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Frankford Native Welcomes President Obama

By Alexander Houston

President Obama was in Philadelphia on Tuesday, September 13, 2016. He was campaigning for Hillary Clinton and something special happened. Candidate Katie McGinty, PA representative Bob Brady, and Governor Wolf spoke at this event. And while we've heard the messages of stumping politicians, something special hap-



Patrick Houston

pened here.

Now, Obama can excite a crowd, but this article is not about Obama or the others. This article is about the youngster who introduced the President; it's about the Frankford native Patrick Houston.

Houston was born into a very large and very poor family of loving siblings. They lost their mother in 1993 and the father passed away in 1999. These parents were special. They existed for their children and nothing else mattered.

He, Mr. Alexander Houston, Sr. was a truck driver and Patricia Houston was the ever attentive homemaker. Both were giants in their own right, were religious and, I repeat, dedicated to their children. Now, at only 21, their youngest son Patrick, a senior at Swarthmore College, is on the move.

So on Tuesday, after speeches from McGinty, Brady and Wolf, Patrick came to the stage and really WOWED us.

Ok, so in the interest of full disclosure he is my baby brother but his speech was impressive. The Swarthmore papers and online articles as well CBS, NBC and news outlets up and down the east coast and Australia have published articles about him. They said that Patrick reminded them of a young Obama: confident, articulate and in



Patrick Houston shakes

control of the moment.

Patrick told CBS Philly, "I had a big responsibility, I had the great privilege of introducing one of my greatest role models, President Barack Obama," and "It's almost like there's no time to be nervous. This was a time to carry this message to do my part."

"I never would have imagined in my wildest dreams," he said. "And I'm really grateful for the opportunity."

"As the youngest one in the family who spent very little time with mother, now he's inspiring our whole family, (once again) to

grow," said Patrick's older brother Vinson.

Patrick Houston is a Green Advisor at Swarthmore College and is a member of the President's Sustainability Research Fellowship Program, a partnership of the College's Lang Center for Civic and Social Responsibility, the Office of Sustainability, and Environmental Studies.

So while many horrible things are happening in our community and around the world, there are success stories. There are people as well as members of the media who realize our duty to nurture our youth and always display a willingness "to spend and be spent" for our children and families.

This is why all of Patrick Houston's siblings are productive members of society and it is a testament to love, to family, to responsibility and to a Higher Power because we were fortunate enough to be born to a good man and a good woman and that has made all the difference.

Frankford HS JR. ROTC at 911 Ceremony



The Frankford HS JROTC participated in the Philadelphia 911 Remembrance Day Ceremony on Sept 11, 2016. The cadets along with the Philadelphia Fire Commissioner Adam Thiel after flag folding ceremony are pictured above.



Frankford HS Jr. ROTC cadets flag folding ceremony. Photo credits Joe Fraioli.

Civics, PSA

By Bob Smiley

Frankford Civic

The Frankford Civic Association met on September 1st with another group of new residents attending. Franklin Daniel presented a first draft of the new mission statement for the group with discussion following. More work is to be done before it is formally adopted.

The crime report for August shows an overall drop in crime in PSA1 but a significant increase in violent crimes and crime with guns. 311 reports:

- Report made on 1841 Ruan Street. The property had been sealed but vandals had taken off the covering on the second floor window for entry. 311 referred it to L&I who inspected it and found the report unfounded. It has been resubmitted.
- Report on the weeds growing 3 feet high on the Margaret side of the Harding Middle School property was made. L&I did inspect and sent a notice to the owner. A second visit has been made and the weeds continue to grow. The next step is supposed to be compliance or court action.
- Report on the property at 4101 Paul Street (formerly the Platinum Bar). The property was cited for a violation. This is a bar being renovated. It has a pending liquor license which will become active when the renovations are complete.

New issues:



Community voted in favor of a variance for 1911-15 Church Street

- Car dealers on Torresdale Avenue park their cars for sale on the sidewalk. This has been an issue for years and will require a great deal of work to get corrected.

