

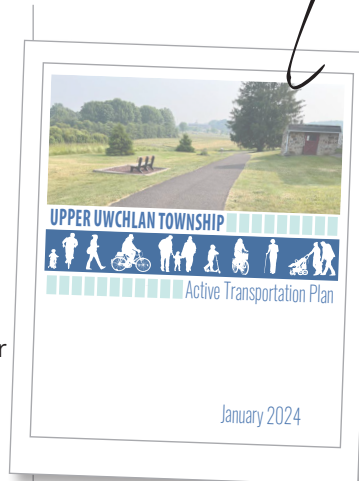


# Upper Uwchlan Township News

## Active Transportation Plan

**Upper Uwchlan Township completed an Active Transportation Plan in January 2024 with grant funding from Chester County's Vision Partnership Program.**

The plan identifies ways to expand connections for walking and biking in and around the township. The plan was developed over a 12-month planning process that included steering committee meetings, an online community survey, and two public workshops. The plan presents proposed connections to help close key gaps in the existing network and connect residential areas, schools, and other key destinations, such as the Village of Eagle and Marsh Creek State Park. The plan highlights 13 catalyst capital improvement projects that can kick-start implementation of the plan. The catalyst projects range from near-term and low-cost projects to longer term projects that require additional coordination, evaluation, and resources. Based on the plan, the Township received \$1 million in federal transportation



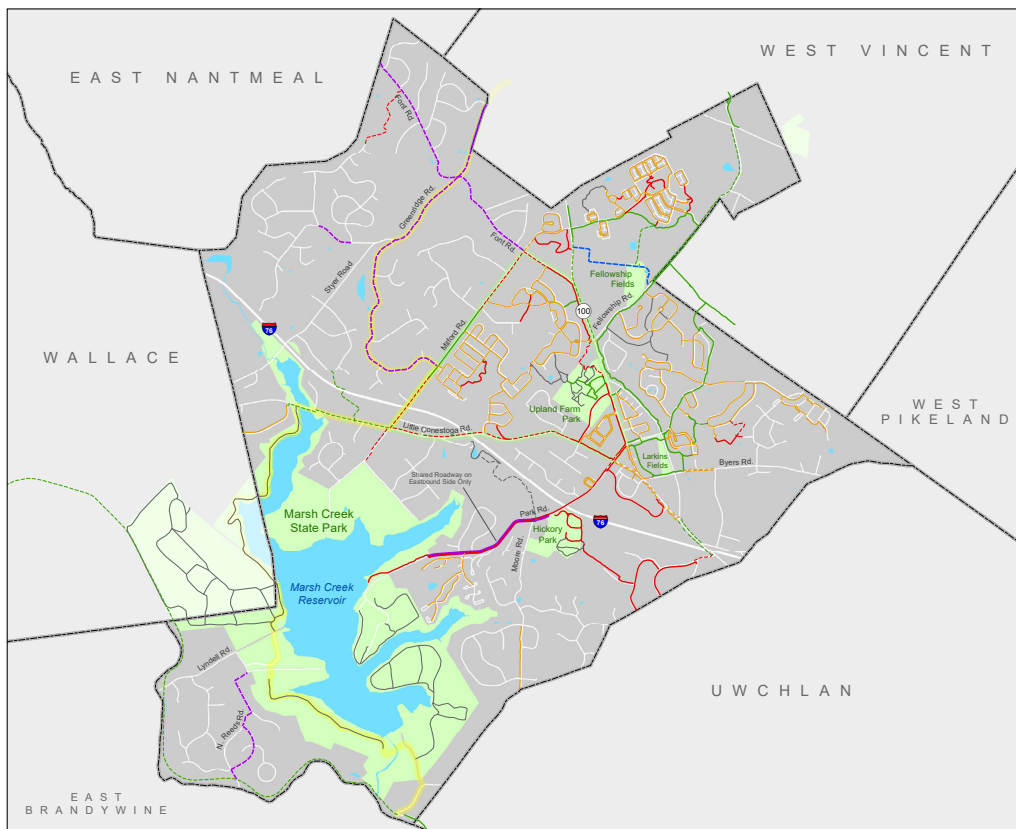
The township will be using the Active Transportation Plan to guide improvements and policies that support safe walking and biking in Upper Uwchlan.

