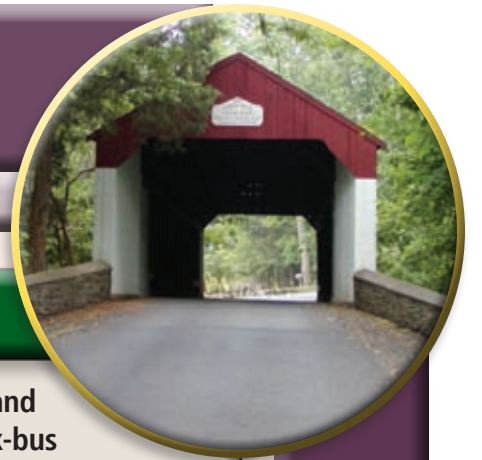


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## BUCKS COUNTY TOUR OF HONOR



On Monday, September 26, 2016, 150 World War II and Korea Veterans departed PARX Casino, Bensalem in a six-bus convoy. Accompanied by 150 "Guardians", they were en route to Washington, DC as part of the first "Bucks County Tour of Honor". These Veterans would visit the Korea Memorial, US Air Force Memorial, the Iwo Jima Memorial, Arlington National Cemetery, attend the Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and conclude the Washington visit at the World War II Memorial. A wreath was placed by two Veterans at the Tomb. One gentleman was a 101-year old Navy Veteran and the other a 92-year old Medal of Honor recipient.

This was the Welcome Home that most of them never received when they returned from their tour of duty. Escorted by police as they traveled to D.C. they were even more surprised when, on the way home, they received not only a Police escort through rush hour traffic, but a motorcycle escort by members of "Warrior Watch" from the Pennsylvania State line.

Overpasses were manned by Fire and Police saluting them with flags flying as they passed in review. As they passed through Philadelphia, members of the Highway Patrol stop by the roadside saluting them and the Police Helicopter escorted the convoy up I-95 to their arrival back at PARX Casino. The convoy passed beneath the Plumstead Volunteer Fire Department's Flag which was suspended over Street Road as they turned into the Casino parking lot. At the Casino, they were greeted by over 500 people including High School marching bands, family members, Boy and Girl Scouts, Active Duty, Reserve and National Guard members, Honor Guards from the various Veteran Organizations and a myriad of Tour of Honor volunteers who collectively made this all happen.

Led by Joe Szafran and Christine Ferrara, a year's planning and coordination culminated in this Welcome Home. PARX Casino hosted a dinner and entertainment for the returning convoy.

Among the local Veterans honored were Pierson Burton, Jr (Korea), Leonard James (Korea) and "Woody" Kiel (Korea). "Woody" a past Plumstead Township Supervisor, was escorted by Supervisor Dan Hilferty. Jerry Fox served as a Bus Captain on one of the six (6) buses. Both Dan and Jerry are Army Vets and serve on the Plumstead Township Veterans Committee and are members of American Legion Post 210, Doylestown.



At the WW II Memorial, Dan and "Woody" were greeted by Congressman Mike Fitzpatrick.

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## Contact Information

### Township Office

5186 Stump Road, P.O. Box 387, Plumsteadville, PA 18949-0387  
 Telephone: 215-766-8914 • Fax: 215-766-9831 • www.plumstead.org  
 Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

### Police Department

Office: 215-766-8741 • Dispatch: 215-766-8740 • Fax: 215-766-8509  
 For EMERGENCY Dial 911  
 Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM or by appointment

### Floyd S. Bryan Public Works Center

Office: 215-766-0189 • Fax: 215-766-1439  
 Hours: Monday - Friday 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

### Tax Collector

6162 German Road, P.O. Box 433, Plumstead, PA 18949  
 Telephone: 215-766-3785 • Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

### Water Department

Billing Questions: 215-766-0189 • Repairs & Maintenance: 215-766-0189

For after hours service disruption or non-emergency issues of concern, please contact Police Dispatch at 215-766-8740. Identify yourself as a Plumstead Township Water Department customer. The dispatcher will contact the on-duty officer, who will then contact the on-call Public Works personnel. For Police, Fire, or Medical Emergencies: 911

