

Township of Findlay

RECREATION NEWSLETTER

FALL 2016

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Welcome to the 2016 Fall Edition of the Findlay Township Recreation Newsletter. Inside, you will find activities, programs and information that will be offered in the Township. We hope that there is something to interest residents of all ages. You can find more information on our website at www.findlay.pa.us.

Class size may be limited in some cases. PRE-REGISTRATION IS A MUST for most of the programs. Here is how to register:

1. Call 724-695-0500 Darlene (Larson) Howell, Recreation Coordinator, x246 or Stephanie Strain, Administrative Assistant to the Recreation Department, x240 or email: dlarson@findlaytwp.org or sstrain@findlaytwp.org.
2. Complete the application form included in this newsletter and mail with payment to:

Findlay Township Recreation Department
P.O. Box W
Clinton, Pa. 15026

Make checks payable to Findlay Township.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION AND/OR ANY OF ITS PARTNERS HAS THE RIGHT TO CANCEL ANY PROGRAM DUE TO INSUFFICIENT PARTICIPATION AND A REFUND WILL BE GIVEN. IF PARTICIPANT MAKES CANCELLATION, REFUND WILL NOT BE GIVEN AFTER REGISTRATION/PAYMENT DUE DATE.

LOOKING FOR INSTRUCTORS/IDEAS /TALENTS

The Recreation Department is always looking for new ideas and talents to enhance programming. If you have a talent or idea that you want to share, please call Darlene at the Township Office.



FALL 2016 - REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT! *(Please use separate form & check for each program)*

The Findlay Township Recreation Department will use every precaution to prevent accidents, however, it will not be responsible for medical, dental, or hospital expenses incurred due to accident or illness during its' programs.

I understand and agree to the above and request that my child or I be allowed to participate in the following program(s). I understand that neither the Township of Findlay nor any instructors shall be held responsible for any injury to me or to my child during the program.

Signature of participant, (or parent \ guardian): _____

Participant Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade _____

Address _____ Home Phone No. _____

Daytime Phone No. _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone No. _____

Email Address _____

Program Title: _____ Resident: yes / no *(circle one)*

Program Fee: _____ Program Date(s): _____

FOR OFFICE USE: Date Paid _____ Check # _____

Looking Ahead To Pavilion Rental 2017 Season

Pavilion rental for Findlay Township Residents, Findlay Township Businesses and Youth or Adult groups will begin Saturday, February 4th from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Township Office on Route 30 in Clinton. Applications will be issued on a first come, first serve basis. You will be asked to pay 2 separate checks for the rental fee of \$60 and the \$25 refundable deposit. (These fees are not applicable for the new pavilion. See below).

Beginning Monday, February 6th, you may reserve online by logging onto www.findlay.pa.us. (Click on Parks and Facilities) OR by calling the township. Non-residents may rent beginning on April 1st.

(Non-Resident fee is \$85 and the \$25 deposit)

In the case of inclement weather on February 4th, check website or hotline for cancellation notice.

Pavilion At The Recreation & Sports Complex

The Recreation and Sports Complex has a pavilion that is available to rent. The facility seats 150+ and has full stainless steel kitchen facilities including refrigerator, stove/oven, toaster oven and microwave. Due to the size and amenities, the pavilion has a higher rental cost than the already established ones. Cost for residents is \$100 without kitchen and \$175 with the kitchen, (Non-residents \$150 without kitchen & \$250 with). There is an additional refundable \$100 security deposit required. The facility is available for reservations beginning on February 4th also. THIS FACILITY IS NOT AVAILABLE TO RENT ONLINE. You can reserve on Resident Walk in Day, by calling or in person at the township office.

The Findlay Township Activity Center

Located on Main Street in Imperial, The Activity Center will be the site of many Township programs. The center has two floors, which are also available to rent. The top floor, which can seat 175+, has a full kitchen, bathroom and a complete sound/video system and wireless internet. You can get into the building 1 ½ hours prior to event that you are not charged for.

