

FREE Fall Risk Screening Clinics



Good Shepherd Rehabilitation in Bangor is proud to be part of the Slate Belt community.

In appreciation of our community, we're hosting a series of outreach events and you're invited.

Screening Clinic Details
Good Shepherd Rehabilitation
422 Blue Valley Drive, Bangor

May 13 • June 10 • July 8 • Aug. 12
11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
RSVP: 610.863.6966
Walk-ins are welcome.

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation

goodshepherdrehab.org

Are You at Risk for a Fall?


The experts at Good Shepherd Rehabilitation in Bangor are hosting a **free** fall risk screening clinic to help determine your fall risk and **what you can do about it.**

Our team will perform screenings and offer professional guidance to identify and decrease your risk factors – helping you maintain an active, healthy and safe lifestyle.

Additional information on fall prevention will be available and our team can answer any questions.

Light refreshments will be served.

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How Funds Support Plainfield Township

Host Community Spotlight 2024

Funding from the host agreement provides the municipality opportunities to support special projects, capital projects, and more.

In 2024, WM's tipping fees provided the following:



- \$1/ton = \$693,756**
Infused into the General Fund in 2024
- \$1.65/ton = \$1,150,664**
Infused into the Host/Capital Improvement Budget
- \$0.45/ton = \$313,817**
Transferred into the Municipal Trust Fund

Total Received From Landfill Operations in 2024 **\$2,158,238**

Did you know?

Landfills in Pennsylvania are required to provide at least \$1¹⁰⁰⁰ to a Host Community

Since 2005, Host Municipality Benefits have totaled \$32,336,987.95 to Plainfield Township. These benefits are the sum of \$3.10 per ton of waste disposed at Grand Central.



Want to Learn More? Check out our new video →

Grand Central Landfill Community Investment

A look back at 2024 and the investments made to help the Slate Belt thrive:

- In 2024, the Facility Cooperation Agreement provided Pen Argyl Borough with \$903,204.95 (\$1.30 per ton).
 - These funds were used for community improvements and to match grants that help fund street improvements.
- Pen Argyl Borough residents received free trash and recycling collection and disposal worth an estimated value of \$713,340 (1,321 households ¹).
- In 2024, the Neighboring Municipality Agreement provided Wind Gap Borough with \$836,846.47 (\$1.20 per ton).
 - A portion of this funding supported the paving of Constitution Avenue and Oak Street.
- Wind Gap Borough residents received free trash and recycling collection and disposal worth an estimated value of \$659,340 (1,221 households ¹).

Contributions At a Glance

Local Non-Profit Charitable Donations in 2024 **\$102,585**

- Since 2020 WM provided \$510,185 in charitable donations to local non-profits.
- \$146,464.48 voluntarily contributed to Northampton County Recycling and Sustainability fund to offset the costs for electronic recycling and household hazardous waste event.

Calendar of Events

RSVP for Tours: afors1@wm.com

APR 16 Sustainability Tour 9:00pm	JUN 07 Bird Walk 11:30am Ed. Center
JUN 16 Talking Trash Tour 9:00pm	AUG 18 Count The Butterflies Walk 5:00pm Ed. Center
SEPT 27 Chili Cookoff + Tours 11:00am- 2:00pm	OCT 11 Migration Walk 11:30am- 12:30pm Ed. Center
NOV 01 E-Waste Collection 9:00am Main Office Lot 2	NOV 13 Sustainability Tour 5:00pm

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¹ based on 2020 Census Data ² Organized by Wind Gap & Pen Argyl Borough & Hosted by WM

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Honoring Our Fallen Firefighters in Monroe County

By Senator Rosemary Brown

Last weekend, I had the solemn privilege of attending the Monroe County Fireman Association's 30th Annual Memorial Service, a moving ceremony that honors the brave men and women in our fire service community who have passed away over the last year.

Each of these individuals leaves behind a legacy of courage, service, and selflessness. Their commitment to protecting our communities will never be forgotten.

Before the service, I had the honor of presenting the Association with a special citation of appreciation for their unwavering dedication to preserving this important tradition. For 30 years, they have provided a space for reflection, gratitude, and unity as we remember and celebrate the lives of our volunteer firefighters.

To the families, friends, and fellow service members—please know your loved ones' sacrifice and service continues to be deeply valued and respectfully remembered.



Celebrating a New Eagle Scout

By Senator Rosemary Brown

This past weekend in Gilbert, I had the privilege of attending a very special ceremony to celebrate Jack Deemer's remarkable achievement of earning the rank of Eagle Scout.

Reaching Eagle Scout is no small feat. It requires years of dedication, leadership, service, and a strong commitment to community. Jack's accomplishment is a reflection of his hard work, character, and the support of those around him.

Congratulations, Jack, on this outstanding milestone! I'm confident your leadership and service will continue to benefit our community for years to come.

