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Mayor's Report



Rich Regovich
Mayor/Safety Director

It's that time of year when it gets dark a little earlier each day and Christmas decorating items are on the store shelves. It is also time to "fall back" so don't forget to set your clocks back by one hour on Sunday, November 7th at 2:00 a.m.

With Fall being here that means it's about time for bulk leaf pick up. The Service Department crews will begin leaf pick up on Monday, November 15th starting in the eastern part of the City. They will make one pass through the City until every street is done. We anticipate that by Friday, December 3rd the leaf pick up will be complete and this will give us time to prepare our fleet for winter. Weather delays will extend this timeline if necessary. If you have a manageable property, you can also use lawn bags which Kimble will pick up weekly until the last full week in December. Also, please do not put sticks or branches in your pile of leaves. This can damage the equipment and impede our ability to finish

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Willowick Recreation Department: News & Notes

By Julie Kless
Recreation Director

The Willowick Football and Soccer leagues are coming to an end. I would like to thank all the coaches and volunteers that help to make our programs a fun and rewarding experience for all of our youths.

Attention seniors: Come join our popular walk program Monday – Wednesday, and Friday 8:30 am to 11am and Tuesday & Thursday

8:30 to 9:30 at the Manry Activities Center.

Youth basketball registrations are on - going at Manry: Monday thru Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm and Saturday 10:00am to 12:00pm

Come join us at our Holiday Craft Show Saturday, December 4 held in Manry gym, from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Mark your calendar to stop by and look for some great deals for the Holiday.

We are excited to announce our

NEW HOLIDAY EVENT this year "Winter Wonderland at Manty Park!" Activities will include a synthetic Ice skating rink, stuff – a – plush (Build a bear), inflatables, mechanical snowboard, holiday train ride, ornament decorating, hot cocoa bar, letters to the North Pole, and of course a visit with Santa in his workshop!

All activities begin at 2pm on December 12, concluding with a Tree Lighting at 6pm. This event

is available to Willowick Residents for \$10/ per car. We look forward to seeing everyone for a fun day with your family and friends at our first "Winter Wonderland" event.

Please feel free to contact me at jkless@cityofwillowick.com with any concerns, ideas or questions regarding our community or recreation programs.

"Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance you must keep moving" – Albert Einstein

Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library Programs & Events

During the month of November 2021, the following free programs will be offered at the Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library. Registration is required. For a complete schedule of events or to register for one of our upcoming programs, visit www.we247.org.

Adult Programs:

Who Names the Neighborhoods?

Mayor

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the job in a timely manner. Please avoid placing you leaf piles near obstructions like sign posts, utility boxes, and fire hydrants. Do not place leaves in the street as this can clog the sewers. We ask that the leaves be placed on the tree lawn. As we have in past years, we will give daily progress updates on our web site (www.cityofwillowick.com) and on the City phone system (440-585-3700). Let's hope for a smooth leaf season.

Once again, there are two issues on the ballot for Willowick on November 2nd. Issue 3 is a renewal levy for Parks and Recreation. This is a current levy originally passed in 1986 and collects the same amount as it did 35 years ago. Based on the assessed value this collects \$7.78 per \$100,000 property value annually. Issue 4 is a proposed Charter Amendment. This is not a tax levy and will not cost the homeowner. This would

Cleveland's neighborhoods have an intriguing series of names from Kamm's Corners to Dutch Hill and Little Italy and now to Hingetown. Author and historian Dr. John Grabowski of the Western Reserve Historical Society will explore the neighborhoods of Cleveland.

Wednesday, November 3, 6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Age of Cage with Author Keith

change the Charter regarding the process to change the Zoning Map if necessary to accommodate a business that may be interested in coming to Willowick. Currently we have referendum zoning which requires all changes to be placed on the ballot. Depending on timing of the next election, a potential business would have to wait in excess of a year to find out if it would be okay to open a business in Willowick. The new process would have the Planning Commission vote on it and then make a recommendation to Council. Once in front of Council, it would be on for three readings so the public would have a minimum of four opportunities to voice any concern. This would keep Willowick in line with neighboring city Charters and let Willowick be competitive in today's market. There are no current proposals that would require a zoning change. This Charter Amendment is an added tool to help Economic Development in Willowick.

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Icon. Celebrity. Artist. Madman. Genius. Nicolas Cage is many things, but love him or laugh at him, there's no denying two things: you've seen one of his many films and you certainly know his name. Age of Cage explores four decades in Hollywood through one singular career.

