

NEWSLETTER

MAY 2020

CRESTWOOD VILLAGE 1

92 Fairway Lane • Whiting NJ 08759

732-350-1818



We Will Never Forget

MEMORIAL DAY

25th MAY



PHONE NUMBERS

for Help or Service

Emergency –

Police, Fire, First Aid911

Non-Emergency –

Police, Fire, First Aid(732) 657-6111

Maintenance Dept.(732) 350-2202

Trustees Office(732) 350-1818

Maintenance Emergency –

24 Hour Service(732) 350-2202

Emergency Services are those problems which CANNOT and SHOULD NOT be delayed.

They are as follows:

- Broken Water Pipe
- Clogged Toilets & Drains
- Loss of Heat
- No Electric Power
- Unable to enter the unit due to lost or misplaced key or for any valid reason that entrance should be made for investigation.

Where appropriate, a \$60.00 charge will be made for emergency services rendered, including unlocking doors for entry.

Maintenance Hours: 8AM - 4PM

Call Information "HOTLINE"

1 (848) 227-3082

Clubhouse Open Schedule

Billiards • Exercise Room • Library

CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

MONDAY

Exercise Class.....9:00 AM

Ladies Cards–

"A" Room6-8:00 PM

Billiards /

Pill Pool6-8:00 PM

Residents Club -

2nd Monday6:30 PM

Movie Night -

4th Monday5:30 PM

Tuesday

Ticket Sales -

Library9-11:00 AM

Ceramics8:30AM-12 Noon

**Bocce5:30 PM

Wednesday

**Ladies Golf8:30 AM

Mah-jongg1:00 PM

**Bocce5:30 PM

Thursday

Golf Club • Cards •

Texas Hold EM'12:00 PM

Open / Reps Meeting–

4th Thursday10:00 AM

Except July and August

**Shuffleboard -

Indoor/Outdoor5:30 PM

Friday

Exercise9:00 AM

**Men's Golf9:00 AM

Mah-jongg1:00 PM

**Seasonal Clubs that are NOT year round.

The Clubhouse is open to all from 8:00 AM - 4 PM. After 4:00 PM

You may enter with your pass card (available at the Trustees Office)

No Entry before 8AM or after 10PM

Alarm will trigger Police response!

Trustees Notes...

I notified you of the upcoming election of Trustees in June. Unfortunately, I listed John Leach's term as up for election this year. That was incorrect. John's term expires next year. I should have listed Maryann Gatti as being up for election this year. All else in that notification was correct as for deadline date of April 16th in which to submit nominations for a seat on the Board etc. Along with Maryann Gatti, Jean Feola and Vinny Spera who are running for re-election to a seat on the Board of Trustees, two additional residents have been entered into nomination. They are Constance Meyerhoff and Anna Marie Russo. Their resumes are included in this newsletter along with the incumbent Board members.

At this writing a schedule for re-opening the state and nation are discussions being held. Our by-laws do not address such conditions, so we have asked our attorney for guidance as to the proper procedure that should be followed. If the state gets back to normal quickly, the election will be on June 1st. It appears that this date will not be possible so the election will be

done by mail. Ballots will be mailed to each member on May 18th. Residents must mail back or drop in the Co Op mail box in front of the clubhouse (by the flag pole) by May 29th as the election committee will count them on June 1st, Election Day. It should be noted that if you mail the ballot, give extra time since the mail service seems to be slow during these unusual times and circumstances.

Our budget meeting is scheduled for June 8th. This meeting may be rescheduled as needed. We'll advise you in the June Newsletter. In the interim, stay safe and well.

Homes listed For Sale in Village 1

Currently there are 21 homes listed for sale on the Multiple Listings real estate website. They range in the price from \$21,000 to \$99,000. Although Real Estate offices are closed, agents are able to show homes as long as current guidelines are observed. No open houses are permitted but showings are ongoing. Closings in Village 1 must be done by mail but are continued to be processed.

