

THE VILLAGE OF VALLEY VIEW

Information and Activity Guide



SEPTEMBER/
OCTOBER 2024

Mayor's Message

Good day to all Residents!

Can you believe it is September? Where did the summer go? I hope you all had a chance to head to the beach, go camping, picnic in the many parks around town, swim in a pool, share time and memories with family and friends, and enjoy the many other opportunities that come with summer.

Many of you also had to endure infrastructure improvements on our roadways, dealing with dust and dirt, trucks and construction equipment, detours and signs. On behalf of the Village administration, I applaud your patience and feedback throughout it all. We are happy to see these projects come to a beautiful conclusion. The roads are open, and the final touches are being completed to cap off these improvements.

School is in session. It had always been our plan to open the roads before the buses rolled down our streets, picking up students in a safe environment. The Police Department has been following buses for years, watching out for not just our students, but motorists in general. They will continue to provide this service, along with all other daily duties. If you see them, give them a quick wave to say hello. Drive carefully and watch for the frequent stops made by the school bus, allowing the children a safe path on and off the bus.

As we move into September and October, we will be completing our usual repairs to infrastructure daily. These projects are done while maintaining traffic, except in rare circumstances. We will try and inform residents of any issues that you need to be aware of.

Our Newsletter is changing. The new publication will be a combination of the Village news and the Community Center News. Refer to the information on the Village website, the Village Facebook page, Instagram and our printed booklet for information pertaining to all that is happening within the village.

I hope you all had a great summer, making memories and planning for next year. Once we get through the long, cold winter weeks ahead, summer will be here before you know it.

Matthew March

TRANSPORTATION TO MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Need a ride? Transportation is available to residents who have no other means of transportation to doctor and dental appointments and to and from local grocery stores. We also offer transportation to on-going physical therapy appointments, dialysis and more. Please call the Community Center at 216-524-9365 if you have a transportation question.

GROCERY SHOPPING

Do you have trouble doing your grocery shopping alone? Maybe you have a disability or a handicap that prevents you from making it to the grocery store on your own? This service is provided free to eligible residents of Valley View. If you or someone you know could benefit from this service, please call the Community Center at 216-524-9365 for more information.

VALLEY VIEW COMMUNITY CLUB CLAM BAKE

WESTFALL EVENT CENTER
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 5-11 PM

Tickets: \$50/person Chicken Only: \$30/person
Extra Clams: \$15 Reverse Raffle Tickets: \$20
For Tickets, contact Mary at (216)233-5345
or Lee at (216)534-5910
*21 and over only

SNOW PLOWING

To qualify for snow plowing, the following shall apply: The resident must be at least 60 years of age or temporarily or permanently disabled, and have no other able-bodied person residing with the resident capable of removing snow, male or female, over sixteen years old. Medically-impaired residents must present a doctor's certificate or other proof stating the disability. Please stop down to the Front Desk of the Community Center to complete a Snow Removal Application. If you are unable to stop down, you may also call and have one mailed to you. Throughout the season, the Service Department clears the driveways of residents who have submitted applications and have been approved for this service. Driveways are plowed when the snow reaches at least 4 inches in depth during the normal business workweek, and are not plowed on the weekends or holidays unless the snow reaches over 8 inches. If you have any questions regarding this service, or your eligibility for this service, please call the Foreman of the Groundskeepers Garage at (216)328-0390. Bags of salt are also available in the lobby of the Community Center for our seniors and physically-challenged residents.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING

FIRST and THIRD Friday
of the Month

If you are still in need of a bin you can pick one up
at the

Community Center

First bin is free additional bins available for \$10.00

ANNUAL HALLO - FEST & HAY RIDE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

2 - 5 PM



Join us for our Annual Hay Ride and Hallo-Fest & Hay Ride. Decorate pumpkins for display in your home, enjoy a hayride in a horse-drawn wagon, and listen to DJ Mike and his collection of terrific music. Don't forget your raffle ticket. Light snacks, donuts, cider and assorted beverages will be available. Children who wear a costume may participate in our Costume Parade! Be prepared for a fun filled Hayride and Hallo-Fest!

