

BOROUGH OF CHURCHILL



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January 2014



NEW BOROUGH LOGO

The Borough has a new logo! Jim Trusilo, a Churchill resident, volunteered his time and his talent to create the beautiful logo you see here for our Borough. The hand illustration Jim created of the front of our Borough Building makes the entire logo appear 'hand done' and unique in this day and age.

Two other Churchill residents, Richard Seman and Tim Tassone, and a former Churchill resident, Andrea Grieco, also volunteered their time on this project. They researched logo design, the history of our Borough, and the importance of branding our community. The Logo Committee started on this project back in April of last year.

Council thanks Jim Trusilo and all the members of the Logo Committee who volunteered their time on this project!

Health, Safety, and Welfare

Churchill Borough 2014 millage rate is set at 5.48. A home assessed at \$100,000 will pay \$548 to the borough. Factors influencing the majority of council's decision included significant loss of tax revenue due to assessment reduction for property previously known as "Westinghouse Research Park", and the desire to not dip too deeply into our capital reserve fund to pay our bills.

Full details of the 2014 budget and an archive of previous years' budgets are available on the borough website www.churchillborough.com. Churchill Borough's elected officials and administrative office will continue to be vigilant in addressing the service and infrastructure needs of our residents in a cost-efficient manner.

2014 Real Estate Tax Bills

Borough Real Estate Tax bills will be mailed on or about March 1, 2014. The 2% discount period will end April 30 and the face tax amount will be due June 30. Afterward a 10% penalty will be added to the face amount.

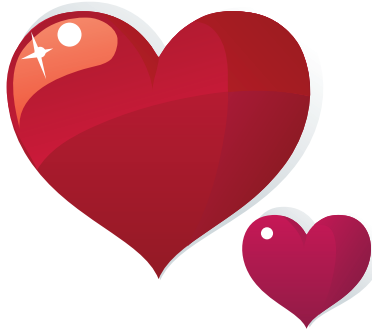
If your mortgage was recently paid off or it is scheduled to be paid off during this period, please call the Borough Office to arrange for a copy of a duplicate bill. The mortgage company **will not** forward any tax bill to you once they receive final payment.

Winter Recreational Events:

Table and Vine Dinner

Holidays are done and Super Bowl still a week away. What to do? Skip kitchen duty and join us at Mitchell's Fish Market at the Waterfront for a delicious meal. Last year's event was very popular, so be sure to secure your place at this year's table! Guests will get a chance to catch up on family and community news as well as share this dining experience! Cocktails at 5:30. Seating at 6pm only. Wine pairing optional - \$28-\$42/person. Sunday, January 26, from 5:30-9:00pm

Location and Fees: see the attached Table and Vine Coupon: deadline for RSVP Jan 20th.



Love of Friends Card-Decorating Party for Charity

Buying your valentine cards is fine, but why not exercise your creativity with our inspiring Valentines workshop; it's much more fun! You supply the talent, we supply the materials, starter ideas, and

schedule the activity for you. Lauren Miller, our beloved story time host, will be on hand to read for the children. We hope to get up to 120 cards made for the patients at our VA hospital in the city, which we will then hand deliver for February 14th. For more information, contact the Borough Office. Bring extra scissors and colored markers and any other items you'd like to use or share.

Saturday, February 8th from 2:00-4:00pm

Location: Yagle Community Room, Borough Building. RSVP requested by February 5th.

Love Stories and Flirtations in the Victorian Era

While you may not remember the 1800's personally, court-ing etiquette of that time formed much of the basis of our ideas of romantic love. And they were certainly part of Pittsburgh society when the family "car" was horse-drawn, and letters were the only form of communication when face-to-face was not possible. The Frick Educational Center describes their talk as "The Victorian Era was a time when rules of courtship were elaborate and many. Learn what it was like to be in love during that unique period of history from its artifacts such as photographs, art, etiquette books, and women's magazines". Refreshments afterwards.



Friday, February 21st 2pm Location: Yagle Community Room, Borough Building. Arrive early for best parking.

WHAT IS CHURCHILL READING?

Winter evenings curled up with a good book, then sharing your literary experience with your neighbors over a cup of your favorite beverage and cookies. What a great way to get to know and enjoy some of the interests and feelings of others in our well-read, well-travelled community!



