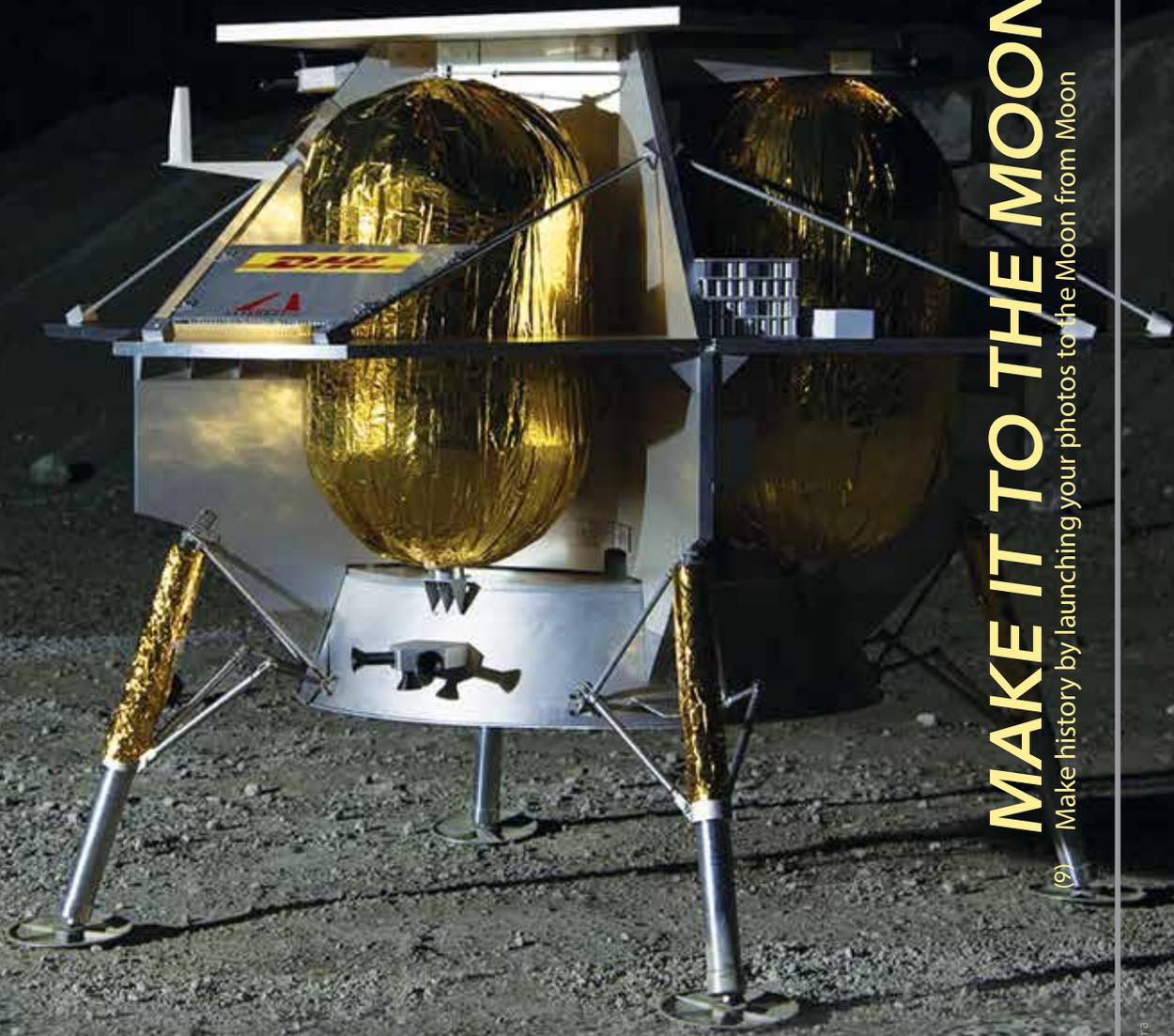


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WINTER 2018



**MAKE IT TO THE MOON**

Make history by launching your photos to the Moon from Moon



Community Development



Public Works



Green Initiatives



Parks & Recreation



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Police



Fire



Library

**Moon Township Administration Office**

1000 Beaver Grade Road  
Moon Township, PA 15108  
412.262.1700  
moontwp.com

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Renee Cameron, Administrative Assistant

**Other Moon Township Contact Information**

**Always call 911 in an emergency**

Moon Township Police Department  
412.262.5000  
Moon Township Fire Department  
412.262.5004 (non-emergency only)  
Moon Parks and Recreation  
412.262.1703  
Moon Community Access Television  
412.269.1191  
Moon Township Municipal Authority  
412.264.4300  
Moon Township Public Library  
412.269.0334  
Elected Property Tax Collector: Catherine Tress  
412.299.7446  
Earned Income Tax Collector: Jordan Tax Service  
724.731.2300

Township offices will be closed in observance of the upcoming holidays:

**Christmas, December 24 and 25**  
**New Year's Day, January 1**  
**Presidents' Day, February 18**

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## The Cover

Moon Township residents can be a part of the Moon Museum!

The Moon Township Messenger was arranged by Communications Director Christine Ree and designed by Web & Graphic Designer Frank Vieira.

Read the Winter 2018 Moon Township Messenger and past editions online at [moontwp.com](http://moontwp.com).

## A Letter from the Township Manager

As 2018 comes to an end, it's natural to reflect back on all that has happened over the past year. It has certainly been a busy one!

Spring arrived early with the annual Bunny Trail event for the kids in March. Earth day at Robin Hill followed in April, and usually around the same time crews start getting fields into shape for baseball, softball, soccer, while cleaning up the township greenspace after the winter thaw. The Robin Hill lunchtime concert series kicked off in May, followed by the annual Memorial Day Service which is held by the Keith-Holmes Post 402 V.F.W. Starting in June, the Friday Fun Nights at Moon Park offered an opportunity to kick back under the stars, or if you were looking for something more invigorating you could take your family to Moon High School and jump in the pool for some fun and exercise.

If you are a native to Moon Township or even if you have moved here recently, you quickly come to find out that Moon Township puts on an outstanding celebration for Independence Day. This year over 600 participants participated in the township's first 5K Glow Run & Walk on July 3rd. It was a hot, humid night but the runners and walkers persevered to return to a finish line filled with music, dancing, circus acts, hot dogs, oranges, ice cream, and awards. The July 4th celebration quickly followed the next day packed with fun-filled activities for the kids, music for all ages, and an array of foodie truck vendors. Of course, the highlight was a Class A fireworks presentation.

While the finishing touches were being placed on the newly relocated Endeavor Field, which is now behind Clearview Pavilion, the Moon Park playground project began. It feels like we have reported on the Moon Park playground renovation for the past five years, but it is finally approaching completion. Due to unfavorable weather

conditions over the summer and now into the fall, this project will carry into 2019. We are planning for a ribbon cutting once the snow melts and the grass starts turning green.

