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Summer 2019

# Quakertown

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## President's Letter

Welcome to our inaugural edition of the Borough magazine. This new format is replacing the newsletter that you have received in the past. The magazine allows for clearer type and easier readability. It provides options for color or black and white production. Please understand the entire cost of this quarterly communication to our residents is covered by the local businesses and individuals who advertise in the magazine; please consider giving the local companies your business, as your dollars stay close to home.

Borough council has committed to the renovation of our Panther Playground in Memorial Park. The current structure, which is over 25 years old, is approaching the end of its useful life. We are actively studying options for the Panther Playground replacement, including some world-class structures that will be inclusive for children of all levels of abilities. This undertaking is significant in terms of both labor and financial, and the borough is working with state and federal officials in pursuit of grant money that may cover up to half the cost. We hope to begin work on the replacement facility later this year with the intent of having it ready for use in 2020.

The Borough is running another great line-up of concerts in the Univest Performance Center in the Park at 4th Street this summer. Tickets can be purchased at [Quakertownevents.com](http://Quakertownevents.com) and more information can be found on the borough website. The concerts were a great success in 2018 and we're working to make the 2019 season even better. Please try to join the fun at one or more performances this year. The free Sunday concert season also begins in July and runs through August.

Enjoy the summer season and all that Quakertown has to offer!

Donald Rosenberger  
Council President

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# Quakertown Borough - 2019 Calendar of Events

Event	Date	Time	Location
Independence Day – Borough Hall Closed	July 4		
Pancake Breakfast	July 4	8:00am–11:00am or until sold out	Memorial Park
Community Day	July 4	11:00am–9:00pm	Memorial Park
Large Trash Pick-up (on scheduled trash day)	July 8-12		
Concert in the Park: High Noon Band - southern rock	July 14	6:30pm–8:30pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
The Sounds of Summer: Foghat and The Guess Who	July 18	Gate 5:30pm Show 7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Concert in the Park: Alex Buono Band -pop, rock, play to crowd	July 21	6:30pm–8:30pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
The Sounds of Summer: Kashmir and Classic Stones Live	July 25	Gate 5:30pm Show 7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Movie in the Park Ralph Breaks the Internet	July 26	Activities begin at 7:00pm Movie begins at 8:20pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Concert in the Park: Groovitude Rock and Blues	July 28	6:30pm–8:30pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
National Night Out	Aug 6	6:00pm	
Quakertown Fire Department Carnival	Aug 6-10	6:00pm–10:00pm	Memorial Park
Large Trash Pick-up (on scheduled trash day)	Aug 12-16		
Sounds of Summer: Gary Puckett and the Union Gap with the Grass Roots	Aug 15	Gate 5:30pm Show 7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Concert in the Park: Jump Start Band -new rock, old rock, ballads, funk, Jazz and country	Aug 18	6:30pm–8:30pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Concert in the Park: Quakertown Band-Instrumental Band	Aug 25	6:30pm–8:30pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Sounds of Summer: Vince Neil of Mötley Crüe with special guest Lita Ford	Aug 28	Gate 5:30pm Show 7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Sounds of Summer: Trace Adkins	Aug 30	Gate 5:30pm Show 7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Labor Day – Borough Hall Closed	Sept 2		
Pool Closes	Sept 2		
Large Trash Pick-up (on scheduled trash day)	Sept 9-13		
Park-Side Food Festival	Sept 14	12:00pm–6:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA
Shredding Event	Sept 14	8:00am–10:00pm	Borough Parking Lot
Household Hazardous Waste Collection	Sept 21	9:00am–3:00pm	Strayer Middle School Parking Lot
Branch Drop Off	Sept 28		Sewer Plant
Fall Festival	Oct 12	3:00pm–7:00pm	Univest Performance Center 301 W. Mill Street Quakertown, PA

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# Fall Festival

& Trunk or Treat

**OCTOBER 12 3-7 PM**  
Park at 4th

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## Upper Bucks Brewfest

August 17, 2019 · 1PM - 5PM  
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### TALK TO THE EXPERTS

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# POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Quakertown Police Bike Safety Rodeo

The Quakertown Community Bike Safety Rodeo was held on Saturday, May 11, 2019. Participants learned important lessons in bike safety. The event was co-sponsored by the Quakertown Borough Police Department and Richland Township Police Department. Additional affiliates included the Boy Scouts of America, St. Luke's Quakertown Hospital, Cyclezone, St. Mary Medical Center Trauma Program. Six bicycles were donated by Walmart, the Richlandtown Lions club, and the Richland Township Water Authority and given away via a raffle. Refreshments were donated by ServPro, Wawa and Philly Pretzel Factory, and all the children received a coupon for a free ice cream from Dairy Queen. Medals were awarded to first, second, and third place in each of the following age groups:



