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"Building on the Past for a Stronger Future"

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FROM THE DESK OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT – GALEN FREED

On November 30, 2009, the Borough welcomed Stephen R. Salvesen as our new Borough Manager, Secretary, and Treasurer. Steve brings a wealth of Municipal experience to the position. He served as Borough Manager in the Borough of Birdsboro (just South of Reading) and Township Manager in Upper Nazareth. Steve has been on the Board of Supervisors in Hanover Township, Northampton County, for twenty six years and served as Chairman for twelve of those years. Steve received his MBA from the Baruch School of Business of C.C.N.Y. which is now part of the State University system of N.Y. State.

The Borough, along with the rest of the State and Country has been economically stalled. Growth for the past two years has been very flat. At the end of 2009, the Borough reviewed its financial picture and it is not pretty. On a planned budget of \$1,493,391.00, the Borough lost \$376,108.44. This is roughly equivalent to 6.437 mils of tax revenue. After much discussion among Council members, rates for Sewer, Water, and Garbage were increased to off-set deficits in those funds, and the mileage rate was raised 2.0 mils to partially cover the planned short fall. To balance the budget, the mileage rate would have had to be increased by 3.651 mils. Council will try to offset the short fall by cutting spending wherever possible. A major drag on our budget is the Sewer Bond issue originally floated in 1988, and refinanced in 2006. This year, the Borough will have to pay back \$787,456.25 in interest and Bond redemptions. This payment is due on June 13, 2010.

Despite these set backs, the economic outlook for the Borough looks bright. We continue to apply for Local, State and Federal grants that raise the standard of living for all. Grants have been obtained for the Trail, Parks and sewer work. The Borough Web Site (slatington.org) is now current and has many new features, the Newsletter is being published again and we will have the ability to update the web site from Borough Hall in the near future.

As always, we encourage citizen input. Council meetings are held the second Monday of each month at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers, and Workshop meetings will be held on the third and fourth Mondays of each Month starting at 6:30 PM. Time has been reserved at all meetings for Public input and comments.

SEWER – KRIS BUREK – Councilwoman

Over the past year, many changes have taken place with the Borough's Sewer system; some good and some very bad. The Borough was hit with a fine from DEP for not following regulations. This happened in 2008, and the Borough signed a COA, (consent order and agreement) with the State DEP which mandated certain provisions. One of the provisions required the Borough to hire three (3) licensed operators for the Sewer Treatment Plant. Mr. Stefan Myers was brought on board in 2008. The Second licensed operator, Mr. Duane Szczesny was brought on board in February of this year. The third operator was scheduled to be on board by June of this year. The Borough petitioned DEP to relax this provision since we have a trainee waiting to take the test as soon as DEP offered the testing program again. The COA also required the Borough to develop a User manual for the plant so that any new operator could step in and run the plant in an emergency. This is still a work in progress.

In addition to the changes in personnel at the plant, the Borough has been hard at work in completing its I&I program. I&I is an acronym for Inflow and Infiltration into the Sewer plant. This is basically rain water that is introduced into the Sewer System that overloads the hydraulic capacity of the system to process sewerage. When this happens, the Sewer plant must release sewerage into the river that has not been completely treated and the Borough can be fined for each occurrence. The Borough applied for and received grants along with a low interest PENNVEST loan to complete the program. Inflow is water that enters the Sewer System directly through drain spouts, sump pumps and un-capped sewer vent pipes that are hooked directly into the Sewer System. In early 2009, the Borough conducted smoke testing to determine where these hook-ups are located and letters have gone out to those residents that have these hook-ups requiring them to be terminated. Later this year, we will smoke test the system to determine compliance. These hook-ups are illegal and there are penalties for continuing their use. Infiltration is water that seeps into the Sewer System due to cracks in the sewer pipes, laterals, cracked vent caps, or manholes. This is the largest part of the project. Borough owned sewer lines, manholes and laterals are being lined to eliminate infiltration into the system. This is the work that is most visible to all residents of the Borough. Unfortunately, many areas of the Borough, including most of the streets and some of the sidewalks have been dug up to facilitate this part of the project. As part of the grant, the contractor is required to fix and/or restore any property disturbed during the re-lining program. Some of the restoration work has begun and by mid-May we should be seeing real progress. If a resident has a complaint about the work or a question on when their specific property will be restored, they should be addressed to the Engineer, Mr. John Keck, Spotts, Stevens & McCoy on the job site at 610-390-2242 for the quickest and most informative response. The entire project will be completed by the end of October of this year.

