

# The PINEKNOTTER News

Summer 2019



where the waters meet...

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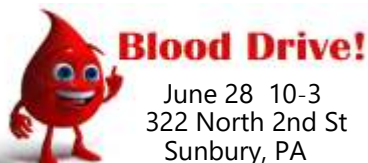
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Last day to register to vote:  
October 7, 2019.



Last day to  
request an  
absentee  
ballot:  
October  
29, 2019

All Borough wards vote at the  
2nd St Comm. Center.  
Pt Township votes at either the  
Township Building or American  
Legion Post 44.



June 28 10-3  
322 North 2nd St  
Sunbury, PA

July 11th 1-6  
Nottingham Village  
1000 Strawbridge Rd  
Northumberland, Pa



## 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Pineknotted Days

July 1<sup>st</sup> - July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019

King Street Park, Northumberland, PA

(unless otherwise noted)

**SHUTTLE SERVICE AVAILABLE - Monday thru Friday 6 pm - 10 pm**

**PARKING & PICK UP / DROP OFF - American Legion Post 44 (North Side of Lot)**

Norry Christian School - 5th & King Streets Pine Apartments (Out Front)

**NIGHTLY - Monday Thru Friday**

**PINEKNOTTER CONCESSIONS** - Open 5 pm to 10 pm

**ART SHOW** - Little House, 3rd Street - Open 6 pm to 9 pm

**BINGO** - 6 pm to 10 pm

**Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

**SOAPBOX RACE 8 am** - King and Fourth Streets

Sign up sheets at the Borough Office

Sponsored by: **Northumberland Police Dept.**

**Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>**

**PINEMUDDER FOR KIDS** - Pineknotted Park

Ages 9-13 at 2:00 P.M. Ages 4-8 at 2:15 P.M.

Sponsored by: **17857.org**

**COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE 7 pm**

King Street Gazebo

Amazing Grace Community Church  
and Sunbury Bible Church

**Monday, July 1<sup>st</sup>**

**PINEKNOTTER GOOD CITIZEN AWARD 7 pm**

**PINEKNOTTER OF THE YEAR AWARD 8 pm**

**ENTERTAINMENT:**

**RECREATION - 7 pm to 10 pm**

Sponsored by: **The Northumberland National Bank**

**LIVE REMOTE: WEGH - FM Radio**

**Tuesday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**ENTERTAINMENT:**

**TOP SHELF - 7 pm to 10 pm**

**Wednesday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**CAR SHOW 6 pm to 9 pm**

**ENTERTAINMENT:**

**MEMORY LANE - 7 pm to 10 pm**

**LIVE REMOTE: WVLY - FM Radio**

**Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>**

**CRAFT SHOW 9 am to 3 pm**

**BALLOON ARTIST 10 am - 1:30 pm**

Sponsored by: **Anselmo Foundation**

**CHICKEN BAR-B-Q 11 am**

Point Township Fire Company

**ART SHOW - 9 am to 9 pm**

Little House, Third Street

**ENTERTAINMENT:**

**FRANK WICKER - 7 pm to 10 pm**

**LIVE REMOTE: WEGH - FM Radio**

**Friday, July 5<sup>th</sup>**

**ENTERTAINMENT:**

**LUCKY AFTERNOON - 7 pm to 10 pm**

**PINEKNOTTER DAYS**

Sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Northumberland - Point Township  
Proceeds Benefit Community Service Projects

## Greetings Friends, Neighbors and Citizens of Northumberland,

The Good News is summer is getting into full swing with Pineknotters days beginning June 29th. Join us in King Street Park thru July 5th for our 47th annual celebration of Northumberland and its rich history.

New Enterprise will cease operations on the Duke Street Reconstruction Project so there will be no problems getting in and out of Norry. Shuttle buses will also be available from several locations—Legion Post 44, The Pines and the Northumberland Christian School. So come out and enjoy the start of Summer 2019. A reminder that when construction is going on, school is out for the summer and there are kids everywhere, please be aware of your surroundings. Don't drive too fast and please obey the street signs. Let's have a safe summer. If you own a dog, I would like to remind you of two borough ordinances regarding your dog's business.

24.4.01. Animal Defecation on Public and Private Property Restricted. No person, having possession, custody or control of any Animal, shall knowingly or negligently permit any Animal defecate or urinate, upon any gutter, street, driveway, alley, curb, cartway or sidewalk in the Borough of Northumberland, or upon the floors or stairways of any building or place frequented by the public or used in common by the tenants, or upon the outside walls, walkways, driveways, alleys, curbs or sidewalks of any building abutting on a public street or park, or upon the playground areas, pavilion, picnic or gathering areas of any public parks or public area, or upon any private property other than the property of the owner of such Animal. Allowing an Animal to defecate on the area of ground between a sidewalk and curb or in areas within three (3) feet of the curb where no sidewalk exists, shall not be a violation of this section as long as feces are disposed of in accordance with Section 24.4.02.

### 24.4.02. Disposal of Animal Feces.

Any person having possession, custody or control of any Animal(s), which permits a nuisance, i.e. defecation or urination, in any area other than the private property of the owner of such Animal, as prohibited in section 1 or who allows Animal feces to accumulate on their own property in a manner that creates a potential health hazard shall be required to immediately remove any feces from such surface and either: 1. Carry same away for disposal in a toilet; or 2. Place same in a non-leaking full enclosed container for disposal at the owner's residence.

Animal feces, and/or defecation, and/or waste that is not properly stored shall be deemed a threat to the public health in the Borough of Northumberland. In order to prevent a threat of disease and/or the spread of disease, it shall be unlawful to store and maintain Animal feces and/or defecation, and/or waste except in a solid enclosed plastic bag that is stored in a rigid container (a hard plastic or metal garbage can) with a top that is secured at all times to prevent accidental spilling and/or access by Animals and/or a person or persons, including children.

I post these ordinances because many citizens have come to me with problems they are having with dogs in their neighborhoods. Let us all be good neighbors to each other and let's have a great summer. As always, I am easily available to one and all at [mayor@northumberlandborough.com](mailto:mayor@northumberlandborough.com) or thru the borough office at 570-473-3414.

