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Millbrook Avenue – Bridge Rehabilitation Project – Traffic Detour

From approximately June 19 through August 25, the County of Morris is scheduled to repair the Millbrook Avenue bridge structure located 150 feet northwest of the intersection with Pierson's Hill Road. This will require closure during construction and traffic detours will be posted.

The bridge, built in 1930, has an average daily traffic volume of between 4,000 – 7,000 vehicles. Due to the heavy volume, and need for repair, it was determined to close the bridge when schools are not in session.

The bridge is a stone masonry arch with retaining walls that run along both sides of Millbrook Avenue, spanning over the Mill Brook. There is deterioration of the masonry arch and walls that will require reconstruction; repair is similar to the improvements that have been made to other stone masonry arch structures in Morris County.

Traffic detour information will be provided on the Township website and social media.



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THE LATE NIGHT DATES FOR
THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING
AND COMMUNITY CENTER
ARE CURRENTLY
SUSPENDED.

Affordable Housing Update

On March 30, 2023, a Judgment of Compliance and Repose was entered by the Superior Court of New Jersey. This Judgement approves the Township's Housing Element and Fair Share Plan (HEFSP), subject to several modifications, and grants the Township immunity from all affordable housing lawsuits through July 1, 2025. This concludes a process that began with the Township filing an action in Morris County Superior Court on July 2, 2015. The HEFSP, frequently asked questions, and documents related to specific projects are available for review at: https://www.randolphnj.org/government/affordable_housing.

The HEFSP features a combination of approaches for providing the affordable housing units. This includes increased density provisions for existing zones and inclusionary zoning. Inclusionary zoning means rezoning property(s) to provide for an inclusionary set-aside (15%-20% of the total number of units in housing development) for affordable units. For example, a 15% set-aside on a 100-unit development, would yield 15 affordable units and 85 market units.

A few projects are currently under construction. These include the Gateways and Crossings at Bennett Avenue (Habitat for Humanity). Several other projects have received site plan approval from the Planning Board. These include The Village Square (Toll Brothers), Canoe Brook, Sussex Ridge and Liberty Village. No applications have been submitted for the other sites identified in the housing plan.

FREEDOM FESTIVAL

July 6-8, 2023 | 6 PM - 11 PM
County College of Morris, Lot 1
214 Center Grove Rd., Randolph, NJ 07869

HIGHLIGHTS

New Carnival Rides, Games, Beer Garden,
Music & Food/Craft Vendors - Nightly

July 6- Stereo Junkies

July 7 - Car Show (5 PM-8:30 PM) &
The Norton Smull Band

July 8 - DJ Nick and the Jerseytones &
Fireworks (Rain Date: July 9)

Sponsored By: Randolph Kiwanis Club



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POLICE, FIRE & RESCUE
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(All numbers Area Code 973, unless
indicated otherwise)

MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Main Number	989-7100
Police Main Number	989-7000
Accounts Payable	989-7046
Animal Control	989-7050
Animal Shelter	543-9333
Assessor	989-7075
Building Department	989-7070
Clerk	989-7041
Engineering	989-7066
Finance	989-7045
Fire Department	989-7098
Health Department	989-7050
Manager	989-7060
Municipal Court	989-7056
Parks & Recreation	989-7081
Planning & Zoning	989-7080
Public Health Nurses	537-7118
Public Works	989-7066
Recreation Hotline	866-802-0837
Recycling/Solid Waste	989-7050
Senior Services	989-7084
Tax Collector	989-7047
Water & Sewer	989-7063

2023 ELECTED OFFICIALS

MAYOR	
Lou Nisivoccia	713-6004
DEPUTY MAYOR	
Christine Carey	985-2623

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Helene Elbaum	862-500-1445
Mark Forstenhausler	886-7255
Joe Hathaway	862-213-8630
Marie Potter	945-6310
Joanne Veech	328-7175

TOWNSHIP MANAGER

Gregory Poff	989-7060
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WEBSITE

www.randolphnj.org

RANDOLPH SCHOOL
DISTRICT

Board of Education	361-0808
Center Grove	361-7835
Fernbrook	361-0660
Ironia	584-8588
Shongum	895-2322
Randolph Middle School	366-8700
Randolph High School	361-2400

OTHER HELPFUL
NUMBERS

Brundage Playhouse	989-7092
Chamber of Commerce	361-3462
County College of Morris	328-5000
Ironia Post Office	584-5659
Lakeland Bus	366-0600
Library	895-3556
Morristown Med. Center	971-8005
Mt. Freedom Post Office	895-2383
Motor Vehicle Commission	888-486-3339
N.J. Transit	800-772-2222
Randolph Lake	584-1358
Rescue Squad	366-7900
St. Clare's Hospital	989-3000

RANDOLPH *in brief...*

A Message from the Mayor

Dear Randolph Residents,

The school year is nearly finished, and summer will soon offer us an opportunity for a vacation or to simply enjoy outdoor fun and relaxation with family and friends.

Growing up in Randolph, summer meant spending time at Randolph Park Beach. I recall many fun-filled memories about learning to swim, playing with friends, eating ice cream, and digging in the sand at “The Beach.”

You and your family can also make memories:

Randolph Park Beach is open weekends-only through June 18, and is open daily June 19 - August 27, weather permitting. Memberships are still available but can only be purchased at the Recreation Office, 30 Calais Road, Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Membership benefits include guaranteed entry, early weekend access, and members-only events, including “Movies at the Beach” and Karaoke Nights. A new addition for 2023 is the Wibit floating water park area, providing inflatable climbing and jumping activities. The Wibit has multiple entry points, a climbing tower, a roundabout, a ledge, and a trampoline.

The Randolph Township Free Public Library hosts free summer outdoor concerts every Monday evening June 26 through August 28. So, clear your calendar and pack a

couple of lawn chairs, a picnic blanket, and a cold beverage and enjoy some great live music with your neighbors. Kids are always welcome, too.

The Randolph recreation department also has several special community events planned. I hope to see you at the Freedom Festival and the Country Fair along with some exciting new activities such as a car show, movies in the park, and more!

We want to keep you informed about all these recreational activities available to you. Find information on our webpage, randolphnj.org, social media accounts: Township of Randolph on Facebook and @randolphtpnj on Instagram and Twitter, and sign-up on the home page of our Township website with the “Stay Informed!” button. If you click the button, you can sign up for Township information, news, events, and emergency notices.

Please enjoy everything that Randolph has to offer!

Lou Nisivoccia
Mayor



From the Tax Office

When are tax bills generated and mailed?

Tax bills are generated and mailed once per year in July. Once the certified tax rate is received from the County of Morris, the bills are generated and mailed to the last known owner on record.

When are tax payments due and is there a grace period?

