

QUARTERLY UPDATE



Bridgeville Borough

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JULY - SEPT, 2024

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

Real Estate Taxes: both Borough and School Tax Bills were mailed out in mid-July. Millage rates for both the School and Borough remain the same rates as last year. Payments are due at discount rate by August 31st, face amount by October 31st, and a 10% penalty is applied after November 1st. If you have any questions about your taxes, please call Tax Collector Anne Marie Parisi at 412-221-6012 x301.

Labor Day, September 2, Borough offices closed, and trash collection postponed to Saturday, September 7.

Street Sweeping during June-September, streets are swept the third full week of the month.

Sign up for Text Message Alerts: text "Bridgeville" to 313131 or visit our website.

Garbage and Sewer Billing: did you know you can pay your bills online with a credit card? A link is at the top of the homepage, BridgevilleBoro.com Tired of sending in a check for your Garbage Bill? Consider signing up for recurring automatic electronic bank payments from your account. You can also now sign up for E-Bills and have them emailed to you.



Project Construction Photo — July 9, 2024

Prestley Road at Charlet and Perrett St. Improvements

Late last year the Borough, working with PENNDOT's Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP), received advice from their traffic engineers on a low-cost way to improve the intersection of Prestley Road, Charlet Street, and Perrett Street. The plan included a revised way this intersection should be marked. To improve visibility, the Public Works Department restriped where vehicles should stop at the end of Charlet Street, relocated the existing stop sign, and painted a bump-out on Prestley Road with the goal of encouraging vehicles to slow down before turning onto Charlet Street and take the street with a slight turn versus cutting across closely to the vehicles exiting Perrett Street.

Cook School Park Basketball & Pickleball Court Improvements

The basketball court area at Cook School Park has been improved with funding assistance from the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. The project included resurfacing the court area, replacing the fencing and basketball hoops, court striping and adding a new fenced-in pickleball court. Stop by the park and check out the improvements; there is something for everyone to enjoy!



Household Hazardous Waste and Paper Shredding Collection Events

Both events to be held in the Bridgeville VFD parking lot at 370 Commercial Street

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event, Wednesday, July 24, 9A to 1P

Electronics will be collected for a nominal fee per pound for all devices including tube CRT televisions, non-CRT devices and other electronics. What can be recycled include: paint / workshop products, automotive products, cleaning products, lawn and garden products, pesticide, car / household batteries, light bulbs, flammables and accepted Electronic / Freon Waste include: TVs, computers, printers, phones, AC units, dehumidifiers, mini fridges, microwaves, laptops and more. PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED IF YOU WISH TO RECYCLE ELECTRONICS OR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE AT THIS EVENT. PLEASE CALL 412-567-6566 or www.nobleenviro.com to REGISTER.

Paper Shredding Event, Saturday, September 7th, 9A-11A

State Representative Anita Kulik is sponsoring a FREE paper shredding event. Protect your identity and have personal documents shredded. Destroy all of those old tax returns and important papers you have been holding onto, papers with personal information such as social security, credit card or bank account numbers. Papers must be loose – no binder clips or paper clips, and not in binders. Documents will be shredded on-site by reputable and bonded company.

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donated gifts for our raffles!
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OF YOU!**

MONTHLY MEETINGS:

In person and virtually on
www.Zoom.us

Borough Council: 2nd Mon. 7p
Parking Authority: 3rd Mon, 7p
Planning Comm.: 4th Mon, 7p

What's Going on Around Town

There have been several public improvements and projects completed recently including: the adoption of the 2024 Comprehensive Plan, completion of the Werner Avenue landslide project, installed a new playground at McLaughlin Run Park and 5,000 linear feet of sanitary sewer liners, along with multiple large sewer repairs throughout the Borough; as well as renovations to the Cook School Park basketball court area, and lastly, paved the following roads: Darby Way, Irwin Way, Universal Street, Gilmore Street, the bottom of Bank St., Osceola Drive and Schulte St.

