SHIPPENSBURG BOROUGH FALL NEWSLETTER

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Refuse and Recycling Changes for Fall, 2014

Thanksgiving Day Holiday- Thursday route on November 27 will be collected on Wednesday November 26, Friday November 28 route will NOT change. Monday and Tuesday, November 24 & 25, 2014 route will not change.

First Day of Deer Season: Monday, December 1, will be collected on Tuesday December 2, 2014. Tuesday, December 2 will be collected on Wednesday, December 3. Thursday and Friday will not change.

Christmas Day Holiday: Thursday, December 25 collection will be collected on Wednesday, December 24. Monday, December 22 and Tuesday December 23 collection schedule will NOT change. Friday route will NOT change.

New Year's Day Holiday: Thursday, January 1 collection will be Wednesday, December 31. Monday, December 29 and Tuesday December 30 collection schedule will NOT change. Friday collection will NOT change.

Presidents Day Holiday: Monday, February 16, 2015 collection will be on Tuesday February 17. Tuesday collection will be on Wednesday, February 18. Thursday and Friday collection will NOT change.

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NIXLE

We would like to urge all residents and businesses to register with NIXLE. This is a no cost program which allows us to contact you for any and all important notices. This can be completed from our webpage and will only take a few minutes. This system will be used for weather related updates as well as our updates.
Please call the office if you have any concerns or questions. 717-532-2147

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REFUSE AND RECYCLING PROGRAMS

All trash should be placed in trash bags inside a tote or placed outside at the pick- up point.
Four (4) 30 Gallon bags are allowed per week.
NO LOOSE TRASH WILL BE PICKED UP.
Trash and recycling must be placed at curbside the night before your scheduled pick up.
Please do not put recycle items in plastic grocery bags.
****We are in the process of updating our recycling program to a "Single Stream" process. This will allow residents to place all recycled materials into one (1) container for curbside pick up. We have authorized the purchase of a new recycling truck and we are planning to provide each residence with a NEW RECYCLING container. We have also prepared and submitted a grant app to PADEP to assist with the costs. We expect the new program to be implemented by the start of 2015. Please continue to check our website for updates and we will provide additional information within the next several weeks.

Yard Waste Clean Up Week

Yard waste clean up week will start the week of October 13 and will follow the refuse/recycling route. Material can be placed curbside 24 hours in advance.
Material that will be collected; leaves, garden residue, shrubbery trimming, tree trimmings. No grass!
Place material in 30 gallon trash containers or Bio-degradable bags.

Parade Schedule for 2014

Halloween Parade is scheduled for Saturday October 18 @ 7:00 p.m. -----
Rain date is Tuesday , October 21, 2014

Trick or Treat night is scheduled for Thursday October 30 from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. for ages 12 and under. There is no rain date scheduled!!

Veterans Day Parade is scheduled for Sunday, November 9, 2014 @ 2:00 p.m.

Dickens Day Parade is scheduled for Friday, November 21, 2014 @ 7:00 p.m.

WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

The Shippensburg Borough facilities include 23 miles of collection and conveyance sewers, one pumping station, two metering chambers and the treatment plant.

Wastewater enters the treatment plant at the plant pumping station. Here the flow is measured by a parshall flume while rags and other debris in the wastewater are shredded by a comminutor. Comminuted wastewater passes into the wet well. Raw wastewater pumps lift the wastewater from the wet well to the primary clarifiers. This chamber also gives the Borough the ability to add chemicals to precipitate phosphorus compounds in the primary clarifiers.

Electronic Recycling

Listed is some of the information that you may need to recycle electronics.

The Computer Barn is located at 1460 Newville Rd, Carlisle, PA and specializes in computer equipment recycling to Borough Residents as well as other residents within Townships. The data is completely destroyed during the recycling process and industrial practices and government guidelines are followed. Please visit the www.thecomputerbarn.com or call 717-258-9663 if you have additional issues.

Items not accepted: CRT TV's (glass tube TV's) and no appliances.

For more information on how to legally dispose of appliances, cardboard, Freon containing appliances, fluorescent light tubes, bulbs, automobile fluids, mercury thermostats, etc. visit Cumberland County website; www.ccpa.net/services/recycling or call 717-240-6489.

You can also visit our website for more information or call DEP @ 800-346-4242

www.borough.shippensburg.pa.us

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT SCHOOL BUSES ARE STOPPING TO PICK UP STUDENTS AGAIN SO USE CAUTION AND OBEY ALL TRAFFIC RULES

Borough of Shippensburg

Holiday Schedule

Thanksgiving Day – Thursday November 27

Day after Thanksgiving – Friday November 28
Office only holiday.

1st Day of Deer – Monday, December 1 for Borough Services, check trash Schedule

½ day before Christmas Eve – Wednesday December 24

Christmas day – Friday December 25

New Year's Day – Thursday January 1, 2015

Presidents Day – Monday February 16, 2015

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Borough Water/Trash Bill Schedule

Bills are sent on the 1st of the billing month
October, January, April and July

and due by the end of the billing month.