For more information, please visit  
<https://www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov/DocumentCenter/View/1705/>

**Remember to VOTE!**

★ **APRIL 23, 2024**

funds for construction of a pedestrian path on the west side of Pottstown Pike between existing trails in Upland Farms Park and the intersection of Pottstown Pike and Fellowship Road/Reserve Drive. This was identified as a phase to better connect the Windsor Ridge community with the township's existing sidewalk and trail network.



### Active Transportation Plan: Existing and Proposed Connections

Upper Uwchlan Township  
Chester County, Pennsylvania



#### Existing Connections

- Footpath
- Sidewalk
- Pedestrian Path
- Shared Use Path
- Shared Roadway

#### Proposed Connections

- Footpath
- Sidewalk
- Pedestrian Path
- Shared Use Path
- Shared Roadway
- Yield Roadway

#### Other Features

- Brandywine Trail (Hiking/Social Trail, see page 40)
- Inner Loop Trail (Concept, see page 40)
- Water Bodies
- Parks



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## Our Township

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Kelly Krausz, Administration (P/T)

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### TOWNSHIP SOLICITOR:

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Commission Consultant

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Richard Ruth

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Julie Hearn-Nicely Steven Hirsh  
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Jeff Churchvara

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Rizwan Jagirdar Ilya Lehrman

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Chief Thomas Jones

### POLICE DEPARTMENT:

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Lieutenant Joseph Carr  
Detective Corporal Brian Gathercole  
Detective David Stiteler  
Corporal Kyle Sherman  
Corporal Adam Pozza  
Corporal Paul Kemme  
Corporal Robert Paradis  
Officer Steven Jones  
Officer Robert Davis  
Officer Greg Hines  
Officer Lyndsay Taylor  
Officer Alexander Fleming  
Officer Dan Zmuida  
Officer Cara Cortese  
Officer Jasmine Hess  
Officer Zach Raymond

### TOWNSHIP TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Administration: 610-458-9400  
Police Department 610-458-5862

## Boards & Commissions News

### We bid Fond Farewells to:

**HAL HARPER**, 17 years with the Municipal Authority;  
**BILL QUINN**, 9 years with the Municipal Authority  
and 6 years on the Vacancy Board;  
**LISA SHELTON**, 3 years with the Park & Recreation Board;  
**LOU LANZALOTTO**, 14 years with the Park & Recreation Board;  
**RAVI MAYREDDY**, 3 years on the Planning Commission; and  
**VIKAS HARJANI**, 1 year on the Planning Commission

*Thank You* for your dedication and service to UUT!  
*Welcome*

**JACQUELINE WU & DAVID COLAJEZZI** Elected Auditors;

**GRACE JANCAK & SONYA PATEL**,

Junior Members - Environmental Advisory Council;

**CORINNE MURPHY & TOM KALUCKI** Historical Commission;

**BOB MAAS & JACK SHIPE** Municipal Authority;

**LAN CHEN** Park & Recreation Board;

**JESSICA WILHIDE & TAYLOR YOUNG** Planning Commission; and

**VINCE MCVEIGH** Vacancy Board.

## From the Township Manager:

### Dear Upper Uwchlan Residents,

Snow is on the ground outside my office window but before you know it spring will be here. Our Public Works Department has done a great job keeping the roads safe but will soon be getting ready for road work and maintaining our parks and athletic fields.

The Township completed an Active Transportation Plan that was accepted by the Board of Supervisors at its February 20th meeting. The plan has outlined ways the Township can improve walking and biking within the Township. The updating of the Township's Comprehensive Plan will be completed by the end of 2024. There will be opportunities for public input on the comprehensive plan throughout the year. Keep an eye on the Township website and Facebook page for information on the Comp Plan update.

