#### June/July 2015

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### Borough Office Summer Hours:

Monday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Thursday: 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday - Closed
Library will be
open on Fridays

Borough Offices, Library and DPW will be closed

Friday,

July 4, 2015 in observance of Independence Day!



#### This Month In Fair Haven

### TRASH COLLECTION JUNE 2015

#### Trash - Zones 1 & 2

Monday, June 1st Thursday, June 4th Monday, June 8th Thursday, June 11th Monday, June 15th Thursday, June 18th Monday, June 22nd Thursday, June 25th Monday, June 29th

#### Trash - Zones 1 & 2

Thursday, July 2nd Monday, July 6th Thursday, July 9th Monday, July 13th Thursday, July 16th Monday, July 20th Thursday, July 23rd Monday, July 27th Thursday, July 30th

#### Trash - Zones 3 & 4

Tuesday, June 2nd Friday, June 5th Tuesday, June 9th Friday, June 12th Tuesday, June 16th Friday, June 19th Tuesday, June 23rd Friday, June 26th Tuesday, June 30th

#### **JULY 2015**

#### Trash - Zones 3 & 4

Friday, July 3rd Tuesday, July 7th Friday, July 10th Tuesday, July 14th Friday, July 17th Tuesday, July 21st Friday, July 24th Tuesday, July 28th Friday, July 31st

SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING - ALL ZONES
Single-stream recycling will be picked up every Wednesday for all zones!

#### **BRUSH SCHEDULE**

June - Only brush may be placed curbside.

July - Only brush may be placed curbside.

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#### Welcome to the June -July Edition of the Focus on Fair Haven

All information for publication can be submitted by email to the Borough at bberube@fhboro.net or by fax to 732-747-6962. Kindly note that **July 6, 2015** will be the deadline for the August-September edition. All submissions should include a contact name and phone number. Email attachments should be in Word format. Photographs may be submitted in print form. However, 300dpi attachments are preferred as their reproduction quality is significantly better. Photographs of community events with a brief description are always appreciated. Just remember that a written release is mandatory for all minors identifiable within the image. As always, feel free to contact the me with any questions, 732-747-0241, ext. 219.

Betty Ann Berube, Editor

#### Borough Administrator's Notes

#### FOND FAREWELL AND WELCOME

For the past six years, our residents have gotten used to seeing a smiling familiar face at the front desk of Borough Hall, in the person of Administrative Assistant/Deputy Clerk, Nancy Calore. I have mixed feelings reporting to you that Nancy has taken a new job in the Avon School District Business Office. Nancy leaves us with nothing but great feelings and well wishes. It was a very difficult decision for Nancy, because she loved her job in Fair Haven; however, ultimately it was the right choice for her and her family, which I totally understood and supported. I will miss Nancy on both a personal and professional level, because along with assisting residents and staff on a daily basis, she was also my confidential secretary. Not only was Nancy very effective in her job, I always knew that she had my back and I trusted her to help keep me on task. On behalf of the Mayor and Council and the residents of Fair Haven, I want to thank Nancy for her years of service and I know that we all wish her well in her new career.

Residents will now find a new smiling face at the front desk of Borough Hall, in the person of Betty Ann Berube. Betty Ann comes to us with a complete Administrative Assistant skill set and a wealth of valuable experience. She has already hit the ground running and I know that she will be a valuable addition to our very talented and dedicated Borough staff. On behalf of the Mayor and Council and the residents of Fair Haven, I wish to welcome Betty Ann and I encourage you to stop by and introduce yourself the next time you are in Borough Hall.



#### RIVER ROAD STREETSCAPE COMPLETED

I am very pleased to report that the Borough has nearly completed the very well designed River Road Streetscape Project, which has completely connected and revitalized the entire down town area. The third and final phase of this project, which is nearing completion as I write this article, is the Streetscape East portion, which extends from Oak Place east to the Rumson border. The great majority of the funding for the Borough's three streetscape projects came from over 1.3 million dollars in grants, which were awarded to the Borough over the past five years.

My predecessor, Mary Howell, Borough Engineer, Rich Gardella, and the members of the Fair Haven Governing Body, past and present, are to be commended for having the vision, skill, and dedication, to bring all three phases of this very worthwhile project to fruition, at minimal cost to Borough taxpayers.



### FAIR HAVEN DAY CELEBRATION UPDATE

The Borough of Fair Haven will be celebrating "Fair Haven Day" on Saturday, June 13, 2015, from 3:30 p.m. to the conclusion of the fireworks. This year the music will be provided by River Road Band and Juke Box Criminals. Food options will include a picnic by Brennan's, seafood from Lusty Lobster and desserts from Booskerdoo.

