



Welcome to our Weekly Community Update!

June 3, 2026

These updates will be sent out each week to keep residents informed about what's happening around town. If you are already subscribed to **Nixle**, your contact information will automatically carry over to **Everbridge**. If you haven't signed up yet, or wish to change your subscriptions, you can do so using this link: [Everbridge Signup](#)

Office of the Mayor

The all-new Cresskill Farmers Market is here!

Join us every Thursday starting June 4th from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Cresskill Library, 53 Union Ave.

Please come out and support our vendors, including farm-fresh produce from Alstede Farms and specialty treats from Nelson Gourmet House. We're excited to bring this new weekly market to town and hope to see everyone there.

Pickleball Court Update

The pickleball court is now ready to use! Permanent color coating will be completed in approximately 30 days, once the court has had time to properly cure. Thank you for your patience as we finish this project the right way.

Reminder: Short-Term Rentals Are Prohibited

Cresskill has an ordinance banning short-term rentals. Please do not advertise your home for short-term rental use. Violations may result in fines.

World Cup Viewing Party

Join us next week for a World Cup viewing party on June 12th at 9:00 PM at the Community Center. Come cheer together with your neighbors!

Municipal Pool Now Open

The Cresskill Municipal Pool is now open on weekends for members and guests. Full summer hours begin on June 22nd. We hope everyone enjoys a safe and fun pool season!

SENIOR CENTER

DON'T GET SCAMMED!

- Presented by the Cresskill Police Department
- **Tuesday, June 9th at 1:00 PM**
- Pre-registration is required. Please call 201-503-9831

Blood Pressure Clinic

- Held on the fourth Thursday of each month
- This month's clinic will take place on **Thursday, May 28 from 9:30 AM–1:30 PM**
- Appointments are preferred. Please call 201-503-9831

NEW 8-Week Watercolor Series

- Beginning **Tuesday, June 23rd at 1:00 PM**
 - Call for class information: 201-503-9831
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LIBRARY

Community Art & Craft Show

- **Saturday, June 6th, 10:30 AM–4:00 PM**

Summer Reading for All

- Begins Friday, **June 19th**
 - Join us for the Brian Richards Magic Show at **11:00 AM** to kick off our Summer Reading Program
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FIRE/EMS

Pool Safety: Protecting Lives Around Water

- As temperatures rise and families spend more time outdoors, swimming pools become a popular destination for recreation and relaxation. The Cresskill Fire Department encourages all residents to make pool safety a priority to help prevent accidents and injuries.
- Drowning remains one of the leading causes of accidental death among young children, and many incidents occur quickly and quietly. A few simple precautions can significantly reduce the risk and help keep everyone safe around the water.

Pool Safety Tips:

- Always Provide Active Supervision
- Never leave children unattended near a pool, even for a moment. Designate a responsible adult as a “Water Watcher” whose sole responsibility is supervising swimmers.
- Install Proper Barriers
- Pools should be enclosed with a fence at least four feet high and equipped with self-closing, self-latching gates. Barriers help prevent unsupervised access by children.
- Learn CPR
- Immediate CPR can save lives while emergency responders are en route. Consider enrolling in a CPR certification course for you and your family members.
- Keep Rescue Equipment Nearby
- Maintain easy access to a reaching pole, life ring, and a charged phone for emergency use.
- Swim with a Buddy
- No one should swim alone. Ensure that swimmers always have someone nearby who can assist in an emergency.
- Secure Pools When Not in Use
- Remove toys from the water after swimming, secure pool covers properly, and lock gates to discourage unsupervised access.
- Be Aware of Drain Hazards
- Ensure pool drains have compliant safety covers installed and teach swimmers to avoid playing near drains or suction outlets.
- Use Life Jackets When Appropriate
- Children and inexperienced swimmers should wear properly fitted U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jackets when around water.

Emergency Preparedness

- If a water emergency occurs:
- Remove the person from the water if it is safe to do so.
- Call 911 immediately.
- Begin CPR if trained and necessary.
- Continue care until emergency personnel arrive.

A Shared Responsibility

- Pool safety is everyone’s responsibility. By remaining vigilant and following these simple precautions, we can help ensure a safe and enjoyable summer for all residents.

The Cresskill Fire Department wishes everyone a safe swimming season.

Remember: supervision, preparation, and prevention save lives.

POLICE

PROM WEEKEND SAFETY

Cresskill High School Cougars

One Bad Decision Can Last a Lifetime

The Facts

- Motor vehicle crashes are the #1 cause of death for teens.
- About 1/3 of teen traffic deaths during prom and graduation season involve alcohol.
- 29% of fatally injured drivers ages 15-20 had alcohol in their system.
- More than half of students who drink on prom night consume four or more drinks.

Don't Risk It. Don't Drink and Drive

Safe Prom Tips

- Choose a designated driver BEFORE the night starts.
- Use rideshare apps or call your parents — they'd rather pick you up than visit you in the hospital.
- Never get in a car with someone who's been drinking.
- Always wear seatbelts.
- Look out for your friends.

If You or a Friend Needs Help

- Contact a trusted adult immediately.
- Contact the Cresskill Police Department or local police wherever you are located.
- National Poison Control / Help: 1-800-222-1222

Prom is about memories — not tragedies.

Stay Alive. Stay Safe. Celebrate Responsibly.

SCAMS & FRAUDS: STAYING ALERT

Event Details

- Organized by: Cresskill Police Department & Bergen and Passaic County Division of Consumer Affairs
- Date: **Tuesday, June 9, 2026**

- Time: **1:00 PM**
- Location: Senior Center, 38 Spring Street, Cresskill

What You'll Learn

- How to protect yourself from scams and frauds
- Your rights as a consumer
- What to do if you become a victim
- How to recognize scams
- The latest scam trends
- What skimming is and how it works
- How scammers choose their victims
- Identity Theft & Recovery
- Medical Scams
- And more

Contact Information

- Phone: 201-336-6400
 - Website: www.BergenPassaicConsumerAffairs.com
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DPW / PUBLIC WORKS

Ongoing Projects and Maintenance Activities:

- Asphalt and pothole repairs
 - Weekly landscape maintenance of all borough grounds, parks, and athletic fields
 - Vehicle and equipment maintenance and repairs for Police, Fire, EMS, and DPW fleets
 - Paint soccer field lines
 - Borough shade tree pruning, elevations, and removals
 - Pavers at the Community Center
 - Borough playground mulching – completed
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COMMUNITY & RECREATION CENTER

Join friends and neighbors as we cheer on Team USA!

World Cup Watch Party

- **Friday, June 12**
- USA vs. Paraguay
- Game starts at **9:00 PM**
- Bring your own chairs
- Snack bar will be open

Click here for more information: <https://cresskillboro.com/index.php/forms-documents/forms/department-documents/recreation/1543-cresskill-recreation-world-cup-watch-party-2026/file>

INFRASTRUCTURE / ENGINEERING

Current Projects

- Merrifield Memorial Grove – 95% complete. Paving has been completed.
 - 3rd Street Tennis/Pickleball Court is ready for use. Color coating to follow in approximately 30 days.
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Thank you!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'John Morgan'.

Mayor John Morgan, MD