

# Lawrence Township Council



"When people are determined, they can overcome anything." Nelson Mandela

I hope that 2021 brings to us all a year full of hope and optimism and a chance to take one big collective breath! Our community was no different than others from around the world that endured the many and varied uninvited challenges of the world health pandemic that we all know too well as the Coronavirus (Covid-19). Looking back at 2020 and how this community responded to these challenges, I could not be more proud of our residents and our municipal employees for the hard work it took to make it through these difficult times and do so with such determination.

We often hear the hopeful phrase that we will "return to normal" someday soon. However, it is my wish that we not just "return to normal," but instead we "return to better." That we continue to value and embrace our family members and friends; we continue to take time to appreciate our blessings, big and small, in a more meaningful way; we continue to care for our neighbors and the elderly by giving them our time and our attention; we continue to be charitable and support our local organizations that are committed to helping others in need; and that we continue to support our local businesses.

Lawrence Township is a unique and special place in which to live and work. We can and should give our best to one another to make it even better in 2021 and beyond. Happy New Year!

Hon. James S. Kownacki, Mayor – The Township of Lawrence



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# January 2021

Sunday	<u>Monday</u>	Tuesday	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	Saturday
Dog Licenses Due This Month					1 New Year's Day Council Meeting Municipal Offices Closed No Trash Collection	2 Make-Up Trash Collection For 1/1/21 Colonel Hand Reenactment
3	4	5 Council Meeting	6	7	8	9
		Z	one 1 Yard Waste Collect	tion		
10	11 Recycling Collection	12	13	14	15	16
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Colle	ction		
17	18 Martin Luther King Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	19 Council Meeting	<b>20</b> Zoning Board Meeting	21	22	23 Rabies Clinic
		Z	one 3 Yard Waste Collect	tion		
31	<b>25</b> Recycling Collection	26	27	28	29	30
		Z	one 4 Yard Waste Collect	tion		





Princeton Forrestal Village 103 Main Street Princeton NJ 08540 (609) 759—5100

# Recreation Department



The Lawrence Township Recreation Department provides a variety of recreational and leisure opportunities for residents. Some of the activities include summer camps, swim team, art programs, adult volleyball and special events throughout the year. The Recreation Department is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Please call the Recreation Department at (609) 844-7067 for additional information.

### **Programs and Activities**

Adult Volleyball Safety Town **Art Classes Sports Camp** Art and Theater Camp Summer Park **Community Gardens** Camp Lawrence Lightning Swim Swim Lessons Team **Tennis Lessons Nature Center Camp Travel Camp** Swimming Pool Membership Track Youth Basketball Youth Police Academy





Lawrence Nature Center 481 Drexel Ave, Lawrence, NJ

### **Township Parks**

- Carson Woods
- Central Park
- Colonial Lake Park
- Drexel Woods
- Eldridge Park
- Gilpin Park
- Hamnett Park
- Loveless Nature Preserve
- Mercer Meadows
- Shipetauken Woods
- Stonicker Park
- Turtleback Park
- Village Park
- Veterans Park

### **Special Events**

- Colonel Hand March
- Mother Nature Festival
- Memorial Day Parade
- Independence Day Fireworks
- Red, White and Bang Kid's Triathlon
- Community Day
- Veterans Day

### **Township Athletic Fields**

### **Baseball/Softball Fields in Central Park**

Colavita Field

Carroll Field

Grant Field

**Hughes Field** 

Pezzicola Field

### **Softball Fields in Village Park**

Betty Leedom Field

Gatterdam Field

### **Football Field in Central Park**

Elvin Bethea Field

### Soccer/Lacrosse Fields

**Armory Fields** 

Twin Pines- Steven J. Groeger Fields Mooch Myernick Training Facility at

Village Park

Zimmer Field in Central Park



Captain Lawrence Playground







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# February 2021

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<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting				
			Zone 1 Yard Waste Collect	ction		
7	8 Recycling Collection	9	10	11	12 Lincoln's Birthday Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	13
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Collec	ction		
14	15 President's Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	16 Council Meeting	<b>17</b> Zoning Board Meeting	18	19	20
			Zone 3 Yard Waste Colle	ection		
21	22 Recycling Collection	23	24	25	26	27
			Zone 4 Yard Waste Collec	ction		
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### **Ecological Center/Grass Clippings**

