

TOWNSHIP OF SHALER ADMINISTRATION

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Commissioners

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Manager	Timothy Rogers
Assistant Manager	Judy Kording
Chief of Police	Bryan Kelly
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Engineer	Matthew Sebastian
Bldg. Code Official	Robert Vita
Public Works Director	Anthony Zelina

MUNICIPAL MEETINGS

Board of Commissioners	2nd Tuesday at 7:00 PM
Planning Commission	3rd Monday at 7:30 PM
Zoning Hearing Board	2nd Thursday at 7:30 PM
Library Board at SNHL	2nd Wednesday at 7:30 PM
Committee Meetings	4th Tuesday at 6:30 PM (except May, June, July, Aug.)
Pension & Insurance	(meets quarterly) at 9:00 AM

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

TOWNSHIP DIRECTORY

Business Office	412.486.9700
Property Tax Department	412.486.9700 (Mon., Wed., Fri. 9 a.m. – 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
Shaler North Hills Library	412.486.0211
Police Administration	412.492.2222
Shaler EMS	412.487.6590
Hampton Shaler Water Authority	412.486.4867 www.hswa-pa.org

ALL EMERGENCIES 9-1-1



REPORT A CONCERN ONLINE AT
www.shaler.org

File your concern or complaint online for the following:

- Building & Zoning Code Violations
- Engineering
- Garbage & Recycling
- Parks
- Police – (non-emergency only)
- Public Works

E-MAIL NOTIFICATION:
Sign up at www.shaler.org

for e-mail notifications regarding Township news,
alerts, events and meetings.

SHALER TOWNSHIP HOLIDAYS
Independence Day, Thursday, July 4
Labor Day, Monday, September 2



FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA AT:

Shaler Township: [facebook.com/ShalerTownship](https://www.facebook.com/ShalerTownship) -or- twitter.com/ShalerTownship
Police Department: [facebook.com/PoliceShaler](https://www.facebook.com/PoliceShaler) -or- twitter.com/PoliceShaler

TOWNSHIP FINANCES – PUBLIC SAFETY

Understanding where your tax dollars are spent

The Shaler Township Police Department is staffed by 27 full time officers;

- 59% of the force has a four-year criminal justice related college degree.
- 37% of the officers are military veterans.
- In 2018, the department responded to 10,955 calls for service.
- Calls for service include response to accidents, domestic disturbances, fraud, burglary, theft, ambulance assists, dog complaints, as well as any situation that requires the interaction of a police officer.

The police department is very responsive to residents' issues and inquiries and strives to respond to all calls for assistance and inquiries. This responsiveness makes Shaler Township a very special place and assures residents that our police force will always be available to them for their concerns.

43% OF TOWNSHIP BUDGET: Supporting a police force of this size and caliber requires a large but worthwhile financial commitment. The public safety expenditures represent 43% of the total Township budget. Police Department expenditures for the completed 2018 fiscal year totaled \$4,138,284. Of this number, 87% or \$3,632,551 was earmarked for wages and benefits for the 27 full time officers and two part time clerical support staff. The police officers are represented by a bargaining unit and the Township must negotiate all wages and benefits in accordance with Act 111, also known as the Police and Fireman Collective Bargaining Act. This bargaining requirement commits much of the Township funding to the wages and benefits agreed to in prior contract agreements.

OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB): One of the most costly benefits provided to the officers in previous contract agreements is "Other Post Employment Benefits" (OPEB). Prior contracts required the Township provide post retirement health care to retired officers. This benefit has been eliminated for newly hired officers. However, prior bargaining agreements have committed the Township to these very expensive obligations. As most public employers, the Township also has pension costs for public employees. These benefits also impact the annual budget as the future funding requirements are difficult to predict. Currently, the Township's pension plans are fully funded.

OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY COSTS: In addition to the police department, the public safety budget also includes contributions to:

- Six Volunteer Fire Companies
- Shaler Township Fire Police
- Shaler Hampton EMS

The Township contributes over \$550,000 annually to all of these agencies. The volunteer fire companies are staffed solely through volunteers and the Shaler Hampton EMS is staffed by a combination of paid and volunteer personnel. The support from the Township provides vehicle and equipment insurance, worker's compensation coverage for all volunteers, as well as direct support for operations. We are very proud of the services offered by these agencies and thank the volunteers for their service and time.

