

BOROUGH OF *Dormont*

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DEAR DORMONT RESIDENTS, BUSINESS OWNERS AND VISITORS,

Thank you for reading the Summer edition of the Dormont Newsletter.

As Spring departs and the weather hopefully heats up, we turn our attention to the activities that make Dormont summers so special such as the 101st Anniversary of Dormont Day on July 4th, the opening of the swimming pool on Memorial Day weekend, and our enhanced Summer Day Camp. In addition to these, I want to let you know about some other summer activities that will be happening this year.

First on this list is the rewrite of our Zoning Code. Now that the Comprehensive Plan Update is completed and approved by Council, the next step is to update our Zoning Code to fit with the new goals of the Comprehensive Plan. To accomplish this there will be multiple public workshops to discuss the revised zoning districts and the regulations specific to those districts as well as to discuss supplemental regulations such as signage, parking, and landscaping. With these meetings you have the opportunity to voice your opinions about the proposed changes prior to any formal actions by either the Planning Commission or Borough Council. We encourage you to participate in this collaborative process.

Also this summer you will be receiving information on storm

water in the Borough from the Ad Hoc Storm Water Committee created by Council. This Committee has been working diligently to learn about storm water and its impact on our community and is sharing that knowledge with residents through a series of mailers entitled "Stormwater 101". Please take the time to read this information as the Borough will very soon be mandated by the State and Federal governments to address the quality and quantity of its storm water.

Finally, we will be paving the swimming pool parking lot, reconstructing a portion of Texas Avenue, adding enhanced pedestrian crosswalks to Dormont Avenue and Potomac Avenue, and reconstructing a number of alleys as part of this year's road program.

To stay up to date on what is happening in the Borough, I encourage you to visit our website, www.boro.dormont.pa.us regularly and sign up for e-mails from the Borough for those areas that interest you the most.

Until the next newsletter, enjoy the summer with your family and friends.

Jeff Naftal, Borough Manager

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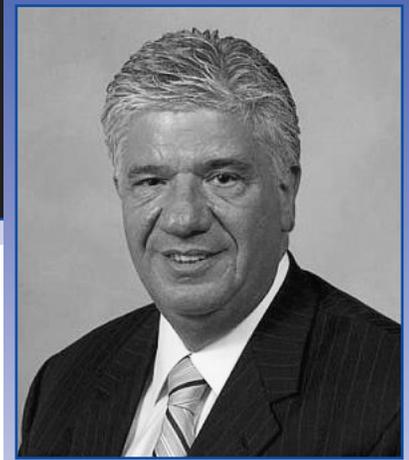
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LETTER FROM SENATOR WAYNE FONTANA



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According to the CDC, Pennsylvania is a national leader in carbon monoxide (CO) deaths and poisonings. Considered the "silent killer," CO is a colorless, odorless gas that is produced by the incomplete burning of various fuels and in high concentration can lead to flu-like symptoms, unconsciousness, and even death.

In March, I introduced a package of bills that would require carbon monoxide detectors in the following facilities, if these facilities use a fossil-fuel burning heater or appliance, or have an attached garage:

- Dependent care facilities including nursing homes, older adult daily living centers, personal care homes, and assisted living residences
- Dorms at institutions of higher education including universities within the State System of Higher Education, community colleges, state-related institutions, and any college or university which is operated not for profit
- Lodging establishments including hotels, motels, inns, guest houses, or other structures that provide temporary accommodations
- Schools including public, nonpublic, charter, regional charter and cyber charter
- Child care facilities including boarding homes for children, child care centers and nursery schools that are licensed and regulated by the Commonwealth

Recently, the Carbon Monoxide Alarm Standards Act was signed into law that requires landlords to install CO detectors in all multi-family rental units and single-family rentals that have an attached garage. I supported this measure but we must do more.

I hope the introduction of my legislation brings new awareness to this avoidable problem and encourages people to install at least one detector in their home.

Senator Wayne D. Fontana
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REPRESENTATIVE DAN MILLER

June is budget month in Harrisburg and my number one priority remains additional, sustainable funding for public education. Given the direction in Harrisburg over the last couple of years, this remains a difficult goal to reach.

A factor complicating school funding is the growth of charter schools. Today there are over 170 charter schools statewide, largely funded with taxpayer dollars. To be clear, for some students these schools offer a great alternative to the traditional public school setting. That being said, since taxpayer dollars are being spent, we must demand a level playing field between charters and traditional public schools- especially in relation to outcomes, results, and transparency. Currently, I do not believe this to be the case.

For example, you may have heard about the pension “double-dip” problem in relation to charter schools. In short, this occurs because the state reimburses at least 50% of the charter schools’ pension costs and then the local school districts are mandated to reimburse an additional 100% of the same costs. Clearly such frivolous double-billing would not be tolerated anywhere else. Additionally, while state support of public school construction has been frozen, charter school lease reimbursements have continued- even though they come from the same fund.

It is my hope that we will find ways to comprehensively address the fiscal impact of charter schools and move on to the real issue: How to more efficiently and effectively graduate students who are positioned for success in the global economy and who are well-tailored to the future job opportunities in our state.