Water – ELDON ROBERTS – Councilman

In December of 2009, Council elected to raise water rates in the Borough. Council members have been asked why, both at regular meetings, and whenever residents catch the ear of an elected official. The reasons are clear; prices have not kept up with the cost of producing water. Within the Borough, we have 13.5 miles of water lines to maintain. Many of these lines were installed in the 70's, some in the 60's, and some date back to the early 40's; some are very fragile. Heaving of the ground during winter takes a toll on the pipes. In calendar year 2009, the Water Fund closed its books with a net loss of \$33, 999.05 which was taken from savings to balance the account. Council has been looking at alternative pricing strategies to see if there is a more equitable method of structuring the bills.

One of the facts that we learned, was that twenty seven (27%) of the users, consumed less than the 8,000 gallon minimum built into the present pricing system and the average water consumption is 13,000 gallons per quarter.

As the contractor, Ronca, continues the work on the sewer lines, we have encountered innumerable problems with the water system. Most are leaks at the curb stops and are repaired the same day. Others are with the main transmission pipes. These take longer to fix and are costlier to repair.

How many customers does the Borough serve? At the end of 2009, we supplied water to 1409 users in the Borough; 57 were commercial, 3 were industrial, 13 were public entities (Churches, Schools, Post office, etc.) and 1336 were residential. In addition, the Borough served and billed 34 residences on Welshtown Road through the Lehigh County Authority.

In 2009, the Pennsylvania Department of Environment Protection revised the regulations regarding Public Notifications. Those revisions have made it mandatory that all water systems will need to notify their clients quickly of any problem with the water, and in some cases, issue a "Problem Corrected" Public Notification as soon as possible once the issue has been corrected. The deadline for having this type of system in place is May 10, 2010. To comply with these new regulations, the Borough has contracted with "Swiftreach Networks" to identify the phone number of every resident in the Borough so that if there is a need to contact anyone in the Borough about the water, its quality, or restrictions, it can be done quickly.

In looking at past issues of the Newsletter, I found some useful tips on saving on your water bill. The easiest, and least costly fix, is to check the toilet. Slatington has very hard water and most drain flappers do not seal well after as little as a years' use. A leaky toilet can waste as much as 200 gallons a day and if left un-repaired, will leak 6,000 gallons in just one month. To check your toilet to see if it is leaking, place some red food dye in the tank; wait 30 minutes and check the bowl. If you have colored water in the bowl, you have a leak.

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS WHO PAY THEIR UTILITY BILL THROUGH A BANK WITHDRAWAL – The bank needs to send out the payment about 3-4 days prior to the actual due date in order to arrive at the office by the designated due date. Any payments received after the due date, will be considered late regardless of the date on the check.

FINANCE/ PLANNING/ZONING – RUSSELL HALLMAN – Councilman

As President Freed mentioned in his article, the Borough finished 2009 in a sea of Red Ink. The General fund, which most of the bills are paid was negative \$308,748.14; the Sewer Fund was negative \$33,999.05; the Water Fund was negative \$33,355.25; and the Garbage Fund was negative \$25,578.01. Why did this happen? As with most problems, there isn't one answer that addresses the problem. Real Estate taxes which are the bulk of our income were not increased as costs escalated. The Borough has two Unions which represent the majority of the Borough workers; the SEIU, which represents the Road Crew, Water and Sewer plant operators, and the Police Union which represents the Slatington Police force. By contract, there are wage increases built into each contract for the duration of the contract. These are escalating costs that must be covered. Items that the Borough uses on a daily basis such as fuel also increase as do the other materials. These costs need to be covered, and were not. We as Council people live in the Borough and are sensitive to costs. No one wants higher taxes! We have a choice as elected officials; cut back services, or increase the price (tax) for these services. The debt the Borough has incurred, the Bonds that were issued to modernize the Sewer plant in 1988, are a very large part of the budget. This year alone, we will be paying \$787,456.25 on this Bond issue. On a budget of \$1,457,978, this does not leave much money for other projects.

We do see light at the end of the tunnel, and believe that the worst is behind us. The 2011 budget will probably be tighter than the 2010 budget and we will be starting this process in late August with full Council review by late September. It is too early in the year to speculate on any increases, and the results of the first quarter have all been positive. This will be a topic that will be addressed again and again as we move through the year.