## Administrative Staff

**Township Manager:** Carolyn McCreary  
**Assistant to Township Manager:** Debbie DiAngelo  
**Director of Public Works:** Alan Bleam  
**Administrative Assistant & Water Billing:** Pam Gravel  
**Chief of Police:** Duane Hasenauer  
**Police Dept. Administrative Assistant:** Linda Barratt  
**Explorers:** Jen Schmitt  
**Police Clerk:** Steve Meredith  
**Finance:** Jane Faunce  
**Accounts Receivable:** Virginia Bowling  
**Code Enforcement:** Keystone Municipal Services  
**Zoning Clerk:** Kathleen Power  
**Receptionist:** Maria Strycharski

## Board of Supervisors

Dan Hilferty, **Chair**  
 Stacey Mulholland, **Vice Chair**  
 Brian Trymbiski, **Treasurer**  
 Nick Lykon, **Secretary**  
 Frank Froio, **Asst Secretary/  
 Treasurer**

## Meetings

The **Board of Supervisors'** meet on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM. Work sessions are held on the last Thursday of the month, also at 7:30 PM.

The **Planning Commission** meets on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 PM

The **Zoning Hearing Board** meets at the call of the Chairman

The **Environmental Advisory Council** meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM, January -April. The second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM, May-December.

**All Meetings are at the Township Building**

## SAVE THE DATE

- Annual Tree Lighting at Veteran's Park ..... 12/11
- Giving Tree (Hat, Mitten, Scarf Donation) ..... 11/28 – 12/22
- PJ Donation Program ..... Year-round
- Food Pantry Donation ..... Year-round
- Police Explorer's – Concert at the Farm.....5/13/17



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## FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

**SAFE EXCHANGE ZONE:** The Plumstead Township Police Department now has 2 parking spaces in the Township parking lot, designated for Craig's List, eBay, Child Custody exchanges etc.

This area is always being captured on video, but not necessarily being viewed at that moment. In case of an emergency please dial 911.



## ADVERTISE IN THE PLUMSTEAD NEWSLETTER!

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## Plumstead Township's Annual Tree Lighting

**Veteran's Park  
December 11, 2016  
3:30 to 5:00**

**Join your friends, family and community members  
for our Annual Tree Lighting!**

Decorate your own luminary bag to celebrate your faith, honor someone or remember a loved one.

Sign up for our Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest!

*Small town charm, quaint setting! Friends and neighbors gather  
for good ol' fashion fun!*

Santa and Mrs. Claus arrive by Firetruck! Tree Lighting, Holiday Sing alongs, luminaries and our silly contest.

Don't miss a great photo opportunity with Santa!

Visit [www.plumsteadparkandrec.org](http://www.plumsteadparkandrec.org) for more information.

### Santa will join us for the Tree Lighting

- Bring your camera
- Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest returns
- Create your own luminary with a local business
- Community Outreach Collections of PJs and Food Pantry items

Parking will be at the Plumstead Christian School.

### Community Outreach Collections

Please bring a non-perishable food item to help fill our local pantry

We are also collecting Pajamas for the PJs for Kids Program

**ARE YOU A LOCAL BUSINESS?** Be a part of this great event and expose your business to the community in a FUN, interactive way!  
Register on line

## Township's Third Annual Giving Tree

The Township will be sponsoring a "Giving Tree" again this year. We are looking for donations of NEW hats, scarves & gloves/mittens for children. All donations will be placed on our tree in the Township lobby and will go to the Bucks County Children and Youth. All donations will be distributed to local kids. We hope this year will be as successful as last year. Thank you again for all your generosity!



## BAMBOO! WHAT TO KNOW!

Bamboo is an extraordinary plant. There are more than one thousand (1000) types of it, and the growth rate of this plant is fascinating! It is the largest in the entire grass family, and can provide multiple uses for landscape purposes (i.e. barrier between properties). Other things to know about bamboo include:

- All bamboo are perennial evergreens
- Prefer loose soils to grow in
- Can grow up too 100cm in 24 hours

The only problem is, when not taken care of, bamboo can become quite a handful. If not maintained consistently, bamboo can:

- Become evasive to neighbors/encroach property lines
- Negatively impact pool and housing foundations, heating ducts, and other impervious surfaces
- Can affect the growth of other grasses and plants in the surrounding area

This is why when you plan to use bamboo for landscape or construction purposes, it is important to think about ways to prevent any of these negatives impacts from occurring to you, or others around you. Some options that are around to maintaining bamboo include:

- Installing a rough plastic barrier 10-30 inches deep, with the soil around it being compacted (See Figure 1)
- Creating a moat around planting, with constant surveillance for any unwanted growth
- Cutting the shoots, causing the plant to eventually use too much energy for regrowth



Figure 2: Barrier for Bamboo Containment

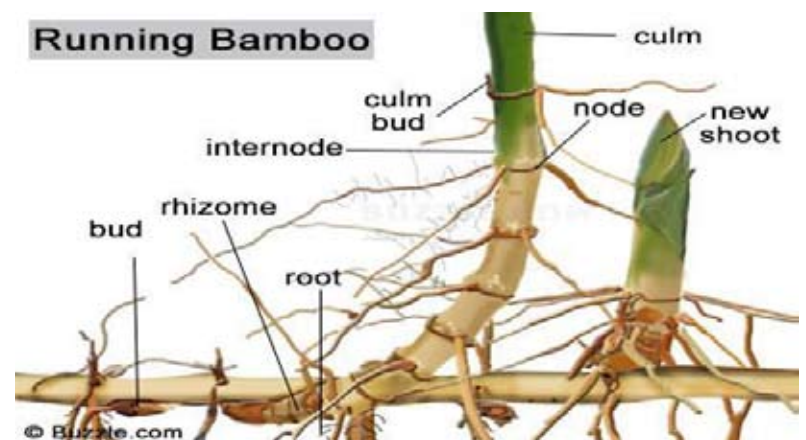


Figure 1: Running Bamboo Definitions

## Your Local Dollars at Work!

2016 has been a busy year for the Plumstead Public Works Department. From park improvements, to repairs and reconstruction of local roads; the Township has used its resources to maximize the result in a variety of ways. Below is a list of projects that the Public Works staff has been involved with this year.

### **Parks:**

#### **Jennifer Schweitzer Park Renovations:**

A new solid surface was installed to replace the old tire chips that were in place.

*Total Cost: \$26,214.32*

#### **Hanusey Park:**

A well adjacent to the park was developed to provide water to irrigate the sports fields.

*Total Cost \$59,000*

### **Road Projects:**

#### **Silo Hill Road (lower portion):**

Re-paving of .5 mile section of road between N. Easton Road and the gravel portion, and the section between Curly Hill Rd and the entrance to Owls Nest Park.

*Total Cost: \$21,725.81*

#### **Silo Hill Road (upper portion):**

Infrastructure work to improve storm drainage system in preparation for total reconstruction and paving by sub-contractor, between Stump Rd and Curly Hill Rd.

*Total Cost: \$19,137.28*

Reconstruction and paving bid was awarded to Blooming Glen Contractors, with work to be completed in October.

*Total Cost: \$251,909.00*

#### **North Branch Development:**

The roads in this residential development were microsurfaced over the summer. Microsurfacing extends the life of the roads, and delay the need for more costly milling and paving.

*Total Cost: \$235,544.93*

#### **Potters Lane:**

Re-paving of .5 mile section of road near Township Line Road.

*Total Cost: \$18,786.98*

#### **Groveland Road:**

Re-paving of .5 mile section of road between Route 413 and Moyer Road.

*Total Cost: \$18,383.52*



German Road



Groveland Road



Jennifer Schweitzer Park



Silo Hill Road



North Branch Development

## HANUSEY PARK COMMUNITY CENTER

**Looking for a place to host your next party, family get together, company meeting?** The township has a community building at Hanusey Park available for rent year round. The form can be found on our website at: <http://plumstead.org/geninfo/facilitycommunitybldg.pdf>

If you are interested, please call the township and ask for Debbie to see if your dates are available.



## Plumstead Historical Society

*Plumstead Historical Society invites you to come join us in support of the preservation of our township history.*

*Plumstead Historical Society*

*Upcoming Winter Meetings dates 2016-2017*

*November 21, 2016 December 2016 No Meeting*

*January 16, 2017 February 20, 2017*

*Meetings held 3rd Monday of every month except August and December. We have great programs and speakers every month. All are welcome; you don't have to be a member to attend! Feel free to bring family or friends to this and any event or meeting.*

***Do you want to be a member?*** To join the Plumstead Historical Society it's just \$10 for individuals or \$15 for family mail to the P.O. Box 172, Plumsteadville, PA 18949.