Parks and Recreation Staff

Director of Recreation	Todd VonVille
Assistant Director of Recreation	Janet Flaherty
Youth Program Coordinator	Louise Cifra
Recreation Leader	Cindy Termini
Front Desk Employees	Pam Campisi Marcia Hodas Tina McDonough Lisa Osborne Mary Ann Posakiwsky Charlene Subwick Bonnie Zemko
Recreation Aides/ Youth Counselors	Briana Coubrough Kelcie McArdle
Recreation Aides/ Maintenance Staff	Michael D'Amico Owen Ellis John Flaherty Brooke Krajewski Sam Lupia Michael Pasterkiewicz Bryce Rusch Nathan Wilson
Drivers	Louise Cifra Ryan Hurley Tony Indovina
	Alex Staeven Amanda Yagoda Jason Yurgel
Park Patrol	Tom Grebeck Ryan Oryl Glenn Petras
	Ben Stack Alex Staeven

LOMBARDO PARK 9736 CHARLES DRIVE

Located on Charles Drive, Lombardo Park provides residents with a picnic pavilion that has a maximum capacity of 45 people, a baseball/softball field, a tennis court, a children's playground, and bathrooms. Lombardo Park is open to residents of Valley View each day until dark.

VALLEY VIEW WOODS

13005 SCHREIBER ROAD

Valley View Woods offers an abundance of recreational opportunities to our residents, including: walking/jogging trails, tennis courts, pickleball courts, five picnic pavilions, two baseball/softball fields, two sand volleyball courts, two children's playgrounds, cornhole boards, and a gazebo. In addition to the variety of recreational opportunities the Woods has to offer, you will also find bathrooms with running water near Pavilions A, B, and C, as well as the soccer field.

Valley View Woods is open each day until dark. The Valley View Park Patrol is available from April through October to offer assistance to residents. During working hours, Park Patrol can be reached at (216)319-6402.

Pavilion A, the signature pavilion of Valley View Woods, is the largest and most accommodating area for your parties and family get-togethers with a maximum capacity of 150 people. See the section 'Pavilion Reservations' for more information regarding the pavilions in the Woods.

Valley View Woods also offers several scenic fitness and walking trails throughout the park. Whether jogging or walking your dog, the trails are both relaxing and secluded. Many areas of the park are perfect backdrops for picture-taking before any special occasion.

The baseball/softball fields the Valley View Woods has to offer are Winik Field and Woods Field. Winik Field is our lighted ball diamond, and is located on the hill near Pavilions D and E. Woods Field is located in between Pavilions A and B. Please keep in mind that the baseball/softball fields are not included in the reservation of any specific pavilion. You must be granted a separate permit, pending availability and weather conditions, to use either of the fields during a regular pavilion reservation.

MILLER PARK

Affectionately known as "Tiny Lane," Miller Park connects Fosdick and Murray Roads. Residents can enjoy a small picnic pavilion, a basketball court, and a playground. Miller Park is open to Valley View Residents each day until dark.

PAVILION RESERVATIONS

Pavilion reservations for Lombardo and Valley View Woods are available to residents of Valley View. A deposit is required at the time the pavilion is reserved. Pavilions suitable for reservations are A, B, and D&E in Valley View Woods, and the pavilion at Lombardo Park.

In an attempt to make reservations of all pavilions fair to everyone, residents are asked to complete and submit a lottery card beginning December 1. We allow one lottery card per household. The Recreation Board will then draw these cards randomly and pavilions will be scheduled in March. Following the Pavilion Scheduling Day in March, we will allow the registration of one pavilion per household on a first-come, first-served basis until March 31. Beginning April 1, additional members of a household that are 18 years of age and older may also book a pavilion. Once pavilion requests have been confirmed, residents will receive a permit via mail. In addition, the resident reserving the pavilion is required to remain on the premises for the duration of the event.

COMMUNITY CENTER MEMBERSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER FRONT DESK

Senior - Age 55+ - \$15.00/year

Single - Up to age 55 - \$35.00/year

Family - \$50.00/year - 2 Adults and their children aged 25 and younger that live at the residence. Any additional adults ages 26 and older that live at the residence must purchase their own membership

FULL YEAR AND 6 MONTH
OPTIONS AVAILABLE

**Members are limited to four (4) guests per visit.

NOTE: In order to obtain a membership, applicant must show proof of residency.

VALLEY VIEW COMMUNITY CENTER FALL/WINTER HOURS SEPT. 1 - MAY 31

MONDAY-FRIDAY 6:30 AM - 10 PM

SATURDAY 9 AM - 6 PM

SUNDAY 12 - 6 PM

COMMUNITY ROOM RENTAL

Hold your parties and showers at the Community Center! Our Community Room has a recommended maximum capacity of 80 people, and is perfect for birthdays, bridal showers, or small family get-togethers. The room is only available for rental to residents of Valley View, and the resident who reserves the room must remain on the premises for the duration of the event. All fees are due at the time the reservation is booked. See the Front Desk for details, or call (216)524-9365 for more information.

