

The Highland Park eNews

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Events & Meetings

Wednesday, September 9

Shade Tree Advisory
8:00 pm, Borough Hall

Thursday, September 10

Board of Health
7:00 pm, Borough Hall

Thursday, September 10

Unsung Heroines of the American
Civil War
7:00 pm, Public Library

Thursday, September 10

Planning Board
7:30 pm, Borough Hall

Wednesday, September 16

Wednesday Walk with the Mayor
6:30 am, Donaldson Park

Sunday, September 20

Arts in the Park
11:30 am – 4:30 pm, Raritan Avenue

Monday, September 21

Zoning Board of Adjustment
7:30 pm, Borough Hall

Saturday – Sunday, September 26 & 27

Operation Take Back –
Turn in unused prescriptions
10:00 am - 2:00 pm, Senior/Youth Center

Monday, September 28

Library Board Meeting
7:30 pm, Public Library

Wednesday, September 30

Sustainable Highland Park
7:30 pm, Environmental Education Ctr.

All meetings are subject to change, please
check the Borough's website at
www.hpboro.com for updates

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The Main Street Minute



On Sunday September 20, don't miss Main Street Highland Park's eleventh annual Arts in the Park downtown street festival, juried art show, and arts and crafts sale! The festival draws thousands of art enthusiasts and visitors from around the region to stroll through downtown Highland Park and enjoy artistic offerings, live music and other entertainment, food from local restaurants, children's activities, promotional booths, and much more. To learn more, visit www.mainstreethp.org.



Townwide Garage Sale: Saturday October 10 & Sunday October 11

It's that time of year again! Time for Highland Park residents and businesses to sell their stuff on their sidewalks and stoops, and others come to scoop up all the great bargains! Whether you're looking to downsize and unclutter or you're looking for great deals, Highland Park is the place to be during this two-day extravaganza.

DOWNTOWN MERCHANTS: Thousands of people come to Highland Park to shop for bargains every year during this weekend it's a great opportunity to purge older merchandise while participating in a fun and festive town-wide event. If you are interested in signing up to have a sidewalk sale this weekend, please email HPGarageSale@gmail.com (or call the Garage Sale hotline at 732-249-1654) and include your business name, a contact name, address, email address, and phone number.

RESIDENTS: Want to sell your stuff on your stoop, sidewalk, or driveway? To register, please email HPGarageSale@gmail.com (or call the Garage Sale hotline at 732-249-1654) and include your name, address, email address, and phone number.

The Highland Park Annual Town-Wide Garage Sale is a joint project of Century 21 JJ Laufer, the Highland Park Department of Community Services and Main Street Highland Park.

Questions? Feedback? We want to hear from you!

Let us know what you think by writing to communications@hpboro.com.

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Highland Marks



The Highland Park First Aid Squad recently partnered with Community Blood Services for a blood drive in memory of **State Trooper Anthony Raspa**. More than 70 people attended the event for Raspa, a former Highland Park resident who died May 30 after his patrol vehicle hit a deer. The First Aid Squad wanted to honor Anthony for his dedication to public service, as well as recognize his parents, owners of Raspa Jewelers in Highland Park, for their continued support of the squad's work.

Have you – or someone you know – done something recently that's particularly noteworthy? Let us know about it and we'll include it in Highland Marks! Write to communications@hpboro.com

HPTV Now Available on Verizon Fios

Highland Park TV (HPTV), the Borough's public access station is now available on Verizon FIOS's channel 44. For Cablevision subscribers, HPTV continues to be broadcast on Channel 15.

HPTV broadcasts municipal meetings, such as Borough Council and Board of Education meetings. The station also carries a variety of locally produced programs.

For more information about HPTV, contact Gary Leslie at 732-572-3400 or email hptv151515@gmail.com.

HPTV Highlights for September 2015

Channel 15 (for Cablevision/Optimum customers)
Channel 44 (for Verizon FIOS customers, starting July 15)

Monday

10:00 am & 4:00 pm - Public Domain Domain – Old Time Radio
12:00 pm – Highland Park Showcase
12:30 pm – Highland Park Update
1:00 pm & 6:00 pm – Aging Insights
1:30 pm & 6:30 pm – Health Talk
2:30 pm & 8:00 pm – Classroom Close-Up
8:30 pm – Board of Ed Meeting

Tuesday & Thursday

10:00 am & 4:00 pm – Public Domain Domain – Movies
12:00 pm – Highland Park Showcase
12:30 pm – Highland Park Update
1:00 pm, 7:00 pm & 10:00 pm - Borough Council Meetings
2:00 pm & 8:00 pm – Spotlight on Middlesex County
2:30 pm & 8:30 pm – Access New Jersey
3:00 pm & 9:00 pm – Law on the Line

Wednesday

10:00 am & 7:00 pm – Board of Ed Meetings
1:00 pm & 6:00 pm – Aging Insights
1:30pm & 6:30 pm – Classroom Close-up/Health Talk
4:00 pm – Public Domain Domain – Movies

Friday, Saturday & Sunday

10:00 am – Public Domain Domain – Old Time Radio
12:00 pm & 8:00 pm – Highland Park Showcase
12:30 pm & 7:30 pm – Highland Park Update
1:00 pm – Borough Council Meeting
2:00 pm & 6:00 pm – Aging Insights
2:30 pm & 6:30 pm – Health Talk
3:30 pm – Classroom Close-up
4:00 pm – Board of Ed Meeting
10:00 pm – Valley Homegrown Music
8:30pm & 11:00 pm – Public Domain Domain - Movies

CERT Volunteers Recognized



Highland Park's CERT (Citizens Emergency Response Team) volunteers were recognized for their valuable assistance to The Salvation Army in North Brunswick. The CERT volunteers provided support and encouragement to first responders during the recent fire emergency in a warehouse in North Brunswick. Thank you to all the CERT volunteers for their dedication and efforts within Highland Park and Middlesex County. To learn more about HP CERT or to volunteer as a team member, visit www.hpboro.com, emergency management department.

Congratulations to Our Retiree

Glen Seaboldt – Crew Leader in the Water and Sewer Department who is retiring this month with 27 years of service to the Borough.



Park Partners Grant Program

Highland Park is continually working to make improvements and increase development and growth throughout the town, and residents are encouraged to participate in its growth.

If you have a great idea for a program to benefit Highland Park, the Park Partners Grant Program can help you make that idea a reality! The Borough will provide up to \$2,000 to help you execute your project. Projects can be in the following categories: Environment, Arts, Culture & Diversity, Safety, Universal Access or Health & Wellness. Fill out an application available online at <http://www.hpboro.com/DocumentCenter/View/1313> or pick up one at Borough Hall, and help make a difference in Highland Park! Deadline is December 15, 2015.