***Do you have historic items to donate?*** (Pictures, letters, stories, local tools or books, research on a property or family, etc), please contact us. We now have climate controlled storage to archive and protect our growing collection of historic items.

***Do you need a great gift idea?*** We have a collection of 10 different postcards split between 2 packs of 5 postcards. Each pack sells for \$5.00 (\$1 per post card). The collection is available for purchase at our meetings and makes great holiday gifts.

*If you should have any questions or an interesting story to share, please contact us at [info@plumsteadhistoricalsociety.org](mailto:info@plumsteadhistoricalsociety.org)*

*Plumstead Historical Society*

*P.O. Box 1725, Plumsteadville, PA 18949*

*[info@plumsteadhistoricalsociety.org](mailto:info@plumsteadhistoricalsociety.org)*

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

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*Also find us on Facebook!*

## FIRE HYDRANTS

During a snow event when we're cleaning off cars, shoveling sidewalks and trying to keep our driveways open the last thing we might think about are the fire hydrants in the area. But precious time can be lost if the volunteer firefighters cannot locate a hydrant when responding to a call.

Township ordinance 2-7-95 adopted in 1995 requires every person in charge or control of any building or lot of land on which, or adjacent to which, is located a fire hydrant shall be required to uncover the hydrant to the extent that at least 1/2 of the hydrant shall be visible from the cartway (road).

## P&R SCAVENGER HUNT



On Sunday, October 9th ~ Residents of Plumstead took part in Discover Plumstead an Amazing Scavenger Hunt. This unique event had residents drive around town to discover the hidden treasures in & around Plumstead Township. Those who participated learned about composting at Landis Park, saw quilts at the Grange, cracked the code at Veterans Park, found the hidden entrance to Owls Nest Park, Learned about Officer Hanusey and our Little Free Library at Hanusey Community Park, toured a plane at the Doylestown Airport, went on a hayride through Camp Curiosity, went into the quarry off of Point Pleasant Pike, played disc golf at Allohaken park, and jumped in a fire truck at the Point Pleasant Fire Company. The day was filled with learning, a bit of activity and a whole lot of fun!

Plumstead Park and Recreation Committee would like to thank all the businesses who participated and whom donated to our raffle prizes. We also want to thank our residents for being a part of our fun event. What will we Discover next time? You'll have to wait to find out!

## PA ABLE Act to Help People with Disabilities

People with disabilities and their families face many challenges. Among them are planning for a financially secure future and saving for disability-related expenses. The Pennsylvania Achieving a Better Life Experience Act (PA ABLE), which was passed by the General Assembly on April 13, will provide families with a savings account without jeopardizing eligibility for important programs that their loved ones depend on.

PA ABLE savings account benefits may include:

- Save up to \$14,000 each year.
- Savings grow tax-free.
- Use account to pay for a wide range of disability-related expenses.
- Withdrawals will be exempt from federal and state income tax when used for qualified disability expenses.
- Accounts would be exempt from inheritance tax.
- ABLE savings are excluded from eligibility determinations for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits (savings up to \$100,000), other means-tested federal programs, Medical Assistance, and other state means-tested disability and health benefits.

A second bill (HB1319) that would allow ABLE contributions (up to \$14,000 annually) is working its way through the legislative process.

The federal Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Act was enacted in December 2014. (Division B at page 47). It provides federal tax and other benefits to eligible individuals with disabilities who save to meet qualified disability expenses through ABLE savings programs offered by states.

*State Representative Marguerite Quinn*

## Welcome New Businesses in Plumstead Township!

**Council of SouthEast PA**  
(alcohol/drug dependencies)

4459 Swamp Rd, Ste 100, Doylestown

**Plumstead Produce**  
Plumstead Shopping Center

**Doylestown Dance Center**  
826 N. Easton Rd, Ste 5, Doylestown

**Devils Half Acre**  
5691 Easton Rd, Plumsteadville

**Fastsigns of Doylestown**  
826 N. Easton Rd, Ste 5, Doylestown





## Have you seen this sign?

Residents along ALL township maintained roads are reminded that parking during a winter storm is limited based on the provisions set forth in Ordinance #2003-03. Parking is prohibited following the accumulation of one inch or more of snow or ice. Vehicles in violation of this ordinance are subject to towing and storage costs.

