



Homestead Run COMMUNITY News & Views

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To the Residents, Family & Friends:
 A special **“Thank you”** from the
 Women’s Club for the very successful
 “Pot of Gold” Luncheon.
 Winners of the “Pot of Gold”
 1st prize: Karen T.— Resident
 2nd prize: Pat G. — Resident
 3rd prize: Charles M.— Resident



Shrub & Tree Trimmings, Branches & Small Diameter Logs:

Beginning the week of April 3rd the Township will start curbside pickup of shrub, tree trimmings & branches. Branches must be less than 4” in diameter and all material must be in lengths of 4’ or less and weigh less than 50 lbs. **DO NOT BAG BRUSH OR TIE TWIGS/BRANCHES.** Put material to be picked up at the curb before 6:30 am on April 3rd. Collections will end on April 14th.

Leaf collection:

Leaf pickup will be ONCE during the week of April 17th. Only leaves in plastic bags will be collected. Have leaf bags curbside by 6:30 am on the day of pickup. Sometimes the Township is ahead of schedule. You should put bagged leaves to the curb before your scheduled week begins. They may come early. However, they will still come again during your scheduled collection week.

Leaves are not permitted in the landfill. If you miss the collection, YOU must bring them to the Recycling Convenience Center on Church Rd. Monday—Saturday 7:30am to 3:00pm
Questions? Call 732-255-1000 x 8189 or www.tomsrivertownship.com

It is important that all residents of Homestead Run have an accurate and up to date emergency contact number on file in the office. Information is kept confidential and phone numbers will not be given out to third parties.

Kindly write down your name, address & phone number, your contact’s name, their phone number and address. You can leave this information in the Rent drop box in the Mail Room.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 Women's Club Bingo—Doors Open 11:30am—Lunch 12:15—Bingo 1:00	3 Social Club Bingo 6:30pm w/ Dinner 4:30pm	4	5 Social Club Meeting 7:00pm	6	7 Nickel POKENO 6:30pm	8
9	10 Social Club Bingo 6:30pm w/ Dinner 4:30pm	11	12	13	14 Fish & Chips 3:00pm—6:00pm Eat-In or Take-Out \$10. per ticket call Pat or Shirley	15 Women's Club Cake Sale 9:00am until Sold out!
16 	17 Social Club Bingo 6:30pm w/ Dinner 4:30pm	18 Hampton Ridge FREE Bingo 11:30 ***** Women's Club Meeting—7:00 pm	19 Caregivers Volunteers information presentation 11:00am—Clubhouse Refreshments & Free Raffle	20 S. C. A. N. FREE Lunch/Learn @ St..Andrew Church See Info Below Must Register 10:00am—1:00pm	21	22
23	24 Atlantic Coast BINGO—Free 12:00 pm Social Club Bingo 6:30pm w/ Dinner 4:30pm	25	26 Magic Brushes Paint Party 5:30pm	27	28	29
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UPDATE: 2nd & 3rd set of petition letters have been sent to NJ Senator James W. Holzapfel We are still waiting for a response from the Senator's office. If you haven't signed the letter we have prepared, you can still stop in the office and do so. I will continue to forward all letters to Senator Holzapfel in the hope of having this dangerous intersection addressed.

**Reminder!!!!
2nd Quarter
Sewer Payment
is due APRIL1st!**

Thursday, April 20th, 10:00am—1:00pm
Social Community Activities Network—SCAN
FREE — Lunch & Learn - Meet. Eat. Discover.
Join them for their 1st Lunch & Learn of 2017 Series
@ St. Andrew United Methodist Church—1528 Church Rd.
FREE EVENT... MUST REGISTER by 4/14 call 732-542-1326



Homeowners/Renters: If you received a letter about an open balance on your account, it was because the Township had made an adjustment to the taxes. If you are confused about your lot fee, feel free to call the office, or stop by the office to pick up your rent magnet, (a gentle reminder for the correct lot fee due every month).

The Homestead Run Administration Office has been attempting to keep our News and Views on a positive note every month.

However, it seems the office is continually called with complaints on the following subjects:

- Property condition — Spring is here..... Time to clean up and get rid of “Stuff”.
- Doggie Doo — Come on!!!! Do we need to go there!!! AGAIN!
- State Property is NOT a designated Pet Area— where ever you walk your pet.....SCOOP THE POOP!
- Cigarette Butts — Be respectful and dispose of properly.
- Street Parking — Be aware and do not block driveways.
- Shared Driveways — Be mindful of property division stones.
- NO FOOD is to be left on the counter in the Mail Room.
- NO CLOTHING is to be left on the counter either.



