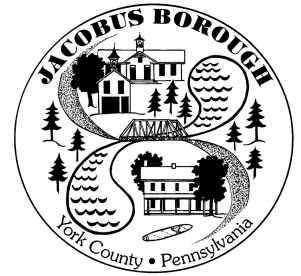


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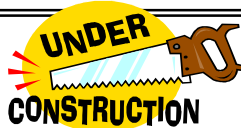
Mayor's Corner

Where do you belong? *by Mayor Gregory Gruendler*

It has been a long time since I was the new guy in town. I remember it was difficult to meet the new neighbors. From comments I receive on the street, it hasn't gotten easier. In today's fast paced life we all get too busy to just spend time with others. One of the best ways to get to know people is to work with them. Jacobus has always run on people power. Citizens of every age and profession give their time to help make political office, serving on Boards and need to do things for ourselves as well as no experience or special skills. Beyond the many groups needing a hand. The fire company, the ambulance club and the village library need volunteers. Many of these volunteers don't ride the trucks or perform dangerous work. Paperwork, clean-up and help at fundraisers is always welcome. This is a fantastic opportunity to get to know these special people. People that leave their homes on a cold night to help a neighbor in trouble. You might even discover you can be one of them. The Lions and Lioness Club are another great way to meet people. The regular meetings, functions and fundraisers give members a chance to get to know one another under the guise of helping people. Whatever time you can spare, Jacobus has a place where you can belong.



Permits and Inspections are required by state and/or local regulation for the following residential projects:



- ◆ In-ground and above ground pools that are designed to hold 24 inches or more of water, ***including temporary blow-up pools.***
- ◆ Covered or uncovered decks, patios and porches
- ◆ Sheds or other outbuildings
- ◆ Attached and detached garages
- ◆ Driveways (Concrete or asphalt paved)
- ◆ New Electrical Services
- ◆ ANY addition or structural renovation to an existing residential structure
- ◆ Retaining walls 4 ft. or higher
- ◆ Fences over 6 ft. high (permit not required if less than 6 ft.)

Jacobus Borough's 2011 Budget was approved at \$506,067.00. Included in the budget are:

- Police Services - \$66,084.00
- Goodwill Fire Co. Services - \$25,000.00
- Refuse-Recycling Services - \$121,516.00
- Street Lights - \$20,205.00
- Maintenance/Repairs of Roads - \$15,000.00
- Highway Construction/Rebuilding - \$90,000.00
- Public Fire Hydrants - \$14,701.00
- Property & Liability Insurances- \$14,398.00

The Borough is currently in the process of obtaining bids for the reclamation of Woodland Drive, from Pine Street to Wildasin Drive.



\$36,780.00 was the total cost of winter maintenance for the 2010 - 2011 season.

**For further information or questions, please call
BCO Mike Hammers @ 717-870-7753**

BOROUGH BUSINESS



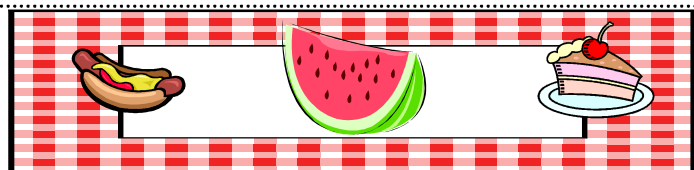
Planning a picnic, family gathering or just getting together with friends? Pay a visit to Jacobus Community Park where you can play & have fun for free! But if you need more, consider reserving the park facilities for your use.

The fees to reserve the Jacobus Community Park facilities are as follows:

- Small Pavilion Only - \$50.00
- Large Pavilion Only - \$65.00
- Lg. Pavilion & Kitchen - \$75.00
- Lg. Pavilion & Restroom Bldg. - \$85.00
- Lg. Pavilion, Kitchen & Restroom Bldg. - \$125.00
- Maintenance Fee (where applicable) - \$25.00

In addition, a \$25.00 **refundable** Security Deposit is collected with each reservation.

To reserve a day for your family, group or organization, contact the Jacobus Borough Municipal Office @ 717-428-1752.



Jacobus Borough's **YARD SALE Ordinance** entitles each household to hold 1 '**PERMITTED**' yard sale in any 12 month period for a maximum of 3 consecutive days. However you may take advantage of **FREE YARD SALE DAYS** allowed by the ordinance to hold your yard sale without obtaining a permit:

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

Friday, May 27, 2011 through
Monday, May 30, 2011

JULY WEEKEND

Friday, July 1, 2011 through
Monday, July 4, 2011

LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Friday, September 2, 2011
through Monday, September 5,
2011

Yard sale Permit applications are available at the Jacobus Borough Municipal Office.

