

Penn Township

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www.penn-township.net

Spring/Summer 2023



KEEP
PENNSYLVANIA
Beautiful

Want to fight dirty in
your community,
but not sure where to
start?

Contact keeppabeautiful.org to register your event

105 West Fourth Street, 2nd Floor
Greensburg, PA 15601

Telephone: 724.836.4121 Toll-free: 877.772.3673 Fax: 724.836.1980

Every Litter Bit Matters when it comes to keeping Pennsylvania clean, and it's up to all of us to do our part. By working together to [Fight Dirty](#), everyone in Pennsylvania can live, work, and play in a clean and green community.

One little way to [Fight](#) Dirty is to register an event for Pick Up Pennsylvania:

- **March 1st through May 31st** Our spring event in support of The Great American Cleanup is eligible for FREE work gloves, safety vests, and trash bags as supplies last. Donated landfill space for trash collected during the cleanup is also available for free or reduced cost between April 1st through April 30th.
- **June 1st through August 31st** Events can be registered in the summer but are not eligible for free supplies at this time. Please also be aware of the additional safety concerns for summer events in PA like ticks, snakes, vegetation, and poison ivy.
- **September 1st through November 30th** Our fall event in support of The International Coastal Cleanup is eligible for FREE work gloves, safety vests, and trash bags as supplies last. There is no donated landfill space for the fall event.
- **December 1st through February 28th** Events can be registered in the winter but are not eligible for free supplies at this time. Please also be aware of the additional safety concerns for winter events in PA.

All program registrations will receive an e-mail with detailed instructions for supplies and resources, safety information, and a link to report on each event.

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Township Contact Info:

570.374.4778 - phone
570.374.4931 - fax
penntwp@ptd.net - email

Road Master

Mark Strawser- 570.374.4258



Located along University Ave. across from East Snyder Park.

The 2023 growing season is under way but there is still plenty of time to get your 30 X 30 plot for \$25 or half plot for \$15 and come start your garden.

Call 570.374.1525 or visit the community garden facebook page or website at www.escgpa.org

**2023 Pavilion Rentals**

Reservations are being accepted for 2023 to rent a pavilion for your event. If not reserved, pavilions are open to all. You can find users agreement required for reservation and online calendar on our website at www.penn-township.net. Please print, fill out, and send with check to Penn Township, 228 Clifford Rd., Selinsgrove, PA 17870 or you may stop by during office hours. If need assistance you may call the office 570.374.4778 or email penntwp@ptd.net to check the reservation schedule.

Pavilion Fee is \$50 to rent

Batram Pavilion #1 - nearest the horseshoe pits
App VanNuys Pavilion #2 - behind Little League baseball field

No reservation is official until the township office has a completed User's Agreement and Paid Fee. 570.374.4778



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[Facebook.com/penn.township.1](https://www.facebook.com/penn.township.1)



**Primary Election Day
Tuesday, May 16, 2023**

PENN 1

If you live on the south side of 522, you will vote at the Keystone Building Products Building (Changed due to safety of residents due to covid-19)

PENN 2

If you live on the north side or Selinsgrove Center side of 522, you will vote at the Penn Township Building

228 Clifford Road

Polls are open 7am to 8pm

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

The Board of Supervisors meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month, 6pm at the Municipal Building, 228 Clifford Road. If you have a topic you wish to discuss with the Supervisors at the meeting, you can speak under public comment on the agenda, or you can call the Township office at 570.374.4778 to add your name to the agenda. If you speak under public comment, your time to speak could be limited.

The Planning Commission - see description above.- Meet on Fourth Monday at 6:30p

The Zoning Hearing Board meets, as needed, to review zoning variance requests. The zoning hearings are advertised with the date and time and the property to which a variance may be granted, along with the reason for the variance request.

All meetings are open to the public.

