

# WELCOME GUIDE





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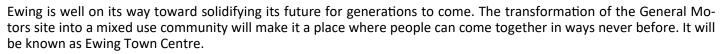




# Welcome to Ewing!

On behalf of the residents of Ewing Township I am pleased to share with you this incredible welcome booklet. An abundance of information can be found here and it would not have been possible if not for the efforts of the Ewing Green Team.

Since my arrival in 1960, Ewing has transformed in many ways. From a blue-collar community with General Motors as the catalyst for economic success, to a center of research and development with employers like ETS and Church & Dwight, our town has strong roots with a spirit of community that makes it a great place to live.



Live, work, and play...

Ewing's attributes include high quality jobs, such as those in and around our airport; NJ Manufacturers, and the Princeton South complex. Coupled with amenities like our park system which includes the Ewing Community Center and an array of programming for all ages, one can see why Ewing is an attractive place for business.

A blossoming art scene is also part of our makeup. The recent conversion of the Ewing Presbyterian Church into what is now known as the 1867 Sanctuary is an extraordinary venue for the performing arts. Our Arts Commission is also very active and it strengthens our relationship with the youth of our community.

Finally, while there is much to tout, The College of NJ is a strong partner in working towards the realization of our economic, educational and environmental vision. The Township continues to build upon the relationship between housing, jobs, and this great research institution. As the next generations come forth, Ewing will be solidified as a place that fosters innovation, culture, and inclusivity.

Welcome to our community!

## Bert H. Steinmann, Mayor

#### Dear Neighbors,

It is our pleasure to bring you our Ewing Township Welcome Booklet, a product of the Ewing Green Team's Neighborhood Committee and local residents who have joined with us to highlight what a great town we live in.

During this undertaking we have been impressed with the richness of resources available to our community from our scenic location on the Delaware River and long rich history as a community, to our strategic position in Mercer County along major transportation routes between New York and Philadelphia. We are blessed with great community services, award winning parks, a full range of educational institutions, wonderful community organizations, terrific neighbors and so much more. Ewing is indeed a great place to call home. The Ewing Township Welcome Booklet is the result of months of effort and we are delighted to offer this guide that highlights the reasons why we all choose to live in Ewing.

As a local sustainability entity, the Ewing Green Team believes that it's our role to support our community by inspiring and engaging those who are passionate about environmental issues. We invite you to join with us to meet the substantial environmental challenges that lie ahead. We meet on the 4th Wednesdays of each month at the Ewing Senior and Community Center at 6:30 pm. Become part of the efforts to live in greater harmony with the natural world to preserve it for future generations.



Joanne Mullowney, Chair



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Ewing Township Municipal Building 2 Jake Garzio Drive Ewing, NJ. 08628

> p 609-883-2900 www.ewingnj.org

# GOVERNMENT

Ewing Township operates under the Mayor-Council form of government which provides for an elected Mayor and five council members. They are elected independently and serve four year terms.



# **Important Township Phone Numbers**

## FOR YOUR SAFETY

All emergency calls for Police, Fire and EMS should be made to 9-1-1. Call and stay on the line. Your land line will display your address. If you dial 9-1-1 from your cell phone, the approximate location of your cell phone will display.

### **Ewing Community Alerts via Swift911**

Register for emergency notifications via email and phone through the township website <u>ewingnj.org</u>

**Ewing Police (non-emergency)** 

(p) 609-882-1313

### Sign up for County wide alerts via Swift911

http://www.mercercounty.org/ departments/emergency-management-public -safety/mercer-county-emergencynotification-system

**Capital Health Medical System** is the nearest hospital just over the border in Hopewell Township off Scotch Road. (p) 1-800-637-2374

**Report a Power Outage (PSE&G)** (p) 800-436-7734

**Sewer Emergency** – Call Ewing Lawrence Sewerage Authority (p) 609-587-4061

Public Water Emergency - call TrentonWater Worksp) 609-989-3222

Mercer Co. Emergency Alert Radio Station WNJT 88.1 FM

State of NJ Emergency Messages http://ready.nj.gov/plan-prepare/stayinginformed.shtml

#### Main Township Phone # 609-883-2900

All Emergencies Police, First Aid, EMS	Dial 9-1-1
Animal Control	x7175
Business Administrator	X7605
Code Enforcement	x7677
Community Affairs, Recreation & Grant	S
	(609) 883-1776
Court Administrator	x7617
Ewing Senior and Community Center	(609) 883-1776
First Aid & Rescue Squad	(609) 882-3382
Health Department	x7691
Mayor's Office	x7606
Municipal Clerk	x7609
Police (non-emergency)	(609) 882-1313
Public Works (Parks, Roads, Garbage)	(609) 882-3382
Recycling	(609) 882-3382
Registrar	x7658
Seniors	(609) 883-1776
Tax Assessor	x7610
Tax Collector	x7651
Library	(609) 882-3130
Ewing Schools	(609) 538-9800
Sewerage Authority (ELSA)	(609) 587-4061
School Board of Education	(609) 538-9800



# **Ewing Quick Facts**

- Scenically located along the Delaware River in Mercer County.
- Bordered on the Northeast by I-295 (formerly I-95)
- Incorporated in 1834
- Total area 15.6 square miles
- Current population 35,790 (2010 Census)
- Easy access to bus, train and air transit via Trenton/Mercer Airport and the West Trenton Railroad Station.
- Rich colonial history includes Washington's Victory Trail and 23 homes and locations on the Township's Historic Registry
- Proud industrial history significant contributions to the WWII war effort building fighter planes at the former GM plant on Parkway Ave.
- Planning for the future evidenced by Sustainable Jersey environmental awards - Silver Certificate and Sustainability Champion in 2016.
- Public Schools: 3 elementary, 1 middle and 1 high school.
- Home to top ranking The College of New Jersey (TCNJ), in close proximity to Rider and Princeton Universities.
- The Mercer County Library's Ewing Branch offers access to the entire holdings and programming of the Mercer County Library system. There is also a satellite branch at the Hollowbrook Community Center.
- Home to the 1867 Sanctuary, Arts and Culture Center.
- Two Community Centers and pool complexes: Ewing Senior and Community Center and Hollowbrook Community Center
- Total of 631 acres of parkland, about 355 of which are municipal open space lands reserved as parkland, active recreation fields, and natural resource protection.
- Home to Mountainview Golf Course and Trenton Country Club.
- Safety Services include 3 Fire Companies | an Emergency Medical Squad | 83 member professional police force
- NJ State Police are headquartered in Ewing
- Numerous Einstein's Alley (research and technology center of NJ) businesses and members are located in the Township.
- Access to state of the art medical care through Capital Health Medical system.

Named after Charles Ewing distinguished jurist (1780 - 1832) Chief Justice of the NJ Supreme Court





# Government



### MAYOR

The Mayor is the Chief Executive Officer and manages the day to day operations of the township with the help of a Business Administrator. Bert H. Steinmann is the current Mayor of Ewing through 2022. If you have a problem for which you need assistance, please contact his office and he and his staff will help you to resolve it.



#### **Office Hours:**

Mon – Fri 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Please make an appointment to ensure that the Mayor is not conducting other Township business and is available to meet with you.

#### **Contact the Mayor**

p 609-883-2900 x7606

Email: <u>bsteinmann@ewingnj.org</u>

**Mail** :The Honorable Bert Steinmann, Ewing Municipal Building, 2 Jake Garzio Dr., Ewing, NJ 08628

Contact the Business Administrator James P. McManimon p 609-883-2900 x7605 Email: jpmcmanimon@ewingnj.org

#### FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Donald J. Trump is the 45th President of the United States. Online government services <u>http://usa.gov/</u> White House <u>www.whitehouse.gov</u>

Ewing is in Congressional District #12. Current representatives for the 12th Congressional District are Congresswoman Bonnie Watson Coleman and Senators Cory Booker and Bob Menendez.

#### Senate <u>www.senate.gov</u>

- Senator Cory Booker
- Senator Robert Menendez

### House of Representatives www.house.gov

• Bonnie Watson Coleman



# Government

### **TOWNSHIP COUNCIL**

Township Council is the town's legislative body and approves the budget and also creates and maintains local ordinances.

### **Council Meetings**

Township Council welcomes engaged citizens and active participation at meetings! Come and voice your opinions on the issues that matter to you.

Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month, beginning at 6:30 pm in the Council Chambers of the municipal building.

### **Council Documents**

Meeting agendas, minutes, resolutions and ordinances are available on the Township website (<u>www.ewingnj.org</u>) and at Town Hall.



Council Members: Left to right, back row: Kevin Baxter, Kathleen Wollert, Sarah Steward. Front Row: Council President Jennifer Keyes-Maloney and Vice President David Schroth.

# **CONTACT COUNCIL**

Residents can contact Township Council via the email addresses listed below or mail written correspondence to the Township Council at the Ewing Municipal Building, 2 Jake Garzio Dr., Ewing, NJ 08628

Councilman Kevin Baxter <u>kbaxter@ewingnj.org</u> Councilwoman Jennifer Keyes-Maloney <u>jkeyes-maloney@ewingnj.org</u> Councilman David Schroth <u>dschroth@ewingnj.org</u> Councilwoman Sarah Steward <u>ssteward@ewingnj.org</u> Councilwoman Kathleen Wollert <u>kwollert@ewingnj.org</u>

#### **COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

Ewing is in Mercer County and is governed by the County Executive, Brian Hughes and a Board of Chosen Freeholders. www.mercercounty.org.

Contact the County Executive p 609-989-6518 Fax: 609-278-4819 Mail: The Honorable Brian Hughes, 640 S. Broad St., P.O. Box 8068, Trenton, NJ 08650-0068

### Email: bhughes@mercercounty.org

Contact the Board of Chosen Freeholders McDade Administration Building 640 South Broad Street P.O. Box 8068

**STATE GOVERNMENT** 

Trenton, NJ 08650

Governor of New Jersey - Phil Murphy Lieutenant Governor - Sheila Oliver

### http://www.nj.gov/

Contact the Governor Office of the Governor PO Box 001 Trenton, NJ 08625 p 609-292-6000

NJ State Legislature <u>http://www.njleg.state.nj.us/</u> Ewing is in the 15th Legislative District.

CURRENT REPRESENTATIVES Senator Shirley Turner Mail: 1230 Parkway Ave., Suite 103, Ewing Twp., NJ 08628 p (609) 323-7239

Assemblyman Anthony S. Verrelli Assemblywoman Verlina Reynolds-Jackson Mail: 144 W. State St., Trenton, NJ 08608 p (609) 571-9638



# **New Residents**

### **Move In Checklist**

Change your address with the Post Office Online USPS.com/move or at the Local Post Office West Trenton Post Office, 55 Grand Ave, Ewing NJ 08628.

Register to vote –Mercer County residents registration form www.state.nj.us/state/elections/ form\_pdf/voter-regis-forms/68-voterregistration-english-mercer.pdf Get more information – Township Clerk Office (p) 609-883-2900 x 7609.

Visit the nearest MVC for Driver's license address change Bakers Basin MVC Agency & Inspection, 3200 Brunswick Pike, Rte. 1 No., Lawrenceville, NJ 08648 local.dmv.org/new-jersey/branch/mvcinspection-center-lawrence-township

Register your children for school Ewing Public Schools - 609-538-9800.

License your dog at the Ewing Municipal Clerk's office at the Ewing Municipal Building, 2nd floor (p) 609-883-2900 x7609. <u>https://ewingnj.org/documents-list/department-documents/clerk/65-dog-license-application/file</u>

Make list of emergency numbers

Get a library card go to Mercer County Library, Ewing Branch, 61 Scotch Rd. Ewing, NJ (p) 609-883-3130. Proof of residency required

Set up Utilities - Cable TV/PSE&G/ Water

PSE&G - call 1-800-436-7734 or go to ww.pseg.com/home/services/ start stop service.jsp

Trenton Water Works (p) 609-989-3822 Verizon Fios - 877-869-9527

https://www.verizon.com/home/fios Comcast Xfinity - New service 855-423-6037 Moving service 844-805-8925 www.xfinityonline.com/Contact Let us be among the first to welcome you to our town. We hope that you find Ewing as great a place to call home as we do and that you'll join some of the many organizations in town. We also hope to see you at local events making our town yours.

We are pleased to have you as neighbors!

### MAIL / ZIP CODES

Ewing covers 15.6 square miles and is served by four zip codes: 08560, 08618, 08628, and 08638. These are shared with neighboring municipalities , Trenton and Titusville.

### Addressing your mail

08650 - The Post Office will accept Ewing, NJ or Titusville, NJ 08618 – The Post Office will accept Ewing, NJ or Trenton, NJ 08628 – The Post Office will accept, Ewing, NJ or West Trenton, NJ or Trenton, NJ 08638 - The Post Office will accept Ewing, NJ or Trenton, NJ

### **Post Office**

The Post Office is located in the western section of town, in West Trenton. **Address:** 555 Grand Ave, Ewing Township, NJ 08628 **Hours:** Retail: M – F 8:30 – 4:30, Sat 8 – 2. Lobby (Access Post Office boxes) M – Sat 7:30 – 4:30. **p** 609-882-4845

### **IMPORTANT LOCAL WEBSITES**

Ewing NJ Website Ewing Police Ewing Schools Mercer County Library - Ewing Mercer County State of New Jersey

LOCAL NEWSPAPERS

The Times of Trenton **p** 1-800-693-3548 Trentonian **p** 888-489-8189 Ewing Observer www.ewingnj.org www.ewingpolice.com www.ewing.k12.nj.us www.mcl.org/branches/ewingbr.html www.mercercounty.org www.state.nj.us

www.nj.com/times

www.trentonian.com/print-subscribe

communitynews.org/



# **Getting Around**

# LOCATION

Interstate 295 (formerly 95) runs through the northwestern part of the town. Main roadways include State Highways 31 (Pennington Road) 29, and 206. There is also ready access to US Highway 1

# **Public Transit**

### Rail

The Township is serviced by a passenger rail line. The West Trenton Railroad Station is the terminus of Septa's West Trenton Line and conveniently serves commuter traffic to and from Philadelphia.

