

# ADAMS TOWNSHIP

Summer 2019

## ADAMS TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY DAY

The Adams Township Community Day took place on June 8, 2019 to kick-off the summer season.

The morning began with the Fueled by Fire 5K Race & Walk sponsored by Mars Bank and all proceeds benefited both the Adams Area Fire District and Callery Volunteer Fire Company. 82 participants joined in the mornings festivities and raised \$1,988.00. The overall first place winner was Owen Schessler with a time of 20:28, John Caskey placed second with a time of 24:00, and Nicolaas Van Wyk placed third with a time of 24:28.

Food trucks, live music, and children's activities started at 3:00 P.M. and continued for the rest of the day. Most of the family and children's activities remained the same; more food trucks were added to this year's line-up, which included Hott Dawgs, Pigs in Paradise, Cousins Maine Lobster, Hot Mama's Pierogies, Steel City Chimneys, BRGR, the Funnel Cake Men, Curly Tail Coffee and Kona Ice. SING SING SING opened this year's event with showcasing their local vocal students. Velveeta returned to perform during the late afternoon and Totally 80's was the headliner leading up to the firework show at 9:30 P.M.

We would like to thank all those that generously donating towards the firework show. They are Carl Strutz & Co., Inc., Classic Automotive, Inc., Community Management Group, Inc., FBC Chemical Corporation, Fleming Tire & Auto Service, Inc., Geyer Construction & Development, Inc., Kaclik Builders, LLC., Kozminski Auto Body & Alignrite, Inc., Lectromat, Inc., Macri Floral, Mars Animal Depot, Mary Emmet, McDonald-Aeberli Funeral Home, Inc., Pfeifer Hardware, Inc., Purvis Brothers, Inc., Ron & Robin Shemela, Vogel Disposal Services, Inc. and W M Aiken and Son.



## WAR MEMORIAL

"All gave some but some gave all"

### PFC EDWARD FRANCIS HEASLEY

Born August 2, 1951 in Butler, Pa. Served in the United States Army. He was an Infantryman and was 19 years old when he died. He died on May 14, 1970 in Quang Nam Province, South Vietnam from explosive devices.

### SP4 EDWARD THOMA KIEZKOWSKI

Born on August 5, 1948 in Butler, Pa. Served in the United States Army. He was a Tactical Wire Operations Specialist and was in the 15<sup>th</sup> ENG CO. 299<sup>TH</sup> ENG BN, 937<sup>TH</sup> ENG GROUP, 18<sup>TH</sup> ENG BDE, USARV ENG CMD. He was 20 years old when he died in Kontum Province, South Vietnam from Artillery, rocket and mortar.

### SGT FIRST CLASS THOMAS RUSSELL KISNER

Born on February 19, 1931 in Wexford, Pa. Served in the United States Army. He was an Infantryman with A Trp, 1<sup>st</sup> SQDN, 1<sup>st</sup> CAVALRY, AMERICAL DIV. He was 36 years old when he died on December 21, 1967 in Quang Tin Province, South Vietnam from drowning.

### E5 Walter Anthony Cicchiani

Born on January 4, 1947 in Butler, P. Served in the United States Navy. He was a Hospital Corpsman 2<sup>nd</sup> Class, with H Camp; S Co, 3<sup>rd</sup> Bn, 9<sup>th</sup> Marines 3<sup>rd</sup> Mardiv, III MAF. He died on April 30, 1968 in Quang Tri Province, South Vietnam from Hostile Death from artillery, rocket or mortar.

### PFC Richard Dennis Coyle

Born on February 28, 1949. He served with the United States Marine Corps. He was a rifleman and served with K Co. 3<sup>rd</sup> Bn, 5<sup>th</sup> Marines, 1<sup>st</sup> Mardiv, III MAF. He died on March 6, 1969 from Artillery, rocket or Mortar. He died outright. He died in Quang Nam Province, South Vietnam

### SFC JAMES ROBERT COUCH

Born on September 13, 1922 in Butler, Pa Served in the United States Army, and was a helicopter Repairer. He was with C Co., 158<sup>th</sup> ASLT HELO BN, 101<sup>st</sup> AVN GROUP, 101<sup>st</sup> ABN DIV. USARV. He died on July 20, 1969 from injuries received from a crash over land. He died in Thua Thien Province, South Vietnam

