

# NORTHAMPTON *Township*



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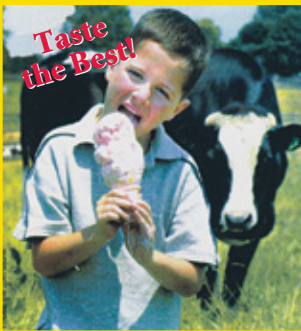
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## Administration

Dear Northampton Township Residents,

In the aftermath of the recent event in Parkland Florida, like so many Americans, we all felt the shock of this tragedy. Our hearts go out to all the victims and their family's as we all try to reconcile the impacts of this event. In an attempt to comfort the residents of Northampton Township, I felt it was appropriate to share some information that may provide some assurances to our community that your police are well trained and ready to respond in an emergency situation within our community.

In this edition of the Township Newsletter, you find an informative article written by our Police Chief, Michael Clark which highlights the preparedness of the Northampton Township Police Department regarding school safety. You'll find the police department has implemented many preventative strategies to support the educational mission of our schools by helping to foster a safe school community that supports the academic and social development of our children.

In addition to school safety, please know the Northampton Township Police, Fire & Emergency Management Services are well trained, prepared and ready to respond to emergency situations within our schools, and our community. As always, use common sense and remain attentive to changes in the environment and the behavior of those around you. If you see or hear something that seems out of place or off, don't ignore it. Trust your instincts and say something. Together we can all assisting in providing a safe community.

In closing, on behalf of all of Northampton Township, our sympathies and prayers are with the families of all the victims.

Sincerely,  
Barry Moore  
Board of Supervisors, Chairman

### Administration Building Holiday Closing

The administration building will be closed on the following dates:  
Monday, May28th (Memorial Day), and Wednesday, July 4th (Independence Day)



## Yard Waste Collection

**April 1 – December 15: Unlimited yard waste will be collected the day after your trash day.**

Yard waste will only be collected in cans or biodegradable bags. Be sure the bags do not weigh more than 50 pounds when full. Biodegradable bags can be purchased at the administration building for \$.40 each or in bundles of 50 for \$20.

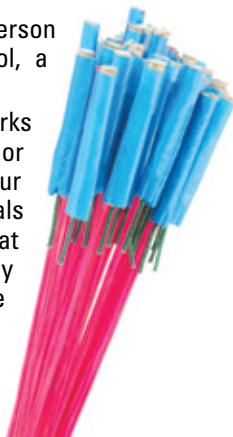
Tree branches and shrubbery must be no more than 36 inches long and less than 3 inches in diameter. They must be bundled and tied, taped or put in biodegradable bags. Branches and shrubbery cannot extend over the top of the can.

## Fireworks: Frequently Asked Questions

Recent changes to the laws regulating fireworks have caused a considerable increase in complaints and questions regarding their appropriate use. House Bill 542 was signed into law on October 30, 2017. Under the new law, residents over the age of 18 can now purchase and use "Class C" or consumer-grade fireworks. These include fire crackers, Roman candles bottle rockets and similar fireworks that contain a maximum of 50 milligrams of explosive material. Display fireworks (the type used at commercial fireworks displays) or US DOT 1.3 material are still regulated by Federal, State and local laws. Residents choosing to utilize consumer fireworks are reminded that not all your neighbors or their pets share your enthusiasm. In fact, many pets are traumatized by them. Please note the following regulations for the use of fireworks in Northampton Township.

- Fireworks can only be purchased and used by persons over 18 years of age.
- Fireworks cannot be discharged on a public or private property without express permission of the property owner.
- Fireworks cannot be discharged from or within a motor vehicle or structure.
- Fireworks cannot be discharged toward a motor vehicle or structure.
- Fireworks cannot be discharged within 150 feet of an occupied structure.
- Fireworks cannot be discharged by a person who is under the influence of alcohol, a controlled substance or another drug.

Residents are cautioned that fireworks should not be used during dry periods or windy conditions. Please be aware of your neighbors and limit your use of these materials accordingly. Residents are reminded that the townships noise ordinance generally restricts objectionable noises between the hours of 10:00 PM and 7:00 AM Monday through Saturday, and 10:00 PM and 8:00 AM on Sunday. Remember, we all live here.



## Electronics Waste

If you are planning on doing some Spring cleaning of your garage or basement remember: **Don't kick that TV to the curb!**

Televisions, along with computers and some other electronics (covered devices), can no longer be disposed of with the municipal waste under the Covered Devices Recycling Act of 2010. Listed are several locations to drop off your television, and companies that will come to pick up your television for recycling. Please confirm with each company for their list of fees and conditions prior to dropping off your television.

- **Shred One**, 830 County Line Rd, Suite 310, Huntingdon Valley, PA, 19006 • 215-364-2265
- **E- Waste Experts**, 416 Green Lane, Bristol, PA, 19007 877-328-2927
- **Leck Waste Services**, Curbside pick-up, 215-675-8000

Check the Township website: [www.northamptontownship.com](http://www.northamptontownship.com) for additional information.



PennState Extension

## What to do if you Find the Spotted Lanternfly on your Property



The invasive spotted lanternfly has been found in southeastern counties in Pennsylvania. We are trying to eradicate this potential pest. **There is a quarantine order in place that prohibits movement of a living life stage of this insect to areas outside of the quarantine area. To find information about identifying the spotted lanternfly, current information about where it is known to exist, quarantine order, and compliance go to:**

[www.agriculture.pa.gov/Protect/PlantIndustry/spotted\\_lanternfly](http://www.agriculture.pa.gov/Protect/PlantIndustry/spotted_lanternfly)



## Northampton Township Tax Office

### WE'RE MOVING IN JUNE 2018!

We will be moving into the old FOX CHASE BANK building with the Northampton Bucks County Water & Sewer Authority. Our hope is to be up and running by **June 14, 2018**. Cross your fingers as delays are a possibility. Stay Tuned...

Visit [www.northamptontaxcollector.wordpress.com](http://www.northamptontaxcollector.wordpress.com) for more Tax Collector information and to receive reminders and email updates.

## Planning and Zoning Corner

The following is multi-part series on the planning and zoning process. In each issue, we will focus on a particular area in order to better help you understand the documents, process, and terms that guide planning and zoning in Northampton Township. This month we will focus on the **Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code** (often referred to as the **MPC**).

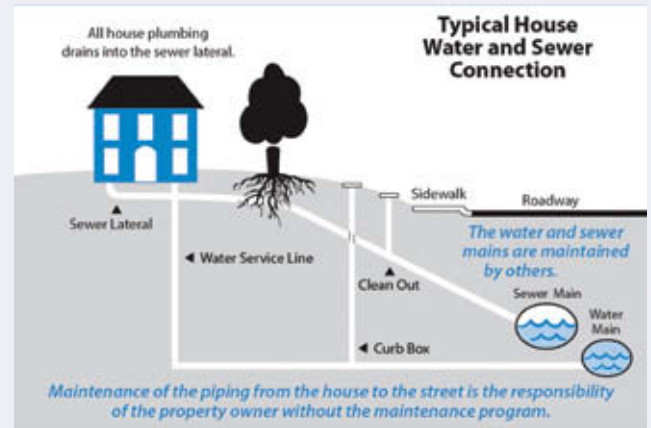
### WHAT IS THE MPC?

The MPC is the State legislation that guides planning and zoning in Pennsylvania. It is adopted by the State legislature and signed into law. In simple terms, it provides the authority for municipalities, such as Northampton Township, to plan and zone. It is a very thorough document that contains procedures and requirements related to the following:

- Requirements related to the Planning Commission;
- Adopting a Comprehensive Plan and the items it must contain;
- Adopting Zoning and Subdivision and Land Development Ordinances and making ordinance changes;
- Requirements related to processing Subdivision and Land Development applications;
- Processing Zoning Hearing Board applications and the function of the Board.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Mike Solomon, Director of Planning and Zoning, at 215-357-6800 x214. He will be happy to discuss the process with you and answer any questions.

