

# 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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MAKE IT A  
DAY ON



NOT A  
DAY OFF



POSTPONED

**MLK DAY  
2019**  
**SATURDAY,  
JANUARY 26**  
**CHARLES W. LEWIS  
MIDDLE SCHOOL**

- 8:30 AM REGISTRATION
- 9:15 AM PRESENTATION
- 10:00 AM SERVICE ACTIVITIES
- 12:00 PM CONCLUSION

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## MLK DAY OF SERVICE RESCHEDULED

Due to the inclement weather that was fore-casted for last Sunday and Monday, Gloucester Township's MLK Day of Service activities were postponed. We anticipated icy conditions and therefore we asked that all of our 800+ registered volunteers stay at home with their loved ones.

Gloucester Township's MLK Day of Service activities will now take place this Saturday, January 26th - same time, same place! For volunteers that were already registered for service projects – your project assignments remain unchanged for Saturday. If there are any changes due to a site being unable to accommodate volunteers that day, volunteers will be notified beforehand.

Please join us Saturday, January 26th at 8:30 am for check-in and a continental breakfast in the C.W. Lewis Middle School Gym. The program will begin promptly at 9:15 am, then volunteers will report to their assigned service projects.

For more information, please visit [GloTwp.com](http://GloTwp.com).



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# DEMOLITION ON DAVISTOWN ROAD



Public Works, in conjunction with an outside contractor, is currently working on demolishing an old, dilapidated building located at 778 Davistown Road. The township acquired this property two years ago and saw it as a hazard and an eye sore to its surrounding neighbors. After settling legal matters, Public Works is eager to finally get rid of this unsafe dwelling.

As of right now, there are no certain plans for this property, however, the township wants to ensure that they get rid of it to address safety concerns of residents in the surrounding area.



## GLOUCESTER TWP STUDENTS FEATURED IN TO KILL A MOCKINGBIRD

Mainstage Center for the Art's To Kill A Mockingbird transports audiences to the sleepy Alabama town of Macomb where Depression-era siblings, Jem (played by Michael Thompson), and Scout Finch (played by Sophia Donato), witness a tense tug-of-war between justice and racism in their community. Thompson, 12, and Donato, 10, both are residents of Gloucester Township. To Kill A Mockingbird runs February 8th & 9th at 7:00 pm and February 10th at 2:00 pm at Dennis Flyer Theater at Camden County College. Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$15 for senior citizens/students 18 and under.

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**TICKETS**





## FIRE DISTRICT 6 COMPLETES SCBA RE-QUALIFICATION TRAINING



January is Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) re-qualification month and thus far, all active personnel at Gloucester Township Fire District 6 have participated in and completed the classroom and practical skills portion of their training.

It is vital that fire personnel receive refresher training on the use and maintenance of SCBA. This year's training concluded with an IPAT, where firefighters' air consumption and time to complete the course were recorded for future comparison. These annual measures are not only a requirement, but are done to ensure that personnel—both career and volunteer—meet the same standards of readiness to best serve the Gloucester Township community!



## GTPD KICKS OFF NATIONAL DRUG & ALCOHOL FACTS WEEK



On Wednesday January 23, the Gloucester Township Police Department kicked off National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week with a presentation at the Family Resource Center about the dangers of vaping. The presentation was given by GTPD LEAD (Law Enforcement Against Drugs) Officers. During the presentation, officers unveiled their vaping education board which will teach children and parents the dangers and what to look out for.

If you have any questions or concerns about vaping please call the GTPD Community Relations Bureau at (856) 228-4011 during regular business hours (Monday – Thursday 8AM-5:45PM) or email [communityrelations@gtpolice.com](mailto:communityrelations@gtpolice.com)

## STAY INFORMED!

An informed and engaged community is a strong community—stay informed with Gloucester Township's Community Notification System. Don't be surprised by winter weather or road closures. Gloucester Township Police encourage you to receive these important notifications along with safety tips, media releases, and police community relations events via email and/or text. To register, please visit [GloTwp.com](http://GloTwp.com) and fill out your information in the sidebar.

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# 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!*

## LOCAL GEM FOR OVER 62 YEARS

Located in our Township on the east side of Evesham Road, is a local gem operating since December 1957. The owner of this family business G&M Market, Gary Mariotti, started working for his father at the age of 4. "He just put on an apron and started to cut meat... And let me tell you, they were the best chicken cutlets I'd ever had!" says his mother, Theresa, smiling.

A resident of Gloucester Township and proud parent of 3 children (Gary, Lisa, and Wendy), Hank Mariotti and his friend opened G&M

Market 62 years ago after coming back from the Army, when he was just 26 years old. He loved what he did and the community loved him back. The store now sees second and third generation of customers enjoying their hoagies, meats, home-made meat balls, roasts, premium quality lunch meat among other delights.

Sadly, Hank Mariotti passed away this past December, but he will be remembered by his family and locals for many years to come.

We thank G&M Market for being a vital part of the Gloucester Township community. Be sure to check them out next time you are in the area!



@G\_AND\_M\_MARKET



The original equipment used by G & M Market in 1957



G&M Staff carries on Hank's legacy (his portrait can be found hanging on the wall behind the counter)



Gary Mariotti, current owner, holds up his very first apron

## 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](mailto: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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