

Mantua Township Municipal Calendar

2022



Dear Residents,

On behalf of the Township Committee, I would like to wish you a New Year that provides good health and many happy memories with your family and friends in the months to come. The Township Committee and I are grateful for the opportunity to continue to serve as leaders in this community and to be a part of making this Township better every day by listening to what really matters to all of you.

On the cover of the calendar this year is a picture of the new digital sign at Chestnut Branch Park. The bright new sign will allow us to be more engaging and increase awareness about upcoming events and news to share in the township. Improving communication with our residents still remains a top priority. Our website and social media will continue to be used to keep the public well informed. While most everything you'll need or want to know about Mantua Township is right here in this calendar, if you have any questions about this beautiful place you call home, please do not hesitate to contact me.

On behalf of the Township Committee, I would like to wish you a safe and joyful 2022. Please use this coming year as an opportunity to review the things that matter most in our lives and as we start the new year.

Stay well and safe,
Pete Scirrotto



Township Committee

Mayor Peter Scirrotto

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Deputy Mayor Robert Zimmerman

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Committeeman John Legge

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Committeewoman Eileen Lukens

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Committeeman Shawn Layton

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To contact the Township Committee, please call
856-468-1500 x120

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JANUARY 2022

TOWNSHIP DEPARTMENTS

Administration

Jennica Bileci, M.P.A.
Business Administrator
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 120
Email: jbileci@mantuatownship.com

Candice Pennewell
Chief Financial Officer
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 118
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Township Clerk's Office

Jennica Bileci, R.M.C. Township Clerk
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 120
Email: jbileci@mantuatownship.com

Pam LeVine, Deputy Clerk & Registrar
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 113
Email: plevine@mantuatownship.com

Janet Palumbo, Senior Reservations
856-468-1500 Ext. 100

Park Department

Bill Pine, Park Director
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 125
Email: bpine@mantuatownship.com

Economic Development

Michelle Bruner, Coordinator
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 122
Email: mbruner@mantuatownship.com

Public Works

Glenn deMers, Superintendent
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 115
Email: gdemers@mantuatownship.com
Email: plevine@mantuatownship.com

Construction Office

Jim Gallagher, Construction Official
Phone: 856-468-9050
Email: jgallagher@mantuatownship.com
Evening Hours: Tuesdays 7 pm to 8 pm

Susan Baldwin, Construction Clerk
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 126
Email: sbaldwin@mantuatownship.com

Denise deMers, Construction Clerk
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 127
Email: ddemers@mantuatownship.com

Code Enforcement

Graham Land, Code Enforcement
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 129
Email: gbland@mantuatownship.com

Land Use and Zoning Office

Michael Riggs
Director of Land Use & Code
Enforcement
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 130
Email: mriggs@mantuatownship.com

Kevin Howarth, Zoning Officer
Email: khowarth@mantuatownship.com
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 135
Hours: Tuesday 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Tax Collector's Office

Alice Kellmyer, Tax Collector
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 116
Email: akellmyer@mantuatownship.com

Tax Payments can be left in the 24 hour
drop box located at the drive up window.
No postdated property checks are
accepted.

Clean Communities

All non-profit organizations may apply
for funds to keep Mantua clean.
Phone: 856-468-1500 Ext. 113

Municipal Utilities Authority

Water & Sewer Department
Bill Krebs, Executive Director
Phone: 856-468-1111
Email: bkrebs@mantuamua.com

Kevin Howarth, Asst. Executive Director
Phone: 856-468-1111
Email: khowarth@mantuamua.com

Paul Pheasant, Superintendent
Phone: 856-468-1111
Email: ppheasant@mantuamua.com

Susan Novick, Accounts Payable
Maria Vacarino, Accounts Receivable
Yvonne DiNardo, Personnel
Phone: 856-468-1111

Police Department

405 Main Street, Mantua
Chief Darren White
Email: mantuapd@mantuatownship.com

Emergency Calls: 9-1-1
Non - Emergency Administrative
Phone: 856-468-1920

Fire District

Brian Hauss, District Chief
Email: chief@mtfd22.com

155 East Union Avenue, Sewell
Phone: 856-468-7222
Non - Emergency - www.mtfd22.com

Joint Municipal Court

Sarah Powell, Court Administrator
Email: spowell@mantuatownship.com
Phone: 856-468-3078

