SPRING NEWSLETTER

PRIMARY ELECTION - TUESDAY, May 21, 2013 COMMUNITY YARD SALE - JULY 13, 2013

BOROUGH WEBSITE - www.sevenvalleysborough.com

REFUSE COLLECTION

Collection day is Thursday - 6:00 am- 6:00 pm

The Borough's contract with Penn Waste Disposal, Inc. allows each customer to place **no more than 10 containers** of refuse at curbside each week. Each customer may also place not more than one large item per week as well as unlimited recyclables. They also accept cardboard of any size, and quantity. (Please break down boxes as flat as possible.) Call 767-4456 for further information. Please remember to remove your empty containers from curbside in a timely manner.

WEST NILE VIRUS

You can help reduce the number of mosquitoes around your home and neighborhood by eliminating standing water in which mosquitoes can breed.

During the mosquito season the county routinely covers areas of the Borough performing surveillance and control. Additional information is available at www.westnile.state.pa.us or by calling the York County West Nile Virus Program - York County at 840-2375.

FIRE COMPANY NEWS

Bingo every Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm. Doors open at 5:00 pm

All you can eat breakfast – First Sunday of each month at the Fire Hall from 7 am to 12 noon

Eggs-Pancakes-Bacon
Sausage – Potatoes
Chipped Beef & Toast
Sausage Gravy & Biscuit
Coffee – Milk – Juice – Tea
Adults \$7.00
Children ages 2 – 12 - \$3.50
Under age 2 is free

The Fire Company is now doing their own catering for events.

Hall Rental & Catering for Your Event

428-9978

BOROUGH MEETINGS

The Borough Council meetings are public meetings and always open to the public. The meetings are typically held the first Monday of the month at the Community Fire Hall, at 7:00 PM

Your attendance is welcomed at any time.

WEEDS, GRASS & TREES

Do you have shrubs, plantings or trees that spill onto or over the sidewalk or street? Bushes, hedges, shrubs and other ornamental flowers and vegetation should be kept trimmed by the owner such that they do not encroach on the vertical plane of any abutting sidewalk, or in the case of no sidewalk, the vertical plane of the cart way of the abutting street or alley. Trees that overhang public sidewalks must be kept trimmed by the owner so that the minimum clearance where the tree overhangs the public sidewalk is ten feet. Trees that overhang any street or alley must be kept trimmed by the owner so that the minimum clearance where the tree overhangs the street or alley is **14 feet**.

All grass, weeds and similar noxious vegetation growing in the Borough of Seven Valleys must not be allowed to exceed a height of 12 inches. Please be considerate of your neighbor by keeping your grass clippings on your property rather than discharging them onto your neighbor's property or onto the sidewalks and street.

SIDEWALK & CURB WEEDS AND GRASS

During the summer, the weeds and grass growing in sidewalks and between the sidewalk and the road become quite plentiful in the Borough. The presence of this vegetation, at any time of year, is unlawful according to the Seven Valleys Borough Code. Please check your property. If you have any grass or weeds growing in your sidewalk or along the curb please comply with the Code by removing the vegetation. Thank you for your help.

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EASTER BUFFET AT THE VALLEY TAVERN

Sunday March 31 from 11:30AM to 4:00PM

Menu: Baked Ham, Broasted Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Stuffing, Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Buttered Corn, Rolls & Butter, Salad Station, Dessert Station.

Adults \$16.25; Children 10 yrs and younger \$8.50

Full Menu Also Available Reservations Strongly Suggested - 717-428-2611

ANIMALS

Please be considerate of your neighbors, by keeping your animal on your property at all times unless the animal is leashed and in the company of the owner or other persons. It is unlawful for dogs to be running at large at any time.

It is also unlawful for a dog or cat to be in an open air enclosure, including a fenced yard, from $10:00~\rm pm-6:00$ am, prevailing time. The owner, keeper or other custodian of such dog or cat shall confine the animal within a reasonably soundproof building with closed doors and windows during the hours of $10:00~\rm pm-6:00$ am.

Also, carry and <u>use</u> a scooping utensil and a <u>plastic bag</u> to clean up and remove feces deposited by your animal on any property in the Borough. It is not fair to property owners that choose not to have animals to have to clean up your animal's feces.

No person who keeps a dog or cat shall permit the accumulation of excreta from such dog or cat in any place, inside or outside, located within the Borough of Seven Valleys, including the property owned or occupied by such owner or other person, that the accumulation annoys or disturbs any neighbor or other person in the neighborhood.

OUTDOOR BURNING

Outside burning is allowed in Seven Valleys Borough only on the third Saturday of each month between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Fires must be extinguished with no smoke by 5:00 pm.

BUILDING PERMITS

What kind of building permit do you need for your home improvement project? Be sure to call Wayne Smith, Zoning/Permit Officer, at 225-0650 for permit information and applications.

CURFEW

It is unlawful for any person under the age of 18 years to be or remain upon the streets, alleys, parks or public places in Seven Valleys Borough between the hours of 11:00 pm and 6:00 am unless accompanied by his or her parent, guardian or other person having the legal custody of such child. A permit may be obtained from the Mayor if the child must be in or upon the streets and alleys in said Borough between said hours because travel to or from his or her place of employment.