



# The Breeze

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

NOVEMBER 24

Sponsored by Brooklyn Heights Service Clubs

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## SEASON'S GREETINGS

Here is your chance to send a greeting to your friends and neighbors in the Village. So many of us have stopped sending Christmas cards. This is one way you can wish your friends and neighbors best wishes for the Holiday season in the Breeze.

Those wishing to place a "Season's Greeting" in the "Breeze" may do so by writing up a sample greeting. All greetings are sold in blocks of 3 lines, 6 lines, and 9 lines including your name on the 3rd, 6th or 9th line (9 spaces across per line). **The cost is \$1.20 per line.** Any greeting that involves an extra set up will be charged extra. **Money must accompany greeting sample.** All season's greetings must be in no later than **NOVEMBER 20th.**

Drop off your greeting or mail to Carol Rucinski, Breeze Editor, 382 Springbrook Drive, Brooklyn Heights, OH 44131. Please enclose payment with greeting.

## WOMEN'S SERVICE CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Women's Service Club Christmas dinner will be on Monday, December 5th. We will meet at Corleone's Ristorante on Broadview Rd. at 6:00 p.m. No gift exchange. We ask you to take names off the village Christmas tree and buy a gift for a child. Those who have not already signed up, please call Dianne Toronski at 351-0390.

## MEN'S SERVICE CLUB

The Brooklyn Heights Men's Service Club meeting is on November 22 at the Community Center, corner of Tuxedo & Schaaf Road. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. Meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. We invite all village men over 21 years of age to continue the good work the club has done and continues to do for the village. For more information, please call Tom Lahiff, President at 351-0331.

## SANTA'S COMING

Santa's coming **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17th.** Santa will be riding through the village once again this year. There will be treats for children 12 years of age and under.

Santa has a busy year and will be stopping for groups of children while following the time schedule below. Santa will also be at the Community Center for those who miss him at their houses, or if the weather is too bad.

Listen for the siren in your area. Bundle up and gather together with your friends and Santa will stop on your street.

Weather permitting, we will follow this schedule as close as we can:

Schaaf Road/Van Epps . . .	10:00 - 11:30 a.m.
Dorset Area . . . . .	11:30 - 12:30 p.m.
Tuxedo Area . . . . .	1:00 - 2:30 p.m.
Community Center . . . . .	2:30 - 3:00 p.m.

**Carol Rucinski—Editor****382 Springbrook Drive, Brooklyn Heights, OH 44131****Phone: 661-4449**

Founded by Leonard Reichelt

Ruth Gadus (Editor 1958 to 1989)

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Police.....741-2700

Ambulance.....351-3542 For Police & Ambulance **EMERGENCY ONLY** Call.....9-1-1

### **MEN'S SERVICE CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Brooklyn Heights Men's Service Club's annual Christmas Party will take place on Friday, December 2nd at the Community Center. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Cost is \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members and includes your 2017 dues plus \$2 for a split raffle. Reservations must be made by November 27th. Call Tom Lahiff at 351-0331.

### **W.S.C. REVERSE RAFFLE**

Thank you to all who supported the Women's Service Club Reverse Raffle. The proceeds benefit the Jean Notarian Scholarship Fund. Congratulations to the big board winners who split the \$1,500 prize. The \$250 winners were: Tim Clymer, John Black, Judy Bizjak and Lisa Miranda. Rita Hudec won \$500. Thanks also to everyone who donated a Chinese Raffle item. The raffle was a huge success and raised almost \$3,000 for our scholarships. Thank you to Rick Ramos And the Western Reserve Argentine Tango Dance Group for their donation of 12 bottles of wine and their most generous cash donation. Thanks also to the Fortuna Funeral Home for printing the tickets, purchasing tickets and the Chinese Raffle donation and to all who helped us clean-up. See you next year.

### **NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING**

Our next council meeting will be held Tuesday, December 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers in the Municipal Center, 345 Tuxedo Ave., Brooklyn Heights, OH 44131.



### **WOMEN'S SERVICE CLUB FRUIT BASKETS**

The Women's Service Club will once again be distributing Holiday Fruit Baskets or Poinsettias to our shut-ins. If your resident, relative or neighbor is a shut-in at home, please contact Jen Presot at 577-5078, or leave me a message, by November 20. If they cannot have the fruit basket, we will deliver a poinsettia instead. We must rely on you for help to insure that all of our shut-ins are remembered this holiday season. Delivery will be December 3rd.

### **OBITUARY**

**BARBARA BAUER**, wife of Robert, mother of Jeff, Scott, & Laura Francis, passed away October 13, 2016. Barbara was the proud owner of Bauer's Professional Touch Florist for over 30 years. Memorial service was on October 20 at Busch Funeral Home. Barb will be greatly missed by her many friends and neighbors in Brooklyn Heights.

**PHILIP JECUBIC**, passed away recently. Philip was in the U.S. Marine Corps HMX-1 Executive Flight Dept. (helicopters). Arrangements were by Ripepi Funeral Home where services were held October 25. Philip will be greatly missed by his many friends and neighbors in Brooklyn Heights.

The Breeze extends sympathy to our bereaved families.

**BREEZE DEADLINE NOVEMBER 22  
NEXT ISSUE OF BREEZE DECEMBER 3**

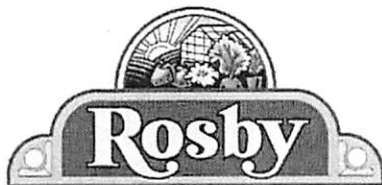
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**CUYAHOGA VALLEY CAREER CENTER  
UPCOMING EVENTS**

Digital Animation: Star Wars Grades 4-6,  
Saturday, Nov. 12, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., \$20 -  
includes snack. The Force Awakens.  
Student make their own digital animation  
adventure & learn to draw Kylo Ren, Finn, light  
sabers, shuttles, deep space & more!

Video Game Design: Intro to Maze, Grades  
4-6 Nov.12, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., \$20 - includes  
snack. Students will use Game Maker Pro  
software version 8.1 to create take-home  
games.

Christmas Craft Fair, Saturday, Nov. 12 from  
9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Admission \$1.00, free for  
children 12 and under. Featuring more than 75  
vendors offering unique gifts & crafted items.  
Sponsored by the Dental Assisting Students.

**THANK YOU NOTE**

Thank you to the Paramedics for their help and  
my neighbors and friends for their cards and  
get well wishes. They meant a lot to me.

Jane Heyduk

**VISIT THE BROOKLYN HEIGHTS**

WEBSITE @ [www.brooklynhts.org](http://www.brooklynhts.org)

**NOVAK'S FLORAL 2016 WORKSHOPS**

**THANKSGIVING - November 22**

**CHRISTMAS - December 5**

PLACE: Community Center

TIME: 7 p.m.

COST: \$15.00

TOOLS - Garden clippers or scissors  
needed.

All deadlines are by 8:00 a.m. / 5 days  
before the workshops

The Women's Service Club sponsors several  
floral workshops throughout the year. Novak's  
Flowers will help you make a beautiful  
arrangement for the holidays. Everyone is  
welcome and NO floral arrangements  
experience is needed. Come join us and have  
some fun!

