

Watson town Borough Newsletter

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Issue 10—October 2026
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.

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 Yeivcs—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

**Norman
Eisley
Tax
Collection
Mail only**

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

The Borough Office & Public
Works Department are closed on
Monday, October 12, 2026 for
Columbus Day. We will re-open
on Tuesday, October 13th at 7 am.

WABA's Annual Halloween Parade
will be held on Saturday,
October 31st. The parade will
form at the 8th Street Park at
5:30 pm & move at 6 pm
down Elm Street to the
Canal Boat Pavilion.

Watson town Borough is observing
Trick or Treat hours on Halloween
from 6 to 8 pm. Reminder—a porch
light is an invitation for
trick or treaters.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN !!!



Watson town Haunted Haunt Event
Friday, October 23rd &
Saturday, October 24th
From 5 pm to 10 pm

HAUNTED HOUSE HOURS: 7-10 pm
Food trucks * Vendors * Live Music
FAMILY FUN !!!

Follow Watson town Haunted
Haunt on Facebook!



**PLEASE
NOTE..**

Electric Meter Reading Day
Wednesday, October 21, 2026

**FINAL BRUSH PICKUP on
Tuesday October 13th !**

Bagged leaves along with tree
trimmings & other yard waste should
be curb side before **7 AM** that morning.
Leaf pick-up will begin as needed
& includes Spruce & Hemlock Alleys.

**PLEASE keep rose bushes
& thorns separate!**

Wreaths Across America



Get your tickets today for
**MARKSMAN & MAIDEN
BINGO**

Saturday, October 24, 2026
Dubois town Fire
Social Hall

2661 Euclid Ave. Dubois town, PA
Doors open at 11 am
BINGO starts at 1 pm
Tickets: \$50 per person
Call Dori at 570-772-2423 for
tickets or purchase at the door.

Watson town Baptist Church

FREE Community Meal on Wed.,
October 14th from 6-8 pm.
Beef vegetable soup, cornbread
& dessert. Eat in or take out.
All are welcome!



Watson town Winter
Wonderland
Christmas Tree Raffle
\$10/Ticket

Winners to be chosen via
Facebook Live on Sunday,
November 1, 2026.

Winner's choice of an artificial tree
or a gift card to a local
Christmas Tree Farm.

Warrior Run Women's Club
Daily Number Drawing
for November 2026

Tickets \$10 each & available
from club members or by calling
Diana Johnson at 570-847-6266.
Tickets sold by members on
Fridays & Saturdays at Lingle's.

Sons of the American Legion
Watson town Post 323 Present \$7 Day
From 1-4 pm ~ Public welcome.
Light food, snacks & draft beer
included. Small games of chance sold
separately. CASH ONLY! ~ 21 +

Watson town Historical Association 109 Main Street, Watson town

Hours of Operations for October:

Tuesdays & Fridays from 10 am—2 pm
Saturdays & Sundays from 1 pm-4 pm

VETERAN'S DAY—NOVEMBER 11TH

Open from 9 am to 7 pm
Many displays & artifacts to see! Free coffee,
water, cookies & snacks while you sit & visit.

Watson town Historical Association
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.



Arrowhead Bar & Restaurant Trunk or Treat on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27th from
5:30 to 8 pm ~ FREE candy ~ All ages WELCOME !!! Costumes encouraged !!!

Happy Harbor Preschool has settled in and our kiddos are off to a wonderful start for the year! We are excited to welcome all our students and their families to our service on October 18th. The children will be singing songs they have learned so far this year. There will also be a luncheon following service for all who attend. If you would like to see the works of God through our youth, please join us on October 18th at 9:00am for our service at **Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church**. Happy Harbor is also looking for a few monetary donations to allow the program to continue to flourish and provide our children with the great gift of knowledge. If you are interested in donating, please see either of the following Facebook pages: **Happy Harbor Preschool** or **Holy Spirit Evangelical Church-Turbotville**. There are also still openings in both our 3-year-old and 4-year-old classes. If you or someone you know are interested in this program please contact Camy Brungard, Preschool Director, at 570-939-7794.



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.

Men's Breakfast Bible Study meets Wednesday mornings 7:00 a.m.

Anyone interested in joining a Book Club, reading a variety of book titles, please contact Emilie at 352-895-3838.



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

Holy Spirit Lutheran Church will also be hosting a bonfire and hayride. This event will take place on October 24, 2026, at 6:00pm. Holy Spirit will be providing smores. If you have a favorite snack you would like to share please feel free to bring this along. This event is open to the public. If you would like more information or a reminder, please check out our Facebook page. Join us for worship at 9 every Sunday followed by a time of fellowship with coffee & cookies.

First Lutheran Church Watsontown
 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
 Watsontown on both
 Facebook and YouTube)

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.

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. Mark
 your calendar to join us on
 December 19, 2026 at noon
 at the WR Church
 Cemetery.



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

Delaware Run Wesleyan Church
 5570 Musser Lane, Watsontown
 570-538-1967



Nature Camp at
6:45-8 pm every
Wednesday night thru
May - classes for
ages 4-18 - Bring your kids
out to learn about Jesus &

serving him through crafts, games,
 hands on science lessons, & of course,
 Bible stories! For more
 information visit our website at
drwchurch.org.

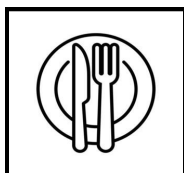
ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT

October 25, 2026
From 5 to 7 pm
Behind the church
at our
Family Life Center
RAIN or SHINE!!!!



Chicken & Waffle Dinner
Saturday, November 7, 2026

From 4:30 to 7 pm
 Behind the church at our
 Family Life Center
 Adults \$12
 Children (5-10) \$ 7
 4 & under—FREE



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



**COME JOIN US AT OUR
 EVENTS**

**ALL SAFEKIDZ™
 ACTIVITIES AT THE
 PUPPET HOME ARE FREE!**

October 9 & 23- FAMILY FUN NIGHT, 5:30-8pm, Free pizza, snacks, etc., games, Puppet presentation

October 10- Special Needs Dance, 6:00pm

October 24- Puppet Workshop, 1:30-5 for anyone ages 10-adult wanting to learn puppetry, props and/or creative God rods.

October 31- LIGHT THE NIGHT, 6:30-8pm
 Free hotdogs, French fries, barrel train ride, and more. **RAIN OR SHINE**

The Mustard Seed Kidz internet program can be heard on Spotify as a Podcast. Search for **MUSTARD SEED KIDZ** for the **NEW SEASON!!!**

Our social hall is available for your event. Come see all the activity rooms available if you need them for your children during your event. Contact us. 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.

250th America's Anniversary Salute to Veterans- November 20, 21, and 22.

Our handicapped LIFT will be finished by November 1! PRAISE GOD!

Watsontown Seventh-Day Adventist Church

1319 8th Street Drive Watsontown

website: watsontownadventistchurch.org

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



Neighbors Helping Neighbors has relocated to the rear of the former Watsontown 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
 Watsontown
 (Buck's Plumbing & Heating)
 Open Tuesdays from 1-3 pm
 & Saturdays from 1-4 pm**