

The Borough of Ringwood

DIGITAL NEWSLETTER

FALL 2024

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Contact Us

If you have questions, we are here to help. Our [Borough Employee Listing](#) can help find the person you need to speak to.

Upcoming Council Meetings

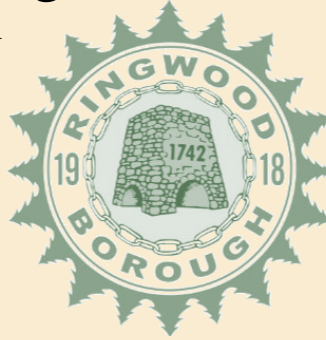
September 17th
October 15th
November 12th
December 17th

Visit the [Borough Calendar](#) for all other upcoming commission meeting dates.

Upcoming Borough Holidays

Borough offices will be closed on these days.

Labor Day (September 2)
Election Day (November 5)
Veteran's Day (November 11)
Thanksgiving (November 28)
Day After Thanksgiving (Nov. 29)
Christmas Eve (December 24)
Christmas Day (December 25)
New Year's Eve (December 31)



WAYS TO STAY INFORMED

The Borough Website:

www.ringwoodnj.net

Facebook:

[Ringwood Borough, NJ](#)
[Ringwood Health Department](#)
[Ringwood Parks & Recreation](#)
[Sustainable Ringwood](#)
[Ringwood Police Department, New Jersey](#)

Smart 911

(Receive emergency calls, texts or e-mails by signing up for this service through our website.)

Recycle Coach

(Receive reminders for garbage & recycling days, and more.)

Community Pass

(Sign up for sports and community activities through our Recreation Department.)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Keep up with what's going on in the community by visiting our COMMUNITY CALENDAR on our website!

To add your not for profit event to the [Community Calendar](#), just e-mail Jackie Huber at jhuber@ringwoodnj.net with a pdf flyer and/or your event information.

[View Community Calendar](#)

To see when there is a board or commission meeting, go to our [BOROUGH CALENDAR](#) on our website.

[View Borough Calendar](#)

If you wish to add your not-for-profit event's flyer to the RINGWOOD TV channel, you can [CLICK HERE](#) to email us your request.

[Watch Online Ringwood 77](#)



Clerk's Office
973-475-7100

Important Upcoming Election Dates

- Early Voting Period for General Election Saturday, October 26th - Sunday, November 3rd. [CLICK HERE](#) for early voting in-person locations.
- General Election Day - Tuesday, November 5th

Stay up to date on election information and important date by visiting the [Election Information](#) page of our website.

Become a Poll Worker

New Jersey's counties, in partnership with the Department of State, Division of Elections, are actively seeking residents to serve as poll workers for the upcoming General Election. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information.

Do Not Solicit List

Did you know the Clerk's Office can add residents of Ringwood to a [Do Not Solicit List](#)?

If you wish to be included on this listing, please email clerk@ringwoodnj.net and provide your name, address and a contact number.

Ringwood Park & Ride

The Park & Ride is located by the Ringwood Library on Cannici Drive. You must have a tag to park in the lot. Permits go from July 1st to June 30th. The [Park & Ride Application](#) is available on our website.

Hunting & Fishing Licenses Available

The Clerk's office has hunting and fishing licenses available for purchase. You can visit www.dep.nj.gov/njfw/licenses-and-permits/ for more information.

The licenses can only be purchased at the Clerk's office during regular business hours. Credit card payment is now available. Call 973-475-7100 with questions.



Finance / Tax Office
973-475-7148

Tax Payment Due Dates

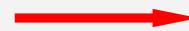
- November 1st
- February 1st
- May 1st
- August 1st

Payment Options

We have a payment drop box located in front of Borough Hall. Payments can be safely dropped off any time.

On-line payment is also available by visiting our [website](#).

What it looks like on website



Water Department
973-475-7116

The Borough supplies water to approximately 3,214 customers. The Borough's water supply consists of four groundwater wells maintained by the DPW - Water Department. Wells are located at Beattie Lane, Valley Road, Brooksyde Avenue, and Cannici Drive.

The Borough's Water Operator can be reached at (973) 475-7133.

Water and Sewer payments must be made payable to RINGWOOD WATER DEPARTMENT. **For billing questions, please call (973) 475-7116.**

Final readings for water should be called in in advance of the closing date in order to allow enough time for the reading to be properly scheduled.

Call (973) 475-7116 to schedule.

From Municipal Court
(973) 962-6146

Pay Tickets On-Line

Payments to the court can be made online at www.NJMCDIRECT.com. Payments may also be left in the drop box outside of Borough Hall or by mail. Please include your Ticket # or Complaint # with your payment. If you would like a receipt, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Building Department
973-962-7880

**Emergency Replacement of Boilers,
Furnaces and Water Heaters**

The New Jersey Uniform Construction Code allows for the emergency replacement of boilers, furnaces and water heaters before a permit is issued as long as the Building Department is notified of the replacement prior to the installation and permits are submitted within three (3) days thereafter.