- Partnership with the Ray of Hope project and working with Frankford Forward to do block cleanups.

The next meeting of the Frankford Civic Association will be held on October 5th at 7 PM at St. Mark's Church at 4442 Frankford Avenue.

Frankford NAC

The vote went in favor of approving the application for a variance for the auto repair shop at **1911-15 Church Street** at the Frankford NAC meeting on September 8th.

The property is zoned RSA-5 for single dwellings but has been in use as an industrial site since anyone can remember. There was neighborhood support for the variance with one eligible voter in attendance.

The other cases on the agenda were:

1640 Church Street is seeking a variance for an auto detail/repair shop. The owners failed to show for the third time and must now go through the application process again.

1930 and 1958 Bridge Street are single family homes and the owner wants to convert them to triplex apartments. They came well prepared and made a presentation but the zoning notices on the properties were not on display (they had been vandalized) when the NAC visited the site. The applicant posted new notices and will ask for a continuance and return to the next meeting for a vote.

The next Frankford NAC meeting will be held on October 13th at 7 PM at the 2nd Baptist church at 1801 Meadow Street.

Northwood Civic

The Northwood Civic meeting on September 20th had a good crowd turn out to hear what is happening with the construction on Adams Avenue by the Water Department.

The Water Department is installing a new water main and replacing the existing water service. This is being done as a result of a petition by the residents who have been having problems with the existing private sewer line that now runs behind their homes.

When the new line is finished, residents will then have to pay a private plumber to connect to the main at their own expense. They will also be billed for a share of the cost of the installation of the main. It is a very expensive project which began on August 30th and is expected to take until March of 2017 to complete.

The project is adding to the traffic problems in that area especially when Northwood Charter students are coming and going. It is a good area to avoid at that time of day.

Also on the agenda was an update by Terry Heiser on the traffic smoothing project on Castor Avenue. The Streets Department has moved the scheduled completion date to Spring of 2017 which is not acceptable to the community. It was originally scheduled for completion by the end of the summer.

Heiser also warned drivers that the police are now actively enforcing traffic regulations at Ramona and Adams. This was at the request of the community to reduce the accidents and near misses that often occur at that intersection.

Marc Collazzo of Rep. Taylor's

office has been working with them to resolve this problem. He believes an agreement can be reached.

Joe Krause, Civic President, noted that burglary has now dropped from its high during the summer. The police had previously indicated that an arrest had been made. However, there was a purse stolen from a resident's home on the day of the meeting so the criminals are still out there waiting for an opportunity. Lock your doors and stay on guard.

The dumping at Frankford High's Baldwin Field continues although the dumpsters have been removed. The Civic knows the identity of one of the individuals and is working on the issue.

The conservatorship of 1301 Wakeling continues to work its way through the court system. The owners have been granted an extension of time to complete the work, so the takeover by Northwood's conservator is on hold.

The next meeting of the Northwood Civic Association will be held on October 18th at 7 PM at St. James Lutheran Church at Castor Avenue and Pratt Street.

PSA1 Crime Report

This report is for Frankford in the PSA1 area. Frankford, between Bridge Street and Cheltenham Avenue, is in PSA2 and we can't accurately break out those numbers. There have been at least 2 homicides in that area so far this year.

Taking a different look at the numbers to see if there is a trend. Comparing the last four years: More people are being shot so far this year. Burglary is going down. Robbery going down. Homicide about the same. Theft is going down. Aggravated

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Assaults up. Crime with firearms up. No more arrests for vagrancy and loitering. The theory is that this will free up the police to respond to more serious issues.

The bike patrols, as promised, have been implemented. You will see them primarily between Brill and Arrott Streets and from Penn to Duffield. They do drop in to other locations however. I noticed a group down on Orthodox at Trenton Avenue last week. The schedule varies so the bad guys can't tell when they will be swooping down on them.