Bocce/Shuffleboard

As we cannot give you any new information as to the upcoming season, we encourage you to keep in shape for when the season does begin. Try to get out for a walk now that we have warmer weather. Wear your mask — keep the social distance (6'). Be Safe and Stay Well.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Arnie Wentworth.....President
Jeannie Feola.....Vice President &
Manchester Coordinating Council,
Attends the Environmental Commission,
along with Manchester Coordination Council
Maryann Riotto.....Secretary

Carl Hart.....Treasurer &
Liaison to Maintenance Dept.
John Leach.....Liaison to Clubhouse and
Grounds & Yard Sales
Maryann Gatti.....Real Estate Re-Sales &
Liaison to Golf Course
Vinny Spera.....Liaison to Representatives

Mark **Your** Calendar

Garbage Collection

Monday & Thursday mornings unless a holiday.
Monday's garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, May 26.
Please do not place OUTSIDE of container until the MORNING of collection.

Recyclables



Recycle Coach

May 8 & 22.

Put recyclables out the NIGHT before pick-up.

Please put recyclables in containers, **not plastic bags** as it cannot be readily identified as garbage or recyclables. ONLY "button cell" and rechargeable batteries are recyclable. All other batteries go into regular garbage.

Village – Light Bulk Pick-Up

Last Wednesday of every month.

Includes all electronics – **MUST BE OUT BY 7:00 AM!!!**
NOTE: Bulk pick-up is for oversize items – NOT entire house clean-up. We will pick up **special clean-ups**, but only by special arrangement with the Maintenance Dept.

Yard Debris

Every Thursday. Remember leaves, needles and pine cones ONLY!!! CANNOT be picked up in plastic bags.
The refuse center will not let us dump plastic bags.
It **MUST** be in **BIO-DEGRADABLE PAPER BAGS ONLY.**
Available at maintenance dept. or local stores.

Brush / Branches

Every Thursday. At the curb.

Lawn Cut Dates

May 11 & 21, Cutting, Edging & Curb Lines.

**DON'T FORGET Village Bulk Pick-up
must be at the curb by 7AM**

**Manchester Township Leaf and Brush
Cancelled until further notice**

This newsletter is online at
www.crestwoodvillageone.com

**Crestwood Village 1 no longer accept any cash.
Please send checks or money orders only.**

Crestwood Village 1 Rules & Regulations

Continued from April's NL

Amended 06/27/2019

RULES

Obey the Rules or Pay the Fines

40. Upon request, the Board of Trustees will consider and authorize reasonable modification of existing premises, both interior and exterior occupied or to be occupied by handicapped persons to afford such persons full enjoyment thereof. All such modifications shall be at the expense of the handicapped persons and must be returned to their original state upon the termination of need. "Handicapped" means a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities, but such term does not include current illegal use of or addiction to a controlled substance.
41. There shall be no individual Estate or Garage Sales without written request to be approved by the Board of Trustees. This request must include the name and address of the sales agency, if any, that is conducting the sale. No items are to be displayed outside the unit. **NO ITEMS OTHER THAN THE CONTENTS OF THE BUILDING ARE TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE.**
42. The Village sponsored garage sales will require a registration fee (to be used for advertising, signs etc). Members may display goods on their driveway (Quads may display goods in their parking space). All members may display goods on lawns during the hours of the sale. Hours shall be from 9:00am-2:00pm on sale days as specified by the Trustees and as announced in the monthly Newsletter and posted on the bulletin boards at the clubhouse. All merchandise must be removed from all outside areas and returned to your home or garage immediately after 2:00pm (the end of sale hours).

Golf Club News

MAY 2020

All Golf Club activities for the month of May are canceled. The drawing for the **\$150 Shop Rite gift card** was held on April 16, 2020 outside on the clubhouse patio at 12:00 noon. **The winner was Mary Spera.**

Thank you all for your participation.

FORE THE FUN!

FOR SALE

Three new, matching, cushioned, folding chairs. Buy one or all three \$15 each or best offer. Leave message for Lisa at
732-569-8237

MAINTENANCE

MINUTE

Hello Residents of Creatwood Village 1!

First off, I hope all of you and your families are doing well in this very uncertain time due to COVID-19. Now that the weather is improving (more or less) and with the travel/shopping restrictions, I anticipate many of you will be looking for things to keep busy in the form of Spring Cleaning around the exteriors of your units. Therefore, this month's Maintenance Minute is dedicated to the regulations and by-laws associated with the proper procedure for disposal of trees, branches, grass clippings, etc. and your responsibilities as residents when it comes to planting or removal of existing trees or shrubs.

