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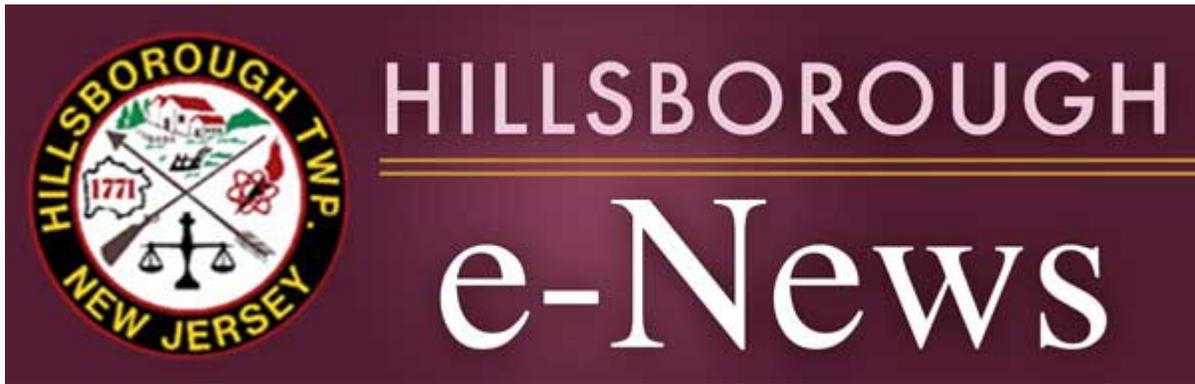
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This Newsletter is brought to you by the Hillsborough Township Committee:

Mayor Gloria McCauley

Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson

Committeeman  
Greg Burchette

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Carl Suraci



**The Board of Fire Commissioners Election will be held on Saturday, February 17th, from 2-9 PM at the Municipal Building**

- Two (2) three (3) year commissioner positions open
- Four (4) people running for these positions
- Four (4) questions on the ballot
- Approval of the annual operating budget for 2018
- Approval to purchase two (2) fire trucks in 2019 to replace two (2) fire trucks that are over twenty (20) years old (each truck is a separate question)
- Approval to purchase a brush fire truck in 2019 to replace a truck that is over twenty five (25) years old



## Francesco Taddeo, Esq. appointed as Hillsborough Township Municipal Judge

The Hillsborough Township Committee appointed Francesco Taddeo, Esq. as Hillsborough Township's new Municipal Judge on Tuesday, February 13, 2018 during the Township Committee meeting, replacing Judge John Richardson, who recently retired.

Francesco Taddeo, Esq. is a solo general practitioner with an office in Somerville and concentrates his practice in labor and employment law, government law and general and commercial litigation. Mr. Taddeo served as a Judicial Law Clerk in Somerset County and served as the President of the Somerset County Bar Association in 2015. He is currently on the New Jersey State Bar Association Labor and Employment Section Executive Committee on the Public Employment Subcommittee. He currently serves as the Municipal Public Defender for the Joint Court for the Township of Hillsborough, Township of Montgomery and Borough of Manville, the Joint Court for the Township of Bedminster, Borough of Peapack-Gladstone and Borough of Bernardsville, the Township of Bridgewater, Borough of Raritan, Township of Branchburg as well as the Prosecutor in Highland Park (Middlesex County).



*Pictured: Committeeman Carl Suraci, Judge Taddeo along with his wife and 3 children, Mayor Gloria McCauley, and Committeeman Greg Burchette*

Mr. Taddeo's 15 or more years of practicing law will be an asset as a municipal court judge.

"Hillsborough Township welcomes Judge Taddeo and wishes him much success on this new endeavor," commented Mayor McCauley after the swearing in.

## Three Police Officers Hired By Hillsborough Township Police Department

The Township Committee acted on the recommendation of the Chief of Police and hired three police officers at Tuesday's Township Committee meeting.

"There exists various vacancies within the Department and after a thorough search and interview process of very capable top candidates we are able to hire these officers to fill those vacancies," stated Committeeman Greg Burchette, Liaison to Public Safety.

