

Morrow e-News

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Village of Morrow News

Valley Vineyards Wine & Beer Festival, a Taste of Warren County – This Friday & Saturday, June 6 & 7
Friday, June 6th, 5pm - 11pm • Saturday, June 7th, 11am - 11pm

“Valley Vineyards Wine & Beer Festival, a Taste of Warren County,” to be kicked off at 5pm on June 6th in celebration of 44 years of creating quality Wine and Craft Beer, Valley Vineyards will host their annual Wine and Beer Festival. Over the past years Valley Vineyards has seen the continual expansion of an old tradition. The wine and beer festival of 2013 served over 8,000 guests and that number is expected to be closer to 12,000 for 2014. The festival coincides with the celebration of “Ohio Wine Month” in June, calling attention to the nationally and internationally recognized wines produced from Ohio-grown grapes.

This two-day event will provide you with opportunities to enjoy Valley Vineyards craft beer and wines, including the highly-anticipated, picnic perfect berry wines. There will also be delightful dishes prepared by local restaurants, non-stop live music from local musicians, guided cellar tours, hot air balloon rides and, for those inquiring minds, a Libations Education tent. A full schedule of events including the artists’ line-up can be found at www.ValleyVineyards.com.

Founded in 1970, by the Schuchter Family in Morrow, Ohio, Valley Vineyards has been family-owned and operated for three generations. Valley Vineyards consistently produces over 20 varieties of wine from their estate-owned vineyards in southern Ohio. In 2011, Valley Vineyards established Cellar Dweller Brewery. Their unique line of craft beers are enjoyed on site and can now be found around the Cincinnati, Dayton and Columbus areas. New and creative brews are added to the line-up seasonally and for special events. For more information, please visit www.ValleyVineyards.com.

Walk/Run Through the Vineyards...with your family! – June 7

This is very exciting! Join us for this annual event when our vineyards will be open to the public for charity. Grandpa will be leading the trek through the vineyards; guiding us along...he’ll be motorized of course! Stroll through the rolling hills and grassy meadows, or run along the marked path and sweat for a good cause! At-the-door registration begins at 9:00 am and the walk/run starts promptly at 10:00 am. The funds collected from registration go to support the Hamilton Township Police Department's "Shop with a Cop" Program and all their good work. There will be several areas where staff will be set up with bottled water, and available to answer questions you may have about the vineyards.

Participation Fee:

Single Pre Registered \$10.00 Family Pre Registered \$20.00

Single At the Door \$15.00 Family at the Door \$25.00

To pre-register, please call 513.899.2485 or email kali@valleyvineyards.com. Thank you for all of your support, hope to see you there!

Kirk Ramsey Pig Roast – June 8

A pig roast in honor of Salem Township Trustee Kirk Ramsey will be held on Sunday, June 8, 2014, from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm at 8588 Debold-Koebel Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152. Dinner will begin at 4:00 pm and soda will be provided, also BYOB. Please bring a covered dish or dessert and join the fun.

40TH Annual Little Miami Railroad Days Festival – June 12-14

All Aboard for the 40TH Annual Little Miami Railroad Days Festival set to Chug into the Historic Morrow Train Depot on June 12, 13, and 14, 2014. The festival will kick off Thursday, June 12 with food and fun for all. Carnival rides will be provided and entertainment for the entire family. All entertainment and events will take place at the Morrow Train Depot stage located on Main Street along the Little Miami Scenic Bike Trail in Morrow:

- **Thursday, June 12**, will be Karaoke Night, this will also be Family Night with armbands for all-you-can-ride access for \$12.00 from 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm.
- **Friday, June 13**, will be live music by the “Dry Run Band” Band beginning at 7:00 pm.
- **Saturday, June 14**, will be live music featuring local legends “Thunderhead” beginning at 7:00 pm.

The annual parade will be led by Grand Marshall, Salem Township Trustee Kirk Ramsey, Saturday, June 14, and participants will start lineup up at 3:00 pm at the Salem Township Elementary School on Welch Road. Festival organizers are asking that anyone wanting to be in the parade to be present at this time for line up. The parade will kick off at 4:00 pm. The parade route will continue from the Salem Township Elementary School to Highlawn Avenue onto Pike Street, left onto Front Street and continue down Main Street to the Depot. The events start off with a presentation to the Annual Grand Marshall, followed by the crowning of the 2014 Little Miss Railroad and Little Mr. Engineer winners. The Annual Classic Car Show will be held on the grounds with trophies awarded, all participants are invited to be in the parade. The Bobby Jo Dancers will then perform, followed by live music.

Morrow of Tomorrow, Inc. is a non- profit organization that has worked in the community donating time and money to many organizations, charities and donates to the needs of the Little Miami Food Pantry. Morrow of Tomorrow also sponsors and awards a scholarship to a deserving Little Miami graduate which is presented on stage after the parade. The organization maintains the Historic Morrow Train Depot and many other projects throughout our community. All profits from this year’s events will go back into the community and to seed next year’s festival. Vendor space is available for the three day event, there is a non-refundable registration fee of \$25.00 for more information contact Beverly at 513.805.8236 or Donna at 513.899.3738.

The Annual contest for Little Miss Railroad and Little Mr. Engineer will begin with interviews and registration Sunday, June 1, at 4:00 pm. at the Morrow Depot located at 240 Main Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152. The contest is open to all Warren County Kindergartners. All contestants will be in the Railroad Days Parade, Saturday, June 14, with crowning following, winners will receive \$50.00 bonds from First National Bank and Lebanon Citizens National Bank. All contestants must registration and advanced registration is recommended for more information, call Donna Burns at 513.899.3738 or Merilene Skaggs at 513.899.3480. Please join us for the historic 40th Annual Railroad Days Festival.