**Next Issue: Zoning Ordinance**



### WHO PAYS TO RESTORE MY BROKEN OUTDOOR WATER OR SEWER LINES?

Many homeowners have the misconception that their local water or sewer provider is responsible for the water service line and sewer lateral line on their property. Contrary to this belief, the water and sewer lines that service your property are actually yours, and you are responsible for them. Many homeowners who are part of an association have a similar misconception that they are not responsible for their lines, but they very well may be. Unfortunately, many homeowners only learn this when they find themselves having a major problem.

On occasion, water companies will mail letters offering homeowners coverage on their outside lines. The homeowners inevitably react, and call their insurance company or their property manager to find out if this is already covered. Unfortunately, coverage on the external water and sewer lines is rarely—if ever—the case. Typically, insurance pays to restore an insured building or structure for damage caused by an insurable event (fire, water, smoke, etc.) In other words, insurance companies might pay for the damage the broken water line causes to your home, but not the repair of the broken line itself. In a homeowner's association, water and sewer lines are often considered "Limited Common Elements." If a limited common element only services one home, then that homeowner is likely responsible for the repair of the limited common element.

To summarize, the responsibility of the broken pipe lies with the homeowner in most cases. You may be thinking, "OK, I'm responsible...so now what?" There are a couple of options available. If your water or sewer provider offers coverage, you can purchase it through them. Please check with a water or sewer authority to see if they have an alternative such as **BCWSA's SafeGuard™ Water & Sewer Maintenance Program**. This maintenance program offers a broader protection than the standard coverage offered by a water company. **It is also available to Non-BCWSA customers in Bucks County & Montgomery County.** For more information, please go to our website [www.bcwsa.net](http://www.bcwsa.net) or call 215-343-2538 ext.140. It is worth investigating your options to determine the best course of action for you.

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Northampton Township Board Of Supervisors  
and the  
Northampton Township Veterans' Advisory Commission Welcomes You

## Northampton Township Memorial Day Ceremony

May 28, 2018 | 9:00 am

Robert H. Dembowski Jr. Veterans Memorial Park  
Routes 232 & 332 | Richboro, PA



## Northampton Township Flag Day - Flag Disposal Ceremony

*The Laws of the United States state: "When the flag is in such condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, it should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning."*

The Northampton Township Board of Supervisors and the Northampton Township Veteran's Advisory Commission cordially invite you to attend

Northampton Township Flag Disposal Ceremony  
Thursday, June 14, 2018 at 6PM  
at the Veterans Memorial  
Northampton Township Bldg.  
55 Township Road, Richboro, PA

Girl Scout Troop #270 will be making a special presentation about our flag, and Boy Scout Troop #5 will be conducting the Flag Burning Ceremony.

You may bring your old or tattered U.S. Flags for proper disposal to the ceremony. If you are unable to attend the ceremony and have flags which you want to dispose of, you may drop them off at the following locations prior to June 11th:

- Township Administration building, 55 Township Rd, Richboro
- Public Works building, 65 Township Rd, Richboro
- James E. Kinney Senior Center, 165 Township Rd, Richboro
- Northampton Free Library, 25 Upper Holland Road
- Any of the 3 Township Firehouse locations in Richboro, Holland and Churchville
- Recreation Center, 345 Newtown-Richboro Rd.

**\*\*Note:** Please remove all wooden sticks from your flags, and remember to separate your cotton flags from all other flags. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

# Northampton Township Police Department

Recent events in Parkland Florida have brought to the forefront concerns about school safety. The Northampton Township Police Department, your police department, wants to assure our community that your police are well trained and ready to address any emergency situation within our schools. The intention of this article is to share information with the community regarding many measures the police department utilizes that may not be commonly known.

The police department has an officer assigned to the high school, full-time, as a School Resource Officer (SRO). The officer assigned is woven into the fabric of the school community; he is more than a mere presence or symbol. The SRO is integrated into school curriculum by making classroom presentations. The officer is a ready resource for professional and support staff bringing the officer's brand of expertise into conversations about school climate. The officer participates in the Council Rock Coalition for Healthy Youth (CRCHY). CRCHY offers stakeholders from various community organizations the opportunity to meet, discuss, and identify remedies to high risk behaviors of our children.

Last month, the SRO successfully completed a rigorous interactive training program, tailored specifically to school police officers. The training assessed how the officer responded, observed, oriented and acted under stress to school specific incidents. Our patrol officers are in the process of completing similar training. Many of our officers have already completed this comprehensive training program.

Our patrol officers routinely perform safety checks at our elementary and middle schools by parking their cars in front of schools, walking the hallways, and meeting with school staff. This requirement is a long standing operations policy for Northampton officers. The "Adopt A Cop" program has officers going in schools to make presentations in classrooms or just stopping by to visit. This interaction presents opportunities for students, staff, and officers to build positive rapport. Building relationships and partnerships creates an atmosphere where staff and students feel comfortable bringing concerns to the officer which helps to keep the community and our schools safe.

While the department has a strong emphasis on prevention and mitigation of emergency incidents in our schools, we have an equal emphasis on response to and elimination of threats to our school population.

The Police department is a member of the South Central SWAT team. Our Emergency Response Team conducts drills and training to keep the members proficient in all aspects of response to emergency situations. Designated officers from our police department serve on the SWAT team as tactical officers, crisis negotiators, and tactical emergency medical officers. Before being promoted into our current positions within the department, Lieutenant LeCompte and I served a number of leadership roles within the SWAT Team. We both have years of tactical and de-escalation experience and have a vested interest in the SWAT Team and our officers remaining proficient in the tactical response to emergencies.

Our police cars are equipped with a computer system that allows officers' access to the security camera system of the High School in the event of an emergency. Our headquarters operations room personnel have similar access to the camera system for emergencies. Our police also have the ability to speak directly with school personnel through our police radio system. This technology allows the police to have real time viewing of an event so we can quickly deploy arriving officers and have up to date information to instantly address any threat to the safety of the school community. Arriving officers will immediately enter a school and move to quickly eliminate the threat in an effort to preserve life.

The Northampton Township Police Department stands ready and committed to respond to any emergency situation within our school and has additional training scheduled for our officers. We do however need the assistance of the school community. Please remain attentive to changes in behaviors of students and staff, and report concerning postings on social media and rumors. Notify the police, a trusted teacher, support staff or school administrator of potential problems. If you see or hear something, please say something. Together we enhance the security of our schools.

Michael Clark, Police Chief

Chief Michael Clark is proud to announce that on Friday February 16, 2018, Detective Sergeant Charles Pinkerton and Sergeant David Egan participated in the graduation ceremony of Class #246, of Northwestern University's School of Police Staff and Command. Class #246, which consisted of forty Police Command and Supervisory Officers from across southeastern Pennsylvania, studied a broad range of subjects relative to command/management of a law enforcement agency commencing on October 9, 2017 and concluding on February 16, 2018.

*Detective Sergeant Charles Pinkerton (left) and Sergeant David Egan (right)*



## Twin Trees



MAIN HOUSE, LOOKING SOUTH



MAIN HOUSE, LOOKING WEST



Richard Leedom Sr., a Northampton resident in the mid 1700s, owned a store and a grist mill as well as the Black Bear, a tavern located at the intersection that we know as Bustleton Pike and Second Street Pike. The village was actually known as Leedomville for a period of time. Leedom lived in quarters above the tavern; however, in 1779 he purchased a small house located across the street on Second Street Pike. He expanded the original house by building a beautiful two story fieldstone structure, as well as additional buildings including a wagon house, smoke house, grainery and outhouse. The original home is thought to have been built circa 1740 to 1760 by a Quaker carpenter named Isaac Watson.