Call Jennifer Presot at 577-5078 to make  
your reservations for any of the workshops.

**JAZZERCISE, ZUMBA or TANGO**

Feeling a little sluggish? Need an hour out of  
the house? The Brooklyn Heights Women's  
Service Club sponsors Jazzercise at the  
Brooklyn Hts. Community Center.

Monday & Wednesday 5:15 to 6:15 p.m.  
Tuesday & Thursday mornings 9:30 - 10:30  
a.m.

Contact Lois Powers at  
[loispowers@hotmail.com](mailto:loispowers@hotmail.com)

OR

ZUMBA on Mondays 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Mary Ann Balak at [zumbariffic@gmail.com](mailto:zumbariffic@gmail.com)

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take TANGO classes on Thursdays 7 - 10  
p.m.

Contact Rick Ramos at [somark-cir@hotmail.com](mailto:somark-cir@hotmail.com)

**EVERYONE WELCOME TO JOIN  
ANY OR ALL.**

Brooklyn Heights Municipal Center is  
closed November 24 and November 25 in  
observance of Thanksgiving.





## **BROOKLYN HEIGHTS MEN'S SERVICE CLUB 2016 HOLIDAY NUT, CANDY, POPCORN & COFFEE SALE**

Please help us continue the tradition of helping our community!  
Proceeds from your purchase provides funding for various village charities such as Meals on Wheels, Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts as well as provide scholarships for all Brooklyn Heights' graduating high school seniors in 2017!  
ALL members of the Men's Service Club are taking orders now!

Traditional Nut, Candy, Popcorn & Coffee sale, featuring:

- Peterson's Nut Gift Packs, Holiday Tins & Bagged Candy
- Euclid Beach Popcorn products
- Berardi's Whole Bean and Ground Coffee

We've added several new products from Peterson's and we are once again offering Cheesy and White Cheddar popcorn from Humphrey's!

**\*\*SALES FORM ON REVERSE SIDE\*\***

**PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDERS NO LATER THAN 8 P.M. on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18th**

All orders will be ready on Saturday, Dec. 3rd and delivered to you beginning that weekend.

**You can place an order one of the following ways:**

Email to: [andytech62@gmail.com](mailto:andytech62@gmail.com)

Fax to: 440-838-4205

Drop-off or mail to: 32 Marko Lane, Brooklyn Heights, Ohio 44131

Or phone your order in to Andy Pech at 440-241-2900 or any MSC member

We thank you for your support and wish you and yours a very happy and healthy  
Holiday season from the Brooklyn Heights Men's Service Club!

Tom Lahiff, President



**2016 Brooklyn Hts. Men's Service Club Annual Holiday Nut, Candy, Popcorn and Coffee Sale Order Form**  
**ORDER DEADLINE: Friday, November 18th at 8:00 P.M.**

<b>Customer's Name:</b>				
<b>Address:</b>		<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>	
<b>BAGGED NUTS &amp; CANDY FROM PETERSON'S</b>				
<b>Quantity</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Total \$ (Qty. x Price)</b>	
	14 oz. Medium Whole Cashews (Roasted/Salted)	\$12		
	16 oz. Fancy Mixed Nuts	\$12		
	10 oz. Natural Pistachios	\$13		
	16 oz. Pecan Halves (Roasted/Salted)	\$19		
	16 oz. Party Peanuts (Roasted/Salted)	\$5		
	13 oz. Milk Chocolate Covered Raisins	\$9		
	13 oz. Dark Chocolate Covered Rasins	\$12		
	12 oz. Chocolate Peanuts	\$9		
	12 oz. Dark Chocolate Almonds	\$14		
	16 oz. Semi-Sweet Chocolate Holiday Non Pareils	\$12		
	10 oz. Chocolate Covered Pretzel Sticks	\$9		
	12 oz. Snow Day Trail Mix (yogurt raisins, raw sunflower kernels, raw almonds, yogurt chips, raisins & no-salt peanuts)	\$6		
	12 oz. Honey Roasted Peanuts	\$6		
	20 oz. Peanuts salted in shell (burlap bag)	\$12		
	11 oz. Cajun Mix (peanuts, cajun sesame hot sticks, hot cajun corn sticks and oriental rice crackers)	\$6		
	13 oz. Championship Mix (cranberries, peanuts, peanut butter drops, almonds, white chocolate drops, golden rasins, semi-sweet chocolate drops and cashews)	\$7		
	10 oz. Fancy Gourmet Nut Mix (fresh-roasted salted cashews, California almonds, Brazil nuts and pecans)	\$11		
	12 oz. Gummy Bears	\$7		
	11 oz. Sour Gummy Worms	\$7		
<b>NUT GIFT PACKS FROM PETERSON'S (Clear plastic rounds)</b>				
	1 lb. Cashews	\$15		
	2 lb. Cashews	\$26		
	1 lb. Deluxe Mix	\$15		
	2 lb. Deluxe Mix	\$26		
<b>SNACKS IN HOLIDAY TINS FROM PETERSON'S</b>				
	1 lb. Party Peanuts Nutcracker Toy Soldier	\$16		
	17 oz. Mountain Mix (raisins, peanuts, candy-coated chocolate buttons, almonds and cashews)	\$14		
	15 oz. Cranberry Nut Mix (honey sesame sticks, cranberries, almonds and cashews)	\$14		
<b>EUCLID BEACH POPCORN PRODUCTS &amp; TAFFY</b>				
	Pkg. of 10 - 1 oz. Euclid Beach Mini Popcorn Balls, 3" diameter, cello wrapped (great stocking stuffers!)	\$5		
	5 oz. bag Euclid Beach Chocolate Drizzle Popcorn	\$4		
	6 oz. bag Cheesy Popcorn	\$3		
	6 oz. bag White Cheddar Popcorn	\$3		
	4 oz. bag Euclid Beach Taffy Candy Kisses	\$3		
<b>BERARDI'S COFFEE (Whole Bean or Ground)</b>				
WB__GND__	1 lb. St. Domenico blend (rich, full-bodied blend)	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Decaffeinated St. Domenico blend (rich, full-bodied blend)	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Hazelnut	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Decaffeinated Hazelnut	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. French Vanilla	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Decaffeinated French Vanilla	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Christmas Fantasy (Egg Nog & Cream flavor)	\$10		
WB__GND__	1 lb. Decaffeinated Christmas Fantasy (Egg Nog & Cream flavor)	\$10		
<b>BERARDI'S RICH HOT CHOCOLATE MIX</b>				
	1 lb. Hot Chocolate Mix	\$8		
<b>Seller's Name:</b>				
<b>Seller's Phone:</b>		<b>Seller's Email:</b>	<b>TOTAL \$</b>	

**To place an order: Email to: andypech62@gmail.com or Fax to: 440-838-4205 or  
Mail to: Andy Pech 32 Marko Lane, Brooklyn Heights, OH 44131**





# Community Services



**Office Phone ~ 739-3702**

**Information Line ~ 739-3713**

**Office Fax ~ 661-9328**

233 Tuxedo Avenue (in Service Building), 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday

Applications can be found at the Municipal & Community Services offices and at [www.brooklynhts.org](http://www.brooklynhts.org)

**November 2016**



## **SENIOR SNOW REMOVAL**

Seniors, age 65+ and, disabled residents (with proof from a medical doctor) can apply. Cost is \$125 for the season, unless approved for HEAP for the 2016-17 year. HEAP-approved applicants will pay \$50. The HEAP discount will be applied after your acceptance letter is received by our office. The application and outline is attached. Applications can be dropped off the at the Community Services office.

