shovel, backhoe or mower!



LATEST NEWS FROM THE GOSHEN FIRE COMPANY



The Goshen Fire Company was pleased to host our community at our annual Fire Prevention Open House on Friday, October 12th. Kids learned how to operate a fire extinguisher and how to safely escape a house fire. They got to see a wide variety of fire, emergency and law enforcement vehicles, ate a few hot dogs and saw some amazing demonstrations.

In addition to our attendees, we would like to thank our volunteers for their hours of service in putting this event together, as well as our partners in public safety: the Chester County Department of Emergency Services, the Westtown-East Goshen Regional Police Department, and the many surrounding fire companies and law enforcement agencies that helped make the event a great success. Also, a big thank you to East Whiteland Fire Company and First West Chester Fire Company who stood by to respond to any emergency that might have occurred in the Township during the event.

Our Fire, EMS and Fire Police divisions always welcome new volunteers; training and equipment is provided at no cost to you! Got a special skill you can share with us? We also need volunteers to help with marketing, administration, finance, and special events. Stop by our 1320 Park Avenue station any Monday night, or go to www.goshenfireco.org for information on how you can join us. Follow us on Facebook at Goshen Fire Company.

Spring seems far away, but mark your calendars for Goshen's spring flower sales at Station 56, at the intersection of Boot & Greenhill Rds.

- **Easter:** April 19-21
- **Mother's Day:** May 10-12



Kids worked with our firefighters to learn how to use a fire extinguisher



Fire trucks from our neighboring companies



Demonstrating the tools used in vehicle rescues



Our newest fire education prop is an inflatable house that can be filled with non-toxic "smoke", teaching kids how to survive a house fire.



The left side of this structure is equipped with sprinklers; the right is not.



Firefighters extinguish the blaze.



Notice how the sprinklered side sustained only minor damage



LATEST NEWS FROM THE WESTTOWN-EAST GOSHEN POLICE DEPARTMENT



Cookies for a Cop

In October, the Westtown-East Goshen Regional Police Department received a box of cookies as part of the “Cookies for a Cop and Fire Friends” program. Making the delivery today was Terry Beans and Debbie Raughley. Thank you to everyone involved in this program!



Beards for Charity

Westtown-East Goshen Police Department will be joining the Willistown Township Police Department, West Goshen Township Police Department, East Whiteland Township Police Department, and Malvern Borough Police Department in Beards for Charity. The charities that will benefit from their efforts are “Unite for Her” and “Beards for Buc.”

“Unite for Her” is a West Chester based nonprofit charity committed to helping women diagnosed with breast cancer navigate their way through treatment by providing complementary therapies designed to promote physical and emotional wellness.

“Beards for Buc” is a new endeavor undertaken this year. “Buc” or Sergeant Christopher Sambuco from the Caln Township Police Department suddenly and unexpectedly passed away in April of 2018 leaving behind an extended law enforcement family, as well as a wife and four young children. Chris was a devoted husband, father, friend and public servant. Funds raised will benefit the Sambuco Children Education Fund.

Each officer who decides to participate is asked to make a \$50 donation and the total amount collected will be matched by the Police Association at the end of the month.

OPERATION SAFE STOP 2018



On Wednesday, October 24, 2018, the Westtown-East Goshen Regional Police Department partnered with the West Chester Area School District and Krapf Bus Company to monitor school bus stops in conjunction with Operation Safe Stop. Members of the Traffic Safety Unit examined past traffic complaints involving school bus stop violations and identified two local bus routes with high levels of complaints where motorists fail to stop for activated lights at bus stops.

Members of the Traffic Safety Unit rode on school buses and monitored activities at each stop. During the operation one motorist was observed driving through the activated stop lights on East Pleasant Grove Road and Skiles Boulevard in Westtown Township. A marked patrol vehicle was able to stop this driver and issue citations for the violation.

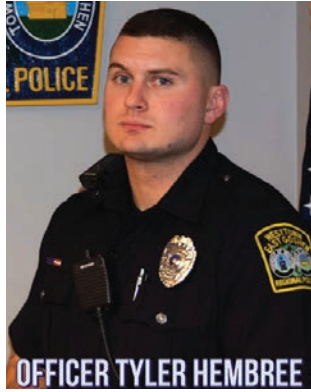
Pennsylvania’s School Bus Stopping Law requires motorists to stop at least 10 feet away from school buses that have their red lights flashing and stop arm extended. Motorists must stop when they are behind the bus, meeting the bus or approaching an intersection where a bus is stopped. Motorists following or traveling alongside a school bus must also stop until the red lights have stopped flashing, the stop arm is withdrawn, and all children have reached safety. If physical barriers such as grassy medians, guide rails or concrete median barriers separate oncoming traffic from the bus, motorists in the opposing lanes may proceed without stopping.

Motorists found to be in violation are issued a citation for Section 3345(a) Meeting or Overtaking a School Bus. The penalty for the violation is a \$250 dollar fine, a 60 day license suspension followed by five points when the license is restored.



New Part-Time Officers

Officer Tyler Hembree is a graduate of Chichester High School. Following high school Officer Hembree attended Immaculata University where he played on the men's soccer team and graduated with a bachelor's degree in Criminology in 2015. Upon graduating from the Delaware County Community College Municipal Police Academy in 2016, he was hired as a part-time officer with the Lower Chichester Police Department.



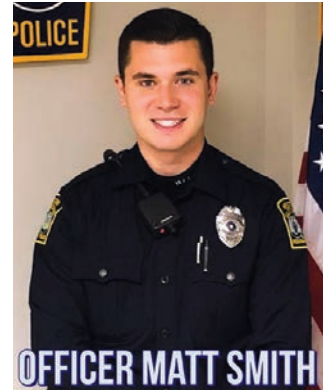
Officer Dan Lemmon is a graduate of Upper Darby High School. After high school, Officer Lemmon graduated from the Automotive Training Center and began a career in automotive technology. In 2014, Officer Lemmon graduated from the Delaware County Community College Municipal Police Academy and shortly thereafter began his career in law enforcement with the Upland Borough Police Department.



