

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER SPRING 2023

MANTUA TOWNSHIP NEWS

YOUR SOURCE FOR COMMUNITY NEWS AND INFORMATION



Message from Mayor Bob Zimmerman

The Township Committee and I are excited to present the Spring Newsletter of 2023. We are committed to keeping our residents informed and engaged through quarterly newsletters, increased social media presence, and more!

The Township Committee is ecstatic as we wait in anticipation for the Spring 2024 opening of the 72-million-dollar Rowan University Jean and Ric Edelman Fossil Park and Museum. This world class museum will bring in visitors from around the world and is expected to get approximately 200,000 visitors annually. It's already put Mantua on the map, and will pay huge dividends by creating jobs, boosting our local economy and educating our children.

As the weather turns more pleasant and spring activities increase, we kindly ask that residents adhere to all rules at Chestnut Branch Park, but most importantly, be considerate of others and do not bring dogs or pets to the park facility. We have other alternative locations here in Mantua for walking dogs, such as Ceres Park and Tall Pines. We thank you for your cooperation.

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS THIS SPRING

Mantua Township was awarded two GC Community Development Block Grants totaling \$350,000!

With these funds, we have:

1. Replaced the roof to our Senior Center Building.
2. Improved the bathrooms at Chestnut Park with ADA enhancements and a new family bathroom.

Thank you to Gloucester's Department of Economic Development and the Division of Housing and Community Development for providing funding for these renovations.



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WHAT'S HAPPENING

SHREDDING EVENT
APRIL 15

SPRING LEAF PICK UP
APR 17-21

MEMORIAL DAY BIKE
PARADE/CEREMONY
MAY 29TH

BIKE DECORATING CONTEST

PRIMARY ELECTION
JUNE 6TH

BIG NIGHT OUT
JUNE 8TH
@CHESTNUT BRANCH PARK

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401 Main Street
Mantua, NJ 08051

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Mantua PD: New Promotions and Hires



Welcome new Mantua Police Department hires, Patrolmen Thomas Cirone and Gregory Sweeney, Jr.



Congratulations to newly ranked Lieutenant Brian Hauss and Sergeant Brian Crispin for their promotions!

The Township has deployed our new school security ambulance for the tri-party joint initiative with the Township of Mantua, the Township of Harrison, and the Borough of Wenonah!



Thank you to Deputy Mayor Pete Scirrotto for his vision and the Mantua Police Department for orchestrating this collaborative effort!

Meet Scott Hellerman PARK DIRECTOR



Mantua Twp. would like to welcome new Director of Parks Scott Hellerman to our team!

With his expertise and knowledge of turf management, irrigation systems, drainage systems and landscaping, Scott is "looking forward to a new challenge of improving our already beautiful parks."

Gloucester County Women's Club



During the month of April, Blue Pin Wheels will be displayed in the front of our Mantua Municipal Garden.

These garden pinwheels will be throughout New Jersey to remind all of the need to Prevent Child Abuse.