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BOROUGH COUNCIL NEWS

By Michael Ticktin

Mayor and Council Thank Volunteers for Help During Storm Emergency; Clean-Up Proceeds; Dan Archer Appointed Fire Chief; Councilman Hamilton Resigns

Mayor Beth Battel opened the November 19 meeting of the Borough Council by thanking the members of the Fire Company and the First Aid Squad, as well as all others who helped in various ways, for their service to the community in the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy. She particularly commended public works employee Kelly Mitchell, saying that she was “everywhere,” doing whatever had to be done despite all difficulties, and presented her with a framed certificate entitled “Mayor’s Award for Outstanding Civic Contribution.”

Councilman Ralph Warnick reported on a meeting that he attended with Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) representatives concerning assistance that may be available. The Borough would be eligible for reimbursement for 75% of costs incurred as a result of the storm and the application for such funding is being filed. The Roosevelt Senior Citizens Housing Corporation, as a nonprofit organization maintaining a facility for senior citizens and people with disabilities, would also be eligible. Individual property owners who have sustained over \$1,000 in damages not covered by insurance can apply for assistance from FEMA by going to www.ready.gov and following the link to www.disasterassistance.gov.

Councilman Tom Curry commended the Allen Tree Service for the “incredible service” that it has provided to the Borough in promptly removing trees that were blocking roads or otherwise creating hazardous conditions. Some trees located on public property have been identified as damaged and been marked with red Xs for removal in the near future. Tree debris that is along the streets will be removed by the middle of December.

Councilman Jeff Ellentuck reported that he had met with CFO George Lang, who had recommended that several bond anticipation notes (BANs) that are currently outstanding be rolled over into bonds issued by the Monmouth County Improvement Authority, with a resulting saving of interest due to lower rates. He said that BANs could be used on a short-term basis for any costs that the Borough might incur for which it would be reimbursed by FEMA. Mr. Ellentuck also said that he was looking into the Borough’s obtaining a type of credit card that was approved by the State for use by municipal employees to get fuel for municipal vehicles, since it requires identification of both the employee and the vehicle as part of the purchase process and thus provides protection against improper use.

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Welcome to the 36th edition of the *Roosevelt Borough Bulletin*. There will be ten issues starting with September 2012 through July, 2013, leaving out January 2013.

We will do our best to make the *Bulletin* both informative and interesting with the help of our devoted writers and production people.

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If you wish to go, you must call the SCAT bus Tuesday no later than 3:00 p.m. at 732-431-6485 and press 1. Give them your name, address, and the town you are from, and your interest in going on Wednesday, the next day.

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From the Mayor

By Elsbeth Battel

Dear Neighbors,

Let's hope we never see another month of storms like this past November! I'm just grateful our town avoided the devastation experienced by other communities in our county, state and area. Thank you to everyone who pitched in for your neighbors and the town. I was very proud of and grateful to so many people who came forward to volunteer help to keep the "shelter" open and operational, like a ten day pot-luck supper. People of all age groups and interests gathered together at the Borough Hall for warmth, food and to recharge their batteries (quite literally). The First Aid Squad members did a wonderful job guarding the health of our residents. The Fire Department worked all night the nights of the hurricane and the blizzard cutting huge trees and clearing the roads, with the help of Council members. OEM head

April Suk organized the emergency services and gathered expenses reimbursement by FEMA. Kelly Mitchell seemed to be everywhere at once doing everything; everyday and night! If she wasn't out markingd-owned wires, or directing traffic, or interfacing with the power crews, or managing the emergency center, or the shelter, she was out plowing snow or setting up the garage for voting, A million thanks, Kelly! And thanks to everyone who brought food, officiated at the Borough Hall, cleaned storm drains and kept up your good spirits. Hopefully we'll never be so thoroughly tested again. Very best wishes for Happy Holidays and a Happy, Healthy New Year!

Beth ■

BOROUGH COUNCIL NEWS (CONT'D.)

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Speaking on behalf of the Roosevelt Volunteer Fire Company, Chris Suk read a letter to the Council recommending the appointment of Dan Archer as fire chief, succeeding Kim Dexheimer. While the fire company is a volunteer organization, the fire chief is a municipal official and the department that the company staffs is a municipal agency. Mayor Battel and the Council unanimously approved the appointment of Mr. Archer and expressed their appreciation of his willingness to serve.

