



Town of Franklin E-Newsletter

February 2020

News and Announcements



Franklin Fire Department has announced that open-air burning permits are required from January 15th - May 1st. For more information including, restrictions and how to apply for a burning permit, please click [HERE](#).



The School Committee is holding a legislative forum on Tuesday, Feb 4th at 6:30pm at FHS. Senator Karen Spilka, Senator Rebecca Rausch and Representative Jeff Roy make up the panel and will be discussing many topics related to education in the state. Click [HERE](#) for more information.



Franklin Public Library is offering fantastic FREE programming for all ages (babies, toddlers, PreK, schools age, teens, and adults), including an Amazing Race during February vacation week. To find out more about the offerings, including the hours, dates and specific events, please click [HERE](#).



Franklin Public Schools are holding two Kindergarten registration events on Tuesday, Feb 11th and Wednesday, Feb 12th. For more information, such as event times/dates/locations, necessary documentation and more, please click [HERE](#).



Have you taken the Stormwater survey yet? If not, find it [HERE](#) and enter to win a FREE rain barrel! Thank you in advance for your time and input!



The Franklin Senior Center has a full calendar of events for the month of February including daily programming, support groups, referral services and so much more! Find the latest Franklin Connection newsletter and see all our Senior Center has to offer by clicking [HERE](#). Hours and contact information are on the first page.



The Massachusetts Primary election is on Tuesday, March 3, 2020, at FHS. If you need an absentee ballot you can find the application form [HERE](#). Absentee ballots are available until noon on March 2nd. Early voting will be available from Feb 24 - Feb. 28th during regular business hours. Visit the Town Clerk's website [HERE](#) for more info.



Have you visited our online licensing center? You can apply for building permits, including electrical, gas and occupancy online. Visit our licensing center [HERE](#)

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The next brick installation on the Veterans Memorial Walkway is scheduled for May 2020. Click [HERE](#) for information on ordering a brick and visit our Veterans Services page for news and events [HERE](#).



Our Board of Health director is sharing a public health resource from the CDC. Check out their podcast series titled "A Cup of Health" featuring topics related to Public Health. Find this series and others [HERE](#).



The DPW created the "Adopt a Hydrant Program" this year as a way for residents, clubs or groups to help ensure hydrants are cleared after a snow storm. To learn more click [HERE](#).



Dog Licensing renewals begin Jan 1st. Late fees apply after April 1st. It's easy to register your dog(s) online at www.franklinma.gov or click [HERE](#). You can also enter your dog in Franklin's Top Dog Drawing! Find the info [HERE!](#)



Interested in becoming a substitute teacher? Franklin Public Schools are seeking substitutes for on- call and long term assignments at all levels. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Stay Tuned...



Franklin Public Schools Superintendent will be presenting the recommended FY 21 budget to School Committee on Tuesday, February 25th at the regularly scheduled meeting. To receive emails regarding School Committee and/or District News click [HERE](#).



ArtWeek is returning to Franklin from May 1st - May 10th. For more information, including how to apply for an ArtWeek grant, visit the Franklin Cultural Council's website [HERE](#).

Upcoming Meeting Dates & Calendar Link



Town Council Meetings are scheduled for Wed, February 5th and Wed, February 12th at 7pm in Council Chambers at Town Hall.



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