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Manager's Message

The winter season provides an endless number of recreational possibilities. Ice skating, snowshoeing, and building snowmen are some of the ideas that come to my mind. Of course, as a municipal manager, for me winter also means unpredictable weather that can cause residents and businesses to be landlocked for days.

Beaver Borough has 20 miles of roadways and over 4.5 miles of alleys (both private and public) to service when mother nature strikes. In order to help us maintain and keep these thoroughfares safe, we ask that residents please keep these few considerations in mind during the winter months:

- Stay back at least 40 feet from the rear of the plow truck so the driver can see you.
- If you can, park in the driveway. Cars in the roadway hinder snow removal operations.

- Avoid passing plow trucks. It is distracting for the driver and dangerous.
- When shoveling your sidewalks, avoid placing snow back into the street. You will find that less snow is pushed back onto the sidewalks.
- Be patient. Snow and ice removal is a function of public works that ensures the safety of all visitors in Beaver Borough.

On behalf of the Borough, I'd like to personally thank you for your cooperation. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Borough Administrative Office at 724-773-6700, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Have a safe and wonderful winter!

Sincerely,
Whitney Brady, Manager
Beaver Borough



Elyse Bingle, 10, and Olivia Booth, 4, enjoy the new playground equipment installed at Wayne Square this past autumn.

Photo by Valentine J. Brkich

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 3—Lunch at the Library, Beaver Area Memorial Library

March 15—Beaver Area Chamber of Commerce Membership Meeting

March 31—BACC Bunny Hop, 10 a.m. to noon, downtown Beaver

April 28—Arbor Day Celebration, 10 a.m., Gazebo

May 5—Beaver Town Yard Sale, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (no permit needed)

May 12—Spring Clean-up Day, south side of Third Street

May 19—Spring Clean-up Day, north side of Third Street

May 28—Memorial Day Parade 10:30 a.m., Beaver Area Heritage Foundation (BAHF)

June 2—Beaver VFD and Heritage Valley Health System 5K/10K Race

June 9—Garrison Day

These events are brought to you by the Borough of Beaver, Beaver Area Chamber of Commerce, Beaver Fire Dept. and the Beaver Area Heritage Foundation.

Borough Ordinances

Just as a reminder, for the convenience of our residents, all Borough ordinances (laws enacted by the municipality) are available for review by the residents via the Borough website:

beaverpa.us

Plant Maintenance Beaver Tree Commission

The Business District Authority is currently taking proposals for next year for plant maintenance in the downtown district. Please contact Town Center Associates at 724-728-0500 for more information.

Library News

The Friends of the Beaver Area Memorial Library will sponsor their annual Lunch at the Library on **Saturday, March 3**, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. A variety of homemade soups and delicious pies and cakes will be served at reasonable prices. All are invited to attend.

The Beaver County Library System now has a collection e-books and audio books that you can download to your computer or e-reader. To checkout the books, you just need a valid library card.

Visit beaverlibraries.org to browse the collection.

Emergency Management Agency

The Beaver Borough Emergency Management Agency is responsible for maintaining the Borough Emergency Operations Plan. The Emergency Operations Center, located in the basement of the Borough Building and manned by a mostly volunteer staff, is activated in times of man-made or natural disasters. The main goal of the EMA is the protection of the citizens of Beaver in times of disaster. For more information, contact Dave Linkimer at 724-773-6700 or beaverboroema@gmail.com.

Please call 911 for all emergencies.

911 Non-Emergency Number:
724-775-0880

Beaver Police: **724-773-6702**
(Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.)

County Dispatch: **724-775-1550**

Fire Department: **724-773-6713**

Happy New Year to our residents, businesses, and non-profit organizations! Thank you to all who participated in our fall tree planting project. Annually, the Beaver Tree Commission, coordinates spring and fall tree plantings to help replace those that are declining due to maturity and hazard conditions. Also, this past fall the street trees in the business district were pruned to improve pedestrian safety and storefront visibility.

During the winter season, when snowfall accumulations are heavy and deep, it is helpful to gently brush off excess snow on young trees and shrubs to maintain structural integrity. Winter and early spring provide good opportunities to examine trunk and branch quality in larger trees while the canopy is not full of leaves. Things to look for: broken, hanging branches; trunk damage, insect borer damage, woodpecker damage, and branches without bud development.