There are a few land development projects starting or are beginning the process within the Township. Celebree School (Preschool) located at the corner of Route 100 and Station Blvd. should break ground in late spring or early summer. PJ Reilly headquarters located on Park Road should be under construction before the end of 2024. Ducklings Preschool has filed a land development application for 241 Park Road and hopes to break ground before the end of 2024.

We have some exciting events planned in 2024 highlighted by the always improving Block Party scheduled for June 15th from 6 to 9 PM.

Please take the time to read this newsletter as it is full of important information. Thanks for your interest in the Township and please contact me if there is anything that I can do to assist you in the future.

Tony Scheivert

*Tony*

## Elected Officials

### County Commissioners:

Josh Maxwell  
Marian Moskowitz  
Eric Roe  
313 W. Market Street  
Suite 6202  
PO Box 2748  
West Chester, PA 19380  
610-344-6100  
www.chesco.org

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**John Fetterman**  
www.fetterman.senate.gov  
**Robert P. Casey, Jr.**  
www.casey.senate.gov

### State Senator (44th District):

**Katie J. Muth**  
717-576-0376  
www.senatormuth.com

### U.S. Congressman

**(6th District):**  
**Chrissy Houlahan**  
610-883-5050  
www.houlahan.house.gov

### State Representative

**(155th District):**  
**Danielle Friel Otten**  
484-200-8259  
www.pahouse.com/FrielOtten

Mark your calendar!

14th ANNUAL

Block  
Party

JUNE 15, 2024

6-9PM



## Upland Farms Barn

**Needing space to host your next event?  
Consider renting the Barn at Upland Farms Park!**

The Barn features venue and meeting space, an outdoor deck, a food staging/kitchen area and so much more! Located on a 56-acre passive recreational area with paved and natural trails, the Barn is a must see!

For more information, please contact Kelly at 610-646-7017 or [visit upperuwchlan-pa.gov/uplandfarms](http://upperuwchlan-pa.gov/uplandfarms)



## Come Attend The Free Emergency Management Presentation!

**Wednesday, March 20, 7PM**

The Upper Uwchlan Township Emergency Management Planning Commission (EMPC) is a Township commission which focuses on assisting the Township and its residents in preparing for and responding to emergencies.



*The EMPC has developed a free public presentation as part of its Community Awareness Program.*

If you and your family would like to learn more about how to prepare for an emergency and the unique hazards that we face in Upper Uwchlan (such as pipelines, the Limerick nuclear power plant and the Marsh Creek Dam), as well as learn about the emergency responders

who protect us, you are welcome to attend the free presentation scheduled for **Wednesday, March 20, 2024, at 7 PM at the Township building.**

This 45-minute PowerPoint presentation will be a fun and informative opportunity to learn about preparing and responding to emergencies, all while sharing refreshments and the experience with fellow neighbors!

## Earth Day Celebration

*Upper Uwchlan Township*

Saturday, April 20

11am - 2pm

**Upland Farms Park**



- food ▫ live music ▫ sustainability demos
- earth-friendly products and services



## Upcoming Events

★ **SAVE THE DATES!**



## SIXTH ANNUAL Easter Egg Hunt!

**Saturday, March 23, 11AM**

**HICKORY PARK**

**351 Park Road, Downingtown, PA**

Kids under 10 are invited to attend and hunt for candy filled eggs! Along with **your own** Easter basket, bring a non-perishable food donation for the



*The items needed include cereal, canned fruit and canned meat.*

*Thank you!*

## Join us for our Summer Concert Series!

**Live Music at Upland Farms**

**All concerts begin at 5pm**

- Sunday, May 12
- Sunday, June 9
- Sunday, July 14
- Sunday, August 11

## Recycle Right!

### Curbside Single Stream Recycling

Toss these items directly into your Recycling Toter. **DO NOT** use plastic bags.

