



Rev. Dr. Gordon V. Barrows

April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## MAYOR'S REPORT

- **Public Requests/Concerns**

- 'Farm Festival' – Paul Stahlman Presentation - Friday Aug. 11<sup>th</sup> thru Sunday Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>
- Redbank Chamber – request to use Basketball Court, Sat., July 1<sup>st</sup> for Freedom Festival
- Lafayette Street resident wants to install shed on her property; permits/process?

- **Letters of Support**

- Wrote 'letter of support' for the Day of Giving, on May 11<sup>th</sup> 2023 to support all participating 501(c)3 non-profits in the New Bethlehem area and Redbank Valley.

- **Snowflake Decorations**

- Thanks to NB Borough Public Works Dept, and Dustin Adams Electric for taking down RV Chamber Christmas Snowflake Decorations as they prepare to hang Veterans Banners

- **Earth Day Garden Planters**

- RV Chamber prepare Garden Planters for downtown New Bethlehem Borough

- **Events Attended/Supported**

- Ordination in Christian Ministry, Coach Blondie Tumble and Cheer, Lion's Club Easter Egg Hunt, Historical Society Pics w/ Easter Bunny, Good Friday Community Crosswalk, RVCA Lenten Services, Men's Prayer Breakfast, Guest Preaching

- **Community**

- RV Historical Society – Events/Activities throughout the year: [FB.com/RedbankVHS](https://www.facebook.com/RedbankVHS)
  - Yearly list of events, need volunteers and seeking board members
- RV Church Association
  - Community Church Services and Events; [FB.com/NBRVCA](https://www.facebook.com/NBRVCA)
- RV Chamber of Commerce (*seeking more Board Members*)
  - See weekly Chamber social media for latest info: [FB.com/RVChamber](https://www.facebook.com/RVChamber)
  - Monthly meetings third Monday of every month at 5:30pm at Windstream building
- RV Community Center
  - Events and Activities throughout the year: [FB.com/RVCommunityCenter](https://www.facebook.com/RVCommunityCenter)
  - Monthly meetings fourth Tuesday of every month at 7pm at Community Center
- SC Police Association
  - May 13<sup>th</sup>: Cops & Bobbers, Gumtown Park 9am-1pm
- Redbank Valley Park
  - 'Reunion of a Lifetime' Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 1pm to 9:30pm

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**REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT**

- *Report provided by Councilman Don Heeter and/or Councilman Bryan Ruth*
- Hired part-time officer | Seeking to hire second part-time officer or send candidate to academy.
- Meetings set the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at the Windstream/Alltel Building @ 7pm

**POLICE ASSOCIATION REPORT**

- *Report provided by Councilman Don Heeter*
- Upcoming Events: [FB.com/SCPoliceAssociation](https://www.facebook.com/SCPoliceAssociation) | May 13<sup>th</sup> for Cops & Bobbers
- Meetings; monthly rotation in East Brady @ East Brady Community Center, in New Bethlehem @ Redbank Valley Community Center and Rimersburg Municipal Building @ 7pm

**FIRE COMPANY REPORT**

- *Report provided by Councilman Scott Barrett and/or Councilman Brian Fox*
- [FB.com/NewBethlehemFire](https://www.facebook.com/NewBethlehemFire) | Fire Siren Upgrade? | Scott Barrett w/ Lifetime Membership
- Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month @ 7pm @ New Bethlehem Fire Hall

**RVMA REPORT**

- *Report provided by President Lisa Kerle*
- Alerts/Notices: Water Main Breaks, Emergencies, Boil Water notices – [FB.com/RVMAOnline](https://www.facebook.com/RVMAOnline)
- Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month @ 7pm @ Windstream/Alltel Building 212 Lafayette St.

**OLD BUSINESS TODO LIST**

- Sidewalk Repairs

Respectfully,

*Gordon V. Barrows*

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