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

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

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Time Capsule Reminder Deadline to submit your items is Monday September 6th

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On August 31st, International Overdose Awareness Day, community members gathered at Timber Creek Park for a candlelight vigil in remembrance of those we've lost to the disease of addiction and to raise awareness about the scourge of drug addiction and overdose throughout the country.

Families were invited to submit the names and photos of their loved ones prior to the event to be shown as part of a remembrance slideshow.

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The slideshow, in the intimate setting of the vigil, provided a rare opportunity for families affected by loss to remember and celebrate their lost loved ones publicly. The photos also served as a stark reminder that drug addiction has become ubiquitous, affecting diverse communities in our area and across the nation.



The Camden County Remembrance and Hope Memorial at Timber Creek Park in Gloucester Township is offering a place for reflection to the families who have lost a loved one to the disease of addiction, showing them that they are not alone. Pavers are being offered as part of the Remembrance and Hope Memorial to honor the lives lost. For more information, please visit: <u>camdencounty.com</u>



Mark Your Calendars: the 20th Annual Camden Diocese South Jersey Blue Mass

When: Wednesday, September 29th, 2021 at 10:30 AM, Our Lady of Hope Parish ,701 Little Gloucester Road. Parishioners, Family, Children & Friends of Law Enforcement and First Responders are encouraged to attend this special liturgy. For more information please visit:

www.camdendiocese.org

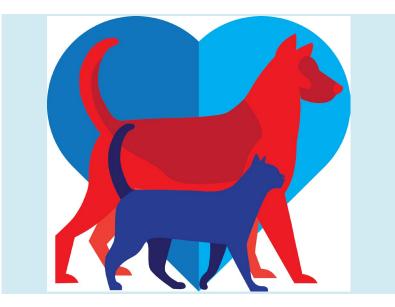




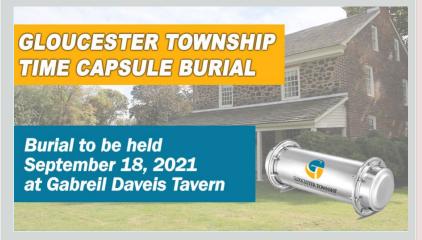
Save the Date: Free Rabies Clinic

Free Annual Rabies Clinic will take place on Saturday, October 16th. The Clinic will be held at the Gloucester Township Senior Building on Chews Landing Road between the hours of 9 am and 10:30 am for dogs and 10:30 am and 11am for cats. The rabies shots for dogs and cats are free of charge.

Please call the week of <u>October 4th</u> to make an appointment (228-4000, Ext. 3241) and share with your family and friends!



Local groups, organizations, and institutions are reminded to submit their items to the Mayor's Office by September 6th, 2021, to be unearthed in the year 2070!



Gloucester Township will hold a time capsule burial on September 18, 2021, at 1:00 PM at the historic Gabreil Daveis Tavern.

Items of significance to the Township will be buried at the tavern to be dug up by future generations. The purpose of the time capsule is to allow Gloucester Township's heritage to live on for many years to come.

Gloucester Township values our community organizations and the impact they have on our hometown. We would like to extend this unique opportunity to organizations in Gloucester Township to submit items deemed significant to be placed in the time capsule. For more information please visit:

www.GloTwp.com/news

Save the Date: Food Fest



Stop by the beer garden and enjoy craft beer from famous breweries, delicious wine, and live music, or stroll down the pike lined up with amazing food trucks. There will be plenty of entertainment to enjoy your food and beverages with your family and friends!

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!

David R. Mayer





