**TOWNSHIP OF SHALER ADMINISTRATION**

300 Wetzel Road Glenshaw, PA 15116-2288
P: 412.486.9700  F: 412.487.4107 • Business Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**Commissioners**
- David Shutter, President
- Bill Cross, Vice President
- Frank Iozzo
- David Mizgorski
- Thomas McElhone
- Susan Fisher
- Jim Boyle

**Township Management**
- Manager: Timothy Rogers
- Assistant Manager: Judy Kording
- Chief of Police: Sean Frank
- Deputy Chief of Police: Kevin Boyle
- Engineer: Matthew Sebastian
- Bldg. Code Official: Robert Vita
- Public Works Director: Anthony Zelina

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**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

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**DRUG TAKE BACK DAY**

Shaler North Hills Library  
Saturday, April 25  
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM  
*More information on page 49*

**BIKE RODEO**

Cycling Safety for Young Cyclists  
Saturday, May 16 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM  
Kiwanis Park in Shaler Township  
*Please register at www.shaler.org*

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**E-MAIL NOTIFICATION:**  
Sign up at www.shaler.org  
for e-mail notifications regarding Township news, alerts, events and meetings.

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**SHALER TOWNSHIP HOLIDAYS**

Easter Holiday  
Good Friday & Easter Monday

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**FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA AT:**

Shaler Township: facebook.com/ShalerTownship -or- twitter.com/ShalerTownship  
Police Department: facebook.com/PoliceShaler -or- twitter.com/PoliceShaler
Due to a number of retirements of long-time employees, the Township has hired three new employees.

Melanie Crawford has been hired as receptionist in the business office. Mel has a degree from Duquesne University and previously worked at the Shaler North Hills Library. She replaces long time office employee Mary Grazier, the secretary for the building/zoning department. If you have the opportunity to call the Township office or stop in, Mel will most likely be the voice to greet you.

Elaina DiBucci has been hired as administrative assistant for the manager’s office. Elaina is replacing Sherry Martin, who is retiring after 16 years of service. Elaina has a degree from Slippery Rock University and worked previously in the health care administrative field.

Brian Hillwig has been hired in the public works department to replace Jim McMahon who retired in September 2019. Brian previously worked for ABC Transit and is looking forward to joining the public works crew learning snow removal procedures. As a longtime resident of the Township, he knows the priority we place on snow removal and is up for the challenge.

We welcome these new employees to the Shaler workforce and hope they have long promising careers with the Township.

Sherry Martin, who serves as the Township Manager’s Administrative Assistant will retire in March 2020. Sherry has been employed with the Township since 2004. Her organizational skills have been essential to the smooth operation of the Township. Her ability to research issues that arise has always provided Township Manager Tim Rogers and the Board of Commissioners with excellent background into the history of the Township and various projects. Sherry is retiring to spend time with her husband, Jimmy and their daughter’s family who live out of state. We wish Sherry well in retirement. Thank you for your service and dedication to the Township.

Bill Burlett: One of the longest serving employees, Bill Burlett, who has served as the Parks and Recreation Foreman will retire on March 6, 2020. Bill was hired by the Township upon his graduation from college in 1978. Working his way up through the public works department he is well versed in public works as well as recreation operations. His wealth of knowledge regarding Crawford Pool will be missed when we open the pool in the spring of 2020. Bill always worked well with the many baseball and soccer associations in the Township. He and his crew always made our parks and ballfields shine for tournaments and other community events. Under Bill’s leadership, he has brought Shaler’s park system to the forefront. We wish Bill a happy retirement. He plans on traveling with his wife Bonnie and looks forward to watching the fireworks on July 4th instead of worrying about them. Good Luck Bill!

Support New Local Businesses
Welcome to Shaler!

Buzz Worthy Pub Trivia, LLC
1406 Mt Royal Boulevard
YARD WASTE PICK UP SCHEDULE

Call County Hauling at 724-929-7694 Ext. 7 or e-mail to info@countyhauling.com by **3:00 PM Wednesday** of the date below of that week to schedule Yard Waste Collection.

