

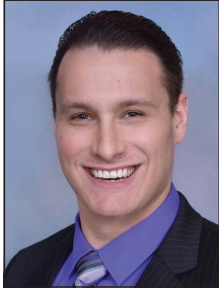
The Dunellen



Report

Message by the Mayor

By: Mayor Jason F. Cilento



Mayor Cilento

To paraphrase the great American Revolutionary War patriot Thomas Paine, “These are the times that try people’s souls.” Just as our Founding Fathers in 1776 faced an implacable enemy, so do we face a 2020 a formidable foe. And just as we did 244 years ago, the American people must today stay united, stalwart and possessed with calm but fierce determination.

As I write this message to the residents of Dunellen, the Coronavirus, or COVID-19, has devastated our nation, wreaking havoc on our health care system and forcing the close-down of many facets of our economy. All of you have been instructed in best practices for minimizing the contagion of the disease. These measures include rigorous personal hygiene and respect for social distancing. Many of you are working from home, working alternating shifts, or have been sent home from businesses that can no longer remain open and thus cannot afford a payroll. The Federal Government has passed a two trillion-dollar aid package, but even so the financial pain is profound for many of our people.

On a significant note, I remind you that our businesses downtown will need our support throughout this crisis, and even more so, after this is all said and done. Please consider purchasing items online, buying gift-cards, and/or taking advantage of many of our downtown food establishments’ take-out/delivery options. The majority of the businesses downtown are mom and pop shops, owned by our family, friends and neighbors and have been here for generations. Supporting local means you are supporting those directly in our own community. They have given time and time again to non-profit organizations in Dunellen, to our school programs and to our overall community; our call is now to help them, and to help our local economy.

Events are moving fast but I want to relate to you what measures the Dunellen Municipal Government has taken. My Office has been in constant contact with the Dunellen Office of Emergency Management, the Dunellen Police and Fire Departments, the Dunellen Rescue Squad, the Dunellen Department of Public Works, the Dunellen School District and Superintendent Gene Mosley, the Middlesex County Health Department, the County OEM, and the Borough Administrator’s Office. I have been in touch with our Congresswoman, Bonnie Watson Coleman, State Senator Nicholas Scutari, and Assemblypersons James Kennedy and Linda Carter. I have been on conference calls with the Governor’s Office,

U.S. Senator Menendez & U.S. Senator Booker, as well as with the Middlesex County Freeholders. I receive daily email updates from many Federal, State and County agencies which are shared among all the emergency services. I think we are as informed as we can be, and all our Dunellen people are working together to plan and effectuate the best course of action in our municipal response to this virus.

I encourage everyone to keep up-to-date on Covid-19 and the Borough’s response by going to our website: www.dunellen-nj.gov, and hitting the link on our website’s homepage for Coronavirus. The direct URL is: http://www.dunellen-nj.gov/news_detail_T30_R11.php

This page includes all of Governor Murphy’s Executive Orders, links to the New Jersey State Department of Health, the CDC (Centers for Disease Control) and to Middlesex County resources. These links are being constantly updated so they should be referred to everyday. As of now, the Municipal Building is closed to the public, but most offices are being staffed. Someone is in the Clerk’s Office Monday – Friday, 9:00 – 4:00, and you can reach them by calling 732-968-3033. Individual departments are setting their own hours so I advise that you call that department directly (their numbers are in the Web site directory page) or call the Clerk’s Office and they will help.