Tax payments are due quarterly on February 1, May 1, August 1 and November 1 of each year.

There is a ten (10) day grace period for each quarter. If the payment is received after the grace period, the quarter is considered delinquent and interest is charged back to the due date. Interest is charged at 8% for the first \$1,500 and 18% for amounts over \$1,500. A penalty of 6% shall be charged on any delinquency in excess of \$10,000.00, if not paid prior to the end of the calendar year.

TAX SALE 2023

The Tax Sale for delinquent 2022 and prior years’ **taxes, water & sewer, and other municipal charges** will be held on or about September 13, 2023. To prevent Tax Sale and a lien being placed on your property, please pay all your outstanding delinquent charges immediately.

When are the water and sewer bills generated, mailed and due?

Water and sewer bills are generated and mailed quarterly on February 15, April 15, May 15 and November 15 of each year.

Water and sewer payments are due quarterly on March 15, June 15, September 15 and December 15 of each year. If payment is received after the due date, the quarter is considered delinquent and interest is charged at a rate of 8% for the first \$1,500 and 18% for amounts over \$1,500. A penalty of 6% shall be charged on any delinquency in excess of \$10,000.00, if not paid prior to the end of the calendar year.

Questions about taxes may be directed to Linda Ann Roth, Tax Collector, at 973-989-7048/7047.

Questions about water and sewer bills may be directed to Kelly Jacobus, Utility Collector, at 973-989-7063.

Low-Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP)

What is LIHWAP and who is eligible?

LIHWAP is a federally funded program that provides funds to assist low-income households with water and sewer bills. To be eligible for LIHWAP benefits, the household must be responsible for their own water and sewer costs and have a gross income that falls at or below 60% of the New Jersey State Median Income level.

Only residential customer accounts are eligible. LIHWAP is NOT available for business accounts, estates, or property management companies.

Questions or wish to apply for LIHWAP?

LIHWAP is administered by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs (NJDCA). For more information, please visit <https://nj.gov/dca/dhcr/offices/lihwap.shtml> or call 1-800-510-3102.

The Randolph Economic Development Committee Finalizing “Randolph Rewards”

The Randolph Economic Development Committee (EDC) has participated in several ribbon cutting ceremonies, posted many business spotlights and created initiatives to support our local business community. Highlights for this active committee include:


- Planning for September’s Country Fair booth. This will be an inaugural year for the EDC as we plan to interact with local residents and business owners.
- Launching the first annual “Randolph Rewards” coupon booklet. The rewards booklet will contain a variety of discounts offered by local businesses and services and made available at no cost to Township residents at the Country Fair. The “offers/rewards” will also be available online for redemption and use. This is an exciting program for businesses and residents and is intended to drive additional business traffic to our local establishments as well as heighten awareness of the many services available in the Township.
- Collecting information and nominations for the annual Business Achievement Awards. The recipients will be announced at the Country Fair and the business owners will be in attendance to accept their award.

The annual Country Fair will be held on Saturday September 23, stop by our booth!

Visit randolphnjedc.com for more information or follow us on social media: Randolph Economic Development Committee on Facebook and @RandolphEDC on Instagram. Please come out and meet the EDC members and learn more about our ongoing initiatives.

The Historical Society of Old Randolph

If you haven't made up your mind where to go for the big holiday week-end, here is the opportunity to come to



If you're coming out by automobile, it will not be necessary to spend two days of the three day holiday driving—in two hours you are in Mt. Freedom—Mountain country, glorious scenery, excellent hotels, congenial crowd—everything that can be desired for the ideal holiday.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad brings you to Morristown in one hour and then you are transported to Mt. Freedom in twenty-five minutes, giving you a short delightful trip. The only disadvantage that Mt. Freedom can boast of is the fact that once you arrive here you will not want to leave.

Call up any one of the hotels listed below. Tell them you're coming with your family and friends and you will be received with the cordiality and reception of a king.

Each One of the Listed Hotels Is Thoroughly Modern with Large Airy Rooms, Hot and Cold Running Water in Each Room and Excellently Fitted Throughout. Dietary Laws Carefully Adhered To.

MOUNTAIN BREEZE HOUSE
L. SALTZ (Prop.) Phone: Succunna 229

THE SAINICK HOTEL
MAX SAINICK (Prop.)

FAIRMOUNT HOTEL
SAMUEL TENZER (Prop.) Phone: Succunna 43-F-2

THE ROYAL HOUSE
D. LIEBERMAN (Prop.) Phone: Succunna 8-F-13

MT. FREEDOM PARK DEVELOPMENT COMPANY
Beautiful Homesites and Homes Just Completed
ROBERT BOA, Owner

HARVEY'S GARAGE
Taxi and Garage Service Phone: Succunna 1208-J 43-F-24

HIRSCHHORN'S BUNGALOWS
2-6 Room Summer Bungalows
Beautifully furnished—Reasonable Rates—Phone: Lafayette 0677

GRAND VIEW HOTEL
Phone: Succunna 107-M

GRAND LAKE HOUSE
M. KLODE (Prop.) Phone: 120-F-4

MT. CARMEL HOTEL
Phone: Succunna 120-F-13

AMERICAN TRUST CO.
Morristown, N. J.

Directions:

Trains
Ferries or Hudson Tubes to Hoboken. Frequent trains, Lackawanna Railroad to Morristown, N. J. Buses and taxis direct to Mt. Freedom hotels meet all trains.

Automobile
Ferries to New Jersey. Follow Plank Road to Newark, to the Cranges. Continue on to Morristown, then to Mt. Freedom. Guide signs all the way out. State roads in perfect condition.

"Once you arrive here, you will not want to leave"

This vintage ad from the weekly newspaper, THE JEWISH TRIBUNE AND HEBREW STANDARD THE AMERICAN JEWISH WEEKLY dated July 1, 1927 aided unsure vacationers where to go for the Fourth of July holiday. The newspaper had a wide circulation, especially on the east coast of the United States.

This full page hospitality ad not only provided information on lodging, directions, and other amenities, but also assured the Jewish community of a relaxing, welcoming environment, a stark contrast to the anti-Semitic stigma that dominated the Catskills and Adirondacks from the 1870's through the early 1930's. Most noteworthy for the Township of Randolph, the ad states, "Once you arrive here, you will not want to leave."

2023 Township of Randolph Budget Adopted slight tax increase to sustain programs and service levels

The Township Council unanimously adopted a 2023 budget at its April 20 Township Council Meeting, maintaining its Mission Statement to provide effective governance, enhanced customer services and excellent community facilities through careful financial management and conservative long-term fiscal planning.

The \$34.8 million 2023 budget represents a 0.34% increase, \$116,882, from the adopted 2022 budget. The 2023 budget maintains and sustains programs and services and addresses significant dollar increases in capital improvements, statutory expenditures (pensions and social security), recycling, insurance (liability, workers' compensation and health) and solid waste collection.