Looking ahead to spring, we will have our annual Arbor Day celebration on **Saturday, April 28**, at the gazebo. There will be many events, refreshments, and student activities. It's always encouraging to see the diversity of participants at this event. Please consider attending as we celebrate one of our town's greatest assets—our "Community Forest." The event is also an annual requirement for Beaver to be designated as a "Tree City USA" by the National Arbor Day Foundation.

We are also seeking volunteers to help with Arbor Day, tree planting, and maintenance of newly planted trees. Training will be provided. This is a great way to make a direct and visible impact that enhances Beaver for the next generation.

For additional information, the Beaver Tree Commission is here to help. Your feedback and suggestions are welcome through the Borough office at 724-773-6700.

We hope 2012 brings you the opportunity to share peace and success.

—Tim Stancec, Certified Arborist, Beaver Tree Commission

Sled Riding Notice

Just a reminder that the Borough's liability insurance required some changes to be made last year in regards to sled riding in town.

All sled riding and similar activity is **totally prohibited in Wayne Square Park** (corner of Beaver Street and River Road).

Sled riding is permissible in Roosevelt Park, but with the following restrictions:

1. The activity must occur within the marked course only.
2. The participant must be a resident of the Borough of Beaver. The course is not open to use by non-residents.
3. The activity is prohibited after sunset.
4. The activity is prohibited when the course is closed because of dangerous conditions, such as ice patches and/or bare spots.
5. All posted signs (such as "Course Closed") must be obeyed.
6. Any child under the age of twelve (12) must wear a protective helmet.
7. Inner tubes and metal or plastic disks are not permitted on the course.

Beaver Borough thanks you for your cooperation.

Yard Waste Permits

2012 yard waste permits are available at the Borough Office for \$10. Please abide by the regulations as to what can and cannot be dumped. The facility is for Beaver residents ONLY. No contractors permitted.

Streetscape News

Clock Tower Facelift

The signature clock tower at College Avenue and Third Street shines like new after a complete power-wash and detailed repainting by Rick Granati. As well, all tower lighting has been renewed, including the illumination of the tower pinnacle. The 10-year-old clock tower replicates that of the 1877 Court House, which was destroyed by fire in 1932. It also displays the original bell, which was restored by Rome Metals Inc. The tower was given by the Michael Baker Corporation in memory of Michael Baker, Jr. The chimes were given by the I.B.E.W. in honor of International President Edwin D. Hill.

The Power of Light

Hopefully soon Beaver will have a brighter downtown. Borough Manager Whitney Brady recently applied for a \$125,000 grant from Duquesne Light, which, if awarded to the Borough, will enable us to retrofit the 83 ornamental light poles in the business district with new, redesigned LED light fixtures. These fixtures will replace the present incandescent light bulbs that each consume 100-watts of power with long-lasting, brighter, 36-watt LED fixtures. The new lighting will also be reconfigured to direct more of the lighting downward, while eliminating glare for motorists. The new system would result in an annual savings to the Borough of \$14,000 and, over a 10-year period, could total \$125,000. If the funding is awarded to the Borough, installation will begin as soon as possible, with 10 fixtures being replaced each week.

Best Seat in Town

In recent years, a total of 20 memorial benches have been purchased by local citizens and placed along Third Street. With continuous exposure to the elements, some benches have developed surface damages. Beginning this month, all the benches will be temporarily removed and returned to the manufacturer for refinishing, at no charge to the Borough. By early spring, all will be returned to their original places.



The newly cleaned and repainted 1877 Clock Tower on the corner of College Avenue and Third Street. (Photo by Valentine J. Brkich)

Newly Elected Officials Course

Four Beaver Borough Council members are taking part in the Newly Elected Officials Course (NEOC), which began on November 19, 2011, at the Pittsburgh Marriott City Center Hotel. Luke Berardelli, Jarrod Thomas, and Mike Deelo are enrolled in the 10-week certificate course; Pat Sims enrolled in the four-week, Saturdays-only course.

Offered by the Local Government Academy (localgovernmentacademy.org), the NEOC offers informative sessions on the many complex tasks that come with running a municipality. In the course, leaders from local, county, and state government, as well as professors from area colleges and universities and specialists from both the public and private sectors, teach participants about policy matters and the government process, as well as legal and fiscal responsibilities.

NEOC topics include:

- Understanding the extent and limitations of municipal power
- Rights and responsibilities under the Sunshine Act
- Techniques and procedures for running an effective meeting
- Tips on working with the media
- Municipal Finances
- Personnel Law
- Police & Public Safety
- Infrastructure
- Municipal Planning, Zoning, and Development
- Strategic Planning and Leadership
- Technology/Communication – Communicating with the public through newsletters and websites.

