

# Watson town Borough Newsletter

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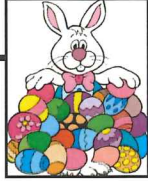
**Issue 4 - APRIL 2019**  
**BOROUGH OFFICE HOURS:**  
 Mon. -Thurs. 7 am - 5 pm  
 & Friday 7 am - 4 pm


**Council Meeting**  
 April 8, 2019 @ 7pm  
**Committee Workshop**  
 April 22, 2019 @ 7 pm  
 These meetings are held at  
 the Borough Building  
 in Council Chambers.

**Watson town Borough Residents  
 2019 Spring Clean-up**  
 The entire town will be covered for 3 Days Only!  
 Monday, April 22th, Tuesday, April 23rd,  
 & Wednesday, April 24th. See the Borough's website  
 for more information & clean-up details.

**Be sure to report power  
 outages! During non-  
 business hours please  
 call 570-742-8772.**  
**If no answer,  
 CALL 911 !!!**

**Bob Frey Disposal**  
 570-412-6842



 The 4<sup>th</sup> of July Committee  
 will meet on May 2nd at  
 7:30 p.m. in the Watson  
 Inn Dining Room. We  
 need volunteers to make  
 the event happen. We look forward  
 to seeing you at the meeting!

The 4th Annual Kevin Johnson  
 Memorial Community Easter Egg Hunt  
 Presented by the Watson town Lions  
 Club, Family & Friends of the late Kevin  
 Johnson on Saturday April 13th -  
 Bad weather date -on Saturday,  
 April 20th at Watson town Community  
 Park at 1:00 pm. Ages: 0-12

**BRUSH PICK-UP:**  
 As a service to our  
 residents, Borough  
 Council has added a  
 spring Brush Pickup on **April 9<sup>th</sup>**.  
 This is a great opportunity to get  
 your yards cleaned up after the  
 long winter. Bagged leaves along  
 with tree trimmings & other yard  
 waste should be curb side before  
**7:00 AM** that morning. Please  
 remember that we cannot pick up  
 grass clippings, flower trimmings,  
 or branches larger than 3" in  
 diameter or 6' in length. If you  
 have questions please feel free  
 to call the Borough office.



**The Watson town Historical  
 Association will be open on  
 Sunday, April 21st from  
 1 to 4 pm.**




*The next WABA Meeting  
 will be held on May 2nd at  
 noon in the conference  
 room at First National Bank.  
 Pizza will be ordered.*

 Scavenger Hunt to benefit Patriot  
 K9 Rescue, Inc. Noon to 4 pm  
 hosted at the Watson Inn. Chinese  
 Auction/Raffle Tickets/Door  
 Prizes— Pre-register by April 8th at  
 patriotk9rescue.com. For a FREE EVENT  
 T-SHIRT & Bonus Door Prize Tickets!  
 Call 570-939-0338 or email  
 patriotk9rescue@gmail.com for more info.

**Norman Easley, Tax  
 Collector**  
 196 East 1st St.  
 Watson town  
 570-412-4194  
 norm@ptd.net

Tax collection will take  
 place in **Council Chambers**  
**at the Borough Office.**  
 Please note, all payments should  
 be check or money order, no cash.  
 Arrangements can be made for  
 anyone needing special  
 accommodations by calling the  
 phone number above.  
**April** Tuesday: 10 am to Noon  
 & 5:00 to 8:00 pm  
 Thursday 4:00 to 8:00 pm  
**May & June** Thursday  
 4:00 to 8:00 pm  
**July thru December**  
 Mail only. For a receipt: send a  
 self-addressed stamped envelope  
 with your tax bill & payment.

 A ribbon cutting ceremony will  
 be held to dedicate the new  
 walking track & recreation area  
 in the memory of former Councilman  
 William "Jack" Marshall on Saturday,  
 May 4th at 10:00 am. Watch Facebook  
 for upcoming details.

**Warrior Run Woman's Club  
 Annual Bike Hike**  
 Sunday, April 28, 2019  
 Rain date, Sunday, May 5, 2019  
 1 pm to 4 pm  
 Watson town /McEwensville Road



**Warrior Run Area Fire Department  
 Gun Raffle**  
 Saturday, April 27, 2019  
 Doors open at 2 pm  
 Drawings start at 4 pm  
 Donation \$25 per ticket  
 (ticket cost includes Chicken BBQ)  
**See members for tickets & more info.**



**BOROUGH OFFICIALS**  
 President - Greg Miller  
 Vice President - Ken Hollenbach Jr.  
 Harry Hefty  
 Dan Folk  
 Todd Moyer  
 Fred Merrill  
 Mayor - Russ McClintock  
 Chief of Police - Rodney Witherite  
 Borough Manager - Jay Jarrett  
 Public Works Foreman - Brent Frey  
 Secretary/Treasurer - Brendi Brooke  
 Asst. Sec./Treasurer - Lisa Davis  
 EMA Coordinator-Ken Hollenbach Jr.  
**PLANNING COMMISSION**  
 Thomas Hetherington  
 Chris Myers  
 Jillian Yevics  
 Chuck Clemens  
 Harry Hefty  
 Dale Thomas  
**ZONING HEARING BOARD**  
 Chairman - Hal Crozier  
 Connie Criswell  
 Linda Daubert  
 Carlee Jarrett  
 Erica Frey  
**FIRE BOARD**  
 Russ McClintock  
 Greg Miller





**Watsonstown United  
Methodist Church**  
1319 8th St. Drive  
Watsonstown, PA 17777

**April 12 @ 7pm** Special Needs Dance

**April 14 @ 2pm** Easter Egg Hunt

**April 14 @ 8pm** After Dark Easter Egg  
Hunt for HS students

**April 7 & 21** 2-4pm ~High School Youth  
Group every Sunday 6-7:30 pm for  
4th-8th Grade Youth Group

**April 19 @ 3pm** Carrying of the Cross  
~ We will start at the First Presbyterian  
church immediately following the  
Community Good Friday Services &  
walk to the 8th St. Park.

