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### DEP Accepting Applications for Environmental

**Education Projects** 

By State Rep. Ann Flood

The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is now accepting applications for its 2026 Environmental Education Grants Program through Friday, Nov. 14.

Eligible applicants include public and private schools and universities, county conservation districts, nonprofit organizations and businesses. Projects must be implemented July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027. There are three tiers of awards available: Seed Grants for projects up to \$5,000; Grow Grants for projects between \$5,001 and \$30,000; and Impact Grants for projects between \$30,001 and \$65,000.



A free webinar about the program will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 23, from noon to 1 p.m. Registration deadline is Monday, Sept. 22. Learn more about the grant program and how to apply here https://links.pahousenews.com/q/-jKTTXkYZ00Xb3-I0UEuZd96AjlX0j6YjVUZcOJYnZ0aW1lc0ByY 24uY29tw4gyUwHmk\_\_cayHLUxSqBQTfrc5PAA.

### Free Event for Northampton County Parents: Parent Engagement Night

By Jessica Berger

Northampton County, PA - Parents and caregivers across Northampton County are invited to a free Parent Engagement Night featuring Nathan Harmon, one of the nation's leading mental health and motivational speakers. Harmon shares his powerful story of overcoming addiction and adversity and addresses the challenges today's youth face, including substance use, risky behaviors, social media pressures, and emotional struggles.

Attendees will gain practical tools to:

Build stronger communication and family connections

Raise resilient and responsible kids

Understand the impacts of social media and technology on families

Recognize risks related to vaping and substance use

Parent Engagement Night provides an opportunity for families to learn, connect, and leave with strategies to support healthy choices and stronger relationships at home.

The event is presented by the Easton Area School District and Northampton County Drug & Alcohol Division, in partnership with the Live Well, Be Well Event Series.

#### Additional Farmers Market Vouchers Available for Northampton County Seniors

By Jessica Berger

[Northampton County, PA] - Northampton County has received an additional supply of Farmers Market Nutrition Program vouchers thanks to a neighboring county that did not use its full allocation. Approximately 100 sets of vouchers are now available for eligible Northampton County residents.

Vouchers are available on a first-come, firstserved basis and must be distributed by September 23, 2025 or until supplies run out.

Distribution schedule:

Tuesday, September 16 - 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the DHS Building

Thursday, September 18 - 12:00 p.m. to 3:00

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Participants must present a valid photo ID showing a Northampton County address in order to receive vouchers.

The Farmers Market Nutrition Program provides eligible seniors with vouchers that can be used to purchase fresh, locally grown fruits, vegetables, and herbs from participating farmers markets. For more information, contact Northampton County Department of Human Services at 610-829-4540.

## **RUMMAGE/SOUP AND BAKE SA**

Prince of Peace Evangelical Lutheran Church 2445 Lake Minsi Drive, Bangor

# Friday September 26 9-5 Saturday September 27 9-12

Bag Sale Sat 9am - 12pm

**Questions 570-897-6601** 





Columbia Self Storage will sell the contents of the occupant's leased space at public auction to satisfy the owner's lien on StorageAuctions.com all personal property stored in this facility by: Unit #113 Cecelia Collins, consisting of boxes, totes, household furniture, bakeware and misc. items. Items will be offered for sale by auction to the highest bidder for enforcement of storage liens.

> Auction will be held at 10AM, Tuesday, September 23, 2025 on StorageAuctions.com.

All auction sales are FINAL. Cash only and paid at Columbia Self Storage, 1059 Pennsylvania Ave., Pen Argyl, PA 18072. Columbia Self Storage reserves the right to refuse any bid.