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# From the Township Board



# COMMUNITY AWARDS

Dear Residents:

Do you know a Delta Township Resident, 2018 Delta Township Community

Business or Organization that has given back to the community in a big way?

Here is your opportunity to help shine a light on these outstanding individuals or groups for all they do for the community. The Delta Township Community Awards Committee is seeking nominations for the 2019 Community Awards Program. Nominations are being sought in the following categories:

The Citizen of the Year Award will honor selected individual citizens whose extraordinary contributions go "above and beyond" to enhance the quality of life and general reputation of the township.

The Young Person of the Year Award is limited to high school seniors 2019-2020 (whether traditional high school or home-schooled) who have made a positive contribution to the community, is an example to their friends, may have excelled in academics, music, arts, athletics, etc., or has successfully faced personal challenges. A \$2,000 scholarship, sponsored by the Delta Side Business Association, will be awarded to the selected individual.

The Community Organization of the Year Award will honor selected groups or organizations for their dedication in serving and promoting Delta Township through volunteer contributions that has impacted the quality of life in Delta Township, provided leadership over a period of years, thereby contributing to the township's character, and/or made a valuable

Awards Receipients Want to know more? Visit bit.ly/DeltaCommunityAwards

> contribution that has enhanced the quality of life for residents of Delta Township.

The Business of the Year Award will honor selected Delta Township businesses or business persons who have been responsible for exceptional outcomes between and among businesses, governments, and nonprofit organizations; OR, have served as a role model for other business; OR, have gone above and beyond the scope of business to support and promote Delta Township. The goal is to promote shared community interests and encourage business harmony within the township and among entities of the Greater Lansing Region.

All nominations must be submitted no later than Thursday, September 26, at 5:00 p.m. Nominations may be submitted online (a printable PDF version is also available). If you choose to fill out a hard copy nomination form, please return it via email to awards@deltami.gov, by mail to the Manager's Office, 7710 West Saginaw Highway, Lansing, MI 48917, or via fax to 517-327-1703.



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# 50+ Programs

Delta Township 39'ers Programs

The Delta 39'ers are in the Delta Enrichment Center (4538 Elizabeth Road). Office hours are Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., the phone number is 484-5600.

The office will be closed and there will be no activities on: 9/2, 11/28, 11/29, 12/24, & 12/25. All activities cancelled after 2:30 p.m. on 11/4 and all day 11/5.

# **Registration**

Pre-registration is required for all activities, unless noted with an \*.

Registration for classes begins: Tuesday, September 3, at 8 a.m., register at any time for trips.

# **Health Services**

Alzheimer Support Groups\*
Co-Ed Caregiver Support Group
2nd W, 1-3 p.m., Room 302

Male Caregiver Support Group\* 3rd W, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Room 302

Blood Pressure & Sugar Checks\*
Courtesy of Delta Twp. Fire Dept.
9/13, 10/11, 11/8, 12/13, & 1/10
11:15-11:45 a.m., Free, Activity Room

## Chair Massage

2nd & 4th T. Call for an appt. \$12

### Foot Care

Three times a month. Call for an appt. \$30

#### Library\*

Books, jigsaw puzzles, and a computer is available. We have a take one, leave one system.

### Cards & Games\*

Drop in only. No partner needed.

### Bingo\*

M/W/F, 1-3 p.m., \$1, Activity Room **Bridge (Social/Contract)\*** 

M, 1-4 p.m., \$1.50

### Cribbage\*

W, 1-3 p.m., \$1.50

### Euchre\*

M, 6-9 p.m., \$1.50

Th, 6-9 p.m., \$3

## Mahjong\*

2nd & 4th F, 12-3 p.m., \$.50

Mexican Train Dominoes\*- NEW

1st & 3rd F, 12:30-3:30 p.m., \$.50

### Pinochle\*

Tu, 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m., \$1.50

### Scrabble\*

Th, 1-3 p.m., \$.50 Room 300

# Luncheons

### **Lunch Bunch**

Join us for lunch at local restaurants. Call for location and to sign up. Cost of lunch is on your own.
4th Tu, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

## Lunch

Come and join us for lunch. Reservations are required and must be called in by noon the day before you want to attend. Call for a menu/ reservations.

M/W/F, 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m., \$3.50 suggested donation for ages 60+, \$6 charge ages 59 & under.

# **Golf Leagues**

Men's or Women's Leagues Tu, 4/16-9/17, Tee Time 7-9 a.m. Men's or Women's Leagues Th, 4/18-9/19, Tee Time 7-8 a.m., Ledge Meadows Golf Course, \$25

### Classes

# **AARP Smart Driver**

Learn defensive driving techniques, adjust your driving for changes in vision, hearing, and reaction time. Check with your agent you may qualify for an insurance discount. W & Th, 9/25 & 9/26, 1-5 p.m., \$18 for AARP members and \$23 for Non-AARP members (2 classes), SR4725, Room 302

### Genealogy

Learn how to get started, the various resources, and how to preserve your information.

Tu, 9/17-11/12 (no class 11/5), 1-3 p.m., \$32 (8 classes), SR4723, Room 302

Tu, 9/17-11/12 (no class 11/5), 6-8 p.m., \$32 (8 classes), SR4724, Activity Room

# Learn To Crochet - All Levels

From learning the basics to learning techniques and troubleshooting to make your projects go smoother. F, 9/13-10/25 (no class 10/11), 10:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m., \$24 (6 classes), SR4746a,

F, 11/8-12/20 (no class 11/29), 10:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m., \$24 (6 classes), SR4746b, Room 302

### Learn To Knit – All Levels

From learning the basics to learning techniques and troubleshooting to make your projects go smoother.

M, 9/9-10/21, 10:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.,
\$28 (7 classes), SR4745a,

M, 10/28-12/16 (no class 11/25),
10:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m., \$28 (7 classes),
SR4745b, Room 302

### No Fear Computer Class

Learn computer skills, the internet, and email.

### **Basics**

W, 10/2-11/13, 1-2:30 p.m.

# Beyond The Basics

W, 10/2-11/13, 3-4:30 p.m. Free (7 classes), SR4705a, Room 301

No Fear Holiday Computer Class

Learn online shopping and how to make Christmas cards.

#### Basics-

W, 12/4-12/18, 1-2:30 p.m.,

## **Beyond The Basics**

W, 12/4-12/18, 3-4:30 p.m., Free (3 classes), SR4705b, Room 301

# **Fitness & Exercise Classes**

## **Arthritis Foundation Exercise\***

Improve strength, flexibility, and range of motion. Exercises can be done in a seated or standing position. Tu, ongoing, 1-1:45 p.m., \$2 drop in fee per class, Room 304

### Chair Exercise\*

This fun class is designed for seniors in any physical condition. Cardio is included.

Resistance bands are \$4 each. M/W/F, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Lansing Mall (Food Court), \$1 drop in fee or \$20 punch card (20 visits)

#### Jazzercise Lite\*

Build balance and flexibility, tone your whole body, charge up your metabolism. Modified movements/ lower intensity for all fitness levels. M/W, ongoing, 3-3:45 p.m., \$52 (16 classes), prorating and \$5 drop in fee, register in class, Room 304

### Pacers Walking Club\*

Walk daily year round. Sign up by logging your miles in the Food Court. Monthly newsletters with information on activities and events. Mall opens at 7 a.m. for walkers, Free, Lansing Mall (Food Court)

### **Senior Barre Fitness**

A full-body workout that combines ballet-based movements, weight conditioning, core-focused exercise, and stretching.

