

# Watson town Borough Newsletter

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Issue 1 - 2015

This Newsletter has been prepared in an effort to keep our citizens informed of upcoming events and borough concerns. Your comments and articles are greatly appreciated. Please submit all items in writing by the 20th of each month. Borough Office hours 7am-4pm

### Committee Meeting

January 26, 2015  
@ 7:30 pm

### Council Meeting

February 2, 2015  
@ 7:30 pm

### BOROUGH OFFICIALS

David Hontz - Mayor  
Harriet Miller - President  
Ralph Young - Vice President  
Janet Rump  
William Marshall  
Dan Folk  
Harry Hefty

Borough Manager - Edie Moser  
Acting Chief of Police - Richard Faux  
Secretary/Treasurer - Brendi Brooke  
Asst. Sec./Treasurer - Lisa Davis  
Refuse - Bob Frey 570-412-6842  
EMA Director - David Hontz  
EMA Coordinator - Ken Hollenbach Jr.

### PLANNING COMMISSION

Chairman - Dr. Dale Chomas  
Max Foust II  
Warren Cook  
John Fairchild  
Ken Hollenbach, Jr.  
Thomas Hetherington

### ZONING HEARING BOARD

Chairman - Hal Crozier  
Connie Criswell  
Linda Daubert  
Bonnie Burrows  
Carlee Jarrett  
FIRE BOARD  
Tiffany Wertman  
Harry Hefty



As of January 1, 2015, the Borough will only accept payments for electric & refuse services at the Borough office. Payments may be made at the Borough office either at the front window during business hours, via regular mail or in the drop box.

Payments received after 4:00 PM on the due date will be considered late. Payments must be received by 4:00 PM at the Borough office on the due date. Payments will no longer be accepted at West Milton State Bank.

### Bob Frey Disposal

#### 2015 Holiday Schedule

There will be no garbage pick up on the following dates in 2015:

New Year's Day—  
Thursday, January 1st  
Memorial Day—  
Monday, May 25th  
Labor Day—  
Monday, September 7th  
Thanksgiving Day—  
Thursday, November 26th  
Christmas Day—  
Friday, December 25th

January 2015

**WABA MEETING**  
**Wednesday**  
**January 7, 2015**  
**Noon at**  
**Norman's Watson Inn**  
**Lunch is on your own.**

### WABA Congratulates Decorating Contest

#### Winners:

##### Electrical Display:

1st Place-406/408 Liberty Street -  
G. Jones & Carl Vognetz Jr.  
2nd Place -504 Liberty Street -  
Clinton Mettler  
3rd Place - 44 South Main Street -  
Gary Waite

##### Home:

1st Place- 317 Main Street -  
Todd Moyer  
2nd Place- 507/509 Elm Street -  
Charles & Vondell Barlett  
3rd Place- 206 E 9<sup>th</sup> Street -  
John & Barbara Pick

##### Door:

1st Place - 720 Main Street -  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Wigton  
2nd Place - 705 Main Street -  
Greg & Brenda Miller .  
3rd Place - 10 Tenth Street -  
Gene & Stephanie Kilgus

##### Commercial Display:

1st Place - Watson town Guild for  
corner of Main & Brimmer Ave.  
2nd Place - Buck's Plumbing's  
window display  
3rd Place - Rene's Barbershop's  
window display

Beginning January 5, 2015 the Borough crew will be picking up Christmas trees. Please place trees curbside, not on sidewalks & unfortunately we will not go onto private porches.



**MONTGOMERY HOUSE LIBRARY**  
 20 Church Street, PO Box 5  
 McEwensville, PA 17749  
 (570)-538-1381

**Knitters Group** - Monday, January 26 @ 6:00 PM and every fourth Monday.  
**Books for Babies** - Tuesday, January 13, 20, 27 @ 10:00 AM  
**Preschool Storytime** - Tuesday, January 13, 20, 27 @ 11:00 AM  
**Dominoes Club & Movie Matinee** - Every Wednesday @ 11:00 AM & 12:00PM.  
**Quilters Club** - Every Thursday @ 6:30 PM  
**0-K Read and Play** - Every Friday @ 11:00 AM  
**Gadget Help** - Every Saturday @ 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM  
**Books for Babies and Preschool Storytime** will resume on January 13th.

