

EDGEWOOD

September / October 2026

A COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER OF EDGEWOOD BOROUGH

Community Day Art Show Winners



Best in Class and Community Favorite
'Race St Star' by Lawrence Rohrer



'Love, Safety,
Harmony'
by Simone Stephens
(Artistic Creativity)
(left)

'A Gathering Place'
by Luciana Hellgren
(Best in Class)
(below)



Photo by
Lawrence Rohrer
(above)



'Community Garden'
by Brooke Rensland
(Spirit of Edgewood)
(left)

'Neighborhood Love'
by Sam Palenchar
(Storytelling)
(right)



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From The Manager's Desk

Street Tree Inventory

The borough has contracted with Bartlett Tree Experts to conduct a street tree inventory this fall. The project includes mapping our nearly 800 street trees, evaluating their condition and making prioritized maintenance recommendations to support long-term management. Bartlett employees will be performing this work in early October. They will wear clearly identifiable uniforms and are only evaluating street trees located between the curb and sidewalk in the public right of way. The information gained from this project will guide the borough's long term spending and management of its street tree inventory.

2026 Paving Program

The borough's roadway improvement program includes the milling and repaving of the following roads:

- Race Street from Pennwood Avenue to E. Swissvale Avenue
- E. Swissvale from Race Street to Maple Avenue.
- Intersection of Beech Street and Maple Avenue.
- Intersection of Brinton Road and Maple Avenue.

The program includes rehabilitation of storm sewers, catch basins and ADA ramps as needed within the project areas. If you reside on any of these streets, please keep an eye out for No Parking signs posted by the borough's contractor, A. Liberoni, Inc., advising of construction start dates.



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2026 General Election Important Dates



Oct. 19



**Last day to register to vote
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- vote.pa.gov/Register

Oct. 27



**Last day to apply
for a mail ballot**

- vote.pa.gov/MailBallot

Nov. 3



**Election Day. Polls are open
7 a.m. to 8 p.m.**

- vote.pa.gov/Polls

Nov. 3



**Completed mail ballots
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- vote.pa.gov/County

POLICE ACTIVITY

Incident Type	June	July
9-1-1 Hang Up	1	
Accident/DUI	1	
Accident/Hit-Run	5	6
Accident/Non-Reportable	1	5
Accident/Reportable	1	
Animal Complaint	2	1
Dog Bite Report	2	2
Assault-Reports	1	
Assist Other Agency	17	10
Assist Person	1	
Burglar Alarm - Business	4	5
Burglar Alarm - Residence	1	1
Civil Dispute	1	2
Criminal Mischief to All Other	1	
Criminal Mischief to Auto	2	1
Disabled Vehicle	2	1
Disorderly Conduct	3	
Domestic Disturbance	2	
Driving Under the Influence	4	2
Drug Investigation	1	
EMS Call	1	6
Found Property	1	
Fraud	2	
Harassment	1	
Harassment by Communication	1	
Indecent Exposure	1	
Juvenile Complaint	1	
Juvenile Investigation	1	
Loitering/Prowling (at night)	1	
Mental Health	1	3
Misc. Disturbance	2	
Motor Vehicle Theft	1	
Open Door	1	
Panic Alarm	1	
Parking Complaint	1	
Police Detail Parking Enforcement	2	
Public Drunkenness	1	
Property Damage	2	
Retail Theft	8	4
Road Hazard	1	
Shots Fired - Report	1	
Simple Assault	1	
Suspicious Incident	4	10
Suspicious Persons	4	3
Theft	2	3
Theft - Bicycles	1	
Traffic Stop	4	3
Trespassing of Real Property	5	
Unwanted Person	1	
Utility Complaint	1	
Verbal Disturbance	3	1
Welfare Check	5	4



Edgewood Borough Police Department

Speed Enforcement in Edgewood: How Does It Work?

Hello Amazing Edgewood,

One of the concerns we hear most frequently from residents involves speeding on our neighborhood streets. We have heard your concerns and have greatly increased our traffic enforcement efforts throughout the Borough. We wanted to take some time to explain how Pennsylvania law places significant limitations on the tools we can use when it comes to enforcing speed limits.

