

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP

Newsletter

Board Adopts Open Space Plan

Preserving Open Space & Protecting
Natural Resources within the Township

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP

Comprehensive

Open Space Plan

February
2022

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Message from the Chairman



*Kenneth W. Sperring, Jr.
Chairman*

I am grateful to my fellow colleagues for nominating me to serve as the Board Chairman for 2022. We welcome new Supervisor Linda Irwin who took her seat on the Board in January and look forward to the positive contributions she will bring as we all work toward the betterment of this wonderful Limerick Community. Despite the many challenges experienced during the COVID pandemic over the past two years, the Township has successfully maintained all levels of police, public works, fire, and emergency services, without burdening Township finances or an increase of real estate tax rates. Long-range capital projects such as the 2.5-mile PECO trail and the 422/Sanatoga West Bound on-ramp projects continued without delay. The ramp was completed under budget last November and we look forward to the opening of the trail system this spring and the positive recreational benefits it will provide.

The Township continues to be a desirous place for many who wish to move here and raise a family or establish a business. Several long-range planning studies have been ongoing as well over the past two years to ensure future growth is controlled and managed in a positive manner. One such study resulted in the adoption of an Update to the ***Limerick Township Open Space Plan*** by the Board on February 1st of this year. This study, ***which was spearheaded by a committee of Limerick residents***, defines strategies on how to advance the Township's successful efforts over the past two decades in preserving open space and the natural features of the Township. Development pressures are expected to continue, ***and one recommendation of the new Open Space Plan is to ask the residents of this community if they would be in favor of an additional Earned Income Tax of up to .25% dedicated to the acquisition and maintenance of open space.*** An election ballot referendum is scheduled for the general election this fall on November 8th and must be approved for the additional tax to be imposed. Leading up to the election, the Township will discuss the merits of what the additional revenue can achieve in preserving additional open space for future generations of those who will call Limerick their home.

I ask that you take the time to review information in this newsletter on the proposed open space program and upcoming ballot referendum. We welcome your feedback, comments, and questions on this important effort.

I wish you a happy and healthy Spring season!

Sincerely,

Kenneth W. Sperring, Jr.



Township Welcomes New Supervisor

Linda Irwin was sworn in by District Justice Richard H. Welsh at the Reorganizational meeting in January of this year and began a six-year term as a Limerick Township Supervisor.



← Pictured:
Linda being
sworn in by
Judge Richard
H. Welsh, with
the support of
her family



Supervisor Linda Irwin

As a proud resident of Linfield, Linda serves on the Linfield Village Master Plan Study Committee and is also the Board Liaison to the Limerick Township Planning Commission.

Linda is passionate about her position as a Supervisor and is excited to work alongside her fellow Board members in service to the Limerick community.

Limerick Township Plans for Tri-Centennial in 2026

The Board of Supervisors wants to establish a committee of residents interested in assisting with the planning process for Limerick Township's celebration of their Tri-Centennial. While we are still several years away, it is never too early to begin the planning of an event of this magnitude and importance. The first step is to gather interested residents to help with the planning process. If you wish to participate, please contact the Township Administration Office at Info@LimerickPA.org or call (610) 495-6432.



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STAY
CONNECTED!

Board Adopts Comprehensive Open Space Plan

Preserving Open Space & Protecting Natural Resources for Current & Future Residents



The mission of Limerick Township's Comprehensive Open Space Plan is to enhance access to a wide range of recreational and open space resources to benefit the environment and community. This plan's goal is to create an objective and sustainable plan for investing in parks and open space that provides equitable access to all residents while preserving the rural, agricultural, and suburban characteristics that contribute to Limerick being a unique community.



Pictured: Permanently preserved Township Open Space

EIT Referendum Considered For November 8th General Election
Recommendation of the Open Space Plan Update - Favored by Citizen-Based Committee

The Preserving Land for Open Air Spaces Act of January 19, 1968 (P.L. 992) authorized local governments to preserve, acquire, or hold land for open space use.

The Board of Supervisors of Limerick Township is seeking permission to enact an additional Earned Income Tax (EIT) for the purpose of preserving open space. The revenue received from the new tax will be used to acquire, preserve, develop, improve, design, engineer, and maintain open space land in Limerick Township.

Your Vote is Important

To support the recommendations of the updated Comprehensive Open Space Plan, the Board will place a ballot question (referendum) before the voters of Limerick Township at the General Election on November 8, 2022, asking if they favor the imposition of an additional Earned Income Tax for the purpose of preserving open space.



How will residents benefit?

- Enhanced livability and connectivity
- Strengthen property values
- Protects wildlife
- Limits new development
- Protect groundwater resources

If we don't act now?