REAL ESTATE, HYDRANT AND FIRE RELIEF TAXES

Ron Zeiders, Tax Collector
PO Box 452
Selinsgrove, PA 17870
570.898.4250

Our collector provides hours at the township building located at 228 Clifford Rd. The dates are printed on your tax bills. Fall hours here in the township building will be announced at a later date and will also be printed on your bills when they arrive. Please call contact Ron Zeiders at zeiders@insurer.com or the township office if you have questions.

**Please note: The Township office
cannot accept your tax payments.**

**Spring Dates are: Apr 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 9:30a-11a
Apr 20, 25, 26 5p-6p at Penn Twp Building**

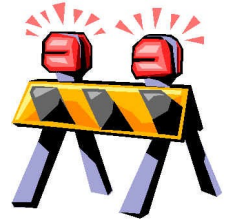
If you are mailing your taxes and would like to receive a receipt, (especially if you require rent rebate at end of year) please include a self addressed stamped envelope and Mr. Zeiders will send your receipt.





2023 ROAD PROJECTS

Sealcoating & Fog Sealing-
Old Colony Rd,
Hill End Rd &
School House Lane



NOTE: The Traffic Light being installed
at intersection of Mill Rd (Camelback Bridge)
and Route 204 is a Thruway Project .
This is not a township project.

REMINDER - PERMITS ARE REQUIRED IN PENN TOWNSHIP zoning permits, building permits, road cut permits, driveway permits, amusement tax permits etc.

The most required permit in Penn Township is our zoning permit and we are often asked, "Why do I need a zoning permit?" Well, the general 'line' that covers most everything is...to promote and protect the public health, safety and welfare of our residents. To detail that statement a bit further, the fact that Penn Township has developed any ordinances over the past decades, shows the awareness of those in a leadership role, to look ahead to plan and develop, to assure safe, reliable and adequate water supply, prevent over crowding of land and travel congestion, preserve prime farmland and ag activities, provide housing of various types in appropriate locations, encourage smart growth practices that will promote high quality residential neighborhoods, preserve natural and scenic qualities, approve the appearance and function of Route 522, provide for low impact stormwater management in all new development etc. These are just some of the reasons that illustrate how the zoning ordinance can protect you, and, accommodate and guide the overall growth of Penn Township.

So do you need a zoning permit?

Zoning permits are required for any new construction or alteration of an existing structure. Typical projects that would need a zoning permit include, but are not limited to: additions, decks, porches, garages, patios, sheds, pools, all new homes (stick-built, modular, and mobile), agriculture buildings, and more.

What information do you need to complete the zoning permit application?

Zoning permit applications require various items depending on the specific project you are planning. For all projects you will need the size of the project, setbacks to the property line, and an overview drawing of your project, which should include dimensions and setbacks and any current buildings on your property. New home construction ...please read on.

What if you are building a new home?

For new homes a copy of the sewer and/or water permit if your new home will be connected to public water and/or sewer, or a copy of the septic permit if you will be out of public service area. Also, a set of your new home plans, a plot plan, a driveway permit issued by the township if your driveway will connect to a township road, or a copy of your highway occupancy permit - obtained from PennDOT if your driveway will connect to a state road.

For zoning questions call the Penn Township zoning officer at the township office 570.374.4778.

Do you need a building permit?

That's one question Penn Twp employees cannot answer for you. The Central Keystone Council of Government (the COG), is the only office who can determine if a building permit is required.

It is your responsibility to contact the COG prior to construction to verify permit requirements.

You can reach the COG at 877.457.9401.



The Recycling Center will be open Monday - Friday from 7am to 2pm and the 1st Saturday of the month from 7am to 2pm for Penn Township Residents and



Businesses only by permit. Permit cost is \$20 per year for a resident and \$50 per year for a resident business. Please display permit on dashboard when entering facility as there are surveillance cameras and we WILL prosecute illegal dumping and/or inappropriate activity. Permits are valid per calendar year 1/1/23 -12/31/23. There are random Permit checks.

