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Lower Southampton Township

Welcome to our New Newsletter!

Greetings to our Neighbors and Friends,

As your Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, and on behalf of the entire Board I want to wish you all a Happy New Year and thank you for being members of our great community. I was born and raised on Elmwood Avenue and have made Lower Southampton Township the community of choice to raise my family. Serving you both previously on the Neshaminy School Board and currently on the Board of Supervisors for almost ten years, I take great pride representing you, and making our community the ideal place to raise a family, own a business, as well as advocating support of our local businesses.

I would like to take this opportunity to highlight three areas I feel are important to each resident and taxpayer.

First, we have a great group of Emergency Service personnel and First Responders. Our Police Department, led by Chief Krimmel protects us 24 hours a day from those who live outside the bounds of law. We are further supported by the Feasterville Fire Company and the Lower Southampton Fire Company for nearly any emergency to all who cry out in need. Our Emergency Medical Service in Tri-Hampton Rescue Squad is staffed by the best Paramedics and EMTS in the County. If there is a need, all our First Responders are only moments away.

The second is the Parks and Recreation inside our township. Our pride and joy is Playwicki Farm on Bridgetown Pike. With 110 acres of open passive recreation, nature trails, jogging trails, community activities such as Second Fridays, there are numerous activities at the park for our residents to enjoy. In addition, there is Russel Elliot Memorial Park on the west side of our 6.6 square mile town. REMP is robust with baseball and softball fields, tennis courts, walking paths, soccer fields and plenty of parking.

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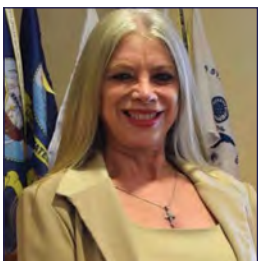
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Our diamond in the rough is Dolphin Park, currently undergoing renovations of buildings and evaluating its recreational possibilities. The Dolphin has many open acres of recreation for baseball, soccer, tennis, basketball, and skateboarding. Our Parks are managed by Walt Mulholland, who oversees 400+ children every summer in our ever-expanding summer camp program and year-round programs for toddlers to grandparents. All are welcome!

Lastly, I am proud of a no increase in township taxes again for 2023, making 15+ years of no tax increase. As you can imagine in an environment of record high inflation, this has required a massive effort of all of us. The Board has taken every opportunity to continue financial security for our residents. These opportunities do not come without some sacrifice. As the Township Executives we must manage the balance between maintaining the townships needs and not lose the small town feel that made Lower Southampton the destination for generations of families and continues to attract families calling Lower Southampton their home.


These milestones could never be achieved without the hard work and dedication of our entire Lower Southampton municipal staff. I want to extend additional recognition to our Township Manager Mr. Joseph Galdo, who is supported by a great staff of department heads, Chief Krimmel, Rich Coppens (Public Works), Ryan Smith (Fire Marshal), Mike Italia (Zoning), Walt Mulholland (Parks and Recreation), and Nicholas Ryan (Finance) whose professional expertise guide us through the decision-making process. We have developed a mix of well tenured staff, as well new talent at the Director level that are all supported by a dedicated unionized uniform and non-uniform staff.

In addition, our Lower Southampton Library is growing daily. Our Tax Collector Deborah Doneker has modernized tax collection, and is a wealth of information for rebates for seniors. We are blessed to have many township committees with dedicated volunteers, churches, and civic groups which make up Lower Southampton Township.

In closing, on behalf of the Board of Supervisors together we can continue to keep our community a great place to live. Please join us at our monthly meetings, times and dates are listed on the township website.

Sincerely

Kim Koutsouradis, *Chairman*



TEAM UP TO CLEAN UP

Lower Southampton Township's Annual Clean-Up Day will be here soon! This year the event will be held on **Saturday, April 22nd from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.** Volunteers are needed to help pick-up trash, direct traffic and so much more. All residents, young and old, are welcome. This is also a wonderful opportunity for Youth Groups, Boy and Girl Scouts to get involved in their community. There is a job for everyone! **To register as a volunteer, visit www.lowersouthampton.recdesk.com**

The Board of Supervisors will be supplying a shredder and electronic recycling truck at the Township Building. Please note that electronic recycling is for residents of Lower Southampton Township only.

