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This Newsletter is brought to you by the Hillsborough Township Committee:

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Hillsborough Honors Veterans At Annual Memorial Day Celebration

Hundreds of Hillsborough residents lined the streets on Saturday, May 26th to honor Township Veterans along the annual Memorial Day parade route and Garden of Honor Ceremony. The day's events began early with Hillsborough Township's Salute to Veterans Breakfast held at the Peter J. Biondi Building on the grounds of the Municipal Complex.

The Parade, led by Air Force Veteran, Tim Coyle, began immediately after the breakfast. Following the parade, Mr. Coyle shared what Memorial Day means to him in a moving speech at the Garden of Honor Ceremony.



Pictured: Mayor Gloria McCauley, Grand Marshal Tim Coyle and Congressman Leonard Lance



Pictured: Committeeman Greg Burchette, Committeeman Frank DelCore, Committeeman Carl Suraci, Mayor Gloria McCauley, Grand Marshal Tim Coyle, Congressman Leonard Lance, Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson, Assemblyman Roy Frieman and Freeholder Director Patrick Scaglione



Pictured: Hillsborough's Rockettes participating in the 2018 Memorial Day Parade

LCPL James E. Langon Street Naming Ceremony Wednesday June 13th, 6pm

The Township Committee acted on the request and approval of the LCPL Langon Way Street naming project by passing a resolution on March 25, 2014 adding the name to the future street listing.

"Hillsborough Township in conjunction with VFW Post #8371 will be hosting a dedication ceremony."

"A 1981 Hillsborough High School Graduate, CPL James E. Langon was proud to have made the sacrifice to join the Marine Corps. to serve and protect this great country.

CPL Langon, and fellow Marine members were killed in a "Peace-keeping Mission" while stationed in Beirut, Lebanon in 1983. For years, the families and loved ones of these great men thought that their sacrifice was not recognized. This is our effort to relieve some of those thoughts as we are honoring CPL Langon.

We invite the public to join us for this heart warming Ceremony, as we also reached out to family and friends of CPL James Langon, to join us for this special event, and celebrate one of our own community members lives, along with the fellow Marine Corps. members who sacrificed their lives on that tragic day.

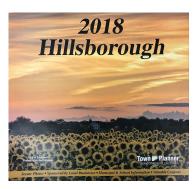




Township to Collect Scenic Photos for the "2019 Town Calendar"

"The Township is pleased to be working with the Town Planner Calendar to produce a 2019 color printed calendar which will be mailed out to every residence in Hillsborough, at no cost to our taxpayers," announced Mayor Gloria McCauley at Tuesday's Township Committee Meeting.

"The printing of the calendar is funded through the various advertisements contained within the calendar," added Mayor McCauley.



Read More



The Hillsborough Economic & Business Development Commission and the Somerset County Business Partnership Present



Tuesday, July 31, 2018 6:00 - 9:00 PM EDT

Add to Calendar

Contact

David Kols, Business Advocate 908-369-4313 x106 dkols@billshorouph-allorn

Where

The Highlander Pavillon at Royce Brook Golf Club 201 Hamilton Road Hillsborough, NJ 08844



Driving Directions



Highlander Pavilion at Royce Brook Golf Club

201 Hamilton Road | Hillsborough, NJ 08844 | www.roycebrook.com



Brian Ribeiro

Founder & President, Mspire Group Guest Speaker

"How to Market Your Business"

About Brian

Exchange Business Cards, Build Connections and Develop Relationships - Network with the Hillsborough Officials and Business Community



This event will be at held at the Highlander Pavilion at Royce Brook Golf Club. The price of admission is \$20.50 (\$0.50 online payment processing fee), which includes hors d'oeuvres, fruit, cheese, salad, pasta, chef's choice of main course, soft drinks, coffee, tea and dessert station. A cash bar is available.

Register Now!

Online registration is required No payments accepted at the door Tickets are non-refundable

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email with payment instructions. Please follow the instructions in your confirmation email to secure your admission and complete your registration.

Click on image below to watch latest episode of "Hillsborough The Good Life!"





Department Updates

Building Department

Things to Know if you are Planning to Install a Deck

This summer, if you are planning on installing a deck, there are a few things you need to know.

