



YORK TOWNSHIP

NEWSLETTER

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York Township funds new ladder truck to serve its residents and the surrounding communities. See page 9.

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2026 YORK TOWNSHIP BOARD INFORMATION

Board of Commissioners

*Typically meets 2nd
Tuesday at 6:00 pm*

Robert D. Steele (3rd Ward)
President
Thomas Brant (2nd Ward)
Paul D. Knepper (5th Ward)
George Cronin (4th Ward)
Robert Kessler (1st Ward)

Recreation & Parks Board

*Typically meets 1st
Thursday at 6:30 pm*

Adam Wolf
Kelley Granholm
Joseph Hackett
James O'Neill
Zakary Wolpert

Water & Sewer Authority

*Typically meets 3rd
Monday at 6:30 pm*

Jamie Reid
Josephine Dick
Karen Atkinson
Thomas Pinkerton
Zane Williams

Planning Commission

*Typically meets 3rd
Tuesday at 6:00 pm*

Albert Granholm
David Freeland (Alternate)
David Koratich
Jodi Heffner
Raymond Fertig
Thomas Gross

Zoning Hearing Board

*Typically meets 4th
Tuesday at 6:00 pm*

Anthony Pantano
James Barnes
Jesse Snyder
John Myers
Timothy Salvatore
William Buck (Alternate)

**All meetings are held at
the York Township
Municipal Building. For
meeting dates, please visit
the York Township
website calendar.**

FROM THE MANAGER'S DESK UPDATES ON VARIOUS PROJECTS AND TOWNSHIP NEWS APRIL 2026 – JULY 2026

Below are some highlights the Board approved during this period:

- A Glo-Fiber internet and phone service agreement for the municipal campus
- A letter to PennDOT supporting a Camp Betty Washington Road sidewalk relocation
- A letter of support for a York County Regional Police Forensic Investigation Enhancement Project
- A Pye-Barker maintenance agreement amendment for the sewer building
- Appointed Bridgett McAuliffe, Nicholas Sabold, and Lavonne Shermeyer to the Property Maintenance Appeals Board through December 2027
- Awarded a resurfacing contract for the Shryock Basketball Courts to Breneman Company (\$10,500)
- Awarded a paving placement contract to Stewart and Tate (\$369,737.50)
- Awarded a paving restoration contract to Recon Construction Services, Inc. (\$293,332.50)
- Awarded a paving materials contract to York Materials Group (\$795,103)
- Awarded a stone aggregate contract to York Building Products (\$60,270)
- HRG Agreement to inspect 15 small bridges and culverts (\$18,750)
- Reappointment of David Koratich to the Planning Commission through June 2030
- Letter encouraging York County to pursue grants to support homeless initiatives
- Awarded Basin 87 Dairyland East repair proposals to Clear View Excavation Inc. (\$12,800) and L/B Water Service, Inc. (\$4,120)

The Board approved the following ordinances and resolutions:

- Ordinance 2026-03 Sanitary Sewage Connection and Local Limits Update
- Ordinance 2026-04 Building Code Update
- Ordinance 2026-05 Zoning Amendment for rezoning of six properties including: 1918 Powder Mill Rd, Parcel 54-000-20-0155.00-00000 (Powder Mill Rd), 1920 Powder Mill Rd, Parcel 54-000-20-0158.00-00000 (Powder Mill Rd), 1928 Powder Mill Rd and 1932 Powder Mill Road from Commercial Office District to Mixed Residential Commercial District
- Ordinance 2026-06 Zoning Amendment for rezoning of 495 Chapel Church Road and 2934/2936 Cape Horn Road from Commercial Industrial and Commercial Shopping Districts to Residential Low District
- Resolution 2026-06 York Township Recreation and Trail Feasibility Study
- Resolution 2026-04 Destruction of Records
- Resolution 2026-07 Budget Amendment and SAFER Fire Truck (Ladder) Purchase Support in the amount of \$1,050,000.
- Resolution 2026-08 Grant Application to DCNR for the Kehm Park Early Implementation Plan
- Resolution 2026-09 Fee Resolution
- Resolution 2026-10 Grant Application to Commonwealth Financing Authority for the Kehm Park Early Implementation Project
- Resolution 2026-11 Update act 537, Planning Module for Marcello Mannino Subdivision

The Board approved, with conditions and modifications, the following plans:

- 2071-2073 South Queen Street Final Subdivision and Land Development Plan (Rita's)
- Engles & Fahs Final Land Development Plan (2640 Springwood Road)
- York County Regional Police Department Final Land Development Plan (33 Oak Street)

Visit the York Township website, at www.yorktownshippa.gov, for continuous updates.

To receive e-mail alerts, click "Notify Me" on the homepage.

Similar information can be found on the Township Facebook page at

www.facebook.com/YorkTwp.

SIGN UP TODAY WITH XPRESS BILL PAY!

York Township has partnered with Xpress Bill Pay (**XBP**) for electronic payments of sewer bills. XBP is **Fee-Free** and their acceptable payment types include Debit Card, Credit Card and Electronic Funds Transfer. Embrace paperless billing, Auto Pay (with payment notifications), and view your payment history through your XBP account.

Go to www.yorktownshippa.gov click the 'Pay Sewer Bill with Credit Card' option. This will take you to XBP's website. Or go directly to www.xpressbillpay.com. Use your sewer account number to create an account. Call 385-218-0343 with any questions during this process.

YORK TOWNSHIP IS NOW .GOV

The **NEW** York Township website is **LIVE** and has a new name. We have added **PA** to narrow traffic targeting other states and...we've moved to **.gov!!!** York Township's new web address is now ***yorktownshippa.gov***.

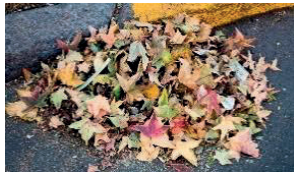
With a new look, trusted web address, and user-friendly navigation on both your mobile device and desktop browser, the new website is sure to make your browsing needs easier!

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

194 OAK ROAD • DALLASTOWN, PA 17313 • 717-741-3861 x170

LEAF COLLECTION

The 2026 Leaf Collection will begin on Monday, October 19. Residents who wish to participate should place their leaves in piles next to the curb or at the edge of the street.



Please **DO NOT** mix tree limbs, grass, shrubs, hedge trimmings, concrete block, brick or any other foreign material in the leaf pile. Leaves will not be collected if foreign objects are mixed in with the pile.

Updates to the leaf collection routes will be posted daily on the York Township website homepage under "Leaf Collection Daily Updates".

We cannot give an exact day of pick-up due to weather, equipment breakdown and employee availability. Our crews typically cover every Township property at least four to five times a season. Depending on the volume, it may take as long as two to three weeks between visits.



OBSTRUCTIONS THAT OVERHANG THE ROAD

Please be aware that as property owners in York Township, you are responsible for keeping your property clear of any obstructions that overhang the edge of the road. Examples include but are not limited to tree limbs, shrubbery, hedges, grassy areas, mailboxes, fencing, etc. Many activities occur close to the curb with large vehicles that can be impacted when these obstructions exist. Examples include snow and ice removal, street sweeping, street paving, trash collection, school bus travel, etc. Overgrown tree limbs and vegetation also impact the sight distance for the motoring public, which can be a safety concern.

Refer to Ordinance 2014-5 found on the website for the specific requirement.

ROADWAY / PROPERTY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

If you see a dead deer on the road, side of the road or even on your property, please contact Tom Marsh of Marsh Wildlife Management. He can be reached at 484-571-2092 via text or telephone. Deer removal service is free of charge.

*** Please note – deer must be pulled out of any water (stream, creek, pond, etc.) and placed for easy access. Also, they will pick up other small animals, but a fee is incurred. ***

WINTER MAINTENANCE OVERVIEW

The objective of the York Township Department of Public Works winter maintenance program is to provide safe roads to the traveling public.