**PAPER** Newspapers, cardboard, paper bags, magazines and junk mail, phone books, home/office paper, paper egg cartons, rinsed milk and juice cartons, clean pizza boxes, and boxboard food packaging. Break down and flatten.



**PLASTIC** Containers marked #1—#5 and #7. Throw away caps and lids. Rinse thoroughly.



**METAL** Food and drink cans, pie plates, clean aluminum foil. Rinse thoroughly. Empty aerosol cans.



**GLASS** Clean food and drink bottles and jars. Throw away lids. Rinse thoroughly.



### For the Garbage Toter



**TRASH** Food waste; light bulbs; mirrors, plate glass, window glass, drinkware and crystal; ceramic cups and plates, flower pots, ovenware; caps/lids from recyclable containers; empty paint cans, empty oil cans and bottles; plastic food wrappers, plastic bags; wax or plastic coated boxes/paper, plastic and Tyvek envelopes; straws, tissues, towels, napkins, plasticware; Styrofoam/polystyrene; shoes and clothing; metallic wrapping paper.



### Household Hazardous Waste Events

Online Registration Required:  
[www.chestercountyswa.org](http://www.chestercountyswa.org)

Residents **MUST** register prior to event.

**Saturday, April 20, 2024**  
Technical College High School  
Pickering Campus  
1580 Charlestown Road,  
Phoenixville, PA

**Saturday, August 24, 2024**  
Oxford School District  
Administrative Building  
125 Bell Tower Lane,  
Oxford, PA

**Friday, June 21, 2024**  
Coatesville Learning Center  
1635 E. Lincoln Highway,  
Coatesville, PA

**Saturday, October 5, 2024**  
Government Services Center  
601 Westtown Road,  
West Chester, PA

### RULES on Extra Recycling:

**EXCESS MATERIALS MUST BE BAGGED OR BOUND:** Any recyclables that do not fit in your Toter must be placed in paper bags. Cardboard boxes must be broken down and bound with twine.

**CARPETS MUST BE CUT UP AND BOUND INTO 3' SECTIONS** and no more than one room at a time collected on **bulk day**.

## Trash & Recycling

**UUT Toters are your PRIMARY containers for trash and recycling collection.**

Place Toters at the curb the night before your collection day, and at least 3 feet apart and away from mailboxes, cars and other obstacles.



3 Feet



**Recycling**  
96 Gallon Toter  
Blue Lid

**Trash**  
96 Gallon Toter  
Black Lid

Bulk pick-up is the 3rd pick-up of the month.

**DO NOT PUT CLEAN RECYCLING INTO PLASTIC BAGS - THEY ARE NOT RECYCLABLE!**

Recycling is to be put directly into the recycling totter, UNBAGGED. If you put in plastic bags, it does not go into the single stream recycling, it's contaminated and goes to TRASH, DEFEATING the purpose of recycling and not helping the environment. Styrofoam is not recyclable.

**SEE Chart for proper handling of recycling!**

**Bulk trash reminder:** No construction material will be collected at any time. Do not put out for trash or bulk.

**Box Springs and Mattresses must be placed in plastic bags (separately) for bulk collection, they will not be collected if they are not in bags.**

**All recyclables are to be placed directly into the recycling totter.**



**Recyclable materials include:**

aluminum products, glass, plastic, cardboard, newspaper, magazines, periodicals, bulk mail, phone books.

**Reminder:** The Township is no longer legally allowed to collect e-waste such as televisions, computers, etc.

**Please note:** Yard waste is not considered trash and should NOT be put in with your trash. Use open containers (NO Attached lids) or brown compost bags. If yard waste is put in trash totter, it will not be taken.

