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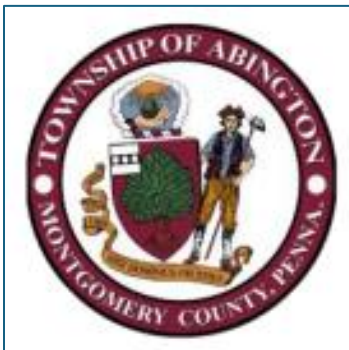
# Community Events

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## ABINGTON

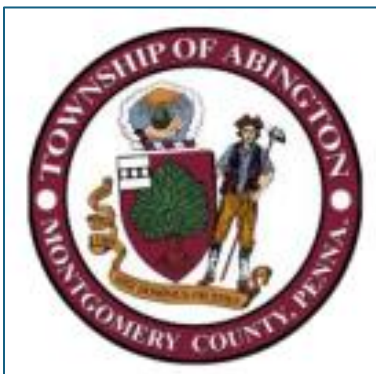
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### EAC FOOD WASTE DIVERSION SURVEY



The Abington Township Environmental Advisory Council (EAC) in partnership with Township Administration have received a Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PA DEP) Technical Assistance Grant to investigate opportunities for food waste diversion in Abington Township. This [survey](#) seeks to better understand resident options on food waste diversion and desire for private food composting services to operate in the Township. [Please click here to take the survey.](#) We appreciate you taking a couple of minutes to complete our survey.

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED TO SERVE ON TOWNSHIP BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS

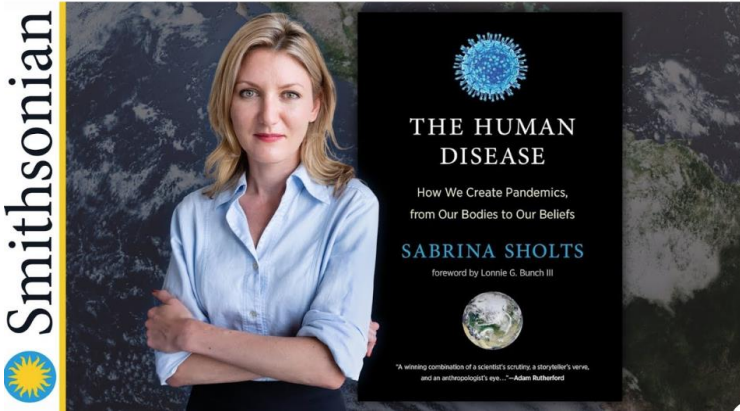


The Township of Abington's Board of Commissioners is accepting written expressions of interest and accompanying resumes to serve on the Environmental Advisory Council, Human Relations Commission, Planning Commission, Vacant Property Review Board, and Zoning Hearing Board. [To apply online, please click here.](#) Please contact Ms. Terry Castorina, Administration and Grants Manager, at 267-536-1003, [tcastorina@abingtonpa.gov](mailto:tcastorina@abingtonpa.gov), with any questions about the interview and selection process or for specific details about any committee.

To learn more about each group, please [click here](#).

## ABINGTON, CONT.

### VIRTUAL AUTHOR TALK WITH SMITHSONIAN CURATOR SABRINA SHOLTS: HOW WE CREATE PANDEMICS



**February 4, 2-3 p.m. Zoom**

Join the Abington Library on Zoom for this enlightening presentation with Smithsonian curator Sabrina Sholts as she talks about how the very fact of being human increases our pandemic risks—and gives us the power to save ourselves.

A presentation you don't want to miss, [register now!](#)

### DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS FOR TEENS: GROUP #2



**Thursday, February 6, 4:00- 6:00 p.m.**

Study Room A, Abington Free Library

Teens, join us for this four-week Dungeons and Dragons program! Josh, an experienced Dungeon Master and PSU Abington student, will be leading the program.

