BOROUGH OF ROBESONIA
“The Garden Spot of the Lebanon Valley”

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Friday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM and Saturday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM,
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BERKS RADIO (Non-Emergency): 610-655-4911

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The officials of the Borough of Robesonia WELCOME all the new families that have chosen Robesonia as their place of residence. We hope you will support our Borough and use its many facilities.

At the Borough Hall you can:
Pay your trash bills, apply for building and zoning permits, pick up voter registration forms, Borough maps and dog license applications. The Borough issues one recycling container per property. We do not replace stolen or lost lids or wheels. If you move from the property, the recycling container must remain there.
Trash pick-up is every Friday. Recycling pick-up is every Thursday.
Large or bulk items may be contracted separately with County Wide Sanitation at 1-866-573-4893.
FROM THE MAYOR’S DESK
Randy Gartner

As you may have heard, Robesonia Borough has voted to dissolve the Western Berks Police Department. We would like to thank Chief Schlicter for his hard work and dedication. There were several reasons for Council making its decision. The state needs to change some of the rules governing police departments that would make it more affordable for small towns and boroughs. But I seriously doubt that our elected officials at the state level have the will or the courage to make these necessary changes. Borough Council will be looking at our options over the next few months. I will update you as soon as we have made some decisions.

Western Berks Regional Police Department-
(Chief William Schlichter)

As the warm spring weather approaches, Western Berks Regional Police Department wants to remind you of some tips to keep yourself and your home safe during the spring and summer months.

1. Always keep your home doors and windows locked when you leave, even if it’s just for a short period of time.
2. Secure all lawn and gardening equipment in your garage/shed, and keep the door closed and locked. Never leave your garage/shed open and unattended.
3. Always secure your bicycles.
4. Be cautious of solicitors or contractors who offer to repair your home at “deep discount” and/or who request cash up front to complete the work.
5. Don’t allow mail or newspapers to build up in your mailbox or on your porch.
6. If you are going on vacation, please contact the Western Berks Regional Police Department for a vacation form and, while you are away, Officers will check your home.
7. Always be aware of your surroundings and report any suspicious activity to the police department.

As many of you are aware, Robesonia has decided to disband the Western Berks Regional Police Department. While this news saddens our department, we want you all to know how we appreciate the time that we were able to serve and protect the residents and businesses of Robesonia. In the past 9 years we have grown as a police department and have worked hard to make both boroughs safer and provide all residents a better sense of community. Sometimes changes must occur and we have to move forward, but the police would like everyone to know that we wish you all the best of luck and as always, stay safe.

You can contact Western Berks Regional Police Department, at 610-678-2835, Monday thru Friday 8:00 – 4:00. Or contact us through our website at westernberksregionalpolice.org But if you see any suspicious activity contact Berks County Radio ASAP at 610-655-4911.

THE WORD ON THE STREETS...........

SPRING CLEAN-UP

2019 Spring Clean-Up will be held on Friday, May 3rd and Saturday, May 4th from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Mark these dates on your calendars since we only have one clean up a year! Due to the rising disposal costs of Spring Clean-Up, the Borough Council of Robesonia has declared the following:

- All materials to be disposed of must be delivered to the Borough Garage located at 210 S. Elm St. by the individual.
- Confirmation of residency (identification) must be provided.
- Following is a list of charges for disposal:
  - Mattresses, boxsprings - $40.00
  - Stuffed Furniture (ea. Pc) - $10.00
  - Major appliances - $20.00
  - Refrigerators/ Freezers - $35.00
  - Air Conditioners - $10.00
- NO Tires – NO Toxic Waste
- All fees will be collected at the Borough Garage and are payable with cash, check or money order only.
- The Borough has the right to reject any excessive quantity of disposable material.

NOTICE: When purchasing tires, insist that your dealer dispose of the replaced ones. No toxic waste,
such as oil-based paint, etc. will be accepted. If you have any questions, please call the Borough Office at (610) 693-3474.

**REMINDER:** Effective January 24, 2013, The Pennsylvania Covered Device Recycling Act requires that all consumers not dispose of covered devices, such as computers, laptops, monitors, televisions, etc., with their trash. Trash haulers are no longer able to take these devices. The Borough is no longer able to accept these devices at Spring Clean-up. In order to dispose of electronics, tires, hazardous waste, etc., please contact the Berks County Solid Waste Authority at 610-478-6362 to find out dates/times you can drop off those items.