Get it Inspected

"It's just a water heater, what's the big deal?" Actually, fuel-fired mechanicals pose a threat of carbon monoxide poisoning if not properly installed and vented. That's why you should set up an inspection shortly after the work is done.

We know the questions you ask the most!

Use the [FAQ section](#) on the Building Department web page to access in-depth information, including instructions and links to forms and applications. [Click here](#) to visit the page.

Health Department
973-962-7079

Upcoming Clinics

CHILD HEALTH CLINICS - For Under/Uninsured Children
September 9; October 7; November 6; December 4
Clinics are typically 3pm to 7pm (special arrangements can be made for alternative times on request)

KNOW YOUR NUMBERS—Low-cost blood work
October 19 - 8:00-11:00am

FLU CLINICS
October 10
October 17

Please check the [Ringwood Health Department](#) page for updates and more information or call 973-475-7126.



Movement as Medicine—Fall Edition

The Health Department is beginning another wellness program focusing on prevention. This program is called "Movement as Medicine". Yoga, meditation, Zumba, and health education will be offered in the evening hours during the weekdays. Then on Saturdays you can explore our state parks by joining fellow hikers as they navigate beginner to advance level hiking trails.

Check [Borough website](#) and our [Facebook page](#) for more information to come!

Free Rabies Clinic

Ringwood Health Department's Free Rabies Clinic will be on Saturday, November 2nd from 9:00am – 11:00am at the Ringwood DPW Garage, located at 128 Margaret King Avenue.

All dogs must be leashed and cats must be contained.

Call 973-962-7079 with any questions.

Fall Bear Tips

Beginning now until winter begins, bears will be persistently looking for food to bulk up for hibernation. Here are some tips to help limit bear interactions:

-Keep garbage in airtight containers and stored in an enclosed area such as a garage or shed. Place the garbage cans outside just before scheduled pick-up, not the night before. It is also important to clean your garbage cans with ammonia on a regular basis in order to remove food smells.

-Take down bird feeders, including hummingbird feeders, at night. Bird feeders have been found to be a common attractant for bears. Empty shells of sunflower seeds and other birdseed can still attract bears by scent, so be sure to clean up any shells under the feeder area.

-Do not leave pet food or bowls outside. Feed pets inside or bring the bowls in promptly after feeding.

-Do not put food items such as meat, fruit, or vegetables, in your compost pile.

-Clean up fallen fruit from bushes and fruit trees.

Parks & Recreation Dept.
973-475-7129
recdept@ringwoodnj.net

Sport Registrations and So Much More!

Register for sports and activities through our [Community Pass](#). Check our [website](#) and our [Facebook page](#) to see upcoming registrations.

Visit our Senior Zone

[CLICK HERE](#) for the Activities Calendar on our [Senior Zone](#) web page. Have questions? Feel free to call Evie at 973-475-7171.

Facility Memberships

Our **Dog Park** is located by the Park and Ride. Yearly passes are required, so please fill out the [application](#) before you take your fur friends there!

Our **Tennis Courts** are located behind Borough Hall. Tennis Memberships are available. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information or visit our [website](#).

Visit Us on Facebook

We are on [Facebook](#), so be sure to follow us for upcoming activities, events and news!

Discounted Tickets

We post discounted tickets for events such as Devils hockey games, Yankee baseball games, plays & more. Check our [website](#) often to see what we may have available.

Become a Coach

We offer FREE Rutgers Safety Coaches Clinics for anyone wishing to become a coach. Visit the [Parks & Recreation Page](#) for any upcoming classes.

Upcoming Events:

Ringwood Fireworks- Saturday, September 7th
(rain date- Sunday, September 8th)

Halloween Trunk or Treat- Saturday, October 19th (1:30-3:30 pm) @ the Park & Ride
(rain date-Saturday, October 26th)

Senior Fall Harvest Dinner- Friday, November 8th (3:30-6 pm)
at the Ringwood Community Center (112 Erskine Rd)

Meet Santa— Sunday, December 8th (3:00-4:30pm) at the Ringwood Community Center (112 Erskine Road)

Christmas Tree & Menorah Lighting Ceremony — Sunday, December 8th at the Fieldstone Shopping Plaza

Holiday House Decorating Contest—in December

Community Center (Open Registration)

- Social Group for children ages 4-8 on the Autism Spectrum
- Youth Art Program
- Adult Pickleball Instruction
- Walk! Walk! (walking at the center for adults)
- Yoga (Wednesday mornings, Tuesday evenings)
- Zumba

Fall Open Registration

- Youth Tennis (ages 4-14)
- Adult Co-Ed Soccer
- Travel Basketball Evaluations
- Ice Hockey

Coming soon!

- Adult Co-Ed Volleyball
- Women's Volleyball
- Adult Boot Camp @ the Community Center
- Recreation basketball (Registration begins October)



Our 3rd Grade Girls Skyhawks Travel Basketball Team won their division championship in March!

