



Save the Date!!

Saturday, September 23rd

Green Township Day 12 - 4pm - EverGreen Park, Kennedy Rd.

vendors - information booths - cotton candy - popcorn - games
bounce house - obstacle course - face painting - so much more!

Lunch from Chef's and free ice cream from Cliff's!

Vendors and Information Booths wanted!

Forms available at www.greentwp.com under recreation.

GTFD Chicken BBQ 5 -7pm - Fire House, 243 Kennedy Rd.

Come support the Fire Department at the Annual Chicken BBQ

Delicious home cooked chicken!

Dinner will be served from 5 - 7pm

Adults - \$15 Kids - \$7

Green Township Meetings

Township Committee

Please see

www.greentwp.com for
meeting 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

4th Tuesday at 8:00pm



Movie under the stars at EverGreen Park

Saturday, July 15th - 8:00pm

Beauty and the Beast 2017

Raindate: July 16th

Saturday, August 19th - 7:30pm

Goonies*

Raindate: August 20th



Free Popcorn!

*Note: Goonies will be shown in
place of Raiders of the Lost Ark.

For more information please call
908.852.9333 ext. 13

All of the Township Ordinances are now online. Go to www.greentwp.com to check it out!

Protect against Mosquitos

The Asian tiger mosquito (ATM) is a small black mosquito with distinct white stripe markings and lays its eggs in water-filled containers not in swamps, ditches or marshes. They are persistent day time biters and are typically found in containers around homes. Unlike other container breeding mosquitoes, Asian tiger mosquitoes will use very small sources of water, such as bottle caps or sources of litter! ATM was first discovered in Sussex County in 2012 and has been a great concern for public health. Because this mosquito lives near humans and is a vector of many diseases, it poses as a great threat to the human population.



The Office of Mosquito Control and the Sussex County Clean Communities program encourages all Sussex County residents to help their communities by not littering and to reduce, reuse, and recycle! Please contact the Office of Mosquito Control, at 973-940-5225, to report piles of discarded tires or other accumulations of water-holding litter. By preventing and cleaning up litter, you are eliminating mosquito breeding habitats and reducing the risk of disease transmission in your town.

Other Ways to Prevent and Control:

- DRAIN: Empty out water containers at least once a week
- DRESS: Wear long sleeves, long pants, and light colored, loose-fitting clothing
- DEFEND: Properly apply an EPA approved repellent

Help Your Community!

**Fight the Bite,
Don't be a Litterbug!**

Green Township Trivia Question

The Rutherford plot in the Tranquility Cemetery features an Angel Statue by a noted American Sculptor. Who was he?

Write your guesses on a piece of paper and mail it to:
Green Township, PO Box 65, Tranquility, NJ 07879
Attn: Recreation

The winner will be announced in the next issue of the Grapevine. Deadline for submission is September 1, 2017.

Congratulations to Carol Bene!

She had the correct answer to last issues trivia question:
What US Postage stamp had its first day of issue at the Tranquility Post Office?

Answer: The Moon Landing issue of 1969.
Please stop by Town Hall to pick up your prize!

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

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.



Vendor form info for Green Township day can be found at www.greentwp.com under the Recreation Department

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

Tax ?'s



Don't forget we are still collecting food and toiletries for local charities! Drop off at Town Hall during regular business hours.

Have you lost or found a dog or cat?? Call the Animal Control Officer, Alan DeCarolis - 908-377-0808

After a delicious BBQ dinner from Chef's Catering, the Summer Kick off BBQ set the scene for the Miss Green 2017 Scholarship Contest. This year there were four fantastic applicants who all embodied the community feeling of Green Township. All of the young women were poised and well spoken with so many accomplishments between them there were too many to count. Crowned Miss Green 2017, Keely Schmerber is a student at Indiana University's Jacob School of Music as well as the Kelley School of Business. She is a very gifted piano player who would love to open a fine arts academy for exceptional children. She loves to travel and has been to 40 of the 50 states so far!

We congratulate all of our applicants and wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors.