The Community Center is closed on the following Holidays: New Year's Day, Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. We apologize for any inconvenience.

VVCC FITNESS ROOM POLICIES

- No one under the age of 15 is permitted to use the fitness room unless certified by the Community Center
- All members and guests must conduct themselves in an appropriate and safe manner, or restrictions may be applied

VVCC TRACK POLICIES

- No one under the age of 12 is permitted to use the track
- All members and guests must conduct themselves in an appropriate and safe manner, or restrictions may be applied

KID'S CORNER AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 2024

The Mission of the Kid's Corner After School Program is to provide children of all ages with developmentally-appropriate activities designed to harness the participant's energies and interests within a relaxed and comfortable environment. This program offers a wide variety of quality activities for residents and non-residents in grades Pre-K and up. We offer an activity structure which provides opportunities for play, creativity, and educational enrichment each day. This program provides a flexible and affordable plan for every family's needs.

The Kid's Corner Program is provided every day throughout the school week from bus arrival to 5:30 PM at the Valley View Community Center. Bus transportation will be arranged for participants enrolled in the Cuyahoga Heights School District. The Kid's Corner operating calendar corresponds with the Cuyahoga Heights School District Calendar - therefore, other arrangements must be made for Holidays and teacher in-service days. Enrollment is on a daily or monthly basis and payments are due at the end of each month. The following costs are associated with each enrollment option and are subject to change.

Current 2024-25 School Year Rates	
RESIDENTS:	Full-Time Enrollment (1 child).....\$150/month/child
	Full-Time Enrollment (2 or more children).....\$125/month/child
	Part-Time Enrollment (1 child).....\$9/day/child
	Part-Time Enrollment (2 or more children).....\$7/day/child
NON-RESIDENTS:	Full-Time Enrollment (1 child).....\$185/month/child
	Full-Time Enrollment (2 or more children).....\$160/month/child
	Part-Time Enrollment (1 child).....\$11/day/child
	Part-Time Enrollment (2 or more children).....\$9/day/child

Pick up your application and information folder at the Valley View Community Center Front Desk.
For additional information, call Louise Cifra, Youth Coordinator at 524-9365, ext. 2237.



SCHOOL YEAR DAY CAMPS 2024

Day camps at the Valley View Community Center are designed to provide children with a safe, fun-filled day of games, crafts, activities, and occasional field trips with their friends. Our camps will begin at 7:30 AM and will end promptly at 5:30 PM.

When School is closed, the Kid's Corner After School Program will not be in session.
Look for additional information at the
Community Center Front Desk regarding Day Camps for the 2024-2025 School Year.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR DAY CAMPS

Residents: \$25/day

Non-Residents: \$30/day

VVCC BUS TRIP POLICIES

- Residents are given priority registration
- Non-residents may sign up for bus trips after the first of the month as the guest of a resident. The resident must register the guest at the Community Center Front Desk.
- Registration by phone is limited to residents signing up for FREE TRIPS ONLY
- Registration forms must be completed
- Additional trips are advertised in our monthly newsletter
- No children under 5 years old are permitted to ride the bus



West Side Market and Lunch

Friday, September 13

9 AM - 1 PM

Residents: Free

Non-Residents: \$5.00

Must be the Guest of A Resident



Barberton Mum Festival Sunday, September 29

10 AM - 3 PM

Residents: Free

Non-Residents: \$5.00

Must be the Guest of A Resident



Dinner at

Grand River Winery Saturday, October 19

3:30 - 9:30 PM

Residents: Free

Non-Residents: \$5.00

Must be the Guest of A Resident

DINNER IS ON YOUR OWN

**FLU SHOTS FOR SENIORS
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16
FROM 8 TO 9:30 AM**

**SIGN UP AT THE COMMUNITY
CENTER FRONT DESK
BEGINNING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

LET'S GET CRAFTY



Join us at the Community Center and enjoy the company of your neighbors for a fun filled hour of crafting!

**MONDAYS
SEPTEMBER 9
OCTOBER 7**

**SPACE IS LIMITED
MUST BE A VALLEY VIEW RESIDENT**

**SENIOR AEROBICS
WITH KIM**

Come down to the Community Center twice a week and enjoy the company of friends while getting your needed exercise!

**Tuesdays and Thursdays 9-10 AM
Community Center Members: Free
Non-Members: \$2.00**

**CHAIR YOGA
WITH KATHY HOUSE**

**Tuesdays 10:30 AM
Senior Community Center Members 55+ only: Free
Non-Members 55+ : \$2.00**

**KNIT AND CROCHET
GROUP**

Come down to the Community Center and enjoy the company of your neighbors while working on your latest project!