Upper level rents for \$60 an hour with kitchen / \$55 without and there is a \$150 refundable deposit.

The bottom floor seats 100, has bathroom facilities, refrigerator and carpeting. The rental rate is \$55 an hour and \$150 refundable deposit.

You do not need to be a resident to reserve. There is no limit on how far ahead you can book the center. It fills up quickly, so call soon to make your reservation. For additional information, or to reserve the center, Call Stephanie Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 724-695-0500 ext. 240

Semi-Super Morning BINGOS

Bring your friends and relatives and join us for a morning of bingo at the Activity Center! Free refreshments, coffee and water available.

WHEN: Fridays, September 30th, October 21st, November 18th and Lucky Friday, January 13th

TIME: Doors open at 9 AM, Bingo starts at 10 AM

WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center, 310 Main Street, Imperial

COST: \$10 per packet (Includes 1 triple card for each regular game and 1 triple card for each special) Additional packets can be purchased for \$5. Coverall jackpots will be sold separately for \$1 each. Bingo doppers are also available to purchase.

COME OUT AND JOIN US!!!



SENIOR CITIZENS

The Findlay Township Senior Citizen's Group (age 55+) meets on the third Wednesday of each month (with the exception of July and August). Monthly meetings are held at noon at the Activity Center on Main Street in Imperial. Each meeting includes lunch, bingo and sometimes guest speakers or entertainment. There is a \$2 resident fee and \$3 non-resident for each meeting you attend. The Township provides a Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinner and an off-site lunch each year for the group. We are planning a few new trips this year that should be interesting. Join now and be a part of this fun group.

Call 724-695-0500 x 246 or 240 for information on how to join.



DISCOVER ADVENTURE TRAVEL SERIES, Presented by Rusty Pettit w/Cruise Planners from Clinton, PA

Are there places that you've always dreamed about traveling to, or wanted to know more about? Join us for the first edition of our Discover Adventure Travel Series on Oct. 13th at 7 PM at the Findlay Twp. Activity Center, where we'll be learning all about America's final frontier, the great state of ALASKA! Whether it be cruising next to glaciers and humpbacked whales, taking a dog sled across the frozen landscape, or simply tasting some fresh caught salmon, there are so many ways to make this dream vacation a reality! Rusty Pettit with Cruise Planners in Clinton has spent several summers exploring this amazing destination and can't wait to get started on this exciting travel series with all things Alaska! Call the township at 724-695-0500 x 246 or 240 to register.

AARP SAFE DRIVING CLASSES 8 HOUR AND 4 HOUR REFRESHER

SAVE MONEY ON YOUR CAR INSURANCE WITH THE AARP DRIVER SAFETY PROGRAM

The AARP Driver Safety Program is the nation's first and largest classroom refresher course designed for motorists 55 and older. This eight hour course is taught in two, four hour sessions over two days. The course helps refine existing driving skills and develop safe, defensive driving techniques. **THERE ARE NO DRIVING TESTS INVOLVED.**

Upon completion of the course, participants are eligible to receive a state mandated multi-year discount on their auto insurance premiums. Contact your insurance carrier for information on the discount. Not all companies give the same discount. Husbands and wives must both attend class to qualify for a discount.

WHEN: Thursday & Friday - November 3rd & November 4th

TIME: 9 AM - 1 PM

WHERE: Findlay Township Municipal Building Meeting Room / SR30 / Clinton

**COST: AARP Members - \$15
Non-members - \$20
Findlay Residents pay ½ price
Checks payable to AARP**

Class size is limited. Pre-registration is a must. Call Darlene or Stephanie at 724-695-0500 x 246 or x 240 to reserve a spot.