### Joseph H. Maher Jr. Ecological Center

The Joseph H. Maher, Jr. Ecological Center located at 3701 Princeton Pike (just south of Fackler Road) is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (except holidays) and 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. each Saturday (closed December through March). Lawrence Township residents may pick up screened leaf mulch and wood chips at no charge. Residents may also bring brush, branches, leaves and grass to Ecological Center for disposal. Commercial vehicles are prohibited on Saturdays.

For additional information, please contact the Public Works Department at **(609) 587-1894.** 

#### **Grass Clippings**

Cut it and leave it- Lawn care experts say the best way to handle grass clippings is to leave them on your lawn. Grass clippings provide a natural and healthy fertilizer.

Grass clippings may be disposed of as regular solid waste by putting it in bags in your trash cart. It may not be disposed of in plastic bags at the edge of the road or in containers, other than the township carts. Grass shall not be placed loose at the curb for brush collection.



### Brush Pickup/Bulky Waste

#### New Yard Waste Collection Rules

Brush will be picked up according to the zone schedule. \*Please refer to the Zone Map on the last page of this calendar. Brush should be placed at curbside no earlier than the weekend prior to scheduled week of pickup. (No brush collection during November and December, leaf collection only.)

- Yard waste shall be placed along front yard curb of property which it has originated for collection.
- Collection will be limited to brush and tree prunings.
- Tree trunks and limbs in excess of 6" in diameter will not be collected.
- Limbs should be cut in lengths of 3 feet or less.
- All limbs and brush should be placed at the curb in an orderly manner.
- The size of the pile may not be larger than 3 feet high and must be placed not greater than 4 feet from the edge of the pavement. Pile shall not exceed 12 feet in length.
- No wire, nails or metal should be left in the materials.
- Diseased material and firewood will not be collected and disposed of by the Township. This material must be disposed of privately.
- All tree stumps are the homeowner's responsibility. The Township will not collect tree stumps.
- Brush and leaves must be in separate piles. Leaves must not be placed closer than 10 feet from a storm drain.
- No brush collection during November and December, leaf collection only.

Brush will not be picked up if the above rules are not followed. All commercial landscapers shall be registered annually with the Township of Lawrence by March 31<sup>ST</sup>.

#### Regulations for Bulky Waste Pickup

- Bulk waste will be picked up on your regular collection day. Bulk waste consists of items to be discarded which are too large to fit into your cart.
- Carpeting must be cut into sections not wider than 5 feet and tied. Weight of bundles shall not be greater than 50 lbs.
- Windows must be taped (crisscross strips).
- Large bulk items must be broken down into manageable pieces for disposal.

#### These Items are Excluded in Bulky Waste Pickup:

- All Construction Materials
- Asbestos Materials
- Cement Blocks
- Chemical Containers
- Propane or Gas Tanks

- Metal Fence
- Refrigerators/Freezers
- Roofing Materials
- Pesticide Containers
- Railroad Ties or Treated Lumber



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### March 2021

Sunday	<u>Monday</u>	Tuesday	Wednesday	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting				
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7	8 Recycling Collection	9	10	11	12	13
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Collec	tion		
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21	<b>22</b> Recycling Collection	23	24	25	26	27
			Zone 4 Yard Waste Collec	tion		
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74 Craven Lane Lawrenceville

# Recycling and Waste Pickup

### **Recycling Bucket**

All recyclables must be in the official buckets and at the curb by 7:00 am. \* **Recyclables should not be placed in plastic bags.** If collection day falls on a holiday (New Years Day, Memorial Day, 4<sup>TH</sup> of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving or Christmas) collection will be the following Saturday. Lawrence Township residents may place all acceptable recyclable materials into one container. Single stream recycling collection facilitates decrease of collection vehicles on the road and lowers vehicle emissions. Residents may continue to utilize their yellow and green buckets. Cans, bottles, glass, newspapers, magazines, etc., can be placed all together in either bucket. Please continue to use the yellow and green buckets to help identify the recyclable material. Please feel free to visit the Mercer County Improvement Authority website at www.mcia-nj.com for more information or call Public Works Department at (609) 587-1894.