WINTER MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

We have divided all Township roads into routes. An operator with predetermined equipment is assigned to one of these routes. Most of the time this is standard deployment, however, depending on the conditions, we may only deploy 6 operators to treat the snow emergency roads or what is designated as the priority routes. Snow emergency roads are posted with signs and are designated as such due to factors of high traffic volume, steep grades, and areas with limited access or close proximity to the Schools, Police, Fire and Medical Facilities.

Prior to the storm, you may notice the pretreating of certain priority roads with liquid brine. The brine is a specific concentration (23.3%) of sodium chloride that lowers the freezing point of water. Although we would like to pre-treat all of our roads, it's just not possible due to time and equipment availability. When appropriate, we plan to pretreat all of the snow emergency routes with liquid brine.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

SNOW EMERGENCIES

On rare occasions, a snow emergency will be declared. The initial focus will be on the priority (snow emergency posted) roads. The snow emergency declaration will be broadcast on the local radio and television stations and will be posted on the York Township website. Again, all snow emergency streets are identified with signage. After the snow emergency is declared, it shall be unlawful at any time during the continuance of the emergency for any person:

1. To park a motor vehicle or to allow that vehicle to remain parked anywhere on any snow emergency routes designated; or
2. To operate a motor vehicle on any such snow emergency route in such a manner or in such a reasonable condition as to allow or permit such vehicle to become stalled on such route, either by reason of the fact that the driving wheels of such vehicle are not equipped with tire chains or effective tires or by reason of the fact that the motor fuel supply of such vehicle has been allowed to become exhausted.

Failure to abide by the above is a violation of a Township ordinance and may result in fines and/or towing costs. For a complete listing of the streets and a full text of the ordinance, please visit the Township website.

MAILBOXES AND DRIVEWAYS

York Township WILL NOT compensate property owners should their mailbox, or any other object, become damaged due to the removal of snow from Township roads. Any object placed in the road right-of-way, including a mailbox, fence, landscaping, etc., is at the owner's risk. The public right-of-way is on average 50 feet wide (25 feet from the center of the roadway).

It is suggested that you wait until all plowing is complete before shoveling out the end of your driveway. If you do shovel out before the plows have come through, try to clear a spot upstream of your driveway. This will allow the snow from the plow to unload before the driveway. It won't prevent all snow from going back in front of your driveway, but it will reduce the amount. The snow must be plowed from the street; therefore, all driveways and properties will be affected to some degree.

STATE ROADS

Many roads within York Township are owned and maintained by PennDOT. Refer to our website for a list of all state roads. PennDOT has its own policies and procedures for winter maintenance. Please contact the local PennDOT maintenance office at 717-848-6230 for assistance. ***York Township does not perform winter maintenance on any state roads.***

EMERGENCIES

If you notice an emergency with sanitary sewers, roadways, or stormwater facilities, please call the Public Works Department from 7:00 am to 3:30 pm Monday through Friday at 717-741-3861 x170. After these hours or on weekends/holidays, dial 911.

ZONING

BEFORE YOU OPEN THE DOOR: KNOW THE RULES FOR DOOR TO DOOR SALES

Door-to-door salespersons offering home improvements, pest control, security systems, energy services, or other products may occasionally visit Township neighborhoods. While many are conducting legitimate business, residents should always use caution before doing business with anyone who comes to their door.

Township ordinance requires individuals engaging in transient (door-to-door) sales to obtain a **Transient Sales License** before soliciting within the Township. Before discussing any products or services, ask the salesperson to present their Township-issued **Permit for Soliciting & Peddling**. The permit is a small yellow card displaying the permit number and expiration date.

If a salesperson cannot produce a valid permit, they are not authorized to solicit within the Township and may be in violation of Township ordinances. The Township also shares permit information with the Police Department so officers know who is legally conducting door-to-door sales.

Even when a solicitor has a valid permit, residents should never feel pressured to make an immediate decision. Take time to research the company, obtain multiple estimates, and read any contract carefully before signing. Be especially cautious of requests for upfront payments or high-pressure sales tactics.

If you encounter someone soliciting without a valid Township permit or if a salesperson makes you feel threatened or uncomfortable, please contact **911** immediately. Reporting suspicious activity helps protect our community and ensures Township regulations are followed.

ZONING

PLANNING TO OVERLAY YOUR DRIVEWAY – DON'T FORGET THE PERMIT!

Many homeowners choose to improve the appearance and extend the life of their driveways by applying a new layer of asphalt (blacktop). Before scheduling your contractor, please remember that **a zoning permit is required prior to overlaying an existing driveway.**

A driveway overlay can affect the size, width, slope, drainage, and compliance with Township zoning regulations. The permit review helps ensure the driveway continues to meet applicable ordinance requirements and does not create stormwater or drainage issues for neighboring properties or the public right-of-way.

Please note that **routine driveway sealing or crack filling does not require a zoning permit.** A permit is only required when adding a new layer of asphalt or otherwise altering the driveway.

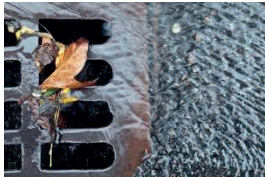
It is the **property owner's responsibility** to obtain the required permit before any work begins, even if a contractor is performing the work.

If you are planning a driveway project this year and are unsure whether a permit is required, please contact the Township Office before scheduling the work. Township staff are available to answer your questions and assist you through the permitting process.

STORMWATER

PREVENTING STORMWATER POLLUTION THIS FALL

It is that time of year again; fall is here! York Township would like to clarify the importance of preventing stormwater pollution while making the most of the fall season. Stormwater runoff is generated from rain and snowmelt events that flow over land or impervious surfaces, such as paved streets, parking lots, and building rooftops, and does not soak into the ground. On its journey to the stream, stormwater runoff can pick up harmful substances that pollute our waterways.



There are many sources of stormwater pollution unique to autumn, and we need your help to control them. The leaves are falling, and their improper disposal poses a threat to our water resources. Leaf litter and yard waste dumped into a stormwater basin or near a waterway can cause harmful nutrient accumulation. Likewise, leaves swept into the street can easily enter storm drains and make their way into the nearest stream.

Fall is the time for seeding and fertilizing your lawn. It's important to note that if excess fertilizer is applied, it cannot be absorbed by the soil and washes away with rain. Also, if you are working on a landscaping project in your yard, bare soil can run off into streams and cause sediment pollution. All of these problems can be avoided by putting some of our pollution prevention tips into practice:

Dispose of leaf litter and yard waste in a compost pile and never in the street or stream.

You can shred yard and leaf waste to use as mulch or fertilizer for your yard and garden; or you can participate in the Township's curbside yard waste collection program.

Do not use fertilizers immediately before a rainstorm, and do not apply them in excess.

Always follow the directions on the bottle for safe application and disposal whenever you use a chemical product. Reduce outdoor and household chemical use as much as possible.

A little extra caution while you keep up with your fall to-do list can make a big difference for the health of our waterways; and we thank you for cooperating with this effort!

Visit www.yorktownship.pa.gov/stormwater for additional information regarding our Stormwater Management Program. Any questions or comments can be submitted via 717-741-3861 or stormwater@yorktownship.pa.gov.

RECYCLING

RESIDENTIAL ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

The York County Solid Waste Authority's Residential Electronics Recycling Program is free and open to York County residents ONLY and is conducted Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm and Saturdays from 8:00 am to noon at the Small Load Drop-Off Facility at the York County Resource Recovery Center, 2651 Blackbridge Road, York, PA 17406. For additional information, please visit www.ycswa.com, their Facebook page, or contact them at 717-845-1066.