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Yard waste includes: leaves, garden residue, shrubbery with no dirt attached, limbs, twigs, brush and tree trimmings, and similar items, but does not include grass clippings and mulch.

Yard waste must be placed in a **bio-degradable paper bag**. Tree trimmings not to exceed 3-inches in diameter. Brush, limbs, twigs and shrubbery must be bundled in lengths not to exceed 4 feet in length and 1-foot total diameter.

**Electronic Waste and Household Hazardous Waste Collection**

To schedule a collection time, call ECS&R at 866-815-0016

**“Extended Travel” Billing Waiver Request – also for sale of a vacant home**

Form and information located at www.shaler.org under Forms and Trash Collection.

**RECYCLABLE MATERIALS**

Place only the following materials in your recycling cart.

- Aluminum Cans
- Corrugated Cardboard - broken down and placed in cart
- Newsprint and Inserts
- Office Paper
- Plastics No. 1 - 2
- Steel Cans
- Phone Books
- Paperback Books
- Junk Mail and Envelopes
- Boxboard: such as tissue, dry food boxes, cereal, noodles and cake boxes.

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**2020 ROAD PAVING**

Road paving is scheduled to run from early June to late August. The tentative list of roads to be paved this year is as follows:

- Balsam Drive
- Bayhill Drive
- Beyrleye Avenue
- Chipper Drive
- D Street
- Davis Avenue
- Forliview Road
- Greenfield Road
- Hazel Street
- Holly Circle
- Iola Street, Mt. Royal to Lucille
- Kay Street
- Lederer Avenue
- Limestone Drive
- Lucille Street, Iola to Vilsack
- Oakwood Street
- Redstone Drive, Kimble to Moonstone
- Regina Street
- Rosewood Drive
- Lincoln Avenue, Berner to Centre
- Shoreham Drive, Limestone to eastern culdesac
- Spencer Ridge Drive
- Summit Street
- Upland Avenue
- Venango Avenue, Anderson to Cambria
- Virginia Avenue
- Willett Road
- Woodhaven Court
- Woodland Avenue - Off Glenshaw
The Board of Directors of the Hampton Shaler Water Authority approved the following streets in Shaler Township for water main replacements in 2020.

- Seavey Road from Parker Street to Elbe Drive
- Seavey Road from James Street to Mt. Vernon Drive
- Willett Road from Elfinwild Road to Mt. Royal Boulevard
- Hugel Drive from Elbe Drive to the end
- Elbe Drive from Seavey Road to Riegel Drive
- Lindenwood Drive

If you live on any of the above streets, you will receive a notice from the Authority approximately 2 - 4 weeks before construction begins.

CRAWFORD POOL RENTALS

Are you looking for a fun and local venue to celebrate a special event? Did you know that Crawford Pool is available for rentals for birthdays, graduations or other celebrations?

Rentals are limited to Friday, Saturday or Sunday evenings. Friday and Saturday rental times are from 8:30 – 10:30 PM and Sunday times are 7:30 – 9:30 PM. All amenities of the pool are available with the exception of the baby pool. All pool rules are also enforced during the rental period. The concession stand is not available, however, renters are welcome to bring food and permitted beverages to enjoy.

Rental is available at www.shaler.org under Crawford Swimming Pool. Rental fees are $400 for parties less than 150 and $425 for parties 150-200. Guests are limited to a maximum of 200 people. Rentals are subject to weather with pool management having the right to reschedule if necessary.

Crawford Pool Membership

Early Bird membership registration for Crawford Pool is now available online with a 5% discount until April 17. Please note that the Township’s new recreation software will permit users to set up an account to purchase your pool pass. Photos will be required for all memberships. An instruction page will be included on the website for setting up an account. Please follow this link for instructions: http://www.shaler.org/241/Crawford-Swimming-Pool. Questions may be directed to poolapp@shaler.org or call 412-486-9700.

Crawford Pool Swim Lessons

Registration for swim lessons will be available starting May 1. A schedule of the dates and times will be available for viewing at www.shaler.org or http://www.shaler.org/241/Crawford-Swimming-Pool. Please have an account set up on the website and your pool pass purchased before registering for swim lessons.