Address: 3 Railroad Ave., Ewing

Schedule: www.septa.org/schedules/rail/w/WTR\_1.html

There is no ticket office at this station.

There is free SEPTA parking available and one bike rack accommodating 8 bicycles.

### Bus

NJ Transit provides bus service in and around the County. Ewing is serviced by the 601, 607, 608, 609,619 and 624 bus lines.

### **General NJ Transit Bus Information**

www.njtransit.com/sf/sf\_servlet.srv?hdnPageAction=BusTo

Schedules	
601	www.njtransit.com/pdf/bus/T0601.pdf
607	www.njtransit.com/pdf/bus/T0607.pdf
608	www.njtransit.com/pdf/bus/T0608.pdf
609/619	www.njtransit.com/pdf/bus/T0609.pdf

### Air

Trenton Mercer Airport (TTN) is the County-run airport in our northwest corner and is served by Frontier Airlines. There is plenty of on-site parking with shuttle bus service.

Address: 1100 Terminal Circle Drive, West Trenton, NJ 08628 Online check-in and baggage information can be found at www.flyfrontier.com.







# **Clean Community Collection Services**





# Fall Leaf pickup

Ewing Township (Dept. of Public Works (DPW)) provides curbside leaf collection in the fall for residents. The schedule is weather dependent and published in the Ewing Observer. It is also available on the Township website in mid-October. Brush is NOT collected at that time. Leaves only are permitted in piled at the curb or in paper leaf bags for 2 weeks before the scheduled pickup.

# **Spring Cleanup**

Ewing Township provides residential curbside brush pickup in the spring for approximately two months. The schedule is weather dependent. Pickup of bagged brush is the day after your regular trash collection.

For more details go to: https://ewingnj.org/brush-and-bulk-waste

# Roads

The Department of Public Works is also responsible for general road and pothole repairs, street sweeping, storm water maintenance & snow removal.

## **Report a Pothole**

- Ewing Roads—<u>https://ewingnj.org/feedback</u> or call Joe Martin at 609-882-3382.
- **County Roads** <u>www.mercercounty.org/i-want-to/report-a-</u> <u>pothole</u> or call 609-530-7510.

# **Snow Removal**

Ewing has approximately 110 miles of roadways that are plowed by the DPW. County roads in Ewing are plowed by Mercer County Road crews and the State of NJ road crews plow Interstate 95, Pennington Road (Rte. 31) and Rte. 29 (River Road).

- Please park all vehicles in driveways and off the streets to facilitate plowing.
- Drive only when necessary and prepare your vehicle for snow conditions.
- Never throw snow into streets.

### For problems with snow removal and to report a complaint Ewing Roads - (609) 882-3382

Mercer County Roads - (609) 530-7500 State of N.J., Dept. of Transportation (732) 308-4086

## **Snow Removal Ordinance**

Property owners are responsible for removing snow from sidewalk within 12 hours of daylight after a snowfall. (See Township Code,  $\S_{325-1}$ )





# **Recycling and Garbage Collection**

### Garbage

Ewing Township contracts with Solterra Recycling Solutions for garbage collection. Garbage should be placed at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on your scheduled collection day, and no earlier than sundown the evening prior to the collection day. Please do not put out trash in advance of that time; it is unsightly and a potential health hazard. Empty garbage cans must be removed from the curb by the end of the collection day.

Schedule <a href="mailto:ewingnj.org/filelink/fileman-files/DPW/Trash-Collection.pdf">ewingnj.org/filelink/fileman-files/DPW/Trash-Collection.pdf</a> More Information <a href="mailto:ewingnj.org/resident/trash">ewingnj.org/filelink/fileman-files/DPW/Trash-Collection.pdf</a>

## Recycling

Recycling is mandatory in New Jersey and curbside collection for residents is handled by the Mercer County Improvement Authority (MCIA) www.mcianj.org. Collection buckets are provided to residents. Recycling is single stream – all recyclables can go in either bucket. Curbside collection includes cardboard, paper, phone books, plastic bottles (#1 & 2 only), milk and juice cartons and aluminum and metal cans. See the Ewing Green Team's guide to recycling at <u>ewingrecycles.org/</u> and the MCIA's list of acceptable materials at <u>mcianj.org/content/119/306/default.aspx</u>

## **Convenience Centers**

Ewing Township maintains two Waste Drop Off Convenience Centers for residents only to help collect a greater variety of items, divert significant tonnage from the waste stream and provide greater convenience to residents. No contractors are allowed. Proof of Ewing residence/Validation card is required.

# **Shred Days**

Ewing hosts two Shred Days each year, one in the spring and the other in the fall. These free events are for residents only and provide a safe and secure way to clean out any documents that need proper disposal. They are held at the Municipal Complex at 2 Jake Garzio Drive and are held from 9:00am until 1:00pm. Check the Twp. website for reminders - <u>ewingnj.org</u>



### **CONVENIENCE CENTERS**

Brush and Yard Waste Drop Off Jack Stephan Way (off of Parkway Ave, at the old Naval Jet Propulsion Center) offers a convenient place to drop off brush and tree parts.

Hours: Mon -Sat: 7:30am - 2:30pm.

Bulk and Electronics Drop Off Department of Public Works at 136 Scotch Road offers drop off of bulk and electronic items such as construction debris, broken furniture, small appliances, and more.

Hours: Th & F: 7:00am - 3:00pm and Sat: 7:00am - 2:30pm

> MCIA Hazardous Waste and Electronics Recycling Events

The Mercer County Improvement Authority hosts a number of County-wide recycling events annually. Check their website for more information

www.mcianj.org



# **More Municipal Services**

# **Contact the Clerk**

Kim J. Macellaro, RMC Mail: Office of the Clerk 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-2900 x7609 Hours: M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

### **Contact the Tax Assessor**

Jeff Burd **Mail:** Office of the Tax Assessor, Township of Ewing, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 **p:** (609) 883-2900 x7661 **Hours:** M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

## **Contact the Tax Collector**

Abelardo Conesa Mail: Tax Office, Township of Ewing, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 p: (609) 883-2900 x7607 Hours: M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

## **Tax Drop Off Box**

There is a Drop Off Mail Box for tax/ sewer payments located at the back door of the Municipal Building. Use the second parking lot to access this mailbox for payments outside of office hours.

### **MUNICIPAL CLERK**

The Municipal Clerk serves as secretary to the governing body and maintains all public records including ordinances, resolutions, meeting agendas and minutes, public proceedings. The clerk also serves as the Chief Administrative Officer of all elections held in the municipality and Chief Registrar of voters in the Township. To request a publicly available document, an OPRA request, please check with the Clerk's Office for the request form. Finally, the clerk provides for the issuances of a number of permits and licenses. For more information about the clerk's responsibilities see <u>ewingnj.org/departments/clerk</u>

### **Elections and Voting**

The Primary Election is held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in June. Polls are open 6:00 am until 8:00 pm. The General Election and School Board Election is held First Tuesday after the First Monday in November. Polls are open 6:00 am until 8:00 pm.

**Voter Registration:** To register, you must be a United States citizen, 18 years old by the next election, AND a resident of the county for 30 days before the election. You are not eligible to register to vote if you are serving a sentence or are on parole or probation, as a result of a conviction of an indictable offense under state or federal law or have adjudged mentally incompetent. The registration deadline to vote at the next election is 21 days prior to Election Day.

**Change of Address:** Change of address only applies if the voter has moved within the county he/she was currently registered. If a voter moves to another county, the voter must register as a new voter. The changes or new registrations deadline to vote at the next election is 21 days prior to Election Day.

### **TAXES**

The Township tax offices collect the taxes which run the municipal government, Ewing Public Schools, and the County government. Two municipal offices oversee tax levies and collection: the Tax Assessor and the Tax Collector. The Assessor's office values all property in the municipality for tax purposes. The Tax Collector's office collects the tax payments. Both offices are located on the upper floor of the municipal building.

Tax Bills are issued annually in July and payments are due August 1, November 1, February 1 and May 1 in roughly equal installments.

Sewer payments are collected by the Tax Collector and are biannual. Bills are mailed in March. Payments are due April 1 and October 1.



# **More Municipal Services**

### **HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

The Health Department works to improve the health of the community overseeing public health issues, environmental concerns, animal control, substance abuse and social services.

A sampling of programs include: blood pressure screenings, child health clinics and immunizations, information for new moms, residential health alerts on a variety of topics, licensing of establishments related to consumer health, management of issues relating to animals in the community by two animal control officers.

- Free Adult Flu Vaccines are offered each fall.
- Free Rabies Vaccination Clinics are offered periodically throughout the year for residents who own dogs and cats. Proof of licensing is required for dogs.

### **Contact the Health Office**

Teri Vacirca, Health Administrator **Mail:** Township of Ewing, Public Health Officer, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 **(p)** (609) 883-2900 ext. 7691 **Hours:** M-F 8:30am - 4:30pm

### **CODE ENFORCEMENT**

The Code Enforcement Department reviews and approves all applications and plans for new construction or alterations in accordance with the Uniform Construction and related Codes. They also inspect all residential, commercial and industrial construction during the various phases of construction and render final approvals.

### **Contact the Construction Office**

Jack Daniels, Construction Official **Mail:** Construction Office, Township of Ewing, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (**p**) 609-883-2900 x7677 **Hours:** Mon, Tues, Thurs, & Fri 8:30 – 4:00pm \*\*Closed Wednesdays\*\*

### **FINANCE OFFICE**

The Finance Office accounts for and controls all Township revenue and expenses. The CFO assists the Mayor and Administration with the preparation of the municipal budget and is responsible for the annual financial statements.

### **Contact the Finance Office**

Joanna Mustafa, Chief Finance Officer **Mail:** Finance Office, Township of Ewing, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 **(p)** 609-883-2900 x 7601 **Hours:** M-F 8:30am - 4:00pm Upper Entrance Garden at the Ewing Municipal Building



# **Township Recreational Programming**

### CONTACT

Ted Forst, Director Mail: Department of Community Affairs, 999 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 Email: tforst@ewingnj.org (p) 609-883-1776 Office Hours: Mon- Thurs 8:30 am - 9 pm | Fri 8:30 am - 5 pm | Sat & Sun 9 am - 5 pm

Raquel Ince, Assistant Director
Mail: Hollowbrook Community Center, 320
Hollowbrook Road, Ewing, NJ 08638
Email: rince@ewingnj.org
(p) 609-883-1199
Office Hours: M-5 8:30 - 4:30 | Weekends by appt.

### **DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS**

The Department of Community Affairs is a vibrant office that offers a wide variety of programs for youth, adults and seniors. It oversees numerous special events, two recreation centers, two community pools, Township parks and other facilities open to residents. Their goal is to help promote active families in the community and sharing quality family time.

The Community Affairs/Recreation Department offices are located in the main office of the Ewing Senior and Community Center. All township recreational programming is done through this office. Activities are listed on the Recreation and Senior pages on <u>www.ewingnj.org</u>. The building fully complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

# **EWING SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER**



# **Township Recreational Programming**

### **COMMUNITY CENTERS**

Ewing has two Community Centers: the Ewing Senior and Community Center (ESCC) and Hollowbrook Community Center (HCC).

# Ewing Senior and Community Center (ESCC) 999 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-1776

The ESCC facility is approximately 34,000 square feet and includes a large room with a kitchenette, gymnasium, meetings rooms, computer room, senior outreach offices and administrative offices.

The Center offers a wide variety of activities and events:

- instructional classes
- fitness groups
- drop-in programs
- opportunities to socialize and participate in clubs
- free and fee-based services
- Community Pool

# Hollowbrook Community Center (HCC) 320 Hollowbrook Drive, Ewing, NJ 08638 (p) 609-883-1199

The newly renovated Hollowbrook Community Center offers a wide variety of programming and activities including:

- A state of the art Computer Learning Center
- A Branch of the Mercer County Library System
- Houses the following programs:

CYO of Mercer County | Meals on Wheels | Mercer County Nutrition Program for Seniors | Community Pool

### **FACILITIES RENTALS**

Are you planning that special party or event and looking for a perfect space to hold it? Whether an extra large room, outside park area or public pool, we have a space for you. Our rental staff is committed to helping you find the perfect room for your event.

# EWING SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER

INDOOR FACILITIES include the high school sized gym, large room and several classroom sized rooms. Our large Community Room has a kitchenette, overhead projector and screen.
PARK FACILITIES are also available for

rent

POOL RENTAL PACKAGES are offered when the pool is not open to the public . Small pool parties take place during regular open swim hours. ESCC Rentals Contact

Nancy Pappano <u>npappano@ewingnj.org</u> (p) 609-883-1776 x2 Office Hours: Mon- Thurs 8:30am - 9pm | Fri 8:30 m - 5 m | Sat & Sun 9am - 5pm

#### HOLLOWBROOK COMMUNITY CENTER

INDOOR FACILITIES include a large community room with stage, nutrition room and full kitchen.
 HCC Rentals Contact Raquel Ince, Assistant Director





# **Ewing Seniors**



A Ewing Pool Shark practicing to put the bite on his North and Central Jersey Club opponents. Ewing boasts an extremely active senior community. The Ewing Senior and Community Center is the home base for senior activities and the Senior Office is located in room 204. Seniors activities offered include exercise classes, computer classes, pool tables, monthly programs, trips, senior clubs and more. For more information check out the Ewing Seniors page on www.ewingnj.org.

#### Senior Citizens Supervisor Jeannette Spann, 609-883-1776 X6206

## **Social Activities**

- Recreational Duplicate Bridge
- Card Games (Pinochle, Bid Whist)
- Darts
- Pool
- Bible Study (Hollowbrook & ESCC)
- Bingo
- Art/Crafts
- Drop-in Activities
- Dance and Exercise
- Summer Swimming/Water Aerobics
- Computer Literacy Center Program
- Weight Room 9:30 AM 10:30 AM Senior Citizens (No Fee)
- Indoor Walking 9:30 10:30 AM (Gym) Also open when no other activity is taking place.