**LAST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH
1 - 3 PM**

CARD GROUP

Come down to the Community Center and enjoy the company of your neighbors while playing cards

**WEDNESDAYS
1 - 3 PM**

**VALLEY VIEW
SENIOR CLUB**

Residents who are 55 or older are welcome to join our club. We meet at the Community Center the first Tuesday of each month (the second Tuesday in May and November in election years, and no meeting in August). The meeting starts at 11:00 AM sharp. Come and meet fellow seniors and have fun with us. We enjoy parties, picnics, bus trips and more.

To join, call Secretary Alice Tyna at (216) 339-7265

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL
PROGRAMS, SCHEDULES, AND FEES
CONTAINED IN THIS BROCHURE ARE
SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WE
RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CANCEL ANY
TRIP OR PROGRAM AT THE LAST MINUTE
DUE TO LOW
RESIDENT PARTICIPATION.
ALL PROGRAM FEES MUST BE PAID AT
TIME OF REGISTRATION.
CHECK AT THE
COMMUNITY CENTER FRONT DESK FOR
ANY UPDATED INFORMATION.**

BODY SCULPTING

Weight training is the fastest way to shape up...look 10 -15 years younger just by working out with weights! This balanced fitness workout combines strength, flexibility, and cardiovascular endurance without running, dancing, or jumping. Working with a set of weights the entire hour, you'll learn exercises from a Certified Fitness Trainer designed to firm your entire body without building muscular size or bulk. Weight training can help prevent osteoporosis and boost your metabolism, helping you to lose weight too! This class accommodates all fitness levels. Bring a set of two 5-pound dumbbells, an exercise mat, a stretch band or towel, and a water bottle. Each term includes eight, one-hour classes.

Tuesdays & Thursdays 6:30-7:30 PM

Saturdays 9-10 AM

Class size is limited and advanced registration is required! Register online 24-hours a day at FLEXCITY.COM. Or, register by phone with your Visa or Mastercard by calling 440-729-3463, or send a check or money order to: Body Sculpting, Inc., P.O. Box 267, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022. If sending a check, please designate the location, course, and term(s) you want to be enrolled in and include a phone number where you can be reached.

FULL BODY CIRCUIT WITH WEIGHTS

INSTRUCTOR, MARY SNYDER

Get moving on a Saturday with this work out that hits every muscle group. You will increase your stability and muscle mass with these exercises.

Saturdays 10:05 AM - 11:00 AM

Community Center Members: Free

Non-Members: \$5.00

Non-Member Seniors: \$2.00

AEROBICS SCHEDULE

ABS & MORE

INSTRUCTOR, KIM SINARSKI

Step into your strongest self with rewarding workouts. This class will challenge your cardiovascular endurance with a new workout that targets each muscle group! Change can feel good! Let's do it together.

Mondays & Wednesdays 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Community Center Members: Free

Non-Members: \$5.00

Non-Member Seniors: \$2.00

ADULT YOGA

The practice of yoga helps deepen self-understanding, develops strength and flexibility, and brings a sense of calm and balance to our hectic, fast-paced lives. Yoga instructors from the well known studio "Namaste" in Macedonia will be joining the Valley View Community Center. We invite you to practice in a peaceful, non-competitive environment to de-stress, increase your strength and flexibility, and be the healthiest you can be.

WEDNESDAYS 6:30 - 7:30 PM

NEXT SESSION BEGINS
SEPTEMBER 4

SIX WEEK SESSIONS

7 WEEKS WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR THE
6 WEEK SESSIONS TO
ALLOW FOR FLEXIBILITY IN ATTENDANCE

Refer to your monthly newsletter or check with the
Community Center Front Desk for session dates.

Community Center Members: \$36.00/session

Non-Members: \$66.00/session

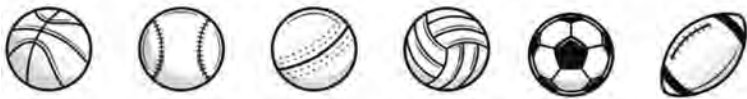
RESIDENT PICK-UP VOLLEYBALL & BASKETBALL

This fall season, head down to the Community Center for some pick-up sports with your buddies! Grab your basketball or volleyball gear out of the closet and replace the winter blues with jump shots and lay-ups or sets and spikes! Sessions are for those ages 16+ and play begins Tuesday, October 1 and will continue weekly until the end of April. If you have questions, please call Todd VonVille at (216)524-9365.

