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2014 Spring ~ Summer Newsletter

Issue 34



Borough News and Information

Leftover Winter News...

It has been a long, cold winter and although it is officially Spring, the forecast this week is calling for more snow with temperatures from the mid 30's & below. BRRR! The winter of 2013-2014, December through February, has already cost Jacobus Borough, \$57,275.00. With additional services not yet billed for winter maintenance in the month of March, the Borough's total cost for this harsh winter is expected to exceed \$62,000.00 in comparison, to the total cost of \$32,610.00 for winter maintenance services incurred during the 2012-2013 season.

Here are a few important points to remember for the 2014-2015 winter season. Please take note of these items. Most are requirements of local ordinance and will be reiterated in more detail in the Fall-Winter issue of the Borough's newsletter:

- ⇒ Vehicles are required to be removed from all Borough streets whenever a "Snow Emergency Declaration" is issued for the Borough of Jacobus.
- ⇒ Mark your property lines with reflective markers. This provides guidelines for the snow equipment operators, allowing them to plow curb to curb as required by their contract with Jacobus Borough.
- ⇒ Occupants of residences & businesses, and property owners of vacant buildings, are required to clear paved sidewalks to a minimum width of 36" within 24 hrs. after cessation of the precipitation.
- ⇒ Do not deposit or cause to be deposited any snow or ice on or immediately next to a fire hydrant or upon any sidewalk, roadway, or loading & unloading areas of a public transportation system.

Don't forget to recycle your cinders!!
Read on for more information
on cinder recycling.



CINDER RECYCLING is good for:

You - Cleaning them from the street in front of your property will keep them from washing into your yard or driveway and helps your...

Town - If you dump the cinders on the walking path at Jacobus Community Park, it saves the Borough from having to purchase additional gravel for the path.

Storm Sewer System - It keeps the cinders from washing into the inlets and clogging and filling the system.

State Motor Fuels Tax Fund

Due to the abundance of winter storms this year, the Commonwealth of PA distributed the annual Liquid Fuels Tax allocations a few weeks early to PA municipalities. Jacobus Borough's share of the allocation for year 2014 is \$38,600.90. Allocations are based on the number of miles of qualified streets (based on PA DOT specs) and the population within the Borough for the prior year. For Jacobus Borough, that is 5.68 street miles and 1841 residents. PA Dept. of Transportation has strict guidelines for the use of the allocated funds and an audit of the Borough's Liquid Fuels fund is performed every two years by the Auditor General's office. The majority of Jacobus Borough's allocation is typically budgeted to cover the cost of winter maintenance services, an approved expense for the use of Liquid Fuels funds.

Speaking of streets...

Did you know, according to Chapter 230 in Jacobus Borough's Code Book of Ordinances, it is the responsibility of the owner and/or occupant of every property to keep trees trimmed to: Maintain a clearance of 14 feet above all cartways; And to keep trees, shrubs, hedges or other vegetation trimmed to: Maintain a clearance of 8 feet above public sidewalks; Allow unobstructed vision for motorists traveling on public streets; Maintain a clear sight



triangle at all intersections of streets, private roads and/or access drives. You are also to keep all trees and other vegetation from interfering or obstructing public utility lines or wires and the maintenance thereof. Following the requirements listed above reduces public safety hazards by allowing clear sight of intersections, traffic control signs and other signage by those traveling on public streets.

The **2014 Budget** was approved for adoption at the December 2013 Council meeting for the amount of \$524,618.00, an increase of \$35,186.00 from the 2013 budget. The budget was balanced with a transfer of \$87,295.00 from the budget reserve fund. The millage rate for local Real Estate Taxes remained the same as in prior years at 1.7 mills. Items included in the 2014 budget which show a significant increase or decrease from the 2013 budget are listed below. (+ = Increase; - = Decrease)

*General Gov't Operating Costs:
\$6,964.00 +

*Engineering Services: \$6,000.00 +

*York Area Regional Police: \$2,998.00 +

*Fireman's Relief Fund: \$1,300.00 +

*Ambulance/Rescue: \$500.00 +

*Ordinance Codification: \$1,500.00 -

*On-Lot Septic Inspections: \$800.00 -

*Traffic Control Devices: \$1,000.00 -

*Stormwater Requirements:
\$3,500.00 -

*Highway Construction &
Rebuilding: \$16,241.00 +

*Special Events: \$1000.00 +

*Special Events Police Service: \$750.00 +

*Workers Compensation Insurance for Volunteer Fire Departments: \$5,430.00 +

*Property & Liability Insurance: \$446.00 +

*Unclassified Expenses: \$1,000.00 -

You can view the 2014 General Fund Budget on the Borough's website:

www.jacobuspa.com



Borough News and Information, cont...



