

THE CONCORD CONNECTION

October 2014

TOWNSHIP OF CONCORD E-NEWSLETTER

Township Meetings & Activities

October 2014

- 11 - 8 - 10 a.m. Recycling Day
- 15 - 7:30 p.m. - Zoning Hearing Board
- GLEN EAGLE SHOPPING CENTER
Variance - Monument Sign
 - SPRING VALLEY BUSINESS PARK
Variance - Wall Sign & 127 Room Hotel
 - WHITFOUR PROPERTIES
Variances - Setback & Side Yard provisions;
Parking Design
- 16 - 10 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior Expo
- 20 - 6:00 p.m. - Planning Commission -
Public Meeting
- Will take place at
Garnet Valley Middle School Auditorium
- BRANDYWINE EAST LP
 - GVSD-STATION ROAD
 - WHITFOUR PROPERTIES LLC
 - WOODLAWN "VINEYARD COMMONS"
- 25 - 11 a.m. - Dog Costume Contest
- 25 - 1 - 4 p.m. - Harvest Festival &
Halloween Parade

November 2014

- 3 - 12:00 p.m. - Senior Citizens
- 4 - Election Day
- 6 - 7:00 p.m. - Board of Supervisors -
Public Meeting
- 6 - 7:00 p.m. - Park & Rec Board
- 9 - 3:00 p.m. - American Hero
Memorial Service
- 12 - 4:45 p.m. - Historical Commission
- 19 - Leaf Pick-up Day
*Township residents must sign up for this service



Recycling Day



Concord Township Recycling Day will take place on:

Saturday, October 11, 2014
8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Township Public Works Building
675 Smithbridge Road

Residents are invited to bring: old documents for shredding, household items, clothing, cell phones, old eye glasses, printer ink cartridges, computers and small appliances. A paper shredder truck, electronics recycling truck and Goodwill Industries will all be on hand. In addition, our regular existing recycling bins for glass, aluminum cans, cardboard and paper are available. Bring the kids out to meet the Abitibi Paper Retriever "Pepper".

Residents can also pick up leaf bags and sign up for "Leaf Pick-up Day" on November 19.

Delaware County Hazardous Waste Collection

Saturday, Oct. 18 - Upper Chichester Municipal Building
8500 Furey Rd., Upper Chichester 19061

Event will take place rain or shine from 9 AM to 3 PM

Concord Township Harvest Festival

October 25, 2014

(Rain Date: October 26)

DOG COSTUME CONTEST
11 a.m.
Dog Park - 40 Bethel Road

HARVEST FESTIVAL
1 - 4 p.m.
40 Bethel Road

**CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN
COSTUME PARADE**
1:30 p.m.
40 Bethel Road

This annual festival held at 40 Bethel Road includes a Halloween costume parade for children, hay rides, pony rides/petting zoo, face painting, pumpkin painting, caricature artist, music, antique cars and more.

Additionally, residents are encouraged to submit their baked goodies for the annual baked goods contest. Entries will be judged on taste, appearance, and creativity. Open to all ages.

Baked goods should be brought that day to 40 Bethel Road from 9-11 a.m.

Township of Concord

DELAWARE COUNTY

43 Thornton Road
Glen Mills, PA 19342

E-mail: office@concordtownship.org

Website: www.twp.concord.pa.us

Business Office Hours:
Monday through Friday
8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Dominic A. Pileggi - 610-459-3302
John J. Gillespie - 610-361-0566
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TOWNSHIP MANAGER:

Robert J. Willert

ASSISTANT TOWNSHIP MANAGER:

Brenda L. Lamanna



Monthly Meetings

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1st Tuesday—7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION

3rd Monday—7:00 p.m.

PARK & RECREATION BOARD

1st Thursday—7:00 p.m.

ZONING HEARING BOARD

3rd Wednesday—7:30 p.m.

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

2nd Wednesday—4:45 p.m.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Public Program Meetings

March & October—7:00 p.m.

SENIOR CITIZENS

1st Monday—12:00 p.m.

Concord Community Center

Board of Supervisors Public Meeting Highlights

Accepted as complete for review

- Prel/Final land development for a Residence Inn in the Spring Valley Business Park

Approved

- Sewer Department Master Casting Agreement

Authorized

- Advertisement of two projects for the Community Center (45 Thornton Road): Interior Renovations (CDBG grant) and elevator addition

Reappointed

- Jennifer Arbittier Williams to the Historical Commission

The Board of Supervisors Agenda for November will be posted on our website by 12 Noon on November 3.

Board of Supervisors approved minutes are available at our website www.twp.concord.pa.us as are plans currently under review by the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors, and applications before the Zoning Hearing Board. Sign up on our website to receive e-mail notification of all specially advertised meetings.

Delaware County Senior Community Services (SCS)

www.scs-delco.org

SCS is a nonprofit agency founded in 1977 with one primary goal: to ensure that you enjoy positive aging. SCS is the largest provider of services to Delaware County's older residents and their families and operates four senior centers in our region.

SCS also provides an array of classes with its Center for Life Long Learning. Visit the [Senior Citizen](#) section of the township website to see a list of course offerings.



Concord Senior Citizens

Our group offers fellowship and fun. Anyone who would like to join us can call:

Sue Galla at 610-558-3195

or

Silva Small at 610-459-1409

for more information.