Governor Phil Murphy through his Executive Orders has decreed that only essential businesses can remain open:

These essential businesses include:

- Hospitals, health care facilities and stores within the facilities
- Grocery stores and liquor stores
- Farmer’s markets and farms that sell directly to customers
- Food banks
- Pharmacies
- Medical supply stores
- Gas stations and convenience stores
- Banks and other financial institutions
- Pet supply stores
- Hardware and home improvement stores
- Laundromats and dry-cleaning services
- Car dealerships, but only for auto maintenance and repair and auto mechanics
- Mail and delivery stores
- Stores that principally sell supplies for children under 5 years old
- Physical therapy offices
- Restaurants and bars can offer takeout and delivery services only
- Mobile phone retail and repair shops
- Bicycle shops, but only to provide service and repair
- Livestock feed stores
- Nurseries and garden centers
- Farming equipment stores
- Medical facilities such as doctor’s

The April 6, 2020 Council Meeting is cancelled. The April 20, 2020 Council Meeting will be by way of a teleconference. Information on how this will be accomplished will be posted on the Dunellen website when arrangements are finalized.

offices, hospitals, dentist offices, long-term care facilities, physical therapy offices and other medical offices can remain open.

However, there should be no gatherings of any kind — no weddings, no funerals except very immediate family, no in-person business meetings — which previously had been limited to 50 people. There is no travel ban but people should try to stay home between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m. unless they’re commuting or have a reasonable reason to be out.

Retailers also are allowed to continue their businesses online.

I cannot emphasize enough that it is the policy of the Borough of Dunellen to adhere strictly to all of the orders emanating from Governor Murphy. The Governor has stated: “We are hearing too many reports of some nonretail businesses which are violating both in fact and in spirit the order requiring 100% work from home with limited exceptions. Some businesses have gone so far as to deem all of their employees essential to force them to report to work. Others are simply refusing flat out to follow the order. Let me be clear. My executive order is not a polite suggestion. It

is an order. No one, and I mean no one who can do their job from home should be going to work in an office. We must have 100% compliance. This is about public health and it’s about people’s lives, your employees’ lives, their families’ lives, and your life.”

I believe Dunellen has stayed ahead of the curve regarding preventive measures against COVID-19, even at times ahead of the State and Federal government, putting into place strong guidelines to help flatten the curve since our first notice on March 13th. The following is what we have implemented:

- We issued directives for borough employees to remain within their own departments unless business required in-person communication, while standing six feet apart.
- We closed municipal buildings to the public.
- We commercially cleaned all borough facilities and plan to continue this service.
- We cancelled our April 6th council meeting and plan to hold our April 20th council meeting by teleconference.

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- Saturday, 4/4 12:30-3:00pm*
- Tuesday, 4/21 7:00-8:00pm*

* Pending state and municipal regulations and restrictions for library operations due to the pandemic.

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Dunellen Police Department (from the beginning until about 1928)

Prepared by William M. Robins, Ph.D., RMC

When Dunellen was part of Piscataway, law and order was enforced by county constables, but this system failed to maintain the degree of peace some local residents desired. What Dunellen considered a serious problem was the absence of a lock-up in town in which to confine disorderly persons. In 1893 someone advocated putting up a small building to house this facility. Private subscriptions accumulated only about one-sixth of the money needed so the project was abandoned. Later when a vote was taken on the proposition it failed to pass because only 101 people cast ballots.

Rumor had it that another reason for its defeat was Red Pat's claim to being the instigator of a movement to vote down the jail. Some wag placed a board in the middle of the vacant lot next to the depot on which was painted "No Lock-up," in bold letters. Red Pat was jubilant over it. When he saw the sign, he went over and christened it with a mug of beer.

Another effort was made to build a jail cell by forming a stock company and that failed. Agitation for a lock-up continued, its supporters pointed out that much of the drunkenness on our streets was attributed to men from Plainfield and surrounding communities who knew Dunellen had no place to house them. When arrests were made, officials had to take their charges to New Brunswick, which was a time consuming chore and not relished by the officers, especially when it occurred in the middle of the night.

It was July, 1896 before a Councilman acquired prices and literature regarding "the steel cages for the incarceration of tramps and unruly customers." The Council then formed a committee with power to build a lock-up, but lack of sufficient funds made it necessary to resort to wood construction for the cells instead of steel. To add a touch of comfort the Council voted to purchase horse blankets for the use of the prisoners.