Upon completion of the course participants receive a certificate at a formal ceremony.

Beaver Borough Manager Whitney Brady is on staff with the LGA and participated in the opening day event. John Wolbert, Shirley Sayers, and Lauson Cashdollar were also in attendance.

Beaver Alerts

The "Beaver Alerts" page allows you to sign up to receive periodic emails that provide timely information on Borough events, programs, and general news of interest, including this semi-annual newsletter that you can forward on to friends and relatives. While over 300 households that have already signed up, we encourage you to help us reach the goal of having all 2,000+ Borough households linked electronically to town happenings. Simply provide your email address at www.beaverpa.us/government/newsletter.

Beaver Tax Office Hours

For the payment of Beaver Borough and Beaver Area School District real estate tax bills and also Per Capita taxes:

Tuesdays 5 – 7 p.m.

Saturdays 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Other Hours by Appointment: 724-774-1686

Wage Tax (Earned Income Tax) is collected by Central Tax Bureau in Ellwood City: 724-752-3350

Maureen T. Bostwick, Tax Collector

Ft. McIntosh Club

Would you like to have a party, bridal or baby shower, graduation party, anniversary celebration or other event, with bowling, billiards, cards or all of the above?

The Fort McIntosh Club, in addition to being a historic landmark, is available for league bowling, bridge club, card club, organizational meetings, billiard leagues, or just a night out. Rent the clubhouse for a single, weekly, or monthly use. We offer a full kitchen, restrooms, off-street parking for 25 cars, and very reasonable rates. Individual and family memberships are also available. While there are no employees, you will instantly feel at home in this longtime Beaver treasure.

If you would like to enjoy the Fort Mac experience, please call rental and membership chair, Nick Jansen, at 724-378-0344. You will be glad you did.

They Come Through Again

The Beaver JROTC has informed the Borough that they will again usher a snow shoveling service for elderly and those in need this winter. As with last year, there is no charge for the service, but donations to be used towards their projects are encouraged and appreciated. The program is administered directly by the ROTC, with Cadet Dylan Schouppe acting as the contact person. You can reach Dylan at 724-987-3758 or via email at schoupped@fastmail.fm. He will then coordinate the team and schedules.

This is an excellent example of the character of our youth and the success of the JROTC program in Beaver. They have been recognized with several awards and commendations over the years, and we will all see why, thanks to the Cadets, their sponsors, and commanding officers. We all can rest easier with the knowledge that a core of youth continually steps up to defend and honor this great republic.

Thanks, guys!

– Councilman Dan Deceder

Beaver Valley River Response Task Force

What is the Beaver Valley River Response Task Force?

The Beaver Valley River Response Task Force is a new law enforcement team which has been formed to provide law enforcement coverage on the Ohio River from the Ohio line to the Montgomery Lock and Dam. The task force has received a \$140,000 grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the state Department of Economic and Community Development to obtain a patrol boat and start the project.

Who comprises the task force?

The task force is a cooperative effort between the Beaver Borough and Center Township police departments, who will work in cooperation with the Pennsylvania State Police and Medic Rescue ambulance service. The force also includes Vanport Township, which is patrolled by the Beaver police, and Potter Township, which is patrolled by the Center Township police. The task force members will be trained through coordinated training programs with the city of Pittsburgh's River Rescue program, the U.S. Coast Guard, and the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, as well as other local, state and federal agencies.

An officer on the new task force has a U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Marine license and has training and extensive knowledge of the waterways within the Port of Pittsburgh. This officer will act as a liaison between the various agencies and assist in further development of the task force.

Why does the community need the team?

Currently there is no local law enforcement patrolling the Ohio River. In the event of an emergency along the river, an emergency response team has to be called in from outside of Beaver County, which prolongs the response time of law enforcement in a crisis. The task force will be able to provide a local, rapid, coordinated regional response for a variety of law enforcement issues that could arise on the river, including catastrophic events or a terrorist attack.

There are many businesses located along the river, including the nuclear power plant in Shippingport and Conway Yards, which is the fifth largest rail yard in the United States. The Army Corps of Engineers and Waterways Council Inc. estimates that 27 million tons of commerce worth over \$4.34 billion is transported through Beaver County on the Ohio River each year.