Officer Michael Cabry is a graduate of Bishop Shanahan High School. Following high school, Officer Cabry attended Saint Francis University where he obtained a bachelor's degree in business management. After college, Officer Cabry joined the United States Army National Guard and also graduated from the Montgomery County Municipal Police Academy. Prior to joining WEGO, Officer Cabry was employed with the Chester County Sheriff's Office and the West Caln Police Department. Officer Cabry also serves as the Defensive Backs Coach for the Downingtown East High School Football Team.



Officer Matt Smith graduated from Garnet Valley High School in June of 2014. Officer Smith went on to play lacrosse at York College of Pennsylvania and majored in Criminal Justice. He transferred to West Chester University and in 2018 graduated with a bachelor degree in Criminal Justice. Officer Smith entered the municipal police academy in Delaware County in January of 2018 and graduated in June of 2018. Officer Smith began his Law Enforcement career with the Aston Township Police department in August of 2018.



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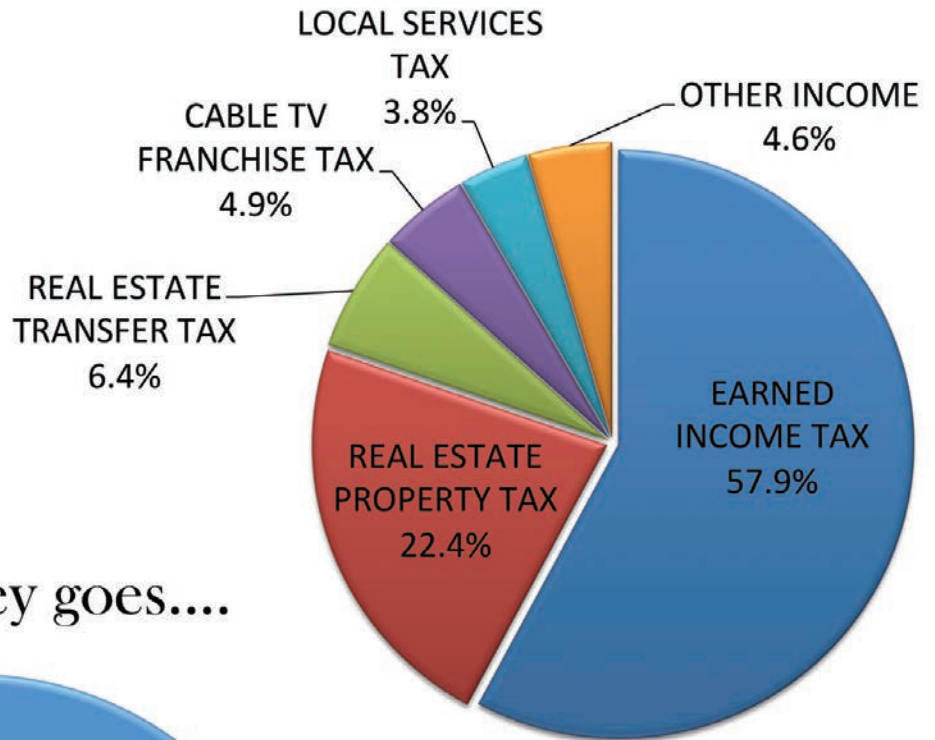
DOLLARS & SENSE

By the time you receive this newsletter, it is expected that the Board of Supervisors will have approved the 2019 Township Budget. We are pleased to report that for the 16th consecutive year, there will be no change to the Township's real estate tax rate of 1.25 mills. Specific details about budget can be found on our website at www.eastgoshen.org/services/finance/budget.

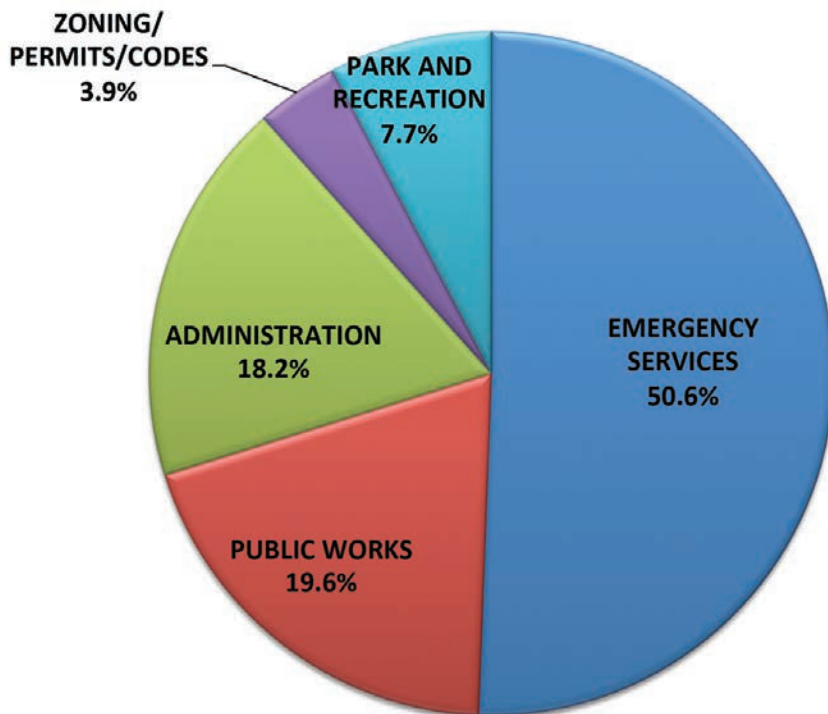
The pie charts below show the breakdown of the Township's General Fund Revenues and Expenses.

Questions or concerns about the budget or the Township's finances in general can be directed to Jon Altshul at jaltshul@eastgoshen.org or 610-692-7171.

Where the money comes from...



Where the money goes....



If you become aware of any evidence of a pipeline-related emergency in your area, please call 911!