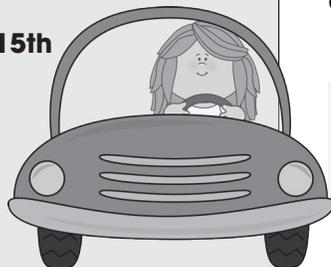
4 HOUR REFRESHER COURSE

If you have taken the 8 hour class in the last 3 years and need a new certification for insurance, call now to sign up for this class. Please bring proof of attending a previous class. If you have your certificate, bring it with you along with your driver's license. If you do not have a copy, call your insurance company and they can provide you with a copy or send you a letter stating that you took the course.

Cost and location are the same as for the 8 hour course.

WHEN: Tuesday, November 15th

TIME: 9 AM - 1 PM



Computer And Appliance Recycling

OCTOBER 22nd

10 AM - 2 PM

Findlay Township began its Computer and Appliance recycling program with JVS Environmental in 2008. Since that time we have seen quite a few changes in our



computer and appliance recycling – from when we only had 40 residents interested in recycling, to when we had to pay \$1 per screen inch to turn in a television, to our latest event where we collected over 18,000 pounds of equipment from over 200 residents... enough to fill 3 trucks! Each recycling event we have held since 2008 we have continued to increase the amount of computers, televisions and appliances that are being recycled and keeping them out of the landfill. However, State regulations have made recycling difficult on the companies and agencies that do all this recycling work. Some recyclers are now charging to collect electronics and televisions. This is because the manufacturers of electronics are supposed to pay to have their equipment recycled, but the manufacturers pay by the weight of equipment from the sales in the two previous years – forgetting that one old television weighs more than six new ones! Since Findlay Township has worked with JVS Environmental for years, JVS has agreed to accept all of our computers, monitors, printers, scanners, laptops, non-Freon appliances (microwaves, washer, dryers, etc.), lead acid automobile batteries, cell phones, telephones, keyboards, mice, and radio equipment for free. **Televisions will be accepted at this event for free – one per vehicle only.** Going forward, JVS may have to start charging a fee again for television recycling, so if you have an old television that you're thinking of getting rid of...now is the time! Our next "Computer and Appliance Recycling Day" will be held on Saturday, October 22nd from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 1271 Route 30. Additionally, appliances with Freon will be accepted, including dehumidifiers, for a \$15 fee. Disposable batteries are now being made by the manufacturers to be disposed of in the trash and are safe for the landfills. JVS will not be able to accept florescent bulbs or television tubes removed from the cabinet. Please note, recycling items will only be accepted during the hours of the event and are not to be left at the building prior to the event. For more information or if you have questions, contact Cynde at 724-695-0500.

RECYCLE

Veteran's Day Celebration

We are honoring our Veteran's this year with a very special event. All Veterans and their families are welcome to join us on Thursday, November 10th at the Findlay Township Activity Center, 310 Main Street in Imperial. A Continental Breakfast will be served from 9 - 10 AM. After breakfast, we are bringing you a special patriotic program. Elva Hurst, from Lancaster, PA will be sharing her "Chalk Talk" through a presentation entitled "Memories of a Great Generation". You will be amazed as you watch her bring the story to life on her canvas. Upon completion, lights are added for a truly captivating experience. This is a free event but you MUST have reservations to attend as seating will be limited. Please call 724-695-0500 extension 240 or 246 to make a reservation. We anticipate a crowd, so call soon to make sure you get a seat.



Coffee With Cops

In light of some of the troubling events and misconceptions in our society today, the Findlay Township Police Department is inviting all township residents to a "Coffee with Cops" morning planned for Saturday October 1, 2016. We are encouraging you to attend to meet some of the new officers and dispatchers along with some old ones. It will provide an opportunity for both the residents and officers to meet and discuss whatever they may. The department will provide coffee, tea and some light breakfast items available from 9 AM- 11 AM at the Findlay Township Activity Center located on Main Street in Imperial. By then, we also hope to have a new K-9 to introduce to its community.

