

Watsonstown Borough Newsletter

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HELLO
February

Issue 2—February 2022
BOROUGH OFFICE HOURS:
Mon. -Thurs. 7 am - 5 pm
& Friday 7 am - 4 pm

Council Meeting
February 14th @ 7:00 pm
Planning Commission Meeting
February 21st @ 7:00 pm
Committee Workshop
February 28th @ 7:00 pm
These meetings will be held in Council Chambers unless otherwise noted.

Norman Eisley, Tax Collector
196 East 1st Street
Watsonstown, PA 17777
570-412-4194
Tax collection will take place
at the Borough Bldg.
March 1st—April 30th
Tuesdays 10 am—noon
& 4 pm to 7:30 pm
Thursdays 4 pm—7:30 pm
Check or money order only.



**Wee Ones Childcare
& Preschool**
570-538-5274
weeonesccp@gmail.com

BOROUGH OFFICIALS

Greg Miller
Dan Folk
Todd Moyer
Fred Merrill
Ralph Young
Dennis Confer
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

PLANNING COMMISSION

Mark Stankiewicz—Chair
Jillian Yevics—Vice Chair
Rick Wolfe
Tim Haluck
Dale Chomas
Sarah Hanna

ZONING HEARING BOARD

Hal Crozier—Chair
Connie Criswell

Linda Daubert
Carlee Jarrett
Wayne Greiner
FIRE BOARD
Russ McClintock
Greg Miller



Watsonstown Historical Association Capital Fund Drive

It is our goal to preserve the history of Watsonstown and make it available for future generations to enjoy. Your monetary donation will give us the needed funds to help in preserving the past as we continue to grow our organization and aid in preparation of moving to our future home, the former Santander Bank Building. To donate you may do so by mailing a check to: Watsonstown Historical Association, Building Fund, P. O. Box 4, Watsonstown PA 17777 or participate in Raise the Region on March 9th & 10th 2022.
www.raisetheregion.org

Montgomery House Library
20 Church Street
McEwensville, PA 17749
570-538-1381

Valentine's Day Raffle
Get tickets at the library or online for your chance to win a jewelry gift set, an Olive Garden gift card & a box of chocolates.



Warrior Run Area Fire Department
Social Hall Rental
188 White Deer Avenue
Allenwood, PA 17810

Events - Weddings - Banquets - Meetings

Call Eddie or Melissa at
845-235-7190
Or email us-
WRAFDHALLRENTAL@gmail.com

GREAT NEWS!!!
Trinity United Church of Christ,
602 Main Street will be making
Easter eggs during Lent.
Watch for the sign !!

The Watsonstown Historical Association will be open on Sunday, February 20th from 1-4 pm.



**Electric Meter
Reading Day**
Thursday, February 17th

Reminder: Snow & ice must be cleaned from sidewalks within 24 hours of winter storms. We appreciate everyone's cooperation in keeping Watsonstown safe. Make sure to shovel fire hydrants keeping them clear for the fire department. Also, keep gates to your property accessible in case of an emergency.

Bob Frey Disposal
570-419-2162

(make note of new phone number)
**Effective rate starting in
February 2022 = \$14.50**

**Don't forget your extra bag
stickers which are available at
the Borough Office.**

**Stay tuned for
upcoming WABA events
like Chalk the Walk,
Movies in the Park &
Music at the River/
Canal Boat.**

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



Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church
10275 PA-44, Watsonstown, PA
Worship at 9:00 am 570-649-5822
hselecurbotville@gmail.com



During the month of February, we celebrate the Transfiguration of Our Lord on February 27th with Holy Communion. Ash Wednesday follows on March 2nd.

Next month you are welcome to join us on Wednesday, March 9, 16, 23, and 30 at 6pm for a Lenten Bible study on the book of Ruth.

We are resuming our monthly meals in February starting with a full course turkey dinner.

Date: February 19, 2022 **Time:** 4-6 P.M.

Where: Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, RT 44 between Turbotville and McEwensville 570-649-5822

Menu: Turkey and filling, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, beverage & dessert!

Donation: Adults - \$10.00, Children - \$5.00, DINE IN & take outs are available.

We will be making chocolate covered pretzels for Easter starting next month. Check out our Facebook page for details.