M/W, 9/9-10/23, 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m., \$56 (14 classes), SR4720a M/W, 10/28-12/11, 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m., \$56 (14 classes), SR4720b Room 303

### **Senior Core and More**

Beginners are welcome. Bring water, a mat, and towel with you.

M/W/F, 9/9-10/4, 9:30-10:15 a.m.,

\$48 (12 classes), SR4721a

M/W/F, 10/7-11/1, 9:30-10:15 a.m.,

\$48 (12 classes), SR4721b

M/W/F, 11/4-11/22, 9:30-10:15 a.m.,

\$36 (9 classes), SR4721c

M/W/F, 11/25-12/13 (no class 11/29),

9:30-10:15 a.m., \$32 (8 classes),

SR4721d, Room 303

#### Tai Chi

A gentle and relaxing workout.

### **Beginning**

Th, 9/19-11/7, 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m., SR4702a
Th, 11/14-1/9 (no class 11/28), 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m., SR4702b

# Qigong Shibashi

Th, 9/19-11/7, 10:10-11:10 a.m., SR4701a
Th, 11/14-1/9 (no class 11/28), 10:10-11:10 a.m., SR4701b
\$48 (8 classes)
Room 303

### Yoga\*

Gentle yoga which includes stretching and strengthening.

Tu, 10-11 a.m.

W. 10-11 a.m.

Th, 10-11 a.m. and

Th, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

\$2 drop in fee per class, Room 304

### **Zumba** Gold

Dance-fitness workouts specifically designed for the active older adult. M/W/F, 9/9-10/4, 10:30-11:15 a.m. \$48 (12 classes), SR4717a M/W/F, 10/7-11/1, 10:30-11:15 a.m., \$48 (12 classes), SR4717b M/W/F, 11/4-11/22, 10:30-11:15 a.m., \$36 (9 classes), SR4717c M/W/F, 11/25-12/13 (no class 11/29), 10:30-11:15 a.m., \$32 (8 classes), SR4717d Room 303

# Treadmill\*

M-F, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Free

## **Trips**

### Mackinac Island/Grand Hotel

4 Day/3 Night Package Includes: all transportation, lodging, meals, carriage tour, and activities. Not included: lunch on way home, bus drivers' tips, taxi drivers' tips, and carriage tour driver's tips (\$1-\$2 per person suggested).

M-Th, 10/21-10/24,

**Double \$857** 

Single \$1,127

Triple \$767

\$425 minimum deposit per person due at time of registration, early bird discount of \$25 if you register before 6/7, final/full payment required by: 8/23, Call for information and availability, SR807

# Aquatics

# Delta Township Aquatics

The Delta Enrichment Center, 4538 Elizabeth Road is home to the Aquatics Office. The pool is located at Waverly East Intermediate School (3131 West Michigan Avenue). Enter through door #14.

In the event that the Waverly schools are closed due to inclement weather, all pool activities will be cancelled that day. Information on possible closings can be obtained by calling 484-9322. No street shoes are allowed on the pool deck. Swimmers must shower before use. Infants must wear a swim diaper (not a regular diaper) in the pool. All participants are expected to wear appropriate swimming attire, which must respect the comfort and modesty of others. No persons over the age of 5 are allowed in opposite gender locker rooms.

# You may purchase punch cards:

- At the Delta Aquatics Office, located inside the Delta Enrichment Center. Office hours are Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Cash, Check and Debit/Credit Cards are accepted.
- On the pool deck with a check (made payable to: Delta Township); sorry no cash or credit cards are accepted on the pool deck.
- Over the phone at 484-5600. Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover are accepted. Phone orders will be delivered to the pool twice a week. Refunds will not be issued for new or partially used punch cards.

## **Pool Rentals**

Great for birthday parties, scout troops, youth groups, specialty classes, and more! Call 484-5600 or visit



www.deltami.gov/parks for information on renting the pool for your special occasion. \$65 per hour, two hour minimum includes one and a half hours of pool time and lifeguard (30 minutes locker room time).

# Lap, Open, and Family Swims

\$35 for 10 visits with punch card or \$4 per person, per visit drop-in fee (please bring correct change)

# Lap Swim

Ages 18+

See Lap, Open, and Family swim for prices.

M-F, 12-1 p.m.

# **Adult Open Swim**

Ages 18+

See Lap, Open, and Family swim for prices.

M/W/F, 3:30-5 p.m. and M/W, 6:45-8 p.m.

Classes and program times may change without notice. Please check the website at www.deltami.gov/parks for up to date information or call 484-5600 Monday-Friday from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. for questions or more information.

## **Adult Water Exercise**

Ages 18+

The exercise classes listed are each 45 minutes long, are ongoing, and can be joined at any time. Participants do not need to be swimmers to participate. Your first visit to one water exercise class (of your choice) is free!

\$55 for 10 visits w/punch card: age 54 and under

\$50 for 10 visits w/punch card: age 55 and over

\$7 per person drop-in fee

### **Arthritis Foundation Aquacise**

See Adult Water Exercise for prices. M/W/F, 11-11:45 a.m.

### **Arthritis Plus Foundation Aquacise**

See Adult Water Exercise for prices. Tu/Th, 10-10:45 a.m. and 11-11:45 a.m.

### **Splash Aerobics**

See Adult Water Exercise for prices. M/W/F, 9-9:45 a.m. M/W, 6-6:45 p.m.

### **Deep Water Aerobics**

Takes place in 9 foot deep water. See Adult Water Exercise for prices. M/W/F, 10-10:45 a.m. Tu/Th, 9-9:45 a.m. M/W, 5-5:45 p.m.

# The pool will be closed on the following dates:

September 2 November 28-30 December 23-January 1, 2020



# **Swim Lesson Registration**

Class registration begins on 9/3/19 Registration for swim lessons can be done in person at the Delta Aquatics Office or by calling 484-5600. Online registration is also available for most swim classes, please visit www. deltami.gov/parks. Payment must be received at the time of registration (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express accepted). An adult must remain in attendance during swim lessons

There will be no swim lessons on 11/26, or 11/28.

All lessons are held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

#### **Private Swim Lessons**

Interested in private lessons for adults or children? Please call 484-5600 to schedule a session.

\$25 per ½ hr. for private lessons \$20 per ½ hr., per person, for semiprivate lessons.

### **Adult Learn to Swim Classes**

These courses have been designed just for adults.

#### Adult

Ages 18+ 10/1-10/24, 7:20-8 p.m. AQA401 11/5-12/5, 7:20-8 p.m. AQA411 \$76 for 8 sessions Limit 6.

### **Youth Swim Lessons**

Skills are taught in age-appropriate ways which include drills, games, and other activities. Assistance regarding the appropriate level can be obtained by calling 484-5600.

### Parent/Child

Course content includes water adjustment, safe pool entry, breath control, submerging face, motor skills, activities, safety information, and safe exiting of the pool. Limit 10. 10/1-10/24, 5:35-6:05 p.m. AQY401 11/5-12/5, 5:35-6:05 p.m. AQY411 Ages 6 months to 3 years \$56 for 8 sessions

### Minnow

For students who have outgrown the Parent/Child class, but are not ready for a class on their own. Parents work in the water for the first 3 to 5 classes and then children work independently with the instructor.