## **REMEMBRANCE CELEBRATION**

The holiday season can be difficult for anyone who has lost a loved one - whether recently or long ago. A short, non-denominational service will be held to commemorate and celebrate the lives of your special loved ones on Wednesday, November 30th. Please refer to the attached flyer for additional information.



## **HEAP ENERGY ASSISTANCE**

Applications are available for the State of Ohio HEAP Energy Assistance program which provides a one-time benefit to your main heating source. It also qualifies you for a discount on village senior snow removal and grass cutting programs. You must apply every year and applications are available in our office. Income eligibility levels are: 1-person, \$20,790; 2-person, \$28,035; etc.

## **THE CHRISTMAS HOPE TREE**

Each year we place a tree at the Municipal Center decorated with wishes from children of disadvantaged families in the village. Residents can take a tag, purchase the requested gift and place it back under the tree. Project Hope will deliver the gifts to the families in time for Christmas. The Hope Tree will be at the Municipal Center (upstairs) November 7th and the deadline for gifts to be returned is December 2nd. See the flyer for more details.



*Thank you to everyone who supported the Annual Food Drive!*



## **Senior Socials...**

## **MEMORY SCREENINGS, NOVEMBER 15TH**

Residents can take advantage of free, confidential screenings at the Community Center at the bi-monthly senior social. National Memory Screening, an annual initiative of the Alzheimer's Foundation of America is designed to promote proper detection of memory problems and strategies for successful aging. The screenings will be held at the Senior Social, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. The event features a face-to-face screening, which takes only about five minutes, and consists of a series of questions and tasks. It is administered by our social worker and is completely confidential. The results do not represent a diagnosis, and AFA advises those individuals with below-normal scores to follow up with a qualified healthcare professional. You must pre-register by calling 739-3702.



Tuesday, November 15th	Thanksgiving Celebration, Social Worker Presentation & Memory Screening, Entertainment by Eric Knoltcamper	Catered luncheon: Turkey dinner with all the trimmings!
Tuesday, December 6th	Mayor Mike, Birthdays, Oldies and Show Tunes by the Orlandi's	Lasagna, Salad, Roll, Dessert
Tuesday, December 20th	Christmas Celebration, CHS Scarlet Angels, CHS Jazz Band, White Elephant Gift Exchange	Catered luncheon



# Community Services Continued...

Kathleen Kapusta, LISW-S Social Worker

## How Medicare Advantage Plans compare with Original Medicare

As we are in the season for open enrollment, many seniors are trying to decide what path to take with their Medicare coverage. The two primary choices are between remaining with Original (traditional), Medicare or joining a Medicare Advantage plan that offers HMOs (Health Maintenance Organizations) type coverage.

Following are some of the key differences between the two options:

1. **Providers you can use.** HMOs will usually only cover your care from doctors and hospitals in their network, except in the case of emergency or urgent care. They may also offer out of network coverage under a different benefit structure. Original Medicare will cover your care from most doctors and hospitals in the country. HMOs usually require that you receive a referral from your primary care physician before you can get care from a specialist, while in Original Medicare you do not need to get a referral.
2. **Benefits.** HMOs must offer all the benefits available under Original Medicare (Part A and Part B). Some HMOs may offer additional benefits that Original Medicare does not cover, such as dental care or eye care. Many Medicare HMOs also offer Medicare prescription drug coverage (Part D). If you are in a Medicare HMO, and you want Medicare drug coverage, you must get your drug coverage from that same plan. Services such as dental and eye care, as well as drugs are not included in Original Medicare.
3. **Premium.** In Original Medicare, you pay only the Part B premium. HMOs may charge a monthly premium in addition to the Medicare Part B premium. The premium may be higher if the HMO offers prescription drug coverage (Part D) benefits. When you are in an HMO you must continue to pay the Part B premium.
4. **Out-of-pocket costs.** With Original Medicare you generally pay 20 percent coinsurance for doctors' and other medical services. Supplemental insurance such as a Medigap\* or a retiree plan could help pay for that coinsurance. In an HMO, you usually pay a fixed amount for services (copayment). HMO copays cannot be higher than Original Medicare for some services, like chemotherapy, dialysis and durable medical equipment, but could be higher for other services, such as home health and hospital. Also, unlike Original Medicare, HMOs must have a cap on out-of-pocket costs to protect you against very high costs if you receive expensive care. The maximum out-of-pocket, in network, cost allowed for HMOs in 2017 is \$6,700.
5. **Affordability.** If you are generally healthy and only see doctors and other providers in the HMO's network, your out-of-pocket costs may be lower than in Original Medicare. If you use doctors and hospitals that are not in the HMOs network, or you see many providers, your costs could be higher. Since HMOs include a limit on out-of-pocket costs, you are protected from very high costs if you need a lot of medical care or expensive treatments.
6. **Medications.** Drug plans are bundled with the Advantage Plan. You may be able to find cheaper drug out-of-pocket costs, but you must switch your entire Advantage Plan to get these lower drug costs. With Original Medicare, you need to purchase a separate Medicare Part D drug plan, with its own premium.

Each option for health care coverage has its unique features. If you need further information or help in the decision making process, please contact the Village to ask to speak with the social worker. *One word of caution: If you are currently on a health care plan and are considering changing, do not terminate your current coverage until you have confirmation that you have been accepted by the new plan!*

**\*Note:** Many people who have Original Medicare also purchase a Medigap plan to help pay some of their costs (such as deductibles and copays). Medigap plans are supplemental insurance policies that work specifically with Original Medicare. You cannot have a Medigap and a Medicare HMO together. *Reprinted from Medicare Rights Center*



## **RESIDENTS CAN RESERVE THE BUS!**

The Village offers group transportation (village bus and a community services driver) for a minimal cost. For complete details, please call the Community Services office or visit the village website and look Community Services, Transportation Programs. Let us handle your transport to the Jack Casino, Rocksino, Tribe, Cavs and Browns games, Blossom, family events, etc.



## **MILITARY APPRECIATION**

The Village of Brooklyn Heights is proud to honor those that have served, or are currently serving, in our military forces. A display will be set up at the Municipal Center to honor and remember loved ones of our residents. Please see the attached flyer and application form with details on submitting military information on your family member or loved one.









