



# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP AND RECREATION COMMISSION

*A message from the*

## Windsor Township Board of Supervisors

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INFORMATION  
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The Township continues to make facility improvements at Freysville Park. In 2023, the playground equipment and play surface in Windsor Wonderland were replaced. Based on the amount of usage of the playground equipment, it was a huge success!

This summer the tennis and pickleball courts were rehabilitated. Originally, there were three (3) tennis courts at the Park. The popularity of pickleball and requests from residents prompted the Township to have lines for a pickleball court painted on one of the tennis courts. With the rehabilitation, there are now two (2) tennis courts and four (4) pickleball courts. On the first day that the courts were available for use, there was a steady stream of people taking advantage of the new courts.

Kathy Kerchner, Chairperson  
Kim Moyer, Vice-Chairperson  
Stan Saylor



## Update on Community Center

The Township continues to experience delays in the design and construction of the proposed Community Center. The latest time frame has bids being opened in November/December 2024 with construction to begin in early 2025.

The Community Center will contain a gymnasium which will accommodate basketball, volleyball and pickleball, a multi-purpose room with a turf style floor, a social hall for meetings, classes and rentals and a warming kitchen as well as office areas for staff.



### CONNECT WITH US ON FACEBOOK WINDSOR TOWNSHIP, YORK COUNTY

This facebook account has been set up for informational purposes. Please continue to direct questions to our website.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Trick or Treat

Thursday, October 31, 2024  
6:00pm – 8:00pm

### Woody Waste Collection

Curbside:  
Saturday, November 9, 2024  
Drop off:  
[See article to the right for drop off dates](#)

### General Election

Tuesday, November 5, 2024

### Leaf Collection

October 14, 2024 – December 6, 2024

### Christmas Tree Collection

Saturday, January 11, 2025

### Spring Leaf Collection

April 14, 2025 – April 25, 2025

### Board of Supervisors Meeting

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays at 6:00pm

### Recreation Commission Meeting

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 6:00pm

### Planning Commission Meeting

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 6:00pm

# Woody Waste Drop-off and Curbside Collection

The Township is still offering a drop off location for woody waste. The woody waste drop off will take place the 2nd Saturday of selected months from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Public Works Building located at 970 White Oak Rd., Windsor. The drop off dates for the rest of 2024 and all of 2025 are as follows:

|                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| December 14, 2024 | August 9, 2025     |
| March 8, 2025     | September 13, 2025 |
| April 12, 2025    | October 11, 2025   |
| June 14, 2025     | December 13, 2025  |
| July 12, 2025     |                    |

The drop off is for residential woody waste only. Our employees will be on hand to assist with unloading the woody waste. **This service is available to Township residents only. Photo identification will be required.** There is a six (6) ft. length limit as well as a six (6) inch diameter limit. Woody waste brought to the drop off location **does not** need to be bundled. **NO commercial businesses. NO grass clippings, tree stumps, sawdust, mulch, bamboo, flower debris or bagged debris.**

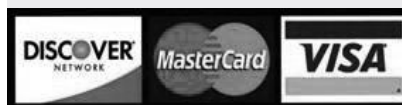
The Township will continue to provide a **curbside woody waste collection** during the months of May and November. The next curbside collection is scheduled for **Saturday, November 9, 2024 for the entire Township.** The date of the spring curbside collection will be announced after the first of the year. These collections will deal with brush and tree trimmings only.

- The trimmings must be **bundled and tied with twine** in 4 ft. lengths or placed in a biodegradable bag. Biodegradable bags are sold at most home improvement stores. Woody waste may be considered contaminated if it is bundled with anything other than twine or is mixed with other types of solid waste. Contaminated woody waste would then have to be considered municipal waste and would require disposal at the incinerator. This of course would defeat the benefits of recycling woody waste.
- Material should be one quarter to three inches in diameter.
- There is no limit to the number of “qualifying” bundles or bags that can be placed out for collection.
- **NO TRIMMINGS IN GARBAGE BAGS OR CANS.**
- **NO GRASS CLIPPINGS.**
- **NO TREE STUMPS.**

## CREDIT CARDS BEING ACCEPTED FOR PAYMENT OF QUARTERLY SEWER BILLS

Sewer customers can pay their sewer bill with a credit card. To make a payment with a credit card, go to the Township’s website ([www.windsortwp.com](http://www.windsortwp.com)) and scroll down until you see the link for online sewer payments. VISA, Mastercard and Discover are accepted. There is a \$2.95 convenience fee per transaction. The maximum payment amount is \$350.00 per transaction.

Payments with a credit card are NOT accepted at the Township Office.



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[WWW.WINDSORTWP.COM](http://WWW.WINDSORTWP.COM)

# In Memoriam

## Passing of Board Member, Rodney Sechrist

With the passing of Rodney Sechrist on July 23, 2024, the Township lost a long standing member of the Windsor Township Board of Supervisors.