Morrow Public Works Department to Flush Hydrants – June 16-19

The Village of Morrow Public Works Department will be flushing fire hydrants throughout the Morrow water service area June 16-19, 2014. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821.

Morrow Parks & Recreation Board 2014 Calendar of Events

The Village of Morrow Parks & Recreation Board is working diligently on putting together their 2014 Calendar of Events. The 2014 Morrow Parks & Recreation Calendar of Events includes:

Sunday, April 13	2nd Annual Spring Clean Up & Green Up Day (1:00 pm – 4:00 pm at Phegley Park)
Saturday, June 28	Cruise-In on Main Street
Saturday, June 28	Movie in the Park (Phegley Park)
Saturday, July 26	NFL Punt, Pass & Kick Competition (Thornton Park) Register your son or daughter at http://www.nflppk.com/competitions/register/index/18095
Saturday, July 26	Movie in the Park (Phegley Park)
Saturday, August 23	Movie in the Park (Phegley Park)
Saturday, September 13	Catfish Fishing Tournament (The Point – Todd's Fork Creek & Little Miami River)
Saturday, September 27	Art Fair
Saturday, November 29	2nd Annual Christmas on Main

The Village of Morrow Parks and Recreation Board meets regularly at 6:00 pm on the third Thursday of each month at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152. For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us.

Congressman Steve Chabot's Office Hours at Morrow Municipal Building – July 8

Congressman Steve Chabot will hold office hours at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152 on **Tuesday, July 8, 2014**, from 9:00 am – 10:00 am. Individuals wishing to discuss an issue with Congressman Chabot are encouraged to attend. For more information, please contact Congressman Chabot's Lebanon District Office at 513.421.8704.

Second Annual Morrow Police Department National Night Out Against Crime – August 5

On Tuesday, August 5, 2014, from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, the Morrow Police Department will hold their Second Annual National Night Out Against Crime event. Over 60 people attended last year's inaugural event and enjoyed free hot dogs, soda and water, talked with officers and Village staff, inspected police vehicles, learned about the Morrow Neighborhood Watch Program, and were provided with free literature on a variety of topics. Please plan to join us for an even bigger event. The National Association of Town Watch began the National Night Out program in 1984 as an effort to promote involvement in crime prevention activities, police-community partnerships, neighborhood camaraderie, and send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back. National Night Out now involves over 37.8 million people and 16,124 communities from all fifty states, U.S. Territories, Canadian cities, and military bases worldwide. NATW's Executive Director, Matt Peskin said, "It's a wonderful opportunity for communities nationwide to promote police-community partnerships, crime prevention, and neighborhood camaraderie. While the one night is certainly not an answer to crime, drugs and violence, National Night Out represents the kind of spirit, energy and determination to help make neighborhoods a safer place year round. The night celebrates safety and crime prevention successes and works to expand and strengthen programs for the next 364 days."

\$500 Reward for Crime Tip Leading to Arrest & Conviction of Thief

There is a \$500 reward for crime tips leading to the arrest and conviction of the person, or persons, responsible for the theft of a three wheeled bike stolen from Councilman York Bryant's yard at 215 Miami Street. The bike, which was chained to a pole in Mr. Bryant's yard, was stolen between the hours of 9:00 pm Sunday, May 18, 2014, and 2:30 am Monday, May 19, 2014. Please report your crime tips to the Morrow Police Department at 513.899.2211.

Little Miami Half Marathon & 10K – August 17

The Little Miami Half Marathon and 10K is a flat and fast scenic race run along the banks of the Little Miami River. Are you training for a fall marathon or half marathon? This race is a perfect tune-up! Plus, the entire course is run on a shaded bike path, which is a big bonus during Ohio's humid summer months! The race starts and finishes in Morrow, just a few miles east of King's Island, and travels through South Lebanon and Kings Mills. A killer tech shirt, finishers medals for all half marathoners, chip timing and great post-race food at the finish are guaranteed to make this race a kickin' good time! The sponsors of this year's event are: Ohio Running Events, Buckeye Running Company, Ipico Sports, and Miranda's Old Time Ice Cream Shop. The beneficiary of this year's event is the Friends of the Little State Park. Be sure to "Like" them on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/OhioRunning>. For more information or to register for the Little Miami Half Marathon & 10K, please visit <http://ohiorunning.com/LittleMiamiHalf/>.

Help the Salem-Morrow Fire Department Protect Your Dreams

The quicker the Salem-Morrow Fire Department's firefighters or EMT's can locate you, the quicker we can begin helping you and your family. In an effort to locate your home or business in an emergency, the Salem-Morrow Fire Department is providing a 6" x 18" reflective sign that will clearly display your street address. These signs are invaluable to firefighters, EMT's, and police officers, who may be looking for your home in your time of need. Similar signs have been installed in other communities with startling results. The Salem-Morrow Fire Department is selling these signs at the low cost of \$12.00 each.

If you wish to have the SMFD mount your sign for you, they will do so for \$14.00. Each sign has your street address prominently displayed on both sides in highly reflective 3" numbers against a green background similar to those on an interstate sign. The signs are installed in such a way that assures their visibility, even in high grass and snowy weather conditions.

