

The Borough Broadcaster



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News from Borough Council

The Borough had a very productive year in 2019. We completed major projects (most notably, the upgrade to the Ruthland Avenue force main), established an Environmental Advisory Council, received a \$10,000 grant from PECO to complete a master plan for Randolph Woods, installed new pedestrian crossing signals on King Street, and saw new volunteers join our boards and committees. Looking forward, we are excited for what 2020 has to offer.

We would like to extend a thank you to Zeyn Uzman and Carroll Siquett for their service on Borough Council over the last four (4) years. They both brought considerable knowledge that was greatly appreciated. Both will continue their service to the community on the Historical Commission and Planning Commission, respectively.

At the December 17, 2019 meeting, Borough Council approved the 2020 budget. We are pleased to report that the 2020 budget does not include any increase to taxes or sewer rates. The 2020 budget includes several major projects, including paving of Borough roads, completion of the sidewalk and traffic signal project on N. Warren Avenue, and the replacement of certain vehicles in the Public Works Department. In conjunction with

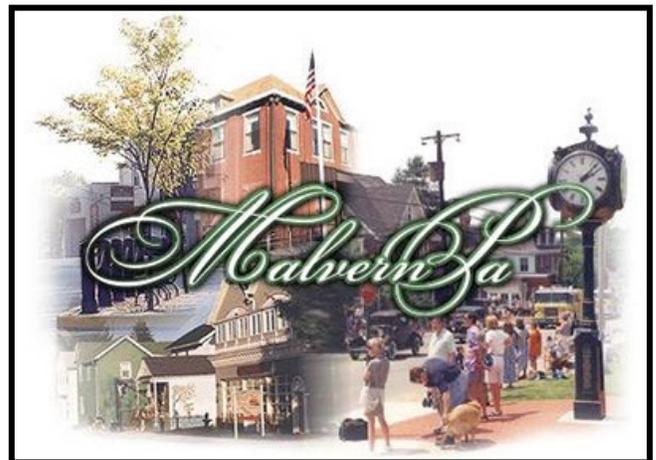
the 2020 budget, Borough Council also completed a review and update of the Borough's five-year Capital Improvement Plan. Development of this plan will assist the Borough in guiding future projects in the community. A copy of both the 2020 budget and the five-year Capital Improvement are available for review on the Borough website.

The N. Warren Avenue Transit Project is preparing to commence construction. Borough Council awarded this project to Road-Con, Inc. on September 3, 2019. This long-planned project is being substantially funded by a \$560,000 grant that the Borough received. The project involves the upgrade of the traffic signal at the intersection of Warren Avenue and King Street, as well as the installation of sidewalk from the northern train station parking lot to Pennsylvania Avenue. We

are very pleased to have this project underway. Please watch the Borough website for information on the start of this project.

Borough Council consists of Amy Finkbiner, Ph.D. (Council President), Jamie Grossman (Vice-President), Joe Bones, Marty Laney, John Meisel, Brendan Phillips, and Julie Raynor. Meetings of Borough Council are held at 7:30 pm on the first and third Tuesday of each month at Borough Hall. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

As always, if you have any questions about anything going on in town, contact any member of Borough Council, the Mayor, or the Borough Manager. Information is updated regularly on the Borough website at www.malvern.org and emergency notifications are sent through the ReadyNotify system.



Board & Commission Vacancies

Below is a list of vacancies on the Borough's boards and committees.

- Zoning Hearing Board: There is currently one (1) vacancy on this Board for an alternate member of the Zoning Hearing Board. This position carries a three (3) year term. The individual appointed will complete a term that expires on January 1, 2021. Alternate members attend all meetings of the Zoning Hearing Board; however, they do not vote unless a voting member is absent or can otherwise not participate in the hearing.
- Planning Commission: There are currently two (2) vacancies on the

Malvern Borough Planning Commission.

⇒Regular Voting Member: This vacancy is for a full, regular voting member. This position carries a four (4) year term. The individual appointed to this position will complete a term that expires on January 1, 2021.

⇒Alternate Member: This vacancy is for an alternate member and the position carries a four (4) year term. As an alternate member to the Planning Commission, this individual appointed will be permitted to participate in all meetings and discussion, but would not vote unless designated to do so by the Chair.