**Volunteers** - The Library is looking for volunteers to help with shelving books and other projects. You must be over 18 years old. If you are interested please contact Dorothy Wilson at 570 538 1381 or e-mail Dorothy at [dwilson@montgomeryhouselibrary.org](mailto:dwilson@montgomeryhouselibrary.org).

**Watson town United Methodist Church**

**Joseph's Closet** - Free clothing Give-Away - Saturday, January 31st

from 8:00 until 11:00 a.m. at 11 East Third Street. Shop for free!

**Shepherd's Kitchen** - Free lunch & great fellowship - 1319 8th St. Dr.

on Saturday, January 31st. Serving starts at 11:00 a.m. For info.

regarding either program, please call the church office at 570-538-1017.

**Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church**

10275 State Route 44

Turbotville, PA 17772

570-649-5822

[holyspirit@windstream.net](mailto:holyspirit@windstream.net)

This is the month we anticipate moving into our new Sanctuary!

**January 25th** should be the day we process in from the former space and into the new! Watch for details, as we await final inspections and all, but it looks good at this point!

Join us on **January 10<sup>th</sup>** for the Chicken and Waffle Dinner! Come out and join in your choice of a great meal. Meal time is from 4-6pm at Holy Spirit. \$8 adults, \$4 children. Your support is appreciated! Next month's meal will be on Valentine's Day, February 14, with a full Turkey Dinner planned!

Holy Spirit Soup Sale (Ham and Bean, Chicken Corn, and Vegetable Beef) is on for **January 31st**. Please order your soup by January 11 by seeing a church member or by calling 570-649-5822 before that day. Late orders will be put on a "wait-list" and filled as possible.

Our regular events for January include an Afternoon Communion Service at 1:30pm on **January 18<sup>th</sup>**. We gather at Holy Spirit for a spoken service of Word and Sacrament. **February 15<sup>th</sup>** is the date for next month.

Our OWLs weight loss group meets on Wednesday **January 7th** (and **February 4th**) at 6:30pm. Hopefully we'll see some good news that night, first time being on the scales since Christmas!

**Join us for worship on Sundays is at 9:15**  
**Remember you are always welcome at Holy Spirit.**

**Kingdom Kidz, Inc.**  
**Upcoming Events:**

Pupper Dinner Theaters on  
 January 11th, February 8th,  
 March 8th & April 12th  
 At the **First Baptist Church on Golf**  
**Course Road, Milton, PA**  
 12:30 pm lunch  
 1:15 pm program  
 Cost - Donation

Winter Fun with Puppets  
 On **January 24th**  
 At **11 East 3rd Street**  
 6-7 pm - learn to make a puppet  
 7-8 pm - Puppet presentation  
 Cost - Donation

On **January 25th**  
 At **11 East 3rd Street**  
 3-4 pm - make a winter snack  
 4-5 pm - Puppet Presentation  
 Cost—Donation

Wee Ones Childcare & Preschool is now enrolling children of all ages! Wee Ones is a new facility located just outside of Dewart in the Delaware Grange Building, 2665 Springtown Road, Watson town. Call us today for more info. at 570-538-5274 & check us out on the web at [www.weeonesccp.com](http://www.weeonesccp.com).

**Watson town First**  
**Presbyterian Church**  
**Family Game Night -**  
**January 11th from 5:00 - 7:00 pm**

You are invited to a Family Game Night at the Watson town First Presbyterian Church. Don't miss a fun night! Enjoy a light meal, and then the games begin. We will be serving hot dogs, chips, pretzels, brownies, ice cream, and drink. Please bring your favorite board game with you. Invite friends. Lets make it a fun night for everyone.