Open Volleyball (begins Tuesday, October 1) Tuesdays from 8-10 PM

Pick-up Basketball (begins Thursday, October 3) Thursdays from 8-10 PM and Sundays from 2-4 PM

These programs are FREE to members. Members are permitted to bring a maximum of four (4) guests provided that all rules and regulations are followed. MEMBERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE BEHAVIOR OR THEIR GUESTS.



VALLEY VIEW YOUTH PROGRAMS

IMPORTANT SPORTS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The Recreation Department has instituted a late fee for sports registrations that occur after the published deadline. Late registrations cause administrative and organizational difficulties when trying to plan leagues and schedules. In addition, late sign-ups cause teams to grow beyond an appropriate size, which has an adverse effect on the ability of the participants to learn and develop. Therefore, the \$25.00 late fee was established.

Just as we currently do, all registration periods and dates will be published in the newsletter, will be displayed in the Community Center, and will be promoted on the Community Center marquee.

For your convenience, the annual deadline dates are listed below. Registration forms will be made available at least one month in advance of the set deadlines.

YEARLY ACTIVITIES & DEADLINES

Spring Soccer	March 1
Youth Baseball/Softball	April 1
Adult Softball	July 15
Cheerleading	August 1
Flag Football	August 1
Fall Soccer	August 1
Basketball	October 15

The Village of Valley View Parks and Recreation Department offers a wide variety of quality youth sports programs for all residents. Age restrictions are set for each division with the best interest of your child(ren) in mind. All youth sports activities are FREE to residents. Get your child involved in our many programs described below.

BASKETBALL

Registration begins in the Fall for the Winter season. There are boys and girls divisions for players in grades 3-6.

SOCCER

Registration is held in late summer for both Fall and Spring seasons, and again in late winter for new players joining in Spring season. There are divisions for players ages 4-14.

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

Registration begins in the Winter for the upcoming Summer. The boys divisions span ages 4-15 and include: T-Ball, Coach Pitch, Minor, Major, and Pony. The girls divisions span ages 4-14 and include: T-Ball, Coach Pitch, Minitail (fast pitch), and Pigtail (fast pitch).

FLAG FOOTBALL

Registration takes place during the Summer for grades 3-6.

CHEERLEADING

Children in grades 3-6 can sign up to cheer for the Flag Football teams. Registration occurs during the Summer.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

All registrations for programs and activities are taken at the Front Desk of the Valley View Community Center. In order to achieve our mission to serve the Village of Valley View, residents will be given priority registration. A registration form must be submitted with the specified registration fee. Registration is left open until a class is filled or until one week before the scheduled program. **EARLY REGISTRATION IS CRITICAL FOR THE VIABILITY OF SOME CLASSES AND FOR ASSURANCE OF YOUR SPOT IN THE CLASS. IN ORDER TO FACILITATE COMMUNICATION REGARDING YOUR ACTIVITY REGISTRATIONS, PLEASE BE SURE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION (PHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL) WITH US IS UP TO DATE.**

MAIL -IN REGISTRATION

In order to make registering for programs more convenient for you, we do accept mail-in registrations. The registration form must be completed and mailed to:

Valley View Community Center
6828 Hathaway Road
Valley View, Ohio 44125

Please do not send cash; make checks payable to The Village of Valley View. Mail-in registrations are not available for day camps and other specialized programs with more extensive registration requirements. Confirmation calls will be made for mail-in registrations only.

WAITING LISTS

Space is limited for each program; enrollment will only be granted if space is available. After each class has been filled, a waiting list is created. If space becomes available, individuals on the waiting list are called. Residents on the waiting list will be given priority registration.

CONFIRMATION/CANCELLATION

The Valley View Recreation Department does not mail confirmations for class enrollments; however, we will make every attempt to notify you if a class has been cancelled or changed. If enrollment is insufficient, the class will be cancelled and registration fees will be refunded in full.

ATTENDANCE AND REFUNDS

In the event that a class is cancelled by the Valley View Recreation Department, a refund will be granted to all individuals enrolled in the class. If a participant would like a refund for a program or activity, a Refund Request Form must be completed and submitted. Refund requests will be granted on a case-by-case basis. In certain circumstances, refunds cannot be granted because tickets or supplies are purchased in advance based on enrollment numbers.

AGE RESTRICTIONS

Unless otherwise specified, all classes are open to participants of any appropriate age. We ask that adult participants do not bring their children to accompany them during an adult class or workshop. Age restrictions are set for each class with instructor's guidance, business or organization requirements, or our recommendation. Exceptions may be granted with permission from the instructor, parent, and Director of Recreation.