Meet Debbie Loucks, the newest member of Jacobus Borough Council. Debbie was appointed for a two-year term to Jacobus Borough Council on February 19, 2014 by the Jacobus Borough Vacancy Board and given the Oath of Office prior to the March 5th Council Meeting. She is a long-time resident of Jacobus Borough, having lived here for 55 years.

Debbie, retired from her job as director of the York Housing Authority, can now carry on her family legacy of local community involvement. Her work experience, which also includes working for the York County Planning Commission, brings many assets to Borough Council. She is experienced in preparing policies, plans, board resolutions, reports and budgets, writing successful (competitive) grant applications, housing development (including municipal relations), facilitating meetings and addressing boards & committees, public speaking, creating non-profit agencies, partnerships and collaborations. Other training includes the topics of: Ethics, Finance & Customer Relations, and she is a graduate of Leadership York.

Debbie has been very active in the York Community., chairing, serving on and holding memberships on various boards, commissions & committees including the York Housing Advisory Commission and Personal Care Home Committee; plus others such as Livable Communities, Smart Growth, Human Services, Blight and Housing, all of which address issues in York County.

Locally, Debbie is a long-time and active member of the Jacobus Area Lioness Club. She recently chaired the club's committee to plan, organize and host the community "Meet and Greet" welcoming event for the Hanline Family.

Since being appointed to Jacobus Borough Council, Debbie has volunteered to represent Jacobus Borough on the York Adams Tax Bureau and Tax Collection Commission.

WELCOME, DEBBIE! We look forward to working with you for the best interests of the citizens of Jacobus Borough.



Jacobus Borough would also like to welcome Thomas Schmit, Dennis Bailey, Melissa Hunt and Alex Murog. These individuals have volunteered to fill available seats by serving on various Borough and Community boards.

Thomas Schmit, currently an employee of IBM as a Federal Sales Specialist, has been appointed to the Jacobus Borough Planning Commission for a five-year term. Tom's duties include attending meetings as necessary to review Sub-division and/or Land Development plans submitted to Jacobus Borough. The Commission ensures the plans are in compliance with Jacobus Borough's Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance and meets the recommendations of Jacobus Borough's Engineer before making a recommendation of approval to Jacobus Borough Council.

Dennis Bailey is currently employed by the Baltimore City Police Department and is a detective in the Special Investigative Section. Dennis has been appointed to Jacobus Borough's Zoning Hearing Board for a three-year term. The Zoning Hearing Board hears appeals of Zoning decisions and bases its decision on compliance with Jacobus Borough's Zoning Ordinance.

Melissa Hunt and Alex Murog have both been appointed to the JLS Recreation Association Board as representatives of Jacobus Borough, serving a two-year and a one-year term respectively. Their duties include attending monthly meetings, reporting monthly to Jacobus Borough Council, and to vote on board decisions in the best interest of the citizens of Jacobus Borough.



JACOBUS BOROUGH COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Buildings and Grounds

CM Lance Beard, Chair; CVP William Eshenour;

CM Donald Wright

Community Events

CM Sandra Sheffer, Chair; Mayor Gregory Gruendler;

CM Jeffrey Hammers

Finance and Budget

CM Sandra Sheffer, Chair; Mayor Gregory Gruendler;

CM Debbie Loucks; OM-TR Cynthia Ferree

JLS Recreation Association

CM Jeffrey Hammers; CM Donald Wright

Public Safety

Mayor Gregory Gruendler; CP Roger Coleman;

CM Donald Wright

Refuse and Recycling

CVP William Eshenour, Chair

Streets

CM Jeffrey Hammers; CM Lance Beard;

CM Debbie Loucks

Vacancy Board

G. Burnell Bollinger, Chair; Jacobus Borough Council

Abbreviations: CP = Council President; CVP = Council Vice President; CM = Council Member; OM-T = Office Manager-Treasurer

