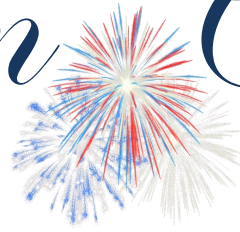


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Gone But Not Forgotten...

By Supervisor John Brostoski

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George Parker VanBrunt, Sr. of Madison Township passed away on Tuesday, February 25, 2020 while at his winter home in Pomona Park, Florida. George was the township's Sewage Enforcement Officer for twenty-four years. During his entire career without township, George was the ideal public servant. He was responsive to the situation, professional in it's execution and understanding of everybody concerned. The needs of the township were always met while the requests of citizens were satisfied.

Besides these above mentioned duties, George was just a great person to be around. The smile on his face revealed his love of life. His expressions of thoughtfulness to our township employees were always well received. A person's day was just a little better after talking with George.

We wish George's family peace, comfort and hope in their sorrow. Our thoughts and prayers are with them during this difficult time. George will be truly missed by his friends here in Covington Township.



From Your Supervisors...

A public hearing was held for the Traffic and Motor Control Ordinance #2020-01. The ordinance changed the speed limit on all township roads to twenty-five miles per hour (25 mph), with the exception of Bochicchio Boulevard, A.M. Hughes Boulevard and a section of Center Street, which will now have a speed limit of fifteen miles per hour (15 mph). It also prohibits parking along township roads during a snow emergency. This ordinance was passed unanimously on February 25, 2020.

Spring cleanup had to be rescheduled due to social distancing requirements and stay-at-home orders with the coronavirus. We are hoping to hold this event later in the year.

It was announced that Kate Tierney will be retiring this year after thirty years of dedicated and loyal service to Covington Township as their secretary-treasurer. In April, the supervisors hired Douglas A. Hein as her replacement.

The township's Declaration of Disaster Emergency is in effect until June 3, 2020 and can be extended or rescinded. During this time, the township office is not open to the public, however, we can be reached by our regular phone numbers.

Some emergency meetings were held regarding health concerns within the MP-RV Zone. Charles Raziano, EMA Coordinator, made recommendations for this zone that the supervisors adopted into the township's Emergency Management Plan. Specifically, temperature checks on any person entering this zone due to the majority of people traveling into this area are coming from COVID-19 epicenters and travel between them weekly. Further information regarding this issue can be found on the township's website: covingtontwp.org/public-notice

Disclaimer:

The events listed in this newsletter may not happen as scheduled due to regulations set by government officials (i.e. stay at home orders and social distancing requirements) because of extenuating circumstances with the unprecedented novel coronavirus. All events are listed with a contact number for further information so that you can call to see if the events will actually take place.

Covington Township at your Service

Board of Supervisors (570) 842-8336 ~ Chairman Thomas M. Yerke (Meeting 1st Tues. of the month @ 7pm; Work session last Tues of the month @ 7pm)

Building Inspector (570) 842-4607 David Lamm, 8am - 5pm

Dept. of Public Works (570) 840-0727 ~ Director Thomas M. Yerke

District Magistrate (570) 842-2111
~ Honorable Kipp Adcock

Fire Dept. (570) 842-4130 ~ Brad Jones, Fire Chief

Main Office (570) 842-8336 ~ Douglas A. Hein, Secretary - Treasurer; 9am - 4pm, Monday - Friday, Moffat Estate

Pavilion Manager (570) 840-6959 ~ Melinda Musso

Planning Commission (570) 351-6086 ~ Denise Hokien, Secretary (Work Session 1st Wed. of the month @7pm, Meeting 3rd Wed. of the month @7pm)

Police Dept. (570) 842-6400 ~ Bernie Klocko, Chief

Real Estate Tax Collection ~ (570) 840-0725 Kate Tierney
covingtontwptaxcollector@gmail.com

Recreation Committee (570) 842-8336 (Meeting 3rd Thurs. of the month @7:00pm)

Senior Center (570) 843-6485

Sewage Enforcement Officer (570) 241--8743 ~ Gary Enslin

Sewer Authority Office (570) 842-0757 ~ Ann Bentler, Manager (10am - 2pm, Monday - Friday, or by appointment; Meeting 2nd Tues. of the month @7pm)

Township Engineer (570) 237-5254 ~ Mary Louise Butler, P.E., Engineering Surveying Consultants & Design, Inc.