Unlike the Pennsylvania State Police, municipal police departments such as the Edgewood Police Department are **not permitted to use radar or LIDAR** for traditional speed enforcement. Instead, our Officers must rely on other methods authorized under Pennsylvania law.

One of the methods available to us involves timing a vehicle as it travels between **two measured points on the roadway**. You may have noticed the painted timing lines that we use on several streets throughout Edgewood, such as Maple Avenue, West Hutchinson Avenue, and West Swissvale Avenue. These lines are placed a precisely measured distance apart based on the approved speed-timing system being used, and they cannot be obstructed by parked vehicles. An Officer observes a vehicle cross the first line, activates the timing device, and stops it when the vehicle crosses the second line. The device uses the known distance and elapsed time to calculate the vehicle's average speed.

Pennsylvania law also places additional restrictions on this type of enforcement. When certain non-radar electronic timing devices are used on a roadway where the speed limit is less than 55 mph, a vehicle generally must be traveling **at least 10 mph over the posted speed limit** before the recorded speed can support a speeding conviction.

These limitations can make speed enforcement on smaller residential streets more challenging than many people realize. Nevertheless, our Officers are working with residents and businesses who have graciously allowed us to conduct traffic enforcement from their property when practical. These partnerships provide our Officers with additional safe locations to conduct enforcement while helping us address the traffic concerns brought to us by the community.

We will continue using the enforcement tools available to us, along with visible patrols, traffic education, and our partnership with the Department of Public Works, to address speeding and encourage safer driving throughout Edgewood.

As always, our goal isn't simply to write tickets. Our goal is to **educate and enforce with the ultimate goal of slowing vehicles down and keeping our streets safe** for everyone who walks, bikes, drives, and lives in our community.

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COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS



Sleepover in the Park 2026

**Saturday, September 12, 7 p.m.
through Sunday, September 13, 9 a.m.
Koenig Field: 401 Greendale Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA, 15218**

Participants, along with their parents, pitch tents and sleep under the stars at Koenig Field. This is a back-to-basics, grassroots event that includes down-home fun. As soon as the sun sets, we will watch a movie on the big screen! Participants may bring food and snacks of their choosing. They will awake the next morning to find doughnuts, juice, and coffee waiting for them in the Field House. This easy, low-key event serves to build friendships and foster community spirit in Edgewood.

Find more information on page 9 or email: sleepover@edgewoodfoundation.org.

Edgewood Newcomer's Reception

Each year, the Edgewood Foundation sponsors a reception for newcomers who have moved into the Borough in the preceding year. This event is our way of formally welcoming them into the neighborhood and to introduce them to, not only their other fellow newcomers, but also Borough officials and

other involved citizens and members of the local organizations. The reception is typically hosted at the Edgewood Train Station, The Edgewood Club or a local neighbor's house in the early evening, with refreshments and beverages being provided. The reception allows newcomers the opportunity to meet and socialize with their fellow residents, while also obtaining important information from each of the Borough offices, community groups and local businesses. This is one of the signature events of the Foundation and is a major reason why Edgewood continues to be a special place to live. This year's Newcomers' Reception will be on Thursday evening, September 17, starting at 6 p.m., so Save the Date! Invitations will be sent out in mid-August to all newcomers based upon available real estate transfer information. However, if you know a newcomer who did not receive an invitation or you are a newcomer interested in attending, please visit our website at www.edgewoodfoundation.org for additional information and also feel free to RSVP to us at newcomers@edgewoodfoundation.org. The event also has a Facebook page, that can be accessed in the Event Details posted into the calendar on our website.

Oktoberfest 2026

**Saturday, October 3
3-6 p.m. at Koenig Field**

The Edgewood Foundation has been holding Oktoberfest annually since 2011. Please come out to share pig roast, brats, beer, music, and fun at Koenig Field. Polka music is provided by Ritchie Zebrowski's Freestyle. Vegetarian options will be available.

Cost: \$35 per person, children under 12 Free. Purchase tickets online at www.edgewoodfoundation.org. Contact Stu Cohen with any inquiries at stucohen22@gmail.com

Find more information on this event on page 9.

Calling All Local Artists and Art Lovers!

**Saturday, November 7 from 1-4 p.m.
at the First Presbyterian Church of
Edgewood, 120 E. Swissvale Avenue
Sponsored by The Edgewood
Foundation**

Art lovers are invited for a free event to peruse and purchase works by local artists. Light snacks and drinks will be served.