Thursday, November 4, 6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Next Chapter Book Club

The Next Chapter Book Club (NCBC) is a reading and discussion group that caters to adults with Down syndrome, autism, and other developmental disabilities.

Participants will continue to read and/or listen to passages from Shel Silverstein's Where the Sidewalk Ends. NCBC is now a hybrid program. Members can participate on Zoom or in-person.

Monday, November 8, 10-11 am
Willoughby Public Library, 440-942-3200

Let's Get Digital 101

We will take an in-depth look at eBook providers, Libby by Overdrive and Hoopla, as well as review the Library's digital movie and music collections. Learn how to search, download and load eBooks/eAudiobooks to an

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Willowick Senior Center

Doreen Nevulis – Coordinator

Mark your calendars for the Holiday Boutique Sat Nov. 13th from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Willowick Senior Center. There will be Great Crafts, Refreshments, Raffles and a Bake sale. So get your holiday shopping done early.

We have booked our Senior Holiday Christmas party, Friday December 10th at Pine Ridge Country Club. Tickets will be available at the senior center. More information to follow.

Don't forget all the great programs we have going on at the Senior Center, Exercise classes, Line Dancing, Yoga, Art classes, Ceramics, Pinochle and Bridge.

We also have some exciting presentations coming up- Presentations with Pizzazz will be here Nov 3rd at 10:30, find out about the six wives of Henry VIII, and on Wednesday, Dec. 1st @ 2:00 Re-live the excitement of Beatlemania, Author Dave Schwensen will take you behind the scenes with the fab four. You may sign up for these presentations at the Senior Center.

To get the latest information on our Senior Center and upcoming programs and events, please check the website www.cityofwillowick.com.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at dnevilis@cityofwillowick.com

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City of Willowick Council Reports



Charlie Malta
Ward 3 Councilman

Dear Wonderful Residents of Willowick,

YARD WASTE: You can put your yard waste out on your tree lawn till the last full week of Dec.

HEARTS & HAMMERS:

Fall Clean up is coming soon. A great family fun thing to do & very rewarding. Call me to sign up 440-488-1757.

Hearts and Hammers Fundraiser is Saturday, January 29th. Tickets will be printed soon, call me to reserve yours.

S.I.D. Shoreline Special Improvement District:

We have received the 1st round of funding. If you haven't filled out your petition yet, go to our city's website & click on Sid Petition & fill it out. Any Questions email Angie Trend at atrend@cityofwillowick.com.

KRISTA BAIR: A Willowick Resident is running for a position on the Willoughby-Eastlake School Board

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Natalie Antosh
Ward 2 Councilwoman

Hi Everyone,

November is here which means it is election time again. Please go out and vote on November 2. Remember to take a proper ID with you. Lake Tran is offering free rides to your polling location; please call 440-354-6100 to book a ride.

Proposed Charter Amendment:

Willowick City Proposed charter amendment: Amended to provide that the Council shall have the power to approve a change in the existing Municipal Zoning Map or change in the use of the property from the uses presently authorized by the existing zoning code. What this means is if a business wants to come into our city and use a building or build on a parcel that is zoned differently then what the company wants to use it for, Council would have a right to vote to change the zoning for that building or parcel after 3 readings during 3 separate Council meetings. Residents can voice their concerns or opinion during those three meetings. As of right now it takes up to a year or year and half to change the zoning for a building or parcel. Businesses do not have a year to wait; they end up going to other cities that have this type of zoning change in place. Voting yes would shorten the businesses wait time from a year to a few months giving Council the right to vote on the zoning change.

These are the Proposed Tax Levy's:

Willowick City RENEWAL: Funding for city parks & recreational purposes not exceeding .5 mill, which amounts to .05 cents for each \$100.00 valuation. You have already been paying this in your taxes. There is NO INCREASE.

Lake County Community College RENEWAL 1.5 mill (.15 cents per \$100.00 valuation)

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David Phares
Ward 3 Councilman

Issue 4 has been the main topic of my columns for the last three months. I have had discussions on Facebook as well as phone calls and emails from individual residents about issue 4. I believe voting YES on issue 4 will benefit the city by speeding up the process for businesses that want to come to Willowick but need to apply for a zoning change to make it happen.

A few people want to make this about their own personal mistrust of government officials. Every City Council member and the Mayor were voted into their positions by the residents of Willowick. We are open and transparent in everything we do as a governing body.

