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EARTH DAY COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

The Emmaus and Upper Milford Township Joint Environmental Advisory Council's Earth Day clean-up event and celebration was held on Saturday, April 18, 2015. The weather was fantastic, the event was a success and a great promotion for the Joint Environmental Advisory Council and environmental awareness for the entire community.

There were an estimated 155 attendees who picked up litter and trash in areas of Emmaus and Upper Milford Township. The areas cleaned were: Fourth and Jubilee Streets at the Railroad, the Railroad embankment from Weis Market to S. 10th Street, Shimerville Road, Mill Road, the S. 4th Street Snow Dump area, three sections of the Seem Seed Farm, Chestnut St. near the Pa. Turnpike, Indian Creek Road off Cedar Crest Blvd., Pennsylvania Ave, Vera Cruz Road and Buckeye Road which totaled approximately 5.2 miles of roadway. Norfolk Southern Railroad provided personnel to ensure the volunteer's safety while picking up trash from approximately 0.9 miles of Railroad.

In addition, the Earth Day Event also featured an electronics recycling opportunity for community members to safely recycle items like televisions, cell phones, microwaves, computers, air conditioners, and batteries. Items were accepted at Emmaus Community Park from 9:00 a.m. until Noon. A total amount of 9,160 lbs. of recyclables were dropped off, collected and processed by Responsible Recycling Services, LLC.

Emmaus and Upper Milford both provided employees who helped to set up the event, collected and disposed of the material gathered.

The total volume collected was:

115 (30 Gallon Bags) of Garbage • 36 (30 Gallon Bags) of Recyclables • 9 car tires

The event began with coffee and donuts and concluded with hot dogs and chips served to all the volunteers.

The following organizations provided donations, materials, and/or assistance for the event: Borough of Emmaus, Upper Milford Township, Lehigh County Authority, Weis Markets, Yocco's Hot Dogs, Rita's Italian Ice, Starbucks Coffee Company, Subway, Nestle Water, Responsible Recycling Services LLC, J P Mascaro and Sons, Lehigh County Conservation District, The PA Department of Transportation and Wesley Works. Without their help and support, the event could not have taken place.

The Environmental Advisory Council and everyone involved is very proud of this annual event. Once again, it was a huge success and continues to be a great tribute to community involvement and environmental awareness.



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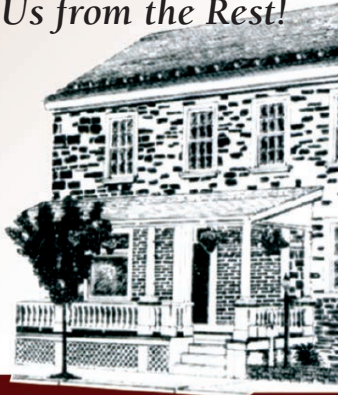
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Upper Milford Historical Society

The Upper Milford Historical Society meets the last Thursday of the month, except November and December, at 7 p.m. in the Township Building. After a short business meeting, the best parts of the evening take place. The program! The refreshments! The friends you see! If you haven't attended a meeting of the Historical Society thus far in 2015, you still have time to get in on the fun and the history. The upcoming programs are:

May 28 – As Memorial Day nears, we will hear a reenactor, Chuck Faust, talk about the plight of soldiers in four wars from America's early days.

June 25 – Did you know that the old Kleinsmith Farm on Scout Road includes a partly log house? The current owner, David Lobach, will tell us all about the history of the farm and show some photos.

July 30 – This is our picnic meeting at historic Jasper Park. It isn't much of a meeting, mostly a lot of eating, because everyone brings a covered dish to share! It begins earlier, 6 p.m. to take advantage of extra daylight.

August 27 – A native son, Donald Hemnitz, comes home this month to share his travels as an accomplished fifer and his travels on the Mayflower II. That promises to be unusually interesting.

September 24 – School begins again, and it is the topic of this month's program. Shirley Hader taught in Upper Milford and has many memories to share of schools in the Township. School was so different "in those days."