Our selections for the Winter months are:

January SUGAR BEACH by Helene Cooper

February THE BURGESS BOYS by Elizabeth Strout

March AND THE MOUNTAINS ECHOED by Khaled Hosseini

Contact Coordinator Sue Keane, visit the Churchill Recreation Facebook page, or call the Borough Office for more information. We get our books reserved and delivered to the Borough Building for you via the CC Mellor Library Book Club Lending Service.

Third Wednesdays, 7pm Yagle Room, Borough Building.

Recreation Board Chairman Bob Ferry

As of January 2014, the Board welcomes Bob Ferry, a long-time member and former Churchill Council President, to be the chair the Recreation Board. He has been contributing to our community events for over twenty years, and he and his now grown children, along with Marti Baran, are still primary coordinators of our Bunny Parade and Halloween Party.

Our other members are Bonnie Pantlik (who is also stepping down as Borough Councilor, and who is continuing as our Corresponding Secretary), Sharon Pedrotti (who is the coordinator for many events, including the Table and Vine), Marti Baran (our Minutes Secretary), Melanie Heninger (our resourceful charities and children's events advisor), and Diana Yankes (who is resigning from the chair to take a seat at Borough Council). New members have been identified and will be announced as they are appointed.

Recreation Board Meetings and Spring Preview

All are welcome to our meetings. Our mission is essentially to engage all of our citizens in community life through shared social activities. We want to bring your ideas to the event calendar, and can always use more hands-on volunteers at our events throughout the year! Our Spring Plan includes the annual Bullock Pens Park Opening, a special lecture by our resident Botanist Joan Gottlieb, the Bunny Parade through our neighborhoods, and a Churchill cheer station along the Pittsburgh

Marathon. We are always looking for resident speakers for our free lecture series, a new charity or social event to offer, and local oral history stories and images. Contact us by email or Facebook or just show up at one of our 7pm meetings at the Borough Building on the final Monday of the month.

Corresponding with the Churchill Recreation Board

Keep up with any changes in our scheduled events via the Facebook/ChurchillRec page, or by typing in the name of the event on Facebook. You can email us at ChurchillRecBoard@gmail.com.

Health Talk Series

Churchill and Forest Hills Boroughs are sharing partnership in a series of free health education lectures. Seating is limited, so RSVP is suggested! RSVP to Cindy Simm, Recreation Director, Forest Hills Borough; 412.351.7330 x 220 or csimm901@aol.com



Health Talk #3

It's your Core, not your guns!

A talk geared toward seniors, but anyone over the age of fifty will benefit. Learn how to strengthen and engage core and postural muscles for improved strength, balance and functional

mobility. After this one hour interactive seminar, you will be able to perform simple exercises at home to improve and mobilize function, reduce fall risk, and enjoy a continued active lifestyle.

When: Saturday, February 15th 11 AM -12:30 PM

Where: Forest Hills/Westinghouse Lodge
900 Barclay Ave, Forest Hills

Speaker: Steve Karas, DSc, PT, CMPT, OCS

Facilitator: Raymond G. Jurewicz, PT ECS

Health Talk #4

Living and Dealing with Arthritis

Join a panel of health care professionals led by orthopedic surgeon Brett Pericelli MD as we talk about arthritis. We'll discuss current trends in the treatment of Degenerative Joint Disease, including medication, physical and occupational therapy, injections, and total joint replacement.

When: Saturday, April 5th 10 AM-11:30 AM

Where: Churchill Yagle Community Center,
2300 William Penn Hwy, Churchill

Speaker: Brett Pericelli, MD



SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2014

MITCHELL'S FISH MARKET

185 West Waterfront Drive; Homestead, PA 15120

CASH BAR: 5:30 PM

DINNER SERVED: 6:00 PM

FIRST

The Market's Famous House Salad

WINE: Zonin Moscato

ENTRÉE (Choose One):

- CEDAR PLANK SALMON
balsamic glazed and oven roasted vegetables
- CHESAPEAKE BAY JUMBO LUMP CRAB CAKE
smashed redskin potatoes, sweet corn sauté
- PARMESAN CRUSTED CHICKEN
angel hair pasta, lemon pan jus, tomato basil relish
- VEGETARIAN SELECTION

WINE: Pine's Post. Chardonnay

DESSERT

Chocolate Cake

WINE: Sandeman's Ruby Porto

a Churchill Recreation event



WINE PAIRING: \$42 per person
DINNER ONLY: \$28 per person

NAME:

RSVP before January 20, 2014

Return completed form by E-Mail: ChurchillRecBoard@GMail.com AND / OR
Mail / drop off form with payment to *The Borough of Churchill*
2300 William Penn Highway; Pittsburgh, PA 15235



