

Voter Registration

This year is a gubernatorial election for NJ. If you are a new Delaware Township resident or never registered to vote, are 18 years of age or older, and not on parole, probation or serving a sentence due to a conviction for an indictable offense under any federal or state laws, you may register to vote.

Please remember that you must register to vote at least 21 days before the election -- by May 16, 2017 - for the primary election being held on June 6, 2017. You can find the New Jersey Voter Registration Application at www.Elections.NJ.gov or at the Township Hall.

All voting is held at the Sergeantsville Volunteer Fire Company. A voter may apply for a Mail-In Ballot by mail up to 7 days prior to the election. He or she may also apply in person to the County Clerk (Flemington, NJ) until 3pm the day before the election.

If you have any questions, visit www.Elections.NJ.gov or call toll-free 1-877-NJVOTER (1-877-658-6837).

Primary Day: June 6, 2017 (6am to 8pm)

Township Committee Terms Expiring (12/31/2017):

Charles Herman
Susan Lockwood

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Message from the Mayor: Charlie Herman

As 2017 gets off to a start, I'd like to take this opportunity on behalf of the Township Committee to wish you all well. May this year bring good health and happiness to the residents of Delaware Township. We are all very fortunate to live in this great community, and it is my honor to serve this year as Mayor.

While five of us on the Township Committee are involved with many facets of the organization of the township, the work of Delaware Township is in the hands of many people. Our employees run the day-to-day operations. This includes the great teams in our municipal building, the Delaware Township Police Department, and the Department of Public Works.

We also have many dedicated volunteers on committees and boards who work hard to keep our township a great place to live. The adage that "many hands make light work" is reflected every day in Delaware Township, and more hands are always welcome.

The team at the Sergeantsville Volunteer Fire Company is an integral part of the community as well. Whether you choose to join as a member or donate during their fundraisers, please remember to support them.

The Township Committee always welcomes new ideas and feedback from the community. Please contact any one of us, or stop in at one of our meetings to see what's going on, or to express your thoughts and concerns with us.

— Charlie Herman



Meet Your Neighbor: Larry and Diana McConkey

By Mary Coffey

A good movie is a work of art. The story and the characters should be good enough for us to suspend our real lives and become totally enmeshed in someone else's. One of the largest parts of movie making is totally behind the scenes: the photography. Where would movies be without the camera?

Cameras have been around for a long time; first as an unmoving recorder of silent events, then recording both sound and action on a moving dolly. But it was not until 1974 that the "Steadicam" was invented by Garrett Brown. This camera support system was revolutionary. It allowed an operator to mount the camera to his body with a unique suspension system that moved the camera smoothly through space without the jerkiness of a hand-held camera. Wherever the operator went, the audience could now follow: down stairways, through doorways, even on and off cranes in smooth continuous shots.

Larry McConkey, energetic, enthusiastic, and with a wide range of interests, attended Cornell University. He considered many professions: classical pianist, Olympic fencer, scientist, but pursued a unique "independent major" in film. It consisted of film courses in addition to art, music, and theater classes. He was also President of "Independent Filmmakers at Cornell," which funded student filmmaking. He later took graduate courses in filmmaking at Temple University.

His professional career began as a freelance cameraman and editor for local TV news shows in Philadelphia alternating with his real passion, Director of Photography and Operator on small independent documentaries and features. In 1976 he saw a shot in the movie "Bound for Glory" that changed his life. It was the first Steadicam shot in a feature film and he immediately thought: "They made this thing for me!" He began to use a Steadicam in all his projects.

As one of the first accomplished Steadicam Operators in the world, he eventually found himself in an enviable position: Directors like Martin Scorsese, Brian DePalma and Quentin Tarentino, sought him out for ambitious shots, sometimes for an entire film, one special scene, or just a single shot. He has amassed a credit list of more than 140 films and TV shows including "Kill Bill," "The Sopranos," "The Horse Whisperer," "Sleepless in Seattle," "Silence of the Lambs," "Glory," "Bonfire of the Vanities," and "Goodfellas" to name just a few. He has executed many of the most famous shots in cinema, and is working currently as a Director of Photography/Steadicam Operator on a film starring Sienna Miller for Director James Toback.