The Recreation Department along with the Ringwood Recreation Commission celebrated their win at their monthly meeting in May. Each player and coach were awarded a certificate of achievement and a basketball that each of the players and coaches autographed/signed.



From the Police Department
(973) 962-7017
EMERGENCIES CALL 9-1-1

For road closures, please **DO NOT** call the Police Department. Call the Road Information Line at 973-962-1212.

Also, be sure you are registered for our [Smart911](#) to receive emergency updates.

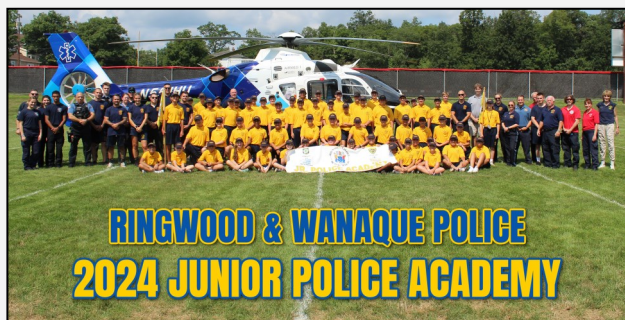
You can also like us on Facebook under [Ringwood Police Department, New Jersey](#) or visit our [web page on the Borough website](#).

The Blue Envelope Program

The blue envelope brings together law enforcement and motorists with autism and other sensory disorders. It is a resealable and convenient place to keep all driver documents and contains instruction for both the driver and the interacting officer in the event of a traffic stop.

This excellent program will help us bridge the gaps in communication and build empathy in our community. If you or a loved one would like to participate in the Blue Envelope Program, please stop at the Ringwood Police Department Headquarters and pick up an envelope at our front desk. [CLICK HERE](#) for info.

2024 Junior Police Academy



On behalf of the Ringwood & Wanaque Police Departments we would like to thank all those who made the Junior Police Academy possible:

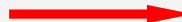
Lakeland Regional High School Board of Education Hugh Beattie, Superintendent; Diane Maskley, Transportation Supervisor; Ringwood and Wanaque Recreation Departments; Ringwood PBA Local 247; Wanaque PBA 407; Ringwood Ambulance Corps; Wanaque Ambulance Corps; Wanaque Fire Department; Thunder Mountain Trap and Skeet; Hackensack Medical Center Air Med Services; NJDOC K-9 Unit; MBM Specialty Advertising; Port Authority Police Department; Retired Chief, Robert Kronyak Jr. – guest speaker; Aiden Magie, former Jr. Academy attendee. And, of course, our AWESOME cadets!

From the Department of
Public Works
(973) 475-7133

Storm Drains

Please keep storm drains clear of leaves and debris. This helps keep water flowing when we have heavy rain. You can always call the DPW at 973-475-7133 or go to our website and send a [Report a Problem](#) when you see a clogged drain.

What it looks like on website



Leaf Disposal

Interstate Waste picks up leaves curbside during the months of October and November. Leaves must be bagged or put in a garbage can at the curb, no closer than 10 feet to a storm drain. It is **illegal** to dump in any open waters in the Borough or blow leaves into the street. Residents can also bring their leaves to the Recycling Center. Landscapers are not permitted to dump at the Recycling Center.

Help! Who Should I Call ?

The DPW office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm. If you have an urgent matter out of these hours, please call the Police Department at 973-962-7017. If it is not urgent, please leave us a message or send us a [Report A Problem](#) and we will get back to you when we return to the office.

Preparing for Winter

Although it is hard to believe, winter will be here before we know it! Please take the time during the early fall to prepare for the winter. This means [preparing your water pipes for frigid temperatures](#) to avoid them freezing, making sure storm drains, drainage pipes and gutters are clear of leaves and debris.

Make sure your vehicles are ready as well. Check your tires to make sure they are in good condition or switch to snow tires. Put an ice scraper, ice melt and an emergency kit in your vehicle in case of being stuck in a storm.

We are preparing our vehicles, so we suggest you do too!

Clean Up After Your Dog

Picking up after your dog is not only common courtesy, IT IS THE LAW. Dog waste that gets washed into waterways may carry pathogens that affect living things in the water and can make people sick that are in contact.

Also, nutrients released from dog poop can stimulate the growth of algae and other plant life, making the water unsuitable for recreational uses.

PLEASE BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR!



HELP US WELCOME SOME NEW BUSINESSES IN RINGWOOD!



MCGOWAN WELL WATER COMPLIANCE LLC

New Businesses:

[Dairy Queen](#)

[Merced Manor](#)

[TLC Dog Grooming](#)

Mapi's Mechanics

[Deliberate Fitness](#)



MAPI'S MECHANICS

[McGowan Well Water Compliance LLC](#)

[The Collective Ringwood](#)

Ringwood Dental Studio

Businesses Opening Soon:

[Revitalize Rehab Physical Therapy](#)

[Avatar Recovery Center](#)



DELIBERATE FITNESS



DAIRY QUEEN

SUPPORT SMALL BUSINESS AND SHOP LOCAL!