It is believed that The Committee of Correspondence held meetings in this house prior to the drawing up of the U.S. Constitution. It is also thought to have housed a general store and it was probably the site of Richboro's first Post Office. There were two buttonwood trees in the side lawn and a pair of chestnut trees in the front lawn, doubtlessly leading to the property being known as Twin Trees.

On June 5, 1975, Twin Trees was placed on the National Register of Historic Places, our nation's catalog of historically and architecturally significant sites and structures. Entry upon the National Register gives recognition to the historical and/or architectural merits of the structure.

The original section of the house was built of rough field stone as was common at the time. A large walk in fireplace containing a beehive oven for cooking and a door for the passage of firewood continue to be focal points in the keeping room. Built-in cabinetry and a large stone sink are also keeping room features of the old house. The second floor had two rooms. One room with a small fireplace is thought to have been the "borning room." Random width pine floor boards throughout the original house and its 1779 addition were hand hewn and secured with hand wrought nails.

The two story farmhouse addition built in 1779 has ceilings which reach a towering 9' 6". The first and second floors, connected by a beautiful wooden staircase, have two rooms on each side of a center hall. Eight fireplaces are in this addition totaling ten in the entire historic structure. The deep basement provided cold storage and there is also a cold vault outside for food preservation.

A ladder in the attic gave access to a door in the cedar roof in case of fire. Scorched timbers in the basement would suggest that there was a fire at some point, not uncommon due to the numerous fireplaces needed to heat homes of that period.

All of this history lives behind the walls of the Campbell and Thomas Funeral Home in Richboro.



# James E. Kinney Senior Center



## SPRING into action at the.....

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- Bereavement Support Group
- Billiards
- Bingo
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- Book Club
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- Ceramics
- Chair Yoga
- Coloring Club
- Cribbage
- Darts
- Gentle Yoga
- Golf (Spring & Summer)
- Indoor Shuffleboard
- Luncheons
- Mah Jongg
- Meetings/Programs
- Parties
- Pinochle
- Poker Club
- Scrabble
- Seniorcise
- Spanish Classes
- Stained Glass
- Table Tennis
- Tai Chi
- Tap Time
- The Power of Paint
- Trips
- Watercolors
- Wood Carving
- Workshops
- Yoga

The center always welcomes new members. For a membership fee of \$20 per year, anyone age 55 or better can be a part of the "best bargain in town."

For more information stop by the center for a tour or call (215) 357-8199.

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### THE AWESOMENESS CONTINUES...

You probably hear your friends and family saying that "awesome" is a word that is being used much too often. Any way you turn it around, the word still means outstanding, impressive, astounding, superb, sublime, marvelous, maybe even legendary! How can there ever be too much of all those great, positive things?

This time last year the senior center kicked off the "Awesome Project." The purpose of the project is to reinforce the meaning of awesome, and how each and every person is awesome in their own way. We highlighted the benefits of being a member of our awesome center – the opportunity to participate in classes at discounted rates, every two months our entertaining and informative center newsletter is delivered to your home, invitations to special "Members Only" parties and let's not forget the "Awesome Members Perk Packet." A coupon booklet filled with discount offers for area businesses. This is exclusive only to the members of the Northampton James E. Kinney Senior Center! What's even better is that all of these awesome benefits cost only \$20 a year! Now that's a bargain!

A new "Perks Packet" will be available starting April 1st, 2018 when you join the center as a new member (must be age 55 or better) or renew your membership dues. The packet promises to be bigger and better than last year's.

Get ready for another outrageously awesome year at the Senior Center!

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## On My Own Preschool Story Time with Ms. Christy

**Mondays at 11:00 am or 2:00 pm April 23-May 21**

This story time is designed to allow preschoolers to attend on their own while parents are close by.

*Ages 3 ½ - 5. Registration required and begins on April 2.*

## Baby Story Time with Ms. Christy

**Wednesdays at 10:30 am April 18 – May 2**

30 minutes of simple stories, rhymes and songs for babies up to 23 months.

*No registration.*



## Dog Days at the Library

**Saturday May 5 at 11:00 am**

Storytime for the dogs! Children in kindergarten – 6th grade are encouraged to come and read to the Nor'Wester Reader Therapy Dogs.

*No registration.*

## Block Party

**2nd Monday of the month at 12:00 pm May 14**

Hour long free play session with blocks and accompanying materials where preschoolers have the freedom to build social skills, problem solving abilities and their imagination.

*For children ages 3-6. No registration.*

## Preschool Playgroup

**3rd Tuesday of the Month at 10:30 am May 15**

Parents & caregivers of children ages 2-6 are invited to come play at the library! We have new toys to enjoy. This is a great opportunity to meet families in the community or plan a group date with friends.

*No registration.*

## Tinker Tuesday

**4th Tuesday of the month at 4:30 pm April 24 and May 22**

Robots, circuits and engineering! Supplies provided through a CREF Grant.

*For grades 3-8. Siblings welcome. No registration.*

## LEAP into Science with Ms. Susan

**Wednesday, May 2 Design It, Build It at 7:00 pm**

Drop-in for this workshop where families work together and have fun with science! LEAP into Science is designed by The Franklin Institute to engage children and families in science and literacy by integrating hands-on science activities with children's literature.

*Family program for all ages. No registration.*



## Pre-Code Program

**Saturday April 21, 28 AND May 5 at 2:30 pm**

This 3 week program is for children ages 5-8 along with a parent caregiver. Together we will explore many no-tech, low-tech and high-tech coding games that are appropriate for young children.

*Registration is required and begins on March 31.*

## Escape Room

**Saturday, May 19**

Find clues and solve puzzles to escape the room! Family event – kids ages 8 and up.

*Registration is required and begins on April 28.*

*No online registration, please call or stop in for an available time slot. Sessions run for 45 minutes from 11:00 am-3:00 pm.*

## Coming in June...

### Libraries Rock! Summer Quest

Beginning Saturday, June 16 Preschoolers – Teens can come in to pick up a Summer Quest Activity Log.

*More information will be coming soon!*

## What Else is Happening at the Library?

Are you thinking about downsizing? Join **"Home Downsizing" expert, Court Eberling, on Thursday, April 19th at 7:00pm.** Mr. Eberling guides people as they sort through years of household accumulations. You will learn what to keep, discard, donate, recycle, or sell. This is an excellent program for seniors, children of seniors, or anyone planning a move or selling a home. No registration.

Opioid addiction is a nationwide problem, but it also strikes close to home here in Bucks County. **On Tuesday, April 24th at 7:00pm, Diane Rosati, the Executive Director of the Bucks County Drug & Alcohol Commission and Matthew Weintraub, Bucks County District Attorney team up on for an "Opioid Awareness" program.** Please attend and be empowered to combat this crisis. This program fulfills Health Literacy at our Gold Star Library.

A rite of passage for a teen is gaining a driver's license, but such a milestone comes with an insurance expense for these teens and their families. **"Insuring Teen Drivers" presented by the Pennsylvania Insurance Department on Wednesday, April 25th at 7:00pm** will inform both parents and teens on the often confusing course that is teen driving insurance. No registration. This program fulfills Financial Literacy at our Gold Star Library.

Rich with history, Philadelphia is truly a city of firsts. **On Saturday, May 12th at 2:00pm, the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts presents: "Philadelphia Firsts: a History of Philadelphia Through Art.** With artwork from the Academy's historic collection, view and learn how important Philadelphia was, and is, to the growth of the nation. Philly had the first museum, first waterworks, first public fountain, and the first steamboat on the Schuylkill River. View these accomplishments through the "social media" of the day—works of art by talented artists of the 18th and 19th centuries. No registration.