I have heard complaints about Council waiving the three readings when legislation is addressed at Council meetings. And yet those same people will admit that most Willowick residents do not attend the Council meetings to hear the legislation at one meeting let alone three. Perhaps that is because they trust the people they elected to represent them.

Another related issue was the increase in sewer rates that was approved by Council in October of 2020 at a Committee meeting and a Council meeting. Why were the three readings waived for that legislation? Were we trying to sneak it through? Maybe a better question is would it have mattered? I have never received a single email, phone call or question at a meeting about the increased sewer rates. If I had, I would have explained that the sewer rates NEVER increased in the past six years but the cost of maintaining the sewers has increased exponentially over those same six years due to the increased cost of EPA regulations to the treatment plant in Euclid.

These are the same people that complained about how bad of a job the City Council was doing

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Mike Vanni
Ward 1 Councilman

Election day is Tuesday, November 2nd and Willowick has two issues on the ballot.

Issue 3 is a Mill Renewal Levy for parks and recreation purposes. This is a renewal of the existing levy that was passed in 1986 and will not increase you property tax.

Issue 4 is a proposed Charter Change which would change the process to change zoning in the City. Currently any change in zoning must go on the ballot to be voted on and depending on the election cycle, could take well over a year. This issue would allow City Council to make any changes to zoning which would significantly speed up the process and allow businesses to move here quicker. The passage of this issue would ensure that Willowick would be competitive with other Cities in attracting new businesses. It is important to note that this change would not take away any residents voice on a zoning change that may come up as all zoning change requests would first go before the Planning Commission and then to City Council to be voted on after three readings. Both Planning Commission and City Council Meetings are public meetings which would give all residents a chance to address any possible zoning change.

Please do not hesitate to call me at 440-346-3227 with any questions or concerns regarding the above or any other issue.

I also want to wish everyone a safe and happy Thanksgiving Day Holiday.

Michael Vanni
Ward 1

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VOTE TUESDAY NOV. 2ND:

TWO ISSUES Willowick Residents need to consider:

Issue 3 - A 0.5 mill renewal Levy for our Parks & Rec. Will not raise taxes.

Issue 4 - A proposed Charter Change. It seems confusing. This proposed charter change will give our city a chance to compete for new businesses that we lose to neighboring cities.

Happy Thanksgiving,
God Bless,
Charlie Malta
440-943-0222

Antosh

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Lake Metro Parks RENEWAL .8 mill & INCREASE .4 mill (.12 cents per \$100.00 valuation)

Willoughby-Eastlake City School District RENEWAL 5.1 mills (.51 cents per \$100.00 valuation)

School Board has 3 positions open and there are 8 people running.

Your tax bill shows the break down of where all your property tax money goes.

Remember to be kind and thoughtful to your neighbors. Watch out for each other. Help each other out.

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before the last election took place. And they will be the same people complaining two years from now before the 2023 election. Voting yes on Issue 4 will make Willowick a better city. It's as simple as that. If you have questions, contact your elected representatives and get the facts.

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Laketran Honors Veterans with Weeklong Discount on Transit Services

To honor our Lake County veterans, Laketran will be offering free rides to veterans during the week of Veterans Day from Monday, November 8 - Saturday, November 13.

Laketran customers on Local Routes and Park-n-Ride will need to inform their driver that

they are a veteran when they board the bus, and their trip will be free. Dial-a-Ride customers should inform Laketran of their veteran status when scheduling their reservation.

"Each year, Laketran provides nearly 9,000 Dial-a-Ride trips to Lake County veterans to access

healthcare appointments. It is the least we can do for the sacrifice that veterans have given to our country," said Laketran CEO, Ben Capelle. "We would like to continue to show our support and appreciation by offering free rides to veterans on all of our services."

For over 25 years, Laketran has operated a special Veterans Medical Transportation service, in partnership with Lake County Veterans Service Commission and Lake County Commissioners. The Veterans Medical Transportation provides free door-to-door, Dial-a-Ride transportation for Lake County veterans and their spouses to the county's VA outpatient clinic, administration office, and the Louis Stokes VA Medical Center in University Circle.

Laketran expanded the program subsidizing free Dial-a-

Ride transportation to any adult day care or medical appointment for Lake County veterans, either in Lake County or to University Circle hospitals.

For more information on Laketran's Veterans Medical Transportation program call 1-888-LAKETLAN or visit www.laketran.com.

For more information about the services offered by Lake County Veterans Service Commission, visit www.lakecountyohio.gov/veterans or to register for Veterans Medical Transportation call 440-350-2904.



