

Watson town Borough Newsletter

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August

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BOROUGH OFFICE HOURS:
Mon. -Thurs. 7 am - 5 pm
& Friday 7 am - 4 pm

Be sure to report power outages!
During non-business hours please
call 570-372-0826.

The Borough Office &
Public Works Department
will be closed on
Monday, September 7th in
observance of Labor Day.
We will re-open at 7 am on
Tuesday, September 8th.



Council Meeting
Monday, August 10th @ 7
Planning Meeting
Monday, August 17th @ 7
NO Committee
Workshop

Meetings are held in Council
Chambers unless otherwise noted.

BOROUGH OFFICIALS



Greg Miller
Todd Moyer
Fred Merrill
Roy Smedley
Thomas Hetherington
Mark Stankiewicz

Russ McClintock, Mayor
Christopher Snyder, Chief of Police
Jay Jarrett, Borough Manager
Bill Buck, Public Works Foreman
Brendi Brooke, Secretary/Treasurer
Lissacca Goff, Asst. Sec./Treasurer

PLANNING COMMISSION

Mark Stankiewicz—Chair
Jillian Yevics—Vice Chair
Rick Wolfe
Tim Haluck
Sarah Hanna
Dale Chomas

ZONING HEARING BOARD

Linda Daubert
Carlee Jarrett
Wayne Greiner
Joe Wigton
August Memmi

Craig Rodabaugh, Alt.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Dale Winder
Harry Hefty
Brian Harrison
FIRE BOARD
Russ McClintock
Greg Miller

**Norman
Eisley
Tax
Collection
Mail only**

Watson town Yard Sales
Saturday, September 26, 2026



**America 250
TRIVIA NIGHT**
Join us on August 19th
@ 6:30 pm at the
**WATSON TOWN
HISTORICAL MUSEUM**
LIMIT 6 TO A TEAM !!!

The museum is planning to hold a
"Tag Sale" on August 14th &
15th. We will be cleaning out the
closets of duplicate and
unneeded items to make more
room for new artifacts & displays. All
proceeds from the items sold will benefit the
museum. Any questions, call 570-847-6266.



Shake Your Buns & Do the Twist food truck
available on Friday, August 14th.
Thank you for supporting local history!

Watson town Historical Museum **Hours of Operations for August:**

Tuesdays & Fridays from 10 AM—2 PM

Saturday, August 15th 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sunday, August 16th 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM



There's still time to visit the
Exchange Pool. We're open
through August 22, 12:30 -
7:30pm, weather permitting.

We are accepting
donations to sell during the
Exchange yard sale September 4-5.
Food will be available at the pool. We are
also having a meat raffle in cooperation with
the help of Fisher's Meats in Lewisburg. See
Facebook for details or email us:
exchangepool17772@gmail.com.
Thanks for your support.

Electric Meter Reading Day
Thursday, August 20, 2026

BRUSH PICK-UP on August 11th !

Bagged leaves along with tree
trimmings & other yard waste
should be curb side before **7 AM**
that morning. If you have questions,
please feel free to call the Borough
Office at 570-538-1000.

Wreaths Across America



Please make plans to join us this year
for our annual wreath laying
ceremony at noon on Saturday,
December 19th at the
Watson town Cemetery.

Watson town Historical Assoc.
Announces their 9th annual
pottery piece, the
Westerwald Pottery Bean Pot with
lid & handles. Cost is \$40. Call
570-847-6266 or email
djnova@windstream.net to order.

Kids Cafe **Summer Lunch Program**

at the Watson town
Memorial Park. Free lunch
& activities Monday thru Friday
11am to 12:30pm. Please note
we are celebrating the following:

**Aug 12 - Thanksgiving &
Aug 18 School Spirit Day**

Come join us!!!!

The last day for our lunch
program is Friday, August 21st.

The BIG House Car Show
Sunday, August 16, 2026
at Watson town Memorial Park

Motorcycles & three wheelers
welcome. Registration \$10 per
vehicle from 9 to 11 am. Awards
including Warden's Choice at 1 pm.

Watson town Baptist Church is
celebrating **FREE Family Fun Night**
on **Wednesday, August 12th** from
6-8 pm. Hot dogs, ham BBQ,
macaroni salad & chips. Fire truck,

face painting, bounce
house & school supply
give-away.



**Watson town's Winter
Wonderland—December 4th &
December 5th**

36" Blackstone plus accessories
Raffle & a Meat Raffle
\$10/ticket for each
Raffle



Drawings on August 31st live on
Facebook. For sale at the Borough
Office or see our Facebook for
other opportunities to buy tickets.