### **Seasonal Activities**

- June Picnic
- Holiday Parties
- End of Summer Picnic

### **In House Services**

- Mercer County E.A.S.E. A Community Access Site that provides information and access to services for senior citizens through the Mercer County Office on Aging.
- Counseling on Health Insurance
- Annual Flu Shots (schedule posted in early fall)
- Mercer County Nutrition (at Hollowbrook Center, 320 Hollowbrook Drive)
- Blood Pressure Screening

### Transportation

Ewing Seniors, aged 60 and older who are unable to drive, may take advantage of our free van service from Monday – Friday. Service hours are from 8 am – 3:30 pm. Clients are regularly transported to and between our Community Centers, the ESCC and Hollowbrook for Ewing Senior social events; to medical appointments, grocery stores; and Mercer County nutrition.



# Youth Programs / Summer Camps

The Community Affairs Department runs a number of Township sports leagues throughout the year including multi-season basketball, indoor soccer, and wrestling. For chess enthusiasts, a chess club also meets regularly. In the summer there are basketball, tennis and field hockey camps.

### SUMMER CAMPS

Camp opportunities for children entering grades K - 10 include:

- Summer Day Camp for children entering grades K 5
- Teen Travel Camp for students entering grades 6 9
- Counselor in Training program for students entering grades 9 & 10.

These summer enrichment programs offer kids a great time through a variety of activities such as arts and crafts, games, fitness, sports, and swimming, day trips, special events and more. Camp to counselor ratios average 1:5, so campers always have staff with them. They strive to find fun activities and exciting locations for our trips so that campers are busy all day, every day! Children will make new friendships and cultivate old ones, all while learning independence and trying new things.

#### **Summer Day Camp**

A full day program that offers 8 regular camp weeks from late June to mid August, plus 2 post camp weeks. Camp includes fields trips every Thursday, daily swim lessons and free swim in the afternoon, arts and crafts, nature, sports, cooking, dancing, special events and more. All activities take place at the ESCC unless otherwise noted.

#### **Teen Travel Camp**

A seven-week program starting in early July. Campers take a different trip each day to places like the beach, theme parks, and cultural centers in the Tri-state area. One day each week they remain at the ESCC or take a half day trip.

#### **Counselor in Training Program**

This program is for Ewing residents only and runs from weeks 2 - 8. Enrollees are given the opportunity to develop the leadership qualities necessary to be a Camp Counselor while receiving on the job training.

#### Registration

You do not need to live in Ewing for your child to attend the Summer Day and Teen Travel Camps; however, additional fees do apply for nonresidents. Detailed registration information is available at <u>ewingnj.org/</u> <u>summer-camps</u>.

#### **Camp Days and Hours**

Day Camp dates and hours are Monday – Friday from 8:30 – 4:30 unless noted. Early drop off runs from 7:30am – 8:15am and late hours from 4:30pm - 6:00pm. (Additional fees apply).



# **Ewing Pool Systems**



Community Pool area at the Ewing Senior and Community Center Membership in the Ewing Pool System is available for purchase each summer and is good for the Hollowbrook and Ewing Senior and Community Center pools.

### **Ewing Senior and Community Center Pool (ESCC)**

999 Lower Ferry Road **p:** 609-883-1776

### Hollowbrook Community Center Pool (HCC)

320 Hollowbrook Drive **p:** 609-883-1199

The pool season runs from Memorial Day through Labor Day. The ESCC pool is open on weekends from the end of May through June. It opens weekdays starting the end of June (specific dates to be announced). The pool at the Hollow-brook Community Center (HCC) was recently renovated and has expanded hours.

Seasonal permits for family and individuals can be purchased. Daily rates for Township residents and guests are also available. Programs offered are swimming lessons, water aerobics, and public open swimming. The ESCC pool complex has a snack bar and the historic Trenton Bath Houses.

### Pool Hours (conditions permitting)

ESCC - 12pm - 8pm daily (7:30 after mid August) HCC -(same hours except Saturdays. Open to public but available for rentals.

### **Registration information**

ewingnj.org/pools

Register online at communitypass.net







# **Fitness Center**

# **FITNESS CENTER**

The ESCC offers a Weight Room and Gym for workout enthusiasts with an extensive list of equipment and facilities. The Fitness Center is located on the second floor. Check with ESCC Staff for an introductory tour. Staff is available to show new users how to use the equipment.

### FACILITIES

**Weight Room**: equipped with a TV, mats, treadmills, elliptical machines, stationary bikes and rowing equipment. Free weights Nautilus and Universal equipment is also available.

**Gym** - There is a high school sized gym available for basketball, indoor soccer, rentals and open gym.

### Basketball

Lunch Time Basketball M-THz

Early Bird Basketball M/W/F from 5:30 am - 8:30 am | Sundays from 7am - 10 am

Priority for both groups is for adults 35 and over.

Fitness classes are also offered and are done through the Senior Office. Call 609-883-1776 for more information.

### Hours

M-Th 6am - 9pm | Fri & Sun 6 am - 5 pm | Sat 9 am - 5pm

# **Membership Fee Schedule**

Adult Membership	\$30 per month
Full time students or seniors (60 and over)	\$20 per month
Seniors (60 and over) 9am - 11am daily	Free
Register online at <u>communitypass.net</u>	
Daily Fees	
Ewing Residents	\$5
Non-residents	\$8
Children under 13 must be accompanied by an adult	







# **Ewing Municipal Parks and Open Space**

Ewing has award winning recreational facilities with numerous athletic playing fields and 6 municipal parks that serve as the focus of its recreational programming, as well as two community centers and pool complexes, and the (county-owned) Mountainview Golf Course. Opportunities for active recreation abound with well kept fields and facilities including baseball, softball, soccer, tennis, walking track...

### Banchoff Park \*

A 70 acre park on Mountain View Rd. has 4 tennis courts, walking, biking and hiking trails, a pond, picnic area, open green space, and playground. There is a Dog Park in an enclosed area where our canine pets can run free and socialize with other pets. There is a fountain with human and canine spigots.

This park was named for Incarnation School kindergarten teacher, Ann Banchoff who was also a member of the Township Committee. It is the site of the former Reeder Farm where George Washington stopped for breakfast on his way to Trenton.

### Sherbrooke Park

Located between Sherbrooke Rd. & Whitehead Rd. Ext. This 3 acre park offers a playground unit, basketball court, open play area and the Ewing Community Gardens site. The Ewing Community Gardens is a large municipal community garden, fully enclosed with 8' deer fence. Plots are available by application each spring at the Clerk's Office.

### Drake Farm Park – 27 Federal City Road

This park is home to Benjamin Temple Historic House that is operated by the Ewing Historic Preservation Society. The Society protects and preserves the house and the many historic documents, photographs and artifacts from Ewing Township's history in this beautiful setting. The building also serves as a great location for the Society's historic lectures, events, and other programs. The Benjamin Temple House is open to the public and researchers by appointment. You will occasionally see outdoor gatherings run by the Society on the grounds of the park. For more info please visit the website at www.ethps.org or call 609–883–2455.

### Higgs Park (a.k.a. Ewing Park) \*

The park is 3 acres and is located on Somerset Street with a playground area, gazebo, basketball court, picnic area. In the rear of the park is a wooded area with walking paths. It was named for Florence S. Higgs, beloved educator and principal of the former Ewing Park Elementary School that was located on the site.

Delaware and Raritan Canal Path

## Smaller assets in the Ewing Park System

### Fasolino Field

Fasolino Field is a small baseball park on Sara-toga Ave. It was recently renovated by a group of citizen volunteers.

### Shabakunk Creek Park

Small passive park along Olden Avenue



# **Ewing Municipal Parks and Open Space**

Parks with facilities that can be rented for your event for a fee are denoted with an asterisk \*.

The Delaware-Raritan Canal State Park also offers outdoor enthusiasts the opportunity to walk, run, bike along the scenic Delaware River.



### **Armstrong Park**

Armstrong Park, named after former 7 term Ewing Mayor C. Wesley Armstrong is located at the corner of Ewingville Rd. and Green Lane and offers 3 youth softball fields, 2 adult softball fields, 1 T-Ball field, outdoor batting cage. There is also a concession stand for use by the teams.

Armstrong Park was named the 2016 ASA Complex of the Year for its history of hosting top-notch New Jersey ASA/USA Softball events.

### **Municipal Complex Park \***

Situated on 40 acres off of Upper Ferry Rd., by Municipal Building. This facility has 3 soccer fields, pavilion, picnic tables, ½ mile paved path & the Maj. Gen. George J. Betor Veterans Memorial Park. The military park is located behind the municipal building. and features a display of a Navy A4 Skyhawk that flew from the USS Saratoga aircraft carrier during the Korean War, and an M60A1 tank from the New Jersey National Guard. The park also contains Air Force, Army, Navy, Merchant Marine and Coast Guard memorials, as well as a Purple Heart Walk further honoring Ewing veterans.

#### **Moody Park**

Moody Park, named for former Ewing Mayor Frank Moody, is situated on 32 acres between Parkside Ave. & Buttonwood Dr. The facilities here include 1 hardball field, 4 basketball courts, indoor batting cage, 2 Little League & 1 t-Ball fields, 1 softball field, 2 football fields, and playground equipment.

### John S. Watson Park \*

Situated on 66 acres off Upper Ferry Rd or Scotch Rd. The facilities here include 2 barbeque areas, a pavilion, picnic tables, and playground equipment. The Carlton section of this park has an adult softball field and outdoor skating rink.

The park is named for John S. Watson, former Ewing resident, first African- American elected to the Board of Chosen Freeholders in Mercer County, and six term legislator in the New Jersey General Assembly from our Legislative District.

### **Stout Avenue Playground**

A small neighborhood playground on Stout Avenue.

#### Village on the Green

About 10 acres of green space with playground equipment on Sabrina Dr. **Hollowbrook Park** 

Located at the Hollowbrook Community Center and has one of the township's two community pools.









# Police | Fire | EMS



The Ewing Police Department was formed on February 20, 1928 when Chief Harry Prince was sworn in as Chief along with Police Officers William C. Forst, John Elder, and Charles Whitehead. Those first officers patrolled the township on motorcycles they purchased themselves, using gas they purchased themselves, and armed with their own guns. William Forst took over as Chief in 1932. The original police station was located at the intersection of Parkside Avenue and Pennington Road and was barley large enough to fit all four officers in it at one time. They eventually moved to the corner of Pennington Road and Green Lane in 1934. After WWII the town began to grow rapidly and additional officers were hired to keep up with the growth of the township.

Over the years the department grew and adapted to the everchanging needs of the township. Calvin Steepy became the department's third Chief in 1966 and modernized the department by placing an emphasis on a well-educated police force. He instructed his men by using methods learned from the F.B.I. All Patrolmen had vehicles equipped with radios to respond to calls. A traffic services division and a detective bureau were formed under Chief Steepy as well as a Tactical Response Team and a Crime Scene Unit. The department has continued to keep up on modern police techniques and equipment as the times have changed under the leadership of Chiefs Edward Schaller, Roger Emmons, Robert Coulton, and John Stemler III. Although the sworn officer numbers fell in 2010 to a low of 65 officers, the department has rebounded back to a more acceptable size of 83 officers. The Ewing Police department utilizes the Patrol Division as the backbone of the police department. The Patrol Division is supported by the Detective Bureau, Youth and Family Services Bureau, Crime Scene Investigation Unit, Community Response Unit, K9 Unit, Traffic Services Unit, and Training Unit. The department also has a twelve-person Communications Center and a Records Bureau to help serve the community.

The department takes pride in the relationship it has with the community and continually works to build this relationship. The community will see evidence of that effort beginning this spring with increased bike and foot patrols coming to the neighborhoods and shopping centers. Currently the department is celebrating its 90th Anniversary.

Ewing Police is headquartered at the Ewing Municipal Building, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628.

**Confidential Tip Line** (not for crimes in progress or emergencies) 609-882-7530

Contact the Police Department (non-emergency) John Stemler, Chief Mail: Ewing Police Department, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-882-1313 (non-emergency)



# Police | Fire | EMS

# **New Jersey State Police**

Additional police presence is provided by the NJ State Police, the official state police force of the State of New Jersey, which is headquartered in the western section of town.

## FIRE PROTECTION

Fire protection in Ewing Township is provided by one career and two volunteer firehouses which are supplemented by career staff.

Fire Division 30, which is stationed at Pennington Road, has a crew of four firefighters around the clock 365 days of the year. The division is staffed by five fire captains and 18 firefighters who staff the three fire stations during their work shifts. The firefighters of Fire Division 30 provide fire suppression, rescue operations, emergency medical services, service-type assignments as well as fire prevention activities, assist residents with smoke detectors and equipment maintenance.

The two volunteer fire companies, the Prospect Heights Vol. Fire Company and the West Trenton Vol. Fire Company, also serve around the clock, 365 days-a-year in conjunction with the career firefighting staff.

### **Contact the Fire Departments (non-emergency)**

Marc Strauss, Fire Director Mail: 1666 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p): (609) 882-9885

## **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

Ewing's Emergency Medical Services is a 15 member strong team of Emergency Technicians dedicated to providing excellent and compassionate pre-hospital care and to protecting the safety and health of the public. In continuous operation since 1986, they provide 24-7 coverage with state of the art equipment and vehicles. In 2017 they responded to 4,773 calls, an increase of 12% over 2016 and a new record and transported over 3,217 patients to area hospitals. They remain committed to serving you when you need it the most.

### Contact Emergency Medical Services Department (nonemergency)

DeLorfette Clark, MICP, NRP **Mail:** Emergency Medical Services, Township of Ewing, 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-671-4568 x6407 (f) 609-406-9539





# Mercer County Library—Ewing Branch



The Ewing Library is part of the Mercer County Library system (www.mcl.org) and has come a long way since it was first headquartered in a large room in the Suburban Square Shopping Center. The Mercer County Library system was recently ranked among the nation's best libraries for the 10th consecutive year by Library Journal. It was also the only public library system to receive a five-star designation within its budget category. And the library in Ewing does its share to earn the accolades. Library highlights include:

- Collection: the largest collection of large print books in the county system; an extensive reference collection; access to dozens of electronic databases from your home, school, or office; downloadable eBooks and audiobooks free of charge to your computer, smartphone, tablet, and eReaders as well as streaming music and movies and reading current issues of scores of magazines on your electronic devices;
- Borrow books from any library in the country through interlibrary loan;
- Computers: Internet access and computer training;
- Extensive public programming including: monthly book discussion group, storytelling, craft programs, films, and special lectures on a variety of topics;
- Free services: tax assistance provided by AARP, public notary services, proctoring of your school exam by a librarian; document scanning, librarian reviews of your resume;
- Public art displays by local artists, schools, and community groups;
- State of the art online catalog for connecting remotely;
- Quiet study rooms available;
- Meeting rooms for small groups.

