

The residents of our community are truly some of the most giving, kind individuals. We regularly see billboard announcements for benefits for local families, poker runs to raise money for an ill child, and words of praise and congratulations to students who have excelled.

We thank the many volunteers in our community who choose to make a difference.

FALL 2022

DO YOU HAVE A SAY?

MEETING ETIQUETTE & PUBLIC COMMENT 101

Greene Township's monthly Board of Supervisors meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm, with the exception of the January Reorganization meeting which is mandated to be held on the first Monday of the year. Workshops are held the last Tuesday every month. All meetings are open to the public and are held at the township municipal building, 262 Pittsburgh Grade Rd., Hookstown, PA 15050.

There are several opportunities for the public to speak and ask questions.

FIRST TUESDAY EACH MONTH—7:00 pm—BOS MEETING

At the regular BOS meeting, after it has been opened and the Pledge of Allegiance has been said, the Board receives public comment on the agenda items.

After all official township meeting business has been completed, residents may address the Board with their comments and/or concerns under the agenda item for Visitors.

If you wish to speak on a topic that may elicit a decision or a vote, you must request to be added to the agenda 48 hours prior to the meeting. Board approval is needed for anyone wishing to be placed on the agenda.

LAST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH — 7:00 pm — BOS WORKSHOP

Workshops are held to discuss matters and provide updates in between the regular BOS meetings. Topics for discussion are prepared in advance but no official vote or decision making is done at this meeting.



ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Close to 3 miles of Upper Service Road was repaired with a process called reclamation where the full thickness of the road is pulverized and graded to serve as the base for a new road. Afterward, tar and chip was applied and excess stone will be removed creating a wider, more smooth driving surface.



COMMUNITY DAY 2022

Each year, the township makes a donation to the Hookstown Fair in exchange for the baked goods entries.

There were many delicious desserts served, free of charge, at the Community Building Tuesday evening at the fair.

We thank the volunteers that helped set up and serve desserts.



COMMUNITY CLEAN UP RECOGNITION

I'd like to recognize Aaron Mzyk, Garrett Smith, and Robert Gleich for taking on the Spring 2022 Community Cleanup as their senior class project. Each of them worked in excess of thirty hours on their project. These young men worked on Routes 18, 30, and 168 as well as a few of the secondary roads in our school district. The project included communication with the cleanup volunteers regarding the cleanup dates and times as well as the distribution of the cleanup supplies. They also notified PADOT and Hanover/Greene Townships of any bags that needed to be picked up. Their willingness to get involved in our community has made our school district a more beautiful place to live.

Thank you to Aaron, Garrett, and Robert for making our school district a more beautiful place to live.

Thanks,

Jeff Seik



MEET THE NEW PC MEMBERS

The Planning Commission recently welcomed three new members.

Karen Long was appointed to the Planning Commission at the August 2nd meeting of the BOS to replace Mike Messner who resigned after 9 years of service to focus on his role as Chair of the Greene Township Board of Supervisors. Karen recently returned home to Greene Township and is a graduate of South Side High School, Clarion and Duquesne Universities and is interested in serving our township community.

Additionally, the Board took the opportunity to strengthen the Planning Commission by appointing two alternate members as permitted by the Pennsylvania Municipal Planning Code. Alternate members attend meetings and may be designated to substitute for absent members or members who have recused themselves from a specific matter in front of the commission. If designated to sit on the commission, the alternate member continues to serve in a voting capacity until the matter for which they were initially appointed has reached a final decision.

Alternate members appointed for a four-year term are Kevin Byers and Julie Winterrowd. Kevin is a graduate of Penn State University and recently moved to Greene Township with his family. Julie is originally from Brighton Township, a graduate of Beaver High School and moved to Greene Township with her family six years ago.

Please join us in welcoming our new members to the Planning Commission!

The Planning Commission meets on the 3rd Monday of every month at 7:30PM in the Greene Township Municipal Building.

Rose Marie Kendall, Planning Commission Chair

COMMUNITY SUPPORTS LOCAL GIRL

South Side Garage recently donated a handicap wheelchair van to a local girl in need. Both the Community Benefit Committee and the Hookstown American Legion Riders had previously coordinated a benefit to raise funds to purchase a van when South Side Garage announced their generous donation to the family. All funds that were raised during the benefit were set aside in a trust for future expenses such as title transfers, insurance, repairs, tires, etc.

