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PA STATE REPRESENTATIVE

## Community Events

### ABINGTON

#### FREE SOIL LEAD SCREENING BY THE PA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

**FREE SOIL LEAD SCREENING!**

Do you garden or grow crops? Do children spend time in your yard? Are you concerned about soil exposures?

Join the Pennsylvania Department of Health at the Abington Library for a free community soil lead screening! Bring a dry soil sample in a freezer bag and we will screen it for lead and other metals! Instructions on back.

**Common soil lead sources:**

- Soil next to older homes and under roof drip lines
- Living in urban areas or near highways
- Living near industry that emits lead

**What to Expect:**

- Your soil screening result
- Best practices to avoid lead exposure
- Tips to garden safely
- Blood lead testing resources

**Abington**  
Saturday, August 2, 2025  
12 - 4 PM  
Abington Free Library  
1030 Old York Road  
Abington, PA

**Saturday, August 2, 12-4p.m. at the Abington Library**

The [Pennsylvania Department of Health](#) (DOH) will be holding a SoilSHOP on Saturday, August 2, from 12 to 4 p.m. at the Abington Free Library, 1030 Old York Road.

This event provides an opportunity for the public to come and get their soil tested on site and receive consultation with DOH staff on their results. This program is offered to all residents and businesses in the Township.

For collection instructions, please see the graphic below or visit <https://tinyurl.com/yem9n4za>.

## ABINGTON, CONT.

### ABINGTON FILL A TRUCK



**Saturday, July 26th from 9a.m.-12p.m.**

☀️🚒 Join Abington Township and First Responders at their "Fill All the Emergency Vehicles" Food Drive at **BOTH** Abington Township Giant stores- 2350 Susquehanna Rd, Roslyn & 737 Huntingdon Pike.

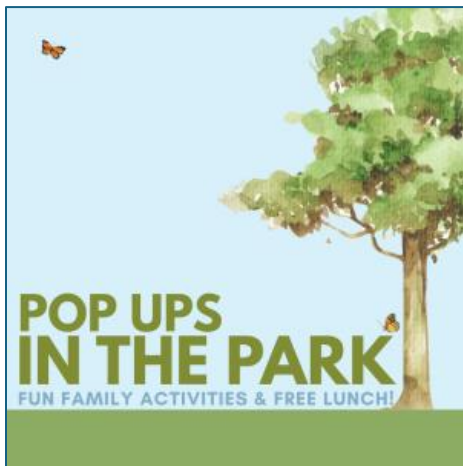
🚒🚓🚑 See flashing lights in the parking lot? Don't worry—it's just them!

No emergency... unless you count low food pantry supplies. 😊

Can't make it Saturday? Drop donations off at the Abington Township Building Lobby anytime this week!

Let's make a big impact—together. Thank you in advance for your donations and support!

### POP-UPS IN THE PARK



**Wednesdays: 11-12p.m.**

On Wednesdays this summer, come to your local Abington Township park for Library Pop-Ups in the Park

Fun activities & free lunch.

**7/30 ETHEL JORDAN MEMORIAL PARK: MINI CANVAS PAINTING**

**8/6 RUBICAM PARK: SCAVENGER HUNT & Q-TIP PAINTING (TURTLES & DRAGONFLIES)**

### PA CAREERLINK MONTCO: GET FREE CAREER HELP



**Friday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 10a.m.-1p.m. at the Abington Library**  
Discover how PA CareerLink® Montgomery County can help you achieve your career goals! This Welcome Aboard Orientation is your first step to accessing free career services.

**Two identical sessions** are available, each limited to **6 participants** to ensure personalized support.

Please note: you can only register for one session, not both. Separate registration is required for each session. Choose your preferred time: [08/01/2025 | PA CareerLink® Montgomery County: Get Free Career Help - Session One | Abington Township Public Library](#)

## ABINGTON, CONT.

### SAVE THE DATE: PRE-NIGHT OUT ON 8/4



**Monday, August 4. 5-9p.m. Target Parking Lot**

Save the Date! Pre-Night Out Block Party.

An evening of fun for the whole family.

For more information contact Kaitlyn Metzinger: 215-536-1082 or email [kmetzinger@abingtonpa.gov](mailto:kmetzinger@abingtonpa.gov)

### ABINGTON TOWNSHIP CHESS WIZARDS



**August 4-8, Ardsley Community Center**

♟️ Ready to make your move? Join Chess Wizards this summer, August 4-8, for tons of challenging chess lessons, exciting games, and cool prizes! You'll sharpen your skills, make new friends, and work out your most powerful muscle—your brain! 🧠  
Camp includes fun team chess games (like Corner Chess), recess (of course!), snacks, tournaments, and puzzles. Each camper gets a t-shirt, trophy, and puzzle folder! 🏆  
Let's make this a checkmate summer! Register today at <https://tinyurl.com/2yms7d97>.