RECYCLING

GO PAPERLESS!

Did you know you can go paperless with Penn Waste's paperless option? Contact Penn Waste directly at 717-767-4456 for details.

PENN WASTE RESIDENTIAL TRASH COLLECTION

The new residential trash and recycling contract with Penn Waste began July 1, 2024. All residences are required to have trash service. Please contact Penn Waste directly at 717-767-4456 to establish services.

As part of the bidding process, in order to save on costs, the township will require the use of mobile carts for all residents. By utilizing the mobile carts, Penn Waste will be able to collect waste and recyclables utilizing an automated collection truck. These trucks utilize a mechanical arm to load waste or recycling into the truck. With the automated loader, only one driver is required. By placing material in the mobile carts, the bidders were able to provide the best pricing for the most efficient collection.

In the current contract, you are required to have **one** of three options: a 96-, 64-, or 35-gallon mobile refuse cart. Included is your choice of **one** 96-, 64-, or 35-gallon mobile recycling cart, **one** large (bulk) item per week, and **12 times per year** curbside yard waste collection. Extra bag prices are also indicated below.

Contract Period (Contract amount may change due to YCSWA tipping fee)	96-Gallon Mobile Refuse Cart Quarterly Rate *	64-Gallon Mobile Refuse Cart Quarterly Rate *	35-Gallon Mobile Refuse Cart Quarterly Rate *	Cost Each Per Extra Bag
July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027	\$99.28	\$97.84	\$97.84	\$8.65
July 1, 2027 – June 30, 2028	\$102.13	\$100.60	\$100.60	\$9.00

A large (bulk) item is any item that weighs 50 pounds or more, which cannot be disposed of in the regular trash container and can be lifted by two people. **You should contact Penn Waste in advance if you are placing a large item curbside or if the item contains refrigerant or hazardous waste.** Residents who pay for waste collection as part of their condo/homeowners' fees or rent must contact their landlord or association for the rules regarding bulk items per their commercial contract.

Residential trash and recycling collection begins at 6:00 am on your collection day. Carts should be placed a minimum of 3 feet from all other objects and facing the street. All refuse, recycling containers and any larger (bulk) items shall be placed curbside no earlier than 5:00 pm on the evening preceding the day scheduled for collection and shall be removed no later than 12:00 midnight on your collection day.

For all issues with trash collection, large item pick-ups or yard waste collections, **you must contact Penn Waste directly at 717-767-4456.**



WHEN IN DOUBT → THROW IT OUT

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|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| NO Plastic Bags | NO Shredded Paper | NO Medical Waste |
| NO Food/Liquid | NO Clothing | NO Scrap Metal |
| NO Garden Hoses | NO Diapers | NO Styrofoam |

Please place cart at curb with lid opening toward street. Keep cart three feet from all objects and clear from overhead hazards such as trees and power lines.



COMMERCIAL RECYCLING IS REQUIRED BY LAW

Pennsylvania State Act 101 of 1988 and York Township Ordinance 2006-12 require non-residential establishments to recycle. To comply with the State and Local laws, you are required to recycle the following:

- High-Grade Office Paper • Steel and Bimetallic Can
- Leaf Waste • Corrugated Paper (cardboard)
- Aluminum • Glass (clear, brown and green)

RECYCLING

BRUSH RECYCLING

The brush drop-off site is open the 1st and 3rd weekend (Saturday and Sunday) of every month from 7:00 am – 4:00 pm ONLY. **This is subject to change. Check the yorktownship.pa.gov website weekly for updates**



Brush is defined as tree limbs and shrubbery no larger than a 6-inch diameter and 6 feet in length. We ask that you participate in this program **responsibly** by dumping lawful items that can safely be processed by our machine. **Items such as garbage, metals, concrete, lumber, stumps, stones, grass clippings, etc., will cause damage to the machine and shut down services.**

All other material and items you see beyond the gate are for **TOWNSHIP USE ONLY** and are not meant for the general public to use or take. If you see a violation, please report it to the Township or York County Regional Police Department. **The site is under constant video surveillance.**

York Township accepts brush from **YORK TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS ONLY** as part of our recycling efforts. Please be prepared to confirm Township residency! Brush recycling is intended to clean up small amounts of debris from residential properties. The program is not intended to accept large tree removal projects. Large projects, such as removing entire trees, should employ the services of a commercial contractor. If you have large amounts of material to dispose of, please contact a tree service or the York County Solid Waste Authority at 717-845-1066.

The drop-off site is located at the Township Campus beyond the gate between the two signs. Please enter from Oak Road. Do not enter from Coventry Road, for this is a restricted area for Township employees only.

PAINT AND PAINT PRODUCTS



Paint and paint products should be dried, hardened, or mixed with an absorbent material such as shredded paper or kitty litter to minimize potential impacts. Be sure to secure lids tightly and place them in a closed garbage bag.

YARD / WOODY WASTE COLLECTION

Township residents are encouraged to recycle their yard/woody waste by either curbside collection or at the Township drop-off facility. Materials such as tree and shrubbery trimmings and other organic landscape vegetation are acceptable, provided the limbs are no larger than **6 inches in diameter** and no longer than **4 feet long** (NOTE: Township brush dimensions are no larger than 6 inches in diameter and no longer than **6 feet long**). **Grass, weeds, dirt, stones, fruit & vegetable scraps, trash, recyclables or foreign objects that would damage the chipper are NOT accepted.** Yard waste must either be bundled with biodegradable twine (50-pound weight limit), placed in a brown Kraft bag or in a 32-gallon can without a lid. Yard waste placed in plastic bags or mobile carts will not be collected. Yard waste must be out for collection by 6:00 am on the pickup date and be visible to the hauler.

2026 CURBSIDE DATES:

**September 26 • October 24
November 14 • November 21**

WASTE OIL DISPOSAL

Waste oil is accepted at the Public Works Service Building (lower campus level) Monday – Friday from 7:00 am – 3:30 pm.

Please be aware that the site is under constant video surveillance.

DON'T TOSS THE TANK!

**Propane, Oxygen, and Nitrous Tanks
DO NOT Belong in Your Curbside Bins!**



Never place pressurized tanks in your curbside trash or recycling.

These containers are dangerous and can cause fires, explosions, or harm to our team members.

Common tanks include:

- ▶ Small and Large propane tank cylinders
- ▶ Oxygen tanks (medical or industrial)
- ▶ Nitrous oxide (N₂O) canisters

**What You Should Do Instead:
Take Them to an Authorized Drop-off Site.**

- ▶ Check with your local solid waste authority to see if they accept them.
- ▶ Contact the supplier for returns options.

Why It Matters:

Pressurized tanks can't be compacted safely and are a serious hazard when tossed in curbside bins. Let's keep our workers safe and the environment clean!

SAFE DISPOSAL IS SMART DISPOSAL!



CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Penn Waste will be picking up Christmas trees curbside on Saturday, January 16, 2027.

FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR'S DESK

If you have not received your 2026 County/Township Tax Bill, your 2026/27 School Tax Bill or if you have moved and want your tax bills sent to your new address, please contact us and let us know.

The dates for the 2026/27 School Bill are as follows:

- Discounted Amount – 9/15/26
- Face Amount – 11/16/26
- Penalty Amount is due before 12/31/26

Any 2026 tax bills that are not paid to the tax office by 12/31/26 will be turned over to the York County Tax Claim Bureau.

Office hours **until** January 7, 2027, are Monday – Thursday (no office hours on Fridays) from 7:30 am – 4:00 pm. During that time, the office is closed from 1:00 pm – 1:30 pm for lunch. To receive a receipt when payment is dropped in the outside drop box, please note "request receipt" and include a self-addressed envelope or email address. Please do not put cash in the outside drop box. From January 12, 2027 – February 15, 2027, the tax office will be open by appointment **only**. To schedule an appointment, please email k.crumling@yorktownship.pa.gov or leave a message at 717-741-0056.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

ALLIANCE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES

Serve Your Community. Make a Difference. Build Lifelong Skills.