Small businesses are the backbone of our community. When you support local businesses, every dollar you spend is reinvested right here in our community.

Check out this video celebrating our small businesses and the people behind them!

[CLICK HERE](#) to view video.

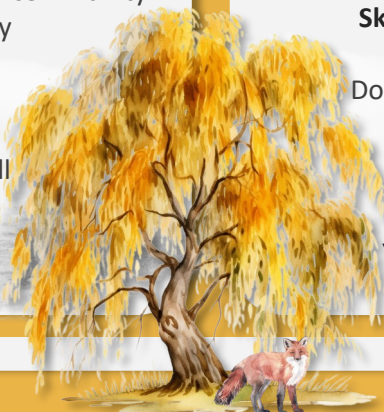


We want to hear your ideas for the Skyline Drive Business District!

Do you have an idea or feedback that you would like to share with us about revitalizing the Skyline Drive Corridor?

[CLICK HERE](#) to let us know.

You can also visit our [Frequently Asked Questions page](#) for more information.



Garbage/Recycling Department
(973) 475-7179
recycling@ringwoodnj.net

Heavy Metal Pick Up

Ever wonder how to get rid of that **old stove** or **dishwasher** you have? What about that **metal outdoor table**? The Borough does a Heavy Metal Pick Up every Wednesday. Please call 973-475-7179 to schedule your pick up by Tuesday at 1:30pm to be on the Wednesday pick up list. Go to the [Garbage/Recycling page](#) to find out more. You may also [e-mail](#) or call us with any questions.

Recycle Coach

When you sign up for [RECYCLE COACH](#) you can get alerts as to when your garbage and recycling need to go out, find out how to get rid of items and more! You can even download the app, so the info is right on your phone. Visit the Borough website for all the details!

Recycle Center Hours

Our Recycle Center, located on Peter's Mine Road, is open on Wednesdays from 12pm-5pm, Saturdays and Sundays from 9am-5pm. For a full list of [what is accepted at the Recycle Center](#), you can visit our [Garbage/Recycle page](#) on the Borough website. If the Recycle Center is closed DO NOT leave any items in front of the gates. **I.D. is required at the Recycling Center for proof of residency.**

Please Recycle at the Curb

Did you know that taking your recycling to our Recycle Center costs the Borough extra money to have it taken away? When possible, **please put your recycling at the curb**. This is included in our vendor contract.

Fall Leaf Collection

Fall Curbside Leaf Collection begins October 1st and runs through November. Curbside collection also includes small brush (plants, shrubs & branches). No grass clippings will be collected. **There are no set days for collection.**

Visit the [Garbage/Recycle page](#) on the Borough website for more info.

Town-Wide Yard Sale

Ringwood's Town-Wide Yard Sale is on Saturday, September 28th and Sunday, September 29th from 9am-4pm. Rain or shine. Maps will be available on our website the day before the sales. The last day to [register](#) to have your sale on the town map is Friday, September 6th.

[CLICK HERE FOR PASSAIC COUNTY WEBSITE](#) [CLICK HERE FOR RINGWOOD COMMUNITY CALENDAR](#)

Passaic County Recycling Events

[Passaic County](#) has many events throughout the year. We have attached the events on [page 8](#) and also have them posted on our [Community Calendar](#) on our website, and on our [Facebook page](#).

Upcoming Holiday Collection Changes

SEP 2—No Garbage & Recycling—all collections pushed to the next day all week, ending with Friday's collections picked up on Saturday.

NOV 28—No Garbage—collection pushed to the next day for the rest of the week, ending with Friday's collection picked up on Saturday.

DEC 25—No Garbage & Recycling—all collections pushed to the next day all week, ending with Friday's collections picked up on Saturday.

Fire Prevention Department (973) 475-7132

Have Your Fireplace Inspected

A chimney that is dirty, blocked or is in disrepair can inhibit proper venting of smoke up the flue and can also cause a chimney fire. Nearly all residential fires originating in the chimney are preventable. An annual chimney inspection by a certified chimney sweep can prevent fire or carbon monoxide poisoning.

Maintenance is a very important step in preventing chimney fires! Have your chimney checked every year by a qualified chimney professional. Burn only well seasoned hardwoods. Install a chimney cap. Install a carbon monoxide detector. Have your chimney sweep ensure that your chimney has an appropriate liner. Following a violent storm, flood or lightning strike, have your chimney inspected for damage—inside and out.

Install Carbon Monoxide Detectors

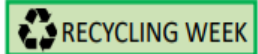
Make sure you have a carbon monoxide detector installed before heating season, that it is less than 7 years old, and is operating correctly.

CO alarms should be installed in a central location outside each sleeping area and on every level of the home and in other locations where required by applicable laws, codes or standards. For the best protection, interconnect all CO alarms throughout the home. When one sounds, they all sound.

CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS SAVE LIVES!



