

# The PINEKNOTTER News

Fall 2019



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**Fall Festival**  
October 26<sup>th</sup> 4—7 pm  
2nd Street Comm. Center

**Halloween Parade**  
October 30<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm

**Trick or Treat Night**  
October 31<sup>st</sup>  
6:00 - 9:00 pm

**Santa Arrives**  
December 2nd  
Food and Fun at 6:30 pm  
Santa arrives at 7:00 pm  
King Street Park Gazebo  
Music by  
Sunbury City Band



American Legion  
Post 44-Pt Twp  
11/13/2019  
1:00-6:00 PM

## NORTHUMBERLAND-POINT TOWNSHIP HALLOWEEN PARADE

Over fifty years ago, the first Northumberland-Point Township Halloween Parade took place with about 10 entries and a march down 4th Street. The parade has since grown to be a little bigger... hopefully even bigger this year!

On Wednesday, October 30th, the Halloween Parade will be held forming at King Street Park beginning at 6 pm. The parade will start moving at 7 pm. The route will begin at King Street Park, up 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, to Orange Street, down Orange to 6th Street, down 6<sup>th</sup> Street to Queen Street, down Queen street to Front Street, up Front Street, and ending back at the Park. Front Street at the end of the Park will be accessible to pick up/drop off parade traffic only.

Individuals, families, organizations, and businesses are encouraged to participate. You may register in advance at the Northumberland Borough office or the evening of the parade at the Gazebo prior to 6:30 pm. Prizes will be awarded for individuals, small groups, large groups, floats, and commercial entries. Candy bars will be distributed to all children who participate.

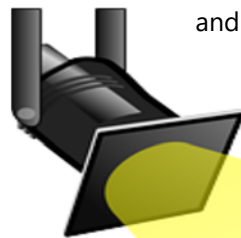
The parade costs almost \$3,000 a year. Donations are appreciated and can be sent to attention: Timothy Botts, Northumberland National Bank. We thank all those who help in making this parade a success year after year!



## FALL FESTIVAL – OCTOBER 26

Be sure to mark your calendar for the Annual Fall Festival on Saturday, October 26. The event will take place at the Second Street Community Center, 4:00 - 7:00 pm.

Kids will enjoy free crafts, free games, and fun prizes. Food and drink will be available for purchase. Costume contests will be a fun part of the event too! Prizes will be awarded for the funniest, scariest, cutest, most creative, and best group costumes.



We'll also be doing scarecrow decorating again! We will supply the forms, old clothes, props, straw, etc., available for families to use, you just have to bring your creativity! All completed scarecrows will be on display in King Street Park until mid-November.

Trek-for-Treats Contest Drawing at 5:45  
Kids' Costume Contest Judging at 6:00

As always, anyone who is interested in helping out with the festival is asked to call Noelle at 570-412-4072.  
Sponsored by [17857.org](http://17857.org), Joseph J. Anselmo Sr. Trust, and Northumberland Borough.

### Be AWARE Trick or Treat Night!

The detour will still be in place. Drivers are not limiting themselves to the designated detour streets.

Be extra cautious on sidewalks and when crossing the street. Keep on the sidewalk, avoid walking down alleys and on the street. Carry & USE a flashlight, and limit the amount of black in your costume.

Should you need to speak to an officer call 570-473-8446, in an emergency call 911.

## LIGHT THE NIGHT!

October 31<sup>st</sup> 5:00 - 8:00 pm  
Candy - Hot Dogs - Fund

*Sponsored by Norry Hook & Ladder Fire Co.*

## Hello Friends, Neighbors, and Residents of Northumberland,

Summer is over and it was a hot one! Pineknott Days was a great success and road construction in town still exists. What else is new. Well...IT's fall now and things are starting to cool down. The Halloween Parade is Oct. 30th, the route being the same as last year. Santa in the Park in November. Life is moving on.

In this Mayor's report, I would like to thank our first responders for the work they have done and the work they do. Our Police Dept. has been doing a fabulous job. I know trucks are foremost on peoples mind but there is a lot of things going on in Norry besides trucks. They do so much more than people realize and I think we are a very safe town because of their efforts. If you get a chance, thank one for their service. Thank you Fire Police for the work you do. They do so much for our town and other towns as well. Every event we stage, fire police are there. They manage traffic before, during and after events. When there is an accident, fire police are always on the scene. Any incident that happens, our fire police are always there to direct traffic to make sure both passers-by and first responders are safe.

Thank you A.R.E.A. Servces for the work you do. A.R.E.A. Services has provided ambulance service to Northumberland for almost 20 years. Many peoples lives have been saved by their work. Thank you to our fire department for the work you do. Residents fondly call them "The Ones", "The Hookies", and "Point Township". These are some of the bravest people we have. They run towards the danger we run from. They face head-on fires, accidents and anything else where their might is needed. They even came to my house at 4 a.m. in the driving rain to rescue my cat who was up in a tree and couldn't get down.

These men and women are our true heroes, Thank You for your Service!

As always, I am available to you. I can be reached at [mayor@northumberlandborough.com](mailto:mayor@northumberlandborough.com) or 570-473-3414 or . . many people have stopped me when I am out in King St. Park.

Oh! While I have your attention. Last newsletter I posted 2 dog ordinances about cleaning up after your dog and his business. I would like to remind residents that these ordinances do not pertain to daylight hours only. They pertain to nighttime as well. Just because we don't see you doesn't mean you don't have to clean up after your dog. It is your responsibility.