MEETING THE NEEDS OF ALL

We want you to know that your participation in our programs and activities is encouraged. Our staff is sensitive to your needs and will do everything possible to assist you. Please notify our staff if we can accommodate your needs in any way to ensure that your participation results in a positive experience.

NON-ENDORSEMENT POLICY


Instructors used by the Valley View Recreation Department are contracted or hired because they have a special skill, talent, or area of expertise that they are willing to share with others. However, the Valley View Recreation Department does not endorse the opinions or business affiliations of our instructors/contractors.

SUGGESTIONS AND IDEAS

The Valley View Recreation Department is always striving to improve our service to our participants. All suggestions and ideas are welcome! Suggestions should be placed in the Director's In-box at the Front Desk of the Community Center. Program evaluations are conducted at the end of each program, or you may contact us at (216)524-9365. Please do not hesitate to voice your suggestions, ideas, or concerns, as we depend upon your feedback in order to improve the quality of our programs and activities.

September

Valley View Community Center Activities

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 HAPPY LABOR DAY Valley View Community Center Closed	3 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Club Meeting 11 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	4 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	5 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	6 Oktoberfest Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds Food, Crafts & Art 12-5 PM	7 Full Body Circuit w/weights 10-11 AM
8	9 Let's get Crafty 11 AM-12 PM Residents ONLY Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	10 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	11 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	12 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	13 West Side Market And Lunch 9 AM-1 PM	14 Full Body Circuit w/weights 10-11 AM
15	16 <u>Flu Shot</u> <u>Registration</u> <u>begins</u> Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	17 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	18 Federal Reserve 12:15-4 PM Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	19 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	20	21 Full Body Circuit w/weights 10-11 AM
22	23 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	24 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	25 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	26 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	27 Burntwood Brecksuille Brunch Bunch 11:30 AM-2 PM	28 Full Body Circuit w/weights 10:05-11 AM
29 Barberton's Mum Festival 10 AM-3 PM	30 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM					

Valley View Community Center Activities Calendar



sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
6 	7 Let's get Crafty 11 AM-12 PM Residents ONLY Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	8 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	9 Brunch Bunch Aviator Pub 12-2:30 PM Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	10 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	11	12 Full Body Circuit w/weight 10-11 AM Hallo-Fest Valley View Woods 2-5 PM
13	14 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	15 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM	16 Flu Shots 8-9:30 AM Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	17 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM	18	19 Grand River Winery 3:30-9:30 PM Full Body Circuit w/weights 10-11 AM
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27	28 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM	29 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM Senior Yoga 10:30-11:30 AM Knit, Crochet and More 1-3 PM	30 Adult Aerobics 5:30-6:30 PM Adult Yoga 6:30-7:30 PM	31 Senior Aerobics 9-10 AM 		

Village Announcements

Our condolences to the family of George Hruby of Chadbourne Dr. **We extend our deepest sympathies to all.**

LABOR DAY CLOSURES

Village offices will be closed on Monday, September 2, 2024 in observance of Labor Day. Happy Labor Day from Mayor March, Clerk Snyder, Members of Council and all Village employees!

SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Scrap tire round up is the 1st three Thursdays in Sept. Limit is 4 tires per household. No tires larger than 20 inches and no rims.

Leaf collection starts at the end of Oct. and goes through Dec. 6. Yard waste (weeds, sticks, etc.) goes all year so if there are more leaves after Dec. 6, put them in cans or tarps.

Please call Service Dept at 216-524-1087 with any questions. Thank you!

DIGITAL NEWSLETTER

Would you like this newsletter emailed to you instead of mailed? Scan this QR code using your smartphone's camera to sign up for our digital delivery of our new bimonthly newsletter.



DOG ETIQUETTE

As the summer comes to a close, please be courteous when walking your dog. Be sure to keep them on a leash and out of your neighbors' gardens and yards.

And, of course, please remember to bring baggies to pick up their poop.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and courtesy.

SAVE THE DATE NOVEMBER 2, 2024

Valley View Village Historical Society
proudly recreates a

"40s Saturday Night Swing Dance"

Like the popular dances sponsored by the Village Community Club of the 1940s

6 pm: Doors Open

6:30: History Presentation

7 to 9: Music & Dancing



Location: Valley View Village Church
11401 Tinkers Creek Road

SENIOR COORDINATOR POSITION

The Village of Valley View is seeking applications for the part-time position of Senior Coordinator, which is part of the Community Center staff. This position is responsible for developing, promoting, and implementing programs, activities, bus trips, and special events for the Village's senior population. The Senior Coordinator will also be the main point of contact for transports and will assist with special event planning and implementation. The individual must be First Aid/CPR/AED certified, must possess a valid Ohio Driver's License, and must remain insurable under the Village's insurance policy. Internal candidates will receive initial review and consideration for this position. Interested applicants can apply at the Valley View Community Center, 6828 Hathaway Road, Valley View, Ohio 44125, 216-524-9365. The deadline for applications is 10 PM on Friday, September 13.