Compost site permits are available at the Penn Township Office and cost \$20 for residents and \$100 for businesses. They are for Penn Township Residents



Snyder County Libraries

ReadAloud & Crafting w/ Miss Jess 11a-12p
Sat Apr 1, 8, 15 22, 29, May 6 & 13

Create with Me! 1p-2p
Sat Apr 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13, 20, 27

Mother Goose On The Loose 10a-11a
Wed Apr 5, 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10, 17, 24

Morning Book Discussion Group 10a-11a
Tues Apr 11, May 9

Evening Book Discussion Group 6:45p- 8p
Thur Apr 20, May 18, June 15, July 20

Stories & Stations 10a-11a
Thur Apr 13, May 11

Lego Club 3p-5p
Sat Apr 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13, 20, 27

Knitter & Crocheter Group 1:30p-4p
Sat Apr 15, May 20, Jun 17, Jul 15, Aug 19

MUGS FOR SALE \$20

AVAILABLE AT THESE LIBRARIES:

SELINGSGROVE, MIDDLEBURG,
BEAVERTOWN, AND MCCLURE





is currently accepting applications for

Lifeguards

for the Summer of 2023.

Lifeguards must be 15+ years old and have a current Lifeguard Certificate or willing to take our free Lifeguard Training Courses May 15, 30 and 21st at SU pool.

Deadline for class sign-up is May 1.

\$12 hourly wage.

(Great way to learn CPR, earn certification, resume builder, work outside, single season pool membership)

Please fill out application and email it to info@selinsgrovepool.org or mail to Barb Reed, 43 High Hill, Selinsgrove, PA 17870. Call 570-374-9292 w/ questions.

2023 PASS RATES:

Family Pass: \$225

Single Pass: \$125

Senior Citizen: \$60

Babysitting Passes: \$30

DAILY ADMISSION RATES:

FREE ages 5 and under

\$5.00 per person ages 6-59

\$3.00 for seniors ages 60+ or

active/retired military

(valid ID required)

Everyone half-price after 5pm.

The pool opens on Memorial Day Weekend, May 27, and FREE admission on Memorial Day, May 29th. We will be closed May 30 through June 1. On Friday, June 2, we will open daily for the season. An interactive Splash Pad, sprayers, fountains, waterfalls, dump buckets and a Selinsgrove Seal fountain will delight the little ones of all abilities.



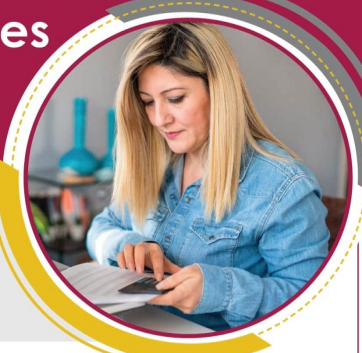
NEW GED Classes in Middleburg!

Classes and materials are FREE!

FREE classes to prepare for the GED or a college entrance exam.

Adult Education Classes

Free help is available for adults who wish to work on **achieving their personal, education and career goals**, such as passing the GED®, getting training and employment, or going to college.



Thursdays 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

LOCATION: Middleburg Borough Building
Community Room (third floor)

For more information, call (570) 523-1155 ext. 2379.
To register for the class, visit www.csiu.org/AdultEd to complete the online application.

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER!



*Adult education services include instruction in mathematics, reading, writing, listening and speaking in English below the post-secondary level. We may provide services to students enrolled in post-secondary education as long as the instruction does not exceed the pre-college level.