### Ages 6 & 7:

- 1st Place - Casey Ollmuller
- 2nd Place – Adam Lechniak
- 3rd Place – Kaitlyn Miller

### Ages 8 & 9:

- 1st Place – Ben Maugle
- 2nd Place – Justin Miller
- 3rd Place – Zachary Rider

### Ages 10, 11 & 12:

- 1st Place – Logan Goepfert
- 2nd Place – Kaleb Rider
- 3rd Place – Drake Babb

## Citizens Police Academy



Community Oriented Policing plays an important and vital role in reducing crime in any community. The Quakertown Borough Police Department instituted a Citizens Police Academy and recently graduated our SIXTH class! The eight-week academy consisted of a series of classroom instruction and practical field exercises, which gave an in-depth view into several areas of law enforcement. Participants had the opportunity to learn important self-defense tactics, fire a handgun at our shooting range, perform mock traffic stops, learn hostage negotiation active listening techniques, see a K-9 in action, and much more! We have received very positive feedback and look forward to our next Citizens Police Academy. If you are interested in participating in our next class - contact Sergeant Steven Stoneback at 215-536-5002 or [ssstoneback@quakertown.org](mailto:ssstoneback@quakertown.org).

## QUAKERTOWN BOROUGH POLICE DEPARTMENT Security Camera Index

The Quakertown Borough Police Department is devoted to our relationship with residents and business owners. We are committed to protecting our community in every possible manner. One way to make our community more secure is through the use of surveillance cameras. Video surveillance is one of the best methods for the apprehension and conviction of offenders. The Quakertown Borough Police Department has utilized this technology in numerous cases to successfully prosecute criminals. We have created a Security Camera Index to allow residents and business owners to register their current camera systems in our database. Installing video surveillance is a great example of community-police partnerships and is something we highly value as a police agency serving our community. Residents and business owners are providing the police department with the locations and abilities of their protective systems. By registering with us, we can quickly identify nearby cameras that may have captured criminal activity. After registering your camera, police personnel may request to view your camera footage to assist in an investigation regarding a crime that occurred in that area. You are under no obligation to give police video if you do not wish to. Information provided to the Quakertown Borough Police Department regarding your camera systems will be for official use only, and personal information will be kept confidential. If you have additional questions or concerns about the program, please contact Officer Wolfinger at (215) 536-5002 or at [awolfiger@quakertown.org](mailto:awolfiger@quakertown.org).





## **Quakertown Borough Police Department K9 Fury Retires, Welcomes New K9 Ranger**

Late this May, the Quakertown Police K9 Unit was sad to announce the retirement of K9 officer, Fury due to several dental fractures. Back in February of this year, during a regular teeth cleaning at the Quakertown Vet, they discovered 6 of Fury's teeth were at risk of abscessing due to being fractured or worn down. Four of these teeth were his canine teeth. If not corrected it could potentially cause a lot of pain or further damage. After several visits to some of the best veterinarians in the area, they concluded that the best way for Fury to live a happy and pain-free life would be to retire.

In order to find Fury a new home, the Police Department K9 Unit teamed up with Project K9 Hero, a nonprofit organization that assists in covering the cost associated with retired dogs. With the vision to ensure the best quality of life for our nation's retired Military Working Dogs and Police K9, they knew an immediate potential adopter. Kyle Kowalski, a U.S Army Ranger Canine Handler and combat Veteran would become Fury's new owner and perfect match after recently losing his partner, Spike to Canine Lymphoma after serving 3 tours of Afghanistan together.

Fury is now living with Kyle and his family on a farm in Wisconsin on thousands of acres. During Fury's retirement he will be doing what he loves most: running and chewing on his favorite Kong Toys. Kyle feels extremely blessed to have the opportunity to provide a safe home and environment for Fury as well as a partner in life. We know Fury is going to enjoy retirement and his new family.



*Officer Fahringer with new K9 Ranger*



In late May after Furys retirement, the Police K9 Unit selected their new K9, Ranger. The two-year-old German Shepard was named to recognize Fury's new owner, Kyle a retired Army Ranger Vet. Ranger has already completed basic training at Tar Heel K9 in North Carolina and will continue his obedience training along with specialized training to detect specific substances and other trainings associated with patrol work. In September, Officer Tyler Fahringer will be joining Ranger to finish their training together. After graduation, we look forward to seeing Ranger on duty in October.

