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2021 PALMER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY WEEKEND

Fairview Park

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2021 – DUSK

Movies in the Park – Dusk - TROLLS – WORLD TOUR

Free Popcorn and Water - Compliments of The Charles Chrin Companies

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 2021 – 6:00 – 10:00 P.M.

“FAMILY NIGHT” for Rides \$12.00/BAND – All Night

(Mega Bands – good for the whole weekend - \$40.00)

6:00 – 8:00 P.M. – Child’s ID Cards – Police Tent

7:00 – 10:00 P.M. – JOYOUS

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 20, 2021 – 6:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT

6:30 – 7:00 P.M. - Dream...Believe...Dance!!!

From the Charles Chrin Community Center

6:00 – 8:00 P.M. – Child’s ID Cards – Police Tent

8:00 – Midnight - NAKED JAKE

Local Fun-time Band



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HOLIDAY MUNICIPAL BUILDING CLOSINGS:

Monday, September 6th
Labor Day

Thursday, November 11th
Veteran's Day

2021 PALMER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY WEEKEND

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2021

9:00 A.M. – PALMER 5K RUN

SPONSORED BY THE B.I.P.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2021 - 5:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT

5:00 – 7:00 P.M. – Child's ID Cards – Police Tent

5:30 – 7:30 – SWING TIME DOLLS

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8:00 – Midnight – WEIRD SCIENCE

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10:00 P.M. – FIREWORKS



SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 2021 – 3:00 TO 9:00 P.M.

3:00 – 5:00 P.M. – Child's ID Cards – Police Tent

3:00 – 5:00 P.M. - DON CUNNINGHAM & ASSOCIATES

Local Rock n' Roll Band

5:00 – 6:00 P.M. - Zumba Demonstration

Charles Chrin Community Center

6:00 P.M. – Palmer Cheering Performance (Children's Area)

6:00 – 9:00 P.M. – JEFF BELLFY & CO.

Local Dance Band

Find the Food/Items Booths Map on pages 16-17

PALMER TOWNSHIP BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT

I have offered plants and seeds grown in my yard throughout the years. About twenty Palmer residents have enjoyed these at no cost.

My style of gardening is in the soil or planters. For those that choose either method, I recommend the Palmer Yard Waste Facility for composted leaf mulch which you can mix with your yard soil. Five inches mixed is a good starting point. If you have not been to "the compost pile" drive south on Berks Street till the end, entering any 600 number in your GPS will get you there. Also available are ground wood chips which is good for preventing weed growth and both are free for the taking. For a fee, you can dispose of yard debris.

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Helping Our Community

Business, Industrial and Professional Association of Palmer Township (BIP)

The 2021 Business, Industrial and Professional Association Golf Outing will take place on Monday, September 20, 2021, at Riverview Country Club. All proceeds from the BIP's annual golf outing go toward a community service project within Palmer Township. Since 2005, the BIP has contributed over \$245,000 to community projects in the township.

The BIP has committed to be an integral partner in assisting to build the new Palmer Township Youth Center as their next community service project. Our annual Golf Outing is essential in making this happen.

Once again in 2021, the Golf Outing will include our annual Helicopter Golf Ball Drop. 250 numbered golf balls will be dropped by helicopter. Hole-in-one wins, two or more in hole split the prize, otherwise the closest to the pin wins. Golf balls can be purchased for \$20 per ball.

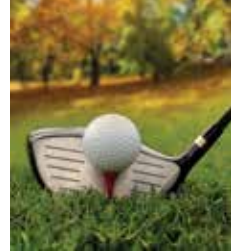
Golfers are needed, sponsors are needed, and as always

volunteers. Anyone that would like to participate in our annual outing or would like to purchase a golf ball for the golf ball drop should contact Dave or Lisa Colver at 610-438-8901.

BIP is Planning Upcoming 2021 Events

The BIP is in the process of scheduling upcoming 2021 events. Some dates still need to be confirmed and will be published once available. In the meantime, please plan on stopping by the BIP tent at Palmer Community Weekend at Fairview Park August 19th through 22nd.

The Annual 5K Race is also scheduled for Saturday, August 21st at Fairview Park. Registration and race packet pick-up is scheduled for 7:30 a.m. and the race begins at 9:00 a.m. Awards and ceremony will follow the race. To sign up for the 10th Annual Palmer 5K, please visit: palmer5k.com. All proceeds from this event benefit The Miracle League of Northampton County.



Let's Keep Palmer Township both Beautiful and Safe!

Due to the recent Pandemic, usage of our Township's Two Rivers and D&L Trail systems has increased remarkably. This increased usage has expanded to our parks, waterways and all recreational venues. Bike usage on our trails and roads has increased. Palmer Township has installed new cross walk flashing lights at Greenwood Avenue adjacent to the post office, as well as several new trail barricades as a reminder to trail users to stop and look before crossing and to walk bikes across the roadway. Remember, the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code applies to motorist and bike riders alike, both are classified as vehicles. Use courtesy, intellect and common sense when nearing walkers and bike riders. All bike riders are reminded that dogs have a tendency to dart across the trail to reach that new smell, so as you approach a dog walker slow down, announce that you are approaching, this is for YOUR SAFETY as well as that of the dog and its owner!

As residents of Palmer Township each of us have moved here for either a specific or multitude of reasons. Palmer Township's Police Department has 38 members and has a robust Community Policing Program. The Fire Department has 45 members and operates an extensive array of equipment out of 2 stations. We are fortunate to have Suburban Emergency Medical Services provide a full spectrum of medical transportation to our three local hospitals, St. Luke's Easton and its Anderson Campus and the Lehigh Valley Health Networks' new Hecktown Oaks facility.