### **Disposal of Covered Electronic Devices**

1/1/11, NJ DEP banned disposal of covered Electronic Devices including TVs, computers, monitors & laptops. Don't place these items in your blue cart. They MUST be recycled! Visit www.state.nj.us/dep & click "recycling" for additional resources. Call Public Works @ (609) 587-1894 for assistance. Lawrence's drop-off for these items is Public Works. Each Wednesday residents can recycle "covered electronic devices" @ Public Works 240 Bakers Basin Rd, 8:00am—4:00pm. Visit the office @ Public Works for assistance.

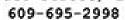
### **Curbside Organic Collection Program**

Lawrence provides residents, as an option, the opportunity to compost organic waste through Curbside Organic Collection Program. The 2019 program cost is \$38.50 per month billed quarterly by Central Jersey Waste, and includes a 32 gallon recycle cart. Organic carts are collected Thursdays and contents transported to various local farms for composting. During the week, residents are encouraged to store their waste in compostable BioBags.



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4	5 Recycling Collection Planning Board Meeting	6 Council Meeting	7	8	9	10
			Zone 1 Yard Waste Colle	ction		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Coll	ection		
18	19 Recycling Collection	20	21	22	23	24
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting	Zoning Board Meeting			
			Zone 3 Yard Waste Colle	ction		
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### Solutions to Stormwater Pollution

Easy Things You Can Do Every Day To Protect Our Water

### A Guide to Healthy Habits for **Cleaner Water**

ollution on streets, parking lots and lawns is washed by rain into storm drains, then directly to our drinking water supplies and the ocean and lakes our children play in. Fertilizer, oil, pesticides, detergents, pet waste, grass clippings: You name it and it ends up in our water.

Stormwater pollution is one of New Jersey's greatest threats to clean and plentiful water, and that's why we're all doing something about it.

By sharing the responsibility and making small, easy changes in our daily lives, we can keep common pollutants out of stormwater. It all adds up to cleaner water, and it saves the high cost of cleaning up once it's dirty.

As part of New Jersey's initiative to keep our water clean and plentiful and to meet federal requirements. many municipalities and other public agencies including colleges and military bases

must adopt ordinances or other rules prohibiting various activities that contribute to stormwater pollution. Breaking these rules can result in fines or other penalties.



As a resident, business, or other member of the New Jersey community, it is important to know these easy things you can do every day to protect our water.

#### Limit your use of fertilizers and pesticides

- Do a soil test to see if you need a fertilizer.
- Do not apply fertilizers if heavy rain is predicted.
- Look into alternatives for pesticides.
- Maintain a small lawn and keep the rest of your property or yard in a natural state with trees and other native vegetation that requires little or no fertilizer
- If you use fertilizers and pesticides, follow the instructions on the label on how to correctly apply it.



Make sure you properly store or discard any unused portions.

#### Properly use and dispose of hazardous products

- Hazardous products include some household or commercial cleaning products, lawn and garden care products, motor oil, antifreeze, and paints.
- Do not pour any hazardous products down a storm drain because storm drains are usually connected to local waterbodies and the water is not treated.

#### If you have hazardous products in your home or workplace, make sure you store or dispose of them properly. Read the label for guidance.

