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Welcome Spring!

I hope this nice weather continues, but I always keep my fingers crossed because Mother Nature can be tricky!

I hope you are having a good 2025 and that it continues to bring you peace and happiness. As the weather continues to get nicer, more events will be happening around town. Be sure to support all the organizations in their fundraising efforts and don't forget to visit the Night Market on April 25. This event is for the whole community. Also support our businesses as they continue to provide our town with many services. Welcome to one of our newer businesses in town, Two Coffins Tattoo, located on Broadway.

Have a safe and fun-filled summer. And don't forget, kids will be out in this warmer weather, so be careful when driving.

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From the Mayor & Police Chief

- Congratulations to Commercial Enforcement Officer Brian Bradford who was recently appointed to a full-time.
- Officer Russell Wisniewski and Officer Lawrence Harris are currently being processed for full-time status,
- Playground hours for Sugar Camp, Summers Field and Annie's Place are from Dawn to Dusk. Please note, Annie's Place is for children ages 3 to 5.
- Car seats have expiration dates. Visit pakidstravelsafe.org for information
- PA law requires everyone riding a bicycle to wear a helmet.
- The Mayor is still collecting yarn to be used for the Linus Project, which provides blankets for children being transported by ambulance. She is also collecting snap tabs from cans that benefit handicapped children.
- The Police Department has a page on Facebook. Visit the page for events and current information.



Code Enforcement

- Spring and summer are here. Make sure to maintain your lawn. Grass should be no higher than 6 inches and cuttings should not be thrown into the street.



May 20



Clean Up

It's time for the annual Janie Summers Clean-Up Day on May 3 from 8 to 11 a.m. Dumpsters will be located at the Fire Company, 100 South Center Avenue. No contractor materials or electronics other than flat screen TVs will be accepted.

- Flat screen TV's only. No tube TVs will be accepted. A TV that is 40 inches or smaller will be charged a \$10 fee. Those over 40 inches will be charged \$20.
 - Microwaves and game consoles will be accepted for an additional fee.
 - Tires. Charges for tires are as follows: Car, motorcycle or light weight trucks will be charged \$5 per tire; on the rim \$10. Large trucks, \$10.00 per tire; on the rim \$15
- Take advantage of this opportunity to do some Spring Cleaning!

Did You Know?

In 1975 the Park Building on Broadway was dedicated. Today the building is used by many Pitcairn organizations for meetings and fundraisers and is also available to rent by the public.



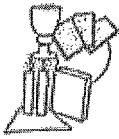
Sympathy

In March, William (Bill) Bauer, owner of Castaways on Broadway passed away. Our thoughts to the Bauer family.



COMMUNITY NEWS

Passover



Breakfast The Woman's Club will hold their Spring Pancake Breakfast on April 6 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Park Building, 557 Broadway. Breakfast includes, pancakes, sausage, juice, coffee and tea. Cost is \$8 for adults and \$5 for children 10 and under. Eat in or take-out. Tickets will be available at the door. There will also be a basket raffle. Proceeds support the club's scholarship fund.



Easter The borough's annual Easter Egg hunt will be on April 12 outside the Park Building on Broadway, between the playground and ball fields, starting at 10 a.m. The hunt is for children age 10 and under. After the hunt, Camp G will hold their annual Grab and Go Bunny Lunch, which is open to all children. Cost is \$5 per lunch. The Bunny will also be making an appearance.



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Ham Loaf April 5 is Eastern Star's famous Hamloaf Sale. A large is \$12 and feeds 4 people or a small for \$8. To order, call Bonnie at 727-900-4116 by March 31. Pick up is April 5 from Noon to 3 p.m. at the Pitcairn Park Building. You can also order take out dinners that include hamloaf, green beans, cheese potatoes, applesauce, roll & butter for \$10. Hamloaf is fully cooked, with secret sauce for re-heating. You will be sorry if you don't order at least 1! They can also be frozen and re-



Night Market The following item was submitted by Councilwoman, Lisa Petrosky: Pitcairn Night Market Returns April 25th for an Evening of Community & Celebration. The Pitcairn Night Market is set to return on April 25th from 6:00 to 9:00 PM, for its 8th event, offering an evening of local shopping, live music, and diverse food options. Since its inception, the market has provided a welcoming, family-friendly space that brings together residents and visitors to support local businesses and enjoy the vibrant community atmosphere. The organizers would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to the Pitcairn Borough Manager and office staff, the Police Department, the Fire Department, and the Department of Public Works for their dedication and hard work in making this event a success. Their support, along with the incredible response from the community, has allowed the Night Market to thrive and become a staple event in Pitcairn. Mark your calendars for April 25th and join the Pitcairn community in celebrating local talent, entrepreneurship, and the spirit of togetherness at the Pitcairn Night Market! Vendor applications can be found at <https://www.facebook.com/PitcairnNightMarket>