*Dan Berard ..... Mayor of Northumberland*

## WHY VOLUNTEER—VOLUNTEERING IS GOOD FOR YOUR MIND AND BODY. BENEFIT #2 IN THE SERIES OF ARTICLES ON VOLUNTEERING.

### Benefits of volunteering: 4 ways to feel healthier and happier

1. Volunteering connects you to others
2. Volunteering is good for your mind and body
3. Volunteering can advance your career
4. Volunteering brings fun and fulfillment to your life

**Volunteering helps counteract the effects of stress, anger, and anxiety.** The social contact aspect of helping and working with others can have a profound effect on your overall psychological well-being. Nothing relieves stress better than a meaningful connection to another person.

**Volunteering combats depression.** Volunteering keeps you in regular contact with others and helps you develop a solid support system, which in turn protects you against depression.

**Volunteering makes you happy.** Human beings are hard-wired to give to others. The more we give, the happier we feel.

**Volunteering increases self-confidence.** You are doing good for others and the community, which provides a natural sense of accomplishment. The better you feel about yourself, the more likely you are to have a positive view of your life and future goals.

**Volunteering provides a sense of purpose.** Older adults, especially those who have retired or lost a spouse, can find new meaning and direction in their lives by helping others. Whatever your age or life situation, volunteering can help take your mind off your own worries, keep you mentally stimulated, and add more zest to your life.

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The American Legion was founded in March 1919 in Paris, France, by U.S. World War I military personnel stationed there. On September 16, 1919 the U.S. Congress chartered The American Legion. The first legion convention was in 1919; a resolution was passed in support of Boy Scouts of America. Today, the legion is the chartering agency for more than 1,700 Scouting units made up of approximately 64,000 youths.

During the first Nation Convention, a gathering of 684 delegates, Franklin D'Olier of Pennsylvania was elected National Commander of The American Legion. Today the American Legion consists of 55 departments in each of the 50 states as well as the District of Columbia, France, Mexico, the Philippines and Puerto Rico. There are approximately 13,000 local posts worldwide. Current national membership is about 2 million. Combined with the American Legion Auxiliary and Sons of The American Legion, the membership, known as the American Legion Family, exceeds 3 million. The Legion has been instrumental in the creation of a number of major institutions of American society, including formation of the Department of Veterans Affairs, creation of U.S. Flag Code, passage of the GI Bill and more.

American Legion posts annually: donate more than 3.7 million hours of volunteer service in their communities; provide assistance on more than 181,000 VA benefits claims and cases; donate more than 80,000 pints of blood to collection centers nationwide, which makes the Legion the nation's single largest blood donor; awards more than 8,000 medals to Junior ROTC students; sponsors more than 2,500 Scouting units serving more than 64,000 young people; and awards more than \$4 million in college scholarships.

The American Legion was founded on four pillars: Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation, National Security, Americanism, and Children & Youth. Each of these pillars encompasses a variety of programs that benefit our nation's veterans, its service members, their families, the youth of America and ordinary citizens.

The American Legion supports the American Legion Baseball, Boys State and Boys Nation, The American Legion oratorical contest, junior shooting sports, youth cadet law enforcement, scouting and other youth programs. Other programs supported by The American Legion are Operation Comfort Warriors (OCW), The American Legion National Emergency Fund, and The American Legion Child Welfare Foundation (CWF).

I want to take time to thank all the men and women that have served and the men and women that are serving now that put their lives on the line every day to keep our country free.

**Beautification Awards for April, May & June,  
Congratulations!**



April: Millie Boutique on Queen & Front Streets



May: Frost-Farrow home on  
2nd Street



June: Wynn home on Prince Street

### Who is 17857.org?

We are a small group of people trying to make Norry an even nicer place to live and raise your kids — come and join us the first Thursday of every month at the Little House at 6:00 pm.

## 2019 Yard Sale Registration

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

What will you have for sale?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Drop off your form and \$3 non-refundable fee at the  
Borough Office, 175 Orange Street by 8/22. Call Noelle  
with questions 570-412-4072.

## Music in King St. Park!

7-8 pm

June 17 - Sunbury City Worship


June 24 - Karen & Bill

July 8 - Keith Bossert

Aug 12 - Sunbury City Band


Aug 26 - Strawbridge Band

Food and drink available for purchase.

Like us on  at 'Norry Bulletin Board' to stay  
up-to-date on all the latest happenings!



### A Christian Non-Profit Senior Personal Care Community



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### COMMUNITY YARD SALES – AUGUST 31

Do you have junk... er, treasures to get rid of? Start gathering your "treasures" for the community-wide yard sales set for Saturday, August 31.

Register your sale for just \$3 to get your address on the list. Deadline to register is August 22. The list and map of all registered addresses will be advertised throughout Facebook, Craigslist, and The Daily Item. Signs will be placed all over town. Only your address will be posted, no names or phone numbers.



### THANK YOU to Wolfe's Sanitation!

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2nd Street Community Center Playground.



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## RECYCLING CENTER HOURS

Wednesday — 5:30 to 7:00 pm

Saturday — 7:00 to 11:00 am

966 Water Street

## Wanted

A dependable group of people – Fire Companies, non-profits or Service Groups to take a turn at the Liberty Recycling Center.

Work once a month – a Wednesday 5:30 – 7:00 and a Saturday 7:00 – 11:00, need about 3 people on a shift.

Reward – about \$2,000 - \$3,000 a year to the organization and the good feelings from both helping your organization and providing an awesome community service. If interested call 570-473-9708 or 570-473-7445 or 570-473-9802

## LEMONADE DAY

Lemonade Day is set for August 3! Lemony sweetness and fun will be happening at the 2nd Street Playground on Saturday, August 3, 11am-4pm. There will be organized games and activities, bouncing fun, balloons, pie eating, food, and of course LEMONADE STANDS! Come on out and support the young entrepreneurs! It's always amazing to see the concoctions, themes, and decorations that come to life at this celebration.

Prizes will be awarded for the best tasting lemonade, best theme, and best decorated stand. Once again, Susquehanna Valley Limousine has graciously donated a limo ride for the first day of school to the People's Choice Award Winner!

Registration forms have been distributed at all of the Shikellamy Elementary Schools and are also available at the Borough Office, select local businesses, and on Facebook on the "Lemonade Day in Northumberland" and "Norry Bulletin Board" pages. Questions? Call Noelle at 570-412-4072. This event is sponsored by [17857.org](http://17857.org), Joseph J. Anselmo Sr. Trust, and Northumberland Borough.