Local artists are encouraged to participate. There is no charge to participate, but spots are limited. Please reach out to Amy at amy-hunt@comcast.net for participation details.

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EDGEWOOD SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The Edgewood Symphony Orchestra has announced its 2026-2027 Season! The opening concert of this 39th season will take place on October 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Agnes and Joseph Katz Performing Arts Center of the Jewish Community Center of Greater Pittsburgh in Squirrel Hill. The night will feature three captivating masterpieces: local Pittsburgh composer Nancy Galbraith's exciting A Festive Violet Pulse, the sweeping melodies of Borodin's Second Symphony, and the return of former ESO conductor and PSO violinist Roy Sonne for the Mendelssohn Violin Concerto.

Details on all concerts and a link to tickets can be found on the ESO website www.edgewoodsymphony.org.



September/October Events

Community Dinner: September 2, 6 p.m. We'll be firing up the grill on the side lawn (weather permitting) for the last time with your favorite sides. And, as usual, they're FREE! So, bring your family, friends and neighbors for good food and fellowship!!!

Community Planning Meeting September 9, 7 p.m.—This is our 7th installment of meeting with community groups to plan calendar events, exchange information, etc. We will be looking at dates October through Spring 2027. If you are involved with an Edgewood community group, come and share.

Apple Festival: Saturday, September 26, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Join us for our 2nd annual Apple Festival! We will have delicious baked goods, sliced apples with toppings, cobbler and more!

Blessing Bags

Mission Committee of FPCE is preparing to assemble 100 Blessing Bags to distribute to unhoused individuals, local shelters, medical clinics, and care homes. We are currently seeking donations for the following items:

- Socks
- Bottles of water
- Slim Jims
- Granola bars
- Pouches of tuna, salmon, or chicken
- Individual size applesauce
- Crackers
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes (50)
- Chapstick (50)
- Hand sanitizer or wipe

Assembly is on September 13 at 12:15 p.m. in the Gathering Place. Donations can be delivered to FPCE or dropped off at church street entrance by September 11 from 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Monday through Friday.

FPCE Pet Ministry

During the month of September, we will be collecting items for blessing bags. Items include: soft dog treats; small milk bones; cans of moist dog food with flip tops; plastic reusable lids; collapsible water bowls; and poop bags. We will also accept gently used items like halters, collars, leashes, dog apparel, toys, and blankets. Items can be brought to the School Street entrance of the church (9 a.m.-2 p.m.) and placed inside the large Pet Ministry box.

Annual Blessing of the Animals Saturday October 3 at 11 a.m. occurring outdoors on the side lawn of the church. After a brief service led by Pastor Jason, each animal will be blessed, a photo will be taken, and a personalized Certificate of Blessing will be provided.

Wilksburg Community Ministry Mobile Food Pantry offers a distribution site at FPCE, parked on School Street parking lot, Fridays at 2 p.m. Come for quality free groceries or for a few volunteer hours!

Crop Walk, Sunday, October 11, 2 p.m. Pittsburgh East community will celebrate its 50th year of walking to end hunger one step at a time. The oldest walk in the country, is sponsored by Church World Service (www.churchworldservice.org). 25% of what we raise is returned as grants to East End Cooperative Ministries and Wilksburg Community Ministry. FPCE will participate in this event with walkers from our congregation. If anyone else would like to join our small group of walkers, let the Church Office know. There are multiple length walks ranging from 1 to 4 miles around Waverly Church, Frick Park, etc. You can participate by either walking or sponsoring FPCE walkers by going to Pittsburgh East CROP Hunger Walk, scroll down to bottom of page, type in First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood to contribute online and support our effort to reduce hunger in our area!

Check out our website: www.fpcegewood.org for more information.



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WPSD to Host Annual Community Block Party

Mark your calendars for the afternoon of Saturday, September 26! The Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf (WPSD) will host its annual Community Block Party from 1-4 p.m. The party is free and open to the public. It takes place on the WPSD campus at the corner of Walnut Street and Swissvale Avenue in Edgewood.