- Natural resources will continue to be lost
- Increased development
- Higher municipal costs of services
- Increased traffic
- Additional stormwater runoff

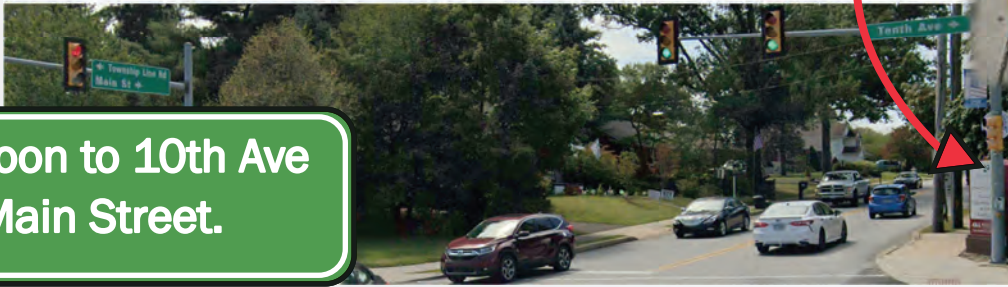
3 NEW GRANT AWARDS BRING PROJECTS TO REALITY

Limerick Township is pleased to announce that the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation has awarded Limerick Township a \$37,290 grant to install **8 audible pedestrian signals** to the intersection of 10th Avenue and Main Street through the Automated Red-Light Enforcement funding program. Though the intersection is in Royersford Borough, based on a 2003 agreement, Limerick Township is responsible to maintain the traffic signal and associated crossing measures. The Board prioritized this project and the submission of the ARLE grant application, based on a request from an individual that is visually impaired and frequently crosses this intersection.



1

Coming Soon to 10th Ave
and Main Street.



Limerick Community Park Master Plan Upgrades

2



A second grant of \$250,000 was awarded from the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) Community Conservation Partnerships Program (C2P2) for the second phase of the Limerick Community Park Improvements.

This is Limerick's third consecutive grant award from DCNR towards the Community Park upgrades. These funds will be used for the construction of softball fields, a pedestrian walkway, a parking area, and the installation of play equipment with required safety surfacing.

Through the continued support of the DCNR, funding for the Limerick Community Park upgrades now stands at \$675,000!

3

A third grant the Township received is from the Pennsylvania Intergovernmental Risk Management Association (PIRMA) to aid in the installation of two flashing pedestrian crossing signs at the Limerick Community Park. The signs will be placed at the trail crossing of Ziegler Road near the intersection of Swamp Pike.

These signs will provide added safety to pedestrians as they cross Ziegler Road while traversing the Community Park's trail system.



PARKS & RECREATION

For detailed information on all Limerick Township Parks & Recreation events, programs, camps and more, please visit the Township website at:

www.LimerickPA.org/155/-Recreation



Scan this code with your phone's camera to quickly locate where to register for an upcoming event.

NOW HIRING SUMMER CAMP COUNSELORS

Community Events

Princess Party with Rapunzel — March 19
Sports Equipment Swap — March 19
Breakfast with the Bunny — April 9
Gift Card Bingo — April 22
Community Yard Sale — April 30
Gift Card Bingo — May 13
Family Fun Run — May 21

Active Adult Programs

Healthy Steps in Motion — March 15
Coffee Talk — March 23
Origami — April 1
Coffee Talk — April 27
Tai Chi — May 5
Walking Club — May 13
Monthly Arts & Crafts Activities



Movies & Concerts in the Park!

SAVE THE DATE



Movies: 6/17, 7/22, 8/12 Concerts: 6/16, 7/21, 8/11, 9/15

Volunteer Spotlight - Student Representative



Pictured (Left to Right): Supervisors Pat Morroney, Kara Shuler, Ken Sperring, Student Rep. Liam Kaufman, Supervisors Linda Irwin, and Mike McCloskey

At their meeting on January 18th, the Board of Supervisors commended **Liam Kaufman** for his 4 years of dedicated volunteerism to the Limerick Township community.

Liam has been on the Parks & Recreation Committee and the Open Space Plan Update Advisory Committee since 2019. He also served on the committee that assisted in creating a Master Plan for the Linfield Sportsman's Park and Toll House property.

Liam is currently completing his senior year at Spring-Ford High School. After graduating, he plans to attend college and major in either Finance, International Business, or Economics.

Upon his graduation, Liam will be relinquished of his respective committee positions. When asked why he enjoys volunteering, Liam answered, "With just a few hours every month, I know I am making a difference in my community." Limerick Township thanks Liam for his service and wishes him success in his upcoming college career.