October 29 – This is our last meeting of the year, and we intend to end with a program about the Pennsylvania Dutch heritage. It was our topic October 2014, but we have so much more to add to the subject. We are looking for members (YOU) to share customs, practices, stories, poems, traditions, etc. about being Pennsylvania Dutch. Everyone joins in the discussion and fun. We'll eat PA Dutch goodies and maybe even sing Schnitzelbunk!

You don't have to be a member to attend one of our meetings, just have an interest in history. For additional information or to join, please contact Upper Milford Township at 610-966-3223.

Hope you can join us.

Roselyn Parry, Secretary

PLANNING ON DIGGING?

Call Pennsylvania One Call System, Inc. (POCS) three business days before you dig at 800-242-1776 or 8-1-1.

PA Act 287 as amended requires excavators as well as private landowners to call POCS three days prior to any type of digging occurring with powered equipment.

Mark your excavation area in white paint before calling with a dig notification.

By calling you allow the facility owners the opportunity to locate and mark their underground facility in advance of the planned excavation (gas and liquid pipelines will mark underground facilities using yellow stakes, flags or paint).



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FROM THE EMMAUS PUBLIC LIBRARY



Library hours for the Emmaus Public Library are Monday – Thursday, 10am to 9pm and Saturday 10am to 5 pm. You can always call the library (610-965-9284) with questions or go online (www.emmauspl.org) to search the catalog or use any of the useful links.

The Emmaus Public Library has been having a wonderful year.

Come by to see the **Mosaic Mural** designed and installed by East Penn School District art classes with Philadelphia artist Isaiah Zagar. Emmaus Arts Commission also gets credit for making sure this bright and creative project happened. The entire mosaic was installed over the course of a weekend.

We were also part of the **Woven Welcome community art project**, sponsored by the Allentown Art Museum in partnership with Via of the Lehigh Valley. Every Monday afternoon, people from throughout the area came to the library and worked on 3' x 5' woven rag rugs. All the rugs will be sewn together and exhibited at the Allentown Art Museum in June. After the show, the rugs will be returned to the Library for display and to use as reading rugs.

And speaking of reading rugs, we now have several 4' x 6' **indoor-outdoor rugs** that can be checked out at no charge to use on the library lawn. It's a great way to read to your kids in the sunshine without having to haul your own gear.

Summer Reading

The Emmaus Public Library opens its Summer Reading Program, "*All Heroes Have Stories*" with sign-ups for Summer Reading for kids of all ages, both Reader Heroes (school aged readers) and Buddy Readers (who are read to) on Monday, June 15th. The program runs through August. Last year over 600 children joined – let's beat that this year!

Charles Kiernan, member of the Lehigh Valley Storytellers' Guild, begins Summer Reading programming on Tuesday evening at 7 pm with "*Hero Tales!*"

Throughout the summer we will have weekly drop-in story-times, monthly movies, school-age book discussion clubs and more. The Lehigh Valley Therapy Dogs will be back for Books and Bark to listen to kids read. Then, on July 16th, Bob McLeod, author of the "*Super Hero ABC*", will draw for us all at 7 p.m.

Baseball

Tickets Available: Come cheer for the Library as part of the IronPigs / QNB "*Batting For Books*" **Donation Program** – QNB Bank selected Emmaus Public Library as the Batting For Books library this year. Every time an IronPigs batter hits a double, we get \$25 and see our name in lights! Thanks to the Friends of the Library, we have a block of 30 seats at the Tuesday, August 25 game against Buffalo. \$10 includes ticket and \$2 food voucher. More information about buying tickets is available at the Library.



In addition to books and computers, the library offers e-books to download, audiobooks on CD or cassette, movie DVDs (\$1 for 7 days), free WiFi, and even iPads for use within the building. Check our website or facebook page for the latest calendar and list of programs, like free movie matinees and monthly blood pressure checks by the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

For those new in town, residents of Upper Milford Township are eligible for an Emmaus Library Card at no charge. We need to see a government ID like a driver's license or student ID, if it doesn't have your current street address, bring something that was mailed to you at the current address.