Keeping Palmer Township Beautiful is supported by Business, Industrial and Professional Association of Palmer Township (BIP) via funding the "Please do not litter, Thank you for your patronage" stickers that you are starting to see on exit doors of local businesses. Another entity that is performing services is the Palmer Park Mall. Its maintenance staff, on a daily basis, clears all litter from its parking lot and thus saves their neighbors from having to deal with other's trash. In an effort to ensure that our



roadways are not covered in litter Palmer Shammy Shine car wash provides Litter Bags to their customers. More and more businesses have placed trash cans outside of their buildings so customers can properly dispose of any unwanted materials.

We have seen a flurry of individuals and groups clearing litter from our Township's roads and trails. Community volunteerism is on an increase. It is very obvious that Township residents take great pride in their properties and take it a step further via assisting those who are either physically or financially incapable of maintaining the appearance of their property. Local church groups have been assisting parishioners maintaining the upkeep of their properties as well as the appearance of their neighborhoods.

Palmer Township has several vacancies on various Boards and Committees. If you want to have a community wide impact, consider volunteering your time and expertise as a member of one of the Township's Committees!

Recall the reason(s) why you moved to Palmer Township, rural yet cosmopolitan! Remember it is not just an individual effort, it is a community effort that keeps our residents safe and Palmer Township healthy!

Keep up the hard work to ensure Palmer remains a desired residential and business community!

PALMER ATHLETICS

2021

Anthony J. Minotti Awards

The Palmer Township Athletic Association presented scholarships to 17 area students recently in the name of Anthony J. Minotti, a former principal and supporter of children's causes in the township. Since 1975 the Palmer Township Athletic Association has presented 397 scholarships which have totaled \$172,550.

Below are the 2021 recipients:

Mark Combi - Is considering seven (7) colleges to study Biomedical Engineering.

Dante DeFrancesco - Plans on attending Penn State Altoona campus to study Kinesiology.

Nolan DiSora - Plans on attending Ithaca College to study Doctor of Physical Therapy.

Brandon Guffy - Plans on attending Moravian College to study Business.

Avery Hutchison - Plans on attending Kutztown to study Business.

Jaden Kelley - Plans on attending Muhlenberg College.

Kiley King - Plans on attending Northampton Community College to study Early Childhood Education.

Erica Koonce - Plans on attending Arcadia to study Physical Therapy.

Dante Mack - Plans on attending Albright to study Elementary Education.

Robert Miller - Plans on attending Penn State University, Altoona to study Kinesiology.

Elizabeth Pursell - Plans on attending Lehigh University to study Bioengineering.

Shannon Repsher - Plans on attending Montclair State University to study Digital Media & TV Production.

Trey Rhinehart - Plans on attending Misericordia to study Physical Therapy.

Trevor Schubert - Plans on attending Drexel University to study Recording Arts & Music Production.

Hope Sostarecz - Plans on attending Temple University to study Psychology.

Meghan Speshok - Plans on attending Northampton Community College.

Caelib Troxell - Plans on attending Saint Vincent College.



Meghan Speshok



Caelib Troxell

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It is the Parks & Recreation Department’s goal to provide citizens with a safe environment in which recreational opportunity can be maximized. Due to the wide variety of patron needs and use of Township property, it is necessary to establish the following rules and regulations.

Event representative must have permit with them for duration of the event.

Reservations: Park Rentals are available from May 1st to November 1st. Permit applications will be available the first business day of January at 9:00am for Palmer Residents and then will become available to the general public on the first business day of February at 9:00am. All reservations must be completed in person at the Charles Chrin Community Center of Palmer Township, located at 4100 Green Pond Road, Palmer, PA 18045, Phone: 610-252-2098.



Fees:

• **Penn Pump** – There are two permits available per day at Penn Pump Park. Penn Pump permits allow the consumption of alcohol and access to restrooms. Rental time 8:00am-10:00pm

1. **Penn Pump Pavilion Permit** *Not to exceed 150 people. Allows parking near the pavilion and pavilion access.

Palmer Residents \$100.00

2. **Penn Pump Picnic Permit** *Not to exceed 50 people, required for 10 or more people.

Picnic permit for Penn Pump allows access to tables outside of the pavilion.

Palmer Residents \$50.00

• **Riverview** – Permit for Riverview Park allows the responsible use of alcohol. Rental time 8am–10:00pm
Palmer Residents \$100.00 & Non-Residents \$175.00

• **BIP Pavilion, Briarcliffe, Fairview, Keystone, & Mill Race** – Alcohol prohibited. Rental time 8am– 10pm
Palmer Residents \$75.00 & Non-Residents \$150.00 *Briarcliffe is unavailable for rent on weekends from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

Caregivers of Northampton County can get additional support through the Caregiver Support Program

Contact Northampton County Area Agency on Aging at 610-829-4540 for more information

- Caregivers can receive reimbursement for approved, out-of-pocket caregiving expenses such as respite care, assistance with personal care and consumable supplies such as adult disposable depends and nutritional drink supplements.
- Care receiver is age 60 or older and requires assistance with bathing dressing etc., or under age 60 with a diagnosis of dementia
- Reimbursement is based on the household income of the care receiver
 - Assistance for Grandparents who are 55+ and are the primary caregiver for their grandchildren
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The increasing amount of waste in our waterways is a problem caused by stormwater pollution. This form of pollution is known for rainwater and melting snow carrying loose trash and chemicals from roadways, parking lots and yards directly into rivers and streams. Common sources of stormwater pollution that can be addressed locally are pet waste, motor oil and other fluids leaking from vehicles, de-icing salt, debris like trash and dirt on roadways, as well as pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers. An impervious surface is anything that prevents water from soaking into the ground meaning the larger a parking lot is, the larger the impervious surface and greater the amount of stormwater runoff there will be.

Stormwater runoff and pollution are more likely to cause storm sewer overflow and human and wildlife health problems. In addition to these issues, when fertilizers are washed into rivers and streams an algal bloom can occur. When this happens, the algae that grows on the water surface uses all of the resources including dissolved oxygen that the fish need to survive. The algae also takes oxygen out of the water as it decomposes, creating a less habitable environment for fish and other organisms.

