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# WHAT'S INSIDE Memorial Dav Ceremon

Annual Memorial Day Dedication Ceremonies will be held on Monday, May 31st. Mayor and Council along with the Haddon Heights VFW and the Sons of Italy would like to invite you to join us at the two



following wreath laying and dedication ceremonies.

- 9:00 am at the War Memorial located at the Sons of Italy (6 West Atlantic Avenue, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035)
- 11:00 am at the Cannons War Memorial on 10th and Station Avenues.

All interested persons and organizations are invited to participate and lay wreaths. Please contact the Civic Events Committee at tegbert@haddonhts.com for more information. Please note that there will not be a parade this year.

#### Independence **Join us for the 2021**

Haddon Heights will be celebrating our Nation's Birthday on Saturday, July 3. Please join us for these traditional events. Parade begins at 9am following a Station Avenue route, starting at 2nd Avenue and then looping around 10th Avenue and heading down High Street to Hoff's Park. We are so excited to bring back this annual event and we have lots of surprises in store for the residents this year!

The 4th of July Parade will feature string bands, floats, civic groups, antique cars, decorated bicycles and wagons, costumes and decorated pets. Want to join in the fun? Participants please see pages 10 and 11 for where and when to line up! As for the baby/child parade there will be no judging or registration required. All children 6 years of age of vounger are welcome to join the parade. Families will still to convene at 10th and Sycamore at 8:45 am. Where participation gifts and fun decorative wear will be handed out.

While we are delighted the parade will be back this year we will not be hosting a post-parade party at Hoff's Park.

For more detailed information about the Parade, please check out pages 10 and 11, the borough's website, or contact Councilwoman Trisha Egbert at tegbert@haddonhts. com or Marian Hauser at 856-547-7164, ext. 3 or at mhauser@haddonhts.com.

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# Library Now Open 6 Days a Week

The library is now open for in-person visits 6 days a week! It has been quite a journey and we are happy to welcome our patrons back in the building. Stop by

Monday - Friday from 10 -7 and Saturday from 10 - 2.

See More Information on Page 14!

# **Primary Election**

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The Primary Election will be held in person on Tuesday, June 8th. Polls open at 6:00 am and will remain open

until 8:00 pm. Please note the Haddon Heights Voting District Locations are listed to the right. If you have any questions please call the Borough Hall Administrative Office.

# **Borough of Haddon Heights Voting Districts**

	LOCATION	ADDRESS				
1	VFW, Post 1958	615 E. Atlantic Avenue				
2	Municipal Building	625 Station Avenue				
3	Community Center	321 7 <sup>th</sup> Avenue (Lippincott Lane & 7 <sup>th</sup> Avenue)				
4	Sons of Italy	6 W. Atlantic Avenue, (Kings Hwy. & W. Atlantic Avenue)				
5	Municipal Building	625 Station Avenue				
6	Glenview Avenue School	1700 Sycamore Street, Entrance on Sycamore Street				
7	Glenview Avenue School	1700 Sycamore Street, Entrance on Sycamore Street				

# **JAYOR'S** MESSAGE

#### Dear Neighbors:

with it we have a couple of events we supporting local businesses. It's also want to make you aware of. First, we a nice opportunity to socialize and hope you can join us for the Memorial meet your neighbors. There are many Day Celebration which will take place on Monday, May 31st. First we will gather at 9:00am at the WWI Memorial located at the Sons of Italy Lodge for a brief service; followed by 11:00am at the Cannons with the VFW. Please note there will not be a parade this year.

Annual Fourth of July Parade. Our town's Civic Events Committee along with our borough employees have been hard at work to put together a fun day for all, but we need your help! Many volunteers are needed to help keep the event running safely and smoothly. If you are interested in lending a helping hand please contact Councilwoman The Camden County Board of our very own Haddon Heights young Trisha Egbert at tegbert@haddonhts. com or contact the Borough Administrative Office at 856-547-7164 ex 33.

off on Sunday mornings. This is a great asset for our town and gives our residents opportunities to buy quality

Summer is right around the corner and produce and other products, while Dellon certain Wednesdays throughout community programs that take place during the Market. Please visit between 9:30 am and 1:00 pm on Sundays and check it out! And we must give a big shout out to Heights in Progress on their continued support running this community favorite event.

We are also excited to bring back our I just wanted to also take a moment to remind everyone that all pets are required to obtain a 2021 Animal License. Information and the forms needed can be found on the Borough's website or you can call 856-547-7164 if County's website. www.camdencounty. you have questions. Remember to get com. your license before Wednesday, June Finally, I want to take the time to 30th to avoid the late fee.

Commissioners has announced the residents. Congratulation to Ms. Anna return of the Summer Parks Concert Series for 2021. The theme for this year is "Welcome Back to the Show," as they Our Farmers' Market season has kicked welcome back residents to our parks to enjoy FREE concerts. The ¬Summer Music Series Concerts will be held in the McLaughlin-Norcross Memorial in the city's history and faced fierce Mayor Zachary Houck

the summer starting at 7PM. The first one will be June 2nd featuring Bailen & special guest Matt Duke. Additional concert dates and performers can be found on both the Borough's and the County's websites.

If you are still in need of a COVID vaccine please review the County's website. Many locations have appointments available and some even now accept walk-in appointments. For those under the age of 18, the County will begin vaccinating 12 and up with an adult present starting May 27th. If you have questions please check out the

recognize the achievements of one of Dougherty on winning a \$10,000 scholarship from the JFK Presidential Library's Profile in Courage essay contest. Ms. Dougherty profiled the former Camden Mayor Dana Redd who was the first black female mayor



opposition to the unpopular decision to disband the current city police department and form a County Metro Police Department. We are incredibly proud of Ms. Dougherty's achievements and plan to recognize her in June with a proclamation. I hope you can join us in congratulating her on this tremendous achievement.

As always, please look for more frequent updates from us at Mayor on Council by following along on social media, our website, and ultimately joining us for a Council Meeting on the First and Third Tuesdays of the month. They are currently conducted by zoom with the link found on the Borough website.



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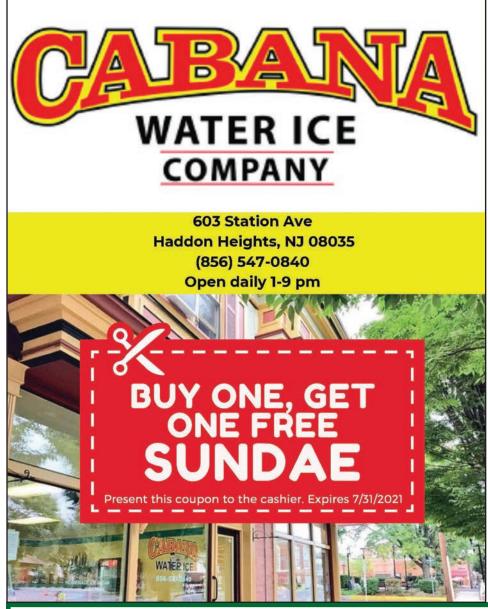


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# **Animal Licensing Requirement**

Registration is Required for all Dogs and Cats! It is the law and mandatory that Borough Administration Office. In dog and cat owners have their pets licensed. Licenses are good for one calendar year and must be renewed annually. License tags must be displayed on animals at all times.

Benefits of having your animal licensed and vaccinated include making it easier for your pet to be identified and returned to you should they get out. Even indoor cats have been known to escape at times, without a license whoever finds your pet will have a harder time identifying them and they may not be returned to you. If they did escape they would be protected from Rabies should they be bitten by a wild animal living outside. If we get all of our animals vaccinated against rabies, then no parent will have to be afraid that one of their children may be bitten by a rabid cat or dog.

Animal License Renewal Letters were mailed out in January, if you



order to get your animal licensed for the 2021 calendar year the office staff will need to see your pet's proof of rabies vaccination. The vaccination will need to be good through November 2021 for a license to be issued. The cost for a spayed/neutered cat or dog is \$9.00. The cost for a nonspayed/non-neutered cat or dog is \$12.00.

License Fees support the efforts of many local animal shelters. Typically, the annual fee that you pay to license your pet helps to keep shelters running and support the work of your local animal control.

Pet owners should also be aware that the State of New Jersey recently passed State Statues pertaining to Animal Cruelty. The information can be found at the New Jersey Department of Health website (www.state.nj.us/ health) for the State Statues listed below.

- 4:22-17 Cruelty; certain acts, crime; degrees
- 4:22-26 Penalties for various acts constituting cruelty
- Guide to Prevention of Animal Cruelty Laws 2018

# **Do You Need the Summer** "Function Better Program"?

Now that the weather is warm and the flowers are in bloom, there is an increasing desire to be active outdoors. Gardening activities, walks in the park, outdoor grilling and playing games with young children are some of the activities that many people enjoy each summer. If you are having trouble with pain, endurance, bending, walking, squatting and other movements that these activities may require, the "Function Better Program" at WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY may be just what you need in order to have a fantastic summer season!

The "Function Better Program" at WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY emphasizes muscle strengthening and stretching exercises, activities to decrease pain, conditioning exercises on equipment as well as personalized instruction to promote safe and independent function. After completion of the "**Function Better Program**", many people report that they are pain free and able to lead a more active and independent lifestyle.

WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY is conveniently located at 135 East Atlantic Avenue in Haddon Heights (just off Station Avenue). Due to high demand, slots for the upcoming summer session of the "Function Better **Program**" are limited and filling quickly. To reserve a slot for the program, call (856) 546-0377.

At WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY, you will find that:

- Individual attention is provided by a licensed physical therapist during the entire treatment session.
- The treatment sessions are provided in a friendly and professional environment.
- Individuals of all ages and fitness levels are welcome.
- Free transportation is provided for local seniors.
- Medical monitoring is provided during treatment to ensure patient safety.

## TREATING

Low Endurance

 Knee Replacements **Balance Problems** • Walking Problems Pain Problems Arthritis Issues

Jim Clements, PT, DPT, MS is the Director of WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY in Haddon Heights. Dr. Clements completed his physical therapy training at Thomas Jefferson University and went on to receive a Doctoral degree from Boston University as well as a Master of Science degree from the University of Pennsylvania. Lic. # 40QA00472300

# **WORK-UP** PHYSICAL THERAPY



For appointments at the **Haddon Heights** office, call: (856)546-0377

> Medicare and most other insurances are accepted.

(856) 546-0377! Need a PEP-UP? Call WORK-UP at

www.workupnow.com

June and July 2021

# WHO TO CONTACT THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH, STATE, AND COUNTY

### 2021 MAYOR & COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mayor: Zachary Houck e-mail: mayor@haddonhts.com Borough Number: 856-547-7164 ext. 37

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# **Local Phone Numbers:**

#### Police, Fire & Ambulance Emergencies : 911

For All Other Non-Emergencies: 856-547-2222

Public Works: 856-546-2580 After Hours Emergency 1-800-793-4315

I.D. #201 EL

Police Department: 856-547-0614

Fire Prevention Bureau: 856-546-7135

Borough Hall: 856-547-7164

Construction Office: 856-546-2580

Overnight Parking: 856-784-9161

Library: 856-547-7132

Animal Control: 856-718-0305

## **2021 HADDON HEIGHTS CIVIC GROUP CONTACTS**

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**HHHS Band Auxiliarv** 

HH, Barrington,

(856)261-2943

**Historical Society** 

Elena Hill 856-546-5065

**Interfaith Caregivers** 

**Knights of Columbus** 

Library House Tour

HHYA

HIP

Lawnside Wrestling

Rocky Riley 856-547-2569

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Rental Assistance: (856) 614-3300

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# CAMDEN COUNTY

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Division for Children: (856) 374-6376 Corrections: (856)756-2256

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Catholic Charities: (856)342-4193

CCMUA: (856) 541-3700

PSE&G: (866) 657-4273

NJ American Water: (800) 272-1325

Camden County College: (856)227-7200

Technical Schools: (856)767-7000

State Senator & Assembly Representatives: 515 White Horse Pike Audubon, NJ 08106 (856) 547-4800

Senator Nilsa Cruz-Perez Assemblyman William W. Spearman Assemblywoman William F. Moen, Jr.

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# MUNICIPAL MUSE

Submitted By: Kelly Santosusso - Borough Clerk RMC

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE ADDRESSED AT THE MARCH 2, 2021 COUNCIL WORK SESSION ZOOM MEETING

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1498 – An Ordinance Confirming and Authorizing the Sale of Lands In Accordance with the Requirements of the Local Lands and Buildings Law for Block 46, Lot 8, Known as 4 10th Avenue in the Borough of Haddon Heights, County of Camden and State of New Jersey

Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1499 – An Ordinance Amending and Supplementing Chapter 59 of the Code of the Borough of Haddon Heights Entitled, Officers and Employees Creating the Position of Borough Administrator

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to adopt Ordinance 2021:1499. Upon a roll call vote, all members were in favor.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Introduction of Ordinance 2021:1500 – Ordinance to Exceed the 2021 Municipal Budget Appropriation Limits and To Establish a Cap Bank (N.J.S.A. 40a: 4-45.14)

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to introduce Ordinance 2021:1500. Under a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.

Mayor Houck read Resolutions 2021:67 through 2021:74.

Resolution 2021:67 – Resolution of the Borough of Haddon Heights, County of Camden and State of New

Jersey Forgiving Certain Obligations of the Haddon Heights Youth Athletics, Inc.

Resolution 2021:68 – Resolution Authorizing Membership in a Mutual Aid and Assistance Agreement with Participating Units resolution of the Borough of Haddon Heights Authorizing Membership in a Mutual Aid and Assistance Agreement with Participating Units

Resolution 2021:69 – Resolution Authorizing The Borough Engineer to Make Application and the Mayor to Execute A Camden County Community Development Block Grant Agreement for Program Year 2021

Resolution 2021:70 – Resolution For Member Participation in a Cooperative Pricing System Authorizing the Borough of Haddon Heights to Enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement

Resolution 2021:71 – Resolution Authorizing the Appointment of Woodard & Curran, Inc. to Provide Environmental Consulting Services on Behalf of the Borough of Haddon Heights, Camden County, New Jersey

Resolution 2021:72 – Resolution Authorizing Bills and Claims for First Half of March

Resolution 2021:73 – Resolution of the Borough of Haddon Heights, County of Camden and State of New Jersey Rescinding, Revoking and Declaring Null and Void Resolution 2021:66 Adopted on February 16, 2021, Authoring the Execution of a Market to Affordable Landlord Agreement

Resolution 2021:74 – A Resolution Providing for a Meeting Not Open to the Public in Accordance with the Provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12. 1.) Matter related to Potential Shared Services Agreement with the Borough of Bellmawr for Tax Collector Services. 2.) Contract Matter related to an Employee Assistance Program. 3.) Matter related to Emergency Medical Services Agreement with Borough of Barrington 4.) Matter related to Potential Shared Service for the Fire Department. 5.) Discussion Regarding 2021 Civic Events. 6.) Matter related to Jefferson Bank property on the White Horse Pike. Duration of session is expected to be one hour. Formal action may be taken on any of the forgoing items following Executive Session.

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to adopt Resolutions 2021:67 through 2021:74. Council President Schreiber suggested we add an issue to the Executive Session regarding professional services for affordable housing. Mayor Houck agreed and asked for a motion to adopt Resolutions 2021:67 through 2021:73 and Resolution 2021:74 as amended. Upon a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE ADDRESSED AT THE MARCH 16, 2021 COUNCIL BUSINESS ZOOM MEETING

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Solicitor Long gave a background on the land sale of 4 Tenth Avenue which was successfully conducted this morning at 10 am. The unbuildable lot was sold to John Wristbridge, the contiguous property owner for \$3,800.

Public Hearing And Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1498 – An Ordinance Confirming and Authorizing the Sale of Lands In Accordance with the Requirements of the Local Lands and Buildings Law for Block 46, Lot 8, Known as 4 10th Avenue in the Borough of Haddon Heights, County of Camden and State of New Jersey

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to open the Public Hearing on Ordinance 2021:1498. Motion to open the Public Hearing was made by Councilman Morgan, seconded by Councilwoman Egbert.

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to adopt Ordinance 2021:1498. Under a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.

Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1500 – Ordinance to Exceed the 2021 Municipal Budget Appropriation Limits and To Establish a Cap Bank (N.J.S.A. 40a: 4-45.14)

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion for final adoption of Ordinance

2021:1500. Under a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

Introduction of Ordinance 2021:1501 – An Ordinance Amending \$100-20 of the Code of the Borough of Haddon Heights Entitled Stop Intersections

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to introduce Ordinance 2021:1501. Upon a roll call, all members voted in favor.

Introduction Of Bond Ordinance 2021:1502 - Bond Ordinance Authorizing The Acquisition Of Capital Equipment For The Police Department In And For The Borough Of Haddon Heights, County Of Camden, New Jersey; Appropriating The Sum Of \$50,000 Therefor; Authorizing The Issuance Of General Obligation Bonds Or Bond Anticipation Notes Of The Borough Of Haddon Heights, County Of Camden, New Jersey, In The Aggregate Principal Amount Of Up To \$47,500; Making Certain Determinations And Covenants; And Authorizing Certain Related Actions In Connection With The Foregoing

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to introduce Bond Ordinance 2021:1502. Under roll call vote, all members were in favor.

Council President Schreiber read aloud Resolutions 2021:75 through 2021:82.

Resolution 2021:75 – Resolution Authorizing the Borough of Haddon Heights to Enter Into an Agreement with AFLAC for Short-Term Disability Income Insurance for Participating Full-time Employees

Resolution 2021:76 – Resolution Canceling Old Grant Receivables and/or Grant Reserve Appropriation Balances

Resolution 2021:77 – Resolution Canceling Outstanding Checks

Resolution 2021:78 – Resolution Approving a Raffle License for the Camden County Hero Scholarship Fund, Inc. for the Purpose of Conducting a Handbag Raffle at the Haddon Heights Fire Department



# **ROBERT BROWN, P.C.** Tax & Public Accountant

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# BORO BITS

# Upcoming Council Meetings

WEDNESDAY, June 2<sup>nd</sup>

Tuesday, June 15th

Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday, July 20th

**7:00 p.m. Virtual ZOOM Meetings** Check Borough Website for Zoom Meeting Links and additional information

# **Overnight Parking:**

- Parking is prohibited on Borough streets from midnight to 5:00am.
- Parking Permit applications & renewal applications are available at the Borough Offices.
- 2021 permits must be displayed by 1/1/2021.
- The overnight parking number 856-784-9161. This number is also located on the Borough website several times in case you forget.
- Whenever there is a warning or prediction of possible snow or ice, ALL on-street parking is denied.