Kelly Conroy, JMC

Municipal Building Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30am - 4:30pm

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FEBRUARY 2022

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

TRASH PICK UP

- Trash containers must be curbside by 6 am on collection day and should not be placed at the curb before 6 pm on the day before your collection day.
- Trash containers must be removed from the curb by 7 pm on trash collection day. When your trash day falls on a holiday, trash will be collected as per the calendar.
- Only trash in provided **BLACK** carts will be collected.
- Trash must be placed in a bag & then placed in the provided trash cart.
- Containers should be less than 50 lbs.
- A street is **NOT** considered missed before 6 pm on your scheduled trash day.
- **Work by contractors will not be TAKEN!**

WE DO NOT PICK UP THE FOLLOWING:

- Asphalt shingles
- Concrete, cinder blocks, bricks
- Tires
- Propane tanks
- Chemicals
- Rail road ties
- Fluorescent light bulbs

PAINT DISPOSAL

- Latex (also called “water based”) paint can be placed for curbside pickup under these guidelines:
 - Lid off
 - Cans filled with clay-based kitty litter or speedy dry
 - Completely dried out
 - Do not put the lid back on the paint can



LEAF COLLECTION

- Starting November 1st – December 30th leaves are picked up the day before your trash day.
- Please keep leaves bag free and away from storm drain inlets and parked cars.
- Leaves can be raked to the curb. Leaves in bags will not be picked up.
- Leaves must be free of brush or wood.
- **DO NOT PLACE BRUSH ON TOP OF LEAF PILES**
- Spring leaf pickup is one week only April 18, 2022 - April 22, 2022.



BRANCHES & BRUSH

- Brush will be collected by the brush crane on non-bulk weeks on your trash day.
- **NO STUMPS**

GRASS/ VEGETATIVE WASTE

- Disposal of Grass and Vegetative Waste is to be placed inside the **GREEN** cart. This pickup is from March 21, 2022 – October 28, 2022.

ONLY GRASS AND LEAVES IN THE GREEN CART!

NO dirt, mulch, branches or sticks.



BULK ITEMS

- Bulk Trash is for residential household waste **ONLY**. First full week of every month Monday - Friday **“ONLY”** on your trash day!
- **DO NOT PLACE YOUR BULK OUT** before 6:00 pm the day before your collection.
- This refers to waste that is generated by the residents of the household.
- This **DOES NOT** include the structure and/or the outside structure, storm damage, remodeling or ANY kind or any construction debris.
- **CARPET** can be placed curbside in 4 ft lengths, tied and bundled.
- Old furniture may be placed at the curb with your trash, as well as white goods, such as a refrigerator, air conditioner, washer, or dryer or light iron.
- Doors must be removed from appliances before they are placed at the curb.
- We reserve the right to reject excessive bulk loads or any materials not accepted.
- E-WASTE TV's, computers, DVD's, CD players, etc. must go out during the bulk week.

CONVENIENCE CENTER DROP-OFF

Public Works Facility Garage (407 Main Street)

Located behind the Police Department
Check this calendar or website for hours
We accept the following **HOUSEHOLD** items for disposal.

- Used Motor Oil
 - Household Bulk Items
 - Yard Waste (brush, leaves, grass)
 - Electronics (TV's and computers)
 - Metal Items (light iron, refrigerators, BBQ grills and A/C units)
 - Contractors will be turned away.
- Proof of residency is required!**



HAZARDOUS WASTE

The Township will not pick up any hazardous or combustible waste. Any product which is labeled “warning, caution, poisonous, toxic, flammable, corrosive, reactive or explosive” is considered hazardous waste. This includes household products containing toxic chemicals, ammunition, paint, pesticides, herbicides, turpentine, lighter fluid, photographic and pool chemicals, rat poisons, car batteries and other hazardous materials. Gloucester County sponsors six “Household Special Waste” Collection days each year. These items may be taken to the County for proper disposal at those times.

For additional information, call the Gloucester County Improvement Authority Office of Recycling at 856-478-6045.