This would include instances where a member is either absent, has recused themselves from a topic of discussion, or is disqualified by the governing body.

- Parks & Recreation Committee: There is currently one (1) vacancy on the Malvern Borough Parks & Recreation Committee. This position carries a five (5) year term. The individual appointed will complete a term that expires on January 1, 2021.

Malvern residents who are interested in serving the Community on these committees may apply by sending a letter of interest and resume to the Borough Manager.

Randolph Woods Master Plan

The Randolph Woods Nature Preserve is a 43 acre wooded park currently preserved under a conservation easement with the Willistown Conservation Trust. Randolph Woods is a critically important park in the Borough, offering various passive recreational opportunities to the community. The property was previously the main operations for the Borough's water system, with the original pump house still located on the property. Additionally, Ruth Run traverses the park and is an important part of the Crum Creek watershed. This small headwater stream is fed by a series of springs located within Randolph Woods,

which protects approximately one quarter of a mile of Ruth Run. The protection of small headwater streams is vital to maintaining downstream water quality, and the high quality of Crum Creek is due, in part, to the high value of Ruth Run.

During 2017, Borough Council commissioned an ad hoc committee to make recommendations to study the future of the property, one of which was to develop a master plan. A copy of the report is available on the Borough website. In 2019, Malvern Borough was awarded a \$10,000 PECO Green Region Grant for the development of a Master Plan for the Randolph

Woods Nature Preserve. Borough Council appointed a committee to guide the development of the master plan and appointed Simone-Collins Landscape Architects to prepare the plan document. In order to complete the plan, a series of public meetings will be held on the following dates

January 22, 2020

March 25, 2020

May 6, 2020

June 24, 2020

All meetings will be held at 7:00 pm at Malvern Borough Hall (1 E. First Avenue, Suite 3, Malvern, PA 19355). Additional information may be found on the Borough's website.

Storm Water Management

Untreated or uncontrolled stormwater runoff is the number one cause of impairment in our local waterways, runoff is often transported through municipal drainage systems until it eventually discharges into streams, ponds, and rivers untreated.

Malvern Borough is committed to improving water quality through better management of storm water runoff. Every resident can participate in our Stormwater

program by reducing or preventing pollutant runoff from their own property and by reporting any non-storm water discharges into the Borough's drainage system and local streams.

What can we do to help keep waterways clean? Never dump anything into storm drains, swales or streams.

- Pick up litter from the street before it gets into storm drains.

- Use limited amounts of fertilizer.
- If you must use pesticides, search for an environment-friendly brand.
- Recycle motor oil, paint, and other hazardous chemicals. Never dump such materials down the drain or into the storm system.
- Recycle glass, plastic, and aluminum.
- Always pick up your pet's waste or harmful bacteria can get into our water!

Environmental Advisory Council

Malvern Borough is seeking applications from residents to serve on the newly established Environmental Advisory Council. There are seven (7) seats on this body. This body was established as an advisory board to Borough Council in 2019 through the adoption of Ordinance. #2019-10. Functions of this body include the following:

Advise the Borough Council, commissions, boards, Councils and other Borough agencies on, and promote education about, issues relating to the management, promotion, use, protection and conservation of the Borough's natural resources including air, land, and water resources, and residents' enjoyment thereof;

Work with the Borough's agencies and other partners to

maintain and develop the natural resources in the Borough in a way that will continue to attract and retain residents, visitors, and businesses without compromising ecological integrity;

Identify environmental problems and recommend plans and programs to the Borough Council;

Provide technical expertise on environmental aspects of subdivisions and land developments generally and providing environmental advice on specific projects or properties upon request of the Borough Council or the Borough Planning Commission; and

Recommend plans and programs, including proposed ordinances or amendments to the ordinances of the Borough, for the pro-

motion and conservation of the natural resources of the Borough.

Individuals will be appointed to the following initial terms: two (2) members for two (2) years, two (2) members for three (3) years, and three (3) members for four (4) years. After the initial term, all members will be appointed to three (3) year terms.

