

# Watson town Borough Newsletter

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**Issue 7—July 2021**  
**BOROUGH OFFICE HOURS:**  
Mon. -Thurs. 7 am - 5 pm  
& Friday 7 am - 4 pm

**Council Meeting**  
**July 12th is cancelled.**  
**Planning Commission Meeting**  
**July 19th @ 7:00 pm**  
**Committee Workshop**  
**July 26th @ 7:00 pm**

Since Covid restrictions on public gatherings have eased up, Borough Council has decided to return to meeting in-person in Council Chambers.

The Watson town Historical Association announces the sale of a Butter Pot with Lid. The cost of the Butter Pot is \$30.00. Limited quantities will be available. (Expected delivery will be mid-fall.) To place an order, contact Diana Johnson at 570-538-1939 or by emailing [djnova@windstream.net](mailto:djnova@windstream.net).

## Watson town First Friday Street Fair

Please join us on 1st Street alongside the Watson Inn on **Friday, August 6th** from 5-8 pm. The Inn will have live music & will be serving food & drinks. Vendors may reserve their spot to set up on 1st Street by calling Karen Bottorf at 570-538-1667 by July 30th.



WABA's Annual Membership Picnic  
August 5th at  
Watson town Park at 6 pm.



WABA will provide the meat & everyone is asked to bring a covered dish.

## **WABA's Music in the Park at the Canal Boat series:**

**July 21** - TL & KJ 6-8 pm  
**August 18** - Country Express 6-8pm

Food Stand will be available for a light dinner!

Summer 2021  
Kids' Café  
Meal Program  
Watson town Park

Starting July 5th—We are no longer serving curbside! We are a serving a free traditional lunch every day for ALL Children ages 18 & younger!!!  
No registration required.

Watson town Historical Association will be open 1 to 4pm on July 18<sup>th</sup>. WHA will be celebrating it's 5<sup>th</sup> year anniversary in August. In celebration of this milestone, WHA is offering reduced memberships thru August 31st. Adult Memberships are \$10, Student ( both High school & College) will be Free & Household memberships are \$20. WHA will also be having an **FREE** Ice Cream Social on Sunday, August 22nd from 6-8 pm at the Canal Boat Pavilion. Bring a lawn chair.

**BRUSH PICK-UP**  
**Tuesday, July 13th**  
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.



T-shirts are for sale at the Borough Office and the Police Station to support our Police K9 Project. All shirt sizes are \$15. All proceeds directly benefit the Police K9 Project which is funded by donations & fundraisers.

Don't know what to do with your used eye glasses?

The Watson town Centennial Lioness /Lions Club now has a basket at the Watson town Borough Office. Please put them to good use & donate your used eye glasses today!



**Norman Eisley,**  
**Tax Collector**  
**196 East 1st Street**  
**Watson town**  
**570-412-4194**  
**[norm@ptd.net](mailto:norm@ptd.net)**  
**Mail payments only!**

For a receipt: send a self-addressed stamped envelope with your tax bill & payment.



## **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**

Jillian Yevics—Chair  
Rick Wolfe  
Harry Hefty  
Dale Chomas  
Sarah Hanna

## **ZONING HEARING BOARD**

Hal Crozier—Chair  
Connie Criswell  
Linda Daubert  
Carlee Jarrett  
Wayne Greiner  
**FIRE BOARD**  
Russ McClintock  
Greg Miller



**Yoga with Sue**  
**Monday** 6:00pm Floor Flow Yoga  
**Tuesday** 10:15am Chair Yoga  
**Thursday** 9:00am Floor Flow Yoga  
 10:15am Chair Yoga  
**Watsonstown United Methodist Church**  
**1319 8th Street Drive**

**Watsonstown United Methodist Church, 1319 8th Street Drive, Watsonstown,**

**Vacation Bible School**  
**July 11th—15th, 2021**  
**6-8:30 pm**  
**Ages 3-17**  
**This is a FREE event!**

**Watsonstown United Methodist Church Shepherd's Kitchen (free community meal)**  
**570-538-1017**

Saturday, June 31st from 11:30-12:30 pm. **Drive thru front of main entrance**, one meal/person—must be present to receive meal. Masks are encouraged.



