



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 on Monday, September 2, 2019 in Observance of Labor Day. We will reopen on **Tuesday, September 3rd at 8:30 a.m.**

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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.

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



Township Council Meeting will be held on **Monday, September 23, 2019 at 7:00 pm.** Come out and meet the Mayor and Township Council Members. The **Land Use Planning Board Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday, September 18, 2019 at 7:30 pm.**

Tax Collector's Office

For your convenience the Tax Collector's Office has moved down to the 1st floor. We are utilizing the window to accept payments during office hours Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. There is also a lockbox available by the back entrance of the Manor House to drop payments off during or after business hours. The due date for 3rd quarter taxes without penalty is **Sept. 6, 2019.** For your convenience we also accept online tax payments. Residents can make payments online via ACH, e-check, credit card or debit card by visiting <https://wipp.edmundsassoc.com/Wipp/?wippid=0311>. An administrative fee will be assessed by the company processing the transactions. Please contact the Eastampton Township Tax Collector's Office at (609) 267-5723, ext. 213 for additional information.

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2019-2020 School Year starts for Eastampton Community and RVRHS on **Thursday, September 5, 2019**. Eastampton Township Council wishes everyone a safe and happy school year!

Congratulations to the Rancocas Valley Regional High School Girls Track & Field Team for outstanding accomplishments at the 2019 Track & Field Meet of Champions!

These athletes won the first Outdoor Track & Field State Championship in RVRHS school history! During the Township Council Meeting on Monday, August 19, 2019 Coach Eric Warren and many of the thirteen competitors accepted a team Proclamation from Mayor Anthony Zeno and Township Council Members, as well as individual Proclamations for each of the competing athletes.



(Pictured Top Left to Right: Council Member Eddie Besko, Council Member Jay Springer, Council Member Dominic Santillo, Council Member Robert Apgar. Front Left to Right: Coach Eric Warren, RVRHS Girls Track & Field Team and Mayor Anthony Zeno)



Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Rancocas Valley Regional High School girls Track & Field team competed in the 2019 Track & Field Meet of Champions on June 8, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the RVRHS girls Track & Field Team won the first ever Outdoor Track & Field State Championship in school history; and

WHEREAS, thirteen girls competed in the Group 4 State Championship; and

WHEREAS, the competing athletes were: Bethany Biggi, Abigail Boggs, Anabella Chin, Paige Hammond, Ravin Hood, Alyssa Leak, Breacain McClenathan, Darynn Minus-Vincent, Sheriyah Nutt, Logan Shaw, Brianna Snowden, Kristina Tossas, and Anaya Young; and

WHEREAS, Ravin Hood was voted as top Discus thrower in South Jersey, Sheriyah Nutt was voted top 200 meter runner in South Jersey, Kristina Tossas was voted as top Long Jumper in South Jersey, Coach Eric Warren was voted as Coach of the Year for South Jersey, and the State Champion 4x400 Relay team of Annabella Chin, Alyssa Leak, Sheriyah Nutt and Brianna Snowden were voted as top in South Jersey and the best in the state of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the RVRHS girls Track & Field Team have exhibited outstanding athletic individual and team efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Anthony Zeno, Mayor of the Township of Eastampton, County of Burlington, in the State of New Jersey, do hereby express appreciation to

**THE RVRHS GIRLS TRACK & FIELD TEAM
& COACHING STAFF**

and express great pride in these young athletes, and thank them for a job well done by bringing honor and recognition to their school for their individual and team achievements.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of Eastampton Township this 19th day of August 2019.

Safety Camp

On August 16, 2019 the Eastampton Youth Safety Camp Class #4 graduated from another successful week. Our cadets were afforded the opportunity to meet with numerous law enforcement and fire officials including our very own Burlington County Prosecutor, Scott Coffina. Additional instructors included members from the U.S. Marshalls, ATF, TSA, Burlington County Prosecutors Office, Burlington County Sheriff's Office, Eastampton Fire Department, Westampton Emergency Squad, and a local guidance counselor, Jordan Cagle. We would like to thank each of our donors whom have once again provided a fully funded program that is free to the cadets and their families.

Deputy Chief Snyder stated during the graduation ceremony, "This program's success cannot be defined without the collaborative effort and support from its donors, our local school officials, our township council, and of course all of our instructors whom volunteered their time to speak with our cadets. This program has enabled an interaction with these kids that showed them the different law enforcement avenues they may take interest in, but most importantly it gives them an opportunity to show our human side. It's a unique perspective that we get to show them that we are fathers, husbands, brothers, sisters, wives, overall just normal people. We've been able to build this program that promotes trust amongst our youth and it's an honor and privilege to give back to them."