If you are a current student and desire to become the next "Student Representative" for Limerick Township, please complete a Volunteer Application Form, which is available on the Township's website and email it to: Info@LimerickPA.org

Scan this code with your phone's camera to fill out the Volunteer Application Form.



3 Upcoming Events!



Limerick Township Community Day

Saturday,
August 13, 2022



Public Meeting - March 15 ▪ 7:00 P.M.
Limerick Township Municipal Building



LIMERICK UNCORKED

SPIRITS, FOOD & FUN

Presented by the Rotary Club of Spring-Ford

Hosted by Limerick Township

Saturday, October 1, 2022

THANK YOU, LORAIN



After 25 years of dedicated service, **Loraine Rambo** retired from Limerick Township in January 2022. She began her Limerick career in 1997 for the Limerick Township Municipal Authority and the Limerick Township Sewer Department, before concluding her career with the Township Administration.

Loraine always brought a positive, supportive, dedicated, and hard-working attitude to work. Her contributions will be sorely missed.

Loraine, THANK YOU for your service!

Vince & Jennifer,

WELCOME



Vince D'Angelo

joined the Public Works Department in December 2021.

Vince comes from a history of building maintenance and groundskeeping. He was drawn to the job because he enjoys working outdoors and looks forward to making a positive impact in the Limerick community.

In his free time, Vince enjoys spending time with his family & friends and watching Philadelphia sports teams.

Welcome to our team, Vince!

Jennifer Kuklantz joined the Administration in January 2022 to take the reins from Loraine Rambo at the front desk.

Jennifer was a Girl Scout leader for 10 years, which helped her develop the confidence and organizational skills for the job. Her family has deep roots in the Limerick community, and she was eager for the opportunity to work for the Township that she calls "Home."

Fun fact about Jennifer:

She is the current record holder and Women's U.S. Steinholding Champion!

Steinholding, also known as Masskrugstemmen, has led her to meet some fantastic people, travel to great places, and win fun prizes, including a trip to Germany! Welcome, Jennifer!



POLICE NEWS – K-9 RAMBO RETIRES



Pictured: **K-9 Rambo with his owner, Officer Christopher Wienczek**

Rambo was born October 10, 2015, in Germany. He was under 2 years old when he was brought to the United States and began training with the FBI Hostage Rescue Team. Due to Rambo's aversion to repelling from helicopters, the FBI decided not to proceed any further with his training. He was returned to his owner, Armin Winkler, of Rivanna K-9 Services. Rambo was determined to suit the needs of the Limerick Township Police Department. On March 26, 2018, K-9 Rambo and Officer Chris Wienczek began training in Police Patrol Tactics and Narcotic Detection. Rambo was certified as a Police K-9 through the National Police Canine Association.

Rambo's first shift on the streets of Limerick was June 1, 2018. Since his time on duty, Rambo has assisted local multi-county Police Agencies and the State Police with narcotic detection, tracking of fleeing criminals, and building searches of burglarized premises.

Rambo officially retired on January 2, 2022. During his career with the Limerick Township Police Department, Rambo gave his all and we are forever grateful for his service.

At their meeting on February 1, 2022, the Limerick Township Board of Supervisors officially recognized and honored K-9 Rambo for his service to the Limerick Police Department.

SPRING STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

Here are some tips for managing stormwater on your property this spring:

- 1) **Plant native plants!** Native plants provide biodiversity and require less maintenance and water to thrive.
- 2) **Mulch your grass clippings.** Grass clippings are a source of nitrogen fertilizer. Let them decompose on your lawn and never blow them into the street.
- 3) **Use chemicals sparingly.** When spreading fertilizer, use it sparingly to ensure the excess does not overflow into runoff when rain comes.
- 4) **Pick up pet waste.** Pick up, bag, and dispose of pet waste properly to prevent unhealthy bacteria from flowing into local waterways.

Check out our website to learn more:
www.perkiomenwatershed.org



Limerick Township
646 West Ridge Pike
Limerick, PA 19468

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POTTSTOWN, PA
19464



2022 Limerick Township Board of Supervisors (Pictured from Left to Right above)

(Standing) **Patrick M. Morroney,** **Kara Shuler,** **Michael J. McCloskey, III** - Vice-Chair
(Seated) **Kenneth W. Sperring, Jr.** - Chair, **Linda Irwin**

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING
646 WEST RIDGE PIKE



LIMERICK, PA 19468



: (610) 495-6432

www.LimerickPA.org



Monthly Public Meetings held at the Township Building:

Please check our website for updated information and agendas

Board of Supervisors

1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month
7:00 P.M.

Planning Commission

4th Thursday of each month
7:00 P.M.