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When Are You Vulnerable?

As winter is now fully upon us, are you prepared? Most of us have heard the "Preparedness Talk" ~ have a least three days worth of food and water, change the batteries in your smoke detectors, have an emergency kit in your car, etc., etc., etc. All great advice, and I actually continue to recommend it. However, every year, we seem to be surprised at the number of people who do not or cannot properly prepare for what may happen.

So this being my first winter as the Emergency Management Coordinator for Malvern Borough, I thought I would take a slightly different approach. While my advice is to still prepare with three days worth of sustenance, check your smoke detector, ensure you have medication, and have an emergency kit in your car, I am simply going to ask you the question, "When are you vulnerable?" Please note that I did not ask, "Are you comfortable?" Being vulnerable for the purpose of this article is when are you going to need help from Emergency Services, 911?

Since I have never understood the allure of camping, I will

start with loss of electricity. While it can be frustrating, my concerns for the residents of Malvern are those who rely on electricity for their medical devices, at a great risk of being left in the dark, and for those without an alternate source for heat.



And I am sure there are more examples, which is my point . . . do you know when you are vulnerable if electricity is lost? And, in what timeframe could you become vulnerable? A few hours? A day?

One Week? If temperatures are extreme?

If the power is off for more than three days, on the morning of Day 4, Malvern Borough has identified Malvern Retreat House as the Warming Center for residents. This is not a shelter since there are no sleeping or showering arrangements. Simply, a place to come, get warm, charge a device, and get information on resources you may need. The hours will be 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and volunteers are needed. Please let me know if you can help.

An opportunity to discuss when are you vulnerable and how to prepare for an event will be held on Saturday, February 8, at 10:00 a.m. with Emergency Management Coordinator, Nora LoGiudice, at Borough Hall. Residents need to be prepared for three days of sheltering in place and know how to evacuate quickly. It is my hope that residents will join me so you know how to best prepare for your household. I can be reached at nlojudice@malvern.org Please ask for help if you need help. And please stay safe!

Planning Commission

The Malvern Planning Commission (MPC) is a 'review and recommend' body of seven Borough residents who process Subdivision and Land Use (SALDO) applications, Zoning Hearing Board (ZHB) applications, monitor Zoning Ordinances, undertake Planning Initiatives, and provide comments on other Community Planning matters referred by Borough Council. The MPC's planning efforts are supported by the Assistant Borough Manager, Borough Engineers, and Borough Solicitors.

In the Fall quarter of 2019 the MPC completed review and recommend cycles for several ZHB applications and related sketch plans, including:

- a new Veterinary Hospital in the R-1 district at 545 South Warren Avenue, and

- a two-lot subdivision in the R-2 district at 523 Monument Ave.

The MPC is now preparing to process SALDO applications for both:

- a newly designed Veterinary Hospital in the R-1 district at 545 South Warren Ave., and
- a two-lot subdivision in the R-2 district at 523 Monument Ave.

In 2020 we will continue working on a long-term Planning Initiative to revise definitions and processes for Zoning Ordinances related to Building and Lot coverage in Residential Zones. We are also in the early stages of a Planning Initiative - with Borough Management and Borough Council - for updating the Borough's basic planning documents: the Comprehensive Plan, the Zoning Ordinances, and the Official Map, in that order.

Current MPC members include Dave Knies, Chris Monneau, Mark Niemiec, Geoff Rubino, Carroll Sinnett III (Chairperson), and Zoe Warner (Vice-Chairperson). Neil Lovekin - the Assistant Borough Manager & Zoning Officer - serves as MPC Secretary. We continue to seek two additional Commissioners: a replacement for Malvern super-volunteer Lynn Frederick and an alternate member.

The Malvern Planning Commission meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 7:30 PM at Borough Hall. Public participation is welcomed and encouraged! The status of various SALDO applications and initiatives can be viewed on the Borough website under Boards and Commissions/Planning Commission/Case Log.

Malvern Historical Commission

The Historical Commission wishes everyone in Malvern a Happy New Year and a successful 2020!

