Events This Quarter:

### OCTOBER
- **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Workshop
  - Paxtang Borough Council Chambers
- **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Meeting
  - Paxtang Borough Council Chambers
- **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Paxtang Lions Club Annual Halloween Parade
- **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31 | 6:00 - 8:00 P.M.**
  - Trick or Treat Night

### NOVEMBER
- **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | 7:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.**
  - General Election Day
  - Paxtang Municipal Building Gym
- **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Workshop
- **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 | 9:00 A.M. - NOON**
  - Paxtang Recycles Day
  - Borough Gym
- **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Meeting
  - Paxtang Borough Council Chambers

### DECEMBER
- **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Workshop
  - Paxtang Borough Council Chambers
- **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 | 6:00 P.M.**
  - Paxtang Lions Club host the Paxtang Tree Lighting
  - Paxtang Municipal Building
- **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17 | 7:00 P.M.**
  - Borough Council Meeting
  - Paxtang Borough Council Chambers
Celebrate Halloween in Paxtang!

82nd Annual Paxtang Lions Club Halloween Parade
Tuesday, October 22 | 7:00 P.M.

- Register to participate: http://paxtangparade.com/register.html
- Parade Contact: Keldeen Stambaugh (LionKeldeen@yahoo.com)

Parade Route:
The parade will form at 30th & Derry Street at 6:30 PM (or before) and will begin moving at 7:00 PM. The Parade Route will move East on Derry Street to Wilhelm Road, North on Wilhelm to Montour, West on Montour to Paxtang Ave, South on Paxtang Ave to Derry and ending at the Municipal Building where the parade will conclude with the awarding of prizes as the results become available. People living along the parade route are requested to turn on any exterior lighting.

PAXTANG NUISANCE ORDINANCE
Please take a moment to review Chapter 277 of the CODE OF PAXTANG BOROUGH related to nuisances. In particular, please take care to avoid creating the following nuisances:

- Loud playing of radios, television sets, and other sound devices so as to be heard beyond the premises from which the sound emanates.
- Operating outdoor power equipment on any day between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of the following day.
- Keeping or harboring any dog, cat or other animal or fowl which, by frequent howling, barking or other noise, or odor, shall annoy or disturb the neighborhood or a number of persons.

Leaf Schedule 2019

Week 1: November 4 – November 8 - WEST
Week 2: November 11 – November 15 – EAST
Week 3: November 18 – November 22 – WEST
Week 4: November 25 – November 29 – EAST
Week 5: December 2 – December 6 – AS NEEDED
Week 6: December 9 – December 13 – AS NEEDED

A trial run through the borough will be held
October 28 – November 1
Property Maintenance Reminders

- Grass and weeds maximum 9 inches high.
- Televisions will not be picked up by the Trash Collection. Televisions MUST be taken to the Dauphin County Recycling Center.
- Tires are not collected by Trash Collection.

**Paxtang Pet Owners**

Please take a moment to review ORDINANCE NO. 659 OF THE BOROUGH OF PAXTANG Regarding ANIMALS on www.Paxtang.org

In particular, please be aware that:
- Animals being walked within the Borough are required to be leashed.
- Animals on private land must be contained to that property. If using a fence, fences for all dogs must be of sufficient height, strength, and repair to safely contain the dogs on the premises and to prevent children from entering the yard or enclosure. Underground fences are not sufficient to contain unsupervised dogs. Unsupervised dogs cannot be tethered as a primary method of confinement.

**Join us for Paxtang's 3rd Annual Fall Family Food Truck Festival!**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11 | 5:00 - 8:00 P.M.
PAXTANG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
3530 RUTHERFORD STREET

You don’t want to miss this fun community event featuring food, music, and games with prizes!

**Vendors:**
- On My Grind
- Kona Ice
- Fry Hound
- Mad Dash Concessions
- Sweet Dawgs
- Get Smoked BBQ
- and more!

**Activities:**
- Carnival Games
- Bounce House
- Silent Auction
- Basket Raffle
- Cake Walk
- Face Painting
- and more!

Hosted by the Paxtang Elementary PTO, proceeds from this event will benefit our community school! Bring the whole family for dinner and fall fun! For updates, follow us on Facebook at PaxtangPTO.