Zoning Hearing Board

4th Wednesday of each month
6:30 P.M.

Limerick Township Parks & Recreation
Presents: Princess Time
Featuring Rapunzel
Limerick Township Building
646 West Ridge Pike, Limerick

Saturday, March 19, 2022

Tickets: \$15.00

10:00 am

Ages: 1-7

Pre-Registration
Required



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Limerick Township
Parks and Recreation

SPORTS EQUIPMENT

SWAP

**DROP OFF YOUR GENTLY USED SPORTS
EQUIPMENT TO THE LIMERICK TOWNSHIP
BUILDING BY 3/17/22. PLEASE BRING TO 2ND
FLOOR PARKS & REC WINDOW.**

MARCH 19 | 9AM-11AM

**LIMERICK TOWNSHIP BUILDING - VETERANS PAVILION
646 W. RIDGE PIKE LIMERICK, PA 19468**

CALL 610-495-6432 WITH ANY QUESTIONS

***NO HELMETS
OR
OVERSIZED EQUIPMENT***



BREAKFAST

with the **bunny**



Limerick Township Parks & Recreation

Saturday, April 9th

8:30AM to 9:30AM Seating or 10:00AM to 11:00AM Seating

Limerick Fire Station—390 West Ridge Pike

All You Can Eat Breakfast Buffet!

Pancakes, eggs, sausage, pastries, juice & coffee

**Please bring your camera to get your picture with the Bunny in front of a
spring time background!**

Adults: \$12 Kids & Seniors \$10 2 & Under: Free

**Advance purchase available at the Limerick Township Building
646 West Ridge Pike or limerickpa.org**



Limerick Township
Parks & Recreation

Copperfield Inn
at lakeside

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP
PARKS & RECREATION
PRESENTS

Bingo Night

• GAMES • FUN • GIFT CARDS

APRIL 22ND & MAY 13TH
STARTING AT 6PM

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP BUILDING

Entrance
Fee:
\$10 Gift
Card per
family of 4

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO BRING YOUR OWN
SNACKS AND DRINKS

Pre-Registration Required
www.limerickpa.org

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BINGO

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COMMUNITY YARD SALE

Limerick Township Parks & Recreation

Saturday, April 30th



\$10 per space

7:00 am — 12:00 pm

Limerick Community Park

*(Spots are 16 feet long and 10 feet wide
- your vehicle MUST fit into the space)*

Vendors:

Space is limited to reserve a space, please contact the Limerick Parks & Recreation office at www.limerickpa.org or 610-495-6432. Reservations are on a "first-come, first-serve basis" You must supply your own table, chairs and change. Setup begins at 5:30 am. Everyone must be setup by 6:45 am.

Note:

This is a sellers only event. Vendors will not be permitted to register if they only wish to advertise for a cause or business. LTP&R is not responsible for keeping track of direct sale companies who choose to attend. Also, vendors are not permitted to sell food or drinks.

Designer
BAG

BINGO!

**DOOR
PRIZES!**

*Support the Limerick Township
Police Association*

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022

Limerick Fire Company • 390 West Ridge Pike

DOORS OPEN AT 12:00P • BINGO STARTS AT 1:30P

TICKETS IN ADVANCE: \$30 • TICKETS AT THE DOOR (LIMITED): \$35

15 ROUNDS OF BINGO • EXTRA CARDS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

SNACKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE • B.Y.O.B.

**CONTACT OFFICER CARLEY PARKER
AT CPARKER@LIMERICKPA.ORG**

**50/50
RAFFLE!**



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NEW YORK

MICHAEL KORS

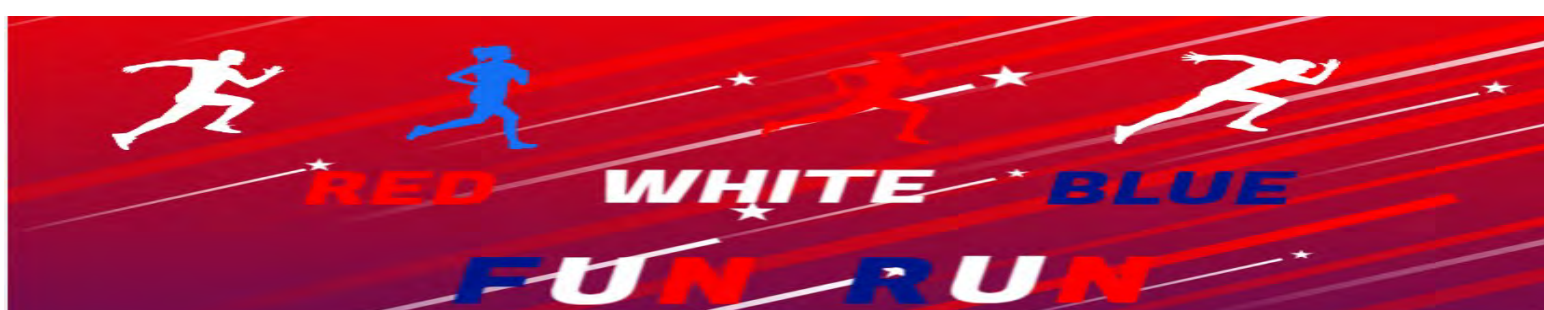
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EST. 1928



