

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER FALL 2023

MANTUA TOWNSHIP NEWS

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Messages from Mayor Bob Zimmerman

Home of the Champions!

Congratulations to Mantua Little League's "Coach Pitch Team" who won the "2023 Small Town Championship" earlier this year. The Township Committee and I presented each young champion with a township proclamation at our September 11th meeting.



The Mantua Township Committee congratulates the Mantua Township Little League's "Coach Pitch Team"

Congratulations to players Jackson Blenderman, Benjamin Ehret, Devon Fuentes, Miles Genzel, Ellis Jones, Rhys Kovalevich, Ajay Olsen, Anthony Paladino, Oliver Thompson, Gavin Viereck, Charlie Visalli and Jaxon Whitley. We'd also like to congratulate and extend our gratitude to Head Coaches Jeff Genzel and Brian Ehret, and their Assistant Coaches Dan Olsen, Andy Whitley, CJ Visalli and Emily Ehret.

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COMMITTEEMAN

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UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER 30
LEAF PICK UP BEGINS
CURBSIDE PICK-UP
NO BAGS WILL BE ACCEPTED

OCTOBER 31
HAPPY HALLOWEEN
TRICK OR TREATING
BETWEEN 3:00 PM AND 8:00 PM

NOVEMBER 7
ELECTION DAY
POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM
6:00 AM UNTIL 8:00 PM

NOVEMBER 11
VETERANS DAY CEREMONY
MANTUA TOWNSHIP
MUNICIPAL BUILDING
11:00 AM

NOVEMBER 30
MANTUA TOWNSHIP
WINTER FESTIVAL
CHESTNUT BRANCH PARK
5:00 PM

Recognizing Pitt Hopkins Syndrome in Mantua Township

Our community is blessed to have Anthony Mirigliani who was diagnosed at a young age with the rare disorder, "Pitt Hopkins Syndrome." This year on September 18th we presented an annual township proclamation to Anthony and the Mirigliani's declaring Pitt Hopkins Awareness Day in Mantua Township to help spread awareness.

Tax ANCHOR Information

The Affordable New Jersey Communities Homeowners and Renters (ANCHOR) Program provides property tax relief to New Jersey Residents. The current filing season for the ANCHOR Program is based on 2020 residency, income, and age.

You have until **Friday, December 29, 2023**, to file an application.

For more information, please contact Alice Kellmyer, the Mantua Township Tax Collector, via email at akellmyer@mantuatownship.com.



Mayor Zimmerman, Anthony Mirigliani, and Maria Ostrowski, Owner of Memory Lane Antiques, at the Grand Opening of Memory Lane Antiques



"We're extremely blessed to live in such a family-oriented, safe and thriving community. I'm honored and humbled to serve as your elected leader. Best wishes for a wonderful fall season."

Mayor Robert Zimmerman



Welcome New Police Officers!

In front of a packed house Mantua Township's Police Department swore in four new officers, Joseph Craig, Arthur Ettore, Matthew Germschied, and Jacob Jowett as patrolman. They also swore in Robert Layton to rank of Detective Sergeant, as well as, Bruce Shaw and Stephen Wolfsgruber to the rank of Corporal.



Mayor Zimmerman, Mantua Township Police Chief Darren White, and other Mantua Township Police Officers at our Coffee With a Cop Event

Mantua Township "Coffee With A Cop"

The Mantua Township PD would like to thank everyone who joined in on our Coffee With a Cop event on October 10, 2023, at Target on Woodbury-Glassboro Road. We connected with the community, introduced young folks to our officers, and, best of all, offered free coffee and pastries! Phantom, the 2,000 lb. horse from the NJSP Mounted Unit, was also a hit! Stay tuned for future Coffee With a Cop events!

Free Flu Shot Information

Monday, October 23, 2023
 Daycare, Preschool, Family Clinic
 Gloucester Co. Health Department
 204 East Holly Avenue
 Sewell, NJ 08080
 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Thursday, November 9, 2023
 Woodbury Heights Community Center
 741 Helen Avenue
 Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097
 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM



Mayor Zimmerman, Deputy Mayor Scirrotto, Committeewoman Lukens, and Committeeman Layton with the Rodak Family at Mantua Township's Patriot Day Ceremony

Mantua Township Patriot's Day Ceremony

We were once again honored to host the annual Gloucester County "Patriot Day Ceremony" on September 11th at our Place of Reflection at beautiful Chestnut Branch Park. Each year we gather to honor the almost 3,000 lives lost during the horrific attacks that occurred on September 11, 2001. For us here in Mantua, it's an opportunity to reflect personally on the loss of John Rodak from our community who lost his life while working inside the twin towers on 9/11. John is our hometown patriot, and the Rodak's will forever be a part of our Mantua family.



Committeeman Legge and Chairman Joe Heitman of the Mantua Township Veteran's Commission at the annual "Running With Vets" event hosted by the Mantua Township VFW

"Running With Vets" Hosted by the Mantua Township VFW

The Mantua VFW hosted the "Running for the Vets" 5K and 1 mile race on October 1st with close to 100 participants. Committeeman John Legge represented the Township Committee as well as Jennica Bileci, Township Administrator and Josh Cummings, digital media team. The proceeds from the amazing turnout will benefit the New Jersey Run For The Fallen, and the Mantua VFW.

THE FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENTS HAVE BEEN MICROSURFACED IN 2023

- Crescent Hollow Drive
- Spring Valley Road
- Chapel Ridge Drive

FOLLOW TOWNSHIP OF MANTUA ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