The Commission meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month on the second floor of Borough Hall at 7:30 p.m. (Check www.malvern.org or the front door of Borough Hall for notices about possible meeting cancellations.) Feel free to attend our meetings, either to volunteer to help out with the Commission's activities, to ask questions about the history of your property or about Borough history, or just to find out more about what's going on with regard to historical preservation in the Borough.

Other than our regular meetings, the next event where you can talk to members of the Commission will be Malvern Blooms. A date has not yet been set for this year's event, though it has customarily been held on the first Sunday in May from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Watch for future developments.

Just a reminder: Awardees have expressed a concern that accepting a Preservation Award might somehow restrict their ability to use or renovate their home. That is not the case. The Preservation Awards merely recognize and commend those who have maintained their historical buildings in good condition. If you receive one, we would appreciate it if you help us publicize the Awards by displaying your plaque on the front of your building.

Although Award recipients are chosen solely by the Commission, we welcome questions, suggestions, and nominations from residents and members of the public. If you know of any older buildings in Malvern Borough that you think deserve a Preservation Award, please let us know.

Feel free to send us requests and questions by e-mail at malvernborohistory@malvern.org or message us through our Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/malvernborohistory/> Don't forget to LIKE our Facebook page and FOLLOW our new Instagram account, [@malvernborohistory](https://www.instagram.com/malvernborohistory).

Finally, here's a big thank you to everyone who came out and saw us at the National Bank of Malvern during Christmas on King in December! If you missed us at an event and want to purchase books or other items that we sell, stop by Borough Hall during normal business hours.



Codes Enforcement Officer

Over the years, residents have asked about the Code Enforcement process and why it appears that it takes a long time for a resolution to a Code issue. I'll try to describe the process here in an overview so that the public gains some idea of what can be an onerous and trying process. This is just an overview, the actual process can be quite involved and time consuming!

It either begins with a complaint from a resident or an observation by Code Enforcement. The information received is reviewed against the Borough's Codes to verify that a violation does exist. A letter is sent to the owner or occupant of the property explaining the issue, the code violated and a time to resolve it by. Most times, this is the all that needs to be done and the matter

is taken care of. After a follow up, if the matter is not resolved additional notices are sent in an attempt to resolve the violation. If those notices are ignored, the property is posted with a copy of the sent notice(s) and time period by which the issue must be resolved.

Where these attempts do not result in a resolution to the matter, a Citation or Civil Action is filed with the local District Justice. Should the defendant plead guilty and remit the fine to the Court, the matter is closed, even though the violation remains. If the defendant requests a hearing, one is scheduled before the District Justice. If the outcome of this hearing is a guilty verdict, a fine is assessed only and the defendant has thirty days to appeal the verdict to Common Pleas Court. If the defendant doesn't appeal after the thirty days,

the fine must be paid. For the Borough to have the violation resolved, an enforcement action must be filed in Common Pleas Court.

For an appeal at the Common Pleas level, the hearing process begins all over again and the previous fine is set aside. At this hearing, the Judge may uphold the District Court decision for the fine or overturn their decision. Again, it's only a fine, an enforcement action may still be required to compel compliance with the Codes.

This whole process can take a lot of time but sometimes, it's what the Code Enforcement Department is required to do as part of the enforcement process to gain compliance.

-Provided by William T. Wilfong IV,
BCO, Code Official

Chester Valley Little League

Chester Valley Little League has been serving the community since 1955 and we're excited to get the 2020 season underway. We offer baseball and softball to children, ages 4-16, of Malvern Borough and Willistown Township, as well as those who attend school within our boundaries. Spring registration is NOW OPEN online at chestervalleyLL.org. Our regular registration rates are in effect until February 15th; after this date there will be a \$25 late fee. We hope your ballplayer will consider joining us this spring for another exciting season of action on Monument Avenue, First Ave and Mill Road in Willistown.

Opening Day is set for Saturday, March 28th with our annual Parade of Teams, Hall of Fame inductions and Opening Day ceremonies. This day also serves as our first fundraiser for the season, as we are happy to partner with Christopher's for our 5th Annual Dine-Out. Head to their East King location for a bite to eat and wear your CVLL gear to help us raise money



to support our on-going field and facility improvements. Over the last few years, we have replaced the fence on the Upper Field at Mill Road, replaced fencing at the Upper Field on Monument Avenue and purchased a new scoreboard for the Lower Field on Monument thanks in part to the generous contributions we have received via fundraising.