A few years into his career, Garrett Brown happened to see the shots that Larry did during a live broadcast of the Mummer's Parade. A mutual friend got them

in touch. Their friendship turned into a partnership that resulted in the invention of the "Skycam," an aerial remote-controlled stabilized, computerized camera system suspended by four cables which is now a familiar fixture at televised sporting events, including the Superbowl.

Diana McConkey is from California and has her own career. She was Music Director for KFRC in San Francisco, when it was the #1 Top 40 radio station in the country. After years in the radio and television field, she became Assistant to film director Philip Kaufman ("The Right Stuff"), followed by a brief stint as Assistant to Bill Jersey, a documentary filmmaker. Subsequently, she became Assistant and Production Coordinator for Saul Zaentz, a film producer well known for three "Best Picture" Oscars ("One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest," "Amadeus," and "The English Patient)."

In 1990, when working on a film, Larry and Diana's lives converged. The film was shot in Brazil, and one of Diana's jobs was to arrange for transportation for everyone working on the film. Larry was one of those people. She got to know him when they met on location. Six months later, back in San Francisco he came to work on another movie. She was his tour guide and suddenly they were a couple. They have been together ever since.

After a year living in a New York City apartment, they'd had enough of city life. They rented a house in Delaware Township for 7 years and in 2000 bought their current home.

Larry and Diana share their charming home with two dogs, one cat, a cockatiel, and a horse in their barn. Diana has done much architecturally to the house, adding an antique-looking fireplace, storage closets, and opening it up to allow free-flow from one room to another. A new roof was built on the nearby shop in which Larry designs and fabricates filmmaking devices. Diana also put in many plantings and added a pool.

Larry and Diana often travel together on location to his jobs. "Eat, Pray, Love" took them to Italy, India and Bali, and they first met the local author of the book, Elizabeth Gilbert, on location in Italy. "Hugo" took them to London for seven months with an interlude in Paris. "If he's gone and we're not together for more than two weeks, we get out of sync" says Diana. "We didn't get married until we were in our 40's, and we feel very lucky that I am able to travel with him."

She's had to find "portable work" her husband quips. For a while she hand-knitted custom baby sweaters. She is now designing and making jewelry. "A little corner in his shop is where I do my best work," she says. "The house is fine, but the shop is great..."

Emerald Ash Borer Threatens Ash Trees in New Jersey

The Emerald Ash Borer (EAB), a tiny metallic green insect native to China, Russia, Japan and Korea, is killing Ash trees across North America and here in New Jersey. The insects' larvae feed on the trees' inner bark, effectively girdling the tree and killing it. The beetles are strong fliers and good at finding ash trees. They may also be spread when firewood is moved from an infested area to a new location.

The insect often infests the upper branches of the tree first. The first sign that a tree is infected is woodpecker damage. Woodpeckers eat EABs and get to them by scraping off the outer bark leaving light-colored patches. Under the bark are s-shaped trails from the larvae. You may also see D-shaped holes where the insect exits.

Landowners can take steps to help protect our ash trees and to inhibit the spread of the EAB:

(1) Identify your ash trees and monitor for infestation. For smaller, healthy trees (with a trunk less than 20 inches diameter, measured 4.5 feet from the ground) there are over-the counter soil drench products that can be applied to the soil in the spring. For larger trees, a professional should be consulted for assistance. Hire a certified professional, get at least two cost estimates for any proposed treatments, and ask for references and insurance. (2) Spread the message and don't move firewood from one location to another. (3) If you see an EAB, take pictures and report sightings to the State Forestry Services Forest Health (609)984-3861 or to the Department of Agriculture at (609)406-6939.

For information: www.emeraldashborer.nj.gov

Radon

While January (Radon Action Month in NJ) may have passed, Delaware Township residents should continue to be aware that we live in a region that has some of the highest concentrations of radon in New Jersey. Radon is a colorless, odorless, and tasteless gas that results from the breakdown of uranium in soil and rock. It is naturally occurring across the country and enters buildings via contact with the ground. Radon decays into radioactive particles that can get trapped in your lungs — the number one cause of lung cancer after cigarette smoking.

Testing and remediation are a fairly simple process. Test kits are available online or through retail stores, radon testing businesses are also available. Make sure the test kit is certified for NJ, there is a number that should begin with MEB9 followed by four digits and that any contractors are certified by the state of NJ.

Pipeline Update

As 2016 drew to a close, some residents expressed concern regarding what 2017 would bring in relation to the Township's battle against the PennEast pipeline. However, there has been some encouraging news. In January, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission notified residents that the final Environmental Impact Statement scheduled to be released in February, has been delayed until April.