Be assured that the Township will continue to support the public safety efforts and commit to the residents of Shaler Township that emergency preparedness is a primary function of government.

We are proud of our commitment to these essential services, and are grateful to our past, present, and future officers, staff and volunteers for their service to our community.

TOWNSHIP ORDINANCES

TRASH AND RECYCLING CANS

PLACEMENT AT THE CURB: Trash and recycling cans should not be placed at the curb until 6:00 p.m. the evening before your pick up day.

STORAGE OF CANS: Trash and recycling cans shall be removed from the curb line or front yard and be placed or stored either inside a garage or behind the front facade line of the dwelling no later than 12:00 midnight on the day of pick up.


HOUSE AND BUILDING ADDRESS NUMBERS

Your home and/or building address numbers should be visible from the street for Police and Emergency services.

The Shaler Township Ordinance Number specifications are as follows. House or building numbers shall be:

- In Arabic numerals;
- A minimum height of three inches for residential properties, a minimum height of six inches for commercial and industrial properties, and a minimum height of six inches for garden apartments and townhouse condominium complexes;
- Mounted in a secure fashion to the front wall or porch of the building so as to be clearly visible from the street;
- Sufficiently legible in contrasting background, arrangement, spacing and uniformity so as to be clearly visible from the street, and
- Affixed at least 30 inches above the ground.

SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD OPENING



The Township is seeking part-time substitute school crossing guards. Hours vary by assignment but are 2-4 hours per day. You must obtain all child clearances as required by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. If you are interested in applying, please visit www.shaler.org and look under the "How Do I" tab for employment positions.

JUDITH L. KORDING ASSISTANT MANAGER

At the March Board of Commissioners meeting, Judith L. Kording, Director of Finance and Administration was promoted to Assistant Manager. Mrs. Kording has been employed with the Township for over 30 years. In addition to being responsible for the fiscal management and oversight of the Township finances, she will assume additional duties in personnel administration and assume the managers duties when Township Manager Tim Rogers is on vacation or out of the office.

Mrs. Kording considers herself fortunate to work for such a great community. She enjoys meeting with residents and resolving issues that arise throughout the day. She's been very instrumental in organizing the community events that are scheduled for the 2019 program year. Mrs. Kording states that it is very rewarding to see residents enjoying the Township parks and participating in the many activities that are available to them for recreational use.

Township Manager Tim Rogers states that "she has performed excellently for continuity of operations and has been aggressive in fiscal management of the Township, which has allowed us to control expenditures and low tax rates for many years."

In addition to her recent promotion, Kording was recently named President of Government Finance Officers Association – Pennsylvania (GFOA-PA). Mrs. Kording's term of office will be from January 2019 through December 2020. GFOA – PA is a premier organization for individuals that work in financial positions at all levels of government throughout Pennsylvania. The focus of GFOA – PA is to enhance education and development of finance professionals in Pennsylvania's governmental entities. It is an organization of over 500 members with an annual conference in April in State College PA.

TOWNSHIP GRASSCUTTING POLICY SPRING IS HERE AND GRASS IS GROWING!

It's that time of year when the grass is green and growing. The Township often receives phone calls from residents complaining about a neglected property in a residential neighborhood. Due to the number of complaints received by the Township, the Board of Commissioners adopted a policy several years ago to set forth the process in dealing with neglected properties. Below is a summary of this policy:

1. The Township will not maintain vacant land that is not owned by the Township. Vacant land that is not owned by the Township will remain in its' natural state.

2. If there is an occupied dwelling on the property, the property owner will be mailed a violation letter. The owner will be required to follow Chapter 87 of the Township Code or legal action will be initiated at the District Magistrate's office.

3. For properties that have no owner of record or an absentee owner, the Township MAY direct in-house personnel to maintain the property with the following conditions:

a. The property must be in such condition that any public funds expended to maintain the property can be recovered via the property lien process.

b. The number of prior liens on the property cannot exceed the value of the property.