Darla DeMorrow returns to get you ready for a simplified summer. Join her on **Thursday, May 17th at 7:00pm for "Start Your Summer with an Organized Home and Garage."** Before the weather turns too hot, learn the 5-step formula for organizing any space and finally enjoy the summer guilt-free and clutter-free.

**Doylestown Health Connections presents a Memory Workshop entitled "Is it Forgetfulness or Is it Alzheimer's" on Tuesday, May 22nd at 6:30pm.** Losing one's memory is frightening. If you or a family member is experiencing memory problems, please attend this workshop. The program will provide the facts of memory loss as well as options for care. No registration. This program fulfills Health Literacy at our Gold Star Library.

**On Saturday, June 9th at 2:00pm, Fred Miller returns with another fabulous "lecture-in-song"—Great Lady Songwriters.** The ladies have not been forgotten as Fred pays tribute to the significant contribution of eight women, representing a broad range of styles and eras. Songs you know—"Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf," "Young at Heart," and "You Oughta Be in Pictures"—but maybe did not realize the female talent behind them. An afternoon of pure delight. No registration.

Scams, Identity Theft—it dominates the news media. Learn what can you do to keep yourself and your family safe by joining an official from the **Pennsylvania Department of Banking and Securities on Thursday, June 14th at 7:00pm for the presentations of "Avoiding Scams" and "Identity Theft & Cybersecurity."** No registration. These programs fulfill Financial Literacy at our Gold Star Library.

**On Thursday, June 21st at 7:00pm Nina Haydel portrays "The Last Woman at the Alamo: Susanna Dickinson."** Ms. Haydel excels in depicting strong women in American history, and her monologue on Susanna Dickinson is no different. Learn of the harrowing days during the siege of the Alamo and of the brutal battle with the Mexican Army that followed. Susanna and her infant daughter survived to tell of the brave men of the Alamo—come and listen to history. No registration.

Gone are the days of searching dusty paper records to trace one's ancestors. Today, technology has allowed genealogical data to be stored digitally and thus, searchable by a computer. A member of the Association of Professional Genealogists and the Bucks County Historical Society, **Constance Ace returns to the library and presents "Online Genealogy Research" on Saturday, July 14th at 2:00pm.** She teaches how to utilize online genealogical resources, including commercially available tools and websites. No registration.

The music harps produce is divine. However, did you know there are two different types of harps? **Join skilled harpists Darcy Fair and Gloria Galante on Thursday, July 19th at 7:00pm as they compare and contrast these two instruments and delight all with a melodious harp concert.** No registration.





## EARTH DAY: A COMMUNITY CELEBRATION

**Saturday, April 28 | 11am-2pm**  
**Core Creek Park, Langhorne**  
**FREE**

**[www.NorthamptonRec.com](http://www.NorthamptonRec.com)**

Join Northampton Township Parks & Recreation, Middletown, Newtown & Fall Townships along with other Bucks County communities and businesses to celebrate Earth Day. Enjoy free entertainment and children's activities. Explore new ideas for saving energy in your home and business, learn how to increase your recycling and grow your own backyard garden. Find out about outdoor recreation opportunities in Bucks County such as biking, hiking, kayaking, boating, bird watching and nature exploration.

## BUCKSFIT 5K RUN, 1K FUN RUN

**Sunday, April 29 | 5K Run - 8:30am • 1K Fun Run – 8:45am**

**Northampton Municipal Park, Playground Pavilion**

**Register online at [NorthamptonRec.com](http://NorthamptonRec.com) or day of race beginning at 7:15 am**

**Cost: Register by 4/20: Grades K-6: \$12 | 14yrs-Adult: \$22**

**Register after 4/20: Grades K-6: \$15 | 14yrs-Adult: \$25**

Registration includes a t-shirt, while supplies last, and refreshments.

**Challenge YOURSELF!** Whether you are a seasoned pro, a first time runner or walker, this race has it all covered. Start your program now and you'll be ready for April!

**The BucksFit 5K Run:** Awards for Top runners - Male & Female, Child and School categories in 5K receive cash value gift cards. 5K Run awards in all age categories 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Elementary School Bracket.

**1K Fun Run/Walk:** Go at your own pace, no timing or pressure, just great exercise.



## COMMUNITY YARD SALE AT YOUR HOME

**Saturday, May 19 | 8am-2pm**

**Cost: \$10 to register your home in the township wide yard sale**

Do you want to do a little spring cleaning and earn a few extra dollars along the way? Do you have clutter that you want out of your house? Join Northampton Township Parks and Recreation and sign up to participate in our interactive community wide yard sale! Sell or Buy! Register your home yard sale with us to receive a spot on our township wide map, a listing in our directory, and a sign to post near your home. You price your own items and KEEP ALL PROCEEDS. Attend the community wide yard sale. Pick up a free yard sale directory after May 10th at the Township Admin. Bldg. or Recreation Center. Visit **[www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com)** for details and to download a digital copy.

## TRIP TO PRINCETON: A SHAMLESS NAME-DROPPING TOUR

**Tuesday, May 22 | Depart: 9:30am • Return: 4:30pm (approximate)**

**Fees: \$78 per person, includes 2 hour guided tour of Princeton University, lunch and transportation**

**Register online at [www.NorthamptonRec.com](http://www.NorthamptonRec.com)**

A chance to visit or re-visit iconic Princeton with its' surrounding charm and history...and even a few scandals! The first hour will be a walking tour with the second hour spent in the comfort of the bus. Hear stories, some historic, some entertaining and some tall tales of famous names and faces that called Princeton their home. With lots to hear about and see at every corner, enjoy a tour of the Princeton campus and beyond. Lunch will be served at Winberie's Restaurant, a well-known favorite across from the University. After lunch, there will be time to wander the historic sites and shops at Palmer Square before boarding the bus back to Richboro.



## KIDS' FISHING DERBY

**Saturday, June 2 | 8:30-11:30am • Awards at Noon**

**Tyler State Park Dam (near Boat House)**

**Cost: \$8 – Northampton Twp. residents only, 16 yrs. and under; \$20 per family (limit of 4)**

**\$10 – Non-residents 16 yrs. and under, \$30 per family (limit of 4)**

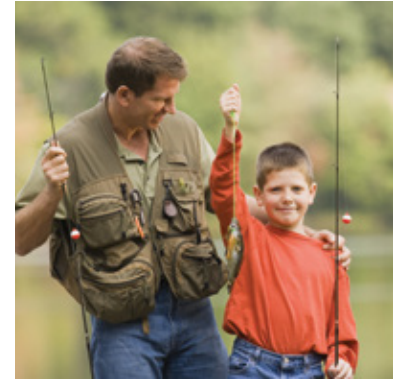
**Adults are free!**

**Register online at [www.NorthamptonRec.com](http://www.NorthamptonRec.com)**

Bring a fishing pole and bucket. No experience needed. Each child will receive an official fishing derby kit, cups of bait, soda & soft pretzel.

A license-free day for children 16 and under.\* Bring a bucket to carry the fish to the weigh station where they will be measured and recorded for prizes. Expert fishermen from Langhorne Rod & Gun Club will be on hand to provide great tips for fishing success. *\*Adults may provide assistance, however a fishing license is required for any adult wishing to fish for themselves. This is a catch and release program.*

The Langhorne Rod & Gun Club will be holding a Fishing Derby on Saturday, April 14, 9am- 1 pm. Info at: [www.langhornerodandgun.com](http://www.langhornerodandgun.com)



## MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION TOUR

**Monday, June 18 | Depart: 9am from Northampton Twsp. Admin. Building**

**Return: 5pm (approximate)**

**Cost: \$45 per person, includes museum admission, bus transportation and gratuity**

**Register online at [www.NorthamptonRec.com](http://www.NorthamptonRec.com)**

Take a trip downtown to the historic district of Philadelphia. Tour the Museum of the American Revolution taking a historical paintbrush that will immerse you back into the beginnings of our nation. Afterwards plan time on your own to explore the area: The Liberty Bell, Constitution Center, Independence Hall among many other sites all within walking distance. Lunch is on your own with many options: Cross Keys Café located at the Museum or a variety of restaurants within walking distance: City Tavern, Second Story Brewing or the Revolutionary Diner among others. There will be free time to explore and shop in this charming slice of Americana before boarding the bus back to Richboro.



