

UPPER GWYNEDD TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Dear Friend,

Happy New Year! Upper Gwynedd Township continues to offer a variety of quality recreational events for the residents of our community at little to no charge. The opportunities provided could not be achieved without the support of our business community. There are many ways to be involved in this wonderful endeavor throughout the year. I would like to offer you the opportunity to support Upper Gwynedd Township as we bring these programs to the community.

One of the highlights of our recreational calendar is our annual carnival. This 4-day event brings 6,000-8,000 people to our complex and includes Friday and Saturday night fireworks. Dates – September 7 – 10.

Our Summer Breeze Concert Series is a popular family event. It showcases a different performer each Wednesday night for 10 weeks beginning May 17th. In 2016 over 1,500 people enjoyed this series.

The Annual Fall Fest has grown to be a superior community event. This event combines a car show, children's activities, petting zoo, touch-a-truck and a hay ride to provide a full day of family fun. The North Penn High School Key Club is instrumental in ensuring the success of this program, as they volunteer to run different stations during the children's activities. Date – Saturday, October 14.

NRPA Night Sky Camp Out – After a successful inaugural event in 2016 we are making this an annual event. Inspired by "National Parks and Recreation Month," we will be having a fun-filled evening with games and a movie in our park along with an opportunity for families to camp out overnight at Parkside Park. We had over 100 tent spaces reserved in 2016, with additional families attending that did not stay overnight. Date – Friday, July 7.

Cinema Under the Stars – A classic "movie in the park" will be held for people of all ages to enjoy at Parkside Place's Amphitheater. Dates – Friday, June 2, Thursday, July 13 and Friday, August 4.

Earth Day – In 2016 we initiated an "Earth Day Event" where we planted 20 trees and a butterfly garden at Parkside Place Park with the help of almost 20 volunteers. We will be again looking to offer an event that benefits the environment in 2017. Date – Friday, April 21.

Galentine's Bag Bingo – Another first-time event success story in 2016 with a sold out venue of 135 people, this event helps raise additional funds for the Parks and Recreation Department. It's a great evening out with friends and a chance to win designer bags, 50/50 raffles and gift baskets. Date TBD (Fall/Winter).

Please feel free to contact me at 215-699-7777 if you have any questions or need additional information. If you are a returning sponsor, please accept my sincere thank you on behalf of Upper Gwynedd Township. If you are new to Upper Gwynedd Township, I hope you will decide to make an investment in activities that brings people together, increases your marketing outreach and adds so much to the quality of life here in our community!

Sincerely,



Alex Kaker, CPRP
Director of Parks and Recreation

Enclosure: Sponsorship Level Form & Brochure

