



Community Update

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Spring / Summer 2015

**12th
Year!**

**Fireworks
9:30 pm**

HERMITAGE ARTS

Festival

July 11 & 12 2015

**Saturday • Noon to 9 p.m.
Sunday • Noon to 5 p.m.**

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**Summer
Parks & Rec
Edition**



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INFORMATION CALL
724-981-0800**

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**800 North Hermitage Road on the Grounds of
Hermitage Municipal Building & Rodney White Olympic Park**

The Hermitage Arts Festival Committee is seeking talented individuals to participate in our Summer Arts Festival.
ARTISTS, MUSICIANS, DANCERS, PERFORMERS OF ALL TALENTS ARE INVITED TO APPLY!
 Contact MaryEllen McKendry at (724) 981-0800 for more information.



Artists' Marketplace Application

Artist's Name _____

Company (if any) _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone (daytime) _____ (evening/cell) _____

E-Mail _____ Fax _____

Fees

☐ \$50.00 for 10' x 10' booth space
 Number of spaces requested: _____

☐ \$10.00 for electricity per space (if needed)

Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

Please make checks payable to City of Hermitage. Return completed application with fees and photos of artwork to:

Hermitage Arts Festival | Attention: MaryEllen McKendry
 800 N. Hermitage Road, Hermitage, PA 16148

Art Categories

Please indicate the category in which you will be displaying and selling artwork.

Two-Dimensional Fine Arts

☐ Painting ☐ Photography ☐ Mixed Media
☐ Drawing (including pastels) ☐ Printmaking ☐ Computer Generated

Three-Dimensional Fine Arts

☐ Sculpture ☐ Clay (non-functional) ☐ Mixed Media

Fine Crafts

☐ Jewelry ☐ Clay (functional) ☐ Wood (functional)
☐ Metalsmithing ☐ Glass ☐ Fibers/Textiles
☐ Leather ☐ Other: _____

Please indicate if your art does not fit the major categories listed here. The Hermitage Arts Festival committee will make the final decision. The committee will evaluate art on the basis of uniqueness, quality, and excellence of conception and execution. All work must be original and designed and executed by the artist applicant. Only work of the type and quality shown in submitted photos may be displayed and sold.

This application also available online at
www.hermitage.net

Artist's Brief

Please describe the work that you will display and sell at the Festival. This information may be used for promotional purposes.

Signature

Date

Artwork Description

Please submit at least three photos (no slides) of the work to be displayed and sold. If possible, at least one photo should represent the overall look of your display booth. Photos will be returned to you. Please list below the photos submitted and describe the artwork shown.

Would you like to demonstrate your art talent during the festival?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Artist Release

The undersigned and all persons in the booth agree to all the terms of the Hermitage Arts Festival. Any injury or damage to persons or property caused by either items for sale or display is the sole responsibility of the artisan and his/her representative. Property owners and/or agents of Hermitage Arts Festival shall be held blameless from any liability thereof. Because space is being reserved for the undersigned, the undersigned understands that the application fee is fully refundable only until June 8, 2015; after that date, refunds for cancellations are at the discretion of the festival organizers. Hermitage Arts Festival reserves the right to accept/reject any application at its discretion without explanation.

Your signature on this application is an agreement to these terms.

Signature

Date

Terms & Conditions

- Applications must include fee. Please make checks payable to City of Hermitage.
- Application fee is \$50 per 10'x10' display space. Electricity fee is an additional \$10.
- All Artists must exhibit their own, original work; all items must be handcrafted. Only the types of items indicated on the application form may be sold.
- No flea market or commercially produced items will be permitted.
- At least three photos (no slides) of work to be displayed must be submitted. Acceptance is up to the committee's discretion. If possible, at least one photo should represent the overall look of your display booth.
- Space will be assigned according to art category, variety of artwork sold, and on a first-come, first-serve basis. Application fee is non-refundable for cancellations received after May 30, 2015.
- Exhibitors must furnish their own displays and must furnish their own tables, table coverings, chairs, and any extension cords for electricity.
- All exhibitors must be set up for the two days of the event. Set up is 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 11, and 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 12.
- No early breakdowns permitted. Teardown permitted only after show hours.
- Instructions for unloading and parking area designation for exhibitors will be available at the registration booth.
- Proper insurance and protection of work and displays are the responsibility of the artist. Hermitage Arts Festival will not be responsible for damage to work or display due to weather or unrelated incidents. Security will be provided overnight.
- No more than two artists may share a regular 10'x10' space. Each artist must submit photos of work to be displayed and sold.

Summer Rec Programs

June 10 - July 24

*PROGRAMS NOT OFFERED THE WEEK OF JUNE 29-JULY 3.