Earned Income Tax & Local Service Tax Collector
(866) 701-7206 ~ Berkheimer Assoc.

Zoning Office & Zoning Hearing Board Secretary
(570) 842-0457 ~ Melinda Musso (8am - 4pm Mon.-Fri.)

Zoning Officer (570) 842-0457 ~ Ronald Donati

From the EMA Coordinator, Charles Raziano...

During the COVID-19 pandemic, I have been reaching out to essential businesses that are open to see if they need any help with protective equipment (i.e. masks and gloves to protect employees). It was very nice to find our community has taken the necessary steps to protect themselves and others.

I also want to reach out to our residents in Covington Township who may need help during this time. If you need help with getting supplies or groceries, or you know of someone who can use help, please reach out to me. I can be reached by calling 717-317-2778 or by emailing ema@covingtontwp.org

From the Tax Collector, Kate Tierney...

I am asking all residents to kindly mail your tax payments to:
Tax Collector
20 Moffat Drive
Covington Township, PA 18444

All checks or money orders should be made payable to 'Covington Township Tax Collector'. If you would like a receipt, please enclose your e-mail address for electronic confirmation or, include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your payment for regular mail delivery of your receipt.



Advertising

Covington Corner is distributed quarterly to approximately 1,000 households and/or businesses and surrounding areas.

If you are interested in advertising in our newsletter, please call (570) 842-0457.

The cost of a 2" x 2 1/2" ad is \$25.00.

From Your Police Department...



COVID-19 Stimulus Related Scams

Source: PA State Police Community Awareness Bulletin April 8, 2020

The Pennsylvania State Police (PSP) reminds Pennsylvania residents to remain vigilant against scammers attempting to take advantage of the upcoming stimulus disbursements and other programs associated with the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) that was signed on 3/27/2020. Below are examples of some of the scams that are circulating:

- Emails claiming to be from U.S. government agencies asking for personally identifying information (PII) so the victim will receive their deposit. These emails may have poor grammar and spelling and links that may contain malware that, once installed on the victim's computer, steal information.
- Texts, robocalls, or messages on other platforms containing links directing victims to a website that prompts them to enter their PII and other information, such as bank account information, usernames, passwords, and email addresses.
- Callers who claim to have information on "secret" government programs or who offer to help with applications in exchange for your PII and a fee.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Do not give banking or other personal information to anyone who requests it to make a "stimulus payment". The federal government is utilizing banking information it already has on file from previous years' tax returns, so you will probably not have to take any action. If you need to add or update banking information, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) is working on creating a web portal. The IRS will make an official announcement when the portal is open.
- Do not give money or personal information to anyone claiming to have information about government programs. If you have a question about a government program or need help with the application process, contact the agency that administers that program. They will assist you or direct you to an appropriate organization that can provide assistance.

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Neighborhood Events

Auxiliary VFW Post 5207 Breakfast - 2nd Sunday of each month 9 am-noon (adults \$8 child 12 & under \$6)

NP Rotary Club—Meets at the Elmhurst Country Club on Thursdays 6 pm (at alternate NP sites January through March) (570)842-2547

Minisink Lions Club—meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at the VFW— Jim Strempek (570) 842-4488 New members are always welcome!

Covington Fire Co. Women's Auxiliary— Meets the 1st Monday of each month at 7 pm call Betty for more information (570) 842-0448

NP Kids Closet - Supplies clothing to needy area children. In need of all sizes of socks and underwear. Also, gently used shoes & sneakers of any size. To make a donation or for an appointment, please call Sara Keating at (610)390-7961 or (570)689-4383.