Any questions, please contact the office: 215-357-7300 x348.



Pictured at left:

2023 BOARD OF SUPERVISOR OFFICERS:
 Kim Koutsouradis - Chairman,
 Susan Cummings – Secretary/Treasurer,
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From the Township Manager's Desk

LAWN & YARD BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES



Vegetation Quick Tips

- Plant native vegetation. It will withstand drought conditions and require less watering.
- Start a compost pile! Composting recycles yard waste, reduces trash and results in great soil for your garden. www.howtocompost.org
- Test your soil to determine fertilizer needed. Standard soil test kits may be purchased from Penn State Extension Bucks County Office. Call 267-483-2020 or email BucksExt@psu.edu.
- If you do need to fertilize your lawn, never apply more than is recommended – too much can burn your lawn. Do not fertilize before a rain storm.

Water Quick Tips

- Use mulch around plants & trees to reduce water evaporation from the soil, but never cover the base of a tree trunk.
- Keep storm drains free of debris & vegetation.

Rain Barrels

A rain barrel is system that collects & stores rainwater from your roof to be used for irrigating gardens and lawns, while conserving water.

What are the Advantages of a Rain Barrel?

Lawn & garden watering make up nearly 40% of total household water use during the summer. A rain barrel collects water and stores it for when you need it most to water plants, wash your car, or to top of a swimming pool. Be sure to prevent mosquitoes by screening any openings.

A rain barrel will save most homeowners about 1,300 gallons of water during the peak summer months. Diverting water from storm drains also decreases the impact of runoff to streams.



Rain Gardens

A rain garden is a slightly graded area in the landscape that collects rain water from a roof, driveway or street and allows it to soak into the ground. Benefits from a rain garden include beautifying your yard, reducing stormwater runoff, and reduce the risk of flooding & drainage.



Other Helpful Tips:

- Stop or reduce use of pesticides and herbicides.
- Wash your car at a facility that captures and reuses its wash water. If you wash your car at home, do it in the grass.
- Repair car leaks. Oil and other substances are carried to the stream by rain.
- Keep gutters and downspouts clean. Clogged gutters can harbor mosquitoes.
- Raise your mower height to at least 3 inches for a healthier lawn that will slow down and reduce runoff.

NEVER PUT CHEMICALS, FERTILIZERS, LAWN CLIPPINGS, SOIL OR OTHER DEBRIS DOWN STORM DRAINS. TODAY'S STORMWATER MAY BE TOMORROW'S DRINKING WATER!





Surviving a **POWER OUTAGE**

SOURCE: <https://www.ready.gov/power-outages>

A power outage is when the electrical power goes out unexpectedly. Extended power outages may impact the whole community and the economy.

A power outage may:

- Disrupt communications, water and transportation.
- Close retail businesses, grocery stores, gas stations, ATMs, banks and other services.
- Cause food spoilage and water contamination.
- Prevent use of medical devices.

How to Protect Yourself During A Power Outage: Go to a community location with power if heat or cold is extreme.

Preparing for a Power Outage: Take an inventory of the items you need that rely on electricity. Plan for batteries and other alternative power sources to meet your needs when the power goes out, such as a portable charger or power bank. Have flashlights for every household member. Determine whether your home phone will work in a power outage and how long battery backup will last.

Know Your Medical Needs: Talk to your medical provider about a power outage plan for medical devices powered by electricity and refrigerated medicines. Find out how long medication can be stored at higher temperatures and get specific guidance for any medications that are critical for life.

Food Storage: Have enough nonperishable food and water. Keep freezers and refrigerators closed. The refrigerator will keep food cold for about four hours. A full freezer will keep the temperature for about 48 hours. Use coolers with ice if necessary. Monitor temperatures with a thermometer. Throw out food if the temperature is 40 degrees or higher.

Using Appliances During Power Outages: Install carbon monoxide detectors with battery backup in central locations on every level of your home. Avoid carbon monoxide poisoning. Generators, camp stoves or charcoal grills should always be used outdoors and at least 20 feet away from windows. Never use a gas stove top or oven to heat your home. Turn off or disconnect appliances, equipment, or electronics. Power may return with momentary surges or spikes that can cause damage.

