

# Little Silver

NEWSLETTER



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November 2017

## Borough Calendar

### **Thursday, November 2nd**

9:30 am: Municipal Court  
7:00 pm: Planning Board

### **Saturday, November 4th**

10 am – 1 pm  
Post Office Museum Open

### **Tuesday, November 7th**

Borough Offices & Recycling  
Yard closed.

### **Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**

Borough Offices & Recycling  
Yard closed

### **Monday, November 13th**

6:30 pm: Council Workshop  
8:00 pm: Council Meeting

### **Tuesday, November 14th**

8:00 pm: Recreation Comm.

### **Wednesday, November 15th**

7:00 pm: Environmental  
Comm.

### **Thursday, November 16th**

9:30 am: Municipal Court

### **Tuesday, November 21st**

7:00 pm: Board of Health

### **Thurs, Nov 23 & Fri, Nov 24**

Borough Offices & Recycling  
Yard Closed

### **Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm: Traffic Safety

## Message From Mayor Neff

I try not to be too wordy in this message; lots of news in not a lot of space means efficiency is the goal. So to start off, I'll be brief ...

**Vote.** No matter your party affiliation (or perhaps non-affiliation), it's a right we too often take for granted. Just do it on November 7. Please call borough hall if you're not sure where to cast your ballot.

'Nuf said. Moving on ...

In the safety department, October saw at least two instances of **rabid animals** in Little Silver, and others elsewhere in Monmouth County. Advice relative to rabies is posted on [littlesilver.org](http://littlesilver.org), and a Code Red notice went out as well. In short, please call the police department (who will then make arrangements with an animal control officer, if required) at 732-747-5900 if you see an animal acting in an irregular manner or if you are bitten by any animal. If your pet is bitten, please contact your veterinarian and ask the vet to contact the police.

**Free rabies vaccinations** will be given to cats and dogs at the Little Silver Fire House from 7 – 8 p.m. on November 15 by the Monmouth County Regional Health Commission. Please check to see if your pet's vaccination is current, and if not, take advantage of this opportunity for the sake of everyone's protection.

I'd also like to take this opportunity to put out our periodic reminder to sign up with the borough for **Code Red emergency notifications**, if you haven't done so already. Go to [littlesilver.org](http://littlesilver.org) and click on Emergency Services at the top of

the page, or call borough hall for assistance. Also known as the Two River Alert System, Code Red is the best way to stay abreast of emergent notifications for everything from directions in the event of a hurricane or other disaster, to critical traffic detours.

Events coming up in November include our usually small, short but heartfelt **Veteran's Day observance** in Memorial Park on November 11 at 11 am. Among other things, your right to vote is defended every day by those who serve. Please stop by and help us recognize those who wear and wore the uniform, especially those from Little Silver.

In other November events, **Parker Homestead 1665 – Inc.** would like you to know that on November 4, beginning at 9 am at the Homestead, volunteers are needed to continue to help inventory the contents of the storage trailers, empty them, and then get the trailer rental fee off the books.

This non-profit group is working hard and appreciates help from all age groups. Work gloves and snacks provided! Students, get service hours! Root through cool old stuff with a legitimate purpose!

For those who prefer not to have to wear work gloves when experiencing history, come to the Homestead's **Fall Harvest Celebration** on Sunday, November 19, from 1 – 4 pm, with a lecture on the Homestead's historic property

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## Message From Mayor Neff (continued)

deeds from 2 – 3 pm by Ashley Parker, pumpkin painting, games, barn and Homestead tours, and more!

Also in November is the **Peninsula Playoff Championship** – the former White Road Cup football classic pitting Little Silver against Shrewsbury, and this year including Rumson and Fair Haven.

The event is scheduled for November 24 (Black Friday) at the Count Basie Field in Red Bank. Register online by November 1 at [www.therivalryseries.com](http://www.therivalryseries.com). Games will be played between teams of men, women and children of all ages, starting at 9 a.m., with the adult men's games starting at 1:30 p.m. All proceeds will go to **Lunch Break**. Come out and play or support your team in the name of helping to feed those who are less fortunate.

If indoor activities are more your thing and you happen to be Medicare-eligible, please stop by the **Library** on November 9 at 1 pm, when Les Taylor will explain the **changes to Medicare** taking place in 2018. This is a timely presentation, as open enrollment extends through December 7. Come learn about the available plans and coverage.