JOIN THE FAMILY! Alliance Fire & Rescue is looking for dedicated volunteers of all ages to join our team!

VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS: Protect your community while gaining valuable training, leadership experience, and lifelong friendships.

LIVE-IN PROGRAM AVAILABLE: FREE housing at the fire station, gain real-world emergency response experience, receive professional training, leadership and teamwork opportunities.

JUNIOR FIREFIGHTERS: Ages interested in learning about the fire service can gain hands-on experience, develop leadership skills, assist with department activities, and prepare for future careers in emergency services.

FIRE POLICE: Help keep emergency scenes safe by directing traffic, securing perimeters, assisting with crowd control, and working alongside first responders. Your service plays a vital role in protecting both responders and the public.

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS AT LEO HALL

FAMILY BINGO: *Sunday, October 4, 2026 (Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult)*

- Doors open at **12:30 pm** and Bingo begins at **2:00 pm**
- **\$20** for 10 games
- Special Gaming Console Game: **\$10 per sheet**
- Family-friendly prizes, food, lunch, and snacks!

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY CRAFT SHOW: *Saturday, November 28, 2026*

- Vendor Spaces: **\$25** (10' x 10')
- Tables & chairs provided
- **Only 25 spaces available!**

Reserve your spot by contacting Teri at tsilar@alliancefireandrescue.org or call 717-244-8811

GUNS & PURSE BINGO + UGLY SWEATER CONTEST: *Saturday, December 4, 2026*

- Doors open at **5:30 pm** and games begin at **7:00 pm**
- **\$50** for 20 games
- Two Special Games: **\$10** (3 cards)
- Cash bowls, game bowls, food & beverages available
- **21+ Only**

Wear your ugliest holiday sweater for a chance to win!

FIRESIDE AT THE FIDDLERS – LINE DANCING! Grab your boots and join us for an evening of fun!

Saturday, October 17, 2026 • Saturday, November 21, 2026 • Saturday, December 19, 2026

- Doors open at **6:00 pm**
- **\$15 per person**

GET INVOLVED TODAY: Whether you're looking to serve your community, learn new skills, or enjoy great local events, Alliance Fire & Rescue has a place for you!

For volunteer opportunities or event tickets, call 717-244-8811 or visit <https://www.alliancefireandrescue.org/join>.

FIRE DEPARTMENT



SOUTHERN AREA FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESCUE (SAFER)

STATION 1 • 50 SOUTH SCHOOL PLACE • DALLASTOWN, PA • 717-246-1629

STATION 2 • 36 EAST GEORGE STREET • YOE, PA • 717-244-4228

STATION 3 • 5410 MOUNT PISGAH ROAD • YORKANA, PA • 717-757-2456

STATION 4 • 2318 SOUTH QUEEN STREET • YORK, PA • 717-741-0023

On Friday, June 12, 2026, the presidents of SAFER and Goodwill of Spry appeared in court to finalize the merger of Spry into SAFER. After reviewing the matter and asking several questions, the judge declared the merger final.

On Monday, June 15, 2026, members of both companies met at SAFER's Dallastown Station for an organizational meeting with the attorney and consultant. Members of Spry were officially welcomed as members of SAFER, and officers were selected and sworn in by District Justice John Fishel. We were also pleased to have several members of the York Township Board of Commissioners present for this important first meeting. The officers are as follows: Senior Trustee, Joseph Abate, Trustee, Josiah Noel, Assistant Fire Chief, Darryl Ehrhart, Captain 13-4, Mike Dowling, Lieutenant 13-4, Chris Dowling, and Fire Police Lieutenant 13-4, Ryan Fisher.

The officers and members of SAFER welcome the Spry members into the organization and look forward to a long and productive working relationship. As part of this merger, a 2018 KME mid-mount tower (ladder) aerial truck (see cover image) has been purchased and is now in service at the Spry station.

SAFER extends a sincere thank-you to the York Township Board of Commissioners for their generous financial support, which made this much-needed truck purchase possible.

👉 **PLEASE register for Community Connect to provide responders critical information at:**

<https://www.communityconnect.io/info/pa-saferfra>

🌐 Visit us at saferyork.com

📱 Follow us on Facebook: facebook.com/SAFERYork13

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: SAFER is seeking volunteers for firefighting, fire police, fundraising, and administrative support. Junior members are welcome, and property owners may qualify for a tax credit for emergency service contributions. SAFER also offers a live-in program for individuals who want to stay at a station and respond to calls. For membership details, visit our website or contact Dallastown Station.

FUNDRAISING EVENTS (Watch our Facebook page and website for upcoming events and dates)

WEEKLY CASH BINGOS: Fridays at Station 1, Dallastown (Doors open at 5:00 pm and games begin at 7:00 pm)

CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA: will be held November 20 through December 18.

BLUEGRASS EVENTS AT SPRY STATION: The Spry Station hosts Seven Mountain Bluegrass Association Events.

- October 10, 2026 – Tim Graves and The Farm Hands
- November 7, 2026 – Dave Adkins and Mountain Soul
- November 21, 2026 – Seth Mulder and Midnight Run
- December 5, 2026 – Special Consensus
- January 9, 2027 – The Kody Norris Show

Doors open at 5:00 pm and music starts at 7:00 pm. For more information call Burt Wills at 443-804-1162 or Ursula at 717-440-4591.

EVENT RENTALS: We have several different locations available for rent for your special occasions. For availability, call **717-246-1629**.

YORK TOWNSHIP SUPPORTED BY VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES

Southern Area Fire and Emergency Rescue (SAFER)

Station 1: 717-246-1629

Station 2: 717-244-4228

Station 3: 717-757-2456

Station 4: 717-741-0023

<https://saferyork.com/>

Alliance Fire and Rescue Services

717-244-8811

<https://www.alliancefireandrescue.org/>

Goodwill Fire Company #1 of Jacobus

717-428-1436

www.goodwillfire18.com

FIRE DEPARTMENT

GOODWILL FIRE COMPANY #1 OF JACOBUS

1 SOUTH MAIN STREET • JACOBUS, PA 17407 • 717-428-1436

Goodwill Fire Company #1 is a 100% Volunteer Company established in 1879. We are always in need of additional volunteers in the areas of fundraising, administration, firefighters, and fire police. Training is provided at no cost for all positions. Contact any member or stop by our station for more information. Company meetings are held on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 pm.

CHRISTMAS IN LOGANVILLE will be held November 21 from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. We will have 22 craft vendors inside our station. Our kitchen will also be open that day.

Our annual **SANTA RUN** will be held on Saturday, December 12. We will have The Grinch and Santa with us. We will also be collecting non-perishable food items for local food banks.

CASH BINGO is held the first Saturday of the month. Doors open at 5:00 pm with Bingo starting at 7:00 pm. We offer a loyalty program, 50/50, small games of chance and door prizes. Kitchen opens at 5:00 pm with a large variety of food and drinks. For bingo information, call 717-891-3643.

At our November and December Cash Bingos and Breakfast Buffets, we will be collecting non-perishable food items for local food banks.

BREAKFAST BUFFET is held on the third Sunday of the month from 8:00 am until 11:00 am. The cost is \$13.00. The menu consists of eggs, sausage, bacon, French toast, pancakes, potatoes, sausage gravy, cream chip beef, biscuits, toast, Perrydell milk, juice, and coffee.

At our Sunday, December 20 Breakfast Buffet, we will have our photographer there along with the Grinch and Santa. Everyone will receive a photo.