With thirty (30) years of service to the Township, he was a wealth of information. Rodney's passion was emergency services (fire, ambulance and police). He was the Township liaison to the volunteer fire companies and served on the York Area Regional Police Commission which became the York County Regional Police Commission. He is going to be missed!

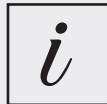


**Kaltreider-Benfer Library**  
147 S Charles St  
Red Lion, PA 17356

KBL provides free educational opportunities to all. We encourage families to participate in our ongoing reading rewards programs such as 1000 Books Before Kindergarten, Grade One At the Library (GOAL), and SummerQuest. We offer children the following regularly scheduled classes, where literature is used to teach the foundations of reading & learning:

- Every Tuesday, at 10:00, we offer Preschool Literacy Class for those ages 3 to 5.
- Every Wednesday, at 10:00 we offer Toddler Literacy Class for those ages 18 mos. to 3 years.
- Every Thursday, at 10:00 we offer Baby Literacy Class for those from birth to 18 months.

In addition to these regularly scheduled classes, we offer weekly take & make crafts, adult book discussion groups, knitting nights, and so much more! To see our full schedule, please visit us on the web at [www.kaltreider-benfer.org](http://www.kaltreider-benfer.org).



Telephone: 717-244-2032  
Email: [kalib@yorklibraries.org](mailto:kalib@yorklibraries.org)  
[www.kaltreider-benfer.org](http://www.kaltreider-benfer.org)

## Modern Landfill Eastern Expansion Update

As we have stated in previous newsletters, a portion of Modern Landfill on Mt. Pisgah Rd. is located within Windsor Township. There is also a portion of the landfill located in Lower Windsor Township. As a host municipality, Windsor Township has a Host Community Agreement with Republic Services which owns Modern Landfill.

Modern Landfill had been proposing an eastern expansion into Lower Windsor Township for several years. The expansion is being proposed as there is only approximately two (2) years of storage capacity remaining at the landfill. Their first step was to negotiate a Host Community Agreement with Lower Windsor Township. After much discussion, the Lower Windsor Township Board of Supervisors decided in December of 2020 to not move forward with a Host Community Agreement.

As of the publishing of this newsletter, discussions between Lower Windsor Township and Modern Landfill have not resumed.

Should Modern Landfill no longer accept waste into the landfill, there are multiple services that the Township and its residents have enjoyed for many, many years that will cease. These are: free garbage collection, free recycling collection, free large item collection, free Christmas tree collection, street sweeping at no charge, a place for the Township to dispose of items that have been dumped along Township roads free of charge and a disposal area for leaves free of charge.



# YORK COUNTY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

33 Oak Street, York, PA 17402 • Chief Timothy L. Damon

The York County Regional Police Department is utilizing CRIMEWATCH and social media to assist the department and community with information sharing, crime prevention and crime mapping.



YCRPD



@YCRPD



@YorkCoRegPD

Please login, sign-up, and "Follow-us" to stay informed as news is happening in real time.

Visit our CRIMEWATCH website: [www.ycrpd.org](http://www.ycrpd.org)

**COMMUNITY** York County Regional Police Department Is committed to serving our citizens and communities. We look for opportunities to grow and consolidate resources to better serve our communities. We are currently in talks with Spring Garden Township for a possible merger between York County Regional PD and Spring Garden PD.

**AWARDS/COMMENDATIONS** Corporal Stephanie Phillips was Awarded Officer of the year for 2023 at our May Commission meeting. Phillips is an 8-year veteran of the department. Phillips was chosen as Officer of the Year because of her positive attitude, willingness to take on challenges, volunteer for assignments, and her desire to help people and better herself and the department. At the May meeting of the York County Regional Police Commission, five (5) officers were recognized by Chief Damon, for their performance on-duty and going above and beyond.

Sgt Corey Shaffer, Officer Adam Cohick and Officer Ryan Henry, all received the Medal of Distinction, Officer Kevin Romine received a Chief's Commendation, Officer Michelle Hoover received two Chief's Commendations. Three citizens received Citizen Commendations at York County Regional PD's commission meeting on Thursday, June 13, 2024. Holly Pennewill of York, Blake Casteel of York and Nicholas Suewski were recognized for their quick action and bravery on March 9, 2024 during motor vehicle collision in the area of Camp Betty Washington Rd. between Sage Hill Rd. and Belle Rd. in York Township. The crash involved a single vehicle, which was occupied by three people and overturned into Mill Creek. These brave citizens removed all three vehicle occupants to safety. At the July meeting of the York County Regional Police Commission, Officer Darius Mitchell was recognized by Chief Damon, with a Chief's Commendation for his actions on May 15, 2024. Officer Mitchell responded to a call where a large dog was attacking a woman. Officer Mitchell acted quickly and used his service weapon to put down the dog, saving the woman's life.