FALL 2022 🦇 EVENT SUMMARY

SEPTEMBER 21	<u>NIGHT OF SCOUTING</u> Mill Creek Evangelical Presbyterian Church	6:00 pm
SUNDAYS, SEPT 25-NOV 20	TURKEY SHOOT Hookstown American Legion Post #952	10:00 am
OCTOBER 1	<u>BREAST CANCER BASH</u> Hookstown American Legion Post #952	1:00 pm
OCTOBER 1	<u>TIRE COLLECTION</u> Hookstown Fair Grounds Jr Livestock Pavilion	9:00 am
OCTOBER 8	<u>PASTA FUNDRAISER</u> Hookstown VFD Firehall	3:00 pm
OCTOBER 8	<u>FALL SOCIAL</u> South Side Historical Village	11:00 am
OCTOBER 15	<u>DRAG QUEEN BINGO</u> Hookstown American Legion Post #952	7:00 pm
OCTOBER 21	<u>SQUARE DANCE(S)</u> Hookstown VFD Firehall	7:00 pm
OCTOBER 31	TRICK OR TREAT Greene Township, Hookstown & Georgetown	6:00 pm
NOVEMBER 5	LAST DUMPSTER DAY OF THE 2022 SEASON	
NOVEMBER 8	ELECTION DAY SOUP SANDWICH & PIE SALE Hookstown Grange	11:00 am
NOVEMBER 18	<u>SQUARE DANCE(S)</u> Hookstown VFD Firehall	7:00 pm
3 RD WEDNESDAY EVERY MONTH	COMMUNITY FOOD BANK South Side Area School Lower Lot	3:00 pm
OCTOBER 21	<u>SQUARE DANCE(S)</u> Hookstown VFD Firehall	7:00 pm
DECEMBER 3	<u>CHRISTMAS AUCTION</u> Hookstown American Legion Post # 952	4:00 pm
DECEMBER 16	<u>SQUARE DANCE(S)</u> Hookstown VFD Firehall	7:00 pm
DECEMBER 10	<u>EVENING OF MUSIC</u> Hookstown American Legion Post #952	6:30 pm
FEBRUARY 11, 2023	<u>DESIGNER PURSE BINGO & LUNCHEON</u> Hookstown American Legion Post #952	1:00 pm



GREENE TOWNSHIP
HOOKSTOWN BORO / GEORGETOWN BORO

OO OCTOBER 31, 2022 OO

OO 6:00—8:00 pm OO



HALLOWEEN DRAG BINGO

SATURDAY, OCT. 15, 2022
BINGO, BOOS, AND BIIITCHES
TICKETS ON SALE NOW!




Amer. Legion #952 | 1265 PA 168 | Hookstown, PA 15043
www.DragQueenParties.com

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS BASH
HOOKSTOWN AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT 952
1265 State Route 168, Hookstown, PA 15050
DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2022
TIME: 1:00 - 6:00PM
DOORS OPEN AT 12:00PM - EARLY BIRD DRAWING AT 12:30
ATTEND THE BASH AND BE REGISTERED FOR A CHANCE TO WIN THE EARLY BIRD
TICKETS: DONATION OF \$25.00 EACH AND \$5.00 OF EACH TICKET SOLD GOES TO: HAIR PEACE CHARITIES

PRIZES:
1:00 - SPA DAY
1:15 - \$100.00
1:30 - \$200.00
1:45 - \$100.00
2:00 - JEWELRY SET
2:15 - \$200.00
2:30 - \$100.00
2:45 - \$200.00
3:00 - DATE NIGHT
3:15 - \$100.00
3:30 - \$200.00
3:45 - \$100.00
4:00 - \$1500.00

BASH TICKETS INCLUDE FOOD AND BEVERAGES
ONLY 953 TICKETS ARE BEING SOLD, LK 42272
FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL:
HOOKSTOWN LEGION (724) 578-4152