**REMINDER** Trash Receptacles may be placed out for pickup within 24 hours of Trash and Recycling pickup. Following trash collection, the empty Trash cans/toters must be returned onto your property and off the alley/street, by the end of the day on the day of Trash Pickup (typically Wednesday). The lids must be closed securely before during and after to prevent attracting animals, and prevent water collection which could stand in place breeding mosquitos.

Please help to keep our borough clean!

**General Election Day**

Tuesday, November 5

The Voting Poll for Paxtang Residents is the Paxtang Borough Municipal Building, Gym Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**Street Cleaning**

The following dates are scheduled Street Cleaning in the borough (pending weather issues):

- October 7-8 (depending on when the leaves begin falling from the trees)
Join us at the Kline Library, 530 S. 29th St, Harrisburg, for some fun this fall. For more information or to register for a program, visit dcls.org; click on Events & Programs or call The Library at (717) 234-3934.

**JOAN Y. LEOPOLD CHILDREN’S BOOK WEEK CELEBRATION**
Saturday, November 9 | 1:30 P.M.
Join The Library in celebrating Joan Y. Leopold Children’s Book Week! Local author and illustrator, Jonathan Bean, will highlight his book, Big Snow, present on his work, and sign books. Each family in attendance will receive a free copy of Big Snow. For families with children of all ages.

**CAMP READ S’MORE**
Tuesday, October 1 | 6:00 P.M.
Join your friends and family at The Library for camping-themed fun! Sing songs, enjoy stories, get crafty and enjoy a delicious indoor s’more snack! Recommended for children age 5+, but families with children of all ages are welcome.

**PAWS 2 READ**
Thursdays, October 3 – November 28 | 6:00 P.M.  
* (no meeting October 24)
Children of all reading levels can read to the easiest and most willing audience—a dog! Each child can read to a registered therapy dog for 15 minutes. Call (717) 234-3934 ext. 3 to schedule your time. Recommended for kids, age 6-11 years.

**MINI GOLF IN THE LIBRARY**
Friday, October 4 | 6:00 P.M.
Putt your way through the stacks as The Library is transformed into a nine-hole mini golf course. Designed for adults.

**SESSION 7: STORYTIMES & DISCOVERY PROGRAM REGISTRATION BEGINS**
*Dauphin County Library System – All Libraries
Tuesday, October 15 (Session begins October 28)
Registration begins for five-week sessions that focus on reading, math, science, art and financial education. Learn more about these programs at dcls.org/kidsprograms or call your local library!

**PUMPKIN FUN**
Tuesday, October 15 | 6:00 P.M.
Celebrate fall with books, crafts and pumpkin decorating. Each child will receive a pumpkin to decorate and keep. All ages are welcome.

**KNIT ONE, CROCHET TOO!**
Wednesdays, October 16 and November 20 | 6:00 P.M.
Knit, purl, or chain one. BYO yarn and supplies to The Library for an evening of learning and conversation. Beginners can get help starting projects and professional yarn crafters can share tips. Designed for adults.

**LITERARY ART FOR THE HOLIDAYS**
Thursday, November 14 | 1:00 P.M.
Help decorate The Library for the winter holidays! Learn how to create holiday décor from repurposed books. Make one for The Library and one to take home. For adults. Register at dcls.org/adultevents.

**FRIENDS OF KLINE LIBRARY MEETING**
Thursdays, November 21 and December 12 | 6:30 P.M.
Join the Kline Friends at their meeting where fundraising events, book sales, and programming are planned to benefit the Kline Library.

**GINGERBREAD FRIENDS**
Tuesday, December 3 | 6:00 P.M.
Celebrate start of winter with stories, crafts, and gingerbread decorating! Each child will receive two gingerbread cookies to decorate. All ages are welcome.

