

WORKS

August 24, 2023

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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Preschool Registration Open

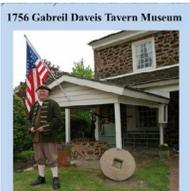
Learn about Preschool Program offered by the Recreation Center



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Saturday Recycling Drop-Off

The yard will be open September through November



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Tour Gabreil Daves Tavern

Join Gloucester Township Historic and Scenic Preservation Committee on the tour of the museum house

A large flyer for Gloucester Twp. Recreation Dept. Preschool registration. It features the Gloucester Township logo, contact information for the Main Office-Recreation Center, and illustrations of school supplies like a notebook, ruler, pencil, and triangle. The text is arranged on a grid background with decorative tape accents.

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP RECREATION DEPARTMENT: REGISTRATION FOR PRESCHOOL NOW OPEN

Gloucester Township Recreation Department's Preschool Program has been serving the community for over 35 years!

"Our goal is to provide Gloucester Township and the surrounding communities with an affordable, professionally-run program to help preschoolers with socialization skills, beginning their independence and helping them prepare for their grade school years. We have one of the highest teacher retention in the state! Come and check us out!"

Classes are held 4 days a week (Monday-Thursday). Children are grouped by the year they will enter Kindergarten.

To be eligible for our 4 Year-Old Program, your child must turn 4 by September 30th. 3 Year-Olds can begin our program during each session. For the Fall session, your child must be 3 by September 30th, for Winter session children must be 3 by December 15th, for Spring Session children must be 3 by March 1st. Classes are limited to 10 children per teacher. Register online at CommunityPass or in-person at the Recreation Center.

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP RECREATION DEPARTMENT: REGISTRATION FOR PRESCHOOL NOW OPEN

To create your CommunityPass account [CLICK HERE.](#)

LOCATIONS:

Recreation Center (80 Broadacres Dr.)

Point Ariel Park (2900 Erial-New Brooklyn Rd.)

Preschool Sessions and Registration links:

3yr old, 9-11am, Point Ariel Park, [register here.](#)

3yr old, 12-2pm, GT Rec Center, [register here.](#)

4yr old, 9-11am, GT Rec Center, [register here.](#)

4yr old, 12-2pm, Point Ariel Park, [register here.](#)

OUR SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Our 3-year-old program focuses on readiness & socialization skills, colors, numbers & shapes.

Our 4-year-old program focuses on the readiness skills needed to enter kindergarten such as writing skills, following directions, & number & letter recognition.

Our day consists of calendar time, story time, singing, exercise, arts and crafts, lessons, snack time and free play. During both programs, children will work on colors, shapes, numbers, letters, social skills, small and gross motor skills, and listening skills.

COST

Resident Fees:

\$215/session(Fall, Winter, Spring) or \$645/full year

Non-Resident Fees:

\$260/session (Fall, Winter, Spring) or \$780/full year

SESSIONS

3yr old

9-11am, Point Ariel Park

12-2pm, GT Rec Center

4yr old

9-11am, GT Rec Center

12-2pm, Point Ariel Park

SCAN TO REGISTER!



LITTLE BLOSSOMS

YOGA & MINDFULNESS CLASSES

This Tuesday was the final session of Little Blossoms' Yoga and Mindfulness classes, and everyone had a blast!

The final class featured a scavenger hunt in Harwan Park. The little ones enjoyed a visit from the turtles, created a cupcake art project, and listened to the story of kindness! Big Thanks to Jennifer Minnick for hosting yoga for our little ones in Harwan Park!



Summer Night Market

CRAFT VENDORS • TAPAS • BEVERAGES
HANDCRAFT • MOCHI • SWEETS
REIKI • MEDITATION • YOGA

CANCELLED

Mystic Ginger
36 S. Black Horse Pike
Gloucester Township, NJ 08012

Story & Craft

Hour

At Veteran's Park

Meet us at the gazebo for a free, fun and interactive story, craft, game and snack! Kids ages 2-12 and their families are welcome!