Park Shelter Rentals

Please set up an account on the Township website in order to rent a park shelter. The following shelters are available for rent: Kiwanis Park Main Shelter, Upper Kiwanis Park Shelter and Fall Run Park Shelter. Online payment will be required for rental of shelters.
The Special Fire Police Act was originally enacted June 1941 in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania under Title 35. The Shaler Township Fire Police Association was formed and chartered May of 1981. Since then its members have continually served Shaler Township in emergencies, and special events.

Shaler Township is now accepting applications for membership in the Fire Police Association. Fire Police Officers are members of one of our six volunteer fire departments within the Township. Fire Police Officers work under the direction, and in conjunction with the Shaler Township Police Department.

Fire Police Officers are empowered by Shaler Township to support our first responders in various emergency situations. When mutual aid is requested Shaler Township Fire Police respond into our neighboring communities to provide additional support.

In addition to emergency operations Fire Police Officers provide traffic and crowd control at parades and other special events within Shaler Township.

New member training consists of emergency vehicle operations course, basic fire police, advanced fire police, and HAZ-MAT awareness training. Members are provided the required traffic control clothing, and safety equipment.

Both men and women are encouraged to apply for membership. Interested person(s) can either call (412) 492-2222 or email firepolice@shaler.org

Jonathan Ulery of Boy Scout Troop #560 delivered a wooden flag box to the Shaler Township Municipal Building in November. Jonathan received permission from the Township Manager, Tim Rogers to build a flag box for the Township as his Eagle Scout project in the Spring of 2019.

Stop by the Township Building to drop off your used flags for proper disposal. Congratulations and thank you to Jonathan for his dedication on this project.
TOWNSHIP EVENTS

EARTH DAY CLEAN UP
Shaler Township Earth Day Clean Up
Saturday, April 18

Shaler Township will provide the bags, gloves and vests for all those volunteers or groups who would like to “Clean-Up” on Earth Day or on a day of their choice. Volunteers may schedule to pick up supplies at the Township office at 300 Wetzel Road.

Sign up on the website at www.shaler.org or e-mail the Township to sign up or for more information. 412-486-9700, ext. 211 or shaler@shaler.org

BIKE RODEO
Cycling Safety for Young Cyclists
Saturday, May 16 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Kiwanis Park in Shaler Township

Light refreshments will be served. Please register at: www.shaler.org. Activities will include:
- Obstacle Course
- Infant/child safety seat checks
- Bike helmet inspections
- Bicycle inspections
- Teaching the rules of the road

DRUG TAKE BACK DAY
Shaler North Hills Library
Saturday, April 25, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

The Shaler Township Police Department, in cooperation with the Drug Enforcement Administration will be assisting in our Drug Take-Back. Any over-the-counter, controlled substance or prescription medication may be submitted. Sharpies and syringes will not be accepted due to safety reasons.
COMMUNITY EVENTS

SHALER GARDEN CLUB
FLOWERS AND FUN BLOOM PLANT SALE
Saturday, May 2, 2020, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Kiwanis Park

Hardy perennials from member’s gardens will be offered at bargain prices, along with herbs, vegetables, houseplants, potted arrangements and bulbs. A basket auction bake sale and flea market add to the festivities. Children can enjoy face painting, games and craft activities. Kids can even decorate a pot and plant a flower in it as a special Mother’s Day gift for $1.00. Admission is free. Come rain or shine. Proceeds benefit community projects and philanthropic donations of the Shaler Garden Club. For more information, go to www.shalergardenclub.com.

ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST WITH SAUSAGE AND BEVERAGES
Saturday, May 9, 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Sponsored by Boy Scout Troup 138
Bethlehem Lutheran Church 1719 Mt. Royal Boulevard

Adults $7.00, Seniors $6.00, Children (12 and under) $4.00. To celebrate Mother’s Day - All moms will receive $2.00 off. All veterans; active duty, reservists and guard personnel $5.00. All EMS, fire and police personnel $5.00. To ensure seating together for groups of 8 or more, please email number of persons and expected arrival to: T138Pancakes@gmail.com by May 8th.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE
Monday, May 25, 2020 at 11:30 AM
Mt. Royal Cemetery by the flagstaff

Shaler American Legion Post 785 and VFW Post 9199 will conduct the annual Memorial Day Service, to help remember the military service people who helped perpetuate the freedoms and way of life our great country enjoys. Volunteers are needed to place flags on veteran graves the preceding Friday, May 22 at 9:30 AM, 2:00 PM and 6:30 PM.

Shaler American Legion Post 785 plans to have remaining memorial bricks purchased in 2019 installed at the Veterans’ Monument at Shaw Place by Memorial Day.

FREE YOGA AT KIWANIS PARK
8:00 to 9:00 AM
Meet on the Tennis Courts
Bring yoga mat & gear
Dates: May 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, June 6, 13, 20 & 27, July 11, 18 & 25, August 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29, September 5, 12, 19 & 26
Contact: lizzzrrdlounge@aol.com. You may follow information about this program and any cancellation or date changes by going to www.lizzzrrd.com.

TROOP 138
Meet on Wednesdays, 7:00 – 8:30 PM
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 1719 Mt. Royal Blvd.

Scouts BSA is a year-round program for youth 11-17 years old that provides fun, adventure, learning, challenge and responsibility to help them become the best version of themselves. Please contact Larry Reuss, Scoutmaster, with any questions at 412-719-5863.

ELFINWILD LIONS CLUB OLDIES DANCE
St. Ursula’s Church Hall, Duncan Avenue
Saturday, March 21
7:30 PM to 11:30 PM
Refreshments will be served. Beer and pop included. $20.00/person, $35.00/couple.
For information or tickets, call 412-487-1888.

SHALER AREA’S GOT TALENT
Shaler Area Middle School
March 27, 2020
Doors open for dinner and raffles at 5:00 PM. Show starts at 7:00 PM Tickets available at the door. Presented by SASD PTOs.

ANNUAL PINE CREEK CLEANUP
Saturday, April 4 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon
All are welcome to volunteer. Meet at 8:00 AM at the baseball field next to the Hampton VFD, 2536 Duncan Avenue in Allison Park. Clean-up will include the creek banks from North Park in Hampton to the Shop’n Save in Shaler and is sponsored by the Allison Park Sportsmen’s Club. Gloves, vests, and garbage bags, as well as lunch, will be provided to all volunteers. Lunch provided by Concordia of Wexford. Contacts for additional information: Rich Simmen at 412-487-2873 or Bill Grubbs at 412-992-0279.

CHILDREN’S FISHING AT FAWCETT FIELDS
April 18 at 8:00 AM – Opening Day
The Children’s Fishing area at Fawcett Fields will be stocked with fish by Trout Unlimited for the opening day. Allison Park Sportsmen’s Club members will be on hand to provide assistance, share bait and to offer the loan of fishing rods. The fishing area is designated for children under the age of 12 and accompanied by an adult.

KIWANIS CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST
Saturday, April 25, 2020
8:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Middle School Cafeteria, 1810 Mt. Royal Boulevard
The breakfast includes pancakes, eggs, juice, sausage and your choice of milk, coffee or tea for a donation of $7.00 per adult or $3.00 for children under 12. Tickets may be purchased from a Kiwanis member or at the door. The proceeds will support the Kiwanis Club of Glenshaw community service programs in the Shaler Area.

GLENSHAW CENTURY CLUB
“ONE CHIC CARNIVAL” – LUNCHEON AND FASHION SHOW
April 25, 2020 at 10:30 AM
Wildwood Golf Club
2195 Sample Road Allison Park

SHALER TOWNSHIP OF SHALER NEWS
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FROM THE OFFICE OF STATE REPRESENTATIVE LORI MIZGORSKI

SENIORS FOR SAFE DRIVING ONE DAY REFRESHER COURSE
Thursday, April 2, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Shaler Township Municipal Building Training Room
State Representative Lori Mizgorski will host this course for drivers 55 years or older. The fee is $16.00 payable to Seniors for Safe Driving. This course is for participants who have successfully completed the “first time” course. Refresher courses are required every three years after the “first time” course. Participants will receive a minimum 5% discount on their auto insurance. The course is classroom instruction only, no exam will be given. Contact Representative Mizgorski’s office at 412-487-6605 for additional information. Register online at www.sfsd-pa.com or call 1-800-559-4880.