The following activities are free to all Hermitage residents. The City of Hermitage and the Hermitage School District are proud sponsors of this program. The program begins Wednesday, June 10 and runs until Friday, July 24, 2015.

PLAYGROUND (Grades 2-4 & 5-8)

Time: M-F 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Location: M,W,F Grades 2-4 Delahunty Cafeteria/Auditorium
 Grades 5-8 Delahunty Gym
 T,Th Grades 2-8 Buhl Park Shelter #1

*ARTS & CRAFTS

Arts & Crafts is offered to students entering grades 2-8

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Location: Delahunty Cafeteria/Auditorium

SWIMMING

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays, June 11 - July 23
Time: Lessons: 11:00 am - 11:30 am
 Open Swim 11:30 am - 12:30 pm
 * All participants are eligible for open swim on both Tuesdays & Thursdays
Location: Buhl Park Pool

CHEERLEADING (Grades 2 - 8)

(Two Week Camp)

Dates: Mon, Wed, Fri, - July 13-24
Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Location: Delahunty
Note: On Friday July 24 there will be a program for family to attend.

TENNIS LESSONS (Grades 2-Adult)

Lessons are offered to students and adults

Time: Times to be announced based on enrollment
Location: Rodney White Olympic Park Courts

*MUSIC LESSONS (Grades 6-12)

Lessons will be offered on band and orchestra instruments for students who have completed 5th grade up to those entering 12th grade. Younger students and beginners may take part in the program with prior approval from Mr. Garay. Students will receive a 30-minute lesson per week. Students will be grouped by like instruments and ability as much as possible. This program is designed to keep the students involved with playing their instruments throughout the summer months.

Instructor: Steve Garay

Location: Middle School/Hickory High School

Dates: Tues., Wed., Thurs. mornings, early Tues. afternoons
Note: Schedule will be set up based on grade level, instrument and student availability.

TRACK & FIELD

CROSS COUNTRY & DISTANCE RUNNING (Grades 7-12)

Hickory High School coaches Mark Slezak, Patti Rodenbaugh and some past Hornet star runners, will lead the athletes in running activities that will build endurance and strength. This program is for runners who may be running Cross Country, or athletes who are looking to build their endurance for other sports. Athletes will go through dynamic stretching routines and work on speed, distance training, hills and running strategies. Experience is not necessary, but maximum effort is.

Dates: Begins Tuesday, June 9 (Meets Tues., Thurs. & Sat. throughout the summer)

Time: 9:00 am - 10:15 am

Location: Buhl Park (just past shelter #2 near the Kite Field)

*Weather permitting

LEARN TO THROW SHOT PUT, DISCUS & JAVELIN

Throwing Coach Keith Woods and staff will instruct girls and boys on how to throw and how to lift weights for throwing. From the novice to the skilled, 7th through 12th grade. There will be a "mini meet" at the end of the program to see how much you learned!

Dates: Mon., Wed., & Fri. - June 10 through July 24

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 noon

Location: Hickory High School

*GIRLS BASKETBALL (Grades 3 - 12)

Coach Jeanette Whitehead and staff will instruct girls through drills to develop skills in the following Summer Rec Girls Basketball schedule.

Grades 9-12 M, T, W, Th: 8:00 - 10:00 am HHS

Grades 7-8 M, T, W: 6:00 - 7:30 pm Delahunty

Grades 5-6 M, W: 11:45 am - 1:00 pm Artman Gym

Grades 3-4 M, W: 10:15 - 11:30 am Artman Gym

*BOYS BASKETBALL (Grades 5 - 12)

Grades 9-12 M, T, W, Th: 11:00 am - 1:00 pm HHS Gym

Grades 7-8 M, T, W, Th: 12:30 - 1:30 pm HHS Gym

Grades 5-6 M, T, W, Th: 10:00 - 11:00 am HHS Gym

Grades 3-4 M, W: 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm Delahunty

*GIRLS VOLLEYBALL (Grades 5-12)

Coach John Henwood and staff will run this six week program.

This program will begin Monday, June 8.

Grades 9-12 Mon.-Thurs: 7:00 - 9:00 pm HHS

Grades 7-8 Tues.: 7:00 - 8:00 pm HHS

Grades 5-6 Mon.: 7:00 - 8:00 pm HHS

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Elementary Summer Camp

Fun with Nature Summer Camp is a summer program for children age 3 to entering into first grade. Camp will be held at Artman Elementary in the kindergarten pod area. Register at the Hermitage City Building. Registration is limited to 200 campers.

Choose M & W for six weeks or T & Th for six weeks.