MUST BE 18 TO ATTEND



2 MILE FAMILY FUN RUN, *SATURDAY, MAY 21ST*

10:00 AM start at
LIMERICK COMMUNITY PARK



Check-In Time: 9:15AM-9:45AM

Fun Run/Walk Starts: 10:00AM

This is an untimed 2 mile fun run/walk!

Pre-registration by 05/01 @ 4:00PM

Includes t-shirt

Adults: \$20

Kids 5-17: \$15

Families*: \$40

Registration after 05/01 @ 4:00PM

T-shirt while supplies last

Adults: \$25

Kids 5-17: \$20

Families*: \$50

- AWARDS:** Festive awards for the best costumes in the following categories: group, under 10, adult, and pet! 2 awards per category with the exception of group costumes.
- AMENITIES:** Rudolph Run long-sleeve cotton shirt to all early registrants (post marked by 05/01 and all others while supplies last. Post-race refreshments!
- RACE COURSE:** Fun run begins at the Main Pavilion area of the park and will go around the outer trail twice.

**Families includes up to 5 immediate family members living at in the same household.*

Friendly, leashed dogs are welcome to attend this event!

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT LIMERICKPA.ORG
(Online registration closes at 12:00PM on Friday, May 20th)

Course map & registration on back!

FUN RUN COURSE MAP

This course begins off the Swamp Pike entrance at Limerick Community Park. The course will follow the outer trail around the park and will consist of two laps around the park. The total distance for this run will be 2.2 miles.

Parking: Parking will be available at the lower lot by the Manderach Playground at Limerick Community Park.

GENERAL INFO: Mail payment and registration form to Limerick Parks & Recreation, 646 W. Ridge Pike, Limerick, PA 19468. Make checks payable to "Limerick Township". Website: www.limerickpa.org. Questions? Contact Parks & Recreation , at 610-495-6432.



Rudolph Run Registration Form

Each individual participant must have their own registration form

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____ Age at Race: _____ Male or Female

E-Mail: _____

T-shirt size: ADULT unisex long sleeve cotton shirt S M L XL XXL
YOUTH unisex long sleeve cotton shirt S M L

Amount Enclosed: _____

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT AND SIGN BELOW BEFORE SUBMITTING ENTRY: Any participant and/or his guardian, in which he has registered does hereby: (1) Agree to assume all risks & responsibilities of possible damage/ injury involved through participation in said activity. I understand I am to furnish my own insurance in case of injury. (2) Request permission to participate in the activity with the full knowledge that the said activity could result in damage or injury to me. (3) Agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Township, its department and agents from liability for personal injury or property damage resulting from my participation in said activity. (4) Agree to allow Limerick Township to use any photos taken at an activity for future township publications. Signature confirms that participant has read and agrees to Limerick P&R Hold Harmless Agreement.

X _____

Date: _____

HEALTHY STEPS IN MOTION

LEARN TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FALLING



**LEARN NEW EXERCISES,
BUILD STRENGTH, AND
IMPROVE YOUR BALANCE!**

Eight 1-hour workshop sessions

- Exercise Basics
- Strength Training
- Gait
- Goal Setting

A Physical Skills Screening will be conducted before the first class.

Location:

Limerick Township Building
646 W. Ridge Pike
Limerick, PA 19468

Every Tuesday, March 15-May 3, 2022
9:00-10:00am

(Class on March 15 will run until 10:30 to complete paperwork and a physical screening)

Registration: Limerick Parks & Recreation
at 610-495-6432



Montgomery County
Office of Senior Services

www.montcopa.org/CommunityProgramDevelopment

COFFEE TALK!