The Mayor and Council also accepted, with regret, the resignation of Councilman Michael Hamilton, who said the

his current employment schedule made it impossible for him to attend meetings on a regular basis. Mr. Hamilton, who previously served as Mayor from 2000 through 2003, was elected for a three-year Council term last year. His successor will be selected by the Council from a list of three persons who are to be nominated by the local Democratic Party committee, which consists of Ann Baker and Bob Atwood, and will serve until the November, 2013 election, at which time a Council member will be elected for the remaining year of the unexpired term.

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**to achieve or exceed N.J. CCCS at all grade levels*

This school year, 2012-2013, Roosevelt Public School will be evaluated and monitored, as required every three years by the state. The state evaluation system is NJQSAC, New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continuum, which is a single, comprehensive accountability system that monitors State and Federal requirements for schools.

Roosevelt School will be evaluated in five areas of effectiveness: instruction and program, personnel, fiscal management, operations, and governance, to determine whether we are providing a thorough and efficient education. These five areas have been identified, based on research, to be key factors in effective school districts.

Our review occurs in three phases: a district self-evaluation, verification of those findings by the County Superintendent, as well as his recommendations based on those findings, and finally a review by the state Commissioner of Education. Our school will be given a score which will determine whether we are achieving, making progress toward

proficiency, able to operate without State intervention, or in need of an improvement plan, technical assistance, or some level of oversight provided by the State.

Each year the Roosevelt School district produces a Statement of Assurance document to verify that 50 specific performance benchmarks in each of the five areas of effectiveness are being met. This statement will be incorporated into this year's QSAC review. An additional 48 indicators will be measured as part of this year's QSAC. A change to the process as of March 2012 is a focus on student growth in the evaluation of student achievement, rather than a review of whether the district met a certain proficiency level.

The District Performance Review (DPR) committee, consisting of various school community members, appointed by our CSA, completed a District Performance Review, an assessment measuring our district's compliance supported by data. For every "yes" answer we will score points. The DPR and the Statement of Assurance was approved by the Board of Education on November 13th and will be submitted to the County Superintendent's Office on December 1st. County Superintendent staff will analyze the results of our Review, pay a visit to the school in February for first-hand observation, and develop a recommendation for placement on the performance continuum. In 2013, Roosevelt School will receive a final determination from the New Jersey Commissioner of Education of our placement on the performance continuum. Our score and placement on the continuum will then be reported at our next public Board of Education meeting. We hope to achieve a score of 80-100 percent, which will designate us as a "high performing" district.

Make a Difference. Join the School Board!

The Roosevelt Board of Education is searching for qualified candidates to fill a vacancy on their board. "The school board plays an important role in local education. They set the policies and goals under which the district operates."

School board members must be registered voters who have lived in the district for at least a year, they must be able to read and write, and cannot hold a contract with or claim against the school district.

People who wish to serve on the board of education can send a letter of interest by mail fax or email by December 13, 2012.

Please contact:
Stephanie Bilenker,
Interim CSA/Principal,
School Lane,
Roosevelt, NJ 08555.
Phone: 609-448-2798;
Fax: 609-448-2681
or the BOE at RPSBOE@gmail.com

Interviews will be conducted during the public session of the December 20, 2012 Roosevelt Board of Education Meeting.

Feel free to contact the Board at RPSBOE@gmail.com. ■

Each month the Roosevelt Board of Education is going to submit an article to keep the public apprised of Board goals, decisions, and activities

Scenes from Roosevelt's 75th Anniversary Celebration September 22-23, 2012

Photos by Jeff Klein.



Top: Assemblymen Ron Dancer and Rob Clifton, Mayor Beth Battel, Senator Sam Thompson (*at podium*), Mike Hamilton, and Peggy Malkin; *Center:* original founders and their descendants, *Bottom:* Mayor Beth Battel (*right*) with Prof. Ulker Copur of Roger Williams University. Beth is being presented with a copy of an architectural drawing of the school that was done by Louis Kahn and that is in the archives of the University of Pennsylvania.

ROOSEVELT SURVIVED HURRICANE SANDY



Photo by Bob Francis

People Dedicated to People

This is what a volunteer does every day.

Roosevelt can be thankful we have such dedicated volunteers.