Date: June 10 - July 23

Time: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Location: Artman Kindergarten Pod

Cost: \$50.00 per child

Campers should bring bag lunch and drink. Snack and mid-morning drink provided. Financial aid available, please contact Ed Chess: 724-981-0800.



Youth Sports Programs

START SMART BASEBALL (Ages 3-5)

This program will prepare children ages 3-5 for organized tee ball, baseball, and softball in a fun, non-threatening environment. Parents work one on one with children. This program teaches children a variety of skills including: throwing, catching, batting, and running/agility. This is a National Alliance for Youth Sports program that includes fun, safe and developmentally appropriate equipment. Each participant receives a bat, ball and glove set, a participant manual and T-shirt.

Date: Beginning July 20 - runs for six Mondays

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Location: Hermitage Athletic Complex, 750 S. Darby Road

Instructor: Ed Chess

Cost: \$65

Football

HICKORY HORNET FOOTBALL VARSITY & FRESHMEN SUMMER FOOTBALL PROGRAM

(Grades 9-12)

The Hickory Hornet Football Summer Program is intended for those student-athletes interested in being a part of the Hornet Football Program. The emphasis of the summer program will be on strength and conditioning development as well as football specific position techniques. *Run by Head Football Coach Bill Brest and his coaching staff.*

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 11 - July 30

Times: 9:30 - 11:30 am

MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER FOOTBALL PROGRAM

(Grades 7 & 8)

The Middle School Summer Football Program is intended for those student-athletes interested in being a member of the Middle School Football Program. The emphasis of the summer program will be on strength and conditioning development as well as football specific position techniques. *Run by Co-Head Junior High Coaches Tim Petersen and Brian Burdette.*

Dates: Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, June 11 - July 23

Times: 8:00 - 11:00 am

Soccer

All sessions will be at the old middle school field.

FOOT SKILLS CLINICS (Grades 5 - 12)

Dates: June 11, 18, 25

Grades 5-8 Girls: 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 9-12 Girls: 7:00 - 8:00 pm

SOCCER SKILLS SESSIONS (Grades 7 - 12)

Dates: July 7, 14, 21

Grades 7-12 Girls: 5:30 - 7:00 pm

SMALL SIDED GAMES (Grades 9 - 12)

Dates: July 9, 16, 23

Grades 9-12 Girls: 5:30 - 7:00 pm

K-6 MINI CAMP (Grades K-6)

Dates: July 13-15

Grades K-6 Boys & Girls: 9:30 - 11:00 am

Cost: \$15 (all proceeds will go to Hermitage Soccer Boosters)

**Visit www.hermitage.net
for information and registration.**

Hickory Hornet Youth Soccer Camp

The Hickory girls' soccer program will be holding a soccer camp for Hermitage students in grades K thru 6th. This camp is designed to help provide instruction on the fundamentals of soccer within a fun environment. The highlight of the camp will be our showcase game on Wednesday evening. Players will have the opportunity to play a game at the high school stadium where their names will be announced over the PA system.

- Dates:** July 13 - 15
Times: 9:30 - 11:00 am (rain or shine)
 Showcase game: July 15, 7:00 pm
Location: Middle School Soccer Field (across from the Mall)
Cost: \$20 (players will receive a Hickory soccer T-shirt; all money raised will go to the Hermitage Soccer Boosters)
Questions: Contact Coach Katie Mild @ 724-730-4599 or BJ Rudge @ 724-301-0507.



Soccer Camp Registration Form

Please fill out the form below,
and mail with payment by July 1 to:
**1050 North Keel Ridge
 Hermitage, PA 16148**

Name _____
 Grade _____ (upcoming year)
 T-Shirt Size: YS _____ YM _____ YL _____ YXL _____ AS _____
 Parent/Guardian _____
 Phone# _____

**Cost: \$20 • Please make all checks payable to:
 Hermitage Soccer Boosters**

PARENTAL WAIVER: I HEREBY UNDERSTAND THAT THE HERMITAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND ITS EMPLOYEES ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ACCIDENTAL INJURIES THAT MAY OCCUR DURING THE CAMP. I AUTHORIZE THE CAMP AUTHORITIES TO ACT FOR ME ACCORDING TO THEIR BEST JUDGMENT USING REASONABLE AND PRUDENT CARE IN ANY EMERGENCY. ANY PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS WILL BE SHARED WITH CAMP DIRECTORS IN ADVANCE.