OFF-SITE SHREDDING EVENT
Saturday, May 16, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Hampton High School parking lot
2929 McCully Road, Allison Park
State Representative Lori Mizgorski will host a free off-site mobile paper shredding event in conjunction with Hampton Township School District Recycle Rama. Limit 2 bags or boxes. For more information contact Representative. Lori Mizgorski’s office at 412-487-6605.

FROM THE OFFICE OF SENATOR LINDSEY WILLIAMS

GLASS RECYCLING EVENT
Saturday, April 18, 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Pittsburgh Zoo parking lot
Senator Lindsey Williams will be hosting this free event. All glass bottles, jars, and jugs will be taken. Caps, lids, and labels can be left on, but the containers must be empty. Window glass, drinking glasses, dishware, ceramics, mirrors, lightbulbs, and TVs will NOT be accepted.

SHREDDING EVENT
Saturday, May 16, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Shaler North Hills Library
Senator Lindsey Williams will be hosting this free event. Participants may bring up to two boxes of paper shredding per car.

The Senator’s office offers free notary services to residents at the District Office at 5000 McKnight Road, Suite 405, Pittsburgh, PA 15237 from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. Contact the office with questions at 412-364-0469.

NORTH HILLS COMMUNITY OUTREACH (NHCO)

Open 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday. Call 412-487-6316 opt 1 for alternative arrangements or more information. Visit their website at NHCO.org

PERSONAL CARE COLLECTION THROUGH APRIL 20
Suggested items include shampoo, soap, unscented shower gel and body lotion, feminine hygiene products, shaving cream, disposable razors, toothpaste, mouthwash, toothbrushes, washcloths, shower puffs and lip balm.

SPRING CLEANING COLLECTION, APRIL 20 – JUNE 15
Suggested items include laundry detergent, antibacterial wipes, all-purpose cleaner, toilet bowl cleaner, dish detergent, sponge packs and paper towels.
VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Always looking for volunteers: Remember, you don’t have to fight fires to belong!

**CHERRY CITY VFD**
www.cherrycityfire.org
Weekly Paper Bingo every Thursday at 7:15 PM
Must-go $1,000 Jackpot, with the possibility of winning up to $2,000 in 48 numbers! Multiple Cherry $$$ Bowls every week too! Still the cheapest Bingo around.

**EASTER FLOWER SALE ON PARKER STREET**
Friday, April 10 starting at 12 noon till dark
Saturday, April 11 from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
No flowers over $10

**14TH ANNUAL LUCK OF THE DRAW CASH BASH BONANZA**
Saturday, April 25, Doors open at 6:00 PM
Over $7,825 in cash prizes, even much more in door prizes. Only 270 tickets at $50 each, call soon as tickets sell out fast! Call 412-822-7000 for availability.

**2ND ANNUAL GOLF OUTING**
June 27 at Birdfoot Golf Club
Cost: $85 per golfer which includes lunch, dinner and beverages. Always looking for new sponsors. Contact Aaron at aaronskalos27@gmail.com for further information. Golfers need to sign up before June 8th.