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Remodeling in Willowick is not Getting any Cheaper

Let's face it we all want the best price on anything we buy.

One local company is hearing from customers "we're going to wait for prices to come down"

As wonderful as that sounds it's just not happening. And it's not going to happen. Several factors come into play here. With fast food paying 15 dollars an hour+ and materials being harder to locate than ever, things

are changing. High quality tradesmen are harder to find and that problem is not getting any better.

Monthly Upkeep Handyman has quickly become a household name in Willowick. The advice from Owner Spensir Chappell is no matter what trade you are going to need in the future. Make the decision now. With inflation on the rise customers are actually receiving a deep discount by making a decision now.

They currently have customers booking into the middle of next year for kitchen and bathroom remodels. These customers understand that by locking in the price now they are making sure they are getting the best price with prices on the rise.

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Bankruptcy 101:

The two types of bankruptcy that most people hear about are chapter 7 and chapter 13. The word chapter refers to the chapter (like in a book) in the bankruptcy code. Chapter 7 is a liquidating bankruptcy and chapter 13 is a non-liquidating bankruptcy. Liquidating means they (the government) can take your stuff. Non-liquidating means they can't. However, there are exceptions to this. I will try to lay this out in a simplistic fashion:

In a chapter 7 you will be able to discharge all of your debts without

paying anything back. However, if you have any equity in anything (your home, your car, your bank account, your boat- anything) you must surrender it to the bankruptcy trustee (the person who looks out for the creditors) so that it can be sold (liquidated) to pay back the creditors to the largest extent possible. Equity is what determines which chapter of bankruptcy you can file under. Fair Market Value minus Amount Owed equals Your Equity in anything.

A chapter 13 is a non-liquidating

bankruptcy. This means you get to keep everything, but you have to pay back a percentage of your equity. It is also used for people who are in foreclosure or behind on their mortgage and in fear of foreclosure. A chapter 13 requires a payback plan from between three to five years. The payment is monthly. The amount is determined, again, by the amount of equity you have accumulated in your life. This is referred to as your bankruptcy estate. Obviously, everyone wants to do a chapter 7 because it is no pay back. However, since 2005 it has become much harder to file chapter 7. In 2005, legislation was passed which tightened up the income restrictions on people with regard to the Chapter 7 bankruptcy. The intended result was that more

people must file under Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy code and pay back, at least, what the government thinks they can afford.

It is the bankruptcy attorney's job to advise you which is the best chapter to file under. It is also the attorney's job to make sure you keep your home, your

car, and everything else you have accumulated throughout your life.

A good bankruptcy attorney will do those all of those things. He or She will also stop the creditors from harassing you, protect you from lawsuits, garnishments, put you back on your feet and give you a fresh start in life.

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“Love Your Neighbor”

How do we “Love Your Neighbor,” as the often-quoted expression goes? Do we help everyone who asks even if inconvenient and costly or do we provide assistance only to those with a documented need? One interpretation is respecting

others and regarding their needs as highly as we regard our own. Any provision, though, does bear the responsibility of considering whether the aid will meet or continue the need.

The goal of Willow Praise Church is to enable individuals

to better their difficult circumstances, not continue them. Partnership with local agencies is allowing us to offer help and referrals of various kinds with a hand up not a handout approach. As an individual’s circumstances change so do their living conditions. We trust these persons will have a desire to give back to others in need. Everyone has something to give and starting to give back with their talents is the easiest way to realize they have something to offer others. Changed people help change peoples’ lives.

One individual we’ve had the privilege of helping came to us a

few years ago with many medical issues. In the months ahead as we took time to get to know her, she was able to get some much-needed encouragement, a hot meal and some practical resources. Her response was “when I get over these medical issues I am going to come and help you cook.” She was good to her word and has been a part of our team ever since.

When we remember our Thanksgivings over the years there is always that one special ingredient that money cannot buy, it’s the love that went into the meal. That ingredient is what every one of our neighbors need and love makes all the difference

Willow Praise Thanksgiving Community meal curbside pickup hours will be Noon – 2:00 PM. Additionally, we plan to deliver to homebound individuals within a five-mile radius of the church from 10 AM – 1 PM. Please contact Willow Praise Church (440)944-5683 to request a delivery no later than Friday, November 19. Please leave your name, address, apartment number, phone number and number of meals.

Willow Praise Church will continue to share our time, talent, and resources as we are able for many years to come and hope to be a beacon of light in a challenging and obscured world.



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Need a Thanksgiving Day Meal?