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**What's Happening at Your Library**

**Spring 2019 Library Activities**

**Children and Youth Programs:**
- **Art Attack** March 11th & May 13th at 6:30 pm. Learn about a new artist and make your own masterpiece in that style. For ages 8 and up.
- **Family Movie Night** March 25th & April 25th at 6 pm. Snacks will be available to purchase during the movie. All ages welcome!
- **Teen Time** March 5th & 19th, April 2nd, 16th & 30th, May 14th & 28th at 4 pm. Enjoy snacks, crafts and games. For ages 11-16.
- **LEGO Club** March 13th & 27th, April 10th & 24th, May 8th & 22nd at 4 pm. At each meeting, there will be a new theme to BUILD on! For ages 0-100.
- **Preschool STEAM Story Time** March 6th & 20th, April 3rd & 17th at 9:45 am. A Berks County Story Rider will present STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) concepts geared toward preschoolers. Children of all abilities are welcome! Ages 2-5.
- **Little Friends Story Time** Thursday at 11 am. Miss Jenn will share stories, songs and activities for children from birth to age 5.

*formerly Tween Time for ages 10-13.

**Special Events:**
- **Crafternoon** Saturday, March 9th from 10 -11 am. Visit the library and make a Wood Slice Owl to take home.
- **Bingo Fundraiser** Saturday, March 30th. Doors open at 10 am, bingo starts at 11 am. The event will be held at St. Paul’s UCC in Robesonia. Tickets are $25 or $30 at the door. Included in ticket cost are cards for 10 bingo rounds, dabber, coffee and tea. Tickets can be purchased at the library or from any Board Member. Please contact the library for more information.

**Spring Book, Baked Goods and Botanicals Sale**
Saturday, May 11th from 9 am to 1 pm. Stop by the Borough Hall meeting room to buy used books, sweet treats and plants. All proceeds benefit the library.

**Paint Party Monday, April 8th** from 6 to 8 pm. Stop by the library to see a sample painting and sign up, only 20 seats available! A $5 deposit required at sign up, $15 due at party.

**Holiday Closures:**
Closed Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day

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**Friends of Robesonia Community Library**

A big THANK YOU to those of you who have so generously responded to our membership drive in the fall which amounted to over $3,000 in donations. That’s a record! We are extremely grateful that there are so many of you in the community who believe, as we obviously do, in the power of libraries and the value that our small but mighty Robesonia Community Library adds to our area.

Exciting events are on our agenda for this year. Our 2019 spring book, botanical and bake sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 11, from 9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m. The botanicals for sale include native perennial plants and flowering annuals—perfect plants to attract bees, butterflies and hummingbirds. Don’t forget about the special RCL tote bag sale from 12 to 1. Buy a bag for just $5.00 and you can fill it up with book sale items. In the meantime, keep those donations of gently used books, CDs and DVDs coming in. You can drop them off at the library during the hours of operation.

A summer bus trip to a family-friendly, out-of-town destination might be in the works. Look for posters which are distributed around town and in local churches for all our events.

“My two favourite things in life are libraries and bicycles. They both move people forward without wasting anything. The perfect day: riding a bike to the library.”

— Peter Golkin
1. Grass/weeds cannot exceed 6” in height.
2. It is unlawful to blow grass clippings into the street. Violators may be fined up to $1,000.00.

**GIRL SCOUT NEWS**

It’s COOKIE TIME!!! The cookie sale is the majority of our funding for the year. Along with that, the girls learn so much by participating themselves.

February is a busy month for the girls – they create pinewood cars to compete in our annual PowderPuff Derby. Whose car is the fastest? Also there are prizes for decorating their cars – their imagination is limitless! Also in February, the girls celebrate World Thinking Day. This is a special day set aside to ‘think’ about Girl Scouts and Girl Guides around the world. It’s a day to explore other cultures and to better understand world issues.

As always, girls K to 12 can join Girl Scouts any time during the year. Adult volunteers are also welcome. For more information contact Ann Reynolds – AnnR40@comcast.net 610-693-6640.

