

# SAUCON VALLEY CALENDAR

## Community Meetings, Events, Fundraisers & Information

This community calendar is provided for informational purposes only.

It is not meant as a press release for the listed organizations.

**Meetings are subject to change or cancelled without notice.**

**ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED**

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To view the Community Calendar, please click on

<http://sauconvalleycalendar.blogspot.com>

To submit your community event, please email [pmdeleon@aol.com](mailto:pmdeleon@aol.com)

Thank you, Priscilla deLeon

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### **EMERGENCY RESPONDERS**

#### **DEWEY FIRE COMPANY NO. 1 AMBULANCE**

502 Durham Street, Hellertown, PA 18055.

Interested in helping people and making a difference in the community?

Why not volunteer at Dewey Ambulance? Please contact Christine at 610-838-1677, if interested.

#### **FIRE COMPANY DRILL NIGHTS**

Interested in fire fighting?

Help out our Hellertown & Lower Saucon volunteer fire companies.

<b>DEWEY FIRE COMPANY</b>	<b>LEITHSVILLE FIRE COMPANY</b>	<b>STEEL CITY FIRE COMPANY</b>	<b>SOUTHEASTERN FIRE COMPANY</b>	<b>SE-WY-CO FIRE COMPANY</b>
Monday nights 7 – 10 pm.	Monday nights 7 – 10 pm	Monday nights 7 – 10 pm	Tuesday nights 7 – 10 pm	Thursday nights 7- 10 pm
502 Durham Street, Hellertown Borough. <a href="http://www.deweyfireco.org">www.deweyfireco.org</a>	1995 Leithsville Road Lower Saucon Township <a href="http://www.fighting61st.com">www.fighting61st.com</a>	2121 Riverside Drive Lower Saucon Township <a href="http://www.lowersaucontownship.org/fire.htm">www.lowersaucontownship.org/fire.htm</a>	2687 Wassergass Road Lower Saucon Township <a href="http://www.lowersaucontownship.org/fire.htm">www.lowersaucontownship.org/fire.htm</a>	3621 Old Philadelphia Pike Lower Saucon Township <a href="http://www.sewyco-fc.org">www.sewyco-fc.org</a>

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### **ONGOING AREA FUNDRAISERS**

#### **SAUCON VALLEY FARMERS' MARKET**

The Saucon Valley Farmers' Market runs Sundays from 9 am – 1 pm May 4 through November 16, 2008, rain or shine at Water Street Park, Water Street, Hellertown, PA

The Saucon Valley Farmers' Market is currently accepting recipes for publication in its first cookbook.

Recipes can be emailed to [sgold1111@aol.com](mailto:sgold1111@aol.com). For more information, call 610-838-4900

The Saucon Valley Farmers' Market is a nonprofit, open-air market whose mission is to enhance community awareness of the availability of fresh and nutrition seasonal foods from local and regional producers bolster local businesses and strengthen community spirit. The market takes place on Sundays from 9 am – 1 pm May through November in the Water Street Park in Hellertown, PA. Each week, more than 15 vendors offer locally grown fruits and vegetables, flowers and herbs, poultry, dairy products, homemade soaps, coffee, honey, home-baked goods and other unique specialty items. In addition to the vendors, the market features free musical entertainment each week. The market was created in 2006 as part of the Hellertown Borough Business Revitalization Program.

For more information, visit [www.svfarmersmarket.org](http://www.svfarmersmarket.org).



#### **HELLER HOMESTEAD / SAUCON VALLEY CONSERVANCY**

**Heller Homestead Art Gallery and Antiques & Collectibles Gift Shop ~ Open most Weekends**

Heller Homestead, 1890 – 92 Friedensville Road (Water Street) in Lower Saucon Township

Saucon Valley Conservancy volunteers operate the Gift Shop and Art Gallery for the benefit of the Saucon Valley Conservancy.

Saturdays: 1 pm to 4 pm

Sundays, May 4, 2008 through November 16, 2008: 12 pm to 3 pm

Sundays, November 23, 2008 through April 26, 2009: 1 pm to 4 pm.

**ART GALLERY**

## EXHIBITS:

Donna Needs exhibit through Sunday, January 25; Saucon Art League Exhibit runs Saturday, January 31, 2009 - Sunday, March 29, 2009, Artist Reception: Monday, February 2, 2009, 7 - 9 pm; snow date Tuesday, February 3, 2009; **Young Artists' Exhibit runs Saturday, April 4, 2009 - Sunday, May 10, 2009, Artists' Reception: Sunday, April 5, 2009, 2 - 4 pm;** Vivian Fitzsimons Exhibit runs Saturday, May 16, 2009 - Sunday, July 26, 2009, Artist Reception: Thursday, May 28, 2009; Lee Branagan Exhibit runs Saturday, August 1, 2009 - November 1, 2009, Artist Reception: Sunday, August 23, 2 - 4 pm; Plein Air Group Exhibit runs Saturday, November 7, 2009 - Sunday, January 31, 2010; Artists' Reception & Annual Holiday Gathering: Monday, December 7, 2009, 6 - 9 pm, snow date Tuesday December 8, 2009; For more information, please call 610-216-0566.

## ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES GIFT SHOP

If you are looking for something different, furnishing a first or second home, a student apartment, we may have something for you. Selection varies. We are always looking for antiques, art, collectables, linens, quilts, china, glass, and new or nearly new items. No clothing please. Items can be donated or sold on consignment. Consignments are accepted by appointment.

For more information or to volunteer to staff the gift shop, please call 610-866-3714

Stop by for **Giant and Weiss/King grocery gift cards**. The cards are sold at face value so it doesn't cost you anything extra if you shop at these stores. Call 484-554-4838 to order cards.

Tours of the historic Heller Homestead are available by appointment. [www.sauconvalleyconservancy.org](http://www.sauconvalleyconservancy.org)

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## LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY



**Images of America: Lower Saucon Township** published by the Lower Saucon Township Historical Society is a pictorial essay featuring 250 pictures of Lower Saucon Township throughout the years. It will also include documents, some as old as 1829. Contact Lee Weidner at 610-417-9886 or any Lower Saucon Township Historical society member to get your copy today. Books are \$20 and are available at: Lower Saucon Township Town Hall - Old Philadelphia Pike, Lower Saucon Township; Lost River Caverns - Durham Street, Hellertown; Bergy's "Mall" - Wassergass Road, Hellertown. Proceeds benefit Lower Saucon Township Historical Society - Lutz-Franklin Schoolhouse Museum. Many thanks to Lee Weidner, Karen Samuels, Barbara Ryan and the Historical Society for all the work and research.



## ABITIBI PAPER RETRIEVER

New Recycling Program

Fund Raiser for the Lower Saucon Township Historical Society

You can drop off ANYTIME - 7 days a week - 365 days a year!!!

*This is a great way to support your community and environment by reducing the amount of waste sent to the landfill.*

Paper retrieval bins have been placed in the Saucon Valley area as a fundraiser for the Lower Saucon Township Historical Society. The bright yellow and green bins are located at the Lower Saucon Township Municipal Complex (near the playground), behind Hellertown Borough Hall, and on the Saucon Valley School District Campus at the Elementary, Middle and High Schools and at the administration building. Look for a new bin to be placed at the Dewey Fire Company soon.

Please Drop off ALL Your: Junk mail, Magazines, Shopping catalogs, Newspaper, Office and School papers.

*Please do NOT include:* Plastic, Glass, Metal, Cardboard, Phone books, Trash

The different types of paper *do not have to be separated* and you do not even have to remove staples! You may collect and deposit your recyclables using paper or plastic grocery bags; however if you use plastic, please do not tie them shut as this causes problems with the shredding equipment.

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## SAUCON VALLEY COMPOST CENTER

The Saucon Valley Compost Center, located at 2011 Springtown Hill Road, Hellertown PA, is now open to residents of Hellertown Borough and Lower Saucon Township to drop-off yard waste materials.

The Center will be open on Friday and Saturdays from 9:00 am to 1 pm except holidays through the end of November. The Center will be closed from December 1<sup>st</sup> through March 31<sup>st</sup>. Christmas trees will be accepted on Saturdays in January from 9 am to 1 pm.

Only the following materials can be dropped off at the Center:

- Leaves - loose or in bags (brown paper only)
- Small brush - up to 4" diameter (no longer than 6 feet)
- Hedge trimmings; garden plants residue
- Christmas trees - free of decorations and tinsel

The Center will not accept

- Grass
- Sod
- Tree stumps
- Commercial business materials

The Borough and Township are seeking volunteers to assist with the operations at the Compost Center. If you are interested in helping out with this initiative, please call the Borough Manager at 610-838-7041 or the Township Manager at 610-865-3291. For more information or for updates: <http://www.lowersaucontownship.org/>

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## **RECYCLING IN LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP**

Operating hours are Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 4:00 pm; Saturday 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

The recycling drop-off center is located at the IESI Bethlehem Landfill at 2335 Applebutter Road.

Lower Saucon Township encourages the community to participate in local recycling. Recyclables continue to be accepted at the Recyclable Drop-Off Center in Lower Saucon Township located at the IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill Corporation at 2355 Applebutter Road, Bethlehem, PA. Collection bins are located adjacent to the convenience stations.

Newspapers, glass (must remove lids), white goods (refrigerators, washing machines, dryers), aluminum cans (crushed) and scrap metal.

The Drop-Off Center is operated in compliance with Section 1502(b) of Act 101, the Municipal Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act 53 PS 4000, 1502(b). Check Lower Saucon Township's website links page for DEP's Recycling Page.

[www.lowersaucontownship.org](http://www.lowersaucontownship.org). Call 610-317-3200 with questions.

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