A great big **THANK YOU** to all the volunteers that helped Roosevelt through this terrible storm.

“Life is not about waiting for the storms to pass... it’s about learning how to dance in the rain!”

~Vivian Greene

BRANCH COLLECTION

will begin the third week of December.

- Please place all branches on the grass at edge of the roadway.
- Do not place anything in the roadway.
- Neatly pile all branches in one direction with cut-end facing the street.

The First Aid Squad has responded to 215 emergency calls from January 1 to October 31, 2012. Seventeen emergency calls for the month of September driving 240 miles. For Roosevelt, the emergencies were unresponsive, fire stand-bys, cardiac, respiratory emergencies and welfare checks. For Millstone Twp.: falls, crisis, and cardiac emergencies. In Manalapan Twp.: respiratory and unconscious.

The training for October was patient assessment medical and trauma. Review was: some Squad standard operating guidelines.

The Squad would like to welcome our newest member Allison Mitchell. She will be starting her EMT training in January 2013.

We would like to thank all the residents of Roosevelt for their generous donations to the Squad. Without your support we could not operate. Thank You!!!

If any one wishes to make a donation, you can send it to the Roosevelt First Aid Squad at P.O. Box 274, Roosevelt, NJ 08555. Remember, all donations are tax deductible and greatly appreciated.

We are always looking for new members. We will pay for the basic training that is needed. If anyone is interested please contact any Squad member or stop in during our training for an application. If you would like to join or receive information about becoming an EMT please e-mail rooseveltfirstaidsquad@yahoo.com and now we are on facebook.

I would like to thank all the members of the Roosevelt First Aid Squad for an outstanding job during Hurricane Sandy. The Squad members for stand-bys, responding to calls and checking on our seniors log in--1,074 total man hours. The Borough was very lucky as far as medical emergencies ,only a few minor calls. Good Job to ALL.

During Hurricane Sandy I notice that a lot of town residents that have portable generators. By placing them

to close to the house or in your garage, carbon monoxide poisoning can happen. Place your generator at least 20 feet from your house.

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Health Notes:

Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

Carbon monoxide poisoning occurs after enough inhalation of carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon monoxide is a toxic gas, but, being colorless, odorless, tasteless, and initially non-irritating, it is very difficult for people to detect. Carbon monoxide is a product of incomplete combustion of organic matter due to insufficient oxygen supply to enable complete oxidation to carbon dioxide (CO₂). It is often produced in domestic or industrial settings by older motor vehicles and other gasoline-powered tools, heaters, and cooking equipment. Exposures at 100 ppm or greater can be dangerous to human health.

Symptoms of mild acute poisoning include lightheadedness, confusion, headaches, vertigo, and flu-like effects; larger exposures can lead to significant toxicity of the central nervous system and heart, and even death. Following acute poisoning, long-term sequelae often occur. Carbon monoxide can also have severe effects on the fetus of a pregnant woman. Chronic exposure to low levels of carbon monoxide can lead to depression, confusion, and memory loss. Carbon monoxide mainly causes adverse effects in humans by combining with hemoglobin to form carboxyhemoglobin (HbCO) in the blood. This prevents oxygen binding to hemoglobin, reducing the oxygen-carrying capacity of the blood, leading to hypoxia. Additionally, myoglobin and mitochondrial cytochrome oxidase are thought to be adversely affected. Carboxyhemoglobin can revert to hemoglobin, but the recovery takes time because the HbCO complex is fairly stable.

Treatment of poisoning largely consists of administering 100% oxygen or providing hyperbaric oxygen therapy, although the optimum treatment remains controversial. Oxygen works as an antidote as it increases the removal of carbon monoxide from hemoglobin, in turn providing the body with normal levels of oxygen. The prevention of poisoning is a significant public health issue. Domestic carbon monoxide poisoning can be prevented by early detection with the use of household carbon monoxide detectors. Carbon monoxide poisoning is the most common type of fatal poisoning in many countries. Historically, it was also commonly used as a method to commit suicide, usually by deliberately inhaling the exhaust fumes of a running car engine. Modern automobiles, even with electronically-controlled combustion and catalytic converters, can still produce levels of carbon monoxide which will kill if enclosed within a garage or if the tailpipe is obstructed (for example, by snow) and exhaust gas cannot escape normally. Carbon monoxide poisoning has also been implicated as the cause of apparent haunted houses; symptoms such as delirium and hallucinations have led people suffering poisoning to think they have seen ghosts or to believe their house is haunted.

