

WORKS

GTWorks is Mayor David R. Mayer's weekly newsletter that informs residents of the current projects and events happening in Gloucester Township.

From the Police Department to Public Works to the Department of Recreation, we want you to stay In the Know of the latest news in our community!

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On Wednesday, November 14th, Mayor Mayer received the 2018 Innovation in Governance Award at the NJ League of Municipalities Conference in Atlantic City.

The Township received this award for Gloucester Township Police's Building Community Trust Beyond Body Cameras Initiative, the flagship of which was the deployment of the Police Department's Community Outreach Vehicle. The Community Outreach Vehicle is a 25 foot long truck that not only serves as a social media command center and meeting room for our officers, but is also packed with sporting equipment and games that residents can use. The objective of Building Community Trust Beyond Body Cameras is to further establish a strong police presence by interacting with the community and strengthening the officer-citizen relationship.

Gloucester Township is honored to have received this award and recognition at the 2018 NJ League of Municipalities Conference.



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Gloucester Premium Outlets Prepare for the Season

It's that time of year again--when the cold air mixes with excitement of the fast approaching holidays and we are eager to go on a shopping spree for all things Christmas!

The Gloucester Premium Outlets are preparing for holiday shoppers as well, "decking the halls" and getting ready for their 4th annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony.

On November 30th at 6:00 pm come out and enjoy a night of free family fun and the very special arrival of Santa. Enjoy special giveaways from your favorite retailers, local businesses & more!



Make the Season Bright
TREE LIGHTING

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KICK OFF THE HOLIDAYS WITH US, THIS WEEKEND!

This weekend, get in the spirit and join us for the annual Holiday Open House at Gabreil Daveis Tavern. Visit the historical house decked out in Victorian holiday style! Bring your entire family and enjoy educational tours of the Tavern, live music by the talented Mainstage Center for the Arts Choir, and light refreshments. The Holiday Open House is on Sunday, November 18th from 1:00 - 4:00 pm.

Bring your holiday spirit and camera to take photos with Santa!

Gloucester Township's historical tavern, built in 1756, is located at William F. Schuck Lane (4th & Floodgate Avenues) in the Glendora section of our Township.



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ENROLL IN THE CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY TODAY!

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ENROLLMENT IS OPEN!

Join the Gloucester Twp.
Citizens Police Academy
Today!

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Begins January 2019



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Enrollment for the Gloucester Township Police Department's Citizens Police Academy is now open! Would you like to learn more about your local Police Department? The Gloucester Township Police Department, in a continuing effort to foster an even better police community partnership, would like to invite any resident 16 years of age or older to attend the Citizens Police Academy.

The Gloucester Township Police Department Citizens Police Academy is a free 10-week course that begins January 24, 2019. This classes will be on Thursday evenings from 6:30 - 8:30 pm. The course will include an overview of the police department and the administration, police communications, special operations, criminal investigations, traffic safety, K9, Special Response Team, Crime Scene Unit and much more. Also, all attendees of the Citizen Police Academy will be trained in the use of CPR for the home.

The objective of the Citizen Police Academy is not to train an individual to be a Police Officer, but to produce informed citizens. The Citizens and Police Officers meet each other face to face in a neutral, friendly setting and each becomes a person to the other. In the past, citizens have simply seen a uniform, now they have an understanding about the person behind the badge. Through your participation in the Citizens Police Academy program you are promoting community involvement, which in itself is the most powerful force any law enforcement agency has in the fight against crime.

If you feel you would like to be part of this cooperative effort between the police and the community, and would like to receive a Citizens Police Academy application or have any questions, please call the Gloucester Township Police Department Community Relations Bureau Corporal Jenn McLaughlin at 856-374-5735 or email Jmclaughlin@gtppolice.com.



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Senior Chair Yoga



On Wednesdays from 11:00 am-12:00 pm, the Gloucester Township Recreation Center opens its doors to welcome seniors taking a Senior Chair Yoga Class with Barbara Piotrowski. Barbara is a Board Certified Holistic Nurse with more than 25 years of medical experience. She is a Certified Yoga Therapist, a Diplomate of Asian Bodywork, with an expertise in Shiatsu and Acupressure, and a Reiki Master with more than 15 years of experience. Up to twenty-five residents come out each week to enjoy Barbara's holistic approach that focuses on the person as a whole while strengthening the mind/body connection. For more information about Senior Chair Yoga, or the other activities that they offer at the Rec Center, please contact the Recreation Department at (856) 435-5734.

SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE LOSS DAY



*You are not alone...
Join a community of suicide loss survivors
to find comfort and gain understanding
as we share stories of healing and hope*

The Saturday before Thanksgiving is designated National Survivors of Suicide Day. This is a day for families and friends of people who died by suicide to join together for healing and support.

On Saturday, November 17th from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm, the Gloucester Township Police Department will be hosting a Survivors Of Suicide Loss Day Of Healing And Hope Event at the GTPD Family Resource Center. This event is open to the public and free. If you have any questions or would like to RSVP contact GTPD Social Worker, Alyssa Scolari, at 842-5553 or email ascalari@gtppolice.com.

LOCAL BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

Local Business Spotlight is a section in GTWorks that highlights local businesses throughout Gloucester Township. Its primary purpose is to promote local small businesses by giving the readers opportunity to get to know more about local eateries and services available to them in our beautiful Gloucester Township!

YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD DINER

Located in the heart of the downtown Blackwood section of Gloucester Township, Meadows Diner is your family friendly hometown diner that was established in the mid 1980's. Meadows is known for its retro decor and large menu of American and International fare. They serve everything from breakfast, lunch, and dinner to delicious home made desserts. Family owned and operated with over 40 years of restaurant experience, Meadows wishes to satisfy all of your cravings from morning to

late night.

Meadows Diner was the recipient of the 2017 Gloucester Township Business Breakfast Heritage Award. "When you walk through our doors you not only become our customers but you are now our family. We would like to thank everyone in our community for the continued support and we look forward to serving you for generations to come," said owner, Nick Hionas.

For more information about Meadows Diner, please click below.



THIS WEEKEND ONLY! CHICAGO: HIGH SCHOOL EDITION

Sponsored by The Lamp Post Diner and Meadows Diner



Friday, November 16 at 7:00 pm

Saturday, November 17 at 2:00 & 7:00 pm

Dennis Flyer Theater, Camden County College

Directed and Choreographed by Francine Odri and Grace Szczepkowski

Music by John Kander, lyrics by Fred Ebb, and book by Ebb and Bob Fosse

Made possible by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.

Special reduced rates for Senior Citizens and Students!

For tickets, please click below or call (855) 936-2467, ext 3

BUY TICKETS

Let's Keep In Touch!

As your Mayor, I'm eager to hear from you should you have questions or concerns; so please do not hesitate to call my office at (856) 374-3514 or email me at dmayer@glotwp.com

I'd like to thank you for choosing our beautiful Gloucester Township your residence and for making our community a great place to live, work and play!

Sincerely,

Daniel R. Mayer



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