

CHRISTIANA BOROUGH

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DID YOU KNOW?

Christiana Borough Council and Staff would like to take this opportunity to keep our residents aware of some of the major issues facing the Borough. We are being required by the State to meet requirements for Nutrient Removal at our Wastewater Facility. *This will come with a hefty price tag.* We have begun to look into funding and grant opportunities for this project.

Our current water storage facility located on Simmonstown Road has been in use since the 1800's and has been determined to be in need of upgrade. DEP is working with the Borough in providing free engineering services through the PES program in designing a new Water Storage Tank. The cost for this upgrade is not yet known. We will be looking into funding for this project as well.

As you can see our community has work to do in meeting our requirements and funding these projects. It is our job to provide for the health and safety of our residents and planet as well future generations.

WATER LINE FLUSHING

Notice: Residents, Landlords, Property Owners. Beginning at 11:00 p.m. on October 6th, 2015 Christiana Borough will begin flushing the water system by opening each fire hydrant. This may cause a drop in water pressure and cloudy water. The process will take approximately 6 hours. Landlords, we request you inform your tenants of this event. We will do our part to ensure all residents are aware, but can only do so if we have updated tenant information.

CATS

Notice: Cats are once again an issue in the Borough. Residents are complaining about neighbors who allow their cats to roam. In so doing the cats are destroying flower beds, spraying porch furniture, windows and doors as well as climbing on vehicles and turning up in garages. Be a good neighbor. Keep your cats inside or contained to your property. Should they damage property, you may be held accountable.

MAYOR'S CORNER

Thanks for you comments.

Mayor Mark Carner-610-593-1195 Evenings 6:00 to 9:00 pm & Weekends

DOGS

There have been several complaints of dogs barking excessively. Barking is something that dogs do. But, it is important for you to monitor/control your dog's barking so that it does not interfere with your neighbors whether your dog is inside your home or outside in your yard. Also, the open field at the corner of Green Street and W. Slokom Ave. is being used as a dog out house. Clean up after your animal.

2015 BOROUGH CALENDAR

10/03/15 Fire Co. Spaghetti Dinner
(Breast Cancer Fundraiser)
4-7 pm
10/07/15 Fire Co. Money Bingo 6:30
10/17/15 Fire Co. Breakfast 6-10 am
Lions Club Sale 7-10 am
11/04/15 Fire Co. Money Bingo 6:30
11/07/15 Fire Co. Chicken Corn Soup
10—1
11/14/15 Fire Co. Vera Bradley/Coach
Bingo 6:30 pm
Show 6-10 pm
12/02/15 Fire Co. Money Bingo 6:30
12/19/15 Fire Co. Breakfast 6-10 am
Santa Arriving 8-10 am

READ MOORE BOOKSTORE

Hours: Monday thru Saturday
1 to 4 p.m.

Books of every category are
for sale at reasonable prices!

EAGLE DISPOSAL REQUESTS

Should you have large cardboard
boxes for trash/recycle pick-up,
please break them down and
stack or bind together.

FALL LEAVES

Fall is upon us and with that
comes falling leaves. Please
rake your leaves so they do not
clog borough storm sewers or
end up in neighbor's yards.
Let's work together to keep
the borough looking beautiful
and safe.

Free yard waste bags can be
picked up at the Borough Hall
office. Please check the news-
letter for yard waste/fall leaves
pick-up dates.

TRASH PICK-UP SCHEDULE FOR JAN—JUNE 2015

Regular trash pick-up continues
to be on Monday
Yard Waste
October 5th
Leaf Collection
November 9th & 30th

Any large object that will not fit
in a 32 gallon trash container
requires a "Large Item" ticket,
available at the Borough Office
for \$4.00. Microwaves will no
longer be accepted. Refrigerators
and dehumidifiers (White
Trash items) require a \$12.00
tag. The Trash Collector will not
pick up large items without a
ticket. Construction materials,
such as lumber, plaster, win-
dows, screens, brick or stones
will not be accepted for trash
pick-up. Tires must be off the
rim and will only be picked up
on White Goods Day. Com-
puters, monitors, TV's, laptops,
peripherals not accepted.
Help extend the use and life of
our trash landfills. Reduce the
possibility of contamination from
the lead found in all computer
equipment by following the
guidelines set by our trash/
recycle material collector.

EAGLE DISPOSAL REMINDERS

Eagle is asking customers
to keep their trash pick-
up area clear. If an enclo-
sure is used, please en-
sure the gate will open.
Be sure trash is not stick-
ing to the bottom of con-
tainers.

PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT

Lancaster County Solid
Waster Management's House-
hold Hazardous Waste Facility
reminds you to keep hazardous
materials out of the environ-
ment by disposing of them at
the HHW Facility located at
1299 Harrisburg Pike, Lancas-
ter, PA. A total of 3,229,161
lbs. of material was received in
2014 with a breakdown of:
2,498,391 lbs of e-waste
152,551 lbs of batteries
87,376 lbs of motor oil
81,600 lbs of flammable liquids
31,068 lbs of florescent bulbs
277,940 lbs of latex paint
100,235 lbs of materials like
anti-freeze, cooking oil, etc.

Borough Council Meetings
are held the first Tuesday of
each month. Extra meetings
are held on the last Wednes-
day. No extra meeting June,
July or August. All meetings
begin at 7:00 pm.

CHRISTIANA BOROUGH WEBSITE

Are you looking for informa-
tion about the Borough?

www.christianaboro.com.

There you can find Borough
Ordinance information as well
as the yearly Drinking Water
Quality Consumer Confidence
Report. Learn the history of
your community and find out
who is currently serving your
hometown.

THANK YOU!

Secretary Pringle and Christiana Borough Council would like to extend a big Thank You to our Borough Volunteers. Doris Groff has been creating beautiful hanging baskets for display each summer for many years. Denise Glover has offered her time and talents to the business office and Rick McKinley has helped with the handling of the Borough Newsletter. The freely given time and dedication of these volunteers to the community is greatly appreciated.

Secretary Pringle, Chief Finck and Christiana Borough Council would also like to extend their thanks to the Christiana American Legion Post 865 for their generous donations to our police department. Their most recent donation has purchased a digital speed sign which will be displayed within the Borough. Past donations have purchased needed department equipment. The Legion's commitment to the department and the community is greatly appreciated.

BOROUGH PHONE NUMBERS

Police - (610) 593-2234

Borough Office - Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Wednesday and Friday 8:30 am to noon. (610) 593-5199.

Note: Any calls to the Borough Office number at (610) 593-5199 after hours for Police will not be answered until Monday morning because that phone is in a different office from the Police phone. Call (610) 593-2234 at all times for the Police.

Sewer Plant - (610) 593-6502

Zoning Issues - (610) 724-4115

Water/Sewer EMERGENCY: Contact - (717) 278-5348

POLICE MATTERS

Should you have an **emergency dial 911**. **Non-emergency calls please dial 1-800-957-2677 or 610-593-2234.** The County documents all calls and contacts and officer who will then respond to your need.

Please do not call the Borough Office for police related matters.

LANDLORDS

Please update tenant names and phone numbers with the Borough Office. This information allows us to contact them in case of emergency.

BILL PAY

Please remember to provide PNC with your water/sewer/trash breakdown whether paying on-line or at the bank. This ensures the money goes into the correct account.

**MOORES
MEMORIAL
LIBRARY NEWS**

**NATIONAL RAIL-
ROAD HISTORICAL
SOCIETY**

**CHRISTIANA LIONS
CLUB**

Rent the **remodeled** Christiana Lions Club Building which includes a full kitchen or rent the outdoor Pavilion located at 325 N. Bridge St. in Christiana. Have your next birthday, shower or reunion, reception or meeting. Children can play, adults can relax or meetings or dinners can be held with ease. Contact Sheena at 610-979-0383 or email christnalionsclub@comcast.net for additional information and availability, 2015 is booking fast. Rental fee is \$100.00 plus a \$50.00 security deposit is required to hold the date.

The Christiana Lions Club holds monthly **sub sales every third Saturday**. Fresh subs are available by pre-order, with a pick-up time from 7:00 am until 10:00 am at the Lions Club building, 325 N. Bridge Street. The cost per sub is \$4.00. Call (484) 356-5709 or email christianalionsclub@comcast.net to place your order. The Lions thank you for your support.

BECOME A LION

The Christiana Lions Club is open to membership at any time for men and women eligible for admission. Anyone who would like to attend a meeting and learn more about the largest service organization in the world can do so by contacting any member of the Club. Follow the Christiana Lions on Face book. Or, go to the Lions Club web site at <http://www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/christiana>. If you have any questions, please email ChristianaLionsClub@comcast.net

Christiana Lions Club now has a new Face book page at [https://www.facebook.com/ChristianaLions Club](https://www.facebook.com/ChristianaLionsClub)