# **NOVEMBER 2016 ~ Community Services Department ~ Bus Schedule**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> 11:15a Senior Social, Birthdays, Mayor Mike, <b>NOPEC Talk, Entertainment by Greg Piscura</b>	<b>2</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group	<b>3</b> 9:45a Grocery / Acme / Aldi's	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass  <b>Senior Leaf Raking Project</b> 
<b>6</b> 	<b>7</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group	<b>8</b> 	<b>9</b> 	<b>10</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Drug Mart	<b>11</b> 	<b>12</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group  <b>4:00p Quick Trip to Bob's Big Boy</b>	<b>15</b> 11:15a Senior Social, <b>Music by Eric Noltkamper, Memory Screening, Thanksgiving Meal</b>	<b>16</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group	<b>17</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Marc's	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass
<b>20</b> 	<b>21</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group  <b>6:30p Novak's Florist</b>	<b>22</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Drug Mart	<b>23</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group	<b>24</b> <b>OFFICES CLOSED</b>  	<b>25</b> <b>OFFICES CLOSED</b>	<b>26</b> No Church Run
<b>27</b> <b>5:00p Annual Village Tree Lighting</b>	<b>28</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group  <b>5:00p Remembrance Celebration</b>	<i>Times listed are pick up times if you are riding the bus. Call 739-3702 to make your reservation. Trips may be cancelled if low enrollment - please call early! If you do not receive a confirmation call by 2:00 p.m. on the day prior to the trip, you are not on our list! Please call our office to sign up. Calls for Monday are made on Friday.</i>		



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Times listed are pick up times if you are riding the bus. Call 739-3702 to make your reservation. Trips may be cancelled if low enrollment - please call early! If you do not receive a confirmation call by 2:00 p.m. on the day prior to the trip, you are not on our list! Please call our office to sign up. Calls for Monday are made on Friday.</i></p>				<p><b>1</b> 9:45a Grocery / Acme / Aldi's</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>	<p><b>3</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass</p>
<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group</p>	<p><b>6</b> 11:15a Senior Social, Birthdays, Mayor Mike, <b>Oldies &amp; Show Tunes by the Orlandi's</b></p>	<p><b>7</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group</p>	<p><b>8</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Marc's</p>		<p><b>10</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass</p>
<p><b>11</b></p> 	<p><b>12</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group <b>4:00p Quick Trip to Cracker Barrel</b></p>	<p><b>13</b></p>	<p><b>14</b> 10:45a Wii Games</p> 	<p><b>15</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Drug Mart</p>	<p><b>16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b> 3:15p St. Leo Mass</p>
	<p><b>19</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group</p>	<p><b>20</b> 11:15a Senior Social, <b>Christmas Celebration, White Elephant Game, CHS Scarlet Angels &amp; Jazz Band</b>, Catered Lunch</p>	<p><b>21</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group</p>	<p><b>22</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Marc's</p>	<p><b>23</b></p>	<p><b>24</b> No Church Run</p>
<p><b>25</b> <b>CHRISTMAS</b></p> 	<p><b>26</b> <b>Christmas Observed OFFICES CLOSED</b></p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b> 8:00a Senior Walking Group</p>	<p><b>29</b> 9:45a Grocery / Bank / Drug Mart</p> 	<p><b>30</b></p>	<p><b>31</b> <b>NEW YEAR'S EVE</b></p> 





# *Annual Holiday Remembrance Celebration*



The Remembrance Celebration is held to remember your loved ones who have passed. We will celebrate these special people on  
**Wednesday, November 30th at 5:00 p.m.**  
at the Community Center with a non-denominational service.

The service will include a welcome from Mayor Mike, a short reading and prayer, music, and light refreshments. Following the introduction, we will “remember” each loved one by having you come up and receive a holiday keepsake ornament. The ornament will be placed on a Christmas tree for the duration of the holiday season and then given to you as a keepsake.

- You **must** register by **Wednesday, November 23rd**
- Ornaments are limited to three per family
- A family member must be able to attend the Remembrance Celebration

To register, please call (216) 739-3702 with the following information:

- Your name and phone number
- The name of your loved one and the correct spelling of their name  
-limit of 3

We hope you allow Mayor Mike and the Community Services Department staff to join you in the celebration of these very special people!

Village bus transportation will be provided. Call our office to register or with any questions. If we're not in the office, please leave a message!

Please remember the deadline to register is November 23rd! **We must adhere to this deadline** to have time to prepare the ornaments!

## *All Residents Welcome!*



# *Brooklyn Heights Hope Tree*

*The Hope Tree gives the opportunity to share the Christmas spirit with disadvantaged families in our community. It will provide much needed clothing items, special needs gifts and other wished-for toys to our Brooklyn Heights children.*

*The Hope Tree will be decorated with numbered paper gift tags with the age, gender, and gift wish for each family member. The contributor takes one or more tags, purchases and wraps the gift, and places it back under the tree with the paper gift tag taped to the bottom of the gift.*

*This is a perfect way to share the spirit of the holiday with families and children in the village!*

*If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Community Services office at 739-3702.*



*The Hope Tree will be at the Municipal Center November 7th and all gifts need to be returned and placed under the tree by December 2nd.*

*All gifts will be delivered to each family prior to Christmas.*





# 2016 -17 Senior Snow Removal Program APPLICATION

## HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone(s) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

## ELIGIBILITY:

\_\_\_\_\_ I am 65 years of age or older  
\_\_\_\_\_ I live alone \_\_\_\_\_ I have other household members \*  
  
\_\_\_\_\_ I am under the age of 65 and disabled  
\_\_\_\_\_ I live alone \_\_\_\_\_ I have other household members \*  
\_\_\_\_\_ I have attached a current doctor's letter confirming the disability of each household member under age 65

\* Please list other household member(s) and their birth date(s):

Name	Relationship	Birth Date

## COST:

There will be a charge of \$125 for the season, per senior household, for the snow removal service. Checks payable to "Village of Brooklyn Heights" or cash will be accepted. There will be a discount for any senior that has been approved for the 2016-17 Federal HEAP program and the cost will be \$50. Proof of participation in the HEAP program must be submitted in the form of your current year acceptance letter and/or a copy of a current gas bill with the HEAP discount listed. The discount will be applied once your HEAP acceptance letter is received.

**I release the Village, its servants, agents and employees from any liability or damage whatsoever which may arise from the snow removal service at the above noted property.**

**I have read and understand the program outline.**

**I certify that the above information submitted is true and accurate.**

Homeowner's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Department Use Only:

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ Ck # / Cash \_\_\_\_\_  
HEAP Verified \_\_\_\_\_ CSD Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Computer \_\_\_\_\_



# 2016–17 Senior Snow Removal Program **OUTLINE**

## ELIGIBILITY

- You must be age 65 or older with no other household member under the age of 65, or
- You are disabled with no other household member under the age of 65. A current letter from your doctor, on their letterhead, explaining your disability must be submitted with your application.

## COST

- **There will be a charge of \$125 per senior household, for the service.** A check, payable to Village of Brooklyn Heights, or exact cash will be accepted.
- There will be a discount for any senior that has been approved for the 2016-17 Federal HEAP program. Proof of participation in the HEAP program must be submitted in the form of your current year acceptance letter and/or a copy of a current gas bill with the HEAP discount listed. The cost will be \$50. The discount will be applied once your HEAP acceptance letter is received.

Household Size	HEAP 60% Discount
	Income Up To
1	\$20,790.
2	\$28,035.
3	\$35,280.
For each additional household member add \$7,280.	

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- This service should be supplemental to a service you employ if you need to be out of your drive at a certain time.
- This is a basic snow plowing service. In severe weather conditions, plowing may be delayed.

