



**BOROUGH
INFORMATION**

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**2ND QUARTER  
TAXES DUE  
MAY 1, 2023**

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**TOWNWIDE
YARD SALE**
Saturday, May 6th
9:00 a.m.— 5:00 p.m.

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**GREEN TEAM  
LOVE WHERE YOU  
LIVE DAY**  
Sunday, May 7th  
1-4 p.m.  
Bicentennial Hall

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**Garden Club
PLANT SALE**
Friday, May 12th
4:00—7:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 13th
9:00 am to 12 noon

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**FISHING DERBY  
JUNE 3RD**  
McCarter Pond  
Two Sessions  
8:30 am to 9:30 am  
10:00 am to 11:00 am

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**PRIMARY ELECTION
JUNE 6TH**
6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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**FAIR HAVEN DAY  
JUNE 10TH**  
Fair Haven Fields  
4:30 p.m.—9:30 p.m.

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Borough Offices,
Library and DPW
will be closed
MONDAY, MAY 29TH
in observance of
Memorial Day



Dear Fair Haven Neighbors,

In the past eighteen months serving as your Mayor, considerable progress has been made on key and longstanding issues within the Borough. It was very rewarding to share much of that progress at the most recent Council Meeting held at Knollwood School. This annual meeting, named “The Marchese Meeting,” gives eighth graders an opportunity to experience and participate in their local government. The enthusiasm of the youth of our town was evident and inspiring for all who attended.

Here are some key updates:

With the help of many community members, we have made terrific momentum on the new Police Department and Community Center, as well as the Department of Public Works renovation. In fact, we are optimistic that the groundbreaking will be this fall season. The public participation in the two Community Open House events was both substantial and impactful. Thank you to everyone who contributed their time to be there.

You may notice the hydroraking process underway at McCarter Pond. This process will help restore the pond so another generation of Fair Haven can continue to enjoy its splendor for years to come!

Changes to our fast-food ordinance language have been implemented after considerable thought and discussion over several years. Moreover, we are close to implementing changes on land-use laws in town, and are actively working on a new shade tree ordinance which will encourage planting more trees than are taken down. That process will start on Arbor Day, when close to 50 trees will be planted throughout the Borough to help ensure a tree canopy for our grandchildren.

We will soon begin the long-awaited micro projects all over the Borough, which will improve our infrastructure and roads. These projects underscore my commitment to continuously ensure Fair Haven remains a safe place to live.

Stay tuned for details about our “Love Where You Live” event on Sunday, May 7th from 1-4pm at Bicentennial Hall.

Finally, let’s all celebrate the full return of Fair Haven Day on Saturday June 10th! I’ve enjoyed seeing many of you around town recently at various school and Borough events, as well as at our local business establishments. It’s been such a pleasure to be your Mayor and I look forward to our continued partnership. **We are just getting started!**



Josh

"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 women 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. Lets honor and not forget those Knollwood graduates who protect our way of life on a daily basis.

CURRENTLY SERVING AND ON THE DISPLAY

ALEX HILE (1992) - US Navy
CHRISTOPHER RICHARDS (2000) -
U. S. Navy

JOEL HYDUKE (2001) -

West Point Graduate/US Army

KENNETH EBNER , JR. (2005) -

West Point Graduate/US Army

CHRISTOPHER HOFER (2006) -

US Air Force

BRENDAN REISS (2007) - US Army

EDWARD RAGO (2008) - US Army

ANTHONY SCIAMETTA (2011) - US Army

JAMIE LAUGHINGHOUSE (2013) -

US Marine Corps

THEO ADDISON (2013) - US Army

JOHN OBERLE (2013) - US Army

JACK WOODS (2013) - US Army

If you have knowledge of any individual meeting this criteria please contact any of the listed committee members below or email joeotto@aol.com using the subject line "Wall of Honor" and that information will be verified and the subject added to the display. Your cooperation is appreciated.

2023 TRASH COLLECTION

MAY

Trash - Zones 1 & 2

Monday, May 1st
Monday, May 8th
Monday, May 15th
Thursday, May 18th
Monday, May 22nd
Thursday, May 25th
Monday, May 29th

Trash - Zones 3 & 4

Tuesday, May 2th
Tuesday, May 9th
Tuesday, May 16th
Friday, May 19th
Tuesday, May 23rd
Friday, May 26th
Tuesday, May 30th

JUNE

Trash - Zones 1 & 2

Thursday, June 1st
Monday, June 5th
Thursday, June 8th
Monday, June 12th
Thursday, June 15th
Monday, June 19th
Thursday, June 22nd
Monday, June 26th
Thursday, June 29th

Trash - Zones 3 & 4

Friday, June 2nd
Tuesday, June 6th
Friday, June 9th
Tuesday, June 13th
Friday, June 16th
Tuesday, June 20th
Friday, June 23rd
Tuesday, June 27th
Friday, June 30th

REMINDER: Twice a Week Trash Pick-Up begins May 15th through September 30th

Single-stream Recycling is picked up every Wednesday for all zones!
Please check our Borough website for Recycle guidelines!