"This hiring will round out the force," commented Committeeman Burchette, Liaison to Public Safety.

The three new police officers, pictured below with their families and Mayor Gloria McCauley, Committeeman Carly Suraci, Committeeman Greg Burchette and Police Chief Darren Powell are Brian William Gorka, John Anthony Johnson and Kevin Patrick Kirsh.



Officer Brian Gorka is 27 years of age. He served in the Navy 2012 - 2016. Officer Gorka graduated the Mercer County Police Academy.

Officer John Johnson is 21 years of age. He graduated from the Camden County Police Academy and has been working as a police officer for the Camden County Police Department.

Officer Kevin Kirsh is 22 years of age and graduated from Cape May Police Academy in January 2018.

The three new officers were sworn in at the Township Committee meeting on Tuesday, February 13, 2018 by Mayor Gloria McCauley. All of the Officers were joined by their families, Chief of Police Powell, Committeemen and Liaisons to Public Safety Greg Burchette and Carl Suraci for the swearing in and pinning ceremony.

## JR Raiders Varsity Celebrates 3rd Championship Season in a Row

The Hillsborough Jr. Raider Skyland Varsity Football Team had was honored with a proclamation at the February 13th Township Committee Meeting for their successful season.

The team, led by Head Coach James Burke and Assistant Coaches Jacob Patrick, John Mazuera, Tom McLain, Eric McLaughlin, Paul Michinard and Sal Volpe, included players Thomas Amankwaa, Rohan Deb, William Dixon, Ray Giuliano, Mike Giuliano, Marc Gulla, AJ Johnson, Mike Kondratiuk, Jaime Mazuera, Zach McCann, Jason McLain, Ethan McLaughlin, Tyler Michinard, Adam Movshin, Andrew Santa Barbara, Leo Schiro, Evan Swearengin, Ryan Vierbuchen and Salvatore Volpe.

The team won the Junior Skyland Football Conference for the third year in a row and finished the season by defeating Ridge 27-10 in the semi-finals and Watchung Hills 18-6 in the finals.

the Hillsborough Jr. Raider Skyland Varsity Football Team displayed amazing teamwork and chemistry throughout the season, scoring an average of over 27 points per game and finished the season 9-1.

Congratulations Team!



*Pictured: Jr. Raiders Varsity coaches and players with Mayor Gloria McCauley and Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson*

## JR Raiders Junior Varsity Team Honored for Undefeated Season

The Hillsborough Jr. Raider Skyland Junior Varsity Gold Football Team was honored with a proclamation at the February 13th Township Committee Meeting for their championship-winning, undefeated season.

The Raiders Junior Varsity Gold Team was Junior Skyland Football Conference Champion for the second year in a row, finishing the season undefeated with a record of 9-0. They displayed amazing teamwork and chemistry throughout the season, coming together as a team and completing each goal set before them.

The team, led by Head Coach Joe Riccardi and Assistant Coaches Blair DeRoner, Clint Skala, Jim Ruh, Brenden Ruh and Joe Battagliese, consisted of Cynthia Akosua, Daniel Allen, Jake Battagliese, Michael Crossman, Carson DeRoner, Tyler Jackson, Matthew Jones, Damian Kutny, Jonathan Lobelo, Ian McCauley, Logan McGann, Chimmy Ozokpor, Austin Quandt, Hudson Ruh, James Ruh III, Nick Santa Barbara, Pierce Skala and Tyler Van Cleef.

Congratulations Team!



*Pictured: Jr. Raiders Junior Varsity coaches and players with Mayor Gloria McCauley and Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson*

## Shop Hillsborough Meet the Merchant: Best Taste Asian

Ever heard of Chinese cooking the American way? If not, it's time you try one. **Best Taste Asian** is a Chinese restaurant located in Kingsbridge Center that offers one of the best tasting American Chinese cuisines in the area.