The 2023 budget maintains, and in some areas increases, current service levels and maintains a prudent level of fund balance in order to avoid potential spikes in future tax rates.

Significant changes in the 2023 budget include:

- Recycling and solid waste collection – the Township will realize a “negative” rebate for the disposal of the paper and plastic in 2023 and increased costs for solid waste and leaf disposal. In 2022, the Township saw the curbside collection of 2,938 tons of mixed recyclables, an increase of 18% over 2021.
- Capital improvements – funding increase is necessary to address historic rates of inflation and the need to maintain and preserve Township assets.
- Statutory expenditures – pension obligations have increased this year at a blended rate of 10.5%.
- Insurance – Cost avoidance was realized through the Township’s participation in the Morris County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (MCJIF); overall insurance costs increased.

Planned 2023 projects include capital outlay for buildings & grounds, rescue squad, fleet, parks and fire department:

- Water and Sewer – Den Brook Pump Station updates, water system pressure analysis, Birchwood Road hydrant installation, replacement of flow meters. The Township has over 82 miles of sanitary sewer lines and force mains, 10 sanitary sewer pumping stations, 145 miles of potable water lines and 1,000 fire hydrants.
- Parks, Recreation & Community Services – Freedom Park lighting replacements and field improvements, Brundage Park lighting and restroom improvements. Funding for additional youth programs, day camp and teen camp. In addition to maintaining the parks system, crews are responsible for maintaining Randolph Trails, a 16 mile course traversing five parks, and recreation programs, youth programs and classes that attracted over 29,000 registered participants in 2022.
- Public Works – Over \$1.1M in road repaving is budgeted. With approximately 152 miles of roadways, 2,200 drainage inlets, 150 storm water outfalls and 100 miles of storm drains, roadway maintenance and improvement remain a Township priority.
- Public Safety – Police Department vehicle replacements, reaccreditation through the NJ State Chiefs Association, FBI-LEEDA (Law Enforcement Executive Development Association) training and purchase of a Driving While Intoxicated instrument. Funding for maintenance and replacement of equipment for Bureau of Fire Prevention and Department of Health and Code Enforcement.

Impact to Tax Rate

The 2023 budget represents an annual increase of \$89.99, or \$7.50 per month, for the average assessed home of \$490,367.

For additional information about the 2023 municipal budget, visit the township website at Township of Randolph: 2023 Proposed Municipal Budget Now Online (randolphnj.org) or contact the Finance Department at 973-989-7045.

A COW in Randolph

The Randolph Cell on Wheels, referred to as a COW, is a portable mobile cellular tower and transceiver fully constructed on the Verizon truck. COWs are typically used for big events, emergencies, or other short term boosts of a cell network.

Randolph's COW has been in use since March, providing needed coverage and capacity to the area. Verizon plans to transition sometime in June from the COW to the Town Hall tower; the tower will provide additional capacity and coverage.



Property Tax Levy by Entity



A Letter from the Superintendent

In June, we had the opportunity to honor the Class of 2023 and celebrate all that they have accomplished over the past 13 years. Celebrating this milestone is a time for reflection about the important things in life. As I was preparing my speech for our graduates, what came to mind was that “life is about the journey, not the destination.” This encapsulates what a high school graduate experiences before starting the next chapter of their lives and is applicable to people of all ages.

During the summer, we take the time to reflect on our accomplishments and start preparing for the future. However, over-planning can be disruptive to enjoying the journey; take the opportunity to practice mindfulness, the concept of being fully present in the moment. In our schools, we educate our students about the value of practicing both staying in the present moment and being focused on the future. Contentment and determination can coexist, and our desire is that students can both relish in the journey while having gratitude for where that path leads.

We are fortunate to have an exemplary team of world class educators who go above and beyond to help our students become the best versions of themselves. In addition to academics, athletics, activities, and the arts, our students are constantly learning social emotional competencies and finding their sense of contentment in the journey they are on. Through continued guided support, we hope that each child comes to and leaves our schools with a journey and an ending they will always remember.

I am sincerely thankful to our community for the continued support of our schools and the journeys of our students. I hope you all have a wonderful summer, and we look forward to welcoming our students and staff back for the start of another exciting chapter this fall.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Fano
Superintendent of Schools

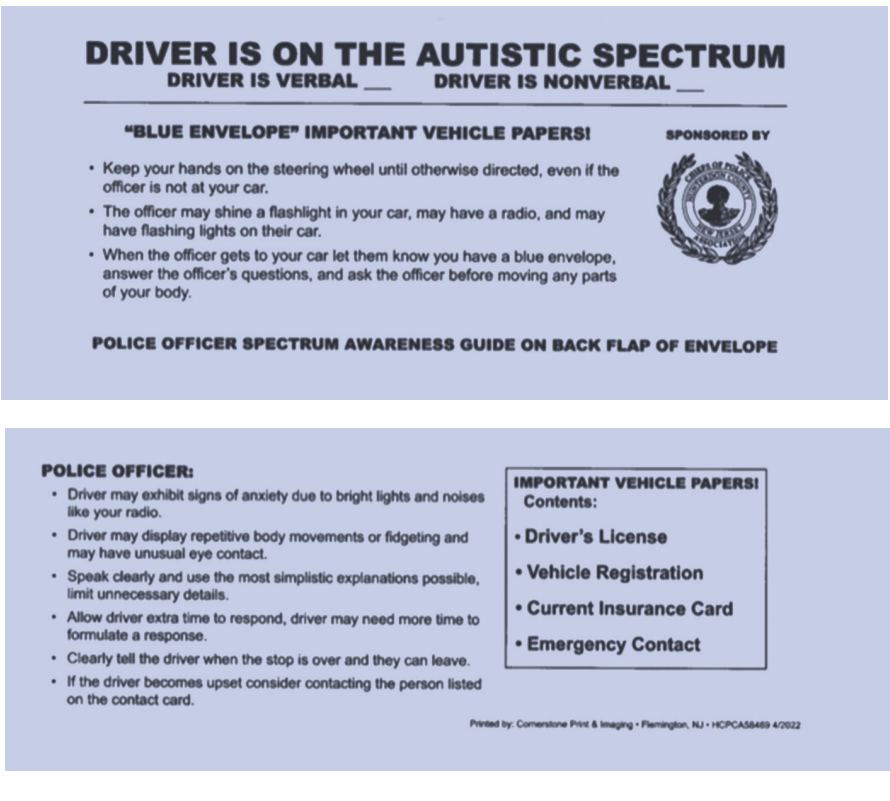
Police Department News

The Blue Envelope Program

The “Blue Envelope” Program, introduced by the Randolph Township Police Department in conjunction with the Morris County Sheriff’s Office, Morris County Prosecutor’s Office, and Morris County Police Chief’s Association, prevents misunderstandings with individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder during a traffic stop.