WORKING HARD TO MEET DORMONT’S NEEDS

Mike Doyle, Member of Congress representing Pennsylvania’s 14th Congressional District

As a life-long resident of Allegheny County and a former local official with first-experience of the challenges facing local government, I’m well aware of the infrastructure and public services our communities need.

That’s why I’ve worked hard as the Member of Congress representing Dormont to make sure the federal government does what it can to help address our local communities’ most pressing problems:

- reduce flooding along Saw Mill Run;
- help local communities eliminate pollution from sewer overflows and meet federal water quality standards as cost-effectively as possible;
- upgrade, modernize, and expand our transportation infrastructure like our roads, bridges, buses, Light Rail Transit, and locks and dams;

- provide federal assistance to local first-responders through initiatives like the Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) and the Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) programs; and
- increase federal aid to local schools.

The federal government can’t solve every problem Dormont or other local communities face - nor should it. But there are a number of areas like those I’ve mentioned where the federal government can and should help local communities. In those cases, I have actively worked in Congress to make sure the communities in Allegheny County get the help they need - and will continue to do so.

A Note From THE MAYOR

Dear Neighbor,

I would like to welcome all to the spring and summer season. It was what seemed to be a long painful winter and as usual, good weather always seems to bring out the best in us. Soon school will be out and I remind you children will be out and about for the summer. Please use extra caution when traveling our side streets. Be mindful of the speed limits and other traffic control devices. We are approaching Memorial Day and I would appeal to all to remember those who served our nation, particularly those who gave the ultimate sacrifice. It is also that time of the year when your dedicated Fire Department has their raffle. Please be generous and purchase tickets... you would look good in a Ford Mustang. Memorial Day and 4th of July remind us of summer. Celebrate the Holidays and enjoy the pool as well. Beautiful weather brings us out to enjoy our community, be a good neighbor and resident.

Best Wishes

Phil Ross
Mayor



Pop Murray Field ADA Access Project

Over the past several years the paved walkway around Pop Murray Field has suffered significant settling making it difficult to provide handicapped access to the field. With the settling of the walkway, stormwater runoff, originally directed to the drainage system in the walkway, was now going around the inlet and through the retaining wall helping to undermine the wall. The following is a picture of the prior wall. Notice the separation of the blocks at the corner:



It was the Borough Council's concern that without attention the separation of the block would continue and the wall would become a safety issue. As the walkway that runs above the wall provides the only handicapped access to the ball field, the Borough was able to obtain a \$75,225 Community Development Block Grant for the repairs to the walkway and the wall with only a 15% match for the Borough of that amount.

In the fall of 2013 a contract was awarded to Pampeña Landscape & Construction, Inc. for the repairs. Working through the winter the contractor was able to complete the repairs prior to the start of the 2014 Little League season. Construction work was fully completed on April 19, 2014. The work included the removal and replacement of the existing retaining wall.

The block from the old wall has been repurposed at the salt storage building to make waste dividers. The existing settled asphalt sidewalk was replaced with a concrete sidewalk that now conforms to ADA requirements. The chain link fencing along the top of the old wall was removed and re-used on the new wall. The 4' tall chain link fencing along the outfield was removed and replaced with new 6' tall fencing to match the existing fencing along the 3rd base side of the field. Finally, the existing drainage system was replaced. Attached are pictures showing the completely refurbished wall and ADA access to the field:

The end result is the dilapidated and increasingly dangerous ADA access and retaining wall has been replaced. The Borough now has a fully functional and ADA conforming facility which is also aesthetically pleasing. All this with no impact to the usage of the park as the repairs were completed over the winter and early spring. The project was completed under budget. The grant was for \$75,225 and the final payout was \$75,210. The best part is that the actual cost to the Borough was just under \$11,300 with the remainder being paid by the grant funds.



DORMONT

Historical Society

Our 15th Anniversary Year continues!

Beginning in June and throughout the summer, a photographic exhibit featuring **"Doors of Dormont"** will be on display in the Dormont Public Library. Stop in to see front doors, garage doors, all kinds of interesting doors. Some you may recognize. Some might give you ideas of how to redo yours.

Our **Annual Family Night** is scheduled for **7:00, Wednesday evening, July 16**, at the Hollywood Theater. Tickets cost **\$2.00**. Special plans include a magic show, a short film and other things your family will enjoy.

Mark your calendars!!

We will be happy to see you there!

ROTARY CLUB

The Dormont, Mt. Lebanon, Castle Shannon Rotary Club invites you to join us at a weekly meeting. Rotary is a volunteer organization of business and professional leaders. The club meets weekly at The Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church, 3319 West Liberty Avenue at noon on Monday. Enjoy lunch, get an update of club activities and listen to a speaker informing us about timely topics. Meetings last only one hour. The camaraderie and friendships shared while looking to help others in our communities is a welcome break in the hectic workday.

Rotary was founded in 1905 as the world's first service organization. Clubs are nonpolitical and open to every race, culture and creed. New members are always welcome.



JOHN K. WEINSTEIN

Allegheny County Treasurer – Dog License



Annual dog licenses are valid from January 1st through December 31st of each year.