## LOCAL GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION

### POINT TOWNSHIP

759 Ridge Road  
570-473-3198 office / 9364 PD  
[pointttwp@ptd.net](mailto:pointttwp@ptd.net)

Office Hours:  
Mon-Fri  
8-12 & 1-4

Supervisors: 2nd Tuesday 7 pm  
Planning: 3rd Tuesday 6 pm

Sewer: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday 7 pm  
Fire: 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 6 pm (except summer)

Supervisors: Randall Yoxheimer, Montie Peters, George Geise,  
James Neitz, Sr, Joseph H Stender

Solicitor: Richard Shoch  
Tax Collector: John Snyder

Fire Chief: James Geise  
Zoning & Sewage: Gene Powlus

Sec/Treas.: Amanda McClain  
Clerk: Amy Hoffman

Emergency Mgmt: George P Geise  
Acting Road Master: Jared Wehry

Police Chief: Josh Vankirk

Vacancy Board – James Kohl

Planning Com.: Ronnie Vandine, Joan Brooks, Thomas Strouse, Jr.,  
Chris Peiffer & Clay Rowe

Zoning Hearing Board: Christopher Miller, Bonnie Troxell, Theresa Bettleyon

### NORTHUMBERLAND BOROUGH

175 Orange Street  
570-473-3414 office / 8446 PD  
[office@northumberlandborough.com](mailto:office@northumberlandborough.com)

Office Hours:  
Mon - Fri 9-12  
Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri 1-5

Council: 1<sup>st</sup> Tues 7 pm  
Sewer: 1<sup>st</sup> Tues 6 pm

Community Dev: 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday 7 pm  
Finance: 4<sup>th</sup> Tues 7 pm

Emergency Services: 1<sup>st</sup> Monday 6 pm  
Public Safety: 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues 6 pm

Rules Comm: 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday 6 pm  
Streets: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues 7 pm

Council: Paul Ruane, Ralph Cianflone, Ellie Rees, Ty Sees,  
Orlando Toro, Frank Wetzell, Kaitlyn Simmons

Mayor: Dan Berard  
Police Chief: C.L. "Butch" Kriner

Fire Chief: Brian Ginck  
EMA Director: Herb Gottshall

Boro Manager: Jan Bowman  
Code/Building: MaryKay Clark

Sewer Superintendent: Jeremy Deitrick  
Streets Superintendent: Brian Probst

Tax Collector: Joanna Rees

Health Officer: Mary Sue Smith

24. Benjamin Harrison 25. The Ranch Tie-Breaker-20,310 Feet  
Hanover St. 22. Ronald Reagan 23. Coney Island, NY  
17. 21-20 18. Nittany 19. Greyhounds 20. Donut 21. Fifth &  
Dakota 13. Cubs 14. John Adams 15. Buddy Holly 16. Ian Fleming  
8. Iowa 9. Columbia 10. Lower Intestine 11. Delaware 12. South  
5. Wyoming 6. United States 7. One World Trade Ctr NYC-1776 Ft  
1. Eighth Street 2. ESSO 3. Front and Orange Streets 4. Sunbury  
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## HEALTHY DINNERS WORKSHOPS FOR MOMMY/DADDY & CHILD OR GRANDMA/GRANDPA & GRANDCHILD

**When** Tuesdays this Summer; July 17 - August 14 5:30-7:00 PM

**Where** Unitarian Universalist Congregation Of Northumberland Coun-  
ty 265 Point Township Road, Northumberland, PA

**Adult and Child Event** (Children entering kindergarten to 6th Grade in  
Fall 2019) Register/Questions contact Cyndi Clayton Call/Text 570-369  
-8708 Email: [cac53@psu.edu](mailto:cac53@psu.edu)

**Things to Know** No more than two children per adult. Adults are re-  
quired to participate in all activities with children. All 5 classes must be  
attended to earn prizes. Participating Adult is responsible for supervi-  
sion of the children they bring to the classes.

**Sponsors** Penn State Extension-Nutrition Links and Unitarian Univer-  
salist Congregation of Susquehanna Valley

**Benefits** Earn an electric skillet for completing program. Earn Prizes for  
attending all 5 classes.

### Program Topics & Recipes:

**July 17:** Introduction to Nutrition Links, Fix It Safe: Food Safety for  
your home, Dinner: Sloppy Joes with Beans, Vegetables, with Pasta,  
and Easy Fruit Salad

**July 24:** My Plate: Eating a Balanced Diet, Eating More Fruits and Veg-  
etables, Dinner: Vegetable Stir Fry with Brown Rice, Fruit Smoothies

**July 31:** Nutrition Facts Label and Making Smart Drink Choices, Dinner:  
Mini Meatloaf, Baked Sweet Potatoes, and Tooty-Fruity Pudding-Cups

**August 7:** Plan Know What's Dinner, Getting More Physical Activity,  
Dinner: Easy Chicken Meat Pie, and Three Fruit Salad

**August 14:** Shop Get the Best for Less, Choose A Healthy Lifestyle,  
Graduation, Dinner: Chicken and Cheese Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, and  
Banana Pineapple Delight

## Joseph Priestley House

### Summer History Camp Planned for Priestley House

First - sixth graders may now register for Summer History Camp, being  
held from 9:00 am. to 12 noon on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday,  
July 24, 25, and 26. The theme is "**Dr. Priestley in Northumberland.**"  
Jo Ann Long and volunteers have planned lots of interesting activities  
that will allow campers to become familiar with the Priestleys and how  
children were educated in early America. Crafts, games, stories, snack  
time, and visits with special guest presenters are part of each day's  
activities. The fee is \$30.00 per child.

**Priestley House to have free admission on Oxygen Day** There will  
be free admission for visitors on Oxygen Day, Sunday, August 4. The  
Visitor Center will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. Visitors will be able to  
speak with costumed docents in each room and learn about life in  
Northumberland in the year 1800. Bring the whole family to watch  
chemistry demonstrations by Dr. Priestley at 1:30 and 2:30 pm. Tickets  
are required for the demonstrations and can be picked up in the Visitor  
Center. Learn about the history of the discovery of oxygen.



## NORRY'S 250TH BIRTHDAY BASH



Norry 250th Birthday Bash Committee welcomes any new interested residents to help plan our celebration for June 2022. Our goal is to raise enough money to have fireworks, a parade, and a big old-fashioned party with entertainment, activities, and a sense of community.

Our next meeting will be held Thursday, June 27th at 6pm in King St. Park, coupled with helping set up for Pineknotted Days.