**TAXPAYER REMINDERS**

Hello! It’s been a tough few months for me and I thank everyone for all the well wishes and your willingness to work with my deputy and wife, Ann during school taxes.

On March 1 the County and Borough tax bills will be sent out. March and April will be the 2% discount period, May and June flat rate period and after June 30 there will be a 10% penalty.

I will be available **at the Borough office** on:
- April 15 – 10 AM to noon
- April 17 – 10 AM to noon
- April 22 – 10 AM to noon
- April 24 – 10 AM to noon

Please make checks payable to Marshall C. Reynolds, Borough of Robesonia Tax Collector.

You can also call me at 610-693-6640 for an appointment if these times do not work for you. If you prefer, you can mail your payment to me. When mailing your payment, if you require a receipt you will need to enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope along with your bill and check.

Another option – I have a locked drop box next to my office door at 276 S. Church St. Please, please do not drop payments in my mailbox at the curb – I cannot be responsible if the postal service picks it up in error.

Don’t forget to turn your clocks ahead!

March 10, 2019

**ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION**

Friday, April 26, 2019
134 East Penn Avenue
10:30 AM (NEW TIME!)

Come celebrate Robesonia’s 29th year as a Tree City USA Honoree! This year’s program will be held on East Penn Avenue.

Our own John Ravert, Robesonia Shade Tree Commission Chairman and a PA DCNR Bureau of Forestry representative, will be speakers and Mayor Randy Gartner will read the annual proclamation! Hope to see you there!
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MEMORIAL REMEMBRANCE FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN OF U.S. ARMED FORCES

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2019
6:30 P.M.

HENRY P. ROBESON MEMORIAL PARK*

A brief memorial remembrance ceremony will be held at Robesonia’s Henry P. Robeson Memorial Park to honor the very special men and women of our community who gave their lives for our great nation while serving in our armed forces to protect us and the freedoms we greatly value. Everyone is encouraged to attend this ceremony to show respect and gratitude for the ultimate sacrifice these heroes made. Children also are welcome and especially invited.

*At the intersection of Penn Avenue and Robeson Street (at the traffic signal) in Robesonia.

CW COMMUNITY POOL -- OPEN FOR BUSINESS IN 2019!!

Another Summer and another great year to join the CW Pool.

Following the success of last Summer, we are looking forward to seeing everyone back again next year. With a fresh new look and a few new faces on the team, CWCP is heading in the right direction -- but we can always use more help from volunteers and, of course, new members!!

AND, WE LOVE OUR DAILY GUESTS AND PARTY PATRONS. If you can't make up your mind about joining for the whole summer, consider this: the cost per person is around a $1 each (or less) for members, but daily passes are almost 10-times that amount. You only have to come a few times to get your monies' worth for a Summer Membership to CWCP.

SENIORS: For patrons 65 and older, we are happy to announce the return of the seniors' membership rate: $75. Proof of age will be required when you first come to the pool. Must be 65 by June 1st.

Summer 2019 Membership fees are as follows:
$75 - senior membership
$95 - single adult membership
$190 - two adult memberships
$275 - family membership
$370 - family membership plus babysitter

NOW HIRING: Lifeguards and concessions stand help, visit cwpool.org to apply. Lifeguards must be 15 years or older, and have a valid Red Cross or similar LG Certification by the start of the Summer ... NOW is the time to sign up for classes or renew your certification.

SWIM TEAM: Sign-up information for swim team will be posted soon.

SWIM LESSONS: Swim Lessons will be offered again from the CW Pool. Details will be posted as soon as they are available.

MORE HELP IS ALWAYS APPRECIATED!! You know what REALLY makes the CW Pool a fantastic local hot spot?? YOU DO! Ask a lifeguard about how you can get involved and help make the CW Pool even better. You won't regret it!

To find out more, visit www.cwpool.org or email us at membership@cwpool.org.
The CW Lions want to thank everyone who purchased a tree from our Christmas Tree stand. The profits were again used to pay for the many food baskets club members personally delivered to individuals in need in the Conrad Weiser Community. The remaining profits were donated to the Conrad Weiser Food Pantry.

Our Annual Pancake and Sausage breakfast will be held on February 24th in the high school cafeteria. The profits from the breakfast will be donated to the Conrad Weiser Youth Basketball Program. Community support for this annual breakfast is greatly appreciated.

