



Town of Gibsonville

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Monthly Newsletter
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Important Numbers

EMERGENCY-----911
Town Hall-----449-4144
Planning-----449-4144
Public Works-----449-7188
Parks & Recreation-----449-7241
Library-----449-6455
Senior Citizen Center-----449-7650
**After Hours Non Emergency &
Information-----449-6677**

Non-Emergency

Police Department-----449-7926
Fire Department-----449-6969

Upcoming Meetings

Board of Aldermen

April 2, 2012 @ 7:00 pm
April 16, 2012 @ 7:00 pm
*held at Town Hall

Planning Board

April 19, 2011 @ 7:00 pm

Upcoming Events

Easter Sunrise Service
@ Depot Stage
April 8, 2012 @ 6:30 am

Spring Clean-up
April 14-28, 2012

Kiwanis Car Show
April 28, 2012

Gospel Fest
May 5, 2012

Memorial Day Service
May 20, 2012 at 2:30 pm

Spring Clean-up

The Town will have a town wide Spring clean-up from April 14 —28, 2012. Let's do our part in cleaning up the town and our yards. Citizens may put out items for town pickup during this time at no charge; excluding brush such as tree trimmings, limbs, etc....

Remember now that Spring has arrived; grass & other vegetation has started growing. The Town has an Ordinance which prohibits grass over twelve inches high.



Kiwanis Car Show

The Gibsonville/Elon Kiwanis will host their Annual Car Show on April 28, 2012 (rain date May 12, 2012). Car Show registration will be from 8:00 am until 10:00 am with trophies awarded at 1:00 pm.

For more information contact Ann Marion at 449-4011 or Deleno Flynn at 449-6388.

It is free and open to the public. Burke Street will be closed to car traffic from 7:00am until 2:00 pm.

Fire Department News

The Gibsonville Fire Department Barbeque will be April 14, 2012 from 11:00 am to 7:00 pm. Plates are \$8.00 each. Eat in or take out.

Thank you for your support!

It's Spring time, did you change the



batteries in your smoke detector(s). The Gibsonville Fire Department is always accepting applications for volunteers.

Memorial Day Service

The Memorial Day Service will be May 20, 2012 at the Gibsonville Cemetery at 2:30 pm. This is sponsored by the Gibsonville Cemetery Committee and VFW

Rolling Out New Recycling Solutions

The Town of Gibsonville is ushering in a new era of residential recycling services. Starting in July, the Town will no longer use 18 gallon bins for the collection of recyclables. Instead, the Town will transition to the use of 95 gallon roll-out carts.



The 95 gallon carts will allow residents to collect more recyclables without worrying about space or overflow. Because these recycling carts will have lids similar to those on the town garbage cans, less garbage will be spread throughout the neighborhood by wind or vermin, resulting in a cleaner community. More importantly, the use of 95 gallon recycling carts saves landfill space and keeps trash out of the environment.

Beginning in June, the new recycling carts will be distributed to citizens who have active town utility accounts. Residents will not be charged an additional fee for the new cart. Recycling will continue

to pick up every other week. Be on the lookout for additional, detailed information that will be distributed as the transition date nears.

From the Mayor's Desk

Connie and I want to thank you for electing me to serve as your Mayor again. It is a great honor. If we are going to make our community a better place for all of us to live, we need the help of all of our citizens. During the month of April and May, we will be working on the Town budget. This will be a good opportunity for you to have a say in how we spend the town funds. You are welcome to attend the Town meetings, call or email your suggestions. Please plan to participate in the clean-up week. Unfortunately, I do not have any new information on a grocery store. I have not given up. I welcome your suggestions.



I want to congratulate the Gibsonville Police Department and all the other Police Departments that participated in the successful drug raid. I fully support your efforts to make all of our communities drug and gang free.

Town Holiday Schedule: Town Hall will be closed April 6, 2012 for Good Friday. Friday, April 6, 2012 garbage collection will be on Monday, April 9, 2012.

Reminders: Do not place brush in the road or on the sidewalks; this blocks vehicle traffic and pedestrian traffic.

Please have trash cans out by 7:00 am on your garbage pickup day.



Northeast Park: Sixth Annual Youth Conservation Day for Youth ages 7-17 is scheduled for Saturday, May 19, 2012 from 8am-2pm. Participants will enjoy a day of outdoor adventures and experiences at this free annual event. Visit www.northeastpark.info for registration forms or call 336-375-7722 for more information.

Depot Stage: The downtown Depot Stage will begin its season in April starting with a community-wide Easter Sunrise Service on Sunday, April 8, 2012 at 6:30 am.

The Annual Gospel Fest will be held on May 5, 2012 at the Depot Stage from 9:00 am until 6:00 pm. Several area churches are participating. Come out and enjoy a day of gospel music, games, and activities for the children.

The Depot Stage features family friendly outdoor musical entertainment on Saturday evenings April-October. Please visit www.gibsonville.net for a list of scheduled performances. Call 336-449-7241 with questions or to register your performance.

Market Day: Visit our Town Greens on Saturday mornings from May to mid-November for fresh produce, crafts and more. Call 336-449-7241 for more information.

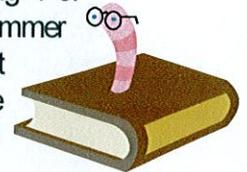
Police News: Now that Spring is here be sure to lock your vehicles and do not leave any valuables visible. Do not leave your garage doors opened or unattended.

Reminder: The Town of Gibsonville has a Town Ordinance/ Leash Law.



Annual Wastewater Collection Report: The Town's Annual Wastewater Collection Report for 2011 is now available on the town's website, or a copy of the report may be picked up at the Gibsonville Public Works Department, 1236 Springwood Ave., Gibsonville.

Library News: Why Public Library Summer Reading Programs are Important –Reading 4 or 5 books over the summer can have a significant impact for middle school readers



Summer reading programs in public libraries usually encourage readers, especially those who are struggling to use alternate formats such as magazines, recorded books, graphic novels, and material on the Internet.

Library summer programs offer extensive enrichment activities related to literature that is often not included in schools, because of time constraints. Participants often return to summer library programs for years to come which helps children build reading into their summer routine.

Summer Programs at the Library:

- Story Times, Arts, & Crafts:
 - Tues 11:00-11:30 3-5 year olds
2:00-3:00 K-3 grades
 - Wed. 11:00-11:30 3-5 year olds
2:00-3:00 K-3 grades
 - Thurs 3:00-4:00
Bingo & other activities

For more information give us a call at 449-6455.

Library Hours

- Mon.-Thurs 8:30am-7:00pm
- Fri. 8:30am-5:00pm
- Sat. 9:00am-12noon