

Spring 2010

PENN *township*

97 N. PENRYN ROAD
MANHEIM, PA 17545
717-665-4508 · 717-665-4105 (fax)
www.penn.co.lancaster.pa.us

Coming Soon to the Doe Run and Penryn Road Corridors...



Proposed streetscape improvements at Molly's Convenience Store

Proposed streetscape improvements at the intersection of N. Penryn Road and Doe Run Road



Proposed streetscape improvements at Shopping Center entrance on Doe Run Road

MORE DETAILS TO COME!!!

WATER and SEWER CUSTOMER Q&A:

“CAN YOU EXPLAIN MY BILL?!” For **Penn Township** water system subscribers, the water charge is \$43.00 per quarter for the first twelve thousand gallons consumed and \$2.00 per thousand gallons consumed beyond the twelve thousand. (**Manheim Borough** water system subscribers will have a slightly different rate and you will receive a separate invoice for this service from Manheim Borough.) The Sewer Charge is a two-part charge—the first part is the basic service charge, which is \$97.50 per quarter. This does not include any gallons of usage. The charge for treated gallonage is \$2.85 per thousand gallons and is based on metered water use.

“HOW DO YOU DETERMINE HOW MUCH WATER I USE?” Each user of the public system has a water meter and the meter is read four times per year.

“HOW OFTEN WILL I RECEIVE THIS INVOICE?” This invoice will come to you four times per year. Not everyone on the public system receives their invoice when you do. It depends upon where you live within the Township.

“WHERE DO I SEND MY PAYMENT?” Please forward your payment and the large portion of your invoice to: PENN TOWNSHIP WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT, 97 N. Penryn Road, Manheim, PA 17545



Here's an idea...

Rain barrels divert water from municipal storm drain systems. By disconnecting your downspout and altering it to drain into a rain barrel, water can be temporarily stored and drained later or used to provide oxygenated, un-chlorinated water that is ideal for plants. For more information, contact LIVE Green at (717) 669-5990 or info@livelancaster.org (Taken from County of Lancaster, PA Envision Lancaster County publication).

THE PENN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT is always looking for places to get rid of material (fill, topsoil, and stone mix) from projects and road shoulder cleaning. If you have a need for this type of material, please contact the Township Office to schedule a site inspection. We are always looking for areas to properly dispose of fill. Thank you, in advance, for your consideration.

All in all, it will be a very busy spring, summer, and fall. Please be aware of road closures and Public Works personnel in work zones as you are driving throughout the Township. WE COUNT ON YOU TO KEEP US SAFE !!!!

Don't forget to visit with the Public Works Department during Community Day at Pleasant View Retirement Community on April 17th, 2010. We look forward to seeing you there.

Daryl J. Lefever, Public Works Director

CLEANING OUT AFTER WINTER

As the weather warms after winter, most folks get the urge to clean out the “stuff” that accumulated in attics, basements, garages, and sheds. This annual “spring” cleaning ritual results in more trash and recyclables being delivered to Lancaster County Solid Waste Management Authority (LCSWMA) facilities. If you plan on bringing in a load of trash or recyclables yourself, please remember that **all trash loads must be securely covered to prevent trash from littering** Lancaster County roads.

Facilities and Hours of Operation

Transfer Station (1299 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster)

Office: 717-397-9968

Scalehouse: 717-293-5568

Hours of Operation

Monday through Friday: 6:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Facility (1299 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster)

Main Office: 717-397-9968

Hours of Operation

Monday through Friday: 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., Saturday: 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. noon

Directions and additional information is available at www.lcswma.org

Northwestern Lancaster County Authority



NOTICE TO ALL WATER CUSTOMERS

Beginning in May 2010 all water utilities in Pennsylvania will be required to attempt to notify their customers by telephone or email of any water emergency situation.

Public notification is a procedure used by water suppliers to notify its customers in the case of an event that makes the water supply unsafe.

In complying with this mandate, the Northwestern Lancaster County Authority asks that you take a moment to fill in the information below and return the completed form to our billing office, noted above.