## OUTLINE

- Your street address must be visible from the street.
- If a car is in your driveway while plowing occurs, this will limit the area which will be plowed.
- The driveways are plowed in an assigned order. If the house around the corner is plowed before yours, please be sure that your street will be done in a timely manner. If you have a corner lot, your drive will be plowed by the truck handling your street address.
- If your sidewalk or the street is plowed by the Village after the subcontractor has plowed your drive, we cannot get back out and re-do all of the drives.
- If your drive has been cleared by someone else before the contractor has been there, the contractor will skip your house as it “appears to have been cleared”.
- If your drive is missed or there are any problems, please call the Community Service office - on the day of the occurrence. All calls should be made to 739-3702. Messages will be returned as soon as possible. Please do not call the sub-contractor or the Service Department.
- If any damage occurs please notify the Community Service Department immediately. Any damage to lawns and/or sprinkler systems, etc. must be reported to the Community Services Department no later than May 15, 2017. No reports will be honored after this date.



## 28th ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2016

5:00 PM

at the COMMUNITY CENTER

Refreshments will be served by the  
Women's Service Club

With a special appearance by:



SANTA

Our 11U Girls soccer team coached by resident Chris Winslow, recently volunteered to work as ball girls for the Cuyahoga Heights Varsity Girls Soccer match against Euclid High School. Our girls said it was exciting to watch the game and to be up so close to the action. Most of them agreed they would love to play for CHHS one day. Varsity Girls Coach Christina Zawadzki said our Brooklyn Heights 10 - 11 girls did a fantastic job and are certainly invited to return again in the future.





# LEAF COLLECTION

**WHEN: Beginning the week of OCTOBER 17, 2016**

**MONDAYS: TUXEDO Avenue, W. 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> Sts.  
South Street & North Street**

**TUESDAYS: Springbrook Dr., Park Dr., Little Creek Parkway,  
Hilltop, Schaaf Road, Marko Lane, Ventura Circle &  
Shady Ridge Lane**

**WEDNESDAY: Bancroft, Belmont, Dorset, Dunedeen,  
Galway Circle and Lancaster Drive.**

**Please do not put lawn clippings out with the raked leaves and do  
not let your landscaper put lawn clippings with the leaves.**

**If you rake on days other than your pick-up days or have small  
piles of leaves, please bag the leaves and put them out with the  
garbage on Friday.**

**WE WILL SERVICE THE STREETS AS NEEDED IN BETWEEN**

**PLEASE SPREAD THE LEAVES OUT ALONG  
THE TREE LAWN AND CURB.**

**DO NOT PUT THEM IN LARGE PILES.  
THE TRUCK IS MOVING AS IT VACUUMS THE  
LEAVES.**



# YOUTH BASKETBALL CLINIC

Receive basketball instruction from the Girls and Boys coaching staffs at Cuyahoga Heights High School. The format will start with instruction on fundamentals, drills, and basic concepts. Later in the clinic, the children will be given the opportunity to put their skills to use while playing in an "Open Gym" format, while the Cuyahoga Heights High School coaches instruct during play. This is an opportunity to help your child develop his or her skills in a fun setting, and players of all skill and experience levels are encouraged to attend. ***Parents and youth coaches are also invited to attend because the CHHS coaches on site will be available to answer questions from and offer tips to youth coaches and parents during the course of the clinic!***

**Location: Valley View Community Center**  
**Sunday, November 13, 2016 1:00-3:00 PM**  
**(for boys and girls currently in Grades 3-6)**

Fees: Valley View Residents – No Charge  
Non-Residents - \$7 per child

Make checks payable to: The Village of Valley View  
Please return completed registration forms with payment to:  
Valley View Community Center  
Youth Clinics  
6828 Hathaway Road  
Valley View, Ohio 44125

If you have questions, please contact Todd Von Ville at 524-9365

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address(es): \_\_\_\_\_

I/We, the parents or legal guardians of the above named child, hereby give you my/our approval for his/her participation in any of the activities of this Youth Basketball Clinic. I/We assume all risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of this clinic. I/We do further hereby release, absolve, indemnify, and hold harmless the Village of Valley View and the organizers of this event.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

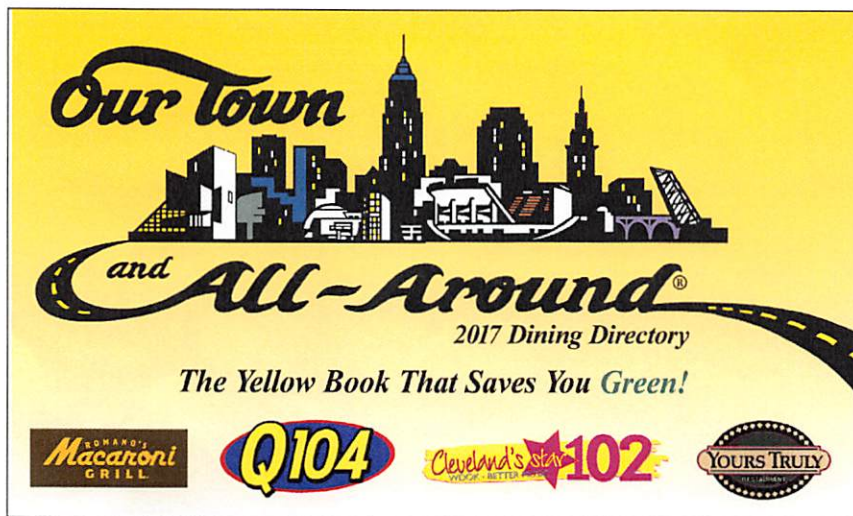
In case of emergency and I/We cannot be reached, please contact:

Name/Relation

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Basketball Clinic 2016





**\*AVAILABLE AT THE  
POLICE DEPARTMENT\***

# THE YELLOW BOOK THAT SAVES YOU GREEN!!



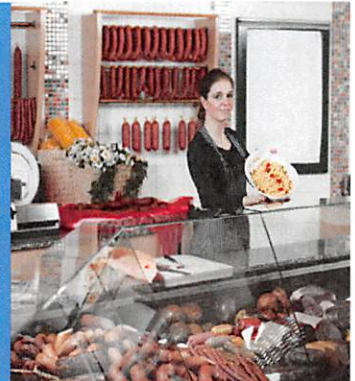
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## Dining In and Around Town

Restaurants with an \* offer the dining alone option  
Restaurants in red are NEW this year