Local municipalities are taking action against stormwater pollution through the continued implementation of the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Management Program. The program as mandated by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection addresses sources of stormwater pollution and seeks to unite the community around reducing pollution as a whole in our local area. The MS4 plan is meant to address issues like local flooding and algal blooms to improve water quality and quality of life for those in Palmer Township, as well as in the surrounding communities.

You can help by making sure you follow some good housekeeping practices to do your part like always picking up pet waste and properly disposing of it, not applying fertilizer to your lawn before it rains, and making sure that all household trash is in a bag and not loose in the tote or receptacle. To help do your part you can also keep up with your vehicle maintenance to assure that nothing will leak onto the road while driving or parked. You can also install rain barrels, rain gardens or reduce impervious surfaces outside of your home to reduce your stormwater runoff. Window flower boxes are a good choice because they can catch water from the roof and reduce runoff during a rainstorm. Rain barrels can also be used to store water for around the home use like watering plants or washing your car to save on utility bills.

To help encourage support behind the MS4 program and educate residents about our waterways, Palmer Township is looking for volunteers with help attaching medallions to local storm inlets that provide information on where the water drains to. Palmer Township also encourages any other suggestions or ideas on how residents and officials can improve pollution control and continue to advance the MS4 program. If you would like more information on the issue and possible at home solutions, please refer to the "Homeowner's Stormwater Handbook Smart Stormwater Management: A How-to for Homeowners" from Philadelphia Water Department and Delaware Estuary.



Attention History Buffs:

The Palmer Historical Society invites your membership and attendance at their informative and educational meetings featuring local and area subjects of interest. Meetings are held in the Palmer Library 10:00am to Noon February – May and September – November. Membership is \$5.00 per year and includes an invitation to all events.

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As summer comes to a close, we want to thank everyone who participated in the library's annual Summer Reading Program! We are so grateful to all our readers, young and old, who helped make this year's summer one of the best. It was wonderful to see so many familiar faces back at the library after such a long, difficult year. We saw many young readers continue to learn and grow, and lifelong readers returned to see some old friends (book friends, that is!) and meet some new ones.

Looking ahead, we're excited to welcome everyone back to the library for in-person programming this fall! Some activities will be held outdoors on the library lawn (if the weather allows).

September is National Library Card Sign-up Month

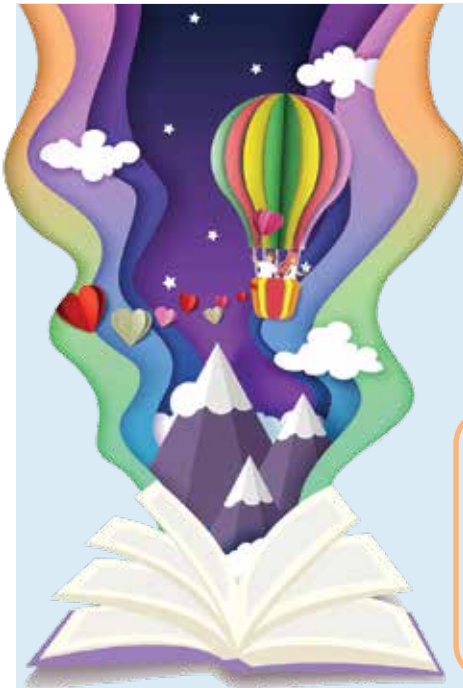
Don't have a library card?

Now is the time to get one! Stop by to sign up for a library card during National Library Card Sign-up Month. We will have exciting activities and events planned all month long celebrating our local library.



Join us in October for International Dinosaur Month. RAWR!

We will have a Thesaurus Rex art contest for all ages, fun programs, and more! Stay tuned and follow us on our website and social media for more details!



Storytime with the Palmer Branch!

Get ready for fall storytime! Contact the library for our full schedule of storytimes for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers! Registration is required to attend. For more information, contact Katie Cardell at katiec@eastonpl.org or visit the library's website and click the "Palmer" tab.

Fall Session: September 13 - October 19 (registration begins August 30)

Holiday Session: November 8 - December 14 (registration begins October 18)

Bedtime Storytime

Get into your pajamas, bring a stuffie, and snuggle in for some cozy bedtime stories with Miss Katie. For children ages 2-6 years old. Register at bit.ly/BSStorytimeReg

Wednesday, September 22 @ 6:00pm (registration begins August 30)

Wednesday, November 3 @ 6:00pm (registration begins October 18)

Looking for information about library programs?

Call the library, check our website (eastonpl.org), and follow us on Facebook (@EAPLOfficial) and Instagram (@EAPLibrary) for the most current updates about in-person and virtual activities for children, teens, and adults. You can also sign up for the library's monthly e-newsletter at bit.ly/eaplsignup.

Did You Know...

...the library has an e-newsletter? Sign up for our monthly email newsletter for updates and information about what's going on at the Easton Area Public Library!

Sign up at: bit.ly/eaplsignup.

Palmer Adult Book Group

The Palmer Adult Book Group meets on the 4th Tuesday of every month at 6:00pm. All those interested are welcome to join the conversation! Contact Katie Cardell at palmeradultbookgroup@gmail.com if you would like to be added to the mailing list for monthly email reminders.

Tuesday, September 28 –
The Rose Code by Kate Quinn

Tuesday, October 26 – *The Four Winds* by Kristin Hannah

Tuesday, November 23 –
Malibu Rising by Taylor Jenkins Reid



Who Was Book Group

The Who Was Book Group is for children ages 8-12 and discusses books from the *Who HQ* biography and nonfiction series. During the discussions, children will talk about the book and can participate in related activities.

The first 10 children who register receive a free paperback book, which is theirs to keep as long as they participate in the discussion. Contact Katie Cardell at katiec@eastonpl.org or 610-258-7492 to sign up or for more information.