You may choose to mail in the form with your billing statement, fax it to 717-665-4105, scan and email it to penconniew@dejazzd.com, or mail it separately to 97 N. Penryn Road, Manheim, PA 17545.

If you are a customer who requires water for medical reasons and feel you should be included on the critical care customers list, please indicate that information by ticking the Critical Care Customer Check Box. Please be sure to include your telephone number.

The Northwestern Lancaster County Authority will not furnish any personal information to outside sources. The information herein is solely for the use of the Authority and Emergency Management.

Property owners are required to provide tenant contact information. Thank you, in advance, for your cooperation.

Name _____

Account Number _____

Service Address _____

Home Phone Number _____ Preferred #

Cell (Mobile) Phone Number _____ Preferred #

Email Address _____

Critical Care Customer _____

Saturday, April 17, 2010
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.



At Pleasant View
Retirement Community
544 N. Penryn Road
Manheim, PA 17545

Mark your calendars and plan on coming to the 2nd Annual Penn Township / Pleasant View Retirement Community Day, hosted by Pleasant View Retirement Community. This year Penn Township and Pleasant View will join together to present a wonderful activity-filled day for Penn Township and the greater Manheim Community. Stop by Saturday April 17, 2010 from 9am – 2 pm at the Pleasant View Campus for **Great Food, Fun, Games, Live Entertainment and the opportunity to meet with local officials and many of the community organization members that service our community.** This is a great opportunity to put a name to a face and to foster relationships with community officials and other residents. There will be plenty of new surprises in store, in addition to the familiar day of fun for the whole family.

Including: Manheim Central PTO's, Penn Township Water & Sewer, Pleasant View Retirement Community, Penn Township Police, Emergency Management, Sewer Enforcement, Fire Police, Penryn Fire Department, Manheim Library, Manheim Fire Department, Penn Township Administration, Mc Rec, Memorial Ambulance, Penn Township Road Crew, Manheim McFee, Penn Township Zoning, Planning and Ag Boards, Boy Scouts Troop # 47, Lions Club, Sertoma Club, Manheim Central School District, NWLCA Board, Chamber of Commerce, Manheim Lodge (F&A) Masons #587, PA Classics Soccer, Manheim Area Downtown Development Group, Pilot Club of Lancaster, Casino Free PA, Little League Parent Assoc. Lancaster County Dept. of Parks & Recreation, Lititz recCenter, Severn Trent Services, ELA Group, Becker Engineering, 4-H, COBY'S Family Services, Littiz Flotilla US Coast Guard Auxiliary, Crickets Performing Arts, Manheim BIC, Lancaster County Conservancy, FRESKO Inc., Tabor Community Services, Manheim VFW, Salem U.M. Church, Hospice of Lancaster, United Disability Services, Manheim Rotary and much more.

If you have any questions or ideas about this event, or would be willing to help out and volunteer, you may call Dave Wood @ (717) 665-5196, Twp. Office (717-665-4508), email penndavewood@dejazzd.com or visit our website www.penn.co.lancaster.pa.us for more information.

Children Activities

- Child Missing Registration
- Fitness Sampler
- Body Composition Analysis
- White Elephant Sale
- Barrel Train & Fun Walk
- Obie the Clown 11 am—1 pm
- Majik Andrew—Magic Show
- Promote Summer Reading Program
- CHIP Program / Child ID Kit
- Family Fun Reading Zone
- Make & Take Craft –Reading Nook
- County Smoke Trailer
- Free Cotton Candy and Popcorn
- Rock 'n' Roll Time Machine, 9:30 – 1:30
- Early Childhood Reading / Literacy
- Coast Guard 17' Patrol Boat
- Crickets Performing Arts—Dance Program



Other Booths

- Emergency and Municipal Call List Magnet
- Free Gun Lock Give Away
- Fatal Vision Goggles
- Security Resource Officer
- Lions Club Canned Food Drive
- 3 Silent Auctions
- Brain Minders Program