Church The Pitcairn Assembly of God Church, 520 Wall Avenue, has Sunday School 9:45a.m. and Morning worship at 10:45a.m. Following are some upcoming events:

- On Wednesdays there is Kids Club, Crossfire Youth and Adult Bible study at 7:00p.m.
- A Praise moves exercise class (alternative to yoga) is held on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.
- Ministries for all ages is held each month.
- A men's breakfast is held the second Saturday of the month at 8:30 a.m.
- Good Friday Prayer Service will be on April 18 at 7 p.m.
- Easter Celebration Service will be April 20 at 10:45a.m.
- Outdoor Concert in the parking lot on May 18 at 5 p.m. There will be free food and drinks (bring a lawn chair)
- Super Saturday Kids will tentatively be on May 24. More information come.

If you have any questions please call 412-372-2373.



Golf The Pitcairn Italian Club will hold their 8th annual golf outing at Murrysville Country Club on May 17. It is an 18 hole scramble. Cost is \$125 per golfer, \$500 for a foursome and includes beer, gifts, lunch, dinner and drinks. Non golfers are welcome to attend the after party at the course from 3 to 8 p.m. Cost is \$40 per person and includes dinner and drinks. There will also be raffles and drawings.



EARTH DAY



Update DOSA Cupcakes would like everyone to know that they renewed their lease and will be starting their 4th year in Pitcairn!. Also please note some schedule changes: The shop will be closed from April 11-23. On April 25 they will be participating in the Pitcairn Night Market and the shop will be open late; from May to November. You can find them at the Monroeville Farmers Market.; and June to September at the Murrysville Farmers Market. They also will be at other events so follow them on Facebook or Instagram or the website, dosaupcakes.com. Orders are always welcome and arrangements may be made for pick up. or delivery.



Food Distribution The Lions Club and the Pittsburgh Food Bank will continue to distribute fruits and vegetables to those in need on the first Wednesday of each month. in the Park Building parking lot on Broadway. Distribution is from 3:30 to 5 p.m.





Retirement Congratulations to Audrey Buzzard on her retirement. She will be closing her salon on Brinton Avenue on April 19. Audrey started her hairstylist career in 1997 and opened her salon in 2005. The salon will reopen on May 1 under new ownership. Audrey may be stepping away from running the salon, but she'll continue working at Auberle in McKeesport helping the unsheltered. Wishing you the best as you begin this new chapter.



Camp B

- The annual Golf Outing will be Saturday, May 31 at Donegal Highlands Golf Course.
- Camp this year is June 14 - 19. Registration for camp will be held on June 1 at the Pitcairn Italian Club on 8th Street from 6-7 p.m. Registration packets will be available around the beginning of April on their website and at Brave Bean Coffee on Broadway.
- Visit pitcaircampb.org or join their Facebook page for information.



Hoagies If you missed the Rainbow Girls hoagie sale in February, no worries. They are now taking orders for delivery May 3. They offer an Italian hoagie with baked ham, bologna, salami, chipped chopped ham, American and provolone cheese and a Turkey hoagie with sliced turkey, American and provolone cheese. Both have lettuce, onions and pickles bagged separately. Cost is \$8 per hoagie. To order contact Nancy, 412-856-8031 / rainbowmom201@aol.com or Carla, 412-607-1851 / cholderbaum1230@gmail.com. Please leave your name and phone number when ordering.



Lions The Lions Club will hold a Blood Drive on May 21 at the Park Building. Watch for additional information on the club's Facebook page.



Camp G

- The organization is holding a Cash Bash fundraiser on
- April 26 at the Hall at Robbins Station Circleville VFD, Irwin. Doors open at 5 p.m.; first drawing at 6; last drawing at 9. Tickets are \$30 and include 3 numbers, dinner, pop, beer, water & desserts. You do not have to be present to win. There will also be auction baskets, 50/50 and other games of chance. For tickets contact 412-417-6061 or pitcairn-campg@gmail.com.
- Camp will be held from June 7 through June 12. Registration will be held on May 10 at the Pitcairn Italian Club on 8th Street from 1 to 3 p.m. Applications will be available April 12 at Joe's Butcher Shop, Dan's Floral Designs and the Borough Building all located on Broadway.