NP Food Pantry— Bill's Plaza (next to Tasty Swirl) every Thursday from 11:30 am -1 pm. Proof of North Pocono School District Full-time residency required. Dry goods donations appreciated. (570) 842-4741

Parish Buffet Breakfast—St. Eulalia's Church, Elmhurst, 3rd Sunday of every month 8:30am -12pm in church hall. For more information call (570)842-7656

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS)—each Tuesday 6:30pm, Moscow Borough Building, Van Brunt St. Moscow

Jefferson Twp. Fire Co.—Station 29 All You Can Eat Breakfast first Sunday of every month 8 am—noon

NP Library - KIDS: Music & Movement -Mondays @10am, PreK Storytime - Tuesdays @11am, Toddler Time -Fridays @10am, Lego Club 1st Saturday @11am, STEM -3rd Saturday @11am; ADULTS: Breakfast Book Club 3rd Monday @10am, Novels at Night -3rd Thursday @6pm, Mahjong -Mondays @12:30pm, Mexican Train Dominos -Tuesdays @12:30pm, Yoga -Thursdays @5pm, Bridge Club -Fridays @12:30pm (570) 842-4700 www.lclshome.org/npococono

Business 2 Business—Meets every Thursday 8-9 am at Friendly's in Dunmore (570) 842-2808

Moscow Mason Lodge - Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, Lodge Hall, Green St., Moscow, Dinner 6:30, Meeting 7:30 (570) 842-6591

North Pocono Cultural Society - Meeting 2nd Monday of each month, 7 pm at the Moscow Borough Building 123 Van Brunt Street, Moscow (570) 357-1672.

NP LovinLife Ministries - Prayer group, Sanctuarians for Life, online found on Face-Book or meets Mon.-Fri. 8pm at the Swartz Residence, 21 Swartz Drive. New members are welcome. (570) 249-1357

The Lucky Horse Shoes 4H Club - meets the 1st Sunday of each month 1 pm at Woodlands Stables, Freytown Road call Carol (570) 842-3742.



June 2020

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|--------|---|--|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2 Board of Supervisors Meeting 7pm | 3 Planning Commission Work Session 7pm | 4 | 5 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 | 6 Cornhole Tournament @ Spring Brook F.D. 570-842-2311 |
| 7 "It is how we embrace the uncertainty in our lives that leads to the great transformations of our souls." ~ Brandon A. Trean | 8 | 9 Sewer Authority Meeting 7pm | 10 Jefferson Fire Company's Carnival on the Mountain 570-689-2829 | 11 | 12 | 13 Corn & Clambake 5pm Gouldsboro FD 570-842-2663 |
| 14 Auxiliary Breakfast 9-11:30am 570-842-7301 Flag Day | 15 | 16 | 17 Planning Commission Meeting 7pm | 18 Recreation Committee Meeting 7pm | 19 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 | 20 hello summer |
| 21 Happy Fathers Day | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Elmhurst - Roaring Brook Fire Department Summer Carnival 570-842-8309 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 Board of Supervisors Work Session 7pm | "When everything is uncertain, everything that is important becomes clear." ~Unknown author | | | |

Moscow Sportsman's Club

The Moscow Sportsmen's Club along with the CMA Gospel Warriors will host their 3rd annual Trap Shoot for the Veterans on Saturday, June 27, 2020 from 9am to 3pm.

Veterans will once again have the opportunity to shoot, spend time outdoors with other veterans and enjoy the great day of fun and camaraderie. Last year's outing was a great success enjoyed by all of the veterans and volunteers.

We are planning a day full of games and prizes, along with a luncheon. All of the food has been donated by local merchants.

We are asking for your help to defray the expenses associated with this special day. All monies raised will be used for veterans. Any monies after expenses, will be given to the G. J. Merli Veterans Center, Scranton, PA. The money will be placed in the residents' welfare fund for non-budgeted items for all residents. Please make all donations payable to Moscow Sportsman Club.

We thank you for your anticipated support in making this day a special day for our veterans. We invite you to join us to witness the joy of the event on our veterans. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call Jim at 570-842-7049.