In addition, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection continues to ask for specific on-the-ground data before accepting for review the permit applications for the permits that are needed to construct this pipeline. It is important to recall that when first proposed, PennEast anticipated little resistance from the residents and that they would be installing their pipeline this year.

So the significant time and effort spent providing extensive, relevant comments and public input on PennEast's proposal has had an effect on this process. Despite the delays or maybe because of them, residents are being pressured and continue to reject, repeated requests for access to their property from PennEast consultants and appraisers.

Finally, PennEast continues to spread misinformation regarding the financial effects of the proposed pipeline. Nothing has changed. No one in New Jersey who does not currently have natural gas will receive it and there are no tax benefits to towns or residents from the proposed pipeline. Delaware Township's tax assessor estimates that Delaware Township would receive \$54,231 from the pipeline.

Compared to the many millions of dollars the Township has invested in the preserved farms, and each resident has invested in private property, which would have to be taken through eminent domain by PennEast, this amount of money would in no way reimburse the Township for the permanent damage to farmland, homes, waterways, private wells, and historic structures in the way of the pipeline.

For more information, contact Sam Thompson: s.thompson@delawaretpnj.org

Hazardous Waste Clean-Up Day

There will be a Hunterdon County hazardous waste clean-up day at the Hunterdon County Complex on March 11.

The Hunterdon County Electronic Clean-up will be announced soon. Call 908-788-1110 for dates.

Sergeantsville Farmers' Market Opens May 13th

The Sergeantsville Farmers' Market opens its 13th season on Saturday, May 13 with farm-fresh, locally grown vegetables, pork, lamb, chicken and eggs, as well as flowers and artisan goods. The market also features entertainment such as live music, pony rides, and other activities for children. This year's vendors include Blue Mist Hollow Farm, Croton Farmers' Cooperative, Keona Farm, Mt. Salem Farm, Q's Cookies, Sweet Valley Farm and the VanNess Farm.

Located across from the Township building, the market will be open from 8:30 am to noon every Saturday through the end of October. Visit our web site www.sergeantsvillefarmersmarket.com, like us on Facebook, and stop by the market! Interested in becoming a vendor? Call Jack Gaskill at 908-268-3641.

Sandbrook Meadow Farm Community Supported Agriculture

Sandbrook Meadow Farm is beginning its 7th growing season, offering nearly 300 members a wide variety of fresh, local, organic vegetables on a weekly basis. Sandbrook's unique Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) model gives members the flexibility to customize their share and use farm share "credits" to choose from a selection of the week's harvest. Members may pick up produce at their convenience on Tuesdays and Fridays at the farm or at the Hunterdon Land Trust Farmers' Market on Sundays.

The harvest season runs from the beginning of June until the end of October. Pick-your-own herbs and flowers are available for members at no additional cost. The farm also sells certified organic pork and eggs. For more information visit the web site: www.sandbrookmeadowfarm.com

Holcombe-Jimison Museum Opens May 7th

This historic old Holcombe-Jimison farmstead located on 1605 Route 29 just north of Lambertville will be celebrating the opening of its 2017 season on Sunday, May 7 from 1:00 to 4:00. Volunteers are in the process of restoring several of the old tractors and trucks in the museum and plan to have them in running condition for the opening event. Additionally, tables will be available for an on-site flea market on that Sunday. Bring the children and experience the agricultural heritage of Hunterdon County in this beautiful setting. Call 609-397-2752 for more information.

Sergeantsville Volunteer Fire Company Leaders and Fundraisers for 2017

The Sergeantsville Volunteer Fire Company announces the following officers for 2017: Stephen Freedley Sr. is the Chief; Deputy Chief Edward Fleming; 1st Capt Greg Bunting; 2nd Capt William Powell; 1st Lt Jay Trstensky; and 2nd Lt Nicholas Brancato. Richard Madden will be President, alongside Vice President Edward Fleming, Treasurer Jonathon Perlman, Assistant Treasurer Michel Lemmerling and Secretary John Smith Jr. For fire related concerns please call Chief Freedley at (609) 397-3369 ext. 800 or email chief@sergeantsville.org.

For other fire company business contact President Madden at email president@sergeantsville.org or Call (609) 397-3369 ext. 801.