- \$16 Romano's Macaroni Grill
- \$ 9 Romano's Kitchen Express
- \$15 Houlihan's
- \$25 \*Shula's 2 Steak & Sports
- \$15 \*Smokey Bones Bar & Fire Grill
- \$18 **Rue 254**
- \$25 Melting Pot
- \$12 \*California Pizza Kitchen
- \$30 \*The Leopard at the Bertram Inn
- \$25 Rusty Anchor at the Music Box
- \$15 Music Box (Admission)
- \$15 Music Box Supper Club
- \$20 Tavern of Richfield
- \$19 White Oaks Restaurant
- \$18 \*Blind Perch Speakeasy
- \$18 Willeyville
- \$17 \*Arrabbiata's Italian Restaurant
- \$17 \*Great Scott Tavern
- \$15 Welshfield Inn
- \$15 \*1833 at the Hotel at Oberlin
- \$18 Krave
- \$16 \*Tavolo 72 Ristorante
- \$15 \*Matteo's Casual Italian
- \$15 Restaurant Europa
- \$13 **Ironwood Cafe**
- \$10 Dave & Buster's (Dinner)
- \$20 Dave & Buster's (Gaming)
- \$18 \*Cutting Board at the Aurora Inn
- \$17 \*Sapori Italian Grille
- \$22 \*Skye Bistro
- \$20 \*House of Blues
- \$12 Tilted Kilt Pub & Eatery
- \$10 Flannery's Pub
- \$15 Hodges
- \$10 Chocolate Bar

### HISTORIC LITTLE ITALY

- \$16 \*La Dolce Vita
- \$10 Maxi's Bistro
- \$10 Trattoria on the Hill
- \$10 Guarino's
- \$10 **Primo Vino**
- \$10 **TOLI**

- \$13 **Kamm's Cafe**
- \$28 \*Park East Bar & Grill
- \$24 \*Stadium 3 at the Doubletree-Lakeside
- \$15 Hellriegel's Inn
- \$15 \*Sterk's of Oberlin
- \$10 \*D'Angelo's
- \$20 \*Paws at the Bertram Inn
- \$14 \*Saffron Patch
- \$14 \*Olesia's Place
- \$16 Garden Grille & Bar
- \$12 \*Frankie's Italian Cuisine

- \$12 Yukiho Japanese Restaurant
- \$14 Rider's Inn
- \$22 \*Michael's Grille
- \$10 \*Bongiorno's Ristorante
- \$15 \*Darby Creek Bar & Grill
- \$10 **\*Cowboy Food & Drink**
- \$12 \*Back Stage Bar
- \$10 \*Dickey's Barbecue Pit
- \$13 \*Glenwillow Grille
- \$10 Yours Truly
- \$12 \*Old Carolina Barbecue
- \$10 \*Dino's Restaurant
- \$12 \*Caribbean Cowboy
- \$10 Harley Diner
- \$10 \*Harry Buffalo
- \$10 \*Barley House
- \$10 Oriole Cafe
- \$12 **Fish Bar**

### DOWNTOWN WILLOUGHBY

- \$10 Ballentine
- \$10 Burgers -n- Beer
- \$10 Crepes in the City
- \$10 \*Frank & Tony's Place
- \$ 5 Kleinfeld's Restaurant
- \$10 MoreHouse
- \$10 **Porch**
- \$10 **Taco Local**
- \$10 Wild Goose
- \$10 \*Willoughby Brewing
- \$ 5 **Cannon Deli**

- \$10 **Local Tavern**
- \$10 Cleveland Burger Company
- \$10 \*Joey's Italian Grille
- \$12 \*Station 43 Tavern
- \$12 Stubby's
- \$10 Harry's Steak House
- \$10 \*Casa D'Angelo
- \$10 \*Chesterland Tavern
- \$10 \*Pacer's Rib House
- \$10 Damon's Grill & Sports Bar
- \$10 **Burgers 2 Beer**
- \$10 **Bar 145**
- \$10 West Park Station
- \$10 Hibachi Japanese Steakhouse

...and MANY, MANY MORE

### You Say It's Your Birthday

- Romano's Macaroni Grill
- All Occasion Limousine
- Damon's Grill & Sports Bar
- Smokey Bones Bar & Fire Grill
- Matteo's Casual Italian
- La Dolce Vita Bistro
- Hibachi Japanese Steak House
- Sapori Italian Grille
- Shula's 2 Steak & Sports
- Sterk's of Oberlin
- Ironwood Cafe
- Great Scott Tavern

...and MORE

## Ohio Wineries

- Candlelight Winery
- Debonne Vineyards
- Deer's Leap Winery
- Emerine Estates
- Ferrante Winery & Ristorante
- Firelands Winery
- Goddess Wine House
- Grand River Cellars / The Tipsy Grape Grille
- Hundley Cellars
- Jilbert Winery
- John Christ Winery
- M Cellars
- Markko Vineyard
- Mastropietro Winery
- Matus Winery
- Paper Moon Winery
- Rocky Point Winery
- Sarah's Vineyard
- School House Winery
- The Winery at Spring Hill
- Virant Family Winery

...and MORE

## The Spectrum of Spices

- Bo Loong
- Shogun Japanese Steakhouse
- Tarboosh Eatery
- Cuisine of India
- Fuji Japanese
- Plaza Agave Bar & Mexican Food
- El Charrito
- Pinata's
- Maya
- Luisa's Mexican Grill
- Cocos Locos Mexican Restaurant
- Cozumel
- Hong To
- Thai House
- Si Senor
- Fiesta Jalapenos

...and MORE

## Midday Dining

- Shula's 2 Steak & Sports
- California Pizza Kitchen
- Smokey Bones Bar & Fire Grill
- The Cabin
- Blind Perch
- Frankie's Italian Cuisine
- Rue 254
- TOLI
- Macaroni Grill (Express Lunch)
- D'Angelo's
- Paws at the Bertram Inn
- Casa D'Angelo
- Hellriegel's Inn
- Stubby's
- Dino's Restaurant & Bar
- Mavis Winkle's Irish Pub
- Danny Boy's
- Hellriegel's Inn
- Willeyville
- Ironwood Cafe
- Kamm's Cafe

...and MANY, MANY MORE

## Casual Dining

- IHOP
- Waffle House
- Buffalo Wild Wings
- Big Boy Restaurants
- Market Street Family Restaurant
- Smitty's Place
- Croagh Patrick's Pub
- Twisted Paddy
- Around the Corner Saloon & Cafe
- Muldoon's Saloon & Eatery
- Molly McGhee's Sports Pub
- Mentor Family Restaurant
- Teamz Restaurant & Bar
- TJ's on the Avenue
- London Pickle Works
- Jimmy's Backyard BBQ
- Liquid Planet
- Bonnie's Bar & Grill
- Rockers Cafe
- Basement Sports Bar & Grill
- Teamz
- Spats
- City Pub
- Village Diner

...and MORE

## Fast Food and Carry Out

- Wendy's
- Burger King
- Di Bella's Subs
- Taco Bell
- Kentucky Fried Chicken
- Mr. Chicken
- DQ
- Get Go Cafe & Market
- Krispy Kreme
- Orange Julius
- Rally's Burgers • Fries • Colas
- Menchie's Frozen Yogurt
- Mr. Chicken
- Popeye's Louisiana Kitchen
- Sonic America's Drive-In
- Long John Silver's
- Charley's Grilled Subs
- b.a. Sweetie Candy Co.
- Hardee's
- Arby's
- Mr. Hero
- Skyline Chili
- Schwebel's
- Auntie Anne's
- Peace Love & Little Donuts
- Peterson's / King Nut
- Hot Heads Burritos

...and MANY, MANY MORE

## Things You Need Things You Use

(Discounts on drugs, groceries, drycleaning, oil changes, limo service, gardening)