January through August	2013	2014	2015	2016
Aggravated Assault - Firearm	40	50	66	74
Aggravated Assault - no firearm	143	150	134	140
Total Ag. Assaults	183	200	200	214
Burglary all	260	235	207	195
Homicide *	5	10	6	7
Robbery - firearm	62	73	100	65
Robbery - no Firearm	113	116	124	83
Total Robbery	175	189	224	148
Thefts total	613	600	571	563
Firearm crimes	102	123	166	139

Frankford Bike Ride for Peace



The bike ride for peace on September 24th was a first for Frankford. Residents and police left the Aria Jefferson parking lot where a community resource fair was also being held. The riders covered a 6-mile course through all parts of Frankford. As they passed through the neighborhood residents came out to greet the riders and some joined in as they passed.

Holiday Thriftway



Thanks to the Gilbert family for their service and generosity to the Frankford community for the last 37 years.

St. Benedict's Clothes Closet

New and well used clothing to those in need
St. Marks Church
4442 Frankford Avenue
Every Saturday from 1 PM to 3 PM

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using your smartphone, tablet or
computer to access the articles
containing the links to
bonus information. Try it today!

Now Renting

The first new construction in many years in Frankford is now renting. Located right off Oxford Avenue and a short walk to the Arrott Transportation Center.

Brand New Apartments!!! \$800/Month – one bedroom, one bath apartments available on or before 10/15/2016.

Features: hardwood floors, bedroom carpet, refrigerator, stove, dishwasher and under the counter microwave and more...

Multiple Units Available.

Call Robert Noble for more info. 267-625-5441



Frankford Community Spirit Day Honoring Al Stark, Jr.

Al Stark, Jr., a longtime Frankford resident was an active member of St. Joachim and the community. This is the 3rd Annual Community Day and each one gets better and better! We can think of no better tribute than to do for others as Al did! Thanks, Al! You are missed!

**Saturday
October 22
11 AM – 2 PM
St. Mark's Church
4442 Frankford Ave.**

Event is Free!
Activities & Games
Community Info
Free Refreshments
Fun for one and all!

KEEP THE FAITH IN FRANKFORD

All are invited and most welcome to come and join us for what is sure to be a fun-filled afternoon. Who are we? We are the parishioners who have been the Catholic presence in Frankford for the last 3 years working to reopen Saint Joachim Church and we are also more involved in all aspects of our community. We believe that Frankford is a great community because of our diversity and our people. We want to give back! Come out and join us! See you there! For more info or to participate, call Pat Smiley, 215.520.5616.

We gratefully acknowledge and value The Frankford Friendlies for their partnership, support & help for our events! Thank you all!

Donations greatly appreciated at <http://www.keepthefaithinfrankford.org>

Art Under the Trees



Great turnout for Art Under the Trees on September 17th. The Frankford ROTC once again volunteered and 25 kids had a great time. Volunteers are needed to keep the fun rolling as the Friends of Overington Park plans for the future. Come out to the next meeting at Friends Meeting House at 1500 Orthodox Street at 7 PM on October 4th (First Tuesday of every month).

Remember, if you don't tell us about your local news and upcoming events, no one else will know about it either.
Email gil@frankfordgazette.com

**The next edition of the Gazette will be distributed
on October 28th.**



FBPA Walk/Run 4FrankfordFundraiser

FRANKFORD'S 1ST ANNUAL 5K WALK/RUN

Register at:
www.raceentry.com/race/walkrun4frankford/2016/register

**Saturday, October 22, 2016
Frankford Field
1074 Dyre Street
Philadelphia, Pa 19124**

**HashTag
#FBPA4FKD**

On-site Registration: Fee \$25
OPENS at 8:00am
Race to start at 9:00am
Online registration OPENS June 1, 2016

Online registration is preferred however walk-ins are Welcome as well.
In-person, registration fees are payable by check or cash.
Check payable to the "FBPA"
Online Registration ENDS September 30, 2016

Free parking is available at the Frankford Field location at 1074 Dyre Street

RACE DAY:
8:00AM REGISTRATION
8:30AM WARM UP
9:00AM WALKERS START
9:15 AM RUNNERS START
11:00 AM MEDAL CEREMONY

For More Information :
Please Contact: Nafisah Lewis
Cell: 267-738-4529
Email: FBPA4Frankford@yahoo.com

Proceeds from the race will support the Frankford Business & Professional Association. Their mission is to assist with store improvement for the businesses on Frankford Avenue and to help create more jobs, along with striving to make Frankford a safe, healthy, and beautiful environment for EVERYONE!