Jacobus Borough Officials and Board Members				
JACOBUS BOROUGH OFFICIAL				
Gregory B. Gruendler	Mayor	23 Geiselman Drive	428-2564	Dec. 31, 2017
JACOBUS BOROUGH COUNCIL - Meetings are the 1st Wednesday of each month.				
Name	Position	Address	Phone	Term Expiration
Roger W. Coleman	President	27 Valley Road	428-1319	Dec. 31, 2017
William C. Eshenour	Vice President	15 Farmington Drive	428-2531	Dec. 31, 2017
Jeffrey C. Hammers		13 York Road	515-8617	Dec. 31, 2017
Lance E. Beard		137 South Main Street	428-2996	Dec. 31, 2015
Debbie J. Loucks		28 Park Street	428-1241	Dec. 31, 2015
Sandra V. Sheffer		14 Pine Street	428-1111	Dec. 31, 2015
Donald B. Wright		2 Circle Drive	428-9177	Dec. 31, 2015
PLANNING COMMISSION - Meetings are the 3rd Monday of each month as needed only.				
Name	Position	Address	Phone	Term Expiration
Matthew K. Chronister	Chairman	11 Farmington Drive	428-2787	Dec. 31, 2014
Matthew D. Wise	Vice Chairman	220 Creekwood Drive	428-3520	Dec. 31, 2015
Steven C. Bentzel	Secretary	19 Farmington Drive	428-3764	Dec. 31, 2016
Earl O. Willoughby		11 Greenbriar Drive	428-3104	Dec. 31, 2017
Thomas J. Schmit		109 Woodland Drive	968-9771	Dec. 31, 2018
ZONING HEARING BOARD - Meets upon need only.				
Name	Position	Address	Phone	Term Expiration
Carl D. Arnold		14 Wildasin Drive	428-2129	Dec. 31, 2013
Darrell R. Keener	Alternate	19 Maple Street	428-1151	Dec. 31, 2014
Kay A. Kuhn		7 Greenbriar Drive	429-2685	Dec. 31, 2015
Dennis Bailey, Jr.		11 Old Mill Drive	410-746-0436	Dec. 31, 2016
JACOBUS BOROUGH SEWER AUTHORITY BOARD - Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of each month.				
Name	Position	Address	Phone	Term Expiration
Roger W. Coleman	Chairman	27 Valley Road	428-1319	Dec. 31, 2013
Raymond E. Kuhn	Vice Chairman	7 Greenbriar Drive	428-2685	Dec. 31, 2014
Randy E. Thompson	Secretary	58 Woodland Drive	428-2933	Dec. 31, 2015
John E. Coleman		11 Stonewood Drive	428-0687	Dec. 31, 2016
Richard V. Somerville	Treasurer	37 Farmington Drive	428-1500	Dec. 31, 2017
OTHER NON-MEMBER CONTACT:				
Gene A. Snyder	Fin. Rec. Sec.	32 Farmington Drive	428-1558	
JLS RECREATION ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE BOARD - Meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month.				
Name (Jacobus Reps.)		Address	Phone	Term Expiration
Alex J. Murog		19 Pine Street	347-7652	Dec. 31, 2014
Melissa S. Hunt		27 Pine Street	600-6793	Dec. 31, 2015
JLS ADMINISTRATION CONTACT (NON-MEMBER):				
Lori Starz	Secretary-Treasurer	1690 Potosi Road, Glen Rock	825-7285	Independent Contractor
OTHER CONTACT INFORMATION				
OFFICE MANAGER - TREASURER	Cynthia M. Ferree	428-1752	JACOBUS BOROUGH MUNICIPAL OFFICE 126 N. Cherry Lane Jacobus, PA 17407-1000 717-428-1752	
BCO/ZONING OFFICER	Michael D. Hammers	870-7753		
TAX COLLECTOR	Brian K. Dell	428-1752		
EMERGENCY MGMT. CO-ORDINATOR	Calvin D. Brooks III	741-2494		
SEWAGE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	Patrick T. Buhl	717-965-4273		
Goodwill Fire Co. #1, Station 18		428-1436	<u>Regular Office Hours:</u> 12:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. MONDAY THRU FRIDAY	
Jacobus Lions Ambulance Club		428-0218		
York Area Regional Police Department		911; 741-1259		
Animal Control Officer		911		

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BUILDING, STORMWATER, & CHICKEN PERMITS

Are you planning a home improvement project this Spring or Summer? Maybe you are planning on installing a fence or adding a shed or garage to your property. If you are planning a project this year, remember to check with Jacobus Borough's Building Code Official/Zoning Officer, Mike Hammers, to see if you need a permit.