As many of you aware, the three foot (3') perimeter around your unit is the responsibility of the resident. If you want to put down stone or mulch that is acceptable, we only ask that you properly grade these landscape beds to below the bottom of your siding to prevent any future drainage issues. If you want to hardscape (concrete, pavers, etc.) or to plant new shrubs or trees, a request must be submitted to the Trustees Office for approval. Locations must be approved to ensure sewer clean-outs are not covered and that the shrubs/trees are of a species or type that will not overgrow the sides of the buildings or sidewalks. If permission is not requested and approved and these plantings become an issue, the Board of Trustees reserve the right to remove these plantings at the cost of the resident.

Same can be said for plantings or work proposed in the common areas, if you would like to remove and existing tree or shrub permission must be sought by the Trustees Office. For residents that are looking to install a vegetable garden, locations and a description of the type of plantings must be submitted to the Trustees Office for approval.

The Maintenance Department does still provide lawn and leaf bags for the cost of \$2 for 5 bags. If you are in need of lawn and leaf bags, please call the Maintenance Department and we can deliver to

you. Residents are currently prohibited from entering the Maintenance Building. The Maintenance Department will attempt to deliver the bags to you at some point Monday through Thursday between the hours of 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM. The Maintenance Department will not have change to provide to you. The bags are for leaves and pine needles only, they are not intended for sticks, soil, rocks or grass clippings. Manchester Township will not accept the bags when we deliver them to the dump if they are loaded with this debris and ultimately, the Village could lose its dumping privileges. When the Maintenance Department is collecting the bags and brush on Thursdays, they have been directed to not pick up any bags that are not leaves and pine needles. Branches, twigs and sticks are too piled up alongside of the bags for pickup.

Another major issue we are facing are residents with dogs or dog walkers from other villages disposing their plastic dog waste bags in the storm sewers in the Village and along Schoolhouse Road. Disposing of your animal waste in the storm sewers is illegal and could potentially cost the Village a significant amount of money if and when the storm sewers become backed up. If you are caught disposing of your plastic dog waste bags into the storm sewers, you will be reported and penalties will be assessed. Please pick up after your dogs and dispose of any waste bags in the trash receptacles at your house... it's just common courtesy and a problem that can be easily avoided.

Please contact the Trustees Office or the Maintenance Department if you have any questions regarding the proper procedures for any work you are doing around your units.

Take care and make sure you are taking all the proper precautions when traveling, shopping or seeing friends and family. Stay well!

Your Maintenance Department,
Chris Peschock

Jean Feola
410D Highland Drive

I was born in Jersey City, graduated from the Woodbridge Vocational/ Technical High School, lived mostly in Metuchen and Milltown before moving to Hoboken where I resided with my husband Joe until retiring to Whiting in 2007.

While raising my four children, I owned and managed my own Fencing Business for 7 years where I was responsible for the daily operation of services, preparation of contracts and specifications. This business is still in operation under the management of a new owner. I was also employed for 7 years by Merrill Lynch in the relocation/maintenance services and by the Port Authority of New York & New Jersey for 10 years before retiring in 2007.

My father lived in Village 1 for many years. My husband Joe and I have lived on Highland Drive now since 2007. We are active in the Residents Club, Bocce/Shuffleboard and the Golf Club and enjoy the many activities throughout the week at the Clubhouse. I have served as a member of the Board of Trustees since 2014. As the Vice President, I attend the Manchester Coordinating Council along with the Environmental Commission. I am the Liason for the Fire Wise Committee. I am also on the Interview Committee for new applicants.

I am an energetic and capable "worker" and have enjoyed getting to know many residents of Village 1 while assisting with various activities of clubs and fund raising events over the past thirteen years. I believe my experience, people skills, training and continuing education classes give me a wide scope of knowledge that could be used in association with the current needs and future of Village 1. I would consider it a privilege to continue to serve our community as a member of the Board of Trustees.