**PROMOTIONS** At May's York County Regional Police Commission meeting, Officers Christopher Glass and John Hundley were promoted to the rank of Corporal. Officer Glass was not available to attend the meeting. Officers were chosen after a written exam and oral interview. Glass is a 9-year veteran of the department and Hundley has almost completed his 6th year. The new Corporals will be assigned to squads to assist the squad Sergeant in supervision and leadership.

**WELCOME** YCRPD has hired two new lateral officers, Jordan Strickler, of York, started April 10, 2024, and is a 2-year veteran of Newberry Township Police Department. Strickler is a West York Area High School graduate and gradated with an Associates degree from Harrisburg Area Community College. Jonathan Schuhart started Monday July 8, 2024, and is a veteran Newport News Police Department and Loudoun County Sheriff's Department in Virginia. Schuhart has recently been employed by MPOETC (Pennsylvania Municipal Police Officer's Education and Training Commission). Jonathan is a graduate of York Suburban High School and York College of Pennsylvania. We welcome these two new officers to the York County Regional Family!

**EVENTS** YCRPD hosted the 2024 FBI Teen Academy June 26th & 27th. Teens learned what it's like to be an FBI agent. Teens received blocks of instruction and demonstrations on topics like terrorism, cyber-crime, evidence collection, interviewing, etc. On June 21st the Friends of the York County Regional Mounted Police held a golf outing at Heritage Hills Golf Resort to raise funds for the mounted unit.

**K9 UNIT & MOUNTED UNITS** Tango and Nova have been busy. Tango has been deployed for several child exploitation cases assisting our officers and other departments. Judge, Bishop and Nova are at Flinchbaugh's Orchard and Farm Market, 110 Ducktown Rd, Hellam Twp. Tango assisted in training teens on evidence collection at the FBI Teen Academy we hosted June 26th & 27th. **Mini stuffed- animal "Tango" dogs are still available at the department for sale, \$20 each. The proceeds will directly benefit the K9 program.**



# Building Permits

Building Permits are required for most projects. Contact the Township Office at 717-244-3512 if you have a specific project upcoming. Some examples that require permits are additions, sheds, finishing of basements/carports, new or replacement patios or decks, resurfacing or enlargement of driveways, fences and above ground, inground and temporary swimming pools.

Windsor Township strives to process applications for permits as quickly as possible. It may take up to 15 business days to issue a Building Permit once it has been submitted. A completed application includes a completely filled out application form and a plot plan for the entire lot identifying all existing and proposed improvements. The drawing should include the dimensions (length and width) for all improvements (including house, driveway, sheds, patios, decks, sidewalks, etc). Depending on the project, additional information may be required for submission.

No work can be started until a Building Permit has been issued and the placard card has been placed in a location that can be seen from the street.

# LEAF COLLECTION

Leaf collection will run from October 14, 2024 through December 6, 2024. The Township uses a leaf collector that is self contained and is operated by one person. Remember to rake leaves as close to the edge of the blacktop/curb as possible in narrow rows away from fences, posts, poles or cars. Tree limbs, grass, shrubs and hedge trimmings, bricks, stones or any foreign objects are **not** to be deposited in the leaves. If foreign objects are found, the leaves will not be collected.

# SPRING LEAF COLLECTION

The Township will hold a spring leaf collection program again next year. It will run from April 14, 2025 through April 25, 2025. All aspects of the fall collection will apply during the spring collection.

# CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Christmas may seem like a long way off but it will be here before we know it. Christmas tree collection will be **Saturday, January 11, 2025**. The tree must be free of ornaments, garland and tinsel. **NO PLASTIC BAGS**. The maximum tree height is 6 feet.

# NOTARY SERVICE

Notary service is available at the Township Office free of charge as long as the document being notarized pertains to Township business such as an OLDS exemption certification. Please call the Township Office at **717-244-3512** to make sure that the notary is available.

# COMPACT FLUORESCENT LIGHT (CFL) BULB RECYCLING

Just a reminder that CFL bulbs can still be brought to the Township Office for recycling. Bring your **unbroken** CFLs to the Township Office during normal business hours and we will take it from there. Sorry, we cannot accept tube fluorescent bulbs. This is only for CFL bulbs.

**7 Ways to Save the Bay**

**RECYCLE-** The average American discards 1.5 tons of garbage a year. Recycle just one aluminum can and save enough energy to power a TV for 3 hours.

**TAKE YOUR CAR TO A CARWASH-** Your driveway is a first class, non-stop ticket to the Bay for dirt, soap and chemicals.

**PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET-** You wouldn't bathe with the bacteria and pollutants pet waste contains... Why swim with them, or eat fish that do.