2014 Spring Leaf and Yard Waste Program

Leaves Only

- **Dates:** April 21st, 28th, May 5th.
- **Managed by Allied Republic, Churchill waste hauler.**
- *No appointment necessary.*
- **Leaves place in paper biodegradable bags on evening prior to pick-up**
- *No plastic bags.*
- *No taping or stapling bag shut.*
- *No other yard waste except for leaves.*



Leaf and Yard Waste

- **Dates:** May 19th, June 2nd, 16th, 30th
- **By appointment only - via phone or email.**
- *Call in to borough office or email by Friday afternoon prior to pick-up.*
- **Leaves and yard waste placed into paper biodegradable bags.**

Acceptable items

- *Leaves*
- *Trimnings, cuttings and clippings from trees.*
- *Small bushes and other plants, garden residue.*
- *Longer branches-less than 3 feet in length-bundled together.*
- *No dirt, stones, or grass clippings. No heavy tree trunks, stumps, excessively large items.*
- *Please place in paper biodegradable bags.*
- **Please do not staple or use tape to close bags**

Non-acceptable items

- *Dirt, stones, or grass clippings not accepted. No heavy tree trunks, stumps, excessively large items accepted.*
- **Managed by Churchill Public Works**
- *Public works crew needs to be able to lift bag into truck and then toss from truck to a dumpster.*
- *Public works crew will have discretion. Heavy, large, or excessive amount of material will not be accepted.*

FROM THE CHURCHILL AREA ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL:

A NEW ADVISORY ON INVASIVE PLANTS

A new community advisory titled “**INVASIVE ALIEN WEEDS: RIGHT HERE IN RIVER CITY**” will be available this spring from the Churchill Borough Office. You will also be able to download it from the new CAEC website embedded in <Churchillborough.com>. This latest release covers a baker’s dozen of the most common and/or troublesome alien, invasive plants in our immediate area. Carry a copy with you as you hike in Bullock-pens Park, and get to know this “dirty dozen,” and what you can do about them.

Bullock-Pens Park is located at the end of McCrady Road (about 1/2 mile past Beulah Presbyterian Church, at a left turn just before the Business 22 highway off-ramp). From May 15th to October 15th guided hikes are conducted most Thursday mornings from 9-10 AM, conditions permitting. For more information call the Churchill Borough Office at 412-241-7113.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE

The CAEC environmental scholarship awarded to a graduating Woodland Hills High School senior each year has a **March 31st** application deadline. If you know a senior who has completed an environmental project within the schools or in the community please advise him/her to submit an application by that date. Applications are available from the high school Guidance Office or from department chairmen. A copy can be downloaded from <Churchillborough.com>, Click on “Churchill Area Environmental Council.”

Recycling Reminders

- All recycling material must be placed in the blue bin. Items stacked on top of the bin cannot be managed by the truck’s robotic claw arm.
- Positioning of the blue bin is important - within three feet of the curb, two feet of space surrounding it, metal grab bar facing the street.
- The blue bin is owned by Allied Republic, and remains with the home if you move.
- Cardboard is a valuable commodity and blue-bin friendly if cut up appropriately. Cardboard boxes may not be used as refuse containers at the curb.
- Items that are not blue-bin friendly include:
 - Plastic bags. They jam up machinery at the recycling processing center.
 - Styrofoam, even if it has the recycling symbol.
 - Wood.
 - Electronic waste is toxic. Televisions, computers, fax machines, printers, etc. may not be placed at the curb. See “Beyond the Curb” under churchillrecycles.org for a listing of stores and facilities that accept e-waste. Also, “Recycling Beyond the Curb” printed flyers are available at the Borough Office.

For more information, please refer to www.churchillborough.com

Rain Barrel Seminar

The Churchill Garden Club and Pittsburgh Resources Council are partnering in a Rain Barrel Seminar.

Celebrate the Rain! Learn how to harvest rainwater from your roof and divert it for on-site usage in the landscape. This seminar will raise your awareness of watershed issues, and you will learn to assemble and install a retro-fitted 55-gallon drum/ rain barrel.

Participants receive the hardware (not the drum) to assemble a rain barrel, and receive a \$10 coupon good toward the purchase of a 55 gallon rain barrel at Penn Barrel Company.

Date: Thursday, April 10th 6:30 PM

**Place: Yagle Community Center,
2300 William Penn Hwy, Churchill PA**

Cost: \$50 per person or \$55 per couple.