Causes:

Carbon monoxide is a product of combustion of organic matter under conditions of restricted oxygen supply, which prevents complete oxidation to carbon dioxide (CO₂). Sources of carbon monoxide include cigarette smoke, house fires, faulty furnaces, heaters, wood-burning stoves, internal combustion vehicle exhaust, electrical generators, propane-fueled equipment such as portable stoves, and gasoline-powered tools such as leaf blowers, lawn mowers, high-pressure washers, concrete cutting saws, power trowels, and welders. Exposure typically occurs

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RESCUE SQUAD (CONT'D.)

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when equipment is used in buildings or semi-enclosed spaces.

Poisoning may also occur following the use of a self-contained underwater breathing apparatus (SCUBA) due to faulty diving air compressors. Riding in pickup trucks has led to poisoning in children. Idling automobiles with the exhaust pipe blocked by snow has led to the poisoning of car occupants. Generators and propulsion engines on boats, especially houseboats, has resulted in fatal carbon monoxide exposures. Another source of poisoning is exposure to the organic solvent dichloromethane, found in some paints strippers, as the metabolism of dichloromethane produces carbon monoxide. In most light aircraft and some cars the cabin heating system comprises a shroud around the exhaust. Any perforation between the exhaust manifold and shroud can result in exhaust gases reaching the cabin. In caves carbon monoxide can build up in enclosed chambers due to the presence of decomposing organic matter.

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There are still houses in town that do not have house numbers or the numbers are too small to see from the street or they are dark numbers on a dark house. Please check the numbers posted on your house to ensure that they are large and colorful enough so Emergency Services and State Police can see them from the road. There are many houses in town that do not have numbers or they cannot be seen from the road, especially at night.

**Remember, if you need help,
please dial 911.**

Jack Rindt, EMT Captain
Roosevelt First Aid Squad
rooseveltfirstaidsquad@yahoo.com



Please Register Your Dog at Borough Hall.

Please purchase a license
for your dog
in January 2013.

\$8.20/yr. neutered/spayed

\$11.20/yr. non-neutered/spayed

It's the law.

It is getting dark earlier



If you walk after dark,

**please wear light-colored clothing,
or wear some reflective gear,
or at least carry a flashlight.**

Remember to walk facing traffic,

not with the traffic coming at your back.



SEE AND

BE SEEN!



By Ron Filepp

The tree lay down on the garage roof and stretched. You have your heaven, it said, go to it.

from "The Hurricane"
by William Carlo

The big weather story for October/November was Hurricane Sandy. The storm hit on October 29. But people were making ready for her days before. I felt sure that Sandy was going to be a real rain maker. So, I cleaned our flat roof and all the downspouts. I built up a little dam in front of our garage because it sometimes floods in heavy rains. Then I cleared the pipe that takes water that gathers at the front of the house to close to the street.

It turned out that the storm did not produce a lot of rain. Only about 2.86 inches of rain fell. As we all know now, the real damage came from the winds. Trees toppled, shingles got blown away along with siding, roads were blocked, and perhaps most inconveniencing, electric power went out. And it stayed out. From about 3:15 p.m. Monday the 29th until about 7:30 p.m. November 4th at our house. Some in town got power back earlier and some later.

There was much sharing and caring between neighbors during those long days. Our good neighbors, Issac and Lisa, have a small generator and were kind enough to run a line to us so that we could have light and a radio. We shared our gas stove with them. Another good neighbor, Jeff, helped us clean up the fallen branches in our yard.

All of us in town benefited greatly from the efforts of our Borough Council members and First Aid and Fire Department members that gave long hours to clear the streets of downed trees, organize and run a shelter, and keep the town as well informed as possible, given the extraordinary circumstances.

Things were just starting to get back to normal when we got hit by an early November snow storm on the 8th that

dumped about 11 inches of heavy wet snow in town. The snow weighed down tree limbs that still had most of their leaves and wires that had been repaired only a few days earlier. Limbs broke away from trees and tore out power lines again and Roosevelt was plunged back into the dark for another couple of days.