DISCOUNT TICKETS



DON'T JUST WATCH A MOVIE.
EXPERIENCE IT.

R/C THEATER QUEENSGATE DISCOUNT MOVIE TICKETS

* Prices subject to change

	Gate Price	Selling Price	Savings	
Grey	\$11.75	\$8.50	\$3.25	Grey Ticket (unrestricted) – This ticket can be used on opening weekends. Tickets can be upgraded to IMAX, 3D, etc. at theatre for an additional cost.

Tickets can be purchased in the Recreation Office.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS



17TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS IN DALLASTOWN SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

There are several businesses participating this year. SAFER (Dallastown), American Legion, and our local churches (Christ Lutheran & Bethlehem Life Church) will be filled with a multitude of vendors selling everything imaginable. Some venues will also offer food. Maps will be located at all four of the venues above, so pick one up and start your Christmas shopping early. And don't forget to get your map stamped at all four venues & three businesses to qualify for a prize. In 2025, we had enough donations to give away over 25 bags of prizes!!



TRICK OR TREAT NIGHT SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Remember to turn on your porch light if you are participating in trick or treat night.



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1
Remember to turn your clocks
back 1-hour

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOLDEN CONNECTIONS COMMUNITY CENTER

WEEKLY LINE DANCING CLASS: Join Line Dance Instructor, Jean Carter, every Monday Night at the Golden Connections Community Center (GCCC) for Beginner/Improver Line Dance Classes. With 20 years of experience, Jean brings the energy, rhythm, and fun! The lineup begins with Basic Step Line Dance lessons from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm, followed by a Beginners Class from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm. Classes are \$3.00 per person. Walk-ins are welcome, and lessons are open to the public.

LINE DANCE WORKSHOP: The GCCC is thrilled to partner with Jean Carter to bring you a Beginner/Improver Line Dance Workshop on Saturday, September 26 from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm! Doors open at 9:30 am and step sheets will be provided. Beginners are welcome. Space is limited, so reserve your spot with a \$20 pre-registration! The event is open to the public of all ages. Refreshments are available for purchase, along with raffles and 50/50 tickets. To pre-register or for more information, email executivedirector@gcccenter.com, call 717-244-7229, or register online at www.gcccenter.com.

OPEN HOUSE & HEALTH/Wellness FAIR: Held on Thursday, September 10 from 9:30 am – 1:00 pm, the Community is invited to come explore all the GCCC has to offer! Whether you're curious about programs, looking to connect with local resources, or just want to enjoy the day, this event is for you! The community will have the opportunity to join members for a sample of some of our most popular classes, as well as stroll through and discover valuable health and wellness resources at the Health Fair. Raffles, 50/50, and food will be available for purchase.

MAKERS MARKET: Held on October 17, this event is the perfect place to showcase your talents, find unique handmade treasures, and support a great cause. We're looking for food vendors, crafters, and demonstrators to fill our space—both indoors and outdoors—so if you have something amazing to share, now's your chance!

Vendor spaces are available for \$35 without electric, \$60 with electric, and \$20 for outdoor spaces. Every dollar raised goes directly toward programs and services that benefit older adults in our community. Whether you're signing up as a vendor or just coming to shop, you'll be part of something truly special. To receive a Vendor Registration Brochure or for more details, contact Kasie Ream at 717-244-7229 or executivedirector@gcccenter.com.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH EVENT: Join us for an evening of holiday fun, food, and fellowship on Friday, December 18 from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the GCCC! This FREE event is open to everyone and will feature something for all ages, including a visit from Santa Claus, music, face painting, and delicious food for purchase from the Pork & Brisket Food Truck. Whether you're looking to enjoy great entertainment, spend time with family and friends, or simply celebrate the season with your community, we invite you to come be part of this special evening.

CONNECTING, EMPOWERING, AND ENRICHING LIVES AT THE GCCC: Since its founding, the GCCC has been dedicated to empowering older adults in the Red Lion and Dallastown areas, helping them stay active, engaged, and independent within a thriving community. Our mission is simple—to provide a welcoming space where seniors aged 60 and above can connect, grow, and enjoy a variety of free services and programs designed to enhance their well-being.

From social and cultural activities to programs that support emotional, physical, and economic needs, we strive to enrich lives, foster friendships, and create opportunities for personal fulfillment. Our services also include counseling, referral assistance, and nutritious meal programs, both congregate and home-delivered meal services, ensuring that every senior has access to essential resources.

Join us Monday through Friday from 8:30 am – 2:30 pm at 20 Gotham Place, Red Lion, or explore our programs online at www.gcccenter.com. Whether you're looking for activities, support, or a sense of community, this is the place for you!

HOST YOUR NEXT EVENT AT THE GCCC: Looking for the perfect space to host your next gathering? Look no further! The GCCC offers a spacious and versatile venue that's perfect for gatherings of all kinds.

Our facility features two large rooms with access to tables and chairs, creating a comfortable and inviting setting for your guests. Plus, at just \$75 per hour, it's an affordable way to bring your celebration to life! Contact Kasie Ream at executivedirector@gcccenter.com or 717-244-7229 x106 to check availability.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE – BECOME A MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEER: The GCCC is seeking caring and dedicated volunteers to help deliver meals to homebound seniors in the Red Lion & Dallastown area. Once a month or once a week, you can make a huge difference in someone's life!

For more information, contact Kameryn Parker at 717-244-7229 x104 or email mealcoordinator@gcccenter.com. Help us bring warm meals, friendly faces, and hope to those who need it most!

-The Golden Connections Community Center is in part funded by the York County Area Agency on Aging-

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

WHAT TO EXPECT: YOUR PET'S SPAY / NEUTER APPOINTMENT

The York County SPCA Spay/Neuter Clinic offers affordable spay/neuter services for owned cats and dogs, as well as free-roaming community cats. Here's what to expect when your pet comes in for surgery:

BEFORE SURGERY: Schedule online at www.ycspca.org. Choose a date, share your pet's medical history, and pay a deposit. You'll get confirmation and reminder emails with drop-off details and instructions to prepare your pet. Our staff may email asking for more medical history or records from your veterinarian. This helps us keep anesthesia and surgery as safe as possible. Some pets with special needs may be better served at a full-service hospital.

DROP OFF: If your pet is up to date on their Rabies vaccine, please bring the certificate with you on the day of surgery. On the day of surgery, come to YCSPCA and remain in your car. Volunteers will direct parking and provide you with a list of additional services we offer. A veterinary technician will confirm your contact info, your pet's history, and answer any questions you may have. A vet tech will take your pet inside, where they will get a physical exam. If you requested pre-op bloodwork, we'll draw it then and call if there are any concerns. Please keep your phone close by.

SURGERY: Pets get pain medication before anesthesia to keep them comfortable after surgery. An anesthetic injection and gas keep them asleep. Veterinary technicians monitor vital signs and prepare your pet for surgery. The veterinarian then performs the spay or neuter, which can take under a minute for male cats, or up to 15 – 20 minutes for large female dogs.

RECOVERY: Pets are monitored closely as they recover from anesthesia. Vet staff monitor their temperature and other vitals, and provide care as needed. Each pet is fitted with an e-collar to stop them from licking at the incision when they are awake. Staff will then check on patients throughout the afternoon before they go home.

PICK UP: Pets go home the same day as their surgery, usually between 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm. You'll get an email with recovery instructions, and your pet will go home with pain medication. When you arrive, please remain in your car; a staff member will answer any questions you may have and then bring your pet out to you.

FOLLOW UP: If you have any questions after your pet's surgery, the best way to contact us is via email at clinic@ycspca.org. We are also available for post-op rechecks, Monday through Friday, between 9:00 am and 2:00 pm, with no appointment necessary. For more details about the services we offer, please visit www.ycspca.org/spay-neuter-clinic or scan this QR code.