When the building was completed, there was considerable speculation as to who would first have a night's lodging in a new cell. In April 1897 the first occupant was a very much intoxicated individual. After sobering up he was released and ambled over to New Market.

The next refinement was the installation in August 1906 of steel doors on the cells. The new doors made the cells "light and airy, making them much more pleasant for any prisoners having the misfortune to be confined in them." The steel doors were a nice improvement, but the rest of the cells were of wood construction and failed to restrain the occupants when they were inclined to depart. Several individuals broke out by forcing the wooden bars over the cell doors and five prisoners used the same procedure one night causing the Borough fathers to think about providing cells strong enough to confine at least ordinary nonviolent prisoners.

To combat the increase in crime the Borough Commissioners passed an ordinance in 1893 giving the President of the Borough the power to appoint officers to patrol the streets on Sundays and arrest drunk and disorderly persons. Shortly afterward, several constables were appointed: George Huff, Albert A. Warden, Voorhees. Also appointed was Allen Wilson whose duties were to stop bicycle riding on the sidewalks and catch stray dogs.

Also established in 1893 was a Law and Order League. Their attention was directed toward the unlicensed dens in town selling liquor on Sundays and the local sports who played baseball on Sundays.



Inasmuch as the town lacked a municipal building, Justice of the Peace Huff held court in the parlors of the Park Hotel, except for jury cases, which were held in the hall on the second floor. Jurors were recruited from spectators in the court and when necessary from passersby on the street.

It was 1897 before the Borough Marshals received their emblems of authority-badges. Special Marshals (1908) were appointed for special duties at a pay rate of \$2.50 per day of ten hours and a fee of 50 cents for each arrest made when not on special detail. By 1909 it was clear that Dunellen needed a permanent full-time officer and for such a man a salary of \$65 per month was mentioned. This prompted the suggestion that a night man was required as well. This added expense caused the Council to postpone a decision. In January 1911, applications for position of policeman were presented by James Hannon, Patrick Tarpey, W. H. Wooden and Luther Mundy but no one was accepted at that time.

William A. Davenport, was appointed Marshal in February 1911, and the following year was outfitted with a uniform. In 1913, a change was made in the police system when the title of Marshal Davenport was changed to Chief Marshal Davenport and he was given authority over the Special Marshals of the Borough. He resigned his position in 1914.

Annual Report of the Law and Ordinance Department for 1914-Force consists of the chief and four assistants. The patrolman patrols the town on foot with a watchman's clock from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. and his route is divided into two sections and covers eight stations. He covers an area from Whittier Avenue on the south side of town to Mountainview Terrace on the north side and from Jefferson Avenue to Chestnut Street.

Ninety-seven arrests were made during the police department's first year, subdivided as follows: Non-support and refusal to maintain family, 1; simple drunks, 13; vagrancy and panhandling, 14; drunk and disorderly, 29; theft, 12; held for outside authority, 1; riding wheels on sidewalk, 5; attempted burglary, 1; arrested for safe keeping, insane, 1; assault, 3; auto collision, 1; fighting on public highway, 4; wife bearing, 1; quarreling and disturbing the peace, 2; throwing stones, boys, 7; receiving stolen property, 2.

The appropriation for the year 1914 was \$1,200 to cover the patrolman's salary, supplies for the department's

use, salaries for extra marshals, and up to the first of December \$1,101.88 had been expended. A recommendation was made that the Chief Marshal receive a compensation of at least \$10 per month to reimburse him for his expenses.

On December 16, 1915, the police force consisted of Chief Marshal Owen Mohan and seven marshals. Night marshal was Patrick Tarpey, who was the only paid employee of the Borough with the exception of the chief, who received a nominal compensation for his services. Tarpey covered twelve stations distributed on each side of the Borough, along with other duties which included doing the janitorial work at the Borough Hall. Patrick Tarpey was promoted to day marshal for the business district and adjoining streets in September of 1923. Samuel Strickland was put on as night officer in his place.

