



IN Saegertown



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What the NEW Water Project entails:

- Starting in the spring of 2025, the Borough will be constructing a new water treatment plant to remove PFAS.
 - A grant will pay for the Project.
 - There will be a new treatment plant built behind the current Borough building.
 - There will be a new supply line constructed from French Creek to the Reservoir.
 - A new water well will be placed in service.
 - A new water line will be installed from Rt. 198 (near the American Legion) to the treatment plant.
 - There will be a new supply line installed from Erie to South streets.
- Carbon and green sand filters will be installed in the new facility to remove PFAS and heavy metals.
- There will be no (or very little) interruptions of water service during the project.
- We will keep you updated on the progress of the project. (watch the website or get on the e-mail list).
- Please remember that there will be occasional:
 - detours and delays.
 - temporary street closings.
 - extra traffic in certain areas.
 - temporary rough streets.
 - torn up yards and right-of-way areas.



What is a Rental Unit?

RESIDENTIAL RENTAL UNIT/RENTAL UNIT –

Any structure within the Borough of Saegertown which is occupied and/or used as a residence or dwelling by someone other than the owner of the real estate as determined by the most current deed.

Contact the Borough Office if you have any questions.

**Fine for non-compliance is \$100 to \$1,000 per day.*

**NO new rental units are permitted on the East Side of the Railroad Tracks.*

Dividing up a house into multiple units:

Existing buildings cannot be divided into multiple residential units that are less than 900 sq. ft. each.

Units must also have adequate OFF-STREET parking. (At least 2 per unit, and one for each vehicle)

Another Grant...For a new Leaf Sucker:

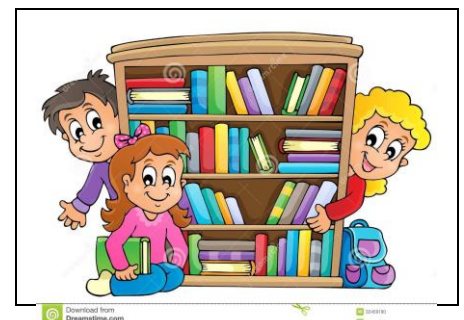
The Borough recently was awarded another grant (\$25,000). This one is for a new more powerful leaf sucker, to make it easier and quicker for the Borough employees to pick up and dispose of leaves in the Borough.

Celebrate Saegertown Day:

Keep the Date (August 9th) in mind and watch future newsletters for more details.

News from your Saegertown Area Library:

- ∞ Winter Reading Challenge - 1/20 - 2/28
- ∞ Preschool Storytime - Wednesdays at 1:30 pm
- ∞ Saturday Crafternoon - 2/8 - 12-2pm - Valentine's Craft
- ∞ Movie Night with Max - 2/11 - 6pm - Movie TBD
- ∞ Love Your Library Pop-up Book Sale - 2/13 - 2/15 during regular library hours.
- ∞ Library Closed - In-Service Day - 2/17



Saegertown Heritage Society:



The Saegertown Heritage Society will be holding volunteer work sessions at the Saeger House (corner of Main and Erie) on Sat. Feb. 15th, Sat. Feb. 22nd and on Fri. Feb. 28th. All sessions begin at 9:00 a.m. Dress accordingly to help paint. The Society will hold their annual **Cherry Pie Hike** on Presidents' Day (Monday Feb. 17) at the museum on 320 Broad Street. The event will start at 1:30 with a lecture on George Washington coming through our area in 1753, followed by a short walk around town highlighting our Washington connections. Afterward everyone will return to the museum for cherry pie, hatchet sugar cookies, and beverages. The event is free to the public and children are encouraged to participate.

Garbage Must be at the Curb by 8:00 am:



- Garbage must be at the curb by 8:00 am on Monday.
- Remember that different crews pick-up garbage using different routes.
- Garbage may not be placed out before 8:00 am on Sunday.
- Garbage cans **must be removed** from the curb by 8:00 am on Tuesday.

Vandalism

We have had a recent uptick in vandalism and burglaries in the area. We are asking everyone to be vigilant and report issues you see to the State Police and the Borough Office. Any information you can provide the Borough with is valuable and will be kept confidential.

Bridge South of Town near the Fish Commission Access Area:

The bridge is being replaced starting in the near future. The existing bridge will be removed and replaced with a new one, including the concrete pillars in French Creek. Rt. 19 will be completely shut down during construction.

Saegertown History Trivia: Here are the answers to last month's trivia.

1. What Crawford County Judge was from Saegertown?
2. Who was "Parkview Drive" named after?
3. What Saegertown resident wrote the book "Two Times and Out"?
4. Who was the first female Councilperson in Saegertown?
5. What Boro native was "Pa. Sec. of Revenue" under Gov. Richard Thornberg?
6. Originally what did H&H stand for at the grocery store?

Judge **Herbert Mook (1947)**
Developer - **Park Lenhart**
Former Mayor **Carl Maurana**
Sue Miller (1979-1981)
Robert Bloom

Hunter & Hasenkopf (Si Hunter & John Hasenkopf)

New Trivia Questions: answers in next month's newsletter

1. What year was Saegertown Vol. Fire Dept. founded?
2. Who is the current longest serving Councilman? For how long?
3. What year was Saegertown Plaza built?
4. What is the Oldest continuous business in Saegertown?
-What is the 2nd Oldest continuous business?
5. What year were the roundabouts finished?
6. How long have the decorative lights been on the South St. Bridge?



Safety Tip...Yield to Emergency Vehicles...



Here is the law concerning yielding to emergency vehicles (Fire, Ambulance, Police)

- Traveling in the same direction...pull over and open the road.
- Oncoming emergency vehicles: Pull over and open the road. (Do NOT continue past the emerg. vehicle)
- At intersections: pull over and clear the intersection – you don't know what direction they are heading.

Tax Collector: Office Hours Scheduled

Amanda Burlingame is the Tax Collector for Saegertown Borough.

Her phone number: 814-398-3988 ... Her e-mail address is: saegertownboroughtax@hotmail.com

◇ Payments can be made by mail to: Saegertown Tax Collector, **PO Box 348**, Saegertown, Pa. 16433

◇ Payments can be dropped in the "Water" drop box, but NOT in the "Sewer" drop box.

◇ **2025 Tax Hours will be held at the Borough Building, 603 Erie St. Saegertown, as follows:**

-Wed. March 19: 6-7 PM

Wed. April 16: 6-7 PM

Sat. April 26: 10-11 AM

-Wed. April 30: 6-7 PM

Wed. June 25: 6-7 PM

◇ Remember the Borough Secretary cannot accept tax payments.