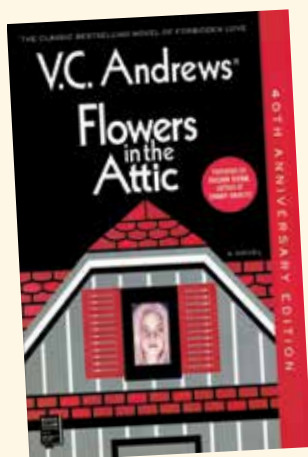
Wed., October 6 @ 4pm – *Who Were the Lees*
(Registration begins September 7)

A discussion of Robert E. Lee, Bruce Lee, and Stan Lee!



Forever Young Adult Book Group

Forever Young Adult Book Group is finishing up its year of retro reads in fine fashion! Join the FYA Facebook group (www.facebook.com/groups/FYABookGroup) or email Katie Cardell at katiec@eastonpl.org for the discussion schedule! This group is open to any and all adults who enjoy reading teen and young adult fiction. We meet the third Wednesday of every month at 6:00pm.



Wed., September 15 –
The Midnight Club by Christopher Pike

Wed., October 20 –
Stranger with My Face by Lois Duncan

Wed., November 17 –
Flowers in the Attic by V.C. Andrews

I Survived Book Group

The I Survived Book Group is for children ages 8-12 and discusses books from Lauren Tarshis's *I Survived* historical fiction series. During the discussions, children discuss the story and can participate in related STEM activities. We will meet outside on the library lawn, weather permitting.

The first 10 children who register receive a free paperback copy of the book, which is theirs to keep as long as they participate in the discussion. Contact Katie Cardell at katiec@eastonpl.org or 610-258-7492 to sign up or for more information.

Wed., November 10 @ 4pm
– *I Survived the California Wildfires, 2018* (registration begins October 11)



Upcoming Library Closings

- Saturday, September 4 & Monday, September 6 (Labor Day)
- Wednesday, November 24 (library closes at 5pm)
- Thursday, November 25 (Thanksgiving Day)

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Dear Residents of Palmer,

After more than thirty-two years in law enforcement, twenty-two as Chief of Police, the time for me to retire has come. I will retire this month after a career in one of the most rewarding professions one can serve in. It has been my pleasure, privilege, and honor to serve the residents of both the City of Easton and Palmer Township during my time in law enforcement.

The department has maintained its accredited status with the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association Law Enforcement Accreditation Program after a third assessment in 2020, one of only 131 agencies out of approximately 1100 police agencies in Pennsylvania to do so. Serious crime (Homicides, Rape, Robbery, Assault, Burglary, Theft, & Arson) from 2010 through 2019 has steadily decreased by 44 percent. Other crimes over the same period steadily decreased by 58 percent. 2020 crimes are not included due to the pandemic during which crime rates were abnormally low in numbers and would skew the data.

The department will be led into the future in the capable hands of a 30-year veteran of the Palmer Township Police Department who will introduce himself within this newsletter. I have been truly blessed to work with an incredible, hardworking, and fearless group of police officers and staff in both police departments during my career. Recently, they stared down the COVID virus and maintained vigilance over our community without hesitation or trepidation, continuing to perform their duties in an exemplary manner. Thank you for your support and cooperation during this difficult period in our history and for allowing me to serve as your Chief of Police for the past nine plus years.

Respectfully,

Larry Palmer

Larry Palmer

Chief of Police Wayne D. Smith

Chief Wayne Smith is a 2017 graduate of the 412th session of Northwestern University's School of Police Staff and Command. He successfully completed the Trilogy for the FBI Law Enforcement Executive Development Association (FBI-LEEDA), after attending the Supervisor Leadership Institute, Command Leadership Institute, and Executive Leadership Institute.

In addition, he has successfully completed the Penn State Justice and Safety Institute's Police Supervisor In-Service Training (POSIT), Police Executive Development Program (POLEX), and the Advanced Police Executive Development Program (Advanced POLEX).

Chief Smith is a proud U.S. Navy Veteran, Honorably Discharged after serving as a Hospital Corpsman from 1984 – 1990.

Chief Smith was an active volunteer for Suburban EMS for many years, and worked for Easton EMS as an Emergency Medical Technician, prior to attending the Allentown Police Academy.

Chief Smith has been a sworn member of the Palmer Township Police Department for over 30 years. He was hired as a part-time officer in February 1991. He was appointed to full-time April 1994. Promoted to the rank of Corporal January 2003, and then

Sergeant in 2005. He was appointed as the Lieutenant of Field Services in February 2014, then promoted to the Deputy Chief of Police in January 2019.

During this time, he has been assigned to the uniform patrol division. In addition to these primary duties, Chief Smith served as an operator, sniper, and Assistant Team Leader of the Emergency Response Team for over 17 years. He is certified as an Instructor in Firearms and additional Law Enforcement fields.

He has received the department's Commendation of Merit Award, Unit Citation, and numerous Letters of Appreciation.

Chief Smith is an active member of the Northampton County Chiefs of Police Association, the Northeast Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association, Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association, and the Fraternal Order of Police

Chief Smith, his wife Stefanie, their children, and families are lifelong residents of Palmer Township.

Chief Wayne D. Smith
(610) 253-5844
wsmith@palmerpd.org



Fire Zones

Our Officers are continuing to patrol upon vehicles double parking in fire zones in our shopping center parking lots. **Fire Zones** are marked with signs and painted markings on the ground, that designate the areas vehicles may NOT park. If a vehicle is parked in a fire zone, at any time, they can be cited and risk having their vehicle towed. Please do not park in **fire zones**, it is a public safety issue in the event of an emergency.