Presented by the BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

9th Annual
Concord Township

Senior Citizen Expo

Thursday
October 16, 2014
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

BYC Gymnasium
41 S. Thornton Road
Glen Mills, PA 19342

Exhibitors from state agencies and local organizations, businesses, clubs will be on hand to share their expertise and information on services and issues important to you.

Free Admission - Free Parking - Door Prizes
Refreshments - Health Screenings

R3 Media/Elwyn Regional Rail Service Weekend Shuttle Busses

Beginning on Saturday, September 20 and continuing each weekend through Sunday, November 23, shuttle bus service will replace all inbound and outbound weekend trains for the entire length of the Media/Elwyn Regional Rail Line – from University City Station to Elwyn Station.

For more information, visit Septa's website:

www.septa.org



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Mark your calendar: ELECTION DAY is November 4.

How to Dispose of Paint

Latex Paint Disposal

Water-based paint is a safer substitute for oil-based paint. Latex paint is not hazardous and **is not accepted** at hazardous waste events. Latex paint should be solidified before placing it out curbside with your trash.

- Remove the lid, place the paint can outside – away from children and pets – and allow it to harden.
- If the can is too full, line a cardboard box with a heavy-duty trash bag.
- Place clay-based kitty litter inside the bag, then add the paint.
- If the paint is still runny, add shredded newspaper. Place all lids in this bag as well.
- Tie the box and all and place at curbside with your trash.

Empty paint cans should be placed in the trash in a separate box. Ensure that all lids are removed.

Oil-based Paint Disposal

Oil-based paint will be accepted at the Delaware County Solid Waste Authority Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection events. The next HHW collection is scheduled for Saturday, October 18 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Upper Chichester Municipal Building.

Preventing waste is the best, least expensive method of disposal. The Delaware County Solid Waste Authority offers the following tips:

- Buy only the amount of paint that you need and return unopened cans. If you need only a small amount to finish, exchange the unopened can for a quart.
- Use leftovers for second coats, touch-ups, painting fences, bird houses, basements. Give to a friend, neighbor, etc. or donate to a local theater group, school, etc.
- Latex paints can be blended together to produce beige or gray. Same with oil-based paints. **However, do not mix oil-based with latex paint.**

More information can be found at the county's recycling website:

www.co.delaware.pa.us/recycle/hhw.html



Fight The Flu This Season With A **FREE** Flu Shot

Free Community Walk-in Flu Shot Clinic
(Must be 3 years of age or older)

PLACE:

Sellers Library
76 South State Road, Upper Darby, PA 19082
(For GPS purposes, the address is 75 Maple Avenue, Upper Darby)

DATE:

Friday, October 24, 2014

TIME:

10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Please bring canned goods or non-perishable food items to donate to our food drive

For more information, call the Delaware County Department of Intercommunity Health at 610-891-5311

Sponsored by:
Delaware County Council and the
Department of Intercommunity Health

Visit the county's website for more flu shot information
www.co.delaware.pa.us/intercommunity/flushots.html

Home Rule Information

Information regarding the Home Rule Law and the government study commission process has been placed on the Government Structure / [Home Rule Info](#) page of the township website. www.twp.concord.pa.us

2014 Access to Jobs EXPO

Find a Career You Take An Interest In!

Thursday, October 16, 2014

9 a.m.—1 p.m.

Springfield Country Club

400 West Sproul Road, Springfield, PA

Bring lots of resumes to meet with over 30 area employers!

CONCORD TOWNSHIP AMERICAN HERO MEMORIAL

This year's **Veterans Day Ceremony** will be held on:

**Sunday, November 9, 2014
3:00 p.m.**

at the Hero Memorial on Smithbridge Road.
This ceremony will be held rain or shine.
PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS.

Memorial bricks are still available – honor your veteran, fire or EMS volunteer, beloved family member, or other American hero by placing their name in the Memorial. Applications for brick orders are available at the Township Building at 43 Thornton Road or by calling Bob Craig at 610-715-1877.

If anyone is interested in volunteering to help maintain the Memorial or to report any problems, please call Bob Craig, Mary Ann Chew at 610-358-2825 or Marty Frick at 610-361-9397. Thank you.



Meet Amy Abella – New Library Director



The Board of Supervisors welcomed Amy Abella at its October public meeting. She was recently appointed by the Rachel Kohl Community Library Board of Trustees as Library Director. She has served in many different roles in libraries, including Children's Librarian, Head of Teen Services, and Branch Manager. Amy is a member of our community, a Rachel Kohl patron, and will be the person to keep the Library moving forward with renovations, collection additions, and programming enhancements.

www.kohllibrary.org



The Pennsylvania State Police warn that thefts from **UNLOCKED** vehicles continue.

Don't be a victim.

AUTO BREAK-INS ARE PREVENTABLE!

- √ Close your windows and lock your doors.
- √ Remove valuables or place them in the trunk.
- √ Remove "pull out" style radio face plates.
 - √ Do not leave keys in the car.
 - √ Do not leave the car running.
- √ If possible, secure mounting hardware out of sight. It could indicate to a thief that a device is present.

Pennsylvania State Police: 484-840-1000 or 911

SIGN UP!

Sign up for township safety alerts, special notices and newsletters by visiting the Sign Up section of our website.

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