**FREE \$25.00 Discount Drug Mart gift card with the purchase of a transferred prescription or for any new Discount Drug Mart prescription customer.**

## Pizza Pasta

- Papa John's
- Domino's
- Marco's Pizza
- CiCi's Pizza
- Donato's Pizza Subs Salads
- Romeo's Pizza
- East of Chicago Pizza
- Calavitta's Pizza Time
- Gionino's Pizzeria
- Longo's Pizzeria
- Master Pizza
- Cala's Pizzeria
- Royal Pizzeria
- Guilio Bonazza's
- Longo's
- Pizza by Robert
- J's Pizza Market
- Frankie's Italian Cuisine
- Danny Boy's

...and MANY, MANY MORE

## West Side Market Section

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## Leisure Time Activities

- Boulder Creek Golf Club
- Brentwood Golf Club
- Berkshire Hills Country Club
- Pine Ridge Country Club
- Erie Shores Golf Course
- Coppertop at Cherokee Hills
- Sawmill Creek
- Willow Creek Golf Course
- Hilliard Lakes Golf Course
- Vermilion Country Club
- Airport Greens
- Village Green Municipal Golf Course
- Carlisle Golf Course
- Maple Ridge Golf Course
- Lake County Speedway
- Pioneer Waterland
- Lorain County Speedway
- Fun 'n' Stuff
- Sky Zone
- Memphis Kiddie Park
- Improv Comedy / Restaurant
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- Rinky Dink Family Fun Center
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## THE BREEZE

### WINTER DRIVING TIPS

Winter driving can present troublesome challenges for even the most diligent of drivers. Snow and ice make driving more difficult and sometimes even dangerous.

When driving in the snow, do everything slowly & gently. Remember, in the snow, tires just barely grab the road. Accelerate slowly & gently, turn slowly & gently & brake slowly & gently.

Slippery Roads are the biggest hazard of winter driving - caused by ice, slushy snow or rain. Roads are especially slick following the first rain after a dry spell since oil & grease have built up on the roads. Remember the distance it takes to bring your car to a stop on dry pavement. In winter conditions, allow at least 3 times that distance to reach a full stop & avoid skidding. Reduce the danger of skidding by driving more slowly & by pumping the brakes as you slow down for a turn rather than holding them down. Test your brakes frequently & never tailgate. If in spite of your precautions you find yourself beginning to skid, DO NOT BRAKE. Instead, take your foot off the accelerator & gently turn your car in the direction you want your front wheels to go. Hitting the brakes or turning sharply will only lock you into a skid. If you can't get control of your car, it is better to steer into a snow bank or fence than to risk a collision in traffic.

Visibility is another hazard of winter driving. In heavy snow, keep your lights on. If you get stuck in snow, avoid spinning your wheels - you'll only dig in deeper. Instead, shovel snow away from the wheel pads & pour salt, sand or cinders around the drive wheels to improve traction.

#### **KEY SAFETY TIP:**

- Allow extra time & space on the road.
- Listen to the weather forecast.
- Make sure the tires have adequate tread. All -weather radials are usually adequate for most winter conditions.

#### **WINTER CAR KIT:**

- Keep these items in your car:
- Flashlights with extra batteries.
- First aid kit with pocket knife.
- Necessary medications.
- Several blankets
- Sleeping bags
- Extra newspapers for insulation
- Matches
- Extra set of mittens, socks & a wool cap
- Snow gear & extra clothes
- Small sack of sand for generating traction under wheels.
- Small shovel
- Booster cables
- Set of tire chains or traction mats
- Brightly colored cloth to use as a flag
- Bottled water.

Call Dennis Derbin at our Brooklyn Heights Police Department at 216-741-1327 with any questions.

# FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE

## SHOP WITH A COP RAFFLE

Local families experiencing economic hardships can't always provide their children with their own celebration of Christmas. The Shop With a Cop program joins these underprivileged children with local police officers, providing the children with money to shop for Christmas presents for their families and themselves. Participating officers will pick up the children at their homes and transport them to a local retailer for their shopping experience. The children will each have a \$150 allowance for shopping. The group will meet for a pizza party after shopping. The officers will then return the children to their homes following the day's activities.

The Brooklyn Heights Police Department along with the Fraternal Order of Police is sponsoring a raffle with the proceeds going to The Shop With a Cop program. Raffle tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00 and are available at the police station. Tickets and money need to be turned into the police station by the morning of December 8<sup>th</sup>.

Please do what you can to help a child have a memorable Christmas.



GOD BLESS AND MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Grand Prize – 50" Big Screen TV  
2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – iPod  
3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - \$100.00 Cash

Contact Ptl. Chris Leahy at 216-741-1327 for more information.



## **BROOKLYN HEIGHTS POLICE BLOTTER**

09/02/16 Report of parties arguing on Schaaf Road. Semi turned down resident's drive and struck garbage can. Both parties advised. Report of power outage on Belmont. CEI advised.

09/03/16 Report of stray dog. Reunited with owner on Schaaf Road.

09/04/16 Traffic stop – male reported missing out of Medina. Turned over to Medina PD.

09/07/16 Report of fight in progress at local business. Parties left on foot and located on Spring Road. Turned over to Cleveland PD.

09/08/16 Stolen vehicle from 8/30/16 recovered in Cleveland. Report of a vehicle on fire on West 8<sup>th</sup>. Provided traffic control on scene with fire department.

09/10/16 Noise complaint on West 5<sup>th</sup> Street. All quiet on arrival. Removed unwanted person from business on Eastview.

09/12/16 Report of wrong way driver accident on I-480. Driver cited for reasonable control.

09/13/16 Report of assault by employee at local business. Suspect left prior to arrival. Report to follow. Report of two car accident on I-480 W/B due to road rage between drivers with conflicting statements. Investigation to follow. Party in station lobby reporting note left on property by neighbor. Contacted other party and advised to contact building department to voice complaint.

09/15/16 Two reports of a reckless driver who was threatening to drive wrong way on freeway and tried to hit vehicle head on. Area checked, unable to locate. Officers provided traffic control due to a roof fire at local business. Fire department extinguished same.

09/16/16 Provided mutual aid to Parma PD regarding a domestic situation on Tuxedo. Parties fled on foot. Unable to locate.

09/17/16 Advised resident of putting trash out on wrong day.

09/18/16 Solicitors on West 5<sup>th</sup> advised to obtain permit.

09/20/16 Advised Garfield Hts. PD of possible road rage accident on Granger Road.

09/25/16 Report of suspicious person sleeping in vehicle behind local business. Owner of business gave permission to stay overnight on property.

09/26/16 Report of stolen vehicle. Vehicle was repossessed. No report filed.

09/27/16 Resident reporting lost license and insurance information. Advised to contact BMV. Resident reporting unauthorized Instagram account opened in son's name.

09/28/16 Secured open trunk on vehicle on Shady Ridge.