Upcoming events & activities:  
BINGO at Pineknotted Days - If anyone is interested in helping out, contact Cindy at

570-452-3160 or email [norry250bash@gmail.com](mailto:norry250bash@gmail.com) for additional details.

**Handmade Quilt Raffle** – a generous Pineknotted donated a beautiful quilt that we will be raffling off. Raffle tickets can be purchased at the corner of 2nd and King Streets during the Craft Show. This will be a year long raffle ending on the last day of Pineknotted Days 2020.

**NorryOpoly** – We'll be coming out with our own Norry-focused version of Monopoly! This is a great opportunity for businesses to get in on this piece of history and get some advertising out of it too! We will be reaching out to business in town with various options and levels of advertising. The completed game will be available sometime in November-December 2019, perfect for gifting!

Other activities for the future include: A bike auction some time very soon; Designer Bag Bingo in Fall 2019; possibly a murder-mystery dinner in the winter 2019-2020; and a Family Fun Bingo session in early Spring 2020.

Check out and like our "Norry 250 Bash" Facebook page to stay up-to-date on all of our activities! Keep your eye out for flyers and mentions in the newspaper too.

American Legion  
Golf  
Tournament  
winners



### Flight 1

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Willard, Newberry, Knoeble, Zack  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Brown, Dawson, Megchter, Earlstorn  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Benner, Benner Jr, Rarig, Mallet

### Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Yoder, Yoder, Brown, Went  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Fleming, Robitalle, Granquist, Rudy  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Durland, Dickinson, Hoover, Long

Summer 2019



## July 2-6

July 2,3,4,5: 8am-4:30pm

July 6: \$1-a-bag 8am-noon

Rain or shine! Tents outside! 12 rooms + Café inside!

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## Nottingham Village

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## RIVERVIEW CEMETERY

On August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019, the cemetery will be hosting the 14th Annual **"Day of Remembrance"**. There are forms for people to pick up in the North'd Post Office, Norry Pharmacy, Mertz Meats, the Borough Office, and Northumberland National Bank. We also accept names to be remembered of friends and family from other cemeteries or out of the area. The service will begin at noon, with a short ceremony and the reading of all the names to be remembered, then the releasing of the balloons. Names and donations will also be accepted the day of, prior to the ceremony. The cost is \$5.00 per name. There will be refreshments available. You may also fill out the form below. Make checks payable to **RIVERVIEW CEMETERY**, and mail to Dee Zboray, 305 Susquehanna Rd. North'd. PA 17857 570-473-8296

Thank you for supporting your cemetery!

### NAMES OF DECEASED TO BE REMEMBERED

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Name of Donor \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

# of Balloons \_\_\_\_\_ Amount of contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## FROM STATE REPRESENTATIVE CULVER

106 Arch Street, Sunbury, PA 17801

(570) 286-5885

### Attend Our Basic Handgun Safety Training Course

You are invited to attend my Basic Handgun Safety Training. The course will be held on Saturday, July 20, from 9 a.m. to about noon, at the Keystone Fish and Game Club, located at 871 Fir Road, Shamokin.



Members of the Keystone Fish and Game Club will instruct attendees first in a classroom setting, and then with live training on the range. Participants are responsible for providing their own handgun, ammunition and proper ear/eye protection. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP by calling our district office at 570-286-5885 as there are a limited number of available openings.

**Where to Recycle ELECTRONIC Items**— from aide Jeff Cole. There are limited options where people can recycle electronics. I recently had a TV to get rid of and the only local place I could find to recycle was the Hand UP Foundation in Milton and it cost around 50 cents per pound to do so.

<http://www.handupfoundation.org/recycling.html>

I also had some computers and other electronics to recycle and took them to Staples for free disposal (closest locations are Bloomsburg and Williamsport) but they do not accept TVs.

<https://www.staples.com/sbd/cre/marketing/sustainability-center/recycling-services/electronics/>

Best Buy also has an electronics recycling program and it looks like they do accept some TVs: <https://www.bestbuy.com/site/services/recycling/pcmcat149900050025.c?id=pcmcat149900050025>

People should contact the location with any questions before going to make sure if they will accept specific items.

Also, here is a link with information from DEP regarding electronics recycling: <https://www.dep.pa.gov/Business/Land/Waste/Recycling/Electronics/Pages/Consumer-Information.aspx>

#### District Office

106 Arch Street  
Sunbury, PA 17801

Phone: (570) 286-5885

Toll-Free: 1-800-924-9060

Fax: (570) 988-1627

Staff: Terri Campbell—Jeff Cole—Amy Badorf—Cheryl Delsite

#### Services that Lynda and her staff can provide include:

- Assistance with PennDOT paperwork (lost cards, changes, corrections, special registration plates, vanity plates, and temporary placards for disabled persons).
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- Information about state legislation.
- PACE and PACENET applications for seniors.
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- Student aid applications.
- Voter registration forms and absentee ballot applications.



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## 2ND STREET PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

School's out! Do your children need something to do? The Playground Program is in full swing at the 2nd Street Playground for children between the ages of 5 and 12. Supervisors are present on Mondays through Fridays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The program **will run until August 10th**. A free lunch is provided to each child who is present.



## NORRY SCHOOLS ALUMNI BANQUET

A crowd of about 180 people enjoyed the Norry Schools Alumni Banquet held recently at the Front Street Station, with music by Memory Lane following the banquet.

Alumnus of the Year was Jake Stamfel a 1955 Graduate, US Army veteran, member of Christ U M Church, VP Riverview Cemetery Board, member of Norry Hook & Ladder Fire Co, American Legion Post 44 and the Point Township Fire Co.



The award to the top senior of the class of 2019, living in North'd or Pt Twp was Gwyneth Hudson, a senior at North'd Christian School and a resident of Pt Twp. She plays Soccer and volleyball, is active in her church, The First Baptist of North'd; is involved with community service projects and participated in a mission trip to Haiti; is planning on attending Geneva College, in Beaver Falls, PA.; and will major in Middle School Education with a focus on History and Math. She received a check for \$1200, monies which came from the Alumni

Association, The Kiwanis and The Lions Club

The Northumberland High School Alumni Association Scholarship was established to provide assistance to Shikellamy High School Seniors in furthering their education upon graduation. The scholarship(s) are based on financial need, individual scholarship, and character. Students must reside in Northumberland or Point Township to be eligible to apply. The monies for the scholarship are derived from the income generated from the principal invested in the Central Susquehanna

Community Foundation headquartered in Berwick, PA. This year a total of \$2200 was distributed among four students. Anyone wishing to make a donation to the fund may send a check payable to the Central Susquehanna Community Foundation, 725 West Front Street, Berwick, PA 18603. Notate on the check that it is for the Northumberland Schools Alumni Association Scholarship Fund.