Important vehicle papers, kept in the “Blue Envelope”, are presented to the officer, acting as an alert. The outside of the blue envelope contains instructions for the driver, such as keeping hands on the steering wheel and a warning about the flashing lights and noises. The reverse side of the envelope provides the officers with information to help with the interaction such as simplifying requests to the driver. Additionally, a check box on the envelope indicates whether the driver is verbal or nonverbal.

To obtain a Blue Envelope, stop by the Randolph Police Department Records Bureau window, Monday through Friday between 8:00 am-4:00 pm, or request from a police officer. No doctor’s note or diagnosis is needed to obtain a Blue Envelope.



Overnight Parking in Randolph

In Randolph, local ordinance 31-91 prohibits parking any vehicles on the streets of the Township between 2:00 am and 6:00 am daily. If you need to request permission for overnight parking, contact the Randolph Police Department. Overnight parking requests may be granted if they are only for a short term temporary time frame, require a justified need and are not for an extended period of time. Examples of legitimate and justified needs include driveway resurfacing/resealing, construction projects, and/or visitors from out of town who are staying at the home.

Patrolman Richard Biase Retires

On June 1, Patrolman Richard Biase retired after serving for 26 years. His law enforcement career began as a Special Police Officer with the Montville Police Department in 1997 and included working with the Stevens Institute of Technology and the Morris County Park Police, joining the Randolph Township Police Department in 2002. Patrolman Biase, pictured at the start of his career, was a member of the Randolph Township Police Department’s Support Services Unit, Crash Reconstructionist, Radar Instructor, and a Field Training Officer. During his career in Randolph, he was awarded the Life Saving award three times and the Grand Cordon award three times. He was also awarded the Honorable Service award and the Ready Commendation. We wish you the best in retirement!



Fire Department News

Important Reminders from The Randolph Township Fire Department (RTFD)

Fire Response Update:

First quarter 2023 was busy with the RTFD responding to over 130 calls for service including vehicle fires and building fires.

As the warm and dry weather approaches, it brings with it brush fire season. We have already experienced many within Morris County, several in town and one that extended to a home. This serves as a reminder that if you are using an outdoor fire pit, patio heater, or grill, remember to use them safely on non-combustible surfaces and to comply with all state and local ordinances. Do not leave the fire unattended and ensure that it is fully extinguished before leaving the area.

Don't Forget to Check your Detectors:

Beep, Beep, Beep, Beep, <Pause>, Beep, Beep, Beep, Beep, <Pause>.

This is the sound of a Temporal 4 Carbon Monoxide (CO) detector. Most residents are not aware of this special sound. If you hear this, evacuate the property immediately and call 9-1-1.

Carbon Monoxide is a colorless, odorless gas, so detection in the home is very important. While you may think it is smoke related, this temporal four sound is reporting a CO event. Should the CO levels fall below the detection level, the CO alarm may stop sounding.

Carbon Monoxide can come from a variety of appliances including gas ranges, gas clothes dryer, boilers and furnaces. Any gas powered equipment, such as a backup generator, should not be exhausted near windows or doors and should be installed by a professional following local codes. Be safe, do not operate gas powered equipment in or near your home.

Carbon Monoxide detectors should be placed on every level where there are sleeping quarters. The installation document will provide a proper mounting location.

Upcoming Events:

Ironia Fire Company 4 will be having a wet down on September 30 at 5:00 pm to celebrate their 75th Anniversary and to welcome the new Brush Truck to the fleet. Please come out for some fun and support the department.

New Members Needed:

We are always looking for new members. Please visit www.Randolphfire.org or stop by any of the four firehouses – Millbrook Co. 2, Mt. Freedom Co. 3, Ironia Co. 4, and Shongum Co. 5 – on Monday nights to find out more information. The RTFD provides the training and equipment and no experience is required. Did you know you can join as a support member? The support role is a way to get involved, help the community, and does not require responding to calls. We are an all-volunteer organization; the department cannot operate without people. You can make a difference in your hometown. Come meet your RTFD and hear about opportunities to give back to your town.



2023 Health Screenings

The Township of Randolph offers a variety of health screenings and programs throughout the year to promote and *protect the health of Township residents*. To pre-register for any of these clinics and screenings, please call the Health Department at 973-989-7050; pre-registration up to one month in advance. If you have questions before or after participation at a clinic or screening, please contact the Public Health Nurses at 973-537-7118.

Cancer Screenings

- Men ages 18 and up. Screenings include a digital rectal exam and breast exam, prostate specific antigen blood test, urinalysis, blood pressure check, FIT test (testing for blood in the stool) and health education counseling.
- Women ages 18 and up. Screenings include a Pap test, pelvic and breast exam, FIT test (blood in stool), mammography referral (if eligible) and health education counseling.
- Male Screening: September 26, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
- Female Screening: October 19, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Where: Morristown Medical Center Health Pavilion, 333 Mt. Hope Avenue, Rockaway, NJ

Fee: Males \$45, senior citizens \$40 Females \$55, senior citizens \$50

Pre-registration is required; contact the Health Department. Paperwork and payment must be completed to secure your spot. Call 973-989-7050.

CHEM-23

CHEM-23 is a comprehensive blood test used to provide valuable information about the general state of your health. Information obtained may be used to recommend dietary or lifestyle changes. The test also aids in detecting abnormalities that may be causing specific symptoms and can be useful in evaluating a specific health condition and monitoring the effectiveness of its treatment. Blood pressure checks are also conducted in conjunction with each session.

- Screenings are available to all Randolph residents 18 and older.
- September 29, 8:30 am – 10:30 am.
- The screening will be held at the Randolph Township Municipal Building Fee: \$35/\$25 for over 65 years of age.
- Pre-registration is required, call the Health Department 973-989-7050. In addition, new clients or those with a new physician will need to provide a signed consent form from their doctor in order to participate. Appointments are necessary.

Flu Vaccination Clinics

Randolph offers flu vaccine to all residents over 6 months of age to 65 years of age. Dates, times and locations are posted on the Township website in August as flu season approaches and our supply of vaccine arrives.

The fee is \$20 for flu or free to those with Medicare Part B ONLY. Those with any Medicare co-pay plans must self submit for reimbursement.

Advanced registration for the clinics is not required. Home visits are available for those with special needs, call the Public Health Nurses at 973-537-7118.

Adult Immunization Program

This program is offered through the 317-funded program for vaccines for adults, age 18 years and older.