**The burning of recyclable materials, to include yard waste, trees, shrubs, leaves, garbage, etc. is strictly prohibited. Burning permits are no longer issued.**

## Compost Leaves and Yard Waste: 36 Collections Annually - Wednesdays

Place leaves, grass clippings and yard waste in biodegradable paper bags or open containers. **DO NOT** use UUT Toters. **DO NOT** use plastic bags; these collections are composted. **DO NOT** overload bags. Tree limbs (no larger than 3" diameter and 3' long) must be bundled with string/twine. Place yard waste at the curb the night before collection to ensure it will be picked up.

**March 6, 20 April 3, 10, 17, 24 May 1, 8, 15, 22 June 5, 12, 19, 26 July 10, 24**



# Township Bulletin Board

Need to speak to the police but don't feel it's a 911 issue?  
Dial 610-692-5100  
for all non-emergency calls.

Save the Date!  
14th Annual Block Party  
Saturday, June 15, 2024  
Volunteers, Vendors & Crafters Needed!  
Contact: Kathi McGrath  
610.646.7001  
[www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov](http://www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov)

## Residential Re-Sales

When selling your home, the Township requires a Use and Occupancy Re-Sale Inspection at least two (2) weeks prior to your settlement date. The owner of the property or their Realtor, must contact our office to obtain the Certification Request form.

The fee for this is \$100.00.

Your trash/sewer certification is also included. Once the signed Certificate is returned to the Township, we will automatically transfer the service(s) account to the new owner's name.

[www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov](http://www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov)

## Plan Ahead for Any Emergency!

Sign up for Smart911 so first responders will be aware of important information to help when you call 9-1-1.

 Smart911.com™

Remember to VOTE!  
★  
Tuesday, April 23



## Prescription Take Back Box

Upper Uwchlan  
Police Department  
140 Pottstown Pike

## Holiday Hours

Township offices will be closed:  
★ March 29  
In observance of Good Friday;  
★ May 27  
in observance of Memorial Day;  
★ July 4  
in observance of Independence Day  
★ September 2  
in observance of Labor Day

Earth Day Celebration!  
Saturday April 20  
Upland Farms Barn  
Chester Springs, PA



## Sign up for the LATEST NEWS!

Check your Notify Me profile by entering your email address at

[upperuwchlan-pa.gov/NotifyMe](http://upperuwchlan-pa.gov/NotifyMe)

## Emergency Management Planning Commission News

### PIPELINE SAFETY

Did you know that more than a dozen pipelines traverse Upper Uwchlan?

They must be marked along their entire length and you must be able to see from one marker to the next.



In the car or walking, it's fun to see who can find the most pipeline markers. You'll be amazed how many there are from the Lexus dealership to the Marshalls (Rt. 100 to Rt. 113 to N. Whitford Rd. to Rt. 30 Business) to Campbell Blvd to Marshalls Parking lot.

### Play Along for a Prize!

If your child gets the right number (drive safely, close is good enough) you'll win a fun prize for your child from the Upper Uwchlan Emergency Management Commission.

Send your guesses to [EMPC-info@upperuwchlan-pa.gov](mailto:EMPC-info@upperuwchlan-pa.gov).

Be sure to include your contact information.

### Call 811 before you dig

because pipelines can be punctured by cable installation equipment, digging/drilling for mailboxes or fence posts, or most any aggressive digging action.

### Plan ahead.

By law, utility companies have 3-10 business days to respond.

**Better safe than sorry!**



**Reminder: No Open Burning** is permitted in Upper Uwchlan Township.



# Junior Police Academy

June 24 – June 28, 2024

The Upper Uwchlan Township Police Department is affording the young people of our community, ages 12 - 15, an opportunity to experience Law Enforcement firsthand. Students will learn the basic functions of a Police Department as well as have a chance to observe other Emergency Services.

The Academy will be held at the Upper Uwchlan Township building, which is located at 140 Pottstown Pike, Chester Springs, PA 19425. Classes will begin at **8:30 a.m. and end at 3:30 p.m.** There is no cost to attend the academy. Snacks and lunch will be provided every day.