WHAT IS STORMWATER RUNOFF?

Storm water is water from precipitation that flows across the ground and pavement when it rains or when snow and ice melt. The water seeps into the ground or drains into what we call storm sewers. These are the drains you see at street corners or at low points on the sides of streets. Collectively, the draining water is called storm water runoff.

WHY IS STORM WATER "GOOD RAIN GONE WRONG?"

Storm water becomes a problem when it picks up debris, chemicals, dirt, and other pollutants as it flows or when it causes flooding and erosion of stream banks. Storm water travels through a system of pipes and roadside ditches that make up storm sewer systems. It eventually flows directly to a lake, river, stream, wetland, or coastal water. All of the pollutants storm water carries along the way empty into our

waters, too, because storm water does not get treated!

Pet wastes left on the ground get carried away by storm water, contributing harmful bacteria, parasites and viruses to our water.

Vehicles drip fluids (oil, grease, gasoline, antifreeze, brake fluids, etc.) onto paved areas where storm water runoff carries them through our storm drain and into our water.

Waste from chemicals and materials used in construction can wash into the storm sewer system when it rains. Soil that erodes from construction sites caused environmental degradation, including harming fish and shellfish populations that are important for recreation and our economy.

Chemicals used to grow and maintain beautiful lawns and gardens, if not used properly, can run off into the storm drains when it rains or when we water our lawns and gardens.





Community Fish and Game Association

A few months ago the Township office received a request for background information on the Community Fish and Game Association. Logically, the request was passed on to the Upper Milford Historical Society for any information in our records about the group.

There was none! The Historical Society had absolutely no information about the Community Fish and Game. That had to be remedied! But, where to start? Who knows anything about the Community Fish and Game? Word was put out at the February Historical Society meeting about looking for information on the history of the group.

First up, Al Eisenhart, longtime member, was contacted. He is currently very active with the club and has been for many years. Well, Al may be a longtime member, but he is not from the old timers.

Most of those members have passed on, and Al doesn't have information or records from the beginnings of the club. Where to find written information about the group?

Enter Wally Stauffer! His wife Maryann and I chatted at the Old Zionsville Post Office one day. (What a great community meeting place our post office is!) Wally has also been a longtime member of the Fish and Game. Yes, word got back to Wally about our quest, and he remembered a book he had salvaged when the group moved their meeting site. The book was thought to be of no value at the time. Thankfully, Wally saw it differently.

On April 4, 2015, Wally delivered this book to the Historical Society containing all the Minutes of the Community Fish and Game Association from its first meeting, April 3, 1947 to December 8, 1955. History!

Included with the Minutes Book was a copy of Constitution and By-Laws of the group, incorporated March 18, 1948. The 1951 officers listed were: President, Harvey Heil; Vice-President, James Miller, Second Vice-President, Luther Arndt; Recording Secretary, Clarence Mohr Jr.; Treasurer, Jacob Bartholomew; Financial Secretary, Alan Carl; and Assistant Secretary, David Bartholomew. The By-Laws Committee was Ralph Stauffer, Lloyd Hillegass, S. Grover Carl, Clarence Mohr Jr., and Fred Montz.

In the recorded Minutes of the first meeting of the Fish and Game, April 3, 1947, at the Powder Valley Social Club, the listed officers were: President, Grover Carl; Vice-President, James Miller; Secretary, William Carl; and Treasurer, Jacob Bartholomew. Other members named for various duties were David Bartholomew, Raymond Schmaldinst, Harvey Heil, Eugene Kraft, and Morris Kleinsmith.

According to the By-Laws, the object of the club was to replenish game and fish and to promote the sport of trapshooting. The membership fee was \$1.00. Members had to be at least 16 years old. There was a \$1.00 fine for disorderly conduct at a meeting or for distributing spirituous liquor.