More Soccer Fun in the Valley



Summer Adult Coed Soccer

- Registration @ El Arriero
 - May 2: 11 am - 2 pm
 - May 6: 5 pm - 8 pm
 - May 9: 11 am - 2 pm
- 18 years or older
- Males & Females

- Individual and team registrations
- Cost: \$65 per individual
- Games are on Sunday afternoons
- Season runs June 7 to August 2
- Bring driver's license for proof of age.
- Questions? Call Mark Vance @ 216-269-6498

Mommy or Daddy & Me Soccer

The Mommy or Daddy & Me program is a series of high-energy clinics that focus on teaching introductory soccer skills. Through games and technical development, the program aims to develop listening skills, eye-foot coordination, endurance and balance. The instructor demonstrates, guides, encourages and rewards your child as they accomplish goals of the various activities. It is a rewarding activity that connects you and your young one, along with meeting new friends.

- Toddlers and preschoolers, both boys and girls between ages 2 and 4 1/2

- 8-session season: May 4 - June 1
- Mondays and Wednesdays 6:00-7:00 pm
- Artman Elementary soccer fields
- Cost: \$30 includes a t-shirt for both player and parent involved
- Download registration @ www.shenangovalleysoccer.org

3v3 Live Soccer Tour - July 11

Brought to you by SVSC and sponsored by the City of Hermitage.



- Male & Female Teams, U6 - Adult
- Parents or Coaches can organize and coach 3v3 teams.
- Up to 6 players per team
- Guaranteed minimum of four games per team
- Official 3v3 Tour T-shirt
- Medals to players to 3 teams in each division
- All participating teams qualify for Disney Championships, Orlando, FL, Jan. 2016
- Early Bird Reg: by June 11, \$170/team
- Final Reg: by July 5, \$190/team

First Tee of Sharon



Adult & Child Golf Tournament

Saturday, May 2, 2015
 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Proceeds benefit the renovations of the Buhl Land Golf Course Driving Range, scheduled to reopen spring 2016.

Tournament hosted by Leadership Shenango. For further information, or to inquire about tee times still available call Mary Lynn at 724-981-5522, Ext. 102

Community Library of the Shenango Valley

Visit www.clsv.net • Find us on Facebook • Call us at 724-981-4360

Spring 2015 Programs and Events

Summer Reading Begins June 8! Children can earn prizes and coupons during our summer reading program by reading each day! This year's theme is "Every Hero Has a Story." Visit our website or call the library for more information and a fun-filled schedule of events!

Story Hour • Wednesdays 10:30 am • Begins June 10. Join us for stories, songs, crafts, and more. Early literacy for children ages 3-5 and planned to meet preschool common core standards. Registration encouraged but not required.

Kids' Movies • Every Tuesday @ 1 pm • Begins June 16. Join us for movies about our favorite superheroes!

Make & Take Kids' Crafts • Saturday Afternoons 1-4 pm. Make & Take craft time at the Library for children ages 5-up.

Chess Club • Monday and Thursday @ 5:30 pm. Beginners welcome!

Knit, Crochet & More • Tuesdays 12:30-2 pm. Bring your needlework and join us! Get tips, ideas, and new patterns! All levels of experience welcome.

Computer Classes: Basic Computer Skills and WORD • A class for beginners! No prior experience with Microsoft Office required. Please call the library for an upcoming schedule.

Fine Arts Painting: Watercolor & Acrylics • Two Saturdays each month 10:30 am-12:30 pm • Taught by professional artist Don Gold. Register by calling the library.

Flip Bingo • 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month 3:30 pm. If you love to play Bingo and Dice games you will love this new game created right here in the Valley! Fun for the whole family!

Electronic Gadget Instruction & One on One Computer Help • 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month by appointment. In a one on



Library Hours

Monday thru Thursday: 10 am - 8 pm.
Friday & Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm

Friends of the Library Book Sale

May 6-9 • Thousands of books, DVD's and audio books!

All programs are free of charge!
For more information call 724-981-4360
visit www.clsv.net or find us on Facebook
for all the Library has to offer.



one session, a librarian will answer your questions and guide you through the process of borrowing library books for your Kindle, iPad, Nook, and other related devices or will instruct you on laptop or computer use. Please call the library to schedule a 30 minute session to receive help making the most of your device!

Shenango Valley Gardeners • 2nd Monday of each month 6 pm. Read to A Therapy Dog the last Thursday of each month at 6 PM. Join us in the children's area to meet specially trained therapy dogs. Sponsored by Canine Connections.

Shenango Valley Pennwriters • 3rd Saturday of each month 1-4 pm. Learn to sharpen skills and network with other writers, and how to start getting a manuscript published. For more information, contact Catherine McLean @ 814-425-7163.