In our yard, it was the snow storm that did the most damage. Luckily for us, all of the damage was to trees and not to the house or cars or even the wires running from the utility pole across the street. I hope everyone fared at least as well as we did. We are grateful for the Borough Council and Mayor's preparation and response to both storms and we are especially grateful that we did not experience the level of destruction seen in many shore communities.

Winter 2012-2013

The Climate Prediction Center is forecasting equal chances for above normal, normal and below normal temperatures and precipitation in our region for winter 2012-2013. The *Old Farmers Almanac* says the winter will be a little colder and drier than normal. LongRangeWeather.com forecasts a bit cooler temperatures than normal for the entire winter and slightly less snow and rain than normal, too.

Weather Lore

Much rain in October, Much wind in December.

October brought about 25% more rain than normal this year.

A warm October, A cold February.

October was approximately three degrees above normal.

Weather Word

The jet stream is a current of fast moving air found in the upper levels of the atmosphere. This rapid current is typically thousands of kilometers long, a few hundred kilometers wide, and only a few kilometers thick. Jet streams are usually found somewhere between 10-15 km (6-9 miles) above the earth's surface.

October 2012

Day	High	Low	Avg	Precip	Heat'g Degree Days
1	68.5	16.4	42.5	0.00	22.6
2	72.0	57.7	64.9	0.10	0.2
3	78.1	63.7	70.9	0.00	0.0
4	75.6	61.3	68.5	0.00	0.0
5	77.4	57.9	67.7	0.00	0.0
6	78.6	52.9	65.8	0.00	0.0
7	53.2	43.0	48.1	0.17	16.9
8	54.9	40.6	47.8	0.00	17.3
9	58.8	49.3	54.1	0.10	11.0
10	66.9	53.6	60.3	0.34	4.8
11	66.9	43.2	55.1	0.00	10.0
12	59.9	40.6	50.3	0.00	14.8
13	53.4	31.5	42.5	0.00	22.6
14	69.6	45.7	57.7	0.00	7.4
15	74.1	59.2	66.7	0.00	0.0
16	61.0	42.6	51.8	0.23	13.2
17	61.3	37.0	49.2	0.00	15.9
18	66.7	42.4	54.6	0.00	10.5
19	72.0	60.6	66.3	0.76	0.0
20	66.0	42.8	54.4	0.00	10.6
21	64.0	41.9	53.0	0.00	12.1
22	65.3	45.3	55.3	0.00	9.7
23	66.9	54.3	60.6	0.00	4.4
24	63.0	57.0	60.0	0.00	5.0
25	68.2	57.7	63.0	0.00	2.1
26	66.0	56.5	61.3	0.00	3.8
27	60.3	54.5	57.4	0.00	7.6
28	60.8	51.6	56.2	2.48	8.8
29	59.0	52.6	55.8	0.00	9.2
30	53.2	46.2	49.7	0.38	15.3
31	54.5	40.6	47.6	0.00	17.5
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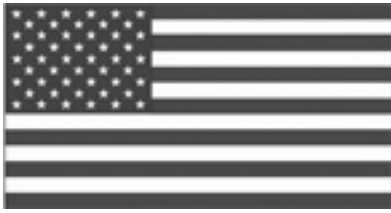
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There is a red, white, and blue mailbox out front where you can deposit old American flags to be disposed of respectfully by the VFW.

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for more
information.)

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ROOSEVELT BOROUGH HALL,
ROUTE 571, ROOSEVELT NJ**

**A VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION OF \$5
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EARLY AND LATE PIANO SONATAS

**A RECITAL WITH COMMENTARY
BY ALAN MALLACH**

BEETHOVEN THE REVOLUTIONARY



ROOSEVELT ARTS PROJECT 2012 - 2013 Season

Saturday, December 8, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

BEETHOVEN THE REVOLUTIONARY

Alan Mallach returns to the works of Ludwig van Beethoven, presenting a piano recital with commentary that traces his break from the Classical traditions and his foreshadowing of the Romantic era through his earliest and his last sonatas, beginning with the massive early Sonata in C major, and concluding with two of his final sonatas, op.109 and op.110.

Saturday, January 19, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

RISING STARS: MICHAEL NAHMIAS & ALIYA GOLDMAN

RAP is proud to present two of our locally bred musicians, former Rooseveltian, singer-songwriter Michael Brett (Nahmias) and Roosevelt resident Aliya Goldman in concert.

