

The Village of Wayne Lakes Newsletter



September 2019

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EMERGENCY 911

NO SWIMMING ANY LAKES except at the beach when open.

NO FEEDING OF WATERFOWL

from the Mayor's desk --

The Council seat that has been vacant since May was appointed at the September meeting. Linda Clark accepted appointment to Council effective at that meeting and the Village Council is complete with the six current members.

No further changes to Village administration will be necessary until the January 2020 Council meeting when two Council seats will be available (due to no November election candidates) for appointment by Council for the upcoming 4-year terms for each seat. Anyone who has interest to be appointed to Council should attend the January meeting. At the January meeting, the President of Council will serve also as acting Mayor (due to no November election candidates).

Congratulations to FoWL for a successful *Run the Lakes!* 5K Race, looking forward to the 2nd annual Hog Roast event on Sunday, September 29th. The Village is a better place with FoWL support.

With updated financial understanding for future years, Council has approved moving forward with initiating a contract agreement to purchase the 1052 Main Drive property currently being used for the Village Office. The real estate contract is being drafted, with an anticipated Council decision for whether to enter into that contract possibly at the October Council meeting. Contact a Council member if you have questions.

Two other Council decisions scheduled to be made yet this year are for the Beach in 2020 and Phase II of the Sewer Project. For each, and for all other Village business, let Council members know your thoughts to guide their decisions to be representative of the residents and property owners in Wayne Lakes.

Council has approved a trial-run Wayne Lakes Fall Leaves-only Cleanup (<u>leaves only</u>) scheduled for October 25-27 and November 1-3. See details before the calendar in this newsletter, and start your leaves collecting now. For space considerations, mulch them first if possible.

The roads patching project has been completed, Council approved a renewed snow removal contract for this winter, and street sweeping preparation for the FoWL-sponsored 5K race all have positioned the Village well for roads conditions.

Good things continue... by year end, I hope we all can agree that 2019 has been a good year for the Village.

Respectfully, Denise Wetzel mayorwaynelakes@gmail.com

Notice: The Village Office will be closed Saturday September 21, Wednesday September 24, and Saturday September 28.

<u>Important Reminder</u> – Pay your estimated local income tax to RITA, so when you file 2019 taxes in 2020 you will not owe it all at once. For information, contact RITA at **ritaohio.com** or call **800.860.7462**.

Local birder Cindy Ploch will present a free, public program at the Darke County Parks Nature Center on St. Rt. 502 on Thursday, Oct. 3, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. The program, called "Birdwatching for Beginners--Featuring the Birds of Wayne Lakes" will provide information on how to identify both common and uncommon birds. Reservations are required and can be made after Sept. 1st by calling the Nature Center at 937-548-0165. For more information call Cindy Ploch at 547-0397.



Sewer – Reminder that sewer bills (amount to be determined) are likely to begin in January 2020.

The last mosquito spray for 2019 was September 17th.

NO DUMPING in the park at McNutt Shelter parking lot! <u>You</u> are responsible for disposal of your own yard waste. Littering is a serious offense, punishable by fines of up to \$500 and 60 days in jail. See details at:

http://www.keepohiobeautiful.org/images/uploads/66872-B%20Rack%20Card.pdf

Wayne Lakes Fall Leaves-only Cleanup Friday-Saturday-Sunday October 25-27 and November 1-3

A Village-provided dumpster available for Leaves only! will be available during daylight hours only for Leaves only! The dumpster will be located in the Beach parking lot where functional cameras will be recording.

If at all possible, mulch the Leaves only! before bringing them to the dumpster.

This dumpster is intended only for Leaves only! that are collected within the Village.

For there to be annual Spring Leaves-only Cleanup and Fall Leaves-only Cleanup dumpsters available, please do not yourself and do not let others abuse this trial run.