If you would like to purchase one of these signs, simply stop by the Salem-Morrow Fire Department, 5270 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152, to complete an order form. In approximately 7 days, your sign will be ready for pickup or installation. Generally, the signs can be made, while you wait, in less than 10 minutes. Isn't \$12.00 worth the peace of mind of knowing that help can find you in your time of need?

Morrow Parks & Recreation Board is Seeking Christmas Decoration Donations

The Village of Morrow Parks & Recreation Board is seeking donations of gently used Christmas decorations for the 2014 Christmas on Main celebration. If you have any Christmas decorations that you are interested in donating, please feel free to drop them off between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm Monday through Friday at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152.

Join the Village of Morrow in Helping the Little Miami Food Pantry

We would like to encourage you, your family, church or business to make a donation to the Little Miami Food Pantry. The need is great, but resources are scarce and your help is desperately needed. Please help us stamp out hunger in our community by donating non-perishable food items to the Little Miami Food Pantry. Donations may be dropped off at the Little Miami Food Pantry, 4766 Whitacre Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152. You may also drop off your donation Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152. The Little Miami Food Pantry is open Monday and Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm. Your donation is greatly needed and deeply appreciated. For more information, please contact the food pantry at 513.899.4802 or visit their website at www.littlemiamipantry.org. For emergency service, please call 513.899.2161.

Second Saturday Street Faire in Waynesville

2014 Dates - June 14th, July 12th, August 9th, September 13th

Artisans 10am-5pm

Cruise-In 1pm - 5pm

Art Contests! No Entry Fee! Great Prizes! [Click Here for Details](#)

- June 14th: Chalk Walk, Chalk Artists, 1st Place up to \$250, 2nd Place \$100, 3rd Place \$50, People's Choice Ribbon, No Entry Fee, [Click Here for Rules](#)
- July 12th: Quick Draw, 3 hour creation time, 1st Place up to \$250, 2nd Place \$100, 3rd Place \$50, People's Choice Ribbon, No Entry Fee, [Click Here for Rules](#)
- August 9th: Plein Air Artists, One day Paint-out, 1st Place up to \$250, 2nd Place \$100, 3rd Place \$50, People's Choice Ribbon, No Entry Fee, [Click Here for Rules](#)
- September 13th: Photography, Contest, 1st Place up to \$250, 2nd Place \$100, 3rd Place \$50, People's Choice Ribbon, No Entry Fee, [Click Here for Rules](#)

Free Book Swap presented by Mary L. Cook Public Library, Bring a book - Take a book! [Click for Details](#)

5:30 pm Ghost & Goblet Dinner & Ghost Walk by Hammel House Inn & The Museum at the Friends Home
June 14, July 12, and August 9 [Click for Details](#)

Pioneer Village Storytellers

Free Entertainment

Children's Activities

Cruise-In 1pm till 5pm [Click for Details](#)

- June 14th: Guest Host Club TBA, All makes & models welcome, DJ spinning the Oldies, Prize drawing all afternoon!
- July 12th: Guest Host Club TBA, All makes & models welcome, DJ spinning the Oldies, Prize drawing all afternoon!
- August 9th: Guest Host Club Corvette Troy!, All makes & models welcome, DJ spinning the Oldies, Prize drawing all afternoon!
- September 13th: Guest Host Club Champaign Cruisers!, All makes & models welcome, DJ spinning the Oldies, Prize drawing all afternoon!

2014 Schedule of Events

- June 14th: Chalk Walk, Artisan Booths, Cruise-in, Book Swap, Local Entertainment, Ghost Dinner/Tour
- July 12th: Quick Draw, Artisan Booths, Cruise-in, Book Swap, Local Entertainment, Ghost Dinner/Tour
- August 9th: Plein Air Contest, Artisan Booths, Cruise-in, Book Swap, Local Entertainment, Ghost Dinner/Tour
- September 13th: Photography Contest, Artisan Booths, Cruise-in, Book Swap, Local Entertainment

For more information, please visit <http://www.secondsaturdaystreetfaire.com/>.

Morrow Area Historical Society News

Historical Information Needed – Bridge over Todd’s Fork

We are interested in learning more about the history of the bridge that crosses Todd’s Fork along the Little Miami Scenic Trail. Do you know who the bridge manufacturer is? When was it constructed? Do you have any photos of the bridge you would like to share? Any historical information would be greatly appreciated. Please email any information you would like to share to administrator@vil.morrow.oh.us.

Morrow Area Historical Society Seeking New Members

The mission of the Morrow Area Historical Society is simple, to promote the appreciation of the rich local history of the Village of Morrow and the surrounding area. More specifically, “To aid in the discovery, collection and preservation of every variety of material illustrative of the history of the Village of Morrow and the surrounding area; such as letters, diaries, journals, memoranda, pioneer reminiscences, newspapers, account books, school and church registers, commemorative addresses, genealogies, biographies, photographs, pictures and paintings, aboriginal relics, material objects illustrating life of pioneers, maps, histories, records, etc. and to own both real and personal property to be used in the furtherance of these objects.” The Morrow Area Historical Society has filed the necessary organizational paperwork with the appropriate federal, state, and local agencies and is actively working on getting their website up and running, as well as publishing the first issue of their newsletter, *Pathways*, and finding a home to house the MAHS museum. Membership is open to anyone with an interest in the history of our area. If you would like more information on the Morrow Area Historical Society, please call 513.899.2821 or view the MAHS Membership brochure here:



Please Donate Your Aluminum Can Pull Tabs to Help Support the Morrow Area Historical Society

The Morrow Area Historical Society is collecting aluminum can pull tabs to help support our efforts to preserve our local history. Please drop off your aluminum can pull tabs at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152.