First visit the Hillsborough Zoning Department to obtain a Zoning permit. Before submitting to the Building Department, it is suggested that you pick up a handout for deck installations and read it through carefully. The Building Department application will require the following documents...

- Zoning Approval
- Permit application folder
- Building Subcode Technical section (tech card). Please note that additional tech cards may be required if you are installing Electric or Plumbing.
- If you have hired a builder, include a copy of the Home Improvement license
- 2 copies of plans are required (plan requirements/details are in the Deck Handout). In New Jersey, only Home Owners and Design Professionals (i.e - Architect or Engineer) are allowed to

draw these plans. Your contractor is not permitted to draw the plans.

For any Additional questions, please Contact The Building Department or stop in for further information.

Engineering

New Amwell Road Repavement -Residents Should Schedule New Utility Hook-Ups ASAP The Engineering Department would like to inform residents that New Amwell Road will be repaved in the next few weeks. The Township requests residents who live on the section of roadway being repaved that have planned new utility hook-ups to their homes should arrange for them ASAP. Utility hook-up usually requires an excavation of the roadway and the Township requests this to be completed prior to the repaving.

Additionally, deteriorated curbs on the section of the roadway being repaved will be replaced. Affected residents will be without use of their driveways approximately 3-5 days. Residents will be notified of parking arrangements.

Health

Lyme Disease Prevention Warm weather is finally here and we are all spending more time outdoors. Although we are getting fresh air and exercise, we are also exposed to ticks which carry disease. The most prevalent tick borne disease is Lyme Disease, which is carried by the Deer Tick, otherwise known as the Black Legged Tick. Click below to view an educational video about tick bite prevention put together by the Hillsborough Health Department.



Police



Graduation Season

This time of year the Police Department normally sees an increase in calls for loud parties and underage drinking. State law restricts adults, not only from providing alcohol to underage persons, but also from allowing their property to be used for underage consumption of alcohol, even if they themselves did not provide the alcohol. Residents are asked to be mindful of legal & safe celebrations this graduation season.

Temporary Handicap Parking Permits

Residents with a temporary disability can apply for a Temporary Disabled Parking Placard that is valid up to 6-months, and must apply in person to the Police Department. However, the Police Department

obtains the placards from the NJDMV, and they are currently behind on their shipments of placards. Residents applying for placards can expect a delay in receiving it until the problem is rectified at NJDMV.

Recreation



Parks & Recreation is proud to announced the addition of two new pickleball courts located on the basketball courts of the Willow Road Complex. All you need to bring is your paddle and ball!!

There is still time left to register for this summer's activities such as summer day camp as well as summer sports camps, most of which are being run by the HHS Coaching Staff.

Save the date of June 30th for this year's Independence Day Celebration Fireworks located at Auten Road School. Shuttles from the high school will begin at 5PM with the fireworks shooting off sometime around the 9:30PM time frame. Come and enjoy offerings such as live music, food tent, inflatable attractions and pay to play boardwalk games.

Library



Your Home, Your Haven: Backyard Friends and Foes (adults)
June 19, 7-8 p.m., SCLSNJ's Hillsborough Library branch, located at
379 South Branch Road in Hillsborough

Master Gardener Lorna Fletcher will discuss how to attract certain wildlife to your backyard and how to protect your yard from destructive wildlife.

Register

Township Job Line

Hillsborough Township is currently looking to fill the following positions:

- Electrical Inspector, Full Time
- · Plumbing Inspector, Full Time
- Building Inspector, Part Time
- · Building Maintenance, Part time

More Information | Download an Application





HILLSBOROUGH TOWNSHIP IS HIRING

Join Our Team!

Located in the heart of Somerset County Hillsborough Township offers an excellent work environment with an extensive benefits package.

Medical - Dental - Vision - Cafeteria Plan - Flexible Spending Account Pension - Employee Recognition Program - Merit Increases

OPEN POSITIONS

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR

Salary \$62,000

Responsible for daily field inspections, as assigned by, and under the direct supervision of, the full-time Electrical Subcode Official. This is an AFSCME Union position with a 40-hour work week. Township vehicle provided for inspections.

