

Leetsdale Newsbytes

Mary Adkins, Editor

NEED HELP? CONTACT 2-1-1

Help starts here. 2-1-1 is an easy to remember number that helps people cut through what can be a confusing and overwhelming maze of information and resources.

Whether a person is seeking essential services or looking for volunteer opportunities in his or her community, 211 is there 24 hours a day, seven days a week via phone, text, and chat.



Get help with:

- * Housing
- * Bills
- * Food
- * Healthcare
- * Clothing
- * Transportation
- * Income & Employment
- * Education & Training
- * Mental Health
- * Substance Abuse
- * Children & Families
- * Legal Assistance
- * Older Adults/Disability Resources
- * Information Services
- * Public Safety
- * Military/Veteran

Among other critical needs.



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RETIRED AND SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

What is RSVP? The Retired and Senior Program is a national service program that supports senior volunteers all over the country.

If you are over the age of 55, then you qualify for this free program! If you are already a volunteer or looking for new volunteer opportunities, the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) can help support your volunteering activities.

There are many service opportunities right now.

Including: youth mentoring, elderly care, volunteer leadership, food security, veteran support, economic opportunity, environmental responsibility, and more!



Call 412-471-2114

or Visit us at:

www.pittsburghcares.org/RSVP

E-Tax Bill ...Go Green

You can receive your Allegheny County Real Estate Tax Bill more quickly and conveniently through e-mail. Save paper and stamps! Sign up now!

Visit Allegheny County website:

www.alleghenycounty.us/treasurer



Election Day Bake Sale

On behalf of the Fourth of July Committee, I would like to thank all the people who baked, cooked, bought, and donated their time to make the Election Day Bake Sale a huge success. We raised over \$600! Your generosity and community spirit are greatly appreciated.

Phyllis Belcastro

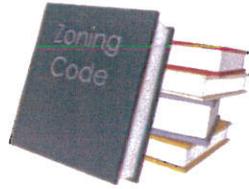


ZONING CERTIFICATE

Zoning certificates of compliance shall be required per Borough Ordinance No. 411 of 4-12-1972 section 300-23:

A. A zoning certificate shall be obtained before any person may:

1. Occupy or use any vacant land.
2. Occupy or use any structure hereafter constructed, reconstructed, moved altered or enlarged.
3. Change the use of a structure or land to a different use.
4. Change a nonconforming use.



B. Applications for a Zoning Certificate shall be accompanied by a plot plan showing clearly and completely the location, dimension and nature of any structure involved and such other information as the Zoning Officer may require for the administration of this chapter, together with a filing fee in accordance with the schedule annually affixed by resolution of the Borough.

BUILDING INSPECTOR, JOE LUFF

Open Burning Regulations

No material other than clean wood, propane or natural gas may be open burned EXCEPT for:

- ◇ Commercially available logs, paraffin logs, or wood pellets;
- ◇ Paper or commercial smokeless fire starters in order to start a fire;
- ◇ Charcoal for the preparation of food only.



Fires may be no larger than 3' wide by 3' long by 2' high.

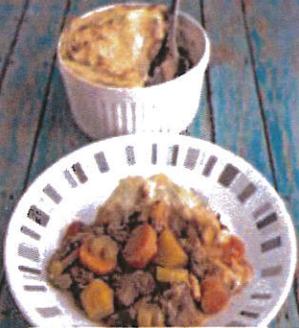
Fires must be at least 15 feet from the nearest neighbor's dwelling or inhabited area, including:

- ◇ Property line
- ◇ Roadway
- ◇ Sidewalk
- ◇ Public access area

Burning may be prohibited or reduced if it is considered a nuisance, based on the following criteria:

- ◇ The severity of the amount of pollutant's;
- ◇ The duration or frequency of open burning;
- ◇ Topography of the surroundings;
- ◇ The meteorological conditions.

Shepherd's Pie



Delicious topped with melted cheese. Enjoy!

REAL ENGLISH SHEPHERDS PIE!