If you wish to purchase a current year dog license, please follow these simple steps:

1. Complete and sign an application and mail along with check or money order.
2. If you are applying for a spayed or neutered dog you must submit written verification from licensed doctor of veterinary medicine or a written affidavit.
3. Make your check or money order payable to:

John K. Weinstein
Allegheny County Treasurer
Room 109 Courthouse
436 Grant Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15219-2497

Note: If you wish, you may mail the application in the same envelope with your real estate tax payment. If you do so, please write a separate check for each.

If you have any questions, call the treasurer's office at 412-350-4111 or go to <http://www.county.allegheny.pa.us/treasurer>. Applications are available at the Borough Office and the Police Department.

Thank you for licensing and protecting your dog!

"Street Department's new snow plow and truck; and it was certainly needed this past winter"





We hope you can join us for our 101st Dormont Day community celebration in the Dormont Pool parking lot on July 4th, 2014. Many activities will be available for all ages such as train rides, pony rides, inflatable jumps, bingo, face painting, crafts, foot races, swimming races, contests, game booths and continuous music from Noon until 9:30 pm. At dark, the celebration will conclude with spectacular Zambelli fireworks. See the schedule for more info or visit our website at www.dday4th.org.

The cost to rent or buy equipment, supplies, and to pay for activities, entertainment and fireworks is in excess of \$30,000. The success of this year's Dormont Day Celebration depends upon the donations of the residents, businesses, and friends. **Donations are our only source of funding.** Not only is your donation a tax deduction but to also thank you for your support, your name will be displayed on our sponsor board on July 4th and also published in the Dormont Borough Newsletter.

You can also help defray the cost of the fireworks by purchasing a Grab Bag for \$3.00. Grab bags include treats, drink, novelties and a chance to win a bicycle. Grab bag tickets can be purchased at the Borough Office, Dormont Library, Dormont VFD Raffle Tent and Dormont Pool. Then pick up your grab bags between 10:30 AM and 4:00 PM at the Committee tent on July 4th.

Park at Dormont Elementary or Dormont Stadium lots and ride the free shuttle bus up from or down to the pool lot. Shuttle times 10:00 am - 10:00pm

Your 2014 Dormont Day Committee:

Diane Flaherty, Lucille Hays, Kristin Hullihen, Diane Veri

Please send your check made payable to the **Dormont Day Committee** and mail to:
Dormont Day Committee, 1142 Biltmore Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15216

I would like to make a donation to the Dormont Day Committee in the amount of...

_____ \$100 _____ \$75 _____ \$50 _____ \$25 _____ \$10 _____ (other amount)

Name: _____

(List your name as you would like it to appear on our sponsor board and in the newsletter)

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Volunteers are always welcome. Great opportunity for high school students to earn community service hours. Contact Kristin at 412-689-4793

Would like to volunteer _____

Thanks for your donation to keep this Dormont tradition going!



DORMONT DAY SCHEDULE

July 4, 2014

ACTIVITIES

10:30 AM

Foot Races

DABA by Castle Playground Grab
Bag Pickup Committee Tent till 4:00

11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Game Booths
Children's Crafts
Face Painting
Train Rides
Pony Rides
Inflatable Jumps

BINGO

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Benefits Dormont Library
Air Conditioned Rec Center

1:00 PM

Hot Dog Eating Contest
Sponsored by DABA

11:00 AM - Dark

Food Booths

ENTERTAINMENT

11:30 - 1:00 PM

Denny Kays
Dixieland Jazz Combo

2:00 - 5:00 PM

Daniels and McClain
Country Rock

7:00PM - 7:30PM

Eagle Twirling Corp

7:30PM - 9:30 PM

Justin Fabus Band

9:30 PM - Closing

Zambelli Fireworks
(rain date July 5th)
Dormont Day Bike Raffle
Dormont VFD Car Raffle

WIN A 2014

Ford Mustang or \$18,000 Cash

Winner can choose car color

2nd prize - \$2000 Cash

3rd prize - \$1000 Cash

Park your car at Dormont Stadium or Dormont Elementary Lots and take the Free Shuttle Bus to the pool lot from 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

More Info? Visit www.dday4th.org



OFFICIAL ACTIONS

JANUARY 6, 2014

- Appointed Leah Petrelli to the Vacancy Board.
- Appointed George Papuga III to the Civil Service Commission.
- Appointed Ben Gajewski to the Planning Commission.
- Appointed Kristen Pauchnik to the Recreation Board.
- Appointed George Pitcher and Ed Massery to the Traffic and Parking Planning Commission.
- Appointed Pat Cooper to the UCC Board or Appeals.
- Appointed Frank Stumpo and Chris McGee (alternate) to the Zoning Hearing Board.
- Accepted Consent Agenda Items A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L (A. written report of the Borough Solicitor, B. written reports of Borough Officials, C. the Minutes of the December 2, 2013 Council Business Meeting, D. the Warrant List for December, 2013, E. Payment Application No. 1 for Pampena Landscape and Construction, Inc. through SHACOG in the amount of \$29,475.00 for the 39th Year CDBG Project at Pop Murray Field, F. Payment Application #3 and Final for Falcone Brothers Construction in the amount of \$4,175.00 for brick work on the Borough Hall entrance, G. Payment of \$6,338.22 for a John Deere Commercial Ztrak for the Parks Department as approved in the Fiscal Year 2014 Budget, H. Payment of \$14,109.01 for a John Deere Compact Utility Tractor for the Parks Department as approved in the Fiscal Year 2014 Budget, I. Payment of \$72,048.00 to Woltz & Wind Ford, Inc. for a Ford F550 Dump Truck for the Streets Department as approved