Limit 4/instructor. 10/1-10/24, 5-5:30 p.m. AQY402 11/5-12/5, 5-5:30 p.m. AQY412 2-4 year olds, \$56 for 8 sessions

#### Starfish

Course content includes water adjustment, safe pool entry, breath control, submerging the face, motor skills, activities, and safe exiting of the pool. Limit 4/instructor.

10/1-10/24, 5-5:30 p.m. AQY403 11/5-12/5, 5-5:30 p.m. AQY413 3 year olds, \$56 for 8 sessions

### Guppy

Course content includes exhaling under water, safe pool entry, beginning kicking, exploration of hand and arm movements, motor skills, and activities.

Limit 4/Instructor.

10/1-10/24, 5:35-6:05 p.m. AQY404

11/5-12/5, 5:35-6:05 p.m. AQY414

4 year olds, \$56 for 8 sessions

### Level 1

Course content includes independent entry and exit, supported floating on the front and back, face submersion, bobs, supported front and back flutter kicks, introduction of alternate arm action, and jumping into the pool.

Limit 5/Instructor.

10/1-10/24, 6:10-6:40 p.m. AQY405 11/5-12/5, 6:10-6:40 p.m. AQY415 Ages 5+, \$56 for 8 sessions

#### Level 2

Builds on Level 1 skills and introduces swimming without support, front and back glides, strokes such as front and back crawl, and jumping from side of pool into deeper water.

Limit 5/Instructor.

10/1-10/24, 6:45-7:15 p.m. AQY406

11/5-12/5, 6:45-7:15 p.m. AQY416

Ages 5+, \$56 for 8 sessions

### Level 3

Expands on Level 2 skills and increases swimming skills, rhythmic breathing, introduces sculling, treading water, and kneeling dives. Limit 6/Instructor.

10/1-10/24, 7:20-8 p.m. AQY407

11/5-12/5, 7:20-8 p.m. AQY417

Ages 5+, \$66 for 8 sessions

### Level 4/5/6

Continues refinement of front crawl, back crawl, breast and side strokes as well as elementary backstroke; introduces butterfly stroke and stride jump entries; surface and long shallow dives are also part of this course (when registering, please indicate whether student is to be placed in Level 4, 5, or 6). Limit 8.

10/1-10/24, 7:20-8 p.m. AQY408 11/5-12/5, 7:20-8 p.m. AQY418 Ages 5+, \$66 for 8 sessions

# **Winter Swim Lessons**

Registration begins on 1/7/20

# ENRICHMENT CLASSES

# YOUTH

# Little Road Warriors – Learn to Bike (Ages 2-4)

W, 10/2-10/23, 10:30-11a.m. \$12 Res/\$16 Non-Res Community Center, Upper Level

## Youth Acting Lessons \*New\*

Th, 10/17-12/19, 7:15-8:15 p.m. \$52 Res/\$60 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

## Home Alone (Ages 10-17)

Th, 10/10, 6-7:30p.m. \$10 Res/\$12 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 302

## Toddler & Me Dance (Ages 18-36mo.)

M, 9/9-10/28, 11-11:45a.m. \$56 Res/\$64 Non-Res Community Center, Upper Level

## **Creative Dance I (Ages 3-4 years)**

Th, 9/12-12/12, 5:30-6 p.m. No Class 10/31 or 11/28 Sa, 9/7-11/23, 9:15-9:45 a.m. \$78 Res/\$88 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

# **Creative Dance II (Ages 5-6)**

Th, 9/12-12/12, 6:10-6:50 p.m. No Class 10/31 or 11/28 Sa, 9/7-11/23, 9:50-10:30 a.m. \$84 Res/\$96 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

### Jazz Dance (Ages 7-10)

Tu, 9/17-12/10, 5:30-6:25 p.m. \$90 Res/\$102 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

# **Contemporary Dance (Ages 7-10)**

Tu, 9/17-12/10, 6:30-7:25 p.m. \$90 Res/\$102 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

### Ballet Dance (Ages 7-10)

Tu, 9/17-12/10, 7:30-8:25 p.m. \$90 Res/\$102 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

### Karate (Ages 5-14)

Tu, 9/17-10/22, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tu, 11/12-12/17, 6:30-7:30 p.m. \$30 Individual, \$60 Family Rate Community Center, Lower Level \*Register and pay fees in class

## **Karate for Families (Ages 5+)**

Tu, 9/17-10/22, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Tu, 11/12-12/17, 7:30-8:30 p.m. \$60 Res/Non-Res Family Rate Community Center, Lower Level \*Register and pay fees in class

## Adult Karate (Ages 15+)

Tu, 9/17-10/22, 7:30-9 p.m. Tu, 11/12-12/17, 7:30-9 p.m. \$45 Individual, \$90 Family Rate Community Center, Lower Level \*Register and pay fees in class

## Jazzercise (Ages 16+)

Tu/Th, ongoing, 5:45-6:45 p.m. \$42 per month Community Center, Upper Floor \*Register and pay fees in class For more information, call Sandy at 285-0066

# **Jazzercise Low Impact (Ages 16+)**

Tu/Th, ongoing, 9:30-10:30 a.m. \$42 per month Community Center, Upper Floor \*Register and pay fees in class Questions, call Sandy at 285-0066

### **TRX Suspension Training**

Th, 9/12-10/10, 7-7:45 p.m. \$35 Res/\$40 Non-Res Th, 10/17-11/21, 7-7:45 p.m. \$42 Res/\$48 Non-Res Community Center, Lower Floor

### Strength, Flexibility and Core

W, 9/11-12/11, 5:30-6:15 p.m. \$80 Res/\$90 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

### Pilates - Mondays

M, 9/9-12/9, 5:30-6:15 p.m. No Class 11/4 \$75 Res/\$85 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

# Pilates, Ballet & Barre Fitness – Thursdays

Th, 9/12-12/12, 5:15-6 p.m. No Class 11/28 \$75 Res/\$85 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

#### Zumba

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M, 9/9-12/9, 6:30-7:30 p.m. No Class 11/4 Th, 9/12-12/12, 6:05-7:05 p.m. No Class 11/28 \$85 Res/\$98 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

## **Zumba Toning & Abs**

W, 9/11-12/11, 6:30-7:30 p.m. \$90 Res/\$104 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 303

### **Barre Fitness \*New Time\***

M, 9/16-10/28, 5:30-6:15 p.m. \$49 Res/\$56 Non-Res M, 11/11-12/9, 5:30-6:15 p.m. \$35 Res/\$40 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

# **Gentle Yoga Flow**

M, 9/16-10/28, 6:30-7:15 p.m. \$49 Res/\$56 Non-Res M, 11/11-12/9, 6:30-7:15 p.m. \$35 Res/\$40 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

# Intermediate Yoga Flow

W, 9/18-10/30, 6:30-7:30 p.m. \$49 Res/\$56 Non-Res W, 11/13-12/11, 6:30-7:30 p.m. \$35 Res/\$40 Non-Res Enrichment Center, Room 304

**Wood Carving – Beginner \*New\*** Th, 10/17-11/21, 3-4 p.m.,

\$35 Res/\$40 Non-Res, \$10 materials fee due to instructor, Enrichment Center, Room 302

# ATHLETICS - ADULT & YOUTH

# **Thank You to our Volunteer Coaches!**

Thank you to our youth girls softball, boys baseball, coed t-ball, coed soccer, coed NFL flag football, and basketball coaches. These programs could not run without all of your hard work!