THE GAME PLAN



“When's your next PLAY DAY?”

www.yorktownshiprec.com
[717-741-3861 x142](tel:717-741-3861)

SPECIAL EVENTS

For YTRec event cancellation, please check out our website at www.yorktownshiprec.com or our Facebook page @YTRecreation. For field conditions, please call the YTRec Hotline at 717-428-5640. Decisions on field conditions will be made at 4:00 pm.

THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 PARTNERS IN PARK

These businesses help support the York Township Recreation Departments' special events! With the support of these partners, the York Township Recreation Department is able to offer events at little to no cost to the public! For more information on how to become a partner, contact the Recreation Department at 717-741-3861 x142.



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YORK TOWNSHIP'S FALL FUN FEST & TOUCH-A-TRUCK

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Come out to the York Township Municipal Building and enjoy the day with scarecrow stuffing (bring clothes to stuff), pumpkin decorating, barrel train rides, various inflatables, and MORE! Make sure to check out the KID GAME ZONE! Although most activities are free, some may require a small cash fee.

Dandelion Thyme and Kona Ice food trucks available.

Enter a pumpkin in our "No Carve Pumpkin Decorating Contest" for your chance to win a prize! All pumpkins must be dropped off at the Municipal Building by noon on Thursday, October 8. Voting takes place during Fall Fun Fest!



GHOST HUNT AT THE PARK

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Hunt for ghosts at the park! Come prepared with your best Ghost Hunting gear! Remember to bring a flashlight! Multiple ghosts will be floating around York Township Park. Find all ghosts to win a prize!

Time slots will be reserved. Please register at www.yorktownshiprec.com to reserve your slot! Reserved slots are strongly encouraged and will receive priority. Walk-ups are welcomed but will have to wait for the next available slot.

A mini short film will be playing outdoors for you to enjoy while you wait.



YORK TOWNSHIP'S TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY AND COOKIES & COCOA WITH SANTA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4

6:30 PM – 9:00 PM

Join Santa at the York Township Municipal Building for the annual tree lighting ceremony followed by cookies, cocoa, and more! Movies/games/crafts and cookies will be available following the tree lighting ceremony.

Join us prior to Santa's arrival for some festive tunes by the Dallastown Middle School Choir beginning at 6:30 pm. The tree lighting ceremony begins promptly at 7:00 pm.



ANNUAL EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, MARCH 20

RAIN OR SHINE

Registration is \$4 per person.

*Registration runs from **January 11 – March 17**. Payment **MUST BE RECEIVED** by March 17. **NO EXCEPTIONS!***

Register at www.yorktownshiprec.com. You must be registered for the proper age group.

Wrist bands will replace tickets and will be distributed to registrants at check in!

A Food Truck will be available from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

Youth Egg Hunt – All youth egg hunts will be held at York Township Park on McWilliams Field or Soccer Field #2. Children ages 11 and under are invited to bring their baskets and have a hopping good time!

Ages 3 & Under – begins at 12:00 pm

Ages 4-5 – begins at 12:30 pm

Ages 6-8 – begins at 1:00 pm

Ages 9-11 – begins at 1:30 pm

Teen Egg Hunt – Begins at 8:00 pm at York Township Park. This event is for youth in grades 7-12. Bring a flashlight to search for prize eggs in the dark!

Adult Egg Hunt – Begins at 6:30 pm at York Township Park. This event is for the kid in anyone. Must be 21 or older.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

REGISTRATION PROCESS – Unless otherwise stated, visit our website at www.yorktownshiprec.com, create a Household Account (*if you do not already have one*), print registration form and submit with payment (cash or check only) **no later than 1 week prior** to session start date or by deadline listed. \$5 of the program fee is non-refundable. **Registration is not complete until payment is received.** R=Resident Rate; NR=Non-Resident Rate.

FOREST FRIENDS

Forest Friends is a parents/guardian accompanied learning experience at York Township Park for children ages 2 – 6, ideally when they are ready for preschool-level concepts. A blend of outdoor and indoor learning experiences is offered. Children will explore nature through music and movement, STEAM, and literacy. Activities will vary by monthly theme but include some of the following: dance, yoga, counting and patterning, the five senses, nature walks, building, painting, and touch-friendly discovery. All participants should dress for outdoor/messy play. Outdoor content will happen unless there is active hazardous precipitation or extreme temperatures. In the event of hazardous precipitation or extreme temperatures, programming will be moved into the York Township Park Building.

INSTRUCTOR: Franny Moyer and Amanda Leiphart

DATE/TIME: **Session 1:** Friday, October 2
9:30 am – 10:30 am

Session 2: Friday, November 6
9:30 am – 10:30 am

Session 3: Friday, December 4
9:30 am - 10:30 am

LOCATION: York Township Pavilion 2
(For inclement weather, Park Building will be used)

MIN/MAX: 5 / 30

AGES: 2 – 6 years old

COST: \$15 a session

AMERICAN RED CROSS (ARC)

BABYSITTER'S TRAINING

NEWLY UPDATED COURSE WITH CPR CERTIFICATION! This ARC class is designed to provide youth ages 11 – 16 who are planning to babysit with the knowledge and skills necessary to give care safely and responsibly to children and infants. The goal of this training is to help participants develop leadership skills; learn how to develop a babysitting business; keep themselves and others safe; and learn childcare and basic first aid. Pizza will be provided.

INSTRUCTOR: Jess Smith

DATE/TIME: Monday, November 16
8:30 am – 4:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 5 / 12

AGES: 11 – 16 years old

COST: \$110 R / \$115 NR

HARVEST BASH KIDS PARTY

Start your break with fun games, baking and a fall craft.

INSTRUCTOR: Recreation Staff

DATE/TIME: Friday, November 13
1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 24

AGES: Kindergarten – 13 years old

COST: \$25 R / \$30 NR

ADULT PROGRAMS

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HALLOWEEN LANTERNS

Make your favorite fall design. Enjoy fun music and relax as Connie Higgins guides you step by step. No experience necessary.

INSTRUCTOR: Connie, Paint and Enjoy

DATE/TIME: Tuesday, October 6
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building

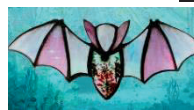
MIN/MAX: 8 / 40

AGES: 12 years and older

COST: \$35 R / \$40 NR



STAINED GLASS BAT WITH PRESSED FLOWERS



You will make your own stained-glass bat. Choose from a variety of pre-cut pieces. Class is beginner friendly.

INSTRUCTOR: Missy, MK Glass Designs

DATE/TIME: Monday, October 19
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 30

AGES: 12 years and older

COST: \$55 R / \$60 NR

ADULT PROGRAMS

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ORNAMENT GLASS BLOWING



No experience necessary. After a simple demonstration, students will make their own Christmas ornament with the help of the instructor. Michael brings over 20 years of experience and knowledge.

INSTRUCTOR: Michael Peluso
DATE/TIME: Tuesday, November 10
Session 1: 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Session 2: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 10 / 16
AGES: 10 years and older
COST: \$70 R / \$75 NR

SEA GLASS TREES



Make your very own lighted sea glass tree! All supplies included! These are fun and easy to make. Children 8 – 15 must be accompanied by an adult.

INSTRUCTOR: Missy, MK Glass Designs
DATE/TIME: Tuesday, December 8
 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 8 / 40
AGES: 8 years and older
COST: \$55 R / \$60 NR



BASIC HANDGUN TRAINING

Please do not bring your handgun

This course will teach you firearm ownership responsibility, facing an imminent threat, multiple shooting stances, shooting defensively, handgun action types, draw stroke from a concealed position, racking the slide, holsters, loading/unloading, grip, causes of firearm accidents, ammo storage and more.