### Crossing Guards Needed The Haddon Heights Police

The Haddon Heights Police Department is in need of Crossing Guards. If you're in good health, enjoy being out doors and spending time helping children you may be

qualified. Interested applicants should apply at the: Haddon Heights Police Department, 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035. Please call 856-547-0614 ext. 10 if you have any questions.

## Employment Oppurtunity RENTAL FACILITIES CUSTODIAN

THE BOROUGH OF HADDON HEIGHTS seeks a part-time Rental Facilities Custodian. This position will include the cleaning, setup and breakdown of events in our Cabin and Community Center. Candidate must be available to work evenings and weekends. Weekly hours will range between 10 and 15. Rate of pay is \$15.00 per hr. No benefits will be afforded with this position.

Please forward your resume to Business Administrator Dave Taraschi at d.taraschi@audubonnj.com or mail to the Borough of Haddon Heights, 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035. Deadline to apply is no later than Friday, June 11, 2021 by 5 p.m. THE BOROUGH OF HADDON HEIGHTS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

# Are You Part of an Organization in Haddon Heights?

Would you like to see your organizations information, meetings, or upcoming events included in the next Heights Report? We are always looking for new submissions. For more information and to be put on our email reminder list, please contact the Borough at jyuhaze@haddonhts.com or 856-547-7164 ext. 36

# **Farmers Market**

Be Sure to Check Out the Farmers Market each Sunday, from May to October, you will find fresh produce, unique crafts, entertainment, and highlighted specials from local businesses. The farmer's market is open 9:30 am – 1:00 pm at the corner of Station Avenue and Atlantic Avenue.

We are always looking forward to a new and exciting events during our market season so be sure to like and follow us on Facebook for all the latest news. Come and see what's FRESH, and what's going on!

# Heights Grows!

Summer 2021: One-year In.

Did you know HEIGHTS GROWS! is now a little over a year old? Our committee sprouted up from an idea Mayor Houck and others had to create a Haddon Heights Civics Day. The plan then was to organize a community clean-up and plantings. Thanks to the early funding from HIP and local business, our group of volunteers started with a few small tasks and continues to grow. Last Summer Heights Grows decided to partner with the borough as a committee and they purchased the 27 planters along the 500-600 blocks of Station Avenue to beautify the town.

We recently held a Spring 'Plant & Polish' Day where volunteers washed local business' windows and updated the planters. We've partnered with the PTG for our March litter patrol and are eager to partner with other Heights organizations.

We can use a few more hands. We'll get 'em dirty for you. This is one of the easiest groups to volunteer for. We pride ourselves on more results and less meetings. In return for your efforts, you get to beautify our little town, get some exercise, enjoy the outdoors, and make some new friends. Interested? Email us at Heightsgrows@haddonhts.com.

You can work by yourself (weed patrol) or in groups (Rake-a-ton, Plant Sale, and Cleanup Day.) No GREEN THUMB required. All are welcome and our activities are family friendly. Follow HEIGHTS GROWS! on Facebook & Instagram to learn about our upcoming activities and join in or look for us on the borough website Haddonhts.com

# **Environmental Updates**



"Remembering Yesterday for the People of Tomorrow www.hhhistorical.org

The Haddon Heights Historical Society Presents:

Informative and Educational NJ & American History Original Presentations Featuring Local/ National Author & Speaker Programs

#### YEAR 2021 - NOTICE:

Dear Citizens, History Buffs and Members, All Meetings/Presentations are currently on hold during the Pandemic for the immediate future. Please watch this space and visit our website. **THANK YOU!** 

# Tax Assessor's Office

New Jersey Law requires the Tax Assessor's office to keep all property assessments current. The Assessor's inspector may visit your property if the property owner or their contractor obtained a building permit to build a new building, or update, improve, expand, remodel, redecorate, rehab and/or demolish an existing building located in Haddon Heights. Please cooperate with the Assessor's inspector who will perform an interior and exterior examination of your home or business, and request information to confirm the type of work done, or to be done, the cost of the project, and the date the job was, or is to be completed. This inspection is in addition to any inspection(s) required by the Haddon Heights Building Inspection Department.

The inspector will visit your property unannounced in the day, early evening, or on a Saturday. This method of inspection is very cost effective and I greatly appreciate your help allowing the inspector to collect the data required. The inspectors who work for the Tax Assessor's office are Judith Shoemaker (Judi), Jeffery Scott Pierson (Scott), and myself. Each inspector will wear an official Haddon Heights Borough ID Badge. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to call Tax Assessor's Office at 856-547-7164 ex 33. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation with the inspection process. Thank you, Thomas J. Colavecchio, Tax Assessor

Haddon Heights Shade Tree Commission distributed 500 trees on 5/2/20 at the Haddon Heights Farmers Market. The trees were provided by the New Jersey DEP Forestry Division under the New Jersey Tree Recovery Campaign with no cost to our Borough.

A second town hall meeting took place on April 20th for an open forum on Electric Energy Aggregation. The program is designed to form a cooperative of Haddon Heights residents to purchase electric energy at a discount and increase the renewable energy component from 21% for current PSE&G users to 50% for participants in the program. The program is endorsed by the Haddon Heights Environmental Commission and Sustainable Haddon Heights. This initiative has great benefits in the reduction of our town carbon footprint with accompanied cost savings on your household electric energy bill. Tom Ottoson, Borough Councilman (TOttoson@haddonhts.com)

# What's New at the Station



The Station sustained significant roof and chimney damage as a result of the late winter storms. Passers by will have noticed the ladders and scaffolding to repair the roof and rebuild the chimney. We continue to keep up with the problems and will be fixing the damage to the shingles on the West Atlantic Avenue side over the summer. On a more positive note, layout construction has continued and we are making significant progress on the new modules in spite of all the limitations. Hopefully we can be open to the public by the fall. Our Facebook page is updated as things progress and you can view the work there. Summer is the time to get out and watch trains.



# SENIOR COMMUNITY TABLE

Since the fall of 2009, the Senior Community Table has been meetings on Tuesdays for lunch. We've survived the year of Covid and have had our vaccines. Our restaurants are scrambling to reopen and are restarting our Tuesday gatherings. Sadly, Brooklyn Pizza no long has a dining room but still has great takeout pizza! Please get your shot and join us! We meet 11:45 - 1, separate checks. Rose Fitzgerald, Coordinator 856-524-8009

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#### **JUNE**

First Tuesday, June 1 - Kunkel's Second Tuesday, June 8 – Ralph's Pizza Third Tuesday, June 15 – Legacy Dinner in Audubon

Fourth Tuesday, June 22 - Anthony's Fifth Tuesday, June 29 - Local Links

## ..... <u>Haddon Heights Good Neighbors</u>

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longer, and the summer months are right in front of us. It's a great time of good year to be living in Haddon Heights and a great time to give pause to think about our neighbors who might be having a hard

time enjoying the warmth of summer because of a medical problem or a financial problem. Possibly, the strains of COVID-19 have affected our neighbors in ways they had not prepared for in the past. Fortunately, Haddon Heights Good Neighbors is able to help brighten the lives of these neighbors.

HHGN was formed in 1979 to provide shortterm financial assistance of a material nature to residents in need. As an organization of the people, by the people, and for the people of Haddon Heights, we pride ourselves on helping

The sun is shining, the days are getting members of our town when they are struggling. After all, shouldn't a sense of community come with a sense of responsibility?

First Tuesday, July 6 - Kunkel's

Second Tuesday, July 13 - Ralph's Pizza

Third Tuesday, July 20 – Black Horse

Fourth Tuesday, July 27 – Anthony's

Diner in Mt. Ephraim

One way of helping HHGN to accomplish its goal is to join the organization which typically meets the 1st Wednesday of January, May, September, and November. The next two meetings for 2021 are September 1 and November 4. These meetings are held in Borough Hall at 7:00 PM. New members are always welcome.

Another way is to make a donation to the organization which will be used to help residents in our community. Whether it goes toward rent, utilities, groceries, or home repairs, we investigate every request and independently determine its worthiness. Our hands-on approach ensures the money goes to where it is needed the most.

#### WHO ARE THE HADDON HEIGHTS GOOD NEIGHBORS? YOU ARE

Haddon Heights Good Neighbors is a non-profit, non-sectarian, non-political organization. We are a registered 501(c)3 charity and every donation is tax deductible. It has never had a paid employee or officer. All work is done by volunteers, and anyone who makes a donation is a member. No donation is too small, and no act of kindness is too inconsequential! There are several ways you can make a donation. You can use the United Way (Haddon Heights Good Neighbors, Inc. (#05625) is registered in the Donor Choice Programs of several United Way Agencies: Bergen County, Camden County, Gloucester County, the State of Delaware, and Southeastern Pennsylvania, Tri-State and Greater Lehigh Valley.) If your United Way does not list us as an option, simply write in the following words on your donor form: Haddon Heights Good Neighbors, 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035. You may use PayPal with the following link: http://www.hhgoodneighbors.org/donate.html. You can also use Venmo (Good Neighbors HH@Haddonheightsgoodneighbors). Or, If you wish to make a donation by check, please make the check out to HHGN, and mail it to: Haddon Heights Good Neighbors 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035

856-546-6677 - www.hhgoodneighbors.org - Like us on Facebook! HHGN is NOT to be confused with the Haddon Heights Neighbors "Night Out" organization whose mission is different than ours although BOTH benefit our town.