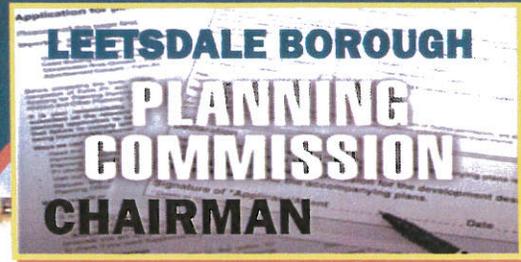
- 1 onion, diced
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 lb. lamb, minced
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1 large carrot, diced
- 1 beef stock cube
- 1 lb. chopped tomatoes
- 1 tablespoon corn flour
- 3 tablespoons tomato puree
- pinch of salt and pepper
- 2 lb. potatoes
- 1 stick butter

This is how to make a real English shepherds pie, made with lamb. If made with beef, it would be known as cottage pie.

Firstly, heat the olive oil in a pan, add the onion, garlic and carrot and cook until soft. Add minced lamb and stock cube, then cook until the mince is brown and shows a crumbly texture. Stir in the tomatoes and tomato puree, and add the corn flour. Leave to simmer, stirring occasionally, for about fifteen minutes, or until thickened.

Meanwhile, peel and chop potatoes and boil until soft, then mash them with the butter and salt and pepper to taste.

Put the filling into a deep dish, then top with the mashed potatoes and put under a warm grill (broiler) until the top is brown and crisp.



Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in.

Leetsdale
Pittsburgh



The Borough of Leetsdale would like to say a warm, "Thank you" to **Timothy J. Budacki** for serving faithfully on the Planning Commission for over 25 years! Tim was a member for 4 years, before becoming the Planning Commission Chairman in 1994.

We will miss you at Planning Commission meetings, but we thank you for your unwavering volunteerism for our Community.

If you need help paying your heating bills, or have a heating emergency...

Apply online at www.compass.state.pa.us
Applications are also available at your local county assistance office.

Statewide Toll-Free Hotline
1-866-857-7095

LIHEAP
May Be Able
To Help You



What is LIHEAP?

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps low-income families pay their heating bills. LIHEAP is a grant. You do not have to repay it.

To receive help...

- You don't have to be on public assistance
- You don't need to have an unpaid heating bill
- You can either rent or own your home

How does LIHEAP work?

LIHEAP offers both cash and crisis grants. Families may apply for:

Cash Grants

Cash Grants help families pay their heating bills. The one-time payment is sent directly to your utility company or fuel provider, and it will be credited on your bill. (in some cases, the check may be mailed on to you directly.) Cash grants range from \$200-\$1000, and are based on household size, income and fuel type.

Crisis Grants

Crisis grants may be available if you have an emergency situation and are in jeopardy of losing your heat. You can receive more than one Crisis grant, as necessary, during the season until the maximum benefit of \$500 is reached.

How do I apply?

- Apply online at: www.compass.state.pa.us
- Request an application by calling 1-800-857-7095 or TDD for the hearing impaired 1-800-451-5886
- Applications are available at your local CAO

To apply, you will need

- Names of people in your household
- Dates of birth for all household members
- Social Security Numbers for all household members
- Proof of income for all household members
- A recent heating bill

PET CORNER

Protect paws from salt

The salt and other chemicals used to melt snow and ice can irritate the pads of your pet's feet. Wipe all paws with a damp towel before your pet licks them and irritates his/her mouth.

Avoid antifreeze poisoning

Antifreeze is a deadly poison, but it has a sweet taste that may attract animals and children. Wipe up spills and keep antifreeze (and all household chemicals) out of reach. Coolants and antifreeze made with propylene glycol are less toxic to pets, wildlife and family.

Speak out if you see a pet left in the cold

If you encounter a pet left in the cold,

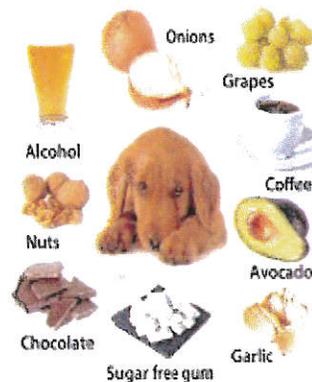
politely let the owner know you're concerned. If they don't respond well, document what you see: the date, time, exact location and type of animal, plus as many details as possible. Video and photographic documentation (even a cell phone photo) will help bolster your case. Then contact your local animal control agency or county sheriff's office and present your evidence. Take detailed notes regarding whom you speak with and when. Respectfully follow up in a few days if the situation has not been remedied.

Give your pets plenty of food and water

Pets who spend a lot of time outdoors need more food in the winter because keeping warm depletes energy. Routinely check your pet's water dish to make certain the water is fresh and unfrozen. Use plastic food and water bowls; when the temperature is low, your pet's tongue can stick and freeze to metal.