"TRUCK TOUCH" 2016 Library Benefit Event

Findlay Township is partnering for the fifth year with The Western Allegheny Community Library and Imperial Tang So Do Karate School to bring you this one of a kind family event in Clinton Park. All sorts of vehicles including a school bus, fire engines, construction vehicles and much more will be there for the kids to climb on and explore. There will be lots of kid friendly activities to enjoy. The library will be selling food and drinks at the Oriole Pavilion.

If you have not attended in the past, make sure to mark your calendars and come out for this event.

Check out the following websites in September for a complete list of activities:

www.findlay.pa.us, or

www.westernalleghenylibrary.org



WHEN: Saturday, September 24th

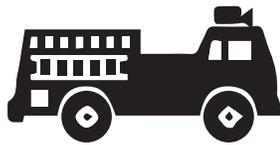
TIME: 11 AM - 2 PM

(There will be a NO HORN TIME between 11 and 12:30 if you have a child that is bothered by the noise)

WHERE: Clinton Park, next to the Little Clinton Ball field and Oriole Pavilion. For parking, as you enter the park, head left up the hill to the large lot.

COST: The event is free, however we will be taking donations as you enter the park. All proceeds will benefit the Western Allegheny Community Library.

PLEASE NOTE: For safety reasons this is a fair weather event only.



Garden Club

The Garden Club is still going strong. Meetings are held the third Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM at the Activity Center. Some exceptions to the meetings may occur. Highlights of this season included making gourd bird feeders, hosting the annual Garden Huddle, and participation in the Rib and Barbeque Blues Jam. Once the winter months hit, members will enjoy craft classes and plan for the 3rd Gardener's Huddle that will be held on March 18th that will feature KDKA's Doug Oster. They will also be in charge of the "Yard of the Month" that starts in October. If you are interested in attending a meeting, please call Sue Peindl at 724-350-9837.

Findlay Township's "Yard Of The Month"

Do you have an awesome yard or do you admire other yards in your neighborhood? If so, then read on about how to participate in the new "Yard of the Month" award. This is how it works. Call the Recreation Department by the 15th of the month prior to judging and give us the address of the yard that you want to nominate. For example, if you want to nominate someone for December, you would need to call by the 15th of November. Members of the Garden Club will then visit those addresses and choose the winner. A sign will be placed in the yard for the entire month. A picture of the winning yard will be posted on the website. We just ask that you get permission from the owner before calling to make sure they are willing to participate. The first winner will be chosen for the month of December. Contest will run April through December.

YOGA for Beginners (and Beyond)

Have you ever wanted to try yoga, but thought..."I'm not fit, I'm not flexible, I'm too old, It's too expensive." Time to stop with the excuses and come give yoga a try. Yoga can be great for everyone for many reasons. Exercise, stretch and meditate. Come and join the group and find out for yourself what a benefit yoga can be for your whole body and at a reasonable price!

WHEN: Every Friday with the exception of November 11th & 25th

WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center in Imperial, Lower Level

TIME: 6:30 - 7:30 PM

COST: \$5 a class

INSTRUCTOR: Master Julia Harvey
(Imperial Tang Soo Do School)

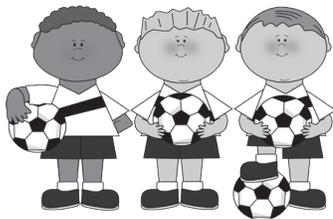
For additional information call 724-695-1976

LINKS TO YOUTH ATHLETIC ASSOCIATIONS



FINDLAY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (FAA)

For information on t-ball, baseball, softball and flag football, log onto www.leaguelineup.com/findlaysports.



WEST ALLEGHENY YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION (WAYS)

For information on youth soccer log onto www.leaguelineup.com/westasoccer.



WEST ALLEGHENY YOUTH ASSOCIATION (WAYA)

For information on football and cheerleading log onto www.westayouth.net.

