



Our Town

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A newsletter brought to you by your Fairview Township Supervisors

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Retirements



Barbara Partchey

Barbara Partchey retired after a 28 year career with Fairview Township which included positions as tax clerk for the Township Tax Collector and secretary for the Sewer & Water Authority. In 1982 she started to work in the Township Zoning office and in 1983 was appointed as Fairview Township Secretary/Treasurer. Some of the highlights of her career with the Township include the 1998 consolidation of Fairview Township and Fairview Borough and the purchase of Avonia Beach Park including the implementation of five different grants. Barb and her husband Mike moved to Fairview Township in 1974 with their daughters Amy and Tristann. Both daughters are now married and Barb has been blessed with three grandchildren who are the highlight of her life. Barb and Mike are looking forward to some traveling with their "5th wheel" starting with a family trip to Disneyworld and a trip to the Midwest. Barb will be missed by both the employees and residents of Fairview Township but we all wish her many safe and happy trips.

Promotions



Pamela Rhoades

Pamela Rhoades was promoted to Secretary/Treasurer for Fairview Township on January 1, 2010. Pam has worked for Fairview Township since 1998 as Assistant Secretary/Treasurer. She is a graduate of General McLane High School and Edinboro University and previously worked for the Erie City Water Authority. Pam is the proud mother of Kyler, 23 a future police officer and Kaylan, 22 an accountant with ComCast. In the summer Pam enjoys kayaking and swimming and in the winter months, she enjoys Penguins hockey, Steelers football and basketballs March Madness. Anytime during the year she enjoys vacations with family and friends.

New Faces



Michelle Zirkle



Ralph Heidler

Michelle Zirkle is our newest employee at Fairview Township, joining us as Assistant Secretary/Treasurer on January 4, 2010. Michelle grew up in Albion, Pennsylvania the daughter of Charles and Christine Zirkle. She has two sisters, Stephanie and Angela. She graduated from Northwestern High School and Community College of Beaver County with an Associates Degree in Applied Science, Accounting. Michelle played softball in high school and college but does not have much spare time now as she also works part-time for Hoss' Family Steak & Seafood and the Fairview Township Parks and Recreation Authority.

Ralph Heidler is our new Supervisor. He is a fourth generation member of the Heidler/Weislogel families. Ralph and his wife Cindy, who is a Registered Nurse at the Shriners Hospital for Children, have raised three daughters, Anne, Katie and Megan. He attended Fairview schools and graduated from Alfred State College with a degree in Surveying Technology. He was the Fairview Township Zoning and Subdivision Administrator for twelve years. After obtaining his Land Surveyor license, he has successfully managed his own surveying business for the last twenty six years. Ralph welcomes hearing from Fairview Township residents with any concerns they may have.

FAIRVIEW TOWNSHIP **ANNUAL ACTIVITIES**

Christmas Tree Recycling Day
Christmas Caroling @ Central Park
Clean-Up Day
Coastal Clean-Up Day
Community Council
Garden Club Garden Mart
Historical Society Ice Cream Social
Home Coming Parade
Lake Country Bike Race
Memorial Day Parade
Pumpkin Launch
Shannon Teeter Memorial Walk/
Run
Tiger Classic Tennis Tournament
Tour De West County /Lance
Armstrong Race
Visit the Village
Winter Fun Day
Youth Wrestling Tournament

65 GALLON **RECYCLING BINS**

The 65 gallon recycling bins will be available again around the middle of April. If you did not see them before, this bin is on wheels, has a lid and will hold your entire household "single stream" recycling. All of your cardboard, cans, glass, plastics #1 through #7, newspapers, kitchen cardboard, magazines and misc. paper can be placed together in the one container. With the help of a grant, the cost of the recycling bin is \$20 and if you did not get one last year, please don't wait too long as they disappear fast.

LEAF & YARD WASTE DROP-OFF SITES

Millfair Compost & Recycling Center

The Millfair Compost Center at 2301 Millfair Road is open six days per week for your convenience. Leaf waste to include leaves, garden residues, shrubbery, tree trimmings and similar materials will be accepted. All leaves and other yard waste must be emptied out of any containers at the designated composting areas. This includes all clear or green biodegradable bags. These bags are to be used for curbside pickup only. NO grass will be accepted at this site.

The center will open during the following hours April 2, 2010 until the middle of December. After this time additional hours will be posted at the gate, if needed. The Center will also be closed on all "major" holidays such as Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, July 4th and Labor Day.

Hours

Monday – Wednesday	8 am to 3 pm
Thursday	CLOSED
Friday	Noon to 7 pm
Saturday	9 am to 5 pm
Sunday	Noon to 5 pm

NEW METHOD OF PAYMENT- We are accepting debit and credit cards and checks as payment for purchase when services are rendered. If you want to pay by cash, you may do so by stopping into the Millcreek Township Recycling office to prepay. We will no longer write invoices to residential accounts for later payments.

WE HAVE FOR YOU TO PURCHASE:

BARK, SCREENED - \$20.00
BARK, UNSCREENED - \$17.00
LEAF COMPOST - \$10.00
WOOD CHIPS - FREE (when available)

PERMIT CARD

If you have not already done so, please stop by the Township recycling office to pick up your free "permit card". You show your driver's license and we issue you a permit that you can use for the Millfair site, Fairview Evergreen Nursery site and for admission to clean-up day. IT IS FAST, EASY AND FREE!