Permits and Inspections are required by the PA Uniform Construction Code and Local Regulations for many projects you may be considering. Following is a list of some residential projects which require you to apply for a Building and/or Stormwater Permit prior to beginning your project:

- ♦ In-ground and above ground pools that are designed to hold 24 inches or more of water, including temporary blow-up pools.
- ♦ Covered or uncovered decks, patios and porches
- ♦ Sheds or other outbuildings
- ♦ Attached and detached garages
- ♦ Driveways (Concrete or Asphalt paved)
- ♦ New Electrical Services
- ♦ ANY addition or structural renovation to an existing residential structure
- ♦ Retaining walls 4 ft. or higher
- ♦ Fences over 6 ft. high (permit not required if less than 6 ft.)



*Always call PA One Call
at 811 before you dig!!*

CHICKEN PERMITS are required to keep chickens on properties of less than 1 acre. There is a one-time fee of \$25.00 for the permit. Only 4 chickens per 1/4 acre are permitted with a maximum of six per lot up to 1 acre. Roosters are not allowed. The "Residential Chicken" ordinance can be viewed in Jacobus Borough's online Code Book of Ordinances by clicking the link on the Borough's website.

Call Jacobus Borough's Building Code Official/Zoning Officer, Mike Hammers @ 717-870-7753 with questions and for more information.

OTHER PERMITS

According to Jacobus Borough Ordinance, permits are required for the following:

- **Yard Sales** - Jacobus Borough offers 'FREE' YARD SALE DAYS 3 times per year during holiday weekends. In 2014, the 'free' weekends are: **Memorial Day Weekend** - Friday, May 23rd thru Monday, May 26th; **July 4th Holiday Weekend** - Friday, July 4th thru Sunday, July 6th; **Labor Day Weekend** - Friday, August 29th thru Monday, September 1st. In addition to the free yard sale weekends, you are allowed one (1) permitted Yard Sale within a 12 month period. The permit cost is \$10.00 and is good for up to 3 consecutive days from dawn to dusk. Advertising your sale? Please be sure to check the Borough's Signage regulations prior to placing signs in Jacobus by contacting the Municipal Office or on the Borough's website: www.jacobuspa.com.
- **Alarm Permits** - Permits are required for the use of an automatic dialing device, alarm device or outdoor audible alarm. An alarm which produces both a fire and a burglar alarm shall be considered separate, thereby requiring two (2) permits- even if it is part of the same system. There is a one-time registration fee of \$20.00 for each permit for as long as the same system is activated. It is the residents responsibility to acquire the permit and to inform the Borough of any changes to your alarm company, contacts and the device itself, including deactivation of the device.
- **Transient Retail Merchant License** (aka TRML or Solicitation Permit) - Any person, firm or corporation, including local non-profits, desiring to engage in transient retail business in Jacobus Borough MUST obtain a license from Jacobus Borough. The license fee varies in price, from \$10.00 to \$50.00, depending on the period of time for which the license is issued.



If convicted, persons not following 'other' permit requirements may be issued a fine up to \$600.00 by the District Magistrate, plus prosecution costs, including reasonable attorney fees.

REMEMBER... Businesses and Individuals are required to obtain a Permit issued by Jacobus Borough prior to performing Transient Retail Business within the Borough. The Solicitor(s) must carry the permit with them while doing business, so be sure to ask to see it any time a Solicitor comes onto your property. Only permits issued by Jacobus Borough are valid in the Borough. Please Call 911 immediately when approached by a Solicitor who cannot produce a valid permit, if you see them continue to solicit once leaving your property, and for any other problem you might have with a Solicitor such as not leaving when asked to do so. York Area Regional Police are actively enforcing Jacobus Borough's Transient Retail License Ordinance and have cited Solicitors for non-compliance. Occasional arrests have been made of individuals who were found to have outstanding warrants when stopped for non-compliant soliciting in Jacobus Borough.