Monday, August 28, 2023 at 10:00AM

Veteran's Memorial Park

Chews Landing Rd

Hosted by The First Presbyterian Church of Blackwood

21 E. Church St. Gloucester Township, NJ 08012



The last Story & Craft Hour event of this summer will happen on Monday, August 28, at 10AM at Veterans Park. The event is free!

SAVE THE DATE!

30th Anniversary
BLACKWOOD PUMPKIN FESTIVAL
SUNDAY
OCTOBER 1ST
11 AM - 4 PM
RAIN DATE: OCTOBER 8
BLACK HORSE PIKE AT HARWAN PARK

Join us on Sunday, October 1st as Gloucester Township celebrates three decades of our beloved festival! From pumpkin painting to hayrides, live music to delicious treats, this year's festival promises to be the best one yet. Bring your family and friends, and let's make unforgettable memories together. Stay tuned for more updates and surprises!

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP POLICE ADVISORY

Even though the school year starts after Labor Day, some schools have already begun their athletic practices during the week.

Be sure to SLOW DOWN and pay attention as you drive near school zones when children are present, especially after the upcoming school year begins.

The speed limit in New Jersey, unless otherwise posted, is 25 miles per hour (mph) when passing through a school zone while the presence of children is clearly visible from the roadway, and while children are arriving or leaving schools. Thank you, and as always, STAY SAFE!



SATURDAY RECYCLING DROP-OFF



The Public Works facility will be open on Saturdays, September 9th through November 18th, 8am-2pm for residential recycling drop-off. Items accepted: brush, electronics, white goods, oil/anti-freeze, concrete, metals, batteries, and TVs. Please contact Public Works at 856-228-3144 with any questions.



Volunteers Needed!

Gloucester Township Historic & Scenic Preservation Committee

Gloucester Township has a rich history that dates back to the pre-revolutionary war past, it is full of well preserved buildings, sites and places of worship. The Gloucester Township Historic and Scenic Preservation Committee is entrusted with responsibly caring for the historical sites and resources within Gloucester Township. The Committee also surveys the Township for the identification, acquisition, preservation and maintenance of historic and scenic sites and landmarks. The Committee also seeks the voluntary advice of historians, historical societies, architects and other persons who have the knowledge and expertise in carrying out the functions of the Committee.

The Committee is made up of local volunteers whose knowledge, skills, experience and passion for history are utilized to preserve, inform and educate the community. The Committee is made up of no more than twenty members who serve a five-year term and are appointed by the Gloucester Township Council.



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www.glotwp.com/history



The Gloucester Township Historic and Scenic Preservation Committee is a volunteer organization dedicated to preserving and educating the history of Gloucester Township.

If you live in the township and like history, please consider volunteering or possibly becoming a member. The committee meets once a month and participates in several community events throughout the year including: Tours of the historic Gabreil Daveis Tavern house, Gloucester Township Day, The South Jersey History Fair, the Pumpkin Festival, and paranormal events at the Gabreil Daveis Tavern.

Gloucester Township Historic and Scenic Preservation Committee

1756 Gabreil Daveis Tavern Museum



House Tours: Sunday, August 13, 2023, 1pm - 4pm

Sunday, August 27, 2023, 1pm - 4pm

Tours of the historic 1756 Gabreil Daveis Tavern will be offered the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month from April through November and the 1st and 2nd Sundays in December. Hours: 1-4pm. Winter tours are available by appointment. (Tours cancelled in the event of heavy rain and closed for Holidays)

Gabreil Daveis Tavern Museum House, 500 3rd Ave, Glendora, NJ 08029

Visit www.facebook.com/glotwphistory
or GTHSPC@gmail.com for more information!

This Sunday, August 27th, join the Gloucester Township Historic and Scenic Preservation Committee for a tour of the historic Gabreil Daveis Tavern. The museum is located at 500 3rd Ave in the Glendora section of Gloucester Township.

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



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