- Use natural or less toxic alternatives when possible.
- Recycle used motor oil.
- Contact your municipality, county or facility management office for the locations of hazardous-waste disposal



#### **Keep pollution** out of storm drains

- Municipalities and many other public agencies are required to mark certain storm drain inlets with messages reminding people that storm drains are connected to local waterbodies.
- Do not let sewage or other wastes flow into a stormwater system.

#### Clean up after your pet

- Many municipalities and public agencies must enact and enforce local pet-waste rules.
- An example is requiring pet owners or their keepers to pick up and properly dispose of pet waste dropped on public or other people's property.
- Make sure you know your town's or agency's requirements and comply with them. It's the law. And remember to:
- Use newspaper, bags or pooper-scoopers to pick up wastes.
- Dispose of the wrapped pet waste in the trash or unwrapped in a toilet.
- Never discard pet waste in a storm drain

#### Don't feed wildlife

- Do not feed wildlife, such as ducks and geese, in public areas.
- Many municipalities and other public agencies must enact and enforce a rule that prohibits wildlife feeding in these areas



#### Dispose of yard waste properly

- Keep leaves and grass out of storm drains.
- If your municipality or agency has vard waste collection rules, follow
- Use leaves and grass clippings as a resource for compost.
- Use a mulching mower that recycles grass clippings into the lawn.

#### Don't litter

- Place litter in trash receptacles.
- Recycle. Recycle. Recycle.
- Participate in community cleanups.



#### Contact information

For more information on stormwater related topics, visit www.njstormwater.org or www.nonpointsource.org

Additional information is also available at U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Web sites www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater or www.epa.gov/nps

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Division of Water Quality Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program (609) 633-7021







**Contact Public Works:** Janice Brokofsky (609) 587-1894



# The Bank of Princeton

2999 Princeton Pike Lawrenceville NJ 08648 (609) 882-0500

# May 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting				
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Colle	ction		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Recycling Collection					
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting	Zoning Board Meeting			
		Z	one 3 Yard Waste Collect	tion		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	31					Memorial Day Services
	Memorial Day  Municipal Offices Closed					Make-up Trash Collection
30	No Trash Collection No Recycling		Zone 4 Yard V	Vaste Collection		for 5/31
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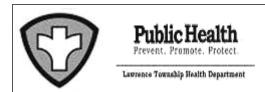
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Sunday	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	Saturday
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Planning Board Meeting					
		Z	one 2 Yard Waste Collect	ion		
13	14 Recycling Collection	15 Council Meeting	<b>16</b> Zoning Board Meeting	17	18 Juneteenth Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash will be collected	19
			Zone 3 Yard Waste Collec	ction		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Planning Board Meeting					
		Z	one 4 Yard Waste Collect	ion		
27	28 Recycling Collection	29	30			



### LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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The Lawrence Historical Society was formed on November 28, 1975 as a non-partisan non-profit organization. The Society 's purpose is to preserve and promote the history of Lawrence Township.

# **July 2021**

Sunday   Monday   Tuesday   Wednesday   Thursday   Friday   Saturday				J			
1	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<u>Friday</u>	<b>Saturday</b>
Observed   Municipal Offices Closed Trash will Be Collected					1 Fireworks Display &		
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# The Bank of Princeton

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### Cat Licenses

### **Domestic Violence**

(Septe	ember 1 – August 31)			(Office Use Only)
Owner's Name			Telephone Numbers	
Owner's Address				
Cat's Name	Sex	□M □F	Neutered or Spayed	□Yes □No
Rabies Certificate Expires	Color		1 1 7	Breed
Microchip No.	•	Email Address		
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### What is Domestic Violence?

- An on going pattern of hurtful, manipulative or controlling activities, including physical, sexual, psychological, emotional and verbal abuse.
- Being afraid of your partner or spouse.

#### **Consider this:**

- Domestic violence is the most common form of violence in our society and the least reported crime.
- Domestic violence occurs in all socio-economic groups, all religious groups, all races, all ethnic groups, people of all ages and physical abilities.
- Children who witness domestic violence may display the same emotional responses as children who have been physically and emotionally abused.
- Children whose mothers are battered are at a higher risk of being neglected, abused or injured.
- Studies show that as many as a third of high school and college age youth experience violence in their intimate dating relationships.