TICKETS



EXPERIENCE A FAMILY NIGHT OF SCOUTING!
Wednesday, Sept 21st, 2022, 6 - 8pm
Mill Creek Evangelical Presbyterian Church
5005 SR 151, Hookstown, PA 15050

GIRLS AND BOYS

PACK (GRADES K-5)
DEMO STATIONS:
- Pinewood Derby
- Knots
- Leather Working
- Fishing
- Ice Cream making
- Religious Awards

TROOP (GRADES 6-12)
DEMO STATIONS:
- Camping (Set-up)
- Rope Making
- Fire Building
- Cooking (Taste Testing, too)
- First Aid
- Religious Awards

GIFT DRAWINGS FOR NEW ATTENDING YOUTH

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT: Pack 496 email: jgonosky@yahoo.com
Troop 496 email: larry.infanzosi@gmail.com &/or bis.diesel.eagle.scout@gmail.com

COMMUNITY TIRE COLLECTION
Saturday, October 1, 2022 - 9 AM to 12 Noon
Hookstown Fair Grounds
Junior Livestock Pavilion
1198 State Route 168, Hookstown, PA 15050

Need to get rid of tires or wheels from your car or light truck? Bring them to the Southside Tire Round-up. We take tires on rims!

Size:	Your cost to dispose:
Up to 18" off rim	\$4 each
Up to 18" on rim	\$5 each
Tractor trailer up to 22.5" (no rims please)	\$20 each
Farm tractor rear, up to 75 lbs.	\$20 each
Farm tractor rear, 75 to 150 lbs.	\$40 each
Farm tractor rear, over 150 lbs.	\$75 each

Proof of residency is not required. Individuals and small businesses are welcome. No limit to the number of tires you may bring. Checks accepted - please show photo ID.

Held by Independence Conservancy in partnership with the Hookstown Fair Board
www.independenceconservancy.org

South Side Community Food Bank

New Dates - New Times - New Location!
3rd Wednesday of every month
3:00 - 7:00pm

South Side Area School
Lower Parking Lot - Door 2-3
4949 State Route 151
Hookstown, Pa. 15050

August
Wednesday August 17, 2022
Donations accepted 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Food Distribution 3:00 - 7:00 pm

September
Wednesday September 21, 2022
Donations Accepted 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Food Distribution 3:00 - 7:00 pm

You can reach us at 724-350-7768 if you encounter a special need or circumstance!

SQUARE DANCE
Where: Hookstown Fire Hall
When: Friday, October 21, 2022
Friday, November 18, 2022
Friday, December 16, 2022

Time: 7:00-10:00 pm
Cost: \$5 per person
Chuck Monticello Caller

FUN FOR ALL AGES!
JOIN US!

Benefits Hookstown Fire Department
Sponsored by The Community Benefit Committee

Pasta Party & Basket Auction
Community Benefit Committee to benefit Kaiden Soires
Saturday, October 8, 2022
Hookstown UFD Firehall
3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Cost is \$10 per person (\$5 per child under 12, \$2 for a toddler meal), and includes choice of pasta, salad, bread, dessert, and drink.

If you would like to donate a basket or raffle item please contact Sally Cain (724-987-2414). Checks can be made out and mailed to Community Benefit Committee, Treasurer Denise Cunningham, PO Box 440, Hookstown, PA 15050. We appreciate any support you can give to this fundraiser for little Kaiden.



SOUTH SIDE HISTORICAL VILLAGE

Fall Social: October 8
11:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.

Music & Singing from local musicians, sheep shearing, and demonstrations of "how things used to be done." Plenty of old-time favorites, including pie, to enjoy while you take a step back in time at the Village. Free admission! Donations greatly appreciated!



AMERICAN LEGION 952

TURKEY SHOOTS

SUNDAYS thru NOV 20

10:00 am

The Sons' will be hosting Turkey Shoots Every Sunday from Sept 25 to November 20. Doors open at 10 First Shoot at 11

HOLIDAY HOPE

We collect canned goods that would be used for making holiday meals. Canned yams, corn, gravy, and boxed items like mashed potatoes, stuffing and gravy mixes.

We accept toys & gifts for children at Christmas. *Special request to concentrate on gifts for children over 10 years old where we usually end up short.*

Contact Blaine Hess at 724.312.6738 for more details.