Library Book Clubs

Evening Book Club • 1st Thursday of each month 6 pm

Afternoon Book Club • 3rd Thursday of each month 2 pm

Shenango Valley YMCA

Visit www.svymca.com • Call us at 724-981-6950

Youth Sports

T-Ball - Coach Pitch • Boys and girls ages 3-7

- Register Now – June 7, Starts in June

Fall Soccer • Boys and girls ages 3-12

- Register June 29 – August 15, Starts in August
- Instructional league with team practice one night per week and games on Saturdays

YMCA Special Event • All Ages Welcome

Polar Bear Thaw Bike Ride

- Sunday, May 17 starting at the YMCA
- Riders can choose an 11, 21 or 30 mile route.

5K Run / 2 Mile Walk

- Sunday, July 12, during the Hermitage Arts Festival
- Rodney White Olympic Park & Trails.

Youth Programs

F.I.T. For Kids: Fun Interactive Training

- Fun activities & games, nutrition & exercise tips and demos, take-home challenges & more!

Workout Instruction for Teens (WIT)

- Ages 12+ (any beginners) 4 week program educates students about exercise techniques and the benefits of health and fitness.

Y Self Defense

- Ages 6-Adult. Conditioning and basic self defense techniques

Adults and Older Adults

Group Exercise Join a class and reach your goals with like-minded members and instructors who provide support and motivation.

Working Together You might have access to FREE or reduced memberships and other services at the Y.

Specialized Services Qualified, competent, caring and here to help!



Buhl Community Recreation Center

Visit www.buhlcommunityrecenter.com • Find us on Facebook & Twitter • Call us at 724-981-3700

Piano Lessons

Students will get familiar with the piano keys; learn how to read music and how to play the piano.

Appointments only!

Instructor: Kristin Weinel **Ages:** 7 and up

Cost: for the session is \$60.00

Must pre-register: 724-981-3700 Ext. 108

Spring Dance

DJ Platter will take you from the past to the present as we rock the night away at our Annual Spring Dance.

Date: Saturday, May 2, 2015 **Time:** 8:00-Midnight

Place: St. Michael's Social Hall

Tickets: \$25 in advance / \$27 at the door

Tickets can be purchased in our Business Office at 28 N. Pine St., Sharon, Pa. Call 724-981-3700 Ext. 108. Tickets include draft beer and a catered dinner. Bring your own bottle as we enjoy the music and fun, all to benefit Buhl Community Recreation Center's Capital Improvement Project.

Deluxe Fitness Classes

We offer a wide variety of exercise classes.

Whether it's one class or many classes

Deluxe Fitness offers something for you:

Pump, Femme Fatale, Insanity, Barre Fusion,

Zumba Cardio Catfight, Cardio Barre Workout

Muse, Workout Circus, Femme Fatale and

Ab Addict, Cardio Groove, Cardio Rewind,

Toning 101 Group Cycling HITT the Road

Cycling, Spin into the Oldies, Hot Yoga and Gentle Flow Yoga.

Yoga with Judson

Yoga is used to increase the body/mind/and spirit connection. You will learn the common terms, as-well-as basic postures, poses and breathing techniques. Classes are 6 week sessions (pre-pay).

Instructor: Judson Paknis **Dates:** Mondays at 6:00 pm

Location: In our Willson Room

Cost: \$15/session for members, \$30/session for non-member

Jiu-Jitsu Youth Program

Ages: 5-12 **Instructor:** Jose Sandoval @ 909-609-4719

Dates: Mondays and Wednesdays

Cost: \$25/member, \$35/non-Buhl member

Information: 724-981-3700 Ext. 102

AMP 28

Director, Joey Commisso, has developed a life changing, practical solution, to eating/movement/fitness combination. Designed for non-athletes ages 3-84. AMP28 involves an approach with participants committing spiritually, mentally, emotionally, nutritionally and physically to their health improvement.

Dates: Tuesdays/Thursdays 9:00 am and Wednesday 7:30 pm



To Register: Call Debbie DiCarlo 724-981-3700 Ext. 108 for Joey's info.

Jump Stretch Classes

These classes help you achieve your fitness goals with large continuous loop bands—the same bands invented by Coach Dick Hartzell and taught by his son-in-law, master clinical instructor Carl LaRosa, B.A. and A.C.E. certified. Athletic classes help to increase speed, vertical jump, explosiveness and injury prevention. The classes involve flexibility, toning, weight loss and increase wellness, even if you have had a history of injury. Call Carl LaRosa 724-981-3700 Ext. 105 to get started.

Buhl Community Recreation Center Offers

Volunteer program; participates in a senior insurance program; municipal/corporate membership and insurance discounts. We now accept Silver Sneakers Insurance. Call Mary Ann in our front office to get the information on all these opportunities.

