

# New Holland Borough Update



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## *Special Activities Day at Community Park October 8*

An exciting day of community activities is scheduled for Saturday, October 8.

- Police Department Shred-It Event. The community is invited to bring your old confidential documents and files to the Park between 9 a.m.–Noon. Officers will be there to collect the documents and ensure they are shredded on-site (2 box limit).



- Collection of old TVs: Along with the Shred-It activities, you may drop off your old TV for recycling during this time. Old, big screen projection TVs and other electronic items will NOT be accepted.



- You can also bring non-perishable food items to drop off for the New Holland Food Bank. A list of the current food needs can be found on their website at [elancocross.org](http://elancocross.org).



- Chicken BBQ: During the time of the Shred-It and TV drop off activities, the NH Kiwanis Club will be holding a Chicken BBQ by Riehl's BBQ of Terre Hill, until 1 p.m. Pre-sale tickets can be purchased (1/2 chicken \$8) from any Kiwanis member. Chicken can also be purchased the day of the event.



## *Boro airbnb Regulations*

In an effort to maintain the quality of life and property values in its traditional residential neighborhoods, such things as airbnbs, VRBOs (any short term rentals) are NOT permitted in the Boro's residentially zoned neighborhoods. As this type of activity may lead to numerous problems, everyone is urged to help protect the community by helping monitor for and reporting any appearance of such activity to the Boro Office.

## *Electronic Newsletter*

If you are interested in receiving the Boro's Newsletters via email, sign up on our website: [newhollandborough.org](http://newhollandborough.org) under the Newsletter tab.

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Halloween Trick or Treat:  
10-31; 6 to 8 p.m.

Appliance/Tire Pick up:  
10/27; tags must be purchased by 10/25:  
appliances \$15, tires \$5

Thanksgiving Trash Pick  
up: Friday, 11/25

Council Meetings—1st  
Tuesday of each month at  
7 p.m. in Borough Hall.  
The public is invited.



## *Butterfly Garden Campaign Moving Forward*

The recent capital fundraising campaign by the Community Memorial Park Association for a Butterfly Garden has been well received throughout the community. The two acre project is to be located to the north of Groff Park. Though the access will be through the Groff Park Arboretum, it will be a separately maintained property. The Arboretum is a different environment than a well kept garden. Detailed Garden campaign brochures are available at the Boro Office. The campaign lasts thru April 2023. There are various donation levels as well as the ability to purchase a walkway brick at: [www.bricksrus.com/donorsite/butterflygarden](http://www.bricksrus.com/donorsite/butterflygarden). Any questions in supporting the Garden project, call 717-354-4567.

### *New Walking Trail Being Provided by the Community Memorial Park Assoc.*

The Community Memorial Park Association is providing a new walking trail through a portion of Community Park as part of its 2022 Park capital improvements. The new trail will begin near the northwest corner of the Park and connect to the walkway at the Kiwanis Pavilion. Some additional walkway upgrades will also be included.

### *Yard Waste Collection*

The last weekly yard waste pickup is 10/6. The fall leaf/yard waste collection dates are: 10/20, 11/3, 11/17, 12/1, 12/15. The bags may be purchased for 50¢ each at the Boro Office or the Golf Shop when open. Leaves and grass are not to be blown, gathered or placed on the street or against the curb.

### *MS4 Pool Reminder*

Pool owners are reminded to allow your pool water to stand for a few days so the chlorine can dissipate before emptying your water. The water is to be drained into your outside sewer vent or slowly onto your yard.



### *Snow Removal*

Snow and/or ice is to be removed from sidewalks within 12 hours after a snow fall. Vehicles must be removed from the end of a cul de sac during a snow fall so that plowing may occur.

## *Christmas on Main December 3*



The seasonal, old fashion day of downtown holiday fun is again being held by the NH Business Association on Saturday 12/3. This will include food vendors, Christmas market and carriage rides. A Car show from 12-3 p.m. Come visit Santa at Towne Centre Green from 2-4:30 p.m. with the lighting of the Christmas Tree at 5 p.m. Vendors open at 10 a.m. Many businesses will be holding special activities outside the front of their businesses.

[www.christmasonmain.com](http://www.christmasonmain.com)



### *New Well On-Line*

After also being subject to some of the major impacts of the COVID pandemic, the new well for the Boro's water system is now on-line. This will provide additional redundancy and security if mechanical or other issues develop at one or more of the other wells on the system. Two of the wells have emergency generators and the two water storage tanks provide larger immediate draw-down capabilities and pressure stabilization. The



Boro is fortunate to have one of the best public water systems in the state.