



Summer



June, 2015

## **BOROUGH OF ROBESONIA** **“The Garden Spot of the Lebanon Valley”**

**Robesonia Borough Hall: 75 South Brooke Street Robesonia, PA 19551**

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**Website:** [www.robesoniaboro.org](http://www.robesoniaboro.org) Like us on Facebook!

**Office Hours:** Monday through Thursday 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Friday 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

**MAYOR:** Randy Gartner

### **2015 COUNCIL MEMBERS**

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(Simple zoning permits for sheds, fences, pools)

**ROBESONIA COMMUNITY LIBRARY – (610) 693-3264**

Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:30 AM to 8:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM and Saturday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM,

**EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR:** Mike Palm

**EMERGENCIES: 911**

**BERKS RADIO(Non-Emergency):** 610-655-4911

**Borough Council Meetings**

**1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the Month**

**7:30 PM at the Borough Hall**

*The officials of the Borough of Robesonia **WELCOME** all the new families that have chosen Robesonia as their place of residence. We hope you will support our Borough and use its many facilities.*

### **At the Borough Hall you can:**

Pay your sewer and trash bills, apply for building and zoning permits, pick up voter registration forms, Borough maps and dog license applications. The Borough issues one recycling container per property. We do not replace stolen or lost lids or wheels. **If you move from the property, the recycling container must remain there.** Trash pick-up is every Monday. Recycling pick-up is every Thursday. Large or bulk items may be contracted separately with Kreitzer Sanitation at 1-866-573-4893.



## THE MAYOR'S MUSINGS Mayor Randy Gartner

Robesonia Street Fair will be held Friday, June 26th and Saturday, June 27th. Friday night there will be a car show starting at 5pm with music by Mike Schwartz and the Skidmarks. Saturday night music by Laredo plus the Best Fireworks in Berks. Rides, games and food both nights. I know a lot of people have parties Saturday night and that's fine. But how about coming up Friday night and buy some food, play games or put your kids or grandkids on the rides to help with the costs. The fireworks cost \$8,000. The entertainment about \$1500 and the insurance is over \$2,000! All together it costs about \$13,000 to put this fair on.

Repaving our streets is becoming more expensive for several reasons. First, many of our streets have been repaved many times and we can no longer just pave over top of them. That means that we have to dig up the existing macadam before we can pave the street. Another thing that makes it more expensive is that whenever we repave a street, we also have to upgrade the handicapped ramps. The Americans with Disability Act was passed in 1992. The borough has installed handicapped ramps at nearly all of our intersections. But our wonderful Federal Government has changed the standards so every one of them has to be replaced even though most of them were put in less than 10 years ago. This is a waste of money and just one more unfunded mandate from the Federal Government that we have to pay for out of our pockets! It could cost up to \$20,000 to replace the ramp in a typical 4 way intersection. Lastly, the cost of petroleum products has risen steeply in the last 15 years.

At the same time Federal mandates require us to adopt a storm water ordinance and plan, get a state permit and implement that plan. In some states, they charge a storm water tax to help pay for all this. You may be required to install rain barrels or rain gardens to offset any impact a new shed or driveway may create in stormwater runoff. And, the law says, if we draw up a storm water plan

and a 3rd party ( think Sierra Club) or any environmental group with deep pockets that doesn't like our plan can sue us. We don't have enough money to fix our roads and do everything we need to do and now the liberals in our federal government are making us do all this other good crap and handing the bill to us! Remember that the next time you vote for president or other federal elected officials.

Thank you to all the volunteers in this community. If it wasn't for volunteers, we wouldn't have a fire company. We wouldn't have an Easter Egg Hunt. We wouldn't have a library or a street fair. So thank you to everyone who volunteers their time to the community.



NEWS FROM  
STREETS &  
HIGHWAYS



Summer is coming and the grass is really growing! Just a reminder...**please do not blow your debris into the streets!** It clogs the storm sewers and makes our job a lot more difficult!