Returning After A Power Outage

- When in doubt, throw it out! Throw away any food that has been exposed to temperatures 40 degrees or higher for two hours or more, or that has an unusual odor, color or texture.
- If the power is out for more than a day, discard any medication that should be refrigerated, unless the drug's label says otherwise. Consult your doctor or pharmacist immediately for a new supply.



LEAF AND YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Leaf and yard waste collection will resume on Thursday, April 6th. Residents should only use biodegradable, 30 gallon paper bags or trash containers that do not weigh more than 50 pounds when full. Yard waste in plastic bags will not be collected. Tree branches and shrubbery must be no more than 36 inches long and less than 3 inches in diameter. They must be bundled and tied, taped or put in biodegradable bags. Branches or shrubbery cannot extend over the top of the can or bag.



SANITATION REBATES FOR SENIORS & DISABLED VETERANS

The Sanitation/Trash Rebates for the 2022 tax year will be given to qualifying residents beginning February 8, 2023 thru May 31, 2023. The rebate is \$50 per household. To qualify for this rebate, a resident must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a Lower Southampton Township resident.
- Must be a Senior Citizen age 65 years or older.
- A Veteran that is 50% disabled or greater with a letter stating % of disability.
- Must be the homeowner for the entire year of 2022. No rebates will be given if not the owner from January 1 through December 31

There is only one rebate per household. Rebates will be given for primary residence only (must match with the address on your driver's license). You must present an ID showing you are 65 years or older. Must be 65 by 12/31/22. **To receive your rebate, stop by the Township Administration Building or call Denise at 215-357-7300 x312.**

Property Maintenance Code

- The exterior of a structure shall be maintained in good repair, structurally sound and sanitary, and not pose a threat to the public health, safety or welfare.
- Owners of property situated in the Township of Lower Southampton, whether such property is occupied or vacant, must keep the property reasonably free of weeds, bamboo, underbrush, cans, bottles or any other refuse or debris which may create or may tend to create a harbor for rats or other hazard to the public health and safety of others. Owners of all such property must keep the grass cut on their premises, including the grass in the sidewalk areas adjoining their premises.
- All premises and exterior property shall be free from weeds or plant growth in excess of 6 inches. Weeds shall be defined as all grasses, annual plants and vegetation, other than trees or shrubs; however, this shall not include cultivated flowers and gardens.
- All fences, retaining walls or similar structures shall be constructed properly and maintained.
- All accessory structures, including detached garages, sheds, cabanas and swimming pools shall be maintained in structurally sound conditions and in overall good repair.
- Each structure to which a street number has been assigned shall have such number displayed so that it can be easily observed and readable from the public right-of-way.
- Each dwelling must have at least one smoke detector on each floor and a minimum a smoke detector in each bedroom. Smoke detectors should be inter-connected. Smoke detectors save lives. Contact the Fire Marshal Office if you are in need of smoke detectors.



Property Owner Responsibilities

As a property owner, you have certain obligations. Protect your investments and health of the occupants by maintaining your property properly.

1. Do all repairs in an approved manner, using proper materials in accordance with all applicable codes.
2. Keep the exterior of the structure free of broken glass, loose roofing and siding shingles, peeling paint and crumbling stone or bricks.
3. Maintain doors and windows, including storm doors and screens, in good working condition. Functional doors and windows may be critical in emergency situations.
4. Maintain driveways and walkways in proper states of repair, free of hazardous conditions.
5. Maintain property free of rodents and parasites.
6. Keep all yards or lots free of unsightly materials, debris, and junk materials which may cause fire hazards or may act as breeding places for vermin and insects.
7. Properly dispose of garbage and rubbish in containers with lids. Don't place garbage or trash receptacles at the curb earlier than (1) day prior to scheduled pickup. All containers must be returned to their original storage place within (1) day after pickup.
8. Take care of pets. Don't allow pets to run free. Dogs must be leashed at all times when not on the premises of the owner or keeper. Clean up waste daily.
9. Cut and trim all trees, weeds, hedges, shrubbery, and underbrush abutting on the streets or sidewalks. Provide at all times a clear passage of nine (9') feet above the sidewalks and eleven (11') feet above the street.
10. Properly maintain all vehicles. It is against the law to keep or store any vehicle on either a public street or on a private property which is not operable or which does not have a current license plate and/or a current registration.