UPDATE ON THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT THE WEST GOSHEN SEWER PLANT

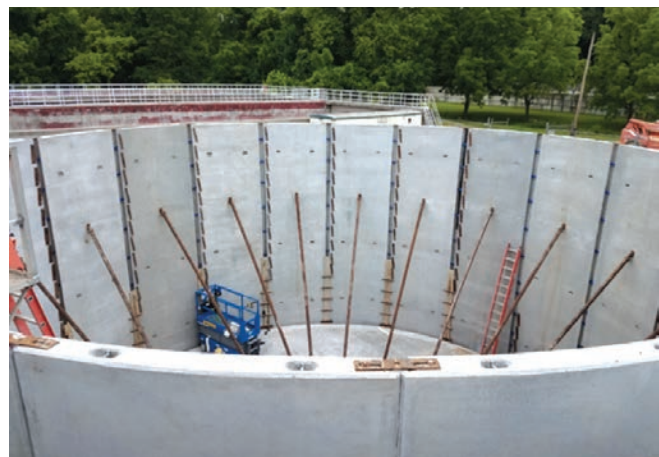
The East Goshen Municipal Authority (EGMA) is responsible for the management and disposal of effluent wastewater generated in East Goshen Township. Approximately 25% of that wastewater is handled by our own plant, the Ridley Creek Sewer Plant, located off Towne Drive in the southeastern end of the Township. The remainder is transferred by a series of pumping stations to the West Goshen Wastewater Treatment Plant on South Concord Road, which is operated by the West Goshen Sewer Authority (WGSA).

The WGSA plant was expanded in 1977, and East Goshen was one of four other townships that entered into agreements with the WGSA for the treatment of wastewater. West Goshen contributes about 60% of the wastewater flow into the plant, with the other townships making up the remaining 40%, thereby distributing the fixed costs among a greater number of users. For its part, East Goshen has “reserved capacity” of one million gallons of wastewater per day at the WGSA plant, or 16.7% of the plant’s total capacity of 6 million gallons per day. Therefore, East Goshen is responsible for 16.7% of the costs of any capital improvements at the WGSA plant. By contrast, East Goshen’s share of the WGSA operating costs—e.g. worker salaries, chemicals used during treatment, utility expenses, etc—is based on total actual sewage “flows” from East Goshen divided by total flows to the WGSA Plant in any given year, a figure that varies modestly from year to year. These operating and capital costs, along with the cost of operating and maintaining our own Ridley Creek Sewer Plant, four pump stations and 86 miles of sewer lines, are borne by quarterly sewer bills sent to the 8,600 homes and businesses in the Township connected to the sewer system.



The new headworks & grit system at the WGSA Plant

The WGSA plant is presently undergoing a major renovation to meet current U.S. and Pennsylvania safety and environmental regulations for its plant and sewer systems. These improvements include a new anaerobic digester, enhanced chemical addition processes, improved headworks, advanced water treatment system and pumping station upgrades, and other repairs, with a total estimated project cost of \$27.4 million. The EGMA is responsible for 16.7% of the capital project costs, or about \$4.5 million. As expected with such a large project, many of the engineering improvements involve major construction, legal permitting, and some are sequential in nature. The overall construction effort is expected to continue for two more years, until the end of 2020.



The new anaerobic digester at the WGSA Plant

are required for the safe and effective operation of the WGSA treatment plant. The EGMA is actively monitoring the construction project by attending WGSA meetings and conducting periodic site visits to the plant to view the work in progress. In this manner, the EGMA continues to be good stewards of resident dollars, but also an advocate for environmentally sound operations within the current regulatory framework.

Any questions about the Township’s sewer operations may be directed to members of the East Goshen Municipal Authority, which meets monthly on the second Monday of the month at 7:00p.m. in the Township Building.

Phil Mayer, EGMA

The EGMA’s share of these costs was included as part of the larger 2017 East Goshen Township bond issue. When amortized, these plant improvements result in modest increases in the quarterly sewer rates, but



A view inside the digester at the WGSA Plant

POETIC HOLIDAY FRUIT CAKE RECIPE

One cup of butter

One cup of milk

Three teaspoons baking powder

As fine as silk

Gather four large eggs

Pint of butternut meats

A half teaspoon salt and some

Raisins, dates or other sweet treats

A pinch of allspice will make it nice

Three and a half cups of flour

A dash of clove, cinnamon, and vanilla

Will give the cake some extra power

Put the flour in a large bowl

Then cream together butter and sugar

Place this mixture in with the flour

Add eggs and milk and stir with vigor

Mix in all the fruits, nuts and spices

Pour the batter into a greased pan

Bake at two hundred and seventy five degrees

In ninety minutes the cake will have a beautiful tan

Happy Holidays to all East Goshenites!

Nancy Daversa

East Goshen Township

Poet Laureate



Note: My father-in-law received a homemade fruitcake in a tin during World War II which he carried in his knapsack. It came home with him when the war was over. My son now has the fruitcake. Guess there is truth to the saying that fruitcake lasts forever.

BEWARE THE LATEST MENACE TO CHESTER COUNTY: THE SPOTTED LANTERNFLY

The Chester County Health Department is receiving a surge in the number of calls about the Spotted Lanternfly – in both rural and urban areas. You have likely heard that the Spotted Lanternfly is the latest invasive insect pest that threatens our natural habitats, managed landscapes, and farms and forests. This is potentially the worst invasive pest since the introduction of the gypsy moth nearly 150 years ago.



This Asian planthopper was found for the first time in the United States in Berks County, Pennsylvania, in 2014. It has since spread throughout 13 counties in southeastern Pennsylvania, currently under quarantine, including Chester County. The insect has recently been found in New Jersey and Virginia.

This insect threatens not only about \$18 billion of agricultural products in Pennsylvania, but it can make outdoor areas unusable by excreting a sticky substance called honeydew, which serves as a host for sooty mold. Furthermore, the presence of the Spotted Lanternfly could threaten the shipment of goods over state lines and from the port of Philadelphia, should restrictions be placed on the movement of Pennsylvania products.

Since it is new to the United States, little is known about its behavior and biology, but researchers in the Penn State College of Agricultural Sciences and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) are working tirelessly to gather scientific data on how to contain and manage this pest. The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture (PDA) and USDA are leading the strategy and implementation of containment and control efforts, while the college focuses on research, education, and outreach.

Working with PDA and USDA, Penn State Extension has launched a spotted lanternfly website that serves as the primary hub for the most up to date information on this insect. To help stop the spread, the public can visit this website to learn how to identify spotted lanternfly and to report any potential sightings for action by PDA. Visit <https://extension.psu.edu/have-you-seen-a-spotted-lanternfly> to learn more.

You will also find an online course that provides businesses with the necessary training to receive a PDA permit that is required for companies operating in the quarantine zone to move equipment and goods within and out of the zone.

