

## Supervisors

David W. Calhoun, Chairman

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Secretary/Treasurer

Peggy Fanning  
Assistant Secretary/Treasurer

### Meeting Schedules

#### Supervisors

Work Session - Second Thursday of the  
Month @ 7 PM

Monthly Meeting-Third Monday of the  
Month @ 7 PM

#### Planning Commission

Second Tuesday of the Month @ 7 PM

#### Municipal Authority

First Tuesday of the Month @ 7 PM

All meetings are held at the  
Municipal Building

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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# WAYNews

## Summer is Here!



After the long, hard winter we hope everyone is enjoying the summer and there is lots to do here in Wayne Township!

### Summer Recreation Program

The playground behind the Wayne Township Volunteer Fire Company on Linnwood Drive is the site of the Clinton County Summer Recreation Program and is well underway with supervised activities for children in the township and surrounding areas. The program operates from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The program ends August 11th.

In case you didn't know, this park also has an abundance of recreational activities for people of all ages. There is plenty of playground equipment for younger and older children, as well as a tennis court, a volleyball court and a baseball field. There is also a walking path that borders the park. There are two smaller pavilions and one large pavilion with grills and electricity. There is a water fountain and a toilet facility as well.

All pavilions are available for rental by calling Don White at 570 769-6993.

### Nature Park

Located along Route 220 on Linnippi Trail Wayne Township is fortunate to have a beautiful park where people can walk and enjoy the beauty of nature as well as enjoy two picnic areas and bathrooms. The park has been four years in the making and a big thanks goes to Doris Fritz and Don White for making the nature park a reality.

The pavilions at the nature park each have a grill and electricity and are handicapped accessible.

The pavilions are available for rental by calling Don White at 570 769-6993.



Butterfly Garden at Nature Park

### River Road

There is another recreation area within the township located off of Old Bridge Road that runs along the Susquehanna River. This area is perfect for riding bicycles, jogging and walking. There is a great view of the majestic mountains and the Susquehanna River. While using the trail you are almost certain to observe some of the wildlife that resides there. Motor vehicles are not permitted so it is a good way to safely exercise outdoors. There is also a historical marker that you don't want to miss!



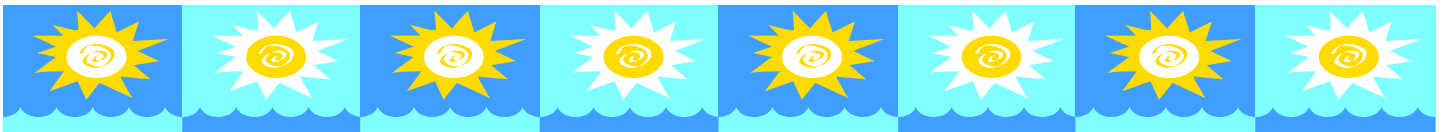
Parking Area



Play Area and Pavilion

### Alan Gardner Memorial Park and Boat Launch

This is another wonderful area located off Pine Mountain Road at the Wayne Township Municipal Building. There is of course a boat launch area with ample parking to access the Susquehanna River and there is also a picnic area with a pavilion available for rental by contacting Don White. There is also a play area for children and a restroom facility.



**SATURDAY, AUGUST 1ST**

**WAYNE TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY YARD SALE AND WAYNE TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY OPEN HOUSE**

**Yard Sales beginning between 7:00 and 8:00 a.m.**

**Wayne Township Fire Company Open House 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**The Fire Company will be having a chicken barbeque dinner that will include half a chicken, baked beans, coleslaw and roll.**

**Quantities are limited.**

### Hometown Heroes Committee Gearing Up for 2016

The banners from the 2014 Hometown Heroes Celebration are now being proudly displayed along McElhattan Drive. The committee will be starting soon to prepare for the 2016 Hometown Heroes Celebration which will include those who served during the Persian Gulf Wars as well as other eras. They are looking for new members to join their committee. Please contact Marie Bowmaster at 570 769-6622 if you would like to be part of this worthwhile endeavor to honor our service men and women. You can also contact Marie if you have a loved one who has resided in the township that you would like to honor with a banner.

The DVD of the 2014 Hometown Heroes Celebration is now available for \$15 and can be purchased at Restless Oaks Restaurant or at the township building.



### McElhattan United Methodist Church Welcomes New Pastor

The congregation of McElhattan United Methodist Church has a new pastor, Dave McElwee. He comes originally from South Central Pennsylvania but is familiar with our area having attended Lycoming College in Williamsport. He also served in the U.S. Army as an intelligence analyst and served over two years in Iraq. Pastor Dave is eager to get to know the people in the church and also the community. His wife, Samantha, is also a pastor serving the Woolrich United Methodist Church. We are blessed to have them both!