Pickle-Ball Is Here In Findlay Township



We are very excited to have 2 Pickle-Ball Courts at the Recreation and Sports Complex at Leopold Lake located on Route 30. The courts are located on one of the basketball courts next to the Skatepark on the first level of the complex. If you are not familiar to the game, it is a cross between badminton, tennis and ping pong. The nets are lower (34") and it is played with paddles and a wiffle ball. The lower net, ball weight and the fact that the balls have to bounce before volleying, make it more accessible to people of all ages and abilities, while still being competitive. The courts are free to use. Currently there are groups that play on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7 PM and Fridays or Saturdays at 8:30 AM, weather permitting. We have an email list for notifications of reminders and additional playing times. If you wish to be on this list, please call 724-695-0500 x 246 or 240.

Imperial Dragon Tang Soo Do Karate School



UNLOCK YOUR CHILD'S POTENTIAL

The traditional Tang Soo Do program will help your child develop: Self Confidence, Healthy Life Skills, Respect for Self & Others, Improved Concentration, Physical Fitness, Self Control and an "I Can Attitude."

Classes for Youth, Teen and Adult students are held Monday and Wednesday evenings.

LITTLE DRAGONS (Pre-School Program 3 - 6 years old)

This special program for preschool aged children is designed to get them started on the path to positive development. It will help your child develop listening skills, better coordination and respect for self and others. Call for class times and availability.

(Classes limited to 12 students).

FALL TRAINING SPECIAL!

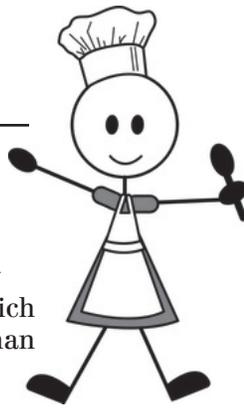
FIRST MONTH OF TRAINING IS FREE FOR NEW STUDENTS WITH THIS COUPON!

Call today 724-695-1976 for information or to register for classes

All classes are held on the lower level of the Findlay Township Activity Center located at 310 Main Street in Imperial.

Creative Cooking With The Kids

Do you have a little JUNIOR CHEF in your life? Start the holidays out on the right foot with this program and get suggestions for FUN healthy Halloween snacks and treats to enjoy with your family. Also we will see which Halloween candies are more tricks than treats. Kids learn many things from working in the kitchen. They learn hand/eye coordination, following directions; reading recipes, safety, telling time, measuring, math and MORE! This class will teach you and your child how to bond in the kitchen while making incredibly easy and tasty Halloween delights that won't sabotage your family's healthy meal plan. Bring your kids or grandkids and enjoy making two quick, easy, delicious and kid-friendly magical holiday foods. Please call to register by October 24th. No WALK INS.



WHEN: Wednesday October 26th
TIME: 5 PM
WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street/Imperial
WHO: Youth 4 - 12 years and all ages of adults
(Child must be accompanied by an adult)
COST: \$5 per person; \$10 for child and adult
INSTRUCTOR: Melissa Bertini RD LDN
Independent Pampered Chef
Consultant & Dietitian

Time For Toddlers

Due to the overwhelming number of participants, we have two sessions to choose from. You can choose the Monday or the Tuesday Group.

This is for the little ones! If you have a child who is 4 or younger, then this is the program for you! Bring your toddler to the Activity Center for an hour of movement, music, activities and snack. This is a great opportunity to meet other families and toddlers. An adult must stay with the child. Please call or email Darlene to register.

WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Lower level
WHEN: Mondays: September 19 & 26,
October 17 & 24 November 14,
December 5 & January 9 & 23
Tuesdays: September 20 & 27,
October 18 & 25, November 15,
December 6 and January 10 & 24.
We follow the WA School district schedule for inclement weather. If WA cancels so do our programs.
TIME: 10:15 - 11:15 AM
COST: \$3 per session



Create A Canvas Workshops For Adults And Kids

Join Create a Canvas PGH to create a monthly painting with your friends! Our monthly paintings are featured on our website at www.createacanvaspgh.com. Grab your friends for a fun and colorful evening creating a seasonal painting. BYOB and snacks to enjoy are encouraged! We bring everything else: paint, canvas, aprons, instruction and materials. Happy Painting! Should you have any questions please email cac.eatdrinkpaint@gmail.com or call 724-454-0615. You must have reservations to participate. Please register and pay online at www.createacanvaspgh.com.