Vaccines available are: Covid-19, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Human Papillomavirus (HPV), Measles/Mumps/Rubella, Meningococcal, Meningitis B, Pneumonia Polysaccharide, Tdap, Varicella and Zoster (Shingles, Herpes Zoster), Influenza.

Immunization Clinic dates are: July 18, August 15, September 19, October 17.

Fee for service or FREE to those uninsured or underinsured. “Underinsured” means insurance will not pay for any portion of the vaccine at all.

Appointments are required, call the Public Health Nurses at 973-537-7118.

Water Safety at the Lake

Be familiar with water safety steps *before* jumping in:

- Always enter any body of water feet first. Be aware of currents, waves, and underwater obstructions. Only dive into water that is marked at least nine feet deep.
- Be aware of any unexpected changes in air or water temperature. If thunder or lightning, leave the water immediately. Wait for at least 30 minutes inside after the last thunder. If you are outside, avoid tall/isolated trees, metal objects and open spaces.
- Be watchful of hazards such as dams, rocks, debris, vegetation, animals and even fish.
- Be mindful of drop-offs changing the depth of the water as well as people recreating, such as boating.
- Never swim alone or while intoxicated.
- Make sure there is a responsible adult watching children without distractions such as reading, talking on, or using a cell phone.
- Know what to do in a water emergency, call for emergency help and know CPR.



Anyone can visit the Department of Environmental Protection to learn about the health of specific lakes in NJ. Visit NJDEP-DWMS, Bureau of Freshwater and Biological Monitoring.

Get Ready to Grill Safely

Separate

When shopping, pick up meat, poultry, and seafood last and separate them from other food in your shopping cart and grocery bags.

Chill

Keep meat, poultry, and seafood refrigerated until ready to grill. When transporting, keep 40°F or below in an insulated cooler.

Clean

Wash your hands with soap before and after handling raw meat, poultry, and seafood. Wash work surfaces, utensils, and the grill before and after cooking.

Cook

Use a food thermometer to ensure meat is cooked hot enough to kill harmful germs. When smoking, keep temperature inside the smoker at 225°F to 300°F to keep meat at a safe temperature while it cooks.

145°F	beef, pork, lamb, veal (then let rest 3 minutes before serving)
145°F	fish
160°F	hamburgers and other ground meat
165°F	poultry

Don't cross-contaminate

Throw out marinades and sauces that have touched raw meat juices. Put cooked meat on a clean plate.

Refrigerate

Divide leftovers into small portions and place in covered, shallow containers. Put in freezer or fridge within two hours of cooking (one hour if above 90°F outside).



www.cdc.gov/foodsafety

CS296044A

Be Aware of Coyotes

There has been an increase in coyote sightings in the Township; take precautions to protect yourself and your pets. Generally, coyotes are nocturnal, but may come out around sunset.

Coyotes generally avoid humans, however, the presence of pet food, compost, or trash, can lure coyotes into yards. Without the lure of food or other attractants, their visits will be brief and rare. But a coyote who finds food in one yard may learn to search for food in others.

Do not intentionally feed coyotes, it puts pets and residents at risk of radical animal behavior. Here are some general rules:

- Avoid feeding pets outside. If you must, feed them only once per day and remove the food bowl as soon as your pet has finished its meal.
- If you use compost, use enclosed bins and never compost meat or fish scraps.
- Clean up spilled bird seed around feeders.
- Remove fallen fruit from the ground.
- Keep trash in secure containers with tight-fitting lids and place the cans curbside the morning of collection (instead of the night before).
- If coyotes are present, make loud noises, blast a canned air siren, throw rocks, or spray them with a garden hose. In a pinch, standing tall, waving your arms and yelling at the coyote is the best defense. Do not run away from them. If they've become accustomed to humans, you may have to run toward them until they flee the area entirely.

Dogs, especially small dogs, are vulnerable to coyote confrontations. These incidents generally involve coyotes that are either accustomed to people (usually due to wildlife feeding), or coyotes who are protecting their territory, their mate, or their pups. Always walk dogs on a leash, and attend to them when they're outside unless you have a coyote-proof fence, which is either at least eight feet tall and made of material that coyotes cannot climb or at least six feet tall with a protective device on top.

For more information and tips, visit www.humanesociety.org/coyotes.

Parks, Recreation & Community Services

Upcoming Special Events

COUNTRY FAIR

Save the Date!

In its 15th year, the Rotary Club and Township continue to partner for this event that will include activities, food trucks, inflatables, pumpkin painting, crafters and so much more. Check social media and the Randolphnj.org website for more information.

September 23

(Rain Date: September 24)

SUMMER LUAU

Dinner & Show

Dress in fun summer clothing that celebrates Hawaiian culture. Experience music by the School of Rock, followed by a traditional Hawaiian show and a Hawaiian buffet! Children are welcome.

Registration required. Register at Township of Randolph: Parks & Recreation: Online Registration (randolphnj.org) or contact the Recreation Department at 973-989-7081.

August 5

(Rain Date: August 6)

7:00 pm, check-in begins at 6:45 pm

Events will be held at:

Veterans Community Park,
100 Calais Rd, Randolph, NJ 07869

Senior Services

(Ages 60 & over)

Dial-A-Ride Transportation Services

Shopping Bus:

Transportation to local shopping centers two days per week. Pick up times at homes start at 9:30 am.

Monday ShopRite or Walmart, Roxbury

Wednesday (1st & 4th) Rockaway Commons, Rockaway, (2nd) Wegmans, Parsippany, (3rd) Weis or Acme, Randolph, (5th) Uncle Giuseppe's, Morris Plains.

To ensure transportation is available, passengers are encouraged to contact the office to request what date they would like to go. Friday during work hours (8:30 am-4:30 pm) is the cut off for shopping on Monday. Tuesday during work hours (8:30 am-4:30 pm) is the cut off for shopping on Wednesday.

Arrangements for transportation must be made by phone at least 24 hours in advance.

Medical Bus:

Transportation to and from a doctor's office within a 10-mile radius from the Municipal Building, 502 Millbrook Avenue. This service is available Monday – Thursday only. Appointments are available 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. **It is best to call and schedule a ride as soon as you have made a medical appointment.** To schedule a ride, please call 973-989-7084.

Senior Programs & Events

Randolph Township residents age 60 & over will pay an annual fee of \$10 per person that will include the following:

- All senior citizen programming offered by the Recreation & Community Services Department at either a reduced fee or in most cases, no fee.
- Direct notifications of programs, events, trips and other important information.
- **1 Photo ID card to be used for everything listed below.**

MONTHLY SOCIAL

A monthly social will be held on the first Tuesday of each month unless noted on the Senior Calendar. Each month will have a different theme so we hope you will join us for every social. Socials will start at 11:00 am.

ACTIVITES

All meet in the Senior Room at the Community Center on Calais Road. Please enter and exit through Senior Room door only.