## COMMUNITY YARD SALE

SATURDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>  
7AM to 3PM

Rain Date: Sunday, June 21<sup>ST</sup>

Contact Stephanie at  
[RobesoniaYardSale@hotmail.com](mailto:RobesoniaYardSale@hotmail.com) for details!  
**Dig those hidden treasures out of your attics and basements and set up a stand!**



**WESTERN BERKS  
REGIONAL POLICE  
NEWS  
Chief Bill Schlichter**

Summer is here and it's a great time to be outside with family and friends enjoying the longer days and warmer nights. We want you to enjoy summer safely but also stay safe and keep your family and pets safe too. Here are some tips for a safe summer!

**Fireworks: Beautiful fireworks can be very dangerous, read these facts!**

- Children under the age of 15 suffered 45% of all injuries from fireworks. 72% of these injuries are to males of all ages. These injuries include trauma to the eyes, fingers, and face.
- Firecrackers cause the greatest number of injuries, followed by bottle rockets and sparklers.
- Parents can be criminally responsible for child endangerment if they permit their children to use fireworks.

**Illegal Parties: Summer parties are fun, but there are guidelines and parties should be reported if you notice the following:**

- Parties occurring in a vacant or abandoned building
- Charging admission
- Sale of alcohol without a license
- Curfew violators
- Overcrowding
- Excessive noise
- Drinking on the Public Way
- Fights and other disturbances

**Our Pets: Remember your pets in this hot weather, or if you see a pet you think might be abused or not taking care of well enough, report it to us:**

- Responsible pet ownership starts with basic needs such as clean water, food and shelter.
- Keep your pet safe. Never leave your pet in a warm car. Temperatures can reach 140 degrees inside your car. Never leave your pet outside without proper shade and clean water.
- If you need your pet vaccinated, you can take your pet to your local veterinarian.

**Also .....**

- Secure your bicycles, homes and belonging.
- Keep a light on so you never come home to a dark home.
- Let the police department know while you are on vacation so we can help keep an eye out

on your property. (Forms are available at your borough office)

- Check on your elderly neighbors especially during the really hot days!

**Have a wonderful summer!!**



**Library  
Happenings**

**What's Happening at Your Library**

Summer Reading Program **Every Hero has a Story** begins on Mon. June 8th with Craft Night 6:30. Make your own Superhero costume.

Weekly programs beginning June 11 through Aug. 13 at 10:30. Meet some local heroes such as firemen, policemen, doctors, and historical heroes.

Monthly Teen, Lego, Craft, and Monte and Movie nights on Mondays at 6:30.

Two of a Kind Musical Entertainers on Mon. July 13 at 6:30 **Fun Family Night !**

End of Summer Reading Program **Superhero Party** on Thurs. Aug. 13 at 10:30. Come dressed as your favorite Superhero. Registration REQUIRED!!!

**CW Rotary Club**

**Meeting dates are 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday**

**7:30 AM**

**Red Plate Diner**

**2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday**

**12:15 PM**

**Ozgood's Neighborhood Grill & Bar**

**WOMEN'S CLUB OF  
WERNERSVILLE**

*Serving our surrounding communities*

We meet monthly from September thru May

Join us as we empower one another to

**Make a Difference!**

Contact Denise Bertolet for more information

(484)529-3781

Or Visit our Website at

[www.womensclubofwernersville.org](http://www.womensclubofwernersville.org)

Women's Club Fundraiser  
Kaufman's Chicken Bar-B-Q

Friday, May 29<sup>th</sup>

½ chicken & baked potato

\$8.00-pick up at Hoover Motors Lot  
3PM to 7PM



**CHURCH  
NEWS**  
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**Trinity Lutheran Church**

108 S. Robeson Street Robesonia, PA 19551  
610-693-6062

[www.trinityrobesonia.org](http://www.trinityrobesonia.org)

Rev. William H. Weiser, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Jennifer Dee, Associate Pastor