## CONTACT

Address: 61 Scotch Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 Circulation: (p) 609-882-3130 Reference: (p) 609-882-3148 Ewing Branch Hours Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. from after Labor Day until Memorial Day. No summer Sunday hours



# Sustainability

Ewing Township strives to incorporate principles of sustainability in its actions and initiatives to create a community that leaves our town a better place for future generations to come. Creating a sustainable community requires leadership, vision, and commitment to environmental principles and initiatives.

Two specific Township boards were created with missions to work towards those goals, the Environmental Commission (<u>www.ewinggreenteam.org</u>) and the Green Team (<u>www.ewinggreenteam.org</u>)

The Ewing Environmental Commission was created in 1973 to preserve and protect the natural resources within Ewing Township and to work to ensure that the development and the usage of Ewing lands and properties meet with sound environmental principles. The Ewing Green Team was formed in 2009 as the entity that pursues certification from Sustainable Jersey, a nonprofit organization that provides tools, training and financial incentives to support communities as they attempt to become more sustainable. Both these entities have worked cooperatively with each other, other Township boards and commissions, and the Township to create a path toward a more sustainable future for our residents and advance environmental initiatives.

Ewing is a very active participant in the Sustainable Jersey program. (www.sustainablejersey.com) Hundreds of towns across New Jersey participate and are now working on sustainability programs to help the environment and their bottom lines. Efforts to curb carbon emissions, protect natural resources and reduce waste are happening at the local level. Through the voluntary program, communities are implementing solar power and wind turbine projects, rain capture and reuse efforts, new walking and biking programs, building and operating community food gardens, launching community outreach programs on recycling and energy, and dozens of other initiatives.

Ewing was awarded a Bronze Level Certification in 2013, Silver Level Certification in 2016 and a 2016 Sustainability Champion award in the medium municipality category (population between 5,000 –39,999). The award is for receiving the highest number of points in this population category. To become Sustainable Jersey certified, Ewing had to complete a balance of the rigorous program sustainability actions. Please see Ewing's Sustainable Jersey Profile to view the 2016 Silver Certification Report for details of the actions that were considered in becoming Silver Certified. For additional information about sustainability initiatives in Ewing go to <u>ewingnj.org/project-medicine-drop</u>.





# History of Ewing (in Neighborhoods)



Recently Published Ewing Histories Include:

Tesauro, Joann. Ewing Township (Images of America series). Charleston, SC: Arcadia Publishing, ©2002.

Falzini, Mark. One Square Mile: A History of Trenton Junction, New Jersey. Bloomington, IN: iUniverse, ©2017. Ewing is a quiet, mostly residential community made up of small neighborhoods. Its fertile soil and location next to the Delaware River made it a perfect site for European settlement in the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> centuries. Farms sprang up and early neighborhoods grew around them. West Trenton is the former Birmingham. Wilburtha was originally called Greenburg. And Ewingville was located on the lands now occupied by The College of New Jersey. The farmhouse of William Green, built in 1717, still stands on its campus.

Ewing's strategic location in central New Jersey has allowed it to be an active contributor to history. The path George Washington took on Christmas morning after crossing the Delaware River to reach Trenton and change the ultimate outcome of the American Revolution was through Ewing. A reminder of that involvement is the graveyard on the grounds of the 1867 Sanctuary where several Revolutionary War soldiers lie. Civil War soldiers and heroes from other wars can also be found there.

The Delaware Raritan Canal, built between 1830 and 1834, crosses the Wilburtha section of town. The canal carried coal and other needed raw materials to Trenton where industry was rapidly growing. Road names like Lower Ferry and Upper Ferry Roads still remain to remind us of our past. Following either of these roads will lead you to the River, adjacent to the canal, which today is a state park managed by the Delaware and Raritan Canal Commission. While walking or biking along the shore of canal it is not hard to imagine the mules pulling the loaded barges down the path at an earlier time in history.

In 1868, on West Upper Ferry Road just past the canal, Harvey Fisk built a home he called "Riverside." His firm created the US government bonds program that helped the US cover it debts from the Civil War through WWII. His home is now the site of the Villa Victoria Academy in the Wilburtha neighborhood. Wilburtha had several name changes: Greenburg, then Trenton Junction, heralding the arrival of train service, and eventually West Trenton. Many of the area's early homes can be found along Grand Avenue and West Upper Ferry Road.

And in 1798, while serving under US President John Adams, George Woodruff started building a summer home he called "The Oaklands" on Sullivan Way. This estate became the Trenton Country Club and many notable figures from the early 1900's like John Astor, Teddy Roosevelt, John Rockefeller and Charlie Chaplin visited. The first public mental hospital in New Jersey is also located on Sullivan Way, originally called Asylum Road. Built 1884, the New Jersey Insane Asylum was founded by Dorothea Dix, an early advocate for humane treatment of the mentally ill. It is now called the Trenton Psychiatric Hospital and many of its original buildings still remain.

As transportation improved, Ewing shed its agricultural roots. In 1880, the West Trenton Train Station opened service from Philadelphia to Bound Brook and roads, bridges and trollies facilitated access to surrounding areas.

By the 1900's many Ewing residents worked in Trenton, the area's industrial hub. John A Roebling, Stangl and Lenox Pottery, Westinghouse and Goodall Rubber were among the major employers. To this day a major Trenton bridge memorializes the city's industrial prominence, boasting "Trenton Makes the World Takes."

As Ewing's population expanded (it was 3500 in 1920), new neighborhoods developed that still remain today: Prospect Heights (1902), Brae Burn Heights (1914), and Prospect Park (1917). The Prospect Heights Firehouse was formed in 1910 to protect these homes and still serves the community today. As the century



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advanced, neighborhoods like Weber Park (1920), Brookfield Glendale, Parkway Village, Moss Homes, Wynnwood Manor, and (1920), Homecrest (1921) and Fernwood (1925) opened, filling in the area between Ewing and Trenton.

The need for education also grew apace with development which demanded an organized expansion of the smaller neighborhood schools . Alfred Reed School (1914) was built in Prospect Heights, Fisk (1916) in the growing West Trenton area, Parkway School (1921) in Homecrest and Weber Park, Lanning School (1925) in Ewingville. These schools became the foundation of the Ewing school system that exists today. Other educational institutions also relocated to Ewing. The Normal School The rising population demanded more elementary schools: Anmoved from Trenton in 1931. Today it is called The College of theil was built in 1960 and Lore in 1963 and eventually replaced New Jersey, a premier institution of learning that is consistently recognized in the rankings of the nation's top colleges. The Kat- Parkway school was torn down and replaced in 1995, making it zenbach School for the Deaf also moved to Ewing from Trenton in 1923. This School provides world renowned education for 1955. children with hearing loss.

Many state and municipal services moved to Ewing. The NJ State Police Barracks were built in 1921, the Skillman Airport (now Trenton-Mercer Airport) opened in 1929, and the Jones Farm moved to Ewing in 1930. These institutions remain in place and functioning today. According to the 1940 Census, the jobs these employers brought to the area grew the population to 10,146. Railroad access brought other employers such as Homosote, Roller Bearing and Heath Lumber to town that continue to employ residents today. In 1928 Ewing hired its first full time police officers. From a Chief and three officers, the force has grown steadily to today's 80+ officers and 4 canines that continues to keep this community of neighborhoods safe.

The building of a General Motors plant in 1938 and Naval Air Warfare Center in 1953 had both historical and economic impacts and for many years both were major employers in the community. The GM plant became one of the five factories that worked with the US Navy during WWII and made up the Eastern Aircraft Division. Its workforce was the embodiment of Rosie the Riveter. Ewing employees built the Grumman TBF Avenger Torpedo Bomber. It was in one of these bombers that future President George Herbert Walker Bush was shot down in during the war. Ewing is proud of its contributions to the war effort and a McDonnell Douglas A-4B Skyhawk fighter jet is displayed in the Maj. Gen. George J. Betor Veterans Memorial Park behind the Ewing Municipal Building.

Both GM and the Naval Air Warfare Center are now closed and the Township is aggressively working to develop these areas. Since both of these sites are readily accessible to the train station, airport and major highways they present many potential opportunities for the future of the Township.

Following WWII, Ewing grew rapidly and typified the type of communities most Baby Boomers remember fondly. The new neighborhoods that were built between 1940 and 1955 include

Fleetwood Village. All of those young "Boomers" required a high school and construction on Ewing High School started in 1951/52. The NJ State Department of Transportation moved to Ewing in 1957 and by the 1960's the population had grown to over 26,000. As additional fire protection was needed, two more volunteer fire companies were founded: Pennington Road in 1945 and West Trenton in 1947. Two of today's fire companies remain primarily staffed by volunteers, excellent examples of the sense of community that still remains.

the older ones which were officially closed in 1983. The original our newest elementary school. Fisher Middle School was built in

The Sixties saw continued population growth and more development: Hampton Hills, Hillwood Manor, Sherbrook, Hickory Hill, Shabakunk Hills, the Village on the Green and Mountainview. By 1960 the population was 27,000. Still more new neighborhoods were added in the Seventies and include Great Oaks, Churchill Green, Brooks Crossing, and Briarcrest. Apartments and condominiums like Delaware Rise and Cambridge Hall were also built.

By the end of the Seventies Ewing's neighborhoods ultimately reached all the borders of the Township. The litany of neighborhood names continues over the years with the addition of the Titusville section of Mountainview, Arbor Walk, Tamar Commons, South Fork, Spring Meadow Estates, and the Jefferson and Madison condominiums. Building is still occurring in Ewing with our most recent community, Green 750 at Bear Tavern which is currently leasing new apartments.

In 1990, the census of Ewing totaled just over 34,000 people. Our community is composed of people who brought diversity to the community and built churches, synagogues and mosques; founded organizations, and developed and supported music and art. Many of these organizations and groups remain active in the community and continue to enrich the lives of our residents.

Homes remain a source of pride and evidence of achieving the American Dream. This community pride fostered the development a strong educational system that still wins awards today. This community pride put aside 355 acres of land to build a strong recreational department, fostered many athletic programs that won the Babe Ruth World Series Championship in 1970. Swimming, tennis, and golf are all readily available and supported by the community along with team sports leagues such as soccer, baseball, basketball & football.

Our major employers are no longer industrial based. According to recent Department of Labor data major sources of employment are governmental. Main occupations are professional and



# Neighborhoods



#### **NEXTDOOR**

The hectic paces of our lives sometimes makes it difficult to get out and meet the neighbors face to face. Connecting online is an attractive option for creating community connections. Currently, 25 of Ewing's neighborhoods are connected. Try it. Join in and make local connections that count.

#### Nextdoor.com

#### **PRESERVATION OF EWING'S**

#### **HISTORIC PAST**

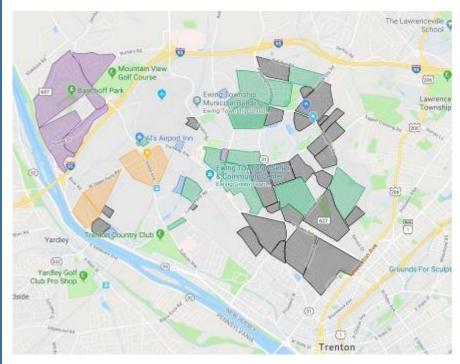
Two organizations work to preserve the history of Ewing. The <u>Historic Preserva-</u><u>tion Commission</u> is an appointed board that recommends designation of historic properties, and prepares surveys of historic sites.

The Ewing Township Historic Preservation Society (ethps.org) is a local nonprofit that is headquartered in the Benjamin Temple House at Drake Farm Park. The site serves as a museum of Ewing's past. The Society works diligently to preserve the site and promote exciting programming about Ewing's past. They also conduct research and safeguard the documents and artifacts that reflect and preserve the history of our community. They welcome your questions and are always looking for volunteers. and business services, education and healthcare. Ewing is the home of NJ Manufactures Insurance, Church and Dwight, Mercer County Golf course, Educational Testing Service, Computer Associates, and three hotels. Located just outside of its northern border is the Hopewell Campus of the Capital Health System. Transportation to and from Ewing is supported by adjacent major highways, covered by bus routes and easy access to the train and airport. Rarely will you find a place that offers such easy access to destinations near and far while still maintaining its residential neighborhood character.

We in Ewing realize that our present and future quality of life is improved with a healthy environment. How we care for our environment is an important part of life in Ewing. Spearheaded by the Green Team, Ewing has achieved Silver Certification from Sustainable Jersey. Advocating for bike lanes, walking trails, working to preserve open space and promote water conservation all help assure that quality of life. Our community gardens, recycling programs, shred days, education on trees, mulching, rain barrels, and other current issues are all directly related to preserving and preparing Ewing for the next generation of residents.

Ewing remains a vibrant and active community. Fourth of July fireworks, a Community festival, Trunk or Treat, Scarecrow Contest, Student Art Displays, a Community Bike Ride and Ewing Night Out are some examples. This welcome booklet has been developed to help you have most of the information you will need to enjoy all Ewing has to offer.

Trenton Area Economic Summary (Jan 4, 2018) <u>https://www.bls.gov/regions/</u> new-york-new-jersey/summary/blssummary\_trenton.pdf



Ewing Green Team Neighborhood Map (in progress) For details go to ewinggreenteam.org/ewing-neighborhoods



# **Historic Sites and Attractions**

### **Bear Tavern Road Boulder Monuments**

Bear Tavern Rd. near Windybush Way (Bear Tavern Rd. near Upper Ferry Rd.)