**BAUERSTOWN VFD**
www.bauerstownvfd.com
Purse Bash May 16, 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Four numbers on a ticket, 250 tickets, $40 per ticket
Food and refreshments provided

**UNDERCLIFF VFD**
www.undercliffvfc.org
Bingo every Friday night
Doors open at 6:00 PM, games start at 7:00 PM

**BAUERSTOWN AND UNDERCLIFF VFD SPORTSMAN’S BASH**
April 25th, 2020 at Undercliff VFC
Doors open 5:00 PM, event starts at 6:00 PM
Tickets are $40
Chief Bryan Kelly Retirement

Chief Bryan Kelly retired on February 21, 2020 after a 35-year career which has included the rank of Patrol Officer, Sergeant, Lieutenant and Chief of Police. Chief Kelly led a 26-member full-time professional police department since April of 2012. There have been many new initiatives in the Shaler Township Police Department during the tenure of Chief Kelly. These initiatives include a partnership with the Shaler Area School District to create the position of School Resource Officer. Officer Spiker has served in this position since 2014. In addition, Chief Kelly forged a partnership with the Pittsburgh Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation with Detective Mike Heinl serving on a specially appointed task force for violent crimes. Chief Kelly has also supported the Shaler Police Department’s participation in the North Hills Special Response Team, the team is activated for hostage and other unusual situations in northern Allegheny County. Chief Kelly supports a wide variety of training and encourages officers to attend as many courses as possible to expand their knowledge.

Chief Kelly has served as the President of the Allegheny County Chiefs of Police Association. He has also served on the Executive Boards of the Western Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association and the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association. In addition, he served on several committees of the various associations. In the ninety-year history of the Shaler Township Police Department, Kelly was the seventh police chief to serve. Township Manager Tim Rogers comments that Chief Kelly’s sense of ethics and fairness always provided me with reassurance that his decision-making process was second to none. The Township is grateful for his service for the past 35 years and his leadership of a police department that serves the residents of the Township well.

The Township wishes Chief Kelly well in his retirement. His retirement plans include enjoying time with his family, traveling and golf. Thanks for a job well done, Chief.

New Chief of Police - J. Sean Frank

On March 10, 2020, J. Sean Frank was named Chief of the Shaler Township Police Department. Chief Frank was hired as a police officer on February 14, 1992. A native of Sharpsburg he previously served as paramedic for St. Margaret’s and Allegheny General Hospital as well as funeral director for Nevil E. Frank Funeral Home in Sharpsburg, PA. Always interested in serving the public, Chief Frank gravitated towards law enforcement and has served his entire career at the Shaler Township Police Department. Rising through the ranks of Sergeant, Lieutenant and First Deputy Chief of Police, he has demonstrated leadership and excellent communication skills. In 2017, he attended the Federal Bureau of Investigation National Academy (FBINAA), a prestigious executive level law enforcement training program of the FBI located in Quantico, VA. This 10-week course is a program for active law enforcement personnel to enhance law enforcement standards, knowledge and leadership. It is an elite group of graduates and Chief Frank states “it was the most rewarding experiences in my professional career and will certainly benefit me as I lead the Shaler Township Police Department”.

Chief Frank will continue to serve as the Township’s Emergency Management Coordinator as he has for the past 8 years. In this position, Chief Frank assumes command of all emergency situations in the Township and coordinates the necessary personnel and equipment to address the situation.

Chief Frank was sworn into office at the March Board of Commissioners meeting surrounded by his family and friends. Chief Frank and his wife Anita have lived and raised their three daughters in Shaler Township. He is the proud grandfather of two and enjoys spending time with them. We hope you will join us in welcoming Chief Frank to this new position.

Subscription Drive Reminder

Shaler Hampton EMS recently mailed subscription renewal information to all Shaler Residents. Please consider subscribing this year; it is a great way to support a local community resource and reduce your out of pocket cost for ambulance service. If you did not receive your renewal notice please call us at 412-487-6590 or subscribe on line at www.shalerhamptonems.org.
SPECIAL COMMUNITY EVENTS

MARCH IS WOMEN’S HISTORY MONTH!
The Library will be celebrating with a special raffle of beautiful and collectible March Family Madame Alexander dolls, plus special showings of the “Little Women” movies over the years. Watch for details.

THE GREAT DEBATE EVENTS (BUT FOR FUN!)
As 2020 contains a preidential election, SNHL is debating about what really matters, followed by a presentation by local experts referencing the debate topic. Fun and informative!

