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-- MIDDLETOWN -BUCKS COUNTY

Join Us for National Night Out Tuesday, August 3rd

National Night Out is just around the corner!

National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live. The



Middletown Township Police Department will host a block party at the Municipal Center on Tuesday, August 3rd. Families and community members will have the opportunity to meet Middletown Township Police and staff, view demonstrations, and participate in them.

Middletown Township Board of Supervisors Chairperson Tom Tostisaid, "National Night Out is a great opportunity for Police to engage with the community. It's a fun night that will enhance the relationship between our residents and police while bringing back a true sense of community".

Come out for a fun night of activities including crafts, a dunk tank, basketball, jumbo yard games, and so much more. Shop small from many of our vendors. Once you've worked up an appetite, grab a bite from one of the food trucks!

<u>Check out our Facebook page for more details</u>. We hope to see you then!

Join Us For Family Movie Night in the Park Featuring Aladdin Thursday, July 29!



Family Movie Night is coming up!

Bring your family to Middletown Community Park for our annual Family Move Night sponsored by the Diane Loomis Team!

On July 29th, we will be showing Aladdin (2019) and having fun summer activities.

Pre-movie activities will start at 6:45pm. Kids will have the opportunity to run through the sprinklers to beat the heat before the movie begins at 8:15pm.

We ask you to please bring your own lawn chairs and blankets. There will be popcorn and other snacks available for purchase at the park.

Make sure to check out our Facebook page for more details and updates about the event. For any other questions regarding this event please call the Parks & Recreation Department at 215-750-3890.

An Afternoon at Camp SOAR

A couple weeks ago, Middletown
Township Supervisor Anna
Payne and Township
Manager Stephanie Teoli
Kuhls visited Camp SOAR at the Bucks County Technical
High School.



Camp SOAR is a special education camp that helps students learn independence. They are taught things like cooking, shopping, and

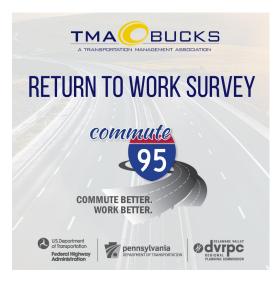
other important daily tasks to help achieve their mission. The Middletown Community Foundation participates and helps to fund this camp and what it provides for the campers. It has been funded by MCF since its beginning nearly 20 years ago. The support of MCF and the community to hold this camp for the students every year is so special, and what it provides for the kids is amazing.

Supervisor Payne and Ms. Teoli Kuhls spent the afternoon teaching the campers about our community. They shared with the campers the important roles they both have in our township.

Ms. Teoli Kuhls spoke about what it means to be a part of this community, and how we all can contribute to make it a great place. She talked about how community helpers make a great difference in our Township. In one of the activities, the students used a map to find parks, schools, and other landmarks in the Township. Supervisor Payne talked about her role as a Supervisor and spoke about voting, and how that process works to get elected officials for our community. We had a great afternoon with the students and are looking forward to spending more time at Camp SOAR in the future.

Thanks Camp SOAR for having us! We can't wait to be back next year!

Residents Who Work in Philadelphia are Asked to Complete Return to Work Survey



In preparation for the aradual restoration of "normal activity" following the COVID-19 pandemic. TMA Bucks and PennDOT are working to get an idea of what commute patterns will look like "post-pandemic" for city-bound workers who live in Bucks County.

In the anonymous online survey, most auestions are focused on the use of I-95 including how commuters used the highway during the pandemic, and how much they will be using it through 2022. Other auestions include details on where they live, if they telecommute, when

they plan on returning to in-person work, and if they are considering any other means of transportation including SEPTA Regional Rail.

If you are a resident who will be commutina to Philadelphia for work. we encourage you to complete the 11-auestion survey so TMA Bucks and PennDOT can properly assess commuting patterns.

Use the link below to fill out a auick survey about your commute plans to help them out! Thanks for your participation.

We're on Twitter!

You might've heard from a little bird that we're on Twitter!

Make sure to follow us on Twitter @middletownbucks to keep up with important updates and news about the community.

Tweet us your pictures from events, of our parks, or any fun pictures from things in our community and we'll retweet our favorites!



We Have a New Footbridge!



Last spring, the footbridge across Mill Creek connecting the neighborhoods of Snowball Gate and Forsythia Gate in Levittown was shut down for safety reasons. The footbridge is a valuable asset to locals as it serves a dual purpose for connecting pedestrian access and for recreation in the area.

Our Public Works Crew has been working hard to complete the installation so locals can begin to use the bridge again. They've been working with Contech Engineering Solutions in an effort to reduce costs. Work on the footbridge began in June and was placed on July 22^{nd} , however, the bridge will not be open for use until the walkways on both sides are completed.

The new footbridge is ADA accessible, and will be complete later this summer after ADA accessible pathways are installed at the end of each bridge.

The footbridge improves walkability for residents and increases recreation options for them as well. Supervisor Mike Ksiazek, says "We

are really excited to be installing a new footbridge for the local residents, and we are looking forward to having it completed for everyone."

We are pleased to bring back this valuable resource for generations of families in our community to enjoy.

Sign Up For Penndel-Middletown Emergency Squads Annual Subscription

The Penndel-Middletown Emergency Squad (PMES) is currently promoting its 2021-2022 Subscription Program.

Your subscription assures that Penndel-Middletown Emergency Squad will have the staff, vehicles and equipment



required to provide around-the-clock protection for you and your family in the event of an emergency.

Your subscription can save you hundreds of dollars by covering any co-payments or deductibles. Most insurance companies do not pay 100% of total ambulance charges. Your subscription covers any co-payments or deductibles. In addition, your subscription also assures that you will not incur any unnecessary bills for medically necessary emergency ambulance service to the closest appropriate facility, regardless of your insurance coverage.

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