Open to new and experienced players. This program will run four consecutive Thursday: February 6, February 13, February 20, February 27. **Register at the February 6 date and it will register you for all four sessions.** Attendees are expected to attend all four sessions. [02/06/2025 | Dungeons and Dragons for Teens: Group #2 | Abington Township Public Library](#)

This program is open to any "teen" in grades 6-12, and registration is required. Questions? Contact Sara Huff, Head of Young Adult Services, at [shuff@mclinc.org](mailto:shuff@mclinc.org) or 215-885-5180, ext. 147.

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# UPPER DUBLIN

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## 2025 LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION AT UDHS



**Sunday, February 2, 11:30a.m. - 2:30p.m.**

**At Upper Dublin High School, 800 Loch Alsh Avenue Fort Washington, PA 19034**

Residents from ALL cultural backgrounds are welcome to the **2025 Lunar New Year Celebration event at Upper Dublin!**

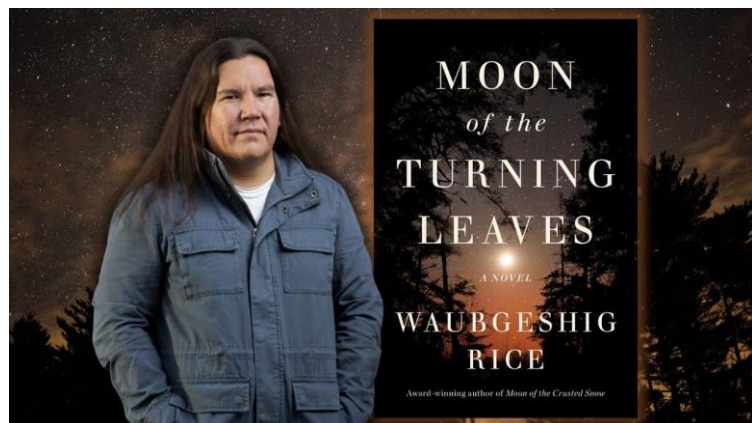
Admission is FREE for ALL, but registration is recommended.

Join us on **Sun, Feb 02, 2025, at 11:30 a.m.** at Upper Dublin High School for 2-3 hours filled

with festivities and cultural celebrations. Experience a holiday concert, live performances, delicious food, and fun activities for the whole family. Let's welcome the Year of the Snake together in style! Don't miss out on this exciting event!

[2025 Lunar New Year Celebration at UD Tickets, Sun, Feb 2, 2025 at 11:30 AM | Eventbrite](#)

## DYSTOPIAN TROPES FROM AN INDIGENOUS PERSPECTIVE: IN CONVERSATION WITH WAUBGESHIG RICE



**Tuesday, February 11, 7:00 p.m.**

You're invited to a riveting conversation with bestselling author Waubgeshig Rice to chat about his newest book *Moon of the Turning Leaves*, the hotly anticipated sequel to the bestselling novel *Moon of the Crusted Snow*. Click here to register: [LSC | Register | Upper Dublin Library Distinguished Author Series](#)



## UPPER DUBLIN, CONT.

### TEEN POETRY CONTEST 2024



Celebrate National Poetry Month this April with UDPL & UDSD! Enter your poem in their Teen Poetry Contest for a chance to be published and win a prize.

The contest is open to Upper Dublin residents in grades 6-12.

Submission Deadline: April 30, 2024

Click here for more information and official rules: [Submission Guidelines - Teen Poetry Contest 2024](#)

### PHILADELPHIA FLOWER SHOW: GARDENS OF TOMORROW



Discount tickets available for residents: [Philadelphia Flower Show - adult weekday \(Mo-Th\)](#). If you purchase your tickets online using the link, you will be contacted by UD Parks & Rec with your tickets during office hours (weekdays, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm). You can choose to have your tickets emailed to you or you can pick them up at the Township Building.

Feel free to purchase tickets over the phone by calling 215-643-1600 x3443.