

Watson town Borough Newsletter

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Issue 6—June 2024
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 570-742-8772. If no answer, CALL 911 !!!

BOROUGH OFFICIALS

June

Greg Miller
 Dan Folk
 Todd Moyer
 Fred Merrill
 Roy Smedley
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 Christopher Snyder, Chief of Police
 Jay Jarrett, Borough Manager
 Brent Frey, Public Works Foreman
 Brendi Brooke, Secretary/Treasurer
 Lisa Davis, Asst. Sec./Treasurer

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 Carlee Jarrett
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 Dale Winder
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 Brian Harrison



Watson town's 50th Anniversary of the 4th of July Celebration
THURSDAY, JULY 4, 2024

Parade forms @ 9 am at the former Watson town Elementary School
 1 Mile Fun Run starts at 9 am
 Passing of the American Flag @ 9:30 am
 Parade begins at 10 am
 Horseshoe Tournament begins at noon
 Arm Wrestling Challenge begins at 3 pm
 Live music at the park from 1 to 9:15 pm
FIREWORKS AT DUSK!!! (approx. 9:15 pm)

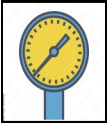
The Borough Office & Public Works Department will be closed on Thursday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day. We will re-open for business on Friday, July 5th at 7 am.



Planning Commission
 June 17th @ 7pm
Combined Council Meeting/ Committee Workshop
 June 24th @ 7 pm
 Meetings are held in Council Chambers unless otherwise noted.



Electric Meter Reading Day—
Thursday, June 20th
 Please keep the entrance to your electric meter free & clear of vegetation so the Borough crew can get in to read your meter.



BRUSH PICK-UP on June 11th!
 Bagged leaves along with tree trimmings & other yard waste should be curb side before 7 AM that morning. May thru October pick-up will be the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Call the Borough office with any questions.

The Watson town Fourth of July Car Show will be held on Thursday, July 4th 2024 from 8 am to 1:30 pm. Free to spectators.
 Car Show registration \$12 - \$15. Classic vehicles from many eras, fun games, car culture trivia and more. DJ Don Cicero & his AM Flash Back Show will entertain us. All proceeds benefit the Watson town 4th of July Celebration. Contact Liz Folk at 570-428-3636.



4th Wednesday in Watson town June 26, 2024 from 6 to 8 pm at the Canal Boat Pavilion Join us for live music by Gas House Alley, food trucks & vendors.



Watson town Historical Association's Civic Day in the Community Room
 4th Thursday of each month starting JUNE 27th from 1 to 4 pm
 Put puzzles together, play cards & games or just socialize. PLEASE JOIN US!!!



12th Annual Kids' Café begins Monday, June 3rd & runs Monday thru Friday, August 21st. FREE meals & activities are provided every day for children/students through age 18 at the River Pavilion in Watson town's Memorial Park beginning at 11 am. Weekly menus & activities will be posted. The program is an outreach ministry of Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church & supported by many area organizations & businesses.



Strawberry Festival June 9, 2024 11 am to 4 pm
 Historical Warrior Run Church, 41 Warrior Lane Watson town, PA
 FREE Admission
 Antique Car Show
 Homemade Ice Cream
 Ham BBQ, strawberry Desserts church tours & much more!!!



Watson town Historical Association Museum Hours of Operation
 Tuesdays & Fridays—10 am to 2 pm
 Thursdays—6 pm to 8 pm
 1st & 3rd weekend of every month:
 Saturdays & Sundays 1 pm to 4 pm
 Call 570-538-1777 for addtl. info.



FOR RENT
 Watson town Memorial Community Center (Lions Club Youth Center) Summer rentals available. Check us out at Lions Youth Center.Org or contact Wayne Greiner at 570-604-7451.



FIREHOUSE RENTALS
 Located behind the Warrior Run Fire Department
 Rentals now available...
 5 x 5 = \$40/month
 5 x 10 = \$60/month
 10 x 10 = \$80/month





Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church, 10275 State Route 44 – about 2 miles west of Turbotville 570-649-5822 email: hselecturbotville@gmail.com

We are looking forward to seeing you at the Turbotville Community Carnival being held June 3-8. We'll have the Fresh Cut French Fries and our Famous Fish Sandwiches, along with all the items that will be offered by other community organizations. Come out any or every evening!

For those who would like to worship with us here or at home, we offer our worship services at 9:00am on Sundays on our Facebook page *Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church Turbotville, PA* for weekly services and information about what we are doing.

We hope you can come and visit, in person or online. We look forward to seeing you at Holy Spirit this summer. A fellowship time is held each week after the service, and all are welcome to join us.