Maryann Gatti

54B St John Place mfgatti@aol.com 609-667-9005

Resume for Election to Board of Trustees CV1

I was born in Staten Island, New York, and grew up in suburban Connecticut. I have a diverse work history that includes:

Being an **Interior Decorator** in the 1980's, and working on bids and projects in the contract building field regarding interior finishes for residential and commercial installations [i.e. floors, walls, windows etc.]. My occupation provided me with a working knowledge in planning and costs related to large building construction and renovations. I later opened a **custom drapery workshop** which enabled me to work flexible hours while raising two sons, and I learned how to run a successful small business enterprise.

Moving to New York City in the mid 1990's, I earned a degree as a **Litigation Paralegal** working in the Intellectual Properties [IP] field pertaining to patents and trademarks.

I became a **Licensed Private Investigator** in 1999, focusing primarily on missing person cases, and those relating to patent and trademark disputes. My work skills included extensive searches of public records, interviewing witnesses, taking depositions, evidence gathering, legal writing, and developing case strategies. I am analytical and objective.

A Crestwood I resident since 2015, I like keeping busy. My hobbies include working on my quad, and writing. Currently, I have the honor of serving as a Trustee, functioning as a liaison to the golf course, and assisting with real estate transactions. Formerly, I served as **Vice-President to the Residents Club**, working hard on all clubhouse events. I will serve as liaison with the upcoming village **Parade**, rescheduled for 2021.

I believe that my positive attitude, willingness to listen, career experience and capabilities, are all assets to the Board of Trustees, and I assure you that, even through recent difficult times, the entire board is working well as a team to keep the village in good financial and physical condition for us to enjoy.

I welcome the opportunity to continue serving the village community, and **I am asking for your support and your vote in the upcoming election.**

Sincerely,

Maryann Gatti

Anna Marie Russo

417B Highland Drive

Education: BSBA: Centenary College; Registered Medical Assistant Health Care Institute

Experience: Sunrise Senior Living : Business Office Coordinator: Responsible for assisting the community with business administration, training, human resources and all system related business and legal processes. 12/08 - 07/18

EBI (Electro-biology inc) Supervisor Patient Services; Arranged home office patient service staff to mirror national sales force alignment for maximum productivity and efficiency. Worked closely with prescribing physicians and insurance carriers in negotiations for approval and payment for a high priced bone healing system. 12/99 - 11/06

Past Volunteer Experience; PTA President 4 years at St Christopher School. Chaired many successful fundraising events one of which I was able to upgrade the playground facility for students K-8.

Eucharistic Minister St Christopher Church

President Maddy Loftus Memorial Scholarship Fund: Raised over \$100,000 through Community fundraising efforts to give scholarships to students graduating from Parsippany High Schools . Awarded money to Parsippany High Schools hockey to implement and support feeder programs enriching hockey in the town of Parsippany.

Present Volunteer Experience: Recording Secretary Manchester Coordinating Council

Crestwood Village Certificate holder since November 2012

My sole purpose of running for a position on the Crestwood village board is my commitment and sincere and respectful attitude towards my fellow residents and their views. Being a resident since 2012, I understand how we all love our community and I possess the commitment to fulfilling the positions goals.

Constance Meyerhoff

208B laurel Place, Whiting NJ 08759-3075 | 201-716-9138 | meyersmith18@yahoo.com

Objective

The fact that I am a mature person with over two (2) decades of work experience that have taught me patience and the ability to listen to the client, the patient, the manager, the supervisor, and the co-worker along with my education and skills make me a prime candidate for consideration of employment with your company.

Education

BACHELOR OF ARTS | MAY 1979 | RUTGERS STATE UNIVERSITY

- Major: English Literature
- Minor: Theater Arts
- Related coursework: Sociology

STATE CERTIFICATION NJ | NOVEMBER 2010 | NATIONAL CAREER INSTITUTE

- Major: Certified Clinical Medical Assistant
- Minor: EKG Technology
- Related coursework: Phlebotomy

Professional Skills & Licenses

- Report preparation, written correspondence, project management, social intelligence, adaptable, cross culturally adept, ability to work with virtual team members, multidisciplinary, and analytical.
- New Jersey Class B Driver's License with 'P' endorsement and Air Brakes.