Another way to help HHGN financially is through the AmazonSmile program. If you are not familiar with AmazonSmile, it's a 501(c)(3) private foundation created by Amazon. When first visiting AmazonSmile, you will be prompted to select a charitable organization from almost one million eligible organizations. In order to browse or shop at AmazonSmile, customers must first select a charitable organization. Please select Haddon Heights Good Neighbors. For eligible purchases at AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to the customer's selected charitable organization. Essentially, it's the same as shopping via the Amazon website, it's just a different portal. https://smile.amazon.com/

# Anna Dougherty **NEW JERSEY**

2021 Profile in Courage Essay Contest Winner

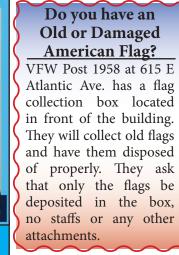
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Link to information on Anna's Winning Essay: https://tinyurl.com/4256v2pf

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Resolution 2021:79 – Resolution Authorizing Payment of Bills and Claims for the Second Half of March

Resolution 2021:80 – Resolution Authorizing an Agreement By and Between the Borough of Bellmawr and the Borough of Haddon Heights Providing Emergent Temporary Tax Collector Services for a Period of Nine Weeks

Resolution 2021:81 – Resolution Certifying Compliance With The United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission's "Enforcement Guidance On The Consideration Of Arrest And Conviction Records in Employment Decisions Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964"

Resolution 2021:82 – A Resolution Providing for a Meeting Not Open to the Public in Accordance with the Provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12. 1.) Contract matter related to Collection of Solid Waste and Recyclable Materials 2.) Matter related to Redevelopment and potential Shared Services Agreement with Camden County Improvement Authority. 3.) Matter related to Personnel. 4.) Security Measures. 5.) Matters of Attorney-Client Privilege. Formal action may be taken on any of the forgoing items following Executive Session.

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to adopt Resolutions 2021:75 through 2021:82. Upon a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.

#### THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE ADDRESSED AT THE MARCH 30, 2021 SPECIAL ZOOM MEETING

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Public Hearing For The Purpose Of Entering Into A Shared Services Agreement For Chief Financial Officer Services (Proposed Agreement) With The Camden County Improvement Authority

Council President Schreiber opened the Public Hearing on the above matter. Schreiber says that this SSA is being entered into for reasons of efficiency. Current CFO was making about \$31K a

year and had availability only on Fridays. We were able to come up with services for a lesser rate and for additional time. Councilman Morgan said he agreed with all comments by Schreiber. We feel confident with the incoming candidate. The current CFO was only available on Fridays. The increased availability will be an asset. Councilman Ottoson said he supports the decision and looks forward to working with the new CFO on putting together an agreement. Solicitor Long speaks about the Shared Services Act that permits for matters of economies and efficiencies where we can show a savings. All required by law were satisfied. The evaluation of the entire process results in a 25% savings to the borough. Flat amount of 24K. Agreement has been made available to Council and he trusts that Council will achieve the results that vou all seek.

Council President Schreiber then read aloud the following Resolutions:

Resolution 2021:83 – Resolution Authorizing a Shared Services Agreement by and between the Borough of Haddon Heights and the Camden County Improvement Authority for the Provision of Shared Chief Financial Officer Services

Resolution 2021:84 – A Resolution Providing for a Meeting Not Open to the Public In Accordance with the Provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12. 1.) Matters related to attorney-client privilege. Discussion is expected to be ½ hr. in duration. Formal action may be taken following Executive Session

Council President Schreiber asked for a motion to adopt Resolutions 2021:83 and 2021:84. All members present voted in favor.

#### THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE ADDRESSED AT THE APRIL 6, 2021 COUNCIL WORK SESSION ZOOM MEETING

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1501 – An Ordinance Amending \$100-20 of the Code of the Borough of Haddon Heights Entitled Stop Intersections

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to adopt Ordinance 2021:1501. Upon a roll call vote, all members were in favor.

Public Hearing And Final Adoption Of Bond Ordinance 2021:1502 – Bond Ordinance Authorizing The Acquisition Of Capital Equipment For The Police Department In And For The Borough Of Haddon Heights, County Of Camden, New Jersey; Appropriating The Sum Of \$50,000 Therefor; Authorizing The Issuance Of General Obligation Bonds Or Bond Anticipation Notes Of The Borough Of Haddon Heights, County Of Camden, New Jersey, In The Aggregate Principal Amount Of Up To \$47,500; Making Certain Determinations And Covenants; And Authorizing Certain Related Actions In Connection With The Foregoing

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to adopt Bond Ordinance 2021:1502. Upon a roll call vote, all members were in favor.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Introduction of Ordinance 2021:1503 – Ordinance Amending the Code of the Borough of Haddon Heights to Establish Chapter 365, Entitled "Smoking and Vaping on Public Property"

Mayor Houck announced Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1503 is scheduled for Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at approximately 7:30 pm in the Municipal Building located at 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, New Jersey.

Introduction of Ordinance 2021:1504 – An Ordinance to Establish A Government-Private Energy Aggregation Program in the Borough of Haddon Heights in Order to Provide Electric Generation Service And Supply Service for Residential and Non-Residential Customer Pursuant to the Government Energy Aggregation Act

Mayor Houck announced Public Hearing and Final Adoption of Ordinance 2021:1504 is scheduled for Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at approximately 7:30 pm in the Municipal Building located at 625 Station Avenue, Haddon Heights, New Jersey. Mayor Houck read aloud Resolutions 2021:86 through 2021:92.

Resolution 2021:86 – Resolution Supporting the Submission of an Application to the Camden County Open Space, Farmland, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund for Irrigation Well at Devon Avenue Recreational Facility

Resolution 2021:87 – Resolution Authorizing Refund of Tax Overpayment – Kennedy

Resolution 2021:88 – Resolution Authorizing Refund of Tax Overpayment – Bovio

Resolution 2021:89 – Resolution Authorizing Payment of Bills and Claims for the First Half of April

Resolution 2021:90 – A Resolution to Affirm the Borough of Haddon Heights' Civil Rights Policy With Respect to All Officials, Appointees, Employees, Prospective Employees, Volunteers, Independent Contractors, and Members of the Public that Come Into Contact With Municipal Employees, Officials and Volunteers

Resolution 2021:91 – Resolution Authorizing A Shared Services Agreement by and between the Borough of Haddon Heights and the Camden County Improvement Authority for the Provision of Professional Redevelopment Services

Resolution 2021:92 – A Resolution Providing for a Meeting Not Open to the Public in Accordance with the Provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12. 1.) Matters of Attorney-Client Privilege. 2.) Update on Potential Shared Services Agreement for the Fire Department. 3.) Matter related to Personnel - Criminal Background Checks for Recreation Volunteers. Discussions are expected to be one hour in duration. Formal action may be taken on any of the forgoing items following Executive Session.

Mayor Houck asked for a motion to adopt Resolutions 2021:86 through 2021:92. Upon a roll call vote, all members voted in favor.



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# **Girl Scout Troop 30751**

Cyndy from Main Street Planters and Heights Grows was a guest speaker teaching troop 30751 all about flowers and container planting!!









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# **Historic Preservation Commission**

Design Guidelines for Haddon Heights' Historic Buildings and Districts

Last year, the Borough was awarded a Certified Local Government grant to produce a design guidelines book to assist owners of properties in the Borough's historic districts and its historic landmarks. The project was put out to bid and Donna Ann Harris of Heritage Consulting, Inc. was awarded the contract to produce the guide. Ms. Harris is no stranger to Haddon Heights as, in 1984 fresh out of Columbia University's Historic Preservation Program and working for the National Trust for Historic Preservation, she advised the HPC in their protest of the demolition of Six White Horse Pike. More recently she also produced the heritage tourism assessment for the Glover Fulling Mill Grant in 2012.

Using Zoom, the HPC has met monthly with Donna to review the work product. The book is currently being reviewed in the N.J. Historic Preservation Office. A public presentation of the Design Guidelines will be held in September. All will be welcome to attend, whether or not you live in a historic district. The Design Guidelines will be available to all on the Borough's website for downloading. Print copies will be available for reference at the Borough Hall and Library in the summer. Here's a sample page:

What Kind of Changes Does the HPC Review? All actions that affect the exterior of an historic landmark or an improvement within an historic district shall be reviewed by the HPC. Some require a building permit, while others do not

require a building permit, while others do not. Review shall be required for, but not limited to, the following work when visible from the public right of way:

- Demolition or relocation of any building, site, or object in an historic district or an historic landmark.
- Roofing: any change including repair or replacement of the roof, and/or installation of solar panels.
- Wall cladding: any change including repair or replacement of wall cladding and/or installing synthetic siding (vinyl, aluminum, cementitious board, etc.).
- Windows: any change including repair or

replacement of windows and/or installation of shutters if they are not original to the structure.

- Doors: any change including repair or replacement of doors.
- Gutters, downspouts, or other parts of the water conduction system: any change including repair or replacement of any part of the water conduction system.
- Porch: any change including repair or replacement of the porch.
- Signs: any change including a new installation and/or repair or replacement of signs.
- Storefronts, store entrances, and upper stories of commercial buildings: any change including repair or replacement of storefronts, store entrances, and upper stories
- Lighting: any change, including installation, and/or repair to exterior lighting, either mounted on the building and/or in the landscape.
- Landscape: any change including installation, repair, or replacement of stoop, steps, walls, ornamental or other fences, retaining walls, driveways, sidewalks, parking areas, or trees.
- Garages and other secondary buildings or structures: any change including repair or replacement of a garage or other secondary building or structure.
- Building additions, alterations, new construction, zoning variances, and/or subdivision site plans: any new work or change including installation, repair, or replacement.