The member of the oldest graduating class present was Audra Slear Simpson, Class of 1948



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## FLOOD INFORMATION

Properties in our floodplain are subject to three flood problems:

**Overbank Flooding:** Flooding of both the West Branch and the North Branch of the Susquehanna River. Velocities can be as high as 6 or 7 feet per second – so fast that the flood will wash people off their feet in only ½ foot of floodwaters.

**Local Drainage:** There are several areas of local drainage problems where storm water collects and does not drain away. Sometimes, flooding is aggravated by debris that has been carelessly thrown into the channel including grass clippings from lawn mowers.

**Sewer Backup:** With no place to go, sewers back up and flow into the lowest opening in the sewer line. Northumberland has had basement flooding caused by sewer backups.

*Find out if your property is in the mapped floodplain by calling the Borough at 570-473-3414 or Point Township at 570-473-3198, view the map at [northumberlandborough.com](http://northumberlandborough.com)*

**FLOOD PROOFING** a house means altering it so floodwaters will not cause damage.

**FLOOD INSURANCE** is highly recommended because no flood proofing measure is 100% foolproof. Most homeowners insurance policies do not cover a property for flood damage. Additional information is available at the Borough Office or at [northumberlandborough.com](http://northumberlandborough.com).

*Don't wait for the next flood to buy insurance protection. There is a 30-day waiting period before National Flood Insurance coverage takes effect. Contact your insurance agent for more information.*

**FLOOD PROTECTION REGULATIONS** Lots were originally designed so water would flow away from the building and along property lines to the street, storm sewer, or ditch. Fences, railroad ties, landscaping and re-grading block this flow. So do construction projects in the ditches or the floodplain. ALWAYS CHECK WITH THE BOROUGH OR TOWNSHIP OFFICE BEFORE YOU BUILD ON, FILL, ALTER, OR RE-GRADE YOUR PROPERTY. A permit is needed to ensure that such projects do not cause problems on other properties.

**SAFETY TIPS** Do not walk through flowing water. Currents can be deceptive; six inches of moving water can knock you off your feet. Don't drive around road barriers; the road or bridge may be washed out. Stay away from power lines and electrical wires. Look before you step. After a flood, the ground and floors are covered with debris including broken bottles and nails. Floors and stairs that have been covered with mud can be very slippery.

Be alert for gas leaks. Carbon monoxide exhaust kills. Use a generator or other gasoline powered machine outdoors. The same goes for camping stoves. Clean everything that got wet.

**ELEVATION CERTIFICATES** New construction and substantial improvements to buildings on the floodplain requires a FEMA Elevation Certificate. Elevation certificates are on file at Borough Office.

**REAL TIME RIVER GAGE DATA** Real time stream information is available over the Internet on this website: <http://waterdata.usgs.gov/>

**RIVER FORECASTS** River forecast statements and river conditions can be obtained at the Middle Atlantic River Forecast Center, at State College, from this web-site: <http://www.erh.noaa.gov/er/marfc/>.

You will again notice in this issue and every issue going forward—a notice about the flood Hazard. This in an effort to save everyone \$\$\$\$\$\$. The borough saves money and so does the homeowner on their flood insurance—if we provide this information more often.

## NORRY MUSEUM

I found this in some papers stuffed in a box while helping Barb at the Museum in the Boro Building, I hope you enjoy it as much as I did. Lou

Dear Survivors,

September 1910 a group of children, hereafter known as the class of '23, enrolled in First Grade, Miss Edna Bright, teacher in the only school building in Northumberland. The first floor of the building contained the primary and elementary grades and the second floor a four year high school, which was in use until 1923, when the second floor was condemned. The first day of school the class learned to spell CAT, to print CAT and to draw a CAT. What an introduction to education.

In a year or two the Steele Building and students living west of Fourth St. attended there, so the number of students at the Old Building was reduced and two grades were in a room. When students reached seventh and eighth grade, they went to the Steele Building. Teachers taught one subject and the students moved from room to room, similar to todays middle school. Seventh grade size was increased by 5 (it may have been 6) students who had skipped a grade.

During World War I students knitted wool yarn into patches for Ambulance Blankets, bought stamps and thru Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts delivered soup and provisions to families during Spanish Influenza epidemic of 1917.

After the war ended, three years moved along quietly, there were frequent changes in principals but they made small changes. An event all remembered was the day the Methodist Church burned, smoke and flames could be seen from the school windows. At the end of the a.m. session the students went to the fire, which was under control but the church was completely destroyed. In the afternoon a few at a time,

students drifted back to school: they were directed by teachers to line up in two sides of the auditorium – a spelling Bee was in progress. When enough students had returned, classes were started. There is much to be said for the small local school.

The senior year for the class of '23 began in the new building and was a year of firsts. The building was on land that had been a tennis court (the only one in town) and an elementary playground. The new building had a combined Auditorium/ Gym, which meant that chairs were constantly being moved. It was discovered that no provision had been made for Science laboratories, so a small frame building at the corner of the school ground, known as the "Chicken Coop" was made into a lab.

The school district had a new supervising Principal and the High School two new male teachers, one a coach. There were no gym classes but inter-class basketball, football and baseball teams.

The class of 1924 gave the seniors the first senior prom. It was a very nice informal affair – no limos, no tux.

NHS 1923 produced the first yearbook – The Vidette, with the Supervising Principal, Mr. Nathaniel Augustus Danowsky (the name does roll off the tongue) as class advisor. The book was small, printed by a local printing company , for the class - an achievement. An unusual First was for a class to have a member who was a husband and a father.

The Sunday of the Baccalaureate Service the Covered Bridge burned, it was a historic and impressive structure across the West Branch of the Susquehanna River. It was unusual, as it provided for not only vehicular traffic but a separate protected walk which was used by the mules towing Canal boats. After the canals were history, the walk-way was

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LITTLE HOUSE NEWS



Peggy Walker’s art will be displayed July 1st thru 5th at the Little House on 3rd St.  
Mon-Tue-Wed & Fri 6-9 and 9-9 on July 4th. There will be a reception with Peggy at the Little House on Tues July 2nd from 6-8.