Tenant Responsibilities

1. Maintain dwelling in a clean and sanitary condition, free of conditions which might encourage rodent infestations.
2. Properly dispose of garbage and rubbish in containers with lids.
3. Maintain yard in a neat and sanitary manner, free of litter, junk, abandoned/ unlicensed vehicles and animal waste.
4. Notify owner when repairs are needed and allow reasonable time for owner to complete repairs before contacting township officials.



If you have any questions or concerns, contact our Code Enforcement Officer – Kevin Kirk at 215-357-7300 x308 or email at kkirk@lstpw.org.

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- 1206 Pine Grove Rd. – Yardley: \$995,000
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- 3 Lots in Idlewood – Langhorne: \$800,000



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Fire Safety News

Spring is fast approaching! This is a perfect time to do a little spring cleaning and Fire Safety check indoors and out. It is important to keep your home clean to prevent a fire from occurring. Here are some tips for your spring cleaning routine:

INDOOR CLEANING TIPS

1. Dust and dirt can quickly build up and become combustible. Be sure to vacuum & dust areas that can build up.
2. Clear clutter in hallways & stairways. Clutter provides fuel for fire to spread. It also blocks exits and escape routes in the case of an emergency.
3. Check Smoke Alarms & Carbon Monoxide Detectors.
4. Don't use electrical appliances or tools with frayed cords. Replace them immediately. Also check to make sure you do not have too many devices plugged into one outlet area.
5. Check for water around electrical appliances such as your washing machine, dryer, or dishwasher.
6. Check all appliances to make sure they are in good working condition. (stove, oven, toaster oven, microwave, toaster, coffee maker etc). If you notice any issues, replace or repair.
7. Clean dryer vent and lint trap. Lint is highly combustible and can cause a fire if it is not removed. Use a hose to remove excess lint buildup or blockage.



OUTDOOR CLEANING TIPS

1. Trim trees or bushes that are close to your home. This creates a "defensible space" between your home and potential fire sources. If you have dead or dying trees, now is an excellent time to remove them. Dead vegetation is highly flammable.
2. Check gas grills for rust, worn parts, grease and other debris before use. Grilling is a popular spring and summer activity, but it is essential to ensure the grill is clean and operational before its first use of the season. Also check the propane tank for leaks.
3. Move the grill at least 10 ft. away from house before use. Clear area around the grill of debris or flammable materials.
4. Make sure your home address is visible from the street. If your address is too small or blocked for any reason, emergency responders will have difficulty finding your home in the event of an emergency. Make sure it is easy to read, and visible from the street.

If you have any questions or need smoke detectors, please contact the Fire Marshal's office. 215-357-7300 ext. 311



Feasterville Fire Company McBride Wittman Hall

is available for booking. Host your next party there- it's the perfect venue for showers, Sweet 16, anniversary parties, or graduation parties with an occupancy of 150. Contact 215-852-6260 for more details.



Upcoming Fundraisers for Lower Southampton Fire Department



- Lower Southampton Fire Department will be selling 3-month lottery calendar tickets. These tickets allow the winners multiple chances to win in April, May, and June. Tickets are \$25 for 91 chances to win!
- Keep a lookout for our Dollar Drop (coin toss) at the Bristol & Brownsville Road intersection on Saturday, April 8th. There will be another Dollar Drop on November 25th.
- In September, we will be hosting our annual Designer Bag BINGO. More information to come soon.



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Hello Neighbor,

If you've brought your little ones to the Township Library of Lower Southampton, you probably spent time in the children's area. Your kids might have enjoyed the train table or one of our new Kindle Fires, while you scanned the shelves for books to take home and share. It's a cozy, well-loved spot for our youngest readers, but we're looking forward to the day we can renovate – and expand – this important space to fit the needs of today's kids and teens.



When thinking about the purpose of a children's area, we've been inspired by the legacy of Joan Bowman, a former children's librarian and a dedicated member of our own library board. Joan's smile and caring spirit have been greatly missed at the library and in our community since her passing last year. The children's area was so important to Joan that her family and friends started to collect funds to renovate the room. But they can't do it alone.

With your help, the library will redesign the children's area and dedicate it in Joan's name. Imagine a transformed children's space with:

- Kid-sized shelving and furniture – so they can easily find books and get comfortable reading
- Colorful and enticing reading nooks
- Special spots for playing games, acting out stories, and building with LEGOs
- Space for Pokémon Club, art classes, and other engaging activities
- Up-to-date technology for active learning and play

Right now, these ideas are all dreams waiting to become realities – and you can make that happen.