**Kids' Café**

Get ready, here we come! 2019 Kids' Café organization is underway. The new contact person is Ruth Ann Mowery~ 570-649-5900. Any churches, businesses, organizations and/or individuals interested in helping in any way, please call. Pastor Ryan Krauss will help make sure you get all required clearances. The dates serving free lunches in the park to children up to age 18 will be Monday, June 10, through Wednesday, August 21. Thank you to everyone that has helped make Kids' Café a success over the past 6 years.

May our 7<sup>th</sup> year flourish.  
Kids' Café Staff



**Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
10275 State Rte 44, Watsonstown  
570-649-5822  
[holyspirit@windstream.net](mailto:holyspirit@windstream.net)

Maunder Thursday service will be held on April 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Trinity United Church of Christ in Watsonstown and Good Friday service is at Holy Spirit on April 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm. We celebrate the resurrection of our Lord on Easter Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> with a sunrise service at 6:30am followed by a breakfast, then the regular 9:15 service. Come early and stay for breakfast or come around 8:00 for breakfast and worship with us at 9:00.

April 13<sup>th</sup> we'll have a Filled Pork Chop Dinner with mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, dessert and beverage - 4-6pm, \$9 adults - children \$5. We're handicapped accessible and take-outs are available.

Holy Spirit will have their annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> at 11am. All are welcome.

The Youth Group has big plans for worship on the first Sunday after Easter, April 28<sup>th</sup>. Join us for the first **Holy Humor Sunday!** The youth will be re instituting an old church custom from many, many years ago. Curious???? Please come and see for yourself and share this event with our youth. Bring your smiles and laughter!

Join us for worship any Sunday at 9:00 followed by a time of fellowship.

Yoga with Sue  
At United Methodist Church  
1319 8th Street Drive,  
Watsonstown  
**Monday** Nights at 6 pm  
**Thursday** mornings at 9 am &  
Chair yoga at 10 am  
Come join us !!!  
Donation taken for the church.

**MONTGOMERY HOUSE  
LIBRARY**  
Warrior Run Area  
Public Library  
20 Church Street, PO Box 5  
McEwensville, PA 17749  
570-538-1381

**Monday evenings:**

- 1st—games—6 pm
- 2nd— Book Club—7 pm
- 3rd—Card Making—6 pm
- 4th—Knitting Circle—6 pm

**Tuesdays:**

- 11 am—Books for Babies
- 12 pm—PreK Read & Play
- 6 pm—PreK Make & Take

**Thursdays:**

- 6 pm—Quilting

**Fridays:**

- 11 am-1 pm PreK Make & Take

**Saturdays:**

- 12 pm—2 pm—Gadget Help

**Kingdom Kidz, Inc.**  
11 E Third Street,  
Watsonstown, PA 17777  
570-838-3133

[www.hiskingdomkidz.com](http://www.hiskingdomkidz.com)



**Upcoming events:**

**Sunday, April 1 - 11** – Ham & Cheese Sandwich Sale Deadline for ordering is April 11 at 2 pm. Will be made on Sunday April 14.

**Thursday, April 12** – Kidz of the Kingdom Day School 10:30 am

**Saturday, April 13** – White Deer Valley Baptist Church, 572 Baptist Church Road Allenwood Pa 17810 10:00 am Community Event

**Sunday, April 14** - Puppet Dinner Theater, Home Cooked Meal at 12:30 pm, with Puppet Presentation at 1:15 pm.

**Monday, April 15** - Elmcroft of Berwick at 10:30 am, The Providence Place in Drums Pa at 2:30 pm, The Laurel's Sr. Living in Hazleton at 6:00 pm

**Tuesday, April 16** – Fritzingertown Sr. Living Comm. In Drums Pa at 10:30am, Providence Place in Pottsville Pa at 2:00 pm, Hometown Nursing & Rehab. in Tamaqu at 6:00 pm

**Wednesday, April 17** – Watsonstown Nursing & Rehab. at 10:15 am.

**Tuesday, April 23** – Danville State Hospital at 7:00 pm.

**Quality Family Programming**

Scratch Off Lottery BINGO presented by The Warrior Run Cheer Parents Assoc. on Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at D&S Event Center in Milton—\$20 in advance—\$25 at door. Call Tracy at 570-490-2365 or contact any WR cheerleader.

Wee Ones Childcare & preschool is now enrolling children of all ages! Call us today for more info. at 570-538-5274, check us out on Facebook or email us at [weeonesccp@gmail.com](mailto:weeonesccp@gmail.com).

The popular East Egg Project by the Women's Fellowship of Trinity United Church of Christ is under way for 2019. Peanut butter eggs in milk or dark chocolate & coconut crème eggs in dark chocolate are available from 10 am to 2 pm daily for walk-in sales. The eggs again cost \$10 per dozen and \$5 per 1/2 dozen. Evening hours from 5-7 pm Wednesdays through Fridays starting April 3rd. Trinity UCC is at the corner of 6th & Main Streets; use the 6th Street entrance. Call 570-847-2551 for questions or advance orders.



The Watsonstown Guild is hosting a bus trip to the Dutch Apple Dinner Theater in Lancaster, Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup> for the matinee performance of "Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" Adults \$85, kids 18 & under \$55, leaving Lingle's river parking lot at 8 am, returning at 6:15 pm. The fee includes bus transportation, buffet dinner & the show. For additional information or to reserve your seats, please call Robbie Ravert at 570-538-2155.