SPRING ALERT

As you're doing your spring yard work and sprucing up your landscape, the Township would like you to keep the following two things in mind. If you have a street light out in your neighborhood, please call the Township with the address and the pole number so we can notify the electric company to fix it. If you are going to replace your mail box this year, please know that metal or wooden mail boxes and poles hold up much better than the plastic box and poles. The plastic mail box and pole is also more costly to replace and the Township will only pay up to \$15 for replacement of a mailbox if they are at fault for the damage.

FAIRVIEW EVERGREEN NURSERIES MIDDLE ROAD SITE

Grass & leaf drop-off site

All grass and leaves must be emptied out of any containers or bags at the designated drop-off areas.

HOURS

Mondays & Thursdays
3 pm to 7 pm
April through November
Closed during inclement weather

2010 SCHEDULE FOR CURBSIDE LEAF WASTE PICK-UPS

Monday, April 12 or Wednesday, April 14
Monday, May 10 or Wednesday, May 12
Monday, Oct. 18 or Wednesday, Oct. 20
Monday, Nov. 8 or Wednesday, Nov. 10
Monday, Nov. 22 or Wednesday, Nov. 24
Monday, Nov. 29 or Wednesday, Dec. 1

NEW – NEW – NEW COMPOST CLASSES

Per your request and the assistance of Millcreek Township, we are able to offer our Fairview residents compost classes taught by Master Gardener, Gloria Kelly. The classes will be held on:

April 22nd from 6 pm to 8 pm
April 29th from 6 pm to 8 pm
May 20th from 6 pm to 8 pm

The classes will be held at the Millcreek Township Building at 3608 West 26th Street. Only 50 people will be accepted per class and pre-registration is a must. Pre-register Monday through Friday, 8:30 to noon and between 2 pm to 4 pm by calling Christine at 833-1111, Ext 17. These classes are extremely popular and fill up fast, so call soon.

ELECTRONIC WASTE & HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAYS

Open to Erie County residents only. Pre-registration is required. A \$20 co-pay will be applied for the first 125 pounds collected, with an additional 50-cent-per-pound fee thereafter.

Non-registered residents will be accepted at the following rates: Household hazardous waste - \$1 pound; electronics - \$.44 per pound.

Beginning in March, two Saturdays a month at the Erie County Recycling Center, 1556 W. 12th St., Erie, PA (March 6 & 20; April 3 & 24; May 8 & 22; June 12 & 26; July 10 & 24; August 14 & 28; September 11 & 25; October 9 & 23.

To register, call Erie County Recycling Program toll-free at 866-815-0016. For more details, visit www.ErieCountyRecycling.com or call 814-451-6019.

Electronics (e-waste)

Televisions
CD players
PC's, printers & peripherals
Mobile phones
VCR's
Stereos & tape players
Fax machines
Copiers

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

Cleaning products
Automotive products
Lawn & garden products
Indoor pesticides
Batteries
Mercury thermostats or thermometers
Fluorescent light bulbs – CFL bulbs
Driveway sealer
Flammable products

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All of the enclosed information and much much more can be found on the Township website at www.fairviewtownship.com. Please check it out!

CELL PHONES, PRINTER CARTRIDGES & BATTERIES

Your requests to recycle these items have been heard and can now be recycled. In association with our Parks & Recreation Department, arrangements have been made to collect and recycle all used cell phones, all ink-jet and laser printer cartridges (NO TONER CARTRIDGES) and all types of dry-cell batteries, including AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, power tool, laptop, cell phone and camera. ALL BATTERIES MUST HAVE TAPE ON BOTH ENDS OF THE BATTERY (hold the battery in the middle and run a length of tape over both ends).

All of these items will be collected year-round at the Fairview Township Municipal Building, 7471 McCray Road. Cell phones and printer cartridges donated for recycling will earn money for our Parks and Recreation Department.



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FAIRVIEW TOWNSHIP OFFICES ARE OPEN

DAILY FROM 7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM

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FAIRVIEW TOWNSHIP CLEAN-UP DAY

MAY 15, 2010 • 8 AM TO NOON

LOCATION: Corner lot on McCray Rd and Rt. 98, Fairview, PA

TIRES – \$1.00

REFRIGERATORS, DEHUMIDIFIERS, AIR CONDITIONERS WITH FREON - \$10.00

SMALL PROPANE TANKS - \$3.00

WILL TAKE:

BATTERIES, RADIATORS, LARGE APPLIANCES, ASSORTED METALS

NO HOUSEHOLD RECYCLING, PAINT, CHEMICALS, GAS CANS, ANTI-FREEZE, MOTOR OIL, PAINT THINNER OR ANY OTHER HOUSEHOLD CHEMICALS

CLEAN-UP DAY IS FOR FAIRVIEW RESIDENTIAL HOUSEHOLDS ONLY

NEW FOR THIS YEAR

Collection of "E-Waste": Electronic waste will be collected at the clean-up this year during the posted hours ONLY. We can only accept your items during the posted hour as that is the only time that the collection company will be on site. Residents must pre-register by calling Charlotte after April 6th at 474-5942 or by stopping into the Township Building at 7471 McCray Road. At the time of registration, we will need a complete list of electronics that you will be disposing of. At the event, you will need to show photo identification. E-waste items will be accepted free from Fairview residents.

E-Waste items accepted:

Televisions	VCR's
CD players	Stereos & tape players
PC's, printers & peripherals	Fax machines
Mobile phones	Copiers

If you cannot attend this event and have electronic or household hazardous waste to dispose of, please see the information listed in the newsletter in regard to the collection being done by the Erie County Recycling office.