Common foods toxic to dogs





The Public Work's Department's office is located at 30 Ferry Street. Our primary functions include; the over-all maintenance of Borough Streets, Parks, Borough owned sidewalks, storm sewers, snow, leaf collection, solid waste removal, and recycling pick-up. If you would like to report a problem, please call us at 724-266-6069. Simply leave your name, address, telephone number, and location of problem, along with as much detailed information as possible.

WINTER REMINDERS:

- * Keep fire hydrants open around town in case of an emergency.
- * Shovel your driveways and sidewalks in the allotted time given.
- * Check on your elderly neighbors during the cold winter months, and remember to give them a hand by clearing snow, or picking up a few grocery items and/or prescriptions if needed.
- * Higher elevated areas in the Borough, can see much more snow accumulate than in the lowers areas, such as, Beaver and Broad Streets. If these areas need special attention, please call us for assistance so that we can address it.

Thanks, and have a safe winter, from the Public Works Department!

Street Commissioner, Doug Ford

Duquesne Light Offers Refrigerator Recycling Program

The current recycling program is the refrigerator and freezer recycling program offered by Duquesne Light Company in Pennsylvania. It's called Watt Choices. Here's how it works:

 You schedule a pick up date and time for the company to come out and get your old freezer or refrigerator. You can schedule it online through the company's website: wattchoices@duqlight.com or you can call 888-928-8539 to schedule a convenient pickup time.



 They come out and take away your inefficient old refrigerator or freezer. Most people use this service to have them haul away a second machine that is in the basement or garage just wasting electricity. Either way there is no fee to haul away the item. You save money right there on the cost of getting it hauled to the dump.- **You receive a rebate check of \$35. That's right, the program pays you \$35 for your participation in the recycling program.**

LEAF COLLECTION:

We will be picking up leaves throughout the winter months, well into the spring. (weather permitting)

LEAF MULCH:

Mulch is always available to residents and can be picked up at the Borough Garage.

Trash Collection



REGULAR GARBAGE PICKUP:

Regular garbage pickup is on Tuesday. Cans should be placed outside no earlier than 6:00PM (Monday night).

Please keep your area clean and not scattered all over, so that the Borough workers can pick it up in an orderly fashion.

Recycling Pickup Schedule



Beginning on February 2nd, the recycling day will be (every other) Thursday.

We ask that all residents recycle. Not only is it a good way to help reduce waste, but it also, improves our environment.



DUMPSTER PERMITS:

Waste Dumpster and Street Storage Permits can be obtained at the Borough Office or on the Borough Web.

www.leetsdaleboro.net

FEES: \$25.00 with a (\$50.00 deposit required)

T.V. COLLECTION:

Call:
Evolution E-Cycling
(412) 390-3450





Fire Officers

Fire Chief – Ernest Logan
 Asst. Chief – Jim Ivancik
 Captain – Marty Davis
 Lieutenant – Andy Plese

Executive Officers

President – Jim Ivancik
 Vice Pres. – Michael Scimio
 Secretary – Ernest Logan
 Treasurer – John Biteler

Welcome to the January 2017 Edition of the Leetsdale Borough Newsletter. By the time you read this, Christmas will be a memory and we will be well into the New Year! We hope that you all had a safe and Merry Christmas. And, let me wish you a Happy and Blessed New Year!

As we close the books on 2016 and begin a new chapter in the life of the Leetsdale Fire Department, there are a few things, I must mention. First, is my deepest and heartfelt appreciation for the service of our Volunteers. It takes quite a group of people to accomplish all that needs done throughout the year, in the life of your volunteer fire department. If you happen to see a member, please thank them for their service to the community.

There are a few ways that you can keep track of what is happening at the Leetsdale Fire Department.

-  You are always welcome to stop by, anytime you see someone at the fire station. They will be glad to show you around and answer any questions you may have.
-  Monday nights are our training and meeting nights. We are there every Monday at 7:00P.M. except for holidays. Again, you are welcome to join us!
-  You can follow us on Facebook. Search for LEETSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT
-  You can check us out on the web at www.leetsdalefire.org
-  And you can also see our page on the Leetsdale Borough Website at: www.leetsdaleboro.net

Change is a constant at the fire-house. We are always looking for better and safer ways of doing things. One of the biggest changes coming in 2017, is the purchase of a new squad truck. If you have been past the fire-house lately, you may have noticed the empty bay. We hope to fill that bay with a new vehicle towards the end of the year. We are currently meeting and discussing the design and function of this new vehicle.