We need your help in fighting this pest as September through December is their egg laying season.

The Chester County Health Department



WHEN IN DOUBT THROW IT OUT!

Please help us keep recycling costs down and our environment healthy!

Please no plastic bags, greasy pizza boxes (or anything with food waste in it!), Styrofoam, bottle caps, children's toys, tissues, paper towel and napkins (among many other non-recyclables) in curbside recycling.

Mixed paper, newspaper, clean cardboard, rinsed metal/aluminum food and beverage cans, clean/rinsed plastic #1-#7 with bottle caps off (except polystyrene/foam/Styrofoam #6), clean/rinsed milk cartons, and clean food and drink glass bottles (but not old drinking glasses!) are all recyclable materials.

Visit <https://eastgoshen.org/when-in-doubt-throw-it-out/> to learn more!



Throw these out!



2019 Bulk Trash and Yard Waste Dates

2019 Bulk Trash Days

A bulk item must be able to be picked up and handled by two people. A maximum of two bulk items may be placed out for pickup at one time.



- January 17th and 18th
- February 14th and 15th
- March 14th and 15th
- April 11th and 12th
- May 16th and 17th
- June 13th and 14th
- July 11th and 12th
- August 15th and 16th
- September 12th and 13th
- October 17th and 18th
- November 14th and 15th
- December 12th and 13th

2019 Yard Waste Days

Only paper bags will be collected, no plastic bags will be taken. You may also use a trash can; provided it weighs no more than 50 lbs.

- January 9th* and 23rd*
- February 6th and 20th
- March 6th and 20th
- April 3rd and 17th
- May 1st, 15th, 29th
- June 12th and 26th
- July 10th and 24th
- August 7th and 21st
- September 4th and 18th
- October 2nd, 16th, 30th
- November 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th
- December 4th and 18th



2018 Holiday & 2019 Trash Holiday Schedule



Please note that trash will not be picked up on the dates listed below.

All debris will be taken on the next regularly scheduled service day, except as noted below for Christmas and New Years.

- **Christmas Day**, Tuesday, December 25th, 2018—However, trash and recycling will be picked up on Wednesday, December 26th for households on the Tuesday-Friday trash schedule.
- **New Year's Day**, January 1st, Tuesday – New Year's Day— However, trash and recycling will be picked up on Wednesday, January 2nd for households on the Tuesday-Friday trash schedule.
- **Memorial Day**, Monday, May 27th
- **Independence Day**, Thursday, July 4th
- **Labor Day**, Monday, September 2nd
- **Thanksgiving**, Thursday, November 28th



Latest News from the Malvern Public Library

Find us on the web at www.malvern-library.org

Are you a library supporter? We are looking for new members to join our library board of trustees. We currently have an opening for a member from East Whiteland Township, and for members at large from Willistown Township, Malvern Borough, and East Goshen Township. Our board meets once monthly to discuss library fundraising, finances, operations, and programming. If you are interested in volunteering your time, please contact the Library Director, Maggie Stanton, at mstanton@ccls.org or 610-644-7259.



Are you attending Christmas on King this year? We will have candy canes and a Christmas craft for preschool and school aged children in our children's room, as well as a special reading of The Polar Express at 11 AM. We will be up on King Street with storytimes and crafts from 12-4PM. Drop by the library book sale while you're in town. We hope to see you there!

Winter storytime registration began on November 12 for children ages birth to six years. The winter session begins on December 3, and ends on February 14. Please check our online calendar for times and to register.

Did you know that the library hosts **two monthly book clubs** on the second Tuesday of every month? Our morning book club meets at 10 AM, and our evening book club meets at 6:30 PM. New members can pick up a copy of the book at the front desk. No need to register to attend.

Off from school? Drop by the library for Make & Take crafts on Monday, January 21, and Monday, February 18, between 10 AM – 5 PM. For children ages preK – grade 5. No need to register to attend.

Coming soon: many great programs for adults, including a cooking demonstration, a real estate informational session, elderly financial abuse prevention, and more! *Check our online calendar in the New Year!*



SEWER/REFUSE DISCOUNT PROGRAM

As you may know, East Goshen Township offers a 5% discount on utility bill to residents who meet certain criteria, including eligibility for the following state and federal programs:

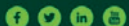
- Senior Citizen Property Tax or Rent Rebate Act
- Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract or the Elderly Act (PACE)
- Federal Food Stamp Act of 1977, as amended through 2030
- Women's, Infants and Children's Nutrition Improvement Act
- Aid to Families with Dependent Children
- Public Assistance Law

Note that residents already enrolled in this program must re-apply each year by December 31st. Applications can be obtained at the Township Building. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Chris Boylan at 610-692-7171 or cboyland@eastgoshen.org.

**Deadline is
December 31st!**



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LATEST NEWS FROM THE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

The holiday season is in full gear and the Park Commission has much to be thankful for! **The new playground** opened this past June, and we could not be more pleased with its reception so far! We've even heard "locals" have taken to calling it "Disney North"! We look forward to many more joyous years of seeing kids race down the zip line and roll down the play mounds! Programmatically, look for the Toddler Storytime to kick off next spring in partnership with the Malvern Library, and next July to be chock full of Tuesday at 10am special events! For those who are interested in reserving the nearby **Hicks Pavilion for birthday parties**, we suggest you contact the Township shortly to book a date. May to September dates usually book three months out, and we anticipate demand to increase with the new playground.

As we take a look back at 2018, we are blessed to have received an **additional \$933,000 in grant funding for the Milltown and Hershey's Mill Dam Park** projects. These park developments will offer residents fishing piers, water's edge access, internal trails and dedicated parking. We look forward to moving forward with their construction, with the Hershey's Mill Dam Park renovation taking place fall 2019, and Milltown Dam Park in 2020.