**Summer Worship Schedule begins May 24<sup>th</sup>:**

Saturday Worship at 5:00pm

Sunday Worship at 8:00am & 9:30am, No Sunday School

*Sundaes on Sunday* after the late worship service on June 28<sup>th</sup>, July 19<sup>th</sup>, and August 16<sup>th</sup>! Yum!! ☺

**Trinity's Music Camp** June 29<sup>th</sup> through July 3<sup>rd</sup> (9am to 3pm) with performances at all worship services July 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. Open to all children having completed third grade and up. Minimal charge of \$35. Pre-registration is required.

**Trinity's Vacation Bible School** July 20<sup>th</sup> through July 24<sup>th</sup> (9:00am to noon) - open to all children ages four through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. No charge with early registration by July 6<sup>th</sup>. Registration by July 6<sup>th</sup> guarantees child will receive a T-shirt.

**Come to the Circus** The *Lewis & Clark Circus* will come to Robesonia on June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. Shows are Friday at 5:30 & 8pm and Saturday at 3 & 7pm. Purchase tickets in the Trinity church office. Adults: \$10 – includes two free kids' tickets. (More expensive at the gate!) Fun for all ages!!!

**Trinity's Senior Group Bus Trips** We call ourselves ABO (Anything but Old!). This group is for adults age 55 and older. We like to go on trips to enjoy dinner out and some kind of entertainment. We like fellowship – spending time with our friends and making new friends. Join us in our travels; you do not have to be a Trinity member to participate.

*Here are our upcoming trips:*

**June 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Amish Experience Theater, Amish Country Homestead, Lunch at Plain & Fancy, American Music Theater for *"Inspire"*. (Transportation included for \$105 per person.)

**Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> thru 19<sup>th</sup>** – Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Portsmouth & Williamsburg: Six-day bus trip with a step-on guide, delicious food and plenty of fun. \$1,330 per person with double occupancy. Contact the Trinity church office for a complete itinerary.

**October 8<sup>th</sup>** – Dutch Apple Dinner Theater (Transportation, dinner and a show for \$85 per person *"Church Basement Ladies Mighty Fortress"*)

**December 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Christmas Trip: 1<sup>st</sup> stop – Hershey's Chocolate World and then lunch in the circular dining room of the elegant Hershey Hotel. After lunch, we proceed to the theater for the annual holiday show at American Music Theatre. \$85 per person all inclusive.

**St. Paul's United Church of Christ**

**Rev. Dr. Benjamin Motz**

301 West Penn Avenue Robesonia, Pa.

610-621-5770

e-mail: [www.stpaul4secretary@comcast.net](mailto:www.stpaul4secretary@comcast.net)

website: [www.stpaulsrobesonia.org](http://www.stpaulsrobesonia.org)

Off- street Parking

Handicapped Accessible

**Summer Hours**

Summer hours 9:30, starts June 7<sup>th</sup>

We will return to 10:30 on September 6<sup>th</sup>

No Sunday School during Summer hours

Sunday School returns Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>

**Singing Cedars- July 12<sup>th</sup>**

On July 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:30, the Singing Cedars

Barbershop Group

will perform during the morning Worship service.

Join us for this special and entertaining service.

**Soup and Such**

Free hot meal served from 4:00-6:00pm

Provided last Thursday of the month

(June 25, July 30, and August 27)

All are welcome!

**St. Paul's UCC's Clothing Closet**

Same day as Soup and Such from 3:30-6:00pm

Free children's clothes -infants through youth size 16. One free bag per child (provided by church), additional items \$ .25.

For information call 610-621-5770



**St. Daniel's Lutheran Church**  
480 Big Spring Road  
(610) 693-5145  
[www.stdaniels.com](http://www.stdaniels.com)

Ample Parking and Handicapped Accessible  
All ages are welcome and invited!