Required

- · Electrical Inspector ICS license.
- · Strong customer service skills.
- · Strong computer and technology skills.
- · Ability to multi-task in a busy environment.
- · Valid New Jersey driver's license.

Preferred

- Electrical Subcode Official license
- Interest/desire to obtain additional licenses

PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Salary \$62,000

Responsible for daily field inspections, as assigned by, and under the direct supervision of, the full-time Plumbing Subcode Official. This is an AFSCME Union position with a 40-hour work week. Township vehicle provided for inspections.

Required

- · Plumbing Inspector ICS license
- Strong customer service skills.
- · Strong computer and technology skills.
- · Ability to multi-task in a busy environment.
- · Valid New Jersey driver's license.
- · Clearance of a criminal history background check. · Clearance of a criminal history background check.

Preferred

- · Mechanical Inspector license.
- · Plumbing Subcode Official license
- · Interest/desire to obtain additional licenses

The Township of Hillsborough is an equal opportunity employer. Forward a cover letter of interest, resume, and 3 references, to Dianne Borngesser: dborngesser@hillsborough-nj.org



Residents in the News

Somerset County Honors Gregory Gillette with History/Leadership Award

Gregory W. Gillette of Hillsborough was honored at Somerset County's 2018 Biennial Historic Preservation & Historic Awards Ceremony held on May 23rd at the historic Brook Arts Center in Bound Brook.

Gillette Mr. received the History Leadership/Education award and was recognized for his in-depth blogs, "Gillette on Hillsboro" and "The View from Hillsboro" (hosted by My Central Jersey). These highly informative, online resources, active for over 10 years and counting, contain hundreds of well researched articles on historic topics centered on Somerset County.

The Biennial Historic Preservation and History Awards are intended to increase public awareness of historic preservation, and to recognize and publicly commend individuals and organizations for their contributions in preserving the county's history.



Pictured: Freeholder Brian Gallagher, Greg Gillette, and Freeholder Patricia Walsh

Hillsborough High School Sophomore Is Youngest "Hop" Winner

William Gillette, a sophomore at Hillsborough High School, was the first place finisher at the 2018 Somerset County YMCA Hillsborough Hop 5k Run held Saturday, June 2nd. On what turned out to be a sunny, but very humid, morning the 16-year-old bested the field of more than 750 with a time of 18:39. At sixteen years, two months, and one day, William became the youngest first place finisher in the 17-year history of the 3.1 mile road race. He is a three-season runner at the high school, competing in Cross Country, Winter Track, and Spring Track.

The Hillsborough Hop is an annual event that helps raise funds for the YMCA to make sure their programs and services are available to all, regardless of income. As stated on the Hop web site, the race "brings families and the community together in a fun race that encourages everyone to strive for and reach a personal goal." The day also includes the Healthy Hillsborough Health and Wellness Fair just past the finish line in the Peter J. Biondi Municipal Complex.



Isabella Ruh to Take Part in Envision's National Youth Leadership Forum: Pathways to STEM

This summer, Isabella Ruh from Hillsborough, NJ will join outstanding elementary school students from across the nation to take part in a unique academic development experience, the National Youth Leadership Forum (NYLF): Pathways to STEM, taking place this summer in Trenton, NJ.

NYLF Pathways to STEM is one of the Envision family of programs (www.envisionexperience.com) that enable students to explore their interests and experience learning beyond the classroom.

Isabella was nominated to attend the forum by her third grade teacher at Triangle Elementary School. In addition to

participating in the REACH program, Bella is also passionate about sports and plays baseball, field hockey, basketball, and flag football on local Hillsborough teams and is working towards her black belt in taekwondo. With dreams of being in the engineering and technology field, Isabella is looking forward to gaining the hands-on technology experience that the forum provides.

"NYLF Pathways to STEM is a great opportunity for high-achieving scholars to get outside the classroom and see, through hands-on interactive learning, how to innovate and think creatively," said Andrew Potter, the Chief Academic Officer for Envision. "These students, who have already proven themselves academically, are challenged to work on real-world, student-created projects to bring their studies and career interests to life."

Since 1985, Envision programs have served more than 800,000 students in more than 145 countries, with programs

designed to help students develop the leadership, scholarship and career skills needed to succeed in today's competitive college and career landscape.