The Banquet Hall is available to rent for all occasions with seating for up to 299; catering is available. For Banquet Hall related questions contact Ed Fleming at ext. 804 or email efleming@sergeantsville.org.

SVFC Fundraisers

Don't miss these fundraisers this year, because they're important to the Fire Company and enjoyable for participants. They include a monthly breakfast at the firehouse on March 26, April 30, and May 21.

There will be a Fishing Flee Market March 19 and the annual Easter Flower Sale April 14-15.

April 22 lightens things up with a Comedy Night.

Mother's Day flowers will be for sale May 12-13 and May 24 brings the Memorial Day Raffle.

As always, the fire company is looking for volunteers of all ages and abilities, up to and including Firefighters, Apparatus Drivers, Fire Police, and support volunteers for fire company events.

Visit www.sergeantsville.org for info and to volunteer.

Document Shredding Days

Free document shredding will be available at the Township Garage, 816 Sergeantsville Road, from 8 to 11am on May 20th and again on September 16th.

Remove plastic, but paperclips, staples and small fasteners do not need to be removed. Documents to be shredded should be brought in banker sized boxes (10x12x15-inch) or paper bags. Please do not use plastic bags. Up to ten boxes per car will be permitted. Participants may choose to watch the shredding process and will receive certificates of destruction certifying that the materials have been completely destroyed.

Environmental Commission Activities

Waterway Clean-up, April 22nd: Celebrate Earth Day by joining in on a waterway cleanup on April 22 from 8:30 - 11:30 am. starting at the Amwell Brethren Church (corner of Sandbrook-Headquarters and Dunkard Church Roads).

Route 29 Adopt - a - Highway Clean Up: Date and time to be announced

March On Litter: October 14, 8:30 am - 11:30am

Wetlands Restoration Project: Seeking Volunteer Surveyor Assistance

The Environmental Commission is planning to restore wetlands on township property. The Township has a survey but needs assistance in field locating the wetland boundaries from the survey. If you can help, this will also be an opportunity to share your experience with Middle School students, who will be your helpers and will be assisting with the wetland restoration project. To volunteer or for additional information, contact Kathy Klink at kklink@delawaretwpnj.org, or at 609-397-3240, ext. 208.

Rain Garden Project

Do you have extra native perennials? Rose Pontecorvo, a Delaware Township Girl Scout, is earning her Gold Award by designing, planning, and implementing a rain garden adjacent to the Township police station. We are looking for the donation of native plants that are tolerant of wet conditions, to be used in the rain garden. A donation drop-off date and location will be determined. For additional information, including a list of acceptable plants contact Kathy Klink at kklink@delawaretwpnj.org, or at 609-397-3240, ext. 208.

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Historical Society

The Delaware Township Historical Society invites you to join as its members continue to gather and preserve historical information about the town and its residents. Programs include:

Oral History Interviews: There was special interest in our oral history interviews with our seniors, and we will be contacting you shortly. It's going to be fun, informative, and nostalgic to talk to these dear people! If you haven't signed up for this and would like to, please drop us a note right away.

Reading School: In the spring, we will need some able bodies to work on our Reading School. We think we're finally going to get permission from the county to restore it. Several have already signed up to help and we'll be back in touch about a timetable for this.

Holcombe House (on Route 29 north of Lambertville): After years of effort, we finally have the historic easement written and property survey completed in order to rescue this house. It will be auctioned in the spring. If you know anyone interested in buying this venerable building (with 7 acres of land) and giving it some TLC, please let us know. Also for our Saxtonville Tavern (on Route 29 across from Bull's Island) in the foreseeable future. Be thinking about potential buyers for both.

Annual History Hike: Please mark this date on your calendar... Sunday afternoon, April 23. Further information will follow. These hikes are always a favorite with our group!

www.historymapping.org: The Society continues to add to this impressive resource that provides an historical tour of Delaware Township and environs.

2017 Household Clean-Up Days

Clean-up days will be held at the Township Garage, 816 Sergeantsville Road, from 8 to 11 on the following dates: April 29, June 17, and October 21. Permits, available at the Township Municipal Building three weeks prior to the clean-up day, are required. Proof of residency and the license plate number of the vehicle to be used are required. Residents must unload their vehicle but help with heavy items will be available.

Accepted items: Among the acceptable items are air conditioners, dehumidifiers, refrigerators with and without freon, propane tanks, metals of all types, building materials limited to one half of a standard pick-up truck load and not exceeding four feet in length.