## STAR GAZING IN THE PARK

**Sunday, June 24 | 8:30pm**

**Northampton Municipal Park, 281 Hatboro Road, Churchville**

**FREE**

Keep your eyes to the sky! The Bucks-Mont Astronomical Association will be on hand for public star gazing at the Municipal Park on Sunday, June 24 (inclement weather date: Wednesday, June 27). You will experience first-hand views of the stars, planets and sky. The Association members will share their high powered equipment, education, knowledge and expertise to bring outer space to you. Bring your own telescope or view through ones provided by the Association. Bring a blank, chair and flashlight. All ages.



## TRENTON THUNDER DISCOUNTED TICKETS

It's an evening of baseball memories at nearby Arm & Hammer Stadium in Trenton. Get your group together and check out the up and coming players from all teams. There are a lot of games to choose from May through September. For tickets, visit [www.NorthamptonRec.com](http://www.NorthamptonRec.com) or call the Parks & Recreation office at 215-357-6800 ext. 256.

**Cost: \$11 Super Value Tickets (adults and children over 4 years)**

Wednesday, May 30   7pm	Reading Fightin' Phils	Fireworks & Wine Wednesday
Thursday, May 31   7pm	Reading Fightin' Phils	Fireworks & Thirsty Thursday
Sunday, June 17   1pm	Erie Sea	Father's Day giveaway
Tuesday, July 3   7pm	NH Fisher Cats	Fireworks & Hot Dog Night
Saturday, July 28   7pm	Portland Sea Dog	Fireworks
Saturday, September 1   7pm	Reading Fightin' Phils	Fireworks



# 2018 Sights & SOUNDS OF SUMMER

Admission is FREE. • Starts at 7:00 PM unless indicated  
 Held at the Northampton Twp. Municipal Park, 281 Hatboro Road, Churchville  
 Rain Location: Maureen M. Welch School Gym, 750 New Rd.  
 Bring a lawn chair or blanket as seating is on the ground.

## Thursday, June 7 • 6:30 pm

Council Rock MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ BANDS ~ Enjoy the sounds and talent of our own local students!

## Thursday, June 14

DUELING PIANOS~ sweet harmonies and intricate melodies. Take a sentimental journey of Big Band 1940's era and beyond.

## Thursday, June 21

HOT TATERS ~ keeping you entertained from Dixieland to the sounds of New Orleans, classic favs and happy sing-a-longs.

## Thursday, June 28

PUPPETS PIZZAZZ~ entertaining kids and families with loveable puppets performing songs, skits and more!

## Thursday, July 12

BAREFOOT BOBBY & the BREAKERS ~ a blend of Pop, Country and Rock radio hits all served up in an interactive, energetic show.

## Thursday, July 19

RIVER OF DREAMS ~ recreating the memories, magic and music of Billy Joel. A real tribute to all the great hits.

## Thursday, August 2

THE LARGE FLOWERHEADS ~ a groovy trip back to the '60s with fab songs of love, sunshine and happiness.

## Thursday, August 9

THE MANGO MEN ~ a local favorite with a vibe that makes you feel like you are on a summer vacation from the Jersey shore to Key West.

Refreshments available –Proceeds benefit the Northampton Lions Club.  
 Business Sponsorship Support is encouraged! Interested? Call 215-357-6800 ext. 256



## Northampton Township Preschool Potpourri

*Learn my letters A, B, C*

*Learn my numbers 1, 2, 3*

*I can even write my name with ease.*

*Aren't you very proud of me!*



Looking for a preschool for the **2018-2019** school year? We still have openings! Come check out Northampton Township's best kept secret. Your child will enjoy a variety of fun learning experiences in a warm and friendly atmosphere. All preschoolers are also enriched with Music every week and Computers every other week. Early drop-off available!

**Children must be completely potty trained and self sufficient. NO PULL-UPS ALLOWED**

**3 year old (2 Day)** – Tues. & Thurs. 9:30 a.m to 12:00 noon • \$1,410.00 per year (\$141 per month)

**3 year old (3 Day)** – Mon./Wed./Fri. 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon (*LIMITED AVAILABILITY*) • \$1,800.00 per year (\$180 per month)

**4 year old class (5 Day)** – Mon. thru Fri. 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon (*LIMITED AVAILABILITY*) • \$2,990.00 per year (\$299 per month)

**4+K (5 Day)\*** – Mon. thru Fri. 9:30 a.m. to 12:45 noon • \$3,500.00 per year (\$350 per month)

*\*For children that miss the cut off or who attend afternoon Kindergarten. We bus to Richboro Elementary for afternoon Kindergarten.*

Tuition is paid over 10 month (Sept. – June) • \$25 non-refundable deposit holds your spot • Children must be 3 by October 15, 2018  
**For further information or to schedule a tour, please contact Barbra Primavera at 215-357-5396 x313**

# Dive Right in to Summer

Looking for a relaxed family atmosphere where you can enjoy a dip in the pool and fun in the sun weekdays while keeping your weekends free for trips to the shore, the mountains or to attend you favorite activities?



## JOIN NORTHAMPTON SWIM CLUB TODAY!

Located at Northampton Valley Country Club, Harmony Drive & Newtown-Richboro Roads

Members enjoy bonus events throughout the season PLUS special rates for swim team and swim lessons too!

- Membership is Monday through Friday only. NO weekend swimming is available.
- Family is a husband and/or wife and dependent children under age 21, residing at the same address on a permanent basis.
- One caregiver age 18 or over may be added to a family membership.
- Children under 14 may join only with another family member who is 21 or older.
- Children 14 and older are required to provide proof of age to join as a single member. Parental signature is required granting permission for 14 to 18 year olds to attend the swim club alone.
- No charge for children under 2, however, the child's information is needed to process the membership.
- Senior rate is available for individuals age 62 and over, or couples both age 62 and over.
- Age determined as of the first day of the season, May 28, 2018.

Single \$235 • Family of 2 \$455 • Family of 3 \$580 • Family of 4 \$665 • Each Additional Family Member \$50

Senior Single \$150 • Senior Couple \$250 (Non-Northampton residents are welcome to join for just \$30 more!)

TO REGISTER, VISIT [www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com), STOP BY THE PARKS & REC OFFICE, OR CALL 215-357-6800 EXT 249.



**NORTHAMPTON SWIM TEAM** is a member of the Lower Bucks Swim League (LBSL), Red Division. This competitive summer swim program provides an excellent recreational athletic activity for children and teens ages 5 to 18 years old.

### Registration includes 3 Steps:

1. Club Membership Fee
2. Township Swim Team Fee - **NEW THIS SEASON** on-line registration is now available, visit [www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com). Questions? Contact the Parks and Rec Office at 215-357-6800 ext. 249 or Swim Club Manager, Debbie Catoggio, [dcatoggio@nhtwp.org](mailto:dcatoggio@nhtwp.org).
3. LBSL registration and NST Parent Association Fee, visit <https://nst.swimtopia.com>. Questions? Contact [NSTParentsassoc@gmail.com](mailto:NSTParentsassoc@gmail.com).

Practice, meet, or event line up questions should be addressed to Coach Geoff at [gboodey@gmail.com](mailto:gboodey@gmail.com).