in the Fiscal Year 2014 Budget, J. the resignation of Kevin Hensler from the Recreation Board, K. approve the Dormont Volunteer Fire Department Officers for 2014, L. reaffirm the Right to Know Officer for the Borough of Dormont as Ms. Vickie McGurk).

- Approved a two year contract extension with the Police Union effective January 1, 2014.
- Approved Resolution No. 02-2014 amending the fee schedule by adding in an Alcohol Usage Permit fee and by amending the weekend rental rates at the Recreation Center (10 hours).
- Approved Resolution No. 03-2014 permitting the owner of 3265 West Liberty Avenue to place lighting on their façade that overhangs the sidewalk.
- Approved Resolution No. 04-2014 renaming the Recreation Center as the Thomas Lloyd Recreation Center.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into a contract with Anago for janitorial services for the Borough Facilities as outlined in the staff report.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into a contract with a General Code for recodification services as outlined in the staff report.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to advertise zoning ordinance amendments regulating the location and activities related to pawn shops as outlined in the staff report.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to purchase propane powered post driver from Tippmann Industrial Products at a cost of \$2,205.00.

FEBRUARY 3, 2014

- Accepted Consent Agenda Items A, B, C, D, E (A. Motion to accept the written report of the Borough Solicitor, B. Motion to approve the written reports of Borough Officials, C. Motion to approve the Minutes of the January 6, 2014 Reorganization Meeting and Council Business Meeting, D. Motion to approve the Warrant List for January, 2014, E. Motion to approve Payment of \$38,505.10 for a 2014 Ford Utility Police Interceptor AWD Vehicle for the Police Department as approved in the Fiscal Year 2014 Budget).
- Declared 1218 Dormont Avenue a public nuisance and authorize the structure on the property to be demolished.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into an agreement with BS&A Software for the purchase of application software at a cost of \$36,602.00 for the first year and a total cost of \$109,805.00 over three years.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into agreement with Red's Landscaping & Construction, Inc. for landscaping services at Borough Facilities at a cost of \$13,810.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into an agreement with Allegheny Installations to repair the men's locker room floor at the swimming pool at a cost of \$4,850.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved the placement of a temporary special event sign on the tennis court fence by Main Street to advertise their Mardi Gras event.



OFFICIAL ACTIONS

- Authorized the Borough Manager and Police Chief to implement a procedure to provide limited on street parking to Group Care Facilities as outlined in the staff report.
- Renewed or non-renew the previously issued reserved accessible parking spaces in the Borough as outlined in the staff report recommended by the Traffic and Parking Planning Commission.
- Discontinued the After School Programs in 2014.
- Increased the Borough Manager's salary by 8% for an annual salary rate of \$83,430.00 effective January 1, 2014.

MARCH 3, 2014

- Accepted Consent Agenda Items A, B, C, D, E, F, G (A. Motion to accept the written report of the Borough Solicitor, B. Motion to approve the written reports of Borough Officials, C. Motion to approve the Minutes of the February 3, 2014 Council Business Meeting, D. Motion to approve the Warrant List for February, 2014, E. Motion to authorize an Eagle Scout Project for Benjamin Morton to put markers on all fire hydrants in the Borough, F. Motion to appoint Ms. Mary McClelland of 2733 Crosby Avenue to the Recreation Board, G. Motion to approve Proclamation recognizing March, 3-9, 2014 as MS Awareness Week.)
- Approved the Conditional Use Application of Jubilee Christian School to operate a school in the North Way Christian Community Church at 2865 Espy Avenue as recommended by the Planning Commission and subject to the applicant meeting with the chief and the mayor to arrange for appropriate pickup and drop off.
- Awarded the bid for the demolition of the property located at 1218 Dormont Avenue to Schaff Excavating Contractors, Inc. for \$19,300.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved an Interlocal Agreement with the City of Pittsburgh to utilize their contractor to repave McNeilly Road at a cost of \$37,162.00 to be paid directly to the contractor.
- Approved Resolution No. 05-2014 exonerating the Tax Collector, Harvey Lieberman, for the taxable year of 2013 in accordance with the Tax Collector's report dated January 31, 2014.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to purchase new hardware and software as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved a Service Agreement with Jeff Ellis Management to manage the swimming pool during the 2014 season at a cost of \$99,874.52 as outlined in the staff report pursuant to the review and approval by the Borough Solicitor.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into an agreement with Falcone Brothers Masonry for repairs to the brick façade of the Thomas Lloyd Recreation Center at a cost of \$12,650.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Authorized the Borough Manager to enter into an agreement with Insight Pipe Contracting at a cost of \$34,075.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved a final payment to Interface Studio for \$14,475.00 to complete their work on the Comprehensive Plan.
- Approved two temporary event signs for the Friends of Dormont Pool Pub Tour to be placed on the Tennis Court fence and at the Passive Park. Authorized the Borough Manager to purchase a wood floor cleaning machine to be used by the staff at the Thomas Lloyd Recreation Center and the Gymnasium from Northeastern Supply House at a cost not to exceed \$3,000.00.
- Approved Arbor Day of Service event on March 21, 2014 and the Western Tree Climbing Competition on May 17, 2014 at a cost not to exceed \$2,500.00 as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved the Main Street Business Recognition Banner Program as outlined in the staff report.
- Approved a two year agreement with Maher Duessel to perform audits for the Dormont Library for Fiscal Years 2013 and 2014 at a cost of \$1,830.00 and \$1,890.00 respectively.