In addition to the 9:00am worship service where we celebrate Pentecost, there will be an honor guard procession before worship and the conclusion of worship will include a recessional (by the whole congregation) to an edge of the lawn outside the sanctuary where a wreath will be laid with military honors to remember all those who have given their lives in service to our country; and to thank God for their lives and legacies. **On that Sunday please wear red for Pentecost or a uniform/emblem of service** for those who are or have been in the Armed Forces, combat or not, foreign or not, or as a memorial of a loved one.

**Kid's Morning Out** – On June 15<sup>th</sup> we invite all kids from pre-school through grade 4 to a fun morning filled with games, crafts, snack and even a nature hike! There is no cost for this event, but pre-registration is necessary. We will meet at 9:15 and finish up at 11:45 a.m. Pre-register to Joy Kline at [stdanyouth@aol.com](mailto:stdanyouth@aol.com) if you plan to attend.

**Kid's Fishing Rodeo** down at the St. Daniel's pond!! All children accompanied by a parent are invited to the return of the famous St. Daniel's Fishing Rodeo which will be held on Saturday, June 20 from 9 - 11 a.m. Bring your own rods, bait and other necessary fishing equipment and we will have contests to see who catches the most fish, the biggest fish, etc. Lots of fun and there will be prizes! You must sign up at [stdanyouth@aol.com](mailto:stdanyouth@aol.com) if you plan on attending.

Please join us for an outdoor service on Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - July 12-16; 6:00 to 8:00pm**

Registration forms will be available in the St. Daniel's June newsletter, on-line at [stdaniels.com](http://stdaniels.com) and at the church office. We have fun crafts and games lined up and we plan to end with another pool party on Thursday evening. Please contact Joy at [stdanyouth@aol.com](mailto:stdanyouth@aol.com) with any questions.



## Girl Scout News

For girls entering Kindergarten or 1<sup>st</sup> grade in September – find out what Girl Scouts is all about! Join us for our summer program, Bridge to Daisy Girl Scouts.

Dates- Wednesdays 6:15-7:45 on 6/10, 6/17, 6/24, 7/1  
Cost: \$25

Location: South Heidelberg Township Building  
555A Mountain Home Road  
Sinking Spring, PA 19608

Facilitator: Laurie Horack 610-670-1243 [Lahorack@verizon.net](mailto:Lahorack@verizon.net)

Checks made payable to Conrad Weiser Service Unit (financial aid is available)

Mail to: Laurie Horack

1 Buck Run

Reinholds, PA 17569

For all girls entering Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade – Join or renew your Girl Scout membership today!

Troops are forming now for the next school year.

Any girls registering for 2015-16 before June 30 will receive an Early Bird patch.

Register online at [www.gsep.org/girls/join/](http://www.gsep.org/girls/join/)

For additional information on registering for Girl Scouts contact Deanna Riegel 678-927-2644

[tdriegel@ptd.net](mailto:tdriegel@ptd.net)

## Reminder to Taxpayers

**Marshall Reynolds, Tax Collector**

276 S. Church St.

Robesonia, PA 19551

**610-693-6640**

Summer is around the corner and School Real Estate and Per Capita bills will be out July 1<sup>st</sup>. The County taxes are at the flat rate until the end of June.

If you need a receipt please send a stamped, self addressed envelope with your payment. The IRS, mortgage companies, insurance, etc. are all now asking for stamped receipts – your cancelled check may not be enough.

Save a tree! If you have more than one payment to make, you can put them all in 1 envelope with 1 check. My sitting times for the school and per capita are listed on your bill.

**At the Robesonia Borough Hall –**

August 17 from 10 AM to 12 PM

August 19 from 10 AM to 12 PM

August 25 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
 August 27 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
**At my home (276 S. Church St.) –**  
 June 30 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
 July 6 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
 August 21 from 5 PM to 7 PM  
 August 31 from 5 PM to 7 PM  
 October 30 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
 December 30 from 10 AM to 12 PM  
 NO 2015 payments can be accepted after December 31, 2015  
 Any other time is by appointment only – please call 610-693-6640 for an appointment or any questions you may have. There is also a drop-off box next to my front door for your convenience. Please do not put payments in the mailbox by the street.



**SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM**  
**June 22 thru August 7**  
**Open to Robesonia and Heidelberg Residents**

Ms. Angela Miller, along with Emily Hogan and Kady Yoders, will all be returning this year to lead our playground program starting on June 22! **Please PRE-REGISTER your children by going to** <http://evgrfx.com/sites/robypark/playground/form.php?formID=1&orgID=25>

This year, we will not be accepting any more children into the program after June 30<sup>th</sup>.

All children participating must be at least 5 years of age (and entering kindergarten) and no older than 12 years of age. The kids will enjoy pool days at the Robesonia Swimming Pool and fun little field trips around town. All children ages 5 thru 12 are welcome to attend the program from 9AM to 1PM, Monday thru Friday. .



**ROBESONIA SWIMMING POOL ASSOCIATION**

It's never too early to start thinking about summer..... and a refreshing dip in your friendly neighborhood pool. The Robesonia Swimming Pool has been serving the community since the early 1960's and has been enjoyed by several generations of families in the Robesonia area. **Opening Day is Saturday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2015. Pool hours are 12:00 noon until 7:00pm seven days a week once school is out; until school ends, hours are 3:00 – 7:00pm weekdays and noon to 7:00pm on weekends.** The pool may be closed during inclement weather or at the discretion of the manager.

The Robesonia Swimming Pool Association is a privately run organization. What that means is that the pool is owned by the stock-holding members, operated by a board of volunteer members, and receives no formal financial support from any municipality. Being a privately run pool has its benefits. Our pool is free from the somewhat tedious decision-making process of local government and won't be the victim of a funding or budget cut. The Robesonia Pool is funded using membership fees, guest fees, fundraisers, and donations of time and money. However, in some years, it can be difficult to cover all of the operating costs, especially during cool or rainy weather patterns. **We are a 501c3 entity; that means that your donation is tax deduction. PLEASE DONATE TODAY!!**

A dedicated group of volunteers has been working hard to make some property improvements at the pool. Come and see some of the changes and, better yet, get involved with helping out. No matter what your talents may be, you can be of some help in keeping our pool viable.

**Our community pool will only be successful if enough of the members give their time and effort to support it. Have you taken your turn?** There are currently several open board positions that need to be filled. The board needs to be completely filled in order to manage the pool efficiently. There are also many other opportunities to help with events such as swim meets, fundraisers, splash parties, and "work" parties (we also have some fun doing these). **Please call**

Kristin Stoltzfus at (484) 269-0066 or email at [kdmac723@yahoo.com](mailto:kdmac723@yahoo.com) to volunteer or ask questions. GET INVOLVED!!

**OTHER DETAILS:**

See our website at [www.robypool.org](http://www.robypool.org) for other info

**Water Aerobics Classes** – Water aerobics classes will be held on Wednesday evenings starting June 10<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 6:45pm. Deep water definition classes will also be offered. See the website for details.

**Membership** - There are a variety of membership options to choose from. Please see the current rates and options at our website. Membership forms are available there as well.

**Swim Lessons** - Swim lessons will again be held at the pool. Fees and dates will be announced on the website.

**Parties** - Consider holding your graduation, birthday, and other special parties at the pool. Rates and dates are available upon inquiry with the manager.

**Events** - As always, the pool will be hosting various events throughout the summer such as Teen Night, Kids Night, and Holiday Game Days. Look for details about these and other events as the summer unfolds. See the website for dates and details

**Swim Team** – Swim team registration is open until June 10<sup>th</sup>. Please look for details on the website. We have fielded a strong team over the past few years. It's a great way to stay fit during the summer months.

The pool is located on South Freeman Street; come and enjoy the fun!!!