2024 RINGWOOD RECYCLING CALENDAR



INTERSTATE WASTE (866) 342-5497 • RINGWOOD GARBAGE/RECYCLING (973) 475-7179 • WWW.RINGWOODNJ.NET

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BOROUGH HOLIDAYS:

JAN 1	New Year's Day
JAN 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
FEB 19	President's Day
MAR 29	Good Friday
MAY 27	Memorial Day
JUL 4	Independence Day
SEP 2	Labor Day
NOV 5	Election Day (Borough Closed)
NOV 11	Veterans Day
NOV 28	Thanksgiving
NOV 29	Day After Thanksgiving
DEC 24	Christmas Eve
DEC 25	Christmas Day
DEC 31	New Year's Eve

HOLIDAYS WITH CHANGES TO COLLECTION:

JAN 1—No Garbage —collection pushed to the next day all week, ending with Friday's collections picked up on Saturday.
MAY 27—No Garbage & Recycling —collections pushed to the next day for the rest of the week, ending with Friday's collection picked up on Saturday.
JULY 4—No Garbage —collection pushed to the next day all week, ending with Friday's collections picked up on Saturday.
SEPT 2—No Garbage & Recycling —all collections pushed to the next day all week, ending with Friday's collections picked up on Saturday.
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[Sign Up for Recycle Coach](#)

WHAT DAY IS MY STREET'S COLLECTION?

[CLICK HERE](#) FOR A LISTING OF RECYCLING DAYS BY STREET
[CLICK HERE](#) FOR A LISTING OF GARBAGE DAYS BY STREET

FALL LEAF COLLECTION

Curbside leaf collection in the Fall runs from October 1st through November 30th. Leaves must be placed at curbside Monday mornings prior to 6:30 am. Leaf pickup will start Monday and continue throughout the week. Leaves must be placed in recyclable, biodegradable brown leaf bags (such as Union Camp, RCI or comparable bag). Bags are available for purchase at Home Depot, Stop & Shop, and similar stores. Leaves may also be placed loose in trash cans provided the cans are no larger than 32 gal and weigh no more than 50 lbs. when filled. It is helpful to label leaf cans. No plastic bags will be accepted at curbside.

Curbside leaf collection also includes small brush (plants, shrubs and tree branches). Brush must not exceed four feet in length and two inches in diameter and must be tied and bundled, placed in leaf bags or in cans. Leaves and small brush are accepted throughout the year at the Recycling Center and must be debagged when dumped. NO LOGS OR STUMPS WILL BE ACCEPTED. NO GRASS CLIPPINGS ALLOWED, as per State of NJ mandate. A list of Grass Markets can be found by visiting www.ringwoodnj.net and clicking on the Garbage/Recycling Page.

Questions about the Curbside Leaf Collection Program should be directed to the Recycling Contractor at (866) 342-5497 or the Ringwood Recycling Department at (973) 475-7179 or e-mail recycling@ringwoodnj.net.

SOME UPCOMING EVENTS

- **RINGWOOD TOWN FIREWORKS**—**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 (RAINDATE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8)** - SHEPHERD LAKE—Open at 4pm—Fireworks start at dark (around 8pm)
- **PASSAIC COUNTY CLOTHING & TEXTILES COLLECTION EVENT**—**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7**—BOROUGH OF LITTLE FALLS, 225 MAIN STREET — 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY MEDICAL SHARPS/MEDICATIONS COLLECTION**—**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8**—WEST MILFORD DPW, 30 LYCOSKY DRIVE— 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENT**—**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**—CLIFTON DPW, 307 EAST 7TH STREET— 7:30AM—2PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY SHREDDING EVENT**—**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21**—HAWTHORNE POOL, 32 MAY STREET — 8:00AM—12:00PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY FLOURESCENTS / LED BULB COLLECTION**—**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22**—PATERSON MUSEUM, 2 MARKET STREET — 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY COMPUTER & ELECTRONICS COLLECTION**—**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 & SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28** —BUEHLER’S CULTURAL CENTER, 950 HIGH MOUNTAIN ROAD, NORTH HALEDON— 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **RINGWOOD TOWN WIDE YARD SALE**—**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 & SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**—RINGWOOD — 9:00AM—4:00PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY COMPOST BIN & RAIN BARREL SALE PICK UP**—**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**—CLIFTON BOYS & GIRLS CLUB, 181 COLFAX AVENUE— 8:30AM—12:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY TIRE COLLECTION**—**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6**—RINGWOOD PARK & RIDE, 30 CANNICI DRIVE — 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **RINGWOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT’S FLU CLINICS**—**MONDAY, OCTOBER 7 & THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10** — RINGWOOD HEALTH CLINIC OFFICE — 3:00PM—7:00PM
- **RINGWOOD RECREATION’S TRUNK OR TREAT**—**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 (RAIN DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26)**— RINGWOOD PARK & RIDE— 1:30PM—3:30PM
- **RINGWOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT’S KNOW YOUR NUMBERS CLINIC**—**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26**—RINGWOOD HEALTH CLINIC OFFICE— 8:00AM—11:00AM
- **RINGWOOD FREE RABIES CLINIC**—**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2**—RINGWOOD DPW GARAGE, 128 MARGARET KING AVENUE— 9:00AM—11:00AM
- **RINGWOOD SENIORS HARVEST DINNER DANCE**—**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8**—RINGWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER, 112 ERSKINE ROAD — 3:30AM—6:00PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY SCRAP METAL COLLECTION**—**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16** —PASSAIC COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY, 1310 RT. 23 NORTH, WAYNE— 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY MEDICAL SHARPS/MEDICATIONS COLLECTION**—**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17**—PROSPECT PARK BOROUGH HALL, 106 BROWN AVENUE— 8:30AM—1:30PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENT**—**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23**—PASSAIC COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE WANAQUE, 500 UNION AVENUE— 7:30AM—2:00PM
- **PASSAIC COUNTY SHREDDING EVENT**—**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24**—PATERSON MUSEUM, 2 MARKET STREET— 8:00AM—12:00PM
- **RINGWOOD RECREATION’S MEET SANTA EVENT** —**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8**—RINGWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER, 112 ERSKINE ROAD— 3:00PM—4:30PM



