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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 about the latest news in our community!



29th Annual
GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

4/11/26
1261 CHEWS LANDING RD
GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP, NJ

5K

RUN & WALK

- 5K RUN/WALK
- ONE MILE WALK

PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE A T-SHIRT & POST-RACE BREAKFAST BUFFET!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)

Registration is now open for the 29th Annual 5K Run & Walk on April 11th! This annual community tradition brings residents together for a morning of fitness, fun, and community spirit. Whether you plan to run or walk, it's a great way to get active and be part of the excitement. Visit our website today to register and secure your spot! We look forward to seeing everyone at the starting line!



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Gloucester Township Celebrates Eagle Scout Caeden J. Rowe



This weekend family, friends, community members, and local officials gathered at the Gloucester Township Senior Center to celebrate a major milestone for Caeden J. Rowe during his Eagle Scout Court of Honor ceremony. Among those in attendance to celebrate this accomplishment were Mayor David R. Mayer, Councilwoman Helen Albright Troxell, and Assemblyman Cody Miller, who joined the community in recognizing Rowe's achievement and commitment to service.

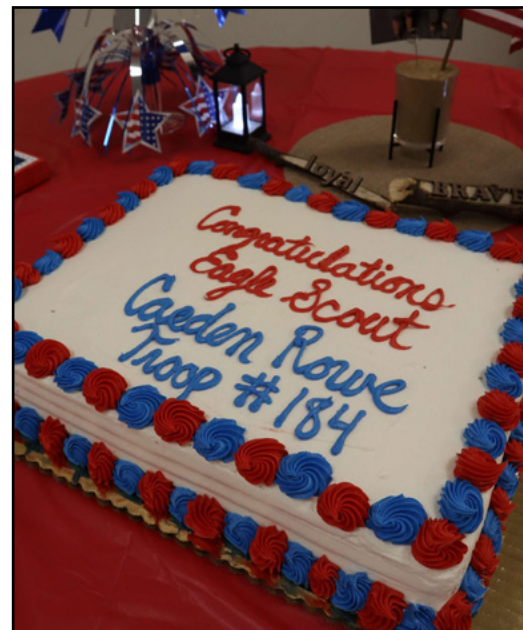
Rowe, a member of Troop #184, was recognized for achieving the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout, the highest honor in Scouting. The ceremony highlighted his dedication, leadership, and years of service through Scouting. For his Eagle Scout Service Project, Rowe chose to improve trails at Gloucester Township Community Park, a place that holds special meaning to him. Having spent many years hiking and playing soccer at the park while growing up, he wanted to give back by making the trails easier for visitors to navigate.

His project focused on marking three separate trails and installing a trailhead map to help guide park visitors. The project was completed in three stages: first painting the wooden blocks that would be used as trail markers, then walking the trails to install the markers, and finally installing the trailhead map at the start of the trail system. These improvements will help visitors better explore and enjoy the park's natural spaces for years to come.

Rowe also expressed his appreciation to those who helped make the project possible. He thanked his parents for supporting him throughout the process and gave special recognition to his father for providing tools and assistance. He also shared gratitude to Lowe's and Sherwin-Williams for providing materials that helped bring the project to completion.

Reflecting on his journey, Rowe shared that he has been involved in Scouting for eleven years, including six years in Cub Scouts and five years in Scouting America. During that time, he said he learned valuable skills such as leadership, service to others, and the importance of putting others first.

The Eagle Scout Court of Honor served as a proud moment for Rowe, his family, Troop #184, and the entire Gloucester Township community as they celebrated his accomplishments and the lasting impact of his service project.



Community Shred Day

COMMUNITY SHRED DAY

SATURDAY, MAY 30

8:00 AM – NOON

CAMDEN COUNTY COLLEGE



Residents are invited to take part in the upcoming Shred Day on Saturday, May 30th, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Camden County College. This event provides a safe and convenient way for community members to dispose of old documents containing personal or sensitive information. Shredding helps protect against identity theft while allowing residents to securely clean out unwanted paperwork. Be sure to arrive early, as the event will run until noon or until the trucks reach capacity.



ST. PATRICK'S DAY WORKSHOP OPPURTUNITY

Think you can outsmart a leprechaun? Join Camden County Office of Sustainability on Saturday, March 14 from 10 AM to 12 PM at 508 Lakeland Road for a fun, family-friendly workshop where families will learn about leprechaun folklore and build their own leprechaun trap using a terrarium jar filled with moss, clover, and a special trinket. Space is limited to 40 participants and the cost is \$20 per family (up to four people). [CLICK HERE](#) to register!

Happy 1 Year Anniversary



Cinco De Mayo

Congratulations to Cinco de Mayo on serving up authentic Mexican flavors here in Gloucester Township for one year! Located at 1160 Chews Landing Road, this local restaurant offers a delicious variety of favorites including fajitas, enchiladas, sandwiches, chilaquiles, seafood, and more.

Cinco de Mayo has become a great spot for residents to enjoy fresh, flavorful meals and classic Mexican dishes right here in our community. We're proud to have them as part of the Gloucester Township business community and appreciate the great food and welcoming atmosphere they bring to the Township! Make sure to stop in and congratulate them on one year!

In celebration of their one-year anniversary, the team at Cinco de Mayo shared: "We want to thank our community for one year of business and support. We're looking forward to many more!" Be sure to stop in, support local, and enjoy a great meal at Cinco de Mayo!



2026 Summer Camp Registration begins May 11 for residents and May 18 for non-residents, starting at 8 AM. Registration can be completed in person at the GT Recreation Center or online through the Community Pass website. Camp runs Monday through Thursday from June 29 through July 30, with no camp on July 7. [CLICK HERE](#) for more info.

This Week with GTPD



Congratulations to Sgt. Walsh and Our Newest Officers!

On Monday, March 9, Anthony Minosse, Chief of the Gloucester Township Police Department, presented members of the department to David R. Mayer and the Gloucester Township Council during a ceremonial promotion and swearing-in ceremony held during the regularly scheduled council meeting. During the ceremony, Craig Walsh was ceremonially promoted to the rank of Sergeant, and Tyler Shrader and William Franz were ceremonially sworn in as new police officers. Congratulations to Sgt. Walsh, Ptl. Shrader, and Ptl. Franz!

Seniors Access ANCHOR Benefits



The Senator's office recently visited the community to assist local seniors with completing their ANCHOR Property Tax Relief Program packets. Staff members from the Senator's office worked one-on-one with residents, answering questions and helping ensure forms were filled out correctly so eligible seniors can receive their property tax relief refunds. Programs like ANCHOR provide important financial support, and events like this make it easier for seniors to access the benefits they deserve.

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 dmay-er@glotwp.com

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David R. Mayer".



GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP
JOIN THE EXCITEMENT

