



## Message From Mayor Neff

### Borough Calendar

**Thursday, October 5th**  
9:30 am : Municipal Court

**Thursday, October 5th**  
7:00 pm : Planning Board

**Saturday, October 7th**  
10 am – 1 pm  
Post Office Museum

**Monday, October 9th**  
Borough Offices and Recycling  
Yard closed.

**Tuesday, October 10th**  
8:00 pm : Recreation Comm.

**Monday, October 16th**  
6:30 pm: Council Workshop  
8:00 pm: Council Meeting

**Tuesday, October 17th**  
7:00 pm : Bd of Health

**Thursday, October 19th**  
9:30 am : Municipal Court

**Thursday, October 19th**  
7:00 pm : Planning Board

**Sunday, October 22nd**  
1:00 pm : Halloween Parade  
Rain date October 29<sup>th</sup>

**Wednesday, October 25th**  
7:00 pm : Environmental  
Comm.

**Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup>**  
6:30 pm : Council Workshop  
8:00 pm : Council Meeting

September was busy, with affordable housing, back to school, and a wonderful softball tournament engaging our fair borough. Good stuff on tap for October, too. More about that shortly.

First, I want to talk trash.

The contract with our current **trash and recycling** hauler expires in March 2018. The borough will therefore be going out to bid for the award of a new contract beginning in April 2018.

As our experienced administrator will tell you, there is nothing like discussing a trash collection system to light up a town's switchboard. So we want to continue to make sure those who would like to be heard on the issue have that opportunity.

Following on discussions at its September 11 and 25 meetings, where many residents spoke to the issue, the council will again be discussing the topic at its October 16, 2017 meeting, and will likely determine at that time what the specifications for the bids for the new contract should be. All interested residents are invited to attend.

It is possible that the council will choose to go out to bid for a number of different collections methods, and then choose the best one after the bids come in. That presents the possibility of change from the current system. Among the variables are 1) the allowable start time for pick up (currently 6 a.m., with some discussion of going to 7 a.m. or another time);

2) the number of zones (potentially going from the current 3 to 2, which would eliminate Saturday collection; 3) bidding the trash and recycling contracts separately; 4) going to one day a week trash pickup during the cooler months; and 5) increasing the number of recycling pickups.

There are pros and cons to each variable, and one possible set of specs would allow the system to stay the same, with harsher penalties directly in any new contract for picking up before the start time, or spilling debris or liquids from the collections vehicle, both of which have been concerns. If you can't make the meeting, please call the Borough Clerk's office directly to express your opinion.

And speaking of debris, please remember to keep leaves separate from **limbs and brush** when putting that material to the curb. It will help Public Works immensely, since leaves are recyclable and go to a different facility from limbs and brush. At their discretion, public works can refuse to pick up combined piles, so please do your part (or have your landscaper do his/her part). Thank you.

In other news, through the efforts of our Environmental Commission and a grant they obtained, the borough now has **water bottle refill stations** supplying cooled water

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– and we strongly urge our residents to use them in lieu of those ubiquitous disposable plastic bottles of water. Be environmentally friendly and bring a reusable container to either Sickles Park or the Borough/Library field, and fill 'er up!

At press time, more than 400 people had used them in just a few short weeks, which helps lower our carbon footprint and reduces litter and waste.

Looking to our schools, Little Silver's own **Willow Martin**, a senior at Red Bank Regional High School, wrote a short play that was selected from more than 450 submissions (from all over the world) for performance by the New Jersey Repertory Company.

It's quite an honor, even for seasoned playwrights, and Willow was the youngest entrant in the competition, at just 16. Willow's play, "The Late Shift," will be performed by guild actors on October 8 at 2 p.m. at NJ Rep's theater in Long Branch. Check out [njrep.org](http://njrep.org) for tickets.

Looking forward, a true Little Silver classic, our **Halloween Parade** sponsored by the Little Silver (all volunteer) Fire Department, is scheduled for 1 p.m. on October 22, to be followed by service of donuts and cider at the Firehouse. Lineup is at the Rumson Road tennis courts. The rain date is October 29.

And speaking of classics, the Little Silver PTO's **Little Silver 5k**, a major fundraiser, takes place on Sunday, October 1, starting on Ridge Road near the high school at 9:30, with a pre-race one-mile fun run and a post-race party at the firehouse. Check [www.littlesilverpto.org](http://www.littlesilverpto.org) for further information.

Looking back to September, I want to acknowledge the wonderful efforts of our school teachers, softball players, recreation director Doug Glassmacher, Chef Pete Roskowsinski, and so many others for coming out to the **softball tournament** to benefit little Lily Ince, who is battling a difficult disease. Their efforts, and the words of mom and teacher Lindsey Thompson Ince, were an inspiration. Thank you all.

Also in September, the **Parker-Sickles Homestead 1665 Inc.**, the charitable, volunteer group caring for the Homestead, hosted their second well-attended antique car show on the homestead's front lawn.

Keep an eye out for future community events at this historic gem – and if you received the group's annual fund raising letter, please consider contributing what you can to support this hard-working group's efforts

And last, but not least, the council in September held a well-attended special meeting to educate the public about its efforts to comply with the state's requirement that each municipality allow for the construction of a certain number of **low and moderate income homes**.