*Seminar and workshop information/registration contact:
Nancy at 412.488.7490 X 247 or nancym@ccicenter.org
www.prc.com or www.zerowaste.org*

RETIRE "OLD GLORY"

The "Retire Old Glory" bin is located in the lobby of the Borough Building. All American Flags, respectfully known as Old Glory, should be retired in a dignified and respectful manner when they are no longer a fitting emblem for display and replaced with a new flag, as outlined in the United States Code Title 4 Chapter 1-The Flag. For more information, visit their website, www.retire-oldglory.com. Thanks to the Churchill-Wilkins Rotary Club for sponsoring this bin. All flags will be properly retired by Forest Hills Boy Scout Troop 90.



Churchill Borough Police Department Reminder:

Churchill Borough Police Department would like to remind all residents to keep their vehicles locked at all times. Please do not leave items such as cash, computers, wallets, or any other valuables inside vehicles. If you observe or hear any suspicious activity, please call 911.

Also, if there is any matter that requires immediate police action, please call 911. For all other matters, you may call the Police Office at 412-241-4466 or 412-241-6001, then dial 3, leave a message, and the police will return your call on the next business day.



Fire Department Volunteers Needed

There are many opportunities to participate as a firefighter, driver or with other functions such as administrative work, emergency planning, equipment maintenance, recruiting, etc. No previous experience is required and free training with state-of-the-art equipment provided. You can e-mail Brian Papa at bjp14@verizon.net or call the firehouse at 412-241-3449.

Winter Reminders

It has been a stressful winter season with lots of snow accumulation and frigid temperatures. Please keep in mind there is an ordinance regarding snow removal from sidewalks. Ordinance No. 443 states that snow must be removed within 24 hours after the snow ceases. Furthermore, Ordinance No. 644 prohibits shoveling snow into the street. Keeping pedestrians and motorists safe is a priority.

Please move your vehicle(s) off borough streets during snow events so that plowing and salting can proceed effectively. Also, check up on elderly or infirm neighbors and notify the Borough Office of any situation that may require medical or safety attention. Also, there is no overnight parking permitted on any street within the Borough at any time. This is a violation of Ordinance No. 6.



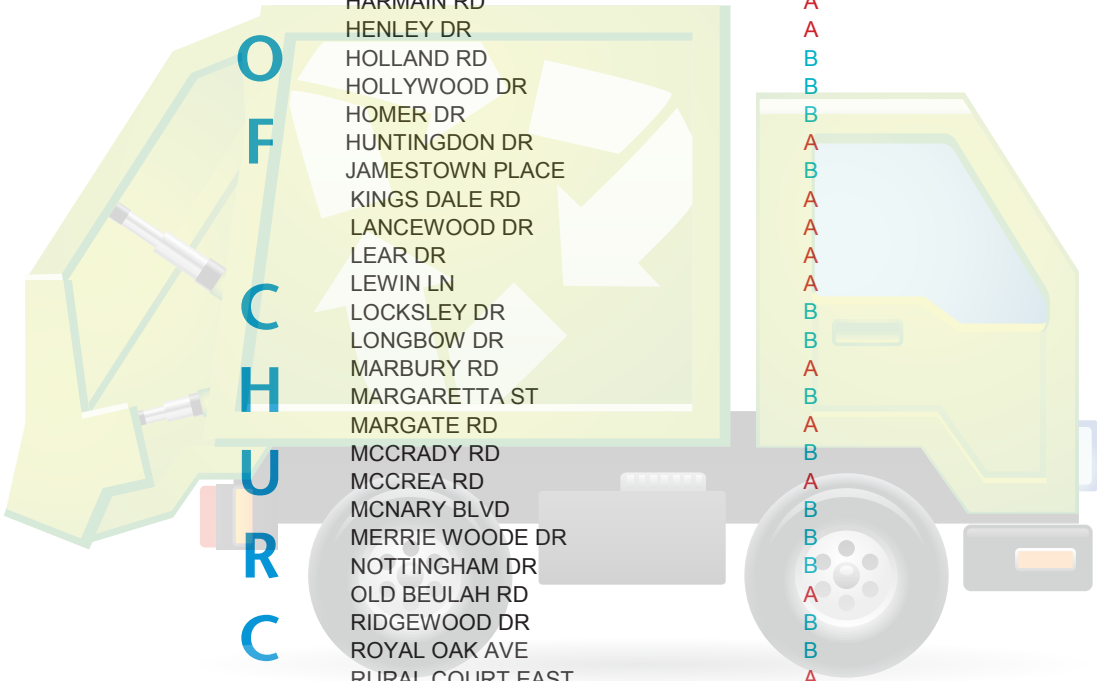
**Speeding and Stop Signs:
Churchill is a residential community.
Please respect the traffic laws.**