Tickets will be sold at Borough Hall beginning Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> on all weekdays through Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup>. Look for additional times on weekends and the week leading up to Fair Haven Day. Ticket prices, as follows:

- \$10.00 for the Brennan's Picnic
- \$5.00 for a choice of a Lusty Lobster Seafood Offering
- \$2.00 for a Booskerdoo Dessert

For the first time ever, the Foundation of Fair Haven also has a special **ONLINE ONLY** ticket purchasing opportunity they are calling "Friends of Fair Haven Day 2015." This is an easy and convenient way for you to donate to this great community event as well as get your tickets early. Please go to the link below to make your donation and to secure your tickets.

https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd= s-xclick&hosted button id=RYB2487XA7SXQ

We are also pleased to announce that New Jersey American Water will have their "Puddles Van" at the event, providing drinking water for all. In the interest of the environment, as well as eliminating trash on our beautiful Fair Haven Fields, we are encouraging all of our residents to bring reusable sports bottles to Fair Haven Day so that they can be filled with water from NJAW's Puddles Van.

As in the past, the Foundation of Fair Haven, which is a 501C-3 tax exempt charity, has been raising funds to help offset the cost of the Fair Haven Day activities. If anyone is interested in helping to directly fund this June 13, 2015 community wide celebration, the Foundation of Fair Haven has a variety of Fair Haven Day sponsorships which are available to both individual residents and companies. Please contact Foundation of Fair Haven member, Marie Noglows, at <a href="marie.noglows@comcast.net">marie.noglows@comcast.net</a> if you are interested in sponsoring this fine annual event.

Finally, please make sure that you thank the Fair Haven Business Association for sponsoring many extra fun attractions at Fair Haven Day, including face painting and the photo booth. Please also be sure to support our local businesses, as a vital downtown is part of what makes Fair Haven so charming and our business owners need you to shop local to be able to stay in business.

#### Borough Administrator's Notes

### BOROUGH HALL OFFICE HOURS ADJUSTED FOR SUMMER

As we have done for the past two years, central office personnel who work at Borough Hall will be following summer hours from Memorial Day through Labor Day, as follows:

#### Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday-

Office Open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

#### **Thursday**

Office Open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., which will coordinate with the evening hours of our Borough Library.

#### Friday

The Clerk, Finance and Tax Collector's offices will be closed.

The Library will remain open on Fridays.

The Library is closed on Saturdays in the summer.

In closing, I would like to thank all of the volunteers and residents who participated in our Memorial Day Parade. This annual event has been a source of Borough pride for many years; perhaps more importantly, it always serves to remind us of the countless men and women who bravely served our country. If you have any comments, questions or concerns, feel free to contact me at my office by calling 732-747-0241 or via my Borough email account, tcasagrande@fhboro.net.

Best regards,

Theresa S. Casagrande

Borough Administrator



Fair Haven has the following openings on our various boards and commissions.

One regular member and one alternate member on our **Environmental Commission**, one regular member and one alternate member on our **Historic Preservation Commission**, an alternate member of the Planning Board and an alternate member of the Shade Tree Commission.

Please consider volunteering your time and talent to serve your community. If you are interested in serving, please contact Borough Hall or Mayor Lucarelli directly.

#### Fair Haven Seniors

Calling all Fair Haven Seniors—55 and up!!!! Join us for conversation, activities, trips, dessert, coffee and tea at our monthly (Third Tuesday of each month\* except July and August) at 1:00 p.m. at the Community Center, located behind the Police Department at 35 Fisk Street. Our group welcomes new (and old) members. Off-street parking available, no stairs to climb. Call Ruth Blaser at 732-842-4228 with any questions. We hope to see you soon! \*\*Unless changed due to holiday or activity.

#### From the Clerk's Desk

Council Meetings during the month of June will be Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup> and Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup>. The July Council Meeting will be Monday, July 20, 2015. Council meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

I would like to welcome Betty Ann Berube to Fair Haven's Administrative team. Betty Ann began employment with the Borough a few weeks ago and has been a great addition.

The Borough of Fair Haven entered into a shared service agreement with the Borough of Rumson for Municipal Court Services. Any municipal court matters will be handled through the Borough of Rumson, 80 East River Road, Rumson, NJ, 732-530-7131.

Bulk drop off days for the months of June and July are as follows:

Saturday, June 20, 2015, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 11, 2015, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Please remember that any organization holding a bingo or raffle event must obtain a Registration Certificate from the Division of Legalized Games of Chance Control Commission in order to make application for a license through the Borough Clerk's Office.

All block parties must receive Borough approval. Application forms which include a map of the area where the party will be held are available at Borough Hall and through the Borough's website.