Set in a cozy environment, **Best Taste Asian** is the perfect place for a small town lunch or dinner with family and friends. A family-owned business, **Best Taste Asian** is considered by many as a must-visit establishment whenever in Hillsborough. Every bite will create a festival of flavors in your mouth. Popular choices in the menu include the pan fried noodles, broccoli with garlic sauce, Thai basil chicken, vegetable yaki udon and crab rangoon. Perfectly cooked and seasoned, **Best Taste Asian**'s menu are served in generous portions, in perfectly reasonable prices.

**Shop Hillsborough Reward Program**

**Shop** Shop at a variety of merchants

**Save** Save money through property tax credit or rebate check

**Support** Support our local merchants

If you're not familiar with American Chinese cuisine, don't worry. **Best Taste Asian**'s friendly wait staff will be more than willing to give you a rundown of the restaurant's bestsellers and must-tries.

Take on another culinary journey and try **Best Taste Asian**, Use your Shop Hillsborough card and earn **7.5% credit**.

## Department Updates

### Building Department

As a reminder, the Building Department is issuing roofing and siding permits at the counter for single family dwellings. Keep in mind when scheduling inspections, the roof must be clear of all snow.

*Roofing & Siding  
Permit Reminders*

### Business Advocate

*Sponsorship  
Opportunity - Run  
Around the Park*



The Hillsborough Township Department of Parks and Recreation is busy making plans for the 5th Annual Run Around the Park, a non-competitive, family friendly 3 mile run/walk through at Ann Van Middlesworth Park and Woodfield Park. Each year, this event brings 150 to 200 people of all ages to participate in the run/walk. In an effort to continuously improve the event while keeping registration fees low, the Department of Parks and Recreation have made various levels of sponsorship available for the Run Around the Park. By sponsoring the event, your business or organization will gain positive publicity and a sense of community pride. If a business is interested in becoming a sponsor please contact the Recreation Department at 908-369-4832.

### Engineering

*Do you know how  
many miles of  
roadway  
Hillsborough  
Township  
maintains?*

The Engineering Department would like to express the quantities of roadways and sidewalks within the Township that needs to be maintained. The public must understand that when a roadway has a pothole or a sidewalk is uneven the Township will temporarily repair the condition as soon as possible, but it needs to be noted that the Township has 530 lane miles of roadways and 115 miles of sidewalk that need to be maintained. To put that in perspective NJ to Maine is approximately 500 miles or NJ to South Carolina is approximately 500 miles so we would like the public to realize the monumental amount of roadway and sidewalks that require maintenance by our Public Works and Engineering Departments. With our aging roads and sidewalks the Township Departments are working as best as they can to assist every resident with their roadway and sidewalk concerns.



### Finance

*Dog License  
Renewal Deadline  
is March 1st*

Pet owners are reminded that all dog licenses must be renewed by March 1st, after which a \$5.00 late fee will be assessed and a failure to license ticket may be issued. For those pets who cannot have their rabies vaccine done by March 1st on the advice of your vet please send a note from your vet along with the renewal form and the license will be issued.

**DOES YOUR DOG  
HAVE A LICENSE?**

*It's required  
by law!*



**Licensing helps reunite lost  
dogs with their owners.**

## Health Department

*February is Heart Health Month*



Heart Disease is the number one killer of men and women in the US. Any of these risk factors may increase your risk:

- Family history
- Age- most heart disease occurs in those age 65 and over
- Sex- most cases are in men
- High blood pressure
- High cholesterol
- Smoking
- Obesity
- Diabetes

Please check out the [Health Department's Disease Prevention Page](#) for information on how heredity affects your risk for diseases such as heart disease under My Family Health Portrait and "How is Your Heart Hillsborough?", which is an information tool developed by nurses at the Raritan Valley Community College.