HAWK WARNING! PARK RANGERS AND VET OFFICES ARE PUTTING OUT WARNINGS. THIS YEAR THE HAWKS REALLY SEEM OUT IN FORCE OFF THE EAST COAST.

THE PETS THAT ARE IN REAL DANGER ARE ONES WHO ARE 12 POUNDS AND UNDER. THESE ARE THE PETS THAT HAWKS CAN SWOOP DOWN AND GRAB.

DO NOT LEAVE YOUR PETS OUTSIDE WITHOUT SUPERVISION.



The economy is still down, but food prices are still going up. To beat this economic recession, the Jolin Food Box Outreach Program may help budget conscious families. Information about the April food boxes are available in the Homestead Run office or go directly online to place an order by **4/11/17**. www.jolinfoodbox.com

There are lots of fun Events coming up! Watch for details to be posted in the Mail Room!



Do you remember your “Prom Night”? “Senior” Prom Night at Homestead Run will be taking place on June 17th. You won’t want to miss this event! Watch for upcoming details!





Toms River Caregiver/Outreach will provide PTR (Property Tax Rebate) Forms assistance on Thursday, April 6th, from 10:00 to 12:00 at the Homestead Run Clubhouse.



Are you an "Old Geezer"?



- 1) Where did the high beam dimmer switch used to be located?
 - A. On the floor shift knob. B. On the floor, left of the clutch. C. Next to the horn.
- 2) The bottle top of a Royal Crown Cola bottle has holes in it. What was it used for?
 - A. Capture lightning bugs. B. To sprinkle clothes before ironing. C. Large salt shaker.
- 3) Why was having milk delivered a problem in northern winters?
 - A. Cows got cold & wouldn't produce. B. Ice on highways forced delivery by dog sled. C. Milkmen left deliveries outside doors & milk would freeze, expanding & pushing up the cardboard bottle top.
- 4) What was the popular chewing gum named for a game of chance?
 - A. Blackjack B. Gin C. Craps
- 5) What postwar car turned automotive design on its ear when you couldn't tell whether it was coming or going?
 - A. Studebaker B. Nash Metro C. Tucker
- 6) Which was a popular candy when you were a kid?
 - A. Strips of dried peanut butter B. Chocolate-licorice bars C. wax coke-shaped bottles w/colored sugar water inside
- 7) How was Butch wax used?
 - A. To stiffen hair cut into a flat-top so it stood up B. To make floors shiny & prevent scuffing C. On the wheels of roller skates to prevent rust
- 8) Before inline skates, how did you keep your roller skates attached to your shoes?
 - A. With clamps, tightened by a skate key B. Woven straps that crossed the foot C. Long pieces of string or twine
- 9) As a kid, what was considered the best way to reach a decision?
 - A. Consider all the facts B. Ask Mom C. Eeny-meeny-miney-mo
- 10) What was the name of Caroline Kennedy's pony?
 - A. Old Blue B. Paint C. Macaroni

*****Homeowners are reminded, if you refer a person and they purchase a NEW home, you will receive up to \$2,500.00*****



Financing is available to qualified buyers, subject to credit review.
So, tell your relatives, friends and acquaintances.....
Deposits now being taken for choice of lots on Byron Court.
Please pardon our dust during construction.



Answers:

1. B—on the floor, left of the clutch. Hand controls, popular in Europe, took till the 60's to catch on.
2. B—To sprinkle clothes before ironing. Who had a steam iron? 3. C—Cold weather caused the milk to freeze and expand.
4. A—Blackjack Gum 5. A—1946 Studebaker 6. C—Wax coke bottles containing super-sweet colored water. 7. A—Wax for your flat top (butch) haircut. 8. A—With clamps, tightened by a skate key, which you wore on a shoestring around your neck. 9. C—Eeny-meeny-miney-mo 10. C—Macaroni

Scoring: 9-10 Correct: You are not only older than dirt, but obviously gifted with mind bloat. Now if you could only find your glasses.
5-7 Correct: Not quite dirt yet, but your mind is definitely muddy.
0-4 Correct: You are a sad excuse of a geezer. Redeem yourself by declaring to everyone that the world is going to hell in a handbasket.

Email us anytime at sales@homesteadrun.com with questions, concerns, or suggestions!