



Eastampton Township News

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Eastampton Township News is generally published on a monthly basis to provide residents with pertinent information and reminders related to Eastampton Township and the surrounding area. The Township views this as another important means of keeping residents informed about our community.



Observed Holidays

Municipal Offices are closed **Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25** in Observance of the Christmas Holiday.

Municipal Offices are closed on **Tuesday, January 1, 2019** in Observance of New Year's Day.

Attention Residents: Tax Sale Information. All unpaid property taxes, sewer or other municipal charges **which remain unpaid as of November 10, 2018** are subject to the annual Municipal Tax Sale scheduled for **December 31, 2018**. All **outstanding charges must be paid by November 12, 2018 to avoid the scheduled tax sale.** Contact the Tax Collector's Office at (609) 267-5723, ext. 204 or ext. 213 for additional information.

Attention Residents: Trash Collection Schedule for Week of December 25. Township offices are closed on Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25. Therefore, **trash collection for residents whose trash is normally collected on Tuesdays will be collected on Friday, December 28.** Wednesday and Thursday trash collection will not be affected.

Township offices are closed on Tuesday, January 1. Therefore, **trash collection for residents whose trash is normally collected on Tuesdays will be collected on Friday, January 4, 2019** Wednesday and Thursday trash collection will not be affected. Please contact (609) 267-5723, ext. 210 for any additional information.

Recreation Events

Eastampton Mayor Robert Apgar and Township Council cordially invite you to the Manor House for the **Annual Tree Lighting & Arrival of Santa Claus December 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.** Enjoy cupcakes and hot chocolate! Santa Claus will be available for photos for one hour. Please bring your own camera. Community residents may bring their own ornament to hang on the tree.

Brush & Leaf Collection



Eastampton Township Brush Collection Schedule

Reminder. Brush chipping is done the first full week of every month except when the first Monday is a holiday. When the first Monday is a holiday, brush collection will be done the following week. In the event of inclement weather, brush will be collected the following week as well. Residents are reminded to place brush curbside at the front of their home by 7:00am on the first day of scheduled collection. Branches should be longer than (4) four feet and not exceed (8) eight inches in diameter. All butt ends must face the same direction for ease of loading. Sticks and branches less than (4) four feet in length should be tied in bundles that weigh no more than (50) fifty pounds. Please keep sidewalks and pathways clear for pedestrian and bicycle traffic. Additional information can be found by visiting the Township website at www.eastampton.com or by contacting the Public Works Department at (609) 267-5723, ext. 210.



Eastampton Township Leaf Collection Information.

Leaf collection begins the week of October 15 and will be collected through January, 2019. Residents can bag leaves or rake them to the curb for collection. Leaves should be placed in the grass strip between the curb and sidewalk, not in the street. Leaves should not be placed near fire hydrants, sign posts, portable basketball hoops, or telephone poles. Leaves must be free of all trash, sticks, branches, vines, rocks, dirt, and debris. Mixed material will not be collected.

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Burlington County Recycling Program. Get the latest recycling updates on shredding events, schedule changes due to inclement weather and more with the free Recycle Coach smartphone application. The application is available on iTunes and Google Play app stores for Burlington County residents.

Register to Receive All Eastampton Township Announcements. The Township will continue to notify residents of pertinent information through our website, Facebook page and email notification system. To register for the email notification system, “control and click” on the link below:

<http://www.eastampton.com/content/85/87.aspx>



Township Council Meeting, Monday, December 17, 2018 at 7pm. Come out and meet your Mayor and Council Members.

Land Use Planning Board, Monday, December 3, 2018 at 7:30 pm.

OTHER EVENTS AND DATES

Victorian Holiday Celebration

December 2, 2018 from 1:00- 5:00 p.m. at Historic Smithville Park & Smith's Woods.

Join us to kick off the Holiday Season at Historic Smithville Park complete with a visit from St. Nick, who will arrive in the afternoon. Festivities will include ice carving demonstrations, tours of Smithville Mansion decorated for the holidays, carolers, live music, kids' activities, and a holiday marketplace where you can purchase unique gifts. Expect to see Victorian performers, activities, re-enactors and vendors during this holiday event. The Historic Smithville Mansion will be fully decorated and open for tours all afternoon. Carolers sing your holiday favorites throughout the park. Stop by for some s'mores and hot cocoa by the fire. Lookout for that grinchy Grinch! Event is FREE!

Holiday Village Tours

December 6-9, 2018 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Join Parks' staff for a free, guided tour throughout the Historic Village at Smithville Park. Learn about the history of the park while enjoying the beautifully lighted landscape. These evening tours are free and include a visit from Mr. Scrooge and end with a warm cup of hot cocoa and cookies with Mrs. Claus! Candlelight tours of the Smithville Mansion are also offered on select nights for a fee.

Candlelight Tour Smithville Mansion

Sunday, December 9, 2018 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Enjoy the splendor of Christmas past with a docent guided evening holiday tour of the Historic Smithville Mansion. This tour will get you ready for the holidays as you tour each room, lavishly decorated in the grand Victorian style. Call 609-261-3295 or email SLeinbach@smithvillemansion.org for information or reservations. \$14 Adults, \$12 Students Candlelight tour dates: December 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, and 30. Daily tours also available at 1 PM, 2 PM, & 3 PM.



Honor Yoga Mansfield will be relocating to the Eastampton Place development on Patriot Way in early 2019! They offer Flow, Power, Beginners, Calm & Strong, as well as Yoga for Kids and Teens. They host multiple workshops monthly to deepen and advance your yoga practice. This beautiful studio in a new building will offer 2700 square feet of space and many more types of classes including floor classes, aerial yoga, yoga barre, bodywork, kids and teen programming, birthday parties and more. Follow them on FB and Instagram for updates on construction, promotions, and pre-sale offerings as the new yoga home comes to life. Stay tuned for a fantastic deal they will be offering to new students. Namaste Eastampton!