The Borough is moving forward with its plans to make credit card payments available to the residents for Sewer, Water and Garbage bills. It is our plan to have it operational by the third quarter billing cycle; as with gasoline purchases, a discount will be offered for cash payments. You will see two new lines on the third quarter bills, the first will be the credit card amount, and the second line will show the cash amount. These will be about 2% different from each other. The reason for making Credit Card payments available are two fold, one to make it easier to pay your bills and track expenses, and the second is to help residents avoid late fees.

PUBLIC SAFETY – PAUL HOFFMAN – Councilman

The Slatington Borough Public Safety Committee is charged with handling issues and/or potential issues involving the fire department, police department, ambulance service and matters of safety of our citizens. There have been recent ordinance changes that have been enacted and we also have some reminders to keep you and your family safe as the summer approaches. If you have any concerns regarding these areas please feel free to contact the Borough Office and request to be transferred to Mailbox 163.

The end of 2009 brought the revision of the Article 87, Fire Prevention of the Borough Code. Specifically, Article II, Section 87-5 related to Combustible Materials and Explosives. This had been discussed for some time, specifically relating to the burning of Chimenea type ornamental fireplaces. Until this revision there was to be no open burning within the Borough limits, however the revision of Section 87 does now allow for the following: (Section 87-6 Exceptions)

- G. Burning is permitted in a commercially available receptacle designed for such designated purpose, such as Fire pit, Chimenea, or Grill. Except as allowed by section 87-6.C, burning in an open barrel, on open ground, and/or in a hole dug into the ground is not permitted without the express written authorization of the Slatington Fire Chief. Additional restrictions on any commercially available receptacle designed to contain burning matter are as follows:
 - i. Must be placed more than twenty (20) feet from a structure when ignited.
 - ii. Must be placed more than twenty (20) feet from every sidewalk and/or street or alley right of way, whichever is furthest from the centerline of the said street or alley.
 - iii. Height of the bottom of the receptacle must be more than twelve (12) inches above any combustible item.
 - iv. All adjuncts that are supplied by the manufacturer must be used while material is ignited, such as fire screen, lid, etc.

The Police Department will be enforcing this ordinance to assure the safety of our citizens.

In early 2010 there has been discussion regarding parking on East Franklin Street. There has been an ordinance enacted to change the parking on the north side of East Franklin Street from First Street to Park Avenue. This will prohibit parking on the north side of East Franklin Street from First Street to Fairview Avenue.

Additionally, Council is in the process of updating and enacting an ordinance that will establish, define, and adjust some fees and violations regarding to the parking of vehicles. This Ordinance will be advertised very shortly for adoption.

Emergency Service Public Safety Announcements:

- ☛ If you haven't done so, time to change your batteries in your smoke detectors, carbon monoxide detectors, and emergency flashlights.
- ☛ Is your house or apartment number visible from the street, it should be!
- ☛ Remember to watch children when cooking / grilling. It is coming into the season where kids are joyfully running outside and grills will be HOT!
- ☛ With summer weather approaching, remember to swim only in approved pools. Remember quarries, rivers, and streams have dangers that can not always be seen. If you don't have your own pool, and you want to take a dip – visit the N.L. Swimming Pool! A community service here to serve you!
- ☛ Remember to care for the elderly and small children with the summer heat approaching! Be Cool, it's the rule.
- ☛ Our Crime Watch is in full swing. Please check them out on Face book, perform a search for Slatington Crime Watch, become a friend of the crime watch and help our community become a safer place!
- ☛ Again, with summer and warmer weather, there are more people out and about. Please be vigilant with your homes and property. Keep a light on outside, be sure to lock your vehicle, do not keep valuables in your vehicle or at least out of sight, Lock your residences. All of these tips could help reduce your susceptibility to being victimized.

HIGHWAY – BRYON REED- Vice-President

Anyone who has driven around the Borough has noticed that every street has been torn up with the Sewer Project in full swing. In addition, we had major work done by UGI during the early part of 2010, compounding the problem. Residents have asked the question: when are the streets going to be fixed?

As part of the Sewer project, the contractor is responsible for "Replacing any disturbed area to the exact condition it was prior to construction". What this means is that if the contractor digs a hole for construction purposes, he must blacktop the ditch and make it even with the abutting road surface. We are presently waiting for the fill in the hole to compact so we will not be finished paving a hole or bump. Driving around the Borough drivers can notice the depressions in the road surface that have a temporary patch. They are settling at different rates. If the Borough did nothing else, the final road surface would feel no different to the average driver, than it did before construction started. Visually, it would look like a patch work quilt; some dark spots and some lighter spots.