09/30/16	Report of hit/skip accident with injuries on I-480 E/B. Located suspect vehicle in Independence with heavy front end damage. Suspect taken into custody without incident. Also had two felony warrants with CCSO.
10/1/16	Resident reporting fraudulent activity on credit card. Investigation to follow.
10/3/16	Theft of catalytic converters from multiple vehicles at several businesses.
10/4/16	Located female walking on median on Granger Road. Transported to BP. Vehicle side-swiped semi and crashed into guardrail. Party taken into custody and charged with OVI and reckless operation.
10/5/16	Report of texting while driving on I-480 E/B. Unable to locate. Report of pedestrian on I-480 W/B. Located and transported to BP for fuel.
10/6/16	Provided mutual aid to Valley View PD regarding male attacking people with sharp object. Same taken into custody.
10/8/16	Report of teenagers skating in the street. Located same in Seven Hills. Advised. Located party in park wearing clown mask. Advised. Party arrested on speed, weaving course and OVI charges.
10/10/16	Report of intoxicated male walking Schaaf/Schaaf Lane area. Gone on arrival.
10/13/16	Report of two suspicious males looking into building. Employee scared males off. Checked area. Unable to locate.
10/14/16	Loose dog in Shady Ridge area. Returned to owner.
10/15/16	Assisted Valley View PD and Garfield Hts. PD with four males running on I-480. Mutual aid provided to Valley View PD with intoxicated party at gas station.
10/16/16	Provided mutual aid to Independence PD evicting a large party at hotel.
10/19/16	Observed smoke coming from roof of building on Resource. Fire Department notified and found machine in building had overheated. Welfare check on Schaaf Road. Found unresponsive female. Fire Department on scene and treated party.
10/20/16	Male bitten by dog on Van Epps. Animal warden notified and removed dog. Report of several items removed from garage on West 8 <sup>th</sup> Street.
10/22/16	Several reports of motorists hitting deer on I-480.
10/24/16	Report of pedestrian walking I-480 W/B. Ohio State Patrol out with individual. Several parties reporting credit card fraud.





Thanksgiving holiday  
Trash & Recycling collection  
will be on **Saturday Nov. 26<sup>th</sup>**.

*Christmas & New Year  
collection will be not be  
interrupted*

HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM YOUR  
SERVICE DEPARTMENT

ED HATGAS, Service Director  
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## Fall Safety Tips

Autumn is a busy and beautiful time of year, but it can also be hazardous. Carbon monoxide isn't the only danger associated with autumn, which is also a peak period for fires and some types of injuries. Now is the time to start getting your heating appliances ready for the cooler weather. To simplify home safety measures this season, use these fall safety tips:

- 1. GET A SENSOR:** During cold weather, your furnace will be running and your windows will be closed, so you should install a carbon monoxide detector near your home's bedrooms.
- 2. SERVICE YOUR FURNACE:** Before the heating season, a qualified heating technician should service your furnace to ensure that it will operate safely and efficiently.
- 3. CHECK THE CHIMNEY:** Inspect your chimney to make sure it is unobstructed. Because many furnaces vent into the chimney, it must be free of debris to allow products of combustion to vent to the outside atmosphere. If you will be burning wood in a fireplace, have the chimney inspected to make sure it is in good condition and free of creosote buildup.
- 4. CLEAR THE AREA:** Make sure the area around your furnace is clear for good air circulation. Keep all flammable materials, such as clothing, cardboard boxes, paint thinners, fuels and solvents, far away from the furnace.
- 5. NEVER HEAT WITH AN OVEN:** On chilly autumn mornings, avoid the temptation to warm the kitchen with a gas range or an open oven door. The unvented products of combustion can quickly build to toxic levels.
- 6. WATCH SPACE HEATERS:** Be cautious with portable heaters or space heaters, making sure to follow manufacturer instructions for safe venting and use. Place them at least three feet away from any combustibles, such as wallpaper, bedding, draperies, clothing and furniture. Never leave them operating when you are away from the room or asleep. Don't leave children or pets unattended with space heaters, and never use them to dry clothing, shoes or mittens.
- 7. LOOK UP:** Avoid overhead power lines. Before you work, look up from your work area to inspect for overhead power lines. Then make sure to stay clear of electrical lines when working with ladders, pruning trees, etc.
- 8. DIAL BEFORE DIGGING:** Anytime you plan to dig, whether as part of a construction job or homeowner project (such as putting up a fence or basketball hoop, planting trees or shrubs, building a home addition, deck, etc.) please call your local utilities company.
- 9. LIGHT FOR SAFETY:** As days grow short, make sure outdoor lighting is in good working order. Good lighting can protect you against crime and falls or accidents caused by darkness. Inspect fixtures and outlets for weather damage and replace burned-out bulbs.
- 10. CHECK YOUR SMOKE DETECTORS:** Make sure you have a working smoke detector by changing the batteries when you change the time. A working smoke detector increases your chances of escaping a fire in your home by over 50 percent.
- 11. PLAN AN ESCAPE:** Plan and review escape routes. Have at least two ways to get out of every room. Agree on a meeting place outside where everyone can gather after they escape. Practice your escape.





Dear Village Residents,

Forgetting to **turn your clock BACK on Sunday, November 6, 2016** could cost you some valuable time; forgetting to change the smoke detector's battery could cost you your life! The Brooklyn Heights Fire Department reminds you to change your smoke detector batteries as you reset your clocks from daylight savings time. The time changes in the fall and spring coincide with recommended battery life in a smoke detector. Smoke detectors are present in 92% of American homes, but nearly one-third don't work because of worn or missing batteries. As part of our ongoing effort to make certain that every village household has a working smoke detector, the fire department will accept any resident's request to have their smoke detector batteries replaced. **More importantly, if you do not have a working smoke detector or if it is ten years old or older, please buy one and we will install it for you.** If you would like to participate in this program, please fill out the form below and drop it in the payment box located to the left of the main entrance of our municipal building (345 Tuxedo Ave.). I will personally be in contact with you to schedule a date and time.

Sincerely,

Donna Tesar, Fire Department Administrative Assistant

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First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to contact you: \_\_\_\_\_

Requesting batteries:(#) \_\_\_\_\_ (Max. 3) Need my detector installed \_\_\_\_\_

*Fire department shall determine maximum number of detectors/batteries upon inspection of residence.*

**Fire department members will install all smoke detectors and batteries**

**BROOKLYN HEIGHTS FIRE DEPT. OFFICE USE ONLY**

Date received: \_\_\_\_\_ Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Putting Your Garden to Bed in the Fall

For maximum wildlife, water quality and soil health benefits, leave your flower beds and other landscaping in place this fall. When you do tidy up in the spring, consider trimming your plants down to ground-level but leaving the roots in place. Also, fall is a great time to test your soil and to start a new native plant bed from seed, such as a pollinator pocket garden. Check out [www.cuyahogawcd.org](http://www.cuyahogawcd.org) for additional resources.

### Stalks and Stems

In addition to providing texture to the fall and winter garden, plants left standing are an excellent source of food and shelter for birds and other animals.

### Leave the Leaves

Leaf litter, grass clippings and other plant detritus supply nutrients and organic matter to the soil below. It is also habitat for critters such as firefly larvae. Finally it keeps the soil moist and helps to regulate soil temperatures.

### Roots Help Your Soil

Leave your plants in the ground through the fall and winter! Keeping the root system in place builds healthy soil structure that better infiltrates stormwater while providing much needed organic matter.