It's a fun afternoon for the whole family, including games and activities for the kids, a petting zoo, food, and more. This event is a great opportunity for our local communities to come together, get to know each other better, and continue to develop and strengthen relationships with one another. FREE vendor space is available to local businesses and organizations! For more information about the Block Party or obtaining vendor space, please contact Sarah Bartlebaugh at 412-244-4207 or sbartlebaugh@wpsd.org.

Please follow us on our website and Facebook for updates on the day. We hope you will join us for this fun event!

WPSD is thrilled to announce a new project planned for our youngest learners.

Construction is officially underway on a large play and recreation space including two new playgrounds especially designed for our Children's Center and Elementary School students. The current playground has been loved by our students for many years. The new space will ensure our students continue to grow emotionally, physically, and socially.

To discover more about the importance of this project, just scan the QR code (right).



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A Note from the Shade Tree Commitee

TREE ART SUBMISSION

SHARE YOUR TREE ART

Share your tree art, to be featured in the Edgewood Borough newsletter! We're looking for drawings, paintings, poems, and short stories celebrating trees! Optionally, you may include the name and age (under 18) of the artist.

You may enter a submission by mailing artwork to:

Edgewood Borough
Tree Committee (art submission)
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or

Email to:
office@edgewoodboro.com,
with 'tree art submission' and the
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EDGEWOOD RECREATION

Sports

Field reservations

Groups or individuals engaged in an organized (i.e. leagues, social clubs, amateur associations, etc) sporting activity are required to apply for and receive a field use permit. Individuals or small groups wanting dedicated space are encouraged to make a reservation to ensure access, especially during peak times. Otherwise, field space/courts are first come, first serve.

Scheduling preference will be given to Edgewood residents and then to other leagues, groups, clubs and associations. The public may use all other parts of Koenig Field at any time that are not reserved.

Reservations are accepted from April 1-November 15. The tennis/pickleball courts, restrooms and water fountains are closed to the public outside of the dates listed above. Other areas of the field may still be used for off-season personal and recreational use. Edgewood Borough withholds the right to make changes to availability of any part of Koenig Field.

Youth Basketball

This league is for boys and girls in Kindergarten* through Grade 8 (*Kindergarteners should be age 6 as of the start of the season). You do not need to be an Edgewood resident to play. There will be up to 10 kids per team and up to 80 kids per Division (the exact number of teams is partially dependent on coach availability and will be determined during the registration process). This is to allow adequate gym time for all teams, and the best experience for all participants. Anyone who still wishes to sign up once we have reached capacity will be wait-listed.

We will be resuming our draft this year. For those who have not participated in this league, the draft takes place on a Saturday in mid to late December, by age division, and is an opportunity to ensure that teams are evenly matched by skill level. The regular season begins in early January. Practices will take place one weeknight evening each week. Games are held Saturday mornings, according to Division.

The fee for this league is \$70. T-shirts will be provided. Registration opens Monday, October 26 and ends Friday, December 4. Please use this link to register, which is also available on our webpage, edgewood.pgh.pa.us, and Facebook page, Edgewood Borough Community Events: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/496056>.

We are still looking for volunteers, especially coaches! Basketball experience is not required, we just need good role models to help kids stay active and have fun! CLEARANCES ARE REQUIRED.

For questions, please call or email Abigail at the Borough Office at 412-242-4824, ext 217, office@edgewoodboro.com.

Men's Basketball

Men's Basketball meets on Thursday evenings from 7-9 p.m., starting in early December and running through the end of March. The fee to participate is \$40 for the season. Registration is taken through Teamsnap, using this link: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/496057>.

For questions about the league, please email Matt Dettore at matthewdettore@gmail.com. For questions related to registration, please email Abby at office@edgewoodboro.com, or call 412-242-4824, ext 217.

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Events

Movie in the Park (+ Edgewood Foundation's Sleepover in the Park)

Saturday, September 12 (into Sunday, September 13) at Koenig Field

Edgewood Borough presents 'Luca (2021)', for our last summer feature. This family friendly coming-of-age film, set in the Italian Riviera, features a young sea monster named Luca as he takes a life-changing summer adventure. This movie night coincides with the Edgewood Foundation's 'Sleepover in Park,' where families are welcome to stay all night in Koenig Field!

