

The Village of Wayne Lakes Newsletter

October 2023



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(Kept confidential)

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EMERGENCY 9 1 1

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937-808-4013

**NO FEEDING OF
WATERFOWL**

**NO SWIMMING or
ICE SKATING
ON ANY OF THE LAKES**

FROM THE DESK OF OUR MAYOR

Please vote in the November election. I received a call from the Darke County Board of Elections this week. The November election will remain in the Neave Township building. The good news is that we were approved to hold the March Primary in 2024 in our Community Building. The repairs were completed, but not soon enough to make the deadline to hold the November election.

Did you know that the current levy on the ballot is a renewal for current expenses. It is estimated that a property with a value of \$100,000 will pay \$245 towards the village. What does that help purchase? Chipping of branches, trees removed from roadways after storms, night lights on our roadways, snow removal, treatment and work on our lakes, trash pick up near our lakes, weed control and trimming, support for our beach and community building and much much more.

Brice with Access Engineering and the Wayne Lakes Sewer committee continue to work on the upcoming project. Pipe drilling is 2/3 of the way complete in our village. The drilling continues through South Creek Drive, North Drive, Poplar Lane, Evergreen Dr, Cross and North Middle Drive. An updated map will be provided on our website and at the local office. Please contact the village office with any questions or concerns. **Newly updated** mailers will be sent next quarter revealing the updated potential bill that may be expected due to our latest grant award. Doing all we can to lower those bills.

Trick or Treat is scheduled to start at the Community Building on the last Sunday, October 29, from 2 to 4pm. We are working to provide hayrides, games, give-a-ways, costume contests for all age groups, chili cook off competition.

We are seeking volunteers to help with new playground placement and installation. Please contact the village office if you have the desire to pitch in and make our park a better place for our children.

Goose Task Force 2024..... To infinity and beyond! That's what many of us think of our goose friends that show up every year. We are looking for the best of the best to help with strategic planning of how to manage our population with approved methods by ODNR. Please email me if you are interested in joining this distinguished team of planners. It's all about the execution. Let me know if you are in. We need residents from all lakes to take part. Those tricky birds like to jump from one spot to the next.

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. Fall office hours are Wednesdays 4 pm to 6 pm and Thursdays, 9:00 am to 11:00 am. 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.

Next council meeting Monday, Nov 13, 2023, 7:00pm in the council meeting room.

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Clark Mayor, mayorwaynelakes@gmail.com



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday 	October 2023 Wednesday	Thursday 	Friday	Saturday
15	16	17	18 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	19 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	20	21
22	23	24	25 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	26 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	27	28 Neave Twp. Trash 8am to noon
29 Trick-or Treat 2-4 Event 2:00pm	30 Neave Twp.Mtg 7p	31				
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	November 2023 Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	2 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	3	4
5	6	7 VOTE  Neave Twp Bldg Lakes Mtg 7pm	8 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm Sewer Project Mtg. 6 pm	9 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	10	11 Neave Twp. Trash 8am to noon
12	13 WL Council Meeting 7pm	14	15 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	16 Village Office Hrs. 9-11 am	17	18
19	20	21	22 Village Office Hrs. 4-6 pm	23 	24	25 Neave Twp. Trash 8am to noon
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 **2nd Annual Wayne Lakes CHILI COOK-OFF**

Fall, Halloween Party and Chili.
Fun all the way around!

Now is the chance to share your Chili recipe with friends plus compete in the Chili Cook-off during the Wayne Lakes Halloween Party.

Lots of chili is needed as 150 people are anticipated.



Contact Johna at 937-321-0019 for information to participate in the cook-off, or to donate chili.



Wayne Lakes Halloween Hayride and Party


WHERE: Wayne Lakes Village Community Building


WHEN: Sunday, October 29th


TIME: Hayride 2:00-4:00 p.m.



Party Approx. 4 :00 p.m., or when the wagons return!

 **Trick or Treat Hayride.** The wagons load in front of the Community Building between 1:50 and 1:55. The wagons *will roll at 2:00 pm!*

 Party includes >games, >food >costume contest> bicycle raffle. Food is chili, water, chips, and cookies, *while supplies last.*

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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