Permits are also needed for:

- Alarms on your property
 - Transient Retail (Solicitation) Business
 - Pools, Home & Property Improvements & more
- Be sure to check with BCO Mike Hammers @ 717-870-7753 before beginning any projects on your property to see if a permit is required, and for other permitting and zoning questions, including Realty & other signage.

Jacobus Borough's contracted waste hauler is Penn Waste, Inc. Visit their website at www.pennwaste.com for detailed information on refuse & recycling guidelines, or for other issues contact their Customer Service dept. @ 717-767-4456.

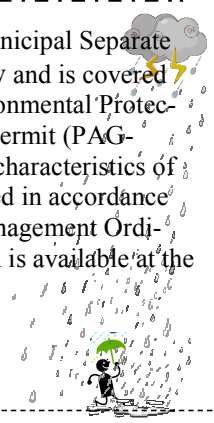
Following are the **Rules & Regulations you must abide by according to Jacobus Borough's 'Solid Waste' Ordinance:**



- Containers shall be set at the curb line of the street by 6:00 am of the day of collection, but no earlier than 5:00 pm of the day prior to the day of collection. Empty containers shall be removed from the curb on the day of collection after collection.
- Collection is 1X p/week, on Tuesday, for both refuse & recycling.
- 8 containers/bags may be placed curbside p/week.
- 1 large trash item may be placed curbside p/week. *(Please contact Penn Waste, Inc. directly for items too large for their regular truck crew to handle.)*
- No person shall place garbage, rubbish or other waste on a tract of real estate for collection other than what has originated on the tract of real estate.
- Violators may be cited and required to appear before the District Magistrate for failing to comply with Borough Ordinance.

When sitting out your trash & recycling, PLEASE remember to sit your bags or containers within the curb line, NOT in the street. Sitting it in the street is a hazard to public safety.

Jacobus Borough is a MS4 (Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems) **community** and is covered by the DEP's (Department of Environmental Protection) General Stormwater NPDES Permit (PAG-13). Any activities that change the characteristics of stormwater runoff must be developed in accordance with the Borough's Stormwater Management Ordinance. Additional MS4 information is available at the borough office and DEP's website: <http://www.depweb.state.pa.us/watershedmgmt/cwp/view.asp?a=1437&q=545499>.



PLEASE DO NOT place Signage advertising your sale:

- Within the 25 ft. sight triangle at intersections
- On Utility Poles or Municipal Sign Posts
- On private property without the owner's permission
- All signs must be removed within 24 hours of the completion of your sale.

Those who do not comply with the Borough's Rules & Regulation may be cited.



Should you desire to clean up the gravel on any roads bordering your property, or on your property, please feel free to dump it on the walking paths either at Jacobus Community Park or the community 'Tot Lot' Park in Wellington Hills. The Borough will take care of spreading any gravel dumped on the paths.

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LOCAL CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS/CLUBS INFORMATION

The **JACOBUS AREA LIONESSE CLUB** welcomes anyone interested in becoming a member. Lions Clubs International is the largest humanitarian organization in the world. Lions and Lionesses unite in an effort to bring aid to the needy, care for the sick, improve conditions for youth, and to help the blind and deaf open new vistas of communication. NO MONIES received from any of our fundraisers (for instance at the July 4th BLAST, Labor Day Street Fair and Christmastime in Loganville) are used for administrative purposes. ALL FUND RAISING is donated back to the communities we serve. That's right, every penny we raise helps those in need! Those interested in joining our great organization are invited to attend one of our meetings held at 7 PM on the 4th Wednesday of the month in the Jacobus Ambulance Building (18 South Main Street).



Kathie Cavanagh, President of Jacobus Area Lioness Club
 (717)428-3859; E-mail: kcavanagh@wellspan.org

JACOBUS LION AMBULANCE would like to 'Thank You' for your continued support to your EMC Organization. Without you, we could not exist.

We are a blend of volunteer and paid staff that is ready to respond at a moments notice. Due to the nature of our business and the local traffic, we found it necessary to staff the vehicles in station to decrease the response time to provide fast and efficient emergency service to your needs.

Our expanded MICU service is working out well. The on scene time has decreased and patient care has improved with having a Paramedic on board our vehicle.

Upcoming Events: Look for a monthly Blood Pressure Screening at Brown's Orchard in Loganville; Our annual EMS Open House will be held on Saturday, 21 May 2011 from 10 AM to 2 PM. This year we will have the return of EMS, Fire, and Police Services, and Life Lion from Hershey Medical Center will be here.

