



# The Village of Wayne Lakes Newsletter



April 2021

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1-800-282-9378  
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## DRUG TASK FORCE

937-548-4150  
(Kept confidential)

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**EMERGENCY** 9 1 1

## BREWER'S GATEHOUSE

937-459-5002

Bait Shop Fishing Passes  
Carryout Pizza Tavern

**NO FEEDING OF WATERFOWL  
NO SWIMMING IN or ICE SKATING  
ON ANY OF THE LAKES**

## FROM THE DESK OF THE ACTING MAYOR

**Fishing Tips!!** Best freshwater fishing times...seasonal lake turnover refers to the exchange of surface and bottom water in a lake or pond. This annual recycling program happens twice a year, changing the freshwater fishing environment of the lake or pond, which in turn affects the best time to go freshwater fishing. There's spring turnover and fall turnover with summer stagnation in between. During spring turnover, water at the top warms while the bottom stays cool; during fall turnover, warmer water stays insulated at the bottom by the colder water at the top. Story provided by [TakeMeFishing.org](http://TakeMeFishing.org).

**Brice with Access Engineering** and the Wayne Lakes Sewer committee continue to work on the upcoming project. Village council plans to have Brice attend our monthly council meetings every other month going forward. Residents are encouraged to attend, watch the live stream or send in questions prior to the meeting for review. Quarterly billing starts this second quarter for all home owners in our village. Bills will be coming from Darke County. The rate will be \$45/quarter.

**Goose Egg Addling** will start up soon. We obtained our permit from ODNR for the 2021 season. If anyone in the village would like to volunteer to help, please contact us at the office.

**Daily Fishing Passes** can be easily purchased at the village office, Brewer's Gatehouse, on our Village of Wayne Lakes.com website and our The Village of Wayne Lakes Facebook page. Please share with your friends!! The village has collected \$5,651.96 so far this year!!

**Fort Jefferson United Methodist Church** has started a new youth group ages 14 years and up. The meeting time is Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm. New discussion topics each week, snacks and beverages provided. If you know a village youth that may need a new activity for 2021, please pass on this invitation.

Chipper will be scheduled for spring clean-up soon. Please contact the village office for scheduling.

**Please refrain** from dumping branches, yard waste and trash at the Chippewa property.

**Please review** Ohio Revised codes on burning in residential areas. Note the acceptable levels. (document attached to this newsletter)

Next council meeting Monday, May 10, 2021 7:00pm in the council meeting room. Due to Covid 19 restrictions, we will plan to have an open meeting at the Village office. We are limited to seating capacity. The number of attendees will be monitored for this meeting to comply with restrictions. Please notify me prior to the next meeting with any special requests to speak.

In closing, for Covid-19 updates and prevention tips please refer to the website <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus>.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Linda Clark Acting Mayor, President of Council

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## Ways to get fishing passes for the Village of Wayne Lakes. Tell your friends!!

**Wayne  
Lakes  
Fishing  
Pass  
Required**

1. Resident and Guest pass. Village office during office hours. See calendar below.
2. Non-Resident passes, daily and yearly. Brewer's Gatehouse
3. Day passes, choose the date, *purchase online* at:  
<https://villageofwaynelakes.com> or Village of Wayne Lakes Facebook,  
<https://www.facebook.com/thevillageofwaynelakes>, scroll down until you see  
 the colorful aerial photo of the village lakes and click it!

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18	19	20	21 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	22 	23	24 <b>Neave Twp.</b> <b>Transfer Station Trash</b> 8am to Noon Village Office Hrs. 8-10 am
25	26	27	28 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	29	30	

May 2021						
						1 Village Office Hrs. 8-10 am
2	3 Fish & Lakes Meeting 7pm Village Office	4	5 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	6	7	8 <b>Neave Twp.</b> <b>Transfer Station Trash</b> 8am to Noon Village Office Hrs. 8-10 am
9 	10 <b>Council Mtg.</b> 7:00 pm <b>Village Office</b> Covid19 Restrictions apply.	11	12 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	13	14	15 Village Office Hrs. 8-10 am
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23 INVITATION Ft. Jefferson UMC see below 	24	25	26 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	27	28	29 <b>Neave Twp.</b> <b>Transfer Station Trash</b> 8am to Noon Village Office Hrs. 8-10 am
30	31 Memorial Day					



Fort Jefferson UMC Youth Group is sponsoring a rummage sale.  
Saturday, April 24 from 9am-2pm. No clothing items.

INVITATION: Sunday May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30 am Fort Jefferson UMC will be hosting an outdoor worship service at the Fort Jefferson Memorial Park for the community. There will be a free, catered meal provided following the worship service. Everyone in the community is invited. Come enjoy worship under the big tent surrounded by the beauty of nature.



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