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6	7 7:00 Environmental Commission Mtg. @ Norris Street School Bulk Pick Up	8 Bulk Pick Up	9 Bulk Pick Up	10 Bulk Pick Up	11 Bulk Pick Up	12 Car Seat Safety Technicians @ Sewell Fire House 155 Union Ave 10:00am - 2:00pm
13 Daylight Savings Begins 	14	15 5:00 MUA Board Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg. 7:00 Land Use Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	16	17  7:00 Fire District Mtg. @ Union Fire Station	18	19
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MARCH 2022

RECYCLING & DISPOSAL

PLEASE FOLLOW THESE RULES:

NEW CARDBOARD RECYCLING RULES

We are finding hazardous materials hidden in cardboard boxes that residents set out for recycling. For this reason, **CARDBOARD BOXES MUST BE FLATTENED AND EMPTIED BEFORE RECYCLING.**

Fold large boxes, like appliance boxes.
Do not use boxes to hold other recyclables.
Remove and throw away foam and plastic wrap.



AND REMEMBER...

- Empty and rinse containers.
- Do not flatten aluminum cans.
- Do not recycle Amazon plastic mailers.
- Do not recycle hard back books.



To learn more, visit mantuatownship.com or call 856-468-1500

RECYCLING CARTS ARE MUNICIPAL PROPERTY

It is illegal to put trash in your cart or move it to a new property.

Due to a serious rise in contamination, recycling carts are subject to inspection.

NO PLASTIC BAGS
IN THE BLUE BIN

DO NOT
BAG
RECYCLABLES

Recyclables placed in plastic bags are not recycled. Please place clean recyclables directly in the blue bin.



CARTS WITH PLASTIC BAGS
WILL NOT BE COLLECTED



RECYCLE:

Paper and Cardboard
**EMPTY,
FLATTEN
AND FOLD**



Plastic Bottles
and Food
Containers

Empty and rinse
containers.

Glass
Bottles
and Jars

Labels are okay!

Metal CANS
Only

Empty, non-
hazardous aerosol
cans are okay!

Cartons



SET RECYCLING
OUT BY 6 AM

Metal bar must face the street.

DO NOT RECYCLE:

NO hoses or hangers

NO hardback books,
food soiled, or
frozen food boxes

NO foil items, bulbs,
cookware, or
window glass

NO motor oil,
batteries, or
hazardous items

NO plastic with a



NO Styrofoam

NO plastic bags
or wrap

NO air pillows

NO needles

NO plant pots,
trays, lids, or cups

NO shredded paper

You can recycle
rechargeable batteries
at Home Depot, Lowes,
and other big box stores.



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APRIL 2022

POLICE & FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Mantua Township Police Department

405 Main Street, Mantua

Chief Darren White

Emergency Calls: 9-1-1

Email: mantuapd@mantuatownship.com

For the Non-Emergency Administrative office, please contact Gloucester County Communications at 856-468-1900. Additionally, any records requests should be directed to 856-468-1920 ext. 1461 or 1462.

Traffic Safety

All residents are encouraged to contact the Police Department to express traffic related safety issues. The Traffic safety unit can be reached at mantuapd@mantuatownship.com.

Project Medicine Drop

The Police Department participates in "Project Medicine Drop," a program where "prescription drug boxes" are installed at participating New Jersey Police departments. Resident or non-residents can safely, securely, and anonymously drop off unused and/or expired medications through our lobbies' ground-mounted, locked metal mailbox with the "project medicine drop" logo. While this service is available all 365 days of the year, a dispatcher must be contacted through our red phone in the lobby to have an officer let you in after 4:30PM on weekdays and all weekends/holidays.

Project Safe Deal Zone

When conducting a face to face sales transaction through online services such as Craigslist or Facebook Marketplace, the Police Department offers 24 hour well-lit surveillance zones for your protection. Officers will be available via dispatch at 856-468-1900 for added security.

NIXLE Alerts

Nixle is a community alert system that allows our residents to receive important notification from the Police Department regarding public safety and community information via TEXT Message or EMAIL. For this FREE service, register at www.nixle.com.

Child Safety Seat Technicians

The Police Department has an officer trained in the inspection and proper installation of child safety seats. Lt. Shaun Butler is available to answer questions or requests assistance on the proper installation of a child safety seat, Call 856-468-1920, ext. 1546, or visit the Mantua Township Police website.

Mantua Twp. Emergency Management

Daniel Hauss, Coordinator

dhauss@mtfd22.com

Phone: 856-468-7222

Crossing Guards

The Police Department supervises all Township crossing guards. If you would like to participate in the crossing guard program, which includes full and part time positions, please contact Lt. Shaun Butler at 856-468-1920, ext. 1546.