As always, if you have any questions about the service we provide, please feel free to contact us at 717-428-0218.

The **JACOBUS LIONS CLUB** will honor the Jacobus Lions Club Ambulance Crews at their April meeting. Each year the Club holds a dinner for the crewmembers to show appreciation for their hard work and dedication to our communities.

The crews provide 24/7 support. This support includes a full Mobile Intensive Care Unit that provides complete emergency medical coverage to our citizens. Two ambulances are in service and crews are on duty around the clock. Many personal hours of training are needed to obtain and maintain the required skills to be a crewmember. Please say thank you the next time you see a crewmember.

The Jacobus ambulance service was organized by the Jacobus Lions Club in 1952. The Club also provides support to other needs such as eye exams and hearing tests. The Lions Club is part of the Lions Clubs International Association that provides support worldwide. Clubs are located in over 200 countries. The Association has already pledged over \$1.3M in support for the Japanese disaster. A number of Lions Clubs are located in the affected area and are being assisted by other clubs throughout Japan and the world.



Please contact Brad Ream at 428-0218 should you have questions about the ambulance service or John Parker at 428-3983 for information about the Lions Clubs Association.

Did you know...? **The York County Library System** has added e-books and e-audios to its collection? They can be found by going to the library's website at www.yorklibraries.org or <http://www.yorklibraries.org>. E-books can be downloaded- for free!--to a number of e-readers. (You can find a list on the library website. This list does not include the Kindle!) E-audios can be downloaded to a

number of devices including mp3 players and iPods.

Throughout the spring our regular programs continue at the Village Library--and there's something for everyone. **Here is a list of our ongoing programs:**

Baby/Toddler Story Time - Mondays at 10:30 - for children from birth through 2 years.

Preschool Story Time - Wednesdays at 10:30 - for 3 to 5 year olds. (Siblings of any age are welcome at either story time and no registration is required.)

NEW! Paws at Village Library - What do you get when you bring children, dogs and books together? You get happy, confident children who love to read. Teachers, librarians, children, and parents agree, it's an unbeatable combination. Our dogs are licensed by Therapy Dogs International's Reading Program. Saturdays from 10:15 to 11:30. Please register for a 15 minute session with the dog of your choice.

Village Readers Book Discussion Group - A book club for adults that meets the fourth Thursday of the month at noon.

Rowdy Readers Book Discussion Group - A book club for adults that meets the third Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

Cooks 'n' Books - Each meeting has a theme. Find a recipe that matches the theme, make some to share; then bring your dish along with the recipe and join us for an hour of food, fun, and culinary conversation! The Cooks meet one Wednesday evening every other month at 6 p.m.

And coming this summer....

Summer Reading Club - For children and teens from birth through age 19; begins June 1st. This year's theme is "One World, Many Stories". There will be prizes for reading and special programs throughout the summer. Included in the Summer Reading Club packet is the popular GoYork activity booklet sponsored by York County Parks.

4th of July Book Sale Blast - Takes place at the Jacobus/Loganville/Springfield Community 4th of July Celebration. Hundreds of books at unbelievably low prices.

Special York Revolution fundraiser - Join us at the ball game! Volunteers from the Village Library will be selling merchandise at the York Revolution games on September 14-18. Stop by and say hello!



Rebecca Shives, Branch Librarian @ Village Library
 35-C N. Main St. · Jacobus, PA 17407; 717-428-1034 · rshives@yorklibraries.org

Upcoming events to benefit the **GOODWILL FIRE COMPANY #1**, located at 1 S. Main Street, Jacobus:



- All You Can Eat 2011 Breakfast Dates - 2nd Sunday of each month: April 10, May 8, June 12, July 10, August 14, September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11
- April 8, 2011 - Deadline to Order Soup
- April 16, 2011 - Pickup Soup
- April 30, 2011 - Longaberger & Vera Bradley Bingo
- June 11, 2011 - Annual Yard Sale
- July 4, 2011 - Chicken BBQ - Location at Jacobus Community Park
- September 5, 2011 - Street Fair & Car Show - Location Main Street, Jacobus & Jacobus Community Park
- November 19, 2011 - Christmastime in Loganville Event
- Future Bingos to be scheduled - date will be announced

Keep an eye on our sign and check out our website at www.goodwillfire18.com for upcoming events & more information. Hall rental information, membership and questions concerning events, please call Linette at 428-3862.

We are still a 100% volunteer company and additional volunteers are always needed. We can use your help in firefighting, fire police, and fundraising. If you can help in any way call the station at 428-1436, or fill out an 'interest form' on our website. Monthly meetings are held the first Monday of the month in our lower level meeting room.