It is also important to be aware of the signs of a heart attack. According to the American Heart Association, these signs include:

1. Pain or discomfort in the chest lasting more than a few minutes, or goes away and comes back. It may feel painful, or like a squeezing, or feeling of fullness in the chest area.
2. Shortness of breath with or without chest pain.
3. Pain or discomfort in other areas of the upper body. Pain or discomfort in one or both arms, back, neck, jaw, or stomach.
4. Other symptoms may appear such as breaking out in a cold sweat, nausea, or lightheadedness

**If you have any of these symptoms, you could be having a heart attack. Call 911.**

## OEM

*Hillsborough Township Hazard Mitigation Plan Update*



Natural hazards have the potential to cause property loss, loss of life, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety. While an important aspect of emergency management deals with disaster recovery (the actions that a community takes to repair damages), an equally important aspect of emergency management involves hazard mitigation - sustained actions taken to reduce long-term risk to life and property. They are things we do today to be more protected in the future. For example, elevating or acquiring buildings in flood hazard areas, relocating critical facilities out of hazard areas, using fire-resistant construction materials in wildfire hazard areas, etc. Hazard mitigation actions are essential to breaking the typical disaster cycle of damage, reconstruction, and repeated damage. With careful selection, they can be long-term, cost-effective means of reducing risk and helping to create a more sustainable and disaster-resilient community.

A hazard mitigation plan describes an area's vulnerability to the various natural hazards that are typically present, along with an array of actions and projects for reducing key risks. This project list is known as a "mitigation strategy." While natural disasters cannot be prevented from occurring, the continued implementation of mitigation strategies identified in the plan will gradually, but steadily, make our communities more sustainable and disaster-resilient.

[Read More](#)

## Police

### Anonymously Report a Crime With STOPit App

The Hillsborough Township Police Department has partnered with the Somerset County Prosecutor's Office and STOPit, a leading provider of



anonymous reporting software solutions. This application provides residents with a safe, secure and anonymous way to provide law enforcement with information or criminal intelligence, and to report non-emergent incidents or concerns.

The anonymous message will be received by personnel from the Somerset County Communications Center along with detectives from the Prosecutor's Office.

The Hillsborough Police Department would like to stress that this application does not replace 9-1-1. Individuals needing immediate assistance or observing a situation requiring an immediate response are urged to call 911.

The STOPit app can be downloaded for free onto your mobile device from the App Store or the Google Play Store. Once downloaded, you can access "Somerset Strong" by entering the access code: SOMERSETNJ

## Public Works

*Pothole Repairs*

*Senior Curbside Pickup*

The Department of Public Works has been putting much of our attention into the pothole repairs throughout the town. Many of the repairs are temporary at best because of the adverse conditions we are working in. Potholes on main roadways will be addressed first then working our way to the development roads.

Senior Curbside Pick - up coupons may be picked up at the Chapter A and B Senior meetings in March or beginning on March 1 at the information desk located at the Municipal Building or the Department of Public Works between 7 am. and 2 pm. located at 21 East Mt. Rd. next to the YMCA.

## Winter Operations - Frequently Asked Questions and General Information



**Q: When does Hillsborough Township begin snowplowing?**

A: Snow plows typically start the plowing process after 3 inches of snow has fallen.

**Q: What should I do when I come up to the snow clearing crew in a vehicle?**

A: Be Careful. Pass only when necessary and with extreme caution. Remember snow clearing has not occurred in front of the equipment.

**Q: Who is responsible for removing the ridge of snow that the plow left behind in my driveway?**

A: You are. Residents are responsible for the removal of such ridges to allow passage into their private property. Please adhere to Ordinance No. 197-2 and not blow or plow any snow into the roadway.

**Q: Will Hillsborough Township open the access to our property?**

A: No, this is the residents responsibility.

**Q: What kind of criteria does Hillsborough Township use to classify roads on a priority scale?**

A: The priority is set, based on traffic volume, traffic speed, steepness of road grade, susceptibility to icing, etc

[Read More](#) | [View More Winter Operations Newsletters](#)

## Recreation

*Spring Soccer & Girls Softball*

Spring Soccer League registration and Girls Softball registration are both currently ongoing with registration end dates set for March 2nd.

Hillsborough Recreation hits Instagram (@Hillsboroughrec) with the hopes of providing new and unique looks at the many programs and parks offered in

*Registration*

town.