Tuesdays at 6:45 PM on the following dates:
- April 14 - Cats vs. Dogs: Who is most worthy to share the family couch? Ask the Vet! Dr. Kathy answers your pet questions.
- June 16 - Bike vs. Car: Two wheels good, four wheels bad – or the opposite? Experts from Walk Bike Shaler will fill you in on the best way to ride.
- August 18 - Harry vs. Ron: Who should Hermione have chosen? Dr. Kathleen Roberts, Harry Potter guru, presents a magical night.
- October 20 - Candy Corn vs. Chocolate: Which is THE sweet treat? Pittsburgh’s Sweet Treats has some tips and goodies for you.

THE GIANT SPRING BOOK SALE BLOWOUT
SPONSORED BY THE FRIENDS OF SHALER NORTH HILLS LIBRARY
Time to stock up on great books, paperbacks, AV materials, games, puzzles and more for all ages, at bargain prices. If you’d like to volunteer your help with the Spring Book Sale, please contact the Library.

- Friends of SNHL Preview Night: Friday, April 24, 6:30-8:30 PM Membership only $15.00
- Book and Bake Sale: Saturday, April 25, 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM
- Bag Sale: Sunday, April 26, 10:00 AM – 4:30 PM
The Library opens for regular business at 1:00 PM

WINE TASTING WITH JOHN ELD
Saturday, May 2, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
The Library’s Wine Tasting events are evenings to remember. They feature special wines paired with delicious tasting bits. Come together to learn more about your favorite wines while enjoying the company of good friends. Watch for details.

COMING UP:
- Lunch and Learns for Adults on Wednesday afternoons
- An Evening of Poetry in April
- Summer Reading Programs for ALL ages

BORROW FROM SNHL’S “LIBRARY OF THINGS”
Everyone knows that SNHL is the place to borrow a good book, a rockin’ music CD, a recent movie on DVD, or your favorite magazine. But did you know that we have a “Library of Things” to borrow, FREE with your library card? Hobbyists can check out our telescope, metal detector, and binoculars. Cooks love our themed cake pans. Families go from “bored” to “board” with our great selection of games. Energy buffs plug in our power usage meter. Children love our Kindergarten, Storybook and American Girl Doll backpacks. Yearbooks from the Shaler area are available to browse in print or digitally. Some items have a wait list; others are grab-and-go. Call or visit to learn more. All are innovative items in our collection of materials. We truly live up to our motto, SNHL: Books…and so much more.

PROGRAMMING AND MORE FOR ADULTS
A library card, a computer, and Internet access are all you need for FREE electronic resources from home! Library has links to ebooks, audio, magazines and research. Creativebug.com has more than 1,000 award-winning art and craft video classes taught by recognized design experts and artists. Printeron allows you to print any document or web page from your computer, phone or tablet, and then send the print job to our Library printer. Pick up a brochure or visit the Library website to learn more. We also have Book Groups and Social Groups that meet regularly at the Library. Ask the Adult Reference Staff for information or assistance, or to schedule an appointment for you to get started.

Talking to Strangers by Malcolm Gladwell Conversations
March 24, June 23 & September 29, 12:00 & 6:30 PM
Let’s talk about how we talk to each other face-to-face with guidance by quirky, unique author Malcolm Gladwell. No registration.

Sassy Science Workshops!
Watch for Field Trips this summer to Fall Run Park!
Want to know the science behind the natural world? Adults can explore biodiversity and the world of nature with these fun HANDS-ON workshops, led by certified Master Naturalists/Educators Thursdays, 1:30 – 3:30 PM
- March 12 – Gene Scene: Learn more about how our genes work and the diversity that surrounds us.
- April 9 - Natural Selection Connection: How does Mother Nature decide?
- May 14 – Munch a Bunch (of plants): Come find out what wild plants are edible and what dishes you can make at home. Tastings too!
Jewelry Workshop Make It Take It
Friday, April 17, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Jewelry making workshop with Christine Balistrieri of Something Pretty for Me. Watch for more information.

