



# WEST NORRITON TOWNSHIP Newsletter

1630 West Marshall Street • Jeffersonville, Pennsylvania 19403-3236  
www.westnorritontwp.org

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## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Richard Shilling

If West Norriton Township is experiencing any type of emergency, you may call 610-631-2979 to receive up to date information.

## MEETING DATES - BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting .....	2nd Tuesday – 7:00 pm
Work Session .....	1st Tuesday – 7:00 pm
Zoning Hearing Board .....	3rd Wednesday – 7:00 pm
Planning Commission.....	3rd Monday – 7:30 pm
Recreation Committee .....	2nd Wednesday – 7:00 pm

## TELEPHONE NUMBERS

### Police – Fire – Ambulance 911

All Police, Fire and Ambulance emergencies should be reported by calling 911. Information calls to the West Norriton Township Police should be made by calling 610-630-1701. The police administration office is open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

### BUSINESS ONLY:

Police Department.....	610-630-1701
Administration .....	610-631-0450
Recreation Department .....	610-630-1251
Sewer Department.....	610-539-1773
Golf Club – Pro Shop .....	610-539-0422
Golf Club – Banquet Room.....	610-539-6652
Fire Company .....	610-539-3990
Ambulance .....	610-277-2776
Tax Collectors	
Berkheimer Associates .....	610-279-7500
School & Per Capita .....	800-360-8989
Real Estate/County & Township.....	610-539-9232
School & Per Capita .....	800-360-8989
Earned Income Tax .....	610-588-0965

## TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION

The five member Board of commissioner is elected by the people of the Township at large and the members thereof are interested in trying to develop the Township in the same manner on which its tradition of success has been founded. The Commissioners hold public meetings twice per month as follows:

**Board Meetings: Held the 2nd Tuesday of each month – 7pm**

**Work Sessions: Held the 1st Tuesday of each month – 7pm**

The meetings are held at the West Norriton Township Municipal Building 1630 West Marshall Street, Jeffersonville, PA. All interested parties are invited to attend.

*See Page 7 for 2013 Spring/Summer Recreation Programs!*

## 2013 WEST NORRITON BUDGET

The 2013 Budget represents a serviceable spending strategy for Township operations in the coming year. The Staff continues to gauge economic conditions to maintain quality service levels while living within the financial means of our tax base. The 2013 Budget reflects this premise by not raising tax rates and providing a budget that maintains established service level standards. Current service levels including infrastructure repair, will continue to be the priority to promote the health, safety and welfare of Township residents. This budget is a working tool that supports and controls valuable services, provided through limited resources, to our commitment to provide a high level of service to the residents of West Norriton.

Furthermore, budget recommendations reflect the underlying financial premise that those who use the service or program pay for such service accordingly. The Board of Commissioners and Staff will continue to regularly analyze the priorities of the Township and are committed to make West Norriton Township one of the safest and best places to live.

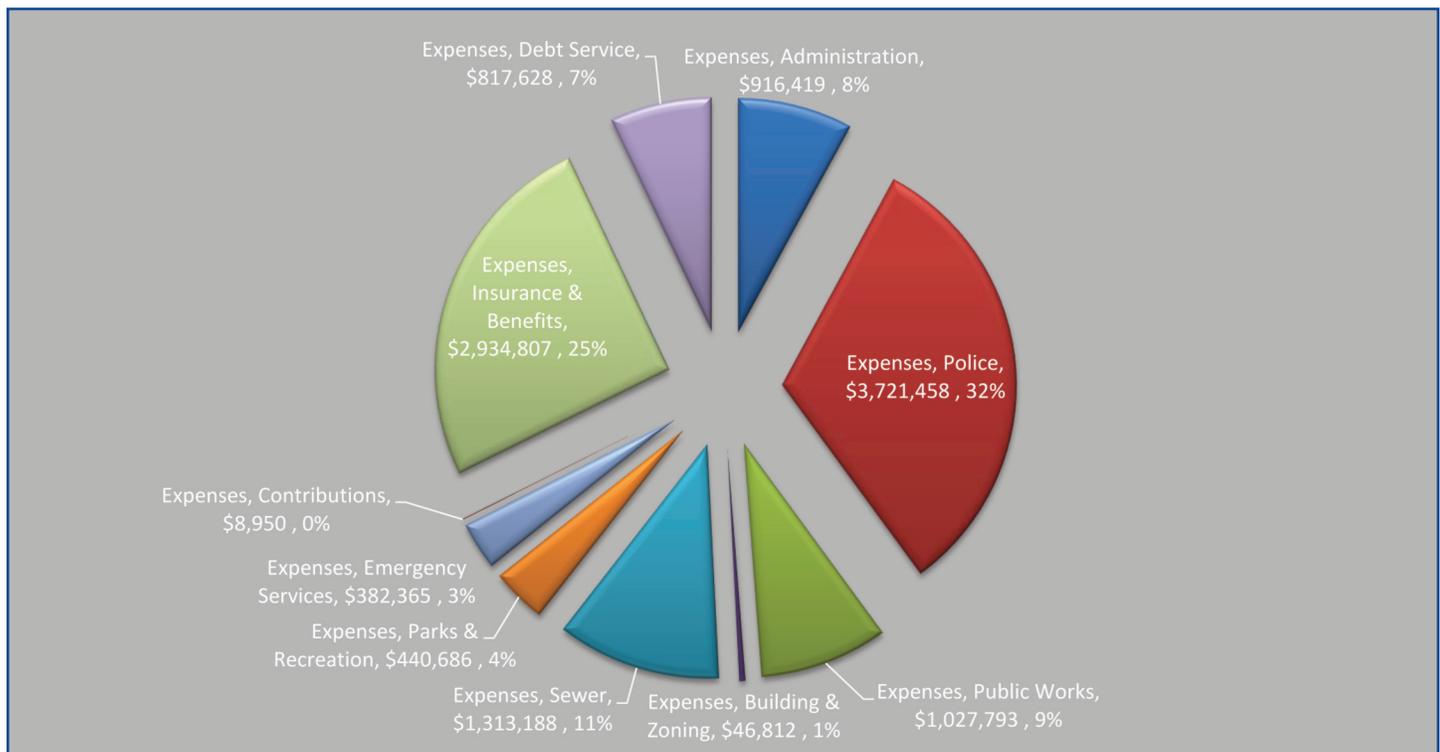
The approved 2013 Budget is a balanced budget totaling \$11,370,237 reflecting no tax increase and a 2.4% reduction in expenses from the 2012 Budget.