The goal of the Beaver Valley River Response Task Force is to discourage crime on the waterways and to make the waterways safer for the local residents and businesses. It will have daytime and nighttime patrols to provide law enforcement coverage on the water for the local chemical plants, oil and chemical storage tanks and to assist with general waterway improvements and awareness. It will also patrol during large events such as the Beaver River Regatta and annual Fourth of July celebrations.

The task force will have a patrol boat and all necessary equipment including medical equipment, thermal imaging and night vision equipment. The patrols will provide the necessary law enforcement services needed to address the gaps in maritime security along the Ohio River in Beaver County.

Recycling Info

Recycling helps to preserve our planet's resources. Beaver prides itself in being an environmentally friendly town. That's why we offer an easy-to-use recycling program.



Recycling Pick-Up Dates

1st Monday of the month: *River Rd. to south of Third St.*

2nd Monday of the month: *North of Third St. up to 7th St.*

Preparing Your Recyclables

Glass – Clear, Brown, and Green Bottles and Jars — Rinse, remove Styrofoam labels, metal lids, and rings. Do not break glass. Do not include auto glass, light bulbs, porcelain, ceramic, plate glass, or crystal.

Plastic Bottles and Jugs Only — Rinse thoroughly, remove caps. Flatten to save space. Containers must have the three-arrow recycling logo, with the number 1 or 2 inside it. Containers that originally held motor oil, antifreeze, or other chemicals are not recyclable. No plastic bags or buckets.

Aluminum, Bi-Metal, & Tin Food and Beverage Containers, and Aluminum Foil — Rinse thoroughly, crush cans. Place in blue recycling container.

Your recycling container is to be used for recycling only. Please recover your recycling container promptly after collection.

Note: *The recycling container remains the property of Beaver Borough and must remain at the residence if you move.*

Local Girl Turned Publisher

Missy Koshute may just be 14 years old, but she's well on her way to a promising career in writing.

Missy is the publisher of *The Missy Times*, a home-printed publication that highlights local businesses, events, and news. It also includes stories from Missy's travels around the country and regular features like recipes and even hand-drawn advertisements.

The publication came into existence in 2006, when Missy decided to write her own newspaper. For that first issue, she made three copies, all written by hand. Since then she has sent issues to subscribers in Maryland, New York, Tennessee, Massachusetts, Michigan, Connecticut, Florida, Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina, and even York, England.

Today, *The Missy Times* "continues to regularly report all the local news from Wilson Avenue," according to the paper's online blog at <http://themissytimesandmore.blogspot.com>.

If you would like to subscribe to *The Missy Times* for the low price of just \$5.00 for 12 issues, or if you'd like to support the publication by advertising, please contact Missy at themissytimes@yahoo.com.



History Corner

First Graveyard in Beaver County

(from *Milestones* Vol 26. No. 3)

The first graveyard in Beaver County was at McIntosh (now Beaver). It was known as the burial place of three colonial soldiers who deserted from old Fort McIntosh January 25, 1786. They were pursued and captured at the mouth of the Little Beaver, taken prisoner back to the fort. Major Wylis, who did not want to wait for a court martial, is said to have ordered out a file of soldiers who shot them within an hour of their return. When Beaver was plotted, the northwest park covered the site of the three soldiers' graves and this became the old town cemetery.

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Photo by Valentine J. Brkich

Preventing Storm Water Runoff — 10 things you can do

1. Use fertilizers sparingly and sweep driveways, sidewalks, and roads
2. Never dump anything down storm drains
3. Plant the bare spots in your yard
4. Compost your yard waste
5. Avoid pesticides; learn about Integrated Pest Management
6. Direct downspouts away from paved surfaces
7. Use the car wash instead of washing your car in the driveway
8. Check your car for leaks, and recycle motor oil
9. Pick up after your pet
10. Have your septic tank pumped and inspected regularly



For more information, visit www.epa.gov/nps or www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater.

Beaver Tales

– A Storytelling Event

The annual "Beaver Tales" storytelling event will be held on **September 21**. Four professional storytellers will visit Beaver to weave their magic and share a sense of wonder and delight with audiences of all ages.

The day will begin with the storytellers visiting children in the Beaver Area School District and in Saints Peter and Paul School. This will give the children an opportunity to be exposed to the living art form that is professional storytelling, and to interact with the storytellers on a more personal level.

A luncheon for adults, "Lunch, Listen, Laugh," will be held at the Beaver Area Memorial Library at noon. Seating is limited to 30 people, and tickets will go on sale in August.