**BUY LOCAL FOODS-** Did you know that most foods you eat travel 1,300 miles before they get to your plate? Buying food that's grown on local farms minimizes transportation-related emissions. It also keeps local farmers in business—which is good for Bay lands and, ultimately, Bay water quality.

**PLANT A TREE-** Clean the air, cool the earth (and your home). Provide habitat for wildlife.

**CONSERVE WATER-** Take shorter showers. Turn off the water while you're brushing your teeth, washing your hands, or doing dishes in the sink. By reducing your use of water, you help wastewater treatment plants function more effectively by reducing the volume they process.

**REDUCE ELECTRICITY-** Besides auto emissions, coal-burning power plants are among the largest sources of mercury and nitrogen compounds in air pollution.

**WINDSOR TOWNSHIP**  
1480 Windsor Road  
Red Lion, PA 17356  
Phone: 717-244-3512  
Fax: 717-246-6172  
info@windsortwp.com

# Garbage and Large Item Collection

Just a reminder that there is a four (4) bag/container limit on your weekly trash service. Each bag/container, when filled, may not weigh more than 75 lbs. nor exceed a volume of 32 gallons. If you are using a toter supplied by Republic Services, the toter is considered 3 bags of garbage. Therefore, you can put out a toter plus one (1) bag of garbage.

A frequently asked question is what to do with paint cans. If there is paint in the can, add some sawdust or kitty litter to absorb the paint. Once that has been done, it can be put out with your regular trash.

Residents are permitted to put out **one (1) large item per week** as part of their regular trash collection. All items must be out at the curb by 6:00 a.m. (5:00 a.m. for Monday collection routes) on your regular trash collection day. It is suggested that items be placed at the curb the night before your collection day. **Please contact the Township Office at 717-244-3512 by 1:00 p.m. the day before your collection to inform us you will be putting a large item at the curb. Those with a Monday collection need to call on Friday.**

**THIS COLLECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO THE TOWNHOUSES IN WINDSOR COMMONS APARTMENTS AND LION'S GATE (FORMERLY WINDSOR POINTE).**

Items which **WILL** be collected per household:



- Furniture (*sofa, chair, etc.*)
- White goods (*stove, water heater, etc.*)
- Carpet – rolled, tied in 4 ft. lengths (*Maximum number of rolls is 4*)
- Mattresses & Boxsprings (**Must be wrapped**)
- Car tires only, **must be off rims.** (*No large truck tires*)

Items which **WILL NOT** be collected:



- Construction debris (*drywall, tile, shingles, bricks, etc.*)
- Batteries and automobile parts
- Treated lumber & roofing shingles
- Hazardous materials (*Pesticides, propane tanks, etc.*)
- Tree stumps and other woody waste
- Electronics

**When there is a holiday on a weekday, collection will be one day late after the holiday. The holidays observed by Republic Services are:**

- New Years Day
- Memorial Day
- July 4th (if it is a weekday)
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving
- Christmas Day

For example: Thanksgiving Day is a Thursday. Therefore, the regular Thursday collection will take place on Friday and the regular Friday collection will take place on Saturday.

**REMEMBER:** Due to the “Covered Devices Act”, electronics **will not be** collected as part of our trash/large item collection program. They cannot be disposed of at Pennsylvania waste disposal facilities. They must be recycled through an approved recycler or recycling program. Please see the article in this newsletter on electronics recycling.

## ON-LOT DISPOSAL SYSTEM (OLDS) MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Earlier this year residents within District #4 were notified of their requirement to comply with the OLDS Management Ordinance. District #4 covers all properties served by on-lot septic systems west of Freysville Rd., east of Rt.24 (Cape Horn Rd.) and north of Red Lion Borough. If you received a notice and have not yet taken steps to have your system pumped/inspected and if necessary, brought to full ordinance compliance, please do so prior to the end of the year.

It has been brought to our attention that pumping companies are sending out letters that do not reflect our pumping cycles. Please do not have your septic system pumped without first getting a letter from the Township, unless it is necessary to do so. If you have your septic system pumped outside of your scheduled year, you will still be required to have your septic system pumped during your normally scheduled year.

If you have questions as to whether you have complied or what year you are scheduled to have your septic system pumped, please contact the Township Office. Noncompliance will result in penalties.

# SPCA OF YORK COUNTY

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The holiday season is soon upon us which means lots of fun festivities are in store! Many of us have furry family members want to include them in the fun too, but there are a few important safety tips to keep in mind around the holiday season.

During the holidays, the environment in our homes often changes. The house looks different with decorations, more packages may be delivered, enticing smells fill the air, and more visitors come. While we look forward to the festivities, the new sounds, smells, and changes can cause stress for some dogs. Consider keeping your dog in a room away from the bulk of the activity until people are settled. Even then, spending time around people, especially little children, should be limited or done supervised, on-leash. Extra excitement outside of your dog's routine may elevate their stress, especially those prone to be more anxious.