Average assessed home value                      \$119,000  
 Annual Township Real Estate Tax                 \$415  
 (Based on current millage of 3.487)

### Breakdown of Mills (Based on average home value)

Mills	Annual Cost	Description of Services
0.07	\$8	Parks
0.155	\$18	Fire Protection
0.847	\$100	Roads/Infrastructure/Capital Improvements
2.415	\$289	Police Protection/Snow Plowing/Brush & Leaf Pick-up/Code Enforcement
<b>3.487</b>	<b>\$415</b>	<b>Total</b>

Total Township taxes cost the average homeowner \$34.58 per month



## CODE DEPARTMENT

### Property Maintenance

The West Norriton Township Commissioners have adopted the 2006 International Property Maintenance Code along with its amendments. The Code Enforcement Officer is charged with the responsibility for enforcing the Code. Distresses and poorly maintained properties quickly lose value and that reduced value is reflected in the value of adjacent properties. One of the greatest benefits of the implementation of a property maintenance inspection program is the ability to maintain property values throughout the Township.

Some of the most common property maintenance code violations include: Distressed or poorly maintained structures, unlicensed and/or inoperable vehicles, tall grass and weeds, grass clippings blown into the street, weeds growing along the curb line, sidewalks in poor condition, overgrown bushes obstructing the sidewalk or sight distance at an intersection, missing house address numbers, etc. The Code Enforcement Officer performs regular inspections for these violations and first attempts to make verbal contact with the responsible party. If contact cannot be made or if the violation persists, he may issue a warning letter and may ultimately issue citations if violations are not resolved within a reasonable period of time.

### PROPERTIES NOT OWNER OCCUPIED

On December 11, 2007 the Board of Commissioners passed resolution 07-1448, adopting a rental license fee. This fee pertains to all Properties which are Not Owner Occupied located within West Norriton Township. The fee is listed with the fee schedule under resolution 06-1429.

All rental units must be reported to the township office and are required to be inspected. The applications are required to be paid by March 31st of that year, if not paid by March 31st then the fee is doubled. Applications and inspection requirements are available online at [www.westnorritontwp.org](http://www.westnorritontwp.org)

## USE AND OCCUPANCY INSPECTIONS

Use & Occupancy inspections are required prior to resale of residential homes. The requirements are: Smoke detectors must be installed on each floor level and every bedroom. All bathrooms, powder rooms, laundry rooms, kitchens & all counter top areas must have Ground Fault Receptacles installed. (ALL ELECTRICAL WORK MUST BE DONE BY A WEST NORRITON TOWNSHIP LICENSED ELECTRICIAN AND A PERMIT IS REQUIRED.) All gas ranges shall be supplied with shut off valves installed behind the range. A fire extinguisher equipped with a hose and nozzle and if a 3A40BC rating must be supplied for the dwelling. A certificate of inspection shall be provided for the heating unit for the structure. The plumbing system for the structure shall be in good working order. Any and all sump pumps shall comply with all Township Ordinances and requirements. All properties must be supplied with four inch numbers outside the property in clear view of the street-permanently mounted on mailbox or building. The structure shall be clean, safe and sanitary condition. Hot water heater/boiler relief valve drains must be of a 3/4" pipe and extend 4-8 inches off floor level. Property/structure shall comply with all other ordinances, rules and regulations of West Norriton Township. All U&O requests, along with the \$75.00 fee must be sent to the Township at least a month prior to settlement. Upon receipt of request, notification of an inspection date and time will be sent to the realtor/homeowner.

## BUILDING

Michael J. Valyo, Building Inspector

The Building Department oversees all construction & repairs to Residential & Commercial buildings. Building permits are required by law. Applications for Building Permits can be obtained from the Township Website or Township Office. Permits are required for ALL work except painting, wallpapering, carpeting and landscape work (Shrubbery, trees and plantings). Landscaping work dealing with hardscaped walls and drainage need to submit a detailed plan for review by the township engineer along with a permit. A Driveway Permit must be filled out and approved by the Township Engineer before work can begin to widen or change driveways. All Commercial Contractors must be licensed with West Norriton Township and provide us with a Certification of Insurance. All Residential Contractors are required to show proof of insurance along with a contractor license issued by the State of Pennsylvania. This is enforced to protect homeowners from unscrupulous contractors.

### NO WORK MAY START UNTIL PERMIT IS RECEIVED

Please visit the Township website for the new building permit forms and fees. [www.westnorritontwp.org](http://www.westnorritontwp.org)

## ZONING

Michael J. Valyo, Zoning Officer

The purpose of Zoning is to promote the health, safety, morals and general welfare of the inhabitants of West Norriton Township by lessening congestion in the streets, securing safety from fire, panic and other dangers: providing adequate light and air; preventing the overcrowding of land; avoiding undue concentration of population; facilitating the adequate provision of transportation, water, sewerage, schools, parks and other public requirements concerning the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land. Building and Zoning Ordinances are available on the township website [www.westnorritontwp.org](http://www.westnorritontwp.org) located on the second page under the Code Department.

## HOUSE NUMBERS

Help us find you: Township emergency services cannot find you if they can't see you. House numbers must be 4" inches and visible from the street. House numbers should not be blocked by vegetation.

## YARD SALES

A Township license is required for all yard sales. A restriction of **two yard sales per year** is in effect. Cost is \$10.00 per day. A \$25.00 escrow deposit (check only) must be left if you plan to put advertising signs up off your property (signs are not provided by the Township). All signs must be removed immediately following the sale. If Township personnel have to remove the signs, your check will not be returned.