If you know someone who is being hurt, you should do the following: believe her/him, keep what she/he tells you confidential, validate her/his feelings and don't blame the victim.

If you or someone you know is being hurt, you can get assistance from the Lawrence Township Police Department at (609) 896-1111 or Womanspace (609) 394-9000. They can provide support over the phone, additional information about domestic violence, crisis-counseling, shelter for those who are escaping domestic violence, and information about safety planning.

### **Clarke Caton Hintz**



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# August 2021

Sunday	<u>Monday</u>	Tuesday	<u>Wednesday</u>	Thursday	<u>Friday</u>	Saturday
1	2	3 National Night Out	4	5	6	7
		Z	one 1 Yard Waste Collect	ion		
8	<b>9</b> Recycling Collection	10	11	12	13	14
	Planning Board Meeting	7	one 2 Yard Waste Collect	ion		
15	16	17 Council Meeting	<b>18</b> Zoning Board Meeting	19	20	21
			Zone 3 Yard Waste Collec	ction		
22	23 Recycling Collection	24	25	26	27	28
	Planning Board Meeting					
		Z	one 4 Yard Waste Collect	tion		
29	30	31				





### Leaf Pick Up

# Tree City USA

#### **Leaf Collection Program**

- During the months of November and December the Department of Public Works will provide leaf collection and assign one leaf collection crew to each brush zone.
- Brush Collection will be suspended during this time period.
   Do not place brush at the curb for pickup.
- Residents should place loose leaves at the curb to be collected.
- Leaves shall be placed ten feet from storm drains. These procedures have been implemented to adhere to the Municipal Stormwater Regulations. This program is intended to give residents a more efficient leaf removal service while protecting the environment.

Please contact the Public Works Department at (609) 587-1894 for any questions or concerns.



### **Lawrence Township Tree City USA Since 1996**

The benefits of trees are well recognized. Trees filter particulates from the air helping to clean it, absorb carbon dioxide and release oxygen; conserve soil and water; moderate temperatures, shelter homes from strong winds, reduce energy bills, increase privacy and help absorb traffic noise. The positive effects of the trees surpass the negative effects, which can be eliminated or reduce by planting and properly maintaining the right tree species.

In 1996, Lawrence Township received the national recognition of Tree City USA by the Arbor Day Foundation. To qualify to be a Tree City USA, a community must meet four standards:

- Tree board or department (Lawrence Township established the Shade Tree Advisory Committee consisting of seven members).
- Community tree ordinance.
- Community forestry program with an annual budget of at least \$2 per capita.
- Arbor Day observance and proclamation.

The Shade Tree Advisory Committee functions include:

- Recommending to Township Council programs of shade tree improvement, planting and replacement along public rights-of-way.
- Advising the Planning Board and Zoning Board on applications in regard to tree issues.
- Recommending to the Planning Board and Zoning Board standards, types and planting specification for shade trees.
- Advising the Township Council on shade tree concerns on public property.

The Shade Tree Advisory Committee programs include:

- Outreach Program: Power point presentations illustrating the benefits of trees and tree care.
- Memorial Tree Programs: The Memorial Tree Program offers participants unique way to honor a
  loved one or to remember a special event by donating a tree for public space in the Township.
  Trees can grow for a century or more making them enduring, living symbol.

The Lawrence Township Shade Tree Advisory Committee encourages residents to plant new trees and to preserve existing ones and welcomes the public to help with its mission. The Committee meets the 4th Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building.

Additional information about The Shade Tree Advisory Committee and programs can be found at the Lawrence Township web site www.lawrencetwp.com.