As we moved through August and September, the Friday Fun Nights were still going strong. Our first Wizarding Fest was enjoyed by many more people than we expected, in spite of the cold and rain, and BBQ with a Side of Blues heated up a September afternoon. October brought the groundbreaking ceremony for the Miracle League Field, and the Halloween Spooktacular was attended by ghosts, goblins, witches, skunks, Marvel heroes and more! They painted pumpkins, walked the haunted trail, enjoyed hay rides and visited with Moon police and fire, as well as Valley Ambulance. November and into December will be filled with holiday celebrations like Light Up Night, Brunch with Santa, and the annual Greens and Things Sale.

As you can see, there are plenty of activities to keep you busy in Moon, but please remember the staff here is always open to suggestions for new ideas to explore. It is our goal to serve the residents most effectively and efficiently as possible and to have people like yourselves want to "Make It Moon."

Thank you for a wonderful year, and we look forward to 2019.

*Dawn Lane*  
Township Manager

## WM At Your Door Program

Waste Management offers a residential curbside pickup for hard-to-recycle items. The "At Your Door Special Collection" program allows most Moon Township residents who have Waste Management service to easily and safely dispose of hazardous materials such as garden chemicals, electronics, fluorescent bulbs, batteries, used motor oil and more.

After scheduling your collection date and time, a Waste Management representative will provide you with information and instructions for preparing your collection. More information on the program and a complete list of accepted materials can be found through the program's website at [WMatYourDoor.com](http://WMatYourDoor.com) or by calling a representative at **1.800.449.7587**.



The graphic features a green house icon at the top. Below it, the text reads: "MOON TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY REFUSE CUSTOMERS COLLECTION OF ELECTRONIC & HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE SIGN UP 3 EASY WAYS". The three easy ways are listed in yellow boxes: 1. ONLINE AT: [WMATYOURDOOR.COM](http://WMATYOURDOOR.COM), 2. CALL: 1.800.449.7587, and 3. EMAIL: [ATYOURDOOR@WM.COM](mailto:ATYOURDOOR@WM.COM). At the bottom, it states: "Additional information about this program is available from the Moon Township Municipal Authority at [moontma.com](http://moontma.com) or by phone at 412.264.4300. A message from the Moon Township Environmental Advisory Council 2017 in partnership with..." and includes logos for Moon Township Municipal Authority, WM (Waste Management), and Moon Township.

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT make it moon



## Extended Bus Service to Moon Township

As part of its commitment to connect Allegheny County residents to the places they want to go, Port Authority extended the 28X-Airport Flyer and 21-Coraopolis bus routes as part of its quarterly service changes that began on Sunday, November 18, 2018.

The 28X-Airport Flyer was extended to serve the Pittsburgh neighborhoods of Shadyside and Point Breeze, and will operate via Fifth and Forbes avenues.

Service will continue to operate every half-hour to/from Pittsburgh International Airport.

Also beginning on November 18, trips on the 21-Coraopolis were split into two branches. The M Branch will serve the Moon Township business district, Robert Morris University, and the University Boulevard Park and Ride as it runs along University Boulevard. The S Branch will serve the current stops in Sewickley.

Both branches will operate to downtown Pittsburgh via Route 51.

In addition to the two major changes above, schedules for more than two-dozen bus routes also will be updated. Full schedules of the updated routes are available at [PortAuthority.org](http://PortAuthority.org). Riders with questions are encouraged to call Port Authority Customer Service at **412.442.2000**.



## Moon Township Employees Perform Acts of Kindness

Moon Township employees gave back to the community this fall by engaging in two acts of kindness. A team gathered on a cold, wet morning to beautify Old Thorn Run Road and Mooncrest Drive. The public works department provided safety gear and precautions when picking up litter. Retired Moon Township Police Chief Leo McCarthy joined in on the action, helping the team collect over 30 bags of trash.

A few weeks earlier, employees supported the efforts of the Pittsburgh Airport Area Chamber of Commerce in collecting Halloween candy for military children. The loot was donated to the children's Trunk-or-Treat event at the 911th Airlift Wing, which featured lunch, hayrides, games, and a kids' costume contest. The highlight of the event was a haunted C-130 airplane.



# GREEN INITIATIVES make it moon

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## Woods for Water

A major tree planting took place on October 19 on a beautiful sunny 31-degree morning at the Forestbrooke Conservation Area owned by Hollow Oak Land Trust. The Allegheny Watershed Alliance worked with Moon Township and many other organizations to coordinate the event.

To restore the wetland habitat, over 200 trees were planted by Moon Township staff, the Moon Township Environmental Advisory Council, Hollow Oak Land Trust, the Allegheny Watershed Alliance, Allegheny Conservation District, and volunteers from FedEx Ground and Community School West of McKees Rocks. Ongoing monitoring and maintenance will ensure these trees continue to enrich the habitat along Montour Run.

## Volunteers in Action

Volunteers from area corporations, churches, schools, colleges and organizations devoted much time and energy to many projects in the township's parks over the past few months. They worked to improve trails, enhance Nelson Pond at Moon Park, build message boards, plant trees, develop the Fleur de Lune garden and native species plant nursery at Robin Hill, and supported many township

happenings such as Recycling Day, Moon Parks and Recreation events, and much more. We are thankful for the generosity and stewardship as well as the community spirit in making significant improvements to our parks and events. Community Engagement offers many opportunities to be involved. Look for more tree plantings and trail building events coming in the spring.



## Farmers' Market Wraps Up Bountiful Season

Moon Township thanks the community, vendors and sponsors for supporting the annual farmers' market. West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union, our presenting sponsor, hosted a fantastic weekly children and youth produce coupon giveaway, while Heritage Valley Health System offered weekly giveaways and educational information.

We are seeking additional vendors for the 2019 market. If interested, please visit [moontwp.com/farmersmarket.html](http://moontwp.com/farmersmarket.html) to complete a vendor interest form. We take pride in being a traditional producer-only market, meaning that all vendors must grow or make at least 75 percent of their own products for sale.

Mark your calendar for opening day – June 5, 2019!



# GREEN INITIATIVES make it moon

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## Save The Date!

### National Trails Day

*Saturday, June 1, 2019*

Moon Township and Hollow Oak Land Trust are planning a special event to get everyone out on the trails!

## Moon Township Recognized for Trail Development Efforts

Hollow Oak Land Trust recognized the strategic municipal partnership with Moon Township at its annual member celebration dinner in November. Members, partners, the board of directors, staff and volunteers gathered to celebrate efforts to join greenspace and build connecting trails in Moon Township and surrounding areas.

Moon Township Community Engagement and volunteers work with Hollow Oak staff to design, build and maintain the trail system. Currently, we are working to design and develop the recently-acquired 90 acres at Robin Hill Park. Once finished, Moon Township will have nearly 20 miles of completed trail, with many connections to other trail systems, including Hollow Oak, Montour Trail and residential neighborhoods.

The new trail system is expected to be open to the public in early summer of 2019. It will feature well-designed trails for biking, walking and hiking, guided trail signage and symbols to mark level of difficulty and direction and interpretive natural history signage.

Founded in 1991, the Hollow Oak Land Trust is a nonprofit conservation organization that protects and connects greenspace with an emphasis in the Pittsburgh International Airport Corridor. For more information, contact Amy Ottaviani at [aottaviani@moontwp.us](mailto:aottaviani@moontwp.us) or **412.262.1703 ext. 402**.