Items NOT Accepted: Electronic and entertainment equipment, paint (water based and oil), household garbage, hazardous waste (gasoline, chemicals, explosives, etc.) and animal carcasses.

For info: call the Township at 609-397-3240.

Community Calendar

April 14: Township Offices Closed (Good Friday)
April 29: Household Clean-Up Day
May 20: Document Shredder Day
May 29: Township Offices Closed (Memorial Day)
June 6: Primary Election

All residents are invited to attend any and all Township meetings. Your participation and input are very important.

Township Committee: Mondays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/13, 3/27, 4/10, 4/24, 5/8, 5/30, 6/12.
Planning Board: 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays: 3/7, 4/4, 5/2, 6/6.
Board of Health: 7:30 Mondays 3/6, 4/3, 5/1, 6/5.
Open Space Committee: Mondays: 7:30 p.m. 3/20, 4/17, 5/15.
Agricultural Advisory Committee: 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday: 3/7, 4/4, 5/2, 6/6.
Board of Adjustment: Thursdays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/9, 4/13, 5/11, 6/8.
Recreation Commission: Mondays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/6, 4/3, 5/1.
Environmental Commission: Wednesdays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/15, 4/19, 5/17.
D.T.M.U.A.: Thursdays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/2, 4/6, 5/4, 6/1.
Shade Tree Commission: Thursdays: 7:00 p.m. on 3/23, 4/27, 5/25.
Historic Advisory Committee: Wednesdays: 7:30 p.m. on 3/8, 4/12, 5/10.
Newsletter Committee: Monday, April 10th at 6:45 p.m.

Recycling Depot: Open every weekday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Township Garage on Rt. 523. Call Recycling Coordinator Kathy Klink at 609-397-3240 Ext. 208 with any questions.

Summer Rec Program

The Recreation Commission will again offer a Summer Recreation program for three weeks this year! The program will feature daily activities including arts & crafts, sports, games, and more.

Summer Rec will run Monday-Friday from 9:00am-noon beginning Monday, July 10, 2017 through Friday, July 28, 2017. Camp will be held rain or shine, at Delaware Township School.

All children who are residents of Delaware Township and who are 5 years old by July 10, 2017 through eighth grade are invited to participate.

Recreation Commission Events

The Delaware Township Recreation Commission has some fun events planned for the spring. Kicking it off will be the Easter Egg Hunt for toddlers through 5th grade children on April 15th at 1:00pm, rain or shine at Dilts Park. Please bring a basket for your eggs!

Township-Wide Yard Sale

The Township-Wide Yard Sale will be held May 20th. Now is the time to start sifting through your attic, basement, closets, garage and barn to find those items that you are ready to sell. Cleaning out the clutter can be so freeing and those things you no longer want or need could be someone else's treasure. The sale will run from 8AM to 1PM. We will post ads in local papers, social media and fliers in stores and businesses in the area. For the past two years, we have offered to host individual sellers on the Sergeantsville Green. This could be a great opportunity for more rural addresses. Please email jeannicolalillo@gmail.com with suggestions and/or questions. To register, please email Jodi McKinney at jmckinney@delawaretpnj.org, provide your address and list some of the items people will find at your sale. Please register by May 18th so we can compile free maps and sale sheets for distribution.

The Great Crate Race

The Great Crate Race takes place on Tuesday, July 4, 2017. Start dusting off your cars or building a new one! If you are looking to purchase a car for the event or have a car to sell, please contact us. Don't miss out on this fun-filled, family-friendly community tradition. If you have any questions, please contact Steve Smotrich at stevesmotrich@gmail.com or Kathleen Herman at kah7999@hotmail.com.

Mini Golf

Try mini golf at a discount at Pine Creek July 17-21. Residents will need to bring a flier with them to receive the discounted rate.

DTAA

Spring sport registration is now open. Information: www.dtaasports.com for Spring Soccer, Baseball, and Softball. Opening day for baseball and softball is April 1. Soccer opening day is April 8.

All meetings are at Town Hall unless otherwise noted.

Church Corner

Cornerstone Christian Church

226 Locktown-Sergeantsville Rd, Stockton, NJ

Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 am
Sunday School for all ages beginning at 9:15 am

Special Event: Becoming Women of Wisdom: Saturday morning, April 8th. Ladies' seminar featuring Jayne Clark from The Christian Counseling and Education Foundation as guest speaker. More details available on the Church website as the event nears.