2021 PALMER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY WEEKEND

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PALMER WEEKEND FOOD/ITEMS BOOTHS

Most organizations sell some type of drinks such as water and/or soda

Suburban EMS – First Aid Tent

1. Palmer Police Department – Kids' ID Cards
2. Boys' Soccer Booster – Etched Easton Glassware; Easton Flags; Easton Seat Cushions; Empanadas
3. Bethel Baptist Church – Rita's Italian Ice
4. Greek Orthodox Church - Gyros
5. Tall Cedars – Pull Tickets
6. Palmer Moravian Church – Lemonade/Orangeade
7. Suburban EMS – BBQ
8. PA Water Rescue – Ribbon Fries; Fried Dough
9. Tracy PTA – Children's Game
10. Easton UNICO – Chipped Steak Sandwiches
11. Moondogs - Men's Baseball Team – Seafood; Seasoned/Plain Corn on Cob
12. Knights of Columbus – Sausage Sandwiches; Hot Dogs
13. Palmer Township Athletic Association
Palmer Township Municipal Fire Department - Beverage Tents
14. Easton High School Softball – Rib Eye Steak Sandwiches; Hamburgers; French Fries; Pierogies – Steak Dinner Sunday
15. Youth Advocate Programs - Pizza; Chicken Bowls
16. Ancient Order of Hibernians – Shepherd's Pie; Bangers & Mash; Corned Beef; Irish Pork Roll; Scrapple
17. Palmer Kiwanis – Win a Gold Fish; Cotton Candy
18. Palmer Elementary PTA – Spirit Wear and Duck Pond Game
19. Girls' Soccer Booster Club – Soft Pretzels; Candy; Nachos; Carmel Corn
- 19A. Palmer Township Community Weekend Tent –
Donated by Millennia Salon & Spa – Glitter Tattoos; Raffles; Children's Games
20. Easton Cheerleaders – Fried Oreos; Easton Sportswear; Mozz Sticks
21. New Creation Church – Funnel Cake; Lottery Calendars
22. Boys' Basketball Booster Club – Raffle; Basketball Clothing/accessories
23. Miracle League of Northampton County – Information Booth
24. BIP of Palmer – Free Popcorn
25. Easton Wrestling Booster Club – Coffee; Donuts; Freeze Pops; Pickles on a Stick; Season Roasted Potatoes/Chicken Wings
26. Easton Swim Team – Walking Tacos, Concrete Bulldogs; Apparel; Pudding
27. Stones Crossing Swim Club – Fried BP & J Sandwiches; Mac & Cheese; Rice Balls, Fruit Cups.
28. Easton Baseball – Sports Memorabilia - Auction
29. Easton Instrumental Music Association – Ice Cream – Cones and Dish
30. KFARSGHAB Club – Garlic Chicken Pita
31. Radiant Church – Peach Cobbler
32. Palmer Cub Pack 11 – Wooden Bird Houses; Bird Baths
33. Sponsor's Tent – Various Sponsors throughout the weekend
34. Easton Varsity Football Boosters – Football Sportswear; Mason Jars



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CLUB OF PALMER TOWNSHIP

The Kiwanis Club of Palmer Township is pleased to continue our yearly event of providing eight \$1,000 scholarships to graduating seniors at local high schools this year even in a time when we all are dealing with a pandemic. These scholarships were presented to:

CAREER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Samuel M. Cyphers son of Jonnel Cyphers whose home high school is Easton Area High School. At CIT Samuel's curriculum was Electric Construction Technology and he plans to enter the work force.

Marie Fritts daughter of James and Heidi Fritts whose home high school is also Easton Area High School. Marie's educational focus at CIT was Early Childhood and Special Education. She will be attending East Stroudsburg University majoring in education.



From left to right are: Samuel Cyphers, Jennifer Russ, CIT Counselor, Elaine Arnts, Palmer Kiwanis Scholarship Chairperson, and Marie Fritts

EASTON AREA HIGH SCHOOL

Alania Mariano daughter of Richard and Annmarie Mariano will be attending the University of Delaware majoring in visual communications.

Campbell Heitz daughter of George and Kristen Heitz will be attending West Chester University majoring in elementary education.



From left to right are Thomas Purcell and Nicole Goodman

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

Nicole Goodman daughter of David and Christine Goodman will be attending Northampton County Community College majoring in business and marketing.

Thomas Purcell son of William and Kristine Purcell will be attending Penn State University majoring in criminal justice.

WILSON AREA HIGH SCHOOL

Brielle Byerley daughter of Robert and Antoinette Byerley will be attending Lehigh University majoring Pre-Med/Pediatric Orthopedics.

Zoe Maldonado daughter of Miledy Navarro will be attending Kutztown University majoring in art/special education.



From left to right are: Brielle Byerly, Zoe Maldonado, Campbell Heitz and Alania Mariano

All of the members of Palmer Kiwanis wish these deserving graduates best wishes and good luck in their future endeavors.

HOLIDAY COLLECTIONS

There will no collections on Labor Day or Thanksgiving Day and collections will be delayed by one day following these holidays.

CURBSIDE TRASH

- All trash goes into your green cart with the green lid. Materials outside the cart will not be collected.
- Trash should be bagged before being placed in the cart. Bagging helps keep your cart clean and reduces windblown litter.
- Prohibited items include** recyclables (see article to the right), tires, hazardous waste, liquid paint, electronics, yard waste, construction debris, dirt, rock, and car parts.



Overfilled carts or carts containing prohibited items will not be collected.

RECYCLING DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

Hartley Avenue Recycling Center

Monday, Wednesday, Friday:
8:00am-4:00pm
Saturday: 10am-3pm
Sunday: 12pm-4pm

Accepts paper, cardboard, plastic bottles and containers, glass, cans, scrap metals, and yard waste (no more than three (3) small bundles of yard waste per visit).

Berks Street Yard Waste Composting Center

Accepts large amounts of yard waste for a small fee. NO plastic rope, bags, or twine. Unacceptable items include grass clippings, tree stumps, soil, sod, animal excrement, noxious weeds, bamboo, wood, or tree limbs over twelve (12) inches in diameter, or items contaminated with hazardous substances.

For the safety of the attendants, residents, and township employees, the speed limit of 5 MPH must be adhered to from the time you enter the center gate until you leave.

For more information visit
www.palmertwp.com
or call 610-253-7191.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING

All carts should be placed curbside by 5:00am.