## BE A GOOD RECYCLER

- ⇒ Flatten Boxes
- ⇒ Make sure no food or liquid is in a container.
- ⇒ Caps should be securely attached to clean containers.
- ⇒ No plastic bags
- ⇒ WHEN IN DOUBT THROW IT OUT

## Recycling Industry

- ⇒ Much of American recycling materials were sent to China.
- ⇒ China stopped import of certain recycled materials.
- ⇒ China and other countries began rejecting recycled materials if contamination is over 0.5%.
- ⇒ Contamination levels for U.S. curbside recycling materials is reaching a level of 25-30%.
- ⇒ It is important to eliminate contamination in order to find stable markets for recycled materials.
- ⇒ Contamination occurs when unacceptable items are placed in the recycle bin and can contaminate an entire truck load.
- ⇒ Glass fragments are a major contamination issue.

**Moon Township Municipal Authority (MTMA)** manages the contract for your garbage, general recycling and special recycling for electronics and household hazardous waste. Waste Management is the contractor.

**Service** changes include:

◆ Accepted recyclable materials will change and are as follows:

- Aluminum Cans
- Plastic Bottles, Jars/Jugs #1 and #2
- Newsprint
- Mixed Paper
- Bi-Metal Cans
- Cardboard
- Magazines

◆ **NOT** Acceptable recyclable materials are as follows:

- Glass
- Plastic #3-#7 (Including Styrofoam)
- Food Soiled Paper/Cardboard (such as pizza boxes, food wrappers)
- Plastic Bags
- Plastic Food Trays
- Shredded Paper
- Paper Beverage Cups
- Non-can metals

◆ Changes begin January 1, 2019.

## Monthly Billing Rate for Garbage & Recycling Services

◆ \$21.75. The new contract will run from January 2019 to December 2023.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

- ◆ Contact MTMA office at 412.264.4300, if you have service issues concerning garbage or general recycling. General information is available at [www.moontma.com](http://www.moontma.com).
- ◆ Special recycling services for electronic equipment and household hazardous waste is available for MTMA customers by calling 1.800.449.7587 or on-line at [www.wmatyourdoor.com](http://www.wmatyourdoor.com)
- ◆ Visit [Earth911.com](http://Earth911.com) to see if there may be other local outlets for material that can no longer be recycled in curbside collection programs.

Beginning January 1, 2019, Waste Management will begin spot checking recycling containers at the curb.

If a container is observed to be contaminated with non-recyclables, it will not be collected.

*It is IMPORTANT to eliminate contamination in our recycling program.*



# PUBLIC WORKS make it moon

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Use caution when approaching a snowplow. Snowplows typically operate at 25-35 mph.

Never pass on the shoulder side of a plow. Plows will move snow to the shoulders.



Don't assume plow drivers see you. Their fields of vision are limited.

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

## Get Ready! Winter Weather is Here!

Moon Township's Public Works department is dedicated to keeping the township's roads as safe and accessible as possible during and after winter weather events. This includes keeping roadways passable, minimizing the hazards caused by slippery road conditions, and helping to restore safe traveling conditions throughout the township as soon as possible after each winter storm.

### Road Priorities

Road crews maintain 14 snow routes covering 137 miles of township roads and 25 miles of state and county roads. It's important to note that University Boulevard, Interstate 376, Stoops Ferry and Montour Run are state roads that are maintained by PennDOT, not Moon Township.

During anticipated snow events, Public Works closely monitors the latest weather information, road temperatures and radar data to determine when it will be necessary to dispatch salt crews. Priority is given to primary roads and bus routes, then state and

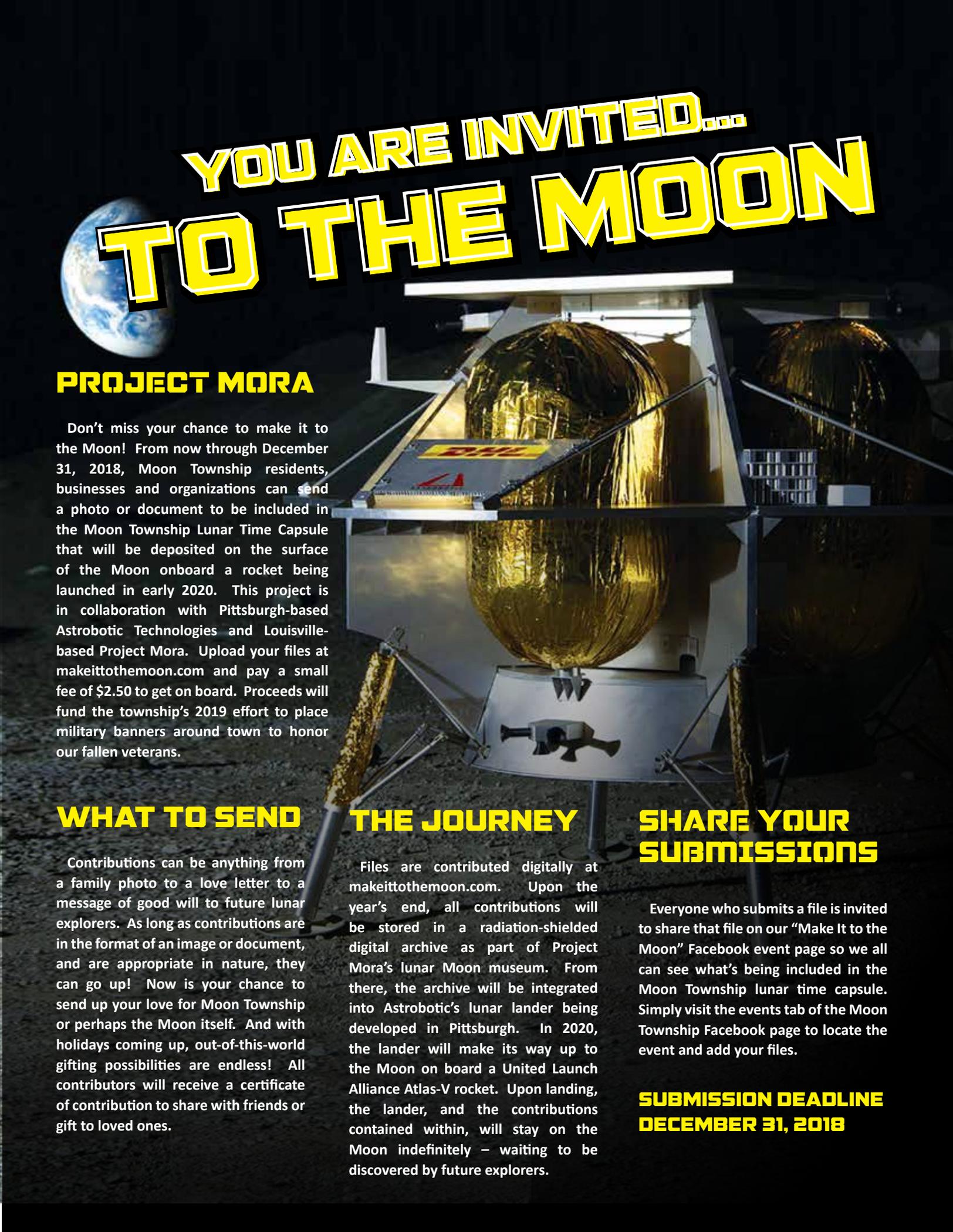
county roads, followed by subdivision streets and cul-de-sacs. A second shift maintains major roads throughout the night. Crews also help maintain township facility parking lots and some sidewalks.