The Pittsburgh Classic Movie Club is hosting free summer classic movies. This year they are shown at the Library on the patio, starting at dusk. Remaining events are Friday, 8/16 – "How to Marry a Millionaire" and Friday, 9/13 – "The Quiet Man".

Bridgeville Public Library Storywalk at Chartiers Park on the walking trail has returned for the warmer seasons. Stories will change frequently, so be sure to visit often for a new experience! This is a great opportunity for small children and makes for a nice walk between playgrounds. Learn more: <https://bridgevillelibrary.org/storywalk/>

Support your BVFD and take a chance on winning a Harley Davidson Motorcycle! Secure your chance to win a stunning 2024 Harley Davidson Street Glide Motorcycle in Billiard Gray. But that's not all - the BVFD is also throwing in \$1,000 in Store Credit to use at New Castle Harley-Davidson!! Buy your tickets directly from Bridgeville Volunteer Fire Department! For a \$40 donation, you get one ticket with a unique 3-digit number. The winner will be determined by the PA Lottery Pick 3 Evening Drawing 7 days AFTER the final ticket sale is announced. You can purchase a ticket from any Bridgeville Firefighter or online at: <https://bridgeville-vfd.square.site/>

**Community Events at the
Bridgeville Library**

Throwback Tuesdays - 7/23 and 7/30 at 11:00 a.m. Visit a different park within Bridgeville and play "old school" playground games with other kids and families.

Cooking with Eric - Mon., 7/29,
5:30PM
Crafting with Colleen - Tues., 7/30,
5:30PM

Star Party - Fri., 8/2, 8:45 p.m. Enjoy a night of viewing the stars with the Amateur Astronomers Association of Pittsburgh. The evening will begin with a presentation, followed by viewing through telescopes.

Online Safety with Literacy Pittsburgh - Thurs., 8/8, 2:00 p.m. Gain tools to protect your online privacy.

Cooking with Eric - Tues., 8/13,
5:30PM

September is Love Your Library Month

Crafting with Colleen - Tues., 9/10

Used Book Sale - Fri. 9/13, 10am - 4pm
Used Book Sale - Sat.9/14, 10am - 4pm

-Save the Date -
1980's Murder Mystery Fundraiser-
September, more info to come!

Halloween at the Haunted Library -
Fri., 10/25/24

More information and to sign up for
events, please visit the circulation
desk at the library. Email us
at friendsofbpl@aol.com

Actions of the last Borough Council Meetings:

April 8, 2024

The Council & Mayor:

- Held a Public Hearing to get final comments on the proposed new Comprehensive Plan
- Approved the Vesper Corner Plan of Lots, a lot line revision for 114 Vesper St. and 1111 Ridge Road.
- Awarded the 2024 Road Paving Program to Pave N Plow in the amount of \$356,580.28
- Awarded the 2023 Work Area 4 Sanitary Sewer Lining Project contract to Jet Jack, Inc., in the amount of \$360,150.
- Authorized the sale of surplus public works equipment via online auction.
- Authorized the advertisement for public bids for the Center St. Sanitary Sewer Improvements Project.

May 13, 2024

The Council & Mayor:

- Auditor Mark Turnley, CPA, presented the 2023 Audit Report
- Adopted the 2024 Bridgeville Comprehensive Plan
- Ratified an agreement with South Fayette Township for police lock-up facilities.
- Authorized improvements to the former ballfield at McLaughlin Run Park where PA Department of Conservation and Natural Resources will plant a native wildflower meadow at this site.
- Authorized purchasing wayfinding signage for the downtown

June 10, 2024

The Council & Mayor:

- Authorized the Borough

Manager to apply for a grant that would reconstruct and improve the walking trail at Chartiers Park.

- Authorized the advertisement of a Request for Proposals for professional legal services for the Borough's two pension plans.
- Executed an updated police mutual aid agreement with the communities of the Char-West Council of Governments.
- Hired Tyler Evans as a probationary full-time patrolman.
- Authorized LSSE Engineers to complete the design and engineering for the Gregg Avenue Steps Project.
- Appointed Nicole Steck to the Parking Authority Board of Directors.