Public Works Crew Prepping the Hershey's Mill Dam in October

The Park Commission ended 2018 with some very unique special events that will take place again in early 2019. We held our first **Escape the Blacksmith Shop** in October to much fanfare. The Township Blacksmith was on site providing a demonstration; participants were greeted in full costume and then had to solve a series of riddles to escape! The event sold out and was wonderful in that it appealed to teenagers, who actually wanted to hang out with their parents for a change! We look forward to hosting another Escape event in July, this time World War II themed. If you came to the **Pumpkin Festival** in late October, you may have



witnessed something silly, funny and yet important...a spotted lanternfly smash demonstration. The evil Township spotted lanternfly made his inaugural visit, and kids smashed him with pool noodles! It was hysterical to see, yet highlighted the importance of the negative impacts this invasive species is having on Pennsylvania agricultural business. In early 2019, the Township will host a second, four month long **Smash Campaign**, with prizes going to the top smashers! Who knows – maybe the evil Township spotted lanternfly will make another appearance in the park!



On behalf of my fellow Park Commission members, I'd like to thank East Goshen Township residents for their support of our Parks and Recreation Department. Our parks provide memory-filled experiences for residents, and there is no greater reward than seeing every nook and cranny of East Goshen Township Park filled with smiling faces.

Have a wonderful start to 2019. See you in the Park!

Ann Marie Fletcher-Moore
Park & Recreation Commission

East Goshen Township - Parks & Recreation ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS & EVENTS

SPECIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITY: Spring Spotted Lanternfly Smash Campaign

Date: January 1st – April 1st

Location: Anywhere you find them!

Description: Last fall, we introduced the evil Township Spotted Lanternfly at the Pumpkin Festival. We had a silly time as kids got a chance to smash him with pool noodles – but now it gets serious! Spotted lanternflies are devastating Pennsylvania agricultural business to a potential tune of \$17B. Affected industries include produce, beer and wine, state forests, even Christmas tree farms. Join fellow residents as we take aim at these invasive little buggers. Prizes awarded to the top performing smasher! To learn more about the spotted lanternfly, visit the PA Department of Agriculture website at www.agriculture.pa.gov. To sign up for the Smash Campaign, visit eastgoshen.org



ACTIVITY: Teen Filmmakers Showcase, a Chesco Awesome FEST event

Date: Monday, August 19th, 6pm

Location: Movie Tavern Exton

Ages: 12-19

Description: Calling all teenagers! Come see your movie, short film or video on the big screen! We are partnering with the beautiful, new, Movie Tavern Exton to host the 2019 Teen Filmmakers Showcase! Event attendees will get to walk a red carpet and join fellow teens in a 150 seat arena to watch some great cinema! Submissions from Chester County high school film clubs will also be accepted. The submission period is January 1st through June 1st and Critic's Choice and Fan Favorite Awards will be given out.

Email Jason Lang at jlang@eastgoshen.org for full submission details.



ACTIVITY: Canyon Country featuring Arizona & Utah – Free Information Meeting

Date: February 12th, 2018; 12pm at the Township Building

Trip Dates: October 11th – October 18th, 2019

Description: Join East Goshen Township and Collette Travel and explore the most famous canyons of the American West - a journey featuring three national parks! Highlights include the Grand Canyon, Sedona, a two-night hotel stay overlooking the blue waters of Lake Powell, and Bryce Canyon and Zion National Parks! Come to the information meeting on February 12th to learn more about this exciting trip! Detailed trip brochures available by emailing Jason at jlang@eastgoshen.org.

Trip Prices: \$3,249 (double), \$4,149 (single), \$3,199 (triple)



ACTIVITY: Special Events in the Park

Location: East Goshen Township Park (Hicks & Veteran's Pavilions)

Description: Did you know East Goshen Park plays host to over 80 special event rentals each year! Whether scheduling a birthday party, family BBQ, corporate outing or fundraising 5K, our park should be your first choice! Imagine a birthday party at the Hicks Pavilion with the brand new playground as a backdrop – sounds awesome! If you're interested in holding an event in the park, please contact Jason at 610-692-7171 or jlang@eastgoshen.org. In general, the peak dates of May – September book three months out. More detailed information including permit rates and rules/regulations can be found on the Township website.



YOUTH ACTIVITIES

ACTIVITY: Summer Camp

Description: It's never too early to start planning for the summer camp season! Registration will begin January 1st, detailed summer camp information available on www.eastgoshtownrec.com on December 15th, 2018.

Summer REC Camp

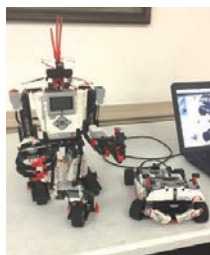
Dates: Monday – Friday,
June 24 – July 26, 9am – 12pm (no Camp
July 4th-5th)

Summer REC Full Day Camp

Dates: Monday – Friday,
July 15 – July 26, 9am – 4pm

Beginner Lego's

Dates: Section I, Monday-Friday,
June 24 – June 28,
12:30pm-3:30pm



Section II,
Monday-Friday,
August 5 – August 9,
9:00am-12:00pm

Ages: 6 – 12

Intermediate Lego's

When: Monday-Friday,
July 8 – July 12, 12:30pm-3:30pm
Ages: 6 – 12

Rocketry Camp

When: Monday-Friday,
August 14 – August 18, 9am-12pm
Ages: 9 – 13



Adults & Seniors

ACTIVITY: Seniors Card Club

Date: Every Friday of the month, 9:00am-12pm

Location: East Goshen Township
Building

Description: Come join the fun as we play your favorite card games and more. We are Happy to teach you if you don't know how to play!

Fee: Free!



ACTIVITY: Seniors Card Club - Mahjongg

Date: 1st, 2nd, 3rd Thursday of the month, 1pm-3pm

Location: East Goshen Township
Building

Description: Come join our beginning Mahjongg group. No instruction provided.

You can come with or without tiles!

Fee: Free!



ACTIVITY: Introduction to Clay Sculpture

Date: Wednesdays, January 15th - February 12th, 2019,
1pm-4pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Learn how to create your own sculptures and develop your sculpting practice with an introduction to oil based clay, sculpting tools, basic forms and textures. No previous experience is necessary. Come and immerse yourself in this hands-on and intensive class where you will:

- *Develop a trained eye by sculpting through observation*
- *Learn how to accurately translate complex shapes*
- *Experiment with a variety of sculpting tools*

What to Bring: A picture, sketch or concept idea of what you would like to sculpt.



Program Fee: \$172.50

Materials Fee: (payable first class) \$20; Includes 2 Lbs. oil based Clay, small base, wires; Sculpting tools will be provided to be used in class only.