### **Historic Crossroad Park**

### Bear Tavern Rd. and Upper Ferry Rd

This small park commemorates an important location in the march of Washington's troops towards Trenton after their historic Christmas night 1776 crossing of the Delaware River. After traveling down Bear Tavern Road, they reached a crossroads at about 7 a.m. at this location, in an area which was then called Birmingham and is now the West Trenton section of Ewing. It was at this crossroads that General George Washington divided his 2,400 troops into two columns to make a twopronged attack on the Hessian garrison at Trenton. The two columns reached Trenton and made their attack at 8 a.m., where they were victorious at the first Battle of Trenton.

A sign in the park describes the paths taken from here to Trenton by the two columns:

"One column under the command of General Nathanael Greene approached the city from the northwest by way of Pennington Road. The other column, led by General John Sullivan, marched down the Old River Road (Grand Avenue - Sullivan Way) and entered Trenton from the southwest."

### **Ewing Church Cemetery**

#### 100 Scotch Rd.

The Ewing Church Cemetery dates to 1708, and is still an active cemetery. It contains the graves of the Revolutionary War veterans.

### **General Hugh Mercer Monument**

In Front of Mountain View Golf Course at 850 Bear Tavern Rd Hugh Mercer was a Scottish immigrant who served as a Brigadier General in the Revolutionary War. He died from wounds suffered at the Battle of Princeton in January 1777. Several months later, Fort Mercer was named in his honor. In 1838, decades after the war, Mercer County was named after him. The monument pays tribute to General Hugh Mercer and commemorates the dedicatory ceremonies of Mercer Airport. At that time, the airport hangar was alongside Bear Tavern Road. In 1942, it was moved a short distance, and the entrance is now located a mile southeast of here. The airport is now known as Trenton-Mercer Airport.

HISTORICAL REENAC-TOR, DAN VOORHEES AT CROSSROAD PARK DUR-ING EWING'S ANNUAL GARDEN TOUR



# **Historic Sites and Attractions**



### 1867 Sanctuary at Ewing

The 1867 Sanctuary at Ewing, as it is now known, is the former First Presbyterian Church of Ewing. It is a majestic stone building "at the bend in the Scotch Road" which has stood for 150 years and is a central landmark in the township. It has served as a sanctuary for congregants and citizens and a gathering place for sacred and secular activities. The adjacent three hundred year old cemetery includes the graves of 39 Revolutionary War veterans.

The building is no longer used as a church and was rescued from demolition by <u>Preservation New Jersey (PNJ)</u>, a statewide non-profit historic preservation advocacy, education and assistance organization. The building has been lovingly restored and is now a beautiful gathering place and serves the central New Jersey and Bucks County PA region as an impressive mid-sized arts and cultural center, which hosts concerts, recitals, theater, entertainment, exhibits – and, of course, dedications, weddings, memorial services, and other ecumenical and interfaith activities. It is located at 101 Scotch Road in Ewing Township, Mercer County, New Jersey.

### New Jersey State Police Museum, West Trenton

The story of the NJ State Police is told at their museum and learning center at their headquarters in West Trenton. Artfully displayed behind glass are confiscated weapons and equipment such as breathalyzers, radar detectors and more. Artifacts of the Lindbergh case, the biggest case in the history of the NJ State Police, as well as NJ's electric chair, "Old Smokey" are also displayed. Address: State Police Drive E. West Trenton, NJ 08628 Phone: 609-882-2000 x6401 Hours: M–F 9am – 3pm. Gate Security Cost: free



# WILLIAM GREEN FARMHOUSE

# **Historic Registry**

There are currently 23 houses and locations that are on Ewing Township's Historic Registry. Each of these locations have their own unique history of purpose and original features of earlier building styles. They are protected for future generations to appreciate. To learn more about these go to <a href="http://www.ethps.org/HistoricHousesinEwing.html">http://www.ethps.org/HistoricHousesinEwing.html</a>

Anthony Cook Farmhouse (1189 Parkside Avenue) Atchley Farm (24 Rockleigh Drive) Benjamin Temple House (27 Federal City Road) Cornell Brophy Springhouse (2260 Pennington Road) David Howell House (2 Peck Avenue) Ewingville School (440 Ewingville Road) Fish-Howell House (481 Grand Avenue) Hill's Hollow (26 Wilburtha Road) Nathaniel Lanning House (2051 Pennington Road) NJ State Police Log Cabin (Trooper Drive) Paxson House (453 Grand Avenue) Quarry Workman's Houses (Off Wilburtha Road) Reading Knight Farmhouse (Wilburtha Road) Scudder-Reeder House (295 West Upper Ferry Road) Sherratt House (16 Wilburtha Road ) Spafford Bergen House (2061 Pennington Road) Tindall-Lanning House (2071 Pennington Road) Trenton Bath House (999 Lower Ferry Road) West Trenton Railroad Station (400 Sullivan Way) William Green Farmhouse (TCNJ - Green Lane) Wilmot House (9 Wilburtha Road) Woodruff House (146 Summit Avenue)





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# Life in a College Town



Ewing is the home of <u>The College of New Jersey</u> (TCNJ) and our residents are fortunate to enjoy the special benefits of living in a college town. Opportunities for continuing education and enjoyment of a diverse and youthful population which promotes a stimulating atmosphere are just a few benefits of life in a college town.

TCNJ offers cultural and recreational activities such as access to art galleries, great lectures, performers and musicians and sporting events. Ewing residents can also take advantage of the college level library collection and purchase a library card at a nominal fee. Pool memberships are also available for purchase.

The College's history dates back to the mid-1800s when it was first established by the state legislature as a teacher's training school. It was originally located in Trenton and moved to its present location, a beautiful 210-acre campus near the heart of Ewing in 1928.

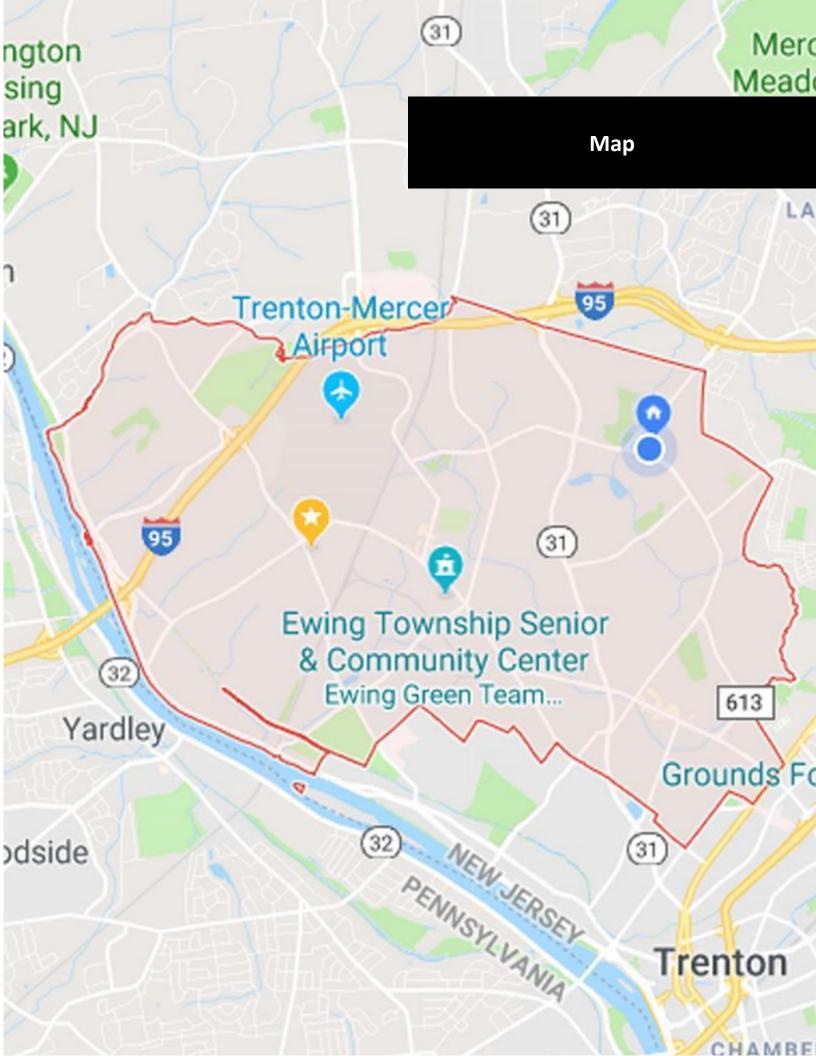
A Town-Gown Committee was formed in 2012 to strengthen relations between the township and the college community. We now see TCNJ students regularly volunteering for projects about town and a day for elementary schoolers to visit college students was established. TCNJ also partners with Township officials to host Ewing's annual Community Fest, a day-long celebration of our community in the early fall.

Address: 2000 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 Web: <u>www.tcnj.edu</u>

# **Campus Town**

The campus also boasts a mixed use college residence and retail development at Campus Town which offers additional amenities to residents. The Center includes upscale student housing, retail outlets including a Barnes and Noble, a stand-alone Panera Bread, Yummy Sushi, Verizon Wireless, Polished Nails salon, California Tanning and more. This is a growing development and more businesses, stores and restaurants are being planned.

Address: 600 Campus Town Drive, Ewing, NJ 08618 Web: <u>http://www.campustowntcnj.com/</u>





# **Ewing Public Schools**

William L. Antheil Elementary School 700 Students, Grades PK – 5 339 Ewingville Road, Ewing, NJ 08638

Parkway Elementary School

609-538-9800 X4100

430 Students, Grades PK - 5 446 Parkway Ave, Ewing, NJ 08618 609-538-9800 X5100

Francis Lore Elementary School 590 Students, Grades PK - 5 13 Westwood Drive, Ewing NJ 08628 609-538-9800 X6100

### **Gilmore J. Fisher Middle School**

750 Students, Grades 6 - 8 1325 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 609-53809800 x3100

#### **O'Brien Academy**

1331 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 A progressive alternative education program for students in Grades K-8. The main motivation for this program is to provide alternative options in this grade span who would benefit from a nontraditional program.

**Ewing High School** 1,130 students, Grades 9 -12 900 Parkway Ave., Ewing NJ 08618 609-538-9800 X2100 The Ewing School district is composed of three elementary schools, one middle school , one alternative education program and one high school. The district has approximately 3,600 students and a \$70 million budget.

The Ewing Public Schools are dedicated to providing an educational environment where every child has the opportunity to achieve in a positive, caring and harmonious learning environment.

Their goal is to provide an educational experience for students which is rewarding, meaningful and beneficial to the development of the 'whole child'. Staff is always available to address any concerns, and understand that a strong school-parent connection is necessary for mutually-shared success. Whether it's in academics, the arts, athletics or any other activity, you will see that students are wonderful ambassadors for Ewing Township.

Information about the Ewing School District is available at <a href="http://www.ewing.kl2.nj.us/">www.ewing.kl2.nj.us/</a>.

Preschool is an integrated PreK program. Special education students pay no tuition. Regular education students pay tuition.

### **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Ewing Township Board of Education is an elected, unpaid group of nine citizens who set policy and make decisions on educational, financial, and personnel matters for the Ewing Public Schools on behalf of the residents of Ewing Township. The Board is always pleased when members of the community attend these meetings.

Office: 2099 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 P: (609) 538-9800 F: (609) 538-0041

Administration Superintendent of Schools Mr. Michael Nitti Email: mnitti@ewingboe.org p: 609-538-9800 X 1102

Business Administrator Mr. Dennis Nettleton Email: <u>dnettleton@ewingboe.org</u> p: 609-538-9800 Ext. 1302



# **Ewing Public Schools**

### COMMUNICATIONS

Public Education Channel (Comcast Channel 19 and Verizon Channel 31) District's YouTube Channel - <u>ww.youtube.com/user/EwingPublicSchools</u> District's Twitter <u>www.twitter.com/TheEwingSchools</u>

### **Emergency Closing Information**

Messages are placed on the district phone system (609-538-9800), website, Comcast Channel 19 and Verizon Channel 31. Honeywell Instant Alert messages are sent to all parent subscribers.

**Virtual Backpack** - <u>www.ewing.k12.nj.us</u> - Electronically distributes flyers, newsletters and other notices that traditionally came home in a child's backpack. Use the Menu to access by School.

### **Extended Day Programs**

Ewing Township offers professionally staffed extended day programs, designed to complement the curriculum and activities of the regular school day, at the three elementary schools and Fisher Middle School and the O'Brien Academy.

### Academics

Ewing High school offers 12 Advanced Placement (AP) courses. Our students have the option of dual enrollment college courses, where they can earn college credit while in high school, through Rider University, The College of New Jersey and Mercer County Community College. Students can also access online courses through Mercer County Community College to earn credit as part of their daily high school schedule. Each year, several freshmen students are selected to attend the three-year Princeton University Preparatory Program. *Since 2005, Ewing High School has had 15 graduating seniors attend Princeton University with several students receiving scholarships.* 

### Sampling of Awards and Achievements

ASBO Certificate of Excellence for Business Office | BCJIF Safety Incentive Award | Two principals named Principal of the Year by the National Association of Secondary School Principals | EHS: College Board Honor Roll for Advanced Placement Achievement | Antheil: JerseyCan Recognition for Top 10 Performance Gains | Antheil: NJ Sustainable NJ Schools Grant 2017 | Antheil teacher, Ewing program honored at the White House. The teacher was part of an innovative collaborative between the Ewing Schools and Rider University called TEACH First Class Residency Program that is designed to bring talented and creative STEM teacher into our nation's classrooms | Parkway: Character.org Promising Practice Award | Parkway 2017 awarded National Wildlife Federation Certification and New Jersey Audubon awarded the Eco-Schools USA Silver Award | Lore: A National School of Character in 2010



# **Ewing Public Schools**

#### WWW.EWING.K12.NJ.US

# Ewing Blue Devils





#### Sports

#### **Ewing High School Teams**

Fall Sports - Football, B/G Soccer, B/G Cross Country, Field Hockey, Girls Tennis, Cheerleading

Winter Sports - B/G Swimming & Ice Hockey, B/G Bowling, B/G Basketball, Wrestling, Winter Track, Cheerleading

Spring Sports - Baseball, Softball, B/G Track, Boys Tennis, Golf, B/G Lacrosse

### **Fisher Middle School**

Fall Sports – Soccer, Boys/Girls Cross Country, Field Hockey

Winter Sports – Basketball Boys/Girls , Wrestling

Spring Sports - Baseball, Softball, Boys/Girls Spring Track

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

#### Clubs

Over 30 Clubs/extracurricular activities are offered at EHS. 16 at Fisher Middle School. New at EHS this year is a Model United Nations.