The Lions Club Scholarship Committee is currently receiving applications from members of the 2019 Conrad Weiser graduating class. We encourage any person who will be furthering his/her education after graduation to obtain an application from the school. The Lions will be providing six one thousand-dollar ($1,000) scholarships, funded by the profits from our annual Terry Clay Memorial Golf Tournament.

The CW Lions Club is one of the oldest and most active men’s organizations in the area. We have been serving our local community since 1955 and have never lost sight of the Lions International motto “WE SERVE”. If you would like to become involved in serving your community while meeting new friends and expanding your social contacts, consider joining the CW Lions. Our general membership meetings are held at Ozgood’s Restaurant at 6:30 PM on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month, September through June. We are always looking for new members. Please stop in and introduce yourself. For further information please visit our website at: www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/conradweiser/

The 37th Annual Terry Clay Memorial Golf Tournament will be held Saturday, June 15th at the beautiful Galen Hall Country Club. The format will be a scramble with an 1 PM shotgun start. The price of $85.00 includes hamburgers, hot dogs, snacks and beverages during the round. Following the round, golfers are treated to a raw bar and a steak dinner. Posters and fliers listing details and special prizes will be available closer to the event. We are most appreciative of the community support from our many business and individual sponsors. This is a very important event since it funds the six $1,000.00 scholarships the CW Lions give to deserving 2019 graduating seniors. Lions Steve Bright (610-693-6420) and Steve Zerbe (610-781-7763) are the co-chairmen. Please make plans to get your foursome together NOW.

ATTENTION GOLFERS!!!
This is an open invitation to any male golfer with a Robesonia 19551 mailing address (you don’t have to live in the Borough to qualify!) to play in the Robesonia Golf League. This league has been in operation for sixty plus years and has been an important part of summer for many Robesonia hackers. It’s a great night of fun! Sign up now as a Regular player (as positions are available) or as a Substitute.
Being a great golfer or having a low handicap or average is not a requirement! Players are classified by their average and present league averages range from low of 70 to high of 110. The weekly format is match play with a playoff at the end of the season to determine the team champion. The league plays on Monday afternoon/evenings (must tee off by 5PM) and runs from the end of April through August. The league plays at Lebanon Valley Golf Course near Myerstown (the greens fee and cart rental are priced very affordably). You must be out of high school or eighteen years of age to play. You must also be reliable in attendance if selected as a Regular player or asked to play as a Substitute. Annual league dues are $10 per player. If you are interested in joining or would like more information, call Steve Bright at 610-693-6420.

Mar. 13 - at St. Francis Roman Catholic, Robesonia
Mar. 20 - at Zion Lutheran, Womelsdorf
Mar. 27 - at Trinity Lutheran, Wernersville
Apr. 3 - at St. Daniel’s Lutheran, Robesonia
Apr. 10 - at Trinity Lutheran, Robesonia

Save This Date - Saturday, June 1st, 2019
4th Annual Trinity Fellowship Golf Tournament Supports Jack Frost Scholarship Fund for Conrad Weiser High School seniors
4-Person Scramble at Green Acres Golf Course
For more information or to register your foursome – contact the church office!

Save the Dates - Trinity’s Music Camp
June 17th through June 21st (9:00am to 3:00pm) - open to all children having completed grade 3 and up. $35 per person. Must be present to perform at worship services Saturday, June 22nd @5pm and Sunday, June 23rd @ 8 & 9:30am. Registration forms available by calling the church office.

Save the Dates - Trinity’s Vacation Bible School
July 15th through July 19th (9:00am to noon) - open to all children ages four through 6th grade. No charge with early registration.

Trinity’s Senior Group Bus Trips
We call ourselves ABO (Anything but Old!). This group is for adults age 55 and older. We like to go on trips to enjoy dinner out and some kind of entertainment. We like fellowship – spending time with our friends and making new friends. Join us in our travels; you do not have to be a Trinity member to participate.

Here are our upcoming trips:
May 16th – Lancaster Trip. Magic Lantern Show about slavery and the under-ground railroad. Lunch at Plain & Fancy, and the American Music Theatre show called “Ovations”. Transportation included for $130 per person.
June 11th – Bird-In-Hand, Shopping at Roots Farmers Market, Buffet Lunch & Show “Stolen”. (Transportation included for $86 per person.)
Dec. 2-6th – Christmas in Williamsburg - $875 per person, double occupancy. (Single $1,110)
For this five day bus trip, please call the church office for the itinerary!