## VOLUNTEERS

Any Township resident with the expertise needed, who is interested in becoming a member of any Township Board, Commission or a Committee should submit a letter of interest to the Township Manager.

## 1180 WFYL

News Talk 1180 WFYL is your local radio station serving the community from the grounds of the Jeffersonville Golf Course. Tune in to catch up on the latest local and national topics of interest. For more information, please visit our website at [www.1180wfyl.com](http://www.1180wfyl.com) or give us a call at 610-539-TALK (8255).

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

West Norriton Township took delivery of two 2012 International TerraStar Dump Trucks to replace our 1989 and 1990 International Dump Trucks. These trucks will be utilized by the Public Works Department for Snow Plowing & Salting, Leaf Pickup, Yard waste/Tree limb Pickup, Road Maintenance & Various other duties.



### SNOW REMOVAL ORDINANCE

West Norriton Township provides guidelines when plowing snow. If you or your business has hired a private contractor to remove snow from your parking lot or driveway, please remind them of the Township's Snow Removal Ordinance.

Chapter 21, § 201, paragraph 4 of the West Norriton Township Code Book states:

“It shall be unlawful, and shall constitute a public nuisance, for anyone to throw, shovel or plow snow into or upon streets or highways in West Norriton Township with the intent of allowing such snow to remain on such roads and highways.”

#### Violators may face fines up to \$600.00

As we ready ourselves for spring, there is still a possibility of a snow storm. If you have any questions on snow removal please visit our website or call the Township Building.

### YARD WASTE COLLECTION REMINDERS

Pickups are scheduled for the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

#### Branches must be placed curbside by 10 a.m. on the 3rd Tuesday

- Only shrubbery, branches, limbs & garden residue allowed
- No stumps, weeds, grass, leaves, plastic bags or metal wire
- Materials must be piled neatly or placed in trash cans marked “yard waste”
- **Limits: Individual branches – 6 in. dia. & 6 ft long; total per collection 2 cubic yards (6 trash cans)**
- **Improperly prepared materials will not be collected including large piles**

#### This collection runs February thru October

Please contact the Township with questions regarding this program or any other Township services.

### DRIVEWAYS

All driveway resurfacing (standard overlay) will be required to obtain a permit at the cost of \$50. All new and expansions to driveways (which includes the engineer review) will require a \$150 charge.

### STREET LIGHTS

To report defective street lights, residents may call the Township or PECO Energy directly at (800) 265-4189. When reporting defective streetlights, please provide the pole number found on the front of the pole and the street location of the pole. West Norriton spends \$200,000 per year for street lighting. Please report defective lights to the township, or PECO. We pay for electrical service regardless.

### SEWER DEPARTMENT

Office Location: 1634 West Marshall Street, Jeffersonville, PA 19403  
(610) 539-1773

Office Hours: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM (Monday - Friday)

Sewer Bills: Sewer rental bills are payable to WNT (West Norriton Township). Bills are mailed quarterly (January 1, April 1, July 1 & October 1).

Payment is due within 30 days. A ten percent (10%) penalty will be imposed on all sewer rental payments owed to West Norriton Sewer Department that are outstanding for more than thirty (30) days. Interest shall be applied to the outstanding principal balance each month it goes unpaid. This interest will not be applied to penalty/interest charges.

Private Meter: To receive consideration for a waiver of the sewer charges for filling a pool, contact the Township-Sewer office for information on the installation of a private meter to monitor the related water consumption.

Sump Pump: Any sump pump or gutter drain connections into the sanitary system are a violation of West Norriton Township Ordinance-Chapter 18. Failure to comply will result in a fine of \$1,000/per violation.

### HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

- Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County has been providing homeownership opportunities for low-income county residents for more than 23 years and has built 54 homes.
- Habitat is a hand up, not a hand out – families who receive homes do so by helping to build their homes alongside volunteers, paying a no-interest, low payment mortgage, where funds go back into the county to provide opportunities for other families and must qualify for home purchase through our homeownership preparedness training program.
- Habitat homeowners contribute more than \$90,000 to the tax base of the county every year.
- Habitat is currently building in Norristown and Upper Dublin and just finished a home in Pottstown.
- Habitat is about to embark on a new initiative, helping long-time, low-income homeowners in many County communities stay in their homes by doing simple (like painting) to more complex repairs (like roofing).
- Habitat has a ReStore. The ReStore is open Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 9-5; Saturday 9-2
- Habitat works with volunteers for construction, the ReStore and in many other ways – for more information, check out our website at [www.habitatmontco.org](http://www.habitatmontco.org)



## JEFFERSONVILLE FIRE COMPANY

As has been the trend, calls for service in 2012 continued to climb. The fire company responded to over 365 calls in 2012. In an effort to improve the township's ISO rating, the Jefferson Fire Company purchased a new ladder truck to enhance fire service resources within the township. In 2011, the township was audited by ISO (<http://www.isomitigation.com>) and the township's rating was improved from a 6 to a 5 based on the capabilities of the Jefferson Fire Company. The addition of a ladder truck will further improve the ISO rating for the township from a 5 to a 4 on a 1-10 scale. The lower the number, the better the rating for the township. This rating will be updated at the next audit.



The type of ladder truck we received in December 2012 is referred to as a "Quint". This is a combination ladder/pumper and has replaced one of the three pumpers we previously had in service. The new truck is a 2012 Rosenbauer 78' Viper EXT and was a demo model for the manufacturer prior to us purchasing it. Aside from the mounted ladder, the truck also has a 500 gallon water tank, 20 gallon firefighting foam tank, EZ Foam application system, and a 1,500gpm Waterous pump. This truck was built at the Rosenbauer factory in Minnesota. Numerous other pieces of firefighting equipment will be carried on this truck similar to what is now carried on our pumpers (or engines as we like to call them). In an effort to best utilize this new piece of apparatus, firefighters will be receiving upwards of 50 hours of classroom and hands-on training sessions in early 2013.

