

August 2026



News and Views

Annual Corn Roast & Auction

The date has been set for the Annual Corn Roast and Auction for Saturday, September 12th at 5pm at the Township Building Pavilion on Auction Road.

The evening begins with dinner, consisting of hot dogs, sides, and locally grown sweet corn. After dinner, feast on cake and Amish made ice cream, relax, and enjoy the company of your friends, family, and neighbors!

Lastly, the auction will begin! Get your wallets and auction numbers ready! This is an evening you won't want to miss!

A unique variety of items are available for auction including hand-crafted items, canned and baked goods, fresh produce, and many other donated items. Local businesses donate new items and the Wilmington Township Civic League Quilters have made a beautiful "Attic Window" quilt to auction off this year!

Items for auction can be brought to the township building during office hours or the evening of the event.

Auction proceeds help fund community projects, so thank you!



Scholarship Winner

Cameron Harvey was awarded the 26th Annual Patrick W. Campbell Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$750. The awarded was presented by retired Mercer County Common Pleas President Judge Tom Dobson at the Wilmington Township Mercer County Civic League June meeting.

Cameron is a homeschool graduate in the Wilmington Area School District and is attending New Castle School of Trades, where he is studying Diesel and Heavy Equipment Repair. Cameron is the son of Ryan and Jennifer Harvey.

Congratulations Cameron!



School is set to start on Thursday, August 27th. Please be careful when approaching a school bus and remember, ALL traffic must stop for buses. Let's work together to keep our kids safe!

Upcoming Events

September 12, 2026 - Annual Corn Roast & Auction at 5pm

November 3, 2026 - Election Day and Luncheon/Bake Sale

December 15, 2026 - Annual Christmas Party, 6pm at the Township Building. Residents are asked to bring their own place setting, a dish to share, and a dozen Christmas cookies.

Quilt Winner/Garage Sale

The annual garage sale was held on May 16th and proved to be a very successful day for selling secondhand treasures. The Amish-made donuts were delicious and a big seller as always. Thank you to everyone who helped make this event an enjoyable success!

Rowena Bauer was the winner of this year's Quilt Raffle.

The profit from these events are used toward the scholarships awarded annually to students of the township.

We Need Your Help!

The Township and Civic League are looking for people interested in helping out. The Civic League is in need of a Vice President.

The Township is in need of an Emergency Management Coordinator and a Planning Commission Member.

If you are interested in any of these, please contact the township office! Thank you!

Civic League Treasurer's Report

2026 has been a successful year for the Civic League. So far, the League has raised:

- ♦ May Election Luncheon - \$137.00
- ♦ Garage Sale/Quilt Raffle/Donut Sale - \$1344.25
- ♦ Rabies Clinic - \$580.00

The Civic League was able to give 1 scholarship this year and \$100 to the Lawrence County Humane Society. The newsletter costs approximately \$500. Many more donations will be made in the fall of this year.



*"Each day comes
bearing gifts..."*

Untie the ribbon."

Ann Ruth Shabacker

Senior Luncheons

A monthly senior luncheon is held on the 2nd Thursday of each month at noon for only \$2.00 at the Wilmington Township Mercer County Municipal Building. Come as often as you like. This is a great opportunity to get out and make new friends and fellowship with old ones. Friends can make the good times even better and the hard times a little easier.

Grab a friend and plan to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!



Election Day and Luncheon/Bake Sale

Election Day is on November 3rd, from 7am - 8pm. Be sure to stop by the garage while voting to enjoy the delicious luncheon provided by the Civic League and visit with your neighbors. Don't forget to check out items available at the bake sale too!

The last day to register is October 19th. The last day to apply for an absentee or mail-in ballot is October 27th. Voted mail-in or civilian absentee ballots are due at the County Board of Elections by 8pm on November 3rd. Forms are available in the township office.

What offices will be on the ballot?

- * Governor
- * Lt. Governor
- * US House of Representatives
- * State Senate
- * State House of Representatives



Thank You!!