If it is deemed that Township personnel and equipment can be utilized to maintain the property, the following procedures will be followed:

1. The Township will only cut grass. There will be no additional landscaping or trimming done on the property.

2. The Township will not cut fenced in areas. Only areas that are accessible and open will be maintained.

3. The Township will cut the grass no more than 6 times throughout the calendar year.

The Township encourages open communication with your neighbors regarding lawn maintenance. The value of ones' home is impacted by the condition of the neighborhood and cooperation between all homeowners is greatly appreciated.

The above information is not encompassing of the adopted property maintenance policy. It is just a guideline for the Township's position on property maintenance. If additional information is needed, please contact the Building/Zoning Department at 412-486-9700 or <http://www.shaler.org/RequestTracker.aspx>



MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER – MS4

In 2018, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) issued a renewed Municipal Separate Storm Sewer (MS4) Permit to Shaler Township. The renewed permit introduced a significant new requirement for Shaler: development and implementation of a Pollutant Reduction Plan (PRP) for each of our watersheds. PRPs are required for municipalities that discharge to streams impaired for specific pollutants of concern – identified by DEP as sediment and nutrients. Shaler must reduce the discharge of sediment and nutrients by 10% and 5%, respectively, by March 2023.

To achieve the pollutant reduction goals required by DEP, Shaler must design and construct Best Management Practices (BMPs) to treat stormwater runoff that is collected or conveyed by our MS4. Our PRPs, which were reviewed and approved by DEP, identified potential BMP types and locations. One project,

stream restoration in Fall Run Park, has already been completed. With approval of the PRPs in 2018, design and permitting work is underway for other BMP projects during 2019. Reporting of PRP progress is required in each year's Annual MS4 Report due to DEP on September 30th. Reporting includes confirmation of continued operation and maintenance of installed BMPs. Continual progress toward meeting the minimum reduction by March 2023 must be reported. Accordingly, Shaler's current and future budgets must account for the costs associated with design, construction, and continued operation and maintenance of PRP BMPs.

*Original article by Lennon, Smith, Souleret Engineering, Inc., adapted for Shaler Township



police news

CONGRATULATIONS OFFICER STEINMETZ

Chief Bryan Kelly and the members of the Shaler Township Police Department would like to congratulate Officer Gregory Steinmetz on his retirement after 28 years of service. During his tenure, Officer Steinmetz has served as a DARE Officer, a First Aid and CPR Instructor, and maintained his certification as an Emergency Medical Technician through the PA Department of Health – EMS Division. He has remained an active member of the Undercliff Volunteer Fire Company. Gregg and his wife Carol look forward to spending their weekends at his family's cottage and enjoying time with their grandson.

WELCOME OFFICER ENGLISH

Please join us in welcoming Shaler Township Police Department's newest Police Officer, William English. Bill recently retired as a Lieutenant with the City of Pittsburgh Police where he worked for more than 17 years. He rose through the ranks of the department from Patrolman to Sergeant, and then to Lieutenant. He taught many subjects at the Police Academy and was a member of the Hostage and Crisis negotiation team. An honorably discharged veteran of the United States Marines Bill served from 1991 through 1995. Bill said that he applied at Shaler Township because he heard positive things about the department and our community and is looking forward to doing more "community-oriented policing."

OPEN BURNING REGULATION

Open burning may only be conducted in accordance with Allegheny County Health Department Article XXIS2105.50 "Open Burning." Municipal ordinances may only be equal to or more stringent than ACHD regulations.



Fires must be at least 15 feet from the nearest structure, neighbor's dwelling or inhabited area, including:

- Property line
- Roadway
- Sidewalk
- Public access area

Fires may be no larger than 3' wide by 3' long by 2' high and must be attended at all times by a competent person at least 18 years of age.

Burning Material: No material other than clean wood, propane or natural gas may be open burned except for:

- Commercial available fire logs, paraffin logs or wood pellets.
- Paper and commercial smokeless fire starters in order to start a fire.
- Charcoal for the preparation of food only.

Air Quality Action Days: Wood burning activities are prohibited on Air Quality Action days, with the exception of burning for the commercial preparation of food.