### Coming Events at the McElhattan United Methodist Church

Saturday, August 22nd, 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.—There will be a Chicken BBQ . Eat in and take out available. They will have baked goods for sale as well. Don't miss it!!!

Friday, September 18th, 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.—Peach Festival with a menu that includes meatloaf, filling, corn, mashed potatoes and gravy and your choice of peach cobbler or a peach ice cream sundae.

### Center School Reunion

The Center School (also known as Goat Hill School) Reunion was held Saturday, July 11th at the Wayne Township Nature Park. There were approximately 30 people in attendance and they had a great time remembering their school days and visiting with each other. They plan to set up a Facebook page in the future in hopes of getting more alumni involved. A date for next year's reunion will be announced later. They are also looking for pictures, articles and information concerning the school. Please contact Karis Kellander at 570 769-6563 if you have questions or if you would like to participate .

## Recreation Board Busy with Projects

Summer is always a busy time for the Recreation Committee. This hard-working group is moving forward with different projects in the township.

They are planning to complete the second walking path at the Nature Park during the first week in August and are looking for volunteers to help! Please contact a member of the Recreation Committee if you can assist them with this project.

Plans are moving forward for the regulation-size Little League Ball Field. They are awaiting the required paperwork in order to proceed with the project which will require relocation of the existing ball field, constructing permanent restrooms, dug outs and a concession stand. They will also be installing a handicapped parking lot. This project was made possible in part by a grant from DCNR.

The Recreation/Historical Committee is always looking for items to display so if you have any historical items and wish to donate those items, please contact one of our committee members.

As mentioned previously in this newsletter, volunteers are needed to serve on the Hometown Heroes Committee. Please contact Marie Bowmaster if you would like to be part of this committee.

The Recreation Committee meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. and everyone is welcome to attend their meetings.

### Officers for 2015

Chair—Doris Fritz, Vice-Chair—Don White, Secretary—Michelle Mader, Treasurer—Marion Spong, Historian—Harlan Berger

Harlan Berger is looking for volunteers for the Historical Committee, If you have some free time they would love to have you join them. The Historical Committee meets the 1st Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Visitor's Center, 2 McKinney Road.

### **Other Township News...**

The Board of Supervisors continue to move forward with the Shoemaker Road Project which will address stormwater runoff and much needed repairs to the road. Rob Dhl completed a survey of the road right of way and the Supervisors recently met with the Township's Municipal Services Representative Daren Stover to discuss the project. The next step will be to hire an engineer to design the project. Once the plans are completed, the Board will be applying for funding. The Supervisors plan to hold public meetings to receive input from township residents before finalizing the plans for the road improvements. The Board of Supervisors stressed at various township meetings that any improvements made to Shoemaker Road will remain within the existing thirty-three (33) foot right of way. Construction is expected to begin early next year.

Earlier this year the Township received delivery of a 2015 Ford 350 Truck which uses Compressed Natural Gas (CNG). The Township will be reimbursed for the cost of converting the truck to CNG fuel through grant funds received from DEP.

The Board of Supervisors entered into an agreement with the Clinton County Solid Waste Authority back in 2013 to apply for grant funding from the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection under the Pennsylvania Natural Gas Energy Development Program for the funding to convert the truck to CNG fuel. As part of the agreement with the CCSWA, the Township agreed to use the Wayne Township Landfill's CNG station located on Fritz Road as its primary fuel source for the truck.

New Township Truck





## Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event August 14th and 15th 2015

The Solid Waste Authority will be holding a Household Hazardous Waste Collection event on Friday, August 14th, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday, August 15th, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. , at the Authority's Recycling Center in McElhattan.

Examples of items accepted include:

Pool Chlorine

Brake Fluid

Paint Remover

Pesticides

Weed Killers

Garden Chemicals

Fertilizers

Household & Auto Batteries

Deodorizers

Cleaners

Bleaches

Aerosol Cans

Spot Removers

Drain Cleaners

Motor Oil

Antifreeze

Latex and Oil based paint **will not** be accepted at this collection event.

Visit the landfill's website for ways to manage your paint.

All Wayne Township homeowners or residential tenants are eligible to bring their household hazardous waste to the collection site.

Due to regulatory requirements, business, commercial and industrial entities are not eligible.

For more information call 570 769-6977 or email the landfill at [ccswa@waynetwplandfill.com](mailto:ccswa@waynetwplandfill.com). Information is also posted on their website, [www.waynetwplandfill.com](http://www.waynetwplandfill.com)