This is only the beginning of the history that can be obtained from the Community Fish and Game Minutes Book that Wally Stauffer had the foresight to save and has now donated to the Historical Society. Our thanks many times over, Wally!

Perhaps you, too, have some information about the Fish and Game Association to add to this history. Or, you may have information about another community group that is not now, but should be, part of our Historical Society records. We'd love to hear from you! Please contact Upper Milford Township at 610-966-3223 if you have any information you would like to share.

Roselyn Parry

Upper Milford Historical Society



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Narcotic Overdoses

Each year the Macungie Ambulance Corps chooses a topic to focus on during our numerous community outreach activities for the year. This year we have chosen the sensitive subject of narcotic overdoses. Many people do not recognize the seriousness of this epidemic.

In recent years, there has been a significant increase in deaths resulting from heroin and prescription opioids. This epidemic has spread across Pennsylvania as currently one in four families struggle with a substance abuse problem. Coroners' reports since 2009 have shown there have been more than 3,000 deaths due to overdose in Pennsylvania alone. This does not include many other related deaths from accidents, diseases, medical complications and suicides. Among people 25 to 64 years old, drug overdose now cause more deaths than motor vehicle traffic crashes. (Information courtesy of the Pennsylvania Department of Drug and Alcohol Problems)

Recently a law was passed in Pennsylvania allowing first responders, friends and families of someone struggling with drug addiction to carry and administer a medication called "naloxone" to individuals suffering a narcotic overdose. This medication quickly reverses many of the effects of a narcotic overdose and has saved countless lives. If you find someone

suffering a medical emergency related to a drug overdose, always call 911. "Naloxone" is an excellent medication but it does not replace the help of trained medical providers.

While treatment of drug addiction is the first choice for solving this epidemic, this new law affords individuals suffering an opioid overdose a chance at survival.

You can learn more information by visiting the Macungie Ambulance Corps website (www.macamb.org) and clicking on the link found on our homepage. You should also speak with your primary healthcare provider if you believe someone you know is struggling with addiction.



PERMITS REQUIRED

Upper Milford Township is a zoned community. The following are required:

- **Bonfire Permit:** required at least 10 days in advance of the proposed bonfire.
- **Building and/or Zoning Permit:** required for new construction, additions, or alterations to exterior of existing structures; deck, patio, pool, spa or hot tub; electrical work or wiring; plumbing and HVAC work; and shed.
- **Driveway Permit:** required for the construction of a driveway or other means of ingress or egress onto a Township or PennDOT road.
- **Fence or Wall Permit:** required for the installation of any fence or wall over two feet high.
- **Grading Permit:** required if not in conjunction with another permit.
- **Moving Permit:** required when moving into, out of or within Upper Milford Township. There is no fee for this permit.



- **Occupancy Permit:** required prior to occupying a newly constructed building.
- **Park Permit:** required in order to reserve a pavilion in a township park.
- **Peddler's Permit:** must be obtained before engaging in solicitation or peddling in Upper Milford Township.
- **Sewage Permit:** required for the inspection of a new septic system and for the repair or enlargement of an existing system.
- **Tree cutting and Logging Permit:** required if more than 10 trees/year or more than 30 percent of total number of trees on lot are taken down. Call the Township office for specific information.
- **Use or Change of Use:** required for any activity, occupation, business, or operation carried on or intended to be carried on in a structure or lot.

Other permits may be required for certain activities. For specific information call 610-966-3223.

UMT FIRE DEPARTMENTS NEED YOUR HELP

Vera Cruz and Western District Fire Departments are in need of committed volunteers! In an ever-growing community the call to serve has never been louder. Lack of volunteers and funding are growing areas of concern for both UMT Fire Departments. There are numerous areas within a fire department to serve, including: firefighting, fire police, fund raising committees, and other general operations within the fire house. Give back to the community you love. Join a fire department today and become part of a family that is founded on pride, honor, loyalty, and an undying commitment to serve.