From Peggy Walker: Mrs. Stauffer, my first grade teacher, instilled the love of art in me

and I knew I wanted to be as good as her someday. Other art teachers in my school life (Mrs. Mary Adams-Dieck, Mr. Michael Roush, Mr. Robert Shoener) helped encourage and fuel my ambition to become an artist. From an early age the love to draw, paint, sew and be creative in many crafts (and reading) has been my enjoyment and relaxation.

After raising my 4 sons with my husband Terry, and retiring, I began attending art classes in watercolor and oils at the Y arts center, Sunbury, and have continued to do so for over 10 years. Because of the guidance of the talented and accomplished teachers there, I am always learning to develop my skills.

My husband and I travel to see our sons and families across the USA so I have an immense and varied amount of subject matter for my art work. My love is painting flowers, especially close-ups, which I have shown at various venues in the area over the past few years.

As a board member of the Susquehanna Art Society, I am very involved in their numerous activities with the highlight being the wonderful SAS ART SHOW in August at the Degenstein Library, Sunbury. It showcases the talent of many artists in the Susquehanna Valley.



**Mark your calendar for June 30th. The place to be is Pineknotted Park.**

This mini-mudder is an obstacle course in the mud event for kids ages four to thirteen. Kids will

be grouped by age into small teams. Older ages will go first; only because they are faster and will move through the obstacles at a quicker pace than the younger ages.

Participants should wear old clothing and bring a change of clothing with them. They will get dirty and wet! A parent or responsible adult is required to stay on the premise. This event is strictly for fun. Kids will be challenged by the obstacle course in small groups. It’s about getting dirty, helping each other, and having fun.

- Schedule**  
**1:00 Registration begins**  
**1:30 Team stretch**  
**1:55 Pinemudder Pledge**  
**2:00 Pinemudder START**

A registration fee of \$5 will be used toward the event expenses. Any remaining proceeds will benefit community events. This event is brought to you by the joint efforts of 17857.org, the Northumberland Fire Department, the Northumberland Police Department, and other volunteers. Thank You All!



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**SOAP BOX RACE REGISTRATION OPEN**

The Northumberland Police Department will be holding its annual soap box race — Saturday June 29th. Please arrive promptly at 8:00 am on the day of the race. Race placement will not be guaranteed if you are late.

This is a “non-sanctioned, fun” race using official soap box race cars! Boys and girls, ages 8-12 will be driving one of the assigned cars that were purchased by the Norry PD, Point Township PD and area businesses.



Registration is \$1 at the Boro office, 175 Orange Street. SIGN UP NOW, the deadline is Wed, June 26th!

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used by pedestrians, for it provided a safe place to walk and enjoy the view of Northumberland, the Island and Sunbury on one side and Blue Hill on the other. Everyone spent Sunday watching the bridge burn, many in tears. After that, all Commencement Activities seemed anticlimactic. However, there were tense moments during graduation when the speaker (who was blind) went to the edge of the stage.

Pax Vobiscum, ("peace with you")  
Gertrude V Walker NHS 1923

## CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Front and King Streets      P.O. Box 268      570-473-8543  
Worship Service every Sunday at 9 am  
Sunday School 10:15 am      christumc@christmontumc.org

Free Community Picnic – Saturday, July 13 @ 4:00 p.m. Join us on the lawn next to the Church under the tent for a good old-fashioned picnic!

Outdoor Service – Sunday, July 14 @ 9:00 a.m. We will also have a "decommissioning of old unwanted Bibles." Worship with us under the tent!

Community Garden/Blessing Box/Prayer Wall

The *Community Garden* is planted and fresh veggies will be available this summer to anyone interested. Please take what you can use from the vegetable stand. The *Blessing Box* is always available to anyone in need. Please, if you put anything in the Box, only donate new, unopened, non-expired, non-perishable items. And, please, no personal care items or toys. The *Prayer Wall* is available 24/7 for quiet reflection by the garden. If you have a prayer concern, you may write it on a piece of paper and leave it in the wall.

Cornerstone Gathering Place coming this Fall!! Watch for more details! This will be for middle-school age youth and will be open two Saturdays a month.

## ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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8:00 am & 10:15 am No Sunday School during the summer months;  
Sunday School resumes September 8th

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

St. John's Lutheran Church  
Monday, June 24 - Thursday, June 27  
6:00-7:30 p.m.

Open to all youth 4 years old-5th grade. This year's theme is Polar Blast. Come chill with us. Registration forms available in the church office or in Fellowship Hall on the 24th.

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St. John's Lutheran Church  
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114 Queen Street      570-473-9372  
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### Summer Music Program

10:30 AM - June 9, 2019 - Jeremy Goodling

10:30 AM - July 14, 2019 - The Seger Family

10:30 AM - August 25, 2019 - Mercy Run

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## Amazing Grace Community Church

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## TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

6<sup>th</sup> and King Streets      570-473-9145  
Worship Service every Sunday at 9 am  
Sunday School immediately following.

## Grace Lutheran Church

2190 Point Township Drive      570-473-9484  
Worship every Sunday 8:30 am

## Professional Baseball & Softball Clinic

**July 22 - 25, Monday to Thursday, 6 pm - 8:30-ish**



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## TRIVIA QUIZ FROM ALUMNI BANQUET—by Lenny Zboray