Walk The Brandon P. Kuster Memorial Foundation will hold their Walk and Picnic on May 17 to benefit the foundation. For information visit www.bpkfoudaion.com



Church The Presbyterian Church of Pitcairn, 312 Highland Avenue, are the people of God who are experiencing and sharing the living hope of Christ. You are invited to their Sunday Worship Services currently meeting in public and on Facebook. Sunday School for All Ages at 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service at 11 a.m. in public and on Facebook (www.facebook.com/PCoPpca/live/)

- Clothes Closet will be opened April 12 and 26; May 10 and 24; and June 14 and 28, from 10 a.m. to Noon. If the Clothes Closet is not open and you are in an emergency situation, please call the church office at 412-372-7707.
- Youth Group for grades 6 through 12 meets every other Wednesday night from 6:30 to 8p.m Call for details and more information.
- Easter - There will be a Maundy Thursday Communion service on April 17 at 7p.m.; Palm Sunday on April 13 at 11a.m.; and an Easter Celebration Worship Service on April 20 at 11a.m. All are welcome to be part of the worship service that celebrates the foundation of the Christian faith.
- Bible Studies are offered in person and on Zoom. The Pastor leads a study, the women have a study and there is a group for young adults. Call the church office for more information 412-372-7707.
- Women's Zoom Bible Study is held every other Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. The study is "Having a Mary Spirit" by Joanna Weaver. Call the church office for more information, 412-372-7707.
- Ladies Night Out will be held on May 13 at 6 p.m. Come and share a meal and enjoy fellowshiping with other women. Call 412-372-7707 to reserve your spot.

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PITCAIRN CLEAN UP DAY
SATURDAY MAY 3 FROM 8:00 AM TO 11 PM • DUMPSTERS LOCATED AT THE BALLFEILD
(100 S. CENTER AVE NEXT TO THE FIRE HALL)
TV's AND ELECTRONICS WILL BE COLLECTED

FEES

TV's 40 INCH AND SMALLER \$10.00 • TV'S 41 INCH AND LARGER \$20
TIRES \$5, ON THE RIM \$10 • LARGE TRUCK TIRES \$10, ON THE RIM \$15
MICROWAVES AND NON DISPLAY ELECTRONICS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR AN ADDITIONAL FEE.
CASH ONLY
NO CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS WILL BE ACCEPTED.



Contact Information

- Borough—412-372-6500 / 609 Broadway / www.pitcairnborough.us
- Police / Non Emergency—412-856-1111 • Fire Station —412-372-7040
- Tax Collector/Sally DiRobbio—412-372-3009 / sdirobbio@verizon.net
- Code Enforcement—412-372-6500 x 15 or 412-419-5877 / code@pitcairnborough.us

EMERGENCIES DIAL 911

Upcoming Events at a Glance

- April 2 / Fruit & Vegetable Distribution
- April 5 / Hamloaf Sale
- April 6 / Pancake Breakfast
- April 12 / Clothes Closet
- April 12 / Easter Egg Hunt
- April 12 / Grab & Go Bunny Lunch
- April 25 / Night Market
- April 26 / Camp G Cash Bash
- April 26 / Clothes Closet
- May 3 / Rainbow Hoagies
- May 3 / Clean-up Day
- May 7 / Fruit & Vegetable Distribution
- May 10 / Clothes Closet
- May 10 / Camp G Registration
- May 17 / Brandon P Kuster Memorial Foundation Walk
- May 17 / Italian Club Golf Outing
- May 18 / Assembly of God Outdoor Concert
- May 21 / Lions Blood Drive
- May 24 / Clothes Closet
- May 31 / Camp B Golf Outing
- June 1 / Camp B Registration
- June 4 / Fruit & Vegetable Distribution
- June 6—12 / Camp G
- June 14—19 / Camp B
- June 14 / Clothes Closet
- June 28 / Clothes Closet



Electric Bill

Electric bills can be paid at the borough office, 609 Broadway, during regular business hours; online; or by using the secure drop box located outside the building. To pay online, log on to www.pitcairnborough.us. You'll find an icon portal that will take you to the bill paying site. To register, you will need your CID and account numbers found on your bill.



Garbage should be put out for collection no earlier than 6 p.m. the night before pick-up and should be in sealed trash bags, then put in leak proof trash cans that have a lid. Pick-up day will not move due to a holiday UNLESS THE HOLIDAY FALLS ON YOUR SCHEDULED PICK UP DAY. Changes to pick-up days: Thursday November 28 (Thanksgiving Day) will be picked up on Friday November 29 and pickup scheduled the week of Christmas will be moved one day.

DEADLINE for ISSUE 37 that covers July, August and September is June 10