As always, the Leetsdale Fire Department is looking for dedicated volunteers. Please also remember that there are lots of jobs to be done that don't involve firefighting. If you have a talent, we probably have a spot for you.

Throughout the year, the Leetsdale Fire Department holds fundraising events so that we can continue to serve our community. 2017 will be no exception. We ask you to support these events. Please watch social media or future newsletters for more information.

As it is winter, there is one last thing I would like to mention. If you have a fire hydrant on your property and you are able, please clear the fire hydrant of any accumulating snow. This will save us precious minutes should there be an emergency in your neighborhood. **Please contact me; with any questions, comments, or concerns you have.**



Ernest Logan

Fire Chief
 724-333-4759

LFDCHIEF@COMCAST.NET



On December 13th, John Tucci gifted the Borough this beautiful orchid, along with this lovely note! Thanks, for being so kind!

Kindness Pass It On.

A special gift for everyone, for the kindness, inspiration, and the great work all of you do for the Leetsdale Borough, and the community. May the compassion, grace, and the love of the Lord God be with you, your families, and all of your friends at this very special time of the year and all of the time.

Have a Wonderful Merry Christmas and Blessed Happy New Year!

*Best Wishes
John Tucci*

THE Garden Club OF LEETSDALE



Stay informed on our ...Leetsdale Garden Club Facebook page.

www.facebook.com/LeetsdaleGardenClub

Meetings:

held on the 3rd Thursday of each month in the Leetsdale Community Room at 7PM.

Happy New Year from the Leetsdale Garden Club. Our year came to a close with a holiday party celebration for family, friends, members, and especially for all of the many loyal borough and garden club supporters.

It's been a wonderful year of spreading beauty throughout the community and awarding a Quaker Valley Scholarship, Quaker Valley Life-skills Grant, and our very first donation to a summer youth program.

"Garden of the Month" was awarded to two homes in the Summer, as well as our "Christmas light-up" awards which were awarded to three homes in December.

September's Autumn Fest' came with rainy weather however, it was a great time! It was truly a fun experience for everyone, adults and children alike.

Watch for information on our first... "Little gardens

of Leetsdale" ...garden tour of homes in the surrounding areas of Leetsdale. If you would like to be included, please see the contact information listed below.

Susan Montgomery (724) 506-3625
Mary Kay Dschuhan (724) 266-3925

Join us this year, and get in on the fun! Our meetings resume in March, with lots of new exciting plans, speakers, and a community meeting.

Share your love of the earth and flowers. Join the Leetsdale garden Club!



Fern Hollow
Nature Center

Save the Date

June 2017 SUMMER CELEBRATION!

All Leetsdale Borough residents will receive free admission to this wonderful community event through our community partnership.



From My Porch...Leetsdale Council President, Wes James



The year of 2016 has been a busy one in Leetsdale for construction. Things are starting to finish up. The Washington Street paving project has been finished, receiving a “thumbs up” from residents at November's council meeting. The Broad Street gas line is completed but the water line replacement is ongoing as of this writing. It would be a safe bet that the resurfacing of the road will not happen until Springtime.

The end of the year, also means more work in the borough office as preparations for 2017 start. Council has been busy preparing the 2017 budget, finalizing a bond refinance and changing health care providers. The budget is very similar to the 2016 budget with only a few minor changes. The council has been setting aside some money each year as a capital reserve account for each department. For instance, the last police cruiser was purchased using the proceeds from the sale of an older car and capital reserve money, negating the need to take out a lease or a loan for the car. The borough also took advantage of some low interest rates to refinance our bond. The refinance will allow the yearly bond or loan payment to be reduced as well as allowing the borough to use the roughly \$275,000 in cash from the refinance to add to the road reconstruction fund. The thought process is to finish the last paving projects and alleviate the 2 mill road reconstruction tax sooner than later.

The other open issue in the last half of 2016 has been the out sourcing of our trash pick up here in the borough. The committee has recommended the continuation of in house trash collection by our road department. I would think that the issue will come up again in a few more years, when our rate contract for the land fill comes up for bid again. In the mean time, the committee will meet again to make sure, the trash that is left out on the curb, meets the guidelines of our borough ordinance.

I would like to wish all of the residents a great holiday season as 2016 rolls to an end and a great beginning to 2017!