FREE informational sessions, breakfast, and coffee

Upcoming Discussions & Dates:

March 23, 2022: Understanding Changes in Medicare

Presented by Vlad Ethan Vaisman

April 27, 2022: DNA with Kristine

Presented by Kristine from Skeleton Key Genealogy

May 25, 2022: Organizing Your Life & Your Health

Presented by Beth Biehl from Aging Resources Alliance

June 22, 2022: Vietnam War Medevac

Presented by Ralph Tutrani



*Coffee Talk will be held at Arcadia at Limerick Pointe
51 W. Arcadia Drive Limerick, PA 19468*

Time: 9:00AM-10:00AM

All topics are subject to change. Please call the Township and speak to Ashley to register. Limerick Township: (610) 495-6432



TAI CHI FOR ARTHRITIS AND FALLS PREVENTION

**LIMERICK TOWNSHIP BUILDING
EVERY THURSDAY
MAY 5-JUNE 23
9:00 AM (IN PERSON)**

What is Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention?

Tai chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention utilizes the Sun Style for relaxation, balance and ease of movement. Each class is led by a certified instructor and lasts 45 minutes to 1 hour. The movements can be done standing or sitting.

Increase your strength, balance and flexibility while improving your mind, body and spirit!

**TAI CHI FOR ARTHRITIS
AND FALLS PREVENTION**

**THURSDAYS
MAY 5-
JUNE 23**

**9:00 AM
(IN PERSON)**

**CONTACT LIMERICK
PARKS & RECREATION
AT 610-495-6432
TO REGISTER**

**MOVEMENTS CAN BE
DONE SEATED OR
STANDING**

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP BUILDING

646 W. Ridge Pike
Limerick, PA 19468



Montgomery County
Department of
Health and Human Services

Office of Senior Services

Limerick Township Parks and Recreation Presents:

Walking *Club*

BEGINS MAY 13



WALK START: 10:00AM

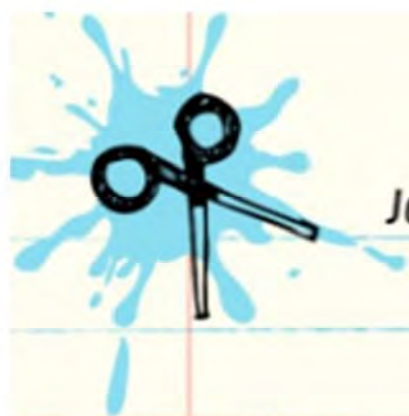
Meet at the Main Pavilion

LIMERICK COMMUNITY PARK

Dates: May 13, May 20, May 27, June 3

**CONTACT US AT (610)495-6432 TO REGISTER OR VISIT
WWW.LIMERICKPA.ORG**





Join Limerick Township Parks and Recreation

Arts
and
CRAFTS
10:00AM - 11:00AM

MARCH 14th - Button Easter Egg FREE

APRIL 11th - Rock Painting \$2.00

MAY 9th - Geometric Painting \$2.00

JUNE 13th - Make your own apron \$5.00

JULY 11th - Puzzle Photo Frame FREE

AUGUST - No Class

SEPTEMBER - Knitting Scarves for Charity FREE

OCTOBER 10th - Leaf Lanterns \$5.00

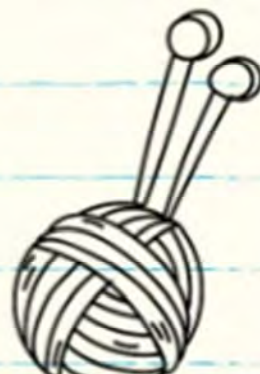
NOVEMBER 14th - Greeting Cards \$5.00

DECEMBER 12th - Cookie Decorating \$2.00



Pre-Registration Required
Limerick Township Building

RSVP to Ashley:
610-495-6432 or register online



PRESENTED BY LIMERICK TOWNSHIP PARKS & RECREATION

FREE MUSIC IN THE PARK

7:00 PM
START TIME

JUNE 16TH DUELING PIANOS

JULY 21ST BAR NONE BAND

AUGUST 11TH HIGHWAY RUN - JOURNEY TRIBUTE BAND

SEPTEMBER 15TH BIG DADDY & THE FENDER BENDERS



Limerick Township Parks and Recreation
Presents

Movies in the Park

Movie begins at dusk
Limerick Community Park

June 17, 2022 **SING 2**

July 22, 2022 **LUCA**

August 12, 2022 **ENCANTO**

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Limerick Township Parks and Recreation Summer 2022 Specialty Camps

June

Pop Up Play June 20th—June 24th (Half Day/Full Day Options)

9AM to 3PM, 9AM-12PM or 12PM-3PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages: 6 to 12 Fee: \$150 Half/\$300 Full

Become a Time Traveler! In this action packed camp we'll travel through time learning and playing active games popular throughout a century of play. We'll explore play from 1900 to today, think sack racers, stick-ball, hopscotch and apple-basket basketball. Campers will literally run, jump and play throughout time as intrepid time travelers. Are you ready to build your time machine? In the afternoon, campers will design, build and bring home an amazing wooden skyscraper, superhero fort, museum, or house in this crafty camp. We'll focus each day on a different architecture principle while allowing our imaginations to run wild... anyone feel like building a grocery store on Mars?