### Winter Weather Tips

With the arrival of the winter season, the Moon Township Public Works department reminds residents of the following:

- Check that your tires are safe for snow. Drivers expecting to encounter snow-covered roads should replace their tires when they reach approximately 5/32" of remaining tread depth to maintain good mobility. Tires need more tread depth in wintry conditions to compress snow in their grooves and release it as they roll.
- Be aware of changing road conditions and know how to brake on slippery roads.
- Stay 100 feet (or 5 car lengths) from the snow plow truck so the driver can see you.

- Do not park on township roads between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. (Chapter 15, Section 403 of the Moon Township Code of Ordinances)
  - Residents are required to remove snow from their sidewalks. (Chapter 21, Section 107)
  - Do not pile snow in a manner that blocks motorists' view of oncoming traffic.
  - Do not plow or shovel snow from driveways, parking lots, or sidewalks into the streets. (Chapter 21, Section 401)
  - To help reduce the amount of snow that will be pushed back into your driveway during snow plow operations, pile snow near the road on the right side of the driveway.
  - Remove portable basketball hoops, hockey nets, and any other obstructions from public roadways, cul-de-sacs and township rights-of-way.
  - Place garbage cans and recycling containers back in the driveway entrance to avoid spillage.
- Questions pertaining to garbage collection should be directed to the Moon Township Municipal Authority at **412.264.4300**.



# YOU ARE INVITED... TO THE MOON

## PROJECT MORA

Don't miss your chance to make it to the Moon! From now through December 31, 2018, Moon Township residents, businesses and organizations can send a photo or document to be included in the Moon Township Lunar Time Capsule that will be deposited on the surface of the Moon onboard a rocket being launched in early 2020. This project is in collaboration with Pittsburgh-based Astrobotic Technologies and Louisville-based Project Mora. Upload your files at [makeittothemoon.com](http://makeittothemoon.com) and pay a small fee of \$2.50 to get on board. Proceeds will fund the township's 2019 effort to place military banners around town to honor our fallen veterans.

## WHAT TO SEND

Contributions can be anything from a family photo to a love letter to a message of good will to future lunar explorers. As long as contributions are in the format of an image or document, and are appropriate in nature, they can go up! Now is your chance to send up your love for Moon Township or perhaps the Moon itself. And with holidays coming up, out-of-this-world gifting possibilities are endless! All contributors will receive a certificate of contribution to share with friends or gift to loved ones.

## THE JOURNEY

Files are contributed digitally at [makeittothemoon.com](http://makeittothemoon.com). Upon the year's end, all contributions will be stored in a radiation-shielded digital archive as part of Project Mora's lunar Moon museum. From there, the archive will be integrated into Astrobotic's lunar lander being developed in Pittsburgh. In 2020, the lander will make its way up to the Moon on board a United Launch Alliance Atlas-V rocket. Upon landing, the lander, and the contributions contained within, will stay on the Moon indefinitely – waiting to be discovered by future explorers.

## SHARE YOUR SUBMISSIONS

Everyone who submits a file is invited to share that file on our "Make It to the Moon" Facebook event page so we all can see what's being included in the Moon Township lunar time capsule. Simply visit the events tab of the Moon Township Facebook page to locate the event and add your files.

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE  
DECEMBER 31, 2018**



# POLICE make it moon

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## Coffee with a Cop

The Moon Township Police Department hosted several Coffee with a Cop meetings at the Moon Township McDonald's in the fall. Residents met with Chief Greg Seamon to learn more about the police department. The program will pause over the holidays and return in the spring. Watch for more details as the time draws near.

## Protect Wandering Loved Ones with Project Lifesaver

Do you have a loved one with a disability who wanders away from your residence? Have you had to call 911 when they cannot be found? Project Lifesaver is a monitoring program offered by law enforcement and emergency responders. It uses radio technology to find at-risk citizens enrolled in the program when they become lost. Project Lifesaver is free to Allegheny County residents. The equipment is paid for by drug forfeiture money and a grant from the Heinz Foundation. If you are a caregiver for someone you think is eligible to enroll in Project Lifesaver, contact Moon Township police at **412.262.5000**.



## How Safe is Your Child's Safety Seat?

The Moon Township Police Department is a National Highway Traffic Safety Administration certified child safety seat inspection station with three officers who are certified technicians. Parents, grandparents, or any caregiver may make an appointment to have their child safety seat inspected, checked for recalls and properly installed. Any caregiver who needs a child safety seat and is not able to purchase one may be issued a new seat for free through our lending program. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call **412.262.5000** or email [childseat@moonpolice.us](mailto:childseat@moonpolice.us).

## EMERGENCY

In the event of an emergency or to report an occurring crime or threat, always call Moon Township Police Department's Dispatch Center at **412.262.5000** or dial 911 for immediate assistance. Please don't rely on email or Facebook for emergencies as these are not monitored on a 24/7 basis.

Citizens may also call the Dispatch Center to speak with a Moon Police official regarding information related to a crime or victim of a crime. Callers may choose to remain anonymous.

**Moon Dispatch Center**  
**412.262.5000**

**Emergency Services**  
**911**

**Crime Tips Hotline**  
**412.264.5202**



# FIRE SAFETY make it moon

1000 Beaver Grade Road | 412.262.5000 | moontwpfire.com



## Sportsmen's Bash Tickets on Sale

The annual Moon Township Volunteer Fire Company Sportsmen's Bash will be held on Saturday, April 27, 2019 from 12-7 p.m. at the Public Safety Building located at 1000 Beaver Grade Road. Tickets, which include food and refreshments, are available for a \$30 donation. Contact a fireman or visit one of the fire stations on Mondays at 7 p.m. to obtain a ticket.



## Lenten Fish Fry

*Fridays  
March 8 through April 19  
11 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
Public Safety Building*

Join the Moon Township Volunteer Fire Company for their annual Lenten Fish Fry. Choose from fish, shrimp, chicken fingers, and desserts. All dinners include fries and the special firehouse recipe coleslaw. Both sit-down and takeout dinners are available. To place a takeout order, call 412.262.5006.

# 2018 by the Numbers!

*(as of October 31, 2018)*

**419**  
incidents

**1,247**  
man-hours

*(incidents)*

**6,607**  
man-hours

*(training, fundraising, awareness)*

## Thank You!

The Moon Township Volunteer Fire Company thanks everyone who attended their open house in October during National Fire Prevention Week. It was a great opportunity for hands-on learning about fire safety, creating a fire escape plan, how to operate a fire extinguisher and more.



