

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTHAMPTON

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JULY 2024 NEWS

UP COMING EVENTS

Fireworks Concerts Fly Fishing STRA Summer Programs July Fun Facts

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07/04 – Thurs. – 4th of July Celebration Office closed
07/16 – Tues. - Committee Meeting 6:00 pm
07/17 – Wed. - Preservation Commission Meeting 7 pm
07/18 – Thurs. – Land Development Meeting 6 pm
July – Concert Month – see enclosed flyer

Quote for the Month:

"And so with the sunshine and the great bursts of leaves growing on the trees, just as things grow in fast movies, I had that familiar conviction that life was beginning over again with the summer." - F. Scott Fitzgerald

Dear Fellow Southampton Residents,

July means fireworks and concerts – an the line up is just as good as last year - so bring your chairs and enjoy the shows. The concert list is in this newsletter if you are interested.

With the hot days and outdoor events occurring please remember to keep hydrated.

Enjoy your summer

If we can be of any assistance, please feel free to reach out to us (Clerks office: 609 859-2736 Option 5).

Mayor Michael Mikulski



Office and Public Works closed

Thursday, July 4 No trash collection Pick up trash on July 5

RECYCLE PLASTIC ELECTION SIGNS!

CANDIDATE

Elect

Your

The Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex is accepting plastic "waffle board" yard signs for recycling!

Bundle signs in stacks of 25 or less. You may also recycle the wire sign frames; please remove from sign and include separately.

Drop off signs and frames to: Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex (bring to Convenience Center) 22000 Burlington Columbus Rd. Florence, NJ 08581

Drop-off hours: Monday-Friday: 7am to 5 pm Saturday: 7am to Noon

Questions? Call 609-499-1001 or email recycle@co.burlington.nj.us

FIREWORKS FESTIVAL!

JULY 6, 2024

at Red Lion Recreation Park 458 Red Lion Road, Southampton

Live Music! Food Trucks! Fun for All!

The Southampton Township Committee and all its residents would like to thank the following sponsors who have made our Fireworks Festival possible:

Stars and Stripes Sponsor

Artistic Materials, Inc

Community Sponsors

Alaimo Group Pinelands Water/Middlesex Water Environmental Resolutions, Inc Parker McCay

Additional Sponsors

Holt McNally & Associates

FESTIVAL BEGINS AT 6 PM • FIREWORKS AT DUSK RAIN DATE JULY 7, 2024 Southampton Township's Free Summer Concerts 2024

<u>July</u>

7/10 Golden Eagle Band 7/17 Freedom Brass Big Band 7/24 Stone Mountain Road Band 7/31 Tri-County Band

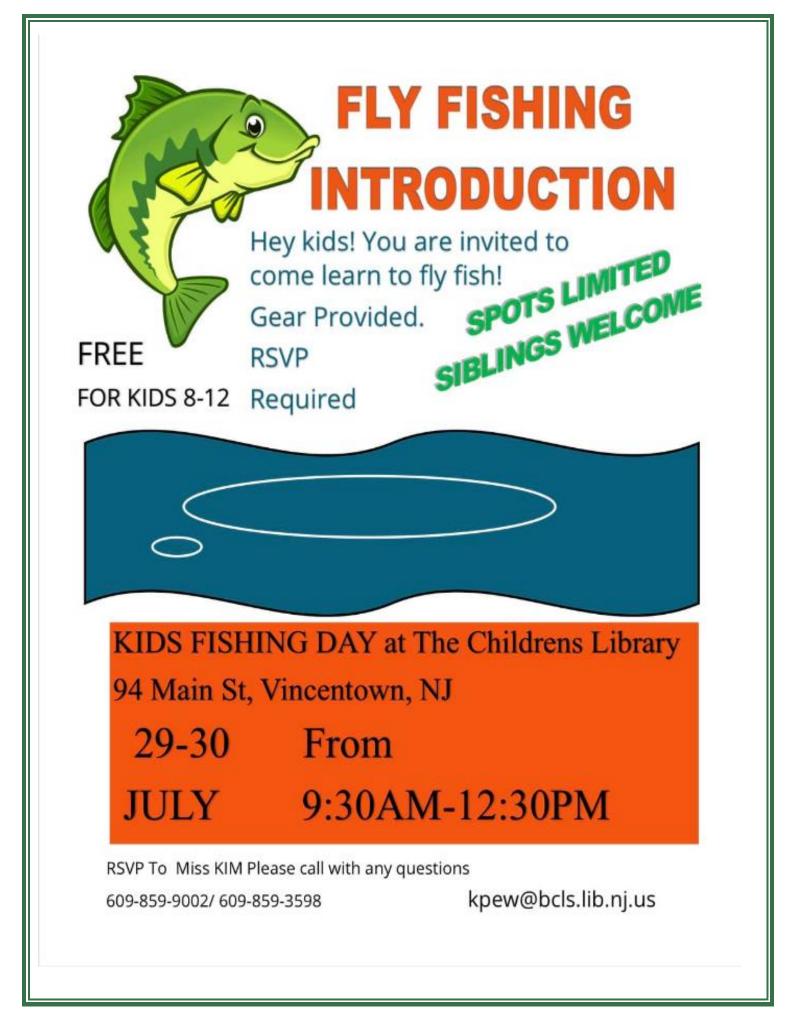
August 8/7 Gloucester City String Band 8/14 Bonsal Blues Concert Band 8/21 Bonsal Blues Dance Band 8/28 US 1 Country Band All Concerts are from 7:15 pm to 9:00 pm