Tuesday Adult Canvas Classes

Adult Classes are held on the second Tuesday of the month (with exception of November) from 6-8 PM on the UPPER LEVEL of the Activity Center, 310 Main Street, Imperial from 6 - 8 PM. Scheduled dates are October 11th, December 6th, January 10th and February 7th.
\$30 per person.
Register online at www.createacanvaspgh.com.

Children's Painting Classes

Children's Classes are held on the second Saturday of the month from 10-12 NOON on the LOWER LEVEL of the Activity Center, 310 Main Street, Imperial from 10 - Noon. The classes are for ages 6 and up. Scheduled dates are October 8th, November 12th, December 10th, January 14th and February 11th. Cost is \$20 per child. Register online at www.createacanvaspgh.com.



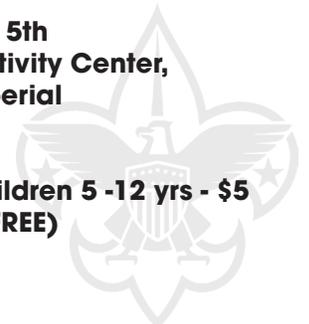
Boy Scout Troop 830 Pancake Breakfast

Come out and support Boy Scout Troop 830 and enjoy an "All You Can Eat" Pancake Breakfast.

WHEN: Saturday, November 5th
WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial
TIME: 7:30 AM - 12 PM
COST: Adults - \$6
Senior Citizens & Children 5 -12 yrs - \$5
(children under 5 - FREE)

*Take outs available
Chinese Auction*

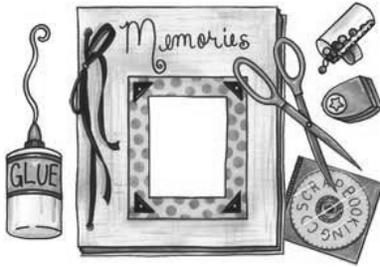
We will be accepting food/cash donations for the food pantry as well as donations of small gifts for the food pantry's birthday closet for the children.



Scrapbooking Workshop

Attend a scrapbooking workshop to enjoy uninterrupted time dedicated to safely protecting your photos and memorabilia. Please bring your own tools and supplies. Pre-registration and payment required by contacting Michelle Koester at 724-307-3333 or emailing michellekoestercm@comcast.net.

WHERE: All workshops are held at the Findlay Township Activity Center, 310 Main St., Imperial
WHEN: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH
TIME: 9 AM - 9 PM
COST: \$60 each event includes lunch, dinner and beverages.



Water Aerobics

Do you need to get started exercising or need a variation in your workout routine? Is inclement weather keeping you from outdoor activities? Then come and join us for water aerobics. Aquatic exercise is a fun way to exercise your heart and lungs while toning muscles. The water provides a great form of resistance with little impact on your muscle and skeletal systems. All levels of ability can benefit from this program. You must pre-register and payment is due the first class. There is a \$5 discount for attending both Monday & Wednesday classes. PLEASE NOTE: We follow the WA School District Schedule. In the event of inclement weather or any district school closings, we will not have class.

WHERE: Wilson Elementary School
317 Boggs Road
TIME: 6 - 7 PM
MONDAY SESSION: September 26,
October 3, 17, & 24, November 7, 14, & 21,
December 5 & 12 & January 9
COST: \$55 for 10 classes
WEDNESDAY SESSION: October 5, 12, 19 & 26,
November 2, 9, & 16 & 30,
December 7 & January 11
COST: \$55 for 10 classes
Call now and register



SENIOR YOGA AND QI GONG

Come join us for mixed yoga and Qi gong. The gentle stretches and energy flow are sure to fuel the inner fire. Some stretches and flow will be performed from a chair or seated on the ground, some standing. This class will offer mixed levels for all participants and is great for older adults. Come out and get stretching and breathing together.