At the Township Library of Lower Southampton, we are proud to support our local community. With that goal, we want to provide a warm, welcoming area where children and families can play and learn. As always, we depend on your support to help us accomplish our goal.

When you contribute to the Township Library of Lower Southampton, your gift will help make Joan's Room a reality.

Thank you for your support,

Sydney Mason, Director,
Township Library of Lower Southampton

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SARAH MITCHELL COMMUNITY CENTER

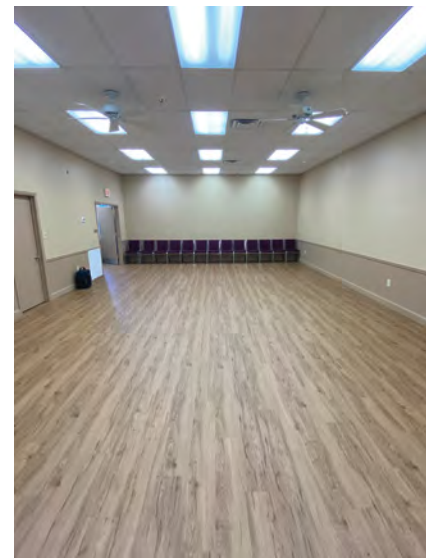
In 2021, the former Lower Southampton District Courthouse was renovated and reopened as a community center. The building was dedicated in honor of US Navy Ensign Sarah Mitchell who lost her life during a training exercise. Now, the building is enjoyed by residents of all ages. Our Parks & Recreation Department offers everything from dance classes, art classes, to yoga.



Supervisor Ray Weldie at the ribbon Cutting ceremony with Sarah's family.



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There's Something for Everyone at Lower South Summer Camp!

We will have water activities, bounce houses with water, and are in the process of arranging for multiple trips to a local pool for our campers.

Multiple children and early pay off discounts available.

AGES 4 – 13
DATES: 6/26 – 8/18 (*only closed for July 4th*)
TIMES: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
LOCATION: Dolphin Park
FEE: Varies by number of weeks as well as resident or non-resident status. Please check out lowersouthampton.recdesk.com or call the recreation office for more information.

Payment Plan: Half of fee due by 4/6/23 Full payment due by 6/1/23. You MUST call the office to have any discounts applied to your account after registering. Please call Walt at 215-357-7300 ext: 316 for any questions or to learn more about the Summer Camp.

LEGO Summer Camp: **MANDALORIAN MISSIONS**

AGES 8-12
DATES: 7/10 – 7/14
TIMES: 1:00 PM– 4:00 PM
LOCATION: Sarah Mitchell
Community Center (SMCC)
FEE: R \$190/NR \$200



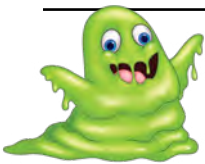
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LEGO Summer Camp: **MANDALORIAN TRAINING**

AGES 5-7
DATES: 7/10 – 7/14
TIME: 9 AM - 12:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R \$190/NR \$200

Here's your chance to join our friends and learn what it takes to become a true Mandalorian. Using LEGO, an experienced instructor will guide us through the skills and equipment needed to earn the title. We will build our gauntlet fighter ship to weave through the galaxy, our Z-6 jetpacks to maneuver through the air, and of course defend ourselves with our Mandalorian armor. Coming to a galaxy near you! *Campers should bring their own snacks (no peanuts please)*

SLIME WEEK CAMP



It's slime time as we spend a week with students to create new slime recipes that are only limited to your imagination! Our popular Slime Week teaches students the basics of how to make their own slime, and then shows students some of the most popular and trending slime recipes.

Some of the slime is even edible! Our coordinators show students the latest slime tips and tricks and encourage creative thinking and working with friends. Students can customize their own slime by adding colors, scents, and textures. Once the slime is made, students can mold and play with their new creations. Slime Week lets kids get their hands dirty and have fun, but leaves the mess in the classroom and out of the car and home!

