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**LYNN TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER**

Lynn Township, Lehigh County  
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

**Fall/Winter 2007**



Message from Chairman:

Autumn has arrived after a long hot summer. Temperatures are cooling and the leaves are turning, making this one of the most beautiful times of year in Lynn Township.

The November 6 election will bring change, too, as voters select a new supervisor for a six year term. I want to express my heartfelt appreciation to departing Supervisor Charles Lenhart for his twenty-five years of service to the township. Thanks and all the best, Charlie!

The Board of Supervisors continue to work with the Sewer Authority on the Act 537 plan for expansion of the sewer plant. Our goal is to develop the best plan for all residents – present and future – at the lowest possible cost.

Ontelaunee Park looks better than ever and has been the venue for numerous exciting events, including a talent show, concerts, family reunions, and weddings. I would like to encourage parents to bring their children to Ontelaunee Park to enjoy our new playground equipment.

Road Master Bruce Raber and the Road Crew had a busy summer and I hope you will agree that the township roads are in great shape. They did an outstanding job repaving Gun Club Road and they are prepared for the challenges of winter weather, with 300 tons of salt.

Autumn is a time when fallen leaves accumulate and many residents dispose of them by burning. I'd like to remind residents that the township ordinance permits burning materials like leaves, but burning non-natural trash is prohibited. Please be careful and considerate of your neighbors if you burn leaves this fall.

Speaking of trash, you will soon see PennDot Adopt-a-Highway signs on Madison Street and Schochary Road. Lynn Township Environmental Advisory Committee has adopted this road and will be policing it for litter several times a year. Other civic groups interested in adopting a state road in the township may call the township office for information on how to get involved.

As always, please feel free to share your thoughts and ideas to make this township a better place to live and work. Call us at 610-298-2645 or drop us a note.

Sincerely,

Thomas C. Creighton, III, Chairman

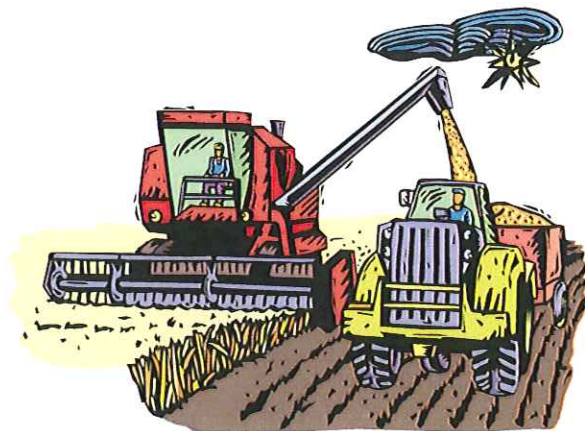
# WELCOME RESIDENTS

Many people moving to a rural community think of the country as quiet, stress-free, and relaxing. Although most of the time this is true, there are a few common practices associated with rural life which may conflict with new residents perception of "country life." Our rural community includes practices such as:

- New modern buildings to house and protect animals.
- Sounds of farm machinery being operated 24 hours a day during planting and harvesting season which creates noise and dust.
- Smells such as pesticides, chemical fertilizers and/or the storing and applying of manure.
- Large and slow moving vehicles such as tractors on the open road.
- Wild animals such as bear, deer, coyotes, skunks, raccoons, etc.
- Private wells and septic systems.
- Police coverage is sometimes limited.
- Other services and conveniences are limited such as:
  - The volume and kinds of materials allowed for garbage pick-up.
  - No leaf and yard waste collection.
  - Volunteer Fire Companies.
  - A Volunteer Rescue Squad.

On a lighter note, some of the more positives realities you can expect are the more personable relationships among residents and neighbors. You can almost always count on a friendly hello, smile or other kind gesture from others. Our community prides itself on its ability to work well together and with others to provide a safe and comfortable home life for you and your family.

If you can not find the needed assistance and/or information you are looking for, you can always contact the municipal office at (610) 298-2645. We're always happy to help.