BOROUGH OF RINGWOOD

ADULT & PEDIATRIC FLU VACCINE CLINIC

**** CALL TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT ****

High Dose for ages 65 and older & Quadrivalent Fluzone available for all ages.

973-962-4343

Location : 55 Skyline Drive, Suite 203
 Date: October 7, 2024
 October 10, 2024
 Hours: 3:00pm-7:00pm
 Ages: 3 years and older

We accept Medicare Part B, \$20.00 Cash or Check





Know Your Numbers

Are you uninsured? Underinsured? We are offering lab work at low cost!

When: Saturday, October 26th: 8AM-11AM
 Where: 55 Skyline Drive, Suite 203
 How: Appointments required! Call (973) 962-4343

Want the Basics?

Fee	Test
\$27	Health Screen III (Chem 23, Lipid Profile, CBC w/Diff, T4)
\$40	Health Screen IV (Chem 23, Lipid Profile, CBC w/Diff, PSA)



Or a la carte?	Fee	Test
\$25	Hepatitis B Immunity, Titer	
\$20	Hepatitis C Antibody Screen	
\$35	MMR Panel (Measles, Mumps, Rubella Immunity Screen)	
\$26	Lyme Antibody Screen, Total Antibody	
\$22	TSH (Thyroid Stimulating Hormone)	
\$8	T4 (Total Thyroxine)	
\$8	T3 Uptake	
\$13	Blood Type and Rh Factor	
\$25	PSA (Prostate Specific Antigen) Total	
\$8	Iron	
\$11	Urinalysis Screen w/Microscopy	
\$34	Homocysteine & hs-CRP (Cardiac Risk Panel)	
\$22	Vitamin D, 25 OH, Total	
\$17	Hemoglobin A1C	
\$27	Vitamin B12	
\$29	Lead, Whole Blood	

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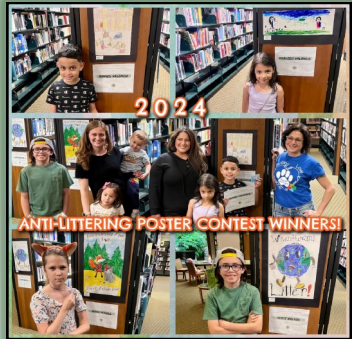
Town Wide

YARD SALE

WWW.RINGWOODNJ.NET

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH
AND
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH

9AM - 4PM  **RAIN OR SHINE**



2024 ANTI-LITTERING POSTER CONTEST WINNERS!

On Thursday, May 9th there was a gallery celebration for the winners of the Second Annual Anti-Littering Poster Contest for children. First Place Winners were each awarded a \$20 gift card sponsored by Councilwoman Kerr. All winners and runner ups were also given special certificates from the Borough. Deputy Mayor Landis, Councilwoman Kerr, and resident Ms. Storch worked on this contest together.

Congratulations to our talented students!

Night with the NJ Devils!

HOME OPENER!  vs  **Last Day to Register is Sept. 11th**

Thursday October 10, 2024
PRUDENTIAL CENTER
7:00 P.M.

\$84 in the 100 Level (Section 117)
\$120 in the Lower Level (Section 11)

LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE

"Fanfest" - Lots of fun things happening at Fanfest outside in the Championship Plaza beginning in the early afternoon before the game! So get there super early!

To Purchase Tickets go to CommunityPass.net
under the season "NJ Devils Discount Tickets"

Let's Go Devils!