State Representative Jason Dawkins 179th Legislative District

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PA 19124

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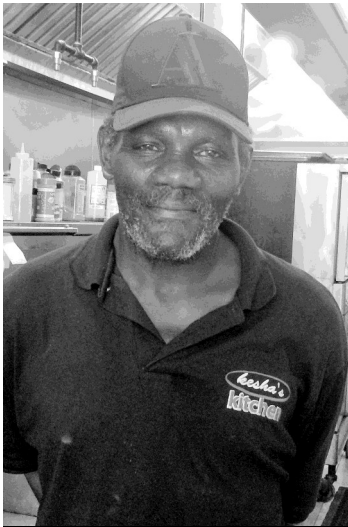
Satellite Offices:

Olney Free Library
(5th St and Tabor Rd)
5501 N. 5th Street
Fridays 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Great Awakenings Café
(Cheltenham and Horrocks)
1466 E. Cheltenham Avenue
Tuesday and Wednesdays: 10:00
a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Frankford Restaurant Review – Kesha's Kitchen

By Bob Smiley



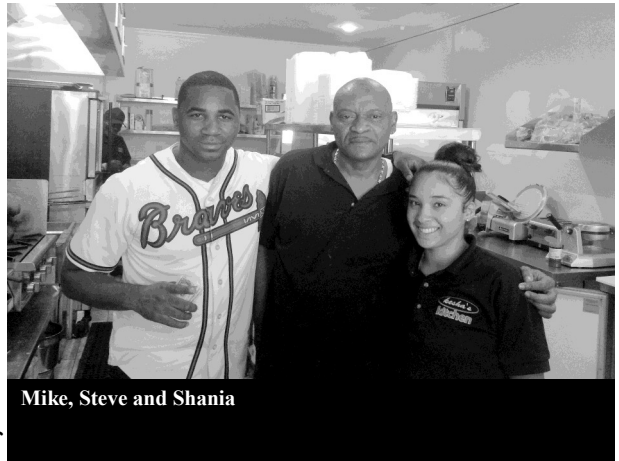
Kelvin

Located at 1621 Orthodox Street it stands out on that block because it looks really nice. My assignment on the day I walked in, was to check out the food. I had a craving for some fried fish and it was on the menu, so I thought I would give it a try.

Shania took my order and entered it into some kind of high tech system and I had a look around. There are two little tables there but most of the business is take out and they are on the Grub Hub system which makes it easy. It's the most inviting take out place in Frankford, if you are waiting for your order.

You can watch the cook who on this day was Steve working the grill.

In about 10 minutes, I was ready to go and headed home to enjoy fried whiting. The fish and fries were great. Give them a try. You can check out the menu on Grub Hub or call 215-288-1700.



Mike, Steve and Shania

Frankford High School Class of 1981, 35th Reunion (Class of 1981 Only)

To be held on October 8, 2016 from 8pm – Midnight
Ticket Price is \$75.00

If you are interested in attending the reunion, please send an email to either of the following:
Tonybono25@yahoo.com

Kimba6302@yahoo.com

When we are notified, you will be provided with the Place of the Reunion and where to send a check or money order for the tickets and any additional information that you will need.

Edward Geiger passed away on August 23, 2016 at the age of 83.



He leaves to cherish his memories, four children, Anna, Cheryl, Eduard Jr., and Tyrone (Salim), one sister, Anna Mae, four grandchildren, Tyrone, Dion, Briaira, and Sequoya, five great grandchildren, Dion, Jr., Nigel, Saybria, Eddie Jr., and Callie, And a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



William J. Britton passed away on September 12, 2016 at the age of 84.