Contact info for questions: charo.lemusfinearts@gmail.com

Instructor Biography: Alejandro Lemus is a third generation sculptor. He started his training at 11 years old as an apprentice at his father's atelier, where he began sculpting and designing marionettes. Alejandro, originally from Mexico, came to the US as a figurative sculptor, and in a short time he was designing and creating sculptures for a number of leading companies like Lenox, Franklin Mint, Bradford Exchange to name a few. While he still continues sculpting for companies in the collectibles market, he is also involved in creating his own work which is being showcased in local galleries and in Mexico City.

FITNESS

Activity: West Chester Junior Tennis League

Dates: Starts April 27th

Ages: 5-14 (8U, 10U, 11 and up)

Description: The first 3 weeks will be practices, focusing on fundamentals, games, and scoring. The last 4 weeks will be devoted to match play against other teams. The last session will be a match/awards ceremony. The WCJTL is an affordable Tennis Program Managed and Run by the Philadelphia Area Team Tennis Association.



Activity: Walk with Ease Arthritis Program

Dates: April 8th – May 17th (Monday/Wednesday/Friday 10am-11am)

Location: East Goshen Township Park, Hicks Pavilion

Description: East Goshen Township has been awarded an NRPA/Arthritis Foundation training grant to bring the wonderful Walk with Ease Arthritis Program to the park! This program is perfect for those wanting to reduce symptoms of arthritis and improve overall health. Even if you don't have arthritis, you can join in the fun – the program has benefits that positively affect a number of health related conditions! This program is open to the general public and we welcome all to join! Participation in all eighteen classes is encouraged but not mandatory. Participants will receive the Participant Handbook that contains plenty of useful information that can be used in class and at home.

Fee: \$10

To register: visit www.eastgoshenrec.com, in-person or by mail-in.

Activity: East Goshen Walking Club

Location: East Goshen Township Park, Hicks Pavilion

Description: The Walk with Ease program has been so successful, we're starting up an East Goshen Walking Club for those wanting to walk and socialize! All are welcome to join for these weekly walks that will begin in April.

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays (10am-11am; 9am start during summer months)

Fee: FREE

Activity: Zumba Gold Toning

Dates: Wednesdays 5:30-6:45pm at East Goshen Township

Session 1: January 16- February 20

Session 2: March 6- April 10

Session 3: April 24- May 29

Fee: One session- \$65, 2 sessions \$120, 3 sessions \$170

FREE complimentary classes February 28, April 18

*dates are subject to change due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances

Activity: Zumba Toning

Dates: Tuesdays 6:30-7:45pm at East Goshen Elementary School Gym

Session 1: January 15- February 19

Session 2: March 5- April 9

Session 3: April 23- May 28

Fee: One session- \$65, 2 sessions \$120, 3 sessions \$170

FREE complimentary classes January 9, February 27, April 17

*dates are subject to change due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances

For more information, please contact:
Pamela Nelson at zumba2live@aol.com



Activity: Pilates

Dates: Wednesdays & Fridays, beginning January 2nd

Time: 10:30am-11:30am

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Pilates is a fantastic fitness class geared for those wanting to strengthen core muscle groups, improve posture, flexibility and balance. Instructor Ruby Telehorster has over 500 training hours and is adept at coaching novices all the way through "seasoned pros"!

Please bring a mat to class. Want to try the class before locking in for the full session – drop in for \$13 (must pay by check and fill out Registration form)!

Fee: \$55

Activity: Yoga

Dates: January 7th – April 22nd

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Our body has incredible regenerative powers and yoga is valuable for stress management and general well-being. Your body will become more flexible, stronger, balanced and healthy. You will be able to sleep better, have more energy and develop a more positive approach to life.

Time:

Mondays

- Gentle Yoga: 9:00am

Tuesday

- All Levels: 5:30pm

Thursdays

- Seniors: 4pm
- All Levels: 5:30pm

Fee: \$120 for 14 Week Series; \$90 for the Seniors Class



Activity: “Are You a Toxic Waste Dump?”**Dates:** Tuesday, January 8, 2019/Thursday, January 10, 2019**Time:** 12:00pm to 1:00pm/6:00pm to 7:00pm

Description: Many of the degenerative diseases that we die from today have their roots in toxic exposures and toxin accumulation in the body. Learn how toxins affect the body, where they come from, how they are detected, how to reduce your exposure and what can be done to rid your body of them before they cause poor health and you become another statistic. Dr Bulitta outlines a strategy for removing toxins, recharging the body’s nutrient resources thereby giving the body what it requires for the attainment of true health.

Presenter: Henry W. Bulitta, Jr., D.C. Owner/President of Veritas Health Analytics LLC and Progressive Chiropractic, Inc.

Phone: 610-644-5880

Activity:
ESSETRICS®
Aging Backwards
for Seniors

ESSETRICS®**Dates:** Mondays, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm / January 7 - February 25, 2019

Description: This class is aimed at regaining your mobility while slowly building strength and reawakening the power of your 650 muscles. The class has a slower pace than our general Essentrics classes. It is designed for those who have atrophy-related stiffness, frozen shoulder, chronic aches and pains, or who are beginning to exercise after a long sedentary period. For men and women of all ages who are looking for a gentle, slow tempo class. Bring a yoga mat, and water.

Activity: ESSETRICS® Aging Backwards**Dates:** Monday, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm / January 7 - February 25
Thursday, 9:00 am - 10:00 am / January 10 - February 28, 2019

Description: This is an age reversing workout that will restore movement in your joints, flexibility in your muscles, relieve pain, and stimulate your cells to increase energy, vibrancy and your immune system. A slow-paced, full body workout created by the author of Forever Painless and the New York Times bestseller, Aging Backwards. Bring a yoga mat, and water.

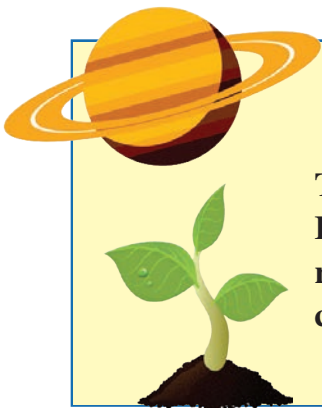
Activity: ESSETRICS®**Dates:** Thursday, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm / January 10 - February 28, 2019

Description: This is a dynamic full body workout that rapidly changes the shape of your body through a combination of strengthening and stretching. Perfect for men and women of all fitness levels, this program rebalances the body, prevents and treats injuries and unlocks tight joints. This workout leaves you feeling energized, youthful and healthy. Bring a yoga mat, and water.