Experience

SOCIAL CASEWORKER | CITY OF NEWARK | JUNE 1984 TO MARCH 2012

- Interviewed clients with problems such as personal adjustments, finances, employment, food, clothing, housing, and physical and or mental impairments to determine the nature and degree of their problem. Secured information on medical, psychological, and social factors that contributed to the client's situation and evaluated these in terms of the client's capabilities.
- Counseled and aided individuals in mobilizing their strengths and environmental resources to improve their social functioning. Assisted clients in modifying their attitudes and patterns of behavior by helping them increase their understanding of themselves, their personal problems, and their part in creating and keeping them.
- Compiled records and prepared reports for the administration. Reviewed service plans and performed follow-up interviews to determine the quality and quantity of services provided to the clients and the overall status of their individual cases.
- Accessed and recorded client and community resource information and occasionally secured supplementary information such as employment, medical, and academic records.
- Often required to visit clients in their places of residence or institutions.

VINNY SPERA

INTRODUCTION

My background includes a rewarding and very successful career with AT&T, which included extensive experience as a Group Property Manager, Facility Manager and Office/Space Planning Administrator. When I retired from AT&T, I continued working in the property management field as a Property Manager for a residential adult homeowner association and as General Manager for an upscale residential condo association. On a personal level, I am a present member of the Board of Trustees in our community and have previously served as a Board of Trustee member in previous communities.

HIGHLIGHTS OF MY QUALIFICATIONS FOR A BOARD OF TRUSTEES POSITION

- Homeowner Association, Past President / Vice-President
- Residential Community and Homeowner Association – Property Management
- Facility Management / Regional Facilities Manager / Project Management
- Building Operations and Maintenance
- Overseer of day-to-day operations of business/community
- Budget administration (planning and implementation of capital and operating budget)
- Personnel and public relations concerns
- Track record of successful management
- Team building, training and development
- Improved savings efficiencies
- Increased productive communication with clients
- Contract administration and purchasing
- Bachelor's Degree in Operations Management

CRESTWOOD VILLAGE 1 ACTIVITIES

- Board of Trustees – Liaison to District Representatives
- Member of Residents Club
- Member of Golf Club
- Volunteer Assistant for various activities

OTHER COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

- Leisure Knoll at Manchester Association Board of Trustees – President/Treasurer
- Villages of Arrowhead Homeowners Association Board of Directors – Vice-President
- Williamsburg Square Homeowners Association Board of Trustees – President
- Hillsborough Township Parks Commission – Committee Member
- Hillsborough High School Raider Touchdown Association – President
- Hillsborough Little League Board of Directors – President
- Other Community Leadership Roles – Knights of Columbus, Parish and Youth Organizations

MY CONTINUED VISION FOR CRESTWOOD VILLAGE 1

- To enhance community growth through efficient and pro-active leadership
- To boost and maintain effective communication between the Board of Trustees, the residents and staff
- To provide direction for team building and problem solving using a common sense approach
- To ensure that all daily operations and activities continue to run smoothly, effectively, and cost efficiently
- To meet the quality of life that we have come to expect by assisting in developing a budget that will continue to provide a safe and pleasant environment for all the residents

FINAL THOUGHTS

I am enthusiastic, energetic, and service oriented. My proven track record as Group Manager, General Manager, Property Manager and Facility Manager speaks to my accomplishments and qualifications. I have developed a reputation as a leader and for getting things done right the first time, meeting client and homeowner expectations while adhering to cost, satisfaction and space metrics. For these reasons, I feel my education, training and past experience have provided me with the required knowledge, skills and abilities, thereby making me an excellent candidate for a position on the Board.

Thank you.

Vinny Spera



MAYOR KENNETH T. PALMER'S FACEBOOK LIVE SESSION

APRIL 17, 2020 Update on the COVID-19 Pandemic

Mayor Palmer provided an update on the COVID-19 Pandemic via a Facebook Live Session on April 17, 2020.

Following are highlights from that presentation.

UPDATED INFORMATION FROM TOWN HALL SINCE THE LAST FACEBOOK LIVE SESSION:

A new Pilot, State-run Grocery Shopping Program for Manchester and Ocean County Seniors, age 60+ and who have a credit card, was finalized today and will begin operation on Monday, 4/20/20.