In the aesthetics department, please remember that Little Silver does indeed have a **sign ordinance**, and allows – other than candidate endorsement signs, which cannot be barred – only the limited posting of a defined number of lawn signs for local charitable or civic endeavors, with council permission. Commercial and other lawn signs, other than real estate “for sale” signs, are not permitted, and we would encourage all residents to please comply with the ordinance, and to so advise your contractors or others who might want to use your lawn as an advertising platform.

Looking back to October, the Little Silver Fire Department's annual **Halloween Parade** was again a huge success under crystal blue skies, and the Little Silver PTO's **Little Silver 5k** – one of their biggest fundraisers – was a big hit. Thanks to these volunteer organizations for sponsoring them.

On behalf of the governing body, we wish everyone a happy and healthy Thanksgiving. If you have any concerns, please call borough hall at 732-842-2400, or contact me directly by calling my home phone at 732-576-8595, or emailing me at [bobneff80@gmail.com](mailto:bobneff80@gmail.com).

**Robert C. Neff, Jr.**  
Mayor, Borough of Little Silver

### LEAF COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Place **leaves only** at the curb for collection at any time during this period:

OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>-DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup>

### NOTICE FROM TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE:

4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Property Taxes are due **Nov 1st**. Borough Offices will be closed Friday, November 10 in observance of the Veteran's Day holiday. The grace period has been extended to Monday, November 13. Any payments received after 11/13 will incur interest back to the first of the month. **Friendly reminder**-a drop box is available 24/7 next to the police department dispatch window for convenience.

## Seniors of Little Silver

The Seniors of Little Silver will be having their meeting on Tuesday November 14th, 2017 at the Woman's Club, 111 Church St., Little Silver, starting at 1pm. Please come join us for our annual **Gift Auction**. Enjoy delicious refreshments provided by our members. Bring a friend, make new friends, & mingle with old friends. All Seniors from Monmouth County are welcome. Any questions, please call Membership Chairman Lois Symons at 732-842-4960

### Parker Homestead-1665 Fall Events

**Trailer Archeology IV** - Saturday, Nov 4, 9AM - 1PM - This is the final work session for this year. Please join the fun as we discover and catalog unique treasures and mystery items that were stored in the Parker barns for possibly 100 years. Our goal is to empty and return the rented trailer, so please help, even if just for an hour. Contact Liz Hanson for more detail at [elizhh@comcast.net](mailto:elizhh@comcast.net).

**Fall Harvest Celebration** - Sunday, Nov 19, 1-4PM. The house and barns will be open for tours, the Tuther End Boutique will be selling Holiday gift items and kids can decorate pumpkins, get temporary tattoos and play authentic Native American games with help from Monmouth U students. At 2PM, a special presentation will be held in the Horse Barn on the year-long project, *Tracing the History of the Parker Homestead Ownership*. Please join us for what we hope will become another annual Homestead tradition.

## BASKETBALL REGISTRATION LAST CALL

**Teams Picked Next Week After Which No Guarantee of  
Roster Spot**

**COACHES NEEDED FOR ALL AGE GROUPS K-8**

**COACHES SIGN UP ONLINE OR CONTACT COORDINATOR:**

**Boys Basketball: Bill Scurzo:**

[bscurzo@bcgadvisors.com](mailto:bscurzo@bcgadvisors.com) or 973-464-7461

**Girls Basketball: Beth Hobson: [ehobson21@gmail.com](mailto:ehobson21@gmail.com) or  
732-887-0273**

**GRADE K-2 Clinic: [DougGlassmacher@gmail.com](mailto:DougGlassmacher@gmail.com)**

**\*\*\*REGISTER ONLINE AT\*\*\***

[register.communitypass.net](http://register.communitypass.net) or use link at [www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)

**Daily: LS Boro Hall, M-F, 8:00-4:00PM**

Download Registration Forms at [www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)

## FREE PRE-SEASON BASKETBALL CLINICS

Point Road Gym in November

**Girls: Tuesdays**

**Boys: Wednesdays**

Grades 3&4: 6-7:00pm

Grades 5&6: 7-8:00pm

Open To All Registered Players

Signed Up for Regular Season

For more information, contact

[DougGlassmacher@gmail.com](mailto:DougGlassmacher@gmail.com)

### KINDERGARTEN-2nd GRADE SATURDAY CLINIC

This instructional clinic takes place at Point Road Gym in November and December. Due to last day of soccer, the 1<sup>st</sup> session on 11/4 will be in afternoon, times from 12-5pm.