Happy Harbor Preschool

We are looking forward to the 2026-2027 school year where we will once again meet new family and welcome back returning families. When we start our new school year in September, our classes will be filled with eager and excited students who will blossom both academically and socially throughout the school year.



Classes run Labor Day thru Memorial Day from 8:30-11:30, and you choose to send your child 2 days a week or 4 days week. The Junior Class has a maximum of 12 students with 2 teachers and is for children who are at least 3 years of age by September 1. The Senior Class is 16 students with 2 teachers and is for children who are at least 4 years of age by September 1. All children must be potty trained to attend. Call or text 570-939-7794 to get more information about Happy Harbor Preschool.



Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church
10275 State Route 44, Turbotville 570-649-5822
Email: hselc@gmail.com

Kid's Café is winding down this month with the last meal to be served on Friday, August 21st. It has been a very successful summer so far due to the dedication of the staff and volunteers. We are also thankful for the local businesses, community organizations, churches and members of the surrounding area for their donations and participation.

Happy Harbor Preschool staff will start preparing for fall classes at the end of the month to be ready for the start of school in September. If you or someone you know are interested in this program please contact Camy Brungard, Preschool Director, at 570-939-7794.

Our Children's Church program will also begin August 2 and run until May 30. This is a Sunday school program designed for kids ages 3-8 years old. This program is provided during our regular church service to bring children and parents the Word of God.

Join us for worship at 9:00 every Sunday followed by a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies.

Our Food Pantry is located inside the Borough Building & is available 24/7 for those in need. We are always looking for donations. If you or anyone you know could use our community's generous hand, please help yourself.

Give what you can. Take what you need.



First Presbyterian Church,
401 Main Street
facebook.com/watsontownpresby
watsontownpresby.org

We are a small friendly church and welcome you to join us for worship, Sundays at 10:30 am. Our Sunday School meets at 9:30 am and Junior Church meets with kids during worship. Come and join us in a Christ driven adventure, led by Pastor Brian Cieslukowski.

Organist: We are looking for an organist/pianist. If you can play piano or organ and can play even 1 or 2 Sundays per month we are grateful. If interested please call the church at 570-538-1491.



Kingdom Kidz, Inc.
11 E Third Street, Watstown
570-838-3133
hiskingdomkidz.com

August 8 is the 3rd Back to School Bash at the Puppet Home, 11 E. 3rd street, Watstown from 4:30-7:30pm. This promises to be the biggest and best yet!!

August 9 Kingdom Kidz will be presenting a program at Stonington Wesleyan Church at 10:30am

August 10 Kingdom Kidz will be providing a program at Lil Bean Sprout Day Care @ 10am

August 11-13 VBS Kingdom Quest will be presented by Kingdom Kidz from 6-8:00 pm at West End Bible Fellowship.

August 15 join Kingdom Kidz at the Brown Avenue Park, Milton from 11:00-2pm for a Freedom Life block party.

THE WATSONTOWN HAUNTED HAUNT IS SELLING 2026 POTTING BENCH COUPON BOOKS,
324 MATTHEWS ST.
SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT
FOR \$10 EACH. CALL 570-713-9845
& GRAB YOUR COUPON BOOK TODAY!

First Lutheran Church Watstown invites you to join us!

Sunday Morning Worship: 9:00 a.m. followed by coffee & fellowship

Monday Morning Prayer Service: 9:00 a.m.

*All services are live streamed and uploaded to YouTube. (Find us at First Lutheran Church Watstown on both Facebook and YouTube)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Neighbors Helping Neighbors has relocated to the rear of the former Watstown Elementary School. We service those in the Warrior Run School District with a drive thru pick up on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Same day registration. Follow the signs.



Reading & Susquehanna Model Railroad Club
200 Main Street
Watstown
(Buck's Plumbing & Heating)
Open Tuesdays from 1-3 pm
& Saturdays from 1-4 pm

Watstown Historical Association Chinese Auction
109 Main Street

September 19th from 10 am-4 pm
& September 20th from 1 to 3 pm

****Raffle Tickets*Great Prizes****



Watstown Seventh-Day Adventist Church
1319 8th Street Drive Watstown
website: watsontownadventistchurch.org
Saturday Services: 9:15 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship

You can be part of the historic America 250 celebration by purchasing a wreath for the Warrior Run Church Cemetery's Wreaths Across America program. First, mark your calendar to join us on December 19, 2026 at noon at the WR Church cemetery. Second, scan this QR code to purchase a wreath to be placed on one of the over 100 veteran graves within the cemetery. Third, invite someone to join you in purchasing a wreath and attending on December 19! In this monumental year in our nation's history, help us to REMEMBER the Fallen. HONOR those who Serve. TEACH our children the value of Freedom.



Montgomery House Library
Classes on break
until week of
September 13th.