

The Village of Wayne Lakes Newsletter

January 2024



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937-548-4150
(Kept confidential)

SHERIFF 937-548-2020

EMERGENCY 9 1 1

SUICIDE LIFELINE 9 8 8

BULLFROGS LOUNGE

937-808-4013

**NO FEEDING OF
WATERFOWL**

**NO SWIMMING or
ICE SKATING**

ON ANY OF THE LAKES

FROM THE DESK OF OUR MAYOR

Caution On the Ice..... We have observed ice fisherman on our lakes. Please know that we have very good water flow in our lakes. There may be thin spots on the ice. Please use **EXTREME CAUTION!**

Brice with Access Engineering and the Wayne Lakes Sewer committee continue to work on the upcoming project. Construction will start up again soon, weather permitting. North drive, Poplar Lane, Evergreen drive, Evergreen Lane, Cross, Ot-tawa, and North Middle drive. A map showing where they are, will be and when finished. Tank work to begin this Spring. Progress to be posted on our webpage www.villageofwaynelakes.com.

YMCAs in our local area are currently holding lifeguard classes. If you or someone you know would like to be our next village employee for the Summer, check out the classes today! They fill up fast.

Darke County Board of Elections is looking for help! Are you interested in helping at our polling location in the community building this March? They are requesting two registered Republicans and two registered Democrats. These are paid positions. Please email me, leave a message on our office number, or call Susan at the Darke County Board of Elections 937-548-1835.

Community Forum meeting held at the community building. Top comments residents had about what people like the most in our village: fishing, lakes, nature, serenity, space between homes, friendly people, small community, and limited government. Concerns brought to our attention include nuisance geese, duckweed in lakes, speeding cars, unkempt roadside ditches, roads in poor condition, chickens, goats, domesticated ducks put into our lakes with the wild ducks, barking dogs not attended to by their owners, four wheelers speeding through the village, owners of properties not making attempts to care for yards or homes, process of installation of our sewer system. Thank you, Susan Hyatt, for chairing this event. A look at current ordinances will take place to address these concerns moving forward.

Committee leaders include Finance-John Swindler & Diana Pethtel, Lakes-Johna Walthen, Sewer-John Swindler & Linda Clark, Recreation-Susan Hyatt, Maintenance-Jacob Butsch, Public Relations and Policy, Grants & Record Compliance-Robert Ewry & Diana Pethtel. Several residents have joined these community committees. Please contact your local council member, or me for more information or to join.

Daily Fishing Passes are easily purchased at the village office, on our village web page www.villageofwaynelakes.com and our Facebook page The Village of Wayne Lakes. Winter office hours include Thursdays, 9:00 am to 11:00 am. Wednesday afternoons 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. New pricing for the Daily pass is \$8.50. The new non-resident passes \$65 for the year. We are also selling bait at the village office. Nightcrawlers, red worms & wax worms for now. \$5 per carton.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	January 2024 Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
14	15 WL Council Meeting 7pm MLK Day	16	17 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	18 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	19	20
21	22	23	24 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	25 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	26	27 Neave Twp. Trash 8am to noon
28	29 Neave Twp Mtg 7pm 3880 St Rt 121	30	31 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm			
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	February 2024 Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	2	3
4	5	6	7 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	8 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	9	10 Neave Twp. Trash 8am to noon
11	12	13	14  Village Office Hrs. 4-6	15 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	16	17
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FROM THE DESK OF OUR MAYOR

Next council meeting Monday, February 19, 2024, 7:00 p.m. in the council meeting room.

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Clark, mayorwaynelakes@gmail.com

Neave Township will hold regular monthly meetings in 2024 on the last Monday of the month at 7:00 pm at the township house.

Thank you, neavetownship23@gmail.com

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VOTING FOR WAYNE LAKES RESIDENTS



Beginning 2024 voting will be located at the Wayne Lakes Community Building 100 Community Drive Greenville 45331
Hours are 6:30 am to 7:30 pm.



On the Darke County Board of Elections Website:

300 Garst Avenue Greenville 45331 937-548-1835 darke@ohiosos.gov
Office Hours: 8am – 4 pm M-F

Primary Election - March 19, 2024

Registration Deadline - February 20, 2024- Office is open until 9 pm

Early Voting Begins - February 21, 2024

Food assistance is available at Ft. Jefferson United Methodist Church for anyone in Neave Township. Please call 937-423-6118. Leave your name and number for a return call. We are here for you!



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