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# September 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Cat Licenses Due By The End Of The Month			1	2	3	4 Make-up Trash Collection for 9/6
5	6 Labor Day Municipal Offices Closed No Trash Collection No Recycling Collection	7	8  Zoning Board Meeting	9	10	11 Make-Up Recycling Collection for 9/6
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### Lawrence Senior Center

The Lawrence Senior Center is open to Lawrence Township residents 60 years of age and older. The Senior Center offers a wide range of social, recreational and educational activities as well as a library/lounge where seniors are welcomed to relax, socialize, watch television, play board games or read. Perhaps you will consider participating in the excursions they offer. A nutritious lunch is served by the Mercer County Nutrition Project on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

The Lawrence Township Office on Aging publishes a monthly "Lawrence Senior Activities and Events Calendar" to keep seniors updated on the programs being offered at the Senior Center. The Lawrence Senior Citizen van is available to provide transportation for Lawrence seniors Monday through Friday. Call the Office on Aging at (609) 844-7048 for more information, transport assistance guidelines and to schedule appointments.

The Senior Center is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., excluding holidays. Please call the Senior Center at (609) 844-7048 for additional information.

Computers

Exercise



Lawrence Township Senior Center 30 Darrah Lane East Lawrence Township, N.J. 08648

### Activities, Classes and Programs

**Healthy Bones** Senior Clubs Acrylic Art Silk Painting Hula **Ballroom Dance** Italian Sewing Bingo Line Dancing Tai Chi Bridge Club Mahjongg Watercolor **Bridge Duplicate** Memoir Writing Yoga **Busy Bees** Pinochle **Choral Group** 

Poetry

Sculpture

### **Events and Socials**

Arts and Crafts Show	Holiday Luncheon	St. Patrick's Day Social
Black History Month	New Year's Party	Summer Stay Cool Nights
Chinese New Year	Older American's Month	Thanksgiving Outreach
Fall Social	Program	Valentine's Day Dance
Flea Market	Senior Prom	Volunteer Appreciation





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### October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	<u>Friday</u>	Saturday
					1	2
<b>3</b> Community Day	<b>4</b> Recycling Collection	5	6	7	8	9
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting				
			one 1 Yard Waste Collec	tion		
		1				
10	11 Columbus Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	12	13	14	15	16
			Zone 2 Yard Waste Colle	ction		
17	18 Recycling Collection	19	20	21	22	23
	Planning Board Meeting		Zoning Board Meeting	Trunk or Treat		
		Z	one 3 Yard Waste Collec	tion	'	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31		Z	one 4 Yard Waste Collec	tion		



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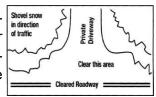
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### Snow Removal/Snow Plowing/Street Sanding

During all snow events causing poor road conditions, the Department of Public Works makes roadway safety its top priority. When snowfall begins all high-traffic intersection, curves and hills are salted/sanded first. If time provides all roadways are then serviced similarly. This will melt snow, prevent icing and eliminate the need for plowing in minimal snowfalls. With significant accumulation (3 inches or more) roadways are plowed in priority order as follows:

Trucks will normally make two initial passes down the center of the street to open it for any emergency vehicles. They will return later to widen "curb to curb" so that melted snow will run to catch basins preventing flooding and freezing and also to make room to push snow that falls immediately after the first accumulation.

This "curb to curb" method often results in snow in your driveway entrance. The illustration shows how to minimize having your driveway blocked. When you clear your driveway or sidewalks, DO NOT throw snow into the middle of the street. This hinders plowing and impedes the safe flow of traffic.



#### Sidewalks:

After the snow has stopped, property owners or tenants have 24 hours to remove snow and ice from sidewalks as per Ordinance #378, this includes entrances to cross walks. In addition, snow or ice from private properties can not be placed into or upon any street or sidewalk in the township.