1. The Northumberland Borough line ends and Point Township begins at what street going North? 9th 12th 8th 16th 7th
  2. Ralph Trutt (Peggy Campbell's Father) owned and operated a gas station on Front and Duke Streets in North'd, what brand of gasoline did he sell?  
Esso-Texaco-Gulf-Sunoco-Amoco-Atlantic
  3. Helpy Selfy Laundry was a successful business in Norry for many years. Where was it located?  
Front & Queen - Front & Orange - Second & Queen -Third & Duke
  4. State Route 61, which begins in Reading, PA, ends where?  
Selinsgrove-Shamokin Dam-Monroe Twp-Hummels Wharf-Sunbury
  5. What U.S. State is nicknamed the Treasure State?  
Colorado Idaho Montana Wyoming Utah
  6. What country has the most Olympic medals of all time?  
United States Russia China Norway Germany
  7. What is the tallest building in the U.S.?  
Willis Tower Chicago One World Trade Center NYC  
Sales Force Tower NYC Empire State Building NYC
  8. Which state produces the most pumpkins commercially?  
Iowa California Illinois Nebraska Pennsylvania
  9. What does the "C" in CBS stand for?  
Company Community Cable Columbia Communication
  10. What is the largest internal organ in the human body?  
Heart Liver Lungs Lower Intestine Upper Intestine
  11. What U.S. state was the first to ratify the Constitution ?  
Pennsylvania New York Delaware Connecticut Massachusetts
  12. Mount Rushmore is located in the Black Hills of what state?  
South Dakota North Dakota Wyoming Idaho Colorado
  13. In the early years of the Northumberland Acorn Little League, teams had sponsors. What team was sponsored by the North'd Moose?  
Red Sox Cubs Reds Phillies Tigers
  14. Who was the first U.S. Vice President? John Adams Aaron Burr  
Benjamin Franklin Thomas Jefferson James Madison
  15. Don McLean's Song, "American Pie" was a tribute to what great singer?  
Elvis Presley John Lennon Buddy Holly Jerry Lee Lewis Smoky Robinson
  16. Who created James Bond?  
Tom Clancy John Le Carre Ian Fleming Dan Brown James Seward
  17. In 1956, the year Norry beat Sunbury 20-6, the Pineknotters's record was 6 wins and 3 losses. The year before (1955), their record was also 6 wins and 3 losses. They lost to Sunbury that year. What was the score?  
21-20 14-13 13-6 18-12 7-6
  18. When the Pineknotters joined the West Branch League in 1961, one of the teams they played was Bald Eagle-\_\_\_\_\_?  
North South Mountain Nittany Shore
  19. When the Pineknotters played Shamokin in sports, before they became the Indians, what was their name?  
Miners Black Diamonds Greyhounds Purple Demons Wildcats
  20. If you went to Litchard's at 195 Queen St in Norry, you were possibly going in for? New Suit Watch Repair Fishing Rod Steak Donut
  21. The United Hosiery Mill was in business many years ago in Norry. Where was it located?  
3rd & Duke St, 5th & Orange St. 5th & Hanover St. 6th & Orange St.
  22. Who was the oldest U.S. President while in office? Ronald Reagan  
George H.W. Bush Donald Trump Harry Truman William Taft
  23. Where was the First Roller Coaster in the U.S. located? Anaheim, CA  
Coney Island, NY Hershey, PA Atlantic City, NJ Pittsburgh, PA
  24. Who was the first President to have electricity in the White House?  
Benjamin Harrison, Grover Cleveland, Chester A. Arthur, Wm McKinley
  25. When Chubby Checker did a show at Island Park in the early 1960's. What restaurant did he have a meal at after the show? Squeeze In  
The Ranch Keithans Edison Hotel Aldine Hotel Canal House
- TIE BREAKER: Formerly Mount McKinley, now Denali located in Alaska, is the highest mountain in North America. How high is it above sea level?

\*\*Hint: it is higher than 15,000 feet and lower than 21,000 feet. Answers page 6

## Joseph Priestley Memorial Chapel

Priestley Chapel Associates presents a First Sunday Program of Words and Music at the Historic Joseph Priestley Memorial Chapel, 380 Front Street, Northumberland, PA. This informal program begins at 9:30 am.

**July 7** The music portion will be provided by guest musicians **Ann and Warren Fisher** with Warren on bass and Ann on autoharp. Warren began making autoharps in the late 1990s, and surprised Ann with No. 1; now she needed to learn how to play it! With the help of music festivals, workshops, and friends, her repertoire has been improving. The couple plays with the Frosty Valley Dulcimer Friends, Grey Trey, and Susquehanna String Theory.

**Claire Lawrence** will read from her published essay "Wild Home." Claire Lawrence has published fiction in Tri-Quarterly, descant, Terra Nova, The New England Writers Anthology and The Best of Writers at Work, poetry in The Connecticut Review, Western Humanities Review, Ekphrasis and Gulf Coast, personal essays in Crab Orchard, So to Speak, Puerto del Sol and Art Lies, and literary criticism in ISLE and a study of Edward Abbey's work titled Coyote in the Maze. She also has an article on the iconography of the wilderness in Nature and its Discontents. Her fiction has been anthologized in Terrain and The New Earth Reader. She is a recipient of a Pennsylvania Council on the Arts grant to continue work on her memoir, the first chapter of which won the 2008 John Guyon Literary Nonfiction Prize. Lawrence teaches Creative Writing, Fiction and Non-Fiction at Bloomsburg University.

**August 4** The music portion will be provided by **George Potor**. A retired teacher from Lewisburg High School Potor is a singer and song writer who often blends current events with melodies and his unique satirical take on life. He can be heard in the area music scene in the drummerless band DePotorLand. Guest writer is **Sabrina Kirby**. Kirby is a Writing and Teaching Consultant in the Writing Center at Bucknell University. She will read from her work and others.

**September 1** The music and poetry portions will be provided by **Christian Reifsteck**. Christian Reifsteck's poems and photographs have most recently appeared in The Loyalhanna Review, Written River, and The Wayfarer. He teaches in central Pennsylvania and Europe. His first collection of poems, *Turning Turf*, considers themes of decay, rupture, and sacrilege, suturing, healing, and grace within the framework of the Irish practice of harvesting turf. The poems and photographs in this impassioned collection guide the reader into the depths of life and soul to cut, turn, dry, and eventually burn the turf contained deep within us.



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Mondays – Crafts, Cards, Wii, Bingo 12:15

Tuesdays – Cards, Wii

Wednesdays – Cards, Wii, Bible Study 9:30, Bingo 12:15

Thursdays – Cards, Wii Games 9:00

Fridays – Chair exercise 9:00 Cards, Wii, Nickel Bingo 12:15

Activities are subject to change. Please call the center to check.

Membership for the center is 55 and older and dues are still \$7.00.

We are always looking for new members and new ideas for activities.

**Frye's** offer several choices on the menu. You can get the regular menu, lighter fare menu which consists of soups, sandwiches or salads. Fish is always an option for meat substitute. Lunch is served at 11:30.