Last summer, our Senior softball team (ages 13-16) claimed

their third straight District 27 championship (10th in the last 25 years), and were one win away from qualifying for the PA State Tournament. This year, we are happy to announce that Chester Valley and Great Valley Little League (East Whiteland, Charlestown and East Goshen) will be combining for ALL divisions of Little League softball. This will enable us to better compete and allow for the girls to play with their friends from across the GV school district. Please help us spread the word!

We are always looking for umpires. We have been building our Junior Umpire Program over the past few years, comprised of former CVLL players and high schoolers. If your son or daughter is interested in getting involved, please e-mail us at chestervalleylittleleague.com.

Don't forget to sign up at chestervalleyLL.org today and if you are interested in volunteering, in any capacity, please contact us at chestervalleylittleleague@gmail.com.

Malvern Public Library

The annual Malvern Public Library Give-a-Thon will be coming in 2020. Please help us continue to offer quality programs and services by supporting your local library. Are you a local business owner wanting to contribute to your community? Be a Give-a-Thon business sponsor and receive public recognition as a business that supports their local library. We appreciate the generosity of all our library users and business sponsors!

We will be offering a Suicide Prevention Training class on January 28th (snow date, February 11). This course will teach the "Questions, Persuade and Refer". Help save a life and register.

Additional adult programs include an Entrepreneur Basics Workshop Series starting February 7, and an Introduction to Shamanic

Energy Medicine of the Peruvian Andes on March 10. Keep an eye on our events calendar!

Winter storytime registration opened for children ages birth to six years. The winter session started on January 6 and will end on March 5. Please check our online calendar for times and to register.

Did you know that the library hosts two monthly book clubs on the third Tuesday and Friday of every month? Our Tuesday morning book club meets at 10 AM, and our Friday afternoon mystery book club meets at 2 PM. New members can pick up a copy of the book at the front desk. No need to register to attend.

Keep those book donations coming! We will happily accept any books or media in good condition,

published in the last ten years. Please no moldy/yellowed books, textbooks, computer manuals, or VHS/cassette tapes.

Prepare for upcoming winter storms by checking out at least one book per projected inch of snow accumulation. We may not have milk, bread, or eggs, but we have Hotspot rentals in case of power outages, and audiobooks to listen to on those cold wintery nights. And if you still miss the chance to stop by you can find ebooks on our Libby app to download or check out our new Chester County Library app and place a hold.

Our calendar can be found on our website www.malvern-library.org and with the Burbio app!

Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund

PAOLI BATTLEFIELD HISTORICAL PARK

A somber mist shrouded the Grounds as the tall, stately figure of General George Washington marches to lay a wreath on the grave of 52 of his Continental Soldiers who gave their lives in fierce hand-to-hand combat. These men sacrificed all so that generations to come would live in freedom. Portrayed by actor Dean Melissa, Washington led representatives of all U.S. military services, including the Coast Guard and Merchant Marines, and over 50 local citizens to lay individual wreaths along the stone wall surrounding the nation's second oldest Revolutionary War monument along with color guards, bugles and bagpipes. If you missed this moving ceremony last Decem-



ber, mark your calendars for the next Wreaths Across America ceremony on December 19th, 2020 from 11 am to Noon.

A REVOLUTIONARY LECTURE SERIES

Our 9th season! Join us on the Second Monday of each month (September through June excluding December) from 6 to 8 PM for A Revolutionary Lecture Series, a dinner and discussion at the General Warren. Our popular series at the General Warren featuring special 18th Century dinners and friendly interaction with noted historians on the 2nd Monday of most months. Reservations suggested, \$49/person. Our lectures in the upcoming months include:

- 01/13/2020 Monday @ 6 pm: Between the Delaware and the Schuylkill: Brigadier General John Lacey and the Pennsylvania Militia, 1778 Presentation by Denis Cooke.
- 02/10/2020 Monday @ 6 pm: Unlikely General: "Mad" Anthony Wayne and the Battle for