PAPER – office and school paper, newsprint, junk mail, paper bags, phone books, magazines, catalogs, envelopes, wrapping paper (no metallic paper or bows.) Shredded paper should be bagged and placed in the trash cart.

CARDBOARD – paper towel rolls, cereal, cracker, and pasta boxes, shipping and shoe boxes, manila folders, etc. No wax-coated, pizza or other food, paint or oil contaminated boxes. Flatten and/or cut up to release from the cart easily.

PLASTIC BOTTLES OR CONTAINERS – Rinsed household containers and bottles (such as soda, water, milk, juice, shampoo, detergent, condiments, yogurt, margarine, to-go containers, pet food, etc.) No Styrofoam. Look for the recycling triangle on the bottom with these numbers inside #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, and #7. Lids attached.

NEW!! FLEXIBLE (NOT RIGID) PLASTICS – these are *able to flex or wrap and are rinsed clean of food contamination*. Acceptable items include, plastic shopping bags, potato, chocolate chip and snack bags, produce bags including salad, grapes, and carrot bags, shredded cheese packages, pet treat pouches, case wrap, shrink film, bread bags, bubble wrap, cereal bags, drink and juice pouches, paper towel and toilet paper overwraps, detergent pouches, shipping bags.

GLASS - Rinsed clear, brown, and green bottles and jars. Discard lids.

CANS – Rinsed aluminum, bi-metal, and tin cans as well as empty aerosol cans. Metal pots and pans.

CARTONS – Rinsed food cartons that contain milk, juice, broth, cream, egg substitutes, soup, soy milk, and wine boxes.

No food contaminated items, electronics, textiles, construction debris, or yard waste.



UPCOMING SPECIAL CURBSIDE COLLECTIONS

Place items curbside on your scheduled collection day during the weeks noted below.

They will be collected that week by a separate vehicle.

Bulk Item Collections - Weeks of September 13 and November 29

One bulk item can be placed curbside for each collection. Bulk items are defined as items too large to fit into the curbside trash cart and include, but are not limited to furniture, tables, chairs, sofas, mattresses, rolled up and tied area rugs (no larger than 2' x 5'), etc. No hazardous waste, electronics, construction debris, yard waste, or additional household trash is acceptable as part of this collection.

Additional items can be placed curbside for collection during this week, *only if previously arranged and paid for by calling Waste Management at 800-621-2100 ahead of time*. Identify yourself as a resident of Palmer Township to get the reduced price of \$40 per item. Be sure to get a confirmation number.

Metal and Appliances Collection – Week of September 27

Includes all major appliances, such as washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, (Freon no longer needs to be removed) stoves, dishwashers (metal only, not plastic), hot water tanks, and trash compactors, BBQ grills and push-behind lawnmowers (gas, charcoal, oil removed), bicycles, swing sets if taken apart and bundled (no larger than 2' x 5") and other items of similar weight, material, size.

Remember, when you purchase new appliances, the stores where you purchase these types of items will typically take your old items.

Yard Waste Collection – Week of November 8

Unlimited amounts of yard waste (leaves, branches, twigs, flowers, roots, bushes, and garden clippings) will be collected curbside. Place your yard waste in any clean, open-top container (not in your automated carts), or tie in bundles no larger than 3' x 3' x 3" with cotton or hemp twine, or place in compostable paper bags. No plastic rope, plastic twine, or plastic bags and bundles or containers should be no heavier than 40 lbs.

Unacceptable items include grass clippings, tree stumps, soil, sod, animal excrement, noxious weeds, bamboo, wood or tree limbs over four (4) inches in diameter, or items contaminated with hazardous substances.

Leaf Collection – Eight weeks in the Fall

Residents must rake their leaves into the street and close to the curb. This collection is highly dependent on weather conditions.

Christmas Tree Collection – First three (3) full weeks in January

Remove any transport bags, tinsel, ornaments, lights, and tree stands.





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Charles Chrin Community Center News



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Holiday Building Closings: Monday September 6th – Labor Day • Thursday November 11th – Veteran's Day

UPCOMING EVENTS & PROGRAMS:

SENIORS CARDS: PINOCHLE PLAYERS NEEDED – Tuesday Afternoons – 12:30 – 4:00pm. Join them as they play 3, 4, 5 or even 6 handed pinochle! Don't worry if it's been awhile, or if you only ever played one way. They will teach you. Come share the fun and laughter. It's a great way to spend an afternoon. Any questions, call Marj at 610-252-7964 or email to paulm1@rcn.com

GREATER LEHIGH VALLEY CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN SEWING GUILD: 2nd Thursday of Each Month beginning in September and meets until June 10:00am-1:00pm

AMBASSADOR CLUB: Meets every 3rd Monday of the month at 1:00 pm (*No meetings in July, August, or December*)

GREAT DANE DOG SHOW: Friday, August 6th & Saturday, August 7th

TOY SHOW: Saturday, September 11th, for more information visit Valley Rail Promotions, Inc.

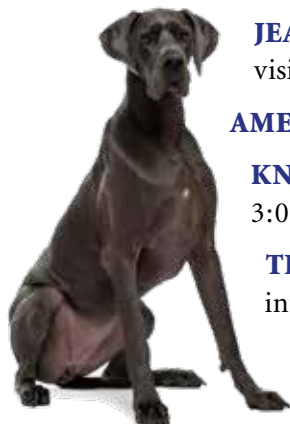
JEAGER GUN SHOW: Saturday, September 25th and Sunday, September 26th. For more information visit jeagerarmspromotions.com

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: Friday, October 15th, 1:00 – 7:00pm

KNIFE SHOW: Saturday October 23rd, 9:00am – 5:00 pm and Sunday October 24th, 9:00am – 3:00pm. For more information, go to www.paknifeshow.com. You can buy, sell, and display knives.