INSTRUCTOR: Gary Smith (Point Blank Defense), NRA Certified
DATE/TIME: Tuesday, November 10
 5:00 pm – 8:30 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 20
AGES: 18 years and older
COST: \$100 R / \$105 NR per session

POINT BLANK SAFE TRAINING

This course provides the skill set to not be an easy target. The first step to personal safety is developing personal awareness. Topics include: real-life scenarios, places of attacks, de-escalation tactics, reaction vs. reflex, road rage, child trafficking, self-awareness tests, home security, imminent threats, why me? / victimized, self-defense devices, vehicle carjacking.

INSTRUCTOR: Gary Smith (Point Blank Defense), NRA Certified
DATE/TIME: Tuesday, January 19
 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 20
AGES: 12 years and older
COST: \$55 R / \$60 NR per session

AMERICAN RED CROSS (ARC) ADULT & PEDIATRIC CPR, FIRST AID & AED

The American Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED r.25 program equips participants with the knowledge and skills to recognize and respond effectively to cardiac, breathing, and first aid emergencies. Designed for when minutes matter, this program helps individuals provide immediate care and make informed decisions about seeking advanced medical assistance. Upon successful completion, a valid 2-year digital certificate for Adult and Pediatric First Aid/CPR/AED is issued.

INSTRUCTOR: Jess Smith
DATE/TIME: Wednesday, October 21
 5:30 pm – 9:30 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 5 / 12
AGES: 12 years and older
COST: \$95 R / \$100 NR

INDOOR SHUFFLEBOARD

Do you enjoy the skill and challenge of shuffleboard or want to learn? Join York Township's Winter Indoor Shuffleboard League. No equipment is needed, as it will be supplied by the department.

INSTRUCTOR: Recreation Staff
DATE/TIME: Tuesdays,
 February 2 – March 23
 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Bocce Courts
MIN/MAX: 4 / 16
AGES: 18 years and older
COST: \$15 R / \$20 NR

ADULT PROGRAMS

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COUNTRY LINE DANCE WORKSHOPS



Get your boots and join us for Country Line Dance Lessons. Brittanie will break things down step by step. Step sheets will be provided for continued learning. For questions, contact Brittanie on Facebook at Dancin' with Brittanie or email dancinwithbrittanie@gmail.com.

BEGINNERS WORKSHOP – Have two left feet? This is the class for you! This class consists of breaking down line dance steps individually progressing to putting them together forming what we call line dance choreography.

INSTRUCTOR: Dancin' with Brittanie, LLC
DATE/TIME: **Session 1:** Wednesdays, November 4 – 25
 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Session 2: Wednesdays, January 20 – February 10
 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Session 3: Wednesdays, February 17 – March 10
 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 24 / 40
AGES: 12 years and older
COST: \$45 R / \$50 NR per session

ADVANCED BEGINNERS WORKSHOP – This is a transitional class for Beginners! This class consists of Advanced Beginner Lessons leading to Improver Level Dances to prepare you for our next class, Improvers.

INSTRUCTOR: Dancin' with Brittanie, LLC
DATE/TIME: **Session 1:** Wednesdays, December 2 – 23
 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Session 2: Wednesdays, March 24 – April 14
 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 24 / 40
AGES: 12 years and older
COST: \$45 R / \$50 NR per session

YORK COUNTY AREA

AGENCY ON AGING PROGRAMS

HEALTHY STEPS FOR OLDER ADULTS – An evidence-based program, Healthy Steps for Older Adults, reduces fall risks among older adults by raising awareness about the causes of falls and how to prevent them. Participants will learn how to exercise safely at home and be offered information on ways to improve their health and well-being. Discussions will include home and medication safety, as well as appropriate foot care/footwear.

INSTRUCTOR: York County Area Agency Staff
DATE/TIME: Wednesdays, December 9 and 16
 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 12
AGES: 60 years and older
COST REG: Free / Contact Lauren at 717-771-9610

LIVING WELL WITH DIABETES – The Diabetes Self-Management Program is a structured, evidence-based program for older adults living with pre-diabetes or diabetes, which provides tools to manage diabetes and the emotions that come with the disease.

INSTRUCTOR: York County Area Agency Staff
DATE/TIME: Fridays, October 16 – November 20
 9:30 am – 12:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 12
AGES: 60 years and older
COST REG: Free / Contact Megan at 717-855-0437

MATTER OF BALANCE – This is a program designed to reduce the fear of falling and increase the activity levels of older adults who have concerns about falling. Participants will learn to view falls and fear of falling as controllable, set realistic goals for increasing activity, change their environment to reduce fall risk factors, and promote exercise to increase strength and balance.

INSTRUCTOR: York County Area Agency Staff
DATE/TIME: Tuesdays & Thursdays, October 20 – November 12
 (No class November 3, makeup November 4)
 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
LOCATION: York Township Park Building
MIN/MAX: 6 / 12
AGES: 55 years and older
COST REG: Free / Contact Lauren at 717-771-9610



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BUS TRIPS

All trips depart from the York Township Municipal Building unless otherwise stated.
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. To register, please visit www.yorktownshiprec.com.
PLEASE NOTE: PAYMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH REGISTRATION.

Preregistration does NOT reserve your seat.

\$10 of the trip fee is non-refundable. No refunds for bus trips will be given when seats are canceled less than 45 days before the trip unless the trip is canceled by the Township or you find a replacement for your seat.

NEW YORK CITY SHOPPER TRIP

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21 OR DECEMBER 12



Hop on the bus and head for the Big Apple! Enjoy the day shopping or sightseeing! Central Park is beautiful any time of year and now you get to decide when to go. Arrive in NYC around 10:30 am and depart NYC around 7:30 pm.

TIME: Bus will depart at 6:30 am and return around 11:00 pm

COST: \$93 R / \$98 NR

RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SHOW

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21



Enjoy the Christmas Spectacular that has become a favorite tradition for all to see! This trip fills up fast, so do not wait until the last minute. Tickets are for the 4:00 pm show, giving you free time to see the city.

TIME: Bus will depart at 6:30 am and return around 11:00 pm

COST: \$220 R / \$225 NR

MACKINAC ISLAND

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 – SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2027



- Trip includes motor coach transportation
- 6 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in Northern Michigan
- 10 meals: 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners
- Guided tour of Mackinaw City
- Visit Mackinac Island, including a guided carriage tour
- Boat ride through the Soo Locks and free time and sightseeing in Sault Sainte Marie
- Visit to Mackinaw Crossings
- Admission to colonial Michilimackinac

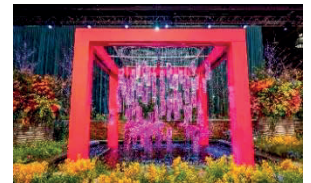
COST: \$995 Residents / \$1015 Non-Residents
 (Based on double occupancy. Add \$269 for single occupancy)

PHILADELPHIA FLOWER SHOW

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 2027



The Philadelphia Flower Show is the nation's largest and longest-running horticultural event and features stunning displays by the world's premier floral and landscape designers. You will explore the human connections that are created by sharing a love of flowers and gardens. The 2027 theme is yet to be announced. Trip Includes: Transportation & Admission.



COST: \$109 per person

LOCATION: The bus will depart at approximately 9:00 am. Exact pickup location is TBD.



NASHVILLE SHOW TRIP

APRIL 2027

Trip information will be posted on the York Township Recreation website at www.yorktownshiprec.com as it becomes available.

Please continue to check the website for details!

