



Keeping You Connected to **Bethel Park!**

June | 2026

Municipality of Bethel Park Once Again Named "Banner Community"



The Municipality of Bethel Park has once again received the "Banner Community" designation for 2026 from the Allegheny League of Municipalities (ALOM).

"We are honored to once again be recognized as a Banner Community," said Bethel Park Manager Kristen Denne. "This designation reflects the dedication of our elected officials, staff and community partners who work together to make Bethel Park an outstanding place to live, work and visit."

Read more by clicking [HERE](#).

Watch for the Next Issue of Bethel Park Chronicles

Keep an eye on your mailbox the weekend of Aug. 7 for delivery of 'Bethel Park Chronicles' packed with news and information from the Municipality, School District, Recreation Department, Library, and so much more!

This e-newsletter, 'In the Interim,' bridges the gap between quarterly issues of Bethel Park Chronicles so that as a subscriber, you're aware of all that's happening at the Municipality.

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Bethel Park to Transition ALL Emergency Dispatch Services to Allegheny County Emergency Services 911 (ACES 911) on July 13 at 8 a.m.

The Municipality of Bethel Park will transition all emergency dispatch services, including Police, Fire and EMS to **Allegheny County Emergency Services 911 (ACES 911) on July 13 at 8 a.m.** to strengthen regional coordination, modernize dispatch technology, and support long-term operational efficiency.

EMS and fire dispatch services have already transitioned to the county system in recent years. With this final phase, police dispatch will also be integrated, placing all emergency communications for Bethel Park within the Allegheny County 911 center.

When the transition takes effect on July 13 at 8 a.m., residents needing to access emergency services **should call 911 for all Police, Fire, and EMS emergencies**. Residents who inadvertently dial the 412-833-2000 number will be forwarded to ACES 911 dispatch.

“This transition strengthens our ability to deliver reliable and efficient emergency services while leveraging the advanced technology and regional coordination provided by Allegheny County,” said **Kristen Denne, Municipal Manager**. “Residents will continue to experience the same high level of service from local police, fire and EMS.”

Learn more by clicking [HERE](#).

Upcoming Events...Mark Your Calendars!



Join us for the annual **Bethel Park Summer Spectacular on Saturday, June 27!**
Fireworks will go off at 9:30 p.m.

Designated viewing locations (*below*) will offer the best experience for viewing the show. Several sites will feature locally loved dessert vendors, and new this year will be live entertainment at various sites to enjoy while waiting for the fireworks to begin! Portable restrooms will also be available at each viewing location.

Viewing locations include:
Abraham Lincoln Elementary School
Hamilton Presbyterian Church
Lowe's on Baptist Road
Cool Springs
St. Germaine Church

Watch for event updates on our [social media pages](#). Please note that fireworks will be launched at Millennium Park; the park will be closed to the public Friday – Sunday for setup and cleanup.

A poster for the 'HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING EVENT' on Saturday, August 1, 2026. It shows a person in a safety vest at a recycling station. The poster lists accepted items and rates, registration requirements, and contact information. The Bethel Park logo is also present.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING EVENT

Details
Saturday, August 1, 2026
9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Bethel Park High School Stadium Lot
2690 Black Hawk Dr., Bethel Park, PA 15102
Credit/Debit Payments Only

Accepted Items & Rates
Latex & Oil-Based Paints / Stains - \$0.70/lb.
All Other Household Hazardous Waste - \$1.05/lb. (automotive, workshop products, flammables, cleaning, lawn & pool products)
Freon containing devices - \$0.30/lb. (Window AC units, mini fridges, dehumidifiers)
All types of Bulbs & Batteries - \$0.80/lb.
All Sizes of Propane Tanks - \$6.50/unit
No containers greater than 5 gallons will be accepted

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BATTERIES & BULBS **FREON** **PAINTS & STAINS** **AND MORE**

412-567-6566 www.nobleenviro.com **NOBLE ENVIRONMENTAL**

Looking to get rid of paint, freon and more? Bring your items to our **Household Hazardous Waste Recycling Event on Saturday, Aug. 1 from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. at the Stadium Lot at Bethel Park High School**. Accepted items include: latex and oil based paints/stains; freon containing devices; bulbs & batteries; and more! Refer to the graphic for costs. Registration required. Credit/debit payments only. Need more info? Call **412-567-6565**.

Click [HERE](#) to see an enlarged graphic with event details.

