



WILMERDING NOW COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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2015

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

EMERGENCY—911 Police, Fire, EMS

Borough Building—412-823-0420

Code Office—412-824-7545

School District —412-824-8012

GARBAGE PICKUP

Garbage pickup is Friday except for the weeks of New Years Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas. These weeks garbage will be picked up on Saturday. The following items will not be collected by the garbage company: Electronic equipment (including televisions), tires, building materials, appliances containing freon and cans of paint. Garbage cannot be placed at the curb until 6 PM the night prior to the day pickup is scheduled.

2015 Borough Events Calendar

December 31—125th Anniversary New Years Eve party

January—125th Anniversary events begin

February—Spaghetti Dinner

March 8—Founders Day luncheon

April—Easter Egg Hunt Town Park

May—Memorial Day Services Town Park

June 2 thru 6 - 125 th Festival in Town Park

August—National Night Out Town Park

October 31—Halloween

November 11—Veterans Day 11 AM Borough Building

December—Children's Holiday Party Holy Angels Church

In case of an emergency please leave your porch light on. It helps the EMS, Fire or Police find you quicker.

GARBAGE DISCOUNT

Wilmerding Borough will once again be offering a discount for garbage collections. If your garbage bill is currently paid up, you may pay a one time payment of \$130.00 for the entire year of 2015. The entire amount must be paid in full by January 31, 2015 for you to receive this discounted price.

WINTER WEATHER PRACTICES

Snow may not be shoveled onto the street. You must clean your sidewalk within 24 hours of a snowfall this includes the sidewalk in front of your property even if you are a renter. You are not permitted to save parking spots by blocking areas with chairs etc.

BOROUGH WEBSITE

Do you want to know what the policy is on what needs a building permit? What night is the Council meeting? Does Wilmerding have a curfew? The answers to these and many other questions can easily be found on the Borough website. You can find out this and more at: www.WilmerdingBoro.com

WALKING TRAIL

The new walking trail along Airbrake Ave is now complete. The trail begins at the playground in the 700 block of Airbrake Ave and runs along the creek for 1/2 mile and then back onto Airbrake Ave.

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

We will be ringing in the New year with a 125th Anniversary New Year's Eve Gala. The event will begin at 8 pm at the Ukranian Club. Tickets are \$15.00 each and include hats, noise makers and food. A cash bar is available.. Tickets can be purchased at the Borough Building or you can call Joe Hartzell at 412-823-0420 for more information!

TENTATIVE WILMERDING 125th ANNIVERSARY

Saturday May 30, 2015	Victorian Era themed Costume Ball at Holy Angels Church
Sunday May 31, 2015	Ecumenical Service 5 pm with Social after service at Holy Angels Church Photography, Brothers of the Brush and George Westinghouse Essay Contests begin
Monday June 1, 2015	Car Cruise with DJ, Blood Drive, Health O Rama , Pig Roast, Food Booths open
Tuesday June 2, 2015	Food booths, Games, Rides Kangaroo Court Bingo All open at 5 pm Entertainment 7 pm
Wednesday June 3, 2015	Food booths, Games, Rides Kangaroo Court Bingo All open at 5 pm Giant Parade 6:30 pm Zumba 8 pm World Peace Day Children's Chinese Lantern launch
Thursday June 4, 2015	Food booths, Games, Rides Kangaroo Court Bingo All open at 5 pm Entertainment 7 pm Fireman's games Battle of the Businesses Children's activities Hay Rides YMCA Activities
Friday June 5, 2015	Food booths, Games, Rides Kangaroo Court Bingo All open at 5 pm ps. Sky Divers ps. Hot Air Balloon Entertainment Line Dancing Community Recognition
Saturday June 6, 2015	Lions Club Pancake Breakfast Food booths, Games, Rides Kangaroo Court Bingo All open at 5 Hay Rides All contest winners recognized All Class Reunion Fireworks 10 pm

BROTHERS OF THE BRUSH

If you do not grow or have facial hair during the week of June 1 thru June 6 you must have a shaving permit that will be available throughout the town and at the festival. If you are caught by our Keystone Cops you are subject to being brought before the Judge and may spend time in our Kangaroo Court Jail. The shaving permits are commemorative pins that will make great souvenir's

125th QUEEN CONTEST

As we did 25 years ago we will be coronating a queen to commemorate our Anniversary Year. If you are interested in being considered for our Queen of Wilmerding entry forms will be available throughout our business district and at the Borough Building

CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES

In the beginning of June we will send information to the school for an essay contest that all children may enter the winner will be announced during the festival. During the festival we will have a table with Chinese Lanterns for the children to decorate, we will then launch these on Peace Day during the Festival.

We wish to remember and commemorate George Westinghouse and his accomplishments the man that made Wilmerding possible. Thank you George!

FOUNDERS DAY LUNCHEON

On March 8, 1890 Wilmerding was incorporated as a city. In recognition of this accomplishment we will be commemorating our 125th Anniversary with a Founders Day Luncheon at 2 pm at Banquets Unlimited. The cost will be \$25.00 a ticket and can be purchased through any festival member or at the Borough Building. Join us for an afternoon as we reminisce about the history of our great town. For more information call Joe Hartzell at the Borough Building at 412-823-0420. The 125th Queen of Wilmerding will be crowned during this luncheon.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Costume Ball will be May 30 at Holy Angels Church all attending are asked to dress in a Victorian Era attire.

May 31 Ecumenical Service and an old fashioned Sunday Social will be held at Holy Angels Church at 5 pm. Join us as we get together to kickoff the official 125th Celebration!

Photography Contest begins May 31 take your pictures of Wilmerding and the festival and maybe you will be selected the winner of this contest. Remember pictures must be taken between May 30, 2015 and June 5, 2015.

The Lions Club will hold their annual Pancake Breakfast at Holy Angels Church On Saturday June 6, 2015