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MOUNTVILLE BOROUGH OFFICE

21 East Main Street
Mountville, PA 17554

HOURS

Mon. - Fri.: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Break and errands 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

TELEPHONE

Office: 717-285-5547
Fax: 717-285-2094

www.mountvilleborough.com

MEETING DATES

Council Meetings
2nd & 4th Monday - 7:00 p.m.

Borough Authority
2nd Thursday - 7:00 p.m.

Planning Commission
3rd Monday - 7:00 p.m. (as needed)

Zoning Hearing
(as needed)

MOUNTVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

120 College Avenue
Mountville, PA 17554
717-285-3231

www.lancasterpubliclibrary.org

HOURS

Mon. - Thurs.: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

WEST HEMPFIELD TOWNSHIP POLICE

3476 Marietta Avenue
Lancaster, PA 17601

Non-emergency Calls:
717-285-5191

Mountville Historical Society and Museum Update

What does forty years of collecting Mountville memorabilia and historical artifacts look like? Come to the Mountville Museum to find out when it opens for the season in May to view a special exhibition of items collected over four decades by the Robert Zink family. The Zinks - Bob, Lois and their daughter, Sonya, have generously donated their Mountville collection to the Museum. Some of the artifacts on display will include Civil War relics, Mountville advertising objects and the old Mountville School mementos.

Bob Zink has served on the board of the Mountville Historical Society since its inception and has been a faithful volunteer at the Museum. The Zink collection contains hundreds of artifacts relating to Mountville's history and is the largest single donation the Museum has ever received. The Historical Society is extremely grateful to the Zinks for their dedication to preserving Mountville's history and for making the items available for public viewing.

The Museum, located at 120 College Avenue, is open and free to the public on the second and fourth Sundays, May through December, from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Special admission is available at other times by contacting the Museum curator. The Museum staff is currently seeking photos of the original frame-built Mountville School that burned down in 1900, which stood at the corner of College Avenue and Clay Street. Anyone interested in volunteering at the Museum or in donating items may contact the Museum curator, Elaine Savukas, at 717-285-4910.

It's That Time Again: Mountville Days Carnival

The Mountville Fire Company is pleased to announce they will be hosting the Mountville Days Carnival from Wednesday, May 13th - Saturday, May 16th at Froelich Park (350 West Main Street - next to pool). The carnival will include new food vendors, rides and games from Penn Valley Shows. Fireworks are scheduled for Friday at dusk. (Rain date Saturday)

Unlimited ride wristbands will be available for \$20.00/person on Wednesday and Thursday. Area residents will receive a mailer with a \$2.00 off coupon. Please see Mountville Fire Company's Facebook page for more information.

New traffic patterns will be in place to help reduce the parking on many of the affected side streets and to keep traffic flowing. Follow signs to parking in the field off Ruby Street. During the carnival, Pearl Street, Ruby Street and Opal Court will be posted as no parking zones for on-street parking.



Updates and information can be found on the website: www.mountvillefire.com/carnival. You can contact the fire company via email at mountvilledays@mountvillefire.com or Captain Bryan Duquin at 717-682-6120 with questions or concerns.

Carnival Hours:

Wednesday and Thursday: 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Friday and Saturday: 5:00 - 11:00 p.m.

*The Mountville Fire Company is appreciative of
your support of our annual carnival!*





2020 Lawn Concerts

MOUNTVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

www.mountvillecob.org

College Avenue & Clay Street
(In case of rain, concerts held inside)

FREE ADMISSION ~ 7:00 p.m.
(except August 23rd - 6:00 p.m.)

JUNE

- 7th..... Bainbridge Band
Concert Band Music
- 14th..... Anna Alexander Trio
Standards, Popular to Sacred Music
- 21st..... Fabulous Cheeze Brothers & Sisters
Hits of the 50's, 60's & 70's
- 28th..... The Den & Terry Duo
Oldies, Country, Gospel & Patriotic Music

JULY

- 5th..... NO CONCERT
- 12th..... Servant Stage Company
Broadway Melody
- 19th..... The Perseverance Band of Lebanon
Concert Band Music
- 26th..... Belle Tones - All-American Female Trio
Patriotic-Broadway

AUGUST

- 2nd..... Swing Street Quartet
Mainstream Standards & Popular Music
- 9th..... Michael Minor
Singer/Impressionist/Ventriloquist
- 16th..... The Herm Miller Big Band
Big Band Music
- 23rd..... New Holland Band
Concert Band Music (6:00 p.m.)

Sponsored by:

Mountville Community Services Foundation (MCSF)

As arranged by:

The Mountville Welfare Association-Ed Froelich Trust Fund

Donations:

**Please send to: MCSF
P.O. Box 56, Mountville, PA 17554**



Come Out to Play and Explore! 2020 Summer Playground in Mountville

This summer, Hempfield recCenter will celebrate 42 years of its Summer Playground Program. The eight-week supervised program, for youth ages 6-13, encourages kids to discover the outdoors, to engage with friends and to remain active during summer vacation! Held at Mountville Community Park, the program offers oodles of outdoor play, games, sports, and optional pool parties and field trips for an additional fee.