## HAVE YOU MOVED IN, OUT or WITHIN LYNN TOWNSHIP???



**MOVING PERMITS** are required by Township ordinance for all persons moving **into, within, or out of** Lynn Township. This permit may be obtained free of charge at the Municipal Building in Lynnport or by calling 610-298-2645. By obtaining and filling out moving permits, the Township establishes a census record of its residents. The record is used by the Northwestern Lehigh School District to project student populations and growth of school facilities. It is also used by the Earned Income Tax Bureau in collecting the 1% earned income tax from employers. Census figures also help to determine amounts of Federal and State assistance available for the Township. These are some of the reasons why it is imperative to have as correct a census as possible. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Landlords are required to submit a list of their tenants to the Township Zoning Office every year prior to February 1st.

### ??? Answers to Some Frequently Asked Permit Questions???

- Permits are not required for fences unless they are greater than 6' or more in height. Permits are also required for retaining walls greater than 4' or more in height. No retaining wall, shrubbery or fence, regardless of height, may obstruct the sight distance at any intersection or driveway. No fences or retaining walls are allowed on Township or State road right-of-way.
- Permits are required for all construction, re-construction or alteration made to any structure.
- Permits are required for "changes in use" such as converting a garage to a family room.
- Installation and/or paving a driveway requires a permit. The Zoning Office should be contacted prior to work being done to check for conformance with ordinance.
- Permits are required for any repair or change to a septic system.
- Permits are required for above ground and in ground swimming pools, as well as, hot tubs and spas. Specific setback requirements exist.
- Permits are required for any business run from your home. (Home Occupations)
- Permits are required for signs whether permanent or temporary.
- Permits are required for moving into, within, or out of the Township.
- Permits are required for the demolition/razing of any structures.

If you are ever in doubt whether a permit is required or not, please contact the Zoning Office @  
610-298-2645, Monday-Friday, 8:00am to 4:30pm

### LYNN TOWNSHIP DROP OFF CENTER

6540 Scholler Rd., New Tripoli  
(3/4 mi. from Allemaengel Rd.)  
Hours: Friday & Saturday—9:00AM to 4:00PM  
Recyclables—FREE  
Yard waste including grass, leaves and branches— FREE  
\$ 4.00 per garbage bag & \$10.00 per burn barrel

**Recycle Bins may be purchased at the  
township zoning office for the cost of  
\$10.00 each.**



## NEWS FROM LYNN-HEIDELBERG HISTORICAL SOCIETY

### FALL 2007

The hot and humid days of summer are fading and we all look forward to the beautiful foliage and cooler days of fall. By the time you receive this newsletter, the reconstruction of Fort Everett will be completed and our annual Pioneer Day celebration on October 6 at Ontelaunee Park will be history. Thanks to you, our active members, many more items of history of this area have been donated to the Society and cataloged and are on display in the original 1910 New Tripoli National Bank Building where we share our headquarters with the Bank Museum collection.



Walking into this building is a step back in time to the early 1900's. The building is basically the way it was when the Bank opened its doors on March 1, 1910 for business. Check our website [www.lynntownship.org](http://www.lynntownship.org) for visiting hours and current events. Also, arrangements can be made for tours by calling Willard A Snyder 610-767-6864, Virginia Woodward 610-298-2231 or Linda Rehrig 610-298-8722. These tours also include our pioneer village at Ontelaunee Park, Snyder's One Room School House and a unique collection of old wagons, and farm equipment in the barn at Olde Homestead Golf Course.

On December 9, 2007, 1pm to 4pm, join us at the pioneer village for our second annual old-fashioned CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE, 1776 VINTAGE. Carol singing in the fort stockade, a visit from "Belznickel" (traditional German Christmas character), a Dulcimer instrumentalist, hot cider and cookies and lots of good fellowship. Fires will be blazing in both fireplaces at the Zeisloff House and Fore Everett and a huge bon fire will warm us inside the stockade. Don't miss the opportunity to learn about Christmas as celebrated by our German Ancestors.

Abraham Lincoln will pay a visit to Northwestern Lehigh Middle School on April 10, 2008 where we will have a joint program with the School District in learning more about one of our most famous Presidents. The program will be in the evening. This is another event you don't want to miss and this program will be in place of our annual banquet.

We have for sale 1850 vintage Lynn and Heidelberg Township maps with roads and residents names and their location at \$5, Northwestern Lehigh Picture books \$20, A Village Called Lynnville by Viola Wert \$10 and good old-fashioned apple butter made in an open copper kettle during our Pioneer Day.

Have you joined your Historical Society? If not, come and join and be a part of the importance of preserving our heritage. Have a wonderful and magnificent holiday season.