The Town Wide Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, May 6th from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. Deadline to apply/register through Borough office is Thursday, May 4th, 12:00 noon. The permit fee is \$10.00.

Please visit the Borough website (www.fairhavernj.org) for application.



From the Clerk's Desk

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

Council meetings for the month of May will be Monday, May 8th and Monday, May 22nd and the meetings for the month of June will be Monday, June 12th and Monday, June 26th beginning at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are held via Hybrid (in-person and via the Zoom Platform).



Congratulations!

Congratulations goes out to **Police Captain Robert Townshend** who retired effective April 1st. **THANK YOU** for your service to the Borough as a Law Enforcement Officer and a volunteer with the various organizations.....we wish you luck in your future endeavors!

Congratulations to **Krystie Larsen** who was appointed Deputy Borough Clerk by Mayor and Council.

Election News

ELECTION

NEWS

The Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, June 6th. The deadline to register or change your name or address is no later than Tuesday, May 16th (21 days prior to the election); forms are available in my office or through the Borough's website (Forms and Documents, Clerk, NJ Voter Registration Application. If you are registered and are unable to vote at the polls, you may Vote by Mail. Please keep in mind there are procedures and timelines for this process.

The polling location **for all voting districts** is the Church of the Nativity, Parish Center, 180 Ridge Road. Your sample ballot that is mailed to you by the Monmouth County Clerk of Elections tells you what district you vote in.

The Monmouth County Board of Elections is in need of poll workers to assist with elections. Applications can be obtained through the Borough Clerk's office or through the Borough's website.

MONMOUTH COUNTY PAPER SHREDDING

Open to ALL Monmouth County residents:

All shredding events will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the following locations:

- May 6th - Marlboro Township @ the Municipal Complex, 1979 Township Drive
- May 20th - Shrewsbury Borough @ the Municipal Center, 419 Sycamore Avenue
- June 10th - Matawan Borough @ the Matawan-Aberdeen Train Station @ Parking Lot 1
- June 17th - Oceanport Borough @ Borough Hall, 910 Oceanport Way (located in Ft. Monmouth)
- July 15th - Fair Haven Borough @ Fair Haven Fields (Ridge Road & Dartmouth Avenue)

Hours are 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 pm. unless the truck fills first. Limited to 100 pounds of documents per residence. **No Businesses Allowed**

Between Memorial Day and Labor Day, Borough Hall office hours are as follows:

MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
8:00 am to 4:00 p.m.
THURSDAY - 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
(coordinating with the late opening of the Library)
FRIDAY
The Clerk, Finance and Tax Collector's offices will be closed.



Make sure you are registered on the various Borough platformsyou do not want to miss out on important information! Reach out to Betty Ann Berube, 732-747-0241, ext. *219 if you need assistance.

Allyson M. Cinquegrana, RMC/CMR, Borough Clerk

Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

Join the Fair Haven Green Team and other Fair Haven Community Groups for the Second Annual

FAIR HAVEN

Love Where You Live Day

SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023
1PM to 4PM
 Bicentennial Hall
 25 Cedar Avenue, Fair Haven

FUN!

- Kids Activities
- Community Information
- Sustainable Ideas
- Arts & Crafts
- Pollinator Gardens
- Native Plants
- Games & More!

Reduce Reuse Recycle

Walk or Bike. Keep Fair Haven Green!

To participate or volunteer email : fhngreenteam@gmail.com

Follow us for updates @fairhavengreenteam #fhlovewhereyouliveday fairhavernj.org/green-team

*Rain or Shine

Saturday, June 10, 2023

The Foundation of Fair Haven and the Fair Haven Day Committee are pleased to announce the return of **FAIR HAVEN DAY!**

DATE: SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH
TIME: 4:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.
LOCATION: FAIR HAVEN FIELDS

Fair Haven Day, which was last celebrated in 2019, is making a comeback! The Foundation of Fair Haven and The Fair Haven Day committee are thrilled to announce another exciting Fair Haven Day event on Saturday, June 10th from 4:30pm-9:30pm.

