

ORPHANS' COURT

Accounts, Last Day For Filing
(See Orphans' Court Rule 2.6)

Jan. 15	Feb. 12	Mar. 12	Apr. 16
May 14	June 11	July 16	Aug. 13
Sep. 17	Oct. 15	Nov. 12	Dec. 17

Argument Court – Scheduled By Judge

Audits

Jan. 7	Feb. 4	Mar. 4	Apr. 1
May 6	June 3	July 1	Aug. 5
Sep. 2	Oct. 7	Nov. 4	Dec. 2
Jan. 6 (2026)			

Business Court – Wednesday in Courtroom 11 at 9:00 A.M.

SHERIFF'S SALES

150 North Queen Street

Real Estate Executions	Last Day For Filing
January 29, 2025	September 18, 2024
March 26, 2025	November 20, 2024
May 28, 2025	January 15, 2025
July 30, 2025	March 19, 2025
September 24, 2025	May 14, 2025
November 26, 2025	July 15, 2025
January 28, 2026	September 17, 2025
March 25, 2026	November 19, 2025

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2025 HOLIDAYS

NEW YEAR'S DAY	January 1
ML KING, JR. DAY	January 20
PRESIDENT'S DAY	February 17
GOOD FRIDAY	April 18
MEMORIAL DAY	May 26
JUNETEENTH	June 19
INDEPENDENCE DAY	July 4
LABOR DAY	September 1
COLUMBUS DAY	October 13
VETERAN'S DAY	November 11
THANKSGIVING	November 27 & 28
CHRISTMAS	December 25 & 26



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2025 Court Calendar:

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Court Case Scheduling Calendar:

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November 12, 2025

LANCASTER COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS 2025 CALENDAR

Leonard G. Brown, III, President Judge (Chambers #2)
717-293-7288
David L. Ashworth, Judge (Chambers #12)
717-299-8055
Dennis E. Reinaker, Judge (Chambers #8)
717-293-7296
Jeffrey D. Wright, Judge (Chambers #5)
717-293-7292
Margaret C. Miller, Judge (Chambers #4)
717-299-299-8060
Christopher A. Hackman, Judge (Chambers #7)
717-209-8084

Merrill M. Spahn, Judge (Chambers #1)
717-295-3525
Thomas B. Sponaugle, Judge (Chambers #6)
717-209-3131
Jeffrey A. Conrad, Judge (Chambers #10)
717-299-8070
Craig W. Stedman, Judge (Chambers #3)
717-723-4946
JoAnne Murphy, Judge (Chambers #14)
717-299-8068
Shawn P. McLaughlin, Judge (Chambers #13)
717-740-4356
Todd E. Brown, Judge (Chambers #9)
717-735-2136
Christina M. Parsons, Judge (Chambers #15)
717-824-8517

Annie L. Flaud, District Court Administrator

Revisions to the Court Calendar will be
located on the Home Page:

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ALL PROCEEDINGS BEGIN AT 9:00 A.M.

UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

Courtrooms 1-6	Third Floor	Main Courthouse
Courtroom 7-12	Fourth Floor	Main Courthouse
Courtroom A	Second Floor	Historic Courthouse
Courtrooms 13 & 14	Fifth Floor	Main Courthouse
Hearing Room	Fifth Floor	Main Courthouse

The District Court Administration Office will schedule all court hearings except as indicated.

BUSINESS – Judge will be available by appointment.

CIVIL COURT

DISCOVERY MOTIONS COURT – SCHEDULED BY JUDGE

LICENSE APPEALS – JUDGES AND COURTROOMS VARY.

Jan. 23	Feb. 13	Mar. 6	Apr. 3	May 1
June 12	July 17	Aug. 14	Sep. 4	Oct. 2
Nov. 13	Dec. 11			

NATURALIZATION COURT – COURTROOM A, 10:00 A.M.

Apr. 11	May 30	Sept. 12	Nov. 7
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TRIALS – Judges and weeks to be assigned by the District Court Administration Office. Trials to be scheduled by the assigned Judge.

Miscellaneous Civil Court – Twice per month. Dates to be selected by District Court Administrator.

CRIMINAL COURT

ARD HEARINGS

Individual cases to be scheduled by the District Attorney.