As a volunteer organization independent of from township government (except for financial and administrative assistance we generously receive from the township), we are always in need of additional volunteers. While we are a combination department with one full time and several part time employees, most of our personnel are volunteers from around the community who train for many hours throughout the year after they've already put in time at their day (or night) jobs. Please consider joining us to help protect your family, friends, and neighbors. We have training nights every Wednesday at 7pm. Feel free to stop by for more information.

## JEFFERSONVILLE GOLF CLUB 2013

As warm weather approaches, the entire staff at Jeffersonville Golf Club is excited for the 2013 golf season. In spite of the interruption from Hurricane Sandy, Jeffersonville Golf Club is thrilled to report that 2012 was the best year in Jeffersonville's long and storied history. PGA Professional/Director of Golf, Michael Housley says "The amazing and friendly atmosphere around the golf club is contagious and we are looking forward to an even brighter future as subtle changes continue to be implemented." Head Golf Course Superintendent, Rich Shilling, and his staff continue to do an outstanding job making Jeffersonville the best manicured public golf course in Montgomery County. The golf course was in fantastic condition all last year despite the hot and dry climate which is a testament to the quality of our golf course maintenance staff.

Golf Memberships are still available and have a tremendous value for not only the avid golfer but the occasional player as well. As always, Residents of West Norriton Township will receive a discount from the already attractive rate. Members will also enjoy a reduced cart fee (Monday – Friday) this year as a thank you for your continued care and support of Jeffersonville Golf Club. The Jeffersonville Golf Association is accepting applications and they have a very busy and diverse tournament schedule for the 2013 season. Joining the JGA is great way to meet other golfers, engage in friendly competition, and in general, make your golf experience more enjoyable.

The golf shop continues to improve and will be fully stocked with golf balls, gloves, hats, golf shoes, golf clubs, golf bags, sunglasses, shirts, shorts, and outerwear. All merchandise will be competitively priced to beat all golf retailers. We can special order golf clubs as well and we will guarantee a lower price than all other competitors. Spring is the perfect time to get your game in shape by getting quality instruction from our professional staff. We teach all aspects of the game from the golf swing, chipping & putting, and course management/decision making. We offer individual and group lessons as well as Adult and Junior Clinics. Call the Pro Shop for more information on our Clinic schedules.

We are proud to announce that Putter's Bar & Grille will be starting their 2nd year at the golf club. The friendly service and great food make it the perfect place to talk about all the terrific golf shots made during your round.

Please stop in or call to get on our email list for golf specials, upcoming tournaments, and events.

**Website:** [www.jeffersonvillegolfclub.org](http://www.jeffersonvillegolfclub.org)

**Pro Shop Phone:** 610-539-0422

### Golf Lessons:

Michael Housley, PGA Professional/Director of Golf: 610-220-5522

Shane Frangiosa, Assistant Professional: 484-390-2295

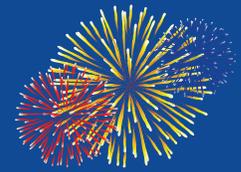
Chuck Fullem, Assistant Professional: 610-283-6236



**JEFFERSONVILLE**  
1931  
GOLF CLUB



# WEST NORRITON DAY 2013



SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2013  
NORRISTOWN AREA HIGH SCHOOL, 12 NOON-4 PM

**KIDS RIDES, MOONBOUNCES, GAMES, SPECIAL GUEST APPEARANCES, WIDE VARIETY OF DELICIOUS FOOD, FIRE COMPANY AND K-9 DEMONSTRATIONS, MUSIC, & MUCH MORE!**

**FIREWORKS @ DUSK**

(RAINDATE - FIREWORKS ONLY - SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2013)

**\*\*\*SPECIAL EVENTS & GUEST APPEARANCES THROUGHOUT THE DAY\*\*\***

### INTERESTED VENDORS

FOR SPONSORSHIP/VENDORS OR COMMUNITY FUND RAISING OPPORTUNITIES PLEASE CALL WEST NORRITON RECREATION DEPARTMENT  
610-630-1251 OR VISIT [WWW.WESTNORRITONTWP.ORG](http://WWW.WESTNORRITONTWP.ORG)

**“A DAY FOR FAMILY FUN!!!”**

## WEST NORRITON SUMMER DAY CAMP

**Boys and Girls ages 5 to 13**

(Must be 5 years old by June 1st, 2013) \*Proof of age required for any child under 6 years old \*

Camp will run 6 weeks from Monday, June 24 to Friday, August 2, 2013.

Our Summer Day Camp Program's daily hours will be 8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. – Monday through Friday. No Camp – July 4th.

**Location:** Marshall Street Elementary School

Among the various activities offered will be Arts & Crafts, daily sports activities, special guest appearances/presentations and day trips, such as movies, bowling, roller skating, the theatre (children's plays), and Mermaid Lake.

**Cost:** Resident (Valid Proof of Residency required) 1 child \$250.00. 2 children \$450.00. – 3 children \$675.00  
Non Resident 1 child \$350.00. 2 children \$650.00. – 3 children \$975.00

REGISTRATIONS WILL BE OPEN TO WEST NORRITON RESIDENTS ONLY MARCH 1ST THROUGH APRIL 15TH.

OPEN TO ALL APRIL 15TH – JUNE 14TH, 2013.

REGISTRATION PACKETS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE WEST NORRITON TOWNSHIP BUILDING.

**\*ABSOLUTELY NO LATE REGISTRATIONS!**

NO REFUNDS! REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS. LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE.