Starting at 7 p.m., set up your tents, plus blankets/chairs and enjoy the movie (starts at dusk). For those who stay the night, the Edgewood Foundation will provide donuts, juice, and coffee in the morning.

All Koenig Field rules must be followed. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Please check our Facebook page, Edgewood Borough Community Events, for updates and additional information. For questions regarding the Sleepover event, please contact the Edgewood Foundation.

**Please note that the start time for each movie varies, based on the time of sunset and possible cloud cover. Most movies start approximately 8:30-9 p.m. We want to ensure adequate darkness for best visibility of the film.*

Fallfest (+Oktoberfest)

October 3, 3-6 p.m. at Koenig Field

Come enjoy an afternoon of fall-themed fun including hayrides, crafts and more at Koenig Field on Saturday, October 3. This family friendly event takes place from 3-6 p.m. (last hayride departs at 5:40 p.m.). There is no entry for Fallfest activities. Make sure to get your tickets for the Edgewood Foundation's Oktoberfest to enjoy beer and a pig roast (vegetarian option also)!

Please contact the Edgewood Foundation to purchase your Oktoberfest ticket or for questions about that event: edgewoodfoundation.org.

If you are interested in participating as a market vendor for Fallfest, please email office@edgewoodboro.com.

SAVE THE DATE—Trunk or Treat

October 27, 6-7:30 p.m. at Koenig Field

The Edgewood Borough Police Department will be hosting a Trunk or Treat event.

For more details, please visit our website, Edgewood.pgh.pa.us or on Facebook at Edgewood Borough Police Department and Edgewood Borough Community Events.

Trick or Treat

Trick-or-Treating in Edgewood Borough will occur on Saturday, October 31 from 6-8 p.m. Residents who do not want to participate should turn off their outside lights.

Safety Tips:

- Be visible (use reflective tape, or glow sticks)
- Follow street safety laws; watch for traffic
- Go in groups
- Check costumes for user safety
- Avoid open flames
- Inspect treats; avoid homemade treats



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Woodland Hills School District



Welcome back, Woodland Hills!

Mother Nature tried to make everyone grumpy, but plenty of smiles still shined through as students in the Woodland Hills School District returned to school for the start of the 2026-27 school year on Thursday, August 20. There were hugs, fist bumps, some laughs, and lots of excitement for the start of a brand new school year.

Students and staff at Edgewood Elementary STEAM Academy are particularly excited to have a full year in their renovated building. From the youngest learners in its three elementary schools to the Woodland Hills Class of 2027, the

faculty, staff, and administrators of the Woodland Hills School District are eager to see how the students learn, progress, and continue to develop into outstanding individuals.

Students Cayden Bristow, Emmalee Russini reflect on NOBLE Youth Conference experience

A pair of Woodland Hills High School students recently returned from the 50th Annual National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE) training conference in Dallas. NOBLE is devoted to uniting community leaders in a mission to promote justice, equity, and excellence in the administration of justice.

Junior Cayden Bristow and senior Emmalee Russini were able to take part in the conference thanks to their dedication to the Woodland Hills community through the annual Woodland Hills Student Summit. Cayden and Emmalee served as student leaders at the seventh annual Student Summit this past spring and have demonstrated a passion for making a positive impact on their school and their community.

The two Woodland Hills students were like sponges, trying to soak up as much information and advice as they could. It didn't matter if it was something they could use as leaders of the Student Summit, as members of their other clubs and organizations, or in their personal lives. Every idea and interaction was valuable.

Later this year, Bristow and Russini will once again be leaders for the eighth annual Woodland Hills Student Summit. Each of them now has ideas and lessons they hope they can share with their fellow student leaders and with the hundreds of participants.

"I have a tendency to not voice my opinion, not to share my perspective on situations," Russini said. "I want to take that back to the Summit, especially if I can share it to the mental health group or my criminal justice group, and just say, 'Hey, I participated in this. It's OK to speak up.'"

"I hope to go back," Bristow said. "I really hope to be the youth ambassador next year and really continue the program because I enjoyed it so much. That was such a great opportunity. I'm thankful for all the people I met there. And I'm very thankful to the HEAR Foundation for letting me be able to go with them."

You can read more about their experience at [whsd.net](https://www.whsd.net).