The culmination of the day's events will be a grand storytelling celebration, to be held at the gazebo in Beaver at 7 p.m. Be sure to bring blankets and/or chairs, and prepare yourself for a night of amazing, mesmerizing storytelling. Books and CDs created by the storytellers will be available for purchase, but all events are free to the public.

A workshop for teachers, librarians, students, and other interested parties is in the planning stages for Saturday morning. Please contact us if you would like to participate in this event.

"Beaver Tales" has long relied on community support to fund this project. If you would be interested in contributing to this outstanding event, please contact Wende Dikec at wendedikec@gmail.com or Leslie Hare at hare4home@aol.com.

Wastewater

The Borough is not responsible for the backup of water or wastewater in residences, whether or not it is caused by blockages in the municipal system. Residents are advised to install a back flow prevention device to protect their personal property. Homeowners insurance does not normally cover such a loss, but that additional coverage may be purchased to provide coverage for backup of water/wastewater. Thank you.

Beaver Volunteer Fire Department

Celebrating 175 Years For the Peoples' Good

beavervfd.org

Your Beaver Volunteer Fire Department needs your help! We are looking for new members to join our team. Not all volunteer firefighters have to run into burning buildings or climb ladders; there are jobs for everyone. Members with mechanical, technical, electrical, engineering, business, financial, administrative, fundraising, and many other forms of experience can all contribute to a volunteer fire department.

In 2010 we also started a Junior Firefighter program for youths 14-18 years of age. Junior firefighters have the opportunity to train side by side with firefighters and participate in all of the activities of the department while performing limited duties at emergency scenes. The experience gained by Junior Firefighters can be invaluable in future careers in emergency services and on college applications.

If you are interested in helping to protect your community and would like to be part of a team steeped in 175 years of tradition, and you are a resident of the Borough of Beaver, we encourage you to join us. We meet every Tuesday at our station at 7 p.m. Stop by the station to pick up an application, email us at beavervfd@comcast.net, or call us at 724-773-6713.

Save the Date

The Beaver VFD and Heritage Valley Health System 5K/10K Race will be held on **Saturday, June 2**. Stay tuned for more details!

Winter Weather Reminder

Residents are reminded to help out the fire department by removing snow at least three feet from around fire hydrants in front of or near your homes. Valuable time is lost if access to fire hydrants is blocked by piled snow. Thank you for your cooperation.



Chief John Grosskopf accepts the Beaver VFD Firefighter of the Year Award from his father Ray Grosskopf during its Open House on Sept. 11, 2011, to celebrate the department's 175th Anniversary.

Citizen's Police Academy

beaverpolice.us

The Citizen's Police Academy Fall 2011 classes graduated on December 5, and the dates for the 2012 CPA classes are February 20 and September 24.

The CPA classes are open to all residents of Beaver County. This is a 10-week course that meets every Monday night from 6-9 p.m. in the Borough Community Room, 469 Third Street. The classes give the public a greater understanding of the daily operations of the Police Department, and include searching a vehicle for drugs, a K-9 demonstration; tours of the county jail, 911 Center, and Hazmat building; I.D. theft, computer crimes, fingerprinting, and include many qualified speakers in all areas of law enforcement.

Background clearances are run on all applicants prior to acceptance. The class is free to the public. Please call now for available openings.

Applications can be picked up at the Beaver Police Department from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Information on the classes may be obtained by calling Bonnie Dinsmore or Jane Hawthorne at 724-773-6709.

Beaver Area Chamber News beaverareachamber.com

The Beaver Area Chamber of Commerce is committed to helping the local business community. Who makes up the Beaver Area Chamber of Commerce? Local business owners and professionals in Beaver, Bridgewater, Brighton Twp., and Vanport Twp., who realize that their neighbors' success has a direct effect on their own success, and as a group make a stronger competitor to those that would steal away our thriving local marketplace one shop or practice at a time.

Through the chamber's sponsorship of local events, holiday marketing, and other programs, it makes a conscious effort to promote and strengthen our local business community and our community as a whole.

Thank you for shopping locally!

Bunny Hop – March 31

Come join us as over 400 kids hop through the business district along Third Street. The little ones can get their picture taken with the Easter Bunny, and there's even an Easter basket raffle.



BEAVER BLOWOUT

Take advantage of this program to get great discounts from local businesses. Visit beaverareachamber.com to sign up for our e-newsletter and to receive the deal of the month.

Chamber Membership

Join the Chamber today to get your business listed on our Downtown Shopping Guide. Dues must be in by March 31. You can now pay your dues online via credit card through Google Checkout or PayPal. Resident memberships are also welcome. The Chamber's first Members meeting will be on March 15 at 8 a.m. in the Borough Community Room.