William leaves with loving memories, his wife of sixty years; Rose Britton; his daughter Janice L. Britton; his brother Reverend Waddell M. Britton, three sisters, Buelah Britton of Temple Hill, Maryland, Russia Acee of Maryland and Mae Ola Young of Georgia; two sister in-laws; Ella Nesmith and Sallie Moore; two brother in-laws; James Jennings and Anthony Jennings; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

**Services at
Second Baptist Church of Frankford**
Rev. Darrell R. Bradsbery, Pastor
1801 Meadow Street

Wednesday Prayer Service/Bible Class 7:00 PM
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Sunday Worship Service 10:45 AM
Third Sunday Baptism
Fourth Sunday Communion

Court St. Francis De Sales #2617 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas resumed meeting on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 11 A.M. in St. Joachim Church Hall, 1527 Church St.



Membership is open to all Catholic women age 18 or older. If you are looking for a place to share your faith with other women and work to help others, we invite you to come visit and find out what we are all about.

If you have questions, call Tina Dambach, Vice Regent @ 215-779-2054.

By Richard W. Johnson

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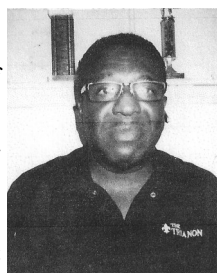
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Veterans of the Month

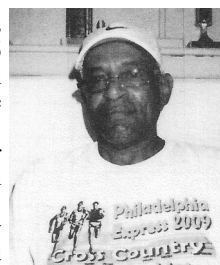
Lawrence Clay Jackson was born April 17, 1954 in the Frankford section of Philadelphia. He went to Smedley Elementary, Harding Jr. High, Frankford High School and Rutgers University. He was a Baptist at Christ Stronghold. Clay, as he was known, joined the United States Marines in August 1974 and did his basic training at Paris Island, North Carolina. He also served at El Toro, California. He received numerous awards and was promoted to the rank of E4 (Corporal). He was honorably discharged in 1973. Clay is a tenor sax (Jazz) – The Tone P, a Postal worker for 30 years and American Legion Post 224 Finance Officer. He is also an active member of Keystone V.I.P. Choice.



James Gary was born on July 6, 1959 in the Frankford section of Philadelphia. James attended Stearne Elementary, Harding Junior High and Frankford High School. James enlisted in the Army in 1975 and did his basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas. Then he was shipped to Germany. While serving, he received numerous awards and certificates and was promoted to the rank of E3 (PFC). James was honorably discharged in 1979 and he became an employee at Progress Electric Company. He is an active in American Legion Post 224, the Frankford Chargers and the Boys and Girls Club. James loves traveling, shopping crabbing and barbering.



Leonard E. James was born January 22, 1946 in the Frankford section of Philadelphia. He attended Smedley Elementary, Harding Junior High, Frankford High School and St. Joseph's. He enlisted in the Army on July 13, 1966 and was stationed at Fort Gordon Georgia. He then served time in Korea and at the Redstone Arsenal. Leonard received numerous awards and was promoted to the rank of E4 (SP4) and was honorably discharged. He became a silver smith at Keystone Silver Company and is now he is employed at Home Depot. He is an active member of Philadelphia Express Trac Club and is also a member of American Legion Post 224 and participates in other community projects. Leonard is also is a great poet and track runner.



