

# EDGEWOOD

AUGUST 2009

## EDGEWOOD COMMUNITY DAY 2009 SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

8:30 a.m. ....	.5K Walkers Begin
9 a.m. ....	.5K Race Runners Begin
11 a.m. ....	.Parade
1 p.m. – 2 p.m. ....	.East End Kids
3 p.m. – 5 p.m. ....	.East End Dukes
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. ....	.Rhythm Hawks
7:30 p.m. ....	.Police Raffle and 50/50 Drawing
7:45 p.m. ....	.Limpert Award Presentation and Edgewood Foundation Birthday Cake Celebration
8 p.m. – 9 p.m. ....	.Edgewood Symphony Orchestra
9 p.m. ....	.Zambelli Fireworks

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- Moon Bounce
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# EDGEWOOD COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

## Runners, Get Set - Annual Community Day 5K Race & Walk

The 25th Annual 5K Race and Walk will kick off Edgewood's Community Day on Saturday, August 15. The race will follow its traditional course through the streets of the borough. Once again, the public works department, the volunteer fire department, police department and Eastern Area EMS will be providing support.

Entry forms have been mailed to past participants. If you did not receive one and wish to race or walk, please stop by the borough building for the form. Entry forms can also be found on the borough web site, <http://www.edgewood.pgh.pa.us/>.

Residents who live along the course should be warned that the streets will be closed from approximately 7 a.m. until the last runner passes by, which is usually by 10 a.m. Parade route streets will be closed until after the 11 a.m. parade. For those living along both routes, it is important to move your car away from the course if you need to leave during the event.

The Edgewood 5K is in its 25th year and has a reputation as a challenging but fun course. The race originators laid the route out to fall entirely within Edgewood, and it features some of the borough's most beautiful streets. Runners and walkers are encouraged to come and support the community. If you have any questions, please call Rick Gusic at (412) 271-888 (days) or (412) 657-3944 (evenings).

### COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

The Borough of Edgewood does not specifically endorse any community organization, but welcomes and publishes newsletter announcements from all community groups in the borough. The editor reserves the right to edit announcements for length, content, or to meet editorial policies of the borough. For information on how to submit your news, see the box below.

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### New Books to the Library

Two authors with connections to the library have made gifts of their latest books. Regent Square resident Edwin Kiester donated *Before They Changed the World: Pivotal Moments that Shaped the Lives of Great Leaders Before They Became Famous*. Library staff members are thrilled to be included in his list of acknowledgements.

Henry Dormann, father of regular library volunteer Kristi Kelly, has contributed a signed edition of his newest book entitled *Letters from Leaders: Personal Advice for Tomorrow's Leaders from the World's Most Influential People*. Both books are available for circulation.

### Pajama Family Story Hour

Put your jammies on and join the fun on Wednesday, September 2 at 6:30 p.m.

### Drop Dead Book Club

This popular mystery book discussion group will resume their meetings on Wednesday, September 9 at 7 p.m. in the library board room. They will be discussing *Black Cherry Blues* by James Lee Burke. Copies of the books are available for check out at the children's desk. The discussion is open to all who like mysteries.

### Mango Language

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### Financial Workshops For Seniors and Those Not Quite So Senior

Mark your calendars for a five week series of workshops beginning Wednesday, September 23 at 6:30 p.m. in the Edgewood Community House living room. These free programs entitled *Your Finances: Protecting What's Important* will cover such topics as retirement reality check, social security 101, estate planning, community based and long term care, and investment scams. More details will follow in the September newsletter, or check the library's website at [www.ccmellorlibrary.org](http://www.ccmellorlibrary.org). The library is partnering with Deborah Hughes from Edward Jones in developing this workshop.

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The library will be closed Monday, September 7 for Labor Day. Regular hours will be held the rest of the weekend.

*All events are free of charge unless otherwise noted. Please adhere to reservation requirements. Reservations for any of the programs listed can be made by calling the library at (412) 731-0909.*

## Toddler Time

This month's theme is all about apples. Toddler time will meet on Saturday, September 5 at 11:00 a.m. and is for children from 18 months to preschool age. Please register by Thursday, September 4.

## Preschool Story Time

This popular program will return on Wednesday afternoons. Join us at 1:30 p.m. beginning Wednesday, September 2.

## We/Two Read

This book club is for children between the ages of four and seven with a parent or guardian. In September, the book selection is *The Incredible Book Eating Boy* by Oliver Jeffers. Copies of the book will be available the last week of August. The club will meet Saturday, September 12.