- EHS Athletic Department: won 7 NJSIAA State Championship teams and 14 Sectional Championship Teams since 2006
- The EHS Robotics Program, the Mighty Monkey Wrenches, qualified for the championship match in the 2011 International Finals, finishing second in the world
- The International Thespian Society, Troupe 4883 at Ewing High School qualified for Nationals at the New Jersey Thespian Festival in 2017.
- Antheil's Garden Club, now 10 years old, manages the NWF certified wildlife sanctuary garden in the school courtyard.
- Lore students participate in the Giving Project and partner with Mobile Meals on Wheels to benefit homebound clients.
- Parkway students participate in the Junior PAWS Spirit and Service Club. Some also work in the Courtyard garden which has also been NWF certified as a habitat garden.

#### **Sports Teams**

Ewing High and Middle Schools offer a full array of sports activities... For more information about Athletics in the Ewing School system go to <u>www.ewing.k12.nj.us.</u>

### SUPPORT

Ewing Public Education Foundation - www.epef.org

The Ewing Public Education Foundation (EPEF, or the Foundation), established in 1994, is an independent 501(c)3 non-profit civic organization, whose mission is to mobilize community support, concern, commitment and resources to help improve the quality of education in Ewing Township. It provides grants to teachers to fund creative programs enabling them to engage Ewing Public School students in exciting and different ways. EPEF also provides scholarships to graduating seniors from Ewing High School, helping them as they continue in their educational endeavors.

All of the schools have active parent organizations.





## **More Schools**

### **PRIVATE SCHOOLS**

#### Villa Victoria Academy

Villa Victoria Academy (<u>www.villaacademy.org</u>) is an all-girls, private, Catholic elementary and high school founded in 1933 and located in the West Trenton section of town. It is located on a beautiful 44 acre historical campus on the Delaware River. It is part of the Roman Diocese of Trenton.

#### Contact

Mail: 376 West Upper Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-882-1700 Email: (form) <u>villavictoria.org/contact-us/</u>

#### **Christina Seix Academy**

The Seix Academy (<u>www.christinaseixacademy.org</u>) is an innovative urban Pre-K-8 independent school focused on providing students from underserved communities with a holistic education, critical habits of mind, and an engaging learning environment. A scholarship is awarded to every child entering the academy to cover tuition, books, school uniforms, meals, door to door transportation, as well as room and board for students that choose to board in 4th to 8th grade. **Contact** 

Mail: 1550 Stuyvesant Ave, Trenton, NJ 08618 (p) 609-643-0400 Email: info@christinaseixacademy.org

#### **Mercer County Technical School**

Provides rigorous career and technical education programs for high school students and adults. Applications required.

#### Contact

Address: Arthur R. Sypek Center, 129 Bull Run Road, Pennington, NJ 08534.

(p) 609-586-2129 (main number)Contact: (Form) <u>www.mcts.edu/contact.html</u>





## The Arts



Ewing Township has a thriving community of artists. Ewing's Green Team and Arts Commission have been working since 2016 to identify all of the creative people who live and create in Ewing and organize them into an Artists Directory. If you are one of the many Ewing artists or work in one of the arts' fields and would like to be included in the directory, please complete the Arts Survey (<u>ewinggreenteam.org/ewing-arts-survey/</u>) or by filling it out in PDF and mailing it to:

> Ewing Green Team Ewing Municipal Building 2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628

It's exciting to see and learn about the wide range of talent and diversity living and working in our own backyard.

### ARTS ORGANIZATIONS

#### **Ewing Arts Commission**

The Ewing Arts Commission is an appointed municipal body constituted as a non-profit organization. Its focus is to support, develop and expand the Arts. The goal is to foster freedom in expression of artistic growth and enjoyment within the community of Ewing Township through commitment and dedication. The Commission also maintains an independent website at <u>ewingartsnj.com</u>.

#### **Art Has No Boundaries**

Art Has No Boundaries is a local community group that provides art programming at the Ewing Senior and Community Center and works with the Ewing Arts Commission to promote the Arts in Ewing.

#### Contact

Address: 895 Parkway Avenue, Ewing, New Jersey 08618 Email: <u>arthasnoboundaries@gmail.com</u> Web: <u>www.arthasnoboundaries.com</u>

#### **THEATERS-PERFORMANCE VENUES**

#### 1867 Sanctuary - Cultural and Arts Center

The 1867 Sanctuary is a beautiful, 200-seat, gathering place for the community known for its excellent acoustics and serves as a venue for concerts and entertainment. It offers a full concert series with Classical, Jazz, Folk and Contemporary musicians, as well as other events of interest to the local community. **Contact** 

Location: 101 Scotch Road, Ewing, NJ Mailing address: PO Box 7815, West Trenton, NJ 08628 (p) 609- 392-6409 Website: <u>1867sanctuary.org/</u> Email: <u>1867sanctuary@preservationnj.org</u>



# The Arts

#### The College of New Jersey – Center for the Arts

More than 350 cultural events each year, presented through the TCNJ Center for the Arts, nurture the talents of student and visiting artists while showcasing the power of art to create community.

#### **Don Evans Black Box Theater**

A flexible 150-seat black box theater with space that can be configured for theater, lectures, workshops, and presentations.

#### Mildred and Ernest E. Mayo Concert Hall

A beautiful performance space located in the Music Building. The Concert Hall is the primary performance space for the Department of Music. Acoustics are superb, especially for solo, chamber instrumental, orchestral and choral performance.

#### **Kendall Main Stage Theater**

An 830-seat proscenium theater with orchestra and balcony seating. It hosts events ranging from lectures to opera.

### GALLERIES/DISPLAYS

#### Featured Artist Program at Town Hall

Each month an art installation on the second floor of the Ewing Town Hall showcases the art of local residents. Look for monthly updates about the artists in the Observer and on the Township website. Provided thru a partnership between the <u>Ewing Arts Commis-</u> <u>sion</u> and local community arts group, <u>Art Has No Boundaries</u>.

#### **Ewing Library and Ewing Senior and Community Center**

Art by local students, artists and community groups is displayed in gallery area in Ewing Library and along hallways in the Community Center.

#### ArtSpace at HomeFront

HomeFront, a non-profit that works to end homelessness in Central New Jersey, features art work by clients at their Family Preservation Center, a bright, airy studio filled with glorious paintings and intriguing sculpture. You may visit HomeFront's ArtSpace Gallery at www.artspacenj.org

#### The TCNJ Art Gallery

TCNJ's Art Gallery is located on the first floor of the Art & Interactive Multimedia (AIMM) Building. The Gallery presents six exhibitions annually, including curated exhibitions featuring nationally and internationally recognized artists, the annual senior BFA exhibition, faculty and alumni exhibitions, and a juried statewide K-12 art exhibition. All gallery exhibitions, artist talks, & educational programs are free and open to the public.

#### Sarnoff Collection

Named in honor of David Sarnoff, longtime chairman of the Radio Corporation of America (RCA) and internationally renowned pioneer in radio and television, the Collection comprises over 6,000 artifacts that document major developments in communication and electronics in the 20th century.

### OUTDOOR ART INSTALLATIONS ON TCNJ CAMPUS

Stroll the TCNJ campus and you will see a variety of outdoor art installations designed to pique your interest and illustrate the long, rich history and traditions at TCNJ.

They include:

The American Society of Civil Engineers Monument, 2012, designed to highlight TCNJ's Engineering Program.

Tom Nussbaum's sculpture, Building Up, an allegory of the faculty and students of TCNJ coming together to build the structure of a good education.

Willie Cole's Pixels, 2009, outside of the Art and Interactive Multimedia Building, consisting of four sculptures, each holographic glitter, resin, and steel. Each 8 feet in diameter

The William H. Hausdoerffer Sundial, located between the stadium and student center, was designed and donated by William "Bill" Hausdoerffer, class of 1936 and Professor of Mathematics at TCNJ for more than 30 years.

CALLING ALL ARTISTS FOR ART CLASSES AT ART HAS NO BOUNDARIES



## Things To Do in Ewing



Things to do around Ewing include:

## Swimming

All swimming options require membership.

ESCC Community Pool 999 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-1776 Ewingnj.org/pools

Hollowbrook Community Pool Hollowbrook Road, Ewing, NJ 08638 (p) 609-883-1199 Ewingnj.org/pools

TCNJ Aquatic Center (indoor year round) 2000 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-771-3249 https://aquaticcenter.tcnj.edu/ Membership - https://aquaticcenter.tcnj.edu/membership/

Schafer Sports Center (indoor year round) 5 Graphics Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-393-5855 http://schafersports.com/



# Things To Do in Ewing

#### FITNESS CENTERS

PEAC Health & Fitness 1440 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 (p) 609-883-2000 peachealthfitness.com/

Planet Fitness 1560 N. Olden Avenue, Ewing, NJ 08638 (p) 609-943-2548 www.planetfitness.com/gyms/ewing-nj

Schafer Sports Center (Children's gymnastics) 5 Graphics Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-393-5855 schafersports.com/

Urge Fitness 968 Parkway Ave., Ewing, NJ 08618 (p) 609-403-8515 www.urgefitness.com/ewing/

Ewing Senior and Community Center ESCC Fitness Center (including Gym & Weight Room) 999 Lower Ferry Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-1776 ewingnj.org/escc

#### BOWLING

Curtis Lanes 45 Scotch Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-882-0221

Slocum's Bowling Center 1675 Pennington Road, Ewing, NJ 08618 (p) 609-882-0661 slocums.homestead.com/

#### GOLF

Mountainview Golf Club 850 Bear Tavern Road, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-882-4093 www.golfmercercounty.com/mountain-view/

Trenton Country Club 201 Sullivan Way, West Trenton, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-3800 www.trentoncc.com/ Membership www.trentoncc.com/Membership.aspx

#### POOL

Ewing Pool Sharks Enjoy competitive league play. Practice at the ESCC daily between 8:30 am—4:30 pm. 999 Lower Ferry Rd, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p)609-883-1776 Ewingnj.org/seniorprograms





## Things To Do in Mercer County



### A SAMPLING OF THINGS TO DO IN OUR AREA IN NO PARTIC-ULAR ORDER.

Trenton Thunder (Minor league baseball) ARM & HAMMER Park One Thunder Road (aka Cass Street), Trenton, NJ 08611 (p) 609-394-3300 www.trentonthunder.com

NJ State Museum and Planetarium 205 West State Street, Trenton, NJ (p) 609-292-6464 Tuesday – Sunday : 9 am to 4:45 pm nj.gov/state/museum/index.html

McCarter Theater 91 University Place, Princeton, NJ 08540 (p) 609-258-2787 www.mccarter.org/

**Grounds for Sculpture** 80 Sculptors Way, Hamilton, NJ • 08619 (p) 609-586-0616 www.groundsforsculpture.org

Washington Crossing State Park (500 acres of American history and natural beauty —annual Crossing reenactment each Christmas) 355 Washington Crossing-Pennington Road, Titusville, NJ 08560-1517 (p) 609-737-0623 <u>www.washingtoncrossingpark.org</u>

**Old Barracks Museum** learn more about our Colonial history 101 Barrack St, Trenton, NJ 08608-2007 (p) 609-396-1776 www.barracks.org/

Morven Museum and Gardens 55 Stockton St, Princeton, NJ 08540-6812 (p) 609-924-8144 morven.org/

Boheme Opera Kendall Hall at The College of New Jersey 2000 Pennington Rd, Ewing, NJ 08628 www.bohemeopera.com

William Trent House (museum) 15 Market St, Trenton, NJ 08611-2147 (p) 609-989-3027 williamtrenthouse.org/

Baldpate Mountain (maintained by the Mercer Co. Parks Commission) 28 Fiddlers Creek Road, Hopewell Township, NJ (p) 609) 303-0700 mercercountyparks.org/#!/parks/baldpatemountain/

**CURE Insurance Arena** (venue for shows, sporting events & concerts) 81 Hamilton Avenue, Trenton, NJ 08611 (p) 609-656-3200 <u>cureinsurancearena.com/</u>



## **Things To Do in Mercer County**

**Sayen House and Gardens** 155 Hughes Dr, Hamilton, NJ 08690-1320 (p) 609-587-7356

Patriot's Theater at the War Memorial 1 Memorial Drive, Trenton, NJ 08608 (p) 609-984-8484 <u>nj.gov/state/memorial/</u> home of the <u>NJ Capital Philharmonic Orchestra</u>

Howell Living History Farm 70 Woodens Ln., Lambertville, NJ 08530 (p) 609-737-3299 www.howellfarm.org/

Princeton University Art Museum Elm Rd., Princeton, NJ 08544 (p) 609-258-3788 <u>artmuseum.princeton.edu/</u>

**Mercer County Parks** our extensive and beautifully maintained system of parks (p) 609) 303-0700 mercercountyparks.org

- Rosedale Park in Pennington
- Veterans Park in Hamilton
- Mercer Meadows in Lawrence

#### **Catch a Rising Star Comedy Club**

Hyatt Regency Princeton 102 Carnegie Center, Princeton, NJ 08540 (p) 609-987-8018 www.catcharisingstar.com/index.php? option=com\_events&task=view\_location&offset= 1&catid=15&Itemid=26

**River Horse Craft Brewery** (tours and tastings) 2 Graphics Dr., Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-0890 www.riverhorse.com/

Voices Chorale PO Box 404, Pennington NJ 08534 Email voices.chorale@gmail.com www.voiceschorale.org/

Central Jersey Choral Society

performs in diverse locations in Central Jersey PO Box 77060, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-616-2527 www.cjchoralsociety.org/

Princeton Pro Musica presents major classical, contemporary and multicultural choral works P.O. Box 2244, Princeton, NJ 08543 (P) 609-683-5122 www.princetonpromusica.org/

Blawenburg Band (community band) practices: Princeton Montessori School,

487 Cherry Valley Rd, Princeton, NJ 08540 (p) 610-749-2119 <u>blawenburgband.org/</u>

Princeton Folk Music Society (monthly concerts) Christ Congregation Church, 50 Walnut Lane, Princeton, NJ 08540 (p) 609-799-0944 princetonfolk.org/

**Terhune Orchards** (seasonal festivals, PYO and pet the barnyard animals...) 330 Cold Soil Road, Princeton, NJ 08540 (p) 609-924-2310 www.terhuneorchards.com

Stony Brook - Millstone Watershed Association (environmental education and advocacy, annual Butterfly Festival, summer camps for kids, films...) 31 Titus Road, Pennington, NJ 08534 (p) 609-737-3735 <u>thewatershed.org/</u>

**Special Olympics Summer Games** 50 Year Anniversary—held each June at The College of New Jersey 2000 Pennington Rd., Ewing, NJ 08638

### A BIT FURTHER AFIELD...

Six Flags Great Adventure 1 Six Flags Blvd, Jackson, NJ 08527 (p) 732-928-2000 sixflags.com/greatadventure

Sesame Place 100 Sesame Rd, Langhorne, PA 19047 (p) 215-752-3566 <u>sesameplace.com/</u> philadelphia/

Adventure Aquarium 1 Riverside Drive, Camden, NJ 08103 (p) 844-474-3474 <u>www.adventureaquarium.com/</u>

#### AND LET'S NOT FORGET THE JERSEY SHORE!

From Cape May to Wildwood, to Seaside, to Point Pleasant, there are white sandy beaches, boardwalks and amusement parks that will satisfy the most dedicated of beach lovers.





