



# BOROUGH OF FREEHOLD

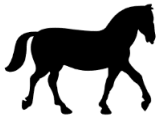
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# NEWSLETTER

## September 2022

**FREE RABIES CLINIC:** Freehold Borough Health Department is offering a **FREE** Rabies Clinic for cats and dogs on **Thursday, September 8, 2022**. The clinic will be held at Freehold Borough Fire House, 49 West Main Street from **6:00 PM – 7:00 PM**. Animals must be 3 months old or older; all dogs must be leashed and cats must be contained. For the safety of the public and veterinary staff, clinic date may change or be cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions.

**VACCINES & VEGGIES:** You are invited to an event focused on building a healthy community for individuals and families with disabilities. It will be a wellness fair with health screenings, cancer and chronic disease prevention screenings, access to free flu and COVID19 vaccines, free food and music- with an emphasis on disability resources. **Please come out on Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> 10am-1pm @ Freehold Family Health Center: 597 Park Ave. Freehold.** For more info please email [jenna.sistad@vnaahg.org](mailto:jenna.sistad@vnaahg.org).



**NEIGHBORHOOD PRESERVATION PROGRAM:** We are excited to announce the **Half Mile of Horses Art Walk Project** will be on display beginning August 1<sup>st</sup> through October 15, 2022. The project, funded by a grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs Neighborhood Preservation Program (NPP) and local sponsorships will see a dozen model horse sculptures designed by local artists displayed at various locations along Main Street between Throckmorton and Spring Streets. Residents and visitors will be invited to view the artwork and vote on their favorites. The horse motif was selected to pay homage to the borough's long equine history. The borough solicited competitive proposals and 31 wonderful individual entries were received for the 12 available slots. The 12 finalists executed their design on the horse which is mounted and publically displayed. The project provides an opportunity for artists and sponsors to participate in a public art project combining creativity and history as well as to gain recognition in local art culture. The Half Mile of Horses Art Walk project is anticipated to generate interest in the Borough of Freehold as an emerging Arts Destination.

**FREE FIREWOOD HARVESTING PROGRAM:** The Lake Topanemus Commission is currently hosting a free Firewood Harvesting Program at the lake for homeowners to obtain free firewood while supporting maintenance of the park and promoting healthy outdoor activities. Applicants must provide their own equipment to cut and transport the firewood. Applications are available by email to [sduckenfield@freeholdboro.org](mailto:sduckenfield@freeholdboro.org), or on our website at [www.freeholdboroughnj.gov](http://www.freeholdboroughnj.gov)

**CURBSIDE BRUSH/LEAF COLLECTION** will take place in the Borough during the months of April, July and **October** in 2022. Limbs should be no longer than 4 ft. in length. Leaves may also be placed at the curb for collection in a separate pile from the brush. Please be sure the brush and leaves do not interfere with any storm drains in your area. **Please note the removal of brush will not begin until November 1<sup>st</sup>. Removal will begin November 1<sup>st</sup> and each street will be picked up ONLY once.** As a reminder, the DPW site at 161 Center St. is open for brush drop off on the first Saturday of every month from 7am – noon.

**FALL HYDRANT FLUSHING:** Fall flushing of fire hydrants will be conducted on **Tuesday, October 18, 2022**, starting at 8:00 a.m. and continuing until all flushing has been completed. Residents may notice lower water pressure and slight discoloration of the water as the flushing is performed in your area. The discoloration is not harmful, and will clear up if you allow the water to run for a few extra minutes. The flushing process maintains the overall excellent water quality in our distribution system and ensures that each fire hydrant operates properly.



**SPOOKTACULAR:** The Halloween Spooktacular has been a Freehold Borough tradition for many years and is brought to you by a group of community members who truly love our town. The committee is comprised of dedicated local volunteers who happily put their heart, soul, time, and talents into planning and hosting each event. All events are **FREE** to the public and are made possible because of the generous donations from those who want to share the charm of our small town with others. We invite you to come experience all our town has to offer and hope you join us every October for some Spooktacular fun! For more detailed info please visit [www.freeholdspooktacular.com](http://www.freeholdspooktacular.com).

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# SEPTEMBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 RECYCLING CENTER OPEN AT 161 CENTER ST., 7 AM—NOON
4	5 LABOR DAY  Municipal Offices Closed	6 COUNCIL MEETING 6:30 PM  PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING 6 PM	7 DISTRICT 1 RECYCLING	8 LIBRARY TRUSTEES 8 AM  HUMAN RELATIONS 6 PM BOARD OF HEALTH 7:15 PM	9	10
11	12	13	14 DISTRICT 2 RECYCLING  LAKE TOPANEMUS 7 PM	15 SHADE TREE COMM. 6 PM	16	17
18	19 COUNCIL MEETING 6:30 PM	20 RECREATION COMM. 7 PM	21 DISTRICT 1 RECYCLING  PLANNING BD. 7 PM	22	23	24
25	26 HISTORIC PRESERVATION 7 PM	27	28 DISTRICT 2 RECYCLING.	29	30	

# OCTOBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 RECYCLING CENTER OPEN AT 161 CENTER ST., 7 AM—NOON
2	3 COUNCIL MEETING 6:30 PM	4 PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING 6PM	5 DISTRICT 1 RECYCLING	6	7	8
9	10 COLUMBUS DAY HOLIDAY  Municipal Offices Closed	11	12 DISTRICT 2 RECYCLING  PLANNING BD. 7 PM	13 LIBRARY TRUSTEES 8 AM  HUMAN RELATIONS 6 PM BOARD OF HEALTH 8 PM	14	15
16 HAUNTED HAYRIDE 1 PM—4PM AT WELLS FARGO BANK	17 COUNCIL MEETING 6:30 PM	18 RECREATION COMM. 7 PM	19 DISTRICT 1 RECYCLING  LAKE TOPANEMUS 7 PM	20 SHADE TREE COMM. 6 PM	21	22 MONSTER MASH 6PM—8PM AT HALL OF RECORDS
23	24 HISTORIC PRESERVATION 7 PM	25	26 DISTRICT 2 RECYCLING  PLANNING BD. 7 PM	27	28	29
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# NOVEMBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING 6 PM	2 DISTRICT 1 RECYCLING	3	4	5 RECYCLING CENTER OPEN AT 161 CENTER ST., 7 AM—NOON
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