



Letter from the Mayor

Happy Spring fellow residents!

Finally, the weather is getting warmer and the grass is getting greener! Looking back, the winter was not too bad or so it seems.

I am pleased to announce that for the 11th year in a row the Township Committee, with the help of all the township departments and employees, is able to present a budget with a 0% increase on the municipal side. Please remember we do not control the school or county portion of our tax bills. We have been able to do more with less for a long time.

We also just received a DOT grant for the repaving of the entire length of Hibler Road, look for that to begin in the near future. This brings to mind, with a new paved road people tend to drive faster, so please, with the coming months of warm weather watch your speed. Be careful of the walkers, bikers and especially the children that use our roads.

Have a great spring and summer!

Dan Conkling, Mayor

Summer Kick Off BBQ

Saturday, June 1, 2019 - 5:00pm-7:00pm - EverGreen Park

Musical Entertainment • Bounce House for the Kids

ALL YOU CAN EAT

Beef Brisket, Roasted Chicken, Hot Dogs, Grilled Veggies,

Veggie Burgers, Salads and Drinks all catered by Chef's

Enjoy musical entertainment by Kip and Mr. Microphone

Tickets: \$10 for ages 12 and up - \$5 for children 4-11

children 4 and under are FREE

RSVP Deadline May 24th - Please download the

registration form at www.greentwp.com

Miss Green Scholarship Contest

Saturday, June 1, 2019 - 7:00pm - EverGreen Park

Come out to help us crown the New Miss Green!

Winners will receive scholarship money.

If you are interested in becoming a candidate, please go to www.greentwp.com under Recreation for registration forms or call 908-852-9333 ext. 13 for more information.

Clean Communities Day - April 27

Saturday, April 27, 2019 - 8:00am - 1:00pm

DPW Building - 173 Kennedy Road

The following recycling options will be provided for **FREE** to Green Township Residents only.

RECYCLE: Old Tires, Batteries, Used METAL Car Parts, Motor Oil, E-Waste (electronics) and Paper Shredding (9am - 12pm).

Proof of Residency Required No Tractor Tires Please



Green Township Seniors

Meetings are held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month at 1:00pm in the municipal building. Come, relax with friends and neighbors over coffee, tea and yummy homemade goodies. Participate in multiple activities like great luncheons and barbeques, pleasurable trips and interesting and informative speakers. You will get to interact with school officials, town administrators, community leaders and receive first hand information on Sussex County Senior Programs.

WOODCHIPPING PROGRAM

Starting Monday, April 29th the Road Department will conduct a woodchipping program for **WINTER DEBRIS ONLY**.

- Brush should be stacked with the ends piled neatly facing the road at curbside by 6:00am on April 29th
- Only one pile of brush, 5 feet in length and 3 feet high, per household will be accepted.
- Please leave limbs in lengths, not cut into small pieces.
- No logs accepted over 2 inches in diameter.
- No construction materials of any kind are allowed.
- If the brush pile contains metal of any kind it will be rejected, this includes nails.
- The roads will be canvassed only ONCE.
- Chips may be obtained at Wesley Field and Papa Park.

Green Township Meetings

Township Committee

Please check www.greentwp.com
for dates

Land Use Board

2nd Thursday at 7:00pm

Open Space Advisory Committee

1st Wednesday at 7:00pm

Recreation Advisory Committee

3rd Tuesday at 7:00pm

Environmental Advisory Committee

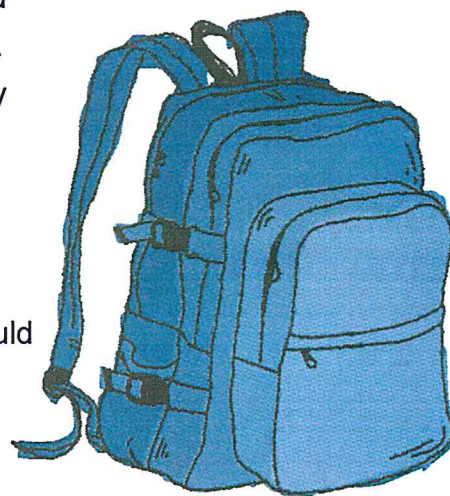
1st Tuesday at 7:00pm

CHAIR YOGA

Chair yoga is for all yogis who may want the enjoyment of yoga off the floor. You will do all the poses, breathing, and meditation encompassing a total yoga practice. Mondays at 11:00am (except every 2nd Monday) at the Municipal Building. Questions? Contact Karen at 908-797-6494.