*Pictured at left Scott McElree Borough Manager, Mike Johnson Council Member, Doug Propst Council Member, Sergeant Lockwood, Kyle Kowalski, Fury, Officer Fahringer, Mae Wear Council Member, Jon Sell Council Member, Jim Roberts Council Vice President*

**SAVE THE DATE**

**QUAKERTOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT CARNIVAL**  
**AUGUST 6-10 - MEMORIAL PARK**  
**FOOD - NIGHTLY ENTERTAINMENT - RIDES**





# Quakertown Community Pool 2019 Swim Lessons

## Session 1

**June 24 - July 5**  
 Group Lesson: 10-10:45am  
 Private Lesson: 11-11:30am

## Session 2

**July 8 - July 19**  
 Group Lesson: 10-10:45am  
 Private Lesson: 11-11:30am  
 TOT Swim: 11-11:30am

## Session 3

**July 22 - August 2**  
 Group Lesson: 10-10:45am  
 Private Lesson: 11-11:30am  
 TOT Swim: 10-10:30am

**Group Session:** Available for ages 4 and older

**Private Lessons:** Available for all ages

**TOT Swim:** Parent Participation required - one parent must enter the water with the child. Available for ages 3 years and younger

Lessons take place at the Quakertown Community Pool, and are on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of each week. Each session consists of 8 classes, and range from 30-45 minutes. In the event of bad weather, lessons will be made up on Friday. Lessons are split into small groups in order to meet the needs of all skill levels.

If you have any questions, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 215-536-5001 x136

**To Register visit [QuakertownRec.com](http://QuakertownRec.com)**

## 2019 Easter Egg Hunt



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## 2019 Glow in the Park



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# Park-Side Food Festival

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**SATURDAY, SEPT. 14** 2019

**12pm - 6pm** QUAKERTOWN BOROUGH PARK AT 4TH



Quakertown Borough Parks & Recreation


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**Yoga in the Park**  
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Park at 4th  
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Session 1: June 5 - July 10  
Session 2: July 17 - August 21  
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**Karate in the Park**  
Thursdays from 5pm-6pm  
Memorial Park  
Cost: \$25 per class, \$140 for full 6 weeks.  
Session 1: June 6 - July 11  
Session 2: July 18 - August 22  
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Cost: \$15 per class, \$150 for full 6 weeks.  
Session 1: June 5 - July 13  
Session 2: July 17 - August 24  
Register at QuakertownRec.com

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# BUS TRIP

September 28, 2019



# Lancaster

- Kitchen Kettle Village -

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**JULY: NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH!**

Did you know that July is National Parks and Recreation month? Come out and enjoy the beautiful summer weather in one of the many parks within the Quakertown Borough. Local parks promote a healthy lifestyle for community members. Being active outdoors can have many benefits including maintaining a healthy weight, lowering cholesterol, receiving Vitamin D from natural sunlight, reducing stress and improving concentration at school or work.

Parks also ensure that our neighborhood helps protect our environment and preserve our local ecosystems. By participating in National Parks and Recreation month, YOU are guaranteeing that our town remains beautiful and active for years to come!

**SHARE YOUR PHOTOS OF YOUR FAMILY ENJOYING THE PARKS!  
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# REVITALIZATION EFFORTS OF PANTHER PLAYGROUND

Panther Playground was built by community volunteers in the summer of 1993 and has been home to many memories throughout the years. Unfortunately, Panther Playground is closing on its useful lifespan, and is becoming unfit for play. As the Borough Parks & Recreation Department, we have begun a Panther Playground Revitalization Project to replace the existing playground. While we are currently in the planning stages, the project is tentatively scheduled to be completed by the end of 2020.

While it is sad to see Panther Playground come down after many years, we are sensitive to the sentimental value of the playground and all of the memories that have been created over the years. We look forward to introducing the community to new modern and all-inclusive concepts that will have a longer lifespan so community members can continue to make lasting memories.

Before Public Works starts the removal process, all vital parts of the existing playground will be saved (including the name posts) and we will alert all community members before moving forward. We strive very hard to keep the memories alive for all to enjoy and will do so with this project as well.

We would like to invite community children to participate in the new design of Panther Playground by submitting a drawing of their dream playground! Rally up your siblings, neighborhood friends, or draw it on your own! Drawings must be submitted to Borough Hall (35 N. Third Street) by September 6th. We ask that you include your name, address, and phone number with your drawing.

*- Quakertown Borough Parks & Recreation Department*

**CALLING ALL KIDS!**  
**HELP US DESIGN THE NEW PANTHER PLAYGROUND!**

All playground drawings must be submitted to Borough Hall by September 6

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**8/28 - Vince Neil and Lita Ford**

**8/30 - Trace Adkins**

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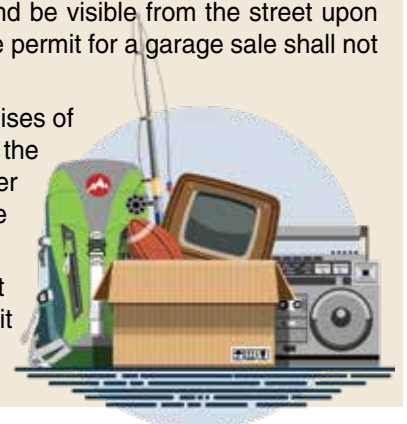
It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct a garage sale in the Borough without first filing with the Zoning Officer the information required and obtaining from the Zoning Officer a permit to do so.