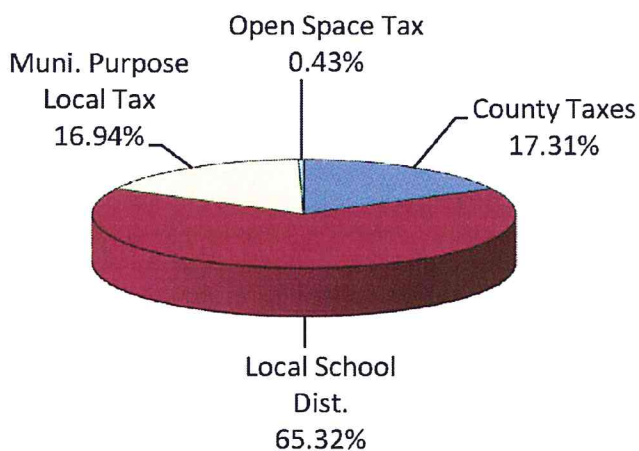
Miss Green 2017



Pictured from left to right: Miss Rachel Parker, Miss Nicole Medina - First Runner Up, Miss Keely Schmerber - Miss Green 2017, and Miss Jacquelyn Mull



TOWNSHIP OF GREEN 2017 ESTIMATED TAX RATE



**2017 Tax Bill will be mailed
in mid July.**

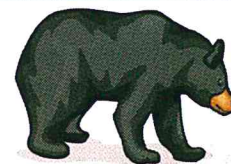
Where do your tax dollars go?

Muni. Purpose Local Tax & Open Space Tax indicates the percent of taxes that are utilized by the Municipality of Green Township. The Green Township Committee establishes the amount to be raised by taxes for this portion of total taxes.

County Taxes indicate the percent of taxes that are utilized by Sussex County. The Sussex County Freeholder Board establishes the amount to be raised by taxes for this portion of total taxes.

Local School Dist. indicates the percent of taxes that are utilized by the school district. The Green Township Board of Education establishes the amount to be raised by taxes for this portion of total taxes.

Black Bears



If encountering a black bear, the Division of Fish, Game and Wildlife has these tips:

- ▶ Stay calm and use common sense. Never approach the animal. Most bears are easily frightened into leaving.
- ▶ Do not feed the bears! Bears that associate food with people may become aggressive and dangerous.
- ▶ Keep at least 15 feet away from the animal. If you are at close range, remain standing, avoid direct eye contact. Back up slowly and speak in a calm, assertive and assuring voice.
- ▶ Make sure the bear has an escape route. Sometimes bears will "bluff charge" when cornered. Yell, bang pots, or use an airhorn to scare the bear away. If the bear will not leave, move to your house, car or building if available. If a bear sounds a series of huffs or snaps or pops its jaws and swats the ground, it is a warning sign that you are too close. Slowly back away!

Green Township
PO Box 65
150 Kennedy Road
Tranquility, NJ 07879



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Town Hall
8:00am to
4:00pm
Monday
through Friday

Part Time Department Hours:

Tax Collector:

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:00am - 2:30pm

Construction:

Monday 11:30am - 3:30pm
Tuesday & Thursday 12:30pm - 3:30pm

Tax Assessor:

Monday & Wednesday 8:30am - 3:30pm

Zoning:

Wednesday 10am - 12pm

Dog Licensing Official - You may stop in
any time during regular business hours for
a dog license.



Green Township SENIORS

Meetings are held the
2nd and 4th Tuesday of
every month at 1:00pm
in the municipal
building.

GREEN TOWNSHIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Meets on the 3rd
Monday of the months of
April, May, and October
at 7:00pm downstairs in
the municipal building.

Municipal Offices

Closed

September 4th



DOG LICENSE

All dogs 7 months of age and older must be
licensed and all licenses are to be
renewed in January.

**IF LICENSES ARE NOT RENEWED
ON TIME A LATE FEE OF \$5.00 PER
MONTH WILL BE IMPOSED IF
PAYING AFTER FEBRUARY 10TH.**
If you do not renew the license, a court
complaint/summons will be issued.

**RABIES MUST BE CURRENT
THROUGH NOVEMBER 1, 2017**

For licensing questions call
908-852-9333

Applications can be found on our website:

www.greentwp.com