Please remember that flying embers may ignite nearby combustible materials and/or other structures. As the homeowner or tenant, you are ultimately responsible for any recreational fires burning on the property.

School Crossing Guard Opening

The Township is seeking part-time substitute school crossing guards. Hours vary by assignment but are 2-4 hours per day. You must obtain all child clearances as required by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. If you are interested in applying, please visit www.shaler.org and look under the "How Do I" tab for employment positions.

SHALER EMS SUBSCRIPTION REMINDER

If you have not subscribed to Shaler Hampton EMS you still have time to do so!

Being a subscriber helps to ensure Shaler Hampton EMS can continue providing the best possible emergency medical care to you and your family. Your subscription money allows Shaler Hampton EMS to hire and retain qualified medical professionals, purchase and maintain new ambulances, and invest in life saving medical equipment.

Subscribing also provides you with unlimited protection from all costs associated with medically necessary emergency ambulance service. This means that no matter how many times you or someone in your family may need an ambulance in an emergency, you will not incur any out of pocket expense. Shaler Hampton EMS is one of the few ambulance services that still covers 100% of copays and deductibles. In addition, most communities in northern Allegheny County honor your Shaler Hampton EMS Subscription so that you are protected even when you are outside our service area.

To find out more about subscribing, please contact us at 412-487-6590 or visit our website at www.shalerhamptonems.org.

The costs for subscribing are: **Individual \$40.00** **Family \$55.00** **Family Plus \$75.00**



VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS

NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME
"YOU DO NOT HAVE TO FIGHT FIRES TO BE A MEMBER".

CHERRY CITY VFC

www.cherrycityfire.org

Weekly Bingo Thursdays at 7:15 PM

Annual Street Fair and Raffle, July 24-27

UNDERCLIFF VFC

www.undercliffvfc.org

Weekly Bingo Friday at 7:00 PM

Annual Car Raffle July 28th \$10.00 per ticket
2 chances to win a 2019 Subaru Crosstrek 2.0i premium



TRASH COLLECTION

County Hauling provides curbside collection household waste. **All household trash should be placed in trash bags before being placed in the trash can.** Garbage service includes normal household waste, yard waste, furniture, bundled carpet cut in 4-ft. lengths and appliances (Freon must be removed by a certified plumber). Please place one (1) bulk item per week for disposal. For disposal of construction, demolition or remodeling material, please contact County Hauling for disposal rental information. Household Hazardous Waste and Electronic Waste pick-up are included as part of your garbage service. You must schedule your pick-up with County Hauling for this service.

YARD WASTE PICK UP

Call County Hauling at 724-929-7694 Ext. 7 or e-mail to info@countyhauling.com by 3:00 PM Wednesday of the date below of that week to schedule Yard Waste Collection.

Saturday, June 22
Saturday, July 27

Saturday, August 24
Saturday, September 28

Yard waste includes: leaves, garden residue, shrubbery with no dirt attached, limbs, twigs, brush and tree trimmings, and similar items, but does not include grass clippings and mulch.

Yard waste must be placed in a bio-degradable paper bag. Tree trimmings not to exceed 3-inches in diameter. Brush, limbs, twigs and shrubbery must be bundled in lengths not to exceed 4 feet in length and 1-foot total diameter.

ELECTRONIC WASTE AND HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

Services are included with your account.

To schedule a collection time, call ECS&R at 866-815-0016 or go online to <http://www.ecsr.net/shaler-curbside/>

"EXTENDED TRAVEL" BILLING WAIVER REQUEST – also for sale of a vacant home

Form and information located at www.shaler.org under Forms and Trash Collection.

RECYCLING TIPS

Tip #1: Only Place These Recyclables in the Curbside Recycling Container

- Paper, including newspapers, envelopes, junk mail, phone books and magazines.
- Flattened cardboard, file folders, and poster board – must be placed in cart.
 - Large flattened cardboard may be dropped off at the Township recycling dumpster.
- Plastic bottles and containers – Plastic #1 and 2 only.
- Aluminum, tin food and beverage cans.