*By Sallie Bogie and Andrea McNeill Librarians*

## ABC School

### Drive for Fallen Heroes Fund

In an effort to show support for our law enforcement community, the members of the Senior Student Leadership Class, and members of the Woodland Hills Rifle Team under the direction of Mr. Matt Rodrigues, and the High School Resource Officer Steve Shaulis spearheaded a collection drive for the Fallen Heroes Fund. The students collected loose change in the cafeteria during the lunch periods. With the support of Mr. Thomas Crone, donations were encouraged at the performances of the Woodland Hills High School spring musical, *The Wizard of Oz*.

The other district schools also assisted in the collection process. Through their hard work and dedication, the students were proudly able to donate \$4,625 to the Fallen Heroes Fund.

Many thanks to the Student Leadership Class of 2009, the Woodland Hills Rifle Team, the musical cast and crew, Mr Rodrigues, Mr. Crone, Officer Shaulis and the high school and district staff and administration for their support. Thank you to all who contributed to the cause.

### Woodland Hills High School Seeks Exchange Students

Want to make a difference in a young person's life while learning more about another culture? Host a foreign exchange student in the Woodland Hills School District.

Students are between the ages of 15 and 18 years old. They stay for either five or ten months and have their own spending money and insurance. For more information, contact Peg Schmidt at (412) 913-9841, pghpeg@gmail.com, or visit [www.ciee.org/hs/host/](http://www.ciee.org/hs/host/).

## Edgewood Senior Goes to International Science Fair



Matthew Stoffregen, recent graduate of Woodland Hills High School, took his project: "Erdos' Conjecture," to the Intel International Science and

Engineering Fair in Reno, Nevada at the end of May. Matthew was able to take in the sites of Reno during the week he spent in the desert. He was one of only three students from our region chosen to present a project at the ISEF, the premiere science competition for students in grades 9-12. Matt is planning to enter the University of Pittsburgh in the fall as a math major. Congratulations Matt.

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## Edgewood Foundation

### Community Day Birthday Celebration

Join foundation members on Community Day to celebrate the Edgewood Foundation's 25th birthday. Before the symphony performance, come by the foundation's booth for a birthday cake celebration. Community Day is also the time the Limpert Award will be given to a well deserving Edgewood volunteer. During the day, the foundation will be selling cotton candy and sponsoring an inflatable activity. The foundation can't wait to celebrate with you!

### Clean-up Brinton Road

The foundation will be announcing a clean-up day in August to pick up the trash on Brinton Road. Please keep an eye on the message board at the borough building for the date/time. Although children are encouraged to help keep our streets clean, this clean-up is too dangerous for children due to the traffic on Brinton Road.

### Sleep Under the Stars

Sleep Over in the Park is scheduled for September 12. This is a great free event for parents and their children. Foundation members will be putting up tents and lighting a bonfire, with the help of the firemen, at Koenig Field.



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### New to Edgewood?

The Newcomers Reception is scheduled for September 17. This event is free and open to anyone that is new to the borough. It is a great chance to meet borough officials and club leaders while meeting new neighbors.

### Beautifying the Entrance to Edgewood

The foundation will be beautifying the Edgewood sign at the parkway along with the help of some local contractors over the fall season. Great changes are being planned as part of the foundation's 25th birthday project. You can donate to this beautification project on the foundation website, <http://www.edgewoodfoundation.org>, via Paypal. Look for a beautiful entrance to Edgewood from the parkway this fall/spring as this project starts to take root!



## WPSD

### Celebrate 125 years of WPSD in Edgewood

This fall, the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf (WPSD) will cele-

brate its 140th Anniversary and 125 years at the Edgewood campus.

On September 4, 1869 the first day school for deaf children in the United States opened with nine deaf pupils at the First Ward Public School in Pittsburgh. Today, WPSD is still a tuition-free school with high academic expectations. Over 250 children from birth through twelfth grade are served through the campus in Edgewood. Beginning with the 2009-2010 school year, WPSD will administer the education and extra-curricular programs for the Scranton School for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Children (SSDHC) with over 90 children enrolled from preschool through twelfth grade.

One thing has remained unchanged since 1869, and that is the school's commitment to educational excellence and the physical and social well being of deaf and hard-of-hearing children. From the very beginning, the mission of the school has been to offer these children every opportunity to succeed in life.

### The Third Annual Community Block Party & Car Cruise

The block party and car cruise will be held Saturday, October 10 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. There is no charge for participation. For more information call (412) 371-7000 or email Gregg Bowers at [gbowers@wpsd.org](mailto:gbowers@wpsd.org), or Vicki Cherney at [vcherney@wpsd.org](mailto:vcherney@wpsd.org).

