



## E-Pathways: Your direct source for information

Greetings!

Dear Residents & Friends,

Thanks to all who volunteered time, energy and resources to help us get the Plaza ready for its dedication with County and State Officials, and who helped make our 10th Anniversary Community Day a success! Both events were well attended and the Borough received a lot of very positive feed back.

On Tap for June is the first of our Music in the Meadow summer concert series. The first concert will be Wednesday June 19, at 6:30 PM in Meadow Park and the performer is Rhodes less Traveled. Hope to See you there! Snoozy's will be open for ice cream!

## Spring Street Sweeping Scheduled for Most of the Borough

Spring Street Sweeping has been scheduled for May 23rd and May 24th.

All local roads (roads owned and maintained by Schwenksville Borough) will be swept or vacuumed. We anticipate PennDot Performing Street Sweeping in June along Main Street.

Please have all vehicles removed from the roadway before 8AM each day.

## Music in the Meadow 2019

At Meadow Park, located at 300 Main Street, summer concerts will be held June 19th from 6:30-8:30; July 24th from 6:30-8:30 and August 21st from 6PM to 8PM. Come one, come all to enjoy music of Rhodes Less Traveled, Four Lanes End and our very own Dog Bite money. For more information check out the kiosk at Meadow Park or check [www.schwenksville-pa.org](http://www.schwenksville-pa.org).



## A Successful 10th Anniversary Community Day

Schwenksville Community Day on May 4th turned out to be a beautiful day in Meadow Park, despite a few rain drops early on!

A big thank you to the many volunteers and the following sponsors, who made the event a success:

**GOLD SPONSORS**– The Godard School of Schwenksville and Schwenksville Dental Care

**SILVER SPONSORS** – Craig and Nancy Moore, Ebert Engineering, Inc, Moccia's Train Stop, Private Utilities, Inc., Robert D. Gilmore & Associates, Inc., Robert L Brant & Associates, Sanatoga Water Conditioning, Schwenksville Investment Properties, LLC, Schwenksville Veterinary Hospital, LLC, Skippack Eye Care, Studio 29 Tattoos and The Victory Bank.

**DONATIONS IN KIND** - Schwenksville Borough Authority, Little's John Deere, Plymouth Ambulance, Lower Frederick Fire Department and Lower Frederick and Upper Salford Fire Police.

We also want to thank all who participated and attended our 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Community Day. In addition to being a great way to celebrate our little spot on the banks of the Perky, this event supports the Summer Concert series in Meadow Park. So, please join us for Music in the Meadow!

Schwenksville Borough Activity Committee

## Schwenksville Community Outdoor Flea Market

Unfortunately not enough "sellers" signed up for this event and we canceled it. Hopefully we can try again soon.

## Main Street Plaza News

We were just notified by Montgomery County that our application for funding through the Montco2040 Grant Program that aids in implementing the goals of the County's comprehensive Plan Montco2040: A Shared Vision, was approved in the amount of \$66,180 for ornamental lighting and greenscaping at the Main Street Plaza. We are thrilled that Montgomery County shares our vision for Schwenksville's Main Street.

## Main Street Construction Activities

**Water & Sewer Authority Work:** We understand that last summer's Water & Sewer Line replacement project was painfully slow and disruptive. The Authority will be working to finish the work that was left incomplete due to weather conditions by the end of May. The work is being completed by a different contractor and is much more limited in scope. However, the work zone is near and at the intersection of Game Farm Road, E. Park Avenue and Main Street and will cause disruption of the Traffic Signal and traffic. Your patience is appreciated. Please call 610-287-7772 with questions or concerns. The project is nearing completion.

**Borough Work:** The 100 block of Main Street is also scheduled for sidewalk and curb replacement. This project may require lane reductions and restrictions at Maple Avenue where a new handicap ramp will be installed. The project **will start Monday, May 22, 2019.**

**Perkiomen Trail Observation Deck:** The Borough will begin constructing trail said rain gardens and an observation deck and staircase into Meadow Park within the next few weeks. This is an exciting project and is the first of its kind along the Perkiomen Trail.

**Road Repairs:** Patching will occur on Mine Hill Road near Hill Crest, Centennial Street, Woodland Ave and Second Street south of Perkiomen. This work needs to be fit into the contractor's schedule. Your patience is appreciated.

**300 Main Street Renovations:** Bids will be opened May 23rd. Hopefully, a bid will come in on budget and renovations to convert the former Schwenksville Fire House into a new Borough Hall & a Community Room will begin in June.

**PennDot Work:** Penndot has awarded a contract to Highway Materials, Inc. of Flourtown for the mill and overlay repair of Main Street from the Route 73 Bridge through the limits of the Borough and beyond. **This work is now anticipated to begin in July.**

---

## Crossing Guard Needed for 2019-2020 School Year @ Schwenksville Elementary

Applications for Crossing Guard will be received through August 1, 2019. A crossing guard is wanted for Schwenksville Elementary School.

The hours of work are school days 8:15 am to 8:45 am. 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm (school days only); hours very during as per school calendar or in bad weather.