**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).

**Rocky Railway**  
 "Jesus' power pulls us through"  
 Vacation Bible School  
 Watsonstown Alliance Church  
 1165 8th Street Drive

August 9th—12th  
 6—8 pm  
 Ages 4 thru 5th grade

Join us for fun on the Rocky Railway!



**Jeremiah's Closet** - open the 4th Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Located at JMeg Ministries on the lower level of Watsonstown Baptist Church, 501 Main St., Watsonstown. Providing clothing and other household items to those in need. Visit [www.jmegministries.com](http://www.jmegministries.com) for more details.

**Kingdom Kidz, Inc.**  
**11 E Third Street,**  
**Watsonstown, PA 17777**  
**570-838-3133 [www.hiskingdomkidz.com](http://www.hiskingdomkidz.com)**



**COME JOIN US AT THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:**

**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/119681-2021-giving>

**Virtual Programming** – Kingdom Kidz is currently doing most of our programs virtually on Facebook each night at 7 pm. Join in and see what new adventures God is sending us on.

**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, July 3, 2021** – 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade Watsonstown

**Saturday, July 17, 2021** – Delaware Run Wesleyan Church VBS Closing, 6:30 pm.

**Monday – Thursday, July 19 -22, 2021** – Mifflinburg Church of New Life VBS. Rocky Railway 6 – 8 pm

**Saturday, July 31, 2021** – Break the Chains Festival in Port Allegany, PA. 2 programs

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 AND MINISTER TO OTHERS**

**Quality Family Programming**

[www.hiskingdomkidz.org](http://www.hiskingdomkidz.org) e-mail: [puppets@hiskingdomkidz.org](mailto:puppets@hiskingdomkidz.org)

Follow us on Facebook 570-838-3133



**Watsonstown Baptist Church 570-538-2512**

Email: [watsonstownbaptists@gmail.com](mailto:watsonstownbaptists@gmail.com)

Join us Sundays at 10:10am in person at 501 Main Street or via Facebook Live. Mid-Week Devotionals are also available on our Facebook Page.

**Come see what exciting things are happening at WBC !!!**

**JMeg Ministries of Watsonstown**, presents the **Inaugural Redeemed Music Festival**. Friday August 20th to be held at Grace Baptist Church in Muncy. This free event features activities for kids, food vendors, craft vendors, community & ministry resources, local musicians, speakers, and headline artists Tasha Layton, and NewSong! Come on out and support this local organization. Visit [www.jmegministries.com](http://www.jmegministries.com) for more details.



**First Presbyterian Church**  
 401 Main Street, Watsonstown  
[www.Watsonstownpresby.org](http://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.

**Our Speakers:**

**July 11 -Sally Dries**  
**July 18 - Bob Andrews**  
**August 1 - Byan Holmes**  
**August 8 - Sally Dries**

**Crazy Bingo**

Second Sunday each month  
 6:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall  
 Bring White elephant gift

**Fall Bazaar**

November 13, 2021 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Anyone interested in participating please call 570-538-2557.

**Holy Spirit Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
 10275 State Route 44  
 Watsonstown, Pa 17777  
[holyspirit@windstream.net](mailto:holyspirit@windstream.net)  
 Phone: (570) 649-5822

July is a quiet month here at Holy Spirit.

Thanks to all who supported our stands at the Turbotville Carnival. It was so great to see many of our friends and neighbors for the first time in over a year. It was really a time of celebration. What a wonderful week!

The carnival committee did another outstanding job of coordinating this community event that helped many local organizations in their fundraising efforts. Many hands made another great carnival week!

Join us for worship at 9:00am on Sundays! NOTE We will be celebrating Holy Communion on Sunday, July 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, August 1<sup>st</sup>.

Remember, you are always welcome at Holy Spirit.

Valley Fest 2021 is a new outdoor festival held at the outdoor stage of Christ Wesleyan Church. Some of the best bands on radio are going to be there including Building 429, Aaron Cole, and The Young Escape. Local artists Freedom Calls, Holly Mestach, and The Michael Sweigard Band will be performing. Inflatables and food trucks will be available throughout the day so it will be entertaining for the whole family all day! The festival starts at 3:00pm. \$35 Cash Only, < 5 years old are free! [ValleyFestPA.com](http://ValleyFestPA.com) for more information.