Tip #2: Recyclables Should Be Empty, Clean & Dry

- Place all items in recycling cart without plastic bags.
- Plastic grocery bags are only recyclable through the grocery stores.

Tip #3: When In Doubt, Throw It Out

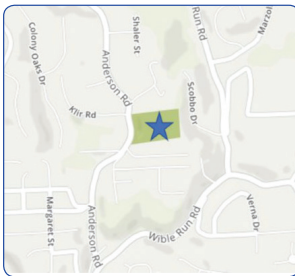
Contamination is a major obstacle of recycling. Many consumers put items into the recycling container hoping that they are recyclable. Despite these good intentions, some items should not be mixed in with clean recyclables. If questioning whether something is recyclable or not follow the guidance, "When in doubt, throw it out" by tossing the items into the trash container.

Glass Recycling available at Reserve Park Landfill

408 Hoffman Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15212
Phone: 412-821-9874

Monday through Friday, 7:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Saturdays, 7:00 AM to 12:30 PM

TWO SHALER TOWNSHIP PARKS



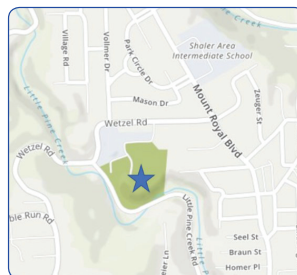
DENNY PARK

Denny Park is a 9-acre park located off Anderson Road and is the home of Shaler Soccer Club. This park has multiple soccer fields, concession stand, playground equipment and restrooms that are open during public events. There is a picnic shelter that may be rented for birthday parties and other functions when Shaler Soccer is not using the field. Parking was recently expanded at the back of the park to provide adequate parking for soccer tournaments. For the 2019 summer season the Township will hold Movies in the Park scheduled for August 16th featuring "Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom" and October 12th featuring "Hocus Pocus".

Denny Park, 1198 Anderson Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15209

KIWANIS PARK

Kiwanis Park is the premier park of Shaler Township and is centrally located off Wetzel Road near the municipal building. The focal feature of this park is Crawford Pool. Over the past few years the Township has renovated much of the pool to include a new water slide, updated baby pool area and new liner. Baseball organizations utilize Crawshaw Field as well as the lower two fields for league and tournament play. There is a large playground area that accommodates various age groups as well as a basketball court and tennis courts. Two picnic shelters are available to rent for family and party events.



The Township hosts many events at Crawford Pool and Kiwanis Park which include:

- Community Day on July 4th, which includes music, games, fire truck rides and food vendors. Fireworks conclude the evening's events.
- Float with a Flick at Crawford Pool
- Night Swims at Crawford Pool
- Movies at Kiwanis Park

Kiwanis Park, 1 Meyer Road,
Glenshaw, PA 15116

COMMUNITY DAY

KIWANIS PARK

Thursday, July 4th, 2019
Join friends, family and neighbors for our Annual Community Day Celebration.

JANE NEELY 5K RACE

Race starts at 8:30 a.m.
Proceeds benefit the Shaler Area School District Backpack Initiative
Apply online at: www.shaler.org

1:00 TO 3:00 PM

Fire Truck Rides
Carnival Games
Children's Inflatables (4)

CRAWFORD POOL NOON TO 6:00 P.M.

D.J. at the Pool 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Concession stand open through festivities

UPTOWN RHYTHM & BRASS 7:30 -9:30 PM

Bands and D.J. sponsored by Jeff Critchlow Auto Body and Car Care

6:30 - 9:15 PM

Children's Inflatables (4)
Carnival Games
Community Tents
Food Vendors

SHALER HAMPTON EMS

Free Blood Pressure Checks
Mini CPR Clinics



MILITARY RECOGNITION CEREMONY 8:00 PM

(for those currently serving or discharged in the last year) Registration forms at www.shaler.org

VISIT THE TOWNSHIP TENT

Township Basket Raffle tickets available, benefits the SASD Backpack Initiative

FIREWORKS BY PYROTECNICO AT DUSK

(rain date: Friday, July 5)
No pets, fireworks or sparklers are permitted in Kiwanis Park. Kiwanis Park is a smoke-free park.

SHARE THE ROAD!