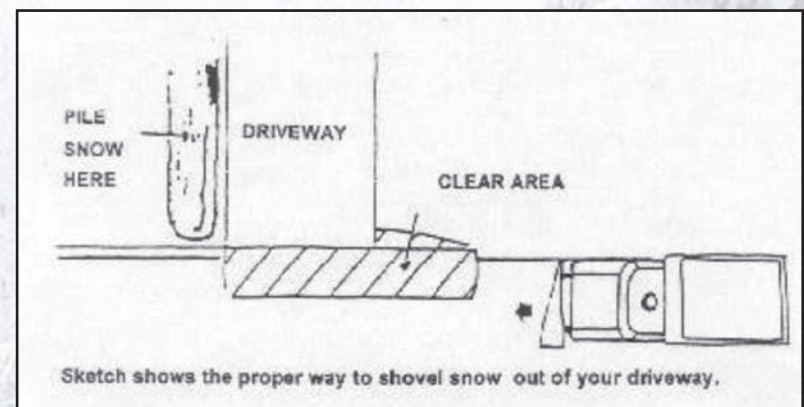
Each year, the township openly solicits local towing firms for a set cost to remove and store vehicles in violation of the ordinance. This information is posted on the township website for reference.

Residents are reminded to make guests and visitors to their home aware of this ordinance.

It would also be helpful if you could pass this information along to a new owner when selling a home.

## Snow Shoveling Tips

- After a snowstorm, how many times have you shoveled your driveway or sidewalk only to have it plowed in?
- Public Works suggests that you wait until the street is cleared before you shovel the last five feet of your driveway or your sidewalk.
- Always clear an area to the right of your driveway (as seen in the diagram below) to give the snow on the blade of the plow a place to empty before it gets to your driveway. This way you won't have to do the same job twice.
- Public Works also reminds you that it is illegal to push snow from a parking lot or driveway onto a township roadway.



## Winterizing your mailbox

- Public Works and the U.S. Postal Service are both expected to deliver during the winter season... come rain, sleet, snow, or all of the above. The location of your mailbox along the roadway can affect the efficiency of both mail service and snow plowing operations.
- Where is your mailbox located? Your letter carrier will make every effort to deliver the mail. However, if the mailbox is not accessible to the carrier due to snow buildup, or if it is not properly located along the road, you may have to pick up your mail at the post office.
- Plumstead Township allows property owners to place mailboxes within the township legal right-of-way, out of respect for the U.S. Postal Service's need to deliver, and mail customers' convenience of delivery; however, mailbox damage is the responsibility of the property owner.
- Normally, if a mailbox is placed as far from the shoulder of the road as the carrier can reach from a vehicle and the mailbox rests on a firm support, the mailbox should be able to withstand the force of snow from the plowing operation. Be sure your mailbox has a strong support. You also may wish to use reflective tape or other material to make the mailbox easier to see during storms or during dark hours.
- Plowing operations can push snow against or in front of mailboxes, limiting access and perhaps causing damage to supports.
- Check your mailbox and support often, clearing snow from it and depositing the snow properly (**never shovel snow onto the road**).

# PJ'S FOR KIDS

Plumstead Township and Circa Classics Distinctive Consignments have partnered to sponsor the "Pj's For Kids Program". This program will benefit local children through Bucks County Children & Youth.

The organization needs NEW products:

- Pj's (all sizes & all seasons)
- Books

### Drop-off locations:

**Plumstead Township  
Municipal Office**  
5186 Stump Road  
Pipersville, PA 18947  
(215) 766-8914

**Circa Classics  
Distinctive Consignments**  
5870 Easton Road  
Plumsteadville, PA 18949  
(267) 362-5154



## IT'S THE LAW!

Under Section 4524 of the PA Motor Vehicle Code, you can be issued a traffic citation if your windshield, side or rear windows are obstructed by ice or snow.

Under Section 3720 you can be issued a citation between \$200 - \$1000 if ice or snow falls from the roof of your vehicle, causing death or serious bodily injury to another motorist or pedestrian.



## PLUMSTEADVILLE VILLAGE BUSINESS ALLIANCE



Plumsteadville Village businesses want you to know they're here and ready to serve you!