### CPL THOMAS EUGENE CZZOWITZ

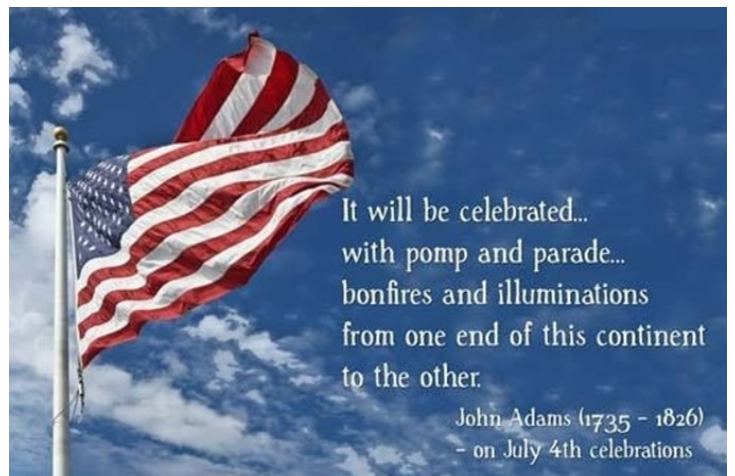
Born in Butler, Pa on August 19, 1942. He served in the United States Marine Corps as an Artillery Forward Observe and was with D Btry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn, 12<sup>th</sup> Marines, 3<sup>rd</sup> MARDIV, III MAF. He died on September 9, 1965 in Quang Nam Province, South Vietnam from gun or small arms fire

### CAPTAIN JOSEPH CLARENCE DOYLE

Born on April 28, 1939 in Butler, Pa and served in the United States Army as an Aerial Surveillance Officer. He was with the 525<sup>th</sup> Mi Group, USARV. He died in Kien Tuong, South Vietnam on February 28, 1968 from Air Loss, Crash- Land-Fixed Wing

### LCPL RONAD EUGENE GERWIG.

Born in Harmony, Pa on December 10, 1944 and served with the United States Marine Corps. He was a Rifleman and served with H Co., 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn, 9<sup>th</sup> Marines, 2<sup>nd</sup> MARDIV, III MAF. He died in Quang Tri Province, South Vietnam on August 18, 1967 from Artillery, rocket or mortar. He died outright.





## SUMMER PROGRAMS

Painting with a Twist is bringing "Art in the Park" as a new event this summer season! Adults can enjoy a step-by-step instruction with an experienced artist and create their own work of art. The location will be in the Rotary Pavilion in the Adams Township Community Park.

You can register at [Painting with a Twist North](#)

June 21, 2019 at 7:00 P.M. featuring "Be Kind Daisy"

July 19 2019 at 7:00 P.M. featuring  
"Mason Jar Cherry Blossom Wood Pallet"



Enjoy your favorite big screen flicks on our giant inflatable movie screen in the Adams Township Community Park. Pack a chair, blanket, snacks and bring your family and friends! The movies are set for three dates this summer season.

July 12, 2019 featuring Ralph Breaks the Internet

July 26, 2019 featuring Hotel Transylvania 3

August 23, 2019 featuring The Sandlot

Be sure to keep checking the website and Facebook Page for updates on rescheduling due to weather cancellations.

Adams Township is offering a two-week trial of children's programs this summer season in the Adams Township Community Park. Children must be between five to twelve years old to attend the program. Each day will start at 9:00 A.M. and end at 12:00 P.M.

### Game Show Mania Week

**July 15, 2019— July 19, 2019**

### Career Week

**August 5, 2019—August 9, 2019**

Cost: \$20 per child/per day. For families of 2 or more children; the first two children cost \$20 each/per day, the third child and on will cost \$10 each/per day.

Registration: Each child will need a completed form and signed waiver. (2 pages total). Parents and/or Guardian can access the Registration Form by going to the Adams Township Homepage > Parks & Recreation Events > Summer Programs

OR

Please stop in at the Adams Township Municipal Building during office hours; Monday's through Friday's from 7:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Please contact the Parks & Recreation Department for more information at (724) — 625— 2221 ext. 239 or by emailing [parksandrec@adamstwp.org](mailto:parksandrec@adamstwp.org)

*"Summertime is always the best of what might be."*

— Charles Bowden



## Reminder From Adams Township Police

For all motorists, the warm weather has arrived and school is out for the summer. Beware of pedestrians, children, pets and cyclists on roadways. Have a safe and enjoyable summer.

## 2019 Paving Projects



**The following roads are  
scheduled to be seal coat:**

Butler Street  
Callery Road  
Clarks Lane  
Huch Road  
Plains Church Road  
Ridge Road

The Township takes the welfare and safety of all residents and passerby on our roads very seriously.