We would like to congratulate each and every cadet for their hard work this week!
Great job Class #4!



Special thanks to our donors whom helped make this program possible:

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Veterans and Military Affairs Advisory Committee Project Proposal

I'd like to introduce myself and my project.

My name is Brooke, I am an Ambassador in Girl Scouts and have been a girl scout for the past 11 years. The highest award a Girl Scout can achieve is the Gold Award. For the past four years I have put together this project and planned for it's future.

The main goal of my award is to increase awareness between drivers and those in motorized wheelchairs. I plan on accomplishing this by creating packets that include reflective tape, vests, and flags. The Township Council is working with the VMAAC so Brooke can make ten packets that will be donated to the PD, so when they see someone in a motorized wheelchair the reflective packet will be given to them ensuring their safety on the roadways.



(Pictured Left to Right: John Adams, Brooke Wimberly, Council Member Eddie Besko, Anthony Zak, Frank Dunaway, James Warrick, and Kimberly Johnson)

Eastampton Day is on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 12:00-4:30 pm at Buttonwood Park! The Eastampton Recreation Department is inviting local organizations to participate. We are accepting table/food vendor applications until Friday, September 6, 2019.

**EASTAMPTON
DAY!**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2019
12:00PM – 4:30PM
Buttonwood Park, Eastampton NJ 08060

**Come out and join family and friends for a great
day of fun activities for the entire family!**

**OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY!
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**

**For more information contact:
kwhite@eastampton.com**

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TRUCK, AND MUCH MORE....**



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Burlington County Shredding Events



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Fall is a great time to clear out old confidential files!
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– Freeholder Director Tom Pullion

FREE 2019 PAPER SHREDDING EVENTS
SUNDAY | SUNDAY | SUNDAY
Sept. 8 | Oct. 20 | Nov. 17

Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex (Landfill) |
located at 22000 Burlington-Columbus Road in Florence, NJ 08518
(Exit 52A off I-295)

Events are 9 AM until 1 PM | Rain or Shine
Event may end prior to 1pm if shredding trucks reach capacity.

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- PLASTIC FOLDERS
- PLASTIC CREDIT CARDS

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**OTHER
EVENTS AND
DATES**

Historic Smithville Park & Smith's Woods 803 Smithville Road Mt Holly, NJ 08060

Arts in the Park Sunday, September 8, 2019 10:30-4:00 PM. (Rain or Shine) Enjoy an eclectic mix of FREE entertainment on three stages, including music, dance, theater and storytelling. Guests are encouraged to engage in free interactive activities, such as Chalk the Walk, Paint the Mural and Clothesline Art Workshop. Artists of all levels will have an opportunity to showcase their skills. The Smithville Mansion Annex Gallery will host the Annual Juried Art Exhibit. There will be fine art vendors, artisan crafters, art-related activities, performers and a beer garden.

Toddler Hike Tuesday, September 10, 2019 8:30-9:30 AM. Let's practice our ABC's in nature. Observe nature while we hike and look around for words that start with different letters of the alphabet. This activity is for kids ages 0-5. Bring weather and activity-appropriate clothing and footwear, daypack, snacks, water, personal medications. Register online at www.LLBean.com/Marlton.

Park Clean-Up Saturday, September 14, 2019 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM. Help keep our environment clean and green! Participate in cleaning up litter that has made its way into this park. Bags, gloves, and grabbers will be provided along with light refreshments and a water jug to refill your reusable water bottle. If you need community service hours, please register by 4PM Friday September 13th. To register, email cleancomm@co.burlington.nj.us

Overnight Camping with Rangers Saturday, September 21, 2019 6:00 PM- Sunday, September 22 10:00 AM. Join our Park Rangers for an overnight camping experience in the park. Go for a sunset hike with the sights and sounds of the seasonal night life in the park followed by a campfire under the moonlight. Bring your own tent, camping gear, and food (cooking on fire is allowed for this event). **Registration required.** Meet at Smith's Woods Park 39 East Railroad Avenue, Eastampton, NJ. Severe weather will cancel event and registrants will be notified.

Women's Nature Club Saturday, September 28, 2019 11:00 AM-12:00 PM.

Join other women who are passionate and enthusiastic about the environment and experience the natural world in exciting ways! Meet once a month to learn about wildlife topics, the natural history of our parks, and to get up close and personal with the flora and fauna in your area. This month's topic is on plants and pollinators. Come see which plants are significant to pollinators as the seasons start to change. Led by Naturalist Kate Forte. Register online.

October Dates to Remember. More information will be provided in our October newsletter for upcoming events, including our annual Skating Party (Oct. 10th) and our Hayride/Bonfire/Trunk or Treat (Oct. 25th).