## Activity Highlights include:

- Police Patrol Vehicles
- Canine Demonstration
- Crime Scene Processing
- Fire, Rescue and EMS Display
- SWAT Display, Chester County Emergency Response Team
- Visit to Chester County Department of Emergency Services
- Visit to Chester County's Public Safety Campus including Tactical Village

There will be a Luncheon and Graduation Ceremony on the afternoon of the last day of the Academy on Friday, June 28th, 2024 at 12noon. The families of the graduates are invited to attend. This will be held at Upland Farm at 301 Pottstown Pike, Chester Springs, PA 19425.

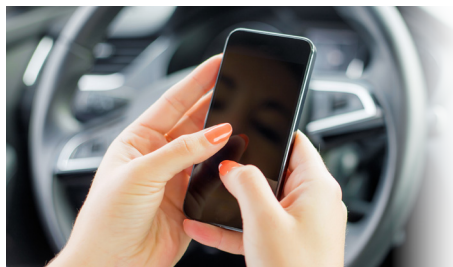
Applications will be available beginning April 8th, 2024. To receive an application, e-mail [jmartin@upperuwchlan-pa.gov](mailto:jmartin@upperuwchlan-pa.gov).

Completed Applications can be emailed to [jmartin@upperuwchlan-pa.gov](mailto:jmartin@upperuwchlan-pa.gov), or dropped off in person at the Upper Uwchlan Police Department.

All applications must be submitted no later than **June 3rd, 2024**.

Space is limited, so applications will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis to Upper Uwchlan Township Residents first.

## Distracted Driving



**Distracted driving is dangerous, claiming approximately 3,477 lives and injuring 391,000 people per year.** It is illegal in Pennsylvania to use a mobile device when operating a motor vehicle. The use is not limited to just texting. It is also illegal to operate a motor vehicle when utilizing earphones in both ears.

*The Upper Uwchlan Township Police strictly enforce the rules of the road regarding distracted drivers.*

## SEE A DEAD DEER...

### Marsh Wildlife Management

on your property or on the roads?



### REPORT IT HERE!

Text: Tom Marsh  
(484) 571-2092

*We also pick up other small animals, but a fee is incurred.*

Deer must be pulled out of any water (stream, creek, pond, etc.) and placed for easy access.



**Dog Poop is toxic for the health of our waterways, always pick up your pet's waste!**



## Understanding Illicit Stormwater Discharge

Imagine looking at a house to buy and seeing soapy water flowing from a pipe into a ditch. Would that make you reconsider buying the house, not knowing what this discharge was? Or noticing a murky colored stream that smelled musty, like sewage, even though it hadn't rained for days. These are both signs of illicit stormwater discharge. Illicit discharges happen when things other than rainwater go into the stormwater system.

Stormwater systems utilize stormwater grates, underground pipes, and open swales to convey untreated surface storm run-off to water bodies, including streams and lakes. When any of these illicit discharges enter the stormwater system, these pollutants can cause public health concerns, including harmful bacteria counts, fish kills, and excess nutrients that harm aquatic wildlife.

### Examples of Illicit Discharge

- Soapy water, like from car washing or laundry, going into waterways.
- Waste from septic tanks or industries entering stormwater systems.
- Dumping waste oil, chemicals, or pesticides into storm drains.

### Recognizing Illicit Discharge

- Strange colors, smells, or scum in water could mean illicit discharge.
- Dead fish and other wildlife can also indicate a problem.
- Makeshift pipes or hoses leading to waterways might be illicit discharge, especially if you see something draining from them on dry days.

### What You Can Do

- Dispose of chemicals properly at special collection events. Visit <https://www.chestercountyswa.org/117/Household-Hazardous-Waste> for a list of dates for household waste collection events.
- Handle pet waste correctly to prevent harmful bacteria and excess nutrients from entering our waterways.
- Wash your car on your lawn so that excess water, soap, and dirt are filtered through grass and vegetation.