Moscow Sportsmen's Club
P.O. Box 656
Moscow, PA 18444

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Scams

- Make sure your computer has the latest updates, and ensure it has an antivirus program. Delete any email from people you do not recognize or has attachments you are not expecting.

For more information about the CARES Act, visit the US Department of Treasury website at <https://home.treasury.gov>

For the most up-to-date accurate information about coronavirus and COVID-19 in Pennsylvania, visit the PA Department of Health at <https://health.pa.gov>

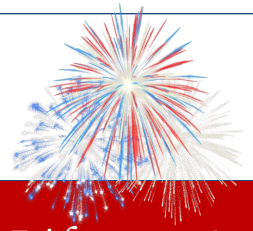
Any residents who fall victim to a scam, report it to their local police department.

Hope

If you only carry one thing throughout your entire life, let it be hope. Let it be hope that better things are always ahead. Let it be hope that you can get through even the toughest of times. Let it be hope that you are stronger than any challenge that comes your way. Let it be hope that you are exactly where you are meant to be right now, and that you are on the path to where you are meant to be... Because during these times, hope will be the very thing that carries you through.

- Nikki Banas

July 2020



| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---|--|--|--|---|--|
| |  | | 1 Planning Commission Work Session 7pm CANCELLED | 2 | 3 VFW Post 5207 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 CANCELLED | 4  |
| 5 | 6 | 7 Board of Supervisors Meeting 7pm | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 Covington F.D. Golf Ball Drop to win cash! Call 570-840- 0600 for tickets |
| Covington Fire Company Picnic 570-842-4130 CANCELLED | | | | | | |
| 12 VFW Post 5207 Auxiliary Breakfast 9-11:30am 570-842-7301 Gouldsboro FD Breakfast 8-11am 570-842-2663 | 13 | 14 Sewer Authority Meeting 7pm | 15 Planning Commission Meeting 7pm | 16 Recreation Committee Meeting 7pm | 17 VFW Post 5207 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 CANCELLED | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 "A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken." ~James Dent | 23 Zoning Hearing Board Quarterly Meeting 7:30 pm | 24 | 25 |
| 26 8am-12pm Breakfast drive-thru @ Madson- ville F.D. 570-842-9504 1pm American Girl Doll Bingo @ Gouldsboro Fire Co. 570-842-2663 | 27 | 28 Board of Supervisors Work Session 7pm | 29 | 30 | 31 "It's a sure sign of summer if the chair gets up when you do." ~ Walter Winchell | |



Honoring Our Fallen Soldiers

By Melinda Musso

Covington Township sadly made the decision to cancel their Memorial Day Service this year in the interest of public health due to the COVID-19 outbreak. Unfortunately, the need to practice social distancing and avoid large gatherings prevented the township's service from taking place. It is a difficult time that has disrupted everyone's life in one way or another, and even though we can't publicly honor our fallen heroes, I felt Memorial Day shouldn't pass us by without any thought or reflection either. After all, our brave soldiers have already paid the ultimate sacrifice for the freedoms we all now enjoy.

"A hero is someone who has given his or her life to something bigger than oneself." -Joseph Campbell

"I only regret that I have but one life to lose for my country." -Nathan Hale

"It is foolish and wrong to mourn the men who died. Rather we should thank God such men lived." -George S. Patton

"Our nation owes a debt to its fallen heroes that we can never repay, but we can honor their sacrifice."
-Barack Obama

"America without her soldiers would be like God without His angels." -Claudia Pemberton

"I believe our flag is more than just cloth and ink. It is a universally recognized symbol that stands for liberty, and freedom. It is the history of our nation, and it's marked by the blood of those who died defending it." -John Thune

This is not the honor we were hoping to give to our fallen American heroes, but it has proven to be a challenge this year with the restrictions that came with the coronavirus pandemic. Even though this is just a small article in our township newsletter, I sincerely hope that everyone can find a way to honor our fallen soldiers during this pandemic, so their sacrifice does not go by unobserved.

The township is looking forward to next year's Memorial Day Service, which will take place on Monday, May 31, 2021. Please mark your calendars and plan on joining us next year in remembrance of our fallen heroes.