The Fall Fresh Festival community event, held on Oct. 29, in partnership with the Plumsteadville Grange's last Farmer's Market of the season, attracted hundreds of visitors for crafters, vendors, and local businesses displaying their wares.

In addition, more than 20 Plumsteadville Village businesses turned out creative entries for the Village Business Scarecrow Contest. The business and community response to these scarecrows was unprecedented, and the Village Alliance team will be expanding it next year, and looking at other seasonal display contests.

### Plumsteadville Village: Home for the Holidays

As the winter holiday season kicks off, The Plumsteadville Village businesses are ready to help with gift buying, party planning, home and business décor, and anything else to make your holidays at home.

The Plumsteadville Village holiday theme, "Home for the Holidays," expresses the warmth and comfort we all want to feel around the holidays. That's what the Plumsteadville Village businesses can provide when you shop and dine locally.

Plumsteadville Village businesses will also help welcome Santa and participate in the Plumstead Township Tree Lighting, Dec. 11, 2016, at Veterans Park.

The Plumsteadville Village Business Alliance is a unique partnership between Plumstead Township and the local businesses and residents to raise visibility of our fine local resources. We invite you to try a few new stores, restaurants, or service providers this holiday season!

Watch for events, specials, and more at the Plumsteadville Village website and social media channels!

[www.plumsteadvillevillage.com](http://www.plumsteadvillevillage.com)

### Why Plumsteadville: Devil's Half Acre Tavern

The Plumsteadville Village Business Alliance officially welcomed the Devil's Half Acre Tavern to Plumsteadville Village at a ribbon-cutting ceremony Friday, September 16, 2016. The ceremony was held at the restaurant, located at 5691 Easton Rd. Plumsteadville, PA 18949.

Plumstead Township Supervisor Stacy Mulholland officiated the ceremony. Devil's Half Acre owners Nathan Hugill, Brian Hugill, and Andrea Hugill participated, with Nathan and Andrea's son Jackson making the official ribbon cut with the ceremonial scissors.



Asked why they started their new venture in Plumsteadville Village, Andrea said: "We were looking for a new opportunity, and came upon the Country Tavern. We think Plumsteadville is a great location and has a lot of growth potential."

She pointed the Plumsteadville Village Business Alliance as great partner in their future.

"In Doylestown, we have seen what a community/ business focused committee can accomplish, and we are so happy to see the same effort in Plumsteadville," she said.

Find out more about Devil's Half Acre Tavern at [www.theacrepa.com](http://www.theacrepa.com).

## FROM THE POINT PLEASANT FIRE COMPANY

The Point Pleasant Fire Company would like to thank everyone who attended the Annual Sportsman Show on August 20th. This community event brings sportsmen/women together at the Hasenauer family farm for the last 12 years. A big thank you to Glenn Hasenauer of My Place Smoked Meats, for hosting the event and donating all the proceeds to the Point Pleasant Fire Company!

## WE CAN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

Have you ever heard the sirens in the background and wondered if it was someone that you were waiting to come home or maybe someone that just left and you were hoping that it wasn't them?

What if your neighbor's house caught fire, wouldn't you want to do more than watch?

What if you had an emergency and had to call for one of our emergency services and no one showed?

With volunteers slowly becoming extinct **WE NEED YOU!** We can't have the approach of someone else can do it. I just want to sit at home.

We are 100% volunteer; during the day we have a few employers that let our members leave work to help others. To those employers thank you. Without you and your help we couldn't protect life and property in Plumstead and surrounding areas. But 2 or 3 firefighters on a truck is a safety risk and we need more help 24 hrs a day. Remember you never know that when you hear the siren the crews could be going to someone you know that needs our help.

Do you know that our fires are fought with plumbers, CEO's, truck drivers, computer tech etc.. We run about 350 calls per year. Imagine if we had to pay 4 employees with full benefits etc. just during the day what that cost would be. Who would have to pay that? We the residents would. To prevent that **WE NEED YOU!**

To become a volunteer firefighter, you need more than just a desire to help people. You need courage, dedication, enthusiasm and a willingness to learn new skills and face new challenges. You will become a part of a new family with a group of great people.

If you are interested in becoming a firefighter, I or any of our members would enjoy talking to you in more depth.