If you have any questions or need assistance in completing forms, please do not hesitate to contact me, 732-747-0241, ext. 221.

#### **ELECTION NEWS**

Tuesday, June 2, 2015 is Primary Election day. The polling places are open from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and are as follows:

Districts 1, 2 and 5 vote at the Knights of Columbus Building, 200 Fair Haven Road

Districts 3, 4 and 6 vote at the Community Center, 35 Fisk Street.

Please note that your voting district is different from what zone you fall under for garbage/recycling pick up. Your sample ballot lists what voting district you are in and where you should vote.

Hope to see you on Saturday, June 13, 2015 to celebrate Fair Haven Day. There will be food, fun and friendship!!



Allyson M. Cinquegrana, RMC Borough Clerk www.fairhavennj.org FOCUS on FAIR HAVEN Page 6

#### Fair Haven Police Department



# 13th Annual NATIONAL NIGHT OUT AUGUST 4, 2015

National Night Out is Tuesday, August 4th @ the Community Center, behind Police Headquarters. This is the 13<sup>th</sup> year that we are participating in this nationwide event. It's a great night for friends and family members of the community to get together and get to know the Officers of the Police Department.

There are many fun events planned for this year. For more information please contact the event coordinator Det. Stephen Schneider @ 732-747-0241 x331 or <a href="mailto:sschneider@fhboro.net">sschneider@fhboro.net</a>

#### Beat the Heat!



Here are some tips for preventing heatrelated illnesses:

- Stay in an air-conditioned indoor location (home, public library, shopping mall, or a heat-relief shelter)
- Drink plenty of non-alcoholic fluids regardless of your activity level. Don't wait until you are thirsty, keep hydrated at all times. If you are on fluid restrictions,

consult your doctor.

- Wear loose, light-weight, light-colored clothing and sunscreen
- Schedule outdoor activities carefully and pace yourself
- Take cool showers or baths to cool down
- NEVER leave anyone or a pet in a closed, parked vehicle
- Check on friends and neighbors, especially if they are elderly, and have someone do the same for you and your family

### Crossing Guards Needed

Fair Haven Borough is hiring part-time crossing guards.

For further information please come in to Police Headquarters to pick up an application or contact Ptl. John Koetzner at 732-747-0241 x329.



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#### Have a Beautiful Lawn with Less Irrigation

#### New Jersey American Water Requests Summer-long Odd/Even Watering in Monmouth County

**VOORHEES, N.J.** (May 6, 2015) — Spring has finally broken through and temperatures are on the rise. In preparation for the summer season and as lawn irrigation systems are turned on, New Jersey American Water is asking its Monmouth County customers to use an odd/even schedule for outdoor watering to avoid the potential of stringent summertime water use restrictions.

"We ask our Monmouth County customers to adopt odd/even watering for lawn irrigation this summer," said Kevin Kirwan, senior director of operations for New Jersey American Water's Coastal Operations. "Odd/even watering now will help us manage a finite supply of water, yet our customers will still be able to maintain healthy lawns and vegetation. In past years, our customers have helped reduce water demands when we've asked, and we thank them in advance for their cooperation this year."

#### The odd/even outdoor water use schedule being suggested works as such:

- Watering your lawn or garden should occur only on odd days of the month if your street address is an odd number (i.e., 23 Oak St., 7 Maple Ave.)
- Watering your lawn or garden should occur only on even days of the month if your street address is an odd number (i.e., 6 Oak St., 354 Maple Ave.)
- It is also suggested that watering of lawns be done early or late to minimize evaporation, typical between 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. and from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

#### These suggestions would NOT apply to:

- Watering of sod or newly seeded lawns if daily watering is required (note: t is recommended that any planting of new sod or seed that has not already taken place be delayed until the fall)
- Use of private wells for lawn irrigation
- Commercial uses of outdoor water, such as for nurseries, farm stands, power washing, plumbing, and commercial car washes
- Watering of athletic fields

While New Jersey American is encouraging efficient outdoor water use at this time, if water demands continue to significantly increase or supplies continue to significantly decrease, formal and more strict water restrictions may be needed to ensure continued water service.

For more information and more tips on how to conserve water, visit www.newjerseyamwater.com or facebook.com/njamwater.

New Jersey American Water, a wholly owned subsidiary of American Water (NYSE: AWK), is the largest investor-owned water utility in the state, providing high-quality and reliable water and/or wastewater services to approximately 2.6 million people. Founded in 1886, American Water is the largest publicly traded U.S. water and wastewater utility company. With headquarters in Voorhees, N.J. the company employs more than 6,400 dedicated professionals who provide drinking water, wastewater and other related services to approximately 15 million people in more than 40 states, as well as parts of Canada. More information can be found by visiting www.amwater.com.