Kingdom Kidz, Inc.
11 E Third Street, Watsonstown, PA
570-838-3133 www.hiskingdomkidz.com



Come Join us for our June Events:

June 14-Family Fun Night at the Puppet HOME- FREE pizza, puppet program, crafts, games- 5:30-8pm Starts at 5:30 PUBLIC FREE

June 17-19, 6:30-8:30pm Stonington Wesleyan VBS, Sunbury. PUBLIC FREE

June 21, 5:30pm Dedication of the Lisa K Derr Mural PUBLIC FREE

June 22- 10am-2pm New Hope Church VBS day. PUBLIC FREE

June 24-28, 6-8pm Church of Christ in Christian Union VBS, Lewisburg PUBLIC FREE

June 25-28 9am-noon, Christ Wesleyan Church Camp, Milton PUBLIC FREE

June 29- Lewisburg 4th of July parade.

June 30- Christ Wesleyan Church service, 9am-noon. PUBLIC FREE

We are looking for Volunteers who love working with children/youth, and have a passion to make a difference in their lives. Background checks are necessary.

Quality Family Programs "Creative Artistry Reaching Hearts of All Ages"
puppets@hiskingdomkidz.org

Watsonstown Centennial Lioness Lions Club is selling Applebee's Burgers for a Cause certificates for \$10. Good for any burger AND fries at participating Applebee's. No expiration date! Thanks for your support of our community initiatives. Contact Kathy Handiboe at 717-571-6189 (leave VM) or the Borough office.



The Women's Fellowship of the Trinity United Church of Christ, 602 Main St would like to thank the community & Lingles Store for their generous support of our annual Easter Egg Project. Your donations & purchases allowed us to donate to 11 area organizations. We are truly blessed to have such a great community. "To them who much is given, much is expected". All are welcome to worship with us at 10:45 am each Sunday.

The Watsonstown Historical Association's 7th pottery piece is now available for a cost of \$35. Contact Diana Johnson at 570-538-1939 for details or to place an order.

Montgomery House Library
20 Church Street, McEwensville
570-538-1381



- June 7th closing at 4 pm for the Turbotville Parade
- Kids Classes start back June 10th
- June 27th Bloomsburg maker camp @6pm

Kidz Café activities all summer— 11 am to 12:30 pm @ the Watsonstown Park



HAPPY HARBOR PRESCHOOL

Why enroll your child in preschool? Preschool can lay a solid foundation for their future academic and social success while providing them with valuable experiences and skills that will benefit them throughout their lives.

Happy Harbor Preschool is currently accepting enrollment for the 2024-2025 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 is for children who are at least 3 years of age by September 1 & the Senior Class is for children who are at least 4 years of age by September 1...all children must be potty trained to attend. Call 570-939--7794.

Golden Rule Love Inc.
(In the Name of Christ)
12th Annual 5K Run/Walk
Saturday, August 17, 2024
Milton Island State Park
(the entire race is held on the island)



To register go to:
www.goldenruleloveinc.wixsite.com/website
www.falconracetiming.com
Golden Rule Love INC-Milton
102 Lower Market Street, Milton Pa 17847

First Presbyterian Church—401 Main St
www.watsonstownpresby.org
[www.facebook.com/pages/Presbyterian Church First/116034815090914/](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Presbyterian-Church-First/116034815090914/)



We welcome all to join us for worship, Sundays at 10:30 am. Our Sunday School meets at 9:30 a.m. We are a small congregation exploring new ways to worship our Living God. Come and join us in our new Christ-driven adventure, led by Brian Cieslukowski.

Knitting/Crocheting Group

Every Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. Starting January 9th
Come with needles ready to learn how to knit or crochet.

Organist

We are looking for a organist/pianist. If you can play piano or organ and can give us even 1 of 2 weeks per month we are grateful. If interested please call the church at 570-538-1491.

Upcoming Events: Hands Only CPR -Time to be determined – it was postponed due to an emergency.
Toiletry Collection for Transitions – more info to come on Facebook in June. Transitions of PA is a crisis center that provides advocacy, empowerment & education to victims, survivors, families & communities to end patterns of violence and abuse.

Watsonstown Seventh-day Adventist Church
1319 8th Street Drive, Watsonstown
Community invited services & events:



Saturday Services:
9:15 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship

Vacation Bible School:
July 15-19 7:30 pm
Ages 2-12
Jasper Canyon—activities include Bible stories, songs, crafts, games & snacks.

Register @ WatsonstownAdventistChurch.org

Warrior Run Womans' Club
November 2024
Evening Daily
Number
Drawing
For \$10/ticket

Tickets available from any WR Woman's Club member or by calling 570-244-5045 or 570-847-6266.

Watsonstown Baptist Church
Due to the Warrior Run Fireman's Carnival there is **No Community Meal in June.**

Bob Frey Disposal
570-419-2162

