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www.littlesilver.org

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Monday – Friday
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732-842-2400

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732-747-0812

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732-219-0812

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732-842-7039

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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



THE PARKER HOMESTEAD - 1665

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
Sunday, October 16, 2016 12:30 p.m.
Parker Homestead-1665, 235 Rumson
Road, Little Silver, NJ

www.parkerhomestead-1665.com

The Parker Homestead-1665, one of the oldest homes in America, will hold a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to celebrate the restoration of the Homestead's three antique barns, Sunday, October 16 at 12:30 pm. State, County and local officials are scheduled to attend. Light refreshments will be available after the ribbon cutting, compliments of PH1665 and Sickles Market. Tours of the barns and the Homestead will be offered from 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend and it is free to all.

The barn restoration is the result of the combined efforts of the Borough of Little Silver, Monmouth County and The Parker Homestead-1665 Inc. The three barns – Horse Barn (1790), Cow Barn (1825) and Wagon Barn (1875) - were in dilapidated condition and were nearly lost. But now, after the completion of a five year restoration project, they are once again a beautiful representation of our rich agrarian past. Please come and help us celebrate Little Silver's gem of a project!

**Little
Silver**
NEWSLETTER



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Robert C. Neff, Jr.

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Borough Calendar



Thursday, October 6th

9:30 am : Municipal Court
7:00 pm : Planning Board

Monday, October 10th

Holiday, Borough Offices
And Recycling Closed

Monday, October 17th

6:30 pm : Council Workshop
8:00 pm : Council Meeting

Tuesday, October 18th

7:00 pm : Board of Health

Thursday, October 20th

9:30 am : Municipal Court
7:00 pm : Planning Board

Wednesday, October 26th

7:00 pm : Environmental
Commission

Thursday, October 27th

7:00 pm : Shade Tree
Commission

Monday, October 31st

6:30 pm : Council Workshop
7:00 pm : Council Meeting

Message From Mayor Neff

Two long-awaited construction projects were completed in September, and we expect more progress – and a number of traditional Little Silver events, including our parade full of ghosties and goblins - in October.

But first, let me be the first to use the word “poop” in the newsletter. Apologies to the parents of any giggling children who might read this.

Ordinances sometimes work: they provide leverage when a persistent violator gets out of hand. But honestly, the use of simple courtesy really should preclude the need for the passage of yet another law that requires attorney review, public hearings, and then enforcement.

The topic? Proper disposal of the doggie droppings your pet creates during his or her walk.

Virtually everyone is very good about picking up after Fluffy. But for some, apparently, the temptation to then drop the bagged mess into the nearest neighbor's garbage can, rather than carry it home, is just too much.

I actually received two calls about this last month. I'm not saying it's a trend, but I did offer to put a simple reminder in the Message: pick it up, and then take it home, please. Your neighbor shouldn't have to bring a can in from the curb with someone else's deposit stinking up their garage until the next pick up, and it shouldn't take an ordinance to make it happen.

So thanks for your help with this.

On to less olfactory matters At this writing, the Borough Council was scheduled to vote on September 26 on a resolution authorizing a bid process for the town's first bar/restaurant liquor license.

This has been a work in progress, as the governing body has struggled with the ramifications, both legal and practical, of putting out to bid a license that will allow, for the first time, the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises. Issuance of a single license was approved by the voters last year by referendum.

We encourage all interested bidders to visit borough hall for a bid package, and for certain qualification procedures that will be required. Formal legal notice will also be posted, and by the time you read this, may already have been published.

Strict deadlines will be set, and it is likely that the bid will take place this year.

Looking back, September saw the completion of the barns behind the Parker-Sickles Homestead, which was financed in large part with a county grant.

The Parker-Sickles Homestead 1665 Inc., the charitable group raising funds to complete the preservation, has also finished preserving most of the first floor of the home, and is looking for donations and grants to begin work on the second floor. PSH 1665 Inc. will hold a ribbon cutting including County and

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Message From Mayor Neff *(continued)*

State dignitaries, and provide tours of the barns and the beautiful Parker Homestead itself on Sunday, October 16 from 11:30 to 1:30.

This historic property dating to the 1600s has been open more and more frequently to the public, including during a well-attended antique car show on the homestead's front lawn in September. Keep an eye out for future community events at this historic, educational and picturesque gateway to the Rumson Road area that includes recreation fields, nature trails, a playground, and the Community Garden.