# Adult Coed Halloween Kickball Tournament

Come and play in this fun Halloween kickball tournament which will include a Halloween costume contest, bon fire, team photo, tournament t-shirt, and more! Only full team registrations will be accepted. Registration form located at the Delta Township Parks and Recreation office or online at <a href="https://www.deltami.gov/parks">www.deltami.gov/parks</a>. Call 323-8555 for more information.

Deadline: F, 10/4 Date: Sa, 10/19 Ages: 16+

Fee: \$20 per person Location: Erickson Park

# Adult Coed Indoor Volleyball

Teams play six against six. Each team must have at least three males and three females, twelve players per team limit. Only full team registration will be accepted. There are no individual player fees.

Deadline: Tu, 12/31 Dates: Tu, 1/7-2/25 Times: 6 or 7 p.m.

Ages: 16+

Fee: \$125 per team (8 matches) Location: Waverly East Intermediate

School

# **Youth Coed Basketball Camp**

High-intensity multi-tasking drills will be used to increase mental and physical speed of play. Basketball Univeristy will supply the instructors and equipment. No refunds after 10/2

Deadline: Tu, 10/1

Dates: W, 10/2-10/23 (make up date

10/30) Grade/Time: 1st/2nd-5:45 p.m. 3rd/4th- 6:45 p.m. 5th/6th- 7:45 p.m.

Fee: \$30 Res/\$35 Non-Res

Location: Waverly East Intermediate

School

# **Youth Basketball**

An eight-week instructional program which stresses fun and fundamentals of the game. Practices and games are held on Saturdays within a one-hour time block. Coaches will be parents who want to volunteer. Please mark registration forms if you are interested in coaching. Coaching packets will be provided for season.

Deadline: F, 12/7

Dates: S, 1/4-2/22 (make-up date 2/29) Age: 5-6 coed, 7-8 boys, 7/8 girls

9/10 boys, 9/10 girls

Fee: \$40 Res/\$45 Non-Res. \$10 late fee after 12/7, if space permits. \$15 for athletic jersey if needed Location: Waverly East Intermediate

School

# **Youth Coed Spring Soccer**

Participants have the choice of playing traditional (6v6, 7v7, or 8v8) or micro (4x4) soccer. Participants, coaches, and parents will learn soccer skills and rules.

Deadline: F, 3/27

Practices: Begin the week of April 13 on a weekday chosen by the coach and will last for 8 weeks.

Games: Saturdays, 4/25-6/6 (make-up

date 6/13)

Age: 4-10 as of 4/25/20 Fee: \$40 Res/\$45 Non-Res

\$10 late fee after 3/27, if space permits (late fees are not refundable) \$15 for

athletic jersey, if needed Location: Mt. Hope Park

# **Itty Bitty Kickers**

Practices and games are held on Saturdays within a 40-minute time block. Micro soccer rules and size 3 soccer

balls will be used. Deadline: F, 3/27

Dates: Sa, 4/25-5/30 (make-up date 6/6)

Age: 3 as of 4/25/20

Fee: \$25 Res/\$30 Non-Res. \$10 late fee after 3/27, if space permits. (late fees are not refundable) \$15 for ath-

letic jersey, if needed. Locations: Mt. Hope Park

# \*New This Fall \* Coed Wiffleball

Remember playing wiffleball in your backyard? You can now get your friends together and play in a fun Wiffleball League this Fall with a chance to win Champion t-shirts! Only full team registrations will be accepted. Registration forms located at the Delta Township Parks and Recreation office or online at www.deltami.gov/parks Deadline: 9/11

Dates: Tu&Th, 9/17-10/17 Fee: \$20 per player

Ages: 13-15, 16-18, 18+

Location: Sharp Park, Delta Mills Teams: 8 players maximum, male & female players allowed but not a

requirement.

Manager Meeting: 9/13, 6:30 p.m. Delta Administraion Building

# Youth Basketball Gym Supervisor Wanted!

Gym Supervisor must be 18+ years of age. Responsibilities include opening/closing gym on Saturdays, set-up & break-down of hoops, tables and chairs, responding to questions at the gym. Paid position. Please call the Parks and Recreation office if you are interested.

# Events/Programs

# **Pint-Sized Picassos - Parent Participation**

Let us provide the materials and clean-up while your child provides the creativity. There will be at least three different projects each week. We will use different types of paints, crayons, glue, collage materials, and more. The easels will also be available every week for the children to use. No need to register in advance.

Th, 9/19-10/24, 10-11 a.m. Ages 2-5 – suggested age \$1 per child (per week) – adults are free Room 301, Enrichment Center

# **Trick-or-Treat Trail**

Come and "trick-or-treat" the Sharp Park trail at the displays set up by local businesses and groups. A \$1 fee per child will be collected at the park and will be used for future parks events. We encourage everyone to wear costumes, bring flashlights, and your own trick or treat bag. If you are a business or civic group and would like to have a table, please call us at 323-8555 or visit www.deltami.gov to obtain a form.

Tu, 10/8, 5:30-7:30 p.m. (rain date is 10/9) \$1 per child Sharp Park

## **Lunchtime Lectures**

Sponsored by the Delta Township Senior Council and the Delta Township District Library. Celebrate Arts & Humanities Month at the library with a series of lectures and performances every Tuesday in October at 12:30 p.m.

10/1: A Tree on the Moon: A One-Man Play

10/8: Chalk Artist Ryan Holmes

10/15: Mystery Author Stephen Mack Jones

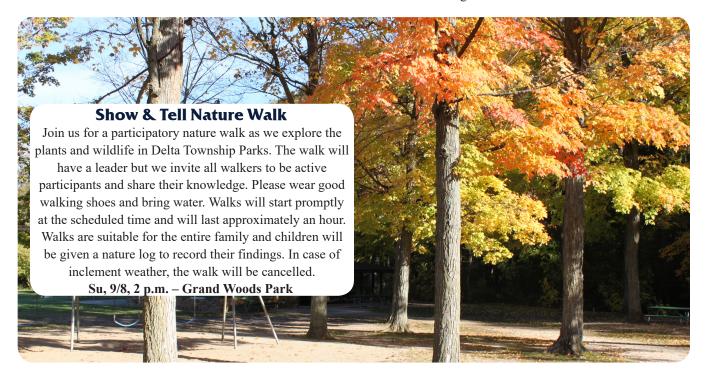
10/22: Folk Musician Matt Watroba

**10/29:** Harborless: Poems and history of Great Lakes shipwrecks

# Delta Township District Library: Paws for Reading

M, 4-5 p.m. (9/9, 10/7, 11/11) Th, 6-7 p.m. (9/19, 10/17, 11/21) Sa, 11 a.m.-12 p.m. (9/14, 10/12, 11/9)

All ages. Practice your reading with a great listener – a certified therapy dog! This is a great opportunity for kids learning to read or struggling with reading (and those who love reading too!) to practice reading aloud. Kids can choose whatever they'd like to read and one of our friendly therapy dogs will sit and listen. Please stop by or call the Youth Desk (321-4014 x3) to sign up for a ten-minute reading time slot.



# **Daddy Daughter Dance**

Dance to your favorite tunes in the elegant surroundings of the Crowne Plaza Lansing West Hotel. You will also enjoy refreshments, a corsage for the lady, photographs, and more. The dance is open to all young ladies and the adult male of their choice. Dinner is on your own. If you would like to eat at Bordeaux in the hotel you must call them for reservations at 391-1307.