Village Updates

Traffic

The road construction season is coming to a close and we would like to thank everyone for your patience especially during the hectic Canal Road closures. Despite all the delays and detours, these projects are necessary to maintain our infrastructure. We realize the detours increased traffic on some of our residential streets. Our Officers were cognizant of the increased traffic and performed targeted enforcement to ensure that the speed limits were obeyed. Over 100 traffic stops were conducted during this period with 75 citations issued.

School Bus Detail

Valley View Police Officers have been performing a school bus detail every school day for the past 40 years. Morning school busses are followed, as manpower and calls for service allow, to ensure that the kids have a safe ride to school.

Please be familiar with the school bus laws:

432.295 STOPPING FOR SCHOOL BUS, ACTUATING VISUAL SIGNALS; DISCHARGING CHILDREN.

(a) The driver of a vehicle, upon meeting or overtaking from either direction any school bus stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging any school child, person attending programs offered by community boards of mental health and county boards of developmental disabilities, or child attending a program offered by a head start agency, shall stop at least ten feet from the front of rear of the school bus and shall not proceed until such school bus resumes motion, or until signaled by the school bus driver to proceed. It is no defense to a charge under this division that the school bus involved failed to display or be equipped with an automatically extended stop warning sign as required by division (b) of this section.

Theft

We recently had a few reports of overnight vehicle break-ins from residential areas, and we are aware of others that were never reported. Please do not leave valuables in your vehicles overnight and double check to make sure your car is locked up before going to bed. Also, we would ask that if this happens to you, report it even if you don't want an incident report made as it may provide leads to help catch the suspect(s).

We welcome your questions or comments.

Detective Joseph Ferrando, Crime Prevention Officer, jferrando@valleyview.net (216) 524-9687

BE HALLOWEEN Safe

Halloween is a fun, and spooky, time of year for kids. Make trick-or-treating safe for your little monsters with a few easy safety tips.



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HALLOWEEN FIRE SAFETY TIPS

- »»» **When choosing a costume**, stay away from long trailing fabric. If your child is wearing a mask, make sure the eye holes are large enough so he or she can see out.
- »»» **Provide children** with flashlights to carry for lighting or glow sticks as part of their costume.
- »»» Dried flowers, cornstalks and crepe paper catch fire easily. **Keep all decorations** away from open flames and other heat sources like light bulbs and heaters.
- »»» **Use a battery-operated** candle or glow-stick in jack-o-lanterns. If you use a real candle, use extreme caution. Make sure children are watched at all times when candles are lit. When lighting candles inside jack-o-lanterns, use long, fireplace-style matches or a utility lighter. Be sure to place lit pumpkins well away from anything that can burn and far enough out of the way of trick-or-treaters, doorsteps, walkways and yards.
- »»» **Remember** to keep exits clear of decorations, so nothing blocks escape routes.
- »»» **Make sure** all smoke alarms in the home are working.
- »»» **Tell children** to stay away from open flames including jack-o-lanterns with candles in them. Be sure they know how to stop, drop and roll if their clothing catches fire. (Have them practice, stopping immediately, dropping to the ground, covering their face with hands, and rolling over and over to put the flames out.)

If your children are going to **Halloween parties** at others' homes, have them look for ways out of the home and plan how they would get out in an emergency.

Did you know?



Decorations are the first thing to ignite in roughly **800** reported home fires each year. More than one-third of these fires were started by a candle.



FROM THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT



ARE you planning a remodel or home improvement project? Don't get ripped off by a Contractor . . . Before signing a home improvement contract, make sure that:

- All project financing is pre-approved.
- You have checked with local officials to see if permits are required for the project.
- The contractor has given you references, which you've checked.
- The contractor has shown you proof of licenses, insurance, and bonding. You may require an additional bond made out to you as the property owner.
- You have checked with the local Better Business Bureau at www.bbb.org and the Ohio Attorney General's Office to see if complaints are on file against the company.
- You have received at least three written estimates from three different contractors.
- You always ask for the manufacturer's warranty in writing on items such as siding, windows, roofing materials, and heating and cooling equipment.
- After the job has been completed, you request an itemized receipt for the work performed. Keep old parts, such as furnace parts, in case you later need to prove that a particular item did not need to be replaced.