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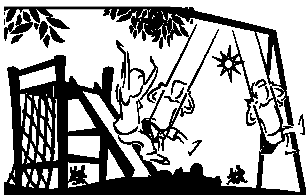
Jacobus Community Park

The crocuses are up & blooming and the daffodils & tulips are peeping a few inches up from the ground. It's a good sign that Spring really is here, and folks can finally start getting out to do yard & early garden work, and begin planning their summer parties, events & family gatherings.

Jacobus Community Park is available for your enjoyment. You may play for free, but if you need something more, reservations may be made for the use of the park facilities. Reservation fees range from \$50.00 to \$125.00, plus a \$25.00 refundable security deposit. The fee depends on the facilities you choose to reserve. Contact the Municipal Office at 717-428-1752 for available dates.

Other Jacobus Parks

Do you enjoy nature, or just want a quiet, peaceful place to relax or read a book? Or if you enjoy hiking or taking a slow-paced walk then visit the Nature Park in "The Woods at Lake Redman" neighborhood. There is a new picnic table there for your enjoyment, so you can pack a picnic lunch also. The Nature Park is a grassy area which connects to the YC Park Trail and at the right time of day or evening it is not unusual to see deer in the area. You can access the park from the parking lot at the end of E. Branch Drive and also by the grass right-of-way at the Cul-de-Sac on E. Greenbriar Drive.



Do your kids need a change of pace? If the answer is "yes", then visit the Tot-Lot at the corner of Stonewood Drive and Farmington Drive in the Wellington Hills neighborhood. The change of playground equipment may be just what they need. Turn right onto Woodland Drive off of Valley Road and make a left onto Stonewood Drive. The Tot-Lot will be on your left.

Help us keep our parks clean! place your recyclables in the yellow lid for recyclables only.



Be sure to throw out your trash and proper containers~ the one with the We appreciate your help!!

Refuse and Recycling in Jacobus Borough

Jacobus Borough would like to remind all to recycle, recycle, recycle! Every year, Jacobus Borough applies for a recycling grant through the PA Department of Environmental Protection. The funds received through the grant are based on the tonnage of recyclable material collected in the Borough. SO the more you recycle, the more tonnage is reported, the more our grant funds increase and the less Jacobus Borough pays in the total cost for waste services. Last year's grant allocation for Jacobus Borough was \$1,629.00 based on 166.5 tons reported recycled material in Year 2012. This means 166.5 tons of recyclable material was kept out of the waste stream (out of your regular trash), which multiplied by \$59.00 p/ton of trash & refuse, saved Jacobus Borough \$9,823.50 in tipping fees. The total cost to Jacobus Borough for your refuse & recycling curbside service in 2013 was \$130,042.01. You're doing a great job, but let's see if we can increase the savings even more by recycling as much material as we can!

22 Gallon Recycle Bins are available for purchase at the Jacobus Borough Municipal Office. The cost is \$5.00 apiece.

Check out the Recycling guidelines on Penn Waste's website: www.pennwaste.com, or call them at 717-767-4456 if you have a question about recycling or refuse. On the company's website you can look up specifics for Jacobus Borough regarding bag limits, large trash pickup, etc. The information is also posted on Jacobus Borough's website at: www.jacobuspa.com.

To dispose of electronics, hazardous household waste or material or items which cannot be placed out for regular weekly collection, please contact York County Solid Waste Authority (YCSWA) by calling 717-845-1066 or visit their website at: www.ycswa.com. YCSWA collects electronics on the 3rd Saturday of each month and holds other special collections throughout York County during each year. This information is posted on their website.





YORK AREA REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

www.yapd.org

ANNUAL REPORT The York Area Regional Police Department has released the annual report of activities for the year 2013 and included below are some of the highlights of the police department work for 2013. Overall there was a slight decrease in crime from 96 total crimes in 2012 to 86 in 2013 in the borough. The crimes are broken down into Part I and Part II crimes. There was a decrease in traffic accidents for the year and a decrease in traffic citations as well. The complete report for the department can be located on the web site at www.yapd.org.

	PART I	PART II	MISC	ACC	TRAFFIC	ARREST
2009	33	41	330	21	101	42
2010	40	63	409	17	78	67
2011	33	41	397	15	67	54
2012	52	44	429	17	86	34
2013	25	51	351	11	66	71

DEPARTURES Recently two officers have left employment with the department after successful careers to pursue other endeavors.

