

The Spring Echo

SPRING 2018

SPRING BRUSH COLLECTION ~ WEEK OF APRIL 9TH

Spring Township will be having its Spring Brush Collection starting Monday, April 9, 2018, weather permitting. They will go over each street **ONE TIME ONLY**. If you wish to have your brush picked up, please follow these instructions:

- ✓ **ALL** limbs must be placed along the curb, **PARALLEL TO THE ROAD**.
- ✓ **ALL** limbs must be placed out prior to 7:00 a.m. Monday morning, April 9, 2018, so that you are not missed. **ONCE THE ROAD CREW HAS GONE OVER A STREET THEY WILL NOT GO BACK.**
- ✓ **DO NOT** include any thorn bushes or vines.
- ✓ **NO** more than one load of brush will be accepted per household. This collection is for trimming of bushes and trees, not for tree removal or site clearing.

It is important that these instructions are followed to ensure the safety of our Road Crew and proper operation and care of our equipment. **IF THESE INSTRUCTIONS ARE NOT FOLLOWED YOUR BRUSH WILL NOT BE PICKED UP!!!** The Road Crew will begin sweeping the streets after brush collection is over. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to call the office at (814) 355-7543 ext. 5. Thank you!

From the Township Zoning Office
By Vaughn Zimmerman

Please contact me with any questions you may have at 355-5067 ext. 8 or code@springtownship.org



**From the Police Department
Chief Michael Danneker**

Please join us in welcoming our two newest officers. Officer Pete Picciurro and Officer Daren Brown were recently sworn in to protect the citizens of Spring Township.

Officer Pete Picciurro joined the Department in October 2017. He comes to Spring Township with nearly 15 years of law enforcement experience. He is held in high regards among law enforcement for his DUI and traffic enforcement work.

Officer Daren Brown joined the Department in January 2018. He is a graduate of Bellefonte Area High School and previously worked for DCNR in the Law Enforcement Division.

As a reminder, Spring is near, so once again we ask residents to be vigilant. Please remember to keep your home and vehicle doors locked while unattended.

Please feel free to contact us with any complaints or concerns. We strive to work collectively with our residents and businesses to provide a safer community.

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER!!

Remember to check out our Facebook Page!!



**FIFTH ANNUAL
(Rain or Shine!)
PLEASANT GAP
FIRE COMPANY
EASTER EGG HUNT**

**Co-Sponsored by the
Pleasant Gap Lioness Club and
Pleasant Gap Legion**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 2018
10:00 AM**

**Pleasant Gap Carnival Grounds
Robinson Lane, Pleasant Gap, PA**

Registration begins at 9:00 AM

Age groups include:

0-2

3-4

5-6

7-9

10-12

**OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN OF
SPRING TOWNSHIP!!**

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

**For More Information
or to make a donation**

Contact:

Connie Bair-Holt

387-4593





WATER AUTHORITY

By Molly Baird

ATTENTION: Spring Township Water Authority customers!!

Due to increasing costs on maintaining the system and the installation of the new well project, Effective January 1, 2018, your water rates have changes! The new rate will be \$4.75 per 1,000 gallons used plus the \$10.00 base fee per quarter. The average customer will notice an increase of approximately \$5.00 per quarter. Customers will notice the change on the April 15, 2018 billing quarter.

We also highly encourage customers to make sure when paying on line you are paying your water bill. We are separate from the sewer office, which is Spring-Benner-Walker Joint Authority. If we receive a payment from someone who is not a customer, we can only refund the monies we received. We cannot refund the fee charged by Pay Pal for paying online. These monies do not come to The Authority. If we receive a payment that is not ours, monies are transferred from our Paypal Account into the checking account so a check can be cut to issue a refund which is typically at the end of each month after approved at a Water Authority meeting. **Please be careful which website you are on before making a payment.**

As Spring/Summer will be approaching, customers will be anxious to get outside and wash vehicles, plant gardens, etc., but as always try to remember water is a precious commodity and we need to remember to **“USE WATER WISELY!”**

SPRING TOWNSHIP WEBSITE

www.springtownship.org

Here at Spring Township we are very proud of our website and the valuable information it provides to our residents. We strive to keep it as up-to-date as possible and hope the information we provide is both informative and useful. The website is easy to navigate through and provides a variety of information about our Township including: The History of Spring Township, Meeting Minutes, Zoning Information, Township Ordinances, Upcoming Events, Useful Telephone Numbers, and Information from our Water Authority. We have also added a **“YOU NEED TO KNOW”** page that will keep you informed of any important events taking place or any emergency situations you need to be made aware of.

AFTER HOURS DROP OFF BOX

ATTENTION RESIDENTS: MANY OF YOU MAY NOT BE AWARE THAT WE HAVE AN AFTER HOURS DROP OFF BOX LOCATED RIGHT OUTSIDE OF OUR FRONT DOORS OFF TO THE LEFT. THIS BOX IS FOR AFTER HOURS DROP OFF OF WATER PAYMENTS, PERMIT APPLICATIONS, LETTERS, ETC. THIS BOX IS CHECKED EVERY MORNING AND DISTRIBUTED ACCORDINGLY.

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1309 Blanchard Street
Bellefonte, PA 16823

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Bellefonte, PA
16823-9998
Permit No. 17



**Spring Township Offices will be closed on the following days:
March 30 ~ May 28 ~ July 4 ~ Sept. 3**



Mission Statement

Our Mission is to create, nurture and maintain an environment of growth, challenge, and unlimited potential for all those around us.

Goal

Our Goal is to leave this world a better place to live, work, learn, grow, and have fun!

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