AGES: 5-12
DATES: 7/17 – 7/21
TIME: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R \$290/NR \$300

HANDS ON SCIENCE CAMP



Calling all future scientist! Put on your safety glasses and get ready for your next experiment in this week-long program. Some of the experiment's students can plan to conduct during the week include using charcoal to purify water, making real crystals, testing how sugary drinks can impact teeth, and learning how colors can affect memory. Students are always encouraged

to ask questions, get creative, and learn new skills in our safe, action-packed environment. And when our future scientists are done with their experiments, our instructors are excited to coordinate team games that help bring kids together and create lasting memories. Time for a little bit of education, and a whole lot of fun with science and friends!

AGES: 5-12
DATES: 7/24 – 7/28
TIME: 9:00 AM– 3:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R \$290/NR \$300

UPCOMING PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS continued

DECORATIVE WREATH DESIGN

Join us for a fun class where you will learn how to make a beautiful seasonal wreath. During this class you will learn the technique and be given all the materials and tools to create your own 16" wreath! You will leave with the completed project and it will be ready to hang and enjoy. Each class will have a different holiday theme.

AGES: 18 AND UP
DATES: 2/24, 3/24, 4/14, 5/17
TIME: 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$35/NR \$40

ART CLASSES WITH YOUNG REMBRANDTS



CARTOONING

AGES: 8-14
SESSION DATES: 2/18 – 3/11, 3/18 – 4/8
TIME: 11:15 AM – 12:15 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$65/NR \$70

Saturday mornings

For all kids who need to stay engaged and laughing, our cartooning classes are surely the most fun you can have while learning! This entertaining program combines Young Rembrandts' innovative, hands-on teaching method with light-hearted subject matter that engages children, their sense of humor and their vivid imaginations. Maintaining a quick pace and drawings that tell a story also help kids to stay on-task, learn from their mistakes, find new solutions to a problem and communicate ideas and concepts through pictures - skills with lifetime benefits! Classes last up to 55 minutes, with a minimum of 5 students allowed.

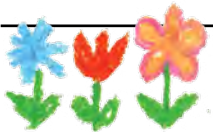


Saturday mornings

ELEMENTARY DRAWING

AGES: 7-14
SESSION DATES: 2/18 – 3/11, 3/18 – 4/8
TIME: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R \$65/NR \$70

Our elementary learners are at the crucial time of development when they decide whether they're good at something or not. This decision will affect not only the rest of their academic career, but their lifetime learning as well. The Young Rembrandts elementary program provides the tools this age-group needs to succeed at drawing - a teaching tool from which the majority of learners prefer and ALL learners benefit! Our program works because it's not only hands-on and visual...it's simply fun. Add to this our innovative guided instruction, topics that kids love and relate to, and instructors that know how to reach this group; we take kids from thinking they're not 'artists' to knowing they can achieve this, and everything else, they put their minds to. Classes last up to 55 minutes, with a minimum of 5 students allowed.



PRE-SCHOOL DRAWING CLASSES

Saturday mornings

Your pre-schooler's mind is hard at work building the knowledge and skills it will use for a lifetime. Now, more than ever, it's important to challenge their curious minds with activities that will keep them engaged and eager to learn! The Young Rembrandts pre-school program is specifically designed with the needs of our youngest learners in mind. We use subjects they're familiar with such as animals and toys, as well as their favorite learning tools - pictures, stories, touching, and doing - to enhance social and conflict resolution skills while improving listening, fine-motor skills, and time-on-task. Give your pre-schooler the information they're hungry for and be amazed by what they'll create! Classes are 45 minutes, with a minimum of 5 students allowed.

AGES: 4-6
SESSION DATES: 2/18 – 3/11, 3/18 – 4/8
TIME: 9:00 AM – 9:45 AM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R \$65/NR \$70

AGES: 8-12
DAYS: MONDAYS 3/6 – 5/1
TIME: 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC PM
FEE: R\$80/NR\$85



DRAMA CLASS

We are excited to invite 8-12 year olds to join our acting workshop. We PMwill spend 8 weeks exploring characters, scenes, plot and motivation. We'll have fun moving through the space and playing theatre games too. This is an opportunity to learn to find your voice as an individual and also collaborate with a group or scene partner. Fun is the goal and whether you have acted before or never seen a play, all are welcome! Come join us Monday nights from 630-8pm starting March 6th. We will end the session with a showcase for family and friends to see all the amazing talent.

