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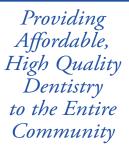


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## From the Board of Supervisors...

As part of the 2022 budget, the Township is in the process of widening Stony Road between Turkey Trot Road and Bentley Drive to allow for a shared bicycle/pedestrian lane. This pedestrian lane has been identified in our Comprehensive Plan as a critical trail connection for the Township.

The existing road width and vehicular traffic on Stony Road makes walking and bicycling a challenge.

The pedestrian lane will allow residents of the Hidden Pond and Breton Hills Road sections of Warwick Township to safely walk or bike to Community Park or our York Road commercial corridor. It will also connect into the newer Moland House/Memorial Park trail system.

To further promote walkability and bicycling on Stony Road, the current speed limit of 35 MPH is under review for reduction.



Beyond pedestrian safety, the road construction will stabilize the low side of Stony Road and help to prevent further deterioration. The work will be completed in-house using Township equipment and rentals, resulting in significant cost savings.



To see tentative construction plans for Stony Road, please visit: https:// warwick-bucks.com/notices/stonyroad-widening-plan/

For more immediate Township news, we ask that you follow Warwick Township on Facebook, Twitter, or the Township website.



## Know Your Local Wildlife – Importance of Bats

There are many misconceptions about bats as they are often portrayed in a negative light. Did you know bats play an important role in controlling insect pests? Bats are nocturnal flying mammals that can consume thousands of insects each night. This includes mosquitoes, stinkbugs, and other nuisance pests. Brown bats are the most populated species in our area and help maintain a healthy ecosystem. Unfortunately, there is the potential for bats to become a nuisance as they tend to rest in buildings during the hot summer days. Property owners should bat-proof any buildings to ensure they are not given the opportunity to become an issue. Bat-proofing should be done between January and April as doing this in the summer could trap bats already in the space which could create a health risk and odor due to decomposition. Next time you encounter a bat you may want to consider the vital service they provide in decreasing the numbers of nuisance insects within our community.





# Annual Revolutionary War Reenactment at The Moland House I64I Old York Road, Hartsville, PA

### August 27, 2022 10:00 am to 4:00 p.m.

Along with the 1st Crossing Regiment, we will have various interpreters of the period when General Washington and 11,000 troops encamped on the Neshamini Creek in the summer of 1777. At this point, Penn's Woods Puppet Theater, colonial cooking, a lacemaker, a colonial gunsmith, woodworkers and a colonial brewer, among others will be at the Moland House for this Warwick Township Historical Society Event.

Everyone will need to follow the PA Department of Health guidelines in force at the time.

Admission fee benefit The Moland Property which is managed and maintained by the all volunteer Warwick Township Historical Society.

#### Cash or Check only:

Adults \$5.00 Seniors (62+) & WTHS members \$4.00 Youth (5-12) \$2.00 Families (parents & their kids) \$10.00

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Fireworks are often used to mark special events and holidays. However, they are not safe in the hands of consumers. Fireworks cause thousands of burns and eye injuries each year. People can enjoy fireworks safely if they follow a few simple safety tips:

#### BE CAREFUL!

- Be safe. If you want to see fireworks, go to a public show put on by experts.
- >>> Do not use consumer fireworks.
- >>> Keep a close eye on children at events where fireworks are used.

# Consumer Fireworks

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We have a FANTASTIC line up this year all due to the wonderful sponsors that support this series. All movies are held on the field behind the large pavilion at the Community Park and start at approximately 8:45pm (dusk.) We will be providing a gigantic 16 foot movie screen, amplified sound system and premium projection. All you have to bring is your blanket or chairs and sit back to enjoy the movie. Candy, bagged popcorn and drinks will be available for purchase.



This series is sponsored in 2022 by PECO, Warwick Township Police Benevolent Association, CKS Engineers, Eckert Seamans, Grim, Biehn & Thatcher, Elite Office Solutions, Inc., and Goddard School-Jamison. If you or your business would like to be a sponsor of the series, please contact Dan Sharapan, Director of Parks, Recreation & Open Space at <u>dsharapan@warwick-township.org</u>.

#### ALL MOVIES WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS.

\*June 22 – Encanto \*July 6 – Space Jam 2: A New Legacy \*July 20 – Shrek \*August 3 – Sing 2



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## **Outdoor Safety**

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- >>> Do not go under trees for shelter. There is no place outside that is safe during a thunderstorm.
- Wait at least 30 minutes after hearing the last clap of thunder before leaving your shelter.
- ))) Stay away from windows and doors. Stay off porches.
- >>> There is no safe place outside. Places with only a roof on sports fields, golf courses, and picnic areas are not safe during a lightning storm. Small sheds should not be used.
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## Fire Inspector/Code Enforcement

#### Water supply and breaker boxes - Robert Prato, Fire Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer

Do you know where your water meter is in your home? How about your electrical breaker box? Do you know how to work the valves and switches? This can be critically valuable information in an emergency in your home.