# Spring & Summer Recreation Programs 2013

Jonathan W. Dzedzy - Director of Parks and Recreation • Lauren Irizarry - Assistant Director  
 e-mail: [jdzedzy@wntwp.com](mailto:jdzedzy@wntwp.com) [lmashett@wntwp.com](mailto:lmashett@wntwp.com)

Registrations will be taken Monday through Friday 8:00am – 4:30pm at the West Norriton Township Building, 1630 W Marshall St. or by mail (see back of Newsletter for Registration Form). Please make all checks payable to “West Norriton Township”. If registering by mail please call to find out exact starting dates and times for your program. No late Registrations will be accepted! For more information on any of our programs please contact the Recreation Department at 610-630-1251 or visit [www.westnorritontwp.org](http://www.westnorritontwp.org)

## (WNGAA) GIRLS SOFTBALL - Girls ages 5-16

The West Norriton Girl's Athletic Association is proud to announce its 2013 Season! This athletic program is very proud to offer girl's ages 4 – 16 of all athletic abilities the opportunity to not only learn the fundamentals of softball in a safe and fun environment but also how important it is to work together as a team. WNGAA puts an emphasis on skill development and the importance of sportsmanship. Please visit our website at [www.wngaa.com](http://www.wngaa.com) to register for the new 2013 season and to obtain additional information on how you can help make the 2013 season the best yet! Below please find important information and dates for this upcoming season.

**On-line registration** at [www.wngaa.com](http://www.wngaa.com): Now through March 31, 2013  
**Walk-in Registration:** January 19, 9am to Noon – at the West Norriton Township Building



**Mandatory Grading Sessions:** February 24th with times to be announced on our website  
**Coaches Meeting:** Our coaches are all volunteers and this meeting is to ensure that all coaches are educating their teams on the game rules by a guest speaker and members of the WNGAA Board. The date and time will be posted on our website.  
**Opening Day:** April 20th with a Parade with West Norriton Little League and Opening Ceremony at Centennial Park.

### Registration Costs: \*Age is determined as of December 31, 2011

TBall	(Ages 5 – 6)	\$50
Minors ages	(Ages 7 – 9)	\$65
Majors ages	(Ages 10 – 13)	\$65
Seniors ages	(Ages 14 – 16)	\$85 (this is our travel softball team)

Games will continue to be played at our softball complex at Centennial Park, just below the current home of the West Norriton Little League at the intersection of Burnside Avenue and West Marshall Street.

**For Team Sponsorship and Field Sign costs please visit [www.wngaa.com](http://www.wngaa.com)!**

Please visit our website at [www.wngaa.com](http://www.wngaa.com) for information on registration, pitching clinics, player clinics, schedules, volunteering opportunities as well as taking a look at our photo gallery of last year's Opening Day festivities and our Fall Ball program.

## WEST NORRITON LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

2013 On Line Registration is currently open at [www.WNLL.com](http://www.WNLL.com).

WNLL offers baseball programs for varying age groups with "league age" determined by your child's age as of April 30, 2013. Any child between the league age of 4 and 16 and who lives within the boundaries of West Norriton Little League may play.



The following levels of play are offered:

- 4-5-year-olds: Tee-Ball
- 6-year-olds: Rookie League (Coach Pitch)
- 7-8-year-olds: Farm League (Machine Pitch)
- 9-10-year-olds: Minor League
- 11-12-year-olds: Major League
- 13-14-year-olds: Junior League
- 15-16-year-olds: Senior League

Founded in 1952, West Norriton Little League (WNLL) is a non-profit organization chartered by Little League International and administered by an elected Board of Directors. All positions within WNLL are volunteer and non-paid.

For complete information please visit our website at [www.WNLL.com](http://www.WNLL.com) or contact League Player Agent Steve Dimitry at [sdimitry@verizon.net](mailto:sdimitry@verizon.net) or League President Patrick Ahmad at [patrick.ahmad@hilti.com](mailto:patrick.ahmad@hilti.com).

## ADULT CO-ED SOFTBALL (RECREATION LEAGUE)

The league is open to West Norriton residents as well as non-resident adults. The games are played on Sunday afternoons at Padden Park and surrounding fields. Registration will be taken until March 15, 2013 on a team basis only.

\$225.00/team. For more information call Tom Pierson at 267-475-9693 or visit [www.wncesoftball.com](http://www.wncesoftball.com)

## ADULT CO-ED SOFTBALL (WITH UMPIRES)

Open to West Norriton residents as well as non-resident adults. Games are played on Sundays, April through early August, late morning through mid afternoon at Padden Park (Burnside and Oakland), Heels Field, Stanbridge Street Park (East Norriton), Norristown High School, Stewart Middle School. We also have an All-Star Game and Homerun Derby! Registration will be taken until March 1, 2013 on a team basis. League fee: \$520 per team (includes cost of umpires). For more information, call George Gibson at (610) 539-5226 or visit [www.wnces.com](http://www.wnces.com) [www.facebook.com/wnces.com](http://www.facebook.com/wnces.com)

## KARATE

Tae Kwon Do taught by instructor Ray Capistrano, 3rd degree black belt in Tae Kwon Do and 2nd degree black belt in Kenpo. Students will gain confidence, self-esteem and discipline while learning practical self-defense techniques. The program will be held on Wednesday evenings at Marshall Street Elementary School beginning February 6, 2013 through April 24, 2013. (12 week session).

Registrations are currently being taken at the West Norriton Township Building.

**Children: 5-12 year olds** 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

**Adults: 13 years & older** 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.

**Fee - \$70.00.**

Please contact the Recreation Department or Ray Capistrano at 610-631-1574 for more information.

## YOUTH LACROSSE

The Norristown Area Youth Lacrosse Assoc. is looking for boys for the spring. Registrations are currently being taken for boys grades K-8. Home games and practices are held in West Norriton Township. Anyone interested should visit [www.norristownlax.com](http://www.norristownlax.com) or email Jeff Calhoun at [jbcalthoun1@comcast.net](mailto:jbcalthoun1@comcast.net).

## SILVER CIRCLE (55 AND OVER CLUB)

Silver Circle Club 55+ meets the third Wednesday evening of each month, September through June, at 7 p.m. in the Jeffersonville Golf Club banquet hall.

Membership is \$5.00 a year and \$2.00 at the door for members and \$3.00 for a guest. Regular attendance and/or sign up are required for certain months. For entertainment we have craft demonstrations with hands-on practice, musical presentations, historical programs, information speakers, Elvis and Bingo. Each month is enjoyable. Refreshments are served by the hospitality committee. For questions, contact Bea Hildebrandt at 610-272-5196.