In an effort to increase the efficiency of the fire and police departments in 1923, a request was made to the Council for a telephone to be installed in the lunch wagon operated by Collins & Son at 378 North Avenue, across the street from the Borough Hall. In August of 1924 it was decided to establish, equip and regulate a police department in the Borough of Dunellen. To this end an ordinance was passed and Owen Mohan became the Chief of Police over two patrolmen, Patrick J. Tarpey and Samuel Strickland.

On Wednesday, February 2, 1925, the community was shocked by the coldblooded shooting of Patrolman Sam Strickland by Joe Pape, a holdup man. This event took place outside Meyer Allen's jewelry store on the northeast corner of North and Washington Avenues following a robbery. Strickland was shot in the head at pointblank range, the bullet splitting into three parts. One piece was removed but two pieces were imbedded in the upper part of the brain and could not be recovered. The culprit was apprehended after some clever detective work by fellow officer Patrick Tarpey.

After almost a year of convalescence the officer returned to duty January, 1926. Three months, later while returning from a lodge meeting with two friends the car overturned. While both his companions escaped injury Strickland's sudden death following the shock of the accident was attributed to the remaining pieces of bullet in his brain.

The year 1925 saw the expansion of the police department by the addition of John P. Yunker, Robert Hindle and Walter Palm to the force and the purchase of its first patrol car, a new Overland which cost \$500. For checking speeders, a motorcycle was also acquired. At that time the officers had only two days off a month until the Law & Ordinance Committee arranged a schedule giving each man one day off every week. The following year Pete Benson came on the force and patrolman Palm resigned, while Patrick J. Tarpey was promoted to captain. 1927 and 1928 saw the appointment of officers William Shields and Norman Schuyler.

Police Chief Owen Mohan, who served with Dunellen's law enforcement services for 27 years, retired January 1, 1931. He started as a marshal in 1893, became Chief Marshal in 1914 and was promoted to Police Chief in 1924. Mohan received the first pension granted to a police officer under the plan started in 1928. Captain Patrick J. Tarpey was promoted to chief.

Much has changed since 1928, but still, all of Dunellen thanks its police officers!

My source material is: Wes Ott. The History of Dunellen, New Jersey, 1887 to 1987, copies of which can be found in the Dunellen Public Library

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Barbara Guhl Wins Teacher of the Year at Faber School



Barbara Guhl
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Dunellen, NJ January 23, 2020: First Grade Teacher, Barbara Guhl has won teacher of the year for John P. Faber School.

Mrs. Guhl has been teaching in Dunellen for 38 years. When Whittier School was open she taught Kindergarten and First

Grade. She currently teaches first grade at John P. Faber School. Not only does Mrs. Guhl work to inspire students but she creates a learning environment where they can soar, she also does the same for all of the staff. Mrs. Guhl mentors teachers to think of new ideas and helps them reach their ultimate potential, helps the substitute teachers when a team member is out, and inspires all of the staff to try new things through her Ed Camps for professional development. She was the teacher of the year at Whittier during the 1993-1994 school year. She believes and inspires us through the following quotes: "A great teacher takes a hand, opens a mind, and touches a heart!" and "Good teachers know how to bring out the best in their students."

According to the principal, Gary Lubisco, Jr. "Barbara is an inspiration to us all. She is never afraid to try something new and is always willing to lend a helping hand. The staff and students enjoy working with her and we are all thrilled she won Teacher of the Year."

Don Musson Wins Support Staff Person of the Year

Dunellen, NJ January 23, 2020: Don Musson, who is a paraprofessional at John P. Faber School has won Support Staff Person of the Year for Dunellen Public Schools.

Mr. Musson has worked for Dunellen Schools for the past 21 years. He has worked in all of the buildings and enjoys working with the students and staff. His favorite thing is to read and share books with the students to encourage their love of reading. Mr. Musson is also active in various town organizations and can be seen talking with students and families around town and before and after school. According to vice-principal, Brendan Tennant, "Don is a wonderful role model for our students. He is always willing to help anyone in need and also celebrate their successes. Don is an asset to Dunellen Schools."