Questions? Email recdept@ringwoodnj.net or call (973) 475-7171

Ringwood Free Rabies Clinic

Saturday, November 2nd
 From 9:00am - 11:00am
 At the Ringwood DPW Garage
 128 Margaret King Avenue



Movement as Medicine

~ Fall Edition ~

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday AM	Thursday PM	Saturday
Health Prevention Ringwood Community Center	Yoga	Meditation	Zumba	Hike
National Overdose/Substance Awareness Presentation September 17th 6:30PM-7:30PM	Facilitated by: Susan Orkand 6:30PM-7:30PM Ringwood Community Center	Facilitated by: Nancy Smith 8:00-9:00 AM Ringwood Skatepark	Facilitated by: Joanne Dow-Breslin 6:00PM-7:00PM Ringwood Ambulance Corps	Facilitated by: Susan Clark 9:00 AM (1 to 2 hours)
8 Dimensions of Health September 24th 6:30PM-7:30PM	Dates: September 11th September 18th September 25th October 9th October 16th October 23rd October 30th	Dates: September 12th September 19th October 3rd October 10th October 17th October 24th October 31st	Dates: September 12th September 19th September 19th October 3rd October 10th October 17th October 31st	Dates: September 7th Cooper Union Trail September 14th Puppy Rock Trail September 21st Ringwood Library Trail September 28th Cooper Union Trail October 5th Puppy Rock Trail October 12th Ringwood Library Trail October 19th Cooper Union Trail October 26th Puppy Rock Trail
Breast Cancer Awareness Program October 1st 6:30PM-7:30PM				
Handwriting Analysis October 8th 6:30PM-8:30PM				
Body Image Workshop October 15th 6:00PM-7:00PM				
Fall Food Demonstrations with Dietitian Lauren October 22nd & October 29th 6:30PM-7:30PM				


Locations

Ringwood Community Center: 112 Erskine Road, Ringwood
 Ringwood Skatepark: 18 Boro Parkway, Ringwood
 Ringwood Ambulance Corps: 115 Alta Vista Drive
 Cooper Union Yellow Trail: 145 Carletondale Road
 Puppy Rock Trail, Ryerson Middle School: 130 Valley Road
 Ringwood Library Trail: 30 Cannick Drive

Register online at CommunityPass.net under 'Health Department Programming Fall'
 Limited spots available for Zumba & Yoga
 For any questions please email: jbruno@ringwoodnj.net

LET'S GET PUMPED RINGWOOD

Prevent Lake Closures
 Pump & Inspect Your Septic Tank


LET'S TALK SEPTICS! 

Routine inspection and pumping of your septic system can help avoid or prolong the cost of repair and/or replacement of your system. In addition, maintaining your septic will protect property value. A system in malfunction or disrepair can lower the value of a home. Most importantly, proper maintenance can help protect your wells, lakes and the environment from harmful pollutants for yourself and your neighbors.

Visit the [SEPTICS PAGE](#) of our [website](#) for more info!

RINGWOOD SALUTES OUR HOMETOWN HEROES

Click Here TO VIEW SLIDESHOW
(Be sure to check out the banners on Skyline Drive & Margaret King Avenue too!)



VETERAN'S DAY
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2024

Thank you to all our veterans for your courage, strength and dedication to keeping us safe. We thank you today and EVERY day!

Support Local Business



SHOP LOCAL!

Small businesses are the backbone of our community. When you support local businesses, every dollar you spend is reinvested right here in our community.


DO NOT SOLICIT LIST



PURSUANT TO BOROUGH ORDINANCE 2018-12

TO BE ADDED TO RINGWOOD'S "DO NOT SOLICIT LIST", E-MAIL YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND CONTACT NUMBER TO CLERK@RINGWOODNJ.NET.

ELECTION DAY
Tuesday, November 5th



- ✓ Borough Offices Closed
- ✓ No Change to Garbage Collection on Tuesday

General Election

Click Here!

RINGWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER



Located at the St. Catherine's Parish Center
112 Erskine Road in Ringwood

Swift911 is now Smart911

PLAN AHEAD FOR ANY EMERGENCY BY SIGNING UP TO GET EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS!
Here's how to sign up:

ON THE BOROUGH WEBSITE
WWW.RINGWOODNJ.NET

DOWNLOAD THE APP



SCAN THE QR CODE



RINGWOOD'S ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE INVENTORY

An **Environmental Resource Inventory (ERI)** was created by the Borough of [Ringwood's Environmental Commission](#) to objectively identify and describe the environmental and cultural resources within our community. The informational items and data provided in the ERI can be used in municipal land use planning, open space preservation, and development.

The ERI describes the natural and environmental characteristics of Ringwood including its geology, geography, topography, soils, wetlands, ground and surface water resources, and flood hazard areas. The ERI includes a survey of wildlife and wildlife habitat, vegetation, land use, and transportation options. There are also historical and cultural resources including the Native American history, mining settlement, and the development of historic buildings and archaeological sites.

We invite you to review the **Environmental Resource Inventory** by clicking [HERE](#).

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT TIPS
Fall 2024

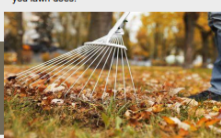
Managing Stormwater on Your Property this Fall

Fall is here, which comes the inevitable need for yard cleanup! Did you know that yard debris, including leaves and other organic plant material like shrubbery trimmings and grass clippings are a significant source of stormwater pollution? Their improper disposal poses a threat to our water resources.