For more information please contact Anne Klepfer at 610-287-7442 or email [aklepfer@schwenksville-pa.org](mailto:aklepfer@schwenksville-pa.org).

---

## New Family Roots Exhibit at Pennypacker mills

Pennypacker Mills presents a new exhibit on Family Roots. The new exhibit focus on PA Governor Samuel Pennypacker's paternal family history and explores the arrival of the first ancestor in America in 1698 through to Samuel's generation. The exhibit is included on all free guided tours of the Pennypacker mansion. Hours: Tues- Sat: 10am to 4 pm; Sunday: 1pm to 4pm. Closed Mondays and County Holidays.

## Summer Job Opportunities

Montgomery County is recruiting workers to fill upcoming regional census positions. The jobs will begin in the summer and may possibly extend through next year, are temporary with flexible hours, are part and full-time. The most common position is that of enumerator otherwise known as the census taker. That position will pay \$20.50/hour in Montgomery County. The positions are local and the census takers will be assigned to areas that they reside in. Applicants must be 18 years or older, be U.S. citizens, have a valid drivers license and access to a vehicle.

For more information you can visit <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/2020-census/about.html>. or email Stephen.f.basenfielder@2020census.gov.

## Recycling Events for Schwenksville Residents

Every year, Montgomery County sponsors House Hold Hazardous Waste events at locations throughout the county. This spring the closest location is Boyerown Middle School 2020 Big Road in Gilbertsville on Saturday April 27th from 9 am to 3 PM. Here is a [list](#) of all their dates and locations.

[Electronics Drop-off](#) Schwenksville Borough is co-sponsoring an electronics drop-off event to better server our residents. **The event will be June 1, 2019** in Palmer Park in Skippack Township on Creamery Road from 9AM to 12:00 PM. Please refer to the flyer for more information and associated costs.

[Montco Tire Collections](#). The nearest location is at Green Lane Park on Saturday, May 11, 2019. Here is a [list](#) of all of their dates and locations.

## Electronic Message Board & Kiosk



Schwenksville Borough would like you to know that the advertising can be purchased for reasonable rates to have your message on the electronic sign at 300 Main Street. Just complete the [application](#) and submit it the info@schwenksville-pa. If we have room on the sign we will contact you about payment and schedule your message.



In addition, the Borough is accepting submissions of Flyers that advertise Public Events of public benefit or interest for inclusion on the bulletin boards inside the

new information kiosk adjacent to the Perkiomen Trail at Meadow Park. There is no fee for this.

The Borough reserves the right to approve the content of what is posted for either the electronic sign or Kiosk.

## Sign up for Alerts!

## ***Be alert... Be Informed... Be ReadyMontco!***



ReadyMontco is your official source for notifications about emergencies, severe weather, crime alerts and disasters in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

ReadyMontco is administered by the Montgomery County Department of Public Safety and comes to you free of charge (text messaging and voice rates may apply). All it takes is ten minutes to create a profile and you'll be READY to go! You will receive time-sensitive messages wherever you specify, such as your home, mobile or business phones, email address, text messages and more. You pick where, you pick how.

### **STAY INFORMED, STAY SAFE PENNSYLVANIA!**

Join the AlertPA notification system by signing up for CodeRED for emergency and weather related alerts, health notifications, building alerts and other updates from PA Commonwealth and federal agencies. A CodeRED Weather Warning will automatically alert you if your address falls in the path of severe weather, as determined by the National Weather Service. \*This service is provided to you at no cost by your organization.

[\*1 message per alerting event. Message and data rates may apply.]

### **511PA**

511PA can send email to travelers who sign up for Personal Travel Alerts, and lets you tailor your notifications for all roadways on the 511PA core network. It is easy to sign up to tailor your alerts to only those roadways in which you're interested. Don't want alerts on weekends? No problem. You can specify that you only want email alerts on weekdays. Only want email alerts before you start your daily commute? Just say what time of day you'd like them to start (and end!).

---

## **DOG Licenses**

**Did you know that failure to license your dog can result in a fine of \$300 per day per dog?**

**Montgomery County requires dog owners to purchase a dog license. for more information please refer to the following attachments:**

[Dog License Flyer](#)

[Dog License Agents](#)

[Dog Licensing Campaign](#)

---

***Should you have questions or concerns about information contained in this e-newsletter; about projects being undertaken by Schwenksville Borough or about Borough operations please contact us at [info@schwenksville-pa.org](mailto:info@schwenksville-pa.org) or call 610-287-7442. Residents are also welcomed to attend a Council Meeting on the 2nd Thursday of each Month at 7 PM --except for January of even years when the Borough conducts a reorganization meeting the first Monday or day after a holiday in January. The next Council Meeting is Thursday, February 8th.***

---

## **Hours of Operation**

M- Thursday 9 AM - 5PM  
Friday 9AM - 2PM  
140 Main Street  
Schwenksville, PA 19473  
Phone (610) 287-7442  
Fax (610)287-8098



**WELCOME | GOVERNMENT | PUBLIC SAFETY | COMMUNITY**

**BUSINESSES & AGENCIES**