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HOOKSTOWN GRANGE

**ELECTION DAY SOUP,
SANDWICH & PIE SALE
NOVEMBER 8, 2022**

11am– 7:00 pm

Eat in or take home for dinner!

Quarts of Soup (Vegetable, Bean, and Potato) - \$6.00

Sandwiches (Sloppy Joes, Ham BBQ)
\$2.00 (Hot Dogs) \$1.50

Pies (Coconut Cream, Chocolate, Lemon and Pumpkin) \$2.50 slice; \$12.00 Whole Pie

Pre-order by calling
Mary Lee McElhaney
724-561-3590

**HOOKSTOWN GRANGE #1980 •
1198 SR 168, HOOKSTOWN, PA
15050**



SOUTH SIDE HISTORICAL VILLAGE

**EVENING OF MUSIC
DECEMBER 10, 2022**

6:30 pm

Live music, Christmas Bake Sale, Food, Live Auction and Basket Raffle.

Proceeds benefit the South Side Historical Village.



**HOOKSTOWN AMERICAN
LEGION POST # 952 • 1265 SR 168,
HOOKSTOWN, PA 15050**

At any given moment you can take a look around you and see kids playing in Mill Creek Park or walking their dog on the North Mile Trail, with little regard for intruders or crime. We are a community of people who instinctually protect thy neighbor. We are proud that life in our township is one of comfort and safety.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 2022



Christmas Auction

- Holiday decor - CHRISTMAS GIFTS - Seasonal clothing -
Amish perishables - toys - AND MUCH MORE

doors open at 4pm • • • • • auction starts at 5pm

kitchen open for drinks, and a light dinner

Hookstown American Legion #952,
Georgetown PA 15043

**LADIES
Treat Yourself**



Designer Purses Bingo and luncheon

February 11 2023

**\$30
for 15
games
including
specials
and light
lunch**

1 : 00pm

doors open at noon

additional games, 50/50,
basket and more

order online @
<https://bit.ly/22despursebingo>

AMERICAN LEGION
AUXILIARY #952
1265 ST RT 168,
GEORGETOWN PA
15043

CALL TRACY
@724.312.6834

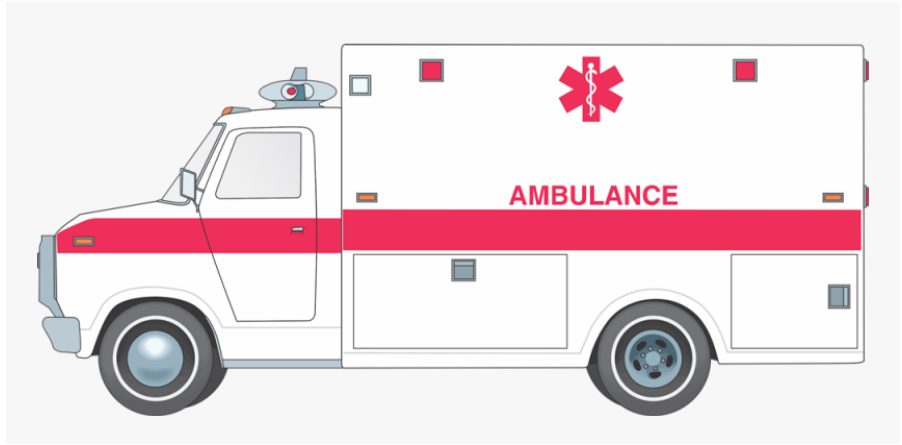


INCOMING AMBULANCE SERVICE

The Hookstown Volunteer Fire Department provides emergency medical response (also known as "QRS") in addition to fire & rescue incident response in Greene Township, Hookstown, Georgetown, and currently in Hanover Township. Some of our personnel are dually-trained as Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) who can provide immediate basic life-saving interventions while waiting for professional full-time Emergency Medical Service (EMS) responders to arrive. In Greene Township and the surrounding areas, Medic Rescue has been the primary responding service.

From the time the 911 center notifies us that there is an emergency, HVFD personnel have been able to arrive at an incident in an average of 15.5 minutes. We are currently facing an average of 31.4 minutes for the arrival of an ambulance crew.