TAX COLLECTOR
Harvey Lieberman's
new hours starting
July 1, 2014
Mondays & Wednesdays,
10am to 2pm.
Thursdays, 12 to 4pm.



Dormont Athletic Boosters Association

founded in 1949

The Dormont Athletic Boosters Association (DABA) has been serving the children of Dormont since 1949. Our goal is to provide every child the opportunity to participate in extra curricular activities and to work as a body to keep our registration fees as low as possible. We have been very successful in doing this while making capital improvements to Pop Murray and upgrading our equipment to ensure the children of our community have the best equipment and are playing on fields that are safe and clean. We could not do this without the support of the business and the citizens of Dormont and we would like to take this moment to thank them:

Banner Sponsors - thank you to our banner sponsors: Blaise Larotonda District Justice, Bob Dini-Berkshire Hathaway Home Services, The Preferred Realty, Bob's Property Management, Dairy Queen, Dormont Historical Society, Exxon On the Go, Giovanni's, Jose & Tony's, Lowes, Progressive Home Savings & Loan, Rohrich Chevrolet, South Hills Power Yoga, Sunoco A+ Mini Mart, Super Cuts, Tom DiPasquale Farmers Insurance.

Baseball/Softball Sponsors – we would like to take this opportunity to thank all our team sponsors for 2014: Advanced Building Inspections, Bob's Property Management, Dor-Stop Restaurant, Dormont Police & Fire Association, DVFD, McManus Heating & Cooling, Moreland, Northway Dormont, Rohrich Chevrolet, Roland's Seafood Grill, Tom DiPasquale Farmers Insurance, Tri Valley Credit Union, VFW Post 694 (2 teams), Xerox, Your Hometown Pharmacy.

Baseball Tournament – July – Pop Murray Field

Dormont Day DABA is once again proud to sponsor the foot races and the balloon and egg toss games. This year the races and games will take place at Pop Murray Little Field at 930am. DABA will be hosting a hot dog eating contest at noon! Please watch our web site for upcoming details.

The Eagles Twirling Corp (formerly the Boosterettes) is a twirling group that performs in area parades. Girls from 1st thru 10th grades are welcome to join. We participate in the following parades: Dormont Baseball/Softball opening day, South Hills Memorial Day Parade, Fourth of July Celebrations, half-time performance for KOA youth football season, Mt. Lebanon Halloween Parade, the DVFD Christmas Parade, attend field trips and special twirling classes. Practice is held every Wednesday 6:30-8:30 pm and Sunday 1:30 to 5:30 pm at the Hillsdale Gym. For more information contact: Terre Paulson 412-720-5301 or Renee Rengers (724) 825-2688 rjengers9536@yahoo.com.

Bob Rivet Golf Outing 2014 @ Scenic Valley Golf Club - Shotgun start at 9am; \$80 per golfer or \$320 per foursome. Fee includes 18 holes, cart and dinner. For further information, contact Dave at 412-320-5243. Anyone waiting until the day of the outing will be charged \$400 per 4-some or \$100 per golfer. Please have your groups pay in a timely fashion. Also explain to them the course and I (more importantly) need to know how many people are coming. They need to pay early, period....or "pay" for paying late in cash.

Picnic – Baseball/Softball/Flag Football/Eagle Twirlers – Saturday, June 28th – Dormont Park near Pop Murray Field

To view upcoming events visit our website at www.dormontbooster.com.

Thank you for your continued support,
Jeff Fabus, President, Dormont Athletic Booster Association



DORMONT *Volunteer Fire Department*

We are asking for your support. The Dormont VFD relies on donations to survive. Your donation allows us to purchase equipment, train our fire fighters and in general better protect our community. We are holding our annual raffle. You have the opportunity to help us and win a new car or a cash prize. We are raffling off a V6 Coupe, 100A Ford Mustang (the color is your choice) or \$18,000.00 in cash. Second prize is \$2,000.00 and Third prize is \$1,000.00. The car was purchased at Woltz & Wind Ford. We will deliver a book of tickets to your door so you can take advantage of this opportunity. If by chance you do not receive the book, we are selling tickets on West Liberty Avenue daily in front of the Dormont Village shopping center or leave a message for a fire fighter at our station 412-563-8826 and we

can deliver a book to you. The drawing will be held on the Fourth of July by the Dormont pool following the annual fireworks display. Please return your tickets to any drop box (the raffle stand at Dormont Village or at the DVFD at 1455 Hillsdale Avenue) or notify us by phone if you cannot drop it off and we will pick it up. All tickets should be returned by June 30, 2014.