Flag Football Camp June 20th—June 24th (Half Day)

9AM to 1PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages: 7 to 13 Fee: \$125

Flag Football play will focus on fundamental passing, catching and flag grabbing skills. Campers will be introduced to the rules and engage in fun safe game play. Flag football is a non-contact sport ideal for both girls and boys. All Players must bring: a healthy snack, water bottle, and wear a t-shirt, shorts, running shoes and sun screen.

Spring-Ford High School Baseball Camp June 27th—June 30th (Half Day)

9AM to 12:30PM at Limerick Community Park Ages: 6 to 15 Fee: \$150

The goal of this camp is to teach fundamental baseball skills, to provide an environment where young players will be able to play the game and have fun. There will be daily instruction, drills and games that promote the game of baseball and more importantly, having fun.

July

Basketball Camp July 5th—July 8th (Half Day)

9AM to 1PM at Limerick Community Park; Ages 7 to 13; Fee: \$100

Basketball and prep skills training with an experienced instructor. Players will develop their basketball techniques in the areas of triple threat, free throws, dribbling and defensive positions. It is a great opportunity for players to improve their skills over the summer. All Players must bring: a healthy snack, water bottle, and wear a t-shirt, shorts, running shoes and sun screen.

Science Explorers: Fizz Bang Boom July 11th—July 15th (Half-Day)

9AM-12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7 to 12 Fee: \$240

Registration available Mid-February on www.scienceexplorers.com

What do you get when you take the physics of motion, add in some electrifying experiments, and mix it up with some chemistry? Everyone has a blast! In our half day camp you'll create your own battery-powered invention, experiment with light and flight, make your own kaleidoscope and experiment with giant floating bubbles.

Science Explorers: Fizz Bang Boom July 11th—July 15th (Full-Day)

9AM-4PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7 to 12 Fee: \$415

Registration available Mid-February on www.scienceexplorers.com

What do you get when you take the physics of motion, add in some electrifying experiments, and mix it up with some chemistry? Everyone has a blast! In the morning you'll create your own battery-powered invention, experiment with light and flight, make your own kaleidoscope and experiment with giant floating bubbles. Stay for the full day and build your own motorized robot, use chromatography to separate the colors in candy, mix up some crazy chemical reactions, create an electric game, investigate the effects of air pressure, and compete in a tall tower engineering competition!

Limerick Township Parks and Recreation

July Specialty Camps Continued..

Flag Football Camp July 18th—July 22nd (Half Day)

9AM to 1PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages: 7 to 13 Fee: \$125

Flag Football play will focus on fundamental passing, catching and flag grabbing skills. Campers will be introduced to the rules and engage in fun safe game play. Flag football is a non-contact sport ideal for both girls and boys. All Players must bring: a healthy snack, water bottle, and wear a t-shirt, shorts, running shoes and sun screen.

Mad Science July 18th—July 22nd (Half Day)

9AM-12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7to 12 Fee: \$140

NASA – STEM Explorers! Developed with NASA ® NASA: Journey to Outer Space: Take a voyage of discovery into the atmosphere and beyond as we explore planets, moons, and other space phenomena. Build your own Mad Science rocket and participate in a real NASA style rocket launch! Create a kitchen comet and bring home lots of cool NASA take homes! Mad Science is the ONLY organization licensed by NASA to use these activities for Summer Camps!

Mad Science July 18th—July 22nd (Full Day)

9AM-4PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7to 12 Fee: \$260

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Use creative and collaborative skills to design a mission patch, train like an astronaut, build a Mars rover and solve real-world engineering problems. How might space suit cooling tubes be used to solve a problem here on Earth?

Science Explorers: Rockin' Concoctions July 25th—July 29th (Half-Day)

9AM-12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7 to 12 Fee: \$240

Registration available Mid-February on www.scienceexplorers.com

We've taken our after-school club topics from 2021-22 and turned them into a fun-filled week-long camp! We'll explore the science of kitchen chemistry, travel back in time to discover the mysteries of the Earth, examine the world of wacky creatures, and become a Science Explorers CSI! Half day campers will discover the amazing transformation of cream to butter, grow crystals, erupt volcanoes, mine for gemstones, create slug-slime, learn how to lift fingerprints and extract DNA from bananas.