WHEN: Thursdays
WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center-
310 Main Street in Imperial
Lower Level
TIME: 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM
COST: FREE
INSTRUCTOR: Master Julia Harvey

For information call, 724-695-1976
or email Info@idtsd.net.

"Walk 15"[®] (Formerly "Walk Live") Classes

Donna Kuzio is opening the doors to a better way of health and weight loss by offering indoor walk classes. She is very excited to announce the Launch of WALK 15[®]! Walk at Home has re-branded the Walk Live group fitness classes to emphasize the foundation of the program - 15 minute miles. New name-same great program. Same Mission: "To inspire All Walks of Life to walk more for a healthy world". Come join us for an all-over cardio workout. All levels of fitness can do this class. Hope to see you there!

WHEN: Tuesdays and Thursdays
(classes began on September 13th)
WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center
310 Main Street, Imperial/Lower Level
TIME: 6 - 7 PM
COST: \$5 per class. To register or for any additional information, email Donna at kuziofjr@gmail.com. OR Call Darlene at the Township



Photography Workshops

Learn to use your digital camera this fall. Take one class or all four. It's up to you. These stand alone workshops will transform your snapshots into works of art. Best of all, you'll meet photo hobbyists like you, who want to learn how to take better pictures.

Sherry Remaly will be offering four (one session) seminars for digital photographers in October 2016.

ALL CLASSES ARE HELD FROM 6:30 – 8:30 PM AT THE FINDLAY TOWNSHIP ACITIVITY CENTER / 310 MAIN STREET / IMPERIAL / UPPER LEVEL

Photographers may sign up for one or all of the classes. Each class is \$30. Discounts will be given when students sign up for more than one class:

- 2 classes \$55
- 3 classes \$75
- 4 classes \$99

① *Digital Photography from A to M - October 3, 2016*

This seminar is designed for beginning photographers and experienced photographers, new to digital technology. The photographer will learn to use the automatic and the icon modes. The A to M in the title refers to the progression of the photographer from the green box auto setting through the icon (scene) modes, the semiautomatic modes and finally to the manual mode. The learner will be introduced to the exposure triangle and digital camera menus so that he has a better understanding of the attributes of the icon modes. By understanding the exposure triangle and the icon modes, the participant will be able to make the progression to the semi automatic settings - aperture priority and shutter speed priority. The learner will be introduced to manual mode. Accessories and basic photo composition will be discussed so the learner can leave the workshop ready to produce outstanding images for sharing, social media and printing.

(For beginning photographers and experienced photographers, new to digital technology)

② *It's Not Rocket Science; It's Physics Exposure Triangle - Using Aperture (Av) and Shutter Speed Priority (Tv) - Oct. 4, 2016*

Take your photography to the next level. Learn to use aperture and shutter speed priority on your camera. Controlling depth of field will give your photography a new look that you will love. Learning how shutter speed affects your pictures will enable you to capture moments in time, give the illusion of motion and capture water landscapes like a pro.

(For novice and intermediate DSLR photographers)

③ *Let the Artist Out! Photo Composition Workshop - Oct. 12, 2016*

Poor photo composition can ruin a great subject. But a well crafted image can change an ordinary scene into an amazing photo. It is important to understand how the decisions you make about composition affect your final product. The way you frame a shot, your perspective, lens choice and aspect ratio are important features of your images. Learn what composition attributes make an image sparkle!

(For all photographers)

④ *Conquer the Dark! A Low Light Seminar - Oct. 25, 2016*

Photography is all about the light! So, what do you do when there isn't enough light? Learn Low Light Techniques that will help you capture sunrises, sunsets, cityscapes and Christmas lights.