The students and staff were excited to see his hard work recognized.



Don Musson
Photo Credit: Elizabeth Willoughby

Message from the Mayor

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- All boards, committee and commission meetings are cancelled until further notice.
- We discontinued our senior bus services until this all passes.
- We cancelled all public and private events at the senior center.
- We worked with businesses in Dunellen to provide hours for seniors and the disabled so we may limit the most vulnerable in our community's contact with the general public.
- Our Dunellen Senior Coordinator is working with volunteers to provide pick-up/drop-off grocery shopping for immobile seniors and disabled residents. To volunteer and/or find out more information, email: amiller@dunellenborough.com
- We closed all playgrounds, fields and courts to the public to discourage public gatherings and promote social distancing.

We have begun to provide some borough employees with the opportunity to work from home with remote access and alternating scheduling, and I personally thank the Dunellen School District for assisting us in setting up this technical infrastructure. For borough employees who are unable to work remotely, we are implementing alternate scheduling so we can continue to provide essential services to residents while also protecting our borough employees and dedicated public servants. I am thankful for their commitment to our borough and their efforts in this fight do not go unnoticed.

Americans are a compassionate people, no more so than in Dunellen. During this time of emotional and yes, physical crisis,

I remind you that your family, friends and neighbors are also frightened and confused. Keep an eye out for them; call them regularly by telephone or Skype or Facebook; let them know that if they are in trouble, to let you know and you can make a call. You can also reach the crisis text line by texting "NJ" to 741741; call the family helpline at 1-800-843-5437; the domestic violence hotline at 1-800-572-7233; or the mental health line at 1-866-202-4357. We encourage you to utilize these resources during this challenging time. You matter, and we want you to be safe.

We thank our first responders, including the rescue squad, the fire department and the police department, as well as our office of emergency management. We also thank our nurses, doctors and healthcare workers who are out there every day working to reduce the effects of COVID-19. Finally, to those in the workforce helping to provide essential services at grocery stores, gas stations, and pharmacies, you are helping make this period of self-isolation easier for us all, and we thank you, too.

We should all be self-isolating as much as we can, but that does not mean that we must also be lonely. They used to say, "Reach out and touch someone." Well, telecommunications in the Year 2020 gives this phrase an ironic, but maybe more than ever new meaning. Think about it: calling someone to say "Hi" is good for them, and good for you.

Stay Safe.

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Catholic Daughters

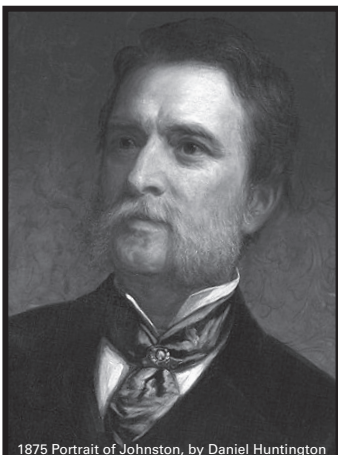


On February 25, 1925 a small group of women joined together and formed Court Regina Coeli #940 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas in Dunellen, NJ. 95 years later this group is still working to help improve both the community of Dunellen and the other areas. Throughout the 95 years the court has helped local families, new mothers through Life Choices and other organizations and also supported national groups including Habitat for Humanity and Operation Smile. The court does an annual fundraiser for all of these endeavors and appreciates the support of the community.

HAPPY 200th BIRTHDAY!

John Taylor Johnston
April 8, 1820 – March 24, 1893

President of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, John Taylor Johnston was responsible for naming several of the train stops on what is now NJTransit's Raritan Valley Line and developed the areas surrounding the stations. Thanks to him, we live in a great town called DUNELLEN.



1875 Portrait of Johnston, by Daniel Huntington

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Allergies ... Do You Have Them?

