Laptop Internet Access from Home

Setting up an Internet connection for the laptop is an easy task. In your home you will either connect the MacBook to your home network with an Ethernet cable or wirelessly.

Wired Ethernet Connection
You will need to connect the laptop and the router/switch using an Ethernet cable. You can unplug this cable from the computer you are already using it on and plug it into the Macbook. The computer will connect automatically.

Wireless Connection
The MacBook is equipped for a wireless connection to the Internet. The pie shaped wireless symbol in the upper right corner of the computer shows the strength of the wireless connection. The bars will be gray until you join your home wireless network. Hold down on the gray bars and pull down to the name of your home network. If you have security on your home wireless router/switch you may need to enter the password or pass phrase. You can click on the box to "Remember password in my keychain" to have the laptop bypass this step for future connections. From now on, the laptop should seek out and automatically connect to this wireless network when it is in range. The more bars that are black, the stronger the wireless signal.

The Berwyn Public Library
The Berwyn Public Library offers wireless "WiFi" access to the libraries' Internet. Pull down under the wireless symbol to the library's network to join it.