## YOUTH SWIM LESSONS *A Northampton Favorite!*

Taught by experienced and caring instructors with a 1:6 or less ratio. Classes meet Mondays through Thursdays in 2 week sessions, (except the week of July 4th, classes will be held Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday). In the event of inclement or threatening weather, a decision to cancel classes will be made 30 minutes prior to class time. If classes are cancelled, Friday may be used as a rain date or a credit will be issued. No additional make-up classes or refunds are offered. Sessions are scheduled throughout the summer. Check our website for full class descriptions, schedules and fees. Sign up for 3 or more sessions in the same transaction and receive \$15 discount. Use PROMO CODE 18+3Lessons-15. This offer is good for the same child or different children in the same household.



## ADULT SWIM LESSONS *Back by popular demand*

For participants 18 years of age and older, who have little to no experience swimming or who are uncomfortable in the water. Classes are scheduled early morning, prior to the swim club opening to increase participants' privacy and comfort level and are designed to help develop safe swimming habits and skills. Sign up for Tuesdays or Thursdays or both!

Check out schedule and pricing at [www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com)



### LOOKING FOR A SUMMER JOB?

Northampton Township Parks & Recreation is NOW accepting applications for Assistant Swim Coach, Lifeguards, Camp Counselors and Seasonal Parks Maintenance Staff. Visit [www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com) for Frequently Asked Questions and a link to Application for Employment. Apply today!

# 2018 Summer Camp

## REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR OUR AWARD WINNING SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS.

2018 Prices for 1st–6th grade camps include select trips and Camp Carnival Day!

2018 TUITION SCHEDULE					
CAMP	DEPOSIT	PAY IN FULL BY 5/15	CAMP	DEPOSIT	PAY IN FULL BY 5/15
Ultimate Quest	\$300	\$1630	Camp Explore	\$100	\$495
Quest (5 Weeks)	\$300	\$995	Little Discoverer's (3 Days)	\$100	\$370
Quest (6 Weeks)	\$300	\$1010	Little Discoverer's (5 Day, 5 weeks)	\$100	\$450
Summit (Trips)	\$300	\$995	Little Discoverer's (5 Day, 6 weeks)	\$100	\$525
Camp Adventure	\$300	\$2110			
Camp Expedition	\$300	\$995			

Registering is easy and convenient! Register online at [www.northamptonrec.com](http://www.northamptonrec.com) or in person at the Township Administration Building or Recreation Center. Fee schedule is for your convenience ONLY. ALL BALANCES MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY MAY 15 to avoid additional fees. Fees listed are for Northampton Residents only.

### SUMMIT: JUST TRIPS FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 9TH GRADE

VERY POPULAR! REGISTER EARLY! Perfect for the kids who just want to go on TRIPS! Includes transportation, lunch and supervision. From Broadway to Bowling, Dorney Park to Six Flags, Camel Beach to Zip Lining and much more!

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule (trips are included) | \$300 deposit required | 5 weeks**

**AM Early Drop-off: 8:00 AM \$50 | Add Swimming \$125**

**DAY:** Tuesday–Thursday **DATE:** 6/26–8/2 (no trips 7/3–7/5)

**TIME:** Times vary **LOCATION:** Northampton Township Library

**CLASS #:** 3789

### QUEST CAMP EXCELLENCE IN PROGRAMMING AWARD FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 7TH OR 8TH GRADE

Quest, a camp program that keeps the young teen entertained and happy! What makes this camp different? Your child's input and interests are placed right into the camp curriculum — no more boredom! Participants enjoy extensive trips, special guests, arts and crafts, intramural sports, a summer color competition and anything else they can think of! In it's 18th award winning year, Summer Quest is the answer parents of 7th & 8th graders have been searching for!

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule | Add Swimming \$195**

**DAY:** Monday–Thursday **DATE:** 6/25–8/2 (no camp 7/4)

**TIME:** 9:00 AM–2:00 PM **LOCATION:** Welch Elementary School

**CLASS #:** 3791

### ULTIMATE QUEST CAMP

#### FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 7TH OR 8TH GRADE

Working parents of Quest aged children can have peace of mind too! Participants get all the benefits of the regular Quest program, with an earlier drop off, later pick up, and FRIDAYS! Daily trips to the pool, special Friday events and trips are included!

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule | Swimming and trips are included**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 6/25–8/3 (no camp 7/4)

**TIME:** 7:30 AM–6:00 PM **LOCATION:** Welch Elementary School

**CLASS #:** 3791



### CAMP ADVENTURE: 5 TRIPS, CAMP CARNIVAL DAY & 3 LUNCH DAYS EACH WEEK ARE INCLUDED!

#### FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 1ST–6TH GRADES

Are you a working parent or does your child just need hours and hours of non-stop fun? Look no further! This extremely popular eight week program will provide your child with constant fun, laughter and a lifetime of memories. Camp opens at 7:30 AM—drop your child off at anytime from 7:30–9 AM, right on your way to work! Pick them up on your way home! Children enjoy sports, crafts, indoor and outdoor games, daily swimming at Northampton Valley Country Club and Friday dress up days. Camp Adventure also offers Clubs in which special instructors are invited in to focus on the special interests of your child — from karate to cooking, we offer it all! The Camp Adventure Staff is warm, caring and enthusiastic and has undergone extensive background checks and staff training. The best news of all? 5 trips are now included! Extra trips will be offered at an additional fee. There is no refund if your child does not participate in the included trips. Camp is in session on all trip days. Registrations for 8 full weeks only. Fees will not be prorated!

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule \$300 deposit due at registration | 8 weeks**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 6/25–8/17 (no camp 7/4)

**TIME:** 7:30 AM–6:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**CLASS #:** 3720

### CAMP EXPLORE: 3 TRIPS & CAMP CARNIVAL DAY INCLUDED!

#### NEW TIME! FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 1ST–6TH GRADES

Are you looking to keep your kids busy this summer, but also enjoy having them home? Camp Explore offers the best of both worlds! Camp Explore is a half day program that is loaded with fun activities to keep your child happy and active! This seven week program offers sports, indoor and outdoor games, arts and crafts and special Friday Theme Days! If you are looking for a little bit more, Camp Explore offers swimming from 12:30–3:30 one day a week at an additional fee. Give your child a taste of camp and enjoy your afternoons together all summer! Camp is NOT in session on the three included trip days. Additional trips will NOT be offered. There is no refund if your child does not participate in the trips. No partial summer enrollment is accepted. Fees will not be prorated.

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule | \$100 deposit due at registration 7 weeks | \$110 Add Swimming**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 6/25–8/10 (no camp 7/4)

**TIME:** 9:30 AM–12:30 PM

**LOCATION:** Churchville Elementary School **CLASS #:** 3794

**LOCATION:** Rolling Hills Elementary School **CLASS #:** 3806



**CAMP EXPEDITION: 4 TRIPS, CAMP CARNIVAL DAY & SWIMMING 3 DAYS/WEEK INCLUDED! FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 1ST-6TH GRADES**

It is Camp Explore with MORE! Camp Expedition is perfect for the part-time working parent or for parents who just want their child to have a little bit more camp time! Camp Expedition offers sports, arts and crafts, Friday Theme Days, loads of fun indoor and outdoor games and swimming every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Give your child a lifetime of memories and register today! Extra trips will be offered at an additional fee. There is no refund if your child does not participate in the included trips. Camp is in session on included trip days. Registrations is for 7 weeks only, no partial summer enrollment is accepted. Fees will not be prorated.

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule**

**\$300 deposit due at registration**

**7 weeks**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday

**DATE:** 6/25-8/10

(no camp 7/4)

**TIME:** 8:30 AM-3:30 PM

**LOCATION:** Churchville

Elementary

**CLASS #:** 3721



**LITTLE DISCOVERER'S CAMP**

**NEW TIME! FOR CAMPERS AGES 3-5 / POTTY-TRAINED**

Little Discoverer's is "camp in a preschool setting." Children enjoy free play, circle time, outdoor play, songs and games, a daily craft and snack, and so much more! Weekly themes are incorporated into the activities for added fun! One week your child could be on a Jungle Safari, and the next on an Adventure in Space! Every week, is new, different and tons of fun! Camper: Counselor Ratio is 5:1.