**NEGRO SPIRITUALS PERFORMANCE WITH HILLIARD GREENE**
Friday, December 6 | 7:00 P.M.
Hilliard Greene presents Milestone Negro Spirituals: When Folksongs Bring Freedom. This performance/workshop highlights the significance and beauty of the coded Negro Spirituals runaway slaves used to elude capture on the Underground Railroad. Greene is an acclaimed composer and performer of solo contrabass music. For adults.

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**FALL BOOK SALE**
Sponsored by the Friends of Kline Library
Proceeds benefit Kline Library, part of the Dauphin County Library System

**Location:** The Paxtang Municipal Building  
3423 Derry St, Harrisburg, PA 17111.

**Members Only Preview Sale**
Wednesday, October 16 | 5:00 – 7:00 P.M.

**General Public Sale:**
- Thursday, October 17 | 10:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.
- Friday, October 18 | 10:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.
- Bag sales begin on Friday at 4:00 PM.
- Saturday, October 19 | 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

**Bargain prices!** New hardback fiction $2. All other hardbacks $1.50. Tradebacks $0.75. Children’s hardbacks $0.50; Paperbacks $0.25

For more information, call 717-234-3934.
Greenbelt Mural

Sitting in traffic on South Paxtang Avenue is actually pleasant when you have art.

Paxtang Borough was fortunate to be selected as a location for the 2019 Mural Fest presented by Sprocket Mural Works. The underpass between Derry Street and Paxton Street, part of the Capital Area Greenbelt, has been transformed with a mural featuring native flowers and plants located directly on the Greenbelt.

Artist Nathaniel, a nationally known artist and muralist from Washington State, was one of 14 artists selected from among hundreds of artists who submitted their applications for consideration. This mural is sponsored by LCSWMA, who were also mural sponsors for the first HBG mural festive.

A committee of Paxtang residents, Lynn Kipp, Frank Tittinger, Bonnie Snodgrass and Joe Spackman partnered with State Representative Patty Kim to “Share Our Wall” and to secure a donor.

UPCOMING EVENTS:
• October 17 | 9:00 A.M.
  City Line Diner in Paxtang
• November 14 | 9:00 A.M.
  The Promenade Family Restaurant

For future dates, times and locations please refer to the Swatara Township Police Department Facebook page.

The Swatara Township Police Department hosts monthly “Coffee with a Cop” to provide community members an opportunity to sit down with the Director of Public Safety, Darrell Reider, along with other police officers from the department, to talk about problems or issues that come up throughout Swatara Township or the Borough of Paxtang. Residents of Swatara Township and Paxtang Borough are encouraged to attend as often as possible to stay informed about public safety and events.

1. Paxtang Councilman Jack Thomas, Paxtang Councilwoman Bonnie Pugliese, Mural Committee member Lynne Kipp, State Representative Patty Kim, Mural Committee member Frank Tittinger, Lynne Morrison from LCSWMA, and artist Nathaniel pose in front of the completed mural.

2. Lynne Morrison from LCSWMA, Mural Committee member Lynne Kipp, State Representative Patty Kim

3. Artist Nathaniel puts the finishing touches on the Paxtang mural.

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MEMBERSHIP MAILING BEGINS
JUNE 1, 2019

Membership rates
• Single: $50
• Couple: $60 (2 people living in a partnership or marriage)
• Family: $75 (3+ people living together who can be claimed on the head of household’s federal income tax form)

Membership dates
• July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020

How STEMS memberships help you and us
• Purchase and update our equipment
• Helps ensure we can continue providing this essential service to our community

Why purchase a membership & what does it cover?
The purpose of a membership is to lessen the financial burden in times of an emergency.
• Absorbs out-of-pocket expenses after any insurance payments, deductibles, co-insurances & co-payments.
• Up to twice per benefit year, STEMS will medically assist with an uninjured fall and/or medical assessment by an EMT or paramedic without transport at no cost to you.
• Members receive a 10% discount on non-emergency transports for medical appointments, hospital admissions & discharges.