Fair Haven Day is a fantastic opportunity for everyone in the community to come together and celebrate the town's culture and history. With family-friendly fun-filled activities, games and fireworks show planned, it's sure to be an outstanding day for Fair Haven and all those who attend.

As in years past, please remember the ground rules – no dogs, no outside alcohol, no personal tents and no grills/open flames. Please remember to help us keep Fair Haven Fields clean! Bring your blankets, chairs and the whole family for a spectacular day of community at it's finest.

We look forward to seeing you all on Saturday, June 10th to truly kick-off the Summer—**Fair Haven Style!!**

MEMORIAL DAY REMEMBER AND HONOR

Please join us for a
Memorial Day Parade
Monday, May 29, 2023
 9:00 a.m. - Parade Line up at Sportsman's Field
 9:30 a.m. - Ceremony at Memorial Park
 Please check our Borough website for information
www.fairhavernj.org



Library News.....by Donna Powers, Library Director

732-747-0241, ext *220 website: www.fairhavenlib.org

STORYTIME FOR LITTLES

Join us for rhymes, fingerplays, stories and songs!

Ages 2-4 (with parent/caregiver)

Tuesdays: May 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30
from 9:30 -10:00 am or 10:30 - 11:00 am

Tuesdays: June 6, 13, 20 and 27
from 9:30 - 10:00 am or 10:30 - 11:00 am



SUMMER READING CHALLENGES

“ALL TOGETHER NOW”

Starting June 1 to log your reading!

Readers and listeners of all ages are eligible to receive rewards!

AFTER SCHOOL ADVENTURES—Grades K-3

Tuesdays from 3:45—4:15 p.m., unless noted. Registration required for all special events.

May 2 - SNAPOLOGY CLUB!

Use LEGO bricks in a special maker workshop!

May 9 - Seasonal Stories, Crafts and/or Activities!

May 16 - READ TO A DOG!

Practice reading aloud to a registered therapy dog!

(NOTE: This program runs from 4:00-5:00 p.m.)

May 23 & May 30 - Seasonal Stories, Crafts and/or Activities!

June 6 - SNAPOLOGY CLUB!

Use LEGO bricks in a special maker workshop!

June 13—Seasonal Stories, Crafts and/or Activities!

June 20 - READ TO A DOG! Practice reading aloud to a registered therapy dog! (NOTE: This program runs from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.)



MUSEUM PASSES—Residents may check out the following museum passes:

American Museum of Natural History, Children’s Museum of Manhattan, Guggenheim Museum, Historic Village at Allaire; Morven Museum and Garden; Newark Museum of Art; and Thomas Edison Center at Menlo Park

Call the Library for details





**caring
for our
community**

How can you help prevent
**STORMWATER
POLLUTION?**

Here are a few simple things you can do to reduce the amount of stormwater pollution.

Point roof downspouts to the yard where water can soak into the ground.

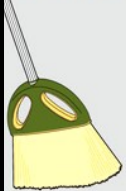


Check your car for leaks and recycle motor oil.



Prevent polluted runoff. Use pesticides and fertilizers sparingly.

Go to the car wash or wash it on your lawn where soapy water can be absorbed.



Sweep up driveways, sidewalks and roads.

Compost yard waste. It makes a great garden additive.

Never dump anything down storm drains.

Help us out

After rain falls on roofs, streets and lawns, it picks up all kinds of contaminants as it flows untreated into our storm drains. Pollutants can wind up in our creeks and rivers. We all need to do our part to make sure only rain goes down the storm drains!!

Check out the 2023



**MONMOUTH COUNTY
RECYCLING GUIDE**



**USE THESE 3 BASIC
RECYCLING RULES TO HELP
GET IT RIGHT:**

1. Recycle clean bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.
2. Keep food and liquid out of recycling.
3. No BAGGED recyclables.

**DON'T
OVERFILL CAN!**

Aaaaagh!



BE A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER!





Be sure to stay in the know regarding new events, camps, last minute cancellations and more!!!
 On our website: <http://fairhavernj.org/content/recreation.html>
 On our Facebook page: Borough of Fair Haven
 On Twitter: @ FAIRHAVEN_REC
 Rec E-blast system: please email Recreation@fhboro.net

FISHING DERBY



This year's Fishing Derby will take place on Saturday, June 3rd at McCarter Pond
 Two Sessions
 8:30—9:30 a.m.
 10:00—11:00 a.m.