*“When is the last time your computer restarted you? Don't forget about nature. Recreation means to re-create yourself.”*  
– Bryant McGill, *Simple Reminders: Inspiration for Living Your Best Life*

*“If bread is a necessity of life, recreation is a close second”*  
– Edward Bellamy

*“We do better together, not alone. We need to play together to feel alive. We need to share together to feel whole. At any age, we need to feel, recreate, breathe!”*  
- Patricia Miller, Rec T



YOUR EARTH, YOUR CHOICE

*There is a sufficiency in the world for man's need but not for man's greed.*

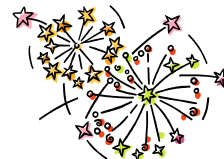
-Mohandas K. Gandhi

*There is hope if people will begin to awaken that spiritual part of themselves, that heartfelt knowledge that we are caretakers of this planet.*

-Brooke Medicine Eagle

*“Nature provides a free lunch, but only if we control our appetites.”*

-William Ruckelshaus, *Business Week*, 18 June 1990



**ROBESONIA  
STREET FAIR  
JUNE 26-27  
FOOD, FUN, RIDES,  
MUSIC  
& THE BEST  
FIREWORKS IN  
BERKS!**

In 1969, Lester Breininger, owner of Breininger Pottery, began a tradition of unveiling new pottery designs and glaze colors to the public at his home in the quaint town of Robeson, PA. At the end of summer every year, Lester would host what he called his Porch Show. The Porch Show tradition continued on the second to last weekend of August every year for 42 years until Breininger Pottery closed its doors in August of 2011, shortly before Lester Breininger's death. After the closing of Breininger Pottery, Robeson Redware began. Owned by three former Breininger Pottery employees, they carry on the pottery traditions of making museum grade, heirloom-quality pieces of Redware Pottery.

In honor of all of the years that the Robeson Redware family spent learning and making pottery with, and for, Lester Breininger, they decided to celebrate the long-standing tradition of the Porch Show by creating the Annual Summer Show and Sale that is held the second to last weekend in August every year near the Breininger home at the historical Robeson Furnace Firehouse. They are joined by a growing field of artists, musicians and community organizations each year while people from all over the country come out to see the latest wares that these amazing artisans have to offer. See for yourself why the Annual Summer Show & Sale is a community event you don't want to miss!

**4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SUMMER SHOW & SALE**  
**AUGUST 22<sup>ND</sup> - AUGUST 23<sup>RD</sup> 8:00AM TO 4:00PM**  
**AT THE ROBESONIA FURNACE FIREHOUSE, 430 S. FREEMAN**  
**STREET, ROBESONIA, PA 19551**

Join us Saturday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> and Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> from 8AM to 4PM at the historical Robeson Furnace Firehouse for an amazing weekend full of food, music and one of a kind art hosted by the Friends of the Robesonia Furnace. Be the first to see and purchase the new designs, colors and collectible Redware pottery pieces from Robesonia Redware, who will be joined this year by Furnace Creek Forge-Blacksmithing, Handwerk Tin-Tinware, 1860 Wood Company-Miniature Log Homes, Judy's Pressed Garden-Pressed Flower Petals, Janice Sonnen-Hooked and Penny Rugs and Woolens, Brenda's Crafts- Scherenschnitte, The Country Carpenter-Furniture, Brown's Country Originals- Paper Mache and Chalkware Folk Art, Michael-Angel-O's Crafts-Brooms, Baskets and Chair Caning, Checkers and More-Game Boards and many more!

Take a walking tour of the historic Robesonia Furnace ruins and grounds, enter the raffle and take advantage of the FREE entrance into the Robesonia Furnace Museum! Enjoy the delicious food from Two Can Catering, take part in a wine pairing with the amazing wines from Freas Farm Winery, and check out the great live entertainment by Hold Twins-Classic rock and Folk Music and Stewart Walton-Saw Playing while you, your friends and your family shop! Admission for this great annual event is FREE and the event takes place Rain or Shine! We can't wait to see you there!!