## **Community Events**



#### Through the Garden Gate Tour

This annual tour highlights the gardens in Ewing and it's environs. Run by the Ewing Green Team, West Trenton Garden Club, and Girl Scout Troop #70138.

#### **Independence Day Fireworks**

A spectacular displays of fireworks held annually at the TCNJ Soccer Fields on Green Lane. This family friendly event, organized by the Ewing Patriotic Committee, brings residents together for food, entertainment, games, music, rides and of course, culminates in a spectacular display of fireworks at dusk.

#### **National Night Out**

National Night Out is an annual celebration of community held by police departments across the country. It is held on the first Tuesday night in August at the Ewing Senior and Community Center. It features food, music, fire trucks, representatives from local community groups & more.

#### **Community Fest**

Community Fest is an annual community celebration hosted by Ewing Twp, TCNJ, and Ewing Public Schools in early fall where you can meet with your neighbors and celebrate our community. Held on the TCNJ campus, the free event provides a day of fun, music, activities for the kids, and a diverse array of crafts and goods. You can also meet the area's non-profit and civic organizations, where you will learn what a difference they make in our communities and find out how you can, too.

#### Green Team Bike Ride

Held annually each fall, the Ewing Green Team sponsors their annual Ewing Fall Spin for adults as a way to promote a more bikeable Ewing.

#### Scarecrow Scavenger Hunt and Seasonal Family Fun

Ewing's annual Fall Celebration kicks off in early October with the opportunity to track down and vote for your favorite from a horde of scarecrows scattered all around town at local businesses. Winners are announced the week-end before Halloween at the Annual Trunk or Treat event! Kids from tiny tots to Eighth graders have a safe alternative to 'trick-or-treating', instead they go 'trunk-or-treating' to creatively decorated cars to get lots of goodies. With music, refreshments, arts and crafts and lots of little ghouls and goblins running about; it's guaranteed a fun time is had by all.

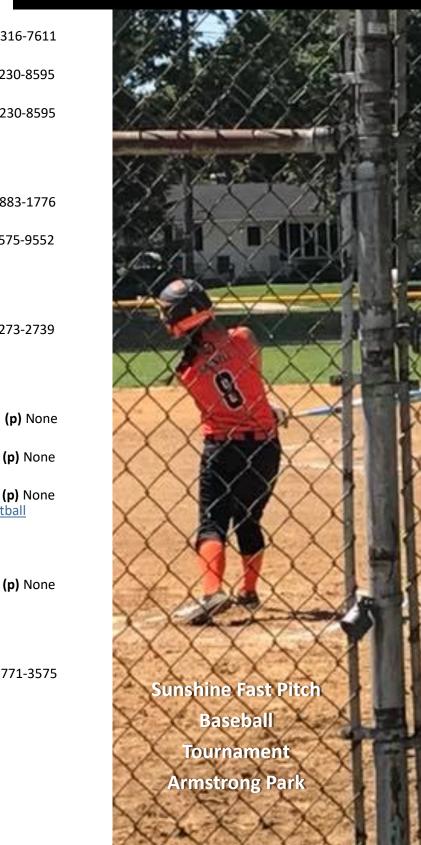
#### **Holiday Tree Lighting**

The Annual Holiday Tree Lighting ceremony provides Township kids of all ages the opportunity to meet Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus. The event features live music, entertainment and refreshments. Hosted by the Ewing Patriotic Committee and the Township Recreation Department, it is held at the Ewing Senior & Community Center.





# **Sports Leagues**



Soccer	
Ewing United Soccer www.ewingunited.com/	(p) 609-316-7611
Adult 7V7 Soccer www.7v7soccer.com/	(p) 609-230-8595
Adult indoor www.7v7soccer.com/	<b>(p)</b> 609-230-8595
BASKETBALL	
Ewing Recreational Basketball www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.asp?url=erl	( <b>p</b> ) 609-883-1776
Moody Park Summer Basketball www.moodyparkbb.com/	<b>(p)</b> 609-575-9552
WRESTLING	
Ewing Recreational Wrestling	(n) 600 272 2720

(p) 609-273-2739

### BASEBALL

Ewing Little League	
ewingbaseball.leagueapps.com/	

**Ewing Hopewell Babe Ruth** www.hvbsa.org/

**Ewing Girls Softball** (p) None www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.asp?url=ewinggirlssoftball

### FOOTBALL

**Ewing Junior Blue Devils** www.ewingjrbluedevils.com/ (p) None

### CHESS

**Ewing Chess Club** Email ewingchessclub@gmail.com (p) 609-771-3575



# **Groups and Organizations**

## Adults

Ewing Kiwanis http://ewingkiwanis.com/	(p)1- 800-kiwanis	
Trenton Elks Lodge #105 http://trentonelks105.org/	(p) 609-771-0105	
American Legion legion314.weebly.com/	(p) 609-637-9188	
Knights of Columbus kofc3756.org/	(p) None	
Masonic Lodge www.trentoncyrus5.org/	(p) 609-737-2737	
Central Jersey Choral Society http://www.cjchoralsociety.org/	(p) 609-616-2527	
West Trenton Garden Club http://www.westtrentongc.org/index.h	(p) None <u>tml</u>	
Mercer County Association for the Blind http://www.njcounciloftheblind.org/mcab/		
Art Has No Boundaries https://www.arthasnoboundaries.com/		
Habitat for Humanity http://www.habitatbcnj.org/	(p) 846-439-6717	
United Way of Greater Mercer Co. https://www.uwgmc.org/	(p) 609-896-1912	
Ewing Twp Historic Preservation Societ ethps.org	t <b>y</b> (p) 609-883-2455	
Ewing Democratic Club http://ewingdems.com/	(p) 609-775-8133	
Ewing Republican Club https://www.facebook.com/ewing.gop/		
Ewing Park / Braeburn Civic Association ewingparkbb@aol.com		
Glendale Civic Association http://www.glendalecivicassociation.com		
Ewing Community Gardens Association(p) Noneewingcommunitygardens.wordpress.com/		
Master Gardeners of Mercer County ( mgofmc.org/	p) 609-989-6853	
Isles www.isles.org/	(p) 609-341-4700	

Ewing Chess Club (p) 609-771-3575 sites.google.com/site/ewingchessclub/

Ewing Seniors Clubs(p) 609-883-1776Recreational organizations for Ewing Seniors arranged<br/>through the Ewing Recreation Dept. Senior Office.<br/>www.ewingnj.org/seniorprograms

**Ewing Pool Sharks** (p) 609-883-1776 Senior Pool play and league. See link above for Ewing Seniors.

## Youth

Boy Scouts (Troop 15) http://troop15.ewing.nj.us/	(p) None
Boy Scouts (Troop 33) https://sites.google.com/site/wttroo	(p) 609– 558-5282 <u>pp33/</u>
Cub Scouts (Pack 33) https://sites.google.com/site/wtpa	(p) None <u>ck33/</u>
CYO of Mercer County http://www.cyomercer.org/	p) 609-883-1560
Trenton Children's Chorus http://www.trentonchildrenschorus	(p) 609-278-0822 s.org/
Girl Scouts http://www.letgirlscouts.com/	(p) None
Boys and Girls Clubs http://www.bgcmercer.org/	(p) 609-392-3191
Kids Bridge http://kidsbridgecenter.org/	(p) 609-771-0300
Ewing Chess Club sites.google.com/site/ewingchessclu	(p) 609-771-3575 <u>b/</u>
Ravine Swim Team www.ravineclub.com/swim-team/	(p) 609-403-0033



## **Houses of Worship**

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses 1581 6th St, Ewing NJ 08638

Our Lady Of Good Counsel Church 137 W Upper Ferry Rd, Ewing NJ 08628

Abiding Presence Lutheran Church 2220 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08638

Bethany Lutheran Church 1125 Parkside Ave, Ewing NJ 08618

Calvary Christian Fellowship 623 Parkway Ave, Ewing NJ 08618

Central Church 2015 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08618

**Corinth Baptist Church** 31 Hawthorne Ave, Ewing NJ 08638

Incarnation-St James Church 1545 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08618

Kingdom Church 1005 Whitehead Rd, Ewing NJ 08638

New Bethel Holy Church 25 Weber Ave, Ewing NJ 08638

St John's Baptist Church 70 Oregon Ave, Ewing NJ 08638

St Paul AME Zion Church 1130 Lower Ferry Rd, Ewing NJ 08618

**Trinity United Methodist Church** 1985 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08618

**Ujima Christian Church** 1001 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08618

West Trenton Presbyterian Church 490 Grand Ave, Ewing NJ 08628 Covenant Presbyterian Church 471 Parkway Ave, Trenton, NJ 08618

**St. Luke's Episcopal Church** 1620 Prospect St. , Ewing NJ 08618

Islamic Center of Ewing 685 Parkway Avenue, Ewing NJ 08618

Har Sinai Temple 2421 Pennington Rd, Pennington, NJ 08534

Grace Community Church of the Nazarene 100 Bull Run Rd., Pennington, NJ 08534

Victorious Church 25 Scotch Rd, Ewing NJ 08628

Grace Cathedral Fellowship 1217 Calhoun St, Trenton, NJ 08638

Ewing Presbyterian Church 100 Scotch Rd, Ewing NJ 08628

First Assembly of God 87 NJ-31, Pennington, NJ 08534

Shiloh Baptist Church 340 Calhoun St, Ewing NJ 08618

Ministry Catholic 492 Ewingville Rd, Ewing NJ 08638

Word Truth Ministries 1977 N Olden Ave, Ewing NJ 08618

Young Life Metro East Region 1821 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ 08618





### LIVE, WORK, AND PLAY, ETC...

Ewing is well on its way toward solidifying its future for generations to come. The transformation of the General Motors site into a mixed use community will make it a place where people can come together in ways never before. It will be known as Ewing Town Centre, or ETC.

Ewing's main commercial area is located along Olden Ave. Parkway Ave is a developing highlight, as is the Campus Town development at TCNJ.

## **NOTED INSTITUTIONS / EMPLOYERS**

Numerous governmental facilities including the New Jersey Department of Transportation headquarters, the Katzenbach School for the Deaf, the Jones Farm State Correction Institute, and the Trenton Psychiatric Hospital, call Ewing home.

#### **New Jersey Manufacturers**

NJM, NJ's largest writer of workers' compensation and one of NJ's largest providers of auto insurance, is headquartered on Sullivan Way in Ewing. It has resided in town since 1966. Address: 301 Sullivan Way, Ewing, NJ (p) (800) 232-6600 www.njm.com

#### **Princeton South**

Our newish Corporate Center (2009) that capitalizes on Ewing's strategic location along Rtes. 295 and 31, as well as proximity to Trenton –Mercer Airport. It's beautiful campus provides a home to Computer Associates, Church and Dwight, FMC and more. Address: Princeton South Corporate Center, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609.452.0200 (for property availability) www.princetonsouth.com

#### 31 & Main Farmers Market

Our Ewing Farmers' Market based at Campus Town on the TCNJ campus. The Market provides opportunities for residents to access locally grown produce & other food items. It is open seasonally from June—Oct.



Hours: Sundays from 10 am - 2 pm.
Location: intersection of Route 31 and E Main Blvd, Ewing, NJ
(p) 443 248-6738

River Horse Brewery Local brewery handcrafting unique beers offering weekend tours with tastings. Address: 2 Graphics Drive, Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-883-0890 www.riverhorse.com

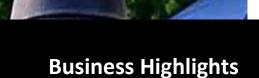
### **EINSTEIN'S ALLEY**

Einstein's Alley is the research and technology center of New Jersey. It is an economic development organization that works to promote and attract innovative research-based companies and knowledge-based jobs by bringing together key resources that help businesses meet their needs.

Central Jersey has a plethora of key business attractors. Major roadways such as the NJ Turnpike, I-95 and I –295, a large available educated work force and major universities and nearby colleges, headed by Princeton and Rutgers with state-of the art research facilities.

Ewing, with its location along key transportation facilities such as I-95, ready access to Route 1, and Trenton Mercer Airport, is a natural fit for businesses. Ewing became an Einstein's Alley municipality in September 2013. Einstein's Alley members and businesses in Ewing include Church and Dwight, Computer Associates, FMC, Pfizer, ETS, Universal Display, Homasote, Riegel Printing, Johnson & Johnson, TCNJ and Trenton-Mercer Airport at Ewing.