Woodland Hills athletic department receives national recognition

The National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association has selected the Woodland Hills athletic department as a 2026 NIAAA Quality Program Assessment recipient. The NIAAA conducts a rigorous process to identify, recognize, and commend school athletic programs that demonstrate excellence in the implementation and administration of high school athletics. The application process lasts almost a full year and includes a thorough evaluation of 10 distinct categories of athletic administration, with districts required to provide presentations and supporting documentation to back their application.

One area where Director of Activities, Athletics, and Sponsorships Mr. Ty Brown believes Woodland Hills shines is in providing leadership opportunities and responsibilities to its high school student athletes. From trips to Dickson Preparatory STEAM Academy to mentor the district's middle school students to visits to the elementary buildings to read with the district's youngest learners, the student-athletes have become visible off the field as well as on it.

"I can bark at our kids all day, but if we put that ownership on them, then you can see it registering with them," Mr. Brown said. "They're going out there and these kids are looking up to them for guidance. That's a good one for us."

You can read more about the honor at whsd.net.



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Notes from the House: passing a sensible budget, protecting community groups, reining in data centers

Hi, neighbors! I want to take a few minutes to update you on some of our work at the state Capitol.

This summer, we passed a sensible budget that funds essential programs and services for residents—*without* raising taxes or touching our state reserves. The new spending plan adds \$565 million in equity funding to continue leveling the playing field for students in historically underfunded school districts, and it invests new dollars for school safety and student mental health.

The budget also delivers additional funding for Medical Assistance managed care; increases support for mental health services, rape crisis centers, and the Violence Intervention and Prevention program; and continues funding for prescription drug assistance and other essential programs that help seniors age in place.

Safety for community groups

The new budget invests \$10 million in the Nonprofit Security Grant Fund Program, which helps groups obtain the security resources needed to protect members where they gather to worship, attend cultural celebrations, or participate in other community events. Unfortunately, it's not always easy for smaller groups with smaller budgets to meet the program's 33% grant match requirement. After the attempted shooting at Jesus' Dwelling Place in 2024, it took the church a year and a half to come up with the necessary match.

To make it easier for these groups to protect their members, I have introduced legislation that would remove the 33% match requirement for grants between \$25,000 and \$75,000 if an organization's annual revenue is less than \$250,000. No one should ever have to fear for their safety or the safety of their loved ones simply because their chosen house of worship, cultural club, or other community group has a limited budget. I'll keep you posted on the bill's progress as it advances through the House.

Dealing with data centers

My House colleagues and I are working to give communities greater control over the rapid development of data centers. We recently passed a slate of bills that would bring greater transparency to data center development, give local leaders more power to decide whether proposals are in the community's best interests, and require that data centers be accountable for their water and energy use, infrastructure costs, and environmental impacts. All are currently awaiting action in the state Senate.

We're here to help!

Please remember that our talented district staff can help with a wide range of state-related matters, from filing applications for the Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program and other state programs to obtaining a senior ConnectCard or disability placard, to solving questions or problems involving state agencies.

Call us at 412-273-3400, e-mail us at RepSalisbury@pahouse.net, or visit us at 501 Braddock Avenue., Suite 105, in Braddock Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. We're here to help!

Eligible seniors and residents with a disability:

Please remember that the **deadline to file for your Property Tax/Rent Rebate has been extended to December 31**. Contact us if you need help with filing!



Congressman Chris Deluzio

My Build America Plan will Reindustrialize Western PA and the Nation

In school, we all learned about America's milestone accomplishments—we built the transcontinental railroad, we put a man on the moon, and we electrified the nation. We brought security and dignity to millions of hardworking Americans with Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid. But over the last few decades, corporate politicians sold off the American Dream with policies that shuttered factories, sent jobs overseas, and hollowed out communities like many of ours right here in Western PA.

But I think America can do big things again. So this summer, **I launched my Build America Plan** to help us reindustrialize the USA and win the future by jumpstarting American manufacturing. The plan has three major parts:

1. **Build it HERE:** We've got to bring home good-paying jobs, modernize our electrical grid, and start up a revolutionary ***Manufacturing Sovereign Wealth Fund*** to go toe-to-toe with our foreign competitors. Chaotic tariffs and small ball tax credits alone aren't cutting it.
2. **Build it STRONG:** We've got to show young people that a four-year college degree isn't the only path to a good life. My ***Pathway to Trades Act*** would beef up trades courses with the tools and mentors kids need to succeed.
3. **Build it RIGHT:** China has flooded our markets with cheap goods and dirtier manufacturing for too long. My ***Fighting Foreign Pollution Act*** would put a fee on this and reward the stuff we make here in the USA because we can do it better and cleaner than anyone else.