### TOWNSHIP POOLS OPEN ON WEEKENDS



Pool registration is open at [www.abingtonpa.gov/PRregistration](http://www.abingtonpa.gov/PRregistration). Learn about membership types, pool rules, and more at [www.abingtonpa.gov/pools](http://www.abingtonpa.gov/pools).

Please note, the Alverthorpe wading pool opens on June 21, 2025. The hours of operation are from 11 AM to 5 PM daily. The pools will remain open through Labor Day, September 1, 2025. The hours of operation are as follows:

- June 21 - August 17: 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.
- August 18 - August 31: 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
- September 1: 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

[For more information, please click here.](#)

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# UPPER DUBLIN

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## UPPER DUBLIN TOWNSHIP BOARD & COMMISSION VACANCIES



### BOARD & COMMISSION VACANCY

At the Board of Commissioners Stated Meeting on August 12, 2025, the Board will be appointing members to the following Boards and Commissions:

- Building Code Board of Appeals: the completion of one 5-year alternate term ending June 30, 2028.

Applications should be made online at [www.upperdublin.net/boards-commissions](http://www.upperdublin.net/boards-commissions) and submitted by Thursday, July 31, 2025 for consideration at the August Stated Commissioners' meeting.

## UPPER DUBLIN SUMMER CONCERT SERIES




### Check out the 2025 Sunday evening concert series lineup!


Concerts began on Sunday, July 13th at 6:30p.m. and all will be held outdoors at Temple University Ambler (580 Meetinghouse Road). In the event of inclement weather, concerts will move inside the auditorium at Temple Ambler.

To see the full schedule, find event details, and information on inclement weather, please visit the Celebrate Summer page on the Township website by [clicking here](#).

## UPPER DUBLIN LIBRARY LOOKING FOR PUZZLES



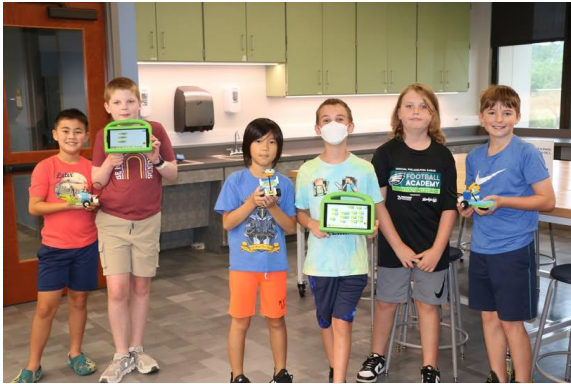
 Got puzzles? They're looking for gently used puzzle donations for their beloved puzzle cart.

Drop one off and share the joy — piece by piece!   
Help keep minds sharp and hearts happy! Please No Holiday puzzles.



## UPPER DUBLIN, CONT.

### SNAPOLOGY: MECHANICAL MASTERMINDS CAMP

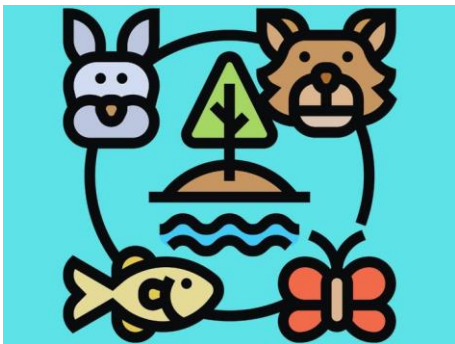


**Mondays, July 28-Friday, August 1, 9:00 a.m.- 12p.m. Upper Dublin Library**

Snapology: Mechanical Masterminds Camp is Monday, July 28 to Friday, August 1 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm for children entering grades 4 to 7 at the [Upper Dublin Public Library](#) with [Snapology of King of Prussia](#)! Build machines and use the models to develop new design ideas, test out physics concepts and even play games with partners and classmates.

Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/pw6pmh7h>

### ECOSYSTEM EXPLORATION



**Ecosystem Exploration, Thursday, August 7<sup>th</sup> , 1-4 p.m.**

Focusing on outdoor field experiences, kids will engage in science and engineering practices to develop an investigation of the grounds, identifying biotic and abiotic factors, microhabitats and connections to local watersheds. Be prepared for outdoor activities. 3-6 gr.

Register - <https://ow.ly/GYb850WmyKx>

In collaboration with The Montgomery County Library District and the Montgomery County Intermediate Unit 23, with funding from The Caroline Alexander Buck Foundation

### TEENS- EARN SERVICE HOURS!



**Thursday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 6 p.m.**

Teens - Earn Service Hours by Giving Back!

Make no-sew blankets for Project Linus and bring comfort to a child in need. 7-12 gr.

Registration begins 7/14 - <https://ow.ly/Ykow50Wmz2k>