Warm weather is here and pedestrians and cyclists will be taking to the roads of Shaler. Some simple guidelines will keep everybody safe and happy.

- Bicyclists should ride with the flow of traffic.
- Cyclists have a legal right to the lane and may take as much road as needed for safety reasons.
- Pedestrians should walk opposing traffic.
- Drivers dealing with pedestrians and cyclists is simple. Pay attention to the road, slow down, and state law requires giving at least four feet of clearance when passing.
- Drivers may cross the center line when passing.

Observing these suggestions will make Shaler a safe place for everyone using our roads!

TOM ROGERS MEMORIAL DUCK RACE

Saturday, July 13 at 11:00 AM
Fawcett Fields, McElheny Road

The Elfinwild Lions Club is sponsoring a Tom Rogers Memorial Duck Race. Ducks are \$5 each and will have two chances to win a cash prize. To purchase a duck, please call 412-487-1888. Refreshments will also be available.

AMERICAN LEGION

American Legion Post 785, over the last 25 years, has provided over \$200,000 in scholarships to High School seniors to pursue further education at the college level.

For more information go to www.shalerpost785.com

SENIORS FOR SAFE DRIVING FIRST TIME SENIOR COURSE

Sponsored by State Rep. Lori Mizgorski
July 18 & 19, 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM
Northern Tier Library
4015 Dickey Road, Gibsonia

The course is for drivers 55 years or older. The fee is \$16.00 payable to Seniors for Safe Driving. Participants who successfully complete the driving course will receive a minimum 5% discount on their auto insurance. The course is classroom instruction only, no exam will be given. Call Representative Mizgorski's office for more information at 412-487-6605 or call 1-800-559-4880 to register or online at www.sfsd-pa.com.

CRAWFORD POOL EVENTS

Float with a Flick "Shark Tales", Sat., June 29
Night Swim, Friday, July 12
Float with a Flick "Little Mermaid", Fri., July 26
Night Swim, Friday, August 2
Last Splash Pool Party, Sat., August 24
Details may be found at www.shaler.org

MOVIES IN THE PARK

Sponsored by Wesbanco
"Indiana Jones Temple of Doom" at Denny Park, August 16
"E.T." at Stoneridge Park, September 14
"Hocus Pocus" at Denny Park, October 12
Times to be determined

Save the Date!
FALL FEST
September 27



HOURS:

- Monday & Wednesday 10 AM to 8 PM
- Tuesday & Thursday 10 AM to 9 PM
- Friday 10 AM to 6 PM

- Saturday 10 AM to 5 PM

Closed on Sundays through September 8

- Mondays & Fridays the Adult section opens at 8:30 AM
- Closed Thursday, July 4 for Independence Day



NEW EVENT WEBSITE AND APP

We are excited to announce a great service that will allow you to easily keep track of everything going on in Shaler Township, Millvale, Etna and Reserve! Burbio.com is a FREE website and app that puts school, library and other local events all in one calendar. Sign up at Burbio.com or download the free APP to your iPhone or Android. Follow your favorite calendars... including SNHL!

WHAT'S ALL THE HOOPLA ABOUT HOOPLA?

Hoopla is a digital service provided by your Library where you can borrow music, stream TV shows and movies, and listen to audio books. Hoopla now has BBC shows available, and much more. Hoopla now supports Amazon Alexa devices too. More information on using hoopla with Alexa can be found on hoopla's help pages: <https://www.hoopladigital.com/help>.

SPECIAL EVENTS FOR THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY

(No registration needed for these events)

Great Gardens Tour

Sunday, June 30, 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 Sponsored by the Shaler Garden Club, rain or shine. Tour 5 beautiful local area gardens with great variety, color and detail. Tickets on sale at the Library. \$12.00 in advance of the tour; \$15.00 the day of the tour. Proceeds benefit SNHL.

Great Local Gardens Contest

Deadline to enter is July 8

If you have a beautiful garden you'd like to share with others, enter our Great Local Contest! Entry forms are at the



Library and online. Prizes awarded for the top 5 gardens chosen for consideration for the 2020 Garden Tour. Winners announced Tuesday, July 23 during the Shaler Garden Club annual meeting.