Last year these lucky winners supported us with a donation and won the following prizes:

R. Porchiran, Pittsburgh, PA-\$18,000.00
P. Marsili, Pittsburgh, PA-\$2,000.00
Weiterhausen, Dormont, PA- \$1,000.00



Extinguishing Systems, Inc. will recycle old fire extinguishers for \$5.00 each, limit 5. Please call Roberta at 412-531-2300 for more information.

MRTSA

Medical Rescue Team South Authority (MRTSA) would like to remind all residents to have a SAFE SUMMER! As part of our annual Safe Summer programs we are excited to offer a variety of community education classes and outreach programs such as CPR, AED & First Aid.

Our community outreach team offers bike medics, athletic standbys and ambulances for block parties. MRTSA also takes great pride in a variety of prevention programs including bike safety, risky teen behavior and car seat installations.

Classes, programs and outreach events can all be scheduled by contacting the station at 412-343-5111, www.mrtsa.com or FIND US on Facebook and Twitter!

DORMONT AARP

Dormont AARP#3016 has experienced many changes due to new ownership by Northway Christian Community, formerly Dormont Presbyterian Church. While changes were anticipated, it became prudent to look around for a new meeting place. At our regular April meeting space was condensed to a small portion of the basement and members attending were squeezed like sardines. Our spring fundraiser, which had been advertised & scheduled for April 26, had to be cancelled due to kitchen renovations. Thus, the Chapter Board & Officers decided to check out other possible locations. After some research, a new place has been

found. The scheduled May meeting was then cancelled. By the time this newsletter is published, hopefully we are fully moved to our new location:

St. CATHERINE OF SIENA CATHOLIC CHURCH (1903 Broadway Ave), Beechview.

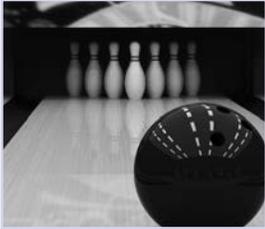
Our first meeting will be held in the church's basement at noon, Thurs., June 12. Members are encouraged to attend this meeting to learn more details of this decision. Show your support for us during this time!

NEWS FROM DORMONT ELEMENTARY PFO



Dormont Elementary Butterfly Garden

There is a lovely garden in front of the school that needs ongoing care. Weeding, watering, trash pick-up and general upkeep is especially needed throughout the summer. Please email us if you are an individual or group interested in lending a hand. We would also welcome a volunteer willing to educate interested students and parents about gardening with a short demonstration.



Bowl with Dormont Elementary

Saturday, June 28, 2014 10:00AM

Princess Lanes, Caste Village

Elementary/pre-school student tickets are available for pre-sale at \$15 each
Ticket includes 2 games of bowling, shoe rental, a slice of pizza, and a medium soft drink

Proceeds benefit DE PFO

Deadline to purchase tickets is 6/15 (412) 818-2117

Adults/teens may purchase tickets at the standard open play rates upon arrival at Princess Lanes.

THANK
YOU!
☺

Community Partnerships

We wish to express our gratitude to the many local businesses that support DE throughout the year. In addition, we have been pleasantly surprised by recent donations from individuals living in Dormont. These donations and your support of our fundraising efforts go a long way to offer enrichment activities and school supplies to the students in your neighborhood.

Contact us at dormontelementarypfo@yahoo.com

MOVIES in the PARK Concession Stand

The Dormont Elementary PFO will operate a concession stand during the Borough's three Movies in the Park:

June 3rd, Frozen

July 11th, Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2

August 8th, The Lego Movie



Building Department

What People Should Know

Building Permits

Spring is here and it is the time of the year you might be preparing to do some home projects around your home. The building department is here to help you on any project you might have in mind. Please don't hesitate to call with your ideas, we are more than happy to help you with any project you have.

We would like to take this opportunity to explain some of the borough's regulations as they pertain to building permits.

Submitting an Application - Most projects require that the following items be submitted along with the completed application.

- 1. Construction documents** which include (a) a description of the proposed activity, (b) drawings and /or illustrations and (c) a list of materials being used.
- 2. Plot plan** drawn to scale on a property survey, which is current and sealed by a licensed land surveyor who is registered by the Commonwealth.
- 3. Proof of Workers Compensation Coverage**
All applications are subject to a ninety- (30) day review period, in order to ensure compliance with applicable codes and ordinances. However most applications allow for a shorter review period.