STREETS OF CHURCHILL

STREET NAME	WEEK
BARTON DR	A
BAYER LANE	A
BEULAH RD	A
BLACK FOREST RD	B
BOWSTONE RD	B
BRANNING RD	B
BRUSHCLIFF RD	A
BURNABY DR	A
CAMELOT CT	A
CARLTON ST	B
CHAPEL HILL DR	B
CHURCHILL RD	B
CLIFFWOOD TRAIL	B
COLLINS RD	B
CREEKEDGE DR	B
CROFT CT	A
EDGEWOOD DR	B
ELMHILL RD	A
FENWICK DR	A
FOREST DR	B
GARDEN TERRACE	A
GARRICK DR	A
GEORGETOWN PLACE	B
GILCHREST DR	B
GRAHAM BLVD	A
GREENSBURG PIKE	A
HAMPSTEAD DR	B
HARMAIN RD	A
HENLEY DR	A
HOLLAND RD	B
HOLLYWOOD DR	B
HOMER DR	B
HUNTINGDON DR	A
JAMESTOWN PLACE	B
KINGS DALE RD	A
LANCEWOOD DR	A
LEAR DR	A
LEWIN LN	A
LOCKSLEY DR	B
Longbow Dr	B
MARBURY RD	A
MARGARETTA ST	B
MARGATE RD	A
MCCRADY RD	B
MCCREA RD	A
M McNary Blvd	B
MERRIE WOODE DR	B
NOTTINGHAM DR	B
OLD BEULAH RD	A
RIDGEWOOD DR	B
ROYAL OAK AVE	B
RURAL COURT EAST	A
RURAL COURT WEST	A
SAYBROOK DR	B
SCATHELOCKE RD	B
STEVENDALE DR	A
STEVENS LN	A
SURREY PLACE	A
SUZANNE DR	B
THORNBERRY DR	A
THORNYCROFT RD	A
VALIANT DR	A
WILLIAM PENN HWY	A
WILLIAMSBURG PLACE	B
WOODLAND HILLS DR	A
YORKTOWN PLACE	B
ROSE DR	B
NORTHERN PIKE	A





2014

CHURCHILL BOROUGH
RECYCLING SCHEDULE



RECYCLING IS EVERY OTHER WEEK. PLACE ALL ITEMS IN YOUR WHEELED CART. RECYCLE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS: PLASTICS 1-7, ALUMINUM/STEEL/BI-METAL CANS, CLEAR/AMBER/GREENGLASS, CHIPBOARD, JUNK MAIL, MAGAZINES, CATALOGS, PAPERBACK BOOKS, NEWSPAPERS AND NEWSPAPER INSERTS, OFFICEPAPER, PHONE BOOKS, MILK OR JUICE CARONS WITH GABLE TOPS, JUICE/SOY MILK BOXES(ASEPTIC CONTAINERS) AND CORRUGATED CARDBOARD(MUST NE CUT OR FLATTENED TO FIT IN THE CART!)

A - WEEK (SHADED RED) B - WEEK (SHADED BLUE)

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Call Republic Services at 1(877)788-9400 about trash/recycle/leaf collection.

To comply with the Covered Device Act of 2010, Republic Services will no longer pick up Computers, Computer Monitors, Televisions and other Electronic devices.

ONLY HOLIDAYS OUTLINED IN BOLD BOX WILL DELAY YOUR PICKUP 1 DAY IF IT IS ON OR BEFORE YOUR PICKUP DAY: (New Years Day, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Day (for this year)

Notice of Special Recycling Pick-Up
All residents who live on Carlton Street, McCrea Road, Merrie Woode Drive, and Cliffwood Trail:
Your recycling Pick-Up Day will be on THURSDAY of the B-Week Schedule.

The Borough of Churchill
2300 William Penn Highway
Pittsburgh, PA 15235

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A festive New Year greeting featuring the text "Have a Safe and Happy New Year!" in a blue, cursive font. The text is surrounded by colorful confetti, streamers, and two red and white striped firework cones. Snowflake icons are scattered throughout the design.

Have a Safe and
Happy New
Year!