## **JULY**

1 – Members Meeting 10:00

2 & 3 – Making soup

4 – Center is open for Pineknotters Day Serving food

8 – Speaker Alison from Griswald 10:00 Playing Wheel of Fortune

9 – Breakfast at 9:00 Donation is asked— 9:30 – Get your nails done  
Playing Family Feud at 12:30 Prizes given

11 – Pinochle Game starting at 12:30

15 – Speaker Jim White from VNA "Gout Awareness"

16 – Centers 38<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banquet at 5:00 P.M. at Otterbein Church

17 – Officers Meeting at 2:00

18 – Night Cash Bingo Doors open at 4:00 Games start at 5:00

22 – Speaker Ali Woods 10:00 Playing Bingo & learning about Lyme  
Disease

23 – Trip to TGIFriday from 11:00-12:30

25 – Senior Expo at Shikellamy High School 10:00-1:00  
Card Party at 12:00

26 – Susquehanna Sight for an educational program and checking  
eyes starting at 10:00

30 – Minute to Win It Game starting at 12:30

## **AUGUST**

2 – National Ice Cream Sandwich Day – serving at lunch time

5 – Members Meeting at 10:00

6 – Breakfast at 9:00 Donation asked

8 – Bring in a favorite dessert along with the recipe for exchanging at  
12:30

12 – Speaker Jim White at 10:00 Topic "Flu Awareness Prevention"

13 – Ham & Stringbeans Cost \$6.00

15 – Night Cash Bingo Doors open at 4:00 Games start at 5:00

19 – Nicoya Frey will be at the center at 10:00 to talk with everyone  
about the meals

21 – Free Blood Pressure from 10:30 to 11:00 Given by Jim White  
Officers Meeting

22 – Annual Indoor Picnic Hot Dogs are supplied and you are asked to  
bring a covered dish. Free Bingo after lunch

26 – Speaker Michael Splain from Epler's Funeral Home at 10:00

27 – Movie & Popcorn at 10:00

29 – Card Party at 12:00

## **SEPTEMBER**

2 – Center Closed for Labor Day

9 – Members Meeting 10:00

10 – Picnic at the Marina Bring your own lunch and a dessert to share.  
Drinks provided Nickel Bingo after lunch

12 – Pinochle at 12:30

19 – Night Cash Bingo Doors open at 4:00 Games start at 5:00

23 – Speaker Jim White at 10:00 "Balance Awareness & Vestibular  
Disorders"

24 – Fair Day at the center

26 – Fall Risk Program 9:00 – 11:00

Card Party 12:00

27 – Fall Risk Program 9:00 with guest speaker Dr. Bodmer at 10:00

30 – Speaker KristaLyn Velovich at 10:00 "Reading to help anxieties"

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The Susquehanna Greenway Partnership (SGP) invites you to join them for the Susquehanna Island Hopper Sojourn—a 12-mile paddle on the Susquehanna River!

In partnership with the Susquehanna River Trail Association, SGP is kicking off this annual event on Saturday, August 3, 2019. The paddle will begin at the Isle of Que in Selinsgrove and end downriver at the Mahantango river access in Port Trevorton. Lunch will be included at a picnic stop, as well as some educational information on the area's history and the ecology of the Susquehanna River. Tickets are available for \$35 per adult and \$15 per child. To reserve your kayak through Bic's Water Sports, simply mark your registration. Rentals are \$35 per kayak. You can register by visiting SGP's Facebook page or website: [susquehannagreenway.org/islandhopper](http://susquehannagreenway.org/islandhopper). The event is partially funded through a Pennsylvania Organization for Watershed Restoration (POWR) grant.



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**Volunteering helps you stay physically healthy.** Studies have found that volunteers have a lower mortality rate than those who do not.

**I have limited mobility—can I still volunteer?** People with disabilities or chronic health conditions can still benefit greatly from volunteering. In fact, research has shown that adults with disabilities or health conditions ranging from hearing and vision loss to heart disease, diabetes or digestive disorders all show improvement after volunteering.

Whether due to a disability, a lack of transportation, or time constraints, many people choose to volunteer their time via phone or computer. In today's digital age many organizations need help with writing, graphic design, email, and other web-based tasks. Source: *World Volunteer Web*



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**Once again Pineknotters needs your help — set up for Pineknotters Days is Thursday June 27th at 6 pm. We always need help as most of us are getting older!!!**

Mr. Splain of Eplers Funeral Home is again allowing us to advertise his parking lot for handicapped parking—please don't park there unless you really need the privilege.

Pineknotters Days are fast approaching..... June 29 thru July 5<sup>th</sup>. There will be requests for volunteers to help with various stands. The Cake Wheel is looking for people to work 2 hour shifts Mon. thru Fri. If interested, please call 570-473-9128. Some phone calls are being made to residents requesting donations of cakes or baked goods, which can be picked up or delivered to the Park. If you haven't received a phone call, please don't hesitate to donate. The Store/Trailer is also looking for volunteers to assist there, and the Bingo stand too... call 570-473-9128. We are looking forward to a successful year with fun for everyone, with your help. Please contact us if you would like to participate in this year's celebration. Thank You.



## Monthly High School Class Meetings

Class of 50 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday Noon, El Rancho  
Class of 55 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues 8:30 am, El Rancho  
Class of 56 – 1st Friday noon, China House Rts 11&15  
Class of 57 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday 9 am, Ric-mar Restaurant  
Class of 59 – 2nd Saturday noon, El Rancho  
Class of 62 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday 6 pm, El Rancho  
Class of 63 – 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday 5:45 pm, El Rancho  
Class of 64 – 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 11:30 am, El Rancho  
Class of 65 – 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 9:30 am, El Rancho  
Class of 68-69 – 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday 6 pm, El Rancho  
Class of 70 – 3rd Tuesday 6pm, El Rancho

If you would like your classes mentioned here. Send an email to [info@17857.org](mailto:info@17857.org) or call 570-777-0555



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# Northumberland American Legion Post #44

309 Point Township Drive

Below items open to the public

570-473-3331

**June 22**

**Chicken BBQ**

Benefits Post 201 & 44  
Legion Ball team  
1 pm until ???

Call Legion to order

**American Legion  
Riders Benefit**

Open to the public



**Smooth County**

Plays Every Tuesday  
6 - 9 pm

**Dinner Specials**

Tuesday 5 pm - 7 pm  
Friday 5 pm - 9 pm



**D J Howie Karoke**

Friday June 28th  
9 pm-midnight

Friday July 12th  
9 pm-midnight



**August 17**

**Sons of The American  
Legion Gun Raffle**

Doors Open at Noon  
Raffle Starts at 1 pm  
Tickets \$40.00  
Donation 1 Guest per  
Ticket \$10.00