Tuition: \$120 (8 wk series)

Play Ambassadors Needed!

Description: Help us make the new EGT Playground an AWESOME place to play! Play Ambassadors must be 14, contact Jason for more information!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Recreation Department is currently seeking Volunteer Instructors in Art, Horticulture and Astronomy. If you are a local resident interesting in sharing your knowledge and expertise – contact Jason at 610-692-7171!



REQUIRED RECREATION REGISTRATION FORM

(Please Submit With Payment)

This form must be filled out completely and your check must accompany to complete registration.

(This form is not for Youth Recreation Camp and Applebrook Golf –
please visit the East Goshen Recreation webpage or office for those forms)

Please fill in each Activity Name below along with activity fee, dates and times.

	Name & Email Address	Resident?	Activity & Details	Cost	Cell Phone	Address including ZIP
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I the undersigned, intending to be legally bound for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, hereby waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may now or hereafter have against East Goshen Township, and their respective employees for any and all damages or injuries which may be sustained by me or my family arising out of my participation in the above activity. PHOTOGRAPHIC RELEASE. By signing below, I give consent that videotapes, photographs, recordings, motion picture film and/or electronic images of me and other participants may be used by the Township, and its successors and assigns in any and all publications and other media in order to increase community awareness of East Goshen Township programs. I give my consent that such photographs, recordings, motion picture film and/or electronic images and the plates, tapes, and/or software from which they are made shall be the property of the township and the Township has the right to sell, duplicate, reproduce and make such other uses of such photographs, recordings, motion picture film and/or electronic images of me as it desires free and clear of any claim on my part.

Signature of Participant (or Parent/Guardian) _____

I choose to opt out of the PHOTOGRAPHIC RELEASE (please initial) _____

Date Submitted: _____ Amount Paid: _____

Checks must be made out to **East Goshen Township**. The township building address is: 1580 Paoli Pike, West Chester, PA 19380. If **paying online**, please complete the above form, select "Submit Form" (Located On Upper Right Of Your Screen) and then complete payment by clicking [here](#).

Check must accompany this form - Unless you are paying online - Thanks

Questions? Please call 610.692.7171 and or email Jason Lang at jiang@eastgoshen.org

WINTER WEATHER AND SNOW REMOVAL:

Pre-storm Preparedness Checklist:

- ✓ No on-street parking to allow efficient and safe plowing/salting
- ✓ Clear snow from any fire hydrants on or near your property
- ✓ Keep a safe distance from all plow trucks
- ✓ Avoid all unnecessary travel
- ✓ Keep your pets inside and make sure they have a seven day supply of food
- ✓ Have sufficient supplies of essential items in the event of power outages, including medications, water, non-perishable food, baby supplies, flashlights, batteries and propane for your grill.
- ✓ Have dry wood in a garage or covered for the fireplace or woodstove
- ✓ Fill up your vehicles



Snow Removal:

- We put a layer of brine on the road before the snow event starts; this prevents snow from bonding to the pavement and creating ice.
- Then we put a layer of salt down on the roads when the snow event starts.
- Once the snow starts to accumulate, the plows make at least one pass through every Township street until the snow stops. This is done to ensure that emergency vehicles can access your property throughout the storm event.
- When the snow stops, we begin to clear the streets by pushing the snow to the curb.
- Cul-de-sacs and storm drains are the final areas to be cleaned up after a storm.

Important Information on Snow Removal:

- Do not park on the street during a snow event.
- When shoveling your driveway leave the last six feet of your driveway un-shoveled until the plowing has ceased. This un-shoveled part will allow the snow being pushed by the plow to remain on the plow and not end up in your driveway.
- When clearing your driveway, do not deposit the snow into the roadway. This can cause hazardous conditions to other motorists.
- The Township does not plow residential driveways.
- If an ambulance has been called to an address in the Township, we will help bring in the emergency vehicle.
- Please remember that we cannot be everywhere at once. We will plow all roads in order of traffic priority—main roads then secondary roads.
- Our snow plow drivers are asked to take precautions to avoid striking mailboxes with their plows but snow can be extremely heavy and a cold brittle mail box can come down easily.



Mailboxes:

- Expensive or ornate mailboxes should be replaced with a basic mailbox for the winter months
- Mailboxes should be located so the face of the box is 6 – 8 inches from the edge of the roadway. This is according to USPS guidelines. We suggest you put them as far as 15 inches back from the road edge.
- Is your mailbox sturdy? Plastic mailboxes tend to become brittle from the sun's UV rays. Make sure the door on the mailbox is closed tightly. If the door is missing or open the mailbox may "fold" on impact from the snow.
- The East Goshen Board of Supervisors has passed a resolution that states the Township will reimburse a resident \$25 for replacement or repair of a damaged mailbox, provided the resident has notified the Township within one week of the storm. The Township does not repair or replace mailboxes.

STORMWATER IN THE WINTER: IT'S EVERYONE'S BUSINESS

ENVIRONMENTALLY-FRIENDLY WINTER DEICING TIPS FOR RESIDENTS

Excess salt and other deicing chemicals can harm aquatic life in our streams and impact drinking water supplies. This winter, you can help by following these *environmentally-friendly* snow removal practices:

- Shovel snow before it turns to ice to limit the need for deicing chemicals like rock salt.
- Shovel snow onto permeable surfaces including gently sloping and level land-scape and grassy areas so as the snow melts it will soak into the ground rather than flow directly into a nearby storm drain or stream.

If you must use deicing chemicals, follow these suggestions:

- Control application of chemical deicers and avoid over application.
- Limit chemical applications near environmentally-sensitive areas including springs, streams, ponds, wetlands, and water supply areas and sensitive landscape and vegetation
- Sand and sawdust can be used as an environmentally-friendly alternative to commonly-used salt products.
- Use salt substitutes that are less harmful including Calcium Chloride (CaCl₂) and Calcium Magnesium Acetate (CMA).
- For larger areas, apply salt as a brine solution to prevent drift off of paved surfaces.
- After snowmelt, sweep up residues, including sand, to prevent them from washing into storm drains and streams

Why should I limit my use of salt and other chemical deicing products?