**Fee: Please see 2018 Tuition Schedule | \$100 deposit due at registration 5 or 6 weeks**

DAY:	DATE:	TIME	LOCATION:	CLASS #:
Monday-Friday	6/25-8/3 (no camp 7/4)		Churchville Elementary School	3795
Monday-Friday	6/25-8/3 (no camp 7/4)	9:30 AM -12:30 PM		
Tuesday-Thursday	6/26-8/2 (no camp 7/4)			
Monday-Friday	6/25-8/3 (no camp 7/4)		Rolling Hills Elementary	3797
Monday-Friday	6/25-8/3 (no camp 7/4)	9:30 AM -12:30 PM		
Tuesday-Thursday	6/26-8/2 (no camp 7/4)			

**2018 Summer Specialty Camps**

**MORE COMING SOON! CONTINUE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE AND WATCH FOR THE SUMMER UPDATE IN MAY FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF OUR SPECIALTY CAMPS!**

**TENNIS CAMP BY SUSAN BOWMAN AGES 7-4**

Daily Schedule Includes:

- 9:00-9:15 AM | Warm Up and Stretching
- 9:15-10:00 AM | Drills and Stroke Production
- 10:00-10:45 AM | Games, Competition and Drills
- 10:45-11:00 AM | Break
- 11:00-11:45 AM | Games and Match Play
- 11:45 AM-12:00 PM | Games and Footwork Exercises

Make-ups will take place on Friday of camp week if there is inclement weather. Campers will be grouped by ability for best results. 10% multiple week discount - 1st week at full price. 10% off each additional week if registered before June 15th (Not to be combined with other discounts).

**ERS \$155 | R \$170 | NR \$185**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Recreation Center

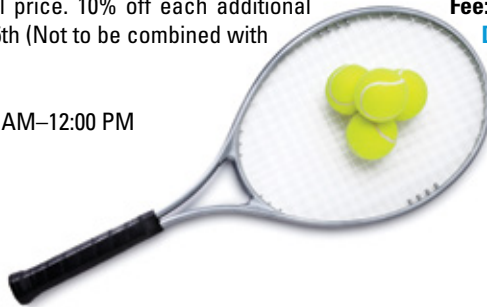
**DATE:** 7/9-7/12 **CLASS #:** 3938

**DATE:** 7/16-7/19 **CLASS #:** 3939

**DATE:** 7/23-7/26 **CLASS #:** 3940

**DATE:** 8/6-8/9 **CLASS #:** 3941

**DATE:** 8/13-8/16 **CLASS #:** 3942



**HOT SHOTZ SUMMER HOCKEY CAMP (AGES 5-15)**

Hot Shotz Summer Hockey Camp will consist of on and off ice drills and games. We will focus on skating skills and team systems to make each player a well-rounded asset to the game. We will maintain a positive atmosphere to bring out the potential of each player. We aren't asking for your player to be the best player out there but the best that he/she can be. Boys and girls ages 5 and older are welcome. Full equipment is required which includes- a helmet with full cage, knee and shin guards, elbow pads, chest protector, cup, skates and a stick. Skate rentals are included if needed.

**Fee: \$249**

**DAY:** Tuesday-Friday **TIME:** 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

**INSTRUCTOR:** Coach Vince Prozillo

**DATE:** 7/10-7/13 **LOCATION:** Wintersport **CLASS #:** 4056

**DATE:** 7/24-7/27 **LOCATION:** Bucks Ice **CLASS #:** 4057

**DATE:** 8/21-8/24 **LOCATION:** Bucks Ice **CLASS #:** 4058

**DATE:** 8/27-8/30 **LOCATION:** Wintersport **CLASS #:** 4059



**IMPACT BASKETBALL CAMP (AGES 6-10)**

Impact Basketball can provide a great opportunity to develop skills and knowledge of one of the country's most popular pastimes. Our weekly program sessions are typically split into two periods with the first featuring concept drills and games and the second featuring conditioned gameplay. The themes typically focused upon include passing, dribbling, shooting, and defense.

**ERS \$100 | R \$110 | NR \$125**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/20-8/24

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Impact Sports **CLASS #:** 4041

## ENGINEERING FOR KIDS SUMMER CAMPS

### HARDWARE ENGINEERING: SCRATCH PROGRAMMING & MAKEY MAKEY (AGES 4-7)

When your favorite song comes on the radio do you sit quietly or do you dance around and play the air drum solo? In Hardware Engineering With Scratch and Makey Makey, we are going to explore how different sounds are created and we will create our own interpretations of common musical instruments like drums, piano, guitar, and even a recorder, and we will create our very own dancing program, all through the use of Makey Makey and Scratch to bring our music to life! The last day will end with a bang, or at least a really great mini concert from all of our students!

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 6/25-6/29

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3931

### DESIGN THE FUTURE(AGES 8-12)

What does the future look like? Join us as we embark on an odyssey to explore the future of transportation, manufacturing and structural. Let's take a look at the innovations of today and apply them to create the designs of tomorrow as we explore ways to harness clean energy and house a growing human population. Become an engineer and help Design the Future.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 6/25-6/29

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3932

### HARDWARE ENGINEERING: DIGITAL AND PHYSICAL INTERFACE (AGES 8-12)

Imagine designing a piano using celery or creating a custom digital training program. Now, envision playing video games using just your body, a bit of wire and your own imagination. In our hardware engineering program, students engineer their own customized video game controllers using a Makey Makey device and materials that can be found in just about any kitchen. Through application of circuitry, acoustical engineering and video game design, students discover new ways to interact with technology, all while creating unique designs in a fun collaborative environment.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 6/25-6/29

**TIME:** 12:30-3:30 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3933

### JR AEROSPACE ENGINEERING : TAKING TO THE SKIES(AGES 4-7)

The Junior Aerospace Engineering classes introduce our youngest engineers to fundamental concepts of aircraft and spacecraft design. Through open and focused exploration, students explore and construct airplanes, rockets, helicopters and more.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/6-8/10

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3928



### MOMENTUM MADNESS (AGES 8-12)

Zero to sixty in two seconds?! How fast can an object go without compromising safety? Students in this camp will work with their Pit Crew to design and build vehicles, such as dragsters and hovering levitrons, which should be able to withstand astonishing speeds. Fasten your seat belt, the race has begun! During the Momentum Madness camp, students will explore four fields of engineering: industrial, electrical, mechanical and aerospace. They will design and construct vehicles and safety mechanisms that will achieve the fastest speeds while still maintaining safe racing conditions.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/6-8/10

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3929

### OUT OF THIS WORLD (AGES 8-12)

Is mankind ready to inhabit the moon? With a little help from Engineering for Kids® students, humans will be prepared to take up residence by the end of the week! Students will collaborate with their Space State teams to create the safest and most effective community on the moon. Which team will earn enough Astro-Points to be declared the winner? During Out of this World camp, students will explore three fields of engineering: aerospace, civil and chemical. Collaborating with their Space State teams, they will design and construct a variety of projects that will enable mankind to safely inhabit the moon.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/6-8/10

**TIME:** 12:30-3:30 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3930

### HARDWARE ENGINEERING: DIGITAL AND PHYSICAL INTERFACE (AGES 8-12)

Pack your bags and lace up your hiking boots engineers, because at Engineer's Camp, we are engineering designs to help us explore the great outdoors. Build a tent, design waterproof clothing, engineer your own survival pack and more! Join us for a week of fun and adventure where everyone goes home a happy camper!