The door may be opened more with deliveries and people coming and going. Make sure your dog is secure before opening the door. They should be on a leash, behind a closed gate or door, or in a crate. Make sure everyone in the family follows your safety plan. To be safe, your dog should be microchipped and wear a collar with up-to-date ID tags if they slip out the door or fence.

Keep extension cords and tree lights out of reach of dogs, especially puppies in the chewing stage. Putting an exercise pen around the tree will help to keep your dog safe and your tree intact. Avoid decorations such as tinsel, ornament hooks, and popcorn strings, which can harm dogs. If you choose to decorate with these items, ensure they are high enough to be out of your pet's reach. When opening gifts, it is best to quickly remove paper, ribbon, and bows from areas where your dog tends to wander around so that none of these items are ingested.

Be especially careful with food. At a time when people may leave plates of food lying around from room to room, your dogs must not have access to the food or the trash can until clean-up has been done. Unless someone always has eyes on your dog, it is too easy for him to help himself to food that may not be safe, including the following:

- Cooked turkey bones
- Fatty meat scraps
- Foods containing chocolate, cocoa, raisins, grapes, currants, and some nuts
- Alcohol
- Sugar-free gums and candies that contain xylitol

If your dog accidentally ingests one of the food or drink items above, please immediately contact your veterinarian or an animal emergency hospital.

If you are seeking a new four-legged companion to welcome into the family for the holidays, we have many animals available for adoption who are seeking their forever homes! You can browse our website at [www.ycspca.org/adopt](http://www.ycspca.org/adopt) or visit our shelter during public browsing hours every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Happy Pawlidays from the York County SPCA!



# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP FIRE & EMERGENCY RESCUE ASSOCIATION

Have you thanked a volunteer firefighter lately? Fire protection services are provided to Windsor Township and its residents by volunteer firefighters. These volunteers spend countless hours of their free time working tirelessly to keep us safe during our darkest time. Please consider supporting their efforts in every way possible including donations, dinners, chicken barbeques and sandwich sales. New recruits are always welcome! Just stop by one of the local fire stations!

Windsor Township is served by three (3) volunteer fire companies. They are Alliance Fire & Rescue Services, Inc. (formerly Red Lion and Felton fire companies), Laurel Fire Company No.1 (Windsor) and Southern Area Fire & Emergency Rescue (SAFER – formerly Dallastown, Yoe and Yorkana fire companies).



From left to right – Kim Moyer (Windsor Twp. Supervisor), Scott Henry (father of Mackenzie Henry), Dave Stump (Chief – SAFER) and Owen Strouse

Each year the Township offers two (2) \$1,000 scholarships through the Windsor Township Fire & Emergency Rescue Association. To be eligible for the scholarships, the recipients have to be a member or family of a member who volunteers with one of the three (3) fire companies that serve Windsor Township. At the Windsor Township Board of Supervisors meeting on July 15, 2024, the scholarships were awarded to Owen Strouse and Mackenzie Henry. Owen is currently attending Lebanon Valley College and studying Secondary Education with a focus in History. Mackenzie is enrolled in the Accelerated Physician's Assistant Program at Elizabethtown College. CONGRATULATIONS!!

## Earned Income Tax Credit for Volunteer Firefighters

Earlier this year, the Township revised our earned income tax relief program for volunteer firefighters who live in the Township. This program is to encourage new members to volunteer and ensure the long term viability of volunteer firefighters in the community.

If you are a volunteer firefighter with any of the following fire companies, live in Windsor Township and meet the program criteria, you are eligible to receive an earned income tax credit of up to \$500.00. The fire companies are: Southern Area Fire & Emergency Rescue (SAFER), Laurel Fire Company No.1, Alliance Fire & Rescue Services, Inc., Craley Community Fire Company, Goodwill Fire Company #1 – York Township, North Hopewell-Winterstown Fire Company, New Bridgeville Memorial Fire Company, East Prospect Fire Company, Wrightsville Fire & Rescue Company and Hellam Fire Company.

Information on the program was sent to the municipalities where these fire companies are located. If the Chief of the fire company that you volunteer with is not familiar with the program, have them reach out to the Township at 717-244-3512 and we will provide them with the necessary information. A list of individuals who will be applying for an earned income tax credit for the 2024 calendar year is due to the York Adams Tax Bureau by December 15, 2024.



# SAFER (Southern Area Fire and Emergency Rescue)

Dallastown, Yoe, and Yorkana pulling together to make a better community.