Deicing products contain chemical constituents that can be harmful to the environment including water resources and drinking water supplies. For example, sodium can break down soil structure and decrease soil permeability, which adversely impacts vegetation and soil microbes; chloride mobilizes heavy metals and impacts fresh water supplies including ground and surface waters; and heavy metal components can adversely impact water quality, plant and aquatic life.

Brandywine Valley SPCA and Tri-State Bird Rescue needs your help!

The Animal Rescues cannot thank you enough for your past support.

- Kitty Litter • Washable Dog & Cat Toys
- Towels & Blankets • Pillow Cases, Sheets
- Dog Beds • Liquid Laundry Detergent
- Bleach & Cleaning Supplies



State Roads:

Boot Road, Greenhill Road, N. Chester Road, Paoli Pike, E. Strasburg Road and West Chester Pike

Any residents living on a state road that needs road repair or has trees down or pot holes may call PennDOT at 484-340-3200.

Web Site:

The answers to most questions about the Township can be found by visiting www.eastgoshe.org. In particular, the FAQ section, which can be found under the "About Us" tab, is a very useful resource for residents.

Broken Water Main:

Call Aqua Pennsylvania at 610-525-1402, 24 hours a day

Call Before You Dig:

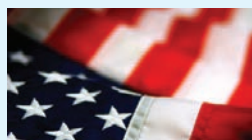
If you have to dig or excavate on your property, please remember to call before you dig. 1-800-242-1776 or 811 PA One Call

Clogged or leaking sanitary sewer lines; sewage smell in the creek:

Contact East Goshen at 610-692-7171 during regular business hours. During weekends or after hours on weekdays, call 911

U.S. Flag Disposal:

Any U.S. Flag that is torn or faded and needs to be disposed of properly can be dropped off at the Township for a proper retirement. A local VFW will conduct a proper flag retirement ceremony to dispose of it.



**Know what's below.
Call before you dig.**



Safe Winter Driving

Winter driving can be hazardous and scary, especially in northern regions that get a lot of snow and ice. Additional preparations can help make a trip safer, or help motorists deal with an emergency. This sheet provides safety information to your residents to help prevent motor vehicle injuries due to winter storms.

THE THREE P'S OF SAFE WINTER DRIVING:

PREPARE for the trip;
PROTECT yourself;
 and **PREVENT** crashes on the road.

PREPARE

- **Maintain Your Car:** Check battery, tire tread, and windshield wipers, keep your windows clear, put no-freeze fluid in the washer reservoir, and check your antifreeze.
- **Have On Hand:** flashlight, jumper cables, abrasive material (sand, kitty litter, even floor mats), shovel, snow brush and ice scraper, warning devices (like flares) and blankets. For long trips, add food and water, medication and cell phone.
- **Stopped or Stalled?** Stay in your car, don't overexert, put bright markers on antenna or windows and shine dome light, and, if you run your car, clear exhaust pipe and run it just enough to stay warm.
- **Plan Your Route:** Allow plenty of time (check the weather and leave early if necessary), be familiar with the maps/ directions, and let others know your route and arrival time.

Practice Cold Weather Driving!

- During the daylight, rehearse maneuvers slowly on ice or snow in an empty lot.
- Steer into a skid.
- Know what your brakes will do: stomp on antilock brakes, pump on non-antilock brakes.
- Stopping distances are longer on water-covered ice and ice.
- Don't idle for a long time with the windows up or in an enclosed space.

PROTECT YOURSELF

- Buckle up and use child safety seats properly.
- Never place a rear-facing infant seat in front of an air bag.
- Children 12 and under are much safer in the back seat.

PREVENT CRASHES

- Drugs and alcohol never mix with driving.
- Slow down and increase distances between cars.
- Keep your eyes open for pedestrians walking in the road.
- Avoid fatigue – Get plenty of rest before the trip, stop at least every three hours, and rotate drivers if possible.
- If you are planning to drink, designate a sober driver.



DATES OF IMPORTANCE

JAN 01
NEW YEAR'S DAY
OFFICE CLOSED

JAN 02
PLANNING COMMISSION, 7PM

JAN 03
PARK & RECREATION
COMMISSION, 7PM

JAN 03
BOARD OF AUDITORS, 7PM

JAN 07
REORGANIZATION & REGULAR
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MEETING, 7PM

JAN 09
CONSERVANCY BOARD, 7PM

JAN 09
ZONING HEARING BOARD, 7PM

JAN 10
HISTORICAL COMMISSION, 7PM

JAN 12
ANNUAL PLANNING SESSION, 8AM

JAN 14
MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY, 7PM

JAN 14
FUTURIST COMMITTEE, 7PM

JAN 15
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 7PM

JAN 17
PENSION MEETING, 10:30 AM

JAN 21
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY
OFFICE CLOSED

FEB 05
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 7PM

FEB 06
PLANNING COMMISSION, 7PM

FEB 07
PARK & RECREATION
COMMISSION, 7PM

FEB 07
MARYDELL POND COMMITTEE, 7PM

FEB 11
MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY, 7PM

FEB 13
CONSERVANCY BOARD, 7PM

FEB 14
HISTORICAL COMMISSION, 7PM

FEB 18
PRESIDENTS DAY – OFFICE CLOSED

FEB 19
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 7PM

FEB 19
FUTURIST COMMITTEE, 7PM

Consider volunteering for an Authority,
Board or Commission. Visit our website
for more information. East Goshen
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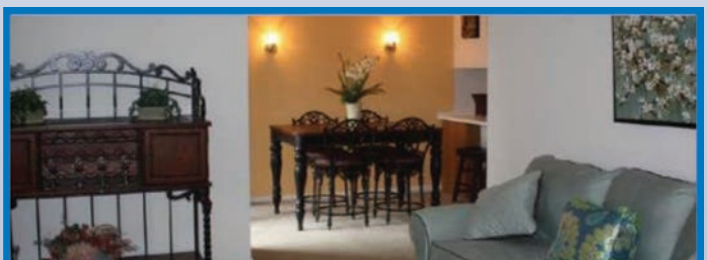
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