*Run Around the Park*

Planning is in motion for the 5th Annual Run Around the Park, a non competitive, family friendly 3 mile run/walk through Ann Van Middlesworth Park and Woodfield Park. In an effort to continuously improve the event, Hillsborough Recreation has made various levels of sponsorship available. By sponsoring this event, your organization will gain positive publicity and a sense of community pride. If interested please contact the Hillsborough Parks & Recreation office.

*Follow us on  
Instagram  
@Hillsboroughrec*

**Library**

### **Somerset County Library System of New Jersey to Host Countywide Bee Spectacular Scripps Spelling Bee For Third Year**

On March 10th from 2-6 p.m., the Somerset County Library System of New Jersey (SCLSNJ) will host their 3rd Annual Spelling Bee Spectacular, for children up to eighth grade, at the Somerset County Vocational and Technical High School, located at 14 Vogt Drive in Bridgewater.

"The Bee is a great way to connect the community and to underscore the Library's commitment to education and literacy," said Brian K. Auger, county library administrator.

The winner of SCLSNJ's Bee Spectacular will be eligible to attend the 2018 Scripps National Spelling Bee in Washington D.C. at the Library System's expense. Additional prizes will be awarded including a one-year subscription to Merriam-Webster Unabridged Online.

[Read More](#)

### **Help SCLSNJ design a limited edition Library card**

Calling all artists! Enter the Somerset County Library System of New Jersey's (SCLSNJ) Library Card Design contest to have your art featured on a special, limited edition library card.

The competition will launch on March 5th with entries accepted until March 24. The winning artwork will be featured on limited edition Library cards, which will be available Summer 2018 while supplies last.

"The Library card art contest will help us to engage the silent members of our communities, those who walk quietly through the world but who are capable of vast creativity and artistic expression," said Alana Danois, library assistant. "We'll also see something of those who wear their art with gusto, who cannot sit still without doodling or who take dramatic photos wherever they go. And if there is one thing all of our communities can benefit from, it is sharing our ideas and passions through art."

[Read More](#)

## **Boards & Commissions**

### **Municipal Alliance**

#### **Family Unity Night**

Family Unity Night is a free 7-week program for 10 -14 year-olds and their parents/caregivers.

Topics covered will include Communication Skills, Stress Management, Family Fun, and Problem Solving.

February 28th - April 14th, 2018  
Session runs from 6:30PM-8:30PM

**COMING SOON!**

Wednesday Nights  
At Hillsborough Middle School

A **FREE 7 week** program for  
10-14 year olds and their  
parents/caregivers.

February 28th-April 14th, 2018  
Session runs from 6:30PM-8:30PM  
**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**

- FREE EVENT TICKETS
- ADMITTANCE

How do we spell F.U.N. in Hillsborough?

**Family Unity Night**

For more information or to pre-register for the program contact:  
Wanda Mudge  
District Life Skills Coordinator  
mmudge@hillsboroughnj.gov  
(908) 431-6600 ext. 2809

**TOPICS WILL INCLUDE:**

- COMMUNICATION SKILLS
- STRESS MANAGEMENT
- SELF-TO-TOOL
- FAMILY FUN
- PROBLEM SOLVING

**EMPOWER**

Hillsborough/Milstone Municipal Alliance

## Township Job Line

Hillsborough Township is currently looking to fill the following positions:

- Part Time Building Inspector
- Full Time Police Officers
- Multi-Licensed UCC Inspector, Full Time
- Building Maintenance Part time

[More Information](#) | [Download an Application](#)



## News You Can Use

**Assistance Programs Available for JCP&L Customers to Help with Winter Heating Bills**



As the cold weather continues, financial assistance programs are available for Jersey Central Power & Light (JCP&L) customers who need help with winter heating bills.

Assistance to qualifying JCP&L customers is available through the Lifeline, Universal Service Fund (USF), Weatherization, Payment Assistance for Gas and Electric (PAGE) and New Jersey SHARES programs.