Meet the Authors – local authors share their creative process and insights:
- Friday, March 6, 1:30 – 3:30 PM with Barbara Burstin - Sophie Masloff: The Incomparable Mayor. It was said that Sophie had three great loves - her family, the Democratic Party and the City of Pittsburgh.
- Tuesday, April 28, 6:30 – 8:00 PM with Lee Kikel - Perseverance: One Holocaust Survivor's Journey from Poland to America. Told in his own words from audio recording he made decades later, and supplemented with his daughter’s memories of their happy life in Pittsburgh, this is a story which no reader will ever forget.

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!
Family Egg Hunt
Friday, April 3, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
Join the fun hunting for eggs, plus crafts and a story. Watch for details.

Egg Decorating Workshop
Saturday, April 4, 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
Show your creative side in this fun workshop. Watch for details.

Fairy House Making Party with the Shaler Garden Club
Friday, June 12, 6:30 – 8:30 PM
The Shaler Garden Club will help you make your own fairy house! This annual event includes fairy games, crafts and treats.

AWARD-WINNING CHILDREN’S PROGRAMMING
SNHL’s children’s programming has won numerous awards, and features in-Library events plus school and community outreach. Our Children’s Department staff are dedicated to making your Library experience the best ever! With such innovative programs as Family Place Imagination Station, 1000 Books Before Kindergarten, elementary school book battles, Tail Waggin’Tutors plus tons more, you’ll find fun and learning for all ages at Shaler North Hills Library!

Tail Waggin’ Tutors Two Ways
Saturdays: March 28, April 25, and May 30
10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
Do you love interacting with the Tail Waggin’Tutors certified therapy dogs? NEW in 2020, we have two ways for children to improve their reading skills while having fun with these lovable dogs and their volunteers. No registration.
- Tail Waggin’ One on One: Read to a certified therapy dog, one on one! Stop by for a 15-minute session with a dog and volunteer. Ideal for children who are just learning to read. Sign up at Yates Room entrance.
- Tail Waggin’ Tutors in a Group: Share a story with them in a group setting.

American Girl Saturdays
March 28 (Addy Walker), April 25 (TBA 2020 Doll of the Year) & May 23 (Kirsten Larson)
6:30 – 8:00 PM
Bring your favorite doll, if you like, for stories, crafts, snacks, and a look back in time. Grades K and up.

Fun Food for Kids in Grades K-6
Saturday, April 4 12:30 PM only
Saturdays, May 9 & June 13, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM
Learn the basics of cooking along with preparing yummy treats based on a different theme each class.

TERRIFIC TEEN PROGRAMS FOR GRADES 7 – 12
Explore your creative side in the Teen Department! Enjoy the Teen Zone space, complete with vibrant wall colors, comfy chairs, magnetic whiteboards, tabletop crafts, board games, and more. No registration.

Teen Maker Night –
Saturday, March 21, 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Use your creative energy to make fun crafts and projects!

Wings of Fire Fan Club
Thursdays, March 26 & April 30, 6:30 – 7:15 PM
Trivia and all things about Tui T. Sutherland’s popular Wings of Fire series.

Milkshake and a Movie
Saturday, March 28, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Enjoy milkshakes, root beer floats and snacks as we watch the adventures of Indiana Jones raiding the lost ark.

Teen Anime Club
Wednesday, April 1 & May 6, 3:15 - 4:15 PM
Come hang out with other anime fans, make crafts, share cosplay ideas, draw, and eat snacks.

Teen Raging Rabbits
Saturday, April 4, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Seek out what candy is hidden in the darkened rooms of the Library, but beware the Raging Rabbit who is out to steal your loot! Work in teams to search the Library, and keep the candy you find. Bring a flashlight or use your phone.

Teen Zone Café
Saturday, April 18, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Step up to the “open mic” or just enjoy as an audience member as we transform our community room into a coffee shop/cafe with sweet treats and drinks. The floor is yours!

Teen Sardines and Zombie Tag Night
Saturday, May 16, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Play games from the Library’s great selection of board games, or bring your games from home. Then play Sardines and Zombie Tag in the darkened rooms of the Library! Snacks too.