



All COVID-19 resources and case information can be found on the <u>Township COVID-19 page</u>.

The Mayor's eNews is published weekly on Wednesdays.

Eagle Scout Jack Macias

At the July 13th Township Committee meeting, Deputy Mayor Del Core presented Jack Macias with a proclamation recognizing him for achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

Jack's Eagle Scout project consisted of leading Scouts in removing three feet of small vegetation from around the Otto's Farm Park trail blazes, screwing the blazes on trees and re-spray painting trail blazes. The project made the park a more popular place for hikers that wish to use an easier hiking trail. The project took a total of 109 hours to complete with the aid of 38 workers.



Congratulations to Jack and all involved for this achievement.

Tina Androulakis is Hillsborough Middle School's Governor's Educator of the Year

At the July 13th Township Committee meeting, Deputy Mayor DelCore presented Tina Androulakis with a proclamation in recognition of being named as Hillsborough Middle School's Governor's Educator of the Year for 2021.

Mrs. Androulakis assists literacy specialists in the 7th and 8th grade READ 180 programs, an intensive reading and writing intervention program designed to meet the needs of students whose reading achievement is below the proficient level.

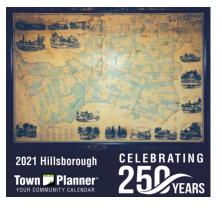
Congratulations to Mrs. Androulakis and thank you for your dedication to Hillsborough's youth.



Submissions Needed for 2022 Township Calendar

We are beginning to work on the 2022 color printed calendar and are pleased to once again partner with Town Planner to produce it. As always, the printing of the calendar comes at no cost to Hillsborough taxpayers. It is funded through the advertisements contained within the calendar.

Township calendars are generally mailed out in December and include schedules, community event



reminders, important dates, and phone numbers for the coming year. As with previous calendars, it will also showcase photographs featuring Hillsborough Township's landscape and scenery that are submitted by residents.

Individuals interested in submitting photographs for consideration for the 2022 calendar can email their high resolution image, along with a photo release form, to the Township Clerk at <u>pborek@hillsborough-nj.org</u>. The photo release form can be found on the Township website at hillsborough-nj.org. The calendar has limited spaces for photographs so there is no guarantee every one submitted will be used.

Advertising opportunities are also available in the calendar and are being handled directly through Town Planner. For more information regarding advertising, please contact Jim O'Dowd at 973-650-2736 or jimodowd@townplanner.com.

Hillsborough is #1 in NJ for Wyland Water Challenge

The results are in for the Wyland 10th annual National Mayor's Campaign for Water Conservation. Hillsborough Township entered the competition for the third year in a row and finished 37th out of hundreds of towns and cities across the U.S. and 1st in New Jersey in the 30,000 to 99,999 population category. The campaign encouraged residents to make a series of pledges to use water more efficiently, reduce pollution, and save energy. Hillsborough has maintained its standing of 1st place in NJ since 2019.

Thank you to every resident who took the pledge and once again proved that it is the great people of our Township that continue to make Hillsborough one of the best places to live in America. A special



thank you to the Township Employees and the business community who came together to promote the pledge drive.









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Hillsborough Township currently has the following open positions:

2021

- Assistant Planner GIS Specialist
- Covid 19 Generalist Health Educator
- Covid 19 Generalist Public Health Nurse
- Part Time Building Maintenance Person
- Part Time IT Assistant
- Part Time Office Assistant/Floater
- Property Maintenance Code Enforcement
 Officer
- Zoning Official

The Township of Hillsborough is an equal opportunity employer. Forward an <u>employment</u> <u>application</u>, cover letter, resume, and 3 references, to Sarah Brake: <u>sbrake@hillsborough-nj.org</u>

More News from Hillsborough Township

- Do You Need a Certificate of Occupancy for Residential Property Resale?
- PSEG Gas Projects and Pavement Restoration Updates
- Radon Kits Available to Hillsborough Residents
- Third Quarter Property Tax Bills Mailed
- Farmland Applications Due August 1
- Municipal Alliance Updates
- Somerset County to Provide Farmers Market Vouchers to Eligible Residents
- Operation Secure Shred
- NJ Dot's Tourist Oriented Signage Program Accepting Applications for Bypass
- HEA Pride Helps Hillsborough CAN
- Hillsborough UNICO Donates Over 160 Pounds of Pasta to Hillsborough CAN

Visit the News & Media page and individual department pages on the Township

GET YOUR <u>FREE</u> Covid Vaccine At The Clubhouse This Saturday!