The Borough has been in the process of trying to redirect some of the grant funds from another CDBG project to overlays of entire streets. Due to the high number of sewer laterals being replaced, we are asking that the following areas be paved curb-to-curb with a minimum of 1-1/2 inches of super pave wearing course in conjunction with the sanitary sewer construction in the Borough. These have been identified as follows:

- ☛ West Washington Street from Fifth Street to Hickory Alley,
- ☛ West Franklin Street from Fifth Street to east of Seventh Street,
- ☛ Fifth Street from West Church Street to West Washington Street,
- ☛ Second Street from south of Kuntz Street to South Street,
- ☛ First Street from south of East Church Street to East Franklin Street,
- ☛ East Church from South Walnut Street to Railroad Street,
- ☛ South Walnut Street from Race Street to South Street,
- ☛ Fourth Street from Kern Street to West Washington Street,
- ☛ Fourth Street from West Franklin Street to Centre Avenue, and
- ☛ North Street from Willow Avenue to Second Street.

We anticipate receiving bids for the paving project in July of 2010, with completion of the project by September/October of 2010. In other news, the Road Department has purchased a tire changing and tire balancing machine. The addition of these two pieces of equipment will add to the overall efficiency of the fleet maintenance program and save the Borough money.

HUMAN/COMMUNITY SERVICES – DANIEL STEVENS – Councilman

As you drive or walk down Main Street this year, you will see some new projects that improve the visual appeal of our Borough. Most of these improvements are being done at almost no cost to our taxpayers. The new banners on the General Morgan Bridge were designed and coordinated by Northern Lehigh Future Focus. Local artist Patrick Bechtel volunteered his time to do the artwork. They were paid for with a Lehigh County grant obtained by the Borough. The new slate planter and kiosk at the Trailhead are also being funded by this grant.

Borough Council has approved the D&L Heritage Corridor plan to landscape the Slatington Trailhead property. The D&L Corridor is funding this project, and the Borough is donating some minimal in-kind services. Work on the Slatington Memorial Park is expected to begin very soon. The Borough has obtained a Green Future Fund Grant from Lehigh County which will be combined with the existing DCNR Grant. Although we do not have enough funding to complete the entire project, we should be able to complete many of the key elements of the plan. This project is a cooperative effort between Slatington Borough and Future Focus. New interpretative wayside signs are being installed along the Slate Heritage Trail. These were funded through a state DCNR Grant and the D&L Corridor. They were written and designed by local volunteers. The new parking lot at the corner of Main and Center Street will have a small pocket park on the Main Street side. This will be both functional, and improve the overall appeal of the area. Our commitments to the

development of parks and recreation areas benefit our residents, and acts as an economic development tool for Slatington. We encourage you to use these resources, and support our efforts to develop them.

From the desk of Daniel A. Buglio, Bureau of Animal Control Enforcement

- ☛ State law requires that all dogs and cats three months of age or older be vaccinated against Rabies.
- ☛ All dogs must have a current license.
- ☛ License and vaccination tags must be on your pet's collar and must be worn at all times.
- ☛ Keep the rabies certificate you receive from your veterinarian in a safe place.
- ☛ The Borough of Slatington requires that all cats be licensed on an annual basis.
- ☛ Animal Licenses are available at the Lehigh County Government Center, Borough Hall, A.F. Boyers Hardware, and most pet stores.
- ☛ Pet owners must provide clean and proper animal shelter both indoors and outdoors.
- ☛ Animal must have clean and adequate water and food.

ADOPT A FLAG

Borough Council has re-instituted the "Adopt a Flag" program. At its regularly scheduled meeting held on April 12, 2010, Council agreed to front the cost of supplying new American Flags for the Borough. The initial Flag purchase and the decision to "Show the Colors" after 9/11 have taken a toll on the Flags; it's time to replace them and Council wanted to have them flying high for the Memorial Day celebrations and for the Fourth of July. The cost for new flags and poles was set at \$1,950.00. Each flag & pole costs \$26.00. If you or your group would like to "Adopt a Flag", send your contribution to Borough Hall, 125 S. Walnut Street, Slatington PA 18080 to the attention of Mrs. Joan Cheesbrough and mark the check or envelope "Adopt a Flag" donation.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that in the 2000 Census, Slatington had a population of 4,434 people; that we have 25 miles of streets; that the Borough is 1.33 square miles in area; that we have 5.5 miles of storm sewer; that we have 11.5 miles of sanitary sewer; that we have 13.5 miles of water lines and that we have an Airport.