The Weekend Bag

Donations are being accepted at Town Hall for The Weekend Bag. This program was started by Green Township Resident Isobel Costello. It helps provide students from Sussex County with food and hygiene products over the weekend when they do not have access to free breakfast or lunch. Please **DO NOT** drop off expired food as The Weekend Bag cannot accept it. All monetary donations should be mailed to:
294 Decker Pond Road, Andover, NJ 07821
For more information please email
Theweekendbagprogram@yahoo.com



Please be advised that **ALL** Garbage and/or Recycling complaints/issues **MUST** be directed to Waste Management by calling 1-800-633-9096. You **MUST** reference Green Township as your address. If the issue is not addressed by Waste Management then call Town Hall for additional help.

National Honey Princess Nicole Medina



Nicole Medina is the daughter of Joel and Nolvía Medina of Green Township, New Jersey. She is a sophomore at Sussex County Community College studying business administration. Nicole has been keeping bees for five years with her family and is an active volunteer in the Sussex County Beekeepers Association. As the 2019 American Honey Princess, Nicole serves with the American Honey Queen as a national spokesperson on behalf of the American Beekeeping Federation, a trade organization representing beekeepers and honey producers throughout the United States. Nicole will spend the next year traveling the country to promote the importance of honeybees and pollination in our everyday lives. In her spare time she enjoys reading, writing, volunteering with her church, and spending time with her loved ones. -information provided by www.patch.com and www.abfnet.com

The beekeeping industry touches the lives of every individual in our country. In fact, honeybees are responsible for nearly one-third of our entire diet, due to the pollination services that they provide for a large majority of fruits, vegetables, nuts and legumes. This amounts to nearly \$19 billion per year of direct value from honeybee pollination to United States agriculture. -information provided by www.patch.com

Conserve and Beautify Habitat Right Now Where You Are! Thursday, May 9

7:00pm - 8:15pm - Town Hall

John Parke, Stewardship Project Director North Jersey Region, NJ Audubon, will give an exciting presentation that encourages individuals and property owners, regardless of property size, to provide for the stewardship of their property to help attract and preserve our diminishing wildlife species and plants. With the right plants and in just a few easy steps he will show us how you can turn your backyard, balcony or patch of grass into a beautiful habitat for wildlife. Attendees will receive a list of native plants for the region, a comp membership to NJ Audubon and a chance to win special habitat prizes.

Honey Bee/Beekeeping Presentation Sunday, May 19

2:00pm - 3:30pm - EverGreen Park

Nicole Medina, The 2019 American Beekeeping Federation's Honey Bee Princess and Green Township Resident, will present a program on the importance of Honey Bees and all pollinators. There will be a tasting of local honey, and a treat for the kids. A limited amount of local honey will be available for sale. For more information about Bee Keeping please visit www.njfb.org

TREE SEEDLINGS will be available again this year! Please stop by Town Hall on May 4th from 10:00am-12:00pm to pick up your FREE seedlings.

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150 Kennedy Road
Tranquility, NJ 07879



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Memorial Day - May 27
Independence Day
July 4 & 5

GREEN TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Are you a Spinner looking for a guild?
Have you ever wanted to learn how to Spin?
Do you want to advance the skills you have?

Come join the

North Country Spinners!

We meet every first Friday of the month at
the Green Township Municipal Building
at 10:00am. Meet new friends, have fun
while learning new skills. We have monthly
presentations on various topics in the fiber
arts and hold bi-annual workshops.

For further information:

Visit: www.northcountryspinners.com

Visit us on Facebook:

North Country Spinners Guild

Visit Us on Instagram:

#northcountryspinnersguild



Community Yard Sale

May 4th

**If you are interested in getting your house on the
map for the Spring Yard Sale please go to
www.greentwp.com for the registration form.**

Deadline to register is April 26th

Have you lost or found a dog or cat??

Call the Animal Control Officer,
Alan DeCarolis 908-377-0808

Look up your tax information online at
www.greentwp.com under Tax Collector.