## GOLF CLINICS & LESSONS

Junior and Adult Golf clinics and lessons will be offered at the Jeffersonville Golf Club beginning in the spring of 2013. For more information and details please contact the Pro Shop at 610-539-0422 or the Recreation Department.

## STREET HOCKEY

As interest continues to grow, The West Norriton Recreation Department is becoming very close to adding youth street hockey back to our list of currently offered programs.

Please contact Frank Petka at [Frank@TagVisual.com](mailto:Frank@TagVisual.com) or the Recreation Department to learn more about the program and to sign your child up.

## BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER

### West Norriton boys and girls ages 4-13.

Games and practices are held at the Norristown Area High School Soccer Fields. Games are played every Saturday morning beginning in early September.

4-5 years play at – 9 a.m.  
6-7 years play at – 10 a.m.  
8-10 years play at – 11 a.m.  
11-13 years play at – 11 a.m.

Practices will be held at the coach's discretion.

**Registration** will begin August 1, 2013, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at the Township Building. Deadline for registration will be August 30, 2013. Exact starting dates will be handed out at time of registration. Age is determined as of 9/1/13.

\$50.00 (resident) per child

\$60.00 (non-resident) per child

**NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!**



## UK ELITE "PETITE" SOCCER CAMP

### (3-5 YEAR OLDS)

### SUPPORTED BY THE WEST NORRITON RECREATION DEPARTMENT

**Location:** Padden Park

**Times:** 3 p.m. – 4 p.m. OR 4 p.m. – 5 p.m. (6 weeks)

**Cost:** \$85 - Includes T shirt.

**Session 1:** Mondays, April 15, 2013 – May 20, 2013 (Rain date June 3)

**Session 2:** Mondays, June 10, 2013 – July 15, 2013 (Rain date July 22)

**ALL REGISTRATIONS WILL BE TAKEN ONLINE AT [WWW.UKPETITE.COM](http://WWW.UKPETITE.COM) WNOW THROUGH APRIL 5, 2013 (Session 1) and May 31, 2013 (Session 2).**

Any questions please call the Recreation Department or U.K. Elite at 610-747-0838 x 201.

What is U.K. Petite Soccer?

- Your child's FIRST soccer experience!
- A FUN introduction to the game of soccer
- Exciting soccer games in a safe environment
- Motor skill and coordination development
- Social skill building with other children
- Confidence building

## CO-ED ADULT FLAG FOOTBALL

We are looking to field 6-8 teams, with the league running 12 weeks from Sept – Dec 2013. All games will be played at Padden Park on weekends. We currently have multiple teams expressing interest and are looking for a few more teams to round out our league.

Please email us at [Frank@TagVisual.com](mailto:Frank@TagVisual.com) or call the Recreation Dept. for more details or to enter your team.

## FITNESS AND EXERCISE

### MAT PILATES

**Viva Mat Pilates: Transform flab into sculpted muscle and energize your life!** Slim your waist, stomach and hips; strengthen and tone your muscles; relieve back, wrist, neck and shoulder pain and melt away stress. Non-jarring exercises are tailored to fit each student's body and posture. Perfect for men/women, ages 13 and up and all fitness levels. Wear comfortable exercise attire. Bring an exercise mat, large towel and medium or regular strength Pilates band (Go to [www.vivapilates.net](http://www.vivapilates.net) for information on purchasing bands). No refunds after the first class.

For more information call **856-751-0095** or go to [www.vivapilates.net](http://www.vivapilates.net).

#### Winter Session – (8 Weeks)

##### Monday's 7-8 PM

Feb. 11,25; March 4,11,18; April 8,15,22

NO class Feb. 18; March 25, April 1 - 2013.

Cost: \$88 Location: Marshall Street Elementary School gym

Maximum Class Size: 30

##### Spring Session – (6 Weeks)

April 29; May 6,13,20; June 3,10

NO class May 27 - 2013.

Cost: \$88 Location: Marshall Street Elementary School gym

Maximum Class Size: 30

### ZUMBA

#### DITCH THE WORKOUT – JOIN THE PARTY!

Zumba® fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that will blow you away. Fast and slow rhythms, plus resistance training are combined to tone and sculpt your body while burning fat! Zumba® students achieve long term health benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one exhilarating hour of caloric-burning, body-energizing, awe-inspiring movements meant to engage and captivate for life!

#### Winter Session – (8 Weeks)

##### Thursday's 7-8 PM

Feb. 14,21,28; March 7,14,21; April 4,11

NO class March 28 - 2013.

Cost: \$68 Location: Marshall Street Elementary School gym

Maximum Class Size: 30

##### Spring Session – (8 Weeks)

April 18,25; May 2,9,16,23,30; June 6 - 2013

Cost: \$68 Location: Marshall Street Elementary School gym

Maximum Class Size: 30

#### Take any 2 classes a week and save 10%!

Winter Session - \$140

Spring Session - \$120

## MEN'S BASKETBALL (18 AND OVER)

Adult Men's League (Registration on a team basis only).

**Registration** period begins April 1, 2013. Deadline to enter a team is May 10, 2013. Games are played outdoors, under the lights at The Jefferson Firehouse courts. Play begins first week in June.

**League fee:** \$650 per team. For more information or to register a team please call the Recreation Department.

## BOYS AND GIRLS SUMMER BASKETBALL LEAGUES

Incoming 5th -6th and 7th – 8th grade leagues.

**Registration** is taken on a team basis only. Limited space available. Play begins in May. Games are played at The Jefferson Fire House courts. For more information or to register a team, call Whitney Davis at 484-681-3080 or the Recreation Department.

## JEFFERSONVILLE SOCCER CLUB 2013 FALL REGISTRATION

Jeffersonville Soccer Club is a select travel soccer club that has been in our area since 1990. We are members of the Inter-County Soccer League, which has grown to be the largest travel soccer league in Southeastern Pennsylvania. Jeffersonville Soccer Club is looking for skilled players between the ages of 7 and 17 that are willing to be committed to our select, travel organization. We field both male and female teams ages U-8 to U-18. Travel will consist of only 5 games a season.

If your son or daughter enjoys playing soccer and you are looking for a team that is more competitive than the intramural programs, check out Jeffersonville Soccer Club. JSC is a travel soccer club that offers competitive play, age appropriate teams, experienced coaches, and a strong player/parent commitment. Our coaches focus on skill development, strategy, and tactics that will enable players to take their game to the next level. Affiliated with EPYSA, USYouth Soccer, ICSL and are proud partners with the Philadelphia Union.

#### Registration in March!

To register for the 2013 Fall Season or for more information on registration dates, fees, tryouts and family discounts, visit our website at [www.jeffersonvillesoccerclub.com](http://www.jeffersonvillesoccerclub.com).

**Registration by mail:** JSC, 3111 Hannah Ave., East Norriton, PA 19401  
Registration will also be taken at the West Norriton Township Building until March 30th. If you are interested, please contact the West Norriton Parks & Recreation Department at 610-630-1251 or JSC Youth Coordinator, Jim Afff at [jscsoccerclub@comcast.net](mailto:jscsoccerclub@comcast.net). Coaches will be evaluating players throughout the off season. Registration is open to ALL surrounding areas with no boundaries.

Girls and Boys ages 7-14

To register you will need:

- Registration Form (found online)
- Medical Release Form (found online)
- Small I.D. photo
- Copy of Birth Certificate (new members)
- Fees (cash or check made out to JSC)



For more information, please contact us at [jscsoccerclub@comcast.net](mailto:jscsoccerclub@comcast.net)

## YOUTH FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

The Norristown Area Bandits Youth Football & Cheerleading Association will be changing leagues this coming year and will be joining the Inter County Football League. Participants must live in Norristown School District boundaries. The I.C.F.L. has no weigh ins or limits. Grades K-7. For more information call Alex DiNolfi at 610-222-0858 or visit [www.nabandits.com](http://www.nabandits.com)

## WEST NORRITON VOLLEYBALL

Men's and Women's Quads are held behind Marshall St. Elementary School Tuesday evenings, June thru August. Coed (6s) League is held Wednesday evenings, May thru August. For application or more information call Tom Ammon at 610-489-1691.

## DRAMA CAMP

### Boys and Girls Ages 7-12

Camp Horizon supported by the West Norriton Township Recreation Department.



This action-packed drama camp is taught by Theatre Horizon professional actors. Young actors spend the week working as a team to create a play full of drama, comedy, suspense, mystery, and action! They are guided through playwriting, improvisational games,

and drama exercises that build skills and boost self-confidence. Students will learn the basics of stagecraft, how to speak loudly and clearly, how to work in teams and how to accept and respect others' ideas. On the last day, they perform their world premiere play for an audience using props and costumes. Curtain up! (Love the camp? Each week will be a completely different show, so feel free to sign up for more than one!)

#### Dates and Times:

**Week 1:** Monday, August 5, 2013 – Friday, August 9, 2013, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**Week 2:** Monday, August 12, 2013 – Friday, August 16, 2013, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**Location:** Jefferson Firehouse

**Cost:** \$135/child **Performance:** 2pm on Friday

**What to bring:** A lunch, drink and a snack

**What to wear:** comfortable clothing and shoes – no skirts or flip-flops please!

For more information, call the Recreation Department at 610-630-1251 or Camp Horizon at 610-283-2230 or go to [www.theatrehorizon.org](http://www.theatrehorizon.org).

**Registration** will be taken March 1, 2013 thru July 26, 2013 at the Township Building. Limited space available. All payments should be made to West Norriton Township.

## WEST NORRITON TRIPS 2013

### MARCH

**O'MALLEYS - An Irish dinner theater - Wednesday, March 27.**  
**Erhardt's on Lake Wallenpaupack.**

Leave at 8:30, arrive at 10:30 and enjoy coffee and apple streusel, 11:30 to 1:30 eating Irish food. 1:30 begins the musical show, 3:30 snack before departure. Cost \$65.00 per person.

### MAY

**American Music Theater - Thursday, May 2nd - 8:00 pm show**  
**"Under the Streetlamp". (Similar to the Jersey Boys)**

Leave at 5:30, show at 8:00. Ticket and transportation \$76.00. Pick up at the firehouse on School Lane).

### AUGUST

**Phillies Game - Thursday, August 22**

Check website for more information.

**For additional information:** For additional information, please contact Florence Bruno at 610-539-5191 or Jon Dzedzy at the township building 610-630-1251. Make checks payable to West Norriton Township and mail to Florence Bruno at 108 S. Schuylkill Ave., Norristown, PA 19403.

## FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Our Annual Free Family Movie Night will be held again this summer at Padden Park sometime in late August. Bring the family out for a great night under the stars! Look for additional information on the Township website soon.



## RABIES CLINIC - 2012

**June 22 – 9-11 am**

Padden Park

Burnside Avenue & Oakland Drive, West Norriton



**Animals Must Be Leashed  
or in Approved Carrier**

**Dogs, Cats & Ferrets  
\$10.00/shot – 3-Year Shot**

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY - NORRISTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

(610-278-5100 ext. 5 – <http://mc-npl.org/Bookmobile/IndexBM.html>)

### WEST NORRITON

Norristown Farm Park  
2500 Upper Farm Rd.

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Regular Hours  
2:00pm – 4:00pm

### SATURDAY

Jan. 14,28; Feb. 11,25; Mar. 10,24;  
Apr. 7,21; May 5,19; June 2,16,30;  
July 14,28; Aug. 11,25; Sept. 8,22;  
Oct. 6,20; Nov. 3,17; Dec. 1,15,29.

