



Dear Diana,

Thank you for welcoming us into your inbox and **WELCOME to our newest subscribers**. Here is your **October 2018** issue of the Ferguson Township e-Newsletter.

You're invited to Coffee & Conversation October 20

Meet informally with Dave Pribulka, Township Manager, Chris Albright, Chief of Police, and other key Township staff when the new Dunkin Donuts in Ferguson Township graciously hosts Coffee & Conversation. This is your opportunity to offer suggestions, seek answers, discuss any questions or concerns specific to your community, and chat about living in the Township. Coffee will be the Township's treat. [Learn more...](#)

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP CALENDAR

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**Join us for a chat by the fireplace.
Coffee's on Ferguson Township!**



Coffee & Conversation
with Ferguson Township
8 - 9:30 am Saturday, October 20,
Dunkin' Donuts, 1430 North Atherton Street

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

THANKSGIVING
Thursday
and Friday
November 22 - 23

CHRISTMAS
Monday
and Tuesday
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NEW YEAR'S
Monday
and Tuesday,
December 31
- January 1

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October 17 is deadline to take survey on mobility in the Northland area

Ferguson Township invites you to take an online survey to suggest improvements to transportation in the Northland area. The study area includes portions of North Atherton Street, Martin Street, Blue Course Drive, Clinton Avenue, Cherry Lane, and Aaron Drive. [Learn more...](#)



Take our survey by October 17th!



**DO YOU DRIVE, WALK,
BIKE, OR USE TRANSIT?**
**NORTHLAND AREA
MOBILITY STUDY**

SURVEY PARTICIPANTS WILL BE ENTERED TO WIN A \$50 VISA PREPAID GIFTCARD!!

YOUR INPUT MATTERS! | **Complete Our Transportation Survey by October 17th!**

Link to Complete Survey: <https://tinyurl.com/Northlandstudy>

Supervisors seek community volunteers to apply for ABC vacancies

The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors is seeking community volunteers to fill vacancies on nine local and regional Authorities, Boards and Commissions (ABCs). Applications will be accepted through **Thursday, November 1**. Appointments will be made at the Board's Organizational Meeting in January, 2019. [Learn more...](#)

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Our "Get Involved" page promotes new opportunities for residents

Interested in getting involved in your community? Ferguson Township offers opportunities for residents and others to help shape decisions that make your community a "best place to live." You can put your talents to work to improve the quality of life in the Township for generations to come. [Learn more...](#)



Speaking of "getting involved," you're invited to the Pine Grove Mills Small Area Plan Town Meeting

Ferguson Township and the Centre Regional Planning Agency (CRPA) staff are working with residents on a "Small Area Plan" to preserve the sense of place and quality of life in Pine Grove Mills. The Pine Grove Mills Small Area Plan Steering Committee will present its draft vision statement at a Town Hall on **November 14**. [Learn more about the process and stay informed...](#)



Reduced speed limit signs posted in Fairbrook

Motorists traveling into the Fairbrook section of West Whitehall Road are advised that the maximum speed limit has been reduced to **25 miles per hour**. An electronic "Reduce Speed Ahead" sign is followed by permanent signs advising motorists to "Reduce Speed" and limit their speed to 25.

[Learn more...](#)



Access trail to Musser Gap Trail has relocated

The connector trail that currently provides access to the Musser Gap Trail across Whitehall Road Regional Park and other private lands will soon relocate. At that time, the current parking area will not be available.

[Learn more...](#)



Spotted lanternfly is biggest threat to forests and agricultural crops

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture is asking for your help in preventing the spread of the spotted lanternfly, which was first detected in southeastern Pennsylvania. Residents and visitors can inadvertently transport the spotted lanternfly's eggs to other parts of the state.

[Learn more...](#)



October 31 is Trick-or-Treat Night in the Township

The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors has approved **Wednesday, October 31**, as Trick-or-Treat Night in the Township. **The hours will be 6 - 8 pm.** The Centre Region Council of Governments also approved this schedule for Trick-or-Treat Night in the Centre Region. Ferguson Township Police will schedule extra patrols to keep participating families safe. [Learn more...](#)



Fall Brush and Leaf Collection Schedule

Leaves will be collected every week day between now and Thanksgiving, with one and later two trucks collecting as leaves accumulate. Brush collection begins on the first Monday of the month, except on holidays.

The next monthly round will begin **Monday, November 5**. Please place brush curbside by **7 am** that day. [Brush and Leaf Collection Guidelines](#)



November
Brush and Leaf Collection
begins Monday, November 5
Curbside by 7 am that Monday

Winter operations will begin as needed

Wellness Fair for Ferguson Township staff

Ferguson Township's wellness initiatives came together in a big way on October 8 at an employee wellness fair, featuring fresh foods for lunch, blood pressure checks, chiropractic assessments, stress management counseling, chair massages and mobile gym workouts.



Ferguson Township joined 25th United Way Day of Caring

Staff representing Ferguson Township's Departments of Administration, Finance, Planning & Zoning, Police, and Public Works proudly participated in the 2018 United Way Day of Caring on Thursday, October 4. Our team joined volunteers and residents working at three Strawberry Fields lodges. [See Photo Gallery...](#)



Follow Ferguson Township on Social Media

We're featuring our latest news from our website and publications, invitations to upcoming events, and photos from around the Township. [Link here.](#) For police news, please continue to follow the [Ferguson Township Police Department](#). We appreciate all the support you can give both these pages, including likes and shares! We're also on [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).



Year-Round Prescription Drug Collection

The Ferguson Township Police Department is one of seven year-round prescription drop-off sites in Centre County. The FTPD accepts unused medications during regular business hours: **8 am - 5 pm Monday through Thursday** and **8 am - 4 pm Friday**. Located in the Police Department office at 3147 Research Drive, the Ferguson Township collection box provides a safe, convenient, responsible and confidential way to dispose of prescription drugs.



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