- Lifeline offers a cash grant to help people who meet certain age and disability requirements, or who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI). For additional information call 1-800-792-9745.
- USF helps residential customers maintain electric service by offering eligible customers a monthly bill credit, which is based on household income and energy usage. For more information, call 1-800-510-3102.
- The Weatherization program includes the installation of home energy measures that can help reduce energy bills. Weatherization programs include Comfort Partners, sponsored by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities. For additional information visit [www.njcleanenergy.com](http://www.njcleanenergy.com) and click on "Residential" or call 1-800-915-8309.

## Do you have questions about your child's development?

Children's Specialized Hospital is offering a FREE 30 minute Developmental Screening Program for children ages 1-5 in both English and Spanish at EmPoWER Family Success Center in Somerville.

Experts from Children's Specialized Hospital are providing free, quick developmental screenings for children ages 1 to 5 years old and sharing valuable resources for parents curious about early childhood development.

Each screening will take approximately 30 minutes and will include an interactive questionnaire and conversation between parent(s), child and Children's Specialized Hospital staff.

Each child receives an interactive developmental screening using the Ages and Stages Questionnaire-3, covering five areas of development (Communication, Personal-Social, Problem Solving, Fine & Gross Motor skills). All results are shared with the families and recommendations are made if the child needs a further evaluation.

Registration is encouraged.

[Learn More](#)

## Important Dates

### Meeting Dates

February 22, 2018	7:30 pm	Planning Board Business Meeting
February 27, 2018	7:30 pm	Township Committee Meeting

[All Boards & Commissions Meeting Dates](#) | [Community Events](#) | [Library events](#)

## Community Events

Visit the [Community Events Calendar Page](#) on the Hillsborough Township Website to see what's happening around town or to post your event

Click on flyers for more information

### RoboRaiders Pasta Dinner

Saturday, March 3, 2018  
4:00 to 8:00 PM  
Municipal Building

### Indoor Winter Farmers Market

Saturday, March 10, 2018  
10:30 am - 2:30 pm  
Hillsborough Municipal Building

### Sunnymead HSA Designer Bag Bingo & Tricky Tray

Grab your friends and come on out for a night full of laughs, luck, and some fabulous designer bags!

[Register Here](#)

Friday March 16, 2018

### Triangle School Basket Auction

Friday March 16, 2018  
6 pm - 8 pm  
Falcon's Nest

### Music of Sinatra and the American Song Book

Saturday April 21, 2018

7 pm - 9:30 pm  
Hillsborough Municipal Building

## Wildlife Explorer Program at Duke Farms

July 10-14 (ages 8-10)  
July 23-27 (ages 11-13)

## Our Town

### Premiere Dance Hillsborough Hosts Dance For The Cure

Premiere Dance Hillsborough is excited to announce that they will once again be hosting the PDH Dance FTK! They will be raising funds and awareness for Embrace Kids Foundation which supports children with cancer, sickle cell, and other blood disorders.

Embrace Kids has been around since 1991 and this is the 4th year PDH is raising money to support them. The foundation provides support services that address the families' needs as a whole including social services, counseling, financial assistance, health education, inspirational events and more.



You can help make a difference by making a tax-deductible donation towards the PDH Dance FTK on this fundraising page. No gift is too small and will go towards helping PDHr each their very attainable goal!

[Read more and find out how you can help](#)

## School News & Updates

### Township Committee Once Again Partners with School District for Scholarship Competition

*Three \$1,000 Statewide Scholarships Available Through the  
New Jersey League of Municipalities'  
"Louis Bay II Future Municipal Leaders Scholarship Competition"*

Mayor Gloria McCauley announced Hillsborough Township's participation in the New Jersey League of Municipalities' Louis Bay II, Future Municipal Leaders Scholarship Competition. "The Township is once again teaming up with the Hillsborough School District providing students a chance to participate in this scholarship competition," announced Mayor McCauley at Tuesday's Township Committee Meeting.

The purpose of this scholarship program is to advance the virtues of elected and volunteer positions in municipal government while raising awareness of municipal government in general.