Special Needs Registry

The special needs registry delivers valuable information to assist the Police Department to locate and provide for those who suffer with special needs or other disabilities. The packet can be located under the Police Department section of our website.

Straight To Treatment

Those battling with an addiction are encouraged to speak with a Police Department representative. To identify treatment solutions, a service provider can be reached in-person on Thursday from 3-6 P.M or at 856-766-8870.

Fire Department

Mantua Township

Fire District No. 1

Brian Hauss, District Chief

chief@mtfd22.com

155 East Union Ave., Sewell

Phone: 856-468-7222

(non-emergency)

www.mtfd22.com

Daniel Hauss, Fire Marshall

Board of Fire Commissioners

Kevin Howarth
Chairman

Joseph Hauss
Commissioner

Nick Vacarino
Commissioner

Chuck Jones, Sr.
Commissioner

Leonard Campbell
Commissioner

Mantua Township Police Explorers

A Police Explorer Program is for those 14-20 years of age who are interested in law enforcement as a potential career. For applications or questions, contact Adam Hasselmen at 856-468-1920, ext. 1550 or visit the Mantua Township Police website.

Gloucester County Notification

The service allows you, the resident, to receive a phone, text, and email notification if they so desire. The County will post road closures, detour information as well as emergency notifications and severe weather warnings. Visit www.co.gloucester.nj.us/alerts/default for more information.



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MAY 2022

OUR PARKS

CHESTNUT BRANCH PARK 545 Main Street

Named for the Chestnut Branch of the Mantua Creek, Chestnut Branch Park is more than 109 acres and includes athletic fields and facilities and two wooded areas of rolling hills with scenic trails and diverse wildlife. Along the edge of the fields, there are some wetlands that attract grassland birds as well as woodland species. A paved path circles the athletic fields, and bicyclists and walkers make use of this pathway. Follow the path to the right from the parking lot to get to the Butterfly Garden. The best time for viewing is mid-day in the summer. Continue on the path and you arrive at the 9/11 Memorial Place of Reflection with benches within a landscaped grove. To view the walking trail map, please visit our website at www.mantuatownship.com.

CERES PARK 403 Pitman Road / 940 Main Street

Ceres Park is a beautiful landscape of natural growth, hosting a thriving community of animal life that includes mammals, reptiles, amphibians, and many bird species. With an extensive trail system through upland and wetland forests, the preserve can seem much bigger than 52 acres. From the parking lot, a mile-long path through the forest is crisscrossed by many less-defined trails. The trails lead through a diverse selection of plant life to beautiful views of Emerald and Cedar Lakes. Walking/jogging/biking trails lead to the Chestnut Branch of Mantua Creek and through adjacent county-owned lands, allowing visitors to explore beyond the boundaries of the park. To view a trail map of the park, please visit our website at www.mantuatownship.com.



MCCARSON PARK Corner of Mercer Ave and Mantua Blvd.

Formerly known as Sewell Playground, this park and playground is a tribute to fallen Trooper Eli McC Carson. The park has a playground area for small children, basketball courts and picnic tables to enjoy. A memorial plaque and a paver triangle that replicates a Troopers badge have been added to make this park a special place.

EVENTS AT THE PARK

Chestnut Branch Park hosts lots of activities and family events to enjoy. The Mantua Township Recreation Commission hosts a variety of different events at Chestnut Branch Park ranging from our annual Easter Celebration, Big Night Out, Winter Festival and various kid's programs sponsored by the Gloucester County Board of Chosen Freeholders. For more information, please visit our website at www.mantuatownship.com.

PAVILION RENTAL If you are interested in using the Chestnut Branch Park Pavilion, please contact the Township office, 856-468-1500 ext.113



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JUNE 2022

OUR COMMUNITY

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS

AMVETS Post #77

Nonprofit veterans organization that offers membership to all who have served in the military with proof of honorable discharge.

Phone: 856-468-4155

Donald Feldman, Commander

Phone: 856-468-2678

Joseph Perna, 1st Vice

Commander and

Membership Information

856-307-1005

VFW Post #7679

Veteran's organization that serves the community and helps veterans.

Phone: 856-468-9821

Lions Club

Service club providing eye care for the needy, hospital equipment loans, food baskets, and other community service.

