



Veterans Day – originally known as Armistice Day

Veterans Day is a federal holiday in the United States observed annually, for honoring military veterans of the United States Armed Forces. It is celebrated each year on November 11th marking the anniversary of the end of World War I -- at the **11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918** when the Armistice with Germany went into effect.



At the urging of major U.S. veteran organizations, Armistice Day was renamed Veterans Day in 1954.

This holiday is also commemorated on November 11th in other countries as Armistice Day or Remembrance Day.

Please join Mayor Leslie and the American Legion Post 94 on Thursday, November 7th at 6:30 for our [Veterans Day Service](#) to honor and thank those who served in the United States Armed Forces.



- [Pickleball](#) – we have added another night so Monday and Thursday nights, 6-9pm through December
- [Volleyball](#) – Tuesday, 6-9pm through December
- [Veterans Day Service](#) – Thursday, 11/7/24, 6:30pm, BMC Gym
- [Murder Mystery Dinner](#) – Friday, 11/8/24, 7pm, doors open 6:30pm
- [Holiday Parade](#) – Saturday, 11/23/24, 2pm starting at OLC
- [Town Watch Craft Fair](#) – Saturday, 11/30/24, 9am-3pm, BMC Gym
- Senior Holiday Luncheon – Sunday, 12/8/24, 1pm, BMC Gym
- The Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony – Sunday, 12/8/24, 6pm, Betty Kelley Memorial Walking Trail
- Candy Cane Day with Santa and the Brookhaven Fire Co. -- 12/14/24, 12pm-4pm



Note: Check out the [website calendar](#) for more details for these and ALL Borough meetings and events.

See [Recreation Board Activities](#) for more details on all Rec Board activities.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have any questions, contact the Borough Office at 610-874-2557, x440.

- ***Effective immediately*** -- Brookhaven Borough, in coordination with the Brookhaven Fire Company, has issued a temporary burn ban. [Click here for more information.](#)
- **Leaf Collection!!!** Residents should put their leaves next to the curb but not into the street, and they will be picked up according to the [Leaf Collection Zone Schedule](#). Know your zone and have the leaves at the curb by Monday of the specified week.
- In conjunction with the Middletown Free Library, Mr. Andrew’s Play on Music Program will be held on Thursday, November 14th at 10:30am in the Brookhaven Municipal Center Gym. All ages invited! [Click here to Register](#). Note: the sign up is required but very simple to do.
- [Shred and Electronic Recycling Event](#) – Saturday, November 16th, 9am-12pm in Coebourn Parking Lot.



REMINDERS

- Don't forget that Election Day is Tuesday, November 5th. Polls are open from 7am to 8pm. [Click here](#) to see information on voting and polling locations.
- Don't forget to come out for the [Annual Brookhaven Holiday Parade](#) on Saturday, November 23rd that starts at **2:00pm sharp** at Our Lady of Charity on Upland Road and ends at the Judges Stand at Coebourn Elementary.
- Due to the Thanksgiving Day Holiday, recycling will NOT be picked up on Wednesday, November 27th. Please hold your recycling for the following week. Thank you.
- Please support Brookhaven Town Watch at their Arts & Crafts Fair on Saturday, November 30th. If you want to be a vendor, contact Peggie at 610-872-3294 to see if there is still space available.



... that there is a ballot drop box located outside the front entrance of the Brookhaven Municipal Center.

... that The Veterans Administration is hosting an Unhoused Veteran Stand Down on Saturday, November 16, 8am-4pm at the Chester City Hall Municipal Building. [What is a Stand Down and how can this event help a veteran?](#)

... that the borough website is continually being updated and IS the source for EVERYTHING Brookhaven!!!

Police Department – No Shave November

Please support Our Police Department as they raise funds for the Hope for Hallie Foundation during this year's [No Shave November campaign](#).



They are selling a limited edition H4H/BPD challenge coin in support of their fund drive. The challenge coins will be sold for \$20 each; all proceeds will directly benefit the [Hope for Hallie Foundation](#). Coins can be preordered by emailing Hope@brookhavenpolice.com (please include your name and phone #).



Also, Our Police Department is partnering with the [Delaware County Domestic Abuse project](#) and requesting donations through December 15th to support domestic violence shelters. They are teaming up with Coebourn Elementary Student Council to gather donations through the school community.

Donations can be made via **Venmo to: @BrookhavenPolice**. Cash donations can be made at headquarters during regular business hours. Thank you for your support!



Have a safe and happy Thanksgiving!!!