Contact Western District Fire Co. at 610-966-3541 or visit www.uppermilfordfire.com



Contact Vera Cruz Fire Co. President, Joe Mead at 484-221-4323 or visit vcfd28.com

CITIZENS FIRE COMPANY CRAFT SHOW / FIRE PREVENTION OPEN HOUSE



Saturday, October 10, 2015 • 9:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Citizens Fire Company (Vera Cruz)
4093 Main Road West, Emmaus, PA 18049

We are pleased to announce our 4th Annual Fire Prevention Open House and Craft Show! Enjoy the refreshment stand and bake sale, and browse the gifts available from over 30 crafters and vendors. Try your luck at our raffle tables! There are fire prevention and kids activities as well. Free parking and no admission fee. We look forward to seeing you there! For more information, please e-mail VeraCruzLadiesAux@gmail.com.

WESTERN DISTRICT FIRE COMPANY CHICKEN BBQ DINNER

Saturday, June 27, 2015 Upper Milford Western District Fire Co. #1, located at 6341 Chestnut St, Zionsville, PA 18092 is having a Chicken BBQ dinner. Eat in or take out. \$9 per dinner. Includes: ½ delicious Kauffman's BBQ chicken, baked potato, apple sauce, roll and butter. Please call Rosie at 610-966-3367 for tickets or questions. Leave a message at 610-966-3541 and someone will return your call. There will also be bake goods for sale. Looking forward to seeing our good friends and neighbors at this fundraiser. As you know we are a volunteer fire company. We appreciate any and all financial support from our community. However, we are in dire need of additional members to join our Fire Team. Please give this serious thought and stop by any Thursday to get an idea of what is expected, needs that need to be accomplished, and how you can help.



STOP OPEN BURNING

What is open burning?

- Open burning is the act of disposing household waste and/or yard waste, such as leaves, grass, brush and other yard trimmings by fire.
- Open burning is also performed to clear land of trees, stumps, shrubbery, or other natural vegetation.

Why is open burning a problem?

- Certain household waste, when burned, releases harmful chemicals into the air.
- Children are particularly sensitive to toxic chemicals, absorbing greater amounts of byproducts than adults absorb from the same air.
- Open burning has been linked to numerous respiratory ailments such as asthma.
- Open burning has caused countless brush fires and wildfires, causing costly damage to property, wildlife, and the environment.



Alternatives to open burning:

- Trash collection service for household waste
 - Chipping
 - Composting organic waste
- Curbside pickup of yard waste or utilizing a yard waste recycling facility (if available)



To Flush Or Not To Flush: Wipes And Your Septic System

Once upon a time there were baby wipes....so convenient and soft for baby's bottom and every mom's dream come true! An incredible invention – a portable and disposable washcloth! Disposable? Of course! Just flush! Then everyone else got on the 'wipe wagon,' and today we have hand wipes, pet wipes, deodorant wipes, floor wipes, wound wipes, facial wipes...we've become the wiped out wonders of the western world! How wonderful!

Except for one minor problem....

Most wipes should not be flushed!

You know the old adage: If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

The use of wipes across the country has increased dramatically over the last decade.

But popular and convenient can easily become problematic and costly for your septic system. You could be spending thousand of dollars for that convenience if you're not careful.

A study of municipal waste water systems shows that over 90% of the material found in clogs consists of articles that were never intended to be flushed.

Wipes have the potential to plug the sewer line between the house and tank and build up at the inlet of the septic tank and cause the septic to back up into the house. An accumulation of wipes in a septic tank will reduce its ability to remove solids from the water discharging to your leach area. If you have an aeration system, the wipes can and will build up on the air distribution equipment and cause failures. The antibacterial agents in the wipes can also harm the helpful bacteria needed in your septic tank.

The best advice?

"Clogging your septic is a serious issue, so PLEASE flush ONLY toilet tissue!"



Upper Milford Township Residents Upper Milford Township Yard Waste Collection Program

Upper Milford Township is offering residents a fee-based roadside yard waste collection program as a supplement to the Township's Yard Waste Drop-Off site program.