First Presbyterian Church
401 Main Street, Watsonstown
www.Watsonstownpresby.org
[www.facebook.com/pages/Presbyterian Church First/116034815090914/](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Presbyterian-Church-First/116034815090914/)

We would like to welcome all to join us for worship Sundays at 10:30 a. m. We are a small church with a big heart for God. Our Sunday School meets at 9:30 am in the Wagner Lounge. We are doing the video series, "The Life You Always Wanted," by John Ortberg. We welcome our regular pastors to our pulpit while we search for our new pastor; Pastor Bryan Holmes, Rev. Sally Dries, Rev. Bob Andrews, & Rev. Jim Ritter. Rev. Ritter is doing a series of sermons on questions & answers where the congregation gives him questions a week before he preaches and he will answer the questions. Jim preaches the 4th Sunday of each month. This is your opportunity to get your spiritual questions answered. Check out our website for more information on the speakers.

Crazy Bingo Second Sunday each month; 2:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall Bring a white elephant gift.
Don't miss out on the fun.

The Watsonstown Guild is the oldest continuing organization in Watsonstown, its mission being to support our students, families, and residents of our area. Membership is open to women of all ages in the Warrior Run School District, and meetings are held the third Monday of each month from September through April at First Presbyterian Church, 4th and Main Streets, Watsonstown.



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



Every Day – We have a clothing and shoes **ONLY** bin at the puppet home as a Fundraiser. It is a Hand Up bin. It is located behind the puppet home at the back alley.

Miss Curly's Right Hand Club – Fundraiser for a monthly subscription of \$15 or more to help pay for our monthly utilities and insurances. Go to: <https://hiskingdomkidz.networkforgood.com/projects/150483-2022-giving>

Amazon Smile - If you use Amazon Smile, you can help us while shopping. Go to Smile.Amazon.com click on Kingdom Kidz and we will receive a donation from Amazon Smile. No extra monies taken from you.

Saturday, February 12, 2022 – Valentine Puppet Presentation at 1pm. Admission is \$3.00. Free Kingdom Kidz DVD to the first 20 children.

Saturday, February 19, 2022 – Movie Matinee "Dolphin Tale" at 2 pm at the Puppet Home, 11 E 3rd St. Watsonstown. Doors will open at 1:30. Parking Available at Cronrath Grenoble Funeral Home Parking Lot. Popcorn will be served. FREE Choice of \$5 McDonalds gift certificate, Kingdom Kidz DVD, or Kingdom Kidz gift Certificate for puppet home activities to the first 20 children.

Saturday February 19, 2022 – SOUP SALE, Chicken Corn, Veg. Beef. \$7.50 a Quart. Pick-Up Only at the puppet home, 11 E 3rd St. Watsonstown from 3 – 5 pm. Call to order by February 12, 2022, at 570 838 3133.

Sunday, February 27, 2022 – Montandon Baptist Church, Morning Service at 10:30 am. Open to the Community. Address 257 Main Street, Montandon.

Kingdom Kidz is looking for volunteers who are willing to assist with the sound, lighting and media aspects of our programs. We will train. Clearances are a requirement.

MUST HAVE A HEART TO SERVE & MINISTER TO OTHERS

Quality Family Programming

www.hiskingdomkidz.org

e-mail: puppets@hiskingdomkidz.org

Follow us on Facebook 570-838-3133

The Watsonstown Guild is hosting a bus trip to Dutch Apple Dinner Theater on Saturday, March 12th, to see the musical, "Singing in the Rain", and enjoy Pennsylvania Dutch hospitality. The cost is \$100.00 per person which includes bus transportation, entrance to the buffet dinner, and the Broadway-quality show. (Price is increased due to the recent cost of fuel and venue fees.) For more information or to reserve your seat, please call 570-538-2155 or email at lranc53@gmail.com. For important Covid 19 safety measures concerning the bus and the venue, please see their websites at www.benedictsbus.com and www.dutchapple.com.

Watsonstown Baptist Church
FREE Community Meal-
Wednesday,
February 9th
Serving baked spaghetti, roll and dessert at 6 pm. Dine in or take out.

Sue's Yoga
St. John's Methodist Church at 49 River Road, Dewart
Classes:
Floor Yoga
Monday @ 6 pm & Thursday @ 9 am
Chair Yoga
Tuesday & Thursday @ 10:15 am
Donations accepted. Questions call Sue at 570-660-9036.