



November 2019



# THE MEDFORD MESSENGER

“What’s Up in Medford”

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Gold Medal Environmental of NJ -  
856-784-5050

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## November 2019 Events

**Medford Art Walk** along Main Street. Friday, November 8th from 5:00-9:00 pm. Sponsored by the Medford Arts Center. [www.medfordart.com](http://www.medfordart.com)

**Veterans Day Observance**, Monday, November 11th at 11:00 am at the Main Street Memorial (next to 21 S. Main Street, Medford Community Center). Sponsored by Medford Township & Medford VFW Post 7677. [www.medfordnjvfw.org](http://www.medfordnjvfw.org)

**Food Trucks on Main Street**, Thursday, November 21, 2019 from 5:00 pm.—9:00 pm. Check the News Feed on the Township website for the listing & location of trucks.

## December 2019 Events

**Dickens Festival & Tree Lighting** — Saturday, December 7th from 4:30 pm to 9:00 pm along Main Street. Sponsored by the Medford Business Association. [www.medfordbusiness.org/events/dickens](http://www.medfordbusiness.org/events/dickens)

**Santa at the One Room Schoolhouse** — Saturday, December 7th from noon to 4:00 pm at the One Room Schoolhouse on Mill Street at Memorial Middle School. Sponsored by the Medford Historical Society. [www.medfordhistory.org](http://www.medfordhistory.org)

**Medford Art Walk** along Main Street. Friday, December 13th from 5:00-9:00 pm. Sponsored by the Medford Arts Center.

**Food Trucks on Main Street**, Thursday, December 19, 2019 from 5:00 pm—9:00 pm.

**Menorah Lighting**, Monday, December 23rd at 6:00 pm at Tomlinson Park. Sponsored by Chabad of Medford. [www.chabadmedford.org](http://www.chabadmedford.org)



## IMPORTANT ELECTION INFORMATION

**New Voting Location for Districts 12 & 14** starting with the November 5, 2019 General Election. In an effort to support school security, voting districts 12 and 14 will no longer vote at Shawnee High School. The new location will be the Medford Township Public Safety Building located at 91 Union Street, Medford.

[Click here](#) to confirm your polling location.

**PARK RESTROOMS**

The park restrooms will be winterized the week of November 4th, and remain closed for the winter season. They will reopen in early to mid April weather permitting. Portable sanitation unit will be available until the building facilities are opened again in the Spring of 2020.

**RECYCLE TIP OF THE MONTH**

Burlington County will be hosting a paper shedding event on Sunday, November 17th. [Click here](#) for details.



**Annual Fall Leaf Collection Program**

The 2019 Leaf Collection program began the week of October 28th. The schedule is as follows:

- ZONE 3: Weeks of October 28th and November 25th
- ZONE 1: Weeks of November 4th and December 2nd
- ZONE 2: Weeks of November 4th and December 2nd
- ZONE 5: Weeks of November 11th and December 9th
- ZONE 4: Weeks of November 18th and December 16th



Residents with leaves to dispose of outside of the annual Fall Collection program may bring them to the DPW Yard on Gravelly Hollow Road. All leaves should be removed from the curbside and disposed of by other means until official notice of the Leaf program is released by the Township. Residents who place leaves at the street for collection outside of the Township's Collection program could be cited for violation of Township Ordinance.

**BOARDS & COMMITTEES**

The Township Council is extending an open invitation to residents interested in serving on the Township’s Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment, Economic Development Commission, Neighborhood Services Advisory Committee and Environmental Affairs Advisory Committee to fill annual appointments beginning in January, 2020.

Residents interested in an appointment to any of these Boards and Committees shall complete the Application that can be found on the homepage or Board & Commissions page of the Township website or by clicking [HERE](#), or in the Medford Municipal Building at 17 North Main Street. The completed application, along with a brief cover letter and/or statement of qualifications to serve, must be submitted to the attention of the Township Manager’s Office, 17 North Main Street, Medford, NJ 08055 or by e-mail to [dbielec@medfordtownship.com](mailto:dbielec@medfordtownship.com) by November 22, 2019.





## HOT PATCH MACHINE

Recently, the Township purchased a hot patch machine through Milspray in order to more efficiently repair municipal roadways. The Dragon Asphalt Mixer gives the Township's Road Division staff in the Department of Neighborhood Services the ability to produce hot asphalt year-round using asphalt millings. It eliminates the need for trips to the asphalt plant or use of a hot box. The Asphalt Mixer can produce virgin Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA), from millings on-site, in under 10 minutes. The hot asphalt provides a longer lasting patch on roads than using traditional cold patch. The machine is towed behind a small dump truck and carries excess millings to make the patch as needed. The machine has been in use for several weeks and produces a quality asphalt repair.



**Municipal Center Address: 17 North Main Street, Medford,  
NJ Phone: (609) 654-2608 // Fax: (609) 953-4087**

**Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

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