Science Explorers: Rockin' Concoctions July 25th—July 29th (Full-Day)

9AM-4PM at Limerick Township Building ; Ages 7 to 12 Fee: \$415

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August

Shining Knights Chess Camp August 1st—August 4th (Half Day)

9AM to 12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 5 to 13; Fee: \$135

Knights, captures, action! Whether you are new to the game, learning to push pawns for the first time, or have played in numerous tournaments, and want to sharpen your skills, come to a Shining Knights Chess Camp! We have trained numerous state champions and national trophy winners. So, whether you want to win games in your living room against your parents or win tournaments, come join us and learn how to play chess! Campers will receive a tournament-style chess set and a Shining Knights T-Shirt at the end of the camp!

Photography Camp August 1st—August 5th (Half Day)

9AM to 12PM at Limerick Community Park; Ages 8 to 15; Fee: \$300

Explore the world of photography. Learn real world skills that allow every child to express their individual creativity and to develop their own artistic style and vision. Learn various types of photography. Learn how a camera works and which setting is best for specific photographic situations. Take your photography to the next level.

Theatre Camp August 1st—August 5th (Full Day)

9AM to 3PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7 to 11; Fee: \$190

Young actors spend a week working as an ensemble to create an original play – full of drama, comedy, suspense, and one-of-a-kind characters. Professional teaching artists guide campers through playwriting basics and fun improvisation games. On the last day, they perform their world premiere play! In Drama Camp, children make new friends, build listening and ensemble skills, take on leadership roles, and explore their creativity. *Pending COVID-19 safety policies, the final showcase may be performed without a live audience. Families will be sent a link to watch from off-site, and a recording of the showcase.

Cheer and Dance Camp August 8th—August 12th (Half-Day)

9 AM to 12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 5 to 12; Fee: \$100

Are you ready to stand up and cheer?! Limerick Township Parks & Recreation is teaming up with the Spring-Ford High School Cheerleaders. Come out and learn the fundamentals of cheerleading with Head Cheer Coach Dawn Householder and the 2021 Spring-Ford High School Cheerleading Squad. Participants will learn cheers, side line dances, stunts & jumps. On Friday, camp will be capped off with a performance for the parents. No experience needed. Come dressed in athletic clothing and sneakers.

Basketball Camp August 8th—August 12th (Half Day)

9AM to 1PM at Limerick Community Park; Ages 7 to 13; Fee: \$125

Basketball and prep skills training with an experienced instructor. Players will develop their basketball techniques in the areas of triple threat, free throws, dribbling and defensive positions. It is a great opportunity for players to improve their skills over the summer.. All Players must bring: a healthy snack, water bottle, and wear a t-shirt, shorts, running shoes and sun screen.

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August Specialty Camps Continued..

Science Explorers: Far Out Space Academy August 8th—August 12th (Half-Day)

9AM-12PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages 7 to 12 Fee: \$240

Registration available Mid-February on www.scienceexplorers.com

3...2...1 BLAST OFF to discovering space and flight! Half day campers will explore the stars and constellations as you take an out-of-this-world sky tour in our homemade planetarium, prepare for lift-off as you build and launch your own rocket while learning about Newton's Laws of Motion, complete a mission to Mars as you design and build your own model space station and work in engineering teams to construct space capsules that will be used to launch "eggstronauts"!

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Harry Potter Camp August 15th—August 19th (Full Day)

9AM to 3 PM at Limerick Township Building; Fee: \$340

Attention Wizards and Witches of Limerick! We are looking for young wizarding students to join us for a week of Wizarding camp! Our week long camp is jam-packed with action and excitement including Quidditch! In between your "classes," which may include (but are certainly not limited to) Defense Against the Arts, Potions, Herbology, Divination, Care of Magical Creatures, and Charms, you can spend galleons at Honeydukes, check out the latest gag at our joke shop, duel another wizard, sip a butter beer, and find the wand that's right for you! You and your campmates will sleuth together to solve a magical mystery as you work through mystical challenges! Each week is unique and every day is different! Everything kicks off with Owlers flown to each student's Muggle home.

Pop Up Play August 22th—August 26th (Half Day/Full Day Options)

9AM to 3PM. 9AM-12PM or 12PM-3PM at Limerick Township Building; Ages: 6 to 12 Fee: \$150 Half/\$300 Full

Become a Time Traveler! In this action packed camp we'll travel through time learning and playing active games popular throughout a century of play. We'll explore play from 1900 to today, think sack racers, stick-ball, hopscotch and apple-basket basketball. Campers will literally run, jump and play throughout time as intrepid time travelers. Are you ready to build your time machine? In the afternoon, we'll take a universally available material, cardboard, and push its limits! Campers will construct catapults, flying machines, arcade games, Rube Goldberg machines, cities, cars, robots and costumes. We can't wait to build with you.