Gloucester County

Women's Club

The Gloucester County Women's Club meets the 2nd Thursday of each month September through June at 7PM at the Mantua Township Community Center.

glocowomensclub@gmail.com

BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Mantua Township has the following Boards and Commissions on which citizens of the municipality can serve:

Board of Health
Economic Development
Environmental Committee
Historical Commission
Mantua Harrison Municipal Alliance
Rent Leveling Board
Veterans Commission
Land Use
Recreation Committee

Please call 856-468-1500 x 113 if you need to contact a Chairperson of a Board.

WORSHIP

Abundant Life United

Penetecostal Church

856-468-5709

Barnsboro Baptist Church

856-589-9351

Barnsboro United Methodist Church

856-468-1783

Providence Orthodox Presbyterian Church

856-468-4600

Church of Incarnation

856-468-1314

Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints

856-589-3253

Congregation B'nai Tikvah- Beth Israel

856-589-6550

Faith Alliance Church

856-589-581

Fellowship Bible

856-478-9559

Mantua Baptist Church

856-468-0518

Mantua United Methodist Church

856-468-2711

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church

856-256-0833

Sewell Community Baptist Church

856-468-3112

True North Church

856-494-3562



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JULY 2022

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY

MANTUA TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND CLEARVIEW REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dr. H. Simmerman Administration Building

684 Main Street, Sewell
Phone: 856-468-2225
Fax: 856-468-5563
www.mantuaschools.com
Christine Trampe'
Superintendent
Phone: 856-468-2225 x 1103

J. Mason Tomlin School

393 Main Street, Mantua
Phone: 856-468-0818
Fax: 856-468-7174
Principal: Chantelle Shorter

Sewell School

40 McAnally Drive, Sewell
Phone: 856-468-0626
Fax: 856-468-7130
Principal: Stephen Blenderman

Centre City School

301 Columbus Drive, Mantua
Phone: 856-468-2100
Fax: 856-468-7530
Principal: Jennifer Cavalieri

Clearview Regional High School District Administration Building

420 Cedar Road
Mullica Hill, NJ 08062
856- 223-2760
John Horchak III, Superintendent
856-223-2765
Esther Pennell, Business Administrator
856-223-2764
Sherry McAteer, Director of Curriculum & Instruction
856-223-2766

Clearview Regional High School

625 Breakneck Road
Mullica Hill, NJ 08062
Phone: 856-223-2790
Keith Brook, Principal
856-223-2706

Gloucester County Library System

Mullica Hill Branch
389 Wolfert Station Road
Mullica Hill, NJ 08062
Phone: 856-223-6000
www.gcls.org

Hours

Mon-Thu: 10am-9pm
Fri: 10am-5pm
Sat: 10am-5pm
Sun: 1-5pm



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7 All meetings are "PM" unless noted otherwise	8 7:00 Environmental Commission Mtg. @ Norris Street School	9	10 Final Day to avoid 3rd quarter tax late fee	11	12	13 Car Seat Safety @ Sewell Fire House 10:00am - 2:00pm Convenience Center Drop Off @ Public Works Garage 10:00am - 2:00pm
14	15 6:00 Township Committee Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	16 5:00 MUA Board Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg. 7:00 Land Use Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	17	18 7:00 Fire District Mtg. @ Union Fire Station	19	20 Convenience Center Drop Off @ Public Works Garage 10:00am - 2:00pm
21	22	23	24	25 7:30 Veterans Commission Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	26	27 Convenience Center Drop Off @ Public Works Garage 10:00am - 2:00pm
28	29	30	31  Reminder: Trash must be placed at the curbside no earlier than 6:00 pm the night prior to your trash day		 RECYCLING TIP: Plastic bags are not permitted in your recycle bins	



AUGUST 2022

PATRIOT DAY CEREMONY

The Gloucester County Patriot Day Ceremony is our way to continue to remember the September 11th attacks.

The memorial is a tribute to Gloucester County residents John Rodak, Nicholas W. Brandemarti and Perry Thompson who lost their lives during the attacks on Sept. 11, 2001.

The ceremony begins at 8:30 am at the Place of Reflection at Chestnut Branch Park located on Main Street in Mantua. The ceremony will include a bell ringing to coincide with the timing of the events, and a wreath-laying at the county's 9/11 Memorial - a twisted I-beam from the World Trade Center.