PARKS	Multi-Purpose Fields	Baseball / Softball Fields	Basketball Courts	Sand Volleyball Courts	Bocce Courts	Horseshoe Pits	Playground Area	Pavilion / Gazebo	Trails	Tennis / Pickleball	Community Gardens	Park Building
York Township Park (67 acres) Oak Street York 17402												
Stump Memorial Park (23 acres) Days Mill Road York 17403												
Heritage Hills Park (3 acres) Heritage Hills Drive York 17402												
Tyler Run Park (3 acres) Bayberry Lane York 17403												
Snyder Park (8 acres) Beaumont Road York 17402												
Shryock Field (6 acres) South Queen Street York 17402												
Fitz Park (7 acres) Sharon Ave South York 17402												
Mill Creek Preserve (8 acres) Camp Betty Washington Road York 17403												
Markey Park (35 acres) Oak Road York 17403						Undeveloped						
Kehm Park 155 Oak Road (69 acres) Dallastown 17313						Undeveloped						

FACILITY/AMENITY RENTALS

The parks have many amenities for the public to use and enjoy on a first-come, first-served basis. However, they may be reserved for a fee by individuals, groups and organizations for recreation purposes. Fees are subject to change at the discretion of the Township. Call 717-741-3861 x142 to reserve a facility. **Township-sponsored programs and reservation holders have priority use.**

FACILITY/AMENITY	Resident	Non-Resident
York Township Park Building	\$40/hour	\$70/hour
Basketball Courts	varies	varies
Tennis/Pickleball Courts	varies	varies
Sand Volleyball Courts	varies	varies
Bocce Courts / Horseshoe Pits	varies	varies
NEW: Park Pavilions:		
Weekdays: 4-hour time blocks	\$40/block	\$60/block
Weekends: 6-hour time blocks	\$60/block	\$80/block

ATHLETIC FIELDS

The YTRec Department partners with local sports organizations to offer various athletic leagues on York Township fields. These are the only groups authorized to use the fields in this manner. If you would like to become a sports partner, please contact the Recreation Department at 717-741-3861 x142.

PARTICIPATION AND REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

REGISTRATION FORMS for various programs will be placed online at www.yorktownshiprec.com as they become available. Paper forms for some programs may be necessary and will be available at the YTRec Office.

- **ADVANCE PAYMENT** is required 1 week prior to all programs as it will ensure a space in the class/program. Checks or cash only. Checks may be made payable to York Township. Registration is not complete until payment is received.
- **PARTICIPATION** in any class/program/event constitutes permission to use likeness in promotional materials.
- **THE DEPARTMENT** is **NOT** responsible for injuries while participating in any of its activities.
- **REFUNDS** will not be granted 1 week prior to the start of a class. No refunds for bus trips will be given when spots are canceled less than 45 days before the trip unless the trip is canceled by the Township.
- **PROGRAM SIZE** is limited and will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Classes/events reaching capacity will start a wait list.
- **PROGRAM DATES & TIMES** are contingent on availability of facilities and are subject to change.
- **PROGRAMS** postponed or not held by the instructor due to emergencies will be made up by the instructor or fees will be prorated. Classes missed by the participant will not be made up.
- **POLICY ON CHILDREN** – Participants are not permitted to bring children with them to class. Enrollment age is included with the description of most of the classes.
- **CANCELATIONS** – In case of inclement weather, we may cancel our programs. Participants will be notified of a canceled program. For field closures, contact the YTRec Hotline number at 717-428-5640. The hotline is typically updated Monday – Friday by 4:00 pm and Saturday – Sunday by 7:00 am.
- **MIN/MAX** – There is a minimum number of participants needed before a class can “go.” If a sufficient number does not register, the class will be canceled. Ensure your choice—register now!

PARK RULES/HOURS

- All Township Parks, with the exception of York Township Park, are closed from dusk to dawn. York Township Park is closed between the hours of 10:00 pm and 6:00 am. No trespassing during these hours or when area is otherwise closed by the Township.
- No littering.
- No negligent or deliberate destruction or removal of natural or physical property.
- **NO GOLFING IN PARKS.** Outdoor recreation activity is restricted to locations appropriate to the activity or as directed.
- Open fires or hot coals must be in fireplaces or grills. Fires may not be left unattended and must be thoroughly extinguished before they are abandoned. Grills may not be placed on picnic tables.
- No solicitation.
- **No alcoholic beverages or drugs.** No one shall use or be under the influence of alcoholic beverages or drugs in any parks.
- **Use of explosives, fireworks, guns, rifles, air guns, bows, slingshots, or similar items is prohibited.**
- Injuring or killing wild animals is prohibited.
- Boisterous, immoral or indecent conduct is prohibited.
- No facilities may be reserved or events scheduled without completion of an application form and approval of the Recreation Director of the Township.
- Parks may be closed if hazardous conditions endanger life or property. In said event, there should be no trespassing on park property in said times.
- Dogs must be kept on a leash or otherwise tied. All canine solid waste must be removed from the park.
- Motor vehicles may be driven and parked only in designated areas.
- **No inflatables, pony rides, petting zoos, game / food trucks, etc. allowed with pavilion/building rentals.**

COMMUNITY CONTACTS & SPORTS PARTNERS

YORK COUNTY PARKS – www.yorkcountyparks.org

FC DALLASTOWN SOCCER CLUB – www.dallastownsoccerclub.org

DALLASTOWN COUGAR ATHLETICS – www.dallastowncougarbaseball.com

DALLASTOWN WILDCAT BASKETBALL – www.dallastownhoops.com

YORK COUNTY MEN'S SOCCER LEAGUE – www.ycmsl.com

YORK TOWNSHIP BASEBALL CLUB – www.leaguelineup.com/yorktownshipbaseball

WILDCAT LACROSSE – <http://wildcatlax.leagueapps.com/>

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YORK TOWNSHIP CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October

8....."No Carve Pumpkin" for
Fall Fun Fest due
10....Fall Fun Fest
16....Ghost Hunts
24....*Curbside Yard Waste
Pickup by Penn Waste
31....Trick or Treat Night

November

1.....Daylight Saving Time
14....*Curbside Yard Waste
Pickup by Penn Waste
21....*Curbside Yard Waste
Pickup by Penn Waste
21.....New York City / Radio
City Bus Trip
26....Township Offices Closed
27....Township Offices Closed

December

4.....Cookies and Cocoa with
Santa
12....New York City Bus Trip
24....Township Offices Close
at 11:30 am
25....Township Offices Closed
31....Township Offices Close
at 11:30 am

January

1.....Township Offices Closed
11....Egg Hunt Registration
Opens
16....*Penn Waste Curbside
Christmas Tree Pickup

February

15....Township Offices Closed

*These services are for Township residents only. The schedule for different Boards of the Township is listed on page 2.
For special meetings, please check the Township website for updated notices at www.yorktownshippa.gov.

YORK TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION STAFF AND OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday from 7:30 am – 4:00 pm • Public Works from 7:00 am – 3:30 pm

Tax Collector sets Tax Office hours.

190 Oak Road, Dallastown, PA 17313

All phone numbers are **717-741-3861** unless otherwise stated

Township Manager – Gary Milbrand
Director of Economic Development – Lisa Frye
Recreation Director – Carly Mercadante
Public Works Director – Barry Myers
Recycling Coordinator – Lisa Smith
Finance Director/Treasurer – Larena Keller
Building Code Official – Keith Lutz
Code Enforcement Officers
Charles Landis
Scott Keech
Emergency Management Coordinator – Anthony Williams

Chief of York County Regional Police
Timothy Damon (717-741-1259)
Tax Collector
Kay Crumling (717-741-0056)
Animal Control Services
Michelle Klugh (717-916-1413)
York Township Direct Dial
Inspections: 717-428-5641
Public Works: 717-428-5644
Finance, Sewer, Septic: 717-428-5642
Permits and Zoning: 717-428-5643
Recreation: 717-428-5645
Field Hotline: 717-428-5640



Residential refuse and recycling collection contracted through Penn Waste. To start service, please call 717-767-4456.