- A big thank you to Joyce Allen and Cindy Black for faithfully helping at our senior luncheons. We are very appreciative!
- Thank you to Dr. Joe Raught for his donation of rabies shots and his services during the Rabies Clinic. A donation to the Lawrence County Humane Society was made from the Civic League in his honor for his willingness to provide this service to our township and the surrounding communities. Thank you, Joe!
- Thank you to the numerous folks that donate so much time to the Civic League events. Without all of you, these events could not happen!

Road Work

Seal coating will take place on: Auction Road, Orchard Road, Number 8 Road, Bend Road, and Mill Road

Mowing will continue throughout the Township

Ditching, Berming, Patching, and a variety of other services will continue to take place in various areas where needed

Please use caution and be courteous to our road workers!

FLAGS AVAILABLE AT THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE



3X5	\$20.00
4X6	\$25.00
5X7	\$30.00

Who Are on the Boards and Commissions?

Board of Supervisors

Bryan Cummings, Chair
Joseph Whiting, Vice Chair
Robert Steingrabe

Planning Commission

Wendy Campbell, Chair
Cindy Black, Vice Chair
Ken Harris
Bryan Cummings

Zoning Hearing Board

William Roth, Chair
Jeremy Beatty
James Caruso

*"Life starts all over again
when it gets crisp in the fall."
F. Scott Fitzgerald*

Yes, I will join the civic league today!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

I would like to help with the following:

Bake sale _____

Corn Roast _____

Garage sale _____

**** Dues are \$1.00/person or \$2.50 per family**

Mail to:

Wilmington Twp, Mercer County Civic League
35 Auction Road
New Wilmington, PA 16142

Building Rentals:

Community Room:

- \$35 for Township Residents + Deposit*
- \$85 Non-Residents + Deposit*

Pavilion:

- \$100 Township Residents only + Deposit*

* Security Deposit—Refundable \$35

TOWNSHIP OFFICE - 724-946-8074

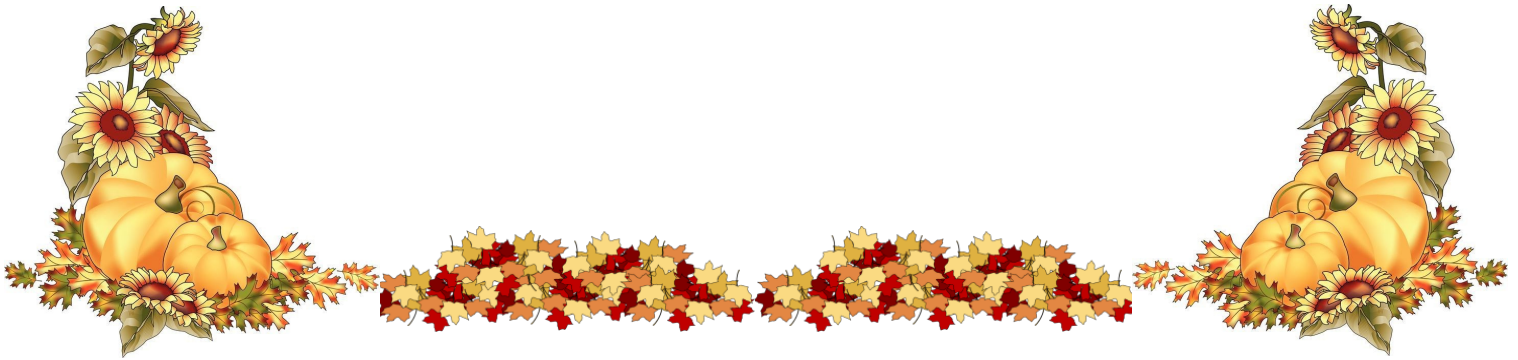
Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

7am to 3:00pm*

Email: wilmingtontwp@gmail.com

**Please call and make an appointment if you have an important or urgent issue!*



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