The Place of Reflection also includes a tribute of remembrance of those who lost their lives at the Pentagon. The Pentagon Memorial Site Enhancement Project included a sitting wall in the shape of the Pentagon (18 inches tall) as well as a new piece of block from a wall of the Pentagon which is placed at a distance of 9 ft. 11 inches behind the flag pole. There are 184 grey border pavers that outline the pentagon which represent the 184 lives that were lost at the Pentagon site.



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4	5  Municipal Offices Closed Trash will be picked up on September 6, 2022. Please expect delays.	6 6:30 Board of Health Mtg @ Municipal Bldg. Bulk Pick Up	7 Bulk Pick Up	8 Bulk Pick Up	9 Bulk Pick Up	10 Car Seat Safety Technicians @ Sewell Fire House 155 Union Ave 10:00am - 2:00pm
11  8:30am Patriot Day Ceremony @ Chestnut Branch Park	12 7:00 Environmental Commission Mtg. @ Norris Street School	13	14	15 7:00 Fire District Mtg. @ Union Fire Station	16	17  9:00am - 12:00pm Shredding Event @ Municipal Bldg. Gloucester Co. residents only
18	19 6:00 Township Committee Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	20 5:00 MUA Board Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg. 7:00 Land Use Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	21	22 7:30 Veterans Commission Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	23	24 Convenience Center Drop Off @ Public Works Garage 10:00am - 2:00pm
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SEPTEMBER 2022

MANTUA SENIORS

Mantua takes great pride in the programs we provide for our senior community. The details of our most popular programs are listed below. We encourage all seniors to come out and enjoy our services as well as the chance to socialize with the other Mantua seniors.

SENIOR BUS

Mantua offers a free bus transportation service Monday thru Friday that takes our seniors on various shopping trips and planned outings. Some of our favorite spots include: ShopRite, Target, Deptford Mall area, the movies and events sponsored by the Gloucester County Board of Freeholders. To sign up, call 856-468-1500 x100.

SENIOR DINNERS

The Recreation Committee hosts free dinners for our Seniors at the Community Center located at 111 Mercer Ave, Sewell. To make a reservation, please call 856-468-1500 x100.

NUTRITION PROGRAM

Mantua Township Seniors have found the Gloucester County Nutrition Program a great way to enjoy a quality meal and a way to connect with new friends. The cost is \$1.25. The program is an effort by the Division of Senior Services from the Gloucester County Board of Freeholders to give back a little something to the community. The program has nutritious meals throughout the year and is offered to anyone over the age of 60 that is a Gloucester County resident. The lunches are served from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Mantua Twp. Community Center, 111 Mercer Avenue.

To make reservations, please contact 856-468-4773.



SENIOR VETERAN'S DEDUCTION for TAXES

The Township offers a Senior Citizen deduction of \$250.00 for any resident who is 65 years of age or older and who earns under \$10,000.00 a year not including Social Security/SSD Disabled Person. There is a \$250.00 veteran's deduction granted to those who served during time of war. For more information and to apply for the senior citizen, veterans and totally disabled veterans please contact the tax office.

PROPERTY TAX REIMBURSEMENT (SENIOR FREEZE)

This State program reimburses eligible senior citizens and disabled persons for property tax or mobile home park site fee increases on their principal residence. To qualify you must meet all the eligibility requirements for each year from the base year through the year for which you are applying. For more information call 856-468-1500 x113.

HEATING AND COOLING ASSISTANCE (LIHEAP)

This State program provides financial assistance and help to low income eligible households that are having difficulty paying their heating & cooling bills. For more information call 856-468-1500 x113.



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9	10 Columbus Day/ Indigenous Peoples' Day Municipal Offices Closed Trash will be picked up on October 11, 2022.	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 6:00 Township Committee Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	18 5:00 MUA Board Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg. 7:00 Land Use Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	19	20 7:00 Fire District Mtg. @ Union Fire Station	21	22 Convenience Center Drop Off @ Public Works Garage 10:00am - 2:00pm
23 30	24 31  Halloween Trick or Treating 3:00pm - 8:00pm	25	26	27 7:30 Veterans Commission Mtg. @ Municipal Bldg.	28 Last Day for Green Carts 	29

 **Oct. 31st- Leaf Pick Up Begins at Curbside NO BAGS!**



OCTOBER 2022

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS

Clearview Youth Basketball

856-468-1514

cybbasketball@gmail.com

Mantua Township Soccer Association

www.mantuasoccer.com

Mantua Little League

mantualittleleague@gmail.com

Clearview Jr. Wrestling

President: Lee Colon

856-625-4752 or

lcolon360@gmail.com

Sewell Baseball & Softball, Inc.

