

# Community Update



Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services of Lancaster County, 150 Farmington Ln, Lancaster PA 17601

August 16, 2011

## Section 8 Rental Assistance Vouchers for Lancaster City

On Tuesday, August 30, 2011, the Lancaster City Housing Authority will distribute applications for the **Section 8 waiting list**. If you are **deaf or hard of hearing**, you may come to Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services to pick up your application. You must contact DHHS BEFORE August 30 to have your name on the list to receive an application.

Completed applications may be returned by **U.S. MAIL ONLY** to:

**Lancaster City Housing Authority,  
325 Church Street, Lancaster, PA 17602.**

All applications must be filled out in their entirety and may not be postmarked before **August 30, 2011**. All applicants must have a gross income at or below the 50% median income limits established by HUD for the Lancaster area. Applicants will be accepted without regard to race, color, creed, sex, religion, national origin, family status, or handicap.

If you are interested in applying for Lancaster City Section 8 Rental Vouchers, please contact Elizabeth Fechtmann-Crippen at [efcrippen@dhhslancaster.org](mailto:efcrippen@dhhslancaster.org) or VP 283-4180 or phone 509-6622 or Christine Roy at [croy@dhhslancaster.org](mailto:croy@dhhslancaster.org) or VP 283-4461.

Also, **new hours at Social Security**: Effective 8/15/11, the local Social Security District Offices will revise their hours of operation to 9 a.m.

**FREE Barnstormer Tickets:** DHHS has requested and received 30 free tickets to the Barnstormers' game on Friday, September 16 at 7 PM and 30 free tickets to the Saturday, September 17 game at 6:30 PM. There will be fireworks both nights. For tickets, contact Elizabeth Fechtmann-Crippen at VP: 283-4180, phone: 509-6622, fax: 291-1830 or email: [efcrippen@dhhslancaster.org](mailto:efcrippen@dhhslancaster.org). The tickets are first come, first serve. Celebrate Deaf Awareness month by enjoying a baseball game.



## Beginner I American Sign Language

8 weeks—Cost- \$110.14  
(\$90 class + \$20.14 text)

Tuesday EVENINGS, 6:00—8:00 PM  
STARTING DATE: October 4, 2011  
LOCATION: United Disabilities Services

## Beginner II American Sign Language

8 weeks—Cost: \$90.00 + book

Thursday EVENINGS, 6:00 PM—8:00 PM  
STARTING DATE: October 6, 2011  
LOCATION: Manheim Township  
Ambulance Association

For more information and a registration form, please visit our website:

<http://www.dhhslancaster.org>

## PA RELAY Deaf Awareness Night Friday, August 19th, 5:30 PM

PNC PARK, Pittsburgh  
Pittsburgh Pirates take on the Cincinnati Reds

Contact Matt Myrick at  
[mm9628@att.com](mailto:mm9628@att.com)  
or 703-962-7169 VP



## Fall GED Class

Tuesday, Sept. 13 - Thurs. Nov. 17.  
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Brightside Opportunities Center  
515 Hershey Ave, Lancaster  
No Registration Necessary!

If anyone deaf or hard of hearing is interested in the class, just show up on the start date.

Andy Stender had fun at Dorney Park last Saturday riding Talon: The Grip of Fear.