WORK THAT REQUIRES A PERMIT

1. All New Construction

2. Interior Renovations

- Changing dimensions or removing of any existing window or door
- Opening of any new window or door
- Construction or reconstruction of any wall or staircase
- Removal or relocation of any existing wall or staircase
- Any plumbing activities (permit issued by Allegheny County)
- All electrical work requires an inspection by an approved agency

3. Exterior Renovations

- Additions to existing structures
- Porch enclosures
- Public and Private sidewalks
- Private driveways and parking areas
- Porch, patio and/or stairway construction and reconstruction
- Construction or reconstruction of any wall
- Replacement of over 25% of roof
- Installation of permanent awnings
- Erection or replacement of fencing
- Installation of swimming pools & hot tubs with a depth greater than 18 inches

Remember to call twenty-four hours in advance to schedule any required inspections.

We strongly suggest that you call the borough office **BEFORE** you begin any project. The staff will be delighted to further explain the regulations as they pertain to building permits. We appreciate your cooperation and look forward to working with you.

Dormont Public Library

Come check us out—we offer more than just books!

2950 West Liberty Ave. • 412-531-8754

Monday-Thursday: 9 AM-9PM • Friday-Saturday: 9 AM-5 PM

dormontlibrary.org • facebook.com/dormontlibrary

Our Services

Dormont Public Library is an independent district library that works with the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh and over 40 Allegheny County libraries. We share our collections, and one library card works countywide. Library cards are free to any patron with proper ID. We offer the same services as other county libraries, as well as unique services of our own.

Large selection of DVDs, music CDs, audiobooks, and ebooks

Printing, scanning, and faxing • 14 public computers with broadband internet

Designated computer lab staff on hand to help during operating hours

Free computer basics classes by appointment

Free parking (limited spaces) • Free Wi-Fi • Free coffee 9 AM-Noon

Sarris candy for sale—all proceeds support Dormont Library

Our Programs

Read To Me and Saturday Storytime year-round • Spanish Storytime monthly

Tail Waggin' Storytime with therapy dogs each month

Summer Reading Program for kids, teens, and adults

Annual House Tour

Adult and seniors book discussion groups

Daily ongoing book sale with new selections added on a regular basis

Special programs including author talks, musical performances, crafts, language conversation groups, educational and historical presentations, and more!

Keith Seminar Center

All-purpose room for professional gatherings (no private parties)

Furnishings, LCD projector, and kitchenette provided with rental

Low rates available—call us for details!

SAVE THE DATE:

Join us for an evening of

REDS, WHITES & BLUES A TASTE OF DORMONT

Sip wines from PA wineries (*maybe a brewery or two*)

Sample delicacies from Dormont dining spots

Music by the Good Guys Duo

Date: Saturday, September 13, 2014

Time: 5 - 9:00 p.m.

Place: Thomas Lloyd Dormont Recreation Center - under the tent

Tickets available at the Dormont Public Library
\$25.00 donation

One souvenir wine glass per person while supplies last

Order by mail to:

Dormont Main Street
2825 Broadway Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15216

Must be 21 or older

Rain or Shine - tickets non-refundable
All sales are final

Proceeds benefit

Dormont Main Street



LifeSpan Hillsdale Senior Resources Center Dormont Municipal Center • 1444 Hillsdale Avenue



Flea Market

June 12 & 13, 9am to 2pm

You can donate your slightly used treasures to the Hillsdale Center M-F, 9-2 until 6/10.

We are not accepting bedding, clothes or shoes.

Please tell your family, friends and neighbors so they can help us be here for our seniors and our volunteers who support them.

Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program

Distributed by LifeSpan Hillsdale Senior Resource Center

Distribution Day:

June 17, 2014 • 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

At the Dormont Recreation Center adjacent to the Dormont Pool.

Eligibility:

Allegheny County Resident

60 years of age or older

Meets income guidelines

Brings photo ID with proof of age and residency

Not eligible if individual lives in nursing home, convent, or residential facility.



Dormont Senior Fest Picnic

Thomas Lloyd Recreation Center, 1801 Dormont Avenue

(at the pool)

Friday July 25, 2014

5pm-9pm

\$12.00 per person

Picnic style meal, entertainment, bingo, door prizes, jewelry boutique.

Located inside the Dormont Park Recreation Center so come rain or shine.



Up coming trips:

Boston, Salem & North Shore, August 13-20

Nashville, Tennessee, September 15-17

Savanna, Georgia, October 13-18

A Christkindl Christmas, Oglebay Resort, December 4

Talk to Lori 412-341-6050 for more information and a flier!



Save the Date!

Dormont's 8th Annual **Street Fair**

**Saturday October 11 on
Potomac Avenue**

Strolling Entertainers!

*Live Performances
on Stage!*

The Ray Ryan Band

The Good Guys Duo

Bastard Bearded Irishmen

**Local vendors and artists,
kid's crafts and activities,
food from local restaurants,
and**

fun for the whole family!