News You Can Use



Millstone Valley Preservation Coalition Announces Upcoming Events

Take your feet to the streets and enjoy the day with family & friends along the scenic D&R Canal Sunday, June 10th, Sunday, July 8th, and Sunday, August 12th

You asked and we made it happen! On three upcoming Sundays, Canal Road will be closed to vehicular traffic between Griggstown & Rocky Hill from 10 am to 4 pm. Bring your family and friends, pack water and a snack and stroll leisurely or ride your bicycle down traffic and noise-free Canal Road to view historic homes from the street. For a change of pace, you can choose to get closer to nature and take the scenic route back to Griggstown along the canal path.

This event made possible by Millstone Valley Scenic Byway, Franklin Township and the Franklin Township Police Department. To learn more about Millstone Valley Scenic Byway, visit their <u>website</u>. For a more detailed history of the Millstone Scenic Byway check out Linda Barth's book entitled "The Millstone Valley Through Time".

World Premiere of the film "Farming in the Millstone Valley Past & Present" Tuesday, June 12th at 7:30 pm - Princeton Garden Theatre

300 years ago, Dutch farmers began arriving in the Millstone Valley and built central New Jersey into the breadbasket of New York City. Today the farm-to-table renaissance has rejuvenated farming and inspired a vibrant restaurant scene. Learn the story behind local landmarks and farm families in the world premiere of this new documentary.

This film is made possible, in part, by the New Jersey Historical Commission, a division of the Department of State through the State/County History Partnership Program Grant, and administered in Somerset County by the Somerset County Cultural & Heritage Commission.

Followed by a panel discussion with Jon McConaughy, owner, Double Brook Farm, Brick Farm Market, Brick Farm Tavern in Hopewell; Raoul Momo, co-owner of the restaurants Eno Terra in Kingston and Mediterra in Princeton; Lauren Nagy, manager of Cherry Valley Cooperative farm in Montgomery; Dale Johnson, operator of Johnson Farm in Montgomery Township; and Ryck Suydam, President of the NJ Farm Bureau and owner of Suydam Farm in Franklin.

Buy Tickets Online or at the Door



Friday, June 15 @ 7:00-8:30 PM - Second Floor of Farm Barn, Duke Farms

You've heard of the Delaware River, but have you heard of this island? Petty's Island sits between Philadelphia and Camden and is the fourth-largest island in the Delaware River's path. With a long history of owners, the now uninhabited island holds much potential for environmental conservation. However, preservation wasn't always at the forefront when it came to Petty's Island.

Join us at Duke Farms for the screening of documentary film "500 Acres of Controversy: Saving Petty's Island". We will begin the night with hors d'oeuvres, commence film viewing, and conclude with a Q&A with Duke Farms Executive Director and Natural Lands Trust Committee Chairperson Michael Catania and Natural Lands Trust Real Estate Coordinator Manager Cari Wild.

Want to read up before you watch? You can learn more about Petty's Island here.

Events for Charity & Causes



RideWise invites you to pledge to <u>drive less</u> during the month of June.

Sign the pledge and track your miles.

www.RideWise.org

Many prizes from local sponsors for top participants and contest winners.

\$100 Amazon Gift Card to grand prize winner.



- . Walk
- Bike
- . Share a ride
- . Take the train
- . Take the bus
- Telecommute

Reduce your miles driven for work or recreation.

Sign up to compete in the Employer Challenge



Hillsborough Fire Company #3 Announces 19th Annual Golf Outing

Attention golfers! Please join Hillsborough Fire Company #3 on Monday, June 11th for their 19th Annual Golf Outing at Royce Brook Golf Club, one of NJ's top golf facilities.

Registration and breakfast will kick off at 7:15am with a shotgun start following at 8:30am. Following the tournament, there will be an Awards Ceremony and lunch at the Woods Road Fire House (324 Woods Rd, Hillsborough, NJ).

See registration form for instructions. Sponsorship opportunities available!