### Safe Shopping



As the holidays approach, the Lawrence Township Police Department encourages citizens to remember to practice good crime prevention when shopping and running errands. Here are several crime prevention tips that can be practiced year round:

- Remain alert in parking lots; don't weigh yourself down with so many packages that you aren't aware of your surroundings and personal safety.
- Try to park in well-lit areas if you will be leaving or returning to your vehicle in the evening.
- When shopping, hold on to your purse. Do not leave it in the cart, especially when the cart is unattended.
- When loading your purchases in your vehicle, place purse in the vehicle first, so it is not in the cart while your back is turned.
- Do not leave your purse or other items of value in plain sight inside of your vehicle. Lock your vehicle and place items out of sight or take items with you, even if you are only leaving your car for a few minutes.
- Secure packages in your trunk. However, if they must be left in the vehicle, every attempt should be made to place them in a nonvisible location.
- When loading your vehicle, do not place things on top of our vehicle. Many times people forget them and drive off.
- Report suspicious activity to the police immediately.

Let's work together to keep Lawrence Township a safe place to live, work and play by taking away opportunities for crime.

### Hawrence Cownship Policemen's Benevolent Association

Local 119 - Established in 1955 as a member of

The New Jersey State Policemen's Benevolent Association Inc.



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The Lawrence Lacrosse club is a competitive youth travel program run by volunteers, who are passionate and dedicated to the sport of Lacrosse. The Club's philosophy is to serve the community by providing the sport of lacrosse to as many potential players as possible.

Lawrencelacrosse.com

### November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	<u>Friday</u>	Saturday		
	Recycling Collection  Planning Board Meeting	2 Election Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	3	Council Meeting	5	6		
			Leaf Collection All Zone	es				
7 Set Clocks Back (Check Smoke Detectors)	8	9	10	11 Veterans Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	12	13		
		Leaf Collection All Zones						
14	15 Recycling Collection Planning Board Meeting	16	17 Zoning Board Meeting	18	19	20		
21	22	23	Leaf Collection All Zone	25 Thanksgiving Day Municipal Offices Closed No Trash Collection	26 Municipal Offices Closed Trash Will Be Collected	27 Make-up Trash Collection for 11/25		
28	29 Recycling Collection	30						



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### **Dog Licenses**

### **Animal Control Regulations**

DOG LICENSE APPLICATION (January 1 – December 31)					License No(Office Use Only		
Owner's Name				Telephone Numbers			
Owner's Address							
Dog's Name		Sex	□M □F	Neutered or Spayed	Yes	Debarked Dog − □ Yes or □ No	
Rabies Certificate Expires		Color			Breed		
Microchip No.			Email Address				
						nying/Neutering certification, if applicable, noney order payable to: Township of Lawr	
MAIL TO: Township of La Attn: Municipal P.O. Box 6006 Lawrence Town	Clerk's Office						
LICENSE FEES - \$1	1.00 if spayed or neutered					2 A H	

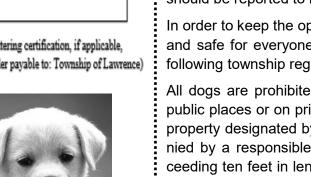
\$14.00 if not spayed or neutered

DELINQUENT FEES - \$5.00 surcharge plus \$1.00 for each month overdue

\*\*RABIES VACCINE MUST BE GOOD THROUGH NOVEMBER 1

\*\*\*All Applicants must be 18 years of age or older.

\*ALL DOGS (7) SEVEN MONTHS AND OLDER MUST BE LICENSED



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Stray, lost or problems with dogs and cats should be reported to the Animal Control Officer Monday through Friday during regular business hours 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at (609) 844-7092. Any emergency problems after regular business hours or any emergencies should be reported to Lawrence Township Police at (609) 896-1111.

In order to keep the open space and playing fields in the parks clean and safe for everyone, dog owners are reminded to adhere to the following township regulations relating to dogs.

All dogs are prohibited from running at large on streets and other public places or on private property, other than that of the owner, or property designated by the township as a dog run unless accompanied by a responsible individual and controlled by a leash not exceeding ten feet in length. The township has designated a dog park in Village Park at the Yeger Drive entrance.