Warren County Historical Society News

Glendower Historic Mansion – June 7

Opens Saturday June 7, 2014

Join us for a special reception with "General and Mrs. Grant."

For details see www.WCHSmuseum.org

Lunch & Learn – June 18: “Exploring Historic Warren County”

John Zimkus, WCHS historian provides a look at the creation of Warren County and historic contributions of its residents. 11:30 am – 1:00 pm at the WC History Center, \$20 for a lecture and gourmet lunch. Plan a day in Lebanon and stop by the Warren County History Center, shop in the gift shop and enjoy the lunch and lecture. Paid reservations required by the Saturday prior to the event.

Fort Ancient News

Fort Ancient Hosts 24th Annual Native-Themed Education Event, 2014 Celebration: A Gathering of Four Directions On **Saturday, June 7** from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and **Sunday, June 8** from 11:00am to 6:00 p.m., Fort Ancient will host Celebration: A Gathering of Four Directions. In its twenty-fourth year, this annual Native American-themed education event brings Native American history and culture to life.

“For more than two decades, this event has offered visitors the chance to discover Native American cultures in a very ‘real’ – hands-on – way,” says Jack Blosser, Site Manager at Fort Ancient. “While attending the event has become a tradition for many families who return year after year, we work hard to make the Celebration an event people will remember.”

Throughout the weekend, visitors can view numerous demonstrations by skilled artisans, listen to expert storytellers, flute players, participate in an herb discussion, and hands-on activities for the children. With crafts and games, tomahawk throwing, archery, and even traditional dance lessons, there are plenty of additional activities designed to appeal to visitors of all ages.

The Celebration’s featured performer, Douglas Blue Feather, is one of the most accomplished and talented performers on the Native American flute in the world. Indian Peoples Magazine has recognized Douglas Blue Feather as one of the top performers on the Native American flute scene. While his accomplishments and awards span 15 years, Blue Feather has received the 2012 Indian summer Music Award Winner “Best Contemporary Instrumental” for the song “Into The Sunset” from CD Earth Songs by Douglas Blue Feather and Danny Voris. He was also nominated for the 2012 “Best Native American Flute.” In 2013 Blue Feather received the Indian summer Music Awards Winner for “Best Native American Flute.”

For 2014, the Celebration will also feature three local drumming groups and up to one hundred dancers in full regalia, offering visitors the chance to see elements of a Pow Wow in a casual setting that includes an assortment of activities for learners of all ages.

2013 Schedule - Celebration: A Gathering of Four Directions

Saturday, June 7		Sunday, June 8	
10:00 a.m.	Gates Open	10:00 a.m.	Gates Open
11:00 a.m.	Storytelling: Nancy Swartz	11:00 a.m.	Herb Talk: Tom Netz
11:30 a.m.	Herb Talk: Tom Netz	11:30 a.m.	Music: Ken Watson
12:00 p.m.	Music: Ken Watson	12:00 p.m.	Drum: Struck by Lightning
12:30 p.m.	Drum Demo: Struck by Lightning	12:30 p.m.	Prepare for Grand Entry
1:00 p.m.	Prepare for Grand Entry	1:00 p.m.	GRAND ENTRY for Celebration
1:30 p.m.	GRAND ENTRY for Celebration	2:30 p.m.	Dream Catcher Workshop
2:30 p.m.	Dream Catcher Workshop	4:00 p.m.	Flute music: Douglas Blue Feather
4:30 p.m.	Flute music: Douglas Blue Feather	4:45 p.m.	Storytelling: Tom Netz
5:30 p.m.	Storytelling: Tom Netz	5:15 p.m.	Silent Auction results
6:15 p.m.	Silent Auction results	6:00 p.m.	Celebration Ends
7:00 p.m.	Celebration ends		

Schedule subject to change.

General admission to the Celebration is \$9.00/adults, \$6.00/youth; for Dayton Society of Natural History and Ohio Historical Society members, admission is \$6.00/adults, \$4/youth. Two day passes are available for Adults \$12, and Youth at \$8.

The 2014 Celebration is sponsored in part by Proctor and Gamble, Local 12 WKRC Cincinnati, Brickman's Landscaping, and the participants of the Celebration. For additional information, call 513-932-4421 or 800-283-8904. Fort Ancient is located in Warren County at 6123 St. Rt. 350, Oregonia. From Interstate 71, exit at #36.

Featuring beautiful vistas, plentiful hiking trails and a Museum on the grounds, Fort Ancient is comprised of an 18,000 foot network of earthen mounds built by American Indians nearly 2,000 years ago. Current research shows that portions of the walls were constructed to use the movements of the Sun and Moon to create a calendar system for these peoples. The Museum at Fort Ancient features 9,000 sq. ft. of exhibits that focus on 15,000 years of history in the Miami Valley. Fort Ancient is one of 58 sites administered by the Ohio Historical Society, a private, nonprofit organization that serves as the state's partner in preserving and interpreting Ohio's history, archaeology, natural history and historic places. Fort Ancient is operated by the Dayton Society of Natural History (DSNH) on behalf of the Ohio Historical Society. The DSNH is the parent organization of the Boonshoft Museum of Discovery and SunWatch Indian Village/ Archaeological Park, located in Dayton, OH. For more information about these sites, visit www.boonshoftmuseum.org, www.sunwatch.org, or call 937-275-7431. For more information about Fort Ancient, visit www.fortancient.org or call 513-932-4421.