THE CLOTHING TREE, CHILDREN'S CONSIGNMENT SALE: October 28th – 30th. For more information please visit www.theclothingtree.com

HALLOWEEN ZUMBA: Wednesday, October 27th – Join Lisa from 6:00-7:00pm for a spooky good time! Wear your best Halloween gear and come dance to some Halloween hits. \$5 walk-ins welcome and free to fit pass and Insurance holders!



OPEN GYM

**based on availability, please call.
\$5.00 Walk-in Fee (cash only)**



Charles Chrin Community Center News



Amazing Athletes is the premier multi-sport program for children ages 2-6 years old! We teach the basic fundamentals of 10 different sports in a fun, non-competitive environment where every kid can learn at their own pace! Text 908-291-2307 or email gcarmona@amazingathletes.com to set up a free trial class at any time! Classes running year round, see website for exact days and time slots for your age group!

To register, go to the following website:
www.amazingathletes.com/lehighvalley

Click on classes and then scroll down to find your Charles Chrin day and time!



Super Soccer Stars is the sister company of Amazing Athletes and brings you a super-fun soccer-focused class for kids ages 3-8 years old! This class explores the game of soccer by practicing basic skills each week and eventually working our way up to scrimmages when we are older! Classes are running in the fall, see website for exact days and time slots.

To register, go to the following website:
www.amazingathletes.com/lehighvalley

Click on classes and then scroll down to find your Charles Chrin day and time!



BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Join us for your child's birthday party. We provide two trained party coordinators who are ready to get kids moving and excited. We take care of set up and clean up to ensure a stress-free event. We provide pizza, juice, and all paper products. **Birthday Cake is not provided.*

Children will have the opportunity to play on different gymnastics equipment including bars, beam, trampoline and the air trak, along with games and the parachute! If you have a child that is interested in sports, we can also incorporate a sport's theme into your child's special day! After one hour of play time the party coordinators will escort the children to the food area, where they will serve pizza and juice. Don't worry about clean up! The coordinators take care of clean up, as well as bagging all the birthday gifts to take home. **Please contact Brenda at 610-252-2098 for more information.**

Party Hours

All dates & times vary based upon availability.

PRICING

Basic-up to 20 Children.....	\$250.00/Resident
	\$275.00/Non-Resident
Each additional child	\$5.00
Additional Pizza	\$13.00 each
Weekday birthday party	\$220.00
<i>(Monday-Friday—Daytime parties based upon availability)</i>	



2021-2022 After Care Program



Charles Chrin Community Center of Palmer Township
4100 Green Pond Road
Easton, PA 18045
(610) 252-2098

PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- CPR/First Aid Certified Staff
- Homework help
- Wifi capability for virtual assignments
- Snack time
- Occasional movie/television showings
- "Entertainment" bins for quiet play
- "Get up and Move" breaks
- Staff-led exercise breaks

**After Care Hours: Bus drop off
time to 6PM**

**Membership Fee: \$100
After Care Daily Rate: \$12**

**Service Provided For:
Palmer Elementary School
Easton Area Middle School
Easton Arts Academy**



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Charles Chrin Community Center News

The Charles Chrin Community Center Fitness Class Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Yoga 9:30-10:20am Becky		Yoga 9:30-10:20am Becky		
	Zumba 10:45-11:30am August	Zumba Toning 10:45-11:30am August	Zumba 10:45-11:30am August	Bootcamp 10:45-11:30am August	Zumba 10:45-11:30am August	
<i>Silver Fitness Classes!</i> ➔ <i>See full schedule for more details.</i>	Zumba Gold 1:00-1:45pm August <i>Silver Class</i>	Silver Core Stretch 1:00-1:45pm August <i>Silver Class</i>	Zumba Gold Toning 1:00-1:45pm August <i>Silver Class</i>	Silver Bootcamp 1:00-1:45pm August <i>Silver Class</i>	Silver Yoga 1:00-1:45pm Becky <i>Silver Class</i>	
	Zumba 7:00-7:50pm Lisa		Zumba/Zumba Toning 7:00-7:50pm Lisa			
						

FIT PASS: \$40.00/month

FP includes unlimited classes & use of the fitness center

FIT CARD: 10 Classes/\$50.00

Fit Card does not expire

SILVER PASS: \$20/month

SP includes unlimited silver classes & use of the fitness center.

WALK-INS: \$5.00/class

SILVER WALK-INS: \$3.00/class

•NO REGISTRATION FEES

•NO YEARLY CONTRACT

•MONTH-TO-MONTH PAYMENT

We also accept Silver Sneakers, Silver & Fit, Active & Fit, Renew & Fit, Healthways, Health Plan Partners with qualifying insurance. Contact your insurance provider to see if you are eligible.



*Watch for upcoming special events throughout the year!

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Do you want to learn???

Clinics are available...

Wednesdays 1:00pm-3:00pm

(includes: 1-2pm Pickleball Instruction & 2-3pm Practice Game Play)

Session 1: September 29th – October 20th

Session 2: November 3rd – November 24th

Session 3: December 1st – December 22nd

\$60.00 (per 4 week session)

Register early, as we will only accept 8 participants.

Register in person at the front desk at the Community Center.

Payments must be made at the Community Center prior to the session start date.



Silver Fitness Schedule

Charles Chrin Community Center of Palmer Township, 4100 Green Pond Rd., Palmer, PA 18045



Monday	1:00pm-1:45pm	Zumba Gold August
Tuesday	1:00pm-1:45pm	Silver Core Stretch August
Wednesday	1:00pm-1:45pm	Zumba Gold Toning August
Thursday	1:00pm-1:45pm	Silver Bootcamp August
Friday	1:00pm-1:45pm	Silver Yoga Becky

Our Silver Pass is \$20/month

(includes access to the Fitness Center and all Silver Fitness Classes only)

Drop-in Fee is \$3/class

*Check eligibility through your insurance for Silver & Fit, Silver Sneakers, or Healthways.

We also offer FREE quarterly social events!