The town's struggle with compliance, and protecting itself from a builder's remedy lawsuit, continues, and details of the presentation at the council meeting by our planner and counsel are posted on [littlesilver.org](http://littlesilver.org). Please check it out. On behalf of the governing body, we wish you all a happy and healthy Fall season. In closing, please call borough hall with any concerns, or contact me directly by calling my home phone at (732) 576-8595, or emailing me at [bobneff80@gmail.com](mailto:bobneff80@gmail.com)

**Robert C. Neff, Jr.**  
Mayor, Borough of Little Silver

### BRUSH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Place brush at the curb for collection following week

<u>Zone 1</u>	<u>Zone 2</u>	<u>Zone 3</u>
Oct. 2 – 8	Oct. 9 – 15	Oct. 16 -22

## Welcome back Seniors of Little Silver.

Our October meeting will be on Tuesday October 24, 2017 at 1pm, at the Woman's Club, 111 Church St. Little Silver.

Please join us for a fun day, music by Mario, who will sing a variety of tunes, sing along, dance or just relax and enjoy. Delicious refreshments will be served. Bring a friend, make new friends, mingle with old friends.

All seniors from Monmouth County are welcome.

Any questions, please call President Diane Tresente 732-741-6932

# BASKETBALL REGISTRATION OCTOBER 1-31

**\$50 LATE FEE AFTER OCT. 31**

**COACHES NEEDED FOR  
ALL AGE GROUPS K-8  
COACHES SIGN UP ONLINE OR  
CONTACT COORDINATORS**

**Boys Basketball: Bill Scuzorzo  
[bscuzorzo@bcgadvisors.com](mailto:bscuzorzo@bcgadvisors.com) or 973-464-7461**

**Girls Basketball: Beth Hobson  
[ehobson21@gmail.com](mailto:ehobson21@gmail.com) or 732-887-0273**

**GRADE K-2 Clinic: Justin Griffin  
[griffinj25@gmail.com](mailto:griffinj25@gmail.com) or 917-974-0590**

**\*\*\*REGISTER ONLINE AT\*\*\***

**[register.communitypass.net](http://register.communitypass.net) or  
Use link at [www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)**

**Daily: LS Boro Hall, M-F, 8:00-4:00PM**

**Download Registration Forms at**

**[www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)**

## **KINDERGARTEN-2nd GRADE SATURDAY CLINIC**

This instructional clinic takes place at Point Road Gym in November and December. Due to last day of soccer, the 1<sup>st</sup> session on 11/4 will be in afternoon, times TBA. As with all rec programs, **Coaches are always needed** for without these volunteers, our programs could not exist. **Coaches need not be present at all sessions.** For more information or to volunteer to coach, contact program coordinator, Justin Griffin at [917-974-0590](tel:917-974-0590) or [GriffinJ25@gmail.com](mailto:GriffinJ25@gmail.com) or sign-up online.

### **DATES FOR SATURDAY SESSIONS**

November 4, 18 and December 2, 9, 16

### **TIMES FOR SATURDAY SESSIONS**

**EXCEPT NOVEMBER 4, (PM ONLY TBA)**

Kindergarten Coed: 9:00-10:00 AM

1st Grade Boys: 10:00-11:00 AM

1st Grade Girls: 11:00-12:00 PM

2nd Grade Boys: 12:00-1:00 PM

## **JUNIOR BUCS WRESTLING**

**Grades K-8 at Red Bank Regional Gym**

**Sign-Ups: Saturdays Oct. 21 & 28, 9-  
NOON**

**All levels welcomed**

**For more information contact  
Hugh Doherty: 732-687-4630 or  
[ph8isenuf@aol.com](mailto:ph8isenuf@aol.com)**

## **FREE PRE-SEASON BASKETBALL CLINICS**

**Point Road Gym, Gr. 3-6**

**Girls: Tuesdays Starting 10/3**

**Boys: Wednesdays Starting 10/4**

**Grades 3&4: 6-7:00pm**

**Grades 5&6: 7-8:00pm**

**Open To All Registered Players**

**For More Information Contact**

**[DougGlassmacher@gmail.com](mailto:DougGlassmacher@gmail.com)**

**Total 7 Sessions**

**Little Silver  
Borough Hall**

480 Prospect Avenue  
Little Silver, NJ 07739  
732-842-2400  
[www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)

**Business Hours**

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

**Borough  
Directory**

**Emergency: 9-1-1**  
**Borough Hall**  
**732-842-2400**

Police Department  
(non-emergency)  
732-747-5900

Tax Collector  
732-219-0812

Tax Assessor  
732-842-7039

Zoning Officer  
732-842-0261

Municipal Court  
732-842-3881

Board of Health  
732-493-9520

Public Library  
732-747-9649

Fire Department  
(non-emergency)  
732-741-0934

## **LIBRARY PROGRAMS FOR OCTOBER**

### **ESSENTIAL OILS FOR IMMUNITY AND WELLNESS**

Presented by Jeanne Blodi  
Wednesday, October 11, 1:00 pm

Feel good about choosing natural solutions for your wellness as well as for eliminating toxins in your home. You'll leave armed with a list of which oils will help you support and maintain wellness and which to use when illness strikes.

### **BATTLE FOR GUADALCANAL, AUGUST 1942**

Presented by Paul Zigo, Director of WWII Era Studies Institute  
Wednesday, October 18, 1:00-2:30 pm

Guadalcanal, a Japanese occupied island in the Solomon Island chain in the South Pacific was invaded by a major US Marine force on August 7, 1942. The battle was the first real test of land strength between Japan and the USA. Guadalcanal is now seen as a major turning point in the Pacific war from which Japan never recovered. Come and hear Paul Zigo explain why the battle was so vicious and why it had to be won.

## **CHILDREN'S PROGRAM**

### **TALL SHIPS & PIRATE TALES**

Presented by Science Tellers  
Tuesday, October 17 at 3:30 pm at *The Woman's Club*

Ahoy! Set sail with us on a thrilling action-packed adventure about a crew of quirky pirates marooned on a desert island. With mutiny and high-tide looming, they must rescue their salty captain and find a way to construct a ship before all hope is lost!