Yours in History,

Willard A. Snyder, President



## Lynn Township Meeting Schedule

### Board of Supervisors

Regular Meetings— 1st Monday prior to the 1st Thurs. of each month at 5:30 PM & the 2nd Thurs. of each month at 5:30 PM

### Planning Commission

Regular Meetings— 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM

### Zoning Hearing Board

Regular Meetings— 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM when required

### Sewer Authority

Regular Meetings— 3rd Tuesday of each month at 4:30 PM

### Environmental Advisory Committee

Meetings Held—2nd Wednesday of each month at 5:30 PM in the Lynn Township Municipal building. Remaining meetings for 2007 – 12/12/2007

### Lynn Township Recreation Advisory Committee

Meetings Held—3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM when required.

### Leaser Lake

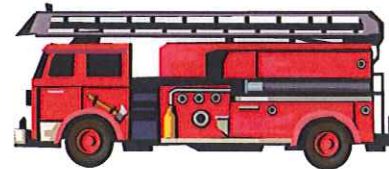
Meetings Held—4th Thursday of every other month at 7:00 PM. A Meeting is scheduled for 11/29/2007. The schedule and list of the 2007 Board of Directors can be found on our website at : [www.leaserlakeheritage.org](http://www.leaserlakeheritage.org)

**All public meetings are held in the Township Municipal Building located at 7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli. Meeting times and dates are subject to change. Call 610-298-2645 for the most up-to-date meeting information.**



**CAN EMERGENCY SERVICES FIND YOU?**  
Reflective address signs clearly mark your mailbox or driveway.  
If you would like to purchase a reflective marker sign please contact your local fire company.

New Tripoli Fire Company contact  
Toby Snyder @ 610-298-8402  
Lynnport Fire Company contact  
Ed Sawyer @ 610-756-3484



**Election Day  
Tuesday,  
November 6th, 2007**

**PLEASE - DON'T FORGET TO  
VOTE!**





# NEW ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Environmental Advisory Committee Marks First Anniversary.

This has been a busy and rewarding first year for Lynn Township's Environmental Advisory Committee. Several projects to protect the beauty and health of our community are underway.

The Second Annual Beautify Lynn Day was held on Saturday, April 7, in conjunction with Clean sweep 2007. Township residents picked up dozens of bags of litter, furniture, scrap metal, and LOTS of tires from along our roads. After the liter was dropped off at the township building, it was taken to the Clean sweep event at the Lowhill Township building for proper disposal or recycling at no charge to Lynn Township. Thanks to all of the Lynn residents who took the time to pick up litter, and to Teena Bailey and the Rural Preservation Association of Northwestern Lehigh County for their generous help with disposing of it..

Residents will soon see new signs along State Road 4033(Madison Street and Schochary Road) designating the road as part of PennDot's statewide Adopt-A-Highway Program. The EAC has adopted this road and will maintain its appearance by picking up litter from the center of New Tripoli to Kistler Valley Road four times a year. Watch for EAC members in orange vests.

A number of Lynn residents have shared their concerns with the EAC about trash burning in the township. Residents are reminded that Section 86-3 of the Zoning Ordinance prohibits burning non-natural materials such as plastics, composites, and metals. Burning such material is harmful to the air we breath, the water we drink, and the soil we grow food in. Only wood and paper should be burned. Violators face fines of \$50. to \$300.

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED!!! Residents who would like to be considered for appointment to the EAC are encouraged to contact the Township Office at (610) 298-2645.

All residents are invited to attend EAC meetings, which are held at 5:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every month.

Peter Crabb, Chair



Before you do any work, do you know you could be in violation of the Department of Environmental Protection's Regulations?

If you are unsure whether you need a permit, approval or if your activity would be in violation of the Department's Regulations, STOP and contact the Northeast Regional Office for assistance at 1-866-255-5158 ext 2.

**Don't Dump**

**Don't Fill in Floodway**

**Don't Bury**

**Don't Demo**

**Don't Fill in Wetlands**

## LYNN TOWNSHIP SEWER AUTHORITY

Chairman- Eric T. Schellhamer

Treasurer-Steve Feinour

Secretary-Marvin Charles

Solicitor-William E. Schantz

Vice Chairman-Donald M. Christ

Member-Mary Anne Wright

Engineer-David M. Schlott, Jr. P.E.