As with all rec programs, **Coaches are always needed**, for without these volunteers, our programs could not exist. **Coaches need not be present at all sessions.** For more info or to volunteer to coach, contact program coordinator, Justin Griffin at [917-974-0590](tel:917-974-0590) or [GriffinJ25@gmail.com](mailto:GriffinJ25@gmail.com) or sign-up online.

#### **DATES FOR SATURDAY SESSIONS:**

Nov. 4, 18 and Dec. 2, 9, 16

#### **TIMES FOR SATURDAY SESSIONS:**

**EXCEPT NOVEMBER 4, 12-5pm**

Kindergarten Coed: 9:00-10:00 AM

1st Grade Boys: 10:00-11:00 AM

1st Grade Girls: 11:00-12:00 PM

2nd Grade Boys: 12:00-1:00 PM

## LIBRARY PROGRAMS FOR NOVEMBER

### **Medicare Changes for 2018**

**Thursday, November 9, 1:00 pm**

Presented by Les Taylor, Bankers Life

Les Taylor explains Medicare changes for 2018.

Changes can be made to your Medicare health or prescription drug coverage from October 15 through December 7. Learn about the many options that are available. Come with questions!

### **Acupuncture Talk and Demonstration**

**Wednesday, November 15, 1:00 pm**

Presented by Thomas Mazorlig, M.Ac., L.Ac.

Thomas Mazorlig of Ancient Arts Acupuncture, Little Silver will explain and demonstrate the benefits of acupuncture as well as the theory of acupuncture and Chinese medicine. Questions from the audience will be answered.

### **Watercolor Painting Class with Carol Bruno**

**Monday, November 13 from 6:00-8:00 pm or  
Thursday, November 16 from 1:00-3:00 pm**

Led by Carol Bruno

Little Silver artist, Carol Bruno, returns to instruct us on painting autumn leaves. We offer two sessions, so select the time that is convenient for you to attend.

Please sign up at the library, as space is limited.

Holiday Tree Lighting  
Sunday December 3<sup>rd</sup>  
4 p.m. at Borough Hall

Please join us at the festivities!

**Little Silver  
Borough Hall**

480 Prospect Avenue  
Little Silver, NJ 07739  
732-842-2400  
[www.littlesilver.org](http://www.littlesilver.org)

**Business Hours**

Monday – Friday  
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Borough  
Directory**

**Emergency: 9-1-1**  
**Borough Hall**  
**732-842-2400**

Police Department  
(non-emergency)  
732-747-5900

Tax Collector  
732-219-0812

Tax Assessor  
732-842-7039

Zoning Officer  
732-842-0261

Municipal Court  
732-842-3881

Board of Health  
732-493-9520

Public Library  
732-747-9649

Fire Department  
(non-emergency)  
732-741-0934

**Little Silver Volunteer Fire Company  
Annual Christmas Tree Sales**

Volunteers are working hard to offer the area's largest and freshest assortment of Christmas Trees from Pennsylvania and North Carolina! Trees range in height from 2 feet to over 13 feet, including Douglas and Fraser Firs.

Need more than just a tree? Our workshop this year includes handmade snowmen, reindeer, wreaths, grave blankets, wooden gift sets, and more! And as always, the alpacas will be visiting on the weekends.

Please come experience this Little Silver tradition that supports your community firefighters & EMT's!

**Sales Begin Friday November 24th**

Weekdays 3:30pm to 9:00pm

Weekends 9:00am to 7:30pm



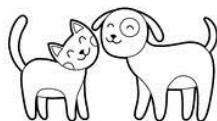
**Christmas Eve Santa Visits**

The Little Silver Vol. Fire Department will once again be driving Santa door-to-door on the fire truck this Christmas Eve, delivering personalized gifts, taking pictures, and handing out candy canes.

With the event continuing to grow in popularity and success - spreading the holiday spirit to almost 250 homes last Christmas Eve - participants this year will again be able to choose from two session preferences. The only fee to participate is a small donation of non-perishable food, which will be distributed to local food pantries Christmas Eve morning.

**Deadline to sign up is Friday, December 22nd.** But Santa and his helpers need to prepare early, so please be sure to visit [www.littlesilverfd.org](http://www.littlesilverfd.org) to learn more and register today!

For questions, please contact Chris Faherty at [LSFDSantaRuns@gmail.com](mailto:LSFDSantaRuns@gmail.com).



**FREE RABIES CLINIC**

The MCRHC will sponsor a Free Rabies Clinic at the Little Silver Firehouse  
Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>  
7-8 p.m.