



ADAMSTOWN BOROUGH NEWSLETTER

2ND QUARTER 2017

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Upcoming Council Meetings: May 2, Jun 6, Jul 11. All meetings are held in the Borough municipal building unless otherwise advertised beginning at 7:00PM and the public is encouraged to attend.

Rental Property Owners – Please see that your tenants receive a copy of the quarterly newsletter. Extras are available at the borough office or in the information rack in the foyer. Newsletters can also be viewed on the borough website.

2017 Adamstown Community Days

Adamstown Community Days will be held May 26, 27 & 28. Entertainment will include three of the most-requested groups from the past 15 years! Friday The Poets, Saturday The Fabulous Grease Band and Sunday Flamin' Dick & The Hot Rods. Of course the best fireworks display around will take place on Sunday evening. For more details or go to www.adamstowncommunitydays.com.

Sadly, the Adamstown FireQuacker 1000 will not be held this year due to a shortage of volunteers. The ACD committee has been sponsoring bingo games once a month at the Comfort Inn and is hoping the funds raised there will defray the cost of entertainment. Please call Joe Dietrich at 484-256-0851 if you can spare a few hours to help during Community Days.



Street Sweeping

The streets will be swept clean of winter debris on May 2 & May 3. Be sure your car is removed from the street during this time to avoid ticketing.

VFW Pictures

Anyone having old pictures of the former VFW building is asked to contact Mike Wetherhold, Library Treasurer at 484-4973. Thank you!

Adamstown Area Library Update

The Library reached the halfway mark of their \$1.5 million dollar capital campaign to renovate the former VFW building. Please join in making this project a reality for our community by making a donation or pledge. Information and forms are available at the Library or by calling the Library at 484-4200.

Sidewalk Ordinance

The Borough Sidewalk Committee is continuing to inspect sidewalks and curbs throughout the town. Property owners needing to repair their sidewalks or curbs will be notified in the near future. Once notified, property owners will have 180 days to make the necessary repairs.

Potluck

Community Potluck!!!

Please save the date and plan on attending a Community Potluck sponsored by the Adamstown Friends. The potluck dinner is to encourage Borough neighbors to get to know each other. The dinner will be held Monday, August 21st from 6-8PM at the Adamstown Grove. **Please plan to bring a meal or dessert to share with your neighbors.** There will be games planned for kids and adults. If you are on Facebook, please join our closed group called 'Adamstown Friends' for updates closer to the event.

Protect our Watershed

Stormwater from your home & from the public streets goes into a storm sewer, which goes directly into streams & bodies of water used for swimming, fishing and providing drinking water. This water is not cleaned in any way and does not go to the waste water treatment plant. We all drink water, so we are all affected when our water is polluted. Streams and creeks feed into rivers, lakes and the ocean. If you like to fish, swim or boat, pollutants will affect you. When we pollute our water, everyone is affected!

NEW FOR 2017

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE ADAMSTOWN BOROUGH...



SUMMER PLAYGROUND

AT THE ADAMSTOWN GROVE

SPORTS-GAMES-CRAFTS-FRIENDS

Season: June 19th through August 11th

Times: Monday through Friday; 9:00am to 12:00pm

Ages: 6 (or have completed Kindergarten) through age 12

Fees:

	MON-FRI	MON/WEDS/FRI	TUES/THURS
Resident	\$80	\$48	\$32
Non-Resident	\$120	\$72	\$48

To register, attend one of the following registration sessions at the Adamstown YMCA-71 E. Main Street, Adamstown.

Borough Residents— May 1st, 5:30-7:30pm

May 6th. 9:00am-11:00am

Non-Residents—

May 15th 5:30pm-7:30pm

SPACE IS LIMITED TO 30 CHILDREN!

For more information, contact Justin Baas, Program Coordinator:

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