Name	Branch	Name	Branch	Name	Branch
Robert Rose, Marines		Robert Turner Sr.*, Marines		Maxwell J. Wright, Air Force	
Jimmy Salamatin, Army		Harold M. Vaughan*, Marines		Sylvester E. Wright, Navy	
Timmy Salamatin, Marines		Harold Vaughn Jr.*, Marines		Barry E. Young, Army	
James Scott, Army		Bill Volz, Army		Walter Young Jr., Army	
Silas Sharp, Navy		Richard Whitaker, Army		John R. Abel Jr., Marines	
Joseph Smiley, Air Force		Alphonso Whitmore, Army		Stanley Adams, Marines	
Robert Smiley, Air Force		Leonard Whitmore, Army		Tillman Avery*, Navy	
Kevin Sorden, Army		Calvin Wilkerson, Army		Eugene Baldwin Jr.*, Air Force	
Jane Sorendino, Army		John E. Wilkerson, Army		Harry L. Barr*, Army	
David Taylor, Army		Melvin Wilkerson, Army		Robert Barrett*, Army	
Henry J. Taylor*, Navy		Karl Wilkinson, Navy		John Bates*, Marines	
Joe Taylor, Navy		Allen Williams, Army		Lennan Bates*, Marines	
Joseph H. Taylor, Navy		Charles Williams, Army		Tom Barland, Army	
William Tenant, Army		Felicia Williams*, Navy		Tyrik Bell, Marines	
Gregory Thomas, Marines		Jessie Williams*, Navy		Voci Bennett, Army	
Jeffrey Thomas, Army		Lawrence Williams, Marines		James Berry*, Army	
Gene Turner, Marines		Melvin Williams, Army		John Berry, Army	
Joseph Turner*, Army		Robert Williams*, Army		Kenny Berry*, Army	
Thornton Turner, Army		Antonio Wilson, Army		William Berry*, Army	
Joseph Turner, Army		Lloyd C. Wilson**, Army		Bill Beverly, Army	

*Veteran is deceased

Coming Up in Frankford

Live Music - Each Saturday 7pm - 10pm - - Great Awakenings Cafe, 1466 E Cheltenham Ave.

Keep the Faith in Frankford Meeting - Each Wednesday 6:30pm - 8pm - St. Marks, 4442 Frankford ave.

Children's Story and Craft Hour - Each Thursday 10am - 11am - Great Awakenings Cafe, 1466 E Cheltenham Ave. Ages 2 to 5

Grand Army of the Republic Museum Open House - Sun, October 2, 12pm - 5pm, 4278 Griscom Street - Presentation at 1:30 PM: Dan Cashin - "Saving the Maryland". It would be about the railroad ferry Maryland and the struggle to get troops to DC early in the war.

Step Into History Tours - Frankford, the Center of Industry - Sun, October 2, 12pm - Meet at St. Joachim parking lot on the 4300 block of Griscom Street

Fitness @Frankford! - Mon, October 3, 5:30pm - 6:30pm, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Exercise to our wonderful collection of fitness instruction videos. Open to Adults and Teens, Every Monday and Wednesday starting October 3rd - November 21st

Frankford Forward - Mon, October 3, 6:00pm - 7:15pm, St. Marks, 4442 Frankford Ave.

Preschool Storytime - Tuesday, Oct 4, 2016, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - For children and their parents. Read by Librarian, Mr. Pagan.

Extended Time - with our Digital Resource Specialist - Tue, October 4, 10am - 12pm, Frankford Branch, 4634 Frankford Ave - Do you need more time on a computer to type a paper, write e-mails, search for and apply for

jobs? Join us every first Tuesday for extended, two-hour computer sessions. Our Digital Resource Specialist will be available at this time to answer your computer questions. Space will be limited.

Friends of Overington Park - Tue, October 4, 7pm Friends Meeting House, 1500 Orthodox Street - The group maintains and supports Overington Park at Orthodox and Leiper Streets. This park has been resurrected and now hosts events almost every month of the year but it can't do it without your active participation. New members needed. Join us the first Tuesday of the month. We meet in the Park from May to September.

Spanish/English Bilingual Storytime - Wednesday, Oct 5, 2016, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - For children and their parents. Read by Librarian, Mr. Pagan.