M, 2/3, 7-9 p.m.

No refunds after 1/31

\$10 per person (Delta Township residents)

\$12 per person (non-residents)

**Crowne Plaza Lansing West Hotel** 

# **Mother Son Dance**

Dance to your favorite tunes, enjoy refreshments, and leave at the end of the evening with a photo and a special surprise. The dance is open to all young men and the adult female of their choice.

M, 3/9, 7-9 p.m.

No refunds after 3/6

\$10 per person (Delta Township resident)

\$12 per person (non-residents)

**Crowne Plaza Lansing West Hotel** 

# **Mother Daughter Dance**

Dance to your favorite tunes, enjoy refreshments, and leave at the end of the evening with a photo and a special surprise. The dance is open to all young girls and the adult female of their choice.

M, 4/13, 7-9 p.m.

No refunds after 4/10

\$10 per person (Delta Township resident)

\$12 per person (non-residents)

Crowne Plaza Lansing West Hotel

# **How to Register for the Dances**

Register online at www.deltami.gov/registration or call 323-8555. Register now as space is limited. No ticket for entry is necessary as a list of registered participants will be at the check-in table. Please do not call the hotel except to make dinner reservations. Please note dinner is not included in the fee for the dance. Dinner reservations must be made by calling 391-1307. Payment for dinner must be made at the restaurant at the time of dinner.

# **Sweets & Treats with Santa**

Santa Claus will be coming to Delta Township on Friday, December 6 and Saturday, December 7. Come to the Community Center for a visit with Santa, a Christmas craft for each child, a small gift for each child, along with some yummy treats. Parents, make sure you bring your cameras to capture all the special moments. There will be two separate sessions available. Please specify either the Friday evening session, 6-7:30 p.m. or Saturday 10-11:30 a.m. as space is limited. The fee is \$5 per person for Delta Township residents and \$6 per person for non-residents due to space restraints. Pre-registration is required, register by visiting www.deltami.gov/registration or by calling 323-8555.

F, 12/6, 6-7:30 p.m.

Sa, 12/7, 10-11:30 a.m.

\$5 per person (Delta Township residents)

\$6 per person (non-residents)

No refunds after 12/2

**Delta Township Community Center** 



# PARKS & FACILITY RENTALS

# Great Places to Hold Your Next Event

# Park Shelter & Pavilion Rentals

Delta Township park shelters and pavilion are available for rental. Shelters can be rented at Sharp Park, Delta Mills, and Grand Woods. The pavilion at Grand Woods is available for rental as well. Most shelters include access to electricity, grills, restrooms, and playgrounds.

# Reservations are taken starting on the first business day of the year for

dates between May 1 and September 30. Reservations may be made over the phone by calling 323-8555 or in person at the Parks, Recreation and Cemeteries office in the Delta Township Administration Building. Full payment is due when reservation is made. Refunds will only be issued for cancellations made at least 21 calendar days prior to the rental date.

#### **Sessions Available**

Half Day: 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Half Day: 4-9 p.m. Full Day: 10 a.m.-9 p.m.

# Shelter Reservation Fees Sharp Park, Delta Mills Park and Grand Woods Park

Half Day: \$50 Res/\$60 Non-Res Full Day: \$80 Res/\$100 Non-Res

# Pavilion Reservation Fees Grand Woods Park

Half Day: \$75 Res/\$85 Non-Res Full Day: \$130 Res/\$150 Non-Res

Check availability online at www.deltami.gov/parks or by calling 323-8555.

Rental fees for all facilities are subject to change at any time.

### **Rental Facilities**

Looking for indoor space to host your next group event or family gathering? Contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 323-8555 to find out how you can rent the Joseph E. Drolett Community Center or Enrichment Center.

# **Joseph E. Drolett Community Center**

The Joseph E. Drolett Community Center is located on the corner of Canal Road and Willow Highway and features a bi-level floor plan that seats up to 100 people on the upper floor and 70 people on the lower floor. The entire building is

handicap accessible, airconditioned, and non-smoking. Use of the kitchen, oven, stove, sink, electricity, tables, and chairs are included in the rental.



### **Enrichment Center**

The Enrichment Center is located at 4538 Elizabeth Road and has an Activity Room and several classrooms that can be reserved. The

entire building is handicap accessible, air-conditioned, and non-smoking. Activity Room rentals can accommodate up to 75 people and include use of the kitchen, sink, refrigerator, microwave, electricity, tables, and chairs. Classroom rentals can accommodate up to 40 people and include use of electricity, tables, and chairs.

### **Rental Fees**

# Joseph E. Drolett Community Center (this facility can be booked up to 2 years in advance)

F, 12-1 a.m., \$265 Res/\$315 Non-Res\*

F, when booked with Saturday, \$145 Res/\$195 Non-Res

Sa, 8 a.m.-1 a.m., \$400 Res/\$500 Non-Res

Su, 11a.m.-12 a.m., \$285 Res/\$335 Non-Res\*

\*Rental fees on township holidays are \$400 Res/\$500 Non-Res

# Enrichment Center Activity Room (this facility can be booked up to 1 year in advance)

F, 4-11 p.m., \$180 Res/\$240 Non-Res\*

Sa, 11 a.m.-11 p.m., \$250 Res/\$310 Non-Res\*

Su, 11 a.m.-11 p.m., \$250 Res/\$310 Non-Res\*

\*Rental fees on township holidays are \$280 Res/\$340 Non-Res

## **Enrichment Center Classrooms (Limited Availability)**

M-Th, 5-9 p.m., \$15 per hour Res/\$25 per hour Non-Res

Two hour rental minimum.

A damage deposit of \$250 and a copy of your renters or homeowners insurance policy are required with the Joseph E. Drolett Community Center and the Enrichment Center.