"We are delighted to partner with the Township through the New Jersey League of Municipalities to participate in this scholarship competition opportunity for our students," commented Dr. Jorden Schiff, Superintendent of Hillsborough Township Schools.

[Read More](#) | [Download Application](#)

## Sunnymead HSA Designer Bag Bingo & Tricky Tray Friday March 16, 2018

*Grab your friends and come on out for a night full of laughs, luck, and some fabulous designer bags!*

Tickets are \$35 and include:

- A dabber and book of 12 rounds of BINGO with 3 BINGO faces per round to win designer handbags from Kate Spade, Coach, Michael Kors and more! All bags have a retail value of over \$300!
- Coffee, Tea, and Water - Bring your own snacks and alcoholic beverages!

At the event, our fantastic team of Sunnymead Dads will be back again this year offering additional games and prizes to win, including:

- A 50/50 raffle
- Calendar raffle
- Mega Raffle for a high end designer bag
- A high-end tricky tray auction with all prizes over \$250 in retail value!
- And much more!

[Register Here](#)

## ARIS/HMS Discount Card 2017-2018

ARIS/HMS 2017-2018 Discount Cards available for \$10.00 each, with all proceeds going to ARIS and HMS school programs and staff grants. The card includes reusable discounts from 34 local businesses including ShopRite's \$4.00 off \$100.00 purchase, McDonald's, Super Sundaes, Lenny's, Philly Pretzel, Revival Barbershop, Olympia Sports and many more!! Discounts are valid through 9/30/18. Special Promotion: Buy 5 cards, get 1 card free!



To purchase a discount card, please email [wenholt@aol.com](mailto:wenholt@aol.com) or stop by Super Sundaes (near the Post Office) and pick one up.

## Somerset County News

### Deadline Nearing to Enjoy Ballpark Community Box

Requests are now being accepted to use the 30-seat community box at the TD Bank Ballpark. To be eligible, applicants should be nonprofits whose client base consists of at least 50 percent Somerset County residents or community organizations that are located in Somerset County or have a facility based in Somerset County that serves the citizens of Somerset County. Applicants should provide a significant community service or volunteer element to Somerset County residents.

"Since the time the ballpark was constructed by the county, one 30-seat community box has been available for the benefit of nonprofits and community organizations," said Freeholder Director Patrick Scaglione. "We are pleased to continue the tradition again this year."

[Read More](#)

### 5K Race to Wellness - Register by March 13th to get t-shirt

The Somerset County Employee Wellness Committee is partnering with [EmPoWER Somerset](#) on the fifth annual 5K Race to Wellness and one-mile Fun Walk for county residents on **Saturday, March 24**.

The event will be held (rain or shine) at **9 a.m.** on **Saturday, March 24**, at Duke Island Park, located at 191 Old York Road,



Bridgewater NJ 08807. [Registration and directions can be found here](#) . The 5K course is USATF certified.

"Each year, the county Employee Wellness Committee and EmPoWER Somerset do a great job of coordinating the 5K Race to Wellness for the benefit of the community," said Freeholder Patricia Walsh. "I encourage residents and county employees to sign up with their friends so they can have a good time while taking advantage of the health benefits of exercise."

Four-time Olympian Joetta Clark Diggs will lead a warm up before the start of the race. Participants who pre-register will pay a \$30 entry fee and those who register by **Tuesday, March 13** , will receive a free long-sleeve t-shirt. The fee for residents age 60 and above or for youth, age 19 and under, is \$20. On the day of the race, registration will increase to \$40. Free goody bags will be distributed, while supplies last, and prizes will be awarded to top finishers. To register online, visit <https://runsignup.com/Race/NJ/Bridgewater/5KRacetoWellness> .

[Read More](#)

MUNICIPAL BUILDING EVENING OFFICE HOURS

CLERK'S OFFICE  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays until 7pm

HEALTH DEPARTMENT  
2nd Tuesday until 7pm (starting in May)

BUILDING DEPARTMENT  
Tuesdays until 7pm

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