WHATS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN AN ORDINANCE AND A RESOLUTION?

Ordinances are the "LAWS" of the Borough. They require compliance and impose penalties for non-compliance. Ordinances cover areas such as parking and traffic regulations, zoning, taxes, and other regulatory matters. Because they impose requirements or restrictions on citizens, Ordinances must be advertised and put on display for the public to read before they can be adopted. Only after they have passed, do Ordinances receive a number. They will be available shortly on the Web Site.

Resolutions, on the other hand, indicate a sense of Council. They are used to set fees and charges, adopt the budget, support or oppose projects and honor individuals. Resolutions may be introduced at any time and do not require advertisement. As such, they are pre-numbered.

Public Safety Community Calendar

- ☛ Crime Watch Meetings – 3rd Thursday of each Month at Borough Hall. Starting at 7:00 pm.
- ☛ Slatington Volunteer Fire Department Spring Carnival will begin on May 4th and run through the 8th, with fireworks on May 7th.
- ☛ Northern Valley EMS Annual Open House. May 23, 2010 starting at 1:00 pm and runs until 3:00 pm. This will be at the administrative headquarters at 2375 Levans Road, Ormrod section of North Whitehall Twp.
- ☛ 2010 Four County Fireman's Parade to be held on June 26, 2010. Sponsored by the Slatington and Diamond Fire Departments. The parade will start at 1:00 pm and will follow the Halloween parade route.
- ☛ Starting May 2010, Public Safety Committee meetings will be held the 4th Monday of the month at Borough Hall.

Recreation Commission Announces 3rd Annual 5k Race

The Slatington Parks & Recreation Commission's 3rd Annual Trout Creek 5K Run and Walk (formerly called the D&L Trail Trot) will be held on Saturday August 21, 2010. The course is mostly on the Slatington portion of the Slate Heritage Trail, and begins at 9AM. Registration and check-in begins at 8AM. Parking for the race will be available at the Slatington Trailhead, at Main & Railroad Streets. The race will begin and end at the Slatington Trailhead. Registration is \$15 before August 9. Registration for high school runners and those under 17 is \$10. After August 9 adult registration is \$20. T-shirts guaranteed to the first 100 registrants. Awards will be given out to the top three runners in several age categories. Post race refreshments will be available. For an application please call (610) 767-7626, email slatrec@ptd.net and put race application in the subject line or visit slatington.org. Applications will also be available at the Borough office, 125 S. Walnut Street. The race will benefit recreation projects in Slatington. The Recreation Commission hopes to see all the local runners and trail walkers participate. Further questions can be directed to race director Robert Stettner @ (610) 767-7626.

FROM THE MANAGERS CORNER

PARKING – Council has approved over night parking at the lots on Main and Center Streets, the lot across from Borough Hall on South Walnut Street and the lot on East Church Street. Signs will be erected shortly and when they are, you will need a parking permit. Permits are \$10.00 per month and payment is required for a six (6) month period. You can obtain permits from the office at Borough Hall. The permit will be less expensive than the fine!

WATER & SEWER RATES – Council has been discussing an alternative pricing scenario for sewer and water. One of the scenarios that we are looking at uses a base fee, in this case \$20.00 for both sewer and water, and charges \$10.00 per 1,000 gallons

of water and sewer used. I prepared an analysis for Council that used actual sewer and water bills that were sent out last quarter, and compared them against the new schedule. The results are tabulated below:

Water and Sewer Bill Comparisons

Total Water	Most Recent Sewer			At \$25.00 & \$10/1000		
	Water	Sewer	Total	Water	Sewer	Total
2,000	\$ 93.00	\$ 107.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 90.00
5,000	\$ 93.00	\$ 107.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 150.00
4,000	\$ 93.00	\$ 107.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 130.00
9,000	\$ 99.88	\$ 114.54	\$ 214.42	\$ 105.00	\$ 105.00	\$ 210.00
14,000	\$ 134.28	\$ 152.24	\$ 286.52	\$ 165.00	\$ 165.00	\$ 330.00
15,000	\$ 141.16	\$ 159.78	\$ 300.94	\$ 175.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 350.00
19,000	\$ 168.68	\$ 189.94	\$ 358.62	\$ 215.00	\$ 215.00	\$ 430.00
24,000	\$ 203.08	\$ 227.64	\$ 430.72	\$ 265.00	\$ 265.00	\$ 530.00
62,000	\$ 479.52	\$ 514.16	\$ 993.68	\$ 645.00	\$ 645.00	\$ 1,290.00
103,000	\$ 882.85	\$ 832.30	\$ 1,706.15	\$ 1,055.00	\$ 1,055.00	\$ 2,110.00
108,000	\$ 796.00	\$ 861.00	\$ 1,657.00	\$ 1,105.00	\$ 1,105.00	\$ 2,210.00