Some changes do not require a building permit but still must be reviewed by the Historic Preservation Commission. If you're wondering whether your project requires review, please contact the Service Operations Facility staff at 856-546-2580.





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# ependence Celebration

Come see the Queen & Her Court

# Main Parade Begins at 9am

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Firecracker 5K (Starts at 8am)



We invite all children 6 years of age and under to join in the Baby/Child Parade! There will be no judging or registration required. All children joining into the parade will receive participation gifts and fun decorative wear. Families should convene at 8:45 am at corners of 10th and Sycamore to participate.

# **Over 7 to Senior Citizens**

We also invite everyone else who is interested (7 years of age and older) to join in and participate in the parade! You can dress up as individuals, couples, or families. Pets on a leash are also invited to dress up and join the parade. You can also decorate your bike\* or non-motorized wagon. Decorate your car or put together a float. Have fun and show your patriotic spirit! See Page 11 to see where you need to line up to join the main parade. \*HELMETS ARE REQUIRED TO RIDE IN THE PARADE

# **Own A Classic Vehicle?**

This year we also want to extend an invitation to all residents with a "classic" car or truck to join into the parade. If you are interested in joining the Parade, line up on 2nd Avenue the morning of the Parade at 8:00 am.

# Parade Rain Date!

While we have all our fingers crossed and are hoping for beautiful weather, we know that sometimes Mother Nature is not on the same page. So if there is rain and the Parade will be postponed and we will hold the festivities on Sunday, JULY 4th -- all of the times will remain the same.

Classic

Vechicles

Baby

Parade

# <u>Firecracker 5K</u>

The Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance would like you to join in their Firecracker 5K in Haddon Heights. Details and race updates will be posted on the Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance Instagram page, which can be followed by scanning the QR code (*Top Right of Page 11*). Details will also be posted on the Facebook page "Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance". If you have any questions or would like any additional information please contact Daniel Kinkler at 609-314-0005 and/or haddonheightsma@gmail.com.

# We Need Your Help!

We are calling for volunteers to be Parade Marshals! Can you spare 30 to 60 minutes to help us? The parade needs many volunteers in multiple spots to keep everything running smoothly and make sure everyone is safe and having fun! If you would be able to help please contact Councilwoman Trisha Egbert at tegbert@haddonhts.com or Marian Hauser, 856-547-7164, ext. 33 or mhauser@haddonhts.com . Thank you in advance for your help!

# 2021 Parade Grand Marshal



Introducing this year's Haddon Heights Independence Day Parade Grand Marshal We are so excited to officially announce that Haddon Heights will once again be holding our annual Independence Day parade on Saturday, July 3! With the theme of "Hometown Heros" for the big event it is truly an honor to announce this year's Grand Marshal: Jenn Griffith RN, BSN, CSN. The Griffith family has called Haddon Heights home for "8 wonderful years". Jenn and her husband John, who has worked at Pennsylvania Hospital for almost 20 years, have 2 kids, daughter Lily 12, and son Gavin 10.

In the spirit of honoring the hometown heros who helped keep us all safe during the pandemic, Jenn, a Certified School Nurse for the Lindenwold School District and a member of the Camden County Reserve Medical Corps who volunteered at Rowan School of Osteopathic Medicine administering the first doses of the Moderna SARS CoV-2 vaccine, is an excellent choice to kick off the 2021 parade.

When asked about her time volunteering Jenn said, "The hope I felt that day and the days that followed was overwhelming. The look in people's eyes ranged from elation, fear, and many tears of relief. I was happy to be a part of helping people get back to normal. This experience was the most profound in my career as a nurse thus far."

Thank you for helping to keep us all safe! We are looking forward to seeing Jenn and her family lead our annual parade.

Photo (Right): Jenn administering the vaccine to fellow Haddon Heights resident Alicia Gutkin, RDH.

# Parade Line Up

Any questions contact Councilwoman Trisha Egbert tegbert@haddonhts.com at or Marian Hauser at 856-547-7164, ext. 33, mhauser@ haddonhts.com.

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> AVENUE

- Neighborhood Floats
- Resident Classic Cars
- Civic Groups and Floats

#### **3**<sup>RD</sup> AVENUE

- Queen and Court
- Scouts
- Church Groups & Floats
- Sport Organizations (HHYA, Field Hockey, Football, Soccer)

### 4<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE

- Mayor and Council
- Grand Marshall
- Color Guard
- Fire Dept / EMS

#### **ATLANTIC & STATION**

- (Cabana Candy Corner) • Decorated Bikes &
- Wagons **10<sup>TH</sup> & SYCAMORE**

• Babies & Children

**Saturday July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 at 8:00 am** The Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance would like you

to join in their Firecracker 5K in Haddon Heights. Details and race updates will be posted on the Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance Instagram page, which can be followed by scanning the QR code. Details will also be posted on the Facebook page "Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance". If you have any questions or would like any additional information please contact Daniel Kinkler at 609-314-0005 and/or haddonheightsma@gmail.com.



#### PRE-REGISTER for \$20 between now and July 1st • Online @ runsignup.com/Race/NJ/HaddonHeights/

- FireCracker5k2 or sjtiming.com
- Mail Checks Payable: Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance
- Mail to: Haddon Heights Municipal Alliance, 625 Station Ave, Haddon Heights, NJ 08035

#### LIVE REGISTRATION for \$25 / SHIRT & BIB pickup:

• July 2<sup>nd</sup> - 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm at HH Cabin at Hoff's Park, 8th Ave and W. High • July 3rd - 6:45 am to 7:45 am at HH Cabin at Hoff's Park, 8th Ave and W. High

#### Race Day 5K Start: 8:00 a.m. Sharp! "Rain or Shine"

• Course: USATF Certified; Flat, fast & mostly shaded - point to point. Ends and starts, at Hoff's Park, the parade finish. Great running through beautiful Haddon Heights! Course roads are police controlled.

#### Awards - No Award Duplications:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Overall Male & Female: \$150 each -- 2<sup>nd</sup> Overall Male & Female: \$ 100 each-- 3rd Overall Male & Female: \$50 each
- Age Groups: Top 3 Males & Females Each Division
- 14 & Under, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70+ Special Award Divisions: Top Military & Public Safety Personnel (Male & Female): Police / Fire / EMS / Federal LE

\*Please be advised this year due to health and safety concerns refreshments will not be served before, during, and after the race. In addition, the awards and prices will be announced on social media rather than in person.\*



4 Seasons Landscaping and Lawn Care has been servicing Haddon Heights for the past 14 years. Offering complete property maintenance services and new landscape installs. The owner Thomas McAnany and the crew has always loved servicing Haddon Heights.

"Servicing Haddon Heights over the years, I would always get a good feeling as soon as we entered Heights. The old town feel, great people, and beautiful homes just give off good vibes!"

When my wife and I started looking to purchase a



home 2 years ago, we knew it had to be Heights. We love the community feeling.

That's why I reached out to Cyndy at Heights Grows. I noticed the great work they were doing on social media and knew 4 Seasons could help out with the mulching of Station Ave. Our crews did a great job! We look forward to volunteering and offering our services in the future.

This town is not just where our clients live, but where my family and I choose to live.

# GADDON GEIGHTS SCHOOLS

Atlantic Avenue Elementary School 21 E. Atlantic Avenue • 547-0630 Principal Chris Ormsby

**Board of Education** 316A Seventh Avenue President Superintendent Michael Adams

**Child Study Team** 316B Seventh Avenue • 547-1322 Jocqueline Renner **Glenview Avenue Elementary School** 1700 Sycamore Street • 547-7647 Principal

#### Haddon Heights Jr./Sr. High School

301 Second Avenue • 547-1920 Principal: Karim Fisher Asst. Principal (10-12): Michael Renner Asst. Principal (7-9): Matt Martin New Beginnings Learning Center Nursery School 1st United Methodist Church 704 Garden Street • 547-4444 Director: Gayle Iannitelli

**Seventh Avenue Elementary School** 316 Seventh Avenue • 547-0610 Principal Chris Ormsby

**St. Rose Elementary School** 300 Kings Highway • 546-6166 Principal Deacon Joseph Rafferty

The Haddon Heights Public School District Emergency Closing Number is #563

# **Garnets News**

Haddon Heights Jr./Sr. High School Teachers Choice Awards



In the month of April, students were recognized as part of the Teachers Choice Awards. This event recognizes students that have made an impact/impression on staff that have nominated them. This event highlights students for academic prowess and often rewards and recognizes students who demonstrate resilience, grit, determination and have made strides as students through their years at the Jr./Sr. High School.

# *Elementary Schools Student Principal of the Day*

In the month of April at each elementary school, a student was selected to be the principal for a day. Some of their experiences were serving as guest readers, observing lessons, reading morning announcements, and completing a variety of other tasks.

# New Beginnings Learning & Childcare Center is excited to announce that the Preschool will be reopening its doors September, 2021! Families their afternoons at NBLCC until 6pm.

is excited to announce that the Preschool will be reopening its doors September, 2021! Families who enroll their children will have more options than ever at NBLCC. Parents can expect the affordable excellent care and quality Preschool education the school has always been known for, with the addition of year round childcare with full day schedules.