A permit to conduct a garage sale shall be issued for any one residential property or to any one household no more than two times within a calendar year, and no such permit shall be issued for more than three consecutive calendar days.

Each permit issued under this Part must be prominently displayed on the premises and be visible from the street upon which the garage sale is conducted throughout the entire period of the permitted sale. The permit for a garage sale shall not be transferable.

No signs advertising the garage sale are to be posted on any place other than the premises of the applicant. The sign is not to exceed two feet by two feet in size, cannot be placed on the premises earlier than one week prior to the sale and must be removed within 24 hours after the sale has terminated. Directional signs only may be placed on private property with the owner's permission.

You can access a permit application by either calling the Borough Code Enforcement Office or by going to the Borough's web site at [www.quakertown.org](http://www.quakertown.org). An approved permit will be issued with a copy of the ordinance pertaining to garage sales.



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# Lithium Ion Battery Safety

## for Consumers



Lithium ion batteries supply power to many kinds of devices including smart phones, laptops, scooters, e-cigarettes, smoke alarms, toys, and even cars. Take care when using them. In rare cases, they can cause a fire or explosion.

### The problem

- These batteries store a large amount of energy in a small amount of space.
- Sometimes batteries are not used the right way; batteries not designed for a specific use can be dangerous.
- Like any product, a small number of these batteries are defective. They can overheat, catch fire, or explode.

### Safety Tips

- Purchase and use devices that are listed by a qualified testing laboratory.
- Always follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- Only use the battery that is designed for the device.
- Put batteries in the device the right way.
- Only use the charging cord that came with the device.
- Do not charge a device under your pillow, on your bed or on a couch.
- Keep batteries at room temperature.
- Do not place batteries in direct sunlight or keep them in hot vehicles.
- Store batteries away from anything that can catch fire.



### Signs of a Problem

Stop using the battery if you notice the problems.

- odor
- change in color
- too much heat
- change in shape
- leaking
- odd noises

If it is safe to do so, move the device away from anything that can catch fire. Call **9-1-1**.

### Battery Disposal

- Do not put lithium ion batteries in the trash.
- Recycling is always the best option.
- Take them to a battery recycling location or contact your community for disposal instructions.
- Do not put discarded batteries in piles.
- Lithium ion batteries should be placed in a sealed metal container.



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## ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT



Joe Murgia and Robert Squires of the Borough's Electric Department recently completed the 4 year Lineworkers Certification Program through the Northwest Lineman College. This certification, along with their job training, qualifies them to be Electrical Lineworkers. The Borough continues to further educate our employees to better service the residents of Quakertown.

**Congratulations  
Joe & Bob!**

## UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

### Energy Conservation

Conserving energy at home is a great idea for many reasons. It cuts down on energy costs, and because most of the energy we use comes from fossil fuels, using less is beneficial for the environment, too.

In many ways, saving energy can be pretty simple. You can find dozens of different ways to conserve — such as turning down your thermostat in the winter, putting a blanket on your water heater or switching to more efficient light bulbs. But most homes are so inefficient that even after you've done all the easy home improvements, there are still dozens of ways to save money and energy. How do you identify them all and then decide which to do first?

Unfortunately, the improvements that save you the most energy over time tend to be expensive. Before you spend hundreds — or even thousands — of dollars on home improvements, such as buying a new furnace, installing insulation or putting in new windows, it's nice to know how much energy they'll actually save. Just as important, you'll want to know how long these home energy upgrades will take to pay for themselves and start saving you money.



These questions aren't just for older homes — new homes often have significant energy problems, as well.

"New houses typically aren't as solidly constructed as older houses. New homes can leak more air, causing health and comfort problems, and the quality of the wood and other building components can be poor. Insulation is often very sloppily installed and, in many cases, missing entirely.



A home energy audit can help. Most homeowners aren't knowledgeable about how to look for these problems, nor how to properly correct them. Unless your home is an Energy Star home or has undergone energy testing, you will likely experience high energy bills and comfort problems, so it is well worth having an energy audit performed.

The Borough of Quakertown is offering a Free Energy Audit to all Quakertown Borough Residents to help to identify measures to conserve energy.

If you are interested in scheduling this Free Energy Audit please contact Missy Molnar, Code Enforcement Secretary at 215-536-5001, Ext. 132.



# Quakertown Borough Water Consumers

## Notice Of: 2018 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report



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The 2018 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report is now available. To view the 2018 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report and learn more about your drinking water, please go to:

**[www.quakertown.org/waterreport](http://www.quakertown.org/waterreport)**

This report contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water.

If you would like a paper copy of the report, please call Quakertown Borough Hall at 215-536-5001 x132 and one will be mailed to you promptly.

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