Morrow Area Church News

Morrow United Methodist Church News

Morrow United Methodist Church began a series called Care-Givers' Ministry. It is sponsored by the Council on Aging. These programs will be held on a monthly basis and began December 11, 2013, with a talk on "Aging Gracefully." This series is open to the public and everyone is encouraged to attend. Morrow United Methodist Church is located at 510 Welch Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152, and the programs will be held in the church library. The series will focus on older people and care-givers. Through this program we hope to discern the needs within the community and try to meet them. Refreshments will be served. For more information, please call 513.899.2161 or visit the Morrow United Methodist Church website at <http://www.morrowumc.com>.

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church Book Sale – June 8

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdoch-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140, will be holding a recognition of those married in the church. Please plan to attend and bring pictures on **Sunday, June 8, 2014**, at 10:45 am. For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>.

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church Summer Ice Cream Socials

The Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church will hold their annual Ice Cream Socials this summer from 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm at the church located at 9602 Murdoch-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio, 45140, on the following dates:

- **Saturday, June 14, 2014**, June Ice Cream Social with 2 special performances by the Little Miami H.S. Women's Chorale
- **Saturday, July 12, 2014**, July Ice Cream Social will host an outdoor Car Show w/trophies & an indoor Quilt Show
- **Saturday, August 9, 2014**, August Ice Cream Social will host an outdoor Craft Show (crafters needed) and the Men of Montgomery will perform indoors

- **Saturday September 13, 2014**, September Ice Cream Social with a special performance indoors TBA
For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at <http://www.thebmpc.org>.

SpringHill Day Camp – July 7-11

The Park Church, 5788 Zoar Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152, will be sponsoring a SpringHill Day Camp **July 7-11, 2014**, for children in grades K-5. The cost is \$159. SpringHill Day Camp provides 5 days of life-impacting fun for K-5 Grade. SpringHill Day Camps include small group Bible teaching, high-energy large group sessions, and adventure activities such as archery, bungee trampoline, camp songs, climbing wall, crafts, & more. We do have scholarships and discounts available on a first come basis. Please contact Christy@theparkchurch.com for scholarship availability. For more information, please call The Park Church at 513.675.0570 or visit <http://springhillcamps.com/go/DayCamp/OH/morrow.aspx>.

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church Celebrates 200th Anniversary in 2014!

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church is celebrating its 200th Anniversary in the year 2014! In honor of our 200 years of service to the glory of God, we will be lifting up our outreach ministries, re-enacting historical services, exploring our history, making and eating ice cream, and rejoicing over the opportunity to be a faithful and obedient community of believers for the whole year. Every month we will celebrate a significant part of the history of the church. Please follow our calendar of events on our website for the coming year at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>.

Morrow/Maineville MOMS Club®!

Seeking all stay-at-home moms, either full or part time. We want YOU to join us and become a member of The Morrow/Maineville MOMS Club®! MOMS stands for Moms Offering Moms Support®. We are an international non-profit organization supporting stay-at-home moms. Become a member of MOMS Club® and discover a wonderful local group of supportive moms who, like you, know the ever changing needs and challenges of being a stay-at-home mom! Here are just a few things our local chapter offers:

- * Daytime activities for moms and children
- * Weekly playgroups
- * Book Club
- * Community service projects
- * Moms night out each month
- * Monthly meeting with speakers and/or discussions and crafts for the children
- * Holiday parties and Much More!

For more information about membership and/or the Morrow/Maineville E MOMS Club® chapter, please email: MorrowMainevilleMomsClub@gmail.com. We look forward to hearing from you! The Morrow/Maineville MOMS Club®! meets at Grace Community Presbyterian, 6246 Turning Leaf Way, Maineville, Ohio 45039, but is not affiliated with the church.

Church News and Event Information Needed!

Is your Church having a special event that you would like to share with the community? If so, please email your news and events to administrator@vil.morrow.oh.us.

Morrow VFW Post 8202 News

Rent the Morrow VFW Post 8202 Hall for Your Upcoming Event

Do you have an upcoming wedding, anniversary, birthday, retirement party, or other special event? The Morrow VFW Post 8202 hall offers the perfect setting for your special event. If you'd like more information on renting the Morrow VFW Post 8202 hall for your special event, please call Gary at 513.899.2612.

Morrow Masonic Lodge No. 265 News

Rent the Morrow Masonic Lodge for Your Upcoming Event

Do you have an upcoming wedding, anniversary, birthday, retirement party, or other special event? The Morrow Masonic Lodge offers the perfect setting for your special event. If you'd like more information on renting the Morrow Masonic Lodge for your special event, please call Paul at 513.850.5788

Morrow Area Business News

Shelton's Produce and Glory Farms will be at the Lebanon Farm Market – Thursday, 3-7 pm

Shelton's Produce and Glory Farms will be at the Lebanon market with fresh produce, freshly baked yeast and sour dough breads, as well as banana nut breads and peach cobblers. And your herdshares and CSA's. And your eggs ordered ahead: please do order ahead to assure your supply. We will also have jams, jellies, shortbreads, cookies, syrups, and MORE! Come see us, we are towards the back next to the Organic Cheese guy, our friend Leslie. Someone has texted me that they won't be at the market for two weeks. I don't know which market, or whether it's a CSA or herdshare, and haven't had response to my questioning text. If it's "you" please let me know. Wilma and Jim's sister start their CSA this week, and Shanna's herdshare is due. ALSO, we have the last four hogs ready, and we have found a meat market in Xenia who is still dressing hogs this summer, so please order your pork now. ALSO, we have a sow that didn't breed back, so if you are one of those who want the fat meat, etc., (like me) then this will be your only opportunity for awhile. ALSO, we will have a couple of yearling beefs ready in December/January, so if you want tender beef, that is your opportunity. But Shelton Farms (my son) has beef available year round.