Open Enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year is underway and spaces are filling quickly. Parents may enroll their 2 1/2 to 5 year old children for their choice of days for the PreSchool program which now runs from 9a until noon, Monday

through Friday. For before school care, Breakfast Buddies begins at 7am for families who need to begin their child's dat a bit earlier. Children can bring their breakfast and eat with their friends before their Preschool class begins. Lunch Bunch follows the Preschool class from noon to 1p. They'll eat their lunch and have extra playtime too. For parents who



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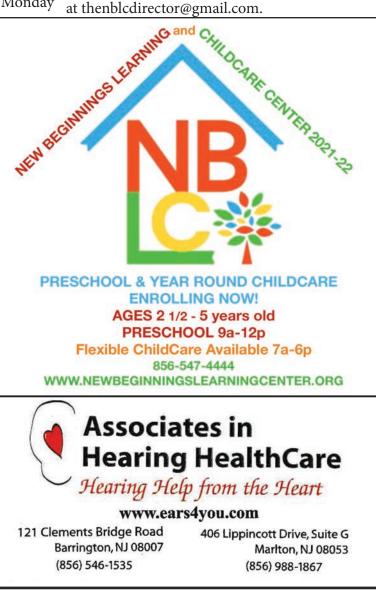
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their afternoons at NBLCC until 6pm. We are wrapping up some wonderful renovations and the estimated day for tours will begin June 14, 2021. Photos of the classrooms are on the website (www.newbeginningslearningcenter. org) and posted on the NBLCC Facebook page.

NBLCC is located at Fellowship United Methodist, 704 Garden Street, Haddon Heights NJ. For more information and to request a Registration Packet, please visit our website listed above or send an email to Ayn Masker, Director at thenblcdirector@gmail.com.



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# St. Rose of Lima School

### **Congratulations Graduates!**

The St. Rose School staff and students congratulate our 8th grade students and wish them much success as they embark on the next journey in their lives. Many of our students received scholarships and awards to the area high schools that they will be attending next year. They will be attending Bishop Eustace Prep, Camden Catholic High School, Eastern High School, Gloucester Catholic High School, Haddon Township High School, Merion Mercy Academy, Paul VI High School, St. Augustine's Prep, and St. Joseph's Prep. Congratulations graduates!

### First Holy Communion

On May 1st, our second grade school and religious education students received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. Thank you to all of the teachers and parents who worked with our students as they prepared for this special day.

#### Spring Events

From June 3rd - 5th, our Arts Committee and Music Department will be putting on a virtual performance of School House Rock. Tickets will be available for purchase. Please visit our website for more information: www.stroseoflimaschoolnj.com

The St. Rose of Lima Track Team had an interesting spring track season as they competed with other schools in virtual track meets. (Each school had students run their events on their own school grounds with their own teammates and then scores were tallied afterwards.) Congratulations to all of our student athletes!

Our students participated in their Annual Laps for Learning event held on May 21st. This fun event

promotes exercise while raising money for the school's educational programs.

## **Enrollment now Open!**

Although we do have a waiting list in some grades and classes, St. Rose is still accepting applications for the 2021-22 school year. We offer a 2-year tuition grant to students entering grades 1-7 who are transferring from a public school. Tuition assistance is also available. We offer personal school tours for prospective students and families. Our Preschool, Rosebud Academy has a waiting list in some classes, but does have a few openings for the 2021-22 school year. Please call the Advancement Office at 856-546-6166, ext 309 for additional information. Follow our pages on Facebook at St. Rose of Lima School and Alumni Association and Rosebud Academy Preschool. Visit our website www. stroseoflimaschoolnj.com

Photo: St. Rose of Lima families and students surprised their teachers and staff with a surprise red carpet during Teacher Appreciation Week to thank them for their tireless efforts this year managing the ups and downs of COVID and in-person learning. Teachers walked down an outdoor red carpet lined with each of their names on a "Star of Fame" while students and parents safely cheered them on. Each teacher was given a bouquet of flowers and a mock Oscar Trophy for "Best Performance in a Pandemic."

Safe Routes to School

Safe routes to school will be holding a bike rodeo at the farmers market on Sunday 6/27. Kids should Ride your bike with a parent, a mask and a helmet. Helmet fittings and new helmets for those that need them (must be present)



# **PROJECT CHILD FIND**

Do you have a preschool age child, ages 3 to 5, experiencing developmental difficulties with communication, learning, socialization, or motor skills? If so, your child may be eligible for free services through the school district. The district will evaluate children, when warranted, beginning at age 2 years 9 months old. The district provides special education services for eligible preschoolers.

If you suspect your preschool age child is developing differently or demonstrating problems learning contact Jocqueline Renner, Director of Special Education, at 547-1322, Ext. 2000 for more information. Information is also available on the Special Education, Project CHILD FIND weblink located on the school district's website at hhsd.k12.nj.us.



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# FREE STEAM Classes: Ages 5 – 10

Our ongoing STEAM classes continue on June 3 (Shark Tank), June 10 (Wacky Whales) and June 17 (Slime Time) from 4:30 – 5:00. These free, interactive classes are designed for kids ages 5 - 10 and are conducted over Zoom. Please check out our Facebook page for the Zoom links and the materials required. Each class is run by Julie Conca, a certified teacher and STEAM expert. Call 856-547-7132 if you have any questions.



# **2021 Summer Reading Program**

The library's annual summer reading program, entitled "Tails and Tales", will begin on Thursday, June 24. Due to the pandemic, details are still being finalized, but we will have reading logs, prizes and events! The program will run through August. Please keep an eye out for updates on our website and Facebook page.

# Sponsor St. Paul's Summer Camp

Please Help Enrich a Child's Summer! St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Camden, runs an inner city summer day camp for local children ages 4 to 12. The camp runs weekdays for five weeks in July and August. You may sponsor a child for 1 day for \$16; a week for \$80; half the summer for \$200; and all summer for \$400. You may mail a check made out to St. Paul's Camp Faith 2014, to Toni Bonnette, 30 Sylvan Lake Avenue, Haddonfield, NJ 08033 or call her at 856-577-1579



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# PORTS

## **Garnets Field Hockey** Garnets Field Hockey Summer Camp

is happening!!!

Sign up beginning May 1st

What: Summer Camp for Grades Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade



Where: Haddon Heights High School Varsity Field Hockey Field

When: Thursday nights - July 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29<sup>th</sup> and August 5<sup>th</sup>

#### **Times:**

Kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade - 6:00-7:00 pm Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> 6:00-7:30 pm

#### Cost:

Kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade-\$60 (\$10 per session) Grade 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup>-\$90 (\$15 per session)

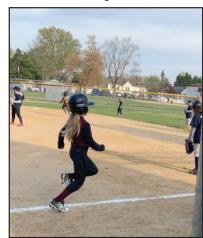
Register at garnetsfieldhockey.org starting May 1st

Remember-registration fills quickly and closes on July 15<sup>th</sup>. Sign up now!!

Keep our page bookmarked for Fall Registration - INFORMATION COMING SOON!!! Go Garnets!

# HHYA

HHYA kicked off our 2021 baseball/softball season with opening day games on April 10th, 2021. We are beyond excited to be able to open the fields this season after such an unusual year. Safety precautions have been put in place to make this the best experience for all.



There has been a great turnout this year with 250 kids signed up to play ball from 5-15 years old! We were able to field 20 baseball teams and 2 rookie softball teams along with 4

clinic teams. As you drive past the fields on a weeknight or Saturday you will see and hear our players enjoying the game. Our minors and majors baseball teams along with our rookie's softball teams have been enjoying the weeknight games and practices, especially those under the lights. If you drive by early on a Saturday you will get to see our youngest players (our clinic and T-ball aged kids) having fun learning the game.

HHYA is always looking to see how we can better June and July 2021

# Haddon Heights Soccer Club

Thank you to all our Heights Soccer players that joined us for another successful Spring season! We thank our member families, the players, and the volunteers who make it all happen.

Registration Information for Fall Recreation and Tot programs

Registration Dates: June 15-August 20, 2021 Fall Tots Soccer Program

- Ages 3 & 4 meets once a week on Saturday mornings 8:15 am
- Fall Rec Soccer Program
- Grades K-2 programs practice one night a week and games are played on Saturday mornings.
- Grades 3-8 practice one night a week and games are played on Friday nights.

Opening day of soccer for Tots and Grades K-2 will be Saturday, September 11, 2021.

First day of Younger (Grades 3-5) and Older (Grades 6-8) Clubs will be Friday, September 10, 2021.

Register online at www.haddonheightssoccer.net, ends AUGUST 20TH. We are always in need of volunteers to coach. Please indicate interest at time of registration. All practices and games held at McCullough Complex- Devon Avenue Fields. Additional Dates: First day of SJGSL will be 9/11/21 and first day of SJSL will be 9/12/21.

HHSC PAVE OUR FUTURE BRICK CAMPAIGN As our soccer community continues to grow, make a lasting impression and leave your mark permanently at our new Devon Avenue Field Complex! Personalized brick pavers will support many of our club's new programs, the new building and field maintenance. Your Garnet Pride will be displayed for years to come!

A brick contribution is a great way to highlight athletic accomplishments and achievements for yourself or a loved one. Bricks can be purchased in honor of a players, coaches, teams, alumni and families. They are also a wonderful way to thank a parent, grandparent, or any other person who helped a player along the way.