7TH APPRAISAL FAIR

Coming to SNHL this Summer Come get expert advice about your family treasures and collectibles. Qualified appraisers will be on hand to discuss your items. Organized by the Heinz History Center. (A small donation supports library programming.)

TOUCH-A-TRUCK FUNDRAISER

Sunday, August 4, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
(No Horn Zone from 11:00 AM to Noon)
 Come and sit behind the wheels of police cars, construction trucks, and more. For \$5.00 per person (\$20.00 per family) you can climb aboard all kinds of things that go! Children under 2 are free.

11TH ANNUAL CAR CRUISE!

Saturday, August 10 at 5:30 PM
 Dance to favorite oldies with DJ Clint Stokes and check out the coolest cruise cars!

ADULTS: WE'RE ROLLING OUT THE RED CARPET THIS SUMMER!

It's Showtime @ SNHL this summer!
 You can win wonderful prizes just for reading what you like with our Summer Reading Program, which runs through August. Prize sponsors include AMPD Group, Body Bar, Carnegie Museum, Children's Museum, Fun Fore All, Heinz History Center, Civic Light Opera, Pittsburgh Zoo & PPG Aquarium, and more. Visit us for resources for your vacation and road trips, too.

METAL DETECTOR AND TELESCOPE AT YOUR LIBRARY

This summer is a great chance to try out stargazing or metal detecting! Borrow these items with

just your library card. Stop in or call to get on the schedule.

FREE ADMISSION FOR FIVE LOCAL VENUES

Check out new Adventure Kits available @ SNHL for free passes to the Heinz History Center (includes access to Fort Pitt Museum and Meadowcroft), Old Economy Village, Historic Harmony, Quecreek Mine Rescue Site, and David Bradford House. You can check these kits out on your library card. Stop in or call to get on the schedule.

KIDS & FAMILIES: IT'S SHOWTIME @ SNHL

Summer programs and classes are in full swing!

Returning programs include LEGO Free Build, Family Playdoh Nights, Kindergarten Readiness, Movie Mondays, Lunch Buddies, Crafty Fridays and Saturdays, LEGO WeDo Robotics, Fun Food for Kids, Our Own Backyard, and more! Thursdays at 2:00 p.m., find us at the Etna Pool, see us weekly at the Millvale Community Library and, NEW this year, at Stoneridge Park and Kiwanis Park!

DANCE CAMP

Monday, June 17 Friday, June 21 10:15 to 11:00 AM. OR 6:30 to 7:15 PM
 Recitals on Saturday, June 22 at 10:15 AM OR 6:30 PM
 Learn to dance for those entering grades K & 1 in Fall 2019.

SUMMER STUDIO ART CLASS

Fridays: June 21 - July 19, 2:00 to 3:00 PM
 Draw, paint, and create using Carla Sonheim's Kids Art Lessons. For those entering grades 4-6 in Fall 2019.



THE GIFTS OF IMPERFECT PARENTING BOOK GROUP

Fridays: June 28 - July 26, 6:30 to 7:45 PM
 Come explore Brene Brown's book, The Gifts of Imperfect Parenting, Raising



Children with Courage, Compassion and Connection, available on hoopla for free download with your library card. Parents, grandparents and caregivers are all welcome. Together we will listen to excerpts from the audiobook, reflect on our own experiences, and learn new ways to relate to the children in our lives. Babysitting will be provided.

AMERICAN GIRL SATURDAYS

June 29 Rebecca Rubin

July 27 Beach Party! Bring a beach towel and wear your swimsuit

August 31 Julie Albright - Bring a white tee shirt

6:30 to 8:30 PM

Bring your favorite doll for stories, crafts, snacks and a look back in time. Ages entering grades K-6 in Fall 2019.

BALLET DANCE CLASS

Fridays: July 5, 12, 19 & 26

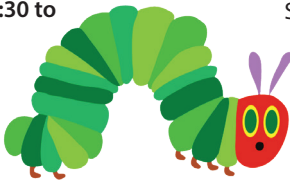
10:15 to 11:00 AM

Entering grade 2 or 3 in Fall 2019? Want to see if ballet is the thing for you? Join us in July to learn from a pro!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, HUNGRY CATERPILLAR!