Big Tree Plantation Spring Sale

Big Tree Plantation is having a HUGE Spring Sale and we want you to know about it. Selected Ornamental Trees are 25% OFF while supplies last. There is plenty of time to take advantage of our Spring weather and get those roots growing! Most projects are completed within two weeks of ordering. Please call for availability and our planting schedule.

It is not too late to help out stressed trees! If you see Pine Cones, Sparse Foliage or Light Green coloring these may be signs of stress that we can help with. Your newly transplanted trees have been through a lot with our extraordinarily harsh winter and may need a little extra attention. Give us a call and we can discuss the best plan for your trees. Visit us online at www.bigtrees4u.com for inventory and prices, or call us to help choose the perfect tree for you. 513-835-1935. You can also email me directly bryan@bigtrees4u.com.

Norway Spruce

Take an additional 10% OFF if you order before 6/1/14! Most Popular Tree on the Farm! This fast growing and versatile evergreen is great for privacy screening or as a focal point in your landscape. From \$269 installed.

[Click here to see the available sizes.](#)

Kwanzan Cherry

Take an additional 25% OFF while supplies last! Beautiful blooming tree with double pink flowers and growing up to 25 feet tall, this tree is a fitting centerpiece to most landscapes. From \$225 installed. [See the full list of Ornamental Trees.](#)

New Referral Program

Word of mouth endorsements have always been a huge part of our business and we've been blessed with many customers who spread the word about our quality and service. If your kind referral leads to the sale of a planted tree we will give you one free year of our Tree Health and Fertilization Service for up to five trees.

Pickup Special

Any In Stock Kwanzan Cherry or Yohino Cherry \$100 only for these 10 - 12' trees! Pickup Only and By Appointment Only. Offer Valid While Supplies Last Only!

Tree Health and Fertilization Service

Big Tree Plantation's Tree Health and Fertilization Service is now for all your trees 5 years or younger! In the spring, trees are often suffering from a lack of fertilization and insect damage. We can help! Beginning immediately Big Tree Plantation is offering our Tree Health and fertilization service, even for trees we didn't plant.

If you have trees planted in the last five years, we will visit your location, assess your tree's health and take appropriate actions to keep your trees healthy and looking good. If your trees are perfect, we will apply a granular fertilizer and be on our way, but if we see signs of insect damage, a struggling root system, or other potential problems we'll take appropriate action. This service is \$69 for up to five trees, and \$10 for each additional tree. Call us at 513.835.1935 or email us at bryan@bigtrees4u.com to schedule and give your trees a strong start to the growing season.

Plain Folk Café Offering Some of the Area's Finest Food & Entertainment

Whether you're looking for a place to gather with friends for a great meal or you're looking for great live music, look no further than the Plain Folk Café, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162. For more information, please check out Plain Folk Café's calendar of events at http://plainfolkcafe.com/CALENDAR_OF_EVENTS.html.

Shop Buckley Bros. Feed & Pet Supply of Morrow for All Your Gardening, Feed and Pet Supply Needs

Buckley Bros. Feed & Pet Supply of Morrow is open Monday – Friday from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm and Saturday from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Their friendly and helpful staff is available to answer your questions anytime. Please feel free to call them at 513.899.0304.

Prodigy Fitness & Personal Training Success Membership

Hi, it's Mark from Prodigy Fitness. Have you reached your fitness goals? Prodigy has designed a plan to help you succeed in 2014. It's our fitness and personal training success membership. You receive unlimited access to our weights, cardio equipment and sauna. In addition, you will also have 2 hours of personal training per week designed just for you. All of this for only \$199.00 per month with a one year contract. This results oriented program is effective and fun. Respond today and I will contact you to set up a free assessment to get started. For more information, please contact Mark at Prodigy Fitness at mcarpenter@prodigyteams.com or 937.550.0051 or visit the Prodigy Fitness website at <http://prodigyteams.com>. Feel free to visit our facility located at 235 South Pioneer Boulevard, Springboro, Ohio 45066.

Twilight Canoe & Dinner for Two

Valley Vineyards and Morgan's Outdoor Adventures are teaming up once again this year to offer you a fantastic summer evening! This evening will include a 3-mile guided float on the scenic Little Miami River in a canoe or kayak, followed by our award winning Steak or Salmon Cookout and live music! All while enjoying your favorite Valley Vineyards wine and beer. Space is limited so call 513.899.2485 for more info and to make your reservation. Bus leaves Valley Vineyards promptly at 5:30 pm.

June 12, 2014 • July 10, 2014

Cost: \$85/couple (+ tax), \$42.50/single kayak (+ tax)

Note - In case of rain, cookout and music is still on at Valley Vineyards and for canoeing, a voucher will be presented for one year from Morgan's.

***"It's Just Wine, Beer & Music"* Every Thursday at Valley Vineyards**

Come and enjoy great music featuring local artists, with all of your friends at Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152 **every Thursday** evening from 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm. Available are selected half-priced glasses of wine, seasonal hors d'oeuvres and light fare. No reservations necessary so come in and enjoy complimentary live music every Thursday with *"It's Just Wine and Music."* This fun filled, relaxing evening will begin at 6:00 pm and go until 10:00 pm. For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit their website at <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/events.html>. Upcoming acts include:

Bonnybrook Farms Announces 2014 Events

Bonnybrook Farms, located at 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113, has just announced their 2014 Events Schedule.