50 South School Place, Dallastown (Station 1) • 36 East George Street, Yoe, PA (Station 2) • Yorkana (Station 3)  
5410 Mt Pisgah Road, York • [www.saferyork.com](http://www.saferyork.com) • 717-246-1629 or 717-244-4228

On May 29, 2024, Community Fire Company No. 1 of Yorkana, PA, officially joined the SAFER organization. This partnership has already brought significant advantages to the department, primarily through an increased workforce. This boost in personnel has proven to be a substantial asset. As a result, the operational staff is now considering redistributing and downsizing equipment to maximize efficiency. We are delighted to welcome Community Fire Company No. 1 into the SAFER family. This collaboration will enhance emergency services' efficiency and effectiveness, benefiting the valued residents of Dallastown Borough and surrounding areas.

## Why Volunteer with Us?

- **Make a Direct Impact:** Your contributions play a crucial role in protecting lives and property in our community.
- **Comprehensive Training:** We provide all necessary training for aspiring firefighters and fire police. No prior experience is needed—just your commitment and enthusiasm.
- **Diverse Roles:** There are numerous ways to get involved beyond firefighting. Support our fundraising efforts, assist with administrative duties, and strengthen our organization through various volunteer roles.

You can join as a junior member starting at age 14. Additionally, the county now offers a tax credit for property owners who serve their community as volunteers in emergency services. If you're ready to make a difference and become part of our dedicated team, please contact us at **717-246-1629** or **717-244-4228** or visit our website at [www.saferyork.com](http://www.saferyork.com) for more information.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Glow Bingo

Thursday, November 16, 2024  
Held at Dallastown Station

### 50/50 Banquet and Drawing

Saturday, January 11, 2025  
Held at Dallastown Station

### Weekly Cash Bingo

Fridays  
Held at Station 1, Dallastown.  
Doors open at 5:00 pm and games begin at 7:00 pm. There is food available to purchase. Check our Facebook page for jackpot and players pool amounts.

### Are you looking to rent a space for an event?

SAFER has options available. We also provide catering/banquet services. Call the station **717-246-1629** and leave a message in the rentals voicemail for availability and details.

# Recycling Program

## *Must I Recycle?*

Yes. Pennsylvania law requires all Windsor Township residential and commercial properties to recycle. All recyclable materials must be removed from the regular trash. This is not only the right thing to do environmentally, but it saves money in disposal costs.

### **Wheeled totes with lids for your recycling were provided free of charge by Republic Services.**

If you did not get one or there wasn't one at your home when you moved in, please contact the Township Office 717-244-3512 to make arrangements to have one delivered.

## Acceptable Items



- Aluminum food and beverage containers with food debris removed. **Labels do not need to be removed.**
- Glass food and beverage containers with **lids and food debris removed:** Clear, Brown, Green. **Labels do not need to be removed.**
- Natural and pigmented plastic narrow-neck containers with symbols 1,2,5 (milk bottles, water bottles, etc.) **Lids and food debris removed. Labels do not need to be removed.**
- Ferrous (Iron, steel, tin) cans with **food debris removed.**
- Newsprint – black and white or pigmented.
- Beverage cartons (milk, orange juice, etc.)
- Corrugated cardboard cut down small enough to fit into the recycling bin.

## Non-Acceptable Items



- Construction paper, craft paper, cereal boxes, shoe boxes, or similar.
- Printer paper, computer paper, copy paper
- Junk mail
- Magazines, catalogs
- Phone books
- Aerosol cans
- Window or auto glass, drinking glasses, mirrors
- Light bulbs
- Microwave trays, glass cookware/ bake ware
- Plastic bags
- Styrofoam salad/deli containers
- Household items such as cooking pots, appliances and aluminum foil
- Batteries
- Scrap metal

As in the past, recycling should not be put out for collection in plastic grocery bags. It will not be collected.

The recycling and trash collections are provided to the residents of Windsor Township at **NO CHARGE**. The cost of collection is paid by Modern Landfill as a part of the Host Community Agreement.

## Delinquent Sewer Bills and Water Shut Offs

Due to the number of properties in the Township that are delinquent on their quarterly sewer bills, the Board of Supervisors entered into agreements with the York Water Company and the Red Lion Municipal Authority to shut off public water to properties that are delinquent on their sewer bills. Any delinquent account that has not been paid within thirty (30) days of receiving the next quarterly bill will receive a notice that the delinquent amount is due within thirty (30) days. If the delinquent amount is not paid in full by the due date, water termination procedures will be started.

The water termination process is as follows:

- A ten (10) day notice is mailed and posted at the property requiring **payment in full plus an administrative processing fee which is an additional \$30.00**. Payment must be made at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once seven (7) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fee have not been paid, a three (3) day notice is posted. Another \$15.00 is added to the amount owed. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once eight (8) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fees have not been paid, a 48-hr. notice is posted. Another \$15.00 is added to the amount owed. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.
- Once the ten (10) days have passed and payment in full plus the administrative processing fees have not been paid, the appropriate water company is contacted to shut off the water. The cost to shut off and restore water service is a total of \$30.00 for the York Water Company and a total of \$150.00 for the Red Lion Municipal Authority. Again, **payment must be made in full plus the appropriate shut off/restoration fee and administrative processing fees** at the Township Office by either cash or money order. Personal checks as well as online banking checks will be returned.