## Where to Stay

#### **Courtyard by Marriott**

Enjoy a comfortable stay with all of the modern amenities, conveniently located near Trenton Mercer Airport. Address: 360 Scotch Road, Ewing, NJ 0862 (p) 609-771-8100

www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/ttnet-courtyard-ewing-princeton

#### **The Element**

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The Element in Ewing is the proud home of New Jersey's first LEEDcertified hotel. The Hotel is located only minutes away from Trenton Mercer Airport and is committed to sustainability in all its practices, even offering a curbside charging station for electric vehicles. **Address:** 1000Sam Weinroth Road East, Ewing, NJ 08628 (**p**) 609-671-0050

www.elementewing.com/

#### **Springhill Suites**

SpringHill Suites, is located right off I-95, only 10 miles from Princeton University, minutes from The College of New Jersey and 5.6 miles from Washington Crossing State Park. It is conveniently close to Ewing's newest corporate center, Princeton South.

Address: 1000 Charles Ewing Blvd., Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-530-0900

www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/ttnsh-springhill-suites-ewingprinceton-south/

## Where to Eat

Al's Airport Inn American (dinner) 626 Bear Tavern Rd (p) (609) 883-5252 www.facebook.com/alsairportinn636/

**Barbara's Hungarian Food** *Hungarian (lunch and dinner)* 1400 Parkway Ave.

(p) 609-882-5500 <u>barbarashungarianfood.yolasite.com</u>

**Blooming Grove Inn** *American (lunch and dinner)* 234 West Upper Ferry Rd. 9p) 609-882-1150 bloominggroveinn.com

**Café 72** (breakfast and lunch) 72 West Upper Ferry Rd. (p) 609-882-0087 <u>cafe72ewing.com</u>

Cattani Catering / Restaurant American (lunch and dinner) 1569 Parkway Ave. (p) 609-323-7190 http://www.cattanicatering.com/menu/

Outdoor dining, at Erini Restaurant (Photo by Nick



## Where to Eat

**Erini Restaurant** *Mediterranean* (lunch and dinner) 1140 River Rd. (p) 609-882-0303 www.facebook.com/ EriniRestaurant/

Firkin Tavern American (lunch and dinner) 1400 Parkway Ave. 9p) 609-771-0100 firkintavern.com

Freddie's Tavern and Banquet American (lunch and dinner) 12 Railroad Ave. (p) 609-882-9845 demo.freddiestavern1933.com

**IHOP** American (pancakes) (breakfast, lunch & dinner) 785 Parkwav Ave.

(p) 609-403-8174 restaurants.ihop.com/nj/trenton/4614

**Mikonos** Greek (lunch and dinner) 50 Scotch Road (p) 609-883-9333 mikonosgreekewing.com/12079

New Ewing Diner & Restaurant American (24 hrs.) 1099 Parkway Ave. (p) 609-882-5519 ewingdiner.com

Pete's Steak House - American (breakfast, lunch and dinner) 1855 N Olden Avenue Extension (p) 609-771-6747 petessteakhouseewing.com/

Panera Bread American (lunch and dinner) 900 Lion Road (p) 609-403-7081 https://www.panerabread.com/

PJs Pancake House and Tavern American (pancakes, lunch and dinner) 938 Bear Tavern Road (p) 609-493-4495 http://www.pancakes.com/

**The Lighthouse** Jamaican (lunch and dinner) 1975 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-882-5876 thelighthouseja.com

### Italian Food / Pizza

Mama Flores Trattoria Italian (lunch and dinner) 1750 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-434-1188 mammafloras.com

Marsilio's Kitchen Italian (lunch and dinner) 71 West Upper Ferry Rd. 609-882-8300 marsilioskitchen.com

Metro Grill Classic Italian (lunch and dinner) 172 Scotch Road (p) 609-882-2800 metrorestaurantgroup.com/metrogrill-ewing

**Revere Tavern** Italian (lunch and dinner) 802 River Rd, (p) 609-882-6365 www.revereristorante.com/

**Sal de Forte** Italian – BYOB (lunch and dinner) 1400 Parkway Ave. (p) 609-406-0123 saldefortesristorante.com

**Villa Rosa** Italian BYOB (lunch and dinner) 41 Scotch Rd. (p) 609-882-6841 villarosanj.com

Alforno Pizza Italian (lunch and dinner) 1780 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-882-2936

**Danny's Tomato Pie** 1410 Parkwav Ave (p) 609-530-1888

dannystomatopietrenton.com/

Domino's Pizza 954 Parkway Ave (p) 609-883-1000

www.dominos.com/en/

(lunch and dinner)

**Kings Pizzarama** (lunch and dinner) 200 Ewingville Rd (p) 609-882-3042 www.mykingspizzarama.com/

**Nova Trattoria** (lunch and dinner) 1505, 2700, Parkway Ave. (p) 609-771-6177 http://novatrattoria.com/

**Parkway Pizza** (lunch and dinner) 836 Parkway Ave, www.parkwaypizzamenu.com/ (p) 609-883-0391

**Piccolo Pronto** (lunch and dinner) 100 Campus Town Circle #101 (p) 609-963-4200 www.piccolopronto.com/

Pizza Hut (lunch and dinner) 1980 N Olden Ave (p) 609-883-4881

www.pizzahut.com

**Purple Pizza & Grill** 1632 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-278-1616

(lunch and dinner)



## Where to Eat

Salerno's III (lunch and dinner) 1292 Lower Ferry Rd (p) 609-883-0700 <u>www.salernospizza3ewing.com/</u>

**Stella's Pizza** (lunch and dinner) 202 Scotch Rd (p) 609-883-3880

**Two Brothers Pizza** (lunch and dinner) 1608 Pennington Rd. (p) 609-882-8844 twobrotherspizzaewingtrenton.com/11280

### Mexican

Mexican Mariachi Grill (lunch and dinner)1507 Parkway Ave(p) 609-882-0119600 Campus Town Drive #302(p) 609-620-8265mexicanmariachigrill.com(p) 609-620-8265

Taco Bell

1760 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-883-2910 <u>www.tacobell.com/</u>

#### Asian

Yummy Sushi(lunch and dinner)600 Campus Town Drive #303(p) 609-883-8889yummysushiewing.com/

Fu Wah(lunch and dinner)1871 N Olden Ave(p) 609-882-7770www.fuwahewing.com/

Tan May Chinese Restaurant(lunch and dinner)1750 N. Olden Ave(p) 609-895-0588www.tanmaytrenton.com/

**Royal Chef** 1400 Parkway Ave. (p) 609-882-1067 Number 1 Chinese Restaurant (lunch and dinner) 1429 Parkside Ave (p) (609) 883-7775

East Sushi Asian 43 Scotch Rd. (p) 609-771-4499 (lunch and dinner) eastsushinj.com/

**J C Teriyaki** (lunch and dinner) 1429 Parkside Ave. (p) 609-403-8596

Oishi Japan (lunch and dinner) 199 Scotch Rd. (p) 609-882-8868 www.oishijapanewing.com/

### **Fast Food**

Boston Market American (lunch and dinner) 1729 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-219-1333 <u>https://www.bostonmarket.com/</u>

Burger King American (breakfast, lunch and dinner) 1673 N. Olden Ave (p) 609-620-0374 <u>https://locations.bk.com/nj/</u> ewing/1673-n-olden-ave-ext.html

**Chicken Holiday** American (lunch and dinner) 1865 N. Olden Ave (p) 609-882-6060

**Chuck's Café** *American* 1980 N. Olden Ave (p) 609-882-2140

**FD Subs** 1980 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-882-6888

Five Guys American (lunch and dinner) 7 Scotch Rd. (p) 609-882-7999 <u>http://www.fiveguys.com/</u>

**Georgia Fried Chicken** American (lunch and dinner) 262 Parkway Ave. (p) 609-434-1400



## Where to Eat

**KFC** American (lunch and dinner) 1565 Princeton Ave. (p) 609-392-9045 www.kfc.com/menu/chicken

Legend Subs, Wings & Kababs

1672 Pennington Rd (p) 609-323-7911

**McDonald's** American (breakfast, lunch and dinner) 1885 N. Olden Ave. www.mcdonalds.com/ (p) 609-883-2815

### **Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen** *American (lunch and dinner)*

1605 N. Olden Ave (p) 609-396-7150 popeyes.com/menu

#### **Primo Hoagies**

238 Scotch Rd. (p) 609-406-9000 www.primohoagies.com/

**Prince Fried Chicken** American (lunch and dinner) 1685 N. Olden Ave.

(p) 609-912-0355

**Ray's Sub Shop** 1540 Pennington Rd (p) 609-771-8006 www.raysubshop.com/

**Sonic Drive-In** *American* (lunch and dinner) 1660 N. Olden Ave. (p) 609-896-3200 ocations.sonicdrivein.com/nj/ewing/1660-northolden-avenue.html

www.subway.com/

#### Subway Restaurants 958 Parkway Ave

(p)609-671-9040

Wendy's

1730 N. Olden Ave. my.wendys.com/intro (p) 609-771-4147

WTF Food Truck (11 am—5 pm)

1543 Parkway Ave., Ewing, NJ 08628 (p) 609-882-5100 http://www.facebook.com/wtffoodtruck2013/ (Take out food stand)

TASTING AT RIVER HORSE, OUR LOCAL BREWERY ON **GRAPHICS DRIVE** 



## **Volunteer Opportunities**





**DELIVERING MEALS ON WHEELS** 

Strong communities are created through the efforts of dedicated volunteers. There are many opportunities for volunteering your talents and energy in Ewing. Residents can volunteer for an appointment to a Community Board, Committee or Commission; assist with a number of emergency services; clean up a park or trail; teach a computer class, or call a senior bingo game. The possibilities are limitless. Volunteering is also a great way make new friends in town, as well as to receive those intangible rewards that come from giving back to your community. Join in and make our Community a better place to live!

#### **FIRE DEPARTMENTS**

Ewing Fire Departments are always on the lookout for committed volunteers who are looking for a special challenge and want to give back to their community. Residents may apply to become a firefighter, a fire policeman or to contribute to the "business-side" of a firehouse. Membership is open to anyone age 16 and above who is a Ewing Township resident and a U.S. citizen. A member must be over the age of 18 to be considered a full firefighter. Below the age of 18, a member is part of the junior firefighter program, which permits the member to participate in almost every aspect of training, and a semi-limited role in actual incidents.

Prospect Heights FD phvfc.org/index.html	(p) 609-530-1122
West Trenton FD www.wtvfc.org/	(p) 609-883-0325
Mercer County Association for the Blind www.njcounciloftheblind.org/mcab/	(p) 609-882-2446
EASEL (Ewing Animal Shelter) www.easeInj.org/cms/index.php	(p) 609-883-0540
<b>1867 Sanctuary</b> 1867sanctuary.org/volunteer/	(p) 609-392-6409
Ewing Arts Commission www.ewingartsnj.com/	(p) None
Ewing Green Team ewinggreenteam.org	(p) None
Ewing Township Historic Preservation Society ethps.org	(p) 609-883-2455
Ewing Drug Alliance ewingdrugalliance.org	(p) 609-220-4353
Ewing Environmental Commission www.ewingec.org	(p) None
Meals on Wheels ww.mealsonwheelsmercer.org/volunteer.html	(p) 609-695-3483



# **Volunteer Opportunities**

HomeFront www.homefrontnj.org/volunteering/	(p) 609-989-9417	Ew wv
Arc Mercer arcmercer.org/	(p) 609-406-0181	Mc wv
Friends of the Ewing Library 360 Scotch Road, Ewing	(p) 609-882-3130	Ew ew
Isles Inc. www.isles.org/	(p) (609) 341-4700	Ew wv
Trenton Area Soup Kitchen www.trentonsoupkitchen.org/volunte	(p) 609-695-5456 eer.php	Kic <u>kid</u>
Mercer Street Friends mercerstreetfriends.org/	(p) 609-396-1506	Bo tro
Womanspace womanspace.org/	(p) 609-394-0136	Gir wv
Ewing Twp. Boards &Commissions www.ewingnj.org/Community-Inform Opportunities.aspx	(p) 609-883-2900 ation/Volunteer-	CY <u>ww</u> Bo
Ewing Kiwanis http://ewingkiwanis.com/	(p)1- 800-kiwanis	<u>wv</u> Ew
Youth		wv
Ewing United Soccer http://www.ewingunited.com/	(p) 609-316-7611	Ew <u>wv</u> url
Ewing Little League	(p) None	

Ewing Little League ewingbaseball.leagueapps.com/

Ewing Recreational Basketball www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.a	(p) 609-883-1776 asp?url=erbl
Moody Park Summer Basketball www.moodyparkbb.com/	(p) 609-575-9552
Ewing Recreational Wrestling ewingrecreationalwrestling.com/	(p) 609-273-2739
Ewing Junior Blue Devils www.ewingjrbluedevils.com/	(p) None
Kids Bridge <u>kidsbridgecenter.org/</u>	(p) 609-771-0300
Boy Scouts troop15.ewing.nj.us/	(p) None
Girl Scouts www.letgirlscouts.com/	(p) None
CYO of Mercer County www.cyomercer.org/	(p) 609-883-1560
Boys and Girls Clubs www.bgcmercer.org/	(p) 609-392-3191
Ewing Hopewell Babe Ruth www.hvbsa.org/	(p) None
Ewing Girls Softball www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.a url=ewinggirlssoftball	(p) None asp?





### Compiled by the Neighborhood Committee of the Ewing Green Team ©2018

In 2015 the Ewing Green Team conducted a Community Visioning (<u>ewinggreenteam.org/strategic-plan</u>). Welcoming new residents and helping current residents realize the richness of resources available in our community was identified as a way to build community engagement among all residents and we were charged by participants with helping to build those community connections. The *Ewing Township Welcome Booklet* is the product of that charge and we are delighted to offer this guide that highlights the reasons why we all choose to live in Ewing.

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