Welcome to Beaver Program

The Chamber puts on this exciting program in cooperation with the Beaver Business District Authority. Through the program, we distribute welcome packets to new homeowners in town. Know someone who just moved in? Let us know and we'll get a packet to them! Member businesses are welcome to drop off high quality marketing materials/coupons for inclusion in the packets.



Thank you!

Lincoln Kretchmar

President | Beaver Area Chamber of Commerce

President@beaverareachamber.com | 724-773-6504

Beaver County Crime Solvers

Beaver County Crime Solvers is a non-profit organization dedicated to solving crimes in the county. Since 1981 the organization has helped to solve hundreds of crimes. When a crime goes unsolved for any amount of time, local police departments contact Crime Solvers to help generate new leads. The organization aids local law enforcement by providing a confidential portal for citizens to report crimes.

Anyone who provides information leading to an arrest (not a conviction) in an unsolved crime will receive a monetary award. Callers are issued an I.D. number and DO NOT give their names or phone numbers, nor do they testify in court. All calls are kept completely confidential and are never recorded.

If you have information that can help solve a crime in Beaver County, please call Beaver County Crime Solvers' 24-hour anonymous tip line at 724-774-2000.

The Bobcat Players

The Bobcat Players is the brainchild of Franklin Myers, retired drama, speech and English teacher at Beaver Area Senior High School. Starting in 2001, their goal has been to perform three shows per year. While the majority of their members have an association with the communities comprising the Beaver Area School District, they welcome actors and actresses from Beaver, Butler, and Allegheny counties.

2012 Audition Dates and Times

Saturday, January 7, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday, January 12, 7–10 p.m.

Saturday, January 14, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

All auditions are held at the Ed Schaughency Theater, Beaver Area High School, Gypsy Glen Road, Beaver. Anyone wishing to audition should prepare a one to two-minute memorized monologue from a published play or literary work and be ready to perform cold readings from the season's scripts.

Audition dates and times may be scheduled by contacting us at bobcatplayer07@yahoo.com or 724-494-1680.

2012 Shows and Available Roles

SPRING

OVER THE RIVER AND THROUGH THE WOODS (comedy-drama)

by Joe DiPietro

Reunion cast: 2 Older Male Roles Available

SUMMER

LEND ME A TENOR (farce) - by Ken Ludwig
4 Males, 4 Females 20s to 60s

FALL

MURDERED TO DEATH (murder mystery spoof) - by Peter Gordon

5 Males 5 Females Flexible Adult Ages

SEASON SPECIAL

THE FOURSOME (comedy) - by Norm Foster

4 Males Late 40s

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beaverpa.us

Call for News

The Beaver Borough Newsletter is a great way to share good news with your neighbors. If you have information about an upcoming non-profit or charitable event, or if you have an idea for a story, please email it to Valentine Brkich at valbrkich@gmail.com.

Next issue: **May 2012**

Submission deadline: **March 16, 2012**

Borough Facility Rentals

The Borough Community Room and the Gazebo are both available to rent for \$60 each. Call 724-773-6700 for more information.

Your Borough Leadership

Council Committees and Chairs

(A complete list of committees and chairs, as well as the newly appointed president and vice president of Council, will appear in the next issue, following the January 3, 2012, Beaver Borough Council reorganization meeting. Thank you for your patience.)

Beaver Borough Council Members

Walter McDermott – Ward 1
Luke Berardelli – Ward 1
Patrick Sims – Ward 1
Jarrod Thomas – Ward 2
J. Lauson Cashdollar – Ward 2
Kathryn Nestor – Ward 2
Daniel Deceder – Ward 3
Michael Deelo – Ward 3
Shirley Sayers – Ward 3

Manager Whitney Brady	724-773-6700
Mayor Thomas Hamilton	724-773-6701
Solicitor John Petrush	724-775-8600

Welcome to our newest Council members, Luke and Jarrod!

Borough Office

469 Third Street
724-773-6700
Office hours: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Meetings (held in the Beaver Municipal Building, 469 3rd Street)

- Beaver Council, 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.
- Shade Tree Commission, 4th Monday of the month, 7 p.m.
- Planning Commission, 3rd Monday of the month, 7 p.m.
- Business District Authority, 4th Wednesday of the month, 8:30 a.m.
- Civil Service Commission (meets as needed)
- Zoning Hearing Board (meets as needed)

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