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CONGRESSMAN MURPHY BACK IN OAKDALE TO HELP!



Located in Oakdale, Pennsylvania, The FB Wright Company of Pittsburgh welcomed Congressman Tim Murphy (R-PA) this past Thursday (March 10th) for a tour of their facility hosted by President, Cathy Philistine. A staple of the community since its launch in 1962, the Oakdale based company is a supplier of seals, gaskets and numerous other products for industrial users.

FB Wright Company of Pittsburgh has been subject to a significant number of asbestos-related claims for over 30 years due to litigation aimed at Johns-Manville. With Congressman Murphy's support, the House of Representatives recently passed H.R. 526, the Furthering Asbestos Claim Transparency (FACT) Act. This legislation would help fix the broken claims system and protect small businesses like FB

Wright Company of Pittsburgh by strengthening the asbestos bankruptcy trust system. The Bill now awaits further action in the Senate before it can go to the President's desk and be signed into law. Congressman Murphy is also very involved with reforming mental health, helping military veterans and many other issues too numerous to mention. Thank-you Congressman Murphy for standing up for the little guy!
(Article and Photo graciously submitted by Cathy Philistine of FB Wright Company of Pittsburgh.)

EARTH DAY COMMUNITY CLEAN UP: SATURDAY, APRIL 23rd

Please join us for the morning to "clean up" Oakdale Borough on Saturday, April 23rd, from 9:00am-12:00pm. We will again meet in the Gazebo Area, where Volunteers will be provided with Garbage Bags, Vests, Gloves and Cold Water.

Oakdale's Boy Scout Troop 248 and Cub Scout Pack 848 will be on hand to assist with the clean up activities, allowing for us to cover a much larger area from the center of Town! And we hope that these efforts will inspire all Oakdale Residents and Visitors to keep "America's Home Town" clean and beautiful throughout the year!



LEAF & BRANCH PICK UP: In an effort to "Go Green," Oakdale Borough will be providing separate leaf and yard waste pickups throughout the year, per Oakdale's published 'Garbage and Recycling Changes in 2014' (available for pick up at the Borough Office, or visit our website). **The next Scheduled Dates are Wednesday, May 4th and Wednesday, May 18th.** Yard Waste that is not put out by early morning on the Scheduled Dates should be disposed of with regular Trash, unless you are able to mulch or compost the materials. If you have leaves and other yard waste, please place it in garbage bags marked "leaves." Note that tree branches may not be more than 2 inches wide, and no large branches and trunks will be collected. We encourage you to mulch or compose grass clippings to further reduce trips to the landfill, thereby saving our Tax dollars! Please watch the "Times" for future pickup dates.

TRASH DISPOSAL REMINDER: Please remember that Trash Cans and Trash Bags should weigh no more than 40 pounds, and that larger, heavier items will require a Bulk Trash Pick Up Sticker.



BOROUGH UPDATE

MARCH BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING UPDATE

- Mr. Mark Maximovich made a Motion to advertise the updated MS4 Stormwater Management Ordinance, once it is complete.
- Mr. Jonathan DeBor made a Motion to pass Oakdale Borough Resolution No. 2-2016, adopting the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as the basis for all incident management in the Borough.
- Mr. Tom Potts made a Motion to approve Payment Request No. 3 in the amount of \$15,188.17 from Martino, Inc. for work completed on the 2015 Stream Channel Repair Project, per the recommendation of the Borough Engineer, Rob Arnold.
- Mr. Bill Hartman, Jr. announced that the 2016 Event Calendar is complete and has been published in the March Edition of The Oakdale Borough Times. It is also posted on the Borough Website.
- Chief Lauria reported that there were 65 calls in February.
- Chris Brunetti of Helicon Brewing discussed the progress of the Brewery with Council.

“AMERICA’S HOMETOWN” T-SHIRTS AND POLOS: AVAILABLE NOW!



“Oakdale: America’s Hometown” T-Shirts and Polo Shirts are available for purchase at the Borough Office.

Both T-Shirts and Polo Shirts are a Cotton/Polyester Blend, and are available in size Small through 3XL. The T-Shirts are priced at \$6 each, and Polo Shirts are priced at \$12 each.

LOCAL EARNED INCOME TAX: DUE APRIL 15, 2016

You should have received a Local Earned Income Tax Return from Jordan Tax Service in February. This Form must be filed by all persons subject to the Tax, no later than April 15, 2016. This Form must be filed by Taxpayers, even though Local Tax is now withheld by Employers. There are no exemptions because of age or limited earnings. In addition, all self-employed Residents are subject to the Tax based on net profits from the operation of a business or profession. The filing ensures that all monies have been properly reported by Employers. Documentation such as W-2(s) or proper PA Schedules C, E, F or K-1 must be submitted with the Return for verification of income reported. General Instructions and Regulations are included with the Form. Local Earned Income Taxes are no longer handled in the Borough Office. For all required Forms and additional information or questions, please contact Jordan Tax Service at 412-345-7966.

