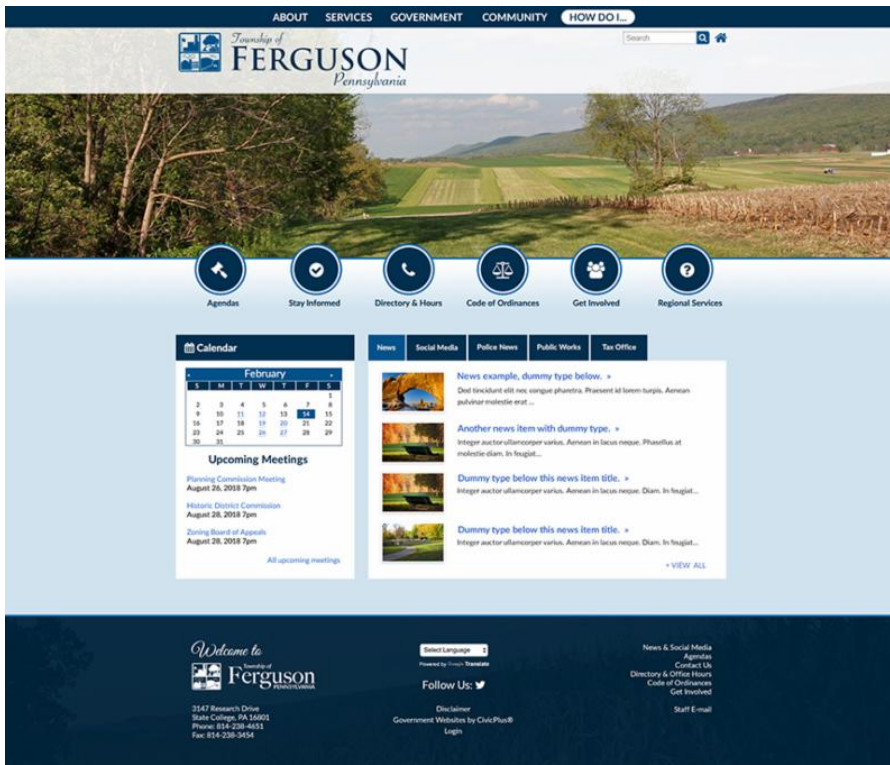




Greetings!

Thank you for welcoming us into your inbox and **WELCOME to our newest subscribers.** Here is your **September 2019** issue of the Ferguson Township e-Newsletter. **Pictured above:** Ferguson Township Police Sergeant Devon Moran distributed police stickers and tattoos at Centre Region Parks and Recreation (CRPR)'s So Long, Summer Shindig on August 24. [Learn more...](#)

Township's new website going live September 16



Ferguson Township's new website is scheduled to go live on **Monday, September 16.** The new site will make it easier to find the

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP CALENDAR

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SEPTEMBER 24 - NOVEMBER 12

[Centre County Citizens Police Academy](#)

6 - 8 pm Tuesdays through November 12

OCTOBER 7

information you need. [Learn more...](#)

Ferguson Township planning interior building renovation



Interior renovations to the Ferguson Township Municipal Building will begin this fall. The project aims to accommodate a growing staff by better utilizing the building's interior space. Renovations will begin this fall with completion anticipated in or before the spring of 2020. [Learn more...](#)

Supervisors approve remote work and amended parental leave policies

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Public hearing on updates to the Zoning Ordinance

Public hearing on updates to the SALDO Ordinance

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SEPTEMBER 26

Last day of the Pine Grove Mills Farmers Market this growing season

[Pine Grove Mills Farmers Market, 3 - 7 pm Thursdays](#)



The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors has approved a new Remote Work Policy and an amended Parental Leave Policy for Township employees. Employees now have the option of requesting to work remotely from home. The amended parental leave policy gives new parents six weeks of paid leave and allows them to preserve their accumulated leave. [Learn more...](#)

September is Suicide Awareness and Prevention Month

I'M IN HERE PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

THE PHILOSOPHY OF HOPE

ONE NIGHT
ONE BAND
MANY VOICES

September 21st
7 PM

A Concert Benefiting
**JANA MARIE
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Recognizing that suicide is the 10th leading cause of all deaths in the United States, that one person commits suicide every 13 minutes, and that suicide claims the lives of more than 1,970 Pennsylvanians each year, the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors proclaimed September as 2019 Suicide Awareness and Prevention Month. [Learn more...](#)

**Centre County Citizens Police Academy
invites applicants to learn how police work**



Centre County Citizens' Police Academy

The State College, Patton Township, Ferguson Township, and the Penn State University Police Departments would like to invite their residents to participate in the Fall 2019 Centre County Citizens' Police Academy. This Academy is a **free** 8-week program designed to give participants a glimpse behind the badge of local law enforcement and to build a better understanding between citizens and the police departments through education.

September 24 to November 12

Tuesdays 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

*locations to be determined

For more information and to apply, please visit www.statecollegepa.us/CCCPA



The Centre County Citizens' Police Academy is an excellent program that gives the community a chance to learn what police do, how, and why. Whether you're working toward a career in law enforcement, are fascinated by the science behind police investigations, or just want to better understand the people behind the badge, this opportunity is for you. [Learn more...](#)

Get involved in stormwater management



Ferguson Township has an opportunity for volunteers of all ages-including social groups, clubs, organizations or individuals-to start a Township-wide storm drain stenciling program. If you're interested in helping to raise awareness that materials dumped in storm drains may eventually flow to streams or our groundwater, contact us to get this program started. [Learn more...](#)

Your guide to Public Works services this fall and winter



Collecting leaves and brush, planting trees, plowing our streets of snow and ice to keep them safe for driving-these are the essential services our Public Works crew provides to our residents. Public Works road workers are first responders before, during and after major storms and snowfalls. When winter weather rolls around this coming season, our crew will be working hard to keep roads clear. Brush and leaf collection will continue until winter operations begin. [Learn more...](#)

Township Arborist confirms first case of oak wilt for 2019



A case of oak wilt was confirmed on Deepwood Drive. This is the first case of oak wilt confirmed by the Ferguson Township Arborist for 2019. Oak wilt is a fungus that attacks all species of oak trees and can spread through root grafts to nearby trees. Township Ordinance 1023 declares that it is unlawful to prune oak trees through October 31. [Learn more...](#)

Mosquito tested positive for West Nile Virus



The Centre County Mosquito Disease Control Program (MDC) collected a positive West Nile Virus mosquito sample on Dry Hollow Road in Ferguson Township on August 7. Testing of mosquitoes for West Nile Virus in Pennsylvania will continue through September 30. [Learn more...](#)

Join Ferguson Township for **Coffee & Conversation**

Coffee's on the Township!
8 - 9:30 am Saturday, October 12
Tom Tudek Memorial Park
400 Herman Drive State College

*In case of rain or unseasonably cold weather, the event will move to
the Ferguson Township Municipal Building, 3147 Research Drive*



So Long, Summer Shindig



It was an honor for Ferguson Township's Police and Public Works Departments to bring our vehicles to Centre Region Parks & Recreation's "end-of-summer" celebration at Tudek Park on Saturday. We gave participating children an opportunity to climb into the seat of our brush collector, sit in the front and back seats of a police cruiser, and watch themselves on the monitor as our officer demonstrated our body and vehicle cameras at work. Public Works Road Worker Matt Steele and Sergeant Devon Moran were there to meet and greet families. Our thanks to CRPR for inviting us to participate. [Learn more...](#)

Penn State's Ag Progress Days



A few of our favorite photos from Penn State's Ag Progress Days last week. See them all in our [photo gallery](#)...

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