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2018 Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders

Seated: Freeholder Deputy Director Brian D. Levine,
Freeholder Director Patrick Scaglione, Freeholder Patricia L. Walsh
Standing: Freeholder Mark Caliguire, Freeholder Brian G. Gallagher

FREEHOLDER NEWS



Electric Vehicles

Freeholder Caliguire and Freeholder Director Scaglione have announced Somerset County's electric vehicle initiative. [Watch the video!](#)

Washington School Monument

The Freeholders are transferring the former Washington School property to the Borough of Raritan; a monument at the site was dedicated this week. [Watch the video!](#)

Sports Complex Groundbreaking

Freeholder Caliguire and Freeholder Director Scaglione joined Hillsborough officials and the project developer in breaking ground for the APEX Sports & Events Complex.

Freeholder Proclamations

[Breast Cancer Awareness Month](#)
[Domestic Violence Awareness Month](#)
[Employee Appreciation Month](#)
[National Recovery Month](#)

WHAT'S NEW

Flu Clinics

Flu shot clinics are being offered in Franklin, Somerville and North Plainfield in October.

Recycling Calendar

The next [First Saturday](#) and [E-Waste](#) drop-offs will be held Oct. 6. The final [Household Hazardous Waste](#) and [Rx](#) drop-offs of 2018 will be held Oct. 20.

Disability Advocates Awards

[Nominations](#) are being accepted through Oct. 5 for these annual awards.

DisABILITY Services Fair

Come learn about services and resources at this free Oct. 6 event.

Prevent Identity Theft

The next free document-shredding event is Oct. 6 in Montgomery.

Grant Workshops

Two technical-assistance workshops will be offered Oct. 9 for the CHPP grant program.

STEM Program

Seventh- and eighth-grade girls who live in Somerset County are invited to [apply by Oct. 7](#) for the third annual STEM program to be held Oct. 27 at Vo-Tech.

Surplus Sale

Looking for a bargain? The next online auction of county surplus items is Oct. 10-17.

Grant Opportunity

Applications for Local Arts Program (LAP) grants are due Oct. 24.

Historic Sites Weekend

The 13th annual Weekend Journey through the Past will be held [Oct. 13 and 14](#) at 30 historic sites around Somerset County. Free admission, re-enactments, games, demonstrations and more!

Leadership Somerset

Applications for the Class of 2019 are due by Oct. 31. An [Open House](#) information session is scheduled for Oct. 2. [Watch our video!](#)

Volunteers Needed

You can help an elderly or disabled person get his or her yard ready for the winter months.

Public Health Newsletter

Learn more about mushroom poisoning in the latest issue of "[Public Health Focus](#)."

Healthier Somerset

Access to transportation options is crucial to healthy living.

SENIOR CORNER

October Senior Center Programs

There's something for all interests at our [six county-operated senior centers!](#)

PARKS & RECREATION

Fall Parks Programs

The annual 1770s Festival is one of many programs on tap for October.

LIBRARY SYSTEM

'Dial-a-Story'

SCLSNJ has a new phone-in storytime service for children.

Passport Services

The Bridgewater Library branch now offers passport services.

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