If you see a maintenance issue that needs to be addressed, please do not hesitate to contact the Public Works Department 724-625-1826.

Please keep in mind that the Township road crew works very hard to keep our roads in good condition, please be considerate and patient when driving through a work zone.

## BUTTERFLY GARDEN



Come enjoy the Butterfly Garden in the park constructed and planted by Girl Scouts Troop #28842 along with the Mars Area Trefoil Scouts. Every child is a different kind of flower and all together makes this a Beautiful garden.

## Deer Removal



If there is a dead deer along a State Highway, please call PennDOT at (724)284-8800 to report the location of the deer. If the dead deer is on a township road, call the PA Game Commission at (814)432-3187 to report the location.

## FAMILY FUN DAYS IN BUTLER COUNTY



### **The Big Butler Fair** **Always Over the Fourth** **June 28th—July 6th, 2019**

Enjoy fireworks, games, demolition derbies,  
concerts and truck pulls.

Contact Number: (724)-865-2400

Website: [www.bigbutlerfair.com](http://www.bigbutlerfair.com)



### **Mars Borough July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration**

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM: Food and entertainment will  
be available in “Spaceship Park” in downtown  
Mars.

5:00 PM: Parade begins with Children’s Bike  
Parade, Pet Parade, and then follows up with the  
main parade.

Dark: Fireworks will be set off from Reservoir Hill.

Visit [www.MarsBorough.com/mars-4th-july](http://www.MarsBorough.com/mars-4th-july) for  
more details, as well as participation forms and a  
map of the event.



*“It began with a plow and grew into a family tradition.”*

### **71st Butler Farm Show**

**August 5<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>**

Gates open daily: 8:30 AM – 11:00 PM

Monday: \$7 / person

Tuesday – Saturday: \$8 / person

\*Price includes parking, unlimited midway rides,  
all exhibits and entertainment.

Website: [www.butlerfarmshow.com](http://www.butlerfarmshow.com)

Contact Number: (724)-482-4000



The 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Free Care 5K presented by  
Paracca Interiors Flooring America will be  
held Saturday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9 a.m. at their  
Gibsonia campus. Runners, walkers, wheel-  
chairs and stroller pushers are all welcome to  
participate in this family-friendly event as well  
as enjoy refreshments and activities for a post-  
race party!

Registration is just \$25 **until August 3<sup>rd</sup>** and  
\$30 on race day. There is also the 5K My Way  
option, which is \$17 for ages 70+. Friends, co-  
workers, families and neighbors are also wel-  
come to enter in a team for the 5K.

Register at [FreeCare5K.com](http://FreeCare5K.com) or call  
724-625-3770. Volunteer opportunities are  
also available.

# TOWNSHIP CONTACTS



690 Valencia Road Mars, PA 16046 • [www.adamstwp.org](http://www.adamstwp.org)

**Adams Township Municipal Building: (724)-625-2221**

**Building and Zoning Department: (724)-625-1827**

**Adams Township Police: (724)-625-2040**

**Road Crew Building: (724)-625-1826**

## **Board of Supervisors**

Thomas L. Franceschina, Chairman

Linda E. Lees, Vice Chairman & In Charge of Police

Edward L. Vogel

Russell R. Ford

Ronald J. Shemela

## **Township Manager**

Gary A. Peaco

## **Secretary/Treasurer**

Janet L. Lubbert

## **Code Enforcement**

Mike Knox

Joe Julian

Suzanne Hanovick

## **Chief of Police and Public Safety Director**

Shawn Anglum

## **Assistant Chief of Police**

Robert Scanlon

## **Sergeant**

Edward Lenz

## **Public Works Director**

John Hock

## **Receptionist**

Candace Mathews

## **Parks & Recreation Director**

Haley Geyer

## **Township Municipal Building Scheduled Meetings**

### **Board of Supervisors**

2nd & 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

### **Planning Commission**

1st Wednesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.  
(Except for July - 2nd Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.)

### **Parks and Recreation Board**

1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

### **Zoning Hearing Board**

3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

**(As needed)**

### **Planning Commission Work Session**

3rd Monday of each month at 4:30 p.m.

**(As needed)**

## **Municipal Water Authority of Adams Township**

4th Tuesday of each month at 5:45 p.m.

## **Breakneck Creek-Scheduled Meetings at Regional Authority Building**

1166 Mars-Evans City Road

4th Tuesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.