Mayor Dan Berard

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### Benefit 3: Volunteering can advance your career

If you're considering a new career, volunteering can help you get experience in your area of interest and meet people in the field. Volunteering also gives you the opportunity to practice important skills used in the workplace, such as teamwork, communication, problem solving, project planning, task management, and organization. You might feel more comfortable stretching your wings at work once you've honed these skills in a volunteer position first.

#### Teaching you valuable job skills

Just because volunteer work is unpaid does not mean the skills you learn are basic. It can provide extensive training. For example, you could become an experienced crisis counselor while volunteering for a women's shelter or a knowledgeable art historian while donating your time as a museum docent.

Volunteering can also help you build upon skills you already have and use them to benefit the greater community. For instance, if you hold a successful sales position, you raise awareness for your favorite cause as a volunteer advocate, while further developing and improving your public speaking, communication, and marketing skills.

#### Gaining career experience

Volunteering offers you the chance to try out a new career without making a long-term commitment or gain experience in a new field. For example, if you're interested in nursing, you could volunteer at a hospital or a nursing home.

Your volunteer work might also expose you to professional organizations or internships that could be of benefit to your career.

While learning new skills can be beneficial to many, it's not a requirement for a fulfilling volunteer experience. Bear in mind that the most valuable skills you can bring to any volunteer effort are compassion, an open mind, a willingness to do whatever is needed, and a positive attitude.

Source: *World Volunteer Web*

**When it comes to volunteering, passion and positivity are the only requirements**



# BACK TO SCHOOL

## TRAFFIC SAFETY

A school bus is stopped at a 4-way intersection.  
How do you proceed?



You must stop for stopped school buses with flashing red lights and an extended stop sign when you approach from **ANY** direction.

**Can I make a turn away from the bus?**

No, remain stopped until all persons are clear and the bus moves again.

If you are convicted of failing to stop for a school bus with **RED LIGHTS FLASHING & STOP ARM EXTENDED**, you will receive **ALL** of the following penalties:

- Fine of \$250
- 5 Points attached to license
- License suspension for 60 days

Annually, more than 700 PA drivers are convicted for passing a stopped school bus with its red lights flashing.

You may have noticed the name [17857.org](http://17857.org) popping up here and there a bit more lately. Well, we have been a busy group of people! We are a mix of working and retired, new to town and not so new to town, younger and older residents, all trying to make our community an even better place to live! Of course, we are always looking for new people to join us in our efforts. We invite you to join us at our meetings the first Thursday of the month at 6 pm at the Little House on 3rd Street.

Here's a snapshot of what we've been up to lately...Probably our biggest news for the year is that we are officially a non-profit, 501C3 organization! This will allow us to be able to tap into some new grant, foundation, and fundraising opportunities that will make an even bigger impact on the community. So, when thinking about where you would like send your year-end charitable contributions, you can think of [17857.org](http://17857.org)!

Monthly Beautification Award Winners continue to be recognized, now with a fancy yard sign that allows them to brag a little bit. Check out the last three months of winners here in the newsletter. As always, if you see a home or business that you'd like to nominate, give us a call or drop us an email or message.

Hometown Hero Banners are hanging proudly in King Street Park. What a wonderful celebration we had officially honoring them into our town in May. We couldn't have pulled it off without the support from the American Legion Post #44, the re-enactors, food vendors, and other community partners. The banners are a beautiful addition to the Park. We are currently accepting new applications for the next batch of banners. Call Noelle 570-412-4072 if you are interested or stop by the Borough office for an application.

A blast from Pineknott years past was brought back this year with the "Truck Smash." This activity was a *smashing* success! Mayor Dan Berard took a few inaugural swings on the truck that was graciously donated by W&L Subaru. It was quite a sight to watch throughout the week. We had no idea it was going to be so popular. We will definitely be bringing it back again next year! At the

end of the week, the truck found a new home with the Point Township Fire company to be used for training purposes. It was a win-win!

We continue to spiff up parts of town with fresh plantings and landscaping at King Street Park, downtown in planters, and at Gretchen's garden at the underpass. Kudos to all those who like to dig in the dirt and mulch! Community

Yard Sales were a success! Construction and detours didn't keep the yard sales away! The weather turned out to be perfect as well. Thanks to all those who participated and shopped. The expanded Music in the Park was well received. Special thanks goes out to all those who showcased their talents - Karen & Bill, Keith Bossert, Sunbury City Band, Sunbury City Worship, and Straw Bridge Band. Next year we plan to have even more music!

The kids' PineMudder was another muddy good time! Over 200 kids enjoyed the muddy obstacle course. This takes a great deal of volunteers to execute. We couldn't do it without the incredible support of the Northumberland Fire Department. Thanks so much for all that you do!


Lemonade Day was another good time. The weather didn't seem like it was going to cooperate early on, but it was a glorious hot summer day with loads of fun with hula hooping, watermelon seed spitting, bouncy ball races and of course LOTS of lemonade!

We've also been partnering with the "Birthday Bash Committee" on some activities. This group has taken on organizing Norry's 250th Birthday Party in June 2022. It will be here before you know it! They would love to have your help in the planning. If you are interested in lending a hand, send them an email at [norry250bash@gmail.com](mailto:norry250bash@gmail.com).


Next up on our to-do list is the Trek-for-Treats Treasure Hunt October 11-25, Fall Festival on October 26, Halloween Parade on October 30, and Santa's arrival on December 2. Be sure to like us on Facebook at [17857.org](http://17857.org) and follow us on Instagram at norry17857.



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## SANTA IS COMING!



Santa will arrive at the King Street Park via firetruck, on Monday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m. The Sunbury City Band will provide entertainment beginning at 6:30 p.m. Hot chocolate and cookies will be served. Special thanks to the Kiwanis club, [17857.org](http://17857.org), and the Joseph J. Anselmo Sr. Community Trust.



Christmas Tree pickup in the Borough will be January 2 through the 15th, and follows the "No Parking" Schedule. The hill section is scheduled for Wednesdays.

Please make sure all lights, ornaments, etc are removed from the tree before placing at the curb. Trees may not be bagged.



## TREK-FOR-TREATS TREASURE HUNT!



The Trek-for-Treats Treasure Hunt will once again be on in mid-October! Goodies will be hidden at select Northumberland businesses and will be waiting to be found by kids. Treasure maps will be distributed at Priestley Elementary and will be available at participating businesses and the borough office. The goal of this activity is to visit each of the businesses on the map (with an adult) to receive a special treat and a

stamp on the map. Once the treasure map has been stamped by each participating business, kids can turn them in to the borough office by 5:00 pm on October 25 to be entered to win the hunt's grand prize at the Fall Festival!

Treasure hunting will take place October 11<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>. The goal is to visit each location on your "Trek-for-Treats Treasure Hunt Map" to receive a stamp and a special treat. All completed treasure maps will be entered in a drawing to win the hunt's grand prize!

Thank you to all of the following participating business, treasure hunting would not be as fun without you!

**Frye's Interiors**  
**Northumberland National Bank**  
**millie boutique & jewelry bar**  
**On a Roll Sub Shop**  
**Priestley Forsyth Memorial Library**  
**Queen Street Shops of Northumberland**  
**Young's Sporting Goods**

### Treasure Hunt Rules

The goal is to visit each location on your "Trek-for-Treats Treasure Hunt Map" to receive a stamp and a special treat. All completed treasure maps will be entered in a drawing to win the hunt's grand prize!

1. Treasure hunting will take place October 11-25, 2019.
2. Maps must be stamped by each participating business identified on the map in order to be a qualified entry.
3. All *completed* treasure map entries must be dropped off at the borough office at 175 Orange Street by Friday, October 25 at 5:00 pm.
4. Each child must be accompanied by an adult when visiting participating businesses for treasure hunt purposes.
5. Only ask *participating* businesses for a stamp and treat.
6. In the event a business would close or drastically change their hours, a missing stamp *will* be overlooked. The entry *will* be considered eligible.
7. One entry per child.
8. Participation is limited to children in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and younger.
9. Costumes are not required for visiting... but it could be fun and may earn you extra treats!
10. The drawing for the treasure chest surprise will be held at the Fall Festival, Saturday, October 26 at 5:45 pm at the Second Street Community Center.
11. Winner does not need to be present to win.
12. Additional copies of the treasure map are available at the borough office, participating businesses, on "[17857.org](http://17857.org)" on Facebook, or at [www.17857.org](http://www.17857.org).
13. Feel free to contact Noelle Long with any questions 570-412-4072.

This event is sponsored by [17857.org](http://17857.org), Joseph J. Anselmo Sr. Trust, and Northumberland Borough.

## LITTLE HOUSE NEWS

The 32nd Camp IOKA reunion was held at the Little House on September 17th from 2:00 pm. to 5:00 pm. The well-attended event hosted IOKA counselors and campers, featured catering by Townside Café and an actual replica of a tent used a IOKA, furnished by John Bower's Military tent Co., of Milton Pa.

Mark your calendars, this event is going to be featured yearly each September, for all campers to attend and relive our large collection of IOKA memorabilia.



The Little House can be rented for events and meetings. Rental fee is \$50 for 3-hours with a \$50 deposit. Call the Borough office for details, 570-473-3414.

## OUR BEAUTIFICATION WINNERS!

Northumberland has such a beautiful collection of unique homes, buildings, businesses, and churches. [17857.org](http://17857.org) has been recognizing those who take pride in their property – be it through general upkeep, renovations, landscaping, etc. Those who take pride in their properties make Northumberland an even prettier place to live!

Congratulations goes out to...

July - Wiand Home, King Street

August - Ideal Associates' Apartment Building, Queen Street

September - Olson Home, King Street

Have you noticed a property that shines? Maybe your neighbor has done something new to their home? Message us on "[17857.org](http://17857.org)" on Facebook or call Noelle at 570-412-4072 to nominate someone!



## POINT TOWNSHIP

570-473-3198

pointtwp@ptd.net

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8:00 -12:00 & 1:00 - 4:00  
759 Ridge Road

Supervisors Meeting  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday 7:00 pm

Sewer Committee  
1<sup>st</sup> Thursday 7:00 pm

Planning Committee  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday 6:00 pm

Fire Comm. (except Summer)  
4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 6:00 pm

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

Sec/Treasurer: Amanda McClain

Fire Chief: James Geise

Clerk: Amy Hoffman

Tax Collector: John Snyder

Solicitor: Richard Shock

EMA & Road Master: ????

Zoning/Sewage: Gene Powlus

Vacancy Board: James Kohl

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

Police Chief: Josh Vankirker

Township Police 570-473-9364

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## BOROUGH OF NORTHUMBERLAND

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Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9:00 -12:00 Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri 1:00-5:00  
175 Orange St

Borough Council  
1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 7:00 pm

Finance Committee  
4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 7:00 pm

Community Development  
3<sup>rd</sup> Monday 7:00 pm

Rules Committee  
2<sup>nd</sup> Monday 6:00 pm

Emergency Services  
1<sup>st</sup> Monday 6:00 pm

Sewer Committee  
1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 6:00 pm

Public Safety  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday 6:00 pm

Streets  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday 6:00 pm

Council Members: Paul Ruane (Pres.), Ralph Cianflone, Ellie Rees, Ty Sees,  
Orlando Toro, Frank Wetzel and Kaitlyn Simmons

Mayor: Dan Berard

Fire Chief: Brian Ginck

Boro Manager: Jan Bowman

EMA Director: Herb Gottshall

Code/Building: MaryKay Clark

Tax Collector: Joanna Rees

Sewer Supr: Jeremy Detrick

Health Officer: Mary Sue M Smith

Streets Supr.: Brian Probst

Police Chief: C.L. "Butch" Kriner

Borough Police 570-473-8446

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## LEAF PICK-UP

Northumberland Borough Street Department will begin leaf pickup as soon as 80% of the leaves have fallen. Pickup will follow the posted "No Parking" schedule on the streets. Final pickup will be December 2nd, 3rd & 4th.



Please do not place leaves in bags or in the streets. Leaves should be piled in the space between the sidewalk and curbs.

Point Township will start to pick up leaves as soon as the majority of the leaves fall.

## BRUSH COLLECTION SERVICE

Borough of Northumberland

Guidelines effective as of September 2019

As a courtesy to residents ONLY within the Borough Limits of Northumberland, the Borough Street Department provides brush collection service.

Brush will be picked up the **2nd Wednesday of each month** from April through November and after severe storms.

Please follow the guidelines below. Failure to comply will result in your brush NOT being accepted for pickup. Please call the Borough Office at 570-473-3414 with any questions.

For Routine Monthly Brush Pickup - **Brush MUST:**

1. Be placed curbside no sooner than the weekend before, or later than 7:00 AM on the pickup day (Wednesday).
2. Be less than 4 feet long, no larger than 4 inches diameter; stacked neatly with butts all on one end.
3. Originate from resident's property ONLY.
4. Weeds, sticks, twigs, and leaves may be placed in an orderly pile or in an unlined can.

**Brush must NOT:**

1. Be bagged. It will NOT be picked-up if it is in plastic bags.
2. Include, stumps, vines, grass clippings, sod, roots or root balls.
3. Be located where it restricts drainage such as in a gutter line or covering an inlet grate.
4. Be located where it impedes vehicular and or walking traffic in the street or sidewalk.
5. Include trash, nails, building materials, dirt or rocks.
6. Be tied with string, twine, wire or any other material.
7. Be left by a commercial tree removal or trimming company. If cut by one of these companies, it should remove it as part of their contract with the resident.

**\*GRASS CLIPPINGS:** Experts in lawn care recommend that clippings be left on the lawn to absorb back into the soil or composted with other natural yard waste. They will **NOT** pick up any grass clippings.

The amount of time spent at any one residence should not exceed 2 minutes. In that amount of time, the street department should be able to empty several cans or pick up a bundle of limbs.

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## NOVEMBER 5, 2019



All Borough wards vote at the 2nd St Community Center.

Pt Township votes at either the Township Building or American Legion Post 44.

DUE TO THE ELECTION, Borough Council meets

Monday Nov. 4th at 7:00 pm



## NORTH'D COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

**October 17 7:00 pm**

**John Moore** will be our speaker. He's done quite a lot of research about the Sullivan Expedition and will share what he's learned about that trying time in our history.

**October 26 6:00 to 8:30 pm**

**Lantern Tours** will be conducted on the grounds by lantern light with several scenarios of days gone by portrayed by reenactors. Always an enjoyable evening with fall refreshments available at the conclusion of the tours.

**November 6 - Extended Library Hours**

Our research library will be open from 1:00 until 8:00 p.m.

**November 21 7:00 p.m.**

**Janet Johnson**, an archaeologist with the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission will present a program on the archaeological finds from the digs at Fort Hunter, located near Harrisburg. Janet was also involved in digs that were done here at Fort Augusta.

**December 3 Annual Dinner**

The Packer House, N. Third Street, Sunbury will be the location of our annual dinner. Additional details will be announced in a special mailing in late October. Mark your calendar now and enjoy this special evening.

**December 4 Extended Library Hours & Holiday Open House**

Our research library will be open from 1:00 until 8:00 p.m. We'll host a Holiday Open House with books and other merchandise at special prices just in time for holiday shopping.

**December 20**

Last day the library and museum are open (1-4) before the annual winter closing. We'll reopen Monday, March 2.

**1150 N Front St, Sunbury**



## ANNUAL BOOK SALE

October 10 & 11, Noon – 7:00 pm

October 12, 8:00 – 11:00 am

St. John's Lutheran Church, 3rd & Queen Streets, \$20 per bag or buy hardcovers, paperbacks, and children's books individually. Thousands of books!

Early admittance on October 10th at 10:00 a.m. for Friends members, new members welcome to join at the door (\$10 yearly membership fee). Sponsored by the Friends of the Priestley Forsyth Memorial Library.

Don't miss this!

## NORRY'S 250TH BIRTHDAY BASH

**Save the Date  
Designer Bag Bingo  
November 3**



Mark your calendars for an afternoon of designer bag bingo on Sunday, November 3 at the Front Street Station. All proceeds to benefit Norry's 250th Birthday Bash celebration in June 2022. Winners will go home with beautiful Michael Kors, Coach, Kate Spade, Vera Bradley, and Dooney & Bourke bags. There will be raffles, 50/50 drawing, and a Chinese auction. Doors will open at noon with games starting at 2 pm. Cash bar will be available. Stop by Front Street Station for lunch before

the Bingo and you'll get some extra surprises when you arrive! Tickets will be available for purchase at Queen Street Shops of Northumberland and any Birthday Bash committee member. Stay tuned for more details. Call Cindy with questions 570-452-3160.



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## FROM STATE REPRESENTATIVE CULVER

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### Annual Veterans Breakfast

We will be hosting our annual Veterans Breakfast for veterans of the 108th District on Friday, Nov. 8, at 9 a.m., at Grace Community Church, located at 1218 State Route 225 in Herndon.

The event is sponsored by UPMC Susquehanna, Sunbury. Additionally, all veterans in attendance will receive a pin, courtesy of Riverfront Financial Services and Home Helpers. If you wish to attend the event, please RSVP by Friday, Oct. 25 by calling my district office at 570-286-5885. Attendance is limited to 150 people. Hope to see you there!

### Committee Highlights Tick-Borne Diseases, Tick Testing

Working to address the ongoing threat of Lyme and other tick-borne diseases in the Commonwealth, the House Health Committee held a public hearing in East Stroudsburg Monday.

The committee heard from health and wildlife professionals, local officials, advocates for tick-borne disease treatment and awareness, and officials with East Stroudsburg University's (ESU) Tick Research Lab.

Testimony focused heavily on the importance of early diagnosis and treatment in helping people successfully recover from Lyme and other tick-borne diseases. Three bills designed to help combat the disease were also highlighted, including one that would require nurses to remove a tick when it is found on a child during the school day and to notify parents; one that

would require continuing education for physicians; and one to require health insurers to cover recommended treatments that may include short-term or long-term courses of antibiotics.

Members participating in the hearing also learned more about ESU's tick lab, which provides a FREE base test on ticks submitted for Lyme disease as well as three additional tests based on the species of tick. Pennsylvanians can send a tick sample to the lab and receive the test results. These samples can be mailed to 562 Independence Road, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301.

For more information about tick-borne diseases or how to submit a tick for testing, visit [ticklab.org](http://ticklab.org).

### Online Absentee Ballot Applications Launched Monday Sept 16th

Starting with this year's General Election, voters who need to vote by absentee ballot may apply for the ballot online. The mobile-friendly, online application site, available at [votesPA.com/ApplyAbsentee](http://votesPA.com/ApplyAbsentee), will go live on Monday, Sept. 16, the first day that registered voters may apply for absentee ballots for the Nov. 5 election

When an applicant completes the online form, the information is forwarded directly to the appropriate county elections office for processing. The applicant will then be provided with a ballot that must be completed and either mailed or hand-delivered to the appropriate county election office by the deadline, which is 5 p.m. on the Friday before the election, or Nov. 1 this year.

The online application system will be accessible for all domestic Pennsylvania voters this year and to military and overseas voters by 2020.

Absentee ballots may be cast by individuals with illnesses or disabilities, individuals who will be away from their municipality on business on Election Day, and Pennsylvania students attending out-of-state colleges or universities, among others.

### PA Elk Cam LIVE!



The Pennsylvania Game Commission's 2019 Elk Cam is now streaming live from Elk County. The best time to view elk is at dusk and dawn. Viewers may also see white-tailed deer, turkeys and other wildlife.

The Game Commission reminds viewers they could hear gunfire from nearby target shooters and hunters. Contact the agency's Northcentral Region at 570-398-4744 if you suspect any wrongdoing in conjunction with the livestream. This project is the product of coordinated efforts by the Game Commission, HDOnTAP and the North Central PA Regional Planning and Development Commission.

If you're planning to visit Elk County in the coming weeks, please consider attending one of the Game Commission's free weekend events to learn more about the elk and other Pennsylvania wildlife. Free guided hikes are also being offered on weekends through Columbus Day.



The Borough Shade Tree Commission is planning to plant five new trees in the King Street park. If you are interested in purchasing a tree in memory of a loved one, the cost is \$275. Once the tree is planted, you can put a commemorative plaque at the base of the tree. For more information, contact Margret Weirick at 570-473-3781





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## UPDATES FROM NORRY/SUNBURY AYSO

How would you like to be part of an organization that supports children from 4-14 years of age to learn teamwork, responsibility and sportsmanship? If you've ever played soccer, had children that played soccer or just find yourself wanting to give kids a positive outlet to learn and grow, then we need you!

AYSO, American Youth Soccer Organization, needs people like you to fill many roles. Of course, coaches and referees are always in need, but we also need volunteers to help us in other areas. We have field maintenance projects, community events we take part in, fundraising, and we can always use help in our concession stand. Just a few hours a month can help us to grow and maintain a vibrant youth athletics program for the children in our community.

Are you interested in **advertising** your business *and* playing a key role in helping aspiring soccer players in need? Your investment in promoting your business will go right into our newly formed scholarship fund for families in need. With multiple games and hundreds of people at our fields on Route 11 every week we have an optimal place for you to advertise your business. If you would like to help us build a scholarship fund and reach a large number of potential customers, please contact us at [ayso0522@aol.com](mailto:ayso0522@aol.com) or call Bob at 570-490-0327.

Spring soccer registration will be open on November 1. Interested players can register online at <https://ayso.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=915622>. Returning players from the fall still need to register, but will enjoy a reduced registration fee.

For more info on volunteering, marketing your business, registration, or any other questions, feel free to reach out to us at [ayso0522@aol.com](mailto:ayso0522@aol.com), by phone 570-490-0327, or find us on Facebook "[Norry / Sunbury AYSO Soccer – Region 522](#)."

## LIBERTY RECYCLING CENTER

Wednesday 5:30 to 7:00 pm

Saturday 7:00 to 11:00 am

966 Water Street

**NEEDED** > A dependable group of people, non-profits or service groups, to take a turn at the Liberty Recycling Center.

Work once a month, a Wednesday and a Saturday shift, assist with drop-offs, run the balers, move and stack bales, 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 a valuable community service.

If interested call 570-473-9708, or 570-473-7445 or 570-473-9802.



As always, please remember the ads pay for the cost of the printing and mailing of this newsletter—so please patronize the advertisers and tell them thanks!

## 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. Flooding presents a safety hazard. 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.

**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. Different flood proofing techniques are appropriate for different types of buildings.

**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 REGRADE 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 is 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.

PRIESTLEY FORSYTH LIBRARY

Just like everyone else in the area, the Priestley-Forsyth Memorial Library is so looking forward to the end of the street construction. We have to admit that we were extremely glad this all didn't happen during our "Summer Quest (Reading)" programs.

Thanks to our staff and our summer interns for putting together the awesome events and activities for the kids to experience. Reading is naturally better when it's combined with fun! We thank all the patrons who have persevered and found their way here. We appreciate everyone who followed our Facebook post, and made it a point to attend our programs as well as re-posting information so others were kept in the loop.

PFML is proud to announce that we have received another grant from Pennsylvania Humanities Council to help fund our Teen Reading Lounge. These funds plus financial support for the Greater Susquehanna Valley United Way, will allow us to continue the program into its fourth year. TRL at PFML has received national recognition in a major educational publication, praising how well our program has been conducted and received by our teens. If you are a teen in our community or know of one, check out our TRL program.

We continue to offer our very popular "Babies Boogie and Toddlers Rock" for families with birth to 2 year old's, Mondays 10:30 am.



Moving up in age to our "Time for Twos", obviously for those ever active, challenging 2 year old's, Wednesday 10:30 am offering educational, developmental and parental involvement activities. Always something new to share with parents, grandparents and caregivers as well.

Preschool Very Ready to Read Story Times for 3-5 year old's eager to Talk, Sing, Read, Write and of course PLAY. Helping kids to work on their developmental skills needed for when they enter Kindergarten.

"Kids Rock", Mondays 4-5 pm for Kindergarten and first graders, helping them to become more confident/independent readers by reading books that match their skill levels.

PFML has been selected to be one of eight PA rural libraries to pilot a new PA Department of Libraries initiative. "Future Ready With PFML". For 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders (may become another phase of TRL, like "Teens Can Cook"). The program is being designed to expose kids to potential careers (electricians, plumbers, law enforcement, medical fields and teachers) at an earlier age, so that when they reach high school, they will be able to focus on the skills and courses required to follow that career.

A reminder to all parent/caregivers, if your child is having trouble with school work, please check out access to "Tutor.com" through the library's website. It offers "one on one" help with every possible area of school work for FREE and confidential. Don't forget that PFML has computers for teens to do homework with free printing of homework papers.

Just to make sure to mix a little bit of fun with all that work, we have weekly "pop up": Magic the Gathering and D&D sessions happen at the library when a group comes together. The library offers space that is comfortable and safe and judgement free! All are welcome!

Speaking of fun while learning. PFML is proud to be play a major role in offering access to STREAM/STEM (Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art and Math) programs for all age levels. That's right PFML offers programs for all levels on a weekly basis. These programs are so popular that we reach our maximum number of participants quickly.

Adults of the community, are you a member of a book club, would you like to become a member or even gather some friends to start your own book club? Well then PFML is the library for you. PFML is the base library for four book clubs. We have a rather extensive list of titles that we have 10 copies. No need to purchase the books you plan to read, come borrow ours. Stop in and get the book list.



Anyone interested in joining a MAH JONGG club. We are exploring this possibility, so please let us know.

We would like to know if adults would enjoy seeing what the rage about STREAM is all about. Studies have shown the more we use our senior minds, the better our chances of staying ahead of the aging process. STREAM programs can help make us challenge our brains. Also if you are interested in doing more art and craft classes, please call and tell us. Save these dates:

- December 7, 2019 Nifty Gifties
- December 11, 2019 Polar Express
- December 31, 2019 Count Down to Noon

Finally, thank you to everyone who was kind enough to send a contribution for our annual fund drive. It's never too late, and every amount helps us do all the programming you just read about. Follow us on FACEBOOK, check out our webpage, and best of all stop in and visit and pick up a calendar

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## RIVERVIEW CEMETERY

On August 24<sup>th</sup>, the cemetery hosted the 14<sup>th</sup> Day of Remembrance. The Board of Managers would like to thank everyone for their very generous donations. It was a beautiful day and we had approximately 90 people attend.

We appreciate the great response we receive from near and far! We had a profit of \$4,700.00!!! This included a very generous donation from the Kiwanis. We are very grateful to them. If you are so inclined, we accept donations all year round! Thank you one and all!!!!

Here it is autumn already and we would appreciate your help in removing your summer decorations and planters off the graves so that on the last mowing and trimming we can trim closer to the monuments. It gives the grounds a nice clean appearance for the winter. We are having the Priestley 5<sup>th</sup> graders come October 16<sup>th</sup> to remove any dead plants/planters, etc. and to sweep grass off of the monuments.

Veterans Day, the American Legion Post 44 will be having a service at the cemetery on Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. It would be so great if more people would come out for this service in support of the Veterans. Last year it was a beautiful sunny day for November. Hopefully it will be like that this year!

The Wreaths for Warriors will most likely be December 8<sup>th</sup>, but as of the submitting of this article I have not gotten confirmation on that date.

Thank you again for all your generous donations and for your support of the cemetery!

Dee Zboray, Secretary  
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# Tomato Trot

## 5K RUN/WALK & KIDS' FUN RUN

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019**  
Registration/Packet Pickup: 8:30AM - 9:45AM  
5K Start: 10:00 AM  
Kids' Fun Run Start: 10:50 AM

**LOCATION**  
Furmano Foods  
770 Cannery Road, Northumberland, PA

**DAY OF EVENT REGISTRATION**  
\$30.00 5K  
\$10.00 Kids' Fun Run

**FEATURING**  
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Front and King Streets P.O. Box 268 570-473-8543  
Worship Service every Sunday at 9:00 am Sunday School 10:15 am  
www.christmontumc.org christumc@christmontumc.org

**Chicken & Waffle Dinner** **October 17** **4:30 - 6:30 pm**  
Adults \$8, Kids 12 & under \$5

**Free Community Meals** **Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 21** **4:30 - 6:00 pm**

**Christmas Bazaar** **November 9** **9:00 am - 2:00 pm**  
Christmas Café, Crafts, Baked Goods, Soups, Christmas Past Shoppe, and Themed Basket Chinese Auction @ 2:00 pm

**Hanging of Greens** **December 1** **9:00 am**  
Decorating our sanctuary for Advent/Christmas followed by brunch.

**Christmas Eve Worship** **December 24** **7:00 pm**  
Come celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ!

**Contemporary Worship** **December 29** **9:00 am**  
w/Praise Band

**Blessing Box/Prayer Wall** 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

300 Queen Street [sjelc300@ptd.net](mailto:sjelc300@ptd.net) 570-473-3770

Sunday Services with communion 8:00 am. & 10:15 am

Sunday School Pre-k through 6th & Catechism Class 9:00 a.m.

**Annual Fall Rummage & Bake Sale** **October 24 & 25** **8:00 am - 3:00 pm**

**October 26** **8:00 am - Noon**

Come check out our "treasures and goodies".

**Christmas Bazaar** **December 6** **9:00 am - 4:00 pm**  
**December 7** **9:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Mrs. Claus' Cookies and Sweet Treats, crafts, Boyds, Longeberger, gift baskets, pink and white elephant items. The North Pole Diner will serve a light lunch Friday until 3:00 pm. and Saturday, until 1:00 pm.

## GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

2190 Point Township Drive 570-473-9484

Sunday Worship 8:30 am

## AMAZING GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH

138 Leed St. (844) 374-AGCC (2422)  
Sunday School 8:45 am  
Sunday Worship 10:00 am  
[pastor@amazinggracecommchurch.org](mailto:pastor@amazinggracecommchurch.org)

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

114 Queen Street 570-473-9372  
Worship Services Sunday 10:30 am  
Sunday School 9:15 am  
**Christmas Eve Candlelight** **December 24** **7:00 pm**



### A heartfelt "Thank You" from the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Pineknotted Days Cake Wheel Committee and Pineknotted Days.

Our sincere gratitude to the Norry community for their donations to the cake wheel this summer along with the volunteers who did the phone canvassing, also the helpers who donated their time and supported us. We also acknowledge the wonderful

local businesses who donated to our efforts.

A great week was had with mostly good weather. We couldn't have had the success without all of you. Several organizations benefit from all of this good work, which comes back for the enjoyment of the community. Looking forward to 2020 celebration which this committee will start planning again in January.

As always, we welcome any interested volunteers at our meeting the second Thursday of the month, at the Kiwanis building at 7:00 pm.

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**Wednesday, October 30th  
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## TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

6<sup>th</sup> and King Streets

trinity4@ptd.net

570-473-9145

Sunday Worship Service

9:00 am

Sunday School immediately following.

**Food Pantry**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday**

**9:00 - 11:00 am**

**October -Trunk or Treat**

**October 31**

**6<sup>th</sup> Street Parking Lot**

**November Holiday Craft Fair**

**November 9**

Crafters, vendors, bake sale; Breakfast special \$3.00 egg & sausage on English muffin and drink; Lunch special \$6.00 Sandwich (BBQ or hot dog), bowl of soup, chips and drink; Homemade Soup \$6.00 qt: Chicken Corn, Ham & Bean, Beef Vegetable

**Free Thanksgiving Dinner**

**12:00 noon**

Turkey and all the trimmings, Call for delivery 570-473-9145, Leave you name, phone #, address and how many meals Or you and your family can join us and our families at the church

**The Robatin Family  
Concert**

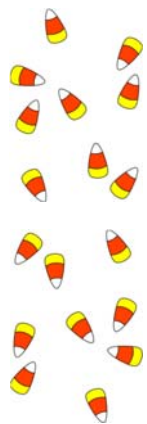
**December 15**

**9:00 am**

**Donut Day**

**February 25, 2020**

\$5.00 dozen: Granulated sugar, cinnamon & sugar, powdered sugar, plain. Call your order in after the holidays, 570-473-9145



## Trunk or Treat

Saturday, October 26 1:00-4:00 pm Church parking lot

Children up to age 13 are invited to join in the fun and safety of trick or treating. Anyone can participate in the trunk or treat with their vehicle; decorating is suggested but not necessary.

Please be set up in the parking lot prior to the start of the event. This event is sponsored by:

**St. John's and Grace Lutheran Churches, Northumberland.**



**AMERICAN LELGION POST 44**

October 20, 2019 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Open to the public



Free Local delivery/  
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**Sub Shop**  
**92 Queen Street**  
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**570-701-1224**

\*Norry \$10  
 \*Sunbury \$15

# THE NORRY POINT TOWNSHIP SENIOR ACTION CENTER

268 Second Street 570-473-9373 norrysac@ptd.net

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.

You must call a day ahead by 10:30 to order a meal. A donation of \$3.50 is asked for the meals.