# PARKS & RECREATION make it moon

1000 Beaver Grade Road | 412.262.1703 | moonparks.org



## ***Deadline Extended: Add Your Child's Drawing to the Moon Park Playground***

Don't miss your chance to preserve your child's artwork for years to come. Purchase an ExpressionArt 4"x4" ceramic tile that will be set into a wall being constructed on the new Moon Park playground. This is a great way to create a legacy that your child will treasure for a lifetime. The cost is \$100 for each tile. The deadline to submit orders and artwork has been extended to February 28, 2019. Visit [moontwp.com/sponsorshipopportunities.html](http://moontwp.com/sponsorshipopportunities.html) to download the order form and art submission form or pick up a copy at the Moon Parks and Recreation office at Moon Park, the Municipal Building lobby kiosk, the Moon Township Public Library, or Robin Hill.

## ***Join the Playground Gateway Honor Roll***

Individuals, corporations or organizations donating over \$500 will be recognized according to their level of giving for years to come on the Honor Roll, featured prominently at the playground entrance. Enjoy a VIP grand opening event to celebrate your generosity. Please contact Amy Ottaviani with any questions at 412.262.1703 ext. 402 or [aottaviani@moontwp.us](mailto:aottaviani@moontwp.us).

## **2019 Park Pavilion Rentals**

The first day of pavilion rentals for the 2019 season for Moon Township residents will be on Monday, February 11 at 8:30 a.m. Reservations must be made in person at the Moon Township Municipal Building. Thereafter, reservations will take place at the Parks and Recreation office at Moon Park. Non-residents may reserve pavilions beginning Tuesday, February 19. All pavilions and fees are listed on our website at [moonparks.org](http://moonparks.org).

## **Robin Hill Center Rentals**

Robin Hill Center reservations may be made up to one year in advance. Reservations must be made in person. To receive the resident rate, the contract must be signed by and payments made by a Moon Township resident. All fees are listed at [moonparks.org](http://moonparks.org). To schedule a tour of Robin Hill Center, please call 412.262.1703 or email [info@moonparks.org](mailto:info@moonparks.org).

## **2019 Job Opportunities**

Moon Parks and Recreation is looking for enthusiastic, energetic, creative and reliable employees for the Summer Playground program, mobile recreation unit and customer service in Moon Park. These positions require background checks. Contact the Parks and Recreation office at 412.262.1703 or email [bbrozovich@moontwp.us](mailto:bbrozovich@moontwp.us).

# Park Programs & Events



## 2019 Sponsorship Guide Now Available

Is your company looking for more customers and better visibility? Whether you want to reach the parents of school-age children, seniors who want to keep their minds sharp, or other adults who stay connected to the community, you can share your message with local and regional audiences by teaming up with Moon Township.

Sponsorship opportunities allow individuals, social organizations, businesses and foundations to invest in the health and well-being of our community by funding events, programs and open space improvements like playgrounds, trails, shelters, flowerbeds and other amenities. Residents of Moon Township, as well as our neighboring communities, value our parks, programs and events as part of their everyday lives.

*Moon Township invites you to ...*

### **Increase Your Exposure in the Community**

Reach thousands of your potential customers. Businesses that partner with us benefit from the exposure and development of name recognition during

programs and events and through publicity materials and social media.

### ***Develop Deeper Relationships with Your Customers***

Your sponsorship speaks directly to the priorities of your customers. When you support their community, your customers will support you.

### ***Build a Positive Image***

Your organization is associated with the promotion of positive activities that enrich the lives of our residents and encourage active, healthy lifestyles, family time, and FUN!

We provide the opportunity to promote your business with unique and affordable advertising. Customized and in-kind partnerships can be designed to meet all your individual and corporate needs.

Our sponsorships come with great benefits! Contact Amy Ottaviani, Community Engagement and Sponsorship Coordinator, at [aottaviani@moontwp.us](mailto:aottaviani@moontwp.us) or **412.262.1703 ext. 402** for a copy of the 2019 Sponsorship Guide.

## Thanks to Our Sponsors

Your generous support allows us to provide quality events, recreational services and amenities. Moon Township thanks these organizations for their support.

Affordable Tent & Awning	Moon Historical Society
AMROCK	Moon Lacrosse
Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza	Moon Municipal Authority
Apple Blossom Senior Living	Moon Police
AT&T	Moon Rotary
Audubon Society of Western PA	Moon Soccer
Bachman Builders	Moon Softball
Barnes & Noble	Moon Township Environmental Advisory Council
Bruster's Robinson	Moon Township Volunteer Fire Company
Chevron Corporation	National Arbor Day Foundation
Chick-fil-A of Robinson	Nova Chemicals
Children's Museum of Pittsburgh	NovaCare Rehabilitation
Clearview Federal Credit Union	Orange Theory
Columbia Sportswear	Panera Bread
Comcast Corporation	Patrick's Pub
Comcast Corporation	Pittsburgh Festival Opera
Courtyard Marriott	Pittsburgh Pirates
Cycle Bar – Robinson	Pittsburgh Public Theater
Dick's Sporting Goods	Pittsburgh Steelers
Double Tree Hotel by Hilton	Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra
Drury Hotels	Pittsburgh Zoo
Eaton Corporation	Pro Bikes + Run
EQT	Robert Morris University ServiceLink
Falconi Moon Township Automotive	Sewickley Savings
Family Chiropractic Center – Robinson	Sewickley Valley YMCA
FedEx Corporate	Sheetz Moon Township
FedEx Global	Sheraton Pittsburgh Airport
FedEx Ground	Sir Speedy
First Book	Sport Clips
Friends of Mark Mustio	Tree Pittsburgh
Gateway Health Plan	TSS Photography
Great Clips Moon	Tyler Mountain Water
Greater Pittsburgh Orthopaedic Associates	UMPC For You
Health South Rehabilitation	UPMC Fit for Life
Hospital Sewickley	Walmart
Heritage Valley Health System	West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union
Hollow Oak Land Trust	West Hills Art League
Hyatt Pittsburgh International Airport	
Kenny Ross Toyota of Moon	
KinderCare of Moon	
Kip's Ice Cream	
Kiwanis	
Lennon, Smith & Souleret Engineering	
Main Event Entertainment	
MedExpress	
Moe's Southwest Grill	
Montour Watershed Association	
Moon Baseball Association	
Moon Cross Country	
Moon Garden Club	
Moon Golf Club	



## Special Events

### Moon Elementary Schools Swim Parties

January 18 – McCormick; February 15 – Brooks; March 8 – Bon Meade  
7:45 – 9:30 p.m.  
Moon High School Pool  
\$2 per person  
Elementary school students can enjoy a fun night at the high school pool! Some refreshments available.

### Family Fun Night Dive-In Movie

Saturday, January 26  
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Moon High School Pool  
Our summer Friday Fun Nights are such a hit, we just had to offer one for fall. Enjoy an evening of swimming and the movie DEEP. This is a free event, so bring the entire family! Some refreshments available

## Sports

### Outdoor Ice Skating

Moon Parks and Recreation will set up an outdoor ice skating rink on the basketball courts at Moon Park. Please note that skating will depend on the winter weather. Check our website or Facebook page for times when skating will be permitted. Waivers must be signed and on file in the Parks and Recreation office prior to skating. Only skating will be permitted.

### Future Stars Floor Hockey

Saturdays, February 2 – March 23  
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.  
Rhema Christian School  
\$40 resident; \$45 non-resident (includes t-shirt)  
Boys and girls ages 4-6 will learn the fundamentals of hockey, develop skills and play games. Volunteers needed.