Reservations are required for each program. If you are not registered, you will not be allowed into the program.

Here is a list of some of the activities for you to participate in, but you need to check the monthly calendar for the days, times and special events that will be happening in the month.

Gentle Yoga • Bingo • Cards • Crafts
Line Dancing • Sewing • Movie Night
Technology Help on Your Devices

OUTINGS

Visits to local restaurants for either breakfast, lunch or dinner. Check the Monthly Senior Calendar for locations and times. Reservations are required for all events and functions.

Examples of restaurants:

Fortune Buffet, Wharton
Cracker Barrel, Mt. Arlington
Roxbury Diner, Roxbury
Mario's Famous Pizza, Randolph
Mr. Crabby's Seafood, Randolph
Forte Pizzeria, Randolph
Randolph Diner, Randolph
Stirling Craft Kitchen, Randolph
Bruno's Italian Bistro, Morris Plains

Contact the Community Service Department at 973-989-7084 for more information and to register.

MEMBERSHIPS

Randolph Lake Beach Membership

- Access to Randolph Lake Beach during the season, Memorial Day – August. Including any members-only events.
- Up to four guests per visit for \$5 per guest.

Tennis/Pickleball Membership

- Access to Randolph Township Tennis & Pickleball Courts for use during park hours.

Fishing & Boating Permits

- Permission from Township to fish or use non-motorized boats in the Township lakes and ponds.

Brundage Park Playhouse

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

Music by Alan Menken

Lyrics by Howard Ashman and Tim Rice

Book by Linda Woolverton

Directed by Anna Gelpke

Music Director Nicole Paige Uvenio

Choreographer Dawn Warga

Performance Dates:

June 30 & July 7 at 7:00 pm

July 1 & 8 at 2:00 pm & 7:00 pm

& July 2 & 9 at 3:00 pm

CAT ON A HOT TIN ROOF

Book by Tennessee Williams

Performance Dates:

August 18 & 25 at 7:00 pm

August 19 & 26 at 7:00 pm

August 20 & 27 at 3:00 pm

BREAKFAST WITH A PRINCESS

Meet Princess Bell, engage in several fun activities, and enjoy a light breakfast

June 24

9:00 am - 10:30 am or

11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Sponsored event



BULLETS ON BROADWAY

A Murder Mystery Dinner

July 29

Doors open at 6:30 pm, Show

starts at 7:00 pm

Sponsored event

KIDS' CABARET

Come to the Cabaret

August 4 - 7 pm, August 5 - 2 pm

& 5 pm & August 6 - 7 pm.

Cabaret Seating at tables with chairs.

Sponsored event

Sponsored Brundage Park Playhouse events are held at the Randolph Community Center, 30 Calais Road

If questions, call 973-989-7081

Sign-up on Community Pass
(Community Events 2023)

Artworks Studio

Fine arts instruction for ages 3-1/2 through adult.

School is out and it's time for some creative summer fun! Don't miss out on our exciting arts camps for ages pre-K through teen. Kids will create a myriad of arts projects each week of camp while exploring different art mediums. Also check out our variety of art class sessions starting this fall for kids and adults.

Summer Art Camps (limited openings in the below sessions still available at time of printing):

For teens that have completed grade 6-12

(WEEK 1) **Teen Camp**

June 19 - 23

For students entering grade 2 and completed grade 5

(WEEK 3) **The Petting Zoo**

July 10 - 14

For students entering Kindergarten and completed grade 3

(WEEK 4) **Ancient Egypt**

July 17 - 21

(WEEK 5) **Under the Sea**

July 24 - 28

(WEEK 6) **Hawaiian Luau**

July 31 - August 4

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Review the full schedule of classes and workshops on the Township website or call the Recreation Department at 973-989-7081.

Follow us on social media:

Facebook: *Artworks Studio Randolph NJ*

Instagram: *@artworksrandolph*

Fall 2023 Classes- registration open now:

Young Artist

(age 3.5 - grade K)

Art Explorer I (grades K-3)

Art Explorer II (grades 4-8)

Drawing & Painting

(grades 4-8)

Mixed Media Painting

(adults)

Library Programs

Registration may be required. Register online at www.randolphnj.org/library or call the library at 973-895-3556. Children’s programs that require registration are open to Randolph residents, children who are full-time attendees of schools located in Randolph, and children of parents who work in Randolph. Residents may register for children’s programs one week before the program; non-residents may register one day before a program if space is available.

Children's Programs

“All Together Now” Children’s Summer Reading Club

Thursday, June 15 to Wednesday, August 2
Preschool through Grade 6

In-person registration for children begins June 15 and will be ongoing throughout the club.

“All Together Now” Teen Summer Reading Club

Thursday, June 15 to Wednesday, August 2
Grades 6 to 12

Register, read books, and win prizes.

Summer 2023 Drop-In Storytimes

June 19 to August 10 (no storytime on 7/4)

Story-Go-Round

Mondays, 9:45 to 10:10 am

Ages 2 to 3 ½ years old

Nursery Rhyme Time

Mondays, 10:30 to 10:55 am

Ages 0 to 23 months

Family Storytime

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:00 to 10:30 am

All ages

Wiggles and Giggles

Wednesdays, 10:00 to 10:30 am (no program on 8/2)

Ages 3 to 5

Summer 2023 Programs

Weis Cooking & Food Class

One class for ages 3 to 5 and another for grades K to 3. Dates and times for each class to be determined. Please check website for details.

Science Heroes: Saving Earth Together

Thursday, June 15, 7:00 pm

All ages

Unlikely heroes must work together to save the planet from a super-polluter! Presented by Talewise. Volunteers conduct experiments about the changing states of matter, air pressure, the laws of motion, and more! Registration for adults and children is required.

Take It and Make It Crafts

Mondays, June 19 and 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31

9:00 am to closing

Grades PreK to 2

Craft kits will be available at the library while supplies last.

Monday Funday

Mondays, June 19 and 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31

2:00 to 2:30 pm

Grades K to 5

Check online each week to see what fun we have planned. Registration for children is required.

Crafternoon

Tuesdays, June 20 and 27, July 11, 18, 25, and August 1

2:00 to 2:30 pm

Grades K to 5

Join us for crafts in the afternoon. Registration for children is required.

STEAMy Summer Fun

Wednesdays, June 21 and 28, July 5, 12, 19 and 26

2:00 to 2:30 pm

Grades K to 5

Join us as we explore a STEAM topic each week with interactive fun. Registration for children is required.

Eyes of the Wild: Live Animal Program

Thursday, June 22

7:00 pm

All ages

Eyes of the Wild Rescue and Education will be here for a LIVE wildlife presentation! Registration for adults and children is required.