Recently, Greene Township passed a resolution and reached agreements with ResQRS (pronounced "Rescuers") to become a co-primary responder, along with Medic Rescue, to provide Emergency Medical Services in our community. ResQRS plans to staff overnight hours and have a unit available locally, with



hopes to provide contingencies during the day and eventually provide coverage full-time, 24x7.

According to the Journal of the American Heart Association, a patient's outcome can be heavily impacted by the arrival time of advanced medical interventions. I see this collaboration as positive progress toward solving a major issue, a crisis even, in our community.

I appreciate the partnership and cooperation between our department, the municipalities, and this agency to take steps to combat the lengthy and potentially dangerous response times we've experienced.

Regards,
Doug Waxler
Chief, Fire & EMS
Hookstown Volunteer Fire Department



HISTORICAL METAL DETECTING

Hi, my name is [Jim Kolodziej](#) (pronounced Kol-o-jay) and I love Beaver County and Western PA history. I explore this passion through the hobby of metal detecting, and I have found some amazing historical objects in the region. To enjoy this hobby requires a lot of research, map referencing, and most importantly meeting the people who own the property where history occurred. I love meeting folks and sharing the history. I have multiple detectors and love teaching. Please call or text me at [724-480-8271](tel:724-480-8271) if you would welcome me coming to your property or if you would just like to learn more. Artifacts are retrieved responsibly, and your yard will look good afterwards. Thanks!

CAIN ROAD—HILL ROAD SOLAR PROJECT



The BE Pine Solar project is one of the largest ground mount utility grade solar projects currently under construction in Pennsylvania. When completed, the project will be located on over 200 acres of property in Beaver County located in southwestern Pennsylvania. Construction commenced on the site in October 2021, and we expect construction to be completed on or about October 2023.

This Project will be interconnected to the Duquesne Light Company infrastructure and will produce approximately 60 MWh of Clean Renewable Energy during the first full year of operation. This quantity of electricity is enough to offset the annual electrical usage of approximately 6,000 homes. This project will also result in the offset or reduction of approximately 25,000 tons of carbon dioxide annually when compared to electricity generated from the combustion of fossil fuels.

Currently, the solar project is expected to remain operational and producing renewable energy for at least 40 years.

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fax: (856) 437-6501
215 Executive Drive
Moorestown, NJ 08057

protechenergysolutions.com

*In our town you can
wave at a complete
stranger and be greeted
with a warm smile and a
sincere wave back.*

RESOLUTIONS OF INTEREST

[RESOLUTION 7-2022: Loader Purchase Ratification](#). To purchase a 2017 force feed Lee Boy loader from Somerset Township, together with Hanover Township.

[RESOLUTION 9-2022: Appointing and Designating](#) nonprofit emergency services of Beaver County, t/d/b/a, Medic Rescue and RESQRS as the primary responding ambulance services in the Township of Greene.

[RESOLUTION 10-2022: Planning Commission Alternates](#) - approving the creation of two appointed alternate positions to the Greene Township Planning Commission pursuant to the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code.

[RESOLUTION 14-2022](#): Amendment to the Local Tax Collection Act allowing for the waiver of additional charges if the taxpayer does certain acts.

Click on the links to read the resolutions in their entirety.

Pride in our township is seeing our community come together to meet the financial, medical, or spiritual needs of a neighbor, family member or friend.



SAFETY FIRST

Unusually high volumes of traffic and excessive speeding has caused us to redirect all township traffic to the 262 Pittsburgh Grade Road entrance. Anyone visiting the Greene Township Municipal Building can get to Pittsburgh Grade Road from SR 168 or US Route 30. Watch for the Greene Township sign.

GREENE TOWNSHIP

PO Box 181
Hookstown, PA 15050

Contact Us

GREENE TOWNSHIP

262 Pittsburgh Grade Rd
Hookstown, PA 15050
724.573.1111

www.greentownship.net

ADMINISTRATION

Hours are M-F 8:30-4:30

ROAD DEPARTMENT

Hours are M-F 7:00—3:00

PUBLIC SUPERVISOR MEETINGS

First Tuesday @ 7 pm

Last Tuesday @ 7 pm



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