DON'T enter into a home improvement contract unless it is in writing and is signed by both you and the contractor. The contract should detail all the necessary information for completing the work, such as:

- A complete description of the work to be done, timeframe, and the materials to be used.
- A provision requiring written approval for any changes.
- A clear statement explaining any contractor guarantee or warranty, and all of the contractor's oral promises.
- A provision stating the total cost for the work and the specific terms for payment of materials and labor.
- A provision that does not require you to pay attorney's fees, court costs, or damages in case of a dispute or cancellation.
- A requirement for the contractor to obtain all necessary permits and inspections.

REMEMBER, too, that the contract should not have a requirement for a large down payment or payment-in-full until the project is complete and has been inspected. Make sure the contract does not include a mandatory arbitration clause in which you waive your right to sue. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Valley View Building Department at (216) 524-6511. **THANK YOU!!!**

Medicare Part D – Complete the Sheet

Medicare Part D is the Prescription Coverage of Medicare. You must apply for Part D, it is not automatic.

Then review your coverage each year, during open enrollment from 10/15 – 12/7. Why? Because there may have been changes in your medications, formularies of what drugs the company covers and related costs. If a more cost-effective drug plan is available, you could save money. If you don't join a Drug plan when you first get Medicare, you may pay a monthly premium penalty for as long as you have Medicare drug coverage, if you join later.

- Complete the Sheet, this information allows for a confidential review of the best Part D plans for you personally.
- Only list prescribed medication, do not include vitamins and over the counter meds.
- If a medication is prescribed as PRN, estimate the general frequency of use and note it on the form.
- Make sure to use your current Medicare number, the most recent one you received.
- Listing your preferred pharmacy names and addresses helps provide you with a plan that is in network, resulting in lower costs.
- List a phone number (cell or home) that it is easiest to reach you at, so you can get your information once completed.
- If possible, note an email address you can access, to receive your information, either at your home or that of a family member/friend. This greatly simplifies the process for you.
- Complete the attached sheet (please print clearly) or write ALL the requested information on a blank sheet and drop it off at Community Services/Rec. Or email information to: kathleenkapusta1@gmail.com. If you email it, please call me (216) 538-0616 and leave notification of when you emailed it.
- Forward the sheet as soon as completed, as I will review in the order they were received.
- You will be contacted and advised of your options between 10/30 and 12/1. Call me if you have not been contacted by that time.

COMPLETE THE SHEET

Name: _____ Birthdate _____
 Phone # _____ Email _____
 Current Drug Plan Name _____ Do you want your drugs by mail _____
 Are you on: Medicare Senior Advantage _____ An Employer Drug Plan _____
 Are you a State or federal retiree _____
 Preferred Drug Stores (up to 5) & locations _____

ONLY names of current prescriptions, dosage and frequency (do not state PRN or "as needed")

DRUG	DOSAGE	FREQUENCY
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Please list any additional medication on an attached form. If you have a current prescription list from your pharmacy, it can be attached. However, review the list and eliminate any drugs you **are not** currently taking.

PHONE NUMBERS AND ADDRESSES

ALL EMERGENCIES	911	
Police Dept(office 8am-4pm)	524-9687	6899 Hathaway Rd.
Police Dispatch	524-6543	
Fire Department	524-6469	6895 Hathaway Rd.
Village Hall	524-6511	6848 Hathaway Rd.
Groundskeepers Garage	328-0390	6833 Hathaway Rd.
Service Department	524-1087	6832 Hathaway Rd.
Community Center	524-9365	6828 Hathaway Rd.
Community Center Fax	447-0758	

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The purpose of the Recreation Board is to serve the recreational needs of Village Residents. If you have a suggestion for a new program or activity, or a concern about any aspect of the Recreation Department, please contact Todd VonVille or any of the members of the Recreation Board listed.

The board meets on the third Thursday of every month at 7:00 PM. All meetings are open to the public. We are recessed in July. If you have a topic you would like to have placed on the agenda, Please contact Todd Von Ville at (216)524-9365.

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Engineer	Donald Bohning and Associates	
Building Commissioner	Larry Ellis	
Building Maintenance	Cindy Spence	

MEETINGS

COUNCIL	1st Tuesday Monthly	6:30 PM (Caucus 6:15 PM)
	Meeting Recessed in August	
PLANNING BOARD	3rd Tuesday Monthly	5:30 PM (Caucus 5:15 PM)
	Meetings Recessed in August	
RECREATION BOARD	3rd Thursday Monthly	7:00 PM
	Meeting Recessed in July	

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