COMMUNITY TIRE COLLECTIONS

Independence Conservancy is sponsoring Tire Collection Events, which are open to Residents of Oakdale Borough. Collections will be held on Saturdays from 9am to 12pm. There is no limit to the number of tires you may bring, and individuals and small businesses are welcome. **Findlay Township will hold a Collection Event on Saturday, April 16th at the Findlay Township Road Dept., (1058 Clinton Rd., Clinton PA 15126). Checks accepted with ID.**



<i>Size</i>	<i>Cost to Dispose</i>
Car / Light Truck: Up to 18” off Rim	\$3 each
Car / Light Truck: Up to 18” on Rim	\$5 each
Tractor Trailer: Up to 22.5” (no Rims)	\$20 each
Farm Tractor: Rear up to 75 lbs	\$20 each
Farm Tractor: Rear 75 to 150 lbs	\$40 each
Farm Tractor: Rear over 150 lbs	\$75 each

W PA “HARD TO RECYCLE” AND “HOUSEHOLD CHEMICAL” COLLECTION EVENTS

PA Resources Council has posted its 2016 Collection Events for both ‘Hard to Recycle’ and ‘Household Chemical’ Items that cannot be recycled at the curb. *All Events are scheduled on Saturday from 9:00am to 1:00pm.*

Hard To Recycle Collection

Pittsburgh Technical Institute

April 16th

Galleria at Pittsburgh Mills

May 14th

Household Chemical Collection

North Park Swimming Pool Parking Lot

Saturday, May 7, 2016

For additional Dates and Locations, as well as a List of Accepted Items:

<http://prc.org/programs/collection-events/hard-recycle-collections/west/>

<http://prc.org/programs/collection-events/household-chemicals/>



PAVILION RENTALS

Oakdale Borough Park Pavilions will be available for Rent as Follows:

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS OAKDALE RESIDENTS

Available NOW

\$100.00 (Security Deposit Incl.)

Available NOW

\$120.00 (Security Deposit Incl.)

NON RESIDENTS

Available NOW

\$155.00 (Security Deposit Incl.)



Photo ID will be required for all Renters! Please contact the Borough Office for additional information (724-693-9740 or franchek@oakdaleborough.com).

WACL OFFERS HEALTHCARE AND SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING PROGRAMS FOR LOCAL RESIDENTS

Your retirement years can be some of the best years of your life, if you're prepared. Planning for the cost of healthcare and making decisions about your Social Security are two of the biggest financial decisions will ever make. In conjunction with Money Smart Week, Western Allegheny Community Library is offering two free Programs that will help you learn how healthcare costs will impact your retirement, what Medicare covers and what costs are paid out of pocket, and how the new rules for Social Security filing will impact you. Visit the library's website at www.westernalleghenylibrary.org or call 724-695-8150 to register. Space is limited so registration is required.

Planning for Healthcare Costs in Retirement - April 26, 6:00 pm

Social Security, the Choice of a Lifetime – April 27, 6:00 pm

TROOP 248 NEWS

Troop 248 is proud to announce that Evan Cooper has earned the "World Conservation Award." The World Conservation Award, in conjunction with the World Scouting Association, The BSA, and the World Conservation Organization is designed to encourage Scouts to think globally and act locally to improve our environment and the conservation of the world's natural resources.

The World Conservation Award originated through the World Organization of the Scouting Movement in conjunction with the World Wide Fund for Nature. This is the only International Scouting Award that has the permission to be worn as the part of the BSA Uniform.

OAKDALE PROPERTY TAX RENT REBATE OUTREACH: APRIL 12, 2016

State Representative Jason Ortity will sponsor a Program to assist qualified Property Owners and Renters with completion of Property Tax Rent Rebate Forms. The Event will take place **at The Oakdale Community Center on Tuesday, April 12th, from 10am to 1pm.**

Property Owners will need: All forms of Income (Social Security, Pensions, Interest, Dividends, IRAs, Wages, Lottery Winnings, etc. - all Forms you would take to get your Taxes prepared).

Renters will need: All forms of Income (see Listing above), plus Rent Certificate signed by Landlord (available in Property Tax Rent Rebate Booklet).



DON'T MISS OUT: Oakdale Community Day with the Washington Wild Things!



America's Home Town will hold its second "Community Day" at Consol Energy Park (Washington, PA) on **Friday, June 17, 2016**, with an exciting professional Baseball Game, immediately followed by a fantastic Fireworks Display!

Oakdale's Residents and Friends will have an opportunity to participate in several on-field activities before and during the Game! **If you are interested in participating in any of the Group or Individual Activities, contact the Borough Office for details.**

Game Tickets (including 'BallPark Meal') are available at a cost of \$10, and Parking Passes cost \$2/Vehicle. Tickets may be purchased at the Borough Building during Business Hours, or through the Washington Wild Things (cbaine@washingtonwildthings.com). Join in the Fun!!!



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