By Marcie Tyson, Resident and Contributor

If you are one of the 50 million Americans who suffer from allergies, you know the reality of a life of sneezing, coughing, stuffed-up nose and itchy, watery eyes.

An **allergen** is any substance that causes a reaction (symptom) in your body. Unfortunately, many allergens are present year round in your home: dust and dust mites, mold and mildew, animal dander and saliva.

Outdoor allergens include pollens, mold and mildew, and pollutants like ozone and vehicle exhaust fumes. Seasonal allergies can make matters worse when combined with home-based allergens.

Allergy symptoms can mimic those of a common cold. Keep a calendar of when your symptoms appear as well as the type, and severity, of symptoms you experience. The following symptoms are typical of allergies:

- You do NOT have a fever or chills
- You have cold symptoms that are prolonged or last few many weeks

- You experience these cold symptoms but no one else in your house gets sick (typically, colds are catching)
- You have symptoms that are repetitive or appear on a predictable basis - for example, symptoms that appear the same time the dogwoods bloom each year
- You feel wheezy or experience shortness of breath
- You have sinus headaches (pain generally located in the face)
- You often sneeze 4 or 5 times in a row
- You have trouble sleeping at night and/or you are tired for no apparent reason
- You have dark circles or bags under your eyes
- You have watery or gelatin-like discharge from your eyes

If you suspect that you are experiencing allergy symptoms, you may want to see an allergist who can help determine your



specific allergens through testing or detailed questions. Once you determine which allergens cause you trouble you can plan strategies for finding relief.

- Use a portable HEPA (High Efficiency Particulate Arresting) air filter in your bedroom. HEPA filters can remove 99.7% of allergy-causing dust, mold, spores, pollen and pet dander from the air.
- Change your clothes and shower when you come in from outside. Pollen sticks to your hair and clothes and can aggravate your symptoms. Leave your shoes at the door.
- Don't use carpets or rugs, especially in the bedroom. Cloth curtains collect dust so use plastic mini-blinds and wash them often.
- Keep pets out of the bedroom ... and especially off the bed. In addition to dander, saliva and dust mites, pets

- carry pollen grains in from outside.
- Wash all your bed linens weekly, including your pillows in hot water (103°F) to kill dust mites. Use hypo-allergenic fiberfill pillows and mattress pads.
- Use a HEPA or electrostatic filter in your furnace or air conditioner. For forced air systems, keep seasonal allergens out of rooms by covering the vents with a filter. Clean your home and car air conditioners at the beginning of each allergy season.
- Keep the windows closed and use an air conditioner - change the filter regularly.
- For mold and mildew allergies, use a dehumidifier in damp areas and do not sleep in basement level areas.
- Watch the weather! Seasonal allergies are often caused by pollen and/or molds. Rain usually brings relief to pollen sufferers because it washes away the pollen particles. However, mold sufferers do worse after a few rainy days because damp weather helps mold and mildew to grow.

For additional information, contact **The Allergy and Asthma Foundation of America** at (800) 727-8462, or visit their website at www.aafa.org.

Dunellen Government Directory

www.dunellen-nj.gov

All council meetings are held in the Municipal Council Chambers, on the first and third Monday of the month, located at 355 North Avenue, Dunellen. Meetings commence at 7:00 p.m., unless otherwise noted.

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Gov. Murphy's Executive Order No. 107

1. "Stay At Home" Order: Residents should stay in their place of residence. Some exceptions include:
 - a. Groceries and other essential items.
 - b. Medical Necessities.
 - c. Outdoor Activities
 2. Cancelling Gatherings: No gatherings of individuals, such as parties, celebrations, or other social events.
- For more information visit: COVID19.nj.gov

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Sunday 12:00pm-10:00pm

RESTAURANT:

Mon-Sun 5:00pm-10:00pm

KITCHEN HOURS:

Mon-Sat 11:30am-10pm
Fri & Sat 11:30am-Midnight
Sunday 12:00pm-9:00pm

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