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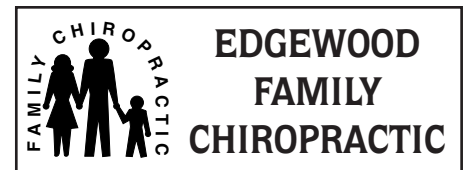
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## Edgewood Symphony's Annual Community Day Concert

Join your neighborhood symphony orchestra at what has become a Community Day tradition! At 8 p.m. on Saturday, August 15, the Edgewood Symphony Orchestra will launch the fireworks with some star spangled tunes.

Be sure to save the dates for the ESO's upcoming 2009 - 2010 season. Mark your calendar for 7:30 p.m. on October 17, December 12, March 13 and May 15. The specifics are still in the works, but be prepared to hear some great music and some great performers. Check in at [www.edgewood-symphony.org](http://www.edgewood-symphony.org) for more details.



## Nine Mile Run

### Falls Ravine Restoration Day

On Wednesday, August 5th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., help NMRWA reconstruct the lower portion of Falls Ravine to ensure that the flow of water remains steady into the Fern Hollow Wetlands. A number of experts from the NMRWA's Monitoring Committee

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will be joining us to help direct the work. We provide gloves, safety vests and most of the necessary tools, but if you have an extra shovel please bring it! Meet at the Falls Ravine Shelter at the trail intersection in Fern Hollow. Volunteers should wear long pants and sturdy boots or shoes. To register, contact Lisa at (412) 371.8779 ext. 15 or email [lisa@ninemilerun.org](mailto:lisa@ninemilerun.org).



## Recreation

### We are the Champions

Edgewood Baseball brings the championship trophy back to Edgewood for the second year straight. The 9- and 10-year-olds, coached by George Pomper, claimed victory in the third game of the championship series against Forest Hills Black.

Played under the lights in a packed park in Forest Hills, Edgewood battled hard to take the final game 8-2. The victory ensured Edgewood's name would be etched yet again on the Woodland

Hills Little League's prized possession.

The season, though not spectacular, was sound, and the 9- and 10-year-olds finished in fourth place with a 10-5-1 record. Nate Boyer pitched a solid game to win the championship, and was awarded the MVP in the final game of the season. Thanks to George Pomper, head coach, his wife Carla, and all the assistant coaches. Way to go Edgewood Green!

Edgewood 11- and 12-year-olds also made it to the championship series. They took it to the third game against the mighty giants of Chalfont. Coached by John Bilyak, the team was small in stature and plagued by injuries throughout the season. Yet Edgewood stood tall, finishing second in the league, and pushed Chalfont to play a third game in the championship series.

Those kids were big, but next year Edgewood will be bigger. Congratulations to John Bilyak and Edgewood's 11- and 12-year-olds.

By Marjory Freedline

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## Recreation

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### We are the Champions... Again!

For a second straight year, Edgewood Borough can call its 16-and-under girls softball team champions! This year, the girls needed to work a little harder to bring home the title. They needed a game ending home run by Kelsey Patterson in extra innings against Trafford to earn another trip to the championship game against Turtle Creek.

After falling behind 5-0 through three innings, Edgewood tied the game with hits by Kelsey Patterson, Gabby Cooksey, Kate Mohan and Chelsea White. Turtle Creek showed why they deserved to be there by battling back to take an 11-6 lead after five innings. Just as things began to look bleak, Edgewood rallied to tie the game with runs scored by Mona Badran, Tess McCardle, Kathryn Durkin and Nikki Nystrom. Edgewood would be tested again in the bottom of the sixth against Turtle Creek's best hitters, but this time

they were up to the challenge, as Sarah Blotzer-Miller made a diving catch in right field to help keep any batters from reaching base. Emily Blotzer-Miller, who pitched most of the game, gave Edgewood its first lead with a home run over the right center field fence in the top of the seventh and final inning. That proved to be the game winning run, as Edgewood once again kept Turtle Creek's batters in check and held on to a 12-11 victory.

*By Gregory Miller*



*The kids from left to right are Tristan, Jack, Alexei, and Henry.*

### Edgewood's All Stars

June 7, Tristan Ascanio, Henry Edwards and Alexei Hooks played in the 8-year-old All Star Baseball Game. Jack Showronski was chosen as the 9-year-old All Star player. The boys had a great time representing Edgewood Baseball as they played their best on the field at Chalfant.

