



Township Tribune

Noteworthy News for North Londonderry Township Residents

Recycling

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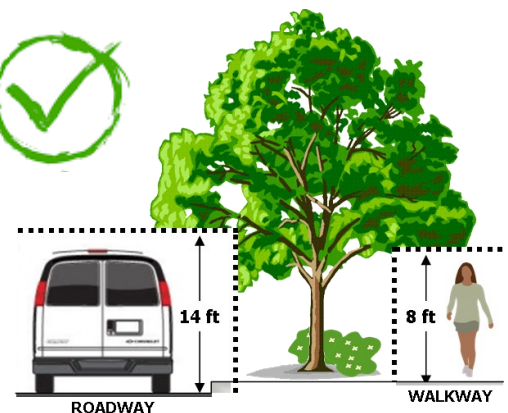
CHIPPING COLLECTION

As you perform spring maintenance on your property, be attentive to the height of your tree branches. According to Township Ordinance, all tree limbs, bushes, or shrubbery should be no less than 14 feet over the roadway and no less than 8 feet over the sidewalk. Low-hanging branches can obstruct or interfere with traffic or the use of such highways or sidewalks.

When trimming your trees, take advantage of the Township's curbside chipping program. There is no need to call to arrange a pick-up. Crews will check the entire Township on the **FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH**, weather permitting.

To participate, have your branches along the edge of your yard with the cut edge toward the street by 7:00 a.m. Branches must be between 1-3 inches in diameter and not mixed with other yard waste.

Reminder: curbside collection is for routine maintenance performed by residents. Crews will not collect branches or limbs from severe, excessive or heavy trimming. Additionally, waste created by a commercial entity will not be taken. This program was established to assist residents, not to interfere with free enterprise. Residents who use a commercial tree removal service need to make other arrangements for disposal.



SHRED EVENT

**North Londonderry Township
655 East Ridge Road, Palmyra**

**Saturday, May 18, 2024
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
RAIN OR SHINE**

This FREE community shred event is open to all residents and small businesses in the Palmyra Area School District. Only sensitive documents will be accepted. This includes old tax documents, financial statements, bills, and medical records. Junk mail, newspapers, etc. can be recycled at our recycling center. Participants may bring up to 10 file boxes of documents. No binder rings, credit cards, media discs, or large clips.

Volunteers will assist with unloading your items. The drive-thru nature of this event allows you to get in and out within minutes. You may transport your items in whatever way is convenient.

Volunteers will ask if you would like your bag, container, box, etc. returned.



TIRE COLLECTION

This annual event will be held on May 1, 2024, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Lebanon Expo Center.

Pre-registration is encouraged and will be open from February 20 through April 15. The pre-registration form can also be found on our website at <https://www.nlondtwp.com/recycling-trash/>.



STREET SWEEPING



APRIL 8
MAY 13
JUNE 10
JULY 8
AUGUST 12
SEPTEMBER 9

During these weeks, all items should be removed from the roadway between 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. for proper cleaning. One of the main reasons we street sweep is to protect our storm drain system from litter and debris that flows toward it.

NOTE: To deliberately cause debris to run into a storm drain, such as blowing grass into the street, is a violation of the Federal Clean Water Act, and violators can be fined thousands of dollars. North Londonderry also has an ordinance prohibiting debris from being left in the roadway.

WOOD MULCH PLANT BEDDING WOOD CHIPS

Mulch products are available to the public for purchase. These products are generated from the yard waste left at our compost site. Payments must be made at the Township Office, Monday through Friday, prior to loading.

Remember, you must load it yourself with your own tools. On Fridays ONLY, the Township allows one crew member to stay behind to load trucks and trailers with a loader. Check the website at www.nlondtwp.com for prices and loading hours.



HOUSEHOLD TRASH & RECYCLING

North Londonderry Township residents may choose any trash hauler licensed by the Greater Lebanon Refuse Authority, unless otherwise specified by your Homeowners Association. For a list of haulers for your trash and recyclables, visit www.goglra.org.

SIGN UP FOR AUTO PAY FOR YOUR MONTHLY SEWER BILL.

It's simple! Print out the form on the website, complete it and return it to the Township Office prior to the first of the month. Contact the office at 717-838-1373 with any questions.

BE WISE WHEN YOU FERTILIZE

In an effort to minimize nutrients in our waterways, Pennsylvania adopted a fertilizer law in 2022. This law places limitations on specific nutrients and includes restrictions all applicators must follow when applying fertilizer to their lawn.



SPRING LEAF COLLECTION

MARCH 25 - APRIL 5

Place leaves in long, narrow piles in the street along the curb by 7:00 a.m. on your collection day.

2024 Paving Projects

Valley Drive
Dianna Drive
Jean Drive
JP Drive

Projected Total = \$433,710

Compost Facility

Compost cards can be renewed during normal office hours. The fee for 2024 remains \$35.00. An additional \$10.00 fee will be charged to replace lost cards.

Access cards may only be used by the property owner. Cards may not be shared between properties.

The compost facility accepts an array of yard waste including grass, leaves, garden plants, flowers, tree trimmings, small bushes, and more.

***Pine cones will no longer be accepted**



Police News



Randy Czerviski was recently sworn in by Chairman Fouché as the newest member of the North Londonderry Township Police Department. Officer Czerviski is a Penn State University graduate and a former Military Police Officer in the PA Air National Guard. With the addition of Officer Czerviski, NLT now has ten police officers serving our community.

North Londonderry Township has trails available to the public, located behind the compost site. Dogs are welcome, but must be leashed and picked up after. The pond, located along the trails, is open for catch and release only fishing. The North Londonderry trails and pond provide the perfect opportunity to enjoy nature and get some fresh air!



In other news, Officer Eric Cassel was recently assigned to the position of detective after serving 11 years as a patrol officer.

Looking for Fun Summer Employment?

The Palmyra Area Recreation & Parks Commission is in need of counselors for Summer Day Camp.

For more information, please call PARPC at 717-838-9244 or stop by the Rec Office in the Palmyra Municipal Building.

Applications can be found online at www.palmyrarec.org and must be submitted by

May 1st.