We greatly appreciate your support!
- The officers, crew & staff at Susquehanna Township EMS, INC.

WELCOME
OUR NEW
PART TIME
BOROUGH TREASURER,
E. Denny Beaver

Mr. Beaver joined our staff this summer, as our Borough Treasurer, bringing his knowledge of data management, local government, and forensic investigation in statewide law enforcement and a credit union. In addition to his experience here in Paxtang Borough as former Councilman, when he developed and monitored the borough budget for 9 years followed by serving as an Auditor, he is an avid community volunteer. Denny is a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Paxtang Lions Club, District 14-T Treasurer for Lions Clubs International, and also serves on an Advisory Board and Zoning Hearing Board for Swatara Township. He has resided in Paxtang, with his wife Linda, for 35 years.

Additionally, in recent months, Borough Council has made several other appointments which include:
• Attorney John Moyer, of 31st Street was appointed to the Zoning Hearing Board.
• Dana Deegan, of Paxtang Avenue, was appointed to the Shade Tree Commission.
• Brian Rotolo as one of our Property Maintenance Enforcement Officers.

We have an opening for a Borough Auditor (one of three Auditors who meet with the accountant and Treasurer in the March/April). If you are interested, please contact the borough office.

Simple Ways to Help Keep the Waterways Clean

• DO NOT sweep or blow grass clippings into the street.
• DO NOT wash your car on the street or driveway and send the soaps or chemicals into the storm drains.
• Please park your vehicle off the main streets during the days of Street Cleaning.
Notes from the Shade Tree Commission

FREE TO GOOD HOME:
The Shade Tree Commission (STC) is always on the lookout to place a young tree with a good family. If you would like cleaner air, relaxing greenery to view out your window, protection from the summer sun’s blazing heat, and the reduction of spring rain runoff and flooding, you might be a good candidate. Potential adopters must be willing to have landscaping value added to their home and to worry less about soil erosion.

If you are interested in getting on the potential adopter list, please contact the Shade Tree Commission, c/o the Borough Office, Paxtang. The adoption process will cost $0 down, plus a weekly payment plan of the willingness to water the tree when it’s dry during the first year.

"Life is just better when we live amongst the trees."
National Arbor Day Association

The STC is also looking to add one more member to fill the remaining vacancy in the Commission. Please contact the Borough office at (717) 564-4770 if interested.

Borough Officials Contacts

MAYOR: Sheilah Borne Fuller (717) 558-5926

COUNCIL:
President: Kathy Bloss (717) 564-7605
Vice President: Chris Spackman (717) 379-2530
President Pro-Tem: Jack Thomas (717) 558-0063
David Gui (717) 576-3141
Tom Wingert (717) 307-1174
Bonnie Pugliese (717) 831-8110
Josh Eisner (717) 579-8691

SWATARA POLICE CHIEF:
Darrell Reider (717) 564-2550

BOROUGH MANAGER/RIGHT TO KNOW OFFICER:
Keldeen Stambaugh (717) 564-4770

SECRETARY/TREASURER:
Faye Clark (717) 564-4770

Answers to many common questions may be found by visiting the Borough’s website at www.paxtang.org

NEWS FROM YOUR TAX COLLECTOR

F. JOSEPH SPACKMAN
3408 Rutherford Street, Harrisburg, PA 17111
(717) 561-9839
jspack01@verizon.net (Best way to contact)

OFFICE HOURS
Second and last Wednesday 3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. and by appointment. (Closed on holidays)

NOTE
Taxes may be dropped off/placed in a locked box located outside the tax collectors office door at any time.
EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM
Don’t miss important information.

Visit Paxtang.org to add your cell phone, VOIP or other phone number to the Paxtang Borough Alert system or call the borough office. Receive notifications of important information for borough residents.

PAXTANG BOROUGH OFFICE
3423 Derry Street
Harrisburg, PA 17111
(717) 564-4770

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
The first and third Tuesdays of the month, we are open until 6:00 p.m.