(For novice and intermediate DSLR photographers)

Findlay Township sponsors the workshops. You do not have to be a resident to attend the workshop. Please call Darlene Larson Howell 724.695.0500 x246 or email dlarson@findlaytwp.org to register for the workshops. Or contact Sherry Remaly at remalysh@gmail.com or 724.695.7947 for more information or to register.

Sherry Remaly is a resident and retired West Allegheny School District teacher. Sherry has a passion for photography. She attended classes at Community College of Allegheny County (CCAC) and has participated in workshops with Richard Bernabe, John Tunney and Mike Moats. Sherry has photographed the flora and fauna of Florida, Tennessee, North Carolina, Cape Cod, West Virginia and Pennsylvania and has taught at YM Camera in Boardman, Ohio.

Sherry's images may be viewed at
<https://www.flickr.com/photos/sherremaly/>



PHOTOGRAPHY

HALLOWEEN EVENTS

Pre-Parade Pizza Party

Come to the Findlay Township Activity Center located at 310 Main Street in Imperial on Saturday, October 29th before the parade and enjoy a pizza party and show. After the show we will head out for the parade at 1:30 PM.



PIZZA PARTY: 12 - 12:45 PM

ENTERTAINMENT: 1 - 1:30 PM

"O'Ryan the O'Mazing" Juggler

**YOU MUST HAVE RESERVATIONS
TO ATTEND THE PIZZA PARTY
AS SEATING IS LIMITED
Call 724-695-0500 x240 or 246**

Annual Halloween Parade

The annual parade will be held on Saturday, October 29th at 1:30 PM. Participants will meet at the Findlay Township Activity Center in Imperial and march down Main Street to the Imperial Fire Hall for treats. All ages are welcome and there will be prize drawings in each age group. Prize tickets will be given out to those in costume only! In the event of inclement weather, we will stay at the Activity Center for drawings. Please note that if you are not attending the Pizza Party, you can still participate in the drawing and parade. Get your tickets inside the door of the center when you arrive.



TRICK-OR-TREAT

**Findlay Township will have Trick or Treat
on Monday, October 31st from 6 - 8 PM**

Merry Christmas

HOLIDAY SHOPPING EXTRAVAGANZA

Sunday, November 27th
10 AM - 3 PM

Come to the Imperial Volunteer Fire Station at 111 Pine Street in Imperial and browse through the vendor and crafter tables for some unique Christmas gifts. If you are interested in becoming a vendor, please email your request to: hardtaccandy@gmail.com.



CHRISTMAS LIGHT UP IN CLINTON PARK

The "Walk Through" the lights will be held on November 17th & 18th from 5 - 10 PM.

Light Up will be open for cars on Saturday, November 19th - January 1st from 5 - 10 PM.

Cost is \$10 per car and proceeds go to local charitable organizations in our community.

For information on special event nights, call the Faux's at the number below.

This is a wonderful event that happens in the park and requires an enormous amount of volunteer hours. If you would be interested in helping in any way, call Lloyd & Patty Faux at 724-899-3602.



UPCOMING TRIP:

AN OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH

Get into the Christmas spirit with this day packed with holiday cheer! The trip includes a visit to Warther's for a tour and the annual Christmas Tree Festival, a delicious meal at an Amish home, shopping at Tis The Season Christmas Shop, a stop at Heini's Cheese and a glorious visit to the J.C. Reeves Home and Carriage House that will be decorated for the holidays. Cost is \$99 per person. Call Darlene or Stephanie for more information or to register.





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**TIRE
COLLECTION**
Saturday, April 22nd
at the
Public Works Facility
1058 Clinton Road

GARDEN HUDDLE
Saturday, March 18th
featuring KDKA's
Doug Oster
Call the office for
reservations.

**INDOOR FLEA
MARKET -**
Saturday, March 25th
at the Activity Center
9 am - 1 pm
Come out and Shop!!

**EASTER
EGG HUNT**
Saturday, April 8th
in Clinton Park

**COMMUNITY
CLEAN-UP**
Saturday, April 22nd
9 am - 12 pm
Lower Level of the
Activity Center