For more information: www.ccc-hc.org or contact Pastor Keith Harris via phone (908-237-5227) or via e-mail (pastor-keith@ccc.hc.org).

Sandy Ridge Baptist Church

47 Sandy Ridge Road, Stockton, NJ
Telephone: 609 397-0371

Sunday Service at 11:00 am
Sunday School at 11:15 am to 12 noon, all ages
Bible Study every Wed. 7:30 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

March 18: Annual Flea Market & Bake Sale 9am-1pm including light lunch featuring homemade soups. Table rental available \$18.00 Contact Gail at 908-782-2049

April 16th: Sunday School Egg Hunt at 10:00 am and Easter Service & Cantata: 11:00 am

Sergeantsville United Methodist Church

624 Rosemont Ringoes Rd, Stockton, NJ 08559

Weekly Sunday Services at 9am and 11am. Children's time followed by Sunday School and a staffed nursery during the 11am service. All welcome

Free Senior Community Lunch with Bingo: Third Thursday of the Month at 12 noon – Our next lunch is on March 16th. The lunch is free, but please RSVP with how many will be in your party by the Monday before: Jessica_Stenstrom@yahoo.com or call (609) 397-2333.

Holy Week & Easter Services

April 13th: Holy Thursday – Service of Reflection and Holy Communion at 7 pm

April 14th: Good Friday – Service at 7 pm

April 16th: Easter Sunday – Regular Worship Services

Volunteer Opportunity: Church has left the Building – Sunday, April 23rd. Church is a verb. We will gather for a short worship service at 10 am and then leave the church to participate in set mission opportunities in our community and beyond. Info: www.sergeantsvilleumc.com

Children & Youth Activities

Club 3:16: Our elementary school youth group meets weekly on Wednesdays from 4 to 5 p.m.

Ignite: Our middle school youth group meets bi-weekly. Check our Facebook page or website for our latest meeting dates.

Kids Night Out: A monthly kid's night out, providing parents with some free time, while giving local kids a safe place to gather with their friends for fun.

All are welcome. Info: visit us on Facebook, email Jessica_Stenstrom@yahoo.com, or visit www.sergeantsvilleumc.com, or call (609) 397-2333.

Amwell Church of the Brethren

March 31 - April 1: Busy Bee spring rummage sale

April 14: Good Friday service 7:00 pm

April 16: Easter sunrise service 6:00 am, followed by breakfast and a 9:00 am service with communion.

April 30: Annual church birthday celebration, with a performance by the Teen Challenge Choir. Come celebrate your birthday with us!

May 4: National Day of Prayer service 7:00 pm.

Wednesday night Bible Study: 7:00pm.

Youth group every Friday night: 7:00pm

Sunday School: 9:15

Worship service: 10:15 am

Web: www.amwell.org

Radio: WDVR 89.7fm on Sunday 7:30am for previous week's message.

Phone: 609-397-4842

Holiday Decorating Contest

Thanks to all who registered for the Delaware Township Recreation Commission 2016 Holiday Decorating Contest! We had 10 registrants this year and prizes were awarded for the top four holiday displays.

Grand Prize was awarded to Keith & Joan Freehauf on Reading Rd, 1st Place to Mary Ann & Al Bianchi on Sanford Rd, 2nd Place to The Rizzo Family on Upper Creek Road, and 3rd Place to The Nguyen Family on Higgins Farm Road. Thanks to all for their hard work!

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Word Play: What's in a Name?

How many words can you find in this familiar Delaware Township name?

Wickecheoke

Rules: Using just the letters in the word above, solution words must be at least four letters long and may not include proper names or hyphenated words. An example of a correct word is "check." Give yourself one point for each word you find.

Scoring: 7 = Good, 12 = Excellent, 17 or more = Expert

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Word Search: Township Roads

by Alison Wehringer

Here are the **answers** to last issue's puzzle.

The roads:

BISER, BRITTON, BUCHANAN, CEMETERY, COVEREDBRIDGE, DUNKARDCHURCH, FERRY, HAINES, KNOSTER, LAMBERT, MESZAROS, PAVILICA, PINEHILL, READING, RITTENHOUSE, SANDYRIDGE, SANFORD, WORMAN, YARD, ZENTEK