Saturday, July 6, 10:30 to 11:15 AM

The Very Hungry Caterpillar turns 50 this year! All ages are invited to celebrate with us.



FUN FOOD FOR KIDS IN GRADES K-6

Saturdays: July 13 & August 10

11:00 to 11:45 AM & 12:30 to 1:15 PM

Learn the basics of cooking along with preparing yummy treats based on a different theme each class.

9TH ANNUAL EGG DROP DAY

Wednesday, July 17 at 2:00 PM

Let's see if your egg can survive a toss out of our second floor window. Bring a raw egg and your sense of adventure!

A DISNEY CELEBRATION FEATURING THE LION KING

Saturday, July 20, 7:00 to 8:00 PM

The Lion King is turning 50 this year! Come and celebrate with a story, games and crafts. All ages fun!

HOUR OF CODE

Saturday, July 27, 10:30 to 11:30 AM

Space is limited so register early

Kids, let's code! Use laptop computers, iPads, and some "unplugged" activities to create

programs for solving problems and developing interactive games or stories to share. No programming experience necessary.

EXPLORE ENGINEERING CAMP

2 Sessions: Thursday, August 1 & Friday, August 2

2:00 to 5:00 PM

For kids entering grades 6-8 in Fall 2019. We strongly recommend that students attend both. Registration is required.

FAMILY CARNIVAL!

Friday, August 2, 7:00 to 8:00 PM

Games and lots of fun for all ages!

SUMMER OF LOVE!

Friday, August 16, 7:00 to 8:00 PM

The Summer of '69 is known as the Summer of Love. Let's make 2019 a Summer of Love, too. Lay rubber to the library for a far-out time. Pig out on '60s snacks, make some groovy art, and listen to righteous music. Come dressed as a Square or a Hippie and we'll show our Flower Power. All ages.

TEENS ENTERING GRADES 7 - 12:

READ TO WIN!

Teen Summer Reading 2019: It's Showtime at Your Library! READ TO WIN! Every book you read earns you a scratch ticket for an instant prize PLUS a raffle ticket for grand prizes at the end of the summer!

PIZZA AND PAGES

Thursdays: June 20, July 18, and August 15

7:00 to 8:00 PM

A monthly book discussion for teens! Hang out and talk about books while enjoying pizza and snacks. Copies of the monthly selection will be on display for check out in the Teen Room, or you can ask a staff member for assistance.



TEEN TABLETOP AND BOARD GAME NIGHT

Thursdays: June 27, July 11 & 25, and August 8 & 22

7:00 to 8:00 PM

We'll have an assortment of board games. Play

some of our board games or bring yours from home. Snacks too!

TEEN ANIME FEST

Saturday, June 29, 7:00 to 9:00 PM

Games, candy sushi, cosplay contest, music and a movie! Display your art in our "artist's alley" and share techniques with others.

TEEN GAME NIGHT

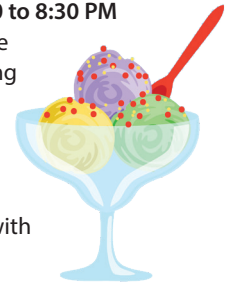
Saturday, July 13, 7:00 to 9:00 PM

Games of all kinds, plus music and food! Then we'll play Sardines and Zombie Tag!

TEEN BUILD A BETTER SUNDAE

Sunday, July 21, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Celebrate National Ice Cream Day by building your very own sundae. We'll provide all the ice cream and toppings. Then sprinkle the Library with positive post-it notes by "kind-bombing" the library!



TEEN ZONE CAFÉ

Sunday, July 28, 7:00 to 9:00 PM

Step up to the "open mic" or just enjoy as an audience member as we transform our community room into a coffee shop/cafe with sweet treats and drinks. The floor is yours! No registration needed.

TEEN CRAFT NIGHT: MOD PODGE

Saturday, August 3, 7:00 to 8:30 PM

Get creative with decoupage! Choose from a variety of items (small journals, cardboard stars, rocks, mailboxes) and collage with tissue paper and magazine pictures.