In addition, September saw the completion of the bathroom facilities behind the firehouse, just in time for use during the fall recreation season. Thanks to the LSFD for working with us to get this done.

Also in September, Little Silver again 'went gold' in recognition of Pediatric Cancer Research Awareness Month. A special thanks to local moms Beth McLoone and Gerri Daneman, and others, for their efforts to seek greater funding for a disease that has afflicted so many of our children.

Looking forward, October offers a number of favorite town-wide events, including the annual Halloween Parade sponsored by the fire department on Sunday, October 23 at 1 pm. The all-volunteer LSFD does a great job with this, and their cadets will serve cider and donuts at the firehouse after the parade. Line up at the tennis courts on Rumson Road. Rain date October 30.

And the Little Silver PTO's Little Silver 5k – one of their biggest fundraisers - takes place on Sunday, October 2, starting on Ridge Road near the high school. Check www.littlesilverpto.org for further information.

On behalf of the governing body, we hope to see you all at these great community events, and 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.

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

Upcoming Brush Collection

Branches must be no more than 4' in length and 12" in diameter

Place brush at curb

For collection following week:

Zone 1 Oct 3-9
Zone 2 Oct 10-16
Zone 3 Oct 17-23

Copies of collection schedules Available at Borough Hall or online at www.littlesilver.org

Brush collection ends in October and will resume in January

Collection of Leaves begins October 31st

Leaves placed to curb for collection on Oct 31 thru Dec 31

No brush or limbs with leaves

Single Stream Recycling

Zone 1 Oct. 4&18
Zone 2 Oct. 5&19
Zone 3 Oct. 6&20

Little Silver Public Library

Watercolor Class with Carol Bruno

Wednesday, October 12, 10:00-Noon

Learn the basics of watercolor painting with Little Silver artist, Carol Bruno. No experience is necessary to create a beautiful painting of daisies. All supplies will be provided. The class is free but space is limited so please contact the library to sign up.

Intermediate Spanish Group

The Intermediate Spanish Group has a few openings available. This conversational group meets every Friday from 1:30-3:00 pm.

Please call the library to sign up.

RECREATION NEWS

OCTOBER 1-31 BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

\$50 LATE FEE AFTER OCT 31

COACHES NEEDED FOR ALL AGE GROUPS K-8

COACHES SIGN UP ONLINE OR CONTACT COORDINATORS

Boy's Basketball: Bill Scurozo

bscurozo@begadvisors.com or 973-464-7461

Girl's Basketball contact

DougGlassmacher@gmail.com

GRADE K-2 Clinic: Justin Griffin

Griffinj25@gamil.com or 917-974-0590

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

register.communitypass.net or

Use Link at www.littlesilver.org

Daily: LS Boro Hall, M-F, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Download Registration Forms at

www.littlesilver.org

KINDERGARTEN – 2ND GRADE SATURDAY CLINIC

This instruction clinic takes place at Point Road Gym in November and December. 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 or Griffinj25@gmail.com.

DATES FOR SATURDAY SESSIONS

November 5,19 and December 3,10, 17

TIMES FOR ALL SATURDAY SESSIONS

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

2nd Grade Girls: 1:00-2:00 PM

HALLOWEEN PARADE

SUNDAY OCT 23 RAIN DATE OCT 30

Parade will begin at 1 pm at Rumson Road Tennis Courts and end at the Firehouse

JUNIOR BUCS WRESTLING SIGN UPS

AT RED BANK REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Grades 1st – 8th, All Levels Welcome

Registration at RBR Gym

Oct. 22 & Oct 29, 9:00 AM to Noon

For More Info contact: Louis DalPra at

ldalpra@rbrhs.org or 732-842-8007

CHILD FIND

ATTENTION: LITTLE SILVER PARENTS

Any district parent, including homeless or migrant workers, who have concerns about the physical (including gross motor, fine motor and sensory), cognitive, communication, social/emotional and adaptive development of their child should contact, by mail:

Dr. Christie Robinson
Little Silver School District
Director of Special Services
95 Markham Place
Little Silver, NJ 07739

Please provide us with your child's name, address, phone number, date of birth and a brief description of your concerns.