PLACE & TIME

Sunnymeade Run Clubhouse 65 Gateway Boulevard, Hillsborough Saturday, July 17th from 9am to 12pm

WHAT

Choice of two vaccines:

 Johnson & Johnson (ages 18+): Register ahead at <u>https://covidvaccine.nj.gov/</u> to save time

 Pfizer (ages 12+): Complete the attached paperwork to save time

WHO

Clinic run by Hillsborough Health Department and Walgreens with licensed nurses/pharmacists

QUESTIONS

Call 908-369-5652 or email us at vpgrant@hillsborough-nj.com

WALK-INS WELCOME!





Get your kids *(ages 12+)* vaccinated before school

OTHER INFO

You do <u>NOT</u> need:

- ID or documentation
- Health insurance
- Money (it's free!)
- An appt: just walk in!

No impact on immigration status.

If you are homebound, please call 908-231-7155 to register for a home visit.

FREE ICE CREAM TO ALL WHO GET THEIR 1ST SHOT!

COVID-19 Infomation

Frequently Asked Questions about the COVID-19 Vaccine

Register online via the <u>NJ COVID-19 Vaccine Registration System</u>. If you do not have a computer, call the COVID Vaccine Hotline at 855-568-0545.

If you have questions about the vaccine, please visit: <u>https://covid19.nj.gov/pages/vaccine</u>



Hillsborough Township Social Services Department: 908-369-3880

Assistance is available for Hillsborough Senior Citizens who are unable to register for the Covid vaccine because they do not have a computer. Transportation to and from vaccine appointments is also available.

Somerset County COVID Hotline: (908) 231-7155

NJ Senior COVID Hotline (75 plus): 856-249-7007 Providing scheduling support, predominantly through dedicated appointments, to ensure 75+ seniors are able to access appointments

Somerset County Office on Aging: 908-704-6346

Covid Connect Helpline: 833-223-0011 For Mental Health and Substance Abuse Issues

COVID-19 Funeral Assistance Available

Covid Connect Health Line

COVID Vaccination Survey

In an effort to better determine the needs of our community, the Health Department is asking for your assistance in providing valuable information with regards to you Covid-19 vaccination. The information you provide will be kept confidential. It will assist the Health Department in planning how best to provide vaccinations for those still waiting for appointments and those that are unable to visit vaccine sites. Please take a few minutes to assist us in gathering the needed information.

Take the Survey

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Next two weeks at a glance in Hillsborough Township:

July 15, 2021 11:00 am Drive Your Way to Wellness 7:30 pm Historic Preservation Commission

July 17, 2021 9:00 am Operation Secure Shred

July 20, 2021 6:30 pm Sustainable Hillsborough Steering Committee July 22, 2021 7:30 pm Planning Board Business Meeting

July 26, 2021 6:30 pm Sign Review Committee 7:00 Environmental Commission

August 1, 2021 Tax Payment Due

Visit the **Township Calendar** for all Meetings and Events

SC_{S}^{R} Somerset County Library System <u>News</u> and <u>Events</u>



Somerset County Press Releases

Latest News from Somerset County:

Somerset County Senior Centers Offer Outdoor Programming and Zoom Activities in July Due to the pandemic, county-operated senior centers will be temporarily closed until July 31. 06/29/2021 3:39 PM

Somerset County Commissioners Adopt Budget with No Increase to Tax Rate, Preserves and Increases Services

Despite COVID-19 Pandemic and Added Services Required to Respond, Commissioners Adopt Fiscally Responsible Budget That Protects AAA Bond Rating

<u>Somerset County Cultural & Heritage Commission Holds Virtual Teen Arts Festival</u> There were 282 submissions from local student artists.

<u>Workforce Board Launches Chromebook Loaner Program</u> There are 20 Chromebooks that are available to loan for eligible participants.

Visit the Somerset County Website for all news articles

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

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