> Route 206 & Retreat Road

Please bring your own chair



Bottled Water Donated by Alloway Associates



SUMMER YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS

Southampton Twp Recreation Association is offering two great summer youth sports programs: Kickball and Basketball! Both programs are coed and cost \$50 per player.

KICKBALL

BASKETBALL

<u>Age:</u> Children entering grades 2nd -8th in the 2024-2025 school year

<u>Dates/Times:</u> Wednesdays from July 10th to August 21st Games between 6pm-8pm

<u>Location:</u> Harry Thompson Baseball Fields 458 Red Lion Road Southampton NJ, 08088

<u>Evals:</u> Wednesday, July 10th at 6pm <u>Age:</u> Children entering grades 3rd-12th in the 2024-2025 school year

<u>Dates/Times:</u> Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Two to three games per week between 5pm-8pm July 8th and August 22

Location:

Outdoor Basketball Court at Southampton Municpal Building 5 Retreat Road Southampton NJ, 08088

<u>Evals:</u> Wednesday, June 20th 5pm-7pm



REGISTRATION: WWW.STRASPORTS.ORG

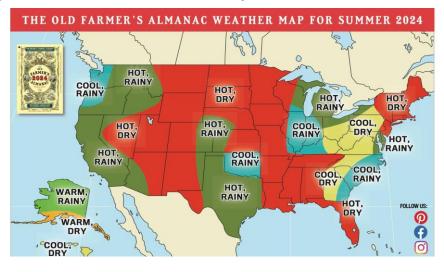
July Calendar

July is named after Roman dictator Julius Caesar (100 B.C.–44 B.C.). Caesar developed the precursor to the Gregorian calendar we use today.

- July 1 is Canada Day, a Canadian federal holiday that celebrates the creation of the Dominion of Canada in 1867.
- July 3 brings the start of the hot and sultry Dog Days of Summer! Read all about the <u>Dog Days of Summer</u>.
- July 4 is Independence Day (U.S.). On the fourth of July, we celebrate the adoption of the Declaration of Independence in 1776. Don't forget to raise the flag!
- July 7 marks Islamic New Year, which begins with the first sighting of the crescent Moon after the new Moon in the month of Muharram. This event signals the start of the Islamic lunar calendar year.
- July 14 is Bastille Day, which commemorates the storming of the Bastille and the start of the French Revolution.

"Just for Fun" Days

- July 11: International Town Criers Day
- July 17: National Hot Dog Day
- July 22: Spooner's Day
- July 23: National Day of the Cowboy
- July 27: Take Your Houseplants for a Walk Day
- July 30: National Cheesecake Day



July Weather

Summer temperatures, on average, will be hotter than normal from New England through the Atlantic Corridor, in Florida and the Deep South, through Texas and the Midwest, and on to California. In terms of rainfall, much of the country has normal to below-normal rainfall, especially in New England and the Midwest. However, the West Coast, Texas, and the Atlantic Corridor will see normal to above-normal rainfall.