The collection dates will be scheduled for November 9th – 13th, 2015 and again for May 9th – 13th, 2016.

Residents desiring to use the roadside pick up service will be required to purchase a yard waste pick up sticker for each container or bundle to be picked up at a cost of \$1.00 each and also comply with the following procedures:



ONLY the following materials or items will be accepted and collected:

- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Tree and Plant Trimmings
- ✓ Tree Limbs and Branches, less than 4 feet long and 4 inches in diameter
- ✓ Garden and flower bed plant materials

The following items **WILL NOT** be accepted and if placed out for pickup will result in materials not being collected:

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|-------------------|---------|
| ✗ Grass Clippings | ✗ Dirt |
| ✗ Garbage | ✗ Sod |
| ✗ Tree Stumps | ✗ Rocks |
| ✗ Animal Waste | ✗ Trash |
| ✗ Lumber | |

Acceptable materials must be placed in open containers no larger than 32 gallons in size and have a total weight of less than 50 pounds. Limbs and branches less than 48" long and 4" in diameter may be tied in bundles no larger than 48" x 18" x 18" (maximum weight 50 pounds). Ties must be biodegradable material.

A new "yard waste sticker" must be fastened to each container or bundle or the material will not be collected. The sticker on the container will be removed or voided after one use.

Residents must contact the Township Office by either calling at (610) 966 – 3223, faxing (610) 966 – 5184 or e-mail info@uppermilford.net to schedule pick-up. Notification must be received by the Township prior to 12:00 noon on Friday of the collection week or material may not get collected.

Stickers may be purchased at the Upper Milford Township Office, 5671 Chestnut Street, at a cost of \$1.00 each. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Stickers may be prepaid and they can be mailed to the resident.

The Township is required to offer this program or service in order for the Township to comply with current Pennsylvania Recycling Regulations.

For more information visit the Township's website at www.uppermilford.net.

RESIDENTS ARE REMINDED THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO BURN OR LANDFILL LEAVES AND YARD WASTE.

Upper Milford Township encourages the composting of leaves and yard waste. For more information about composting, please contact the Township.

Yard Waste Drop Off Site Information:

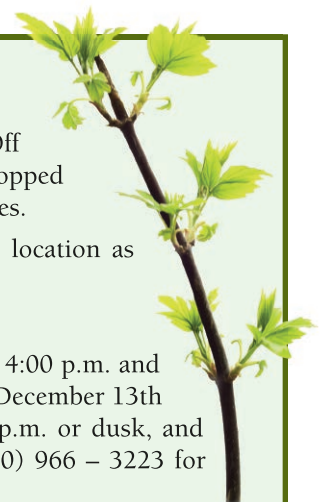
The Township accepts yard wastes dropped off by residents at the Township's Yard Waste Drop Off area behind the Township's Garage, accessed via Church View Road. Materials may only be dropped off by Township residents and this service is not offered to lawn maintenance or landscape businesses.

Grass, leaves, and brush or branches must be kept separated and unloaded at the appropriate location as identified by the signage at the site.

Branches are limited to 4" diameter and must be no longer than 8'.

Hours of operations are Wednesday from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Fall Hours not including Holidays beginning October 14th through December 13th are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., Wednesday 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. or dusk, and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and Sunday 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Call the office at (610) 966 – 3223 for additional information.

The Township, at times, has a supply of coarse wood mulch available to the public. Residents may load their own vehicles or the Township may load your truck or trailer by appointment only for a fee of \$5.00 per scoop or part thereof. Appointment hours are based on employee availability. Please call to schedule loading service.



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ROAD EMERGENCY

Call (610) 966-3223. After normal business hours, press extension 400; you will need to leave a message, including the following information: name, address, phone number, brief description of emergency. The on-call person will give you a return call.

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Other hours by appointment

Physical Address: 5671 Chestnut Street,
Emmaus, PA 18049

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DEER PICKUP

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MEETING SCHEDULES

Board of Supervisors: First and third Thursday of each month;
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