- **Chuck Wagon Dinner Rides:** A Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride offers a FUN Evening of GREAT Food and Camaraderie for Families, Friends and Groups of all Sizes on a Beautiful and Historic 370 Acre Working Farm. Work up a Hearty Appetite before Dinner with some "Fun on the Farm" activities: Clodhopper Golf, Giant Slingshots, Corn Hole, Horseshoe Hill with 80' Underground Slide, Friendly Farm Animals, Feed the Big Fish, Farmyard Play Area, and Catch & Release Fishing Pond. When the Dinner Bell Rings, Enjoy a Delicious "made from scratch" Dinner of Hickory Smoked Pulled Pork and Chicken, Nathan's Hot Dogs, Fresh Locally Grown Salads and Sides, Cobblers and Cookies. Dine in the Post and Beam Gathering Barn or on the Back Porch overlooking the Farm Pond. After Dinner, Board the Wagon for a Ride down an Abandoned Country Road to the Old Chuck Wagon at Todd Fork Creek for Dessert and S'mores around the Campfire.
 - 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm, Saturdays - June, July & August
 - Admission: Dinner, Wagon Ride & Activities - BYOB
 - Adult \$35
 - Child 4-12 \$23
 - 3 & younger free
- **Bonnybrook Farms' Fall Farm Days:** Family traditions are enjoyed by many at Bonnybrook Farms, a beautiful and historic 370 acre working farm located in rural Warren County. Fun on the Farm' activities include a family friendly Adventure Wagon Ride. Soldiers, town folk, spies and politicians portrayed by professional theater actors commemorate the 150 year anniversary of the Civil War in Ohio. "Pick your Own" Pumpkin Patch; Clodhopper Golf; Crazy Corn Maze; Pony Rides; Giant Slingshots; Orienteering; Horse Shoe Hill with 80' Underground Slide; Farm Yard Play Area; Birthday Parties; Farm Animals to Pet and Brush and Fish to Feed. Guess the Weight of the Ginormous Pumpkin and The Great Pumpkin Hunt. Pumpkin Chunkin' on Halloween weekend. The Farm Kitchen Café offers Delicious Farm Dinners, Apple Dumplings, Caramel Apples, Cider and Pumpkin

Pie, all "made from scratch" on the Farm. Shop the Country Store for Pumpkins, locally made Jams, Jelly, Honey, Fudge and Kettle Corn -- Handmade Candles, Fall Decorations and more.

- Noon – 6:00 pm, Saturdays and Sundays – September 20 through October 26
- Admission: Free (fee for some activities) Free Parking
- **The Great Pumpkin 5k & 10k Trail Runs:** Saturday, October 26
- **Bonnybrook Farms' Lantern Light Nights:** Take a wagon ride along the old stone roads of this historic farm, back to a time when only lanterns lit the way. Tune your eyes and ears and you may catch a glimpse of travelers past! Soldiers, town folk, spies and politicians portrayed by professional theater actors commemorate the 150 year anniversary of the Civil War in Ohio. The Lantern Light Wagon Ride is a family friendly, history-based ghost tour. Bring a flashlight to find your way through the shadowy rows of the CrAzEd CoRn MAzE, but beware of what you might see....or what might see you....along the way. Enjoy a delicious "made from scratch " farm dinner, hot chocolate, cider, apple dumpling or fresh caramel apple from the Farm Kitchen Café then gather 'round the campfire for a good ghost story. Shop the Country Store for pumpkins, fall decorations, locally made jams, fudge, Kettle Corn and more.
 - 7:30 to 10:30 pm, Friday & Saturday, Sept. 26 & 27, Oct. 3 & 4, 10 & 11, 17 & 18, 24 & 25
 - Admission:
 - Lantern Light Wagon Ride \$11
 - CrAzEd CoRn MAzE \$8
 - Combination Ticket \$18
 - 3 & younger free
 - No reservations needed
 - Rides leave continually

For more information, please visit www.BonnybrookFarms.com, call 937.289.2500 or emailContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com. Stay up to date on all of the fun at Bonnybrook Farms via social media at:

- Facebook.com/BonnybrookFarms
- Pinterest.com/BonnybrookFarms
- YouTube.com/BonnybrookFarms
- Twitter.com/BonnybrookFarms

Valley Vineyards 2014 Light Up the Valley – December 3

This event re-creates an old fashioned Christmas in the best Austrian holiday tradition. Santa and the choir will make their appearances, adding to the festivities. Enjoy a full buffet of pork with fruit, roast beef au jus and all the trimmings, including a bottle of wine. Per couple \$59 (+ tax). This event fills up quickly, so reservations are required. Please call us at 513.899.2485.

Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce News

June Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce Membership Meeting – June 5

Please mark your calendars for the November Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce membership meeting to be held from 11:45 am to 1:00 pm on **Thursday, June 5, 2014**, at Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152. Our guests this month will be Gene Bustle and other members of the Fort Ancient Restored Machinery Club (FARM Club). There's a lot going on this year in and around the Little Miami Area. Be here to hear updates on the *Little Miami Cardboard Boat Regatta*, *Golf Outing*, *Touch-A-Truck*, and other events. The Little Miami Area is growing! Be there to tell us about your business or organization, a promotion you have or event you are sponsoring..... just be there!

Did You Know the LMA Chamber Can Help You Battle Allergies?