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# LIBRARY PROGRAMS

PROGRAM	AGE(S)	DAY(S)	TIME(S)	DATE(S)
Youth Programs				
Stories & Crafts	3-5	Tu	10:30 a.m.	9/10-11/19
Baby Time	0-24 mo.	W	10:30 a.m.	9/11-11/20
Toddler Storytime	18-36 mo.	Th	10:30 a.m.	9/12-11/21
Music & Movement Storytime	All	F	10:30 a.m.	9/13-11/22
PJ Storytime	All	Th	6 p.m.	9/12, 10/10, 11/14
*Sensory Storytime	All	W	6-7 p.m.	9/18, 10/16, 11/20
*Paws for Reading	All	Varies	Varies	Varies
Family Movie Matinee	All	Sa	1 p.m.	9/28, 10/26, 11/30
Homeschool Connect	All	M	1-2:30 p.m.	9/30, 10/28, 11/25
Big Playdate: All About Animals	All	Sa	10:30-11:30 a.m.	9/21
American Girl: Journey through Time	5-12	Sa	10:30 a.m12 p.m.	11/9
*Tween Book Club	9-12	W	4:15-5:15 p.m.	9/18, 10/16, 11/20
*Tweens Bad Art	9-12	Th	6-7:30 p.m.	9/26
*Tween Books & Bites	9-12	F	5:30-7:30 p.m.	10/18
Game On	8-18	Tu	3-5 p.m.	9/10-11/19
*Minecraft Game Night	7-15	F	5:45-7:30 p.m.	9/20
*Mario Kart Tournament	8-18	Sa	10 a.m12:30 p.m.	10/12
*Teen Art Night	13-18	F	5:30-7:30 p.m.	9/13
Teen Fandom Fest	13-18	F	5:30-7:30 p.m.	10/25
Teen Job Seekers Workshop	13-18	Th	6-7:30 p.m.	11/21
Adult Programs				
*At Your Service: 1-on-1 Tech Help	18+	Varies	Varies	9/1-12/31
Disability Network Capital Area	18+	Tu	6-7:45 p.m.	9/3-12/17
Haunted Lansing	18+	Tu	12:30-1:30 p.m.	9/3
*AARP Finances	50+	Tu	12:30-2 p.m.	9/10, 9/17, 9/24
Forest Bathing	18+	Tu	6:30-7:30 p.m.	9/17
TED Talks	18+	W	1-2:30 p.m.	9/25, 10/30, 11/20
Volunteer Fair	18+	W	6-7:30 p.m.	9/25
Recipe Club	18+	M	6-7 p.m.	9/30, 10/28, 11/25, 12/30
*Starting a Business	18+	Tu	6-7:45 p.m.	10/1
*AARP Diabetes Workshops	50+	W	1-3:30 p.m.	10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23
*Writing a Business Plan	18+	Tu	6-7:45 p.m.	10/15
Adult Strategy Game Night	18+	F	5:30-11 p.m.	11/1
Romanies in Michigan	18+	Tu	12:30-1:30 p.m.	11/5
Capital Area Nonprofit Network	18+	W	8:30-9:30 a.m.	11/13

# ELECTIONS



# New Rights for Michigan Voters - Registering to Vote through Election Day

Proposal 3 "Promote the Vote" was a Constitutional Amendment that was passed overwhelmingly by Michigan voters in the General Election in November of 2018 by a margin of 66.8% Yes and 33.2% No. This constitutional amendment brought about the following changes for Michigan Voters for voter registration:

Registering to Vote up to 15 days prior to Election.

Register to vote at:

- Any Secretary of State branch office
- Your township, city, or county clerk's office
- A designated state agency
- By Mail
- Online through Secretary of State Office (will be available by end of 2019).

Register to Vote – 14 days before election and including Election Day (Same Day Registration).
Register to vote at:

Voter must appear in person at the Delta Township Clerk's Office during regular business hours and up until 8 p.m. on Election Day. Residency and identification verification will be required. Documents must have name and current Delta Township address. Digital copies are acceptable. Additional weekend hours will be available the weekends prior to each election. Contact the Delta Township Clerk's Office at 323-8500 for additional information.

# Can I register to vote at my polling precinct on Election Day?

No, if you are not registered on Election Day, you must register to vote at the Delta Township Clerk's Office in person. However, when a voter registers on Election Day at the Delta Township Clerk's Office, a voter has choice to either vote by absentee ballot at the Clerk's Office, or to take their registration receipt to polling precinct on Election Day and vote until close of polls at 8 p.m.

For any questions regarding voter registration or elections, please contact the Clerk's Office at 323-8500. Visit the Secretary of State website for additional election information at www.michigan.gov/sos or the Delta Township website at www.deltami.gov.

# New Rights for Michigan Voters – Voting by Absentee Ballot

At the General Election in November of 2018, Michigan Voters passed Proposal 3 "Promote the Vote" a constitutional amendment which made significant changes to Michigan Election Law regarding who can vote by absentee ballot in any scheduled election.

# Who is eligible to vote by "mail" absentee ballot?

All registered voters are eligible to receive an absentee ballot upon request. A "reason" is no longer required.

### How do I get an absentee ballot?

Voters are required by Michigan Election law to submit a written request for an absentee ballot for every election they intend on voting by absentee ballot. If a voter has requested an ab-

sentee ballot, the Township Clerk will mail the voter an application for an absentee ballot. A request in the form of an application for absent voter ballot or written request from voter must be on file with the Clerk's Office with the following information: voter's name, residential address, where to mail the ballot (if different than registered voter address), date of election and signature of voter. An application for an absentee ballot can be found at the Delta Township website at www.deltami. gov. Voter can return an application by mail, by email at deltatwp21520@ deltami.gov, or in person to Delta Township Clerk's Office or the gray drop box drive-up night deposit box on the north side of Township Administration Building. Once the application or written request for an absentee ballot has been received the ballot will be mailed to voter as soon as ballots are available.

# Does Delta Township Clerk's Office maintain an Automatic Absentee Ballot Application List?

Yes. Delta Township maintains a list of voters who automatically are mailed an application for an absentee ballot for all elections scheduled in Delta Township. A voter can request to be placed on the "automatic absent voter list". Once an application is returned and ballots are available, the ballot will be mailed to voter once available at Clerks Office. Voter can vote ballot in comfort of their home and then return ballot in any of the methods listed above.

# When can voter's vote by absentee ballot?

Absentee ballots are available 45 days prior to every election. Voters can re-

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quest absent voter ballots be mailed to them up until 5 p.m the Friday before an election. A written request must be on file prior to absent voter ballot mailed. The Delta Township Clerk's Office will also be open for extended hours the weekend before every election for processing absent voter ballot application requests. Voters can also request a ballot in person at the Delta Township Clerk's Office until 4 p.m. on the Monday prior to Election Day. Any request for a ballot made on the Monday prior to an election must be made in person at the Delta Township Clerk's Office. All in person requests for absent voter ballot made on the Monday prior to Election Day voters to vote ballot at the Clerk's Office.

To be placed on our Automatic Absent Voter List please call the Clerk's Office Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. at 323-8500.

# **Election Worker Recruitment**

Delta Township is seeking election workers for the following positions; electronic pollbook inspectors, help desk inspectors, general inspectors, absent voter counting board inspector, precinct chairpersons, absent voter counting board chairperson and chairs in training to work elections. Election dates in 2020 are March 10, May 7, August 4, and November 3. All positions are paid positions. Chairpersons are paid \$18 per hour, Chairs in Training are paid \$15 per hour, and Help Desk Inspector, Electronic Poll Book Inspector, and General Inspectors are paid \$12 per hour. All required training is paid at the hourly rate applicable for the position you are hired for. To qualify to work in Delta Township, an individual must be a registered voter within state of Michigan, have no

felony convictions, complete an application and attend mandatory training prior to every election. The positions require applicants to be available for long hours on Election Day. If interested, please contact the Delta Township Clerk's Office at 323-8500 or stop by the office to complete an application at 7710 West Saginaw Highway, Lansing Michigan.

# Delta Charter Township – Serving Your Community on a Board or Commission

Throughout the year, the Delta Township Board appoints residents interested in serving their community to various boards and commissions. Those boards and commissions include the Library Board; Planning Commission; Zoning/Sign Board of Appeals; Economic Development Corporation; Parks, Recreation & Cemeteries Commission; Complaint Review Committee; Mechanical & Building/Property Maintenance Board of Appeals; Plumbing Board of Appeals; Electrical Board of Appeals; Fire Board of Appeals; Tax Board of Review and Board of Water & Light Representative. Please note some positions require specific skills or Delta Township residency.

The Delta Township Clerk's Office accepts applications from citizens who wish to be considered to serve on township boards or commissions. If you are interested in becoming more active in your community, please call the Clerk's Office at 323-8500 to request an application or see our website at <a href="https://www.deltami.gov/wp-content/uploads/2012/09/Delta-Boards-Commissions-Application-new.pdf">https://www.deltami.gov/wp-content/uploads/2012/09/Delta-Boards-Commissions-Application-new.pdf</a>.