A message from Borough Council..

The Leetsdale Borough Council is pleased to provide you with this Newsletter. It contains information which we hope will better acquaint you with your community and its services.

Borough Council

The Leetsdale Borough Council is comprised of seven members all of whom are elected to four year terms. Each even numbered year the Council is reorganized and a President and Vice-President are chosen by a majority vote of the members.

Mayor

The Mayor is elected for a four year term and has oversight responsibility of the Police Department. The Mayor does not vote on Council actions except in the case of tie votes but does not have veto power over Council decisions.

Public Works Department

The Public Works Department is supervised by a Chairman who is a member of Council and is appointed by the President of Council. He has the authority to appoint members of Council to his committee and call meetings of his committee as he deems necessary.

Public Safety Department

The Public Safety Department is supervised by a Chairman who is a member of Council and is appointed by the President of Council. In coordination with the Mayor he has oversight review of the

operation of the Police Department. He has oversight responsibility of the Fire Department and its members. He has authority to appoint members of Council to his committee and call meetings of his Committee as he deems necessary.

Police Department

The day to day operation of the Police Department is in charge of a Police Chief who is appointed by Borough Council.

Fire Department

Fire protection is provided by members of the department under the supervision of a Fire Chief who is appointed by Borough Council. He has the authority to appoint an Assistant Chief and Line officers of the Department.

Planning Commission

The planning Commission is a seven member entity appointed by Borough Council to four year terms. Their chief responsibility is to act as an advisor to the governing body on matters of community growth and development.

Zoning Hearing Board

The Zoning Hearing Board consist of three members appointed by Borough Council to three year terms. The primary purpose of the Board is to help assure fair and equitable application and administration of zoning officer's determinations and granting relief, in the form of a variance, from the literal enforcement of the ordinance in certain hardship situations.



**RECYCLE OFTEN.
RECYCLE RIGHT.**



Always recycle:



**Plastic Bottles
& Containers**



**Food & Beverage
Cans**



Paper



**Flattened Cardboard
& Paperboard**



**Food & Beverage
Cartons**



Glass Bottles and Jars

Do NOT include in your mixed recycling cart:



NO Food Waste
(Compost instead!)



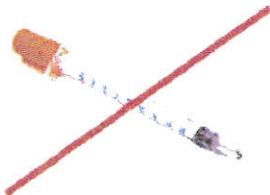
**NO Plastic Bags
& Film**

(Find a recycling site at plasticfilmrecycling.org.)



**NO Foam Cups
& Containers**

(Check Earth911.org for options.)



NO Needles

(Keep medical waste out of recycling. Place in safe disposal containers like Waste Management's MedWaste Tracker[®] box.)





Did you know that you can freeze bubbles? These temperatures are perfect for using that left over bubble mix from the summer. Go outside on any day when it's below 32 degrees F and try this: blow a bubble and then catch it on the bubble wand. Wait a few moments while it freezes- it will turn into a cool crystal ball before it shatters! So, give it a try!



Tired of the cold weather? Take a vacation on the hottest planet in the solar system - Venus. At over 800 degrees, it is hotter than Mercury because the clouds and abundant carbon dioxide hold in most of the heat received from the sun.

New Year's Trivia

Decode the messages for the answers.

CODE

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

What does the popular New Year's Eve song "Auld Lang Syne" mean?

20 9 13 5 19
7 15 14 5 2 25

Where did the tradition of using a baby to signify the new year originate?

1 14 3 9 5 14 20
7 18 5 5 3 5

Who is the mythical personification of time?

6 1 20 8 5 18
20 9 13 5

What is also known as the Lunar New Year?

3 8 9 14 5 19 5
14 5 23 25 5 1 18

Did you know?

Each finger has 3 bones.

The thumb has 2 bones.

[That is a total of 14 finger bones in one hand.]

There are 5 bones in the palm.