America Presentation by Mary Stockwell

- 03/09/2019 Monday @ 6 pm: Results of the 2019 Paranormal Tours of the Paoli Battlefield Presentation by Laurie Hull and Kelly Schmitt
- 04/13/2020 Monday @ 6 pm: Dunmore's War: The Last Conflict of America's Colonial Era Presentation by Glenn F. Williams

SPECIAL EVENTS

- 02/15/2020 Saturday: We will be presenting a special lecture on the Battle of Paoli at 7 pm as part of the Malvern Community Art program. It will be held at 146 Channing Avenue, Malvern PA.

Get details on all our events, including our 8th Annual Heritage Day, Paranormal Tours, Bus Tours and other programs on our website RememberPaoli.org. Friend us on Facebook, other popular social media sites and sign up for our digital newsletter.

-Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund, Inc.

Surrey Services for Seniors

TECHNOLOGY FOR OLDER ADULTS

From games that promote brain fitness to apps that track health information, seniors are using smart phones, iPads and tablets for more than just email. These devices, and their wide variety of uses can positively impact older adults' lives. The devices are lightweight, their touch screens are easy to use, and font sizes can be adjusted for easier reading.

While some older adults are fearful of the technology, others are embracing it. Imagine having a magnifying glass, a medication tracker and the ability to actual see your relatives as you speak with them, all through your phone. That is what "Apps" enable you to do. There is a huge selection of applications or "Apps," as they are commonly called, that can improve daily

life. Here is a sampling of a few popular ones:

•**Senior Savings** Cost = .99. Platform: iPhone. This app tells you which stores, hotels and restaurants offer discounts for seniors.

•**AARP** Cost = Free. Platform: iPhone and Android. This app provides a calendar of local events in your area as well as discounts that are available with your AARP membership.

•**Be My Eyes** Cost = Free. Platform: iPhone. This app illuminates magazines, newspapers and restaurant menus and magnifies them.

•**Blood Pressure Monitor.** Cost = Free. Platform: iPhone. Keeping track of your blood pressure is vital for many seniors. The Blood Pressure Monitor app allows you to track your blood pressure, weight and other vital statistics. You can also easily share them with your doctor.

•**OverDrive eBooks and Audio.** Cost = Free. Platform: iPhone, iPad and Android. Borrow electronic books and audiobooks for free from your local library.

•**Words with Friends** Cost=Free. Platform: iPhone & Android. A fun game app similar to Scrabble. It allows players to challenge one another no matter where they live. It's a fun way to stay connected with loved ones while sharpening mental skills.

Surrey in East Goshen is offering two free smartphone introduction classes. The first is for Android phones and will take place Friday, February 14 from 10:45 – 11:30. The second will be for iPhone users on Friday, February 28 from 10:45 - 11:30. Both classes will be offered at 1201 N. Chester Road, West Chester, PA 19380, 610-389-1124.

Mental Health First Aide Course – Feb 22nd

The Chester County Department of Human Services and the Malvern Police Department will host an all-day course on mental health first aid on **Saturday, February 22, 2020 from 8:00 to 5:00 pm at Malvern Borough Hall.** This is a new public education program designed to teach citizens the skills to help

another person who is struggling with a mental health concern or crisis. Participants will:

- Learn risk factors, warning signs and the impact of mental health concerns
- Practice the Mental Health First Aid action plan

- Learn local resources for mental health and substance abuse treatment
- Receive a comprehensive, user-friendly 136-page manual & certification

Information on this course and a link to register is available on the Malvern Borough website.

Shade Tree Commission

The Shade Tree commission will continue its partnership with The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society to participate in The Pennsylvania Department of Conservation & Natural Resources TreeVitalize Program. This program makes high quality, bare root, ready to plant shade trees available for a nominal fee. Over the last few years this partnership along with the participation of Malvern residents and the Borough covering the cost, has made it possible for over 175 trees

to be planted throughout the Borough.