# Passport Acceptance Agency

The Delta Township Clerk's Office is a Passport Acceptance Agency and accepts passport applications during regular office hours Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. year around.

## **Passport Drives**

The Delta Township Clerk's Office will be offering three more dates with extended hours for passport drives during 2019. The Delta Township Clerk's Office will be open extended hours on the following dates for the acceptance of passport applications (Form DS-11 ONLY):

# 2019 Passport Drives

Tuesday, September 10
5-7 p.m.
Wednesday, September 25
5-7 p.m.
Thursday, October 3
5-7 p.m.

Please visit the U.S. Department of State website for documentation requirements, fees and applications at www.travel.state.gov. Two payments will be required: (1) Payable to U.S. Department of State for processing of your passport, and must be a personal check or money order as the payment is mailed with the passport application to the U.S. Department of State and (2) Payable to Delta Township for the acceptance fee (\$35 each). If a picture is purchased through Delta Township, there is a \$12 fee per picture. One official passport quality photo is required when submitting a passport application (Form DS-11 ONLY). The fee(s) due to Delta Township can be by cash, check, or credit/debit card. For questions or further information please call the Delta Township Clerk's Office at 323-8500.

# DID You Know?

# **Security Camera Registry and Mapping** (S.C.R.A.M)

The Eaton County Sheriff's Office is launching a new program called S.C.R.A.M. Security Camera Registry and Mapping. This community policing program is designed to assist investigators with the help of Eaton County residents. The program will help officers reduce crime and save valuable time during investigations.

Today, more and more citizens and businesses are installing private security cameras to help protect the inside and outside of their property. As a citizen or business owner, you may not be aware that your cameras may have unknowingly captured valuable footage that can help solve crimes. This footage, if accessible to law enforcement, has the ability to keep our community safer.

### **How it Works**

The S.C.R.A.M program encourages residents and businesses with security cameras to register their cameras with the Eaton County Sheriff's Office. By registering your cameras, the Sheriff's Office will know which residences and business have functioning cameras. Should the sheriff's office believe that your cameras might have footage that can help solve a crime or catch a criminal, a member of the department might contact you and request to view your footage.

PLEASE NOTE: registering your cameras provides the sheriff's office with the location of your cameras and does not allow the sheriff's office to view what your cameras are recording!

- Benefits of Registering Your Cameras
   Helps fight crime indirectly with technology.
   Allows officers to immediately identify where private security cameras are located and positioned, saving valuable time.
- Help solve crimes and crime sprees. Can eliminate the innocent.
- Assist with runaway and missing person cases.

If you are interested registering your cameras with the Eaton County Sheriff's Office, please fill out the online form at https://geo.eatoncounty.org/scram or email scram@eatoncounty.org with any questions.

# Remember, it ALL Drains to our Lakes and **Rivers**

You might not be able to see the stream or lake from your house, but it's there! It might be a small stream or ditch or even a storm drain in the street. All of these lead directly to our lakes and streams. What we do at home affects our water. So, any oil, pet waste, leaves or dirty water from washing your car that enters a storm drain gets into our lakes and rivers without being treated. We all need to be aware of what goes into our storm drains.

### What Can You Do?

You can help keep our lakes, rivers, streams, wetlands, and groundwater clean by applying the following tips.

- Sweep it. Do you have extra fertilizer, grass clippings, or dirt on your driveway or sidewalk? Sweep it back onto your lawn. Hosing your driveway sends these pollutants into storm drains that lead directly to our lakes and rivers.
- Keep it clean. Whether in the street or in your yard, remember to keep leaves, grass clippings, trash, and fertilizers away from storm drains.
- Only rain in the drain. Never dump motor oil, chemicals, pet waste, dirty or soapy water, or anything else down the storm drain. All of these materials pollute our lakes and rivers!
- Clean it. Clean up after your pet to reduce pet waste traveling to local waterways.
- Dispose of it properly. Take household hazardous waste (paint, motor oil, etc.) to a local collection event.

Having a clean environment is of primary importance for our health and economy. Clean waterways provide recreation, commercial opportunities, fish habitat, and add beauty to our landscape. All of us benefit from clean water - and all of us have a role in getting and keeping our lakes, rivers, wetlands, and groundwater clean. For more easy steps on protecting our lakes and streams, visit www. mywatersheds.org.

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# Winter Storage of Lawn & Garden Chemicals

As summer winds down and we begin fall it is a good time to start thinking about how to properly take care of those lawn and garden chemicals that have been sitting on a shelf in your garage or shed.

First, make notes on how much of each lawn and garden chemical was used this year to be able to purchase only the amount necessary for next year. If possible it is best to not store chemicals through the winter. A great recommendation would be to buy only the amount of chemicals needed for a specific year and minimize the amount that needs to be stored.

But for those who have some that need to be stored, <u>be</u> <u>sure to store pesticides and fertilizers in their original</u> <u>containers</u>. Containers need to be tightly sealed for storage to minimize the amount of moisture that enters the container. <u>It is also recommended that you follow manufactures directions for storing each chemical.</u>

Most liquids and some dry pesticides and fertilizers should be kept from freezing. Freezing temperatures and moisture can cause ruptures in some types of containers and may alter the chemical quality of some liquid products, reducing its effectiveness. Dry materials, such as fertilizers, may not be damaged by freezing temperatures but do not tolerate moisture. Dampness reduces the shelf life of many chemicals and can cause deterioration of metal or paper containers. Keep in mind that most fertilizer products are combinations of chemical salts that attract moisture. Store chemicals on a shelf or location off the floor to minimize the chance of drawing moisture, to allow adequate ventilation, and to minimize access by children and pets.

**IMPORTANT:** Always store these chemicals out of the reach of children. If possible, designate a ventilated cabinet for lawn and garden chemicals and keep it locked.

Do not store powders, dusts and granules close to liquid pesticides such as three way broadleaf herbicides etc. The ingredients in this material and others are volatile and may contaminate other products held in close storage. Adequate ventilation is also important.

**SAFETY TIP:** Keep cleaning supplies, such as rubber gloves, kitty litter and paper towel, near the areas where

these chemicals are stored to aid in the cleanup of any spilled chemicals.

**Do not dump these products in the sink, on the ground, or into a storm drain.** Residents that have old or unwanted pesticides or herbicides may drop them off at Ingham County's Health Department on Tuesdays and Thursdays, May-September, between the hours of 2-6 p.m. You do not need to be an Ingham County resident to take advantage of their pesticide disposal program. For more information, call (517) 887-4312 or visit *hd.ingham.org* and click on Waste Management and then Household Hazardous Waste Home Page.

# Eaton County Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Eaton County residents may also visit http://www.eatoncounty.org/383/Resource-Recovery----Recycling for more information on recycling of household hazardous waste items.

# Regional Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) Available for Public Review

The Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for FY 2020-2023 is the short-range capital improvements program for roads, pathways, transit and other transportation elements in mid-Michigan's Clinton, Eaton, and Ingham counties. It includes descriptions of the regional transportation planning process, as well as state and federal regulations that guide that process and it lists transportation projects proposed for 2020 through 2023. The TIP is developed and adopted by the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, a cooperative planning effort, where the projects listed represent agreed upon priorities as identified by our many transportation planning partners.