What the data tells us is that customers that use less than 9,000 gallons of water will see a decrease in their water bills, and those customers that use more than 9,000 gallons of water will see an increase. The data suggests that 27% of the customers use less than the base 8,000 gallons per quarter. Council has not made a decision on changing the billing structure. The attached matrix is being used for discussion only. If you have an opinion or concern, contact me at Borough Hall by phone, letter or by email – steves@slatington.org

HELP WANTED

There are several positions open on various Boards and Commissions. There are openings on the Civil Service Commission, Vacancy Board, Zoning Hearing Board and Parks and Recreation. If you are interested in donating your services to your community, please send a letter of interest to the Borough Council along with a short resume.

WEB SITE

The Borough's Web Site has been updated and we will have the capability shortly, to update the site from the office. We have posted the minutes for 2009, and 2010 along with all of the permit applications. The site also contains the names of all of the members of Council and the various Boards and Commissions. If you have unique photos of the Borough, and wish to share some of the history, please send them to my attention at Borough Hall or email a PDF file with the photos for inclusion on the Web Site. The Web Site is www.slatington.org.

MEETING DATE CHANGES

Meeting dates have been changed for the Council Committees as follows:
 Highway, Sewer and Water Committees will meet on the third (3rd) Monday of each month at 6:30 P.M. at the Borough Hall, and the Human/Community Services, Public Safety and Finance/Planning/Zoning Committees will meet on the fourth (4th) Monday of each month at 6:30 P.M. at the Borough Hall. Both changes in the schedule will be effective May 1, 2010. Please mark your calendars.

ADVERTISEMENTS

All ordinances up for adoption are advertised in the Times News. Shortly, these will also be available on the Web Site. Public announcements, such as flushing schedules are advertised in the Times News, WFMZ, and the Web Site.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Monday May 31, 2010 – American Legion Memorial Day Parade – Forms at 9:30 AM at 2nd & Main Streets
Parade starts at 10:00 AM – Route south on Main Street to Union Cemetery, service at cemetery, return north on Main to 2nd and Main Streets.

Saturday June 5, 2010 – Northern Lehigh Education Foundation – 5K/1K Walk Charity Event RUNNING OF THE DAWGS, contact Bill Danish at 610-767-9195, email – bdanish@ptd.net.

Saturday June 26, 2010 – Four County Fireman's Parade – Slatington and Diamond Fire Departments, will start at 1:00 PM and will follow the Halloween Parade Route (Start – Main and South Street – Down Main across the bridge into Walnutport)

Saturday September 25, 2010 – 6th Annual Arts Fest – 500 & 600 block of Main Street – 10:00 AM to 4: PM

Rain Date – Sunday September 26, 2010 – Contact Robert Stettner – email – Stettner@ptd.net

Northern Lehigh Community Center – Spring 2010 – Adult Evening Programs – 610-767-0300:

Volleyball (Thursdays) – 7:30-9:30 PM – Apr 8,15,22,29, May 6,13,20,27 - \$15.00 – Peters Elementary Gym

Step Aerobics (Wednesdays) – 6:00-7:00 PM – Apr 7,14,21,28, May 5 - \$48.00* – NL Middle School ANNEX

Cancelled classes will be made up on May 12, 19, 26

Yoga (Thursdays) – 6:00-7:00 PM – Apr 8,15,22,29, May 6, 13 - \$48.00* – NL Peters Elementary Music Room

Cancelled classes will be made up on May 20, 27, June 3

*Drop in fee: \$7.00 per class and \$10.00 registration fee – per each step and yoga session

Coming summer events:

Water Aerobics (Wednesdays) – 6:00-7:00 PM – June 23 – July 28, 2010 - Northern Lehigh Swimming Pool - \$30.00

Non-pool members pay an extra \$2.00 per class for pool fee

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