Senior Program Class Schedule

Silver Sneakers Welcome

Monday: Sit-N-Fit, 10:45 am

Wednesday: Senior Stretch, 10:45 am

Friday: Circle for Life, 10:45 am

Seniors for Safe Driving

May 26, 9:00 am–1:00 pm (4 hrs.) – Refresher Course

October 20 & 21, 5:30–9:00 pm (7 hrs.) – Standard Course

Henry and Catherine Evans Fitness Center Updates

The Buhl Community Recreation Center can give you the jump start you need to a new you, with our personal training service! Stop by today for a consult and Body Composition Testing. Let our team of Fitness Professionals get you on track to a healthy happy year. Other places give you what you want.....We give you what you Need! Are you ready for a little one on one?

Free Community Swim

The Buhl Community Recreation Center would like to thank the community for its patronage.

Time: 3:30–5:00 pm

Dates: The last Friday of every month (April 24, May 29, June 26, July 24, August 28, September 25)

All non swimmers and children under 3rd grade must be accompanied by an adult, within arms length of their child.

Free Summer Lessons for Hermitage Residents

Dates: Tuesday and Thursdays

Information: Debbie Currier 724-981-3700 Ext. 107

Buhl Farm Park Programs

Visit www.buhlfarmpark.com • Like us on Facebook • Follow us on Twitter
Find us on Instagram • Call us at 724-981-5522



Calendar of Events

May

- May 2nd - First Tee Registration, 5:00-7:00 pm
@ The Buhl Park Golf Course
- May 9 – Bird Walk, 9:00 am
Join experienced bird walk leaders who will help you explore the varied habitat located throughout Buhl Park. Please bring your own binoculars.
- May 2 – The First Tee of Sharon Classic presented by Leadership Shenango, 9:30 & 1:30 shotgun start
- May 16 – Armed Forces Day at Buhl Park, 10 am - 7:00 pm
- May 23 – Shenango River Watchers' Tire Recycling, 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
- May 28 – Brian Stafford Lecture & Reception, Buhl Timblin Casino Ballroom, 6:00 pm

June

- June 6 – Friends of Buhl Park 5K Run/2M Walk, 10:00 am
- June 9 – Summer Youth Program Registration, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
- June 12 – Joe Valentino 27 Hole Scramble, 10:00 am
Shotgun Start, Buhl Timblin Casino Driveway
- June 20 – Mercer County Bike Trail Event, 7:00 am
- June 27 – Touch A Truck at Buhl Park – 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

July

- July 11 – Old Fashioned Record Hop,
Buhl Timblin Casino Ballroom
- July 25 – Buhl Park Disc Golf
Tournament



August

- August 14 – Back to School Dance,
Buhl Timblin Casino Ballroom, 6:00 pm

September

- September 7 – Buhl Day
- September 12 – Bird Walk, 9:00 am
- September 13 – Dog Day in the Park
- September 16 – Ladies Tee Off for Buhl

October

- October 10 – Tree Walk, 10:00 am
- October 10-11 – Fall Fest
- October 16 – Buhl Park Gala, Avalon at Buhl

November

- November 1 – Closing Centennial Celebration

December

- December 5 – Breakfast with Santa, Buhl Timblin Casino Ballroom, 9:00 am-1:00 pm

Other Activities

Buhl Park Garden Club

Would you like to join our Garden Club in an effort to keep our Park beautiful? The club meets every Wednesday evening at 5:30 and works throughout the Park.

Although the group meets every week, we only ask that you attend when you can. Paige O'Hare is the director and always welcomes new members.

Please contact Julie at 724-981-5522 (ext 103) or email at julie@buhlfarmpark.com for more information.



Tennis Programs

Our programs offer many opportunities for tennis players as well as free lessons for adults beginning June 13th and for juniors beginning June 19th. For more information regarding tennis lessons, please contact Buhl Park tennis director Sue McLaughlin (724-346-0982)

The Summer Youth Program

A six-week summer program for children in grades 1-6 begins on June 15th and runs through July 24th. Students participate in a variety of activities including active recreation, environmental learning and arts and crafts. The cost of the program is \$80 for six weeks. Registration will be held on Tuesday, June 9th.

Movies Under the Stars

This summer, 3 movies will be shown at the PAC stage on June 27th, July 25th, and 29th. Movie titles are still to be determined. Movies begin at dusk (8:30-8:45). Hot dogs, chips and drinks available at concession stand. And FREE popcorn!