Participants need to sign up ahead of time for one of the two sessions:

Registration is now open:

<https://fairhavernj.leagueapps.com/events>

2023 FH RECREATION SUMMER CAMPS

LACROSSE * MAD SCIENCE *
 SNAPOLOGY * MARINE SCIENCE
 * SOCCER * T-BALL * MULTI-
 SPORTS * TENNIS * FOOTBALL *
 BASKETBALL * RTC COOL RUNNER'S
 FITNESS CAMP

SOMETHING for EVERYONE!

Visit our Borough website under Recreation

Rec-N-Crew



DATES: 6/26– 7/28 (M-F)
 TIME: 8:30-11:30am
 AGES: Fair Haven children entering grades 1-8
 *COST: \$195, additional children are \$170
 *Expected cost

For the Rec-N-Crew Summer Day Camp, registration takes place through our ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM:
<https://fairhavernj.leagueapps.com/camps>

When registering through our website you will be prompted to create a Fair Haven LeagueApps family username + password if you do not have one

Late fee after May 15

Last day to sign up with late fee is June 1

TRIPS AND PIZZA/ICE CREAM DAYS
MUST BE SIGNED UP FOR AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION

To register for Recreation Dept. E-blasts please email Recreation@fhboro.net

FAIR HAVEN SENIORS ARE MEETING!



Calling all Fair Haven residents age 55 and older to join our active and involved Senior Group. We meet every third Tuesday of the month at 1 pm at Bicentennial Hall. Our last two meetings before we break for the summer, involve a presentation in May by the Monmouth County Division on Aging, Disabilities and Veterans Services and Monmouth County Sheriff's Office will be distributing free DISASTER PREPAREDNESS READY GO BAGS and issuing free REGISTER READY EMERGENCY ID CARDS.

Tuesday, May 16, 2023 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Bicentennial Hall, 25 Cedar Avenue, Fair Haven

We encourage all residents who fit the following criteria to attend:

Anyone of any age who considers themselves frail. Seniors aged 60 and older and persons with disabilities of any age who may feel or foresee the need for assistance in evacuating during a disaster. Caregivers of any age caring for anyone of any age are encouraged to attend and receive a Ready Go Bag for a care recipient. All participants will have the option to enroll in Register Ready. This will provide police with your specific needs during an evacuation. Please call (732) 747-2806 to sign-up. Please bring your ID and an emergency contact phone number. We hope to see you there!

In June we will all enjoy a year end Pot Luck Luncheon.

Contact Jeannine Maloney at jeanninemaloney@comcast.net for more information

Garden Club of Fair Haven News



Friday, May 12th
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 13th
9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

For several decades, the plant sale has been the primary fund raiser for the Garden Club of Fair Haven. Well-established perennials from members' gardens are featured at attractive prices. This year's sale also includes specialty shrubs and bushes (some flowering and others that provide year-round color). Flowering baskets and garden-related boutique items will also be available for sale.

For phone inquiries, call 732-219-0150.

The Fair Haven Community Appeal for 2022-2023 is Wrapping Up!

The Fair Haven Community Appeal would like to thank the Fair Haven residents who have already donated to our current campaign. With your generosity we will be able to help organizations that are facing an increased demand for their services.

We will be finalizing our records in July, and up until that time donations can still be made online at bit.ly/FHCA2022, or mailed to the FH Community Appeal, PO Box 63, Fair Haven.

The Appeal is a registered 501(c)(3) organization, and contributions are tax deductible as allowable. If you have any questions or recommendations of organizations that you would like us to consider please email the Appeal Officers at FHCAppeal@gmail.com.

Lastly, our need for volunteers remains. We only meet once per year, but our work is rewarding. If you would like to volunteer, please contact us at the above email.

Sincerely,
2022-2023 Fair Haven Community Appeal Committee

BULK PICK-UP MAY & JUNE

ZONES 1 & 2
Monday, May 1st

ZONES 1 & 2
Monday, June 5th

ZONES 3 & 4
Monday, May 8th

ZONES 3 & 4
Monday, June 12th

Large items may be placed at your curbside (i.e. mattress, couch, dining table, dresser). We **DO NOT** pick up construction debris (cabinets, sinks toilets, sheet rock, fencing, etc).

If you have an appliance (a stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, washer, dryer, hot water heater, air conditioner), you must come to the Administration Office and pay \$25.00 for each appliance that is being disposed.

If you have E-waste (computer, printer, TV, etc.), you must advise the Administration Office (732-747-0241, ext. *219). There is no fee to dispose of electronics.



