

Downingtown Borough Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Downingtown Farmers Market -Winter Schedule:

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10am - Noon

For more information on events, click on the Events tab at www.downingtown.org

Did You Know?

Any unregistered/uninspected vehicle on Borough streets and/or properties are considered abandoned and will be towed at the owner's expense.

Latest News

February Office Closures: Borough offices will be closed on Presidents' Day, Monday, February 17. PLEASE NOTE: There is NO change in the trash/recycling collection schedule.

Chestnut Street Bridge Update: The old Chestnut Street Bridge has been completely removed. The next step is the foundation of the new bridge, which will begin next week. The completion date is October of 2021, but if the weather continues to cooperate, it may be earlier. The Borough has already begun engineering and right-of-way work with PennDOT on the Lancaster Avenue Bridge rehabilitation project. Stay tuned for more information about this project.

Downingtown Library Spring Book Sale: Mark your calendars! The Friends of the Library are gearing up for the annual Spring Book Sale, March 27-29. Starting February 17, you can donate your donations of gently used books, CDs and DVDs during regular Library hours. Visit www.downingtownlibrary.org for more information.

Downingtown Library Challenge Grant: An anonymous donor has issued a \$25,000 challenge grant, giving \$5,000 a year for a period of 5 years if the Library can secure \$10,000 a year in pledges from the community for the next 5 years- the amount needed to fund a full-time Children's Librarian. The Board of Directors appeals to all Library supporters to sign a pledge as soon as possible, so that the Library can achieve this goal as quickly as possible. Pledges can be any amount- even as low as \$100 per year will make a difference! Please visit www.downingtownlibrary.org for information about making your pledge.

Alert Fire Company 7th Annual Golf Outing: Mark your calendars! Registration is now open for the 7th Annual Alert Fire Company Golf Outing scheduled for May 4, 2020. For details visit www.alertgolfouting.org

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