Debris can also carry fertilizers and pesticides from your yard and deposit them into our waterways. Piles of leaves and grass clippings will overload a stream's ability to process leaf litter, causing nutrient pollution and oxygen depletion.

When working on your yard this fall, consider some of these tips to enhance water quality and manage stormwater:

- Do not pile leaves or other yard waste near streams or drainage channels** where they can blow or wash into our waterways. Use designated leaf collection bags for curbside leaf recycling.
- Do not blow leaves or grass clippings off your property** into streets, streams, ponds, or drainage swales.
- Recycle grass clippings and their nutrients on your lawn.** Mulch your leaves into your yard, or pile them in your garden areas. They will add nutrients back into your lawn and provide shelter for wildlife during the winter months.
- Plant a native tree!** Trees provide vital habitat for wildlife and absorb more stormwater than you lawn does.



WALKING & BIKING PATH INFORMATION

Click Here!



PRESENTED AT THE AUGUST 20, 2024 COUNCIL MEETING

Connecting Ringwood



PREPARED BY: BRESNAHER ROBIN
FOR: BOROUGH OF RINGWOOD, NEW JERSEY
DATE: JUNE 2024, VERSION 1

Photo courtesy of Daniel Greco

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

Wishing all students and teachers a wonderful school year




WHEN THE LIGHTS ARE FLASHIN' DON'T BE PASSIN'

Drive Carefully!

PROJECT MEDICINE DROP

A SAFE AND SECURE WAY TO DISPOSE OF UNUSED MEDICATION



Drop it off!

Unused medications that remain in your medicine cabinet are susceptible to theft and misuse.

To prevent medications from getting into the wrong hands, New Jersey's Office of the Attorney General and Division of Consumer Affairs urge you to properly dispose of your expired and unwanted prescription medicine at a nearby **Project Medicine Drop** location.

DROP OFF IS SIMPLE, ANONYMOUS AND AVAILABLE 24 HOURS A DAY—365 DAYS A YEAR, NO QUESTIONS ASKED. Simply bring in your prescription and over-the-counter medications and discard them in an environmentally safe manner.

Always scratch out the identifying information on any medicine container you are discarding.

RINGWOOD DROP BOX

Located in the lobby of the RINGWOOD POLICE DEPT.
60 Margaret King Ave.

For more drop off locations
Call 800-242-5846 or visit NJConsumerAffairs.gov/meddrop



The Ringwood Police Department is proud to be a part of:

THE BLUE ENVELOPE PROGRAM

The blue envelope brings together law enforcement and motorists with autism and other sensory disorders. It is a resealable and convenient place to keep all driver documents and contains instruction for both the driver and the interacting officer in the event of a traffic stop.

This excellent program will help us bridge the gaps in communication and build empathy in our community. If you or a loved one would like to participate in the Blue Envelope Program, please stop at the Ringwood Police Department Headquarters and pickup an envelope at our front desk.

AUTISM

- Autism is a developmental disability that affects communication and social skills.
- Autism is a spectrum disorder, meaning it affects people in many different ways.
- Autism is a lifelong condition.
- Autism is a complex condition that affects each person differently.

DRIVER IS ON THE AUTISM SPECTRUM

IF DRIVER IS NEARBY, DO NOT DISRUPT. IF DRIVER IS NOT NEARBY, DO NOT DISRUPT. IF DRIVER IS NOT NEARBY, DO NOT DISRUPT.

IMPORTANT MOTOR VEHICLE PAPERS

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RINGWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT, 60 MARGARET KING AVENUE, RINGWOOD, NJ 07456 (973) 962-7017

WE NEED YOU!

EMERGENCY SERVICES VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Borough of Ringwood

CALL 973-475-7132 FOR MORE INFORMATION



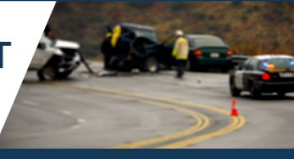





REAL HEROES DON'T WEAR CAPES!

GET YOUR ACCIDENT REPORT ONLINE

GET YOUR ACCIDENT REPORT



Find yours **instantly** at
CRASHDOCS POWERED BY CARFAX

 Find your Report



Community ShareCam Program

Neighbors Helping Neighbors... Police the Community

Community ShareCam Video Surveillance Program

The Ringwood Police Video Surveillance Program is a community safety program instituted by the Ringwood Police Department which allows both residents and businesses to partner with the police department in the fight against crime throughout the Borough. Simply by registering your home or business surveillance system with the Ringwood Police you can be an invaluable asset in solving crimes in your neighborhood. This footage will help establish leads, identify suspects and save valuable investigative time. All registered camera locations are stored in a secure database and are entered into our Records Management System allowing the police department to map out locations of cameras throughout the town. Residents and Businesses will only be contacted by Ringwood Police in the event of a crime occurring in the area of their camera coverage.

[CLICK HERE](#) for more information or to register!