### Together We Can Help

Report illicit discharges to local authorities or environmental agencies. Remember, what you put on land ends up in the water. Let's work together to keep streams and lakes clean!

To report an illicit discharge call your local municipality, conservation district or PADEP Incident Report at **866-255-5158** or on-line at

<https://greenport.pa.gov/obPublic/EnvironmentalComplaintForm/>

*Our municipality is a partner municipality with the Christina Watersheds Municipal Partnership (CWMP). This article was provided by CWMP and written by Brian Winslow, Watershed Conservation Director of Brandywine Red Clay Alliance, [www.brandywineredclay.org](http://www.brandywineredclay.org).*



## Keep Grass Clippings Out of Storm Drains

Residents and landscapers are reminded to keep grass clippings off of the streets.



The grass ends up in the storm drains and causes them to backup or drain improperly. It can also lead to contamination in the waterways.

## Report a Pothole



### Everyone hates potholes.

Unfortunately, they are a fact of life in Pennsylvania, thanks to our severe freeze/thaw cycle.

### State Roads:

Route 100 (Pottstown Pike), Graphite Mine Road, Byers Road, Little Conestoga Road, Dorlan Mill Road and Route 401

Go to [www.penndot.gov](http://www.penndot.gov) and "Submit Concern" or [customercare.penndot.gov](http://customercare.penndot.gov)

### Township Roads:

Go to [upperuwchlan-pa.gov](http://upperuwchlan-pa.gov) and "Report a Concern"



## Safe Digging is a Shared Responsibility



Traditionally outdoor projects start in the spring. Pennsylvania 811 Safe Digging Month serves as a reminder to all excavators and homeowners to **call 811 at least 3 business days before you dig**, so the approximate location of the underground utility lines can be identified and marked by facility owners. The call before you dig process helps to prevent injuries, property damages, inconvenient utility outages, and fines. Safe Digging is a shared responsibility among excavators, homeowners, facility owners, municipalities, cities and county level management and planners.



# Keystone Collections is the New Township Tax Collector



## Effective January 1, 2024, Keystone Collections Group was appointed as the tax collector for Upper Uwchlan Township

Township tax bills were mailed by Keystone at the beginning of February, so all residents should have received their township tax bill – separate from the Chester County tax bill this year. The change was made to reduce the cost of mailing and processing the township's tax bills.

***Please note that the township's tax rate is a low 1.034 mills and there has not been an increase in the township's tax rate since 2006.***

### The due dates for the township tax bills are as follows:

- |                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| • Discount period (2%) | <i>Paid on or before</i> <b>March 31, 2024</b> |
| • Face period          | <i>Paid on or before</i> <b>May 31, 2024</b>   |
| • Penalty period (10%) | <i>Paid after</i> <b>May 31, 2024</b>          |

### There are multiple ways to pay your bill.

If your mortgage company escrows your taxes, you **MUST** forward the bill to them for payment. The tax bill can be paid on-line at: [Pay.KeystoneCollects.com](https://pay.keystonecollects.com) or by mail:

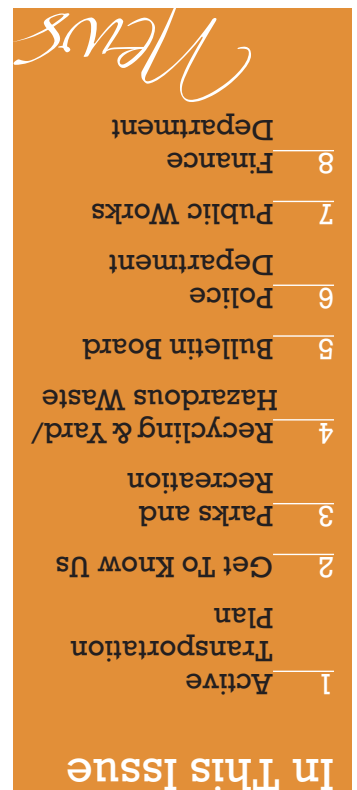
**Keystone Collections Group**  
Real Estate Tax Payment  
P. O. Box 505, Irwin, PA 15642

### If you need to reach them by phone,

you may call them at 724-978-0300 Monday through Friday. You will find more information on the back of the bill and on the township website.