ADULT FITNESS

CHAIR YOGA

AGES; 18 AND UP
DAYS: Tuesday and Thursdays 6 week sessions
TIME: 9:00 AM – 9:45 AM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$48/NR\$53/DROP IN \$8

Chair Yoga, as the name implies, is yoga performed with the use of a chair as yoga props. It's a gentle technique that allows people, particularly the elderly and persons with disabilities who may be unable to do balances, to reap the advantages of balance poses without the risk of falling.



BEGINNER YOGA

AGES; 18 AND UP
DAYS: Tuesday and Thursdays
6 week sessions
TIME: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$48/NR\$53/DROP IN \$8

For anyone who is new to the workout style or for anyone who is looking for a refresher. Bring a mat, towel, and water.

INTERMEDIATE YOGA

For anyone who has experienced the basics and is now looking for something a little more challenging. Bring a mat, towel, and water.

AGES; 18 AND UP
DAYS: Tuesday and Thursdays 6 week sessions
TIME: 11:15 AM – 12:15 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$48/NR\$53/DROP IN \$8

ZUMBA

AGES; 18 AND UP
DAYS: Tuesday and Thursdays
6 week sessions
TIME: 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
LOCATION: Scottsville United Methodist Church
FEE: R\$35/NR\$40/DROP IN \$8



Zumba is a fun and energetic dance-fitness workout led by certified instructor.

MOMMY & ME FITNESS CAMP:

AGES: MOMS & THEIR TODDLERS
 (newborn through 3 year olds)
DAYS: Wednesdays 6 week sessions
TIME: 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM • LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$45 NR\$50



This class is geared towards rebuilding strength and creating the bond between mother and child while engaging them throughout the workout. Moms will get a great workout while enjoying making memories with their children and connecting to other moms as well. Children ages 3 and below are ideal. Please bring your own water bottles.

UNWINED & PAINT

ADULT CLASSES:
AGES; 18 AND UP
DAYS: 2/14, 3/13, 4/18
TIME: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$18/NR \$23



KIDS CLASSES:
AGES; 4 - 12
DAYS: 2/11, 3/11, 4/22
TIME: 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$18/NR\$23

Join us to create your own morning masterpiece. This class will provide everything you need to take home an amazing piece of art created by you. We'll provide the coffee and paint supplies you just need to bring yourself and a willingness to try something new.

All kids will love learning how to paint when they are enrolled in this entertaining and enlightening class. No experience or supplies are necessary as our instructor will bring everything the kids need to paint their very own masterpiece.

FAMILY PAINT NIGHT:
AGES; ALL AGES
DAYS: 2/24, 3/31, 4/21
TIME: 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$18/NR\$23

Gather the kids and bring the whole family to this fun night out. This family paint night is sure to be a hit with everyone. Our instructor will provide everything you need to paint your masterpiece. Every participant must have an account on recdesk to register.





AGES: 4 - 13
DAYS: 2/13, 3/16, 4/4
TIME: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
LOCATION: SMCC
FEE: R\$20/NR\$25

KIDS CAKE DECORATING

Kids will enjoy decorating their own cakes in this interactive program. We will supply the cakes, frosting, candy, and other decorations. The only thing your child needs to bring is their imagination and a container to bring the cake home in.

From the Parks & Recreation Staff...

The Parks and Recreation staff of Lower Southampton Township are dedicated to providing high quality and affordable recreation programs for our township residents. We also maintain the multiple ball fields and parks in our township, including the popular Playwicki Farm. As a growing department we are always on the lookout for new opportunities for the residents we serve. Be sure to check out our growing list of programs on our recreation website lowersouthampton.recdesk.com as well as our Facebook page "**Lower Southampton Parks & Recreation**"

If there are any programs you would like to see, please feel free to call us or stop by the offices and let us know how we could better serve you.

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Upcoming Events



Easter Eggstravaganza Food Truck Festival
 Saturday, April 8th – 11 AM to 4 PM

2023 2nd Friday Food Truck Rally Events:

- May 12..... 5 PM to 8 PM
- June 9..... 5 PM to 8 PM
- July 14..... 5 PM to 8 PM
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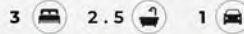
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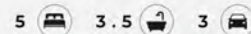
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