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#### NEWS from PARKS & RECREATION

## SUMMER EVENTS

6/20 (Sat) - Concert - Band of 2 Rivers.

6/28 (Sun) – Movie Night – Blindside

7/6 (Mon) – Movie Night- How to Train Your Dragon II

7/10 (Fri) – Concert- The Lads

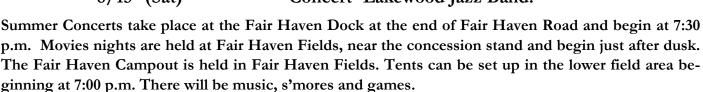
7/25 (Sat) – Campout

7/27 (Mon) – Movie Night-Big

8/2 (Sun) – Movie Night- Frozen

8/7 (Fri) – Concert- Late 4 Lunch

8/15 (Sat) – Concert- Lakewood Jazz Band.



#### **Summertime Safety**

Water safety needs to be practiced at all times. Whether you are at the beach, near a swimming pool or on a boat, make sure that children are watched at all times and flotation devices are available if they do not know how to swim. Practicing water safety will help make your summer more enjoyable and relaxing.



The Fair Haven Firemen's Fair!!
Friday, August 28th through Saturday,
September 5th

Monday through Thursday: 6:30 p.m. – 10:00 pm Fridays and Saturdays: 6:30 p.m. – 11:00 pm

#### Fair Haven Police Department

### "Wall of Honor"



It is with great pride that Knollwood School displays the pictures of graduates who are serving their country on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States of America. These young men and woman have chosen sacrifice and service to their country and are not forgotten as they protect our way of life. This "Wall" reflects that dedication and honors their service. In a continuing effort to keep this display current the committee reaches out to the community to solicit any information about Knollwood graduates who are currently serving. If you have knowledge of any individual meeting this criteria please contact any of the listed committee members below or email <a href="joeotto@aol.com">joeotto@aol.com</a> using the subject line "Wall of Honor" and that information will be verified and the subject added to the display. Your cooperation is appreciated. Lets honor and not forget those Knollwood graduates who protect our way of life on a daily basis.

Committee: Joe Perrotto/Betsy Koch, co-chairpersons

Chief of Police Darryl Breckenridge; Katy Frissora; Rick Robbins

#### Library News



June begins the **VACATION READING CLUB PROGRAM** at the library. Our theme this year is *Every Hero Has a Story* and we will be learning about our local heroes and how they impact our daily lives. This month we will kick off our registration with an Ice Cream Social on June 2 at 3:15. Children will be able to register for the reading club and enjoy a snack!

Special programs this month include *Kids Yoga with Amy's Yogabilities*, *Hero Horses with Tracy Brennan and her "hero horse" Beau*, and *our Super Hero program "Tuesday Tucks Me In* with New York Times best-selling author Luis Carlos Montalván and his golden retriever Tuesday.

Please call for information on any and all of these programs that are featured for the month of June. Attendance is limited and registration is required. Check our web page for complete information <a href="www.fairhavenlib.org">www.fairhavenlib.org</a> or call the library at 732-747-5031 x220.

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Municipal Clerk/Assistant Administrator - Allyson Cinquegrana
Administrative Assistant/Registrar - Betty Ann Berube
Police Chief - Darryl Breckenridge
OEM Coordinator - Lt. Joseph P. McGovern
Tax Assessor - Gregory Hutchinson
Tax Collector/Finance - Denise Jawidzik/Melissa Abrahamsen
Borough/Planning Board Engineer/Public Works Superintendent - Richard
Gardella

Assistant Director of Engineering/Public Works - Nicolas Poruchynsky
Code Enforcement/Zoning Officer - Nicolas Poruchynsky
Parks & Recreation - D.J. Breckenridge and Charlie Hoffmann

Non- Emergency Police 732-747-0991

#### **BOROUGH MEETINGS**

#### Borough Council Meeting

Monday, June 15th, 7:00 p.m. Monday, June 29th, 7:00 p.m. Monday, July 20th, 7:00 p.m.

#### Recreation Committee

Tuesday, June 2nd, 7:30 p.m.

#### Planning Board

Wednesday, June 10th, 7:15 p.m. Wednesday, July 8th, 7:15 p.m.

#### **Historic Commission**

Tuesday, July 28th, 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 28th, 7:00 p.m.

#### Zoning Board

Thursday, July 9th, 7:15 p.m. Thursday, July 9th, 7:15 p.m.

#### Shade Tree

Wednesday, July 1st, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 1st, 6:30 p.m.

#### **Environmental Commission**

Wednesday, June 24th 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 22nd, 7:30 p.m.