We encourage the payment of the quarterly bill by the due date to ensure that there will be no interruptions of your water service.

If you mail your payment, pay at the Township Office or pay at Orrstown/PeoplesBank, it is important to include the bottom portion of the invoice as it contains your account number. At the least, please write your account number on your check.



## Drug Take Back Box

Several years ago, a Drug Take Back Box was installed in the lobby of the Township Office courtesy of the York County Regional Police Department. It is available during our normal business hours. Remove your personal information from the containers then place your unwanted or expired medications in the box to help prevent dangerous accidents with the children in your household. Please do not leave medications outside the front doors.

### Accepted



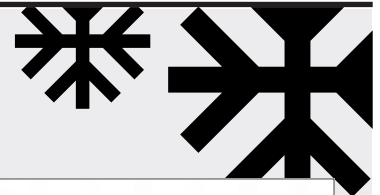
- Prescription medications (Controlled and Non-controlled substances)
- Over-the-counter medications

### Not Accepted



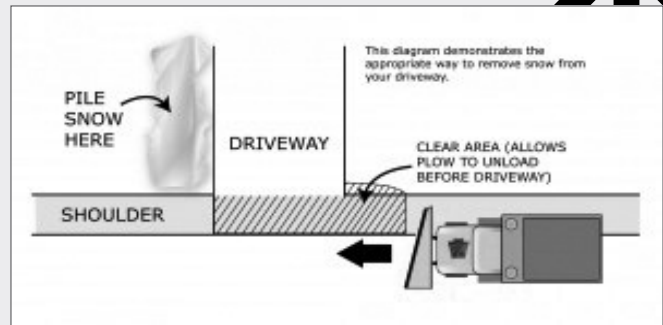
- Illegal drugs
- Needles
- Lotions or liquids
- Inhalers
- Aerosol cans
- Thermometers
- Hydrogen peroxide

## Winter Tips



Below are some helpful reminders of municipal regulations and practices related to winter precipitation:

- Once a Snow Emergency has been declared, all motor vehicles **MUST** be removed from all Township streets to allow road crews to properly remove snow from the roads. The Snow Emergency will be announced on the local television stations as well as on our website and Facebook page.
- Snow Emergencies are typically declared when significant amounts of snow are being forecasted. We are noticing that more and more cars are being parked on the street during snow events which makes it harder for the trucks to plow. Based on this, a Snow Emergency may be declared more often for lesser snow storm events.
- Please do not deposit any snow onto public streets; this act is prohibited by the Snow Emergency Ordinance.
- Sidewalks must be kept clear of snow/ice within 24 hours after each storm event to provide pedestrian access regardless of whether a snow emergency has been declared.
- If you see that a neighbor hasn't removed the snow/ice from their sidewalk, check with them to see if there are health problems that have prevented the sidewalk from being cleared. If there are health problems, enlist the help of other neighbors to get the sidewalk cleared before calling the Township.
- If you go out of town during the winter months, have a plan in place with a neighbor or friend to remove the snow/ice from your sidewalk.
- If the Township Office receives a complaint that a sidewalk is not cleared of snow/ice, the entire development is checked for compliance. The Township **does not** remove the snow/ice from the sidewalk.
- If you live near or have a fire hydrant on your property, please keep it cleared to allow emergency services to be able to quickly locate and access them in case of an emergency.
- Check your mailbox post to see if it needs to be replaced. The Township will not compensate property owners should their mailbox be damaged during snow removal.



# FIRST CAPITAL EMS

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**FOR EMERGENCIES, DIAL 911**

## First Capital EMS Subscription Mailing

The 2024 Annual Subscription requests were mailed out in late May. The subscription year runs July 1 to June 30. If you did not receive your mailing, you can subscribe on our website at [FirstCapitalEMS.org](http://FirstCapitalEMS.org). The link on the website is to PayPal, but you do not need a PayPal account to subscribe. You can pay with your credit card. The Subscription is available to the residents and businesses of Yoe and Dallastown Boroughs, and those portions of York Township and Windsor Township serviced by First Capital EMS. If you have questions, call us at 717-885-2505, Monday through Thursday between 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM.

First Capital EMS is a non-profit, 501(c)3, charitable organization incorporated in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We are licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Health and are dispatched by the York County Department of Emergency Services - 911 Center.

