

“Every accomplishment starts with the decision to try.”



“Don’t wait for the perfect moment, take the moment and make it perfect.”

Dear Matawan Residents

The Recreation Department is currently working on a few exciting NEW projects to bring to our community.

- **Atlantic City Day Trips**- The Recreation Department would like to give our senior residents an opportunity to spend a day together with their friends and neighbors. We are currently looking to fill 49 seats. The transportation and gratuity as well as coin voucher are included in the price. Flyer with more information is on our Facebook and Borough website page.
- **Exercise Classes** – We are in the process of offering 3 classes starting in March 2016. They will run 8 weeks at \$80. We will be offering a SENIOR FIT class during the weekday and 2 night classes to include YOGA and a FITNESS class. Flyer will be out shortly.
- **Adopt-A-Bench** - This program will provide a means for our residents to personalize our historical town and provide an opportunity to honor others.

COMING EVENTS

- **February 18th, 2016**
Recreation Department Meeting at 7:00pm in the Community Center
- **March 19th, 2016**
Plan to meet the Easter Bunny and collect candy filled Easter Eggs. Our **Annual Easter Egg** Hunt is scheduled for March 19th at 11Am. Enter our Easter Bonnet Contest for a chance to win a prize. Due to the overwhelming attendance last year, we are looking at Ravine Drive School as an alternate venue to safely accommodate all our residents. Additional information will be on our flyer and will be out soon.
- **May 2016**
Date to be announced. Join our group of volunteers for our Annual Downtown Spring Clean-up. We will be planting flowers and giving Main Street a flower-lift. Be part of the change. This is a great opportunity for neighbors to get together and have some fun. We are getting Main Street ready for our annual Memorial Day Parade and for our residents and visitors to our town to enjoy strolling down Main Street.

“Small changes can make a BIG difference”



“Make today ridiculously AMAZING”



COMING EVENTS – continued

- **May 7th, 2016**
Our very popular Summer Recreation Program will be starting June 27th and running to August 5th. Our first in-person registration will be on Saturday May 7th, 2016 at the Community Recreation Center. We are pleased to announce that Alanna Zeller will be returning as Camp Director.
- **May 29, 2016**
Join us at our **ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY PARADE**. This is a wonderful opportunity to stand together and honor our servicemen and women who have stood together for all of us. More details to come.
- **June 2016**
Annual Dog Nite Out – Date to announced.
- **June 25th, 2016**
Canoe and kayak rentals will be open for the summer season at our beautiful Lake Lefferts.
- **July 01st, 2016**
Our annual Fireworks Extravaganza over Lake Lefferts. Join the festivities and fun. Rain date will be Sunday July 3, 2016.

Stay tuned..... for our next newsletter to bring you the exciting RECREATION happenings in MATAWAN.

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