Telephone/Fax (610) 298-8651

The Lynn Township Sewer Authority Manager, Donald M. Christ will be conducting a visual inspection of the sewer lateral connections (cleanouts), connected to the Sewer Authority main sewer line this fall.

Items of concern are cracked or missing caps on cleanouts, which allow rain water to enter the sewer system. Rain spouts, sump pumps, and floor drains are not allowed to be connected to the sewer system which allow excess water to enter the sewer system.

Inflation and the upgrading of the wastewater treatment plant will impact the User Fees. The Users of the wastewater system can minimize that impact by not allowing excess water, cooking grease, paper towels and dental floss that entangles other waste products to enter the sewer system. It is also important to remind your children not to take off the caps of the cleanouts and put landscaping stones and toys into the system.

The Lynn Township Sewer Authority is checking all manholes for water leaks and making repairs as needed. The largest single user of the wastewater system, Northwestern Lehigh School District has developed and implemented a plan of action to ensure no excess water enters the sewer system from the school.

If you have any questions or need help in identifying a problem with the sewer system, please call the above number for assistance.



### **Sewer Authority Customers**

All residents who are Lynn Township Sewer Authority customers are advised to pay their sewer bills at the New Tripoli Bank or mail them to the Sewer Authority @ P O Box 208, New Tripoli PA 18066. Call the Sewer Authority with any billing questions @ 610-298-8651.

# ONTELAUNEE PARK

7911 Kings Highway  
New Tripoli, PA 18066

The Lynn Township Board of Supervisors and the Lynn Township Recreation Advisory Committee wish to thank everyone who has contributed to the Ontelaunee Park Project.

The Ontelaunee Park Project is dependent on donations and grants for the success of the many projects being completed. Donations are needed to continue the work on these projects. If you would like to contribute to the Ontelaunee Park Project please complete the form below with your charitable contribution.

**Listed below are current projects in the park:**

The Allentown West Rotary Club has built a band shell which has been completed in time for the May 20, 2006 Heidelberg, Lynn Historical Society Pioneer Festival. The Historical Society also completed a replica of Fort Everett in time for the festival.

The New Tripoli National Bank has given a donation for the completion of the restroom facilities at the new pavilion. Nestle' Water North America, Inc. has built a springhouse for educational purposes.

The all-purpose field is re-crowned and reseeded.

A DCNR Grant of \$33,000 for a Gateway Walk and entrance has been approved for the flagpole area and work has started.

A DCNR Grant was approved for a Gateway Garden, which has been completed with a sign along Rt. 143.

A Century Fund Grant and Harry C. Trexler Trust Grant have been received for playground equipment and the work is almost completed.

A 1½ mile walking path is now open thanks to the Boy Scouts completing their Eagle Badges. A shorter environmental path is open around the lake area. The Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts have been planting a variety of flowers in the park.

The Lehigh Career and Technical Institute had one million dollars worth of heavy equipment in the park for the training of their students on park projects. The estimate savings to the park is \$800,000. Some of the work done by the students includes infrastructure, paths, roads, parking lots, foundations, (Band Shell, Pavilion, Spring House).

The Advisory Committee is working with the Northwestern Tennis Association to review the building of several tennis courts within the park.

*Special thanks to Lowhill, Heidelberg and Weisenberg Townships for their manpower and equipment for helping make the Park project a success.*

Yes! I would like to help the effort to restore Ontelaunee Park for our community.

Enclosed is my check made payable to: The Friends of Ontelaunee Park (7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli PA 18066)

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|-------------------------------------|----------|---|----------|--|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student    | \$5.00   | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Citizen | \$25.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Individual    | \$30.00  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family     | \$50.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend         | \$100.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Patron        | \$250.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian   | \$250.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Play Ground    | \$50.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis Courts | \$50.00  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball | \$50.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Picnic table   | \$200.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Bench         | \$525.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Birdhouse  | \$30.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Tree           | \$225.00 |  |          |

Thank you for your support!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

# ONTELAUNEE PARK

Roland Lenhart, Ben Giralico, Park Manager Richard Matthias, Shane White and Joe Nemeth



working on the playground set. Missing is Ryan King and Stanley Billig from the picture to the left.

The playground Challenger Set will be ready for the fall season. The capacity is 29 children ages 5—12.