2019 September Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 Dane Driver BERKSHIRE **HATHAWAY** REALTOR® Last spray. Serving with honesty and integrity Professional Realty 511 E. Main St 22 25 28 Neave Twp. 9/29 END OF SUMMER Greenville, OH 45331 Cell 937-329-1952 **Transfer Station** Office 937-547-0064 HOG ROAST Trash 8am to Noon buyorsellwithdane@gmail.com www.danedriver.com (S.R. 121 next to the (See article page 3.) cemetery) 29 October 2019

Monday Saturday Tuesday Wednesday Sunday Thursday Friday 2 3 4 5 1 Lakes Mgmt. FoWL Mtg Chris Haves 7 pm 7 pm Real Estate Agent Cell: 937-417-0473 Community Bdg Community Bdg. Email: kingscompanychris@gmail.com Website: www.midwest-realty.com 6 Village 12 Neave Twp. Council Mtg **Transfer Station** 220 E. 4th Street **Midwest** Greenville, OH 45331 Trash 8am to Noon 7 pm Phone: 937-548-2640 (S.R. 121 next to the Village Office cemetery) 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 Fall **Leaves-only** dropoff at the BEACH parking lot 20 22 23 25 21 26 Neave Twp Friday-Saturday-Sunday **Transfer Static** October 25-27 and 11/1-3. Trash 8am to Noon (See article above calendar) (S.R. 121 next to the 30 27 28 29 cemetery)







2nd Annual End of Summer Hog Roast

Sunday, September 29, 2019

Noon to 3 p.m. Wayne Lakes Community Building

Pulled Pork Sandwich, Coleslaw, Chips and Applesauce Take Out or Eat In Drinks Not Included

Tickets now available \$7.00. For more information call 937-459-8158.

Anyone wanting to participate in the **Bake Off** can drop of any type of sheet cake at the Community Bldg. from 9 to 11:30a.m. Please bring your cake in a disposable foil pan. Judging to take place at 11:45. Prizes for top 3 cakes.





The Friends of Wayne Lakes thanks all the volunteers who helped make the *Run the Lakes! 5K* a great success.

The weather was perfect, and all participants really enjoyed the course.

This event will become a yearly fundraiser for FoWL.

All are welcome at **FoWL** regular monthly meetings, 1st Wednesday each month, Community Bldg 7:00pm. Donations to FoWL directly benefit the Village, can be designated specifically to go to the Village for Village projects, and due to FoWL 501(c)(3) non-profit status can be claimed as a tax deduction.

Meeting Change Notice: The *November 5 Lakes Management meeting* will be held in the Village Office due to the election setup in the Community Building that day.



Found: An 8" baking dish cover was left behind at the September 8 Fort Jefferson Church service at the Community Building. To claim it, please call John McRoberts 937-547-9317.

Ohio Public Utilities Commission directing utility companies (gas, natural gas, electric light) to one time reconnect services for services disconnected for nonpayment during October 14, 2019 through April 15 2020; certain restrictions apply. For more information, contact your utility company.

The Wayne Lakes Newsletters available by email, in the green box in front of the Bait Shop, online at https://villageofwaynelakes.com, and at the Village Office during open hours. To receive future newsletters by email, make the request to waynelakesnews2016@gmail.com from the email address to receive. Council meeting minutes available on the Village website and at the Village Office.





From: Darke County EMA

CodeRED New Emergency Notification System

On Monday, August 12, 2019 the Darke County Commissioner's signed a contract with Onsolve for the CodeRED Emergency Notification System.

CodeRED is an emergency notification system that includes automated weather alerting to those who choose it and can also be activated for other situations in which notifying the public is warranted. CodeRED also has a mobile app that can be downloaded to any smart phone to receive notifications and will also "travel" with the user if they allow location services on their device. For example, if I register for an account and live in Greenville, I will receive all alerts that include that area. If I have the app and I am in another part of the County, I will receive alerts based on my physical location also.

This notification system may also be used for things like 911 outages, boil water alerts, missing persons etc.

Right now the most important thing is we get people and businesses to register for an account. This can be done through <u>darkecountyema.org</u>, <u>darkecountysheriff.org</u> or text "DARKE" to 99411 for a mobile friendly enrollment form.

If you have any questions please contact our office or Melissa Hawes at the Sheriff's Office.

Thanks,

Mindy Saylor, Director 937-548-1444

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