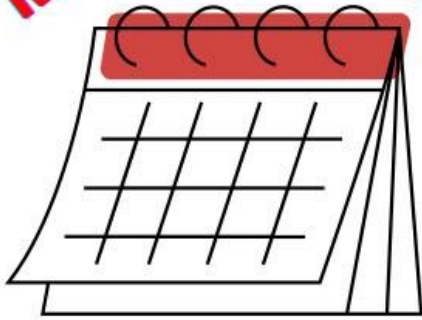
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CareerLink
A proud partner of the [AmericanJobCenter.org](http://www.AmericanJobCenter.org)
Assistive aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Equal Opportunity Employer / Program

CSIU Adult Education is a PA CareerLink® partner and works collaboratively to assist individuals in obtaining additional education, training and to gain employment.
The Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit will not discriminate in educational programs, activities or employment practices based on race, color, national origin, gender, disability, marital status, age, religion, sexual orientation, ancestry, source of income or other legally protected classifications. Enforcement of this policy is in accord with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Employees and program participants who have or hope to experience harassment or discrimination, or who need information about accommodations for people with disabilities, should contact Director of Human Resources, CSIU, 90 Lawton Lane, Milton, PA 17847, 570-523-1155.
January 2021

MARK YOUR



CALENDAR!



POLICE-COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

*The Snyder County
Coalition for Kids
Presents...*



The 11th Annual

Snyder County
Coalition 4 Kids

Snyder County Night Out

~~Join us for an evening of free food
& fun for all in Snyder County!~~

Aug. 8, 2023 4 -7 PM
at East Snyder Park
★Rain date 8/9/23★

Existing sensors:

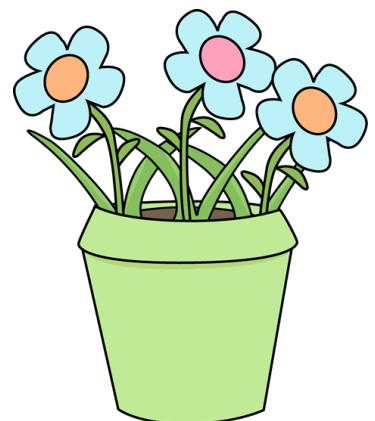
**email SnyderCoNightOut@hotmail.com
for information or to register!**

Visit @SCC4Kids on Facebook for more details!
www.SCC4K.org



“Flowers don’t worry about how they’re going to bloom. They just open up and turn toward the light, and that makes them beautiful.”

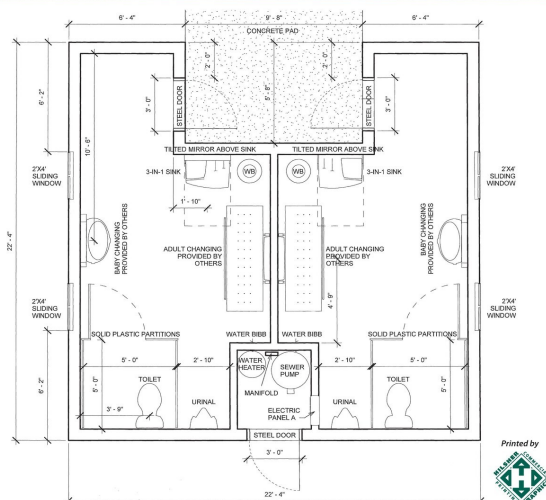
-Jim Carrey



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PRST STANDARD
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Comfort Station Update

Our comfort station project is on a path for construction this summer. The bids are currently being advertised and are scheduled to be awarded on April 19th at 6 pm during the Board of Supervisor's Workshop meeting.

The twin ADA restrooms in the comfort station will complement Everyone's Playground allowing persons of all abilities to interact and truly experience a playground. The comfort station will accommodate two individuals in separate spaces and caregivers or other helpers. Electronic changing stations for both children and adults will be included. Environmental and green initiatives have been included for the benefit of those with special needs, physical disabilities and other cognitive challenges. Located within steps of Everyone's Playground, the comfort station is also convenient to a family picnic pavilion, a drinking fountain and comfortable "Buddy Benches" situated among rows of beautiful shade trees. Handicapped parking spots, including a van spot, are available with a short walk along an ADA paved pathway to Everyone's Playground and the future comfort station.

We hope that this new addition along with the all inclusive playground known as Everyone's Playground shows that Penn Township welcomes children and adults of all abilities to get outside and have fun!