CHURCH NEWS

Trinity Lutheran Church
108 S. Robeson Street
Robesonia, PA 19551
610-693-6062

Palm Sunday Services:
Saturday, April 13th at 5:00pm and Sunday, April 14th at 8:00 & 10:45am.
Parade of Palms at 10:15am on Sunday.

EASTER EGG HUNT – (rain or shine) for children up to grade 6 – Saturday, April 13th at 11:00am.

Lent and Easter Services:
March 6th – Ash Wednesday Worship 7:00pm
April 18th – Maundy Thursday Worship 7:00pm
April 19th – Good Friday Worship 7:00pm
Easter Worship - Saturday, April 20th 5:00pm
Sunday, April 21st Sunrise Service at 6:00am,
Festival Worship at 8:00, 9:15, & 10:45am

Ministerium Lenten Worship & Lunches: Once again the Conrad Weiser Ministerium will sponsor a noon worship service and a light lunch during Lent. The service and meal will last about one hour, so if you need to return to work you may do so, or stay and enjoy added fellowship. A free-will offering will be taken to benefit the Conrad Weiser Area Ministerium.

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St. Paul’s United Church of Christ
301 West Penn Avenue
Robesonia, Pa.
610 621 5770
e-mail: office@SPRUCC.org
website: www.SPRUCC.org
Off- street Parking
Handicapped Accessible

Soup and Such dates- free meal
February -28
March 28
Men’s Fellowship Group
Ham and Dandelion Dinner 11am-2pm
21st Century Christian Women
Easter Candy Sale
Saturday April 13th 11am-2pm
Free Gun Safety Workshop
March 31st  1:00PM
Free luncheon served prior to Workshop
For more information call the church

PET ORDINANCE REMINDERS!

1. All dogs must be kept on a leash (off their own properties) no longer than 6’ in length.
2. Dogs cannot bark for longer than 10 minutes continuously or ½ hour intermittently.
3. It is unlawful to allow animals to defecate upon any public street, sidewalk, park or other public place unless immediately removed and disposed of.
4. A maximum of 6 pets per dwelling unit is permitted.
5. Pet owners are responsible for collecting and properly disposing of all fecal matter from pets (including on their own properties!) to ensure it does not create a nuisance.

FERAL/STRAY CAT ORDINANCE REMINDER!
It is now unlawful to feed stray and feral cats unless you are a registered colony keeper with No Nonsense Neutering. If you are caught feeding stray/feral cats you can now be fined up to $500 for violations.

ROBESONIA COMMUNITY YARD SALE!
SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH
The Annual Spring Robesonia Townwide Yard Sale is Saturday June 15th this year. The Facebook Event page may be found now on Facebook Page-Robesonia Townwide Yard Sale-Western Berks County, PA.
The event page is public so you may share it with your family and friends or invite them to like the page as well. If you are not on Facebook you may email me your Yard Sale listing with highlights. Email me at Robesoniayardsale@hotmail.com. There is also a website (www.robesoniayardsale.wixsite.com/townwide) for those not on Facebook to get all the information.
I am looking at a new Yard Sale Map App this year. I will have it on all platforms once up.
NEW THIS YEAR! A Spring Craft Fair and Market at the Basketball Court will be going until 1pm. Please stop by and grab and bite to eat and check out all our great new vendors!
REMINDER: make sure you post up on event page or send me your location with highlights of what you are selling.
ALSO reminder for Town residents off of Penn Ave/Rt 422 to put up a sign on Penn Ave/ Rt 422 letting buyers know you have a yard sale down your street!
Stephanie Moultrie-Town Yard Sale Organizer
The Friends of the Robesonia Furnace Annual Dinner will be held Tuesday, March 19th at 6pm at Ozgoods. This year’s guest speaker will be Burt Webber. Burt grew up in Robesonia and in 1978 discovered the Spanish Treasure ship the Conception. Burt will talk about growing up in Robesonia, discovering the ship and about his brother Bob who spent 40 years as a Forest Ranger in northern Pennsylvania. Cash bar starts at 5:30 pm. Dinner at 6:30 pm. Short meeting then Burt Webber’s presentation.