Frankford Civic Association Meeting - Thu, October 6, 7pm, St Mark's Church Frankford, 4442 Frankford Avenue

Computer Basics with Tara - Fri, October 7, 10am - 11am, Frankford Neighborhood Library - Learn to Use E-mail - Brush up on your computer skills with our Digital Resource Specialist. Space may be limited. Fridays from 10:00 a.m. to noon.

Movies and Popcorn - Fri, October 7, 3:15pm - 4:15pm, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Come enjoy a movie and freshly made popcorn with our new popcorn maker.

Mr. Pagan's Reading Club for Boys - Sat, October 8, 2pm - 3pm, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Come to listen and talk about fun, interesting scary books for boys ages 9 to 12 and to do a fun activity. Members are eligible to win books.

Come and join PRCB.

Historical Society of Frankford - Wed, October 12, 7:30pm - 9:00pm, 1507 Orthodox St. - Cartography Evolved Technology - Fred Prescott's career as a cartographer included five years of service with the Aero Space Corporation of Philadelphia. He will discuss some of his most interesting and challenging projects including development of highly classified military maps and the tax map of Orange County, New York and laying out lunar landing strips for NASA.

Neighborhood Advisory Committee Meeting - Thu, October 13, 7pm, 2nd Baptist Church, 1801 Meadow St.

Frankford Forward - Mon, October 17, 6:00pm, St. Marks, 4442 Frankford Ave.

Northwood Civic Association Meeting - Tue, October 18, 7pm, St. James Lutheran Church, at Castor Avenue and Pratt Street.

Teen Third Thursday - Thu, October 20, 4:30pm, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Crafts, games and fun for Teens Only.

First Annual Frankford 5K - Sat, October 22, 8am - 12pm, Frankford Stadium, 1074 Dyre St - FPBA Walk/Run - 8AM registration, \$25 - Walk starts at 9AM. Run starts 9:15AM, Award ceremony at 11AM. Info 267-738-4529 or email FPBA4Frankford@yahoo.com

Minecraft Club - Saturday, Oct 22, 2016 2 PM, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Come build and play Minecraft with other kids, ages 8 to 14. Your host will be librarian Mr. Pagan. We'll be playing in peaceful mode only!

Third Annual Frankford Community Spirit Day Honoring Al Stark - Sat, October 22, 11am - 2pm, St. Marks Church Parking Lot, 4442 Frankford Ave. - Fall activity for kids: hot dogs, soda, chips. Face painting, Fire Department, activities, games and Autumn Autos.

Senior Breakfast - Tue, October 25, 8am, Aria Health, Frankford - 2nd floor cafeteria - Aria will provide our community seniors with monthly, insightful tips and information on issues that are directly affecting you and your health. Breakfast will be provided free of charge. To reserve your seat call 1-877-808-2742 and then press 2.

Community Service Briefing - Housing/Homeless Prevention Event - Tue, October 25, 10am - 1pm, Faith Assembly of God Church, 1926 Margaret Street - Presenters: Project H.O.M.E., Utility Emergency Service Fund, Coalition Against Hunger, PECO and Office of Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing. • Free Bag of Groceries for all who attend. For More Information, please contact, Christine DeJesus, NAC Coordinator (215)-743-6580 cdejesus1129@gmail.com

Wii with Vince - Wed, October 26, 4:30pm, Frankford Neighborhood Library, 4634 Frankford Avenue - Come play your favorite Wii games with Mr. Vince. For Teens and school-aged kids.

15th Police District PSA1 Meeting - Thu, October 27, 7pm, Aria Hospital, 4900 Frankford Ave

Tricky Trays - Sun, October 30, 12pm - 3pm, St. Joachim Church Hall, 1527 Church St.

Frankford Forward - Mon, October 31, 6:00pm, St. Marks, 4442 Frankford Ave.

**Services at
St. Mark's Episcopal Church**
4442 Frankford Ave.

**8:30AM SIMPLE AND
SHORT WORSHIP**

**Sunday Morning Bible Study: 9:00am
10:00AM Main WORSHIP SERVICE**

**Services at
Faith Assembly of God**
1926 Margaret St

Sunday 11 A.M. and 6:30 P.M.

Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

Friday 7:30 P.M.

Campbell AME Church
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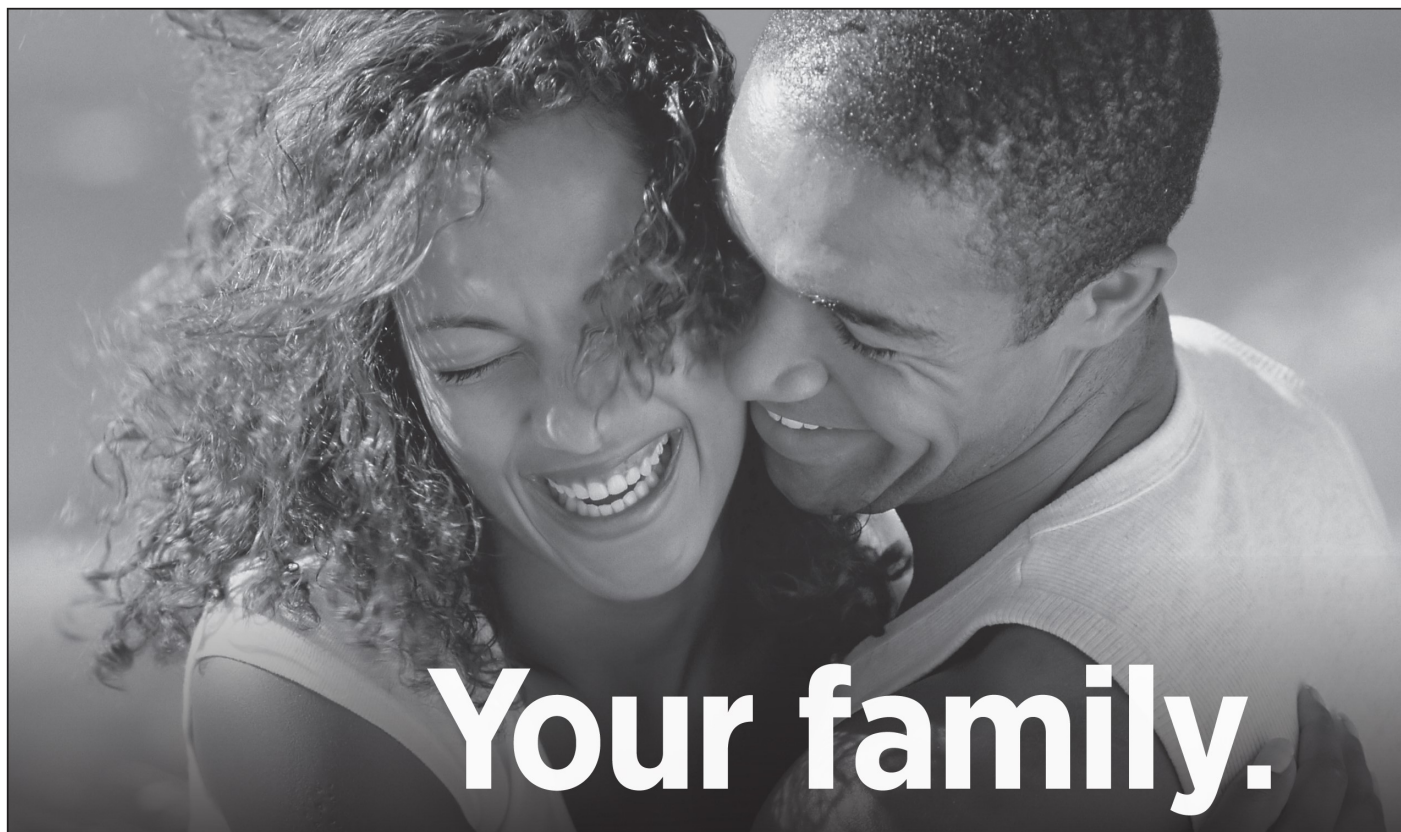
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