

CITY OF *Beachwood* Council Update

1915 - 2015

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CITY CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

In recognition of our 100th anniversary, a calendar of events has been scheduled throughout 2015. Visit WWW.BEACHWOODOHIO.COM and click on the Centennial Celebration link on the home page for a complete listing.

APRIL 14

Arbor Day Celebration with Beachwood Historical Society

For the 19th year, Beachwood has been recognized by the Arbor Day Foundation as a Tree City USA. Each year we have a community gathering to plant a tree. This year's celebration will take place on Friday, April 24 from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. at the Beachwood Family Aquatic Center, Community is invited to attend. Rain date is Friday, May 1.



APRIL 24 – MAY 15

From Beechwood to Beachwood • Fiberglass Leaves Display at Beachwood Community Center Named for beech trees that originally covered most of the 5 sq. mile village, Beechwood later became known as Beachwood. To honor Beachwood's achievements and reflect on its roots, Beachwood High School Junior Achievement embarked on a public art project with the City. Fiberglass, weatherproof beech leaves have been purchased and designed by individuals, companies and organizations.

Just **1** pint may save
up to **3** lives!!!



BLOOD DRIVE

FRIDAY, APRIL 17

1:00 – 7:00 P.M.

BEACHWOOD
COMMUNITY CENTER

DID YOU KNOW? CENTENNIAL FACT

Prior to 1977, the Beachwood Police Department with a fleet of pea green Pontiac station wagons, handled all rescue calls.

The Beachwood Fire Department was a volunteer organization with only one full time employee until 1974.



City Contact Information

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216.595.5493

GOT DRUGS? RX DRUG DROP BOX

We now accept unwanted or unused prescription drugs during regular business hours (Monday– Friday) from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. through a Drug Drop Box located in the Police Department lobby (2700 Richmond Road).



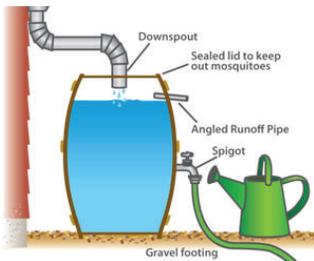
Many residents have outdated or unused prescription drugs in their medicine cabinets and they aren't sure what to do with them. The Drug Drop Box provides a legal and safe way of clearing out your medicine cabinet and allowing law enforcement to properly dispose of those drugs.

Help protect your home and loved ones from potentially dangerous and addictive medications.



QUESTIONS? CALL POLICE DEPARTMENT 216-464-2343

RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP



Cuyahoga Soil & Water Conservation District is hosting a Rain Barrel Workshop with the City of Beachwood and Friends of Euclid Creek.

**MONDAY, APRIL 20
6:30 – 8:00 P.M.
BEACHWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER**

COST: \$60 includes barrel, all materials and downspout diverter (Friends of Euclid Creek members receive a \$10 discount)

A rain barrel is used to collect and store rainwater that would otherwise be lost to runoff and likely diverted to a storm drain. Collected water may then be used to water lawns and gardens. To register contact Claire Posius at 216.524.6580, ext. 16.

HYDRANT FLUSHING



The Fire Department will be conducting hydrant flushing from Sunday, April 26 – Friday, May 1. Signs will be posted. Hydrant flushing may occur on your street on any day. Should you encounter rusty water, please run the COLD water until it runs clear. For more information call 216.292.1965.

ART EXHIBITS



Beachwood Community Center

MONDAY – FRIDAY • 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
SATURDAY • 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
SUNDAY • 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

SPRING INTO COLOR

Featuring: Seneca Bankston – Acrylic
Megan Frankenfield – Photography and Acrylic
Karen Jewell-Kett – Acrylic
Dennis L. Zimmerman – Watercolor
Show Dates: Now – April 19

FROM BEECHWOOD TO BEACHWOOD

Fiberglass, weatherproof beech leaves designed by individuals, companies and organizations.

Show Dates: April 24 – May 15

In cooperation with Beachwood Junior Achievement. *Free and open to the public.*

UPCOMING MEETINGS

CITY COUNCIL

Usually meets the first and third Mondays of each month at 7:00 p.m. Upcoming meetings: Monday, April 6 and April 20. Questions? Call 216.595.5462.

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

Usually meets the last Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Upcoming meeting: Thursday, April 30. Questions? Call 216.292.1914.

ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD

Meets at 5:30 p.m. Upcoming meetings: Monday, April 6 and April 20. Questions? Please call 216.292.1914.

Departments

AUDITOR
216.595.5492

BUILDING DEPARTMENT
216.292.1914

COMMUNITY SERVICES
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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT
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POLICE DEPARTMENT
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MUNICIPAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT YEAR-END TOTALS

- Picked Up 3,310 Tons of Rubbish
- Removed 222 Dead Animals
- Repaired 91 Tree Lawns
- Picked Up 40 Appliances
- Caught 17 Skunks
- 2,123 Special Rubbish Pick-Ups
- Completed 4,429 Resident Requests
- Repaired/Replaced 78 Signs
- Cleaned 501 Catch Basins
- Repaired 44 Catch Basins
- Completed/Responded to 206 Sewer Action Orders
- Used 20 Tons of Cold Patch
- Poured/Finished 1,152 Yards of Concrete
- Planted 145 Trees
- Pruned 586 Trees
- Televised 322 Sewer Laterals

TONS COLLECTED AND RECYCLED IN BEACHWOOD:

- 17,406 Tons of Recycling Materials Generated (Includes 11,547 tons of Construction Materials)
- 2,835 Tons of Leaves
- 2,062 Tons of Brush
- 15.31 Tons of Computers
- 4.53 Tons of Tires
- 1.5 Tons of Household Hazardous Waste

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Council Update

MOMMY & ME

Fairytale Tea

Children ages 3 – 6 years.