JERSEY CARES SENIOR SHOPPING PROGRAM

The program will run as follows:

- A. Resident calls in to Manchester's Senior Services Department at 732-849-8305 to register, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., weekdays.
- B. One of our caseworkers will call you back to get your order
- C. Our Caseworker calls the Jersey Cares portal and obtains a confirmation number.
- D. Our caseworker will call you back with the confirmation number. (That may take a day or two). Keep that confirmation number handy.
- E. Then a Jersey Cares Caseworker will call you to review your order, get your credit card information and let you know they are going shopping for you.
- F. IMPORTANT: Make sure the person who is calling you has the same confirmation number our caseworker provided to you.
- G. During the call with the Jersey Cares Caseworker, you will determine the amount of money to be held on your credit card. The participating bank is charging a 2.5% fee on each \$100 being held. The Jersey Cares worker will pay for the groceries with their own credit card. There is no fee for the volunteer or for the Jersey Cares Program, but there is the bank fee of 2.5% for each \$100.
- H. We are expecting the turnaround time to be two days from placing your order to getting the shopping done.
- I. Once shopping is done, the groceries are delivered to your door. You will sign the receipt and only be charged for the grocery amount and the bank surcharge referenced above. Your credit card information is NOT saved in the Jersey Cares Portal to eliminate the risk of a data breach. The Jersey Cares worker is then reimbursed.

We owe a big **THANK YOU** to our **Manchester Senior Services Director, BRENDA SLOAN**, and her staff for enlisting Manchester Township to participate in this Pilot Program. This program has the potential to serve many Manchester senior residents-in-need during this difficult time.

PROPERTY TAXES/WATER/SEWER BILLS: DUE MAY 1

Please mail, pay on-line or deliver payments to one of our drop boxes at Town Hall. There is a fee when you pay on-line. (The State of NJ does not allow that fee to be waived.) You can utilize either the drop box located at the steps in front of the Township Municipal Building's main door (across from the Police Dept.) or the drop box located in the parking lot at town hall. If you require a receipt, notify the Tax Collector's office when you make your payment and they will mail a receipt.

Those payments are due on May 1st, 2020, and there is typically a 10-day grace period wherein there is not a late payment fee.

Recognizing the financial pinch a lot of us are feeling right now, on Monday, the Town Council will likely pass a resolution eliminating the late fees and interest typically charged for a period of 60 days following the May 1st due date. While we hope everyone can make their payments in a timely fashion, if you cannot, you will have 60 days, until June 30, to make your payment without interest accruing. If you make your payments after June 30, interest will be charged as of May 1.

During the Question and Answer period, the Mayor responded to a resident's question to clarify that the usual 10-day grace period does not require a late fee. With this anticipated resolution, residents will be granted a 60-day period, from May 1st to June 30th, where we will institute a Zero percent late fee on the May 1st bills. However, if the May 1st bills are not paid by June 30th, late fees will be assessed from May 1st forward. **NIXLE:** I was made aware that for the prior FB Live session (4/3/20) residents received the NIXLE alert at 7 p.m. (after the 4 p.m. session). We double-checked the system and do not know why it happened. Hopefully everyone received the notice for today's session in a timely manner. For those of you who do not have NIXLE, I recommend you sign up by texting zip code 08759 to 888777.

FOOD PANTRIES: You will begin to see signs posted in town on Monday with a telephone number to contact for anyone in need of food. There will be food assistance available at our local food pantries. Arrangements will be made for those in need.

DPW: The Recycling Center in Whiting remains open with normal hours, that is, approximately 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Unfortunately, our Spring leaf and debris pick-up service is cancelled. Depending on when we get back to full operations, we will decide if we can reschedule. The Ocean County Landfill on the east side of town is open during their regular hours. There is also a County Recycling Center in Lakewood.

EMS: Our Township Emergency Medical Service has responded to 1,200 calls since inception of the new service on March 1. We are responding to 93% of the calls with an average call response time of 7 minutes and 45 seconds. The small balance of calls have been responded to through our mutual aid agreements with Toms River, Jackson and Quality Medical Transport. Our EMTs had about one week to get their feet wet before the Covid-19 Pandemic hit town.

