

Municipal matters

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Princeton Label Moving to Eastampton Major Step in Town's Redevelopment Plans

The Princeton Label Company received final Site Plan Approval during the January 19th Land Use Planning Board meeting. Princeton Label is currently located in Robbinsville, NJ. Their parent company is the [Paris Art Label Company](#), based out of Long Island.

The successful and growing business will be moving into the Gsells Moving and Storage site on Woodlane Road. There will be two work shifts totaling more than 50 employees making

labels for companies such as Almay, Estee Lauder, Abercrombie & Fitch and Elizabeth Arden.

Besides converting the property into a thriving business that will serve as a huge economic boost for the township's Redevelopment Area, Paris Label plans on completely rehabilitating the building and the property. Below is the architect's rendition that was presented at the Land Use Planning Board meeting.

The designated Redevelopment Area includes properties on the north side of Woodlane Road from the Gregories site to township owned property next to the Baptist Church and property surrounding the CVS on the south side of Woodlane Road.

The township is working with the Burlington County Office of Economic Development to improve and grow the entire Redevelopment Area.



Eastampton Awarded \$100,000 Grant

Eastampton Township was awarded a Municipal Aid grant of \$100,000 from the New Jersey Department of Transportation.

The award is to complete improvements outlined in our Bicycle/Pedestrian Safety Study completed several years ago. That study had been funded by a similar

grant.

The project is titled the "Monmouth Road Pedestrian Safety Improvement Project". The goal is to make pedestrian passage safer along the county-owned road.

The genesis of this project came about several years ago when Rancocas Valley Re-

gional High School canceled two bus routes for Eastampton children.

Concerned parents brought the issue to the town's attention and the township has been fortunate to receive grants to both study the issue and now to complete improvements.

Upcoming Recreation Programs & Events

Spring Egg Hunt

Open to Eastampton and Westampton children ages 10 and under.

When: Saturday, April 16th at 11:00am

Where: Eastampton Community School Middle School Gym

Coloring Contest

Please visit the recreation page of our website for entry forms. Prizes will be awarded at the Egg Hunt.

Pictures with Peter Rabbit

Pictures will be taken before and after the Egg Hunt

5K Run/Walk

When: Saturday, May 21

Where: RVRHS Athletic Fields. The course runs through Smithville Park

Registration forms and information can be found on the recreation page of our website.

Summer Park Program

The Summer Park Program is for Eastampton children between the ages of 5—13. The program runs

from June 27 to August 5. It will once again be located in Buttonwood Park and take place between 9am and noon.

Registrations will be accepted in person on Saturday, April 30 from 10am till noon at the Recreation Building in Buttonwood Park.



Registration will be accepted at the Manor House until June 10.

Both registration forms for participants and employment information for prospective counselors are on the recreation page of our website.

Eastampton Seniors

Seniors Group Meeting

When: Thursday, March 31, 8:30am.

Where: Eastampton Community School

Superintendent Robert Krastek and School Business Administrator Marian Smith will be the guest speakers.

A review of the proposed school budget and a tour of the school will take place, followed by light refreshments.

Long Bridge Park Walk

The Seniors Group will be carpooling to Long Bridge Park and will be joined by a Park Naturalist for a nature walk.

The group will meet at the Buttonwood Park Recreation Building at 8:30am on Friday, May 6. Lunch at a local restaurant will follow.

Advanced registration is required. Call the Manor House to register at 267-5723 ext. 200.

Reading Group

Next meeting is on Monday, April 18, starting at 1pm.

Dessert and discussion of James A. Michener's "The Source".

School Board Election April 27

The School Board Election will take place at the Eastampton Community School on April 27. Voting booths will be open from 3:00pm until 9:00pm.

Information on the proposed school budget to be voted on can be found on the School Board's website.

Eastampton Community School:

<http://www.eastampton.k12.nj.us/>

Rancocas Valley Regional High School:

<http://www.rvrhs.com/>

Public Works Spring Clean Up

Leaf Pick Up

The Department of Public Works will continue to collect leaves placed curbside through the month of April. Leaves can be placed in bags or left loose at the curb. Leaves must be free of trash, sticks, vines and other debris. Leaves will not be collected after May 1.

Brush Chipping

Brush Collection continues throughout the year. During the first full work week of the month (beginning on the first Monday of the month) the Public Works Department will collect brush throughout the township. Please follow the following rules when putting bush out for collection:

- Brush should be no longer than 8" in diameter.
- Brush should be no longer than 4' long.

- All but ends must face in the same direction.
- Small branches and twigs can be bundled and placed with regular trash.
- No vines, bamboo, fence posts, or lumber will be collected.
- No brush with root balls or stumps will be collected.
- **No brush placed curbside by Contractors will be collected.**

If you have any Public Works questions please contact:

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The Manor House

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