



## A Publication of News and Events

### What's inside:

This month's issue features election results, information about parks, and upcoming events



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### OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs 8 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Fri 8 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Credit card payments accepted for a small fee.

Notary, Copy & Fax service available for small fee.

### Council Meeting:

Wed. June 5th, 7 p.m.

### Planning Commission:

Tues. June 18th, 7 p.m.

### Office Closed:

Mon. May 27th

Please make sure payments are received in the Town Office by the due date!

If the office is not open and you would like to make a payment please use our door slot and be sure to push your payment all the way through.

Town Meetings and Planning Commission Meetings are open to the public. Citizens are encouraged to attend to be informed and give input. Meeting agendas are posted outside Town Hall every Friday, and items are added as requested (which can be as late as Wednesday morning) and re-posted with each change. An early agenda is posted on the Town website, but may not always include the latest changes. Stop by the Town Hall on Wednesday evenings and learn first-hand about the many happenings in our town. For more information, call the Town Clerk at 410.443-0087.

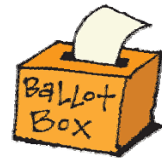


•Town Meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month at 7 pm

•Planning Commission Meetings are held at least quarterly on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7 pm Public Hearings, Public Workshops, Special Appeals Hearings, etc. are scheduled as needed. Check the website for updates [www.trappemd.net](http://www.trappemd.net) or on FACEBOOK.



## Election Results



**Congratulations to Robert (RD) Diefenderfer and Tonya Pritchett for being re-elected to the Town Council for another four years.**

**The election had a total of 29 votes. Diefenderfer received 24 votes and Pritchett received 25 votes.**

### Nace's Park

The Town has received a few reservation inquiries for Nace's Park.

At this time, we are accepting reservations for the park with the exception that activities not take place on the grass areas. The grass at the park is new and we would like to give it an opportunity to establish itself.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Just a reminder—Veteran's Park on Main St is open and has plenty of grassy areas and a gazebo to host your events.

Trappe Volunteer Fire Company

**OLD TYME FAIR BEHIND THE FIREHOUSE**  
June 20, 21, & 22nd - 6-10 pm

June 20th - "Flatland Drive" Bluegrass band 7 pm  
June 21st - Spark in da Pan band 7 pm - Little Miss Contest  
June 22nd - Miss Trappe Contest & Parade 6 p.m. Main St.

Saturday, June 22nd  
Pit Beef Sandwiches

Nightly - Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Fries, Clam Strips, etc.

Raffle, Silent Auction, Cake Wheels, Lots of Carvinal Games



## Water Meter Reminder

Please keep bushes, trees, and other brush trimmed back from your water meter so that we are able to obtain a monthly reading. If we are not able to read your meter, you will receive an estimated water bill.

## Water Saving Tips

### WATER CONSERVATION

The average American uses about 100 gallons of water each day. Read these quick tips compiled from [WaterUseItWisely.com](http://WaterUseItWisely.com) as a reminder for easy ways we can significantly reduce water usage around the home.



## 5 WAYS to conserve WATER in the KITCHEN

**1** Use your dishwasher – it uses less water than washing dishes by hand. Make sure it's a full load before running it, and you'll save up to 1,000 gallons per month.

**2** If you have to wash a few pots by hand, turn the water off if you're not rinsing. Better yet, instead of running the water while you scrub pots and pans, soak them in soap and water.

**3** Use a designated water bottle or glass to refill all day allowing you to cut down the number of glasses to wash.

**4** Wash fruits and vegetables in a pot of water rather than running the water over them. Defrost food in the refrigerator rather than running it under the faucet. Cook food in as little water as possible. It also helps retain more of the nutrients.

**5** If you accidentally drop ice cubes, don't throw them in the sink – place them in a house plant, instead! You can collect the water you use to rinse your fruits and vegetables and use it to water house plants, too.

<http://www.rainbowrestoration.com/700-ways-to-conserve/>

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## Kids Korner

### WORD SEARCH

M S W I M M I N G G  
A D G V P N U C X Q  
C C P U A Z M E C F  
Y U R E G N N M O K  
T Z C D J I V Z C S  
T O F V H M Y O U E  
V A V S D F Z M I L  
Q N N S S Z M W S G  
C U Q K J E M J T Y  
S F X Y R W B Y Z A

SUMMER  
SWIMMING  
SUNSHINE  
FUN  
OCEAN

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**June 2:** Trappe Volunteer Fire Company Chicken Dinner, 12-3 pm, preorders are recommended, call/text 443-496-0981, menu will be posted on Facebook

**June 12:** Last day of school for TCPS students

**June 20-22:** Trappe Volunteer Fire Company Old Tyme Fair, nightly from 6-10 pm

**June 21:** First day of Summer