

WISSAHICKON STONE QUARRY, LLC

Residential



UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

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WISSAHICKON SCHIST INVENTORY AVAILABLE:

- Building Stone
- Natural Cut Veneer
- Saw Cut Veneer
- Saw Cut Corner Cuts
- Field Stone
- Flagstone
- Belgian Block

In addition, we carry various other stone products through a partnership and can obtain more than 20 types of veneer.

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Wissahickon Stone Quarry, LLC, ("WSQ") is the last true Wissahickon Schist quarry in this area. We mine on-site and quarry from the bedrock which makes the stone very hard; the schist has the same bearing weight as limestone. We guillotine cut on site and our saw cut veneer is cut by experienced professionals in upstate Pennsylvania, which includes beautiful corner cuts.

The beauty of the stone is distinctive. It ranges in color from browns through light and dark grays. It has a high content of mica as well as quartz, which makes the stone sparkle and look different in every type of light.

The stone has various uses both commercial and residential and has been used on homes, bridges, and commercial buildings. Please view our slide show for detailed pictures of our stone projects.

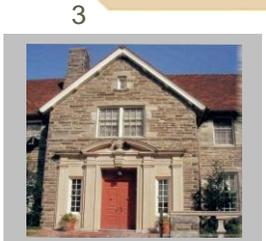




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- **Picture 1, Picture 2 and Picture 3 are private residences built in the Chestnut Hill area of Philadelphia.**
- **Picture 4 is a flagstone patio, schist wall and complete three-tier garden located in the Wyndmoor area of Pennsylvania.**

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HISTORY - Wissahickon Schist, commonly called Chestnut Hill Stone is a very old, historical stone which dates to the Ordovician period, some 550 million years ago. It is so old, that it contains no fossils. It is a metamorphic rock, which means “undergoing a change”. It was originally gravel on the sea floor which then underwent vast pressure when volcanic action moved it upward to form a mountain range.

Chestnut Hill was mainly developed between approximately 1910 through the 1930's and Wissahickon Schist was commonly used for both residential and institutional uses.

PRESENT DAY - As the last remaining true Wissahickon Schist quarry in this area, we offer a premium, high-quality product which is distinctive in its beauty and duration. We do not mix our product, so when purchasing we guarantee that you are receiving 100% true schist, whether it is building stone, natural veneer or saw cut veneer.

Our saw-cut veneer is specially cut by experienced professionals in Upstate Pennsylvania. The corner cuts are truly beautiful reflections of the stone in all its glory and easily laid.

We are currently mining on a daily basis, and have a growing inventory of all types of our stone. It is readily available for purchase. In addition, we carry flagstone, Belgian block and approximately 20 other types of veneer.

RESIDENTIAL USES – Our stone has been used for many years for restorations and additions as it matches the existing Schist commonly used in older homes. Also, many fine builders are purchasing the stone for use to build residential homes, patios, walls, and gardens. Landscape Architects are also able to use our boulders for art work in various gardens.