

Above and Beyond the Call of Duty



January 4, 2023 was just another day for Freshman High School Student, Elizabeth Painter. She was returning home from studying when the intense incident was unfolding.

As she got out of her car, she heard a man shouting that the baby had been born prematurely and was not breathing.

Elizabeth jumped into action and quickly called 9-1-1. She observed the neighbor's newborn baby was blue and not breathing. With guidance from the 9-1-1 Emergency Operator, Elizabeth began to administer life-saving aid to the infant.

Within moments, Officer William Acuff arrived on scene and witnessed what he described as "Someone doing something really and truly amazing".

Officer Acuff further explained, "Elizabeth was there, as the neighbor. She, being faced with such an immense obstacle, went right to work, and started providing lifesaving care to the child. Something that nobody that young should be put into, and a lot of people couldn't process. It was amazing to see.

Her actions are exactly why the child had a chance at life."

Elizabeth's heroic and selfless actions on January 4th, 2023 gave a newborn baby the gift of life. At the March Supervisors meeting, Officer Acuff presented Elizabeth with the Good Samaritan Life Saving Award from the American Police Hall of Fame. She is a true inspiration to those of us who strive to make a difference in the world.

Officer Acuff was also inducted into the American Police Hall of Fame. Officer Acuff's heroic actions on January 4th, alongside Elizabeth, to save the life of a newborn baby demonstrate his commitment to the safety and well-being of our community.

Without the swift action of Elizabeth, the 9-1-1 operators, Officer Acuff, Back Mountain Regional Fire, and Medic 30, the outcome could have been tragic.

Grandmother Lori Stuart reported baby Wyatt is a real fighter. He is growing and getting stronger every day. She expects he will be home with his brothers very soon.





ROAD DEPARTMENT NEWS

Our crew continues to make strides in Northwoods and paving is planned. Additionally, they have been addressing water run-off issues on Old Highway Road in Kunkle. Also, Main Road has been cleared of many hazardous trees and brush to improve visibility for travel.

The street sweeper is ready. Winter clean-up is expected to start soon as we get ready to roll into spring.

Spring CLEAN-UP

Dallas Township is gearing up for its annual Spring Clean-Up event scheduled for May 1-6, 2023. Full details and hours will be shared on social media and the township's website soon.

The Board of Supervisors will be accepting sealed bid dumpster proposals until 4:00pm Monday, April 3, 2023. Interested bidders should contact Dallas Township or visit the website for more details.



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UP COMING EVENTS

March 30, 2023: Neighborhood Watch meeting - 6:30PM

April 4, 2023: Supervisors Board meeting - 6:30PM

April 11, 2023: Planning Commission meeting - 7:00PM

April 17, 2023: Zoning Hearing Board meeting - 6:30PM

April 27, 2023: Neighborhood Watch meeting - 6:30PM

All township meetings are open to the public. If you wish to attend virtually, the Township Supervisors ask that you call or email: meetings@dallastwp.org to reserve your spot. The meetings will still be streamed LIVE on the Dallas Township Facebook page. Excluded from live streaming are the Neighborhood Watch and Zoning Hearing Board meetings.



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