Other Park Activities

2015 Summer Concert Series

Located at the Performing Arts Center

Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm • Sundays @ 6:00 pm (unless noted)

Sunday, June 14 Sound Bite	Wednesday, July 22 Max Schang
Wednesday, June 17 Nick Fiasco	Sunday, July 26 Del Sinchak Big Band
Sunday, June 21 Canfield Community Band	Wednesday, July 29 Youngstown Fine Brass Quintet
Wednesday, June 24 Erie Heights Brass Ensemble	Sunday, August 2 The Sensations
Sunday, June 28 Buhl Community Concert Band	Wednesday, August 5 Rick Bruckner & the Brotherhood
Wednesday, July 1 County Mayo	Sunday, August 9 Wrangler Band
Sunday, July 5 2nd Avenue Project	Wednesday, August 12 The Reunion
Wednesday, July 8 Anthony	Sunday, August 16 Pipe Dreams
Sunday, July 12 Grant Street Exit	Wednesday, August 19 JD Eicher & The Goodnights
Wednesday, July 15 North Side Jazz	Sunday, August 23 The Four Kings
Sunday, July 19 Salem Quaker City Band	

HERMITAGE RESIDENTS

Buhl Park Community Pool Pass

Hermitage residents are now able to purchase 2015 Season Passes for the Buhl Park Outdoor Pool at a discount. Season rates are as follows:

- **Family - \$45** - includes up to 2 adults and dependent children in the same household through high school
- **Adult - \$30** - 18 years of age and above
- **Youth - \$20** - Ages 5 through Grade 12

Residents of Hermitage must show proof of address at time of purchase. Passes are available at the Hermitage Municipal Building, 800 N. Hermitage Road, between the hours of 7:30 am and 4:30 pm daily, Monday through Friday. Pool schedules and regulations available at time of purchase. Open June 1.

Buhl Park Community Pool Rules:

- All non-swimming minors must be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older) in the water and within arm's reach at all times.
- All children 9 years and younger must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- Complete rules and regulations are posted on the Buhl Farm Park website @ www.buhlfarmpark.com

* Please note: All TSS/Wraparound Workers will be required to purchase a separate individual Adult pass.

From the Treasurer



All County/ City tax bills were mailed on March 1, 2015. If you have not received your bill, kindly notify our office. As a property owner, remember that it is your responsibility to pay your taxes even if you have not received a bill. Also remember that we are a homeowner area which means that we do not service banks and mortgage companies. All bills are mailed directly to the home owner who in turn needs to forward it to their own mortgage holder. To pay your taxes, the lenders need your bill before they can forward the check to our office. All new homeowners and those who relocated within the City of Hermitage must apply for the Homestead Exclusion in order to get the discount allotted to all owner-occupied parcels on your school tax bill. Applications are available on line from the County website or in the local tax office. Deadline for application was March 1st for the current year, but new applications sent after that date will be processed for the next year. We are happy to help with your tax questions and concerns and remind you that our office is open to you both in person or by phone @ 724-347-4472. Regular hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Summer hours begin May 1st and continue through Sept. 4th. They are 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. It's always a privilege to assist you.

Thank you. *Bernie Harry, Hermitage Treasurer*

Sewer Bill Payment Options

- Online payment – Go to www.hermitage.net and choose the "Pay Your Sewer Bill Online" icon. ****IMPORTANT**** Site works best in Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome and/or Safari – The site does NOT work in Internet Explorer. Please be sure to turn off pop-up blockers to get a receipt for payment.
- Cash, checks and credit/debit cards are accepted at the Municipal Building during normal business hours. **No phone payments are accepted.**
- Payments can be dropped off after hours in the drop off box located on the North side of the parking lot at the Municipal Building. ***CHECKS ONLY***
- Automatic payments of current month charges can be deducted from your checking account. Sign-up forms are available at the Municipal Building and online. Payments are deducted on the 5th of the month or the next business day after the 5th in the case of a weekend or holiday. **Past due balances will not be auto deducted and will continue to accrue penalty and interest.**
- Checks may be mailed to the lock box in the envelope provided with your bill. You **MUST** include the remit stub from your bill in order for your payment to be processed correctly. Payments without remit stubs may be delayed and late fees will accrue.
- Online bill pay through your bank. Please remember account or customer number has to be included with each payment entered. If not, payment may be delayed and late fees will accrue. **It can take up to seven days for a payment to process so please allow for the additional time.**

Any questions regarding these payment options, please contact Kathy 724-981-0800 ext 1360 or email kpatrizi@hermitage.net.

LOCAL YOUTH COMPETITION Pitch Hit & Run



Hermitage Little League and Hermitage Girls Softball Association will host a free Major League Baseball® Pitch, Hit & Run™ Competition for area youth.

