



## VFW Post 2179 & Middletown Township Invite Residents to Annual Veterans Day Parade this Sunday, 11/3



[Click HERE to view the parade route.](#)

[Due to the parade, there will be periodic closures of Leonardville Road, Cherry Tree Farm Road and Wilson Avenue between 12-2PM.](#)

## Middletown Recognized for \$1M Safe Routes to School Grant for River Plaza Elementary School



*Pictured from left: Superintendent of Middletown Township Public Schools Dr. William George, Township Administrator Tony Mercantante, Assemblywoman Serena DiMaso, River Plaza Elementary School PTA Parent Leader Marguerite Stocker, Mayor Tony Perry and River Plaza Elementary School Principal David Whitman*

**Middletown Township was recognized on Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at the EZ Ride Annual Luncheon for the \$1 million awarded by the North Jersey Transit Planning Authority (NJTPA) for the 2018 NJ Safe Routes to School Grant.**

**The Township submitted a lengthy application for this very competitive program and is grateful for the support of the School District and River Plaza Elementary School community. The grant funds will be used to create a safer walking and biking environment for River Plaza Elementary School. Some of the improvements within the project area may include sidewalk enhancements and a new barrier fence between the sidewalk and Hubbard Avenue designed to better protect pedestrians.**



**JCP&L has scheduled a five-minute power outage set to begin at 1:00 AM on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. This outage is required to safely make needed repairs.**

**Click [HERE](#) to see if your street will be affected.**

### **Students at Leonardo Grade School School Learn About Fire Safety**



**Throughout the month of October, Middletown volunteer firefighters and members of the Fire Prevention Department visited elementary schools across town to teach children about the basics of fire safety. This week, students at Leonardo Grade School learned how to respond to a smoke alarm safely and got a close-up look at a firetruck.**



*Daylight Savings Time Reminder*

WHEN YOU "FALL BACK" THIS SUNDAY  
NOVEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, REMEMBER TO TEST  
YOUR SMOKE/CO DETECTORS  
AND CHANGE THE BATTERIES.




**CLICK HERE  
TO VIEW  
THE LATEST  
ISSUE OF  
MIDDLETOWN  
MATTERS!**



**MIDDLETOWN RECREATION HOSTS TURKEY SOCCER SHOOTOUT AND NORTH VS. SOUTH ALUMNI GAME SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup>**

11.23.19 | CROYDON HALL TURF  
WWW.MIDDLETOWNNJ.ORG/SIGNUP

**TURKEY SOCCER SHOOTOUT**  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
pre-registration preferred

**NORTH VS. SOUTH ALUMNI GAME**  
11:30 AM START TIME  
pre-registration required



[Click HERE to visit the Events Calendar for more information.](#)

# Lincroft Community Blood Drive



**Wed., Nov. 20**

**2:30-8:30pm**

Sponsored by Lincroft Fire Co.  
601 Newman Springs Rd.

For an appointment, please visit [tinyurl.com/GiveBloodNJBS](https://tinyurl.com/GiveBloodNJBS)  
Sponsor Code: 70286 or call 1-800-933-BLOOD

Donors must be at least 16 years old with signed NYBC parental consent form, weigh 110 lbs or more and eat before donating. Donors 76 and over must bring a doctor's note. Please bring ID with signature or photo.



[CLICK ON THE PICTURE TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT!](#)

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**THE MAC PRESENTS: SAVOR**



**SAVOR**  
GLOBAL FLAVOR LOCAL ART

**Please join the Middletown Arts Center for SAVOR!  
Saturday, November 2nd, 7-10 pm Tickets: \$50**

**Join the MAC for an international food, wine and beer  
tasting to benefit this state-of-the-art facility dedicated to  
bringing quality art programming and events to New  
Jersey. Celebrate three extraordinary people as they  
honor their contribution to the arts in our  
community: GAYLE TOPPER, TOBY SHYLIT MACK and  
TIM KELLY.**

**Click [HERE](#) for more information and to purchase tickets.**

The MTPL Presents:  
Blue Jersey Band on Saturday, 11 / 9




**Saturday  
Nov 9<sup>th</sup>  
2:00 pm**



**BLUE JERSEY BAND**

**performing an eclectic mix of  
swing, gypsy jazz and bluegrass**

 Middletown Township Public Library  
55 New Monmouth Road  
732-671-3700 www.mtpl.org

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WITH NIXLE**

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Receive alerts for

			
Traffic & Detours	Severe Weather	Criminal Activities	Missing Persons



**[Click on the picture to register for NIXLE.](#)**

## MTPD Seeks School Crossing Guards

*Middletown is hiring*



# School Crossing Guards

The Middletown Township Police Department is now hiring Crossing Guards. Shifts take place before and after school with a minimum of 3.5 hours per day.



Click [HERE](#) for additional information and to fill out an application.

[Click on the picture to learn more or to apply!](#)



The Middletown Board of Education is asking for the community's input regarding its proposed Strategic Planning process. As you are aware, 62% of your property tax bill goes toward our schools so we encourage you to make your voice heard.

Click [HERE](#) to take the survey.



## MIDDLETOWN TRAFFIC ALERTS

### Route 35 Construction Project

Construction work on Route 35 began Monday, May 6th northbound from Cooper's



Bridge (Red Bank) to Cherry Tree Farm Road and southbound from Cherry Tree Farm Road to New Monmouth Road.

Road work will be done with temporary lane closures from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM and from 8:00 PM to 6:00 AM. All work is weather-dependent.

The project, which consists of repairs and replacement of concrete vertical curb, installation of public curb ramps, repairs to drainage structures and resurfacing of the roadway, is estimated to be completed by December 2019.

Please keep an eye out for possible changes to the schedule.

# MEMBERS NEEDED!

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AUXILIARY POLICE



# JOIN TODAY!



**CALL: 732-615-2129**

**EMAIL: [MTAP.RECRUITING@GMAIL.COM](mailto:MTAP.RECRUITING@GMAIL.COM)**

THE MIDDLETOWN TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT IS  
SEEKING VOLUNTEERS!



**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS.**

**JOIN TODAY**

**www.MTFDNJ.org** **#MTFDpride**

[CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE!](#)

WORLD'S LARGEST VOLUNTARY  
MIDDLETOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT  
19 NEW JERSEY  
THE DEPARTMENT

D. DOHERTY

**MIDDLETOWN EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SEEKS VOLUNTEERS!**



**MIDDLETOWN EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT SEEKS RESIDENTS TO VOLUNTEER FOR FIRST AID SQUADS**

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE AND HELPING YOUR NEIGHBORS IN A TIME OF NEED?**

**JOIN ONE OF THE 5 VOLUNTEER FIRST AID SQUADS.**

CALL 732-615-2252 OR EMAIL [PUBLICINFO@MIDDLETOWNEMS.ORG](mailto:PUBLICINFO@MIDDLETOWNEMS.ORG) TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE SQUAD THAT SERVES YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD AND HOW TO VOLUNTEER. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY.

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