Boat Ramp Permit

Boat Launch and River Access Permits are available through the central office. *See the new fee schedule below:*

Standard fee/Boats	\$100.00/year: resident	\$200.00/year non-resident
Canoes, kayaks, shells and paddleboards	\$50.00/year: resident	\$100.00/year: non-resident
Persons sixty-five years or older	\$25.00/year: resident	\$50.00/year: non-resident
Single day pass	\$25.00/day: resident	\$50.00/day: non-resident
Commercial Entity - All Watercraft	\$100.00 per day	\$300.00 per year



Fair Haven Police Department



10 Tips for Parents of New Drivers

Tip #1: Be the example your children need. If *you* refrain from using a cell phone while driving, buckle up your seat belt, respect others on the road and follow the traffic laws of your state, your teenager will follow your example.

Tip #2: Choose the appropriate car. A newer car may have better safety features and airbags than an older model. Larger cars offer more protection in a crash and your teen may be a bit less tempted to rev the engines for a race.



Tip #3: Practice makes a (nearly) perfect driver. No one becomes good at something after doing it for just a few hours. Your child needs at least two hours of practice driving each week for six months to reach a level of proficiency.

Tip #4: Limit nighttime driving. Reduced visibility at night makes nighttime driving much more challenging for inexperienced drivers.

Tip #5: Have the impaired driving talk. Talk with your child *before* he or she gets a license. If your teen were to consume *any* alcohol or other drugs before getting behind the wheel, they would be engaging in impaired driving. In addition to warning them about the risks of crashes and fatalities, make sure your child knows the legal and economic consequences of disobeying the law.

Tip #6: The dangers of texting. Hundreds of people die every month because a driver got distracted while behind the wheel. Teach your child to keep their eyes on the road and their minds focused.

Tip #7: Prepare them for the weather. Snow? Black ice? Heavy rains? Teach your child to know how to handle the common (and even uncommon!) situations that arise on the roads in your area.

Tip #8: Don't drive while drowsy. Fatigued drivers are dangerous drivers. Encourage your teen to balance their activities and get enough rest.

Tip #9: Keep an eye on maintenance. If your teenager knows how to test tire pressure, check essential fluids and change a flat tire, they'll be safer on the roadway.

Tip #10: Use technology to your advantage. Technology can allow you to monitor your teen's driving performance, to set speed alerts, radio volume limits, etc.

HOME SECURITY:

With the warmer weather approaching, many homeowners will begin to open their windows and sliding doors to allow the fresh air into their homes. An open window or slider, especially on the first floor, is an easily accessible entry point for any burglar looking for an "easy score". Remember to close and lock these windows and doors every time you leave your home. A burglar only needs a few minutes to enter your home and steal your valuables.

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Assistant Director of Engineering/Public Works—Nicolas Poruchynsky
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Planning Board and Zoning Board Secretary—Sandra Papa
Construction Code Official - Nick Fabiano
Code Enforcement—Officer Brock Seibert
Tax Assessor—Gregory Hutchinson

Non-Emergency Police 732-747-0991

All Other Borough Meetings as Noticed at Borough Hall and Borough Website

2023 BOROUGH MEETINGS

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Monday, May 8, 7:00 p.m. Monday, June 12, 7:00 p.m.
Monday, May 22, 7:00 p.m. Monday, June 26, 7:00 p.m.

ZONING BOARD

Thursday, May 4, 7:15 p.m.
Thursday, June 1, 7:15 p.m.

PLANNING BOARD

Tuesday, May 16, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, June 20, 7:30 p.m.

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

Wednesday, May 3, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 7, 7:30 p.m.

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Tuesday, May 2, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, June 6, 7:30 p.m.

HISTORIC COMMISSION

Tuesday, May 23, 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, June 27, 7:00 p.m.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Wednesday, May 10, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 14, 7:30 p.m.

FAIR HAVEN FIELDS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, May 9, 7:00 p.m.

GREEN TEAM COMMITTEE

May 17, 7:30 p.m.
June 21, 7:30 p.m.

Working as a crossing guard is a great opportunity to work with children and keep communities safe. We are looking for dependable individuals to fill several School Crossing Guard positions. The job is to ensure the safety of children and other pedestrians as they cross the street before and after school.



Crossing guards not only guide our children safely across the street, they are also a role model in helping children to develop the skills necessary to cross the streets safely at all times. The job is ideal for anyone who loves children and looks forward to a 'hello' or a 'how is your day' or a 'thank you for crossing me!' Anyone who wants a wave from a child who looks up to you, knowing that yours might be the first

smile they see in a day.

Please call 732-747-0241 ext. *329 or jkoetzner@fhboro.net