DORMONT FARMER'S MARKET

New Location

Starting June 2 at the **North Way
Christian Community Church
parking lot**, located on the corner
of Espy and Potomac Avenues

Join Us **Mondays** from
June 2nd through
October 27th, from **4 to 7 PM.**

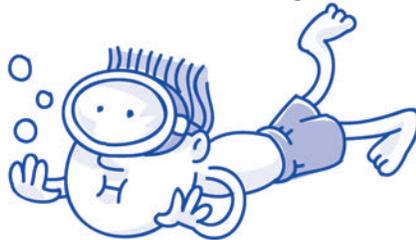
For more information contact
Kristin Hullihen
khullihen@boro.dormont.pa.us
or **412-561-8900 x227**





New Enhancements and Changes for Dormont Pool this year

Dormont Pool is under the management of Jeff Ellis Management (JEM) this year. They will be offering swim lessons throughout the summer and scheduling the lifeguards. For more information go to <https://jeffellismanagement.com/swim-classes> or call the borough office at 412-561-8900. Some of the new enhancements to the pool are life vests. They are available for anyone under 52 inches tall, allowing you to go on the slide and in the deep water. The new pool passes are bar coded and renewable. They are issued at the Borough Office with the proper ID.



SUMMER SHAPE UP

BODY EFFORT

DORMONT REC CENTER

Monday & Thursday 7 PM to 8 PM

NEW STUDENT OFFER: FREE CLASS ANYTIME

SAVE \$20 with full 2 month registration - ONLY \$68 (for both months)

On Going Registration / Join Anytime

Get Results & Have Fun as you workout to our upbeat music!

WARM UP - Fun, easy-to-follow routine to improve Balance, Posture & Coordination

UPPER BODY STRENGTHENING - Shape and define Biceps, Triceps, Upper Back & Shoulders with light hand-held weights and modified pushups

ON-THE-FLOOR-FOR-CORE & MORE! - Choreographed one-of-a-kind routine to tighten, firm & tone Abs, Hips & Thighs.

ABDOMEN - fABulous ABS routine to strengthen Core Ab Muscles & Back

Patti: 412-877-1242

www.bodyeffort.com

THE DORMONT HORSESHOE CLUB

This year's horseshoes club started on Thursday May 1st but there is still more than enough time to join in on all of the fun. There is a \$5.00 membership fee to join and a \$5.00 fee per week to throw shoes. The season runs all summer long up to the Thursday before Labor Day. All ages are welcome both male and female. We currently have throwers from ages 22 to 92 with good competition on all levels. We supply the horseshoes, fun, excitement and always Good Sportsmanship. Every third week is a position round where you are matched against other members of your own skill level not to mention free hot dogs! So come on down and join in and don't forget... "Our shoes fit everyone"!



Dormont Summer Day Camp 2014

For children ages 5 - 11 • Sign up now to reserve your space!

You may sign up for one week or any number weeks of camp, depending on availability.

June 16th through August 22rd from 9am - 4pm

Camp Fees

Day Camp (9am-4pm): \$100.00/week (*KO Area Residents*) • \$150.00/week (*non-Resident*)

\$25.00 sibling discount

Early Drop-Off (8am-9am): \$15.00/week • Late Pick-Up (4pm-5pm): \$15.00/week

One time Registration fee: \$10.00

Purchase of a pool pass is **NOT REQUIRED** to be in the program.

Registration forms can be picked up at the Borough building as well as found online at www.boro.dormont.pa.us. For further information, contact Kristin Hullihen at 412-561-8900 x227 or khullihen@boro.dormont.pa.us.

MOVIES in the PARK

Join us at

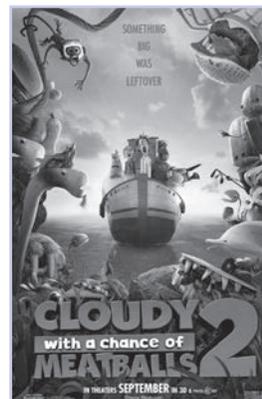
DORMONT PARK,

1801 Dormont Avenue

(on the hillside at the pool parking lot)



June 13
FROZEN



July 11
CLOUDY WITH
A CHANCE OF
MEATBALLS 2



August 8
THE LEGO
MOVIE



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PITTSBURGH PA 15216
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GARBAGE/RECYCLING

News and Schedule



FOURTH OF JULY - will have no affect on garbage collection.

LABOR DAY - garbage and recycling collection will be delayed one day to Wednesday, September 3.

APPLIANCES - can be put out with your regular garbage on your regular day. However, items containing freon must be certified that the freon has been removed. Please call the Borough Office at 412-561-8900 x1 for further information. Duquesne Light's Watt Choices program will pay you \$35 to recycle that old, energy-wasting refrigerator or freezer and will haul it away at no charge. Call 1-877-270-3521 between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m., Monday through Friday, and between 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

PAINT CANS - take the lid off the can; allow the paint to dry up by putting kitty litter, sand or newspaper inside; put it out with your regular garbage once the paint is dry.

MATTRESSES & BOXSPRINGS - can be put out with your regular garbage.

LAWNMOWERS - can be put out with your regular garbage as your one furniture item; they must be free of all liquids.

WASTE MANAGEMENT - General questions 1-800-866-4460. Project Debris (the bagster.com) 1-877-789-2247. Hazardous Household items 1-800-449-7587.

JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER - GARBAGE IS TO BE PUT OUT **AFTER 6PM** ON MONDAY EVENING
(THE NIGHT BEFORE YOUR COLLECTION DAY).

SPECIAL GARBAGE COLLECITON NOTE – NO TIRES WILL BE PICKED UP WITH GARBAGE.