According to Weather.com, Ohio is one of the worst states in the U.S. for allergies! Several major Ohio cities made 2013's list for 100 Worst Spring Allergy Cities including; Cincinnati (#69), Columbus (#56), Cleveland (#47), Akron (#44), Toledo (#29), and Youngstown (#27). Dayton, Ohio even made the top ten at #7! As a LMA Chamber member, you and your employees have access to a FREE money saving benefit that helps to lower healthcare costs, reduce claims, promote wellness, and even combat allergy season in Ohio. It is called the FREE UNA Rx Card! This preferred pricing program can save employees, dependents, parents, and grandparents 10% to 65% on brand and generic medications. Average national savings are 18%-25% on brand name drugs, and even higher average savings on generic drugs. Cards can even be used for the purchase of diabetic equipment, hearing aids, or vision expenses! There are no health questions or enrollment forms to complete and cards are active upon receipt. You can even request as many pharmacy cards as you need for all of your employees from your chamber. Please forward this to your staff and employees at all locations. Contact us at info@littlemiamiareachamber.com with any questions you may have. [Learn How Your Chamber Can Help You Battle Allergy Season.](#)

Salem Township Public Library News

STPL's Summer Reading Program

Join the library this year to get your *science* groove on! The library's Summer Reading Club theme, *Fizz, Boom, Read!* encourages all readers to use their imagination, explore new books, and of course, READ and have fun! The library has planned a summer filled with creative projects for all ages, magical presenters, and much more! **Registration begins June 9!**

In June, plan for these big activities:

June 10 at 11-11:45 am: Strawpalooza Mania (Youth): This activity takes all kinds of whimsical twists and turns! Discover the many ways you can have fun with "Hundreds" of bendable plastic drinking straws!

June 10, 24, & July 8 at 5:30 pm: Teen Movie Nights! Drop in and chill out over a hit movie, popcorn, candy, snacks, and more!

June 10 at 6:30-7:30 pm: Mike Hemmelgarn! (Family) What do you get when you combine these 5 high-energy ingredients: comedy, juggling, balloon sculpting, puppetry, and a splash of magic? Answer: EXPLOSIVE FUN!

June 11 at 11-11:30 am: Little Einsteins (18 Months-Pre K) A special program for our youngest geniuses ages 18 months-Pre-Kindergarten. Stories and crafts! Registration is required.

June 16 at 6:30-7:30 pm: Spinners and Flyers (Family) Make a Robo Wheel, a balloon powered windmill, and a variety of dizzying spinners and high-flyers!

June 17 at 11-11:30 am: Candy Yum-Lab! (Youth) Can you make Lifesavers flash in the dark or make the Ms float off the M&M candies? Discover the secret ingredient in Pop Rocks. Theorize and test which candies float or sink. It's all Candy Science! Yummy!

June 17 at 7-8:00 pm: Ghosthunting with John Kachuba (Teen & Adult) A recent poll showed that 42% of Americans believe in ghosts. Are you one of them? Join ghost hunter and author John Kachuba as he discusses his popular series "Ghosthunting Ohio".

June 19 at 12:00 pm: Paranormal/Cryptozoology (Teen) Bigfoot. The Loch Ness Monster. The Mothman. People have reported sightings of these strange monsters and more for hundreds of years. Have you had a sighting? Stop by and check out the evidence for yourself.

June 23 at 6:30-7:30 pm: That's Just Gross (Family) A strong stomach or a barf bag is a prerequisite for this event! Based on the book, *Oh, Yuck! The Encyclopedia of Everything Nasty* by Joy Masoff, this event is for those who are fascinated with the science of putrid! Wear old clothes.

June 24 at 11-11:30 am: Make a Super Flubber Ball (Youth) 30 minutes of a rolling good time! We have balls, marbles, ramps, cylinders, fulcrums, a ball drop maze, a Labyrinth, and even a ball popper! There's a little bit of chemistry too—everyone gets to make a super bouncy ball to take home!

June 26 at 12:00 pm: Grossology (Teen) You'd better have a strong stomach if you're going to win these games. From a litterbox relay, to the Wheel of (Mis)fortune, get ready to get your gross on!

June 27 at 2-4:00 pm: Make a Clay Whistle (Youth) Clay science! Make a real clay whistle with Norma! Group will meet again in two weeks to paint their whistles! Wear old clothes. Registration is required.

Reading with Raider and Friends

Reading with Raider and Friends is one of the most beloved programs... and for a good reason! Kids can drop in to read to the sweet certified therapy dogs the **first Tuesday of each month from 6:30-7:30 pm**. The dogs are calm and welcoming, which creates a great atmosphere for children to practice their reading. Reading with Raider is tail-wagging fun for all!

Adult Book Discussion Group

Join a lively discussion group of book lovers and get in on the fun! Adults are welcome to sign up to attend monthly book discussions, which take place the **first Tuesday evening of each month from 7:00-8:00 pm**. The group discusses a different book each month, which can be picked up at the library. Interested participants can stop in to pick up the next book.

Writers' Circle Group Meetings – June 12 & 26

Calling all adults and high school students who are interested in writing! The Writers' Circle group meets **twice a month on Thursdays from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm** at the library to share their creative writing pieces. Prompts are decided by the group and sharing ideas is welcomed and encouraged. Free coffee is served at each meeting. Join the group by contacting the library or emailing Dylan at: mccrackendy@salem-township.lib.oh.us.

Progressive Cooking Event: Appetizers

Quickly becoming one of the library's most popular events! The Progressive Cooking events take place every other month. Participants will bring in a prepared item that goