

THE PINEKNOTTER

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Summer 2008

COMMUNITY EVENTS IN 2008

June 28: Soapbox Race

June 29: Organ Recital

June 29 to July 5: Pineknotted
Days

August 2: Lemonade Day

August 9: Corn Festival

August 16: Ed Pfeiffer Memorial
Basketball Tournament

October 22: Halloween Parade

October 25: Fall Festival

October 25 & 26: Haunted
Walks at Pineknotted Park

December 1: Santa in the Park

Music at the King Street Park

July 4: Billy D and Rosie (10-1pm)

July 14: Sunbury City Band (7-8 pm)

August 20: Billy D and Rosie (7-8 pm)

August 22: Billy D and Rosie (7-10 pm)

Sept. 13: Billy D and Rosie (7-10 pm)

Red Cross Blood Drive Schedule

July 15: Sunbury Bible Church

September 11: Trinity United Methodist
Church

November 11: St. John's Lutheran Church
(All 1-6 pm)

PUBLIC MEETING DATES

Borough Council

July 15

August 5

September 2

October 7

November 3

December 2 & 16

Work Sessions

August 19

September 16

October 21

November 18

Monthly Committee Meetings (as needed)

Finance – the 3rd Thursday in August, September,
October, & November only at 6:30 p.m.

Public Safety – the 4th Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Community Dev. – the 4th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

Streets – the 2nd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Planning Comm. – the last Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Zoning Board – the last Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Meetings are held in the Borough Building, 221
Second Street..

The Emergency Services Board will meet at 7:00
pm the 1st Monday of each month at the Borough
Building unless that day is a holiday, when the
meeting will be the first Tuesday at a location to
be determined.

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THE PINEKNOTTER NEWS

Borough of Northumberland, Pennsylvania

Summer 2008

36th Annual Pineknotter Days

King Street Park, Northumberland PA
(unless otherwise noted)

Saturday, June 28th

8 am SOAPBOX RACE
King and Fourth Streets
sponsored by: Northumberland Police Dept.

Sunday, June 29th

7 pm COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE
King Street Park Gazebo

Monday, June 30th

6 -10 pm Pineknotter Store & Concessions
7 pm PINEKNOTTER GOOD CITIZENSHIP AWARD
8 pm PINEKNOTTER OF THE YEAR AWARD
7 pm RE-CREATION Concert
WKOK will cover award ceremonies

co-sponsored by: Northumberland National Bank

Tuesday, July 1st

6 -10 pm Pineknotter Store & Concessions
EAGLE 107 live broadcast
7 pm SHAMA-LAMA Concert

Wednesday, July 2nd

6 - 10 pm Pineknotter Store & Concessions
Big Country & "Y" 106.5 live broadcast
7 pm PRINCE CHARLES & THE ROYAL TONES Concert

Thursday, July 3rd

6 - 10 pm Pineknotter Store & Concessions
6 - 9 pm CAR SHOW
94KX live broadcast
7 pm MUD FLAPS Concert

Friday, July 4th

6 - 10 pm Pineknotter Store & Concessions
9 am - 3 pm CRAFT SHOW
10 am - 2 pm BALLOON ANIMAL ARTIST
11 am CHICKEN BAR-B-QUE
WVLY live broadcast
7 pm RISKY BUSINESS Concert

COMMUNITY WATCH PROGRAM

The Public Safety Committee is considering a Community Watch program. Around for many years, it has been successful in several surrounding communities. Before the committee initiates a watch program, we need to see how many residents are interested in participating.

What is a Community Watch program?

Watch groups are not vigilantes. They are extra eyes and ears for reporting crime. Participants report unusual or suspicious behavior. They do not get personally involved.

What's in it for you? Safer streets and homes, community spirit, camaraderie with your neighbors, stronger relationships with law enforcement, and more. Watch programs have proven to reduce acts of vandalism, burglaries, and auto thefts. An active watch group can also help reduce drug dealing, discourage gangs, improve the security of young people, and help older neighbors stay safe from crime.

What is involved? Initially, several meetings for training and to establish local guidelines will be required. There are several ways the program can be run which is determined by the amount of community participation. As participants become more familiar and comfortable with the program the number and frequency of meetings would decrease.

What do you need to do? If you would like to learn more, please call the Borough office at 473-1990 with contact information. No commitment is necessary! If we see enough community interest, an informational session will be held for the community.

There are many ways to be involved in our great community. Thank you to all who contribute. The Community Watch program will be a tremendous asset to our community and make it an even better place to live and raise our families. Have a Great Safe Summer!

Public Safety Committee
Frank Wetzel Chairman

PINEKNOTTER DAYS

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

HERE COMES LEMONADE DAY!

A glass of ice cold lemonade on a hot, sunny August day will certainly be on everyone's minds on Saturday, August 2 at the fourth annual Lemonade Day in Northumberland. The event will take place in the 200 block of Front Street. Festivities will begin at 11:00 am and end around 4:00 pm. There will be food, games, music, contests & raffles, and of course lemonade stands!



The main focus of this event is our young entrepreneurial lemonade stand vendors. We encourage kids to participate in this event for the experience and of course for the fun of it too! Once again, we will have various prizes to award to a few lucky lemonade stand vendors.

Lemonade Stand registration forms are available at various local businesses, the borough office, and online at www.northumberlandborough.com. Cost is \$2 per participant. The first 75 registered participants will receive a goody bag.

This event is sponsored by the Northumberland Point Township Revitalization Committee. Call Noelle at 473-7563 for more information and to reserve your space today!

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CORN FESTIVAL

Be sure to mark your calendar for Saturday, August 9 for Corn Festival! Festivities will begin at King Street Park at 11:00 am and will conclude at 7:00 pm. There will be a variety of food, especially corn –

both roasted and steamed. Live music will be playing in the gazebo all throughout the day.

If you would like to lend a hand in helping out with this event, feel free to contact the borough office.

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SPIN THE WHEEL

Cake Wheel, that is. Pineknotters' Days wouldn't be the same without the familiar Cake Wheel. Each year many residents donate cakes and other baked goods for prizes. Local businesses that have donated baked goods are C & G Bakery, Entemann's, Giant Food Stores and Weis Markets.

If you would like to make a donation and haven't been called, please feel free to drop off your goodies at the Cake Wheel in the park. Cakes are requested for evenings from 5:30 to 8:00, Monday through Thursday, and Friday, Independence Day, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Volunteers to man the stand are always welcome.

Volunteers are scheduled for 2 hour shifts. Call Jane at 473-8343 or 473-3414 and let her know you (and your friends) will help out!

FREE BROCHURE LEADS A WALK INTO NORTHUMBERLAND HISTORY

Have you got some extra time on your hands this summer? Are you looking for something different to do? Are you wondering how to occupy your out-of-town visitors? For a fuel-free and fun "getaway" close to home, why not take a self-guided walking tour of the attractive neighborhoods that make up the historic district of Northumberland using a convenient, FREE brochure to lead the way.

Printed in 2003, information in the colorful walking tour brochure was compiled by local researchers from the Friends of Joseph Priestley House and the Northumberland County Historical Society. Highlighted are unique properties of historic and/or architectural significance mostly within Northumberland's historic district as it was designated in 1989 by the National Register of Historic Places. This popular brochure describes points of interest about numerous public buildings, businesses and privately owned homes on the route, and features photos of many of the sites. The area covered in the brochure takes approximately 2 hours to complete on foot. For a shorter tour, simply select one of the neighborhoods to explore and save the rest for another "getaway" opportunity.

So, lace up your sneakers and take advantage of this engaging way to explore local history with your kids, family, and friends at the pace of a leisurely stroll today! Pick up your FREE self-guided Northumberland Historic District Walking Tour brochure at any of these Northumberland locations:

Joseph Priestley House
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Summer's Back! As the new Manager of Liberty Splashland, I am very pleased to

announce that new activities have been added to improve the quality of the programs offered by the park. Whether it be the bubbles, sidewalk chalk, or the Spray Zone sprayground for the smaller children, or the Dump Tower, the Drop Slides, the volleyball tournaments or water races for the teenagers, we offer more than just a place to swim.

A number of great events are planned throughout the summer. Themed splash hops, water games, and costume parties are just a few and will take place regularly. Dates for these events will be posted at the pool and on the borough website.

Dances will be held for the 5th through 8th graders. Two Guitar Hero Tournaments will be held with prizes for the most skilled players. Tournament dates are July 24th and August 21st. Don't miss the action. Registration is required and can be done at the Liberty Pool Café.

While you are registering, enjoy a fresh fruit cup or a burger at the Café. The menu has been expanded, come for lunch and stay for dinner! The Liberty Splashland staff is here to ensure you and your family have a safe and pleasant visit. We are excited to see our old friends and looking forward to making new ones at the park this summer.

Liberty Splashland Manager
Heaven Felmy

admission into the park with the use of park features such as the pool, deep well diving, sand volleyball court, inner tubes, the Dump Tower, Spray Zone sprayground, lounges, picnic tables and music. Each person in the party will get a slice of pizza, a bag of chips and a 16 ounce soda. You only need to provide the cake and decorations.

Rate: Party of 15 or more, \$5.75 per person. Reservations should be made at least 2 days in advance. For reservations call 473-1993 during normal hours.

PRIVATE PARTY RENTALS

For those special occasions, why not rent the entire park? Liberty Splashland can be reserved for birthday parties, family reunions or any festive gathering. Private parties can be scheduled for two or three hours, between the hours of 6:30PM and 10:00PM. For more options, we have created the Design A Party Program to allow you to choose the options that fit your needs best. Flyers available upon request.

GROUP SALES

Liberty Splashland wants to give your party of 20 or more a new fun way to get together. During normal park hours, schedule a day for fun in the sun.

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PLAYGROUND UPDATE

By the end of the summer, our new playground should be just about complete! A brick pathway will be laid, proudly displaying our 100+ bricks that have been generously donated by individuals, families, businesses, and organizations. Grass will be planted as well as some trees and other shrubs. New benches and trash receptacles will be added. Signs displaying rules for the playground and basketball court will also be posted.

Thank you to those of you who have contributed to this project. We just could not have done it without you. We would also like to extend a special thank you to Tom Slodysko, Street Supervisor, for his devotion to this project. Tom went above and beyond his role as supervisor, working countless additional hours in the evening and on weekends to make this a great recreational space. Thanks Tom!

Help us to keep this space safe, attractive, and enjoyable. We strongly encourage you to contact the Police at 473-8251 in the event you witness any inappropriate or suspicious behavior.

JOINT RECREATION EFFORT

The Borough of Northumberland and Point Township have started discussions we hope will lead to a joint recreation committee to improve and guide the recreation resources for the two communities. The next discussion will be at the Community Development committee meeting on July 22 at 7 pm in Borough Hall. If you are interested in helping please call 473-3414 and give your name and phone number to be contacted or email the borough at office@northumberlandborough.com. If you know anyone in Point Township who will serve, please have them contact either Justin Dunkleberger or Randy Yoxheimer to let them know of their interest. An involved community is an active community; please join us.

PARTY RENTALS

The Northumberland/Point Township Kiwanis Club Community Center is available to rent for parties, wedding receptions, anniversaries, birthdays, and reunions. Please contact Jane Ressler (473-8343) or Michael McWilliams (473-9802).

SECOND STREET COMMUNITY CENTER

By the time Pineknotters Day's begins, the general contractor should be finished with his part of **Phase One** in rejuvenating our landmark.



The new windows and doors are beautiful. The heating, cooling and plumbing have

been renewed so this sound old structure is bursting with new life.

One thing it will still need when the contractor is finished is a new paint job on the inside. If you are interested in helping please contact the borough office and give your name and number so a painting party can be planned. You can help by lending your hand with a brush or roller in it or by making a donation toward purchasing the paint.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH TO HOST ORGAN RECITAL

On June 29th at 5 PM, Dr. Susan Hegberg, professor emeritus at Susquehanna University, and organist at St. Mark's Church will present an organ recital. A free-will offering will be taken to benefit the Shikellamy High School Band. St. Mark's Church is at the corner of King and 2nd Streets. Please call 570-473-3220 for more details.

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July 4th	10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.*
August 20th	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**
August 22nd	7:00 - 10:00 p.m.*
September 13th	7:00 - 10:00 p.m.*

Sunbury City Band

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July 14th	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**
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**Northumberland Revitalization Committee

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Registration is officially underway for the Second Annual Ed Pfeiffer Memorial Basketball Tournament. The tournament will be held at the Second Street Community Center Basketball Court on Saturday, August 16.

The 3-on-3 tournament will begin play at 9:00 am. The fee is \$25 per five person team if registered by close of business on July 18, per five person team registered thereafter. Participants must be at least 14 years old to play. This tournament is open to both men's and ladies' teams.



9:00 am. regis- or \$40 after. Par- old to play. This and ladies' teams.

Cash prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third place in the men's category and a first place prize will be awarded to a ladies team. The amount of cash prizes will be based upon number of teams registered. Registration forms are avail- able online at

www.northumberlandborough.com, the borough office, and select Northumberland businesses. The tournament will be limited to 20 teams, so register today! Deadline to register is August 8.



The day will include a corporate "PIG" challenge, 3 point shoot out, and foul shot contest.

For more information, please call Bob at 473-7563.

UNCLAIMED PROPERTY

The Pennsylvania Bulletin containing the list of the Treasury Department's Unclaimed Property Owners is available for review at the Borough Office during normal business hours. This information is also available on the web at www.patresury.org.

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BEAUTIFICATION AWARDS

The Revitalization Committee would like to announce its Beautification Award winners for the first six months of 2008.

January

Connie and Charles Sekulski Property
198 Hanover Street

February

Tonia and Joshua Newbury
738 Front Street

March

Michael Mummey Property
38 King Street

April

Debbie Marotto Property
620 Vista Avenue

May

Cathy and Robert Kolovich Property
385 Susquehanna Road

June

Tracy Rought Property
527 Duke Street

Business Recognition

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King Street

Our community most sincerely thanks you for taking pride in your property!! It is a good reflection on all of us!!

YARD SALE & CHINESE AUCTION

Given the construction project at the Second Street Community Center, the Yard Sale and Chinese Auction will not be held this year. It has been tentatively scheduled for June 6, 2009.



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FINANCE COMMITTEE



The Borough Council Finance Committee has set dates to prepare the 2009 Budget. The committee will meet the 3rd Thursday in August, September, October and November at 6:30 in the Borough Council room at the borough office. The Public is encouraged to attend.

NEW PRINTS BY BARBARA KISTNER

New prints and postcards of local landmarks will be available at the craft fair on July 4th at the Northumberland Point Township Revitalization stand.

COMMUNITY PAVILIONS

King St. Park gazebo, Pineknott Park and Liberty Hollow pavilions are available for rent. Call the Borough office for information (473-3414).

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CURBSIDE YARD WASTE RECYCLING SERVICE

Beginning June 2, Northumberland Borough instituted a curb side yard waste recycling service. This schedule will provide service to each homeowner once a month and will be offered during the months of June, July, August and September. The material collected will be shredded into mulch which will be made available to the residents of Northumberland Borough free of charge. Later editions of the Pineknoller News will explain where and how borough residents will be able to pick up the mulch.

Material to be picked up: Yard waste from trimming trees, bushes and plants. All trimmings are to be tied up or in trash type containers ready for dumping; **no plastic bags**. Do not use wire or metal materials to tie bundles; bundles must be able to be cut open with a razor knife. Bundles may not be heavier than 50 pounds.

The yard waste is to be placed on the sidewalk side of the curb and ready for pick-up NO LATER than 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled pick-up day. DO NOT PLACE ANY MATERIAL IN THE STREETS.

The Street Department will not spend more than **10 minutes per residence** and will not be permitted to enter yards to pick up brush.

Northumberland Borough is not providing any drop off location for yard waste.

YARD WASTE RECYCLING SCHEDULE



Week 1		Week 3		
Monday	Tuesday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
June 2	June 3	June 16	June 17	June 18
July 7	July 8*	July 21	July 22	July 23
Aug. 4	Aug. 5	Aug. 18	Aug. 19	Aug. 20
Sept. 8+	Sept. 9	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	Sept. 24
* Day change due to Pineknollers' Days				
+ Day change due to Labor Day holiday				

MATERIAL NOT ACCEPTED

1. GRASS (Return grass to the earth using a mulching mower.)
2. Any trimmings over 4 inches in diameter or longer than 4 feet
3. Trees or tree trunks (whole or split)
If you or someone you hire cuts down a tree, the removal is your/their responsibility.
4. Tree stumps or bushes with roots or dirt
5. Leaves

MONTHLY PICK UP SCHEDULE

Pick up will be completed on the NO PARKING SIDE OF THE STREET LISTED.

Week 1 - Monday

"No Parking Monday" side of Prince, Hanover, Orange, King, Queen, North Avenue and the south side of Duke.

Week 1 - Tuesday

"No Parking Tuesday" side of Prince, Hanover, Orange, King, Queen, North Avenue and the north side of Duke.

Week 3 - Monday

"No Parking Monday" side of Priestley, Water, Front, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh.

Week 3 - Tuesday

"No Parking Tuesday" side of Priestley, Water, Front, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, and Eighth.

Week 3 - Wednesday

The hill section of the Borough and the downtown area "No Parking Wednesday 7:00 – 8:00" streets

Residents who live on Avenues without "No Parking" restrictions and have no access to a street may call the borough (473-3414) once a month when they have material to be picked up. We ask that you call the week before an adjacent street is being collected so you can be serviced as efficiently as possible.

Please cooperate with these guidelines so we can provide this service to the community.

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For the remanufacturing companies, quality in means quality out and they will reject an entire 40,000 lb shipment due to mixed materials. Our recycler for plastics wants only bottles and jars, NO microwave dishes, butter dishes or yogurt cups. Please follow the directions listed on our signs. Thank you for your cooperation. Remember to REDUCE – REUSE – RECYCLE.

NORTHUMBERLAND POINT TWP SENIOR ACTION CENTER

S.A.C TRIPS FOR 2008

Millbrook Playhouse—July 12, 2008

First stop is Woolrich Outlet Store, followed by a stop at the Blue Chimney Restaurant for lunch. Next stop is the Millbrook Playhouse to see “Bye, Bye, Birdie”. Cost is \$69.00 which includes transportation, show and meal. (8:00 am to 6:30 pm)

Philadelphia-Ride the Ducks-QVC—August 6, 2008

Ride the ducks is the best sightseeing tour in Philly, includes Independence Hall, Liberty bell, The Mint, etc. It is a land & water tour. Lunch is on your own at The Bourse, a collection of shops and eateries. You leave there to go to West Chester to visit the QVC studio. Fast food stop on the way home. Cost is \$83.00 which includes transportation, duck ride, QVC studio tour. (6:30 am to 8:30 pm)

Fall Foliage trip to Delaware Water Gap—October 14, 2008

A historic sightseeing tour by authentically-styled Trolleys with a stop at Cody's Gift Shop. Lunch will be at the Shawnee Inn where you have a choice of Prime Rib, Boneless Stuffed Chicken Breast, or Tilapia Dijonaise (fish). Entertainment is by impressionist Mike Cabot. From there we go to the Christmas Factory & Country Kettle plus a mystery shopping bonus. Cost is \$74.00 which includes transportation, trolley, lunch & entertainment. (7:30 am to 4:00 pm)

Pennsylvania Opry — November 12, 2008

Get in the Holiday spirit with the PA Opry Christmas Show. A family style meal will be served at the Antrim Restaurant. Cost is \$79.00 which includes transportation, show and meal. (8:30 am to 8:00 pm)

All trips leave from Christ United Methodist Church. You do not need to be a member or a senior to go on these trips. Please contact Beverly Lenker at 473-8721 for additional information.



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A NOTE FROM RIVERVIEW CEMETERY

The Cemetery Board of Managers will be hosting the third annual “Day of Remembrance” with a balloon release to be held Saturday, August 23rd. You will be able to pick up forms at area businesses, the post office, church offices, the cemetery office, or by calling me.

The minimum donation will be \$5.00 per balloon and they will be released at noon. You may also give donations the day of the ceremony, beginning at 11:00A.M. Light refreshments will be available from 11:00 until 1:00.

We are so pleased by the positive response to this day of remembering those who have gone before us. We hope you all come out and support our efforts in honoring our friends and family.

Thank you,
Dee Zboray
473-8296 cemetery
473-9192 home

"DEARLY BELOVED"**Dinner Theater at The Townside at the Savoy**

Show dates: August 1, 2, 8, 9

Ticket Price: \$25.00

By: The Valley Players

Contact: Joyce Hendricks

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The Story The Futrelle Sisters, Frankie, Honey Raye and Twink, are throwing a wedding. Frankie has almost made herself sick with elaborate preparations for her daughter Tina Jo's antebellum-inspired wedding, and the rumor mill in their small town is working overtime. No surprise there, the Futrelle Sisters have never been strangers to gossip. After all, they did survive the scandalous breakup of their almost-famous gospel singing trio, The Sermonettes. But Twink's desperate attempts to get her boyfriend of fifteen-and-one-half years down the aisle, Frankie's ongoing conversations with their dead mother, and Honey Raye's tendency to race to the altar at every opportunity have kept tongues wagging for years.

But on the day of the nuptials, Frankie's hope begins to dim when she discovers Twink's alternative solution to an expensive catered wedding dinner is a potluck supper sponsored by Clovis Sanford's House of Meat. Just when things couldn't get any worse, the prodigal Honey Raye arrives at the church in skintight gold lamé, consumed by a steely determination to right old family wrongs. When word reaches the church that Tina Jo and her fiancé have eloped, the sisters ultimately pull together to find ways to keep the unsuspecting guests in the pews while a highway patrolman races off to track down the runaway bride and groom.

Cast: Geneva — Lizz Hendricks
 Tina Jo/Gina Jo — Lauren Rambo
 Honey Raye — Terry Brouse
 Frankie — Melissa Lanewski
 Dub — Scott Carper
 Twink — Bethany Umholtz
 Nelda — Hope Kopf
 Justin — Kurt Umholtz
 John Curtis — Al Frederics
 Patsy — Joanne Lauer

Director: Joyce Hendricks

**COMMENTS FROM
YOUR HEALTH OFFICER**

Summer is here, the living is easy. We can all enjoy living easy but we must remember a few basic rules.

The warm days also make our undesirable creatures active. Flies are all over looking for food from the barnyard to your backyard picnic. Flies carry a number of bacteria, all of which can make you ill. Be sure and cover your food at all times.

Fresh fruit and vegetables are a joy to eat. However, their surface can also carry harmful bacteria and pesticides. Wash all fruits and vegetables before cutting or consuming.

Cold food needs to be kept cold (40° or colder), and hot food hot (140° or above). Food left at room temperature for more than two hours should be discarded.

And as always — wash, wash, wash your hands — and teach your children to as well.

Enjoy your summer and stay healthy,
 Lee C. Shaffer, Health Officer

**Girl Scouts.****GIRL SCOUTS TO
HOST FUN DAY EVENTS**

Girl Scouts in the Heart of Pennsylvania will host Girl Scout Fun Day every Wednesday starting July 23 through August 13 from 9:30 to 10:30 for all girls ages 5 and up at the Girl Scout Little House, 340 3rd Street, Northumberland. Come join us to explore games and make crafts from different cultures.

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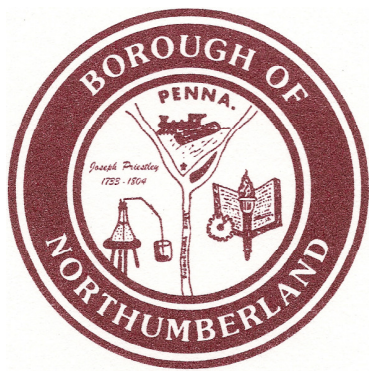
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