Come to Willow Praise Church for a take-out meal from Noon until 2 PM on Thursday, November 25.

Have you thought about helping others and volunteering?

Now is the time! Please call us with your name and phone number if you would like to join us in preparing, assembling and or delivering meals

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“LOVE Your Neighbor”

Check us out online www.willowpraise.org or follow us on Facebook: Willow Praise Church.

MEET YOUR LOCAL FIREPLACE DEALER!

If you are wondering how to avoid the high cost of heating your home this winter, then take a ride to American Home & Energy Products in Painesville Township, across the street from the Lake County Fairgrounds.

You will find the owner there, Chris Bedrick, and his staff, ready and able to give you the best information about quality heating products that will save you money (and worries) about keeping warm in your home during the cold NE Ohio winter season.

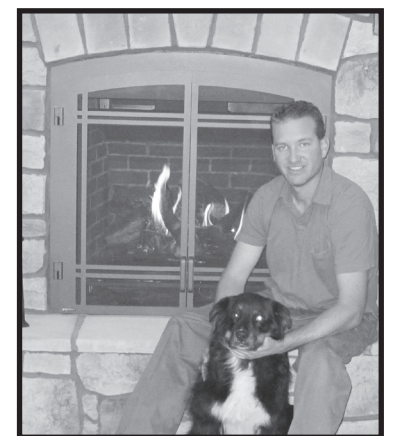
Chris said, “We are a full service store dedicated to customer service.

We educate our customers on the heating products and work with them to determine the best solution for their particular situation. Then we are able to

sell them a high efficiency unit, install the unit and service it afterwards. We also offer our customers pellet fuel, firewood and a complete hearth shop featuring all the products having to do with a fireplace!”

Chris says that American Home is all about green energy and proves that with high efficiency Regency wood, gas and pellet products including fireplaces, inserts and stoves. They have burning displays in the store to demonstrate the incredible heat, beautiful ambiance and easy to use heating products. You can see for yourself how great the units look, as well as how much heat you can expect, by coming in and experiencing the working products.

American Home & Energy is located at 1270 Mentor Avenue



(Rt 20) in Painesville Township, across from the Lake County Fairgrounds. Store hours are Monday through Friday 9am to 5:30 pm, Saturday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. The store is closed on Sunday.

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Mentor Window has earned the home improvement industry's coveted Angie's List Super Service Award several times. This award reflects exemplary years of service provided to customers throughout Northeast Ohio, along with honest, fair prices.

Steve Douglas the owner of Mentor Window was asked about how they continue having such success in the home improvement industry. "We have crews that have been with us for decades,

Audubon Highlights Bird Migration & Motus Tracking

As fall migration winds down, Blackbrook Audubon invites everyone to hear "Monitoring Bird Migration: Evolving Technologies and Remarkable Discoveries" by Dr. Andy Jones of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History. This free presentation will be 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 16 at Geauga Park District's The West Woods Nature Center.

Banding birds and reporting sightings on eBird continue to help in understanding bird migration, but the array of technologies available to ornithologists is constantly changing. New tools both large and tiny are giving fresh insights into individual birds' migratory behaviors. Dr. Jones will go over several of these newer systems, including the current status of the Motus network. The northeast corner of Ohio has a gap on the Motus map and Blackbrook Audubon is looking into filling that void.

Participants can attend the program in person or register on the event page of blackbrookaudubon.org to receive a link to view the program live online. While the program starts at 7:00 p.m., Trevor Wearstler, the host and president of Blackbrook, will open access to the meeting about 6:30 p.m. so people can familiarize themselves with the software features or chat with other attendees. Refreshments will not be served at the in-person program, which will be at 9465 Kinsman Road, Rt. 87 in Russell.

Blackbrook Audubon covers Ashtabula, Geauga and Lake Counties as the local chapter of National Audubon Society. For more information, email blackbrookaud@aol.com. Follow Blackbrook Audubon Society on Facebook for updates.

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We are an 8,000 sq. ft. multi-vendor shop featuring: collectibles, glassware, furniture, toys, tools, vintage and nearly new

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eReader or phone. If you have an eReader, please bring it to the class and be ready to ask questions.

Tuesday, November 9, 6:30 pm
Willoughby Public Library, 440-943-4151

Hidden History of Lake County

Striking natural beauty draws many visitors to Lake County, but the area also has a rich and captivating history. Author Jennifer Boresz Engelking uncovers the history behind some of Lake County's most well-known people and landmarks and reveals stories lost to time.