### Women's Volleyball League – Ages 18+

Wednesdays, February 20 – April 24  
7:00 – 10:00 p.m.  
Moon Area Middle School Gym  
\$45 resident; \$50 non-resident  
Form a team of friends and neighbors to pass, dig and volley! Final teams and schedules will be distributed in early February. All skill levels are welcome. Join an existing team or start a new one!

### Public Swimming

Monday - Friday, throughout the school year  
7:45 – 9:00 p.m.  
Moon High School Pool  
Adults, 18 and over – \$3; Children ages 3-17 – \$2; Children under 2 free  
Enjoy an evening at the pool. Lap swimming available. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Moon Township residents only.

### PADI Discover Scuba Program

Sunday, January 20  
12:00 – 4:00 p.m.  
Moon High School Pool  
\$50 per person  
Learn the basic safety guidelines and skills needed to dive under the direct supervision of a PADI (Professional Association of Diving Instructors) professional. Must be over 10 years old.

### Masters Swim Program

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays all year long  
5:30 – 6:45 a.m.  
Moon High School Pool  
\$30 per month; first monthly fee charged at registration; automatic withdrawal first of each month after  
Adults 18 and older will train under a certified Masters coach who plans workouts, helps with stroke refinement and technique and encourages you to meet your goals. Register at moonaquacub.org.

## Fitness

### Belly Dancing Body Fitness – Teens 15+ and Adults

Wednesdays, January 9 – February 13  
Wednesdays, February 20 – March 27  
7:30 – 8:30 p.m.  
Moon High School Fitness Room  
\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents, per 6-week session; \$10 drop-in  
Belly dancing body fitness is a fun high-energy, low-impact toning exercise format with emphasis on abdominal and oblique muscles set to upbeat middle eastern music. This graceful format is a total body workout that is gentle on the joints. No high-impact jumping in this exercise format, just fluid dance exercise, executed through mind and muscle-controlled movements to beautiful soulful music.

### Pilates – Teens 15+ and Adults

Wednesdays, January 9 – February 13  
Wednesdays, February 20 – March 27  
8:45 – 9:45 a.m.  
Robin Hill  
\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents, per 6-week session; \$10 drop-in  
Instructor: Judy Elias  
The Pilates method of body conditioning is a unique system of stretching/strengthening exercises that work the entire body. Expect to flatten your abs, strengthen your core muscles, increase flexibility, firm buttocks/thighs, and improve your posture. For all fitness levels. Bring a mat, hand weights and water.

### Pound® – Teens 15+ and Adults

Tuesdays, January 8 – February 12  
Tuesdays, February 19 – March 26  
6:30 – 7:15 p.m.  
Municipal Building  
\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents; \$10 drop-in  
Instructor: Karla Tobias  
POUND® is a full-body cardio jam session combining light resistance with simulated drumming. The workout fuses cardio, Pilates, strength movements, and plyometric and isometric poses. Through continual upper body motion using our lightly-weighted exercise drumsticks, called Ripstix, you'll turn into a calorie-torching drummer, POUNDING off pounds as each song flies by!

### Senior Workout

Wednesdays, February 20 – March 27  
9:30 – 10:30 a.m.  
Municipal Building  
\$21 residents; \$25 non-residents, per 6-week session; \$4 drop-in  
Instructor: Linda Francis  
Come out and meet our instructor Linda Francis! This class will help seniors maintain a fitness level to stay mobile. It is a "LOW" impact aerobics class that will work on balance and strengthening while having fun and meeting new people.

### Totally Toned – Teens 15+ and Adults

Mondays, January 7 – February 25; no classes 1/21 and 2/18  
Mondays, March 4 – April 15; no class 3/25  
7:15 – 8:15 p.m.  
Moon High School Fitness Room  
\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents, per 6-week session  
Instructor: Karla Tobias  
This class is designed to help tone your entire body including abs, thighs, back, arms and glutes. It is appropriate for all fitness levels. Bring hand weights, a mat and water.

### Yoga: Basics and More – Teens 15+ and Adults

Tuesdays, January 8 – February 12  
7:30 – 8:30 p.m.  
Municipal Building  
\$60 residents; \$65 non-residents, per 6-week session; \$12 drop-in  
Instructor: Jen Stratakis  
Whether you are yoga-curious or yoga-proficient, this is the class for you. No experience required. Instructor Jen Stratakis, E-RYT, will lead you through an hour-long class, which includes standing and seated poses, breathwork and guided relaxation. Modifications are given to accommodate all levels of yoga experience. With regular practice, yoga can improve lung capacity, flexibility, cardiovascular endurance, mental calm and more. Participants should bring a yoga mat and water. Namaste!

### **Beginner's Zumba® – Ages 13+ and Adults**

Mondays, January 7 – February 25; no classes 1/21 and 2/18

Mondays, March 4 – April 15; no class 3/25  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Moon High School Fitness Room

\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents, per 6-week session

Instructor: Catherine Hollien

This class is designed for you to have fun while you burn calories. It is a great way to begin an exercise regime. Beginner's Zumba® is a combination of Latin-based dance moves: salsa, cumbia, soca, flamenco, samba, hip-hop, and more that will really make you sweat! Dance experience not required.

### **Zumba® Fitness – Ages 13+ and Adults**

Thursdays, January 10 – February 14

Thursdays, February 21 – March 28

6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Municipal Building

\$45 residents; \$50 non-residents; \$10 drop-in

Instructor: Paola Sanchez

Zumba® classes are 6-week sessions that are designed to have fun while you burn calories. Zumba® Fitness is a combination of Latin-based dance moves: salsa, cumbia, soca, flamenco, samba, hip-hop and more that will really make you sweat! Dance experience is not required.

### **Zumbini® – Ages 0-4 w/caregiver**

Free demos on Wednesday, January 9 at 11:00 a.m. and Saturday, January 12 at 10:00 a.m.

Wednesdays, January 16 – March 20 (10 weeks)

Wednesdays, March 27 – May 29 (10 weeks)

11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Municipal Building

Saturdays, January 19 – March 23 (10 weeks)

Saturdays, March 30 – May 18 (8 weeks, no class 4/20)

10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Municipal Building

\$110 per child w/parent (includes Zumbini® Bundle), \$75 each additional child (one Bundle per family) – per 10-week session

\$95 per child w/parent (includes Zumbini® Bundle), \$60 each additional child (one Bundle per family) – per 8-week session

Instructor: Ms. Jen

Created by Zumba® and BabyFirst for kids ages 0-4, the Zumbini® program combines music, dance and educational tools for 45 minutes of can't-stop, won't-stop bonding, learning and fun!

## *Arts*

### **Splash: Water/Mixed Media Art Classes – Adults 18+**

Thursdays, January 17 – March 7

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Robin Hill Center

\$74 residents; \$79 non-residents

Instructor: Nancy Bush

This class is designed for new and returning students. This is an 8-week course designed to engage all students in the fun and exciting world of water-based materials. No previous experience is necessary – just a desire to have fun. Fee does not include supplies.