August 2020

| Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| | | | | | | 1 Wine in the Woods & Craft Fair 3-8pm @ Elmhurst Carnival Grounds 570-842-8369 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 Board of Supervisors Meeting 7pm | 5 Planning Commission Work Session 7pm | 6 | 7 VFW Post 5207 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 | 8 Moscow Fire's Run for the Roses Moscow Country Street Fair |
| 9 Moscow Country Street Fair VFW Auxiliary Breakfast 9-11:30am 570-842-7301 | 10 | 11 Sewer Authority Meeting 7pm | 12 | 13 | 14 Spring Brook Food & Wine Festival 570-842-2311 | 15 Corn & Clambake 5pm Gouldsboro FD 570-842-2663 |
| 16 "No one ever made a difference by being like everyone else." ~ P.T. Barnum | 17 | 18 | 19 Planning Commission Meeting 7pm | 20 Recreation Committee Meeting 7pm | 21 VFW Post 5207 Home Cooking Night 6-8pm 570-842-7301 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 Board of Supervisors Work Session 7pm | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31  | | | | | |

Pennsylvania's Phased Reopening

Pennsylvania plans to proceed with returning to work cautiously. Broad reopening's that are not structured around ongoing social distancing, universal masking or other public health guidance would likely result in a spike of cases and new stay-at-home orders. This plan will also be able to adapt to the changing nature of the pandemic, as well as lessons learned from communities that return to work strategically. This three-phased matrix is being used to determine when counties and/or regions are ready to begin easing some restrictions on work, congregate settings, and social interactions. More information can be found at www.pa.gov

Red Phase

The red phase has the sole purpose of minimizing the spread of COVID-19 through strict social distancing, non-life sustaining business, school closures, and building safety protocols.

Yellow Phase

As regions/counties move into the yellow phase, some restrictions on work & social interactions will ease, while other, such as school closures, gyms, hair & nail salons, and limiting large gathering remain in place. The purpose of this phase is to begin to power back up the economy while keeping a close eye on health data ensuring the spread of disease remains contained to the greatest extent possible.

Green Phase

This phase eases most restrictions by lifting the stay at home order & business closures to allow the economy to strategically reopen while continuing to prioritize public health. While this will facilitate a return to a "new normal", it will be equally important to monitor public health indicators and adjust restrictions as necessary to ensure the spread of disease remains at a minimum.

Masks or face coverings (that must cover nose & mouth) are mandatory in public (indoor and outdoor locations) anytime you are outside of your home & when you can not consistently maintain social distancing of 6 feet apart. Per PA order issued on 7/1/20. <https://www.governor.pa.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/20200701-SOH-Universal-Face-Coverings-Order.pdf>

COVID-19 REOPENING PHASES

WORK & CONGREGATE SETTINGS

SOCIAL SETTINGS

RED PHASE

- LIFE-SUSTAINING BUSINESSES ONLY
- RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE FOR PRISON + CONGREGATE CARE
- SCHOOLS CLOSED FOR IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION
- MOST CHILD CARE CLOSED

- STAY AT HOME ORDERED
- LARGE GATHERINGS PROHIBITED
- RESTAURANTS/BARS LIMITED TO CARRY-OUT + DELIVERY
- ONLY TRAVEL FOR LIFE-SUSTAINING PURPOSES

YELLOW PHASE

- TELEWORK MUST CONTINUE WHERE FEASIBLE
- BUSINESSES WITH IN-PERSON OPERATIONS MUST FOLLOW SAFETY ORDERS
- CHILD CARE OPEN COMPLYING WITH GUIDANCE
- RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE FOR PRISON + CONGREGATE CARE
- SCHOOLS CLOSED FOR IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION

- STAY AT HOME ORDER LIFTED FOR AGGRESSIVE MITIGATION
- LARGE GATHERINGS OF MORE THAN 25 PROHIBITED
- IN-PERSON RETAIL ALLOWED, CURBSIDE/DELIVERY PREFERRED
- INDOOR RECREATION, HEALTH AND WELLNESS FACILITIES REMAIN CLOSED
- OUTDOOR DINING PERMITTED BEGINNING JUNE 5