Wednesday, November 10, 6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Murder at the Hills Book Discussion Club

Thursday, November 11, 2 pm: Don't You Cry by Mary Kubica
Willoughby Hills Public Library, 35400 Chardon Rd., Willoughby Hills, 440-942-3362

WWII Normandy Invasion

Listen to the description of the Normandy invasion through the eyes of a member of the Fifth Rangers, played by Peter Booth. There will be weapons similar to the weapons used at Normandy on display.

Thursday, November 11, 7 pm
Willoughby Public Library, 440-943-4151

Mystery at Eastlake Public Library

The Eastlake Public Library invites you and your family to join us for an entire day of mysterious adventure. This "Whodunit" event will have scavenger hunt & escape room activities for kids & teens during the day. In the evening, adults will indulge in an Interactive Murder Mystery program presented by the Candlelight Mystery Players. The sleuth who successfully pieces the clues together will receive a special prize. It's a full day of mystery-solving for the whole family!

Junior Detectives' Scavenger Hunt

Crack codes, follow clues, solve the mystery! Ages 5 and up.
10:30 am-5 pm

Get a Clue! An Escape Room Adventure

Do you have what it takes to solve the mystery before time runs out? Five time slots available starting

at 10 am. Spaces are limited. Ages 10 and up. Contact the Eastlake Library to register your group.

Mystery After Dark

Have you ever wanted to be part of an investigative team trying to solve a Murder Mystery? Bring your sleuthing skills and join The Candlelight Mystery Players for an interactive Murder Mystery Program where you solve the Mystery and win a special prize. Adult program. Doors Open at 5:30 pm - Performance Begins at 6 pm.

Saturday, November 13, 10:30 am-8 pm • Eastlake Public Library, 440-942-7880

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Project DAWN (Deaths Avoided with Naloxone) is a community-based overdose education and naloxone distribution program. Naloxone is a medication that can reverse an overdose caused by an opioid drug. Participants will receive training on recognizing the of an overdose, performing rescue breathing and administering naloxone. The first 25 patrons to register will be invited to view the presentation live at Willoughby Public Library and an unlimited number of registrants will receive a link to watch the program live on YouTube.

Wednesday, November 17, 6:30 pm • Willoughby Public Library 440-942-3200

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Wednesday, November 17, 6:30-7:30 pm • Willoughby Hills Public Library, 440-942-3362

Children & Teen Programs:

Carryout Crafts for Teens

Each month we will have an activity kit for you to pick up at the Willoughby Library and complete at home.

Month of November – Heart Bracelet

Willoughby Public Library, 440-942-3200

Homeschool Research

The average Google search can yield millions of results, but which one will give you the information you need? In this class, children ages 8-12 will learn how to find, evaluate and use information.

Thursday, November 4, 2 pm
Online via Zoom

Teen Coding

Complete a small coding project.
Thursday, November 4, 6 pm
Willoughby Hills Public Library, 440-942-3362

Basement Writers

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Mondays, November 8 & 22
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Lake County Genealogical Society Meeting - November 18th

The Lake County Genealogical Society (LCGS) meeting will be held on November 18 from 10:00 am to approximately noon. Please note that we are meeting early in the month due to the Thanksgiving Holiday, and that we do not have a December meeting. The LCGS has been meeting on Zoom due to COVID-19. Please join us for a short business meeting followed by our speaker, Deborah Abbott.

Deborah Abbott will be talking about, "Using Manuscript Collections in Genealogy Research. Researching manuscripts, oral histories, and special collections in libraries, archives and other repositories are overlooked sources. Manuscript collections often are not indexed, and it takes time and patience to sift through the various documents that you might find. Knowing exactly where and what will be found in a manuscript collection can be tricky, but when found, they can create a gold mine of information pertaining to your ancestors."

"Deborah A. Abbott, PhD, is a professional genealogist, specializing in African American research, manuscript collections and genealogy methodology. She serves as a member of the Cuyahoga County (Ohio) Archives Advisory Commission. She is an associate with the Kentucky-Tennessee Associates based in Springfield, TN; past president of the African American Genealogical Society, Cleveland, OH; and a retired

professor of Counseling from Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland... Dr. Abbott is an instructor as well as the coordinator for both the weeklong African American tracts at the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research (IGHR) held at the University of Georgia in Athens, GA and the Genealogy Research Institute of Pittsburgh held at LaRoche University in Pittsburgh, PA. She is also an instructor at the Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy (SLIG) in Salt Lake City, UT. She presents lectures and workshops at a variety of national, state, and local genealogy conferences across the country, as well as colleges, businesses & libraries."

Visit our web site at www.lcgsohio.org to find the email address so you can contact us for an invitation to our Zoom Meeting. You can also go to our web site to learn more about us. If you do not have a computer, you can join the Zoom meeting from your phone; so call Bonnie or Cynthia to get the phone number for the meeting.

If you have any questions, call Bonnie at 440-428-3783 or Cynthia at 440-951-0914.

Join us to learn how to research and organize your findings on your ancestors, find your "Roots", and create your own Family Tree. You can also join our genealogy group and meet new people and get help from other members besides from listening to the speakers

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Thursday, November 11, 1 pm
Online via Zoom

Homeschool Writers Club

Each month, we'll use the amazing Playing with a Purpose videos from our partners Lake Erie Ink to inspire young writers ages 7-12. Classes will be facilitated by a librarian.

Monday, November 15, 1:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Sensory Family Storytime

Children of all ages & abilities are welcomed to this interactive, inclusive storytime specifically designed to support

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Tuesday, November 16, 6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Homeschool Travelers

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Wednesday, November 17, 2 pm • Online via Zoom

Homeschool Animal Explorers

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It is my experience that Medicare Advantage PPO plans offer more flexibility and are a better choice for those who spend extended periods of time away from home. Like an HMO, a PPO has a network of hospitals,

physicians, specialists, and other health care providers, however PPO networks are usually more extensive than HMOs. Your costs for care will be lowest if you receive care from providers within your network.

With a PPO, you have more flexibility. You will have the freedom to visit any specialist, lab, or pharmacy without a referral from your primary care physician. This means you can see any healthcare provider you choose if you need medical care when you are away from home.

In contrast, most HMO

plans are more restrictive for travelers. The HMO's networks are often limited to a specific geographic area except in emergency situations. While an Advantage HMO plan provides all the benefits covered by Original Medicare through a specific network of health care providers, you will need to use the physicians, hospitals, labs, and other health care providers within your plan's network for the most cost-effective health care. You may also need to select a primary care physician who will act as your health care 'gate-keeper', providing you with referrals before you consult any

specialists.

Time to make a change

If you're planning to winter in another locale, travel frequently, and have a Medicare Advantage HMO it may be time to change to a PPO. Medicare's Open Enrollment which begins October 15 through December 7 is a perfect time to make this switch. Any changes you make in your plan during Open Enrollment will go into effect on January 1, 2022.

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Thirty Fifth Annual Beary Merry Christmas Show Handcrafted Market

Wednesday, December 1 and Thursday, December 2
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It's holiday shopping time at the Thirty Fifth Annual Beary Merry Christmas Show Handcrafted Market on Wednesday, December 1 and Thursday, December 2 at the Normandy Party Center in Wickliffe.

This craft extravaganza showcases over fifty talented artisans from Ohio and Pennsylvania, displaying unique holiday gifts for your shopping pleasure. We will again feature a Deluxe Chinese Raffle Extravaganza to benefit Susan G. Komen for the Cure Northeast Affiliate. This will include over 50 baskets for all members of the family including a spa package from John Roberts, variety of

dinners, sports items, toys, family fun and more. Delicious lunch and dinners catered by Normandy Party Center will be available for purchase. Admission is \$3.00

We are happy to announce Asa Cox with Century 21, Asa Cox Homes is our sponsor again this year. We are collaborating with Asa and Asa's Angels, a support program for families in need in the community during the holidays. She distributes over 15,000 toys, helping more than 3,000 families. Each family is personally interviewed and provides a Wish List for their children. \$125 is generously spent on each child. During The Beary Merry Show we will collect toys for her annual Christmas Outreach Drive for Kids. Her goal is "to make all children smile on Christmas morning" and we are here to help! Bring a toy to the show and make a child happy this Christmas. Please support this "beary" worthwhile cause.

- Chinese Raffle to benefit Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Northeast Affiliate
- Delicious Refreshments,

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- Bring a toy to support Asa's Angels and help our local families in need this Christmas

We will feature a variety of crafts for your shopping pleasure, including Repurposed Furniture, Jewelry, Artwork, Christmas Decor, Creative Signs, Fabric Creations, Custom Embroidery, Children's Accessories, Bread Dough Creations, Candles, Gift Baskets, Pottery, Personalized Ornaments, Ceramics, Maple Syrup and Honey, Sweatshirts, Wood Items, Bath and Body Items, Hand Knit Items, Chocolates, Homemade Pastries and Teas, CLE Items, Shadow Boxes, Upcycled Decor, Jellies and James, Floral Designs, Handpainted cards and more!

