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M-Th: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM F: 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM Sat-Sun: Closed

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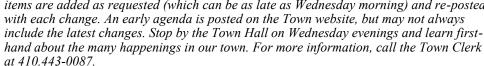
> Council Meeting: Wed. Dec 7th, 6 PM Planning Commission: Tues. Dec 20th, 6 PM

Town Office Closed: Dec 23rd - Jan 2nd

Please make sure payments are <u>received</u> 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, and items are added as requested (which can be as late as Wednesday morning) and re-posted



•Town Meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month at 6 pm

•Planning Commission Meetings are held at least quarterly on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6 pm Public Hearings, Public Workshops, Special Appeals Hearings, etc. are scheduled as needed. Check the website for updates www.trappemd.net or on FACEBOOK.

Special Election - January 17, 2023

The Town of Trappe will hold a Special Election to fill the remainder of Gregory Fries' term, which will end May 2023. Persons interested in running for this position must be a resident of the incorporated limits of Trappe for one year prior to the election, a qualified voter in the Town of Trappe (at least 18 years old and a US citizen), and file a candidate application with the Town Administrator.

Important Dates

December 7, 2022 by 4:00 PM - Candidate application deadline January 4, 2023 - Absentee ballot request deadline January 17, 2023 - Special Election will take place in the Council Meeting Room at the Town Office; Polls will be open from 9:00 AM until 6:00 PM

Remembering Don English

The Town of Trappe is saddened to hear of the passing of Charles Donald English. Don passed away on November 13, 2022, at the age of 81.



Don served on the Town Council, Planning Commission, and other Town boards for many years. He attended every Town meeting, even when he wasn't on the board, and was always willing to help in any way possible.

Don was a member of the Trappe Volunteer Fire Company for over 50 years. He held almost every line/administrative officer position and was inducted into various associations' hall of fames.

Don was an integral part of the Town of Trappe and he will be greatly missed.



Scotts Outreach Ministry Mobile Food Pantry



Food pantry held at **3748 Main Street** on **December 8, 2022.** Pick up will begin at 8:30 AM and will continue until supplies are gone. Those wishing to pick up supplies should form a line on Howell Point Rd. For more information, please call 410-476-3980 or email sumc@goeaston.net.

Happy Holidays!

The Town Office will be closed from December 23rd through January 2nd.

Water bills will still be due on December 28th. However, late fees will not be added until the morning of January 4th.

Customers wishing to pay their bill during the closure may utilize the customer portal or payment drop.

Have a safe and happy holiday season!



TVFC Soup Day

December 12, 2022 4:00 PM until sold out



\$7.00 Soup, Ham Biscuit, and Dessert

Soup choices will be posted on Facebook

To pre-order, contact Lou Diefenderfer 410-924-1764

Please support your volunteer fire department!

Holiday Trash Collection

Trash collection will not be affected by the holidays.

Trash will be picked up on Friday mornings throughout December and January.

Christmas trees will be collected with regular trash pickup.

Large cardboard boxes should be broken down.

For more information on trash collection go to https://trappemd.net/trash-collection

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