**Monday thru Friday, June 15th - August 7th
9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.**

Youth members of Hempfield recCenter receive the greatest discount at \$135 while residents of Hempfield School District pay \$155. The rate for non-residents is set at \$190.

Early registration opens Wednesday, April 1st - Friday, May 22nd and must be completed in-person, mailed or faxed to Hempfield recCenter, 950 Church Street, Landisville. (No phone calls, please). Registrations received after May 22nd will be charged an additional \$10.

**For more information, contact Cristine Maser at
717-898-3102 ext. 139 or cmaser@hempfieldrec.com**



YARD/GARAGE SALE PERMITS

Thinking of having a yard or garage sale? While they are permitted within the Borough, there are adopted regulations governing them.

- A yard/garage sale permit (\$5.00) must be secured from the Borough Office, not less than seven (7) days prior to the sale. Borough ordinances state that it is unlawful to hold a yard sale without first obtaining a permit.
- Only two (2) yard/garage sales, no longer than two (2) consecutive days, are permitted per address per year.
- Yard/garage sales may be held only between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- Yard/garage sales may offer personal belongings of applicant to be sold.
- Only one (1) four square-foot sign is permitted advertising the sale with the sign being located at the premises where the sale occurs. Advertising must be removed upon the completion of the sale.

SOLICITATION PERMITS REQUIRED

Under Mountville Borough Ordinance, persons soliciting within the Borough are required to obtain a permit through the West Hempfield Police Department. Exceptions include: non-profit organizations (e.g. Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Lion Clubs, Rotary, etc.), school children selling items for school, and insurance and real estate agents licensed by the State. Each solicitor is required to display their permit in a manner that is visible to those from whom they are soliciting. Solicitation may occur Monday thru Saturday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., except by prior appointment. In order to protect you from unwanted solicitation, if a solicitor at your door does not have the required solicitation identification, please contact the West Hempfield Police Department at 717-285-5191 from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday, (or at 800-957-2677 after hours), to determine their status.



Mountville Business Spotlight

Mountville Borough is a wonderful place to live and raise a family and it also has a thriving business presence. Here's a family-operated establishment to check out!

Sloan's Pharmacy - Mountville

Sloan's Pharmacy has been providing health care and medical services to communities in Lancaster County for over 80 years and in Mountville since 1987. G. Walter Sloan started the company in 1939 in the former Mount Joy Theater building in Mount Joy. In 1960, he moved the pharmacy to its present Mount Joy location. Ben Piersol and Lamar Stutzman purchased the business in 1977 and expanded to include four additional locations in Lancaster County. Sloan's pharmacists, Jake Sherk and Tim Zuch purchased the business in 2006 and are still actively involved in the business.

Sloan's Mountville Pharmacy has been committed to helping customers in the Mountville community since its opening. You'll find every member of our staff to be knowledgeable and accessible. While our commitment to personal service is still the most important aspect of our business, we are constantly expanding to include many patient-care services. Sloan's is your local independent pharmacy and we offer these amenities:

- Durable medical equipment- including set up and delivery
- Medicine delivery service
- Vaccines
- Medisets
- A mobile app and website for quick and easy refills
- One of a kind gifts and greeting cards for that special occasion!

We hope you will enjoy shopping at Sloan's Mountville Pharmacy - it will always be our pleasure to serve you. Don't forget to like us on Facebook and Instagram to stay up to date with us and for giveaways!



Contact Information:

2 College Avenue, Mountville 717-285-7443
Website: www.sloanspharmacy.com
Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CHIEF'S CORNER

Chief Layden of the West Hempfield Township Police Department would like Mountville Borough residents to be active participants in their personal safety and has provided the following information.

Make Crime Prevention a Priority

Being proactive can help thwart criminal activity. Reducing opportunity is the number one key to prevention. Here are some tips to assist in deterring crime:

- Install motion sensor lighting around your home and property.
- Keep garage doors closed when not in the garage or near the entrance.
- Invest in quality locks for all doors and windows.
- Always lock your vehicles. An unlocked vehicle is an invitation to a thief!
- Identity Theft - Always shred your mail containing personal information or account numbers.
- Get your annual FREE Credit Report and review for unusual or unauthorized activity.
- Did you know you can FREEZE your credit for FREE? You can! (And your children's credit, too.) Freezing your credit restricts access to your credit file making it harder for identity thieves to attempt to open new accounts in your name. To learn more, log on to www.consumer.ftc.gov.