OFFICER KEVIN J. SPANGLER On March 6, 2014, Kevin J. Spangler completed 19 years of employment as a police officer. He will be a vested retiree and is planning to join his wife in managing the family business. Kevin was initially hired in March of 1995 by the Red Lion Police Department. In 2003, he joined the York Area Regional Police Department with the merger of the Red Lion Department. Kevin was a veteran of the United States Army and a graduate of the Police Training Academy at Harrisburg Community College. During his time with the department he served as a Field Training Officer and was responsible for initial training for numerous probationary officers. He was also a member of the department Honor Guard and the recipient of several written commendations as well as the Chief's Commendation. Kevin Spangler was an experienced officer and trainer and his calm and competent demeanor will be missed by his fellow officers and members of the community.

OFFICER MICHAEL C. SAMPERE Officer Sampere left the department at the end of January after 12 ½ years of service. Officer Sampere has been hired as a police officer at the Stroud Area Regional Police Department in East Stroudsburg, Pa. where he plans to continue his law enforcement career. Officer Sampere was hired in 2001 after completing a term of service with the United States Coast Guard. In recent years, Officer Sampere had been assigned as a K9 handler and he and his partner K9 Brando made numerous drug discoveries, located criminals and gave many community presentations for children and other events. Officer Sampere was the recipient of the department's Life-Saving Award and two Chief's Commendations in addition to numerous other letters of appreciation. Officer Sampere was also trained as a Drug Recognition Expert and had been elevated to the position of trainer in this law enforcement skill. He had a commitment to the K9 program and care and deployment of the dog that exhibited itself in a fine K9 team.

D.A.R.E. GRADUATION

In February, the sixth grade class at Dallastown Area Intermediate School graduated over 480 students from the D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) Program. This was the 17th year that the York Area Regional Police Department and the Dallastown Area School District have presented this program. There were 10 weeks of classroom instruction provided by Officers David Barley and James Varner in 22 sixth grade classes at the school. Speaking at the program were Dr. Ron Dyer, Superintendent and Dr. Sue Cathcart, Principal as well as Guest Speaker Bruce R. Bradley, Jr who described his 33 year career in the U.S. Coast Guard.



CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY

The York Area Regional Police Department will be conducting the 5th Session of the Citizen Police Academy in Fall of 2014 and further information will be available on the web site..



AN ACCREDITED LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY

NEWS AND EVENTS IN YOUR COMMUNITY

GOODWILL FIRE COMPANY #1, STATION 18, JACOBUS, PA invites you to join them for the following events:

- ♦ All you can eat Breakfast; 2nd Sunday of every month; Cost: \$7.50 for Adults, \$4.00 for ages 3 -12, and under 2 Free
- ♦ July 4th BLAST: Chicken Barbeque - Look for us under the blue tent as you enter the park
- ♦ Labor Day Street Fair: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Patty Schaeffer, President



THE VILLAGE LIBRARY, situated in the shopping center behind Rutter's in the center of Jacobus, has a lot to offer. Storytimes for babies, toddlers and preschoolers on Mondays and Wednesdays from October through early May; Summer Reading Club for kids and adults, beginning this year on June 1st; Two book Discussion Groups- one that meets the 3rd Thursday @ 7:30 p.m. and another that meets the 4th Thursday @ 11:00 a.m.; Two public computers with black & white and color printing capability; Wi-Fi throughout the building; and we even have a Tech Guru who visits once a month to help anyone with questions on computers, e-readers, smart phones and other mobile devices.



We also have: books, of course, for all ages and interests, including books in large print and books on CD; magazines that may be borrowed for two weeks & some that may be purchased for a quarter; DVD's that rent for \$2.00 for an entire week; Access to free downloadable e-books, e-audios and graphic novels; Access to a variety of informational databases that can be used for test prep or learning a language or helping your kids with their homework- and more; Tax forms; A copier and fax service; A used book store where you can buy gently used books and jigsaw puzzles for only a dollar or two (Plus a huge used book sale every year at the community Fourth of July Celebration. Don't miss this year's!); Plus friendly, helpful staff who are always happy to answer your questions or help you find a really good book.

Village Library hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday from noon until 8:00 p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

You may reach the library by calling 717-428-1034.