Donation of \$150 per Golfer includes:

- Breakfast
- Beverages and Food at the Turn
- Green Fee
- Cart
- Scoring
- Lunch
- Tournament Awards

Download Registration Form

An Evening of Laughs for a Cause That Matters 3rd Annual "Laughing Matters" to be Held on June 14th 100% of Proceeds go to Family of Chris Koll & Steps Together

June 14th, 7 pm to 11 pm Falcons Nest

140 Falcon Road, Hillsborough
Doors Open @ 7 PM
\$55 per ticket until 6/3, \$65 after 6/3 until sold out.
Ticket price includes a drink ticket.

** Please bring your own snacks but not alcohol as this is a liquor licensed venue. **

PURCHASE TICKET NOW

(Your Paypal receipt will serve as your entry ticket.)

If you need to purchase multiple tickets (or a table), email Jen or Kristin with a list of names. You can then provide them with a check payable to Steps Together for \$55 X the number of

tickets or pay online @ https://steps-together.org/donate/

Have a group of friends you want to sit with? Contact the event coordinators **Kristin D'avanzo** or **Jen Wilke** with your table details. Tables sit 8 but 10 can squeeze in.

Click **here** for more info about Comedian Carie Karavas, voted most fascinating woman in 2014!

Knights of Columbus Golf Outing

The Knights of Columbus are holding their Annual Charity Golf Outing in support of the Raritan Pregnancy Aid Center in Raritan and Samaritan Homeless Interim Program in Somerville. The event will be hosted again this year at Heron Glen Golf Course in Ringoes, NJ on June 18, 2018.

Through your kindness and generous support, the Knights will be able to supply much needed aid to young women during pregnancy and assist children from age 3 - 21 into managing functional skills and academics despite their disabilities.



More Information | Registration Form

Country Music Festival

Somerset County Courthouse Steps Somerville, NJ

Friday night, June 15, 2018

Free Admission

5:00 pm Naturalization Ceremony for new Somerset County U.S. Citizens

5:45 pm Somerville Elks Lodge #1068 Flag Day Ceremony

6:30 pm Flag Ceremonies, Salute to Veterans and Iwo Jima Reenactment

7:00 pm Country Music Concert Featuring Big Hix

Hey New Jersey --- Bring out the entire family to ... Enjoy food, snacks and fun!

Enjoy a Tailgate Droppin' Tribute to All Your Favorite Country Artists!



- Play games and do the scavenger hunt for prizes
- See historic military and fire vehicles
- Drill with NJ's Revolutionary War Heard's Brigade
- See historic reenactment demonstrations, and much more

Operation Shoebox - Collection for our Troops:

Items needed are instant oatmeal, granola bars, beef jerkey, cookies/crackers, trail mix, or razors, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, sun block, athletic socks.

Worn American Flags collected for retirement by the American Legion.

Visit FlagDayFestival.org for full list of items to donate and event details.

Hosted by the Somerville Elks Lodge #1068.



5TH ANNUAL COL STANLEY L. LAPIDOW SCHOLARSHIP MOTORCYCLE RIDE & BBO

SATURDAY
JUNE 23, 2018
14 WARNER DRIVE
HILLSBOROUGH
NJ

JOIN US FOR A MOTORCYCLE RIDE

THROUGH COL LAPIDOW'S HOMETOWN

REGISTRATION AT 10:30AM KICKSTANDS UP AT 11:30AM

JOIN US FOR A FUN BBQ PARTY

1:00PM - 6:00PM

- * BOUNCE HOUSE * FOOD & DRINKS *
- * CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT * MUSIC * GAMES *

PLEASE REGISTER BY
JUNE 15, 2018

FOR MORE INFORMATION, TO REGISTER, OR
TO MAKE A DONATION PLEASE VISIT

WWW.LAPIDOW.COM



The late **COL Stanley L. Lapidow** dedicated much of his life's work to the military and the memory of those who served our great Country.

In his honor, the

COL STANLEY L. LAPIDOW SCHOLARSHIP

was created to support the cadets of the Rutgers Army ROTC Scarlet Knight Battalion.

ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY - NORTHERN NJ CHAPTER

Important Dates

Meeting Dates

June 12, 2018 Township Committee Meeting 7:30 pm

June 14, 2018 Planning Board 7:30 pm

June 28, 2018 Planning Board Business Meeting 7:30 pm

All Boards & Commissions Meeting Dates | Community Events | Library events

Community Events

Visit the Community Events Calendar Page on the Hillsborough Township Website to see what's happening around town or to post your event

Click on flyers for more information

Somerset Valley Players Present "Grand Hotel - The Musical"

June 8 - June 24 Friday & Saturday - 8 pm Sunday - 2 pm

St. Joe's 5k Run/Walk

June 9th 8 am St. Joseph's Church





Touch a Truck

June 9th 12-5 pm Central Jersey Regional Airport

Rose Day Festival

June 9th 11 am -5 pm Colonial Park Rose Garden

Montgomery Rodeo

June 9th 7 pm June 10th 2 pm Montgomery Rodeo

Hillsborough Fire Co #3 Golf Outing

June 11th 7:15 am Royce Brook Golf Club

An Evening of Laughs for a Cause That Matters

June 14th 7-11pm Falcons Nest

Walkathon to Benefit Mental Health Awareness & Eagle Scout Project

June 16th 9-10 am Ann Van Middlesworth Park

Learning Experience Open House

June 23rd 10a am - 1 pm 345 Auten Rd

"Determined to Reach Your Destiny" Speed, Agility and Track Camp

June 25-28



Wildlife Explorer Program at Duke Farms

July 10-14 (ages 8-10) July 23-27 (ages 11-13)

Cirque Us! - Starstruck: A Cosmic Circus

July 3rd 7 pm Circus Place

Hillsborough Night at Somerset Patriots

Friday, July 13th 7:05pm Somerset County Ballpark

Hillsborough Rotary Fair

August 14-19 Field Adjacent to Hillsborough Promenade (Lowe's)

School News & Updates

Seeking Old Triangle Road School Photos

Triangle Elementary School, home of the Tigers is taking a look back in history to its early days. Built in 1962, Triangle School is a twin to Woodfern Elementary. They are seeking historical photographs of the School for a project. If you have any photographs to share, Triangle School will scan them and return the original pictures to you. Please send items to Amy Mele, Triangle School 156 S. Triangle Road, Hillsborough, NJ



08844. They will also accept scanned photographs, sent to <u>amele@htps.us</u>. Any information you can provide about the year and subject of the photographs is greatly appreciated! Stay tuned for the end result of this amazing project.

ARIS/HMS Discount Card 2017-2018 - Now Only \$5!!

ARIS/HMS 2017-2018 Discount Cards available for \$5.00 each, with all proceeds going to ARIS and HMS school programs and staff grants. The card includes reusable discounts from 34 local businesses including ShopRite's \$4.00 off \$100.00 purchase, McDonald's, Super



Sundaes, Lenny's, Philly Pretzel, Revival Barbershop, Olympia Sports and many more!! Discounts are valid through 9/30/18. Special Promotion: Buy 5 cards, get 1 card free!

To purchase a discount card, please email <u>wenholt@aol.com</u> or stop by Super Sundaes (near the Post Office) and pick one up.

Somerset County News

Farmers Market Vouchers Available for Ages 60 & Above

Somerset County Freeholder Deputy Director Brian D. Levine invites eligible residents to apply for vouchers that can be used at participating farmers markets in Somerset County. People who are interested can apply for vouchers starting Monday, July 2, at the Somerset County Office on Aging & Disability Services, located at 27 Warren St., between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Vouchers are worth \$25, given out on a first-come, first-serve basis, and can be used at participating farmers markets throughout Somerset County until Nov. 30.

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must be 60 years of age or above, reside in Somerset County; and show proof of age and residency with a driver's license or other documentation.

Read More

MUNICIPAL BUILDING EVENING OFFICE HOURS

CLERK'S OFFICE 2nd & 4th Tuesdays until 7pm (June, July & August 2nd Tuesday Only)

HEALTH DEPARTMENT 2nd Tuesday until 7pm

BUILDING DEPARTMENT Tuesdays until 7pm

Press Releases Events Calendar Meeting Dates

Online Payments & Tax Notices

Recreation Activities Guide

Hillsborough Township | Somerset County | State of New Jersey
Hillsborough Business Association
Hillsborough Parks & Recreation | Sustainable Hillsborough
Hillsborough Schools | Hillsborough Public Library

STAY CONNECTED



