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Results of The Southampton Township Photography Contest

In the spring of 2016, Southampton Township invited our residents to submit their most interesting and stunning images of our Township for display in our offices and on our website. Many quality photos were received that spring and summer, but we quickly realized that we wanted to get photos of all the seasons, so we extended the contest over the fall and winter.

When the contest ended, we were faced with the difficult task of determining five gift certificate winners from the 75 great pictures we received. The supervisors, office staff and road crew all voted on the photos.

Thank you for those of you who participated! Please enjoy a few of our favorite submissions throughout this newsletter. Some photos will be framed and hung in the Township building, and you can see many more really great photos on our website. Check back as the photos will change periodically.



Photo Submission—Billie Ritter

Trick or Treat

October 31th from 6:00 pm To 8:00 pm

For children 12 and under



Photo Submission—Marge McCorriston

General Election Day – November 7th

Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Respective voting locations are:

- 705 Municipal Drive (Municipal Building)
- ♦ 3159 Orrstown Road (Tall Timbers)
- 8770 Possum Hollow Road (Living Faith Chapel)

*Remember to bring your photo ID to vote.

For further assistance, please call the Franklin County Courthouse Voter Registration Office at 717-261-3886.



Photo Submission—Jackie Diehl

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SEPTIC PUMPING REMINDER

2017—Zone 3

If you have an on-lot septic system and live in Zone 3, please make sure to have your septic tank pumped by December 31, 2017 by one of our licensed haulers below.

Name	Phone
Art Beidel Enterprises LLC	717-349-7028
Chamberlin & Wingert	717-530-9741
Dillsburg Septic	717-432-9704
Oaktree & Bakers Septic	717-249-5056
Premiere Septic Services	717-530-0582
Rosenberry's Septic Service	717-532-4026
Rosy's Wastewater Removal	717-369-4809

LEAF COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Begins: End of October

Ends Approximately: November 22nd

Leaf collection will run Mondays through Thursdays. Collection will begin on the following Monday where it left off the previous week. With more than 60 miles of roads, and inclement weather, it may not be possible for your leaves to be collected every week.

Leaves **must** be raked into a row next to the blacktop.

- Leaves must be raked away from mailboxes, poles, cars and other obstructions.
- Twigs and branches must be kept out of leaf piles as they clog the machine.
- Be careful not to rake up stones, they are hard on the leaf machine.
- No pet waste
- Leaves must not be raked within 50 ft. of a stop sign, this creates a dangerous situation.

Unless absolutely necessary, it is preferable that your leaves not be collected into trash bags and left by the roadside. Proper return/disposal of the bags is time consuming and trash bags are frequently passed by assuming they are garbage.

If your leaves are not being collected, it may be because one of the above items are not being followed.



Photo Submission—Hailey Gettel

CONTACT THE TOWNSHIP

Southampton Township Office hours are from 7:00am until 4:00pm Monday thru Friday. The office is closed on Holidays and the Friday after Thanksgiving. The facility is also used for primary and regular elections. Our office must be closed those days as well.

You may contact us by phone at 717-532-9041, or our website at: www.southamptontownship.org. Our office is open to the public and you may stop in during regular business hours for questions or concerns.

All are welcome to attend Board of Supervisors (BOS) meetings, Planning Commission (PC) meetings and Park & Recreation meetings. The dates are as follows:

Township Meeting Dates

1st Thursday of the Month—6:00pm—Park & Rec. 2nd Tuesday of the Month—8:00am—BOS meeting 3rd Tuesday of the Month—6:00pm—PC meeting 4th Tuesday of the Month—6:00pm—BOS meeting



Photo Submission—Kathy Durf

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Bulky Trash Days set for October 20th & 21st

Southampton Township will hold its semi-annual bulky trash days on Friday, October 20th, from 12:00pm until 5:00pm, and on Saturday, October 21st, from 7:00am until 12:00pm. Township households can take advantage of this opportunity to get rid of any junk that they have collected over the year(s) that they cannot put into their regular trash. The drop off spot will be at the township building on Municipal Drive. Drive *behind* the township facility where someone will greet you. We will log your name and address and answer any questions you have about disposal of your junk. There are certain items that we cannot take and others that we have to charge a minimal fee.

Items we DO NOT ACCEPT:

- liquid wastes of any kind, including waste oil, paint, insecticides, inks and solvents, aerosols or pressurized containers
- motors containing gasoline
- ammunition or anything explosive
- hospital/biohazard waste
- industrial wastes of any kind
- anything containing asbestos
- yard waste or soil
- dead animals
- ♦ tires on rims

The township will accept up to 4 automobile tires from each household 15" or smaller free of charge. There will be a \$3/tire charge for 16"-19" residential/light duty tires. No heavy duty/commercial truck or tractor tires will be accepted.

Southampton Township will NOT be able to accept any electronics. Please hold on to your TV's, computers, peripherals, speakers etc. until another e-waste collection event can be organized, or you may take them to Washington Township. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

Refrigerators, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, or anything that has Freon in will have a \$5.00 charge.

The township can accept automobile batteries in small numbers.

If you self-unload, we will have **metal salvage** trailers on-site. Please take a few extra minutes to throw all metal items into these trailers. This keeps these materials out of the landfills that can be recycled, as well as lowers dumping costs for the Township which are based upon weight.

We will have big roll-off containers on site if you would like to self-unload. Otherwise, the employees will be happy to help you unload into the loaders.

As a free service to assist **elderly** and **handicapped**, Lane Thrush of Keller-Williams Keystone Realty in Chambersburg is offering volunteers to pick up the items for you on Thursday, October 19th. You will still be responsible for any fees that may be associated with the junk. If you need help and want to schedule a pickup, just call Lane's office at 717-504-8002 no later than Wednesday, October 18th. No electronics or TVs will be collected.

Thank You! *Keller-Williams*—for helping our disabled and elderly get rid of their bulky items.

ELECTRONIC WASTE

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Washington Township/Franklin County is opening their Electronics Recycling Program to include residents from outside of Washington Township. The rate is \$0.45/lb. with a \$25 minimum per trip. The amount of electronics per trip is not limited. All units will be weighed for cost.

ELECTRONIC DEVICES ACCEPTED

on TUESDAYS and WEDNESDAYS from 8am - 4pm

12721 Buchanan Trail East Waynesboro, PA 17268 (717) 762-4413

All electronic devices must be recycled and can not be disposed of in any other manner.

Transfer Station / Recycling Center only accepts CASH or CHECKS.

NO CREDIT CARDS PLEASE!

* TIP: If you have paint cans with a small amount of wet paint in, open the cans now and put some kitty litter in. This will absorb the liquid and get hard. We can accept them at this point.

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Paul Witter
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RUNK OR TREAT!! 6 - 8pm