You can find more information at
www.palmercommunitycenter.org or
call 610-252-2098

Zumba Gold – Latin-inspired, dance fitness program designed for the active older adult, beginner participant, pregnant women, those who need modifications, arthritis sufferers, and those recovering from injury. This is a fun, feel-good, party-like class.

Silver Bootcamp – This is a great way to increase strength, flexibility, balance & coordination. Pilates is regarded as an ideal exercise regimen for people in or over their 50's due to low-impact exercise. Benefits are improved posture, stamina, and strength.

Zumba Gold Toning – "Muscle Toning for the Young at Heart", combines the cardio element of Zumba Gold with strength training techniques.

Silver Core Stretch – A full body stretch using movements that flow smoothly to increase flexibility, decrease muscle tension, develop core strength, and improve muscular balance.

Silver Yoga – This class will begin with a short breath practice and then work up to a mindful flow ending in a relaxing shivasana. Participants will explore getting into and out of different yoga postures and how to make adjustments when necessary. This class will use props, explore variations, and work on balance while increasing both strength and flexibility. No prior yoga experience necessary - all levels welcome! Come explore the beautiful blend of breath and movement to open up the body and enhance mobility.



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FALL DANCE SCHEDULE 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday
PRINCESS PRE-BALLET Ages 3-5 5:45-6:15 Miss Justine	5:30-6:00 BEG/INT TAP 8- TEEN Miss Megan	5:30- 6:30 BALLET AGES 8 AND UP Miss Megan	LYRICAL BALLET AND TAP 5:45-6:15 AGES 5-10- LEVEL Miss Justine	PRESCHOOL BALLET- TAP- TUMBLE 9:30-10:15 AGES 3-5 Miss Justine
6:30 - 7:00 TINY TUMBLERS AGES 3-5- BEG Miss Justine	5:40-6:10 Mini Team Comp Choreography	6:30-7:15 BEG/INT CONTEMPORARY AGES 8- TEEN Miss Megan	6:20-7:20 JAZZ HOP AND TUMBLE LEVEL 2 5-10 Miss Justine	10:30-12:30 Junior Comp Choreography
7:15 - 8:00 ADULT LYRICAL Miss Justine	6:10-7:10 ACRO/TUMBLING AGES 6-TEEN INT/ADV Miss Megan	7:15-7:45 MUSICAL THEATRE AGES 8-TEEN Miss Megan	Private classes	Private Classes
	7:15 -8:00 STREET JAZZ/HIP HOP BEG/INT 8-TEEN Miss Megan	7:45-8:15 Teen Comp Choreography Miss Megan		



Instructor approval required for all classes

FALL 1 SESSION
6 WEEKS • 9/13-10/23

FALL 2 SESSION
10/24-12/18

No Classes the week of 12/6 • No class 11/2-rescheduled 11/23

REGISTRATION OPENS 8/1/21

PLEASE REGISTER AT: DANCESTUDIOPRO.COM/ONLINE/DBD

TUITION RATES

Cost per 6-week Session

30 Minutes	\$84.00
45 Minutes	\$96.00
60 Minutes	\$108.00
75 Minutes	\$120.00
90 Minutes	\$150.00
Unlimited	\$195.00

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Adults who have child enrolled in class will receive a discount for their adult class.

-We accept cash, check, ACH beginning 8/1/21

If you have any questions, please email Miss Justine at MissJustine@dreambelievedance.com

PRIVATE CLASSES AVAILABLE

30 min - \$10.00 plus Instructor fee
45 min - \$15.00 plus Instructor fee
Please see Miss Justine for each instructor's fees.

**Interested in
Competition Dance????
Contact Miss Justine for more info.**



Please join us for...



Halloween Zumba With Lisa

Wednesday
October 27th, 2021
6:00-7:00pm

\$5
Walk-In



Free for Fit Pass and Insurance Members
Dress in your best fitness-friendly Halloween gear!
Lisa will be sure to add some **SPOOK** to her Zumba playlist.

Children's Programs

at the Charles Chrin Community Center of Palmer Township

TUMBLE TIME

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FALL 2021 SESSIONS

SESSION 1: September 14, 21, 28, and October 5

SESSION 2: October 19, 26, November 2, and 9

SESSION 3: November 23, 30, December 7, and 14

Cost \$75.00 per 4 weeks session

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Please register in person at The Charles Chrin Community
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For registration questions please call 610-252-2098

For more information, please e-mail singnmove1@gmail.com

or visit the website www.singnmove.com



Tuesday Morning Tailgating

“Tailgating” for most of us, typically involves football and food. But to Winter Falcone, it’s something quite different.

This busy 18-month old toddler knows “tailgating” as sitting at the end of her driveway with her parents and watching the trash trucks on collection day. This started seven months ago when she began to run to her windows every Tuesday morning to excitedly watch and wave as the recycling and trash trucks went by. Once the weather allowed, Winter’s parents began what they call “tailgating” where they set up their chairs in front of their house and read Winter books about trash trucks and recycling until the trucks come by to collect.

Waste Management’s Brian Stahl is known to many Palmer residents as “Bubba,” and has a reputation for his kindness and overall friendliness on the job. Winter agrees! She presented her special artwork to Brian when Waste Management recently surprised Winter by stopping and delivering a bagful of surprises to her, including her very own trash truck!



Several others joined Winter for this fun event!



Pictured above from left to right are Brenda DeGerolamo (Assistant Township Manager), Brian, Madeline, and Winter Falcone, Bob Williams (Township Manager), Brian “Bubba” Stahl (Waste Management), Ron Carlson (Public Sector Manager, Waste Management), and Dave Colver (Chairman of the Palmer Board of Supervisors).

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Palmer Fire Department will be selling commemorative **Community Weekend mugs** at the beer tent this year. Mugs will go on sale all day Wednesday at Fairview Park during wrist band sales. Get them early while supplies last with special offers!



In May firefighter Matt Vangeli climbed through the rank of exterior to interior firefighter, after successfully completing his months of Firefighter I certification training. Matt proudly received his "black interior" shield from department staff.

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