Summer Hours (July-Aug.)  
12:30pm – 2:00pm

### WEST NORRITON

Willowbrook Apts.  
825 Willowbrook Dr.  
5:00pm-7:00pm

### THURSDAY

Jan. 12,26; Feb. 9,23; Mar. 8,22;  
Apr. 5,19; May 3,17,31; June 14,28;  
July 12,26; Aug. 9,23; Sept. 6,20;  
Oct. 4,18; Nov. 1,15,29; Dec. 13,27

# EASTER EGG HUNT

★★★ Rain or Shine ★★★

Supported by the  
West Norriton Recreation Department

West Norriton boys and girls, up to 9 years old.

Location: Jefferson Firehouse Recreation Site.

Date: Saturday, March 30, 2013 at 10 a.m.



*Special Guest appearances  
and prizes!*

*Get your picture taken with  
The Easter Bunny!!!  
Jefferson Fire Company's  
annual Flowers sale.*

Interested sponsors – please

call the recreation department at 610-630-1251.

## 2013 5K RUN

In celebration of our country's birthday, East Norriton, West Norriton, and the Municipality of Norristown present the 5th Annual Celebration 5K run. The course will begin and end at Norristown Area High School with the majority of the race taking place on The Norristown Farm Park farm park grounds. Proceeds from the race will be donated to a local non-profit yet to be named.

**When:** Thursday, July 4, 2013

**Time:** 8:30 a.m.

**Registration:** *Early bird* registration is only \$15 if it is postmarked by May 1st! A real bargain! The cost of the race is \$20.00 if your entry is postmarked before June 18th, 2013. Registration after **June 21st** and on race day is \$25.00.

Registration on the day of the race begins at 7:00am and ends at 8:15am.



The first 200 registrants for the 5K will receive a high quality TECH shirt. A limited number of t-shirts will be available on race day. Last year's shirts were a hit! Team discounts: high schools and college teams of 10! Collect \$50 in pledges and receive a FREE entry into the race! Awards planned for top male and female overall finisher, top male and female finisher from West Norriton, East Norriton and Norristown, plus 1st, 2nd and 3rd place awards for male and females in 9 different age groups. For more info or sponsorship opportunities, email [celebration5k@yahoo.com](mailto:celebration5k@yahoo.com) or call the Recreation Department!

### REGISTER BY MAIL

Send Registration Form with Payment to:

West Norriton Parks & Recreation Department, 1630 West Marshall Street, Norristown, PA 19403

**This form may not be used to register for our Summer Day Camp Program.**

**Registration Packets for Summer Camp will be available at the Township Building  
March 1, 2013.**

Participant Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Cell/Phone/Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size (YM-AXL) \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_\_

Activity Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Day \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Please call West Norriton Recreation Department at 610-630-1251  
for starting dates and times.**

The undersigned individual, (parent or guardian if under age 18) represents that the registrant is in good health and can participate in the above listed activity, and also, with prior knowledge of the physician nature of the activity releases West Norriton Township and the Norristown Area School District from any and all responsibility for injury to the registrant through negligence or otherwise, while he/she is participating in the activity. The undersigned individual also hereby gives permission to Parks & Recreation to use photographs of the participant for the promotion of Parks and Recreation events and programs.

Parent, Guardian, or Adult Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### THINGS TO REMEMBER

#### ■ School Closing Information

All activities held in schools are cancelled when:

- Schools are closed due to inclement weather
- Early Dismissal occurs due to inclement weather
- Schools are closed for holidays (unless otherwise noted on schedule)
- Special school events are being held at the school
- Any questions call our office at 610-630-1251
- Norristown Area School District closing number is 304.

### 2013 HOLIDAYS (OFFICES CLOSED)

February 18, Presidents's Day

March 29, Good Friday

May 27, Memorial Day

July 4, Independence Day

September 2, Labor Day

November 28-29, Thanksgiving

December 25, Christmas



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## TAX INFORMATION

### County/Township Real Estate Tax - **Current Year Only**

Collected By – Michael B. Murray, Treasurer  
1632 West Marshall Street, Jeffersonville, PA 19403  
Phone (610) 539-9232  
Email – [mbmurraytreas@verizon.net](mailto:mbmurraytreas@verizon.net)  
Office Hours: Mon.–Thur. 9 AM–1PM  
Extended Hours – Last 2 wks. of discount, 4/15–4/30  
Mon.–Fri. 9AM–5PM.  
For Appointment Call.

**2012 & Prior - For Payments, issues, etc. contact  
Northeast Revenue Service at 484-681-9231**

### Payments

Payments can be made **in person or mailed** to the above address or Harleysville Bank, 2301 West Main St., Norristown, PA 19403  
For Hours of Operation Call (610) 631- 0887  
or check the web site at: [www.harleysvillesavings.com](http://www.harleysvillesavings.com)

**Make checks payable to: Michael B. Murray, Treasurer**

**2013 Tax Bills** are to be mailed on or about March 1, 2013.  
If you don't receive your Tax Bill by 3/20/2013 call (610) 539-9232  
If you are going to be away during the mailing period please make arrangements with the postal service etc. to have your mail forwarded. Not receiving your Tax Bill does not relieve you of your responsibility to pay your Taxes in a timely manner.

### **All changes to Mailing Address must be made in writing.**

For ownership name changes a copy of the marriage license or death certificate is required. Please provide the following information for mailing.

Address Changes:

Registered Owner:

Phone #:

Parcel #:

Reason for Change:

Property Location:

Personal Residence (Y or N):

Mailing Address:

- 1. Tax Saving Account** – Make deposits throughout the year like a Xmas Club Account so that when the taxes are due you have the money to pay them. It can also serve as an emergency fund.
- 2. Credit Card Payment** – Now offering the convenience of paying taxes via credit card. The Credit Card Company charges a 2.45% fee (\$1.50 minimum).
- 3. Extended Office Hours** – For last two weeks of Discount Period (4/15 -4/30). Mon.–Fri. 9AM–5PM
- 4. Appointments** – If you have a problem or concern call for an appointment.

### FEES

For Tax Certification and Duplicate Bill request and fees visit the website at [www.westnorritontwp.org](http://www.westnorritontwp.org)