### Basketball Registration Begins

It's time to sign up for Edgewood Recreation's Basketball Program. The teams will be for boys and girls ages

seven to fifteen. Games will be played on Saturdays in January, following the draft in December. You will be contacted by your coach after the draft. Fees for the program are \$50 per player. Please pick up a registration form at the borough building or on the borough website at <http://www.edgewood.pgh.pa.us/>.

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# Borough Manager

## Wet Weather and the Effect on our Sanitary Sewer System

After the storm on June 17, many of our residents experienced flooding from the excessive amount of rain that fell in a two hour time frame. Some of the flooding was caused by excessive ground water flow, and some was caused by the surcharging of our sanitary sewer system.

According to the 3 Rivers Wet Weather web site, frequent rainfall and melting snow can cause raw sewage to overflow into the area's rivers and streams. One tenth of an inch of rain can cause this to happen and Pittsburgh receives an average rainfall of one-quarter inch.

Our sewers transport wastewater from our homes to the wastewater treatment plant efficiently during dry weather. The problem occurs when rain or melted snow gets in the sewer pipes through direct connections, and through leaky or cracked pipes. The extra rain water overloads the sewer pipes and raw sewage overflows into waterways, from manholes or even into basements.

To learn more about the problem and what is being done to remedy it, please visit the Three Rivers Web Site at [www.3riverswetweather.org/](http://www.3riverswetweather.org/) or the ALCOSAN Web Site at [www.alcosan.org/](http://www.alcosan.org/).

## Edgewood Train Station Update

I have received many inquiries about the status of the Edgewood Train Station. On July 22, bids were opened for exterior renovations to the station. This work will include the replacement of all doors and windows, the installation of new shake shingles and the restoration or repainting of the brick. Also we are working in conjunction with the Nine Mile Run Watershed Association and the Edgewood Garden Club to install a rain garden on the site. To learn more about rain gardens go to [www.3riverswetweather.org/](http://www.3riverswetweather.org/). We are also starting discussions with several people interested in renting the train station.

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Six weeks after submitting a property tax/rent rebate application, the applicant may visit the website and check the status of the rebate by entering his/her Social Security number, anticipated rebate amount and birth date. Applicants may use the website to confirm claim status, rebate amount and the date a rebate is expected to be mailed or direct deposited. Distribution of rebate checks began on July 1.

Through a similar automated phone service, property tax/rent rebate applicants can check rebate status by calling, toll-free, 1-888-PATAXES.

*By Warren Cecconi  
Borough Manager*



# Tax Time

The 2009 Woodland Hills School tax bill was mailed out the first of July. The new millage is 25.651. This bill is due at discount by August 31, which is a Monday. I will be in the office the week of August 17, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., and also the week of the August 24, Monday through Friday. If you have not received your bill yet, please call my office at (412) 731-0200. Also, if you have refinanced or changed your mortgage company, call me to give me the change and report it to the Allegheny County tax office at (412) 350-4100. If you are paying in installments, make sure you send the bill in with the payment so you will receive your other two installment bills. These will be sent out sometime in September.

The Edgewood Borough Real Estate tax is now due at penalty. These bills were mailed out the first of April. Remember, it is your responsibility as a homeowner to make sure you have received your bill. I have no control over the mail once it goes to the post office. I hope everyone is having a great summer!

*By Maureen Smith  
Tax Collector*

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# Police Report

## Community Day Brings Fun; Parking Considerations

Community Day is upon us. As a reminder, we ask that you do not park your vehicle along the parade route. On Friday, August 14, the route will be posted with no parking signs which will be effective from 7 a.m. until 1 p.m. on August 15 (Community Day). The affected streets are: Maple Avenue, the 100 block of East Swissvale Avenue, Greendale Avenue, the 100 and 200 blocks of Race Street (including Short Race), the 100 block of West Hutchinson and Pennwood Avenue (from Race to West Hutchinson). Vehicles parked in these areas during that period may be towed. If you like to sleep in on Saturday, or if you will be on vacation during this time, please plan ahead and make other parking arrangements.

The Edgewood Police Department will again host a crime prevention booth. Safety tips on crime prevention and literature about various programs that are sponsored by the police department throughout the year can be obtained at the booth. Stop by and say hello! While you're there, don't forget to sign your child up for the raffle which is held each year by the department. Several desirable prizes will be given away, so be sure to sign your child up. They may be one of the lucky winners!

## Thunder in the Borough

The Edgewood Police Department, along with Applebee's Restaurant, are planning the First Annual Car Cruise, slated for August 16, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. All proceeds will benefit the Fallen Heroes Fund, in memory of the three fallen Pittsburgh Police Officers of Zone 5. Applebee's will also donate 15% of all proceeds raised during



## Police Tip of the Month

Remember to lock your vehicles at all times. Do not leave valuable items such as portable GPS devices, laptop computers, golf clubs or money in plain view. These are some of the items that make your vehicle a target for would-be thieves.