Date: Saturday, May 9
Time: 1:00 pm
Location: Carl Harris Little League Complex
Ages: 7-14 (4 level of competition)
Cost: Free
Information: Jay Fazzzone 330-503-1267

Bus Trip

Strip District/ Pittsburgh Arts Festival



First stop the Strip District, spend a few hours exploring the shops and great food marts before heading to the Pittsburgh Arts Festival.

Date: Saturday, June 13
Time: Leave Hermitage Municipal Building 8:00 am, return around 6:30 pm
Cost: \$25 per person includes deluxe motor coach transportation. On your own for all meals.
Register by: Wednesday, May 27 **Information:** 724-981-0800

22nd Annual Hermitage Fraternal Order of Police 4-Person Golf Scramble

Saturday, May 30, 2015

"Shotgun Start" at 8:00 am

Tam O'Shanter Golf Course

\$300 per team • \$75 per person

NO REFUNDS. ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY.
 Complete form with check payable to: **Hermitage F.O.P. #82,**
and mail entry to: Hermitage F.O.P. Attn: Golf Scramble,
800 N. Hermitage Rd., Hermitage, PA 16148

Registration NOT accepted over the phone. Register by May 15.

Team Captain: _____ Phone: _____

Player 2: _____

Player 3: _____

Player 4: _____

Be kind to the environment...

...car washing courtesy



When you're washing your car in the driveway, remember—you're not just washing your car in the driveway!

All the soap, scum and oily grit runs into the street and storm drainage system, and then directly into our streams, lakes, and rivers.

PLEASE wash your car on grass or gravel, and use soap sparingly. Dispose of the soapy water in a sink or grassy area. Better yet, take your car to a commercial car wash, where the dirty water will be treated by the City sewer system before being released into the environment.

2015 - Spring Clean-up / Bulk Trash

Friday, May 1, 2015

for residents with a regular collection on
MONDAY & THURSDAY

Friday, May 8, 2015

for residents with a regular collection on
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

All white goods, bulk items and larger items will be taken on these collection days. These include, but are not limited to lawn chairs, lamps, bicycles, carpet rolls (no more than 4 ft. in length), large and small appliances, furniture, tables, washers, dryers, stoves, etc. Air conditioners, dehumidifiers, refrigerators & freezers must have their doors disabled and Freon removed and be properly tagged by a certified technician.

All items must be placed out at the curb the night before pickup. Items for bulk trash collection days do not require a tag for disposal.

No bagged leaves, TV's or computers will be accepted on the bulk trash days.

Hermitage Recycles...



BLUE-LID cart

✓ Accepted

- ✓ Beverage bottles & food jars (clear, brown, amber, or green)
- ✓ Food cans
- ✓ Clean aluminum foil & foil products
- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Empty aerosol cans
- ✓ All plastic containers #1 - #7
- ✓ Bleach, detergent, household cleaner bottles
- ✓ Bundled plastic bags
- ✓ Corrugated & pressed cardboard
- ✓ Paperboard cartons or boxes
- ✓ White office paper/computer paper
- ✓ Magazines, newspapers & advertising inserts
- ✓ Junk mail and envelopes
- ✓ Catalogs, phonebooks, and paperbound books
- ✓ Colored construction paper
- ✓ Coupons and receipts
- ✓ Paper bags and shopping bags

GREEN-LID cart

✓ Accepted

- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Grass Clippings
- ✓ Plants & Flowers
- ✓ Roots
- ✓ Sawdust
- ✓ Shrubbery & Prunings
- ✓ Branches, tree limbs (under 4" in diameter)
- ✓ Brush up to 4 feet in length

BROWN-LID cart

✓ Accepted

- ✓ Any cardboard, paperboard or foil with food residue/grease (i.e. pizza boxes, cardboard milk cartons and juice boxes, take-out food containers, greasy foil, styrofoam products)
- ✓ Kitchen food waste

Cart Placement Tips:

Place your carts at the curb the night before collection day. Place carts 2 feet apart at the curb line. Keep at least 5 feet away from mailboxes. Point the lid arrows on the cart toward the street. Retrieve your carts by the end of your collection day.

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Front left to right:

Rita L. Ferringer, Commissioner;

Duane J. Piccirilli, Commissioner;

Bernadette Harry, City Treasurer

Back left to right:

William J. Moder, III, Vice President;

Maria A. Koledin, Commissioner;

Timothy J. Ruffo, President

Shenango Valley Region of the Antique Automobile Club of America presents the 32nd Annual

Father's Day Car Show '15



Sunday, June 21, 2015

Noon - 4 p.m.

(Registration 8:00 am - Noon)

Rain or Shine • Free to the Public
Door Prizes • Car Corral • Food & Drink

Judging & Awards Trophies at 3:45 pm

Information: 724-981-1653 or 330-534-4188