## *Youth / Teens*

### **Safe Sitter® Babysitting and Safety Class**

(Grades 6-8)

Sunday, December 9; Saturday, January 12; or

Sunday, February 3

10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Municipal Building

\$45 residents; \$55 non-residents

Do you feel ready to stay home alone, watch your brothers and sisters while your parents are gone, or babysit for younger children? Then maybe it's time for Safe Sitter®. This program is for young teens in grades 6 through 8 who are ready to learn the skills they need to care for themselves and younger children. In addition, Safe Sitter® teaches young teens life and business skills so that they know how to be prepared, be responsible, and be considerate whether they are babysitting or doing odd jobs for family, friends, or neighbors. Maximum capacity of 16 students.

### **Holiday Tea Party – Ages 5-12**

Wednesday, December 12

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Robin Hill Center

\$10 residents; \$15 non-residents

Enjoy holiday cookies, cocoa and crafts at our cozy holiday tea. Carols and candy are just a few of the fun things you can look forward to as we deck the halls with comfort and joy! Everyone attending, adults and children, must be registered.

### **Mad Hatter Tea Party – Ages 5-12**

Wednesday, February 13

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Robin Hill Center

\$10 residents; \$15 non-residents

Don't be late for this very important date! Hop on down the rabbit hole to our lovely Mad Tea Party. Enjoy some treats and solve some riddles between sips of tea. We wish you all a very merry un-birthday! Everyone attending, adults and children, must be registered.

### **Teacher Clerical Day: Art All Day! – Ages 5-12**

Monday, January 21

Program 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.; early drop off at 7:00 a.m.; late pick up by 6:00 p.m. (included)

Robin Hill Center

\$35 residents; \$45 non-residents

Kids will have a whole day to explore their creativity through painting, drawing, collage and sculpture. They will be coming home with a whole portfolio full of art work! Please bring a lunch and two snacks. A smock or old shirt would be good to bring to protect clothes.

### **Teacher In-Service Day: History's Mysteries – Ages 5-12**

Monday, February 18

Program 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.; early drop off at 7:00 a.m.; late pick up by 6:00 p.m. (included)

Robin Hill Center

\$35 residents; \$45 non-residents

Come spend the day searching for clues, decoding messages, and solving puzzles! From the Egyptian pyramids and hieroglyphs to Leonardo da Vinci's coded notebooks, history holds many mysteries for us to rediscover. Please bring a lunch and two snacks.

## *PALS Programs*

For children with special needs

### **PALS Christmas Party**

Friday, December 14

6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Robin Hill Center

Kids and their families will enjoy games, food and a visit from Santa! This is a free event. Please register by Friday, December 7.



# Park Programs & Events

## Seniors

### Senior Connection Socials

Wednesdays

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Carriage House at Robin Hill

Come and enjoy fun and friendship every Wednesday! Open to anyone 55 and older. Join us for complimentary beverages, coffee, snacks, popcorn and conversation. Many activities to suit many interests. Lunch is also available. No registration. Drop by or stay all day!

### Angels/Archangels 101

Wednesday, December 5

1:00 p.m.

Carriage House

\$5 per person donation to the West Hills Food Bank

An informational and inspiring talk about angels and archangels presented by Mary Celine Miller held during the regular Wednesday Senior Connection Program. Please arrive by 12:45 p.m.

### Music Bingo and Karaoke

Monday, December 10

Robin Hill

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

\$5 per person; \$4 for Senior Connection members

Enjoy an afternoon of music Bingo and karaoke.

Great prizes. Beverages and snacks provided.

Register by December 3.

### Highmark Holiday Pops

Saturday, December 15

Bus leaves Moon Park at 1:00 p.m.

\$55 per person

It's the most wonderful time of the year!

Enjoy a spectacular concert of holiday music for the whole family. Take a "Sleigh Ride" with the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, The Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh, Broadway sensation Ryan Silverman, and Santa Claus, too! It's Pittsburgh's favorite holiday tradition. Register by Monday, December 10.

### Christmas Gala Luncheon

Thursday, December 20

Sheraton Pittsburgh Airport Hotel

12:00 – 2:00 p.m.

\$10 per person

A holiday party that will spark your Christmas spirit. Great food, entertainment, prizes, gifts and holiday cheer. Register by Friday, December 14.

### Music Bingo and Karaoke

Monday, January 14

Robin Hill

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

\$5 per person; \$4 for Senior Connection members

Enjoy an afternoon of music Bingo and karaoke.

Great prizes. Beverages and snacks provided.

Register by Wednesday, January 9.

### Bus Trip: Wheeling Island Casino & Greyhound Racetrack

Thursday, January 24

Bus departs Carriage House at 10:30 a.m.; returns around 5:30 p.m.

\$30 per person

Round trip motor coach transportation to Wheeling Island. You will receive a \$25.00 free play bonus with a valid photo ID. Register by Thursday, January 17.

### Chinese New Year Dinner and Pie Bingo

Tuesday, February 5

Robin Hill

4:30 – 7:30 p.m.

\$19 per person

Let's celebrate Chinese New Year with a delicious Chinese food buffet. Enjoy Chinese tea, coffee and soft drinks too followed by an Apple Pie BINGO emceed by a professional caller. A fun evening and one not to miss!

### Bus Trip: Snow White Ballet at Lincoln Park

Sunday, February 17

Bus departs Carriage House at 12:30 p.m.; returns around 7:00 p.m.

\$61 per person

This would make a wonderful Valentine's Day gift for someone special or yourself. Enjoy an enchanted performance of Snow White as a ballet on Lincoln Park's Main Stage Theatre and a backstage tour complete with a take home gift, followed by sit down rotisserie chicken dinner and dessert at Bert's Wooden Indian Restaurant in Beaver, PA.

### Senior Workout

Wednesdays, February 20 – March 27

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Municipal Building

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Instructor: Linda Francis

Come out and meet our instructor Linda Francis! This class will help seniors maintain a fitness level to stay mobile. It is a "LOW" impact aerobics class that will work on balance and strengthening while having fun and meeting new people.

**Register for senior events by calling 412.262.1703 ext. 404 Tuesdays through Thursdays. Payment is due at time of registration.**



## More Programs!

For a complete list of Moon Parks and Recreation's programs, please visit [moonparks.org](http://moonparks.org). If you are interested for signing up for a program or finding out more information, please call us at 412.262.1703, email us at [info@moonparks.org](mailto:info@moonparks.org) or stop by the office at Moon Park.

# TAX INFORMATION



Moon Community Center, Lower Level  
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Office Phone 412-299-7446  
Office Fax 412-299-7420

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“Hello! My name is Catherine Tress and I am the Property Tax Collector of our community.”

-Catherine Tress, PQMC



## Tax Information

### 2018 Property Taxes

We are now collecting the 10% penalty amount until December 31, 2018 for the Township of Moon Property taxes and the Moon Area School District property taxes. Please remember, according to Pennsylvania state law, the property owner is responsible for the property tax regardless of whether or not a statement was received.

Postmarked mail is always accepted, but please remember that it must show the postmark on the envelope. If you wish to receive a paid receipt, whether it's the individual installment payments or the final summary of all payments, please send a self-addressed stamped envelope. The cost of printing, postage and envelopes prohibits my office from sending these as a courtesy and not all taxpayers request receipts.