The FY 2020-2023 TIP is focused on transportation projects that will be funded with federal and state transportation funds. It includes project information about various transportation modes and projects in this program are listed by state and federal funding category and by year. Per requirement, it is fiscally constrained which means that only projects with confirmed funding may be listed.

The draft FY 2020-2023 TIP document is publicly available for your review. Additional information about the TIP and regional transportation planning processes' are available online at at <a href="https://www.mitcrpc.org/tip">https://www.mitcrpc.org/tip</a>.

# FIREWORKS SPONSORS



# RECYCLING CENTER

5717 Millett Highway



Residential Use Only – No Commercial\*
Summer Hours: April-October

Tuesdays – 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesdays – 12-8 p.m. Saturdays – 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

# Winter Hours: November-March

 $Tuesdays - 8 \ a.m.-4 \ p.m.$   $Wednesdays - 12-6 \ p.m.$   $Saturdays - 8 \ a.m.-4 \ p.m.$ 

## **Closed Dates**

August 31, November 30, and December 24 & 25.

# Fall De-Leafing

Yard waste recycling will be available free for **Delta Township residents only, October 19-December 7 on Wednesdays and Saturdays.** Yard waste will be accepted on Tuesdays between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. during the same dates (fees will apply). Identification and resident verification required.

# Bicycles Accepted at the Recycling Center

Bicycles are accepted in any condition. They are then refurbished and returned to the community by The Kids Repair Program. Volunteers are needed to assist at the Kids Repair Program. You may work with staff to teach kids bike repair, bike safety, and bike maintenance. You may also help with supply inventories, grant writing, office support, or public relation materials. For more information or to register, call 517-755-4174.

# **American Flag Disposal**

Boy Scout Troop 111 has located their American flag collection container at the recycling center. They will ensure it is included in one of their formal flag retirement ceremonies.

# **Electronics Recycling**

Delta Township offers a monthly (Saturday) event for electronics and freon recycling. A fee of \$.50 per pound will be charged for electronics and a fee of \$20 each will be charged for freon containing items. Examples of electronics include microwaves, PCs, laptops, servers, printers, copiers, scanners, LCD screens, plasma/LED/flat screens, CRT monitors, CRT televisions, projections, monitor/televisions, cell phones, answering machines, and remote controlled

items. Collection of these items will take place between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. on the following remaining dates for 2019: September 14, November 16, and December 14. There will be no collection in October. A fee of \$30 will be charged for the recycling of carbon monoxide and smoke detectors. For questions or more information, please call the Clerk's Office at 323-8500.

# **Acceptable Recycling Items**

The Recycling Center accepts the following products or materials to be recycled: cooking oil, polystyrene foam, household batteries (please tape the circuits on lithium, 9-volt and larger batteries), cellular phones, ink cartridges, plastics with #1-7 symbol on bottom, metals, clear and colored glass, paper, boxboard, CFL bulbs, and phone books. Please remove all lids and caps from plastic containers prior to recycling. Pop or beer box containers, containers designed to go in the freezer or refrigerator, or plastic containers that hazardous waste comes in, such as motor oil or anti-freeze, are not accepted. For a complete listing of items accepted at the Recycling Center and to obtain the monthly recycling newsletter visit www.deltami.gov.

# **Yard Waste**

Yard waste will be accepted April 3-October 16. Open to all Delta Township residents utilizing Recycling Center for disposal of yard waste. Fees apply; see below for fees or call the Clerk's Office at 323-8500 if you have any questions.

### **2019 Rates**

\$1.25 per 30-gallon paper bag or \$8.50 per cubic yard

# **Vehicles**

Based on Average Approximate Depth S10 Pickup – \$12 level load (1.4 cubic yard) Full Size Pickup – \$23 level load (2.7 cubic yard) Mini Van w/open back – \$8.50 per foot (1 cubic yard)

#### **Trailers**

4' x 6' – \$6 per foot (.9 cubic yard/foot)

4' x 8' – \$8 per foot (1.2 cubic yard/foot)

5' x 8' – \$10 per foot (1.5 cubic yard/foot)

6' x 10' – \$15 per foot (2.2 cubic yard/foot)

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# RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER

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# Delta Township Administrative Offices

**7710 West Saginaw Highway** 323-8500, 323-8599 (Fax) Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

# Waverly East Intermediate Pool

3131 West Michigan (office located at the Enrichment Center, 4538 Elizabeth Road) 484-5600 Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

# **Hillside Cemetery**

**6415 Delta River Drive** Information: 323-8500

# **Delta Center Cemetery**

**7301 West St. Joe Highway** Information: 323-8500

# **Enrichment Center**

4538 Elizabeth Road

484-5600 Rental Information: 323-8555

# Delta Township District Library

**5130 Davenport Drive** 321-4014 Monday-Thursday 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

# Friends of the Library Used Book Store

**5130 Davenport Drive** 321-4014 extension 614 Monday-Thursday 10:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Friday 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Saturday 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

# **Recycling Center**

**5717 Millett Highway** Information: 323-8500

# **April 1-October 31**

Tuesday 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday 12-8 p.m. Saturday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

# **November 1-March 31**

Tuesday 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday 12-6 p.m. Saturday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

# Joseph E. Drolett Community Center

**7550 West Willow Highway** Rental Information: 323-8555

# **Delta Fire Station #1**

**811 North Canal Road** 321-6622 (Non-Emergency) Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

# **Delta Fire Station #2**

7720 W. Grand River Ave. Grand Ledge, MI 48837

# **Delta Fire Station #3**

215 Snow Road

# Eaton County Sheriff/ Delta Patrol

**7708 Administration Drive** 372-8217 (Non-Emergency) Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

**EATRAN** 371-3312 (Eaton Co.)

# **Anderson Park**

3207 Wardell Road

# **Delta Mills Park**

7001 Old River Trail

# **Erickson Park**

4220 South Canal Road

# **Grand Woods Park**

4500 West Willow Highway

# **Hawk Meadow Park**

6160 Delta River Drive

# Hunter's Orchard Park

7242 Old River Trail

# Lake Delta

3½ miles south of Saginaw Highway on Canal Road

# **LeLand Park**

1/2 mile west of Waverly on St. Joe Highway

## **Lootens Park**

East of Nixon Road on Willow Highway

# Mt. Hope Park

7419 East Mt. Hope Highway Grand Ledge

# Player's Club

South of St. Joseph on Canal

# **Sharp Park**

1401 Elmwood Road

# Willow Canoe Launch

6507 Willow Highway Grand Ledge

### WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP / CLINTON COUNTY FATON HWY CITY OF LANSING / LANSING TOWNSHIP / INGHAM COUNTY Hunter's Orchard Park Hawk Meadow Park DELTA RIVER DR NORTH RIVER HWY Hillside Cemetery Grand Woods Delta Mills Park WILLOW HWY WILLOW HWY Delta Sheriff Substat Fire Station #1 ONEIDA TOWNSHIP **UPTON RD** MICHIGAN AVE Fire Station #3 Delta Center Cemetery ST. JOE HWY ST. JOE HW LeLand Park Player's Club Park Mt. Hope Park MT. HOPE HWY MT. HOPE HWY GUINEA RD MILLETT HWY MILLETT HWY Recycling Center Erickson Park Lake Delta CITY OF LANSING JOLLY HWY DAVIS HWY WINDSOR TOWNSHIP