Ontelaunee Park has a lot to offer and more to come. The all purpose field is being used by the NYAA for soccer. The walking trail is being used by many

and when the leaves change color the scenery creates breath-taking views. The Historic Zeisloff House and Fort Everett give a look into the past so it's not forgotten. The New Tripoli Bank is putting the finishing touches to the new pavilion that is presently being used for different functions. The remodeled gable ends gave the old pavilion a new look. The Flag Pole Project will be completed this fall. A brick walkway has been completed and bricks can be purchased with your name inscribed or as memorials for loved ones.

The 2007 activities include: Recreation Advisory Committee flower planting, Reunions, Eagle Project Recognition, Graduation Recognition, Class Reunion, LynnPort Fire Co., Fire Works, Weddings and Receptions, Free Concert, Church Picnics, Baby Shower and Lynn/Heidelberg Pioneer Day.

Reserve your family outing in Ontelaunee Park by calling Lynn Township at (610) 298-2645. No reservations are needed for the picnic tables spread throughout the park. They are free and can be used from sunup to sundown.

Park Manager, Richard Matthias



# SHOULD YOU BURN YOUR TRASH?

Burning trash stinks. But **DID YOU KNOW** that over time it can also make you sick? Make your neighbors sick? And especially make children, older adults, and anyone with heart or lung problems sick?

**DID YOU KNOW** that burning trash can contaminate the soil, harming the very farmland that is the heart and soul of our township?

And **DID YOU KNOW** that burning just 10 pounds of trash in a burn barrel can produce as much air pollution as a modern incinerator burning 400,000 pounds of garbage? ! (New York Department of Environmental Conservation)

Lynn Township's ban on the burning of manmade materials is in place to protect the health of township residents and the health of our food supply. Burning garbage, especially when it contains manmade materials like plastics, polystyrene (such as foam cups), pressure-treated wood or bleached or colored papers, produces a range of dangerous chemicals that travel through the air and get into our lungs, soil and food supply. For example:

- Burning of trash is especially dangerous because the smoke is released close to the ground where people can easily breathe it. The smoke from burning garbage contains at least 14 types of substances that are dangerous to your health; inhaling it can trigger an asthma attack, and potentially cause even more serious problems after repeated exposure.
- Backyard burning is the largest producer of dioxins—highly toxic chemicals that can cause cancer and reproductive and developmental problems—in the United States. A recent study found that open burning produced more dioxins than all other sources combined for the years 2002-2004. (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)



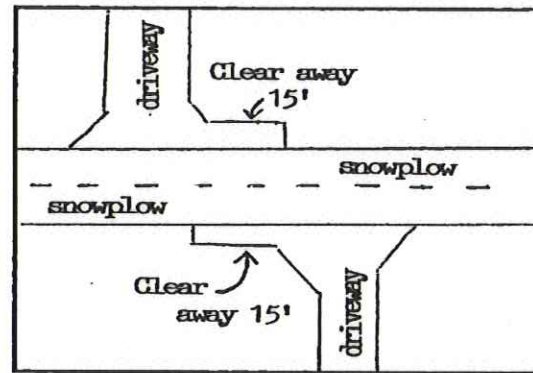
The good news is, there is no good reason to burn trash! The Lynn Township recycling/transfer center, open Fridays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., accepts recyclables including cans, plastic bottles, paper and paperboard for **FREE**. You can also dispose of a bag of trash for \$4, or a whole barrel of trash for \$10.00. A number of trash haulers can also be contacted to pick up your trash and recyclables at your home. (List available at Lynn Township Municipal Bldg., between the hours of 8am-430pm)

Years ago, people didn't understand that burning garbage was a very bad idea. Now we do. Why risk a fine from the township or, worse yet, put yourself and your children or grandchildren at risk? Do yourself and your neighbors a favor— **DON'T BURN!**

Lynn Township Environmental Advisory Committee

**LET IT SNOW!**

And speaking of snow removal, so that the snowplows do not plow your driveway shut, it is recommended that you clear your driveway at least 15' to the left or right depending on which side of the road you live. The trucks always drive in the direction of traffic, plowing to the right, so clear the snow on the side that they will pass first. (See diagram to the right!)



**PLEASE DO NOT PARK YOUR VEHICLE(S) ON THE STREET DURING A SNOW EVENT.** This is especially true in cul-de-sacs, where the plow operator needs the entire area to maneuver. Residents are also reminded that the practice of shoveling, blowing or plowing of snow onto or along roads and cul-de-sacs is prohibited. Pennsylvania's Motor Vehicle Code provides a maximum fine of \$300.00 for this violation.