**Dining to Donate.** The car cruise will be held at the parking lot across from Applebee's in the Edgewood Towne Centre. A \$5 donation will be asked for all vehicles entering the various contests. Car classifications will include muscle, import, custom and bikes. Prizes will be awarded and a DJ will be on hand.

## Protect Your Property

Several homes and tool sheds have recently been the targets of break-ins in the borough. Please secure your home and personal property when you are away. If you see any suspicious activity in the borough, please do not hesitate to dial 911 immediately.

## Activity Report

The Edgewood Police Department responded to and handled 1,645 calls for service in May 2009. There were 544 incidents reported, 214 complaints received and 10 accidents investigated. Three of these resulted in personal injury, and seven resulted in property damage.

Part I Crimes are the more serious crimes of homicide, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft and arson. Of the 22 Part I Crimes committed in the borough, there was one for robbery, zero for motor vehicle theft and burglary, 17 for shoplifting, two for aggravated assault and two other crimes.

There were 16 adult and one juvenile arrests made for felony and misdemeanor violations.

Edgewood officers wrote a total of 65 traffic citations and 300 parking citations. Five arrests for driving under the influence were made. There were six vandalism/criminal mischief complaints and two narcotics offenses.

Officers also responded to 19 false alarm calls, took 230 reports, responded to 22 public nuisance complaints, wrote five non-traffic citations and responded to 15 calls for medical assistance.



# EVFD

## Taste of Summer

Oh yes, Edgewood Community Day is here again. Just a little reminder that summer is about over, the kids will be going back to school soon and Christmas is only four months away. What better way to enjoy the last bit of summer than with a delicious chicken or rib dinner from the EVFD? Dinners are still a bargain at \$8. For that, you get half a chicken or ribs, corn on the cob, a roll, and apple sauce. For those that want a snack before dinner, we will also have wings and French fries.

## Edgewood on Parade

This year's parade will start at the top of Maple Avenue at 11 a.m. and will make its way to Koenig Field from there. Any group in the borough that is interested in being in the parade should contact me at firechief@edgewoodboro.com. Please put PARADE in the subject line. Walkers or riders are welcome. If you own a convertible, please contact me if you can drive it in the parade.

## Light Up the Night

What is a fireworks show without a glow necklace? The EVFD junior firefighters will be selling glow necklaces prior to the fireworks show for the bargain price of \$2. Get them early and get them often!



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# August/September

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

# 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>2 AUGUST</b>	<b>3</b> 7:30 Boy Scouts, FPCE 7:30 Borough Council, BB	<b>4</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 6:30 Toastmasters, CCML	<b>5</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 1:30 Way Cool Wednesday, CCML 7 Venturing BSA, FPCE	<b>6</b> Refuse Pickup	<b>7</b> 11 Friday Kid Crafters, CCML	<b>8</b> 12 Teen Summer Reading, CCML
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 7:30 Boy Scouts, FPCE 7:30 Borough Council, BB	<b>11</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 6:30 Toastmasters, CCML	<b>12</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 7 Venturing BSA, FPCE	<b>13</b> Refuse & Recycling Pickup	<b>14</b> NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	<b>15</b>  <b>COMMUNITY DAY</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 7:30 Boy Scouts, FPCE	<b>18</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 6:30 Toastmasters, CCML	<b>19</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 7 Venturing BSA, FPCE	<b>20</b> Refuse Pickup	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 7:30 Boy Scouts, FPCE	<b>25</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 6:30 Toastmasters, CCML	<b>26</b> 10:30 Story Hour, CCML 7 Venturing BSA, FPCE	<b>27</b> Refuse & Recycling Pickup	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1 SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Refuse Pickup	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>

To list your Edgewood event in the community calendar, please contact Tara Sidonio at (502) 472-0771 or [edgewoodnewsletter@yahoo.com](mailto:edgewoodnewsletter@yahoo.com).  
 FOOTNOTES: AM/GP-Administrative Bldg./Greensburg Pike BB-Borough Building CCML-Mellor Memorial Library DS-Dickson Intermediate School EPS-Edgewood Primary School FTC-Edgewood Tourne Centre  
 EC-Edgewood Club FI-Fairless Intermediate FPCE-First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood KF-Koenig Field MP-Memorial Park WHHS-Woodland Hills High School WJH-West Jr High School



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