The POLICE DEPT. reports an increase in Scams: Our Police Department has seen an increase in scams, especially with IRS checks and payments being made. The IRS is not going to call you to verify your information. **DO NOT GIVE OUT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE.**

The POLICE DEPT. reports an increase in Drug Overdoses: Our Police Department has seen an increase in calls for both fatal and non-fatal overdoses. We know support groups are vital aspects of recovery so our Police Department has posted links for "virtual NA and AA meetings" on their Facebook Page.

Be sure to visit the ManchesterTwp.com website's COVID-19 Page with useful information, important links and contact information for State, Federal and CDC Guidelines.

During the Question and Answer session, the following additional information was provided:

There was an issue with some of the new water meters. The bills generated display a standard fee but usage figures were not tallied. We are looking into this. In the meantime, if you wish you may be able to provide an additional payment in order to avoid a large bill in the next quarter.

Regarding a local law enforcement officer who is hospitalized, he is making slow progress, but we are hopeful he will recover fully. In reply to an inquiry about our K-9, Storm, he had eye surgery, but Chief Parker reports he is back to work at this time.

There was an inquiry about when Crestwood Co-ops would start doing real estate closings again. The Crestwood Village 2 & 3 co-ops are finishing the sales that were "in process" and for the safety of current residents and new residents, future sales/closings are on hold at this time.

CLARIFICATION:

Crestwood Village 1 & 4 co-ops are performing closings (while observing social distancing, and under rigorous sanitizing conditions) with some of the paperwork being done by mail, but are still conducting sales and closings.

Manchester Day is still scheduled for late June. As of now, the date is holding. We will wait and see whether we need to postpone at a later date.

In regard to whether there will be a graduation for our high school seniors, the Mayor stated there is no plan at this time. Parents may wish to speak to Schools Superintendent Dave Trethaway. This is a School District/Board of Education decision. The Mayor stated he would like to see something done for the students and would be willing to work with the school district.

Mail-in Voting is available for the next election. Visit the Clerk's page on the Ocean County website for an application for an Absentee/ Mail-In Ballot.

The Project Medicine Drop box is still located in the Police Department's lobby. Old prescriptions can be dropped off subject to the guidelines for that program.

A resident asked how we can come out of lock-down after this pandemic without testing every person. The Mayor said we are taking things one day at a time. We are not sure that we'll have the ability to test every person. At this time, it is envisioned that we may see a re-opening start in May or June. The Mayor did not expect activity before May 15th, but will re-assess the situation regularly. There is an 8 p.m. curfew in effect except for essential workers.

In reply to an inquiry regarding the wearing of masks, the Mayor stated that even when walking outdoors, it is advisable to wear a fabric mask in case of coming into contact with others.

In closing, the Mayor stated that the Covid-19 positive test results appear to be flattening somewhat. We are not out of the woods. We cannot let our guard down. For at least the next few weeks, we must diligently continue to wash hands, wear masks, and maintain social distancing. There are still many horror stories. We thank all of the nurses, doctors, hospital workers and first responders, as well as the grocery store workers, and all those working to keep us going. **God Bless.**

May 2020



BUS SCHEDULE

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM	2
3	4 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM MANCHESTER SHOP-RITE 1:00PM	5	6	7 SHOP-RITE 8:30AM WALMART & ALDI 12:30PM-3:00PM	8 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM	9
10	11 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM MANCHESTER SHOP-RITE 1:00PM	12	13	14 SHOP-RITE 8:30AM	15 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM	16
17	18 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM MANCHESTER SHOP-RITE 1:00PM	19	20	21 SHOP-RITE 8:30AM WALMART & ALDI 12:30PM-3:00PM	22 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM	23
24	25 MEMORIAL DAY NO BUS	26	27	28 SHOP-RITE 8:30AM	29 LOCAL MARKETS 8:30AM	30
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May 2020

FRIENDSHIP HALL

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7 BRANCH & BRUSH PICKUP	8 RECYCLE	9
10	11	12	13	14 BRANCH & BRUSH PICKUP	15	16
17	18	19	20	21 BRANCH & BRUSH PICKUP	22 RECYCLE	23
24	25 MEMORIAL DAY NO GARBAGE	26 GARBAGE	27 BULK PICKUP	28 BRANCH & BRUSH PICKUP	29	30
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