## OCTOBER

Monday 7 – Members Meeting 10:00

Tues. 8 – Breakfast 9:00

Nails by Janae 9:30

Hand & Foot 12:15

Wed. 9 – No Bible Study

Thurs. 10 – Pinochle 12:30

Friday 11 – Rummage Sale 9:00-3:00 Food Available Hot Dots, BBQ,

Beef Veg. Soup, Chili, Pierogies

Sat. 12 – Rummage Sale 9:00-1:00 Food Available

Monday 14 – Center Closed for Columbus Day

Wed. 16 – Free Blood Pressure by Jim White 10:30-11:00

Thurs. 17 – Culinary Lunch at Mt. Carmel 11:30

Cash Bingo Doors Open at 4:00 Games start at 5:00

20 Games for \$20.00 Food Available

Mon. 21 – Speaker Jim White, VNA Lewisburg, 10:00

Topic "Elder Abuse Awareness"

Thurs. 24 – Trip to Olive Garden 11:00-12:30

Mon. 28 – Craft using Mason Jars

Tues. 29 – Movie & Popcorn 12:15

Wed. 30 – Halloween Party and Free Bingo

Thurs. 31 – Card Party 12:00

## NOVEMBER

Monday 4 – Members Meeting 10:00

Tues. 5 – Center closed for Election Day

Thurs. 7 – Painting Christmas Ornaments 9:30

Friday 8 – Educational Program from Dietician Scarlet at 10:00

Monday 11 – Center Closed for Veterans Day

Tues. 12 – Thanksgiving Meal at 11:30

Thurs. 14 – Pinochle Game at 12:30- Culinary Lunch at Herndon

Friday 15 – Educational Program by Deb Erdman, Geisinger, 10:00  
"Stop the Bleed"

Monday 18 – Speaker Jim White, VNA Lewisburg, 10:00

Topic "Diabetes Awareness"

Thurs. 21 – Card Party 12:00 Cash Bingo 20 Games for \$20.00

Doors Open at 4:00 P.M. Games start at 5:00

Tues. 26 – Hand & Foot 9:00

Thurs. 28 & Friday 29 – Center Closed for Thanksgiving

## DECEMBER

Monday 2 – Members Meeting 10:00

Monday 9 – Speaker from Birthright at 10:00

Tues. 10 – Christmas Lunch and Entertainment by "The Hunter Family"

Thurs. 12 – Pinochle 12:30

Mon. 16 – Speaker Jim White, VNA Lewisburg, Topic "Congestive Heart Failure Awareness"

Wed. 18 – Free Blood Pressure by Jim White from 10:30-11:00

Thurs. 19 – Cash Bingo 20 Games for \$20.00 Doors Open at 4:00 P.M. Games start at 5:00

Wed. 25 – Center closed for Christmas

Mon. 30 – Rep. Lydia Schlegel-Culver at 10:00

## Northumberland American Legion Post #44

309 Point Township Drive All events below open to the public. 570-473-3331

### October 12th

#### Chicken Bar-B-Q

11 am until sold out

Dinner 1/2 chicken/Baked beans

& Macaroni Salad \$8.50

1/2 chicken only \$5

Dine in/take out



### October 12th

#### Horseshoe Tournament

Registration at noon,

Starts at 1:00 pm, \$20/ team

#### Jesse

Cover \$10

Doors open at 8:00 pm

Plays 9:00 pm to midnight

Must be 21 or older



### Smooth County

Plays Every Tuesday

6:00 - 9:00 pm

Must be 21 or over

### Dinner Specials

Tuesday 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Friday 5:00 - 9:00 pm



### December 31st

#### New years Eve party

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Tickets \$15. each

Must be 21 or older





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Costis Free. The goals of the Program are to have participants:

- Share ideas on feeding grandchildren healthier meals, even the pickiest eaters.
- Prepare and taste new healthy recipes.
- Learn to make a family budget.
- Develop new kitchen skills.
- Design an easy menu on a budget.
- Gain important food safety training.
- Make new friends and share ideas.
- Set family and personal goals.

Completion Awards: • Food Processor • Recipe Cookbook • Refrigerator & Meat Thermometers • Cutting Board & Measuring Cups

Participant Qualifications: An adult who cares for a child 19 years of age or under and meets the income guidelines below.

To preregister or find out more, call, text, or email Cyndi Clayton, 570-369-8708, [cac53@psu.edu](mailto:cac53@psu.edu)

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1	\$23,107	\$1,926
2	\$31,284	\$2,607
3	\$39,461	\$3,288
4	\$47,638	\$3,970
5	\$55,815	\$4,651
6	\$63,992	\$5,333
7	\$72,169	\$6,014
8	\$80,346	\$6,695
Each Additional	+\$8,177	+\$682

**NHS High School classes having regular 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—  
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**KING STREET PARK CHRISTMAS TREES**

Once again, King Street Park will be filled with the Spirit of Christmas. Again this year, a donation from the S. Luther Savidge Fund will allow us to decorate the park with 30 trees. They have also provided funding for the lights and other decorations.



We are going to assume that if you decorated a tree last year, you will be decorating a tree this year as well, if not let us know. If your organization or family would like to decorate a tree please call the Borough office at 473-3414 or email [info@17857.org](mailto:info@17857.org).

All the dates have not been worked out, but the trees must be completed before Santa arrives December 1<sup>st</sup>. Additional information will be provided to each tree sponsor.

**MARTIN CONCINI JR. MEMORIAL TOY DRIVE**

The Northumberland Police Department collects toys for *local children* at Christmas. Toys are provided to children from infants to teenagers. Past Chief Martin Concini Jr. began the drive in 1990 before his untimely death in 1992. The Police Department has continued his philanthropic efforts.



All donations stay within our community and our neighbors. Look for the brightly decorated drop off boxes at local businesses, or bring your donation to the Police or Borough offices at the Second Street Community Center, 175 Orange Street. If you know a family in need, leave a message at 473-8446. All requests or suggestions are kept strictly confidential.



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