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LCGHD is Offering Free Private Well Water Testing

The Lake County General Health District (LCGHD) is offering free private/residential well water samples on Tuesdays from October through the end of December. There are a limited amount of samples that will be available each Tuesday by calling (440) 350-2543. Appointments will be scheduled on a first-come-first-served basis. A laboratory that is certified and approved for drinking water tests is used for processing the test. *Water samples for home sale transactions are not eligible for this promotion.*

LCGHD is encouraging homeowners to have their well water tested regularly. Private residential wells are often shallower than large volume public supply wells and more open to contamination. Unlike public supply wells, private wells are not regulated under the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Act.

"Many well owners do not regularly test their well water quality, and it's important that they have all the information they

need to make the best decisions to protect their well water and their health," commented Chris Loxterman, LCGHD Environmental Health Supervisor. LCGHD recommends that private well owners test their well water each year for contaminants, such as total coliform bacteria and other contaminants that may be of concern in your area. A homeowner may test more often if a problem is suspected.

For more information, contact Chris Loxterman at (440) 350-2543.



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Holden University Center of Lakeland Community College Adds New Partner, Lifelong Learning Opportunities

The Holden University Center of Lakeland Community College has added Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) to its list of partner schools. CWRU's Siegal Lifelong Learning Program has joined 11 other partner colleges and universities offering area residents educational opportunities through Lakeland's Holden University Center.

CWRU's Siegal Lifelong Learning Program connects the academic world to the wider community through innovative and engaging programming. Adults of all ages pursue their love of learning by participating in courses and lectures provided by CWRU faculty, renowned scholars, and local subject-area

experts.

Lakeland's Holden University Center offers a community connection and a campus close to home. Students enrolled in courses or lectures offered by partnering institutions, both in-person or remotely, have access to state-of-the-art facilities on the Lakeland campus. The Holden University Center provides a convenient way for area residents to pursue lifelong learning opportunities right here in Lake County.

"The addition of Case Western Reserve's Siegal Lifelong Learning Program will provide professional studies and personal enrichment learning opportunities to community

learners in Lake County," said Kristina Willey, director of the Holden University Center of Lakeland. "This program is a welcome complement to our bachelor and graduate degree

partnership programs."

CWRU's Siegal Lifelong Learning Program offers a vast array of courses and lectures on topics including art, history, politics, science, religion,

literature and more. The program also includes an 11-week Senior Scholars program. Siegal Lifelong Learning offers both online and in-person programming.

To learn more about upcoming courses and lectures, visit lakelandcc.edu/uc.

Help with Medicare Open Enrollment

The Lake County Council on Aging is reminding Medicare-eligible individuals of the free counseling assistance available to them and their caregivers during Medicare Open Enrollment which occurs annually from October 15th through December 7th.

Medicare Prescription Drug Plans (Part D) and Medicare Advantage plans change every year, and 2022 will bring some big changes! There are also savings in store for Insulin-dependent Diabetics as certain drug plans are participating in the Part D Senior Savings Model which is available to all people with Medicare. Plans that participate in this model will offer coverage choices that include multiple types of insulin at a maximum copayment of \$35 for a 30-day supply. People who enroll in a participating plan could save up to \$446 a year in out-of-pocket costs.

Understanding your Medicare options can be overwhelming but you don't have to do it alone - we are here to help! The Council on Aging has trained Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program (OSHIIP) volunteers available to help you make sense of the complicated Medicare system to make the best choices for your healthcare. These counselors are ready to provide

free unbiased information and education about Medicare, help you review your current coverage and look at plan options for 2022.

This year the Lake County Council on Aging will be conducting in person visits to assist eligible individuals with Medicare Open Enrollment. Please call the Council on Aging at (440) 205-8111 to schedule an appointment to review your current Medicare coverage and explore what is available for 2022.

OSHIIP is not affiliated with any insurance company, and these counselors do not sell or solicit any type of insurance. This Council on Aging service ensures that seniors and people with disabilities on Medicare understand all of the options available to them, and which choices can save them money.

About Lake County Council on Aging: The Lake County Council on Aging (LCCoA) has been serving Lake County's seniors, their families and caregivers since 1972. The Agency strives to enhance quality of life through education, advocacy, service and support. The agency's priority is to help older adults remain in their own homes longer, healthier and more safely.

For more information, visit www.lcco.org.



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