Dinner choices will be:
- Chicken Cordon Blue $23.00
- Black Diamond Steak $26.00
- Roast Turkey with gravy $21.00

Includes Salad, Vegetable, Roasted Potatoes, Roll, soda, coffee, tea and desert.

If you wish to attend send a check made out to Friends of the Robesonia Furnace to PO Box 162, Robesonia, PA 19551

Please include your meal choices and your contact information.

If you would like to visit the Furnace Museum, please call the mayor at 484-955-7381

In a world where our resources are finite, it’s important we recycle whenever we can. Recycling involves the process of gathering and processing materials (such as plastic and cans) that would otherwise be discarded and converting them into something new and useful. Recycling is vital for cleaning up the environment and keeping our communities clean. By reusing recycled items to produce new products we reduce the impact we have on Mother Nature. Also, it doesn’t hurt that you can also make a little bit of extra money by recycling the right types of items.

**Recycling Paper**

The United States recycles a lot of paper. In fact, paper makes up half of the overall recycled materials in the entire country. Though recycling paper is a fairly simple process, there are a few tips you should keep in mind. When recycling paper, try to keep it from getting wet as it may cause the paper to be unusable for recycling purposes. If you can, try to use a black marker to block out sensitive information on paper you intend to recycle as opposed to shredding it. During the recycling process ink can be easily removed. However shredded paper reduces the fiber lengths, thus making it much more complicated to recycle and reuse and new paper.

**Recycling Plastic**

Plastic has always been seen as a valuable resource, and should be recycled whenever possible. Most American communities have access to plastic recycling facilities, however the type of plastic that can be recycled varies from community to community. You can typically visit a Community website to learn exactly what types of plastic you can recycle.

**Recycling Metal**

Generally speaking, recycling metal will fetch you a much higher price than recycling cans and bottles. Many of our everyday consumer products are composed of metal making it one of the most highly valued resources to recycle. Products such as clothes hangers, batteries and appliances are just a few of the consumer goods we use every day that is composed of metal. Recycling metal has multiple benefits. The first is that recycling keeps metal out of the landfills, thus reducing the impact on the planet. The second is you can generally make more money recycling scrap metal than other recyclables. Either way, recycling metal is a win-win for both you and the planet.

**WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP CONTROL THE SPOTTED LANTERNFLY**

The most effective way to eliminate these insects is to disrupt their favorite food and hang-out. In late summer and fall, Spotted Lanternflies prefer feeding on Ailanthus altissima, commonly known as the "Tree of Heaven." They can be found feeding on other plants and trees, but Ailanthus altissima is their favorite host. Here’s an excellent resource to help you identify the tree:

https://pubs.ext.vt.edu/content/dam/pubs_ext_vt_edu/420/420-322/420-322_pdf.pdf

If you have Ailanthus on your property: please consider reducing the number of Ailanthus trees, then treat remaining “trap trees” with insecticides. This is a longer-lasting solution than simply spraying insects you see. More detail about this process can be found at the following websites:

http://www.agriculture.pa.gov/Protect/PlantIndustry/spotted_lanternfly/Documents/What%20to%20do%20if%20you%20find%20spotted%20lanternfly%20on%20your%20property%20fact%20sheet%20February%202017.pdf
RCA
EASTER EGG HUNT
SATURDAY
April 20, 2019
1:00 PM
Rain or Shine!
Bring the kids out for a hoppin’ good time!

ANNUAL TROUT RODEO!!
Sponsored by
Robesonia Fish & Game
May 11-12, 2019
Open to CW students ages 0-15
Registration begins at 7AM
Fishing begins at 9AM
Free hot dogs & soda for the kids!
PRIZES! PRIZES! PRIZES!

GET READY FOR THE ROBESONIA COMMUNITY YARD SALE!!
SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH

Look for our Facebook Event Page at Robesonia Townwide Yard Sale
Where you can post items of special interest, where your stand is located, etc.
Contact Stephanie Moultrie at Robesoniayardsale@hotmail.com. If questions, comments, suggestions or if you just have a desire to help out!

DIG OUT THOSE “TREASURES”!!