Welcome to Borough Council



Joining the Mountville Borough Council in January 2020, as the Chairperson of Parks and Recreation is Jonah Eastep. Jonah spent the early years of his life living in Mountville and has officially returned to being a Mountville resident for

the past four years. Early in 2018, he founded a small guest services and facility monitoring company based in Mountville, named Clydesdale LLC., overseeing six employees. Jonah is married to his wife, Kimberly, and has two children and a Doberman. He feels blessed to have been given the opportunity to serve the Borough of Mountville as a member of the Council.

Jonah's vision for the Borough:

"The days of a strong, close-knit community continue to dwindle. I would like to be part of the revitalization of our community, starting with fixing and rebuilding our parks. This will encourage more people to come out and use them with the hope that it will start the community connecting with each other once again."

The 411

First job: Delivering newspapers in the Landisville area for about four years. I received eight cents a paper!

Favorite vacation destination: Jamaica, where Kimberly and I got married.

Movie I watch over and over: Gettysburg.

Best way to instantly relax: Any activity outside.

Favorite Sunday activity: Going to church with my family.

Dream job: Becoming a Congressman. I want to help fix our broken system along with restoring the faith of the people back into our government.

Interesting information:

- I love the Lord and He has blessed me more than I deserve.
- I coached kids at a gymnastics training facility for sixteen years.
- I have acted in two movies including a \$150 million dollar motion picture film.

Grass Clippings - Not for Streets!

Yep, it's here: Mowing Season! Related to the Federally mandated storm-water requirements, Mountville Borough is committed to cleaning up our local streams and watersheds. It is important to avoid blowing and/or sweeping grass clippings into our streets. Grass clippings in the street ultimately end up in a storm drain where they can build up and cause drainage issues and localized flooding. Clippings clog storm water drains and add pollutants to our local streams which can be detrimental to plant and animal life. How can you help?

- Direct grass clippings onto your lawn and not onto the street and sidewalks. If your mower shoots grass clippings out of the side, mow a couple of passes with your mower blowing towards your yard and not the street before mowing the rest of your lawn.
- Use a mulching blade mower. Decaying grass returns nutrients back into the soil, which leads to a healthier lawn.
- If there are grass clippings on the street or sidewalk, use a broom or leaf blower to blow them back into the lawn.
- Do not use a hose to wash grass clippings into the street or storm drains.



Keeping lawn clippings out of the streets will have significant benefits for our local watersheds. Your efforts will keep one of our most precious renewable resources clean for the next generation.

SAVE THE DATE



**Mountville
Community Picnic**
Sunday, August 30th
4:00-6:30 p.m.

2020 Holiday Trash Delays

Due to the following Holidays, trash pick-up will be delayed to Saturday. Trash should be placed curbside Friday evening, as follows:

Memorial Day.....	Friday, May 29th
July 4th	(NO DELAY for this holiday) Thursday, July 2nd
Labor Day	Friday, September 4th
Thanksgiving.....	Friday, November 27th
Christmas	Friday, December 25th
New Year's Day.....	Friday, January 1st, 2021

SPRING/SUMMER 2020 DATES TO REMEMBER

Yard Waste Separation	April 3rd - October 2nd (FRIDAY Pick-up)
White Goods Pick-up	FRIDAY, April 24th and FRIDAY, October 23rd
Street Sweeping	Monday, May 11th and Tuesday, May 12th (7:30 a.m.)
Mountville Days Carnival	May 13th - 16th (Froelich Park)
Memorial Day Parade	Saturday, May 23rd (10:00 a.m.)
Fireworks at Froelich Park	Saturday, June 27th at Dusk (Rain Date: Sunday, June 28th)
National Night Out	Tuesday, August 4th (5:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Leisure Lanes)
Community Picnic	Sunday, August 30th (4:00 - 6:30 p.m. at Mountville Community Park)
Community Yard Sale	Saturday, September 19th (No permit required on this date)



BOROUGH COUNCIL

Philip S. Kresge	Mayor
Lenny D. Heisey	President
Christine D. Eshleman	Vice-President, Chair-General Government
Jesse D. Hersh.....	Chair-Public Safety: Planning & Zoning
Richard D. Spiegel	Chair-Public Safety: Police & Fire
Harry L. Morgan.....	Chair-Public Works: Health & Sanitation
Matthew T. Auker.....	Chair-Public Works: Streets
Jonah M. Eastep.....	Chair-Parks & Recreation

BOROUGH EMPLOYEES

Edward E. Benner	Public Works
David N. Pott.....	Public Works
Pamela J. Mitchell.....	Secretary/Treasurer
Doris A. Reisinger	Assistant Secretary



With Sincere Gratitude...

Mountville Borough would like to extend a thank you to Mike Trimble for his five years of serving as a Borough Council member. His commitment to Borough initiatives and its residents was always evident and very much appreciated.

Best wishes, Mike, and many thanks for your dedication to the forward progress of Mountville Borough!

Please clip and save as a reminder of these special dates.