Information Booths

- Pool and Program Information—RecCenter & Mc Rec
- Emergency Planning
- FRESKO—Green Building Presentations
- UDC—Service Dogs and Disability / Service
- Ambulance Display & Information
- Equipment Display & Public Works Information
- Athletic League Hand outs and Information
- Township Police Information & Questions
- Penn Township Streetscape and Maps
- Emergency & Municipal Services Information
- MCSD School Security Resource Officer
- On-lot Pumping Ordinance, Septic System Care
- Sewer Plant Information
- Township Planning, Zoning, NWLCA, Ag Panel Maps and Information
- Recycle Information
- Lancaster County Park Program & Information
- MCSD Meet and Greet new Administrators
- Lititz RecCenter—Info. & Guest Pass give-aways

Food Stands

- French Fry Stand
- MBIC Mile Shakes
- Hot dogs, Soda & Baked Goods
- Sausage & Breakfast Sandwiches, Burgers
- Soft Pretzels & Chips
- Chicken BBQ (Take Outs or Eat In)
- Hot Chocolate, Milk, Coffee, Tea, Water
- Home-made Amish Ice Cream

Penryn Fire Co and Limerock Parochial Schools Fifth Annual Mud Sale

On behalf of the Penryn Fire Company and The Limerock Parochial School Mud Sale Committee we would like to thank the businesses and citizens of Penn Township for the support they showed at our recent Mud Sale on March 20, 2010. Once again the event was a huge success for the Fire Company and the local Amish community. Our thanks go out to everyone that donated items to be sold or loaned equipment that was used. We also want to thank the businesses that allowed their employees time off to help. Without this support the sale would not have been a success. Please remember to support your local businesses when purchasing items or contracting services.

We also want to thank the citizens of Penn Township that attended the sale. Without this support we would not have had as successful of a sale as we had. Fortunately old man winter headed out to unknown points the week before, so after some of the worse snow we have seen in a few years we were blessed with gorgeous weather. This resulted in a record "Mud Sale" without any mud! Mark your calendars, next year the sale is March 19th, 2011.

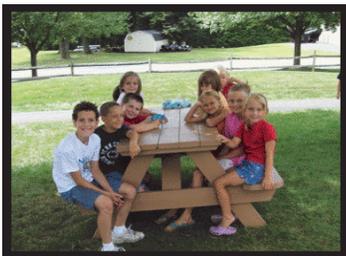
2010 CENSUS: BE COUNTED!

Every ten years a national Census is conducted to count every person in the United States. An accurate Census count is very important because Census figures are used in planning for transportation, community facilities, and land use, to distribute federal funding, and to determine our representation in Congress.

In March, every household in the United States received a census questionnaire in the mail. The 2010 Census form contains only ten questions and takes less than ten minutes to complete. The confidentiality of all data you provide on your Census form is protected by federal law and cannot be shared with anyone, including federal agencies and law enforcement entities.

Please help your community and protect your political representation: fill out and return your census form. If you have any questions or concerns about the 2010 Census, visit www.2010.census.gov, or contact the Lancaster Local Census Office at 717.666.2130.

Penn Township at the Lititz recCenter!



Check out LrC/Penn Township membership specials!
 Membership Special on April 5th!!
 The LrC will waive the Joiner's Fee on all 1 year memberships.
 Look for our booth on April 17, Penn Twp. Community Day!

Sat., April 24, 2010 - OPEN HOUSE for Penn Township!!

See the facility: indoor pool, new fitness facility,
 air conditioned gymnasium and more!

Tours available 10am-2pm.

Save \$50—no joiner fee with a one year membership.

1 Year Membership Pricing:

E-Z Pay Plan is a one year contract available for one year memberships.

Resident	1 Year Fee	One Time	Joiner's Fee	Total	E-Z Pay Plan
Family	625.00	+	50.00	675.00	52.25/month
Individual	415.00	+	50.00	465.00	34.75/month
Adult Student	280.00	+	50.00	330.00	23.50/month
Senior	260.00	+	50.00	310.00	21.75/month
Junior	150.00	+	50.00	200.00	12.50/month

As of January 1, 2010 Penn Township residents are considered residents and qualify for resident fees at the Lititz recCenter.



301 W. Maple St. Lititz PA 17543
 626-5096 www.lititzrec.com

Penn Township
 97 N. Penryn Road
 Manheim, PA 17545

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