### Subscription Rates (Annual):

|                   |  |                  |                  |
|-------------------|--|------------------|------------------|
| Individual        | \$35.00 per year                                       | Household        | \$50.00 per year |
| Individual Senior | \$20.00 per year                                       | Household Senior | \$35.00 per year |
| Business          | Varies by Number of Employees, please call for a quote |                  |                  |

## Why Should I Buy an Ambulance Subscription?

### Peace of Mind in an Emergency:

Although many patients have medical insurance coverage of some type, most insurance plans cover only a portion of the fees associated with transportation to the hospital or will pay for only those fees they consider to be "usual and customary." Unfortunately, this amount is usually far below our cost to provide 24-hour a day emergency ambulance service to a population of 40,000+ citizens. Any portion of the fees not covered by private insurance, becomes an out-of-pocket expense for the patient.

As a First Capital EMS Subscriber, payment from your insurance carrier(s) will satisfy your obligation to us for our service costs\*. Non-Subscribers are responsible for payment in full for services, regardless of the amount covered by their insurance carrier. Subscribers shall forward any payments received directly from their insurance carrier to First Capital EMS immediately upon receipt.

The demand for emergency medical services has grown dramatically over the past several years. If we are already committed to an emergency when you need us, the 911 center will dispatch the next closest available ambulance service. This subscription is also honored by 5 neighboring EMS agencies shown below:

- Jacobus Ambulance
- Red Lion Ambulance
- Southern York County EMS
- Eureka Fire and Ambulance
- Rose Fire Company (New Freedom)

*\*All patients will be responsible for a charge of \$95 - \$300 for refusal of transport, when evaluation and/or treatment is provided. Non-transport is not covered by the subscription.*



## Trick or Treat

Thursday, October 31, 2024 | 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

REMINDER

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# WINDSOR TOWNSHIP RECREATION COMMISSION

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## *A message from the* **Recreation Director**

Another amazing summer is in the books! As you prepare for the upcoming winter season, consider some Windsor Rec programs to fill out your schedule. Whether it is youth sports, camps and clinics, or bus trips, we have something for everyone!

One of the new programs we offered in 2024 was an intramural soccer program for ages 8 and older. Previously we had only offered travel soccer for these ages, which wasn't necessarily what everyone was looking for. Adding this program allowed us to create more competitive travel teams but also allowed us to provide a more schedule friendly, local, recreational soccer opportunity for families who were not interested in the commitment to travel soccer. Overall, we saw an increase of approximately 30% of players due to the new program!

All in all, between our spring, fall, and summer sports in 2024, we placed approximately 1,729 players onto teams this year. This number represents players who were given the opportunity to exercise, socialize, and make new friends through Windsor Rec youth sports programs. This feat could not be possible without the support of our communities' families and most importantly without the hundreds of volunteers who give up their time and energy on behalf of children in our community.

Windsor Rec is continuing to grow because of the support of our residents. We want to say thank you because we couldn't do it without you! We also want to thank all the volunteers who have served thus far in 2024. Our programs could not be successful if we did not have volunteers willing to help and donate their time.

As we gear up for 2025, we're excited to continue adding to the list of offerings for our community. We're looking forward to scheduling some new informational sessions, additional Food Truck Friday's and adding to our youth sports programming opportunities. Keep an eye out for some soccer, baseball, softball, field hockey, and flag football offerings in 2025!

As always, if there are any programs that you would like to see offered, I encourage you to contact the Windsor Rec at **717-244-3512** or by email at **recdirector@windsorrec.com**.

Thank you,

*Christopher Shaffer*

Christopher Shaffer, *Recreation Director*



Visit **[www.windsorrec.com](http://www.windsorrec.com)** for a full list of our offerings



# WINDSOR REC YOUTH SPORTS REGISTRATION TIMELINE

## SPRING 2025

### Soccer

| PROGRAM                        | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Intramural - Ages 3 and up     | Early January      | Late February       |
| Travel Soccer - U9 through U15 | Mid-November       | Late December       |

### Baseball and Softball

| PROGRAM                   | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Baseball - 8U through 16U | Early January      | Mid-February        |
| Softball - 7U through 14U | Early January      | Mid-February        |

## SUMMER 2025

### Tee Ball

| PROGRAM        | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 4 & 5 year old | Early April        | Mid-May             |
| 6 & 7 year old | Early April        | Mid-May             |

## FALL 2025

### Soccer

| PROGRAM                        | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Intramural - Ages 3 and up     | Early April        | Mid-July            |
| Travel Soccer - U9 through U15 | Early April        | Mid-May             |

### Field Hockey

| PROGRAM                                       | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> through 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade | Early May          | Mid-July            |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> through 6 <sup>th</sup> grade | Early May          | Mid-July            |

### Flag Football

| PROGRAM                                       | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> through 6 <sup>th</sup> grade | Early May          | Mid-July            |

### Baseball and Softball

| PROGRAM                    | REGISTRATION OPENS | REGISTRATION CLOSES |
|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Baseball - 8U through 16U  | Early June         | Mid-July            |
| Softball - 10U through 14U | Early June         | Mid-July            |

# 2024 SPORTS TEAM PHOTOS



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