www.sewellraildogsbaseballsoftball.com

Clearview Lacrosse Club

www.clearviewlacrosseclub.com

Clearview Youth Football & Cheerleading

856-418-0057

information@cyfcpioneers.org



Cub Scout Pack 45

Scouts

Cub Scout Pack 7045

Boys and Girls K-5th grades

info@pack45mantua.org

www.pack45mantua.org

856-350-5205

Girl Scouts of Central & South Jersey

Mary Howard, Coordinator

Contact: 856-478-0093

BSA Troop 7083

Boys and Girls 6-12th grades

www.mantuatroop83.org



Mantua Little League Minor/Major District 15 All Stars

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NOVEMBER 2022

**On behalf of the Mayor and Mantua Township Committee,
we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!**



Snow Reminder

The Mantua Township Police Department would like to remind all residents that as per L.O. 143-22 there is no parking on ANY Township street during snow emergencies, or any snowstorm in which snow removal equipment is in use. We ask that all vehicles, portable basketball nets, boats and RVs be removed from all highways, streets and cul-de-sacs to prevent damage and allow our Public Works Department and other government agencies to effectively plow and clear all highways, streets and cul-de-sacs within the Township safely and timely. Please keep your vehicles clear of the road until the snow has stopped, AND plows have cleared your street. L.O. 350-28 prohibits the depositing of snow on any roadway within the Township either by shovel, snow blower, plow or any other means from any driveway, sidewalk or other private property onto any street within the Township. To ensure the safety and welfare of all residents, and to assist in the prompt clearing of snow from the roadways, the Mantua Police Department asks that all residents be mindful of these ordinances to assist in the prompt, safe and effective removal of snow from all Township Roadways.

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DECEMBER 2022

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS IN GLOUCESTER CO.**IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS IN MANTUA TWP.**

Title	Address	Phone	Title	Name	Phone	Ext
Gloucester County Aging + Disability Services	115 Budd Blvd. West Deptford, NJ 08096	(856) 384-6842	Administrator/Clerk	Jennica Bileci	856-468-1500	120
			Chief Financial Officer	Candice Pennewell	856-468-1500	118
Gloucester County Animal Control	1200 N. Delsea Dr. Clayton, NJ 08312	(856) 881-2828	Economic Development	Michelle Bruner	856-468-1500	122
			Code Enforcement	Graham B. Land	856-468-1500	129
Gloucester County Board of Elections	550 Grove Rd. West Deptford, NJ 08066	(856) 384-4500	Construction Official	Jim Gallagher	856-468-9050	
			Fire Marshall	Daniel Hauss	856-468-7222	
Gloucester County Recycling	503 Monroeville Rd. Swedesboro, NJ 08085	(856) 478-6045	MUA Executive Director	William Krebs	856-468-1111	
			Park Director	Bill Pine	856-468-1500	125
Mantua Post Office	20 Mantua Blvd. Mantua, NJ 08051	(856) 468-1600	Zoning Officer	Kevin Howarth	856-468-1500	135
Gloucester County Senior Services	115 Budd Blvd. West Deptford, NJ 08096	(856) 384-6900	Police Chief	Darren White	856-468-1920	
			Public Works	Glen DeMers	856-468-1500	115
Sewell Post Office	141 Center St. Sewell, NJ 08080	(856) 468-1010	Tax Collector	Alice Kellmyer	856-468-1500	116
Gloucester County Tax Assessor	1200 N. Delsea Drive Clayton, NJ 08312	(856) 307-6445	Court Administrator	Sarah Powell	856-468-3078	

Are you new to Mantua Township?

If so, please let us know so we can deliver a "Welcome New Resident" bag to your home! You will find that Mantua Township has everything to offer. We have beautiful parks, great schools, and we are also the home of the Jean and Ric Edelman Fossil Park of Rowan University! For our Seniors, Mantua Township prides itself in offering exceptional Senior programs and services. We hope to see you at many events throughout the year. Thank you again for choosing Mantua Township as your new home!

Please visit www.mantuatownship.com for more information.



Mantua Township Municipal Building

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Mantua, New Jersey 08051

(856) 468-1500

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