Mad Science: Sounds Like Science

Thursday, June 29

7:00 pm

All ages

Join Mad Science to work together to make some waves and make some noise in this fun and funky science show. We’ll collaborate to create a cacophony with a garbage can, swinging sound tubes and a metal pipe. Cheer as the pickle glows and potatoes pop. Registration for adults and children is required.

Rhonda Appleseed and the Tree that Learned How to Speak

Thursday, July 6

7:00 pm

All ages

Join with Traveling Lantern Theatre Company as Rhonda Appleseed, a descendant of Johnny Appleseed, visits one of the trees he planted to ask how she can help protect nature. Registration for adults and children is required.

The Magic of Reading

Thursday, July 13

7:00 pm

All ages

Magician Brian Richards will present a fun live magic, comedy, and storytelling show designed to promote the fun of reading and the library. Registration for adults and children is required.

Friendship Bingo

Friday, July 14

10:00 to 10:30 am

Ages 3 to 10

All together now with our friends playing a fun bingo game using storybook characters instead of numbers. Registration for children is required.

Balloonity: Twisted Acts of Kindness

Thursday, July 20

7:00 pm

All ages

Join Master Balloon Artist, Mark Ghia as "The Sorcerer of Smiles" for an exciting show full of funny stories, games, and one-of-a-kind balloon sculptures. Everyone gets a balloon! After the 40 minute show will be a 20-minute hands-on balloon twisting session (best for kids ages 5 and up). Registration for adults and children is required.

Tuckers’ Tales Puppet Theatre: Three Bears!

Thursday, July 27

7:00 pm

All ages

Four stories about our friends the three bears are featured in this collection of bear tales by Tuckers’ Tales Puppet Theatre. Registration for adults and children is required.

Summer Reading Club Picnic

Wednesday, August 2

12:00 to 2:00 pm

All ages welcome

Summer Reading Club participants are welcome to attend this event with their families. Bring your own lunch to Veterans Park and enjoy music provided by Kurt Gallagher. Ice cream from Cliff’s will be available for \$1. You must register in-person at the library for this event and pay for the ice cream in advance.

Fall Book Clubs

Join us on a reading adventure as we discuss a different book each month. Books are provided and may be picked up at the Circulation Desk. Books should be read before each session. Registration for all sessions is required and is limited to 10 Randolph children. Registration begins Monday, August 21 at 10:00 am.

My First Book Club for Grades 1 & 2

Tuesdays, 9/12, 10/17, 11/14, and 12/12

4:30 to 5:00 pm

Please contact Ms. Kerrie for details.

Chapter Chats for Grades 3 & 4

Mondays, 9/11, 10/16, 11/13, and 12/11

4:30 to 5:00 pm

Please contact Ms. Mary Ellen for details.

Riveting Reads for Grades 5 & 6

Wednesdays, 9/13, 10/18, 11/15, and 12/13

4:30 to 5:00 pm

Please contact Ms. Mary Ellen for details.

Tween Titles for Grades 7 & 8

Thursdays, 9/14, 10/19, 11/16, and 12/14

4:30 to 5:00 pm

Please contact Ms. Kerrie for details.

Fall Drop-In Storytimes

September 18 to December 7

Please visit our website in September for full details.

The Randolph Township Free Public Library also offers a Teen Advisory Board (TAB), the 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program, and a StoryWalk at Veterans Park. Please check our website, <http://www.randolphnj.org/library>, for complete details on our Storytime schedule as well as more detailed information on our programs.

Adult Programs (14 and over)

Third Annual One Book, One Community Reading Program

June 15 – August 16

Join us this summer to read *The Magnolia Palace* by Fiona Davis, a historical mystery set in and around The Frick Museum of New York City.

A tantalizing novel about the secrets, betrayal, and murder within one of New York City’s most impressive Gilded Age mansions.

Extra copies of the book will be available for checkout on June 15, along with a book discussion guide.

For further associated programming, please keep an eye on our website!

Last year our 2022 One Book, One Community read was *The Authenticity Project* by Clare Pooley, and our patrons joined us in droves to enjoy Pooley’s uplifting exploration of what it means to be true to oneself and authentic with others. We had 35 copies of the book and throughout the program they went out 183 times – and have gone out many more times since. Come on in and check it out along with her new title, *Iona Iverson’s Rules for Commuting*.

Annual Adult Summer Reading Program: All Together Now

Randolph residents are invited to participate in our 2023 Adult Summer Reading Program from Thursday June 15 – Wednesday August 16.

Each week, record the number of books you’ve read on entry forms located in the library. If you can’t make the trip, call and give your information to a librarian to enter. Each week we will award two winners with a \$20 gift certificate to a local business!

You can always start off your summer reading with our 2023 One Book, One Community pick *The Magnolia Palace* by Fiona Davis!

2023 FREE OUTDOOR SUMMER MUSIC

MONDAYS AT 7:00 PM/RAIN DATE TUESDAY – RAIN OR SHINE

Visit our website for updates & more information:
www.randolphnj.org/library

June 26	JAKE THISTLE & BAND https://jakethistle.com/home
July 3	UNUSUAL SUSPECTS www.facebook.com/UnusualSuspectsNJBand
July 10	JERSEY SOUND https://www.jerseysound.com/
July 17	ROSEWOOD BAND www.facebook.com/RosewoodBandNJ/
July 24	JACK www.facebook.com/WeAreJacktheBand/
July 31	COUNTRY COMFORT www.facebook.com/NJCountryComfort/
August 7	FAB FORWARD BAND www.facebook.com/FabForwardband/
August 14	THE GREEN PLANET BAND www.facebook.com/thegreenplanetband/
August 21	FISH EYED BLUES www.facebook.com/FishEyedBlues
August 28	FIVE WHEEL DRIVE www.facebook.com/FiveWheelDriveBandnj/



Explore Area Museums for Free

The Randolph Township Library has FREE passes for these museums:

- Morris Museum
- Montclair Art Museum
- Historic Sites of Morris County (Fosterfields, Historic Speedwell & Cooper Gristmill)
- Museum of Early Trades
- Intrepid Sea, air and Space Museum (NY)



Check our website for details:
www.randolphnj.org/library

Randolph Rescue Squad



Become a Volunteer

Looking for a few good . . . volunteers

Randolph Township Rescue Squad (RRS) is a volunteer service organization, now in its 56th year of providing emergency medical services to the Township. From January through March, RRS responded to over 250 calls in addition to standbys and transportation requests.

In order to continue to serve our community, we need and welcome new members. No previous experience is necessary, training is provided. New members are guided through Basic Life Support (BLS) training sessions and our experienced EMT members recertify every few years.

Training is a vigorous and technical learning process – well worth the time and effort. It is required and monitored by the New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services. Crew members must be CPR-certified to ride on an ambulance to transport a patient. Crew members who are EMT-certified deliver more complex BLS health care treatment. Several RRS members are also Advanced Life Support (ALS)-certified.