GREEN PHASE

- TELEWORK STRONGLY ENCOURAGED
- BUSINESSES WITH IN-PERSON OPERATIONS MUST FOLLOW UPDATED BUSINESS AND BUILDING SAFETY REQUIREMENTS
- ALL BUSINESSES OPERATING IN THE YELLOW PHASE UNDER THE 50% LIMITATION MAY INCREASE TO 75% OCCUPANCY
- PRISON AND HOSPITAL RESTRICTIONS DETERMINED BY INDIVIDUAL FACILITIES
- CONGREGATE CARE RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE
- CHILD CARE MAY OPEN COMPLYING WITH GUIDANCE
- CONSTRUCTION BACK TO FULL CAPACITY WITH SAFETY MEASURES IN PLACE

- CHANGING BEHAVIOR FOR A NEW NORMAL
- LARGE GATHERINGS OF MORE THAN 250 PROHIBITED
- RESTAURANTS AND BARS OPEN AT 50% OCCUPANCY
- PERSONAL CARE SERVICES (INCLUDING HAIR SALONS AND BARBERSHOPS) OPEN AT 50% OCCUPANCY AND BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
- INDOOR RECREATION, HEALTH AND WELLNESS FACILITIES, AND PERSONAL CARE SERVICES OPEN AT 50% OCCUPANCY WITH APPOINTMENTS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED
- ALL ENTERTAINMENT OPEN AT 50% OCCUPANCY

Veteran's Corner

By Retired Army Lieutenant Colonel Robert L. Renna

SUPPORTING OUR VETERANS

Military History

A new museum is being built and is almost complete! It is called the National Museum of the United States Army. It is located at Fort Belvoir, Virginia and was due to open on June 4, 2020; however, due to our present situation with the Covid-19 virus, the opening date has been postponed and will be announced at a future date.

This museum celebrates over 240 years of army history and honors our nation's soldiers: past, present and future and includes regular Army, Army Reserve and the Army National Guard.

Admission is free, however, you must contact the museum prior to visiting. They need a way of coordinating to ensure room to move around and limit the number of people inside at any given time.

You can contact the museum by calling 1-800-506-2672, or Google: U.S. Army Museum

2020 Census

The 2020 census is happening now. Have you responded? If you've received your invitation to respond, it contains a Census ID, which links your response with your address. You can respond without a Census ID and still be linked with your address.

Please complete your census form online, by phone or by mail when the invitation to respond arrives. Visit my2020census.gov to begin the process.

Customer service representatives are available every day from 7am to 2am eastern time at 844-330-2020.

Think of your morning commute: Census results influence highway planning and construction, as well as grants for buses, subways and other public transportation.

Or think of your local schools: Census results help determine how money is allocated for the Head Start program and for grants that support teachers and special education.

This list goes on, including programs to support rural areas, to restore wildlife, to prevent child abuse, to prepare for wildfires, and to provide housing assistance for older adults. Census data also helps communities respond to disasters and secure funding for hospitals and fire departments.

11th Annual William R. Kramer Memorial Car Show

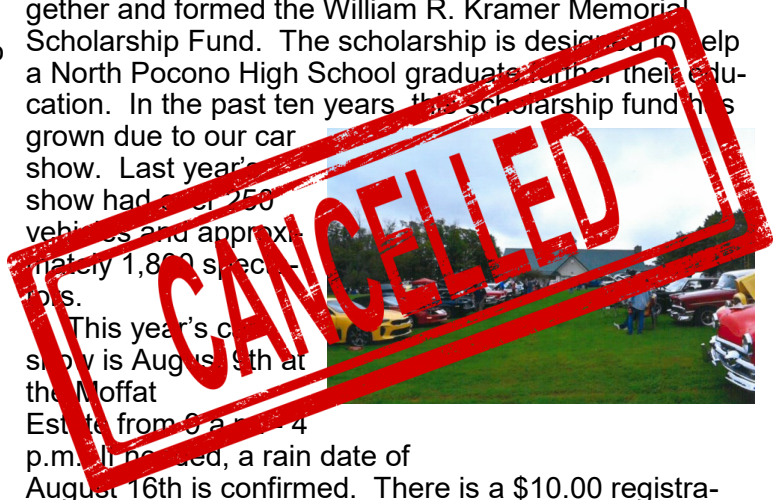
Come join us for the 11th Annual William R. Kramer Car Show, benefitting the William R. Kramer Memorial Scholarship Fund. The car show is hosted by the Kramer family with help from our friends and local businesses. The venue is sponsored by Covington Township Supervisor Tom Yerke.