Any person who has charge of a dog shall be responsible for the prompt and efficient removal and disposal of the feces of the dog from any public place or private entrance.

Please note that violators of these regulations shall be subject to fines as designated in the related ordinances.

For additional information regarding animal control regulations please contact the Health Department at (609) 844-7092.



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### December 2021

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	
			1	2	3 Christmas Tree Lighting	4 Ecological Center Saturday Hours End	
		Leaf Collection All Zones					
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
	Planning Board Meeting	Council Meeting					
			Leaf Collection All Zone	es			
12	13 Recycling Collection	14	15	16	17	18	
			Zoning Board Meeting				
	Leaf Collection All Zones						
19	20 Planning Board Meeting	21 Council Meeting	Leaf Collection All Zone	23	24 Christmas Day Municipal Offices Closed TRASH WILL BE COLLECTED (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)	25	
26	27 Recycling Collection	28	29	30	31 New Year's Day Municipal Offices Closed TRASH WILL BE COLLECTED (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)	JANUARY 1, 2021  Make-up Trash Collection for 12/31	





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# Lawrence Township Police Department

The Lawrence Township Police Department strives to promote a professional, dedicated, and knowledgeable approach to problems that affect our community.

The mission of the Lawrence Township Police Department is to develop partnerships with the community to improve the quality of life by practicing pro-active and creative problem solving strategies.

We are committed to conducting pro-active policing strategies to reduce crime and the fear of crime in our town.

We also wholeheartedly believe in and are committed to promoting the community oriented policing philosophy.

As a police department we provide many programs that work in conjunction with the community to strengthen our partnership. Some of these programs include:

- Neighborhood Watch, Fire and House Checks [for resident who are out of town]
- Coffee with a Cop
- Community Egg Hunt
- National Night Out
- Trunk or Treat

Anyone who would like information regarding these programs should contact Chief Brian Caloiaro at (609) 844-7101.

A big part of practicing the Community Oriented Policing Philosophy includes addressing quality of life issues that have an impact on the everyday lives of our Township . By allowing these quality of life issues to fester without being addressed, small problems will eventually grow into larger ones which may lead to the increase in crime in our town. That being said, we would like to remind residents of a few Township ordinances that may be beneficial to the quality of life in our community:

Motorized Scooters on Public Property:
Motorized scooters and "pocket bikes" are
considered motorcycles under the New Jersey motor vehicle law. They may not be
registered with the NJ Motor Vehicle Commission. Therefore, it is illegal to operate
them on public property, which includes all
public roadways, parks and Township property.



Anyone having any questions regarding ordinances can contact Chief Brian Caloiaro at (609) 844-7101.

Finally, many times residents have questions on how to obtain a Firearms Purchaser Identification Card and/or a permit to purchase a Handgun. For Lawrence Township Residents, you may apply at the Lawrence Township Police Department. You must be 18 years old to purchase a rifle or shotgun, which includes BB pellet and black powder rifles. You must be 21 years old to purchase a handgun. Applications and instructions are available at the Police Records window or on the Township website (Lawrencetwp.com/police.)

Anyone having further questions regarding Firearms Applications should contact Agent Richard Kulak by calling (609) 844-7112.

**Unregistered Vehicles on Public or Private Property:** Lawrence Township Code, Sections 12-23 and 10-24 prohibits the outside storage of unregistered vehicles on public or private property for one year. A permit may be issued for vehicles that meet certain conditions. For further information, contact Code Enforcement Agent Richard Kulak by calling (609) 844-7112.

**Prohibited Signs:** Lawrence Township Land Use Ordinance, Section 535 prohibits signs from being attached, affixed or painted on trees, fence, utility poles, light posts, attached to other signs, placed upon motor vehicles which are continuously or repeatedly parked in a conspicuous location to serve as a sign. Yard sale signs may be placed on private property but shall not be erected more than seven days prior to such sale. No more than eight signs are permitted and must be removed within 48 hours after sale