[That is a total of 19 finger bones in one hand.]

indoor scavenger hunt list



- 1. A blue rubberband
- 2. A plastic holiday decoration
- 3. A piece of cheese
- 4. A wheat penny
- 5. Something from the 1980's
- 6. A multi colored pen
- 7. Something inherited
- 8. Old homework that earned an "A+"
- 9. A bell
- 10. A heart cookie cutter
- 11. Something with a famous quote
- 12. A burnt sienna Crayola crayon
- 13. A winter hat
- 14. A sandal
- 15. A decorated pillowcase



THINK
...BEFORE YOU SPEAK

T...IS IT TRUE
H...IS IT HELPFUL
L...IS IT INSPIRING
N...IS IT NECESSARY
K...IS IT KIND

HAPPY
NEW
YEAR



Winter Scavenger Hunt

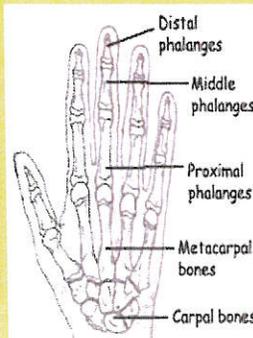


How many can you find?

©123kindergarten.com

There are 8 bones in the wrist.

So, in total, your hand and wrist has 27 bones.



Save A Snowball!

Now is the time to get ready for Carnegie Science Center's annual "Snowball Day" celebration of the Summer Solstice.

All visitors who make a snowball this winter, save it in their freezer, and bring it in on the first day of summer, Wednesday, June 21, will be able to choose what they pay for general admission.

In addition to naming their own price, visitors will be able to launch their snowballs into the Ohio River. (weather permitting).



LEETSDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Daniel P. Raible

Chief of Police

Pete Poninsky

Mayor

373 BEAVER STREET
LEETSDALE, PA 15056

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FAX 724-266-6319

A special message from the Chief of Police

It's January and winter is finally upon us. I hope that everyone had a Merry Christmas, and a Joyous New Year! With that said, remember to slow down and drive carefully when weather conditions are poor. It's also a good idea to make sure that your vehicle is in good operating condition, if you haven't done so already. It's no fun being stuck on the side of the road waiting for a tow truck. Play it safe! Prepare a survival pack in your vehicle consisting of a blanket, snacks, and water while waiting for help to arrive. Also, please remember that when the road department needs to salt and plow the roads you must leave enough room for them to get by safely. Please, do not double park outside your residence and avoid parking on bends and corners. If the Department of Public Works is unable to get by your vehicle safely, your road will not get cleared in a timely manner.



CLEARING YOUR SNOW...

Residents should NOT throw snow into the roadway when clearing their driveways and sidewalks. Although, you may believe it will melt faster or be cleared by the salt truck, it is against the law to deposit such matter onto the roadway. You actually cause more harm than good, because that will freeze an unexpected section of the roadway which could lead to a greater hazard or even worse an accident. You can and will be fined for doing this. And, its certainly no fun getting a ticket when you can avoid it.



NEW TRUCK INSPECTOR!

You may have noticed a new officer in the department. Officer Frank Huffman, comes to us with over 30 years of law enforcement experience and is working as our new truck inspector. Officer Huffman will be making sure that all traffic traveling through the Borough is in safe operating condition. **"Congratulations and Welcome to Leetsdale Officer Huffman!"**

Remember to contact 911 if you require police assistance or to report anything suspicious. Officer's are not always in the office to field calls. Please give as much information as possible to the dispatchers so that the responding officers are able to arrive prepared for whatever the situation is.

Lastly, I'd like to "Thank" everyone, for all the support that I had received in 2016.

While serving my first year as your Police Chief, I was overwhelmed by just how many residents reached out to say congratulations and to express just how wonderful the police service has been since taking over. **I can't thank you all enough for your support and admiration! "THANK YOU!"**

Thank
You

I, along with the officers of this department will strive to be the very best and to keep not only our residents safe, but all whom pass through the Borough at any given time.

I wish everyone a safe, prosperous, and Happy New Year for 2017!

Chief Raible



In our efforts to provide more reliable communications with Residents [and Businesses] in the borough, we utilize Swiftreach Networks, as our Emergency Notification service provider. Sign up for alerts on the Borough Website. www.leetsdaleboro.net



For your convenience a Med-Return box has been placed in the Borough building. Simply, stop by the office between the hours of 8:00 and 4:30 to dispose of your old, expired, or unwanted medications.