Saturday, February 9, Borough Hall, 8:00 p.m.

DAVID B AND GUY DEROSA SING THE BLUES

David Brahinsky (guitar and vocals), Guy DeRosa (harmonicas), Phil McCauliffe (acoustic and electric bass) and Bill Leech (electric guitar) devote the evening to The Blues -- traditional, contemporary, Dylanesque, Cohenesque...and funky too.

Friday, April 19 and Saturday, April 20, Borough Hall, SPECIAL START TIME: 7:30 p.m.

ROOSEVELT STRING BAND

As befits our 25th anniversary celebration year, the String Band, with David Brahinsky, Paul Prestopino, Ed Cedar, Sam Cedar, Kai Altair and Joe Pepitone (and we hope to have Howie Jacobson back from South Africa in time) will perform one song from as many of the 25 years that we have been performing in Roosevelt as we can reasonably fit in.

Saturday, May 4 and Sunday, May 5

RAP 25TH ANNIVERSARY WEEKEND

This last event of the 25th season of RAP will include many favorites, including a show of Roosevelt artists past and present, walking tours, poetry and more...

Voluntary Contribution:

For most events \$5 per adult, for the String Band \$10 per adult, \$5 for seniors and children.

Visit RAP's webpage at <http://music.columbia.edu/roosevelt>. Use the link at the top of the page to sign up for our e-mail list. For further information call Robin Gould at (609) 448-4616. ■

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It's nice to be
important,
but it's
more important to
be nice.

~Author Unknown

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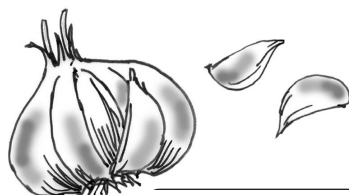
Submitted by Shirley Sokolow

Corn Casserole

1 Can Cream Corn
1 Can Whole Kernal Corn
3 Ounces Sour Cream

2 Eggs (well beaten)
2 Sticks Melted Butter
1 Box Jiffy© Corn Muffin Mix

Preheat oven to 350° F.
Combine all ingredients and pour into a 13" x 9" pan.
Bake 35-45 minutes.



T = tablespoon
tsp = teaspoon
C = cup

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If you have a favorite recipe that you would like to share with our other readers, please submit it as a digital file to www.boroughbulletin.org for consideration.

Thank you!

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December 5, 19
January 2, 16, 30

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2 Sun.	10:00 a.m.	First Aid Squad, Training, Jack Rindt, Captain, 448-9475
4 Tues.	12:30 p.m.	Seniors Blood pressure check, Boro Hall
	1:00 p.m.	Seniors Meeting, Borough Hall Margaret Schlinski, President, 448-4865
	7:30 p.m.	Planning Board, Borough Hall, Jane Rothfuss, Chair, 448-3713
5 Wed.		RECYCLE
8 Sat		PTA Movie Night
10 Mon.	7:00 p.m.	RPS Early Dismissal, Staff Inservice Council Action Meeting, Borough Hall, Beth Battel, Mayor, 448-7701
12 Wed.	7:00 pm	RPS PTA Meeting
18 Tues.	7:30 p.m.	Planning Board, Borough Hall, Jane Rothfuss, Chair. 448-3713
	8:00 p.m.	First Aid Squad, Business meeting, Jeff Klein, President, 448-0509
19 Wed.	7:30 p.m.	RECYCLE Environmental Comm. Mtg., Boro Hall Stu Kaufman, Chair. 448-4921
20 Thurs.	7:30 p.m.	RPS BOE regular meeting, RPS Lobby, Natalie Warner, President, 903-1061
21 Fri.		RPS Early Dismissal
24 – 31, Jan 1		RPS Closed, Winter Recess -- New Year's Day
26 Wed.	7:00 p.m.	Council Action Meeting, Borough Hall, Beth Battel, Mayor, 448-7701
28 Fri.	7:30 p.m.	Environmental Comm. Mtg., Boro Hall Stu Kaufman, Chair. 448-4921

JANUARY

2 Wed.		RECYCLE RPS reopens
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Please submit meeting dates, time and information to: mcmacher@comcast.net