### If you need to pay a balance for a year prior to 2024,

you will need to contact the Chester County Tax Claim Office at (610) 344-6360.







# Downingtown Area Recreation Consortium *Programs*

being held in Upper Uwchlan Township



## PROGRAMS at Upland Farms Barn

- ★ **Schools Out Camp** - Ages 5-12, March 25-29, 9am-12pm  
Campers will create some very cool art by painting, printing, stamping and designing. If you give a child imaginative art supplies there's no telling what he or she will create! Fueled by music, games and fun activities, children's imaginations are sure to go wild!
- ★ **Arty Night Out** - Ages 5-12, April 26, 5:30-8:30pm  
Make a reservation and drop your child off for Arty Night Out! Your child will explore different artists, techniques, and medium! Your child will come home with two completed projects!

## SUMMER CAMPS being held at Upland Farms Barn

- ★ **Adventure Camps** for ages 7-14 yrs:  
Weekly from June 17-August 16: 9am-4pm
  - **Let's Go Camping Art Camp** with Abrakadoodle  
June 10-14: 9am-4pm or half day
  - **World Travel #D** with Abrakadoodle  
Aug 19-23: 9am-4pm or half day

## PROGRAMS being held at Hickory Park

- ★ **Soccer Shots** program (Ages 2-8) Spring and Summer.
- ★ **Photography Camp** July 1-5: 9am-12pm

## SUMMER CAMPS being held at Pickering Valley Elementary School

- ★ **Playground Summer Camp** for ages 3-11 years old  
Monday-Thursday: 9am-12pm
- ★ **Pokemania Master Trainers** with Snapology  
June 17-20: 9am-12pm
- ★ **Chess Camp**  
July 15-18: 9am-12pm
- ★ **Robot Challenge** with Snapology  
July 29-August 1: 9am-12pm
- ★ **Yoga Camp** with Miss Rebecca  
August 5-8: 9am-12pm
- ★ **Juice Bar & Spa** with Crafty Chef Academy Workshop  
August 7: 9:30am-11:30pm

DARC also offers many other afterschool, fitness programs and summer camps within the Downingtown School District Area.

Don't forget to check out our **NEW Adaptive Programs!**

For more information about any of these programs or others in the surrounding area visit our website [www.darc.info](http://www.darc.info)

or call  
**610.269.9260**



# 2024 *Events* CALENDAR

04 MAR MON THE HIDDEN HISTORY OF MILFORD MILLS: A LECTURE  
@ UPLAND FARM

23 MAR SAT 6TH ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT  
@ HICKORY PARK

06 APR SAT E-WASTE COLLECTION/SHREDDING  
@ 132 OSCAR WAY- PUBLIC WORKS

20 APR SAT EARTH DAY CELEBRATION  
@ UPLAND FARM

12 MAY SUN LIVE MUSIC SUMMER SERIES BEGINS: CONCERT #1  
@ UPLAND FARM

09 JUNE SUN LIVE MUSIC: CONCERT #2  
@ UPLAND FARM

15 JUNE SAT 14TH ANNUAL BLOCK PARTY  
@ TOWNSHIP BUILDING

14 JULY SUN LIVE MUSIC: CONCERT #3  
@ UPLAND FARM

11 AUG SUN LIVE MUSIC: CONCERT #4  
@ UPLAND FARM

19 OCT SAT E-WASTE COLLECTION/SHREDDING  
@ 132 OSCAR WAY- PUBLIC WORKS

26 OCT SAT ANNUAL TRUNK-OR-TREAT  
@ HICKORY PARK

30 NOV SAT 8TH ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING  
@ UPLAND FARM