Events & Activities in your community...

JLS RECREATION ASSOCIATION invites you to join in the following 'FREE' events either as a participant ,or as a volunteer.

- **Easter Egg Hunt** with the Easter Bunny!
Saturday, April 16th @ 12:00 p.m. on the Springfield Twp. Soccer Fields 
- **July 4th 'BLAST'!** Monday, July 4th; Rain Date: Tuesday, July 5th; At Jacobus Community Park; Fireworks after dusk.
- **Halloween Party!** Saturday, October 29, 2011 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. @ Goodwill Fire Company #1, Jacobus. 

Please contact Jeff Hotem at jlhotem@comcast.net or Lori Starz @ 717-825-7285 to volunteer or for more information. Thank you!

Join us for a...

- **Spaghetti & Meatball Dinner** on Saturday, April 9, 2011 from 4:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.
Adults: \$10.00; Children under 6:\$5.00
Drop-Ins are welcome · Carry-outs available; **Phone 428-2811**

Also plan to attend a...

- **CRAFT SALE** in the church Parking Lot Saturday, September 24, 2011. To reserve your space, **Phone 428-2811**.

We welcome you to worship with us this Easter Season or anytime throughout the year!

- **Worship times** are 8:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.
- **Sunday School** for children of all ages begins at 9:00 a.m.
- **Easter Egg Hunt** for children (up to and including 6th Grade) on Easter Sunday, April 24, 2011 @ 9:00 AM. ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Peace,
Pastor Hatcher and Church Office Staff
Salem Lutheran Church
99 York Road, Jacobus PA

1. **Christ UMC**, Jacobus will join with the Church Community Witness Council churches for the '**National Day of Prayer**' to be held on **May 5th** beginning at noon at Brown's Market South in the Scott Brown Memorial pavilion.
2. **Christ UMC** will be offering backpack supplies and blessings to elementary age children at their **4th annual 'Backpack Blessing'** on **August 28th** beginning at 9:30 AM.
3. **Christ UMC** will once again host the '**Calvary Boys**' in concert on **October 9th**. The 'Boys' sing a mixture of old and new favorites in secular and sacred music. Free will offering to benefit local and global missions.
4. **Christ UMC** will '**Light the Night**' on Halloween with food, tricks and lots of treats for the community during *Trick or Treat* festivities. Come and see us at **200 N. Main Street** on **October 31st**.

Please call **717-428-1424** for more information on the events listed above.

Peace & Joy,
Randy S. Hughes, Pastor
Christ UMC, Jacobus



Kid's Connection Summer Camp 2011



Who: Calling ALL children from Kindergarten to 6th grade

When: Monday thru Friday, June 13- August 19 from 7 AM to 6 PM

Where: Christ United Methodist Church in Jacobus, plus trips to various other places 😊

Why: We have tons of fun and exciting activities and trips planned!!! Plus, we could not ask for better teachers!!!!

Some weekly themes could be....

'Moovin' and Groovin', Blast from the Past, Stars and Stripes, Crazy Critters, Game Show Mania, What Sense does that Make?, Born to be Wild, Around the World, Outstanding Olympics, Bummin' at the Beach, and a Mystery Week.

Some possible terrific trips may include going to... the pool, the zoo, Gettysburg, hands-on museum, miniature golfing, bowling, paddle boating, the movies, various playgrounds, Nixon park, SPCA, Lake Tobias, and some community service projects

Also now registering for 'before and after care' for next school year 2011-2012

For more info call (717) 951-2611 or e-mail kidsconnectionatcumc@yahoo.com.

You can also find us on the web at: kidsconnectionatcumc.webs.com/

We are looking forward to hearing from you! 😊

Salem UCC, 24 Franklin Street, Jacobus; 717-428-2443

Holy Week at Salem UCC:
 April 17: Palm Sunday, Rite of Confirmation; 10:15 AM
 April 21: Maundy Thursday, Holy Communion; 7:00 PM
 April 22: Good Friday, Community Service; 11:15 AM
 April 24: Easter Sunday, Holy Communion; 8:00 AM
 - 8:45 AM; Easter Breakfast (Call for reservations; 428-2443)
 - 9:30 AM; Children's Egg Roll
 - 10:15 AM; Festival of the Resurrection

Each Sunday at Salem: 9:00 AM - Adult Bible Study
 10:15 AM - Traditional Worship
 10:25 AM - Children's Ministry
 6:30 PM - Youth Group

Also: May 27 & 28: Yard Sale (Call Norma Shearer @ 741-2682)
 August 8 - 12: Vacation Bible School 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

