

BOROUGH OF CHURCHILL

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Churchill Communication

Do you want to know what is going on in Churchill? One of my concerns in our Borough is communication with its residents. In this age of computers and social media, we still struggle to get information out to our residents. There has been an ongoing attempt to encourage residents to sign up for SwiftReach which is an emergency notification provider. This allows you to receive direct calls to your cell or landline from the Borough office and Police Dept. It's the easiest way to stay in the loop, from Borough emergencies to notifications. Sign up by using the form on our website or contact the Borough office. SwiftReach is only for emergency information. It does not provide information about the daily affairs of the Borough. For that we currently rely on the website, www.churchillborough.com. Here you can find information about current issues. While I realize that some of our residents do not have access to a computer, many of us do. The website is updated regularly and information is posted. I would encourage you to visit the site regularly and get the latest news. There has been some discussion in council to develop a better method of communication. If you have any suggestions please step up and let us know.

Volunteer Work Force

Have you ever wondered who is responsible for picking up the litter along our roadways, entrances and exits off the parkway or who is cutting back the high weeds along the roadways? If you would like to become part of our volunteer work force in Churchill please contact me through my Borough email pgamrat@churchillborough.com. Together we can have a positive impact in our community.

Paul Gamrat, Mayor

CHRISTMAS TREE PICK UP

Christmas trees can be placed at the curb on your regular scheduled pick up day through January 29th. After that the trees would be considered a bulk item and picked up during monthly bulk collection day.



Events at the C.C. Mellor Memorial Library (December-March)

Gingerbread House Decorating
Tuesday, December 11 at 6 p.m. at CCM Edgewood

Come join us for a delightful family tradition to kick off your holiday season. We supply all the things you need, just come down with your holiday spirit and creative ideas! Please register online for this program. There is a \$5 supply fee per family for this event.

Tech Help

By appointment during library hours at CCM Forest Hills

Get your computer questions answered! A knowledgeable staff member can provide assistance whether you need help using Microsoft Office, creating an email account, searching the internet or using an e-reader. By appointment only: to schedule a one-on-one appointment, ask a library staff member or call CCM Forest Hills 412-436-2390.

I Made It Myself Saturdays in December at 10:30 at CCM Edgewood

Ages 5+. Every Saturday we'll have a new art or craft project to work on at the library! Whether you give them as gifts or keep them for yourself, nothing makes us prouder than hearing you say "I made it myself"! Please register online for this program.

Crafting books will be available to learn more. All skill levels are welcome.

NEW BUS SHELTER

The Borough would like to graciously extend a thank you to Beulah Presbyterian Church for allowing the bus shelter to be situated on their property, to Mr. Bob Amore for absorbing the cost of materials and labor for the construction of the foundation and pad, and to the Port Authority of Allegheny County for the shelter itself.





Churchill Borough 2019 Collection Schedule

All leaf and yard waste must be placed in biodegradable bags. Trash must be placed in your bin with the green lid, no material outside of the bin will be collected. Recyclables must be placed in your bin with the yellow lid, no material outside of the bin will be collected. Please do not bag recyclables.

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- Holiday - Service delayed until Wed. when a holiday falls on a Mon. or Tue.
- Even Recycle Week
- Odd Recycle Week
- Summer Yardwaste Collection
- Fall "Leaf Only" Collection
- Bulk Collection Day - Residents are permitted 2 bulk items per collection day

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2019 Recycling Collection Street Listing

The color listed below identifies the week you will receive recycling pick up.

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

ATTENTION: Residents who live on Carlton Street, McCrea Road, Merrie Woode Drive and Cliffwood Trail - Your recycling pick-up day will be on **Wednesday** of the bi-weekly schedule. The color listed above will be your recycling week.

Waste Management Contact Information:

Residents looking for information about billing or that have other general service questions can contact Waste Management at 1-800-866-4460. Representatives are also available through chat and e-mail by visiting www.wm.com.

BULK PICK UP

Bulk item day is not for cardboard boxes or cardboard boxes filled with items. Cardboard can be brought to the Borough building and placed in the cardboard dumpster. It is not for bags either. You can put out one room of carpeting bundled in 4ft. rolls, no heavier than 40 lbs. each out. This would be your 2 bulk items. Please refer to our website for a list of acceptable bulk items.





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WINTER HOME SAFETY TIPS

The weather is getting colder, and people are pulling out their space heaters. NEVER plug a heater into a power strip. These units are not designed to handle the high current flow needed for a space heater and can overheat or even catch fire due to the added energy flow.

Test smoke and carbon monoxide detectors and change the batteries twice a year when the time changes.

Prevent water pipes from freezing. Turn off the water valve connected to the outside faucets.

During snow events do not park on the street so the snow trucks/plows can maneuver in an efficient manner.

Check in on your neighbors.

COYOTES IN THE REGION

The Churchill Borough Police Department is aware of Coyotes in the area. Please go to the Borough website for more information or wildlifehelp.org.



ALLEGHENY COUNTY OPEN BURNING CHANGES EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2019

The current regulation has been broadened to apply to any fire or combustion that occurs in a chimney, fire pit, outdoor fireplace or grill.

They also limit the size of a wood fire to no more than 3 feet wide, 3 feet long and 2 feet high; establish a buffer of at least 15 feet from the nearest neighbors dwelling or inhabited area; and limit burning materials to clean wood, propane or natural gas, except for charcoal used for cooking and for fire logs, paraffin logs or wood pellets used in outdoor fireplaces.

This regulation will restrict recreational open burning, except for commercial preparation of food on air-quality action days.

Health Director Dr. Karen Hackers said the revisions will protect public health and the environment from wood smoke emissions containing fine particulate pollution and air toxins that can aggravate respiratory and cardiovascular health conditions.

The revised regulation and more information is available at www.achd.net/air/.