What's in it for you? FREE TREES! If you are a borough resident interested in a tree for your property this Spring, please email the STC at: malvernstc@malvern.org. We will have small, medium and large trees available. They will include cherries, redbuds, tree lilacs, yellowwoods, maples, sweet gums, elms, oaks and lindens. This offer is a

first come, first serve basis, so please contact us before February 1st. Tree orders, size and species selection, instructions for planting and delivery dates are communicated to interested residents.

We owe a special thanks to our Public Works Department for the pick-up in Philadelphia and delivering these trees to our residents. Together we are continuing to keep Malvern green and providing lovely streetscapes.

Parks and Recreation Committee

2020 Events

WinterCraft

Saturday, March 7th 2020
10am to 1pm

Malvern Borough Hall

NEW EVENT! The Malvern Parks and Recreation Committee is excited to present this new event. It will take place on Saturday, March 7th at Malvern Borough Hall. This is a FAMILY FRIENDLY event. We will host a number of different crafting and activity stations for some winter fun! Stay posted for more details.

CRC Cleanup

Saturday, April 4th 2020
9am to 11am

Randolph Woods and Paoli Battlefield Woods

This is the second year that Malvern Parks and Recreation will host the CRC Cleanup in both Randolph Woods and the Paoli Battlefield. Keep an eye out for an email regarding registration for this event.

Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 5th 2020
2pm

Paoli Battlefield

Join the Easter Bunny, along with the Parks and Recreation Committee, for our 10th annual Easter Egg Hunt! This event is for kids 10 and under. The Hunt starts promptly at 2pm, so make sure to arrive early. Don't forget your basket!

Community Yard Sale

Saturday, May 9th 2020
9am to 1pm

Malvern Borough

We are trying something new this year. Malvern Borough's first Community Yard Sale! More details to come later, but we are very excited about this.

Yoga in the Park

Wednesday, June 17th – July 29th
2020

6am to 6:55am
Burke Park

Join the Parks and Recreation Committee, along with Linda DiValerio, in Burke Park under the gazebo for our Summer Yoga in the Park. Linda, our resident yoga instructor, will lead you on a wonder practice to start your day. Since this is held outside, please check our Facebook page for any cancellations due to weather.

Malvern on Ice

Friday, July 17th 2020
6pm to 7:30pm

Burke Park

What a better way to cool off on a hot summer day then with some FREE water ice in the park! Join the Malvern Parks and Recreation Committee for their annual Malvern on Ice. Water Ice provide by Scoops N' Smile. Entertainment provided by the wonderful Castle Entertainment.

Movie Night

Saturday, September 12th 2020
7:30pm to 9pm

Burke Park

Bring your blankets and chairs for a night of family fun under the stars. Our annual Movie Night in Burke Park is set for September 12th. Popcorn and beverages provided by the committee. Movie TBD. Check our Facebook page for details closer to the date.

Pizza and Pumpkins

Sunday, October 11th 2020
4pm to 5:30PM

Burke Park

Join the Parks and Recreation Committee for our Pizza and Pumpkins in the Park. Come out to Burke Park for a night of yummy pizza and

pumpkin decorating. Pizza provided by Malvern Pizza. Pumpkins and craft supplies provided by the committee. This is a first come, first serve type of event. When we run out, we are done. Supplies are limited. One pumpkin per child.

Halloween Parade

Sunday, October 25th 2020
3pm to 5pm

King St to Burke Park

Get your costumes ready for our annual Halloween Parade. Line ups start 3pm and the parade starts promptly at 4pm. Check our Facebook page for more details closer to the date.

Volunteer with us!

Looking to get involved? Want to volunteer? Reach out to us! We are always looking for volunteers to assist in setup and take down for all of our events as well as help during our events. Reach out to us via email at malvern-parks&rec@malvern.org or by phone at 610.644.2602.

2020 Meetings

Malvern Borough's Parks and Recreation Committee hold their meetings on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm in Borough Hall. Please note that any changes to the regular meeting time or location is posted on the front doors of the building and on our website.

Facebook

Malvern Borough's Parks and Recreation Committee Facebook page is the best way to stay informed and up to date with all of our events. Makes sure to stop over and "LIKE" us! You can find us on Facebook at [@MalvernBoroughParks](https://www.facebook.com/MalvernBoroughParks).