I want my kids to know an America that works hard, builds strong, and dreams big. We can win the future if today we start making real investments in our workers and fighting fire with fire.

Very respectfully,

Chris Deluzio
Member of Congress

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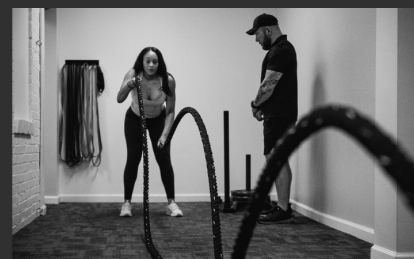
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A note from the real estate tax collector...

Any unpaid 2026 Edgewood Borough real estate tax is due at penalty and will be turned over to the delinquent tax collector at the end of December. Please send your payments to Jordan Tax Service, Inc. by December 31 to avoid any additional penalties. Checks should be made out to the Borough of Edgewood.

All Real Estate payments should be mailed to Jordan Tax Service, Inc., 102 Rahway Road, McMurray, PA 15317. Please call 724-7312300 with any questions.

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The 2026 Woodland Hills School Tax was mailed out July 1, 2026. Directions for payment are printed on the insert. Checks should be made out to Woodland Hills School District.

CALENDAR at a glance...

September

Council Meetings: 8* & 21, 7:30 pm; at Borough Building

Refuse: 4, 10, 17, 24

Recycling: 4*, 17

Borough Office Closed: 7

Community Dinner: 2

Movie Night (Luca) + Sleepover in the Park: 12 (to 13)

**Delayed due to holiday*

October

Council Meetings: 5 & 19, 7:30 pm; at Borough Building

Refuse: 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Recycling: 1, 15, 29

Fallfest/Okttoberfest: 3

Trunk or Treat: 27, 6-7:30 pm

Trick or Treat: 31, 6-8 pm



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Email: newsletter@edgewoodboro.com

If you have any questions call: 412-242-4824.



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Resident News...

Cathy Dettore

Once again OLDE EDGWOOD shared more than just a meal in July. We were treated to a beautiful piano recital by Fay D'Ippolito in her charming home. Thank you, Fay! Stay tuned for more events.

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2026 Leaf Pick-Up Schedule

(Begins tentatively 10/26/2026)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Beech Street	Garland Street	Allenby Avenue	C A T C H U P D A Y	Chestnut Street
Dewey Street	Greendale Avenue	East End Avenue		Coal Street
Elmer Street	Harlow Street	East End Ext.		E. Hutchinson Avenue
Hawthorne Street	Ivy Street	Mifflin Avenue		E. Swissvale Avenue
Locust Street	Laurel Street	Monongahela Alley		Edgewood Avenue
Maple Avenue	Lincoln Avenue	Sanders Street		Elm Street
McKelvey Avenue	McKay Street	Savannah Avenue		Gordon Street
Morris Street	Pennwood Avenue	Short Race Street		LaCrosse Street
Walnut Street	Race Street	Trenton Avenue		Lehigh Street
	Seddon Road	Vine Street		Linden Avenue
	W. Swissvale Avenue	Washington Street		Lloyd Avenue
		W. Hutchinson Avenue		Love Place
		Willow Place		Oakview Avenue
				Westmoreland Avenue

Please Note: This is LEAF Collection ONLY—Do Not Include Yard Waste.
Place your LEAVES at the curb no sooner than the NIGHT BEFORE your pickup.

DO NOT PLACE LEAVES IN THE STREET. THEY CAN BLOCK CATCH BASINS AND BE HAZARDOUS TO MOTORISTS AND PEDESTRIANS.
PLEASE KEEP THEM AT THE CURB.

Collection is weather dependent. Heavy rain or snow weighs down the leaves making them harder to vacuum. Additional time can be required if we experience several consecutive days of bad weather. Crews strive to collect each street on the posted day but that is not always possible.