What surprises some RRS members is that their CPR, BLS, and ALS training skills often become relevant in situations that do not involve patient calls. Consider this:

Prior to the start of a recent Squad meeting, several members were chatting about their ongoing training. One junior member spoke about how her BLS skills make her feel more comfortable when she visits her grandma who lives in a nursing home. Another member explained that as he was leaving a church service with his family, one of the other church members collapsed on the walkway in front of them; he and a few others performed CPR until an ambulance arrived. Next, two more experienced members, who had just recertified, pointed out that recertification classes always include updating basic skills. This recertification class had a few changes in CPR techniques. At that point, one active long-time member, who had been listening to the conversation from the next table, jumped in to say how much he had learned using the Squad’s new LUCAS (Lund University Cardiopulmonary Assist System) device which provides mechanical chest compressions to patients in cardiac arrest.

Clearly, training as RRS volunteers carries over into everyday non-RRS life. We pay attention to details, we improve our communication and life skills, we appreciate and learn about people who face difficult health challenges, we become better listeners and better leaders...JOIN US.

Reminders:

- ✓ WEBSITE: www.Randolphrescue.org to complete an application – or email us at info@randolphrescue.org
- ✓ RRS PRESIDENT: Christopher Zelley via president@randolphrescue.org
- ✓ FOLLOW US on Facebook and Instagram.
- ✓ DIAL 9-1-1 in an emergency. Provide a clear explanation of location and the nature of the emergency; provide a list of the patient’s medications to give to the crew.
- ✓ STAND-BYS: Send an email to captain@randolphrescue.org. Make a detailed request with as much prior notice as possible.
- ✓ UPCOMING BLOOD DRIVES are scheduled for June 22, August 17, and October 12, at RRS Headquarters.
- ✓ SPECIAL DONATIONS REQUEST: Do you have clothing or shoes that are no longer needed? Place them in a bag and deposit it in the clothing bins located in the parking lot at RRS Headquarters. Thank you in advance for your caring generosity.

Engineering / Water & Sewer Project Updates

Calais Road – Phase 2 – Road Improvements Project

Design plans are being prepared for Calais Road improvements - Phase 2 - that extends between Sussex Turnpike and Dawson Brook. It is estimated that the projects will go out to bid in winter 2022-23 and scheduled for construction in fall 2024. The scope of work includes repairs to any curbs along the road, drainage inlets, and milling, repaving, and restriping.

New Jersey Natural Gas Main Installation

New Jersey Natural Gas (NJNG) has completed significant natural gas main installations and upgrades to existing natural gas lines within multiple primary roads within the Township, such as Mountainside Drive, Everdale Road, Openaki Road, Park Avenue, Righter Road, Combs Hollow Road and Pleasant Hill Road. These roads will be paved by NJNG by the end of June 2023 in accordance with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities requirements. NJNG has also expanded natural gas mains to some secondary streets such as Sleepy Hollow Road, Main Street, Chester Avenue, Budd Street, Darlene Court, Farmstead Road East & West, South Road and Combs Avenue. Residents on these streets contemplating a new gas service connection should contact **NJNG** at **800-221-0051** as soon as possible as these streets will be paved by the Township’s contractors in fall 2023. Delays in property gas connections may delay Township repaving of the streets.

Meadowbrook Pump Station

Construction of the rehabilitation of the Meadowbrook Pump Station is completed.

CCM Sanitary Sewer Pump Station Upgrades

Construction has begun for the replacement of the existing Township owned County College of Morris (CCM) Pump Station located on the CCM campus. The project includes the construction of a new sanitary pump station and demolition of the existing pump station. This sanitary pump station controls sanitary sewer flows from CCM campus and Township properties along Route 10 and Jennifern Avenue. Construction is anticipated to be completed by summer 2024.

Lawn Watering

In the summer months, Randolph experiences extremely high levels of water consumption. In an effort to conserve water, the Township Council adopted new lawn watering regulations in May of 2007 for properties which receive water provided by the Township of Randolph.

Odd/Even Lawn Watering Schedule

From May 1 through September 30 of each year, the following odd/even schedule is implemented for lawn watering for properties served by Township water:

- Watering of properties having even numbered street addresses is permitted on the even numbered days of the month.
- Watering of properties having odd numbered street addresses is permitted on the odd numbered days of the month.
- No watering is permitted on the 31st day of the month.
- Watering on the above days shall be permitted during the hours from 5:00 am to 9:00 am and from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm only.

For more information, visit the Township website or contact the Engineering Department at 973-989-7066.

2023 Road Resurfacing Program

As part of its ongoing road maintenance program, Randolph Township evaluates the condition of the road system on an annual basis.

This evaluation program is a collaborative effort between the Engineering and Public Works departments. The program takes into account the perspectives of both departments and synthesizes the input received into a comprehensive annual evaluation of the Township road system.

This program tracks all of the 154 center line miles of Township roadways. The 2023 funding has been adjusted to last year’s, allowing for increased paving costs. Eighteen roads, the equivalent of 5.50 miles, are scheduled for resurfacing. As in past years, if funds are available after the roads scheduled for resurfacing have been completed, additional roads could be added prior to the end of the year.

The following roads are tentatively scheduled to be milled and repaved this summer.

Residents who live on these roads and plan to install new underground utility lines, such as gas or water, should schedule the installation before the road is paved.

Combs Hollow Road	South of Ursula Court to the town line
Trout Brook Lane	Entire Length
Ariel Drive	Entire Length
Beech Road	Entire Length
Beth Court	Entire Length
Nerewood Road	Entire Length
Cara Court	Entire Length
Walnut Street	Entire Length
Georgian Road	Entire Length
Crestwood Drive	Entire Length
Tulip Lane	Entire Length
Fernia Drive	Johnson Place to Georgian Road
Openaki Road	Neben Road to Mountainside Road
Farm Road	House # 3 to Arnold Drive
Arnold Drive	House # 11 to end of cul de sac
Quail Run	Entire Length
Park Avenue	Pleasant Hill to House # 121 (one side)
Combs Hollow Road	Calais Road to Doby Road (one side)



New Hires

The Randolph Construction Department welcomes Barry Kobilarcik and Erick Olsen. Barry is the department’s Plumbing Sub Code Official & Plumbing & Mechanical Inspector. He comes to the construction department with an “eye for detail” and more than 23 years of experience. He enjoys spending his free time with family and friends.



Erick Olsen was recently hired as a full time Randolph Township Building Sub Code Official and Building Inspector. Erick brings 19 years of exceptional experience in the building industry. In his free time Erick enjoys custom woodworking & traveling the world with his wife.