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/20-8/24

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3934

### MEDIEVAL MACHINATIONS – MINECRAFTEDU REDSTONE (AGES 8-12)

MinecraftEDU is an expansive game that lets players design and create unique worlds with amazing structures. One of the more complicated aspects of MinecraftEDU is Redstone, which is MinecraftEDU's version of electrical circuitry. This class will introduce students to the many uses of Redstone through a Medieval themed adventure of creation, exploration, and castle besieging, with students making mine cart tracks to help them gather resources, working together to build their kingdom, and designing traps to defend their castle, all with the use of Redstone.

**ERS \$199 | R \$210 | NR \$225**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/20-8/24

**TIME:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3935

### 3D PRINTING: MINECRAFT CREATIONS (AGES 8-12)

3D printing and Minecraft both represent boundless opportunity for creating even our wildest of ideas! In 3D Printing: Minecraft Creations, students will explore the basic concepts of 3D printing and computer - aided design, or CAD, to bring their most awesome Minecraft creation to life! Students will take their Minecraft design out of the world of Minecraft and learn how to extrude it into a 3D model that can then be modified to be printed in 3D.

**R \$229 | NR \$250**

**DAY:** Monday-Friday **DATE:** 8/20-8/24

**TIME:** 12:30-3:30 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Engineering for Kids **CLASS #:** 3936

## SCIENSATIONAL WORKSHOP CAMPS

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### MAKE IT AND TAKE IT HOME (AGES 6–11)

In this hands-on, fun, and exciting program, you will discover how amazing science is. You will make and take home a wide assortment of toys designed to teach you science concepts in a hands-on way. Grow and take home a crystal tree. Make an energy bead bracelet and watch as those amazing beads turn from white to a rainbow of colors before your eyes. Build a working electric motor. Make your own sharpie pen T-shirt and learn some cool chemistry (student supplies a 100% cotton t-shirt). Make your own bubbling blobs and explore the properties of a density tube. Make silly putty—glowing goo—green flubber and other cool projects. By the way...we will make ice cream in our own amazing, different, Sciensational way!

**ERS \$177 | R \$195 | NR \$212 | \*ERS \$319 | R \$351 | NR \$382**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/23–27

**TIME:** 9:00 AM–12:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Sciensational Staff **CLASS #:** 4037

### HOVER CRAFT: DESIGN YOUR OWN VEHICLE—EGG DROP CAR (AGES 6–11)

Do you want to design and build things that you create—not just a model you purchase? Build and keep an air powered Hover Craft. You make it defy gravity. Once it's up and moving, use your creativity to control its direction. Get to build and take home your own car. The purpose is to build a super car powered by more than one source of energy. We provide you with many materials for that dynamic vehicle that you will build. Also get to build an Egg Drop Car. The purpose is to build a gravity vehicle that can cushion a raw egg as the car holding the egg is dropped from a high height. We provide you with the material to cushion the fall. You have to be creative. In these three challenges in one workshop, you will learn about Laws of Motion, Energy, Air Pressure, Friction, Lift, Speed and Acceleration. You are never too young to learn and have fun in a Sciensational hands on way.

**ERS \$177 | R \$195 | NR \$212 | \*ERS \$319 | R \$351 | NR \$382**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/23–27

**TIME:** 1:00–4:00 PM **LOCATION:** Recreation Center

**INSTRUCTOR:** Sciensational Staff **CLASS #:** 4038

## ART CAMPS BY MS. SIBYL

NOTE: Kids staying for the whole day should bring a snack and water bottle. Stay for both and only pay one \$10 materials fee!

### ART IMAGINASTIX (AGES 7–11)

Princess fairy in pajamas, french fries, frogs on bikes? Bulldogs, butterflies, beets and spinach, tall rain boots on dancing mice. Children will have a week to imagine, develop and create their own story, illustrate and decorate a unique piece of art. Brainstorming, collaborating, encouraging team building skills. The children will work as a group and individually to make their imaginative story come alive. Many artistic techniques will be explored and implemented in this project. Take home a beautiful, custom keepsake at the end of the week.

**ERS \$105 | R \$116 | NR \$130 | Materials Fee \$10**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/30–8/3

**TIME:** 9:30–11:00 AM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Ms. Sibyl **CLASS #:** 3948

### LIKE MAGIC, TURN PAPER INTO ART! (AGES 7–11)

Learning to take an everyday thing, like paper and turn it into something special and unique can feel like magic. We will have fun exploring all things paper craft. Paper pulp rainbows, marbled & Suminigashi accordion art books, custom color print collage/mosaic, paper mache basket/"hot air balloon," layered flowers, and more!

**ERS \$105 | R \$116 | NR \$130 | Materials Fee \$10**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/30–8/3

**TIME:** 11:30 AM–1:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Ms. Sibyl **CLASS #:** 3949



### ART SAFARI (AGES 7–11)

This week is dedicated to the animals of Africa. Let's imagine being in Africa on the wild plains where these beautiful animals call home. Children will study their forms, patterns and the beautiful shades and hues of their habitat.

**ERS \$105 | R \$116 | NR \$130 | Materials Fee \$10**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 8/6–8/10

**TIME:** 9:30–11:00 AM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Ms. Sibyl **CLASS #:** 3946

### PRINTMAKING (AGES 7–11)

We will make original art into prints through different methods like offset, mono and block printing. Using found objects, we will print on fabric as well as paper. We will make DIY mini screen prints, make custom stamps and incorporate textile blocks from India as well as rubber stamps into unique art pieces. Have fun with color mixing, overlapping transparent colors, stencil designing and much more.

**ERS \$105 | R \$116 | NR \$130 | Materials Fee \$10**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 8/6–8/10

**TIME:** 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Ms. Sibyl **CLASS #:** 3947

## PRESCHOOL ART CAMPS (AGES 3–5)

### SUMMERTIME FUN ARTS AND CRAFTS

Summer is a time for sunshine, ice cream, the beach and swimming. During this art class we will make a variety of summer themed crafts with a variety of materials.

**ERS \$65 | R \$72 | NR \$81**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/9–7/13

**TIME:** 10:00–10:45 AM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Dana Beifeld, Certified Art Teacher **CLASS #:** 3943

### UNDER THE SEA ADVENTURE

Are you ready to explore the wonderful world of the ocean? Do you love fish, sea horses, dolphins and sharks? In this class we will learn and create crafts about creatures that live in the ocean.

**ERS \$65 | R \$72 | NR \$81**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 7/30–8/3

**TIME:** 10:00–10:45 AM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Dana Beifeld, Certified Art Teacher **CLASS #:** 3944

### ALPHABET ARTS AND CRAFTS

Preschoolers will enjoy making a variety of crafts related to the letters of the alphabet. This will help reinforce letter sounds and sight word recognition. We will also have short circle time to come up with a list of words that start with the letters that we are covering that day.

**ERS \$65 | R \$72 | NR \$81**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday **DATE:** 8/13–8/17

**TIME:** 10:00–10:45 AM **LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Dana Beifeld, Certified Art Teacher **CLASS #:** 3945

## HAMPTON DANCE CAMP (AGES 4 – 10)

Learn short fun routines as you experience creative dance: ballet, jazz, hip hop, tap and acrobatic/tumbling. Please wear comfortable, light weight clothing. Dance clothes and shoes are welcome but not necessary. Please pack a small snack and a water bottle.

**ERS \$100 | R \$110 | NR \$125**

**DAY:** Monday–Friday

**DATE:** 6/25–6/29

**TIME:** 9:00 AM–12:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Kelli Robbins **CLASS #:** 4040



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125 Upper Holland Rd, Richboro

**DAY:** Monday–Thursday **DATE:** 7/16–7/19 **TIME:** 9:00 AM–4:00 PM

**DAY:** Friday **DATE:** 7/20 **TIME:** 12:00–6:30 PM

**LOCATION:** Richboro Elementary School

**INSTRUCTOR:** Southampton Music School **CLASS #:** 3948



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