BOROUGH OF

LEETSDALE *Pennsylvania*

Leetsdale Borough Officials

MAYOR

Pete Poninsky, 724-624-4521

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Wesley James, *President*, 724-421-6822

Jeffery Weatherby, *Vice President*, 724-462-7845

Joseph McGurk, *Pro Tem*, 724-624-1887

Thomas Belcastro, 412-660-8556

Linda Michael, 412-400-8005

Michael Nobers, 724-462-3210

Lauren Jones, 724-312-2140

COUNCIL COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Finance/Budget-Wesley James

Public Safety/Police/Fire-Jeffery Weatherby

Public Works-Joseph McGurk

Recreation/Community-Lauren Jones

Admin/Pensions/Benefits-Michael Nobers

Planning/Zoning & Ord.-Thomas Belcastro

PLANNING COMMISSION

Timothy Budacki, *Chairman*

Henrietta Kretzler, *Secretary*

Judy Felicion

Gardner Moody

Wendy Shepard

Ernest Logan

Christopher Beichner

RECREATION BOARD

Ozzy Owad

Beth Carroll

Judy Fulton-McGurk

Phyllis Belcastro

ZONING

Deborah Henle

Thomas James

Sandra Ford

Kevin Daily

Planning a party?

Choose the Leetsdale Borough Community Room for your next gathering!

COMMUNITY ROOM

Resident \$75.00

Non-resident \$200.00

Alcohol Permit: Beer & Wine
(only) \$25.00

SECURITY DEPOSIT

Resident: \$150.00

Non-Resident: \$250.00

Meetings- only
(up to 4hrs.) \$40.00 per hour



HENLE PARK SHELTER

* Resident: \$50.00

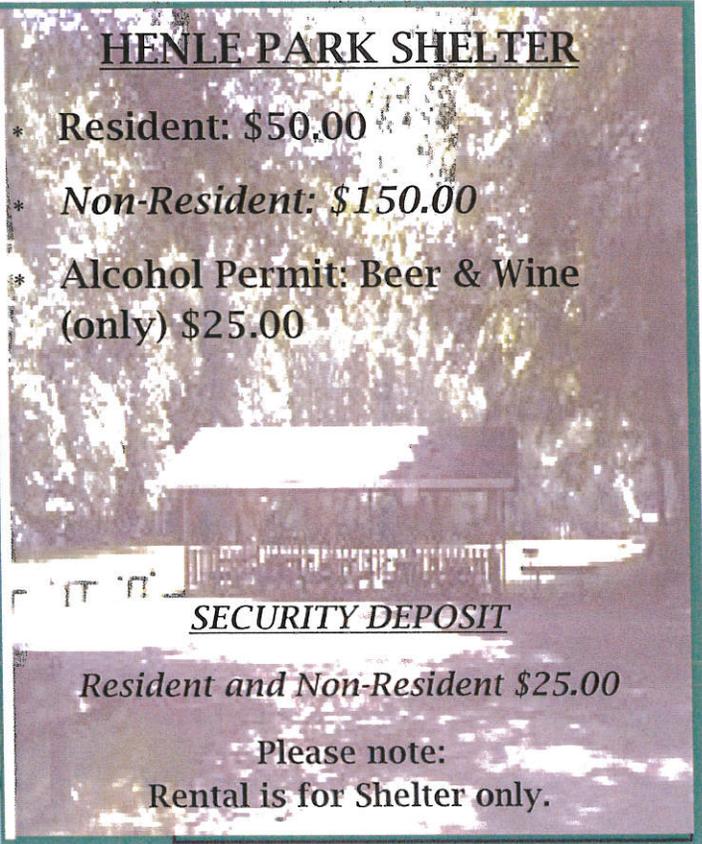
* Non-Resident: \$150.00

* Alcohol Permit: Beer & Wine
(only) \$25.00

SECURITY DEPOSIT

Resident and Non-Resident \$25.00

Please note:
Rental is for Shelter only.





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COUNCIL MEETINGS—7 p.m.

Regular Meetings—2nd Thursday of each month
Workshop Meetings—Tuesdays prior to Regular Meetings

All Council Meetings are open to the public.



Visit the Leetsdale Borough Website in between newsletters to see what's happening!

www.leetsdaleboro.net

**HAPPY GROUND-
HOGS DAY!**



Groundhog Day is a traditional holiday celebrated on February 2. According to folklore, if it is cloudy when a groundhog emerges from its burrow on this day, then the spring season will arrive early, some time before the vernal equinox; if it is sunny, the groundhog will supposedly see its shadow and retreat back into its den, and winter weather will persist for six more weeks.

When is Daylight Saving Time 2017?

Daylight Saving Time begins on **Sunday, March 12, at 2:00 A.M.**

Remember to “spring ahead” and set your clocks forward 1 hour (i.e., losing one hour). (We do this Saturday night when we go to bed.)



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