St. Clair Borough News Bulletin

The official site of the Borough of St. Clair is **www.stclair-gov.org** for news and information concerning the borough.

HOME PROGRAM UPDATE

The funding application for the new HOME Program with the target area being Borough wide is still pending approval by the Department of Community & Economic Development.

The current **HOME program with the north ward** of town as the target area that is from Hancock Street north needs applicants. Eligible improvements include, but are not limited to: replacing major systems such as roofing, heating, electrical, and plumbing, bringing properties up to code, addressing lead-based paint hazards, and making accessibility modifications such as grab bars and ramps for persons with disabilities.

Residents must own and reside in their home in order to apply for funding, and household income is subject to the U.S. Department of HUD FY 2016 Income Limits for Schuylkill County:

Household Size

1	\$32,900
2	\$37,600
3	\$42,300
4	\$46,950
5	\$50,750
6	\$54,500

If you live in the north ward and meet these financial guidelines, please stop in the municipal building or phone 570-429-0640 during normal business hours.

Something new, view us on **Facebook**. The **St. Clair Police Department** has created a Facebook page to help keep the public informed, go to St. Clair Police.

Applications are being accepted for **School Crossing Guards**. Please apply at the St. Clair Municipal Building, 16 S. Third Street or by calling 570-429-0640.

The Saint Clair Community and Historical Society will hold a **Soup Sale**, April 1, 2017 at the 24 N. Nichols Street from 10:00 a.m. to sell out.

The Society also announces a **FRIENDLY'S FAMILY FUN NIGHT**, located on Route 61, Pottsville, on Monday, April 24th from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm Your support is appreciated.

The Large Item collection date is Wednesday, March 15, 2017.

The Borough's offices will be closed from 12:00 pm Wednesday, April 5th and all day Thursday, April 6th to afford the opportunity for the office staff to attend training. Sanitation service will be provided.

The Rescue **Hook & Ladder Fire Company #3** is holding the following fund raisers:

Vito's Coal Fired Pizza Restaurant located at the Coal Creek Commerce Complex on Monday, March 13, 2017 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Get together at **Wendy's** on Tuesday, March 28, 2017 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

Walk Saint Clair! will begin its 9th Season on Wednesday, April 26th at 6:30 pm at the Saint Clair Historical Society. Registration for the season, walking logs, and group walk schedule will be available at Borough Hall and on the website on Monday, April 3rd.

The mission of Walk Saint Clair! is to promote health and fitness for the residents of Saint Clair; help promote the beauty and history of the borough; and bring the borough together as a community. Those wishing to participate in the season may walk on their own and/or join us on our group walks. All group walks are open to the public.

For more information visit the website at www.walksaintclair.com, follow us on Facebook, or call 570-429-1161.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Residents are warned, especially senior citizens, of a rash of telephone calls, concerning home improvements, people posing as the IRS and health insurance scams. I warn them not to disclose personal financial information such as social security numbers, bank account numbers, and credit card information over the phone if so contacted.

The next council work session is scheduled for Thursday, **March 30, 2017** to review issues and finance. The meeting will begin at 7:00 pm. The April Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, **April 4, 2017** beginning at 7:00 pm and held in Council Chambers.