### 2018 Additional Assessments

Some property owners received an additional tax bill as a result in an increase in their property assessment. Please note that the face value is due on January 29, 2019. According to Pennsylvania law, the tax office may not accept payments for 2018 taxes after December 31, 2018. Property owners paying after this date must send their payments to the law offices of Weiss, Burkardt and Kramer. Please be advised that, although Weiss, Burkardt and Kramer is the appointed delinquent tax collector for the Township of Moon and the Moon Area School District, payments made for 2018 additional assessments will not be considered late if they are paid on or before January 29, 2019.

### How to Make Payments

Property owners may make payments in the following ways:

1. Online at [moontaxoffice.us](http://moontaxoffice.us).

When paying online, you must click the word “verify” after filling out your property’s block/lot located in the upper left-hand corner of your statement. You cannot change the amount for the period we are currently collecting.

Please note that installment payments cannot be made online nor can non-real estate per capita taxes sent to renters only.

2. In person at the property tax office.

Office hours are listed at the bottom of your property tax statement. Be sure to check the office website for holiday closings and other useful information.

3. By mailing your payment and statement to the address above.

If you would like a stamped receipt, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

### Change of Address/ Change of Name

If a property owner’s mailing address needs updated or changed for whatever reason, please contact me at the Moon Township tax office at 412.299.7446 as well as county treasurer John Weinstein at 412.350.4100, as soon as possible.

Please visit my website at [moontaxoffice.us](http://moontaxoffice.us) for more information, including office hours, holiday closings, and other useful information.

### Hours and Holidays

#### October through December

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, Thursday**

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

#### January through March

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, Thursday**

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

The Property Tax Office will be closed in observance of the following holidays:

Christmas Holiday

Friday, December 21 through Wednesday, December 26

New Year’s Day

Tuesday, January 1

Martin Luther King Day

Monday, January 15

Presidents’ Day

Monday, February 19



## Public Awareness Weekend Returns in March

Join MCA-TV for the annual Public Awareness Weekend scheduled for March 29-30, 2019. Public Awareness Weekend is a two-day, 24-hour live television event featuring interview broadcasts with Pittsburgh-area nonprofits. Each group receives a 30-minute segment to educate viewers about their cause and encourage the community to get involved. All interviews air live during the event and are rebroadcast periodically on MCA-TV, reaching approximately 35,000 households in Moon Township and surrounding areas. Any nonprofit organization interested in participating in Public Awareness Weekend should contact Allison Eastham at [aeastham@moontwp.us](mailto:aeastham@moontwp.us) or call MCA-TV at **412.269.1191**. Interviews are scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis.

## Breaking News! Volunteers Keep Moon Township Connected

Volunteer with MCA-TV to help film the happenings in and around Moon Township, including sports, community events, in-studio programming and government meetings. Help us document and share these events by taking out a camera and recording an event to help keep the community connected. If you'd like to get in on the action, sign up for the next television production training course. Classes are free and open to residents of any community.

The training course is a series of four hands-on classes providing the basics of camera operation, lighting, audio and editing. Successful completion of the course provides the opportunity to be an official MCA-TV volunteer, ready and able to assist with any MCA-TV production.

Moon Township residents who successfully complete the production training course may choose to become a community producer which allows them to create their own TV show or assist someone else in creating theirs. Non-residents wishing to create a show to air on MCA-TV must work with a community producer who actively participates in the program development.

Classes run from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursdays for four weeks beginning Thursday, February 21 at the MCA-TV studio located at 1700 Beaver Grade Road, Suite 140, Moon Township, PA 15108. To register, contact MCA-TV Director Allison Eastham at [aeastham@moontwp.us](mailto:aeastham@moontwp.us) or call **412.269.1191**. Space is limited.

## MCA-TV

Moon Community Access Television  
Comcast channel 14  
Verizon Fios channel 35

## MAG-TV

Moon Area Government Television  
Comcast channel 18  
Verizon Fios channel 37

## Calling All Filmmakers!

It's time for area filmmakers to put their creative abilities to the test! The Kenny Ross Toyota of Moon Township Film Festival returns in June, marking the eighth year for the competition. Categories include Best Feature Film, Best Documentary Feature Film, Best Narrative Feature Film, Best Short Film, Best Documentary Short Film, and Best Narrative Short Film. Last year, thanks to monetary donations from local companies, MCA-TV awarded more than \$3,500 in prizes.

Enter your original film before the June 1 deadline and watch the event live on MCA-TV on Saturday, June 15. Films will be judged by a panel of film experts from the Pittsburgh area. You do not have to be a Moon Township resident to participate.

For more information, visit [mca-tv.org](http://mca-tv.org) or contact Allison Eastham, Director of Community Programming, at [aeastham@moontwp.us](mailto:aeastham@moontwp.us) or **412.269.1191 ext. 603**.

## Promote Your Event!

Is your organization or nonprofit looking to get the word out about an upcoming event? MCA-TV offers a bulletin board service for Moon Township residents to publicize their community program or event in-between regularly scheduled programming. The community bulletin board is an automated, computer-generated video graphics message service provided free of charge to all Moon Township residents as well as nonprofit groups and organizations. Visit [mca-tv.org](http://mca-tv.org) and click on "Bulletin Board" to read the guidelines and rules and to fill out the online submission form. Paper forms are available in the MCA-TV offices.

**JUNE  
15**

**KENNY ROSS**



**of Moon Township TOYOTA**

**filmfest**



**2019**

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**BIG  
PRIZES**

**BEST  
FEATURE FILM**

**\$1,000**

GRAND PRIZE

**BEST  
DOCUMENTARY  
SHORT FILM**

**\$400**

BEST IN CATEGORY PRIZE

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**BEST  
SHORT FILM**

**\$1,000**

GRAND PRIZE

**SUBMISSIONS**

**EARLY SUBMISSION  
UNTIL MAY 1 - \$15**

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE  
UNTIL JUNE 1 - \$20**

To submit your film visit [mca-tv.org/filmfest.pdf](http://mca-tv.org/filmfest.pdf) and complete the entry form.

## Township of Moon

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# STAY CONNECTED TO MOON TOWNSHIP

## Submit a Question or Concern Online

Submit a question, comment or concern to township officials through the Citizen Request System. This feature allows residents to submit a concern and track its resolution through ongoing updates ensuring a timely response from Moon Township staff. A link can be found at [moontwp.com](http://moontwp.com) under Quick Links.

## Tune in to Local Government

Watch Moon Township Board of Supervisors and Moon Area School Board public meetings on MAG-TV, Comcast channel 18 and Verizon channel 37. Schedule information is available at [moongovtv.us](http://moongovtv.us). View the meetings and MCA-TV's community produced programming online at [mca-tv.org](http://mca-tv.org).

## Visit Moon Parks and Recreation

Get involved in the many events and programs offered by Moon Parks and Recreation. Find the most current schedule information at [moonparks.org](http://moonparks.org).

## Stay Informed with SwiftReach

Sign up for SwiftReach at [moonpolice.us](http://moonpolice.us). This system will call registered phone or cell phone numbers in the event of an emergency or to share important community information.

## Like Us on Facebook

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