Please reference your bill for more information on charges that may apply.

If you would like to have the newsletter mailed to you , please contact the Borough office.

"One isn't necessarily born with courage, but one is born with potential. Without courage we can not practice any other virtue with consistency. We can't be kind, true, merciful, generous or honest".
Maya Angelou

LEAF PICK UP RULES

Month of November only

Leaves to be picked up should be raked in a row in the street, running parallel along the curb line. Leaves must be raked away from mailboxes, poles, cars, and other obstructions. Twigs and branches must be kept out of the leaves as they clog the machine. If you use plastic bags to gather leaves, please empty the bags at the curb. Please do not place grass, debris, or other trash with your leaves.

If your leaves are not being collected, it may be because one of the above items are not being followed.

Due to the tendency of leaves clogging storm sewers, leaves are not to be placed at curbside prior to one week ahead of scheduled collection time. Leaves are not allowed in the street except during the pick up month. There will be no on-street parking from 4:00 pm the day before a scheduled collection day until 3:00 pm of the collection day.

If you wish to remove leaves prior to your scheduled collection day, or at any other time of the year, you may take your leaves to the Borough Compost facility. If leaves are bagged, all bags must be emptied at the compost facility. Please do not discard bags at the site.

WE ARE CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF REVIEWING OUR SNOW AND ICE POLICIES. PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE REGULARLY FOR ANY CHANGES AND/OR UPDATES TO THE POLICY. ALSO, DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR UPDATES AS WE WILL POST ALL UPDATES TO OUR WEBPAGE.

Plowing operations begin with the accumulation of 3.5 inches of snow. Salting operations begin with an accumulation of one inch of snow or as slippery conditions develop. Snow will be plowed as close to the curb as possible. Driveways and sidewalks will be plowed shut; it cannot be avoided.

Residents/property owners must remove snow/ice from sidewalks and crosswalk entrances within twelve hours after the snow/ice has ceased to fall or form. If snow/ice accumulation ceases after 6 PM, snow/ice removal must be done before 10 AM the following morning, or within twelve hours if a twelve-hour period extends beyond 10 AM.

It is unlawful to throw, place or dispose of any snow or ice upon any portion of any street, highway, avenue, or roadway. Shoveling snow onto public roadways creates hazardous driving conditions and property owners can be held responsible for accidents which result from snow being placed onto roadways.

Cleaning Snow around Fire Hydrants is Every Citizen's Job. As soon as the snow stops falling, clear the fire hydrant nearest to your home or property.

In order to facilitate the movement of traffic and to combat the hazards of snow and ice on roadways, the Borough may declare a snow emergency from time to time. A snow emergency may be declared by the Mayor when the National Weather Service is projecting the following amounts of snow:

Type of Emergency:

Phase	Snowfall (inches)
Phase I	4 to 8
Phase II	8 to 12
Phase III	12 plus

Once a snow emergency is declared, the following takes effect:

Phase I No parking on King Street

Phase II No parking on King Street, Orange Street, Burd Street, North Prince Street

Phase III - No parking as in Phase II, plus establishment of one-way streets:

See www.borough.shippensburg.pa.us for more information.

BOROUGH OF SHIPPENSBURG

LEAF COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Street	Day of Month	Side
Hollar Avenue; Richwalter, Craig, Charles, Brenton, Glenn, and Brad Streets; James Circle; Scott, and William Drives	First and Third Monday	Both
Shepard Lane	First and Third Tuesday	Even Numbered
Queen, Washington, Prince, Penn, Earl, Burd, and Fort Streets; Harvest Lane	First and Third Tuesday	Odd Numbered
Queen, Washington, Prince, Penn, Earl, Burd, and Fort Streets; Farmington Drive	First and Third Wednesday	Even Numbered
Garfield, Walnut, Orange, King, and Locust Streets; Ridge Avenue, North Morris Street	First and Third Thursday	Odd Numbered
Garfield, Walnut, Orange, King, and Locust Streets; Ridge Avenue, North Morris Street	First and Third Friday	Even Numbered
Clifton, and Roxbury Roads; Prospect Avenue; Logan Lane; Maple Hill, and Baker And Russell Drives; South Fayette, Spring, And South Morris Streets; Park Place; Park Place East; Park Place West	Second and Fourth Monday	Both
North Seneca, and North Fayette Streets; Springhouse, McAllister, and Westover Roads; Lurgan Avenue; Schoolhouse, and Sunset lanes	Second and Fourth Tuesday	Odd numbered
North Seneca, and North Fayette Streets; Springhouse, McAllister, and Westover Roads; Lurgan Avenue; Schoolhouse, and Sunset lanes	Second and Fourth Wednesday	Even numbered
Reading Road; Stewart Place; Cumberland, Montgomery, Franklin Heights,and Marden Avenues; Oak Lane; Fireside Drive	Second and Fourth Thursday	Even numbered
Reading Road; Stewart Place; Cumberland, Montgomery, Franklin Heights,and Marden Avenues; Oak Lane; Fireside Drive	Second and Fourth Friday	Odd numbered