The make-up date, if needed, will be Sunday, June 28.



The **Bethel Park Art & Music Festival** will be back on **Saturday, July 25** from **10 a.m. – 6 p.m.** at the **Park Avenue Streetscape** running from the Schoolhouse Arts & History Center (2600 S Park Rd.) to the Bethel Park Community Center (5151 Park Ave.)! Over 100 amazing artists along with music and food trucks will highlight this free, outstanding event. Rain or shine, the Festival benefits Bethel Park's Fantastic Four charities (**Bethel Park Education Foundation, Bethel Park Community Foundation, Bethel Park Historical Society, and the Bethel Park Public Library**). Proceeds will also be shared with Bethel Park Recreation. Parking shuttle services will also be offered free of charge.

To learn more, click [HERE](#).

Boston Harbor Heist

A Scavenger Hunt for the entire family to enjoy!

Friday, June 26th
at 7 PM



Get ready for a Revolutionary adventure! On **Friday, June 26 from 7-8:30 p.m.** at the **Bethel Park Splash Park**, we're celebrating America's 250th with the Boston Harbor "Heist," a family-friendly mission inspired by the Boston Tea Party.

Families will work together to crack clues, dodge "redcoat" trouble, and complete a secret colonial mission as the sun sets! Activities will be specifically created with ages 6-10 years in mind.

Register all attendees [HERE](#).

Farmers Market 20th Anniversary Theme Days



This summer marks 20 seasons of the Bethel Park Farmers Market! Join us **every Tuesday from 3-7 p.m. on Corrigan Drive**, and don't miss these upcoming **special theme days**:

- **June 23, Father's Day:** Bring Dad to the market! Make a custom coozie and find him something fresh, tasty, and local while you're at it.

- **July 14, Cow Appreciation Day:** A fun nod to farm life where so much of our food begins, with a cow-themed scavenger hunt for the kids.
- **July 21, Christmas in July:** Festive, mid-summer fun with seasonal surprises (*yes, even in July*).
- **July 28, Parks & Rec Celebration:** Celebrating our community spaces and the summer traditions that bring us all together.
- **Aug. 4, National Farmers Market Week:** A chance to celebrate the growers and artisans who make our market possible.
- **Aug. 11, 20th Anniversary Party:** Join us in celebrating 20 seasons of a fresh, tasty and local Market!

To learn more about the Bethel Park Farmers Market, click [HERE](#).



FREE Family Movie Nights at the Splash Park

Grab your blankets, chairs, and dinner for **Splash Park Cinema!** These FREE outdoor movie nights on **July 10 and Aug. 14** kick off at dusk at the Splash Park, perfect for a relaxed family evening under the stars. If rain moves in, we'll bring the show inside to the Community Center. Check out the Bethel Park Recreation [social media](#) channels for more details!

Music is Back in the Park this Summer!

BETHEL PARK REC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS		BETHEL PARK, PA - SUMMER 2026	
Summer Music Events!			
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JULY 16 THURSDAY Recycled Vinyl CLASSIC ROCK AND R&B	AUG 20 THURSDAY Joe Wodarek & 51 South COUNTRY & AMERICANA		
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JULY 25 Art & Music Festival on Park Ave SPECIAL COMMUNITY EVENT - PARK AVE		FREE & OPEN TO ALL!	

Bring a chair or blanket, grab dinner from the food trucks, and settle in for **FREE outdoor concerts at the Millennium Park Turf Field, with music starting at 6 p.m.**

Save the date for **Thursday, July 16**, and don't miss the **Art & Music Festival on Park Ave on July 25**, a special community event free and open to all. We'll wrap things up on **Thursday, Aug. 20** with performances by Joe Wodarek & 51 South (*Country & Americana*) and Recycled Vinyl (*classic rock and R&B*). See Bethel Park Recreation [socials](#) and event pages for details!





Accepting New Clients!

Openings available at the
BP Community Center.

As mental health needs continue to rise, we remain committed to providing **affordable, accessible counseling and education** for those who need support.

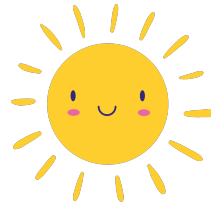
Get started today by completing
our online intake inquiry form:



Outreach
TEEN & FAMILY SERVICES, INC.

Questions? Contact:
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mzangara@outreachteen.org

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Wonderful
Summer!



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