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**Dear Montgomery Township E-News Subscriber:**

**Thank you for signing up for the Montgomery Township E-News. Below are the stories for this week:**

### **Community and Recreation Center Information Update**



The information on the proposed Community and Recreation Center has been updated on Montgomery Township's website to reflect the final draft of the Needs Assessment and Feasibility Study, as well as the final version of the project funding overview. [Click here to see all Community and Recreation Center documentation.](#)

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### **Baby Boomer Social Event January 17!**

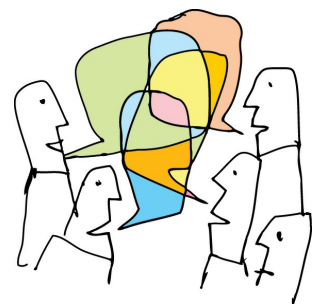
Do you have the winter blahs? How about cabin fever? Join other Boomers (50+) for a program and get-together the third Thursday of the month from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm starting in January.

Each afternoon will feature an interesting program or movie as well as free time to play games, work on crafts or just socialize with others. We encourage you to bring a snack and beverage with you so you can enjoy your afternoon.

Age: 50+

Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Cost: FREE



Thursday, January 17: Slideshow travelogue, The Land of the Pharaohs: Egypt; Presented by Mohamed Morsi, RSVP

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### **New Year Will Bring New Rules for Disposing of Electronic Devices**



New rules for disposing of electronic devices that take effect on January 24, 2013, will prohibit consumers from throwing away laptops, computers, monitors, televisions, and other such electronics with their trash. Under the state Covered Device Recycling Act of 2010, waste haulers will no longer be able to take these items unless the municipality has a curbside electronics collection program that ultimately sends the devices



to an electronics recycler.

The law also requires manufacturers of covered devices to provide for the collection, transportation, and recycling of these items through one-day events, permanent collection programs, or mail-back options. Some retailers also accept electronics for recycling either at no charge or in exchange for rebates or coupons.

A current list of collection opportunities, including those offered by manufacturers and retailers, is available by calling DEP's toll-free recycling hotline at (800) 346-4242. Consumers may also obtain electronics recycling information from their county recycling coordinator. [More information on Montgomery County's recycling programs can be found by clicking here.](#)

*(Courtesy of the Pennsylvania Township News magazine)*

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## Winter Blast is coming up on January 26!

The North Penn Recreation Consortium presents their annual Winter Blast funded by North Penn Area businesses at the Montgomery Mall. This event features fun interactive activities, arts & crafts, family entertainment and snacks! All activities are FREE so come and enjoy! Festivities start at 11AM and run until 4PM.



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## Holiday Tree Recycling



Recycle your Christmas tree starting 12/26/12 to 3/1/2013 at William F. Maule at Windlestrae off of Kenas Road. Signs are posted as you enter the park.

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## Discount Movie Tickets - Now Including Frank Theatres!

Montgomery Township is offering discount Regal Entertainment Group movie tickets! Tickets are valid at Regal, Edwards and United Artist Theatres nationwide.

- VIP Super Saver Tickets – \$7.00 each
- Premiere Super Saver Tickets – \$8.00 each
- Ultimate Movie Packs - \$26.00 each (includes 2 unrestricted Ultimate movie tickets and 1 \$10.00 concessions gift card good towards any concession purchases).



Frank Theatres discount tickets include the following options:

- Gold SuperSaver Tickets - \$7.00 each (not valid during first two weeks of a film's release or when film studio restrictions apply)
- Platinum SuperSaver Tickets - \$8.00 each

Tickets are available through the Recreation office (cash or check accepted for payment). [Click here for more information.](#)

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## Discount Ski Tickets Available!



We have discounted tickets to the following Ski Areas:

- Bear Creek
- Blue Mountain
- Elk Mountain
- Jack Frost/ Big Boulder
- Camelback
- Shawnee Mountain

For more information and to check availability, please call 215-393-6900 or [click here for the](#)

## Dog Licenses

Reminder: Under Pennsylvania law, all dogs must have a license, which is available from the county treasurer or registered agents. [Click here for Montgomery County's dog license application.](#)



Not only does a dog license provide valuable, traceable information if a dog is lost, but income from the sale of licenses supports the state Department of Agriculture's Dog Law Enforcement Office. This agency ensures the welfare of dogs and puppies in commercial breeding kennels, regulates dangerous dogs, and oversees annual licensure and rabies vaccination for dogs.

*(Courtesy of the Pennsylvania Township News magazine)*

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## Resolve to Do 1 Thing



The Office of Emergency Management challenges residents to resolve to do one thing a month to become better prepared for emergencies. This month, we are asking residents to assess their risks: that is, think about how your household would be affected by a disaster. For example: do you have children in your home? Are you a caregiver for someone inside or outside of your home? Do you have pets?

Each home and living situation presents its own challenges. A disaster changes things. ATM machines and gas pumps may not be working. Stores may be closed. Public transportation, phones and cell phones, and the internet may not be available for several days. Do you have what you need to take care of yourself for at least three days? If you work at home how will you protect or replace important business records or inventory? Do you have enough insurance for both business and personal property?

There are answers to all of these questions. Understanding your risk can help you design an emergency plan that fits your household's needs.

For more information on emergency preparedness, [visit the Office of Emergency Preparedness website by clicking here.](#)

*(The Do 1 Thing initiative is courtesy of [www.do1thing.us](http://www.do1thing.us))*

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