The electrical breaker panel can be found in a few different places. A good clue to let you know where it may be is to find the electrical meter on the outside of structure. The panel will typically be found inside the structure close to that location. For some homes with a basement, it is usually in the basement towards the front of the home, but off to one side or the other. For homes without a basement, it typically can be found in the garage, although some homes in our community have them located in a coat closet or utility room by the front door. In case of an electrical problem, often a circuit breaker will "trip" and shut off the power. This is what a circuit breaker is designed to do. It protects your home and the electrical circuits from overloading and causing fires. To shut off a breaker manually you just push the switch on the desired breaker to the off position. You should hear a sharp snap sound when it shuts off. To turn it back on, you



push the switch towards the on position. Again, you should hear the sharp snap. If the breaker trips and disconnects the power on its own, to reset it and make the power work again, you need to push the breaker to the off position first and then to the on position. This resets the breaker and turns the power back on. However, if a breaker should trip on its own, you should do some investigation and try to figure out what caused the breaker to trip. Faulty electrical devices and circuit overloads are the usual cause of a breaker tripping and can be a potential cause of a fire if not corrected.



The water supply shut off can often be found in the vicinity of the electrical panel, but not always. In a basement it will typically be found towards the front of the home since that will be the side of the house facing the street, where the pipes bring the water in from the public supplies. If the home does not have a basement, it will typically be found closer to the floor in a closet or utility room towards the front of the house. However, there are several homes in our communities that have the water supply coming up through the floor under the stairway going to the second floor. There will usually be a shut off valve before and after the water meter. Turning either valve handle will shut off the water to the home. Some homes also

have fire sprinkler systems installed. This will be attached to the water supply in this location as well. The configuration will be similar with a valve located before the sprinkler system connection and one on the sprinkler system after the connection. This is so the domestic water supply and fire sprinklers can be shut off independent of each other during service or repair.

This article is intended to give a general overview of the utilities in your home. If you are still confused about the water supply or electrical panel in your home, please consult with a professional plumber or electrician. They can guide you to the specific items you should know about your home, since every home can be a different in design and layout.

It is not the best time to try and find the water supply valves or electrical breaker box during an emergency. It is safest to find them before hand, so you are familiar with their location. Learn how to properly operate the valves or breakers because in an emergency, every second counts.

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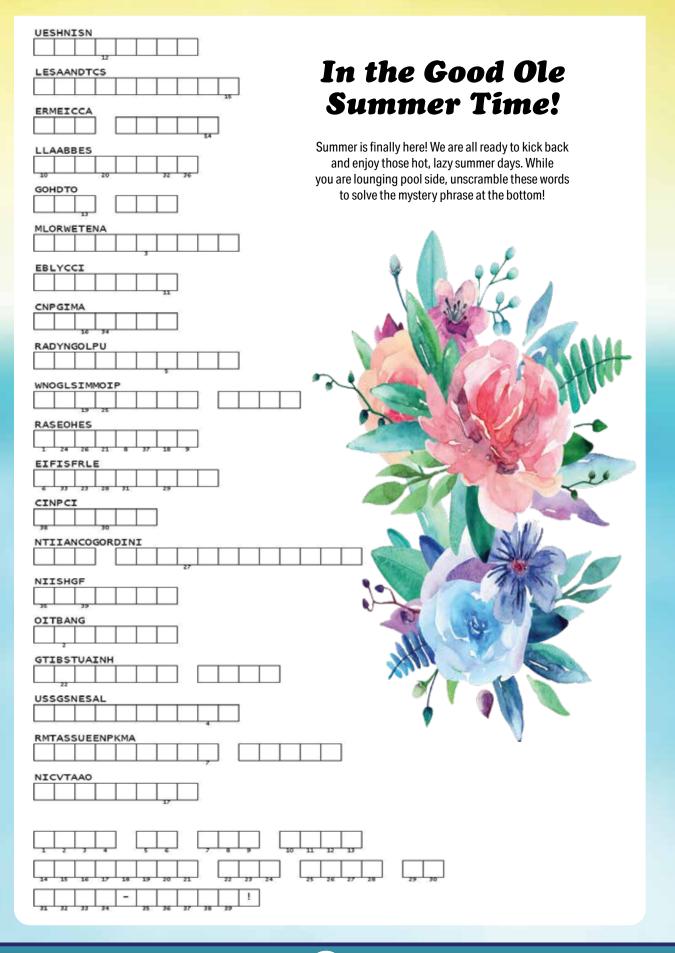
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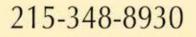
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