Rebecca Shives, Branch Librarian



THE JACOBUS LEISURE CLUB for citizens over 55 meets at 1:00 p.m. on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at Goodwill Fire Company #1, Jacobus, PA. The next meeting is April 15, 2014 and all are welcome to join us. Due to the Primary Election on May 20, 2014, the club's May meeting will be held at Christ United Methodist's "Lakeview Park" on Water Street in Jacobus, PA. The club regularly plans special events, such as speakers, music or other entertainers, and various other activities. If you are interested in finding more out about the Jacobus Leisure Club, please call me at 717-755-0145.



Gladden Gingerich, President



Commuter Services of Pennsylvania is a non-profit organization that offers *free* services to commuters about their options for getting to and from work. Our Rideshare and Emergency Ride Home programs provide necessary tools to commuters in order for them to successfully switch from driving alone to a commuting alternative; such as carpooling, vanpooling, bicycling, walking or riding transit. Using a green commute mode is a great way to save money and help improve air quality.

For more information visit www.PaCommuterServices.org or 1.866.579.RIDE.





NEWS AND EVENTS IN YOUR COMMUNITY



The **JACOBUS AREA LIONESS CLUB** meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month, September through May, in the Jacobus Lions Club building. Social time begins at 6:30 p.m. and the business meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. Our club is active in community service projects, and participates in local events such as the July 4th BLAST, Labor Day Street Fair and Christmastime in Loganville.

On Saturday, March 15th, the Lioness Club hosted a "Meet and Greet" welcoming event for the Hanline Family. Thanks to The Lioness Club's committee who worked very hard to make this event successful, the outpour of donations from the community and area businesses was overwhelming. It warmed our hearts to see the family's disbelieving gratitude when they were presented with the many donations given to help provide them with a better quality of life in their new home on Meadow Street. If you were unable to attend the event, we hope you will stop and take a minute to introduce yourself and welcome the family to the community whenever you see them out. Welcome Laurie, Allen, Jacob and Christine! We wish you lifelong happiness and success in your new home.

100% of all funds raised by The Lioness Club's activities go back to the community, supporting various organizations & charities, and also your local ambulance club and fire company. Additional upcoming fundraisers include Pit Beef Sandwich Sales as listed below. The sandwich sales will be held at Godfrey Brothers, located on the Susquehanna Trail near Loganville. Please come out and help us support these worthy organizations who work for the benefit of those they help:

- ◆ Saturday, April 12th to benefit H.O.P.E. (Help Oncology Problems and Emotional Support)
- ◆ Saturday, August 23rd to benefit the Suicide Coalition of York County
- ◆ Saturday, October 4th to benefit New Life for Girls



Lioness Club meetings are a great way to make new friends and get involved in your community. Our meetings include various activities such as speakers, a White Elephant Sale & Potluck Dinner, and occasional catered dinners.

The Jacobus Area Lioness Club would like to invite interested individuals to our meeting on Wednesday, October 22, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. The purpose of this meeting is focused on welcoming, supporting and encouraging new members.

We hope you will consider joining us!!



"4th of July BLAST in Jacobus"

Friday - July 4, 2014

Jacobus Community Park – S. Main Street, Jacobus, Pa 17407

Hosted by the Jacobus Lions Club



The 2014 Jacobus 4th of July BLAST is firing up! The celebration will kick off at 8:45 A.M. with a children's parade, featuring decorated bikes, non-motorized scooters and wagons followed by an opening ceremony honoring our military and emergency responders. A parade registration form may be obtained from the website listed below.

The Jacobus 4th of July BLAST is a great way for established community members to renew friendships, for new neighbors to get to know your community better, and for visitors to see the great town of Jacobus. There is something for everyone throughout the day.

The day will include many familiar activities such as the Village Library Book Sale, Children & Teen Games, Bingo, Chicken Barbeque, Live Entertainment, Kids Tractor Pull, Cake Walk and Blood Pressure Screenings. Our Lions "Beep Baseball" game will be played again as well as a Jacobus Jackals game. This all leads up to a **spectacular fireworks display at dusk**. This event is open to the public; there is no fee to attend, although some events may require small charges.

Track the BLAST's schedule at: <http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/jacobus/projects.php>, on Facebook, or contact below.

Interested Sponsors, Vendors and Exhibitors should contact the below:

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