Please feel free to stop in at the station anytime. We are at there every Monday starting at 7:00pm

For more information please check us out on the web at [www.pvfc2420.org](http://www.pvfc2420.org), e-mail me directly at [pvfcchief@verizon.net](mailto:pvfcchief@verizon.net).

Sincerely,

Brian D. DuBree ~ Chief  
Plumsteadville Vol. Fire Co.

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## PLUMSTEAD TOWNSHIP VETERANS

Plumstead Township's Veterans Committee hosted the Township's observance of Veterans Day (November 11th). This was the third (3rd) anniversary of the Plumstead Township Veterans' Park dedication. As in the past, ALL of our Nation's Veterans were honored on Veterans Day, but this year Korea Veterans were singled out for recognition.

Members of local youth groups, Active and Reserve military members, Student veterans as well as members of local American Legion, Veterans of Foreign War, Disabled American Vets, Vietnam Vets of America, and the Marine Corps participated in the ceremony.

As we have done in the past, the names of those who have given all for our Nation in the Global War on Terrorism (GWOT) were read. Following "Taps", attendees adjourned to Plumstead Christian School, which again allowed the use of their facility to host the breakfast prepared by volunteers from Living Hope Community Church. We wish to convey a special thanks to the PVFD (Plumstead Volunteer Fire Company), the Plumstead Police Department and the EMTs who continue to support us.

This is a COMMUNITY event. Township residents are invited to join us and help implement this annual observance. You do not have to be a Veteran to join the Township's Veteran Committee. The Committee meets the 4th Wednesday Day of the month at 7:30 PM at the Township Building on Stump Rd.

Dave Brauer  
Plumstead Township Veterans Committee  
plumsteadvets@yahoo.com



### HAVE A "TIRED" FLAG?

If you have a flag that should be retired, Doylestown's Albert R Atkinson, Jr American Legion Post 210 holds Flag Retirement ceremonies twice annually. There is a receptacle behind the Post's building (315 North St, Doylestown) where you may leave flags.

Interested in local Veterans organizations? Posts of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans, Vietnam Veterans of America and Marine Corps League meet at American Legion Post 210 headquarters, 315 North St., Doylestown. Visit the Post's website [www.doylestownpost210.org](http://www.doylestownpost210.org) and look at the calendar for meeting dates and times.

### Bucks County Veteran Id Cards

Bucks County Veterans may obtain Bucks County Veteran Id Cards and a list of businesses providing discounts to Veterans by bringing their DD214 form to the Bucks County's Recorder of Deeds Office (215-348-6209), in the (old) Court House, 55 East Court St, Doylestown, Recorder of Deeds Office.

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## ALL NEW PLUMSTEAD SOFTBALL

In the Spring of 2016 Greg Glemser (Softball Director and Assist Coach), Brian DuBree (10U Director and Head Coach) and Dave Hendrix (12U Director and Head Coach) had a vision of bringing back softball the Plumstead area. After meeting with Plumstead Baseball Association President Mike Hart to talk about our vision of the softball program we know right away it was time to bring it back and join an already elite organization. By word of mouth we started the fall softball season with 3 teams.

As an organization, we are excited by the many opportunities which lie ahead of us. We are committed to the mission of Plumstead softball.

- Commitment to individual skills development from our youngest players to our oldest
- Provide an educational but competitive environment, where each of our players gains confidence in her abilities, yet challenged to improve herself in comparison to her peers.
- Promote respect, sportsmanship, and team building from the softball field and beyond, where players will witness how teams and the communities come together, especially through our business alliance partners contributions to our program and facilities.

We will be offering a winter training program and then kick off our Spring Season for girls 6 yrs old to 18 yrs old covering Plumstead, Doylestown, Bedminster, and surrounding communities. Follow us on facebook at Plumstead Softball, Or on the website [www.plumsteadbaseball.com](http://www.plumsteadbaseball.com) on the upcoming schedule.

Questions can be directed to Greg Glemser at [glemser@verizon.net](mailto:glemser@verizon.net)

See you on the field,  
Brian DuBree

## TOHICKON MIDDLE SCHOOL REMINDER

We have been asked by the School District to remind residents that they should not be using the track at the Tohickon Middle School during school hours. This is requested to ensure the security and safety of students when they are outdoors for physical education. We appreciate everyone's cooperation with this request.



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