In lieu of traditional fundraisers, our brick campaign will generate funds for field maintenance and improvements, as well as increasing the quality and availability of programs to our players. Please lend your support to this most worthy cause. By purchasing a brick today, you truly are helping to "PAVE OUR FUTURE" FOR THE HADDON HEIGHTS SOCCER CLUB!

Please visit the order link online at: https:// www.fundraisingbrick.com/hhsc or visit www. haddonheightssoccer.net for more information.



our programs. This year HHYA has purchased some new equipment for both our baseball and softball programs of all ages. The Rookie Softball girls are utilizing a new pitching machine for their practices and games. They, along with the girl's clinic program, are also practicing their skills with their new hitting nets, throwing nets, players that have hitting sticks, whiffle balls and tees. Baseball is also utilizing their new screens, nets and tarps for home plate.

Of course, our HHYA baseball/softball program could not work without all of the volunteer coaches taking their time to help us keep the love for b aseball/softball alive. We are lucky enough to have approximately 50 adults volunteering to coach this year. And, of course, we can't forget all of the volunteers (Haddon Heights High School students and baseball/softball parents) that have donated their time to safely open and run our



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snack stand this year. Feel free to stop by to grab a snack and watch a ballgame!

HHYA likes to recognize those spent many years in our baseball/softball program and are in their final year of the



Little League. We thank you for your time in our program, have enjoyed watching you grow and hope the best for you as you move forward in your baseball/softball careers. Below is a list of those kids in their final year of Little League.

Girls Softball Players: Emily Connolly, Emilia Giuffrida, Caitlyn Moses, Isabel Waite and Lillian Smentek

Boys Baseball Players: Aidan McCabe, Luke Buechele, Jackson Butler, Owen DeAndrea, Liam Quinn, Christopher Castellano, Michael Polisano, Jack Healey, Jadon Matteo, Benjamin Alexander, Dakotah Spisak, Vincent Dougherty, Jack Nicholson, Charlie Merz, Jack Lero, Owen Watson, Andrew Weag, Andrew Gutkin, Tommy Dromgoole, Max Silvestri and Cole Simon

# ACES OF WORSHIP

#### Fellowship United Methodist Church 704 Garden Street ~ 547-3300 www.fellowshipUMCofHH.net Rev. Ayn Masker Sunday Worship in Sanctuary 10:04am Online Worship available via website

#### **First Presbyterian Church**

28 Seventh Avenue ~ 547-6139 fpchaddonheights.org Rev. Eliza Cramer Jaremko Sunday 10 a.m.

### . . . . **Fellowship United** Methodist Church

Fellowship UMC is a welcoming and casual church filled with people made in God's image. We are a church that honors Jesus' top 2 commands: Love God, Love people. Matt. 22:36-40 (We love that!) We work hard to be judgement free because "God is the only lawgiver and judge. Who do you think you are, to judge someone else?" James 4:12 (We love that too!) Expect Miracles, Ayn M. Masker, Pastor (she/her/hers)

#### Sunday Morning Worship

ALL are welcome for Worship @ 10:04am each Sunday. Online Worship is available at www.FellowshipUMCofHH.net

#### Gigi's 2nd Hand Heaven Thrift Shop



Our thrift shop had its grand re-opening on Friday, April 30th! The shop will be open every Friday and Saturday from 9am - 12pm (excluding some holidays). Come check it out and get some great bargains. All proceeds help fund missions locally and globally. Donations

for the thrift shop may be dropped in the outside bin (to the left) anytime or brought inside on days the shop is open. We are so blessed with such a giving congregation and community!

#### Food Pantry



word! Our food pantry is now open for walkins every Friday from 9am -12pm. Personal appointments will continue as

well. Our pantry is available to anyone within Camden County. If you or someone you know needs food, please call the church at 856-547-3300 and leave your name, phone number, town you live in, and number of people in your household. Please speak clearly so that a volunteer can return your call to find out what food is needed and arrange a no-contact pickup. There is never judgement! Only LOVE! Non-perishable food donations may be left in the outside bin (to the right) anytime. Please check out our website for an up-to-date list of needs. Thank you!

#### American Red Cross Blood Drive

#### July 28, 2021

We are thrilled to be opening our church building for a blood drive with the American Red Cross on Wednesday, July 28th. Appointments can be made via www.redcross.org/give-blood

> For updated info, please visit us at... Website: FellowshipUMCofHH.net Facebook: @FellowshipUMCofHaddonHeights Email: Fellowshipumcofhh@gmail.com

### Haddon Heights Baptist Church

300 Station Avenue ~ 547-3579 www.hhbcnj.org Rev. Erik Christensen, Senior Pastor Sunday 10:45 am, 6 pm Wednesday Awana & Bible Study, 7 pm

#### Joy Community Fellowship

1701 Sycamore Street ~ 546-1188 www.joynj.org Mark Savidge, Pastor Sunday 10 a.m.

#### Sunday 8 am, 9:30 am, 11 am, 6:30 pm . . . . . . . . . . . . . St. Mary's Episcopal Church



family has entered into an agreement with Stanfill Towers! This is joyful news!

Not only does this agreement alleviate the financial strain which has daunted St. Mary's for months, but the agreement of sale stipulates parishioners will be able to use portions of the building, not only to continue the work of clergy and parishioners on behalf of the gospel but also the continuance of the important work in pursuit of the justice and peace that God intends.

Provisions of the agreement include setting forth and preserving portions of the existing Church building, provisions for the preservation of the grand Church organ, the beautiful Memorial Garden and the



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Once the agreement is finalized, the property will become home to "The Apartments at St. Mary's", a facility that will allow us to better serve the needs of the seniors in the Haddon Heights community. What a wonderful possibility!

The challenges and changes that we face now will result in our ability to gather again in new ways and in a newly designed and renovated space.

In the meantime...virtual services will continue until it is safe to emerge from this time of pandemic. Ending this strange time will happen gradually over time; it may take weeks or months longer. Alternative worship spaces for the eventual possibility of in-person worship will be investigated and explored.

Your participation in the virtual, your prayers along the way, and your patience during the transition will be the power that moves us through this time of anticipation and expectation!

~Venerable Lynn H. Johnson

# Haddon Heights Baptist Church

Share & Prayer

The current pandemic journey we are travelling together has stirred, within many, feelings of anxiety, fear and uncertainty. Believing that "burdens shared are burdens halved," Haddon Heights Baptist Church is offering, this summer, a way to share your cares and concerns with other travelers on today's rocky highways and byways.

Beginning June 4, HHBC is offering a weekly time of "Share & Prayer" to help provide comfort and hope to the community. Each Friday between 7 and 9 pm, prayer counselors will be available on the front lawn of the church at the corner of Third and Station Avenues to talk and pray together with any and all who are burdened with cares. Visitors can stop by, share prayer requests and have a prayer counselor pray with them. Requests can also be left anonymously on a prayer card for later prayerful

#### attention.

This outdoor event will continue every Friday evening through the summer until the end of August, weather permitting. Light refreshments will be provided.

#### **Concrete and Cranes**

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I am sure of this, that he who started a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. Philippians 1:6

#### Vacation Bible School

This summer, unlike last year, Vacation Bible School will be in-person at Haddon Heights Baptist Church. The VBS fun begins this year at 9:00 a.m. on August 2 - 6th by the big front doors on Third and Station Avenues. After registering outside, children will meet their "crew foreman" in the

auditorium and travel by grade level "crews" through 5 rotations.

In the Bible Inspection area, Bible "inspectors" will help them inspect truths from God's Word that show how Jesus can be their strong foundation. The other rotation sites will be fun crafts, exciting music CONTINUED ON PAGE 18

# **First Presbyterian Church**

First Presbyterian Church is located at the corner of Seventh and Green Streets in Haddon Heights. Website: fpchaddonheights.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/fpchaddonheights Instagram: www.instagram.com/fpchaddonheights "Hybrid" Worship: Sundays at 10:00 AM (*both inperson and on Facebook*)

#### Worship Services

First Presbyterian Church continues to hold both in-person and live-streamed Worship services as we navigate the pandemic with caution. Registration for in-person attendance is required and can be completed online (https://fpchaddonheights.org/ worship/worship-registration/) or by calling the office at 856-547-6139. Masks are required for inperson worship and social distancing is practiced. We continue to live-stream each service for those who prefer to participate from home on our Facebook page. We welcome you to join us for worship throughout the spring and summer.

#### Earth Care Congregation Certification:



We are pleased to announce that we were certified (for the 5th year) as an Earth Care Congregation by the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)'s Presbyterian Hunger Program through February 2022.

To become an Earth Care Congregation, we have affirmed the Earth Care Pledge to integrate environmental practices and thinking into our worship, education, facilities, and outreach. The Earth Care Congregation certification is designed to recognize churches that make the commitment to take seriously God's charge to "till and keep" the garden.

Started in 2010 by the PC(USA), the goal of this program is to inspire churches to care for God's earth in a holistic way, through integrating earth care into all aspects of their church life. The Earth Care Congregation certification honors churches that make that commitment and encourages others to follow their example.

Jessica Maudlin, Associate for Sustainable Living and Earth Care Concerns for the PC(USA), says "it is exciting that First Presbyterian Church of Haddon Heights is one of the 276 churches that chose to dedicate themselves to intentional care of God's earth this year. Particularly in a time of much uncertainty and worry about the future, this congregation's activities and commitment even in the midst of navigating limitations brought about by COVID-19 brings hope to their community."