Thirty years ago William's life came to a tragic end in a fatal car crash. Bill's family and friends came together and formed the William R. Kramer Memorial Scholarship Fund. The scholarship is designed to help a North Pocono High School graduate further their education. In the past ten years, the scholarship fund has grown due to our car show. Last year's show had over 250 vehicles and approximately 1,800 spectators.

This year's car show is August 9th at the Moffat Estate from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. If needed, a rain date of August 16th is confirmed. There is a \$10.00 registration fee for show cars and no charge for spectators. In addition to the Estate's many amenities, there will be music, great food, door prizes and raffles. The Kramer family would like to thank all the businesses and community who support them and this great cause.

Our website is www.wrkmemschlr.com or check us out on Facebook at William R. Kramer Car Show.

Contact Bill Kramer at 570-604-2227 for more information.



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cdc.gov/coronavirus



Wear a cloth face covering in public spaces



Stay at least 6 feet from other people



Frequently wash your hands

ARE YOU OK?

If you are being hurt at home, or witnessing others being hurt in your home. Use these resources to have your message heard.

THERE IS HELP FOR YOU.



SAFE2SAY SOMETHING

Download the app from the Apple or Google Play Store to submit a report. Or call 1-844-723-2729.



CHILDLINE

Call the national hotline, available 24/7, to make a confidential report 1-800-932-0313.



CALL 911

Call 911 if you are in immediate danger. Answer any questions the dispatcher has so that help can find you.



LACKAWANNA POLICE

Call the Lackawanna County Police Department non-emergency number to make a report 570-342-9111.



TEXT 911

Text 911 if you are in an emergency situation. Remember to provide your address so help can find you.



CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER OF NEPA
www.cacnepa.org | (570)969-7313

North Pocono Senior Center

10 Moffat Drive, Covington Twp.

Adults 55 years old & older are welcome

Activities include:

Bingo
Bingo dinner
Pinochle tournaments
Pinochle lessons
Red Hat Meetings
Dominoes and lessons
Holiday parties
Brunch
& much more!

OPEN every Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9 a.m.—2 p.m. (unless noted)

If North Pocono School District is closed or delayed due to bad weather, then the Senior Center will be closed.

Transportation and detailed information on our schedule of events can be obtained by calling (570)843-6485

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HOURS: Thursday's 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
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WHERE: Bill's Plaza (next to laundromat)

DETAILS: Sponsored by a mission of the Daleville United Methodist Church

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SCHOOL BUS TRAFFIC LAWS

The Police Department would like to offer a brief reminder on the school bus laws as the new school year begins. Always keep these laws in mind when operating a vehicle on our road ways.

1. When approaching a stopped school bus with red lights and a stop sign/arm activated, you must stop. This goes for BOTH directions.
2. You must wait until the flashing lights and stop sign/arm are deactivated before continuing on your way.
3. When approaching or overtaking a slowing school bus with amber lights activated, you may pass with caution but be prepared to stop.
4. A school bus operator may report any violations to the local authorities. The violator may then be charged accordingly. The violation does not have to be witnessed by a Law Enforcement Officer.
5. A violation of this section will result in a fine of \$250.00, as well as, five (5) points against the operator's driver's license.

The Police Department receives multiple complaints regarding school bus violations during the school year. The Police Department routinely follows the school busses throughout the township and enforces these laws. If you are stopped for a violation, you will be cited. These laws are in affect for the safety of the students. Please drive carefully.