Dress as your favorite fairytale character, prince or princess. Enjoy snacks and royal refreshments. Appearances will be made by many of your favorite fairytale characters. Be sure to bring your camera!

WHEN: Sunday, May 17 from 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Beachwood Community Center

REGISTRATION: \$12 per person

PRE- REGISTRATION REQUIRED
CALL 216.292.1970

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE



WHEN YOU'RE IN BEACHWOOD, YOU HAVE ARRIVED!

The City of Beachwood's Economic Development Department, along with the Communications Committee and Lesic Camper Communications, has created a new marketing campaign to promote the many benefits of doing business in Beachwood.

As part of this advertising promotion, Beachwood has taken to the airwaves. Working with Ideastream, Beachwood will be featured in more than 200 radio spots on 90.3 WCPN throughout the year. These spots will air during morning and afternoon drive times. The inviting Beachwood message is... "When you're in Beachwood, you have arrived!"

The radio campaign kicked-off on March 2 and emphasizes our positive business environment and highlights our Centennial Celebration.

We can proudly lay claim to a proactive, business-friendly government, top notch amenities and many more positive services. Listeners will have to agree..."When you're in Beachwood, you have arrived!"



CITY TWEETS

@BeachwoodOH

PD TWEETS

@BeachwoodPolice



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OF SPECIAL NOTE

FREE PERSONAL SHRED DAY FOR RESIDENTS



Bring personal documents, mail and files to be shredded for FREE!
Proof of residency required.

SUNDAY, MAY 17 from 9 A.M. – 12 P.M.
BEACHWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER

Rain or shine. Limit: 12 blue bags or 6 banker boxes.

HAZARDOUS HOUSEHOLD WASTE ROUND-UP

Household Hazardous Waste Round-Up will be **Monday, May 4 – Saturday, May 9 from 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.** at the Beachwood Service Department, 23355 Mercantile Road. Residents are invited to dispose of unwanted oil-based paint, pesticides and other household hazardous wastes.

The Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District can only accept materials originating from a household, not a commercial source.

MATERIALS ACCEPTED

- Oil or solvent-based paint, sealers, primers, or coatings (aerosols or liquids)
- Varnishes, polyurethanes, shellacs
- Paint thinner, mineral spirits, turpentine
- Pesticides, herbicides, fungicides
- Caustic household cleaners
- Automotive fluids, motor oil, car batteries
- Adhesives, roof tar, driveway sealer
- Kerosene, gasoline, lighter fluid
- Mercury, fluorescent bulbs

MATERIALS NOT ACCEPTED

- Latex paint
- Explosives, gun powder, ammunition, flares
- Medical waste, pharmaceuticals, sharps
- Radioactive waste (i.e. smoke detectors)

ICE CREAM SUNDAE SUNDAY



\$5 Donation Per Wristband

A community party helping to raise money for local schools, not for profits and charitable organizations while celebrating the City of Beachwood's Centennial

Sunday, May 3 • 1-3 PM
Beachwood Community Center

\$5 per wristband - 100% of donations go to not for profit organization - visit www.100Leaves.com for a list of participating organizations



***** **Celebrate Beachwood Centennial** *****
Pre-sale wristbands may be purchased from participating organizations or at the door

DISPOSAL OF LATEX PAINT:

Latex paint is not accepted. To dispose of latex paint, solidify and place in your curbside trash.

To solidify, remove the lid and allow liquid to evaporate. For larger amounts, mix in an equal amount of an absorbent material such as cat litter or sawdust and allow to dry. Pour thin layers of paint into a cardboard box lined with plastic, allowing the paint to dry one layer at a time.

HOME SAFETY AND EMERGENCY PLANNING

Springtime is an opportunity to make sure your home is safe and you are prepared for emergencies. Take the time to complete the following tasks to ensure you are ready:

- If your home is equipped with an alarm, make sure the alarm is in proper working order. Contact your alarm company and update your key holder information with current cell phone and work phone numbers. Post the alarm company sign near the front of the home as a deterrent to would be criminals.
- Take a look at your home from the street. Are the address numbers clearly visible both day and night? Make sure the numbers are well lit and not obstructed by trees or shrubs.
- Have a family emergency plan. Practice safe exits in the event of a fire or natural disaster. Arrange for meeting places in the neighborhood to meet if evacuation is required.
- Have an emergency radio and flashlight with batteries at hand.
- Practice makes perfect and in the event of an emergency, practice will ensure a quick and calm exit to safety.
- For more safety ideas contact Lt. Thomas Wetzel at 216.464.2343 to arrange for a residential security and safety survey.



DEER MANAGEMENT

The City of Beachwood and the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Wildlife have been working together to address issues pertaining to the deer population. Note:

- Deer look for easy sources of food. To protect your garden, install a 3-4 foot barrier (vinyl, hardware cloth, etc.) with the first foot of the barrier underground to keep the small critters out like raccoons, skunks, and groundhogs. On the corners of the garden install posts that reach 7 feet off the ground. You can then run a single wire at 7 feet. Periodically hang ribbon (or aluminum pie pans to scare off the birds) to act as a visual to the deer. Deer have bad depth perception and they will not jump between the hard fence and the top wire.
- Various sprays deter deer from eating plants. Cayenne pepper can also be used by spraying plants with some water and then generously dusting them with the pepper. The hotter you make the plant the less likely the deer will eat it.
- Choose plants that tend to be less palatable. Note: if a deer is hungry enough, there is no plant that it "will never eat."

If you are concerned about deer damage on your property call the Division of Wildlife at 330.644.2293. Often times they can identify the reason over the phone as to why the technique is not working and can give site-specific advice to help alleviate the deer problems. For more information visit www.wildohio.com.