Jan. 28	Feb. 25	Mar. 25	Apr. 29
May 20	June 24	July 29	Aug. 26
Sep. 30	Oct. 28	Nov. 18	Dec. 16

ARRAIGNMENT COURT – Courtroom A

Jan. 10	Jan. 24	Feb. 14	Feb. 28	Mar. 14
Mar. 28	Apr. 11	Apr. 25	May 9	May 23
June 13	June 27	July 11	July 25	Aug. 8
Aug. 22	Sep. 12	Sep. 26	Oct. 10	Oct. 24
Nov. 14	Nov. 26	Dec. 12	Dec. 24	

DUI Court – Courtroom A

Jan. 9	Jan. 23	Feb. 6	Feb. 20	Mar. 6
Mar. 20	Apr. 3	Apr. 17	May 1	May 15
May 29	June 12	June 26	July 10	July 24
Aug. 7	Aug. 21	Sep. 4	Sep. 18	Oct. 2
Oct. 16	Oct. 30	Nov 13	Nov. 20	Dec. 4
Dec. 18	Dec. 31			

BENCH WARRANT HEARINGS –

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY AT 1:30 P.M.

DRUG COURT – TUESDAYS AT 1:30 p.m.

FINES AND COSTS

Dates to be selected by the District Court Administration Office and individual cases to be scheduled by Adult Probation.

GUILTY PLEAS

Dates to be selected by the District Court Administration Office and individual cases to be scheduled by the District Attorney.

MENTAL HEALTH COURT – WEDNESDAYS AT 1:30 P.M.

CALL OF THE CRIMINAL TRIAL LIST – BEGINS AT 9:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M. OR 1:30 P.M.

A team of judges is designated conference dates for their assigned cases. These dates will be published on the Court website and may be searched on the Court Calendar scheduling system.

STATUS CONFERENCES – BEGIN AT 9:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M. OR 1:30 P.M.

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TRIALS – MOST CASES WILL BE ASSIGNED TO A JUDGE BY THE DISTRICT COURT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE USING THE ORIGINATING MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT COURT (MDC).

Judge Sponaugle / Judge Wright
MDC: 02-1-01, 02-1-03, 02-2-07, 02-2-06, 02-3-06, 02-3-07

Judge Spahn / Judge Conrad
MDC: 02-1-02, 02-3-01, 02-2-08, 02-2-05, 02-3-09, 02-2-02

Judge Reinaker / Judge Conrad
MDC: 02-2-03, 02-2-01, 02-3-04, 02-3-05, 02-3-02

Judge Ashworth
MDC: 02-2-04, 02-3-03

SUMMARY COURT

Jan. 13	Feb. 10	Feb. 24	Mar. 17	Apr. 14
Apr. 28	May 12	June 2	June 16	July 28
Aug. 4	Aug. 18	Sep. 22	Oct. 6	Oct. 27
Nov. 24	Dec. 1	Dec. 22		

VETERANS COURT – THURSDAYS AT 1:30 P.M.

FAMILY COURT

ARGUMENT COURT – SCHEDULED BY JUDGE

CUSTODY/DIVORCE

JUDGE STEDMAN	(A-B)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT BY APPT.	
JUDGE PARSONS	(C-F)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT – Fridays AT 8:45 A.M.	
JUDGE MCCLAUGHLIN	(G-K)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT – Wednesdays AT 8:45 A.M.	
JUDGE MURPHY	(L-M)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT – Wednesdays AT 8:45 A.M.	
JUDGE HACKMAN	(N-R)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT – Tuesdays AT 8:45 A.M.	
JUDGE T. BROWN	(S-Z)
FAMILY BUSINESS COURT – Thursdays AT 8:45 A.M.	

DOMESTIC RELATIONS BENCH WARRANTS – To be scheduled by the District Court Administration Office.

PROTECTION PETITION HEARINGS
Daily at 3:00 p.m.

PROTECTION HEARINGS
Tuesday & Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

SUPPORT COURT APPEALS & CONTEMPTS
Dates to be selected by the District Court Administration Office and individual cases to be scheduled by the Domestic Relations Office.

JUVENILE COURT

CHILDREN & YOUTH AGENCY

DEPENDENCY HEARINGS
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
MASTER HEARINGS
Wednesday & Friday

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY HEARINGS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY AM & PM