For more information about First Presbyterian Church's earth care program contact the **VITA** church office.

#### Part-Time Live-Stream Tech Position:

First Pres is looking for a tech-savvy individual to operate our audio/visual streaming equipment on Sunday mornings during our worship services, with the potential for additional hours for special services and events. This individual would be responsible for the operation of the sanctuary sound system, video cameras, and Facebook Live broadcast. Knowledge of A/V production equipment, digital audio mixers, and related hardware and software is preferred. If you or someone you know might be interested, please send us an email at info.fpchh@gmail.com.

#### Adult Bible Study and Fellowship:

We are continuing to hold our Adult Bible/Book Study and fellowship hour every Wednesday morning at 11:00 AM via Zoom. The topic of our study changes periodically, so contact the office to learn about our current study or for more information on how you can join this group.

#### Friendship Circle:

Our Friendship Circle, a women's gathering of the PCUSA Presbyterian Women, will continue to meet via Zoom for the foreseeable future, until it is safe to meet in person again. Meetings are held every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 9:30am, with the next meeting scheduled for June 15, 2021. We'd love for you to join us.

#### Virtual Sunday School for Kids:

Our children's Sunday School is running strong through our virtual Sunday School experience for grades Pre-K through Senior High. Our prerecorded lessons focus on the scripture and message in Pastor Eliza's sermons and are posted on Sundays for children and their families to watch and interact with through a private Facebook Group called First Presbyterian Pals. Please contact the office if you'd like more information about this program and how to join our First Presbyterian Pals group.

#### Community Outreach:

We're continuing to collect food and monetary donations for Your Food Shelf in East Camden to help support their mission of feeding those in need. There is a large bin near the office entrance of our church on Green Street where you can drop off any non-perishable items to donate. Please visit our Facebook page or website for updated information about the targeted items that we are collecting for Your Food Shelf each month.

#### Vital Vigils Prayer Practices:

Our church continues our role in the "Vital Vigils" program, part of South Jersey Vital Congregations, which aims to provide congregations with practical resources for personal and group prayer practices for spiritual growth. Monthly meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7pm via Zoom, with our next meeting scheduled for June 2, 2021. For more information about how to join this program and for the Zoom link, please contact our office.

For more information on any of these events please contact our church office at 856-547-6139 or email info.fpchh@gmail.com.



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and memory verse games, guided outdoor recess, and a special "construction site" where they can compete in construction games and learn about our special 2021 VBS Mission project. Haddon Heights Baptist

Church VBS is for children aged 4yrs. (must be four by September 30th) to finished 6th grade. Family members can pick up their children in front of the church at 11:45. Children and staff will be required to wear masks over mouth and nose and social distancing will be maintained while in the building. No snacks will be served but water bottles will be available for the children. Each of our workers is required to go through a background check and child safety program.

It is strongly suggested that families register their children on-line at the HHBC website, www. hhbcnj.org, in order to avoid long lines on the first day of VBS.

#### PANDEMIC ISSUES

As of May 19, 2021, the State of New Jersey has lifted all limits on seating capacity for indoor religious services as long as CDC guidelines of masking and social distancing are followed. This will allow Haddon Heights Baptist Church much greater latitude in planning services, meetings, ministries and events. As a result, Sunday and Wednesday schedules will be reconfigured beginning September 5 as follows:

#### **Sunday Morning:**

- 9:30 am Bible Fellowship Groups
- 11:00 am Worship Service

#### Sunday Evening:

• 6:00 pm - Awana, Men's and Women's Bible Studies

#### Wednesday Evening:

- 6:00 pm Fellowship Dinner
- 7:00 pm Bible teaching and Prayer meeting, Student Ministry, and Children's Ministry

#### Awana

Club activities have been paused due to the pandemic and, at present, are scheduled to resume September 12, 2021. At that time, clubbers will

meet on Sunday evenings from 6:00-7:30 pm. This big change of day and time has been made to better accommodate families who have found it challenging to ferry clubbers to and from club at the end of a busy work/school day and get them in bed at a reasonable hour. Hopes are that the lighter weekend schedule and earlier start/finish will relieve family stress and lead to a more positive club experience. Clubbers and leaders alike greatly miss club meetings and anticipate the reopening this Fall.

Awana, which stands for Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed, is a kids club for children age 3 through 6th grade. Emphasis is on wholesome game activities, Scripture memorization and Bible-based teaching. Awana will meet Sundays, September through April, from 6:00pm to 7:30pm. Youth Group

The church's Jr/Sr High Youth Group meets on Wednesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm year-round. Come for food, fun, fellowship, a challenging speaker, good music and games. Summer 2021 events have not yet been formalized. Check the church website at www.hhbcnj.org for an update of events and activities.

#### Day of Prayer & Granny Club

Haddon Heights Baptist Church believes that a foundational reason the church has been in existence for 123 years is the commitment of its members to praying for one another. Wednesday Prayer Meeting has been in existence for all of those 123 years. Now, the church has added a monthly Day of Prayer to lift up the fellowship in prayer to the Lord around the clock on the second Tuesday of every month. Granny Club meets every Monday on-line and in-person on the first Tuesday of each month from September to June to uphold their grandkids in prayer, and others as well as needs arise.

Weekly Schedule (until Sunday Aug. 29, 2021) Bible Fellowship Groups for all ages 9:30am-10:30am Morning Worship Service 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Evening Worship Service 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Wed. Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 7:15pm-8:30pm

Find out more about the church at www.hhbcnj. org or call (856) 547-3579

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# Senior Bus Route Calendar

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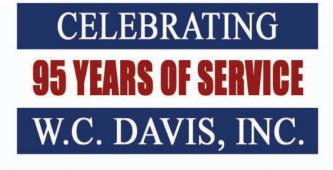
JUNE 2021 SCHEDULE				JULY 2021 SCHEDULE			
DAY	DATE	DESTINATION	TIME	• DAY	DATE	DESTINATION	TIME
Tuesday	June 1	ShopRite – Lawnside	10-12:00	Tuesday	July 6	ShopRite – Lawnside	10-12:00
Wednesday	June 2	ShopRite - Brooklawn	10-12:45	Wednesday	July 7	ShopRite - Brooklawn	10-12:45
Thursday	June 3	Wegmans – Cherry Hill	10-12:30	. Thursday	July 8	Wegmans – Cherry Hill	10-12:30
Friday	June 4	Walmart – Somerdale	10-12:00	•			10 10 00
Tuesday	June 8	Deptford Mall	10-12:30	Tuesday	July 13	Deptford Mall Christmas Tree Shop / Bed Bath	10-12:30 & Beyond
	_	Christmas Tree Shop / Bed Bath & Beyond		• Wednesday	July 14	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45
Wednesday	June 9	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45	Thursday	July 15	Trader Joe's – Cherry Hil	l 10-12:00
Thursday	June 10	Trader Joe's – Cherry Hill	10-12:00	• •			10 10 00
Tuesday	June 15	Audubon Crossing/Acme	10-12:30	• Tuesday	July 20	Audubon Crossing/Acme	
Wednesday	June 16	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45	• Wednesday	July 21	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45
Thursday	June 17	Voorhees Town Ctr Boscov's – Echelon Mall	10-12:30	• Thursday	July 22	Voorhees Town Ctr. Boscov's – Echelon Mall	10-12:30
Tuesday	June 22	Aldi – Somerdale	10-12:00	Tuesday	July 27	Aldi – Somerdale	10-12:00
Wednesday	June 23	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45	Wednesday	July 28	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45
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Wednesday	June 30	ShopRite – Brooklawn	10-12:45				

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First time riders must call (856) 456-3344 to pre-register for the service. After this short phone intake, you must call each week to reserve your ride.

All appointments for shopping service rides must be made by calling (856) 456-1148 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. the working day before your trip. Follow the instructions to leave a message for the shopping program. Speak slowly and clearly. Give your name, address with city, phone number and the day of the route.

**HOW THIS IS FUNDED:** Tuesday and Thursdays are paid for by the Stanfill Towers Board. There is no donation requested. The Wednesday rides to ShopRite in Brooklawn and the Friday ride to Walmart in Somerdale remain courtesy of the Senior Citizens United Community Services Sen-Han program. A \$2 donation is suggested per one way ride.



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**33 COVE RD, MOORESTOWN** 3 BEDS | 1 BATH | OFFERED AT: \$350,000 6 BEDS | 4/2 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$10,500/MONTHLY



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**517 WHITE HORSE PIKE, HADDON HEIGHTS** COMMERCIAL | OFFERED AT: \$160,000

SOLD!

**29 WYOMING AVE, AUDUBON** 

4 BEDS | 1.5 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$310,000



PENDING!

**436 PRINCETON RD, HADDONFIELD** 

3 BEDS | 2 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$435,000

22 CAMPANELL AVEB, ELLMAWR 2 BEDS | 1 BATH | OFFERED AT: \$210,000



**150 EDGEWOOD AVE, AUDUBON** 

4 BEDS | 2 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$208,500

**42 E VASSAR RD, AUDUBON** 



SOLD!

23 1ST AVE, HADDON HEIGHTS

724 BRINGHURST RD, AUDUBON 6 BEDS | 2.5 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$350,000 4 BEDS | 1.5 BATHS | OFFERED AT: \$348,000