**Message from the Road Crew:**

We've been working hard to keep our township roads well maintained and safe. As we continue to make improvements, please be alert for work area signs, slow down, and obey the speed limit. We encourage your feedback, support, and suggestions. So when you see us out there, give us a wave or smile. Remember, safety is everyone's responsibility. Thank you from all the Road Crew members, and let's continue to work together for a safe and productive 2007 and beyond.

**LOST YOUR PET?**

Dear Residents,  
If you've lost your precious pet, let the Lynn Township Zoning Office know. Other residents do call us and inform us of stray animals running around. Maybe we could help you reunite. Always remember, protect your pets, and have a collar clearly tagged for ownership.

Lynn Township Zoning Office  
7911 Kings Highway  
New Tripoli PA 18066  
**610-298-2645**



## Who's Who in Lynn Township

### **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**Mtgs.—1st Mon. prior to the 1st Thurs. of ea. month @ 5:30 p.m.,  
& the 2nd Thurs. of ea. month @ 5:30pm**

**Thomas C. Creighton III**, Chairman  
**David C. Najarian, Esq.**, Vice Chairman  
**Charles E. Lenhart III**, Member  
**Tammy M. White**, Secretary/Treasurer

Maintenance Building Address-7923 Kings Highway, New Tripoli PA 18066-610-298-2176

**Bruce Raber**, Road Master  
**Kevin N. Deppe**, Administrator/Zoning Officer, Office Manager  
**Carl A. Wolfe Jr.**-Sewage Enforcement Officer

**Tina M. Everett**, Adm. Secy./Asst. Secy. & **Janet L. Henritzky**, Adm. Secy./Asst. Treasurer  
Phone-610-298-2645 Fax-610-298-2896

Address: 7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli PA 18066

Email- [lynnzone@ptd.net](mailto:lynnzone@ptd.net) Website: [www.lynnntp.org](http://www.lynnntp.org)

### **SEWER AUTHORITY**

**Mtgs.-3rd Tues. of ea. month @ 4:30 p.m.**

**Eric T. Shellhamer**, Chairman  
**Donald M. Christ**, Vice Chairman  
**Marvin Charles**, Secretary  
**Steve I. Feinour**, Treasurer  
**MaryAnne Wright**, Member  
**Sherry L. Selig**, Part-Time Office Secretary  
**Sylvia W. Koenig**, Part-Time Office Secretary

### **PLANNING COMMISSION**

**Mtgs.-3rd Tues. of ea. month @ 7:30 p.m.**

**Brian C. Dietrich**, Chairman  
**Harold R. Handwerk**, Vice Chairman  
**Kathy A. Hermany**, Secretary  
**Scott A. Nagle**  
**Larry L. Bachman**  
**John D. Bailey**  
**Harry A. Gruber**

### **E.I.T. TAX COLLECTOR**

**Carol Betz**  
Phone-610-767-6220 Fax: 610-767-6988  
Address: 6272 Rte. 309, New Tripoli PA 18066

### **TAX COLLECTOR**

(Real Estate & Per Capita)  
**Linda L. Tyson**  
Phone-610-285-6872  
Address: 9137 Red Rd., Kempton PA 19529

### **ZONING HEARING BOARD**

**Mtgs.-4th Tues. of ea. Month @ 7:00 p.m.**

**Richard N. Snyder**, Chairman  
**Ray B. Moyer**, Vice Chairman  
**Ronald A. Fillis**, Member  
**Richard R. Bittner**, Alternate  
**Robert P. Sadler**, Alternate

### **ELECTED AUDITORS**

**Robert C. Hamm Jr.**, Chairman  
**Irwin P. Hamm**, Secretary  
**Dennis L. Snyder**

### **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

**Matthew Nemeth**  
Emergency Management Coordinator





Northwestern Lehigh Educational Foundation

The Northwestern Lehigh Educational Foundation (NWLEF) is making leaps and bounds into our community. The foundation was created to provide partnership opportunities that would enhance learning, promote academic excellence, and encourage community involvement with the students and staff of the Northwestern Lehigh School District.

Our first major fundraising event was a golf tournament held on August 17<sup>th</sup> at Olde Homestead Golf Club. Mother Nature provided a beautiful, clear and sunny stage for this event. Conditions could not have been better to tee off. The tournament was supported by various local businesses, school personnel and almost 100 golfers. We are very excited that the community showed such strong support for the foundation and that over \$8,000 was raised. Look for future announcements about the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual NWLEF Golf Tournament in 2008.

Since the main purpose of the foundation is to get more funds into the schools and enhance the academic experience for the children of the Northwestern Lehigh School District we are very happy to announce the Jason O'Byle Teacher Mini-Grant Program. This program, supported by Bieber Tourways, will allow teachers to apply for funds to further projects that are currently not in the district budget. Two teachers in each of our 4 schools will be awarded the grant during the 2007-2008 school year.

NWLEF has also been accepted into a state run program known as the Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC). This program allows businesses to redirect part of their corporate taxes to specific educational foundations. As with any government program, there are lots of steps before the rewards can be seen. We will continue to do all that we can to bring some of the EITC dollars back here to Northwestern Lehigh.

Later in the month of November NWLEF will be running its biannual "Staff Tribute" event. This is a chance to honor all of our dedicated teachers and staff by donating to the foundation in their name. All honorees will receive notification that the donation was made and by whom the donation was given. This is a great way to show how much you appreciate everything that they do for our children.

For more information about the foundation, to volunteer for one of our various committees or to donate funds please, visit our website at [www.nwlef.org](http://www.nwlef.org).



**Meet the Staff at Lynn Township**

Center - Tammy White, Secy./Treasurer  
 Left - Tina Everett, Adm. Secy./Asst. Secy.  
 Right- Janet Henritz, Adm. Secy./Asst. Treas.

**Meet the Road Crew at Lynn Township**

Left to right:  
 Joe Howard  
 Bruce Raber, Road Master  
 Joe Wisser  
 Andy Whaling  
 (Missing from picture is part-time worker Randy Schmoyer.)



LYNN TOWNSHIP, LEHIGH COUNTY  
ZONING OFFICE

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED  
7911 Kings Highway, New Tripoli PA 18066

Phone: 610-298-2645  
Fax: 610-298-2896  
Maintenance: 610-298-2176  
Email: lynnzone@ptd.net  
Website: www.lynnwp.org  
Office Hours: 8 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

**U.S. POSTAGE  
PAID  
Bulk Rate  
New Tripoli, PA  
18066**

**PERMIT No. 11**

**2007 COMMUNITY EVENT CALENDAR**

**COMMUNITY FIRE COMPANY OF NEW TRIPOLI, NO. 17**

**November 10- Turkey Raffle**— ticket drawing only— Tickets are \$2.00 each and more are available at the firehouse or from any fire team member.

**November 10-Thanksgiving Filling Sale**—Last day to order for 11/21/07 pickup. \$4.00 for 2 1/2 pound aluminum baking dish. Call 610-298-8427 to place your order.

**November 18-"Basket Bingo"** - 37 total Longaberger® Products —Try your luck winning a famous Longaberger® product! Doors open at 11:30 am. Tickets will be available @ Schleicher's Restaurant, Route 309, or call 610-298-8427.

**December 8-Christmas Filling Sale**—Last day to order for 12/23/07 pickup. \$4.00 for 2 1/2 pound aluminum baking dish. Call 610-298-8427 to place your order.

**LYNNPORT COMMUNITY FIRE COMPANY, NO. 14**

**Hall Rentals**— Interested in renting the fire hall? Great for parties, receptions, reunions, anniversaries, etc. Contact Heather Utt @610-298-2995.

**Turkey Raffle**—Purchase your turkey tickets for the drawing to be held on November 16th. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$2.00 each. Contact Chris Gulick @ 484-375-5776 for tickets or any Lynnport Fire Co. member.

**Hoagie Sales** will begin in November—Call Heather Utt @ 610-298-2995 for orders or if interested in selling them.

**2000 Club Tickets** on sale soon. If interested in buying or selling tickets contact Kevin Utt @ 610-298-2995.

**Reflective Address Signs**—Can we find you if we are called to your house? Is your mail box or drive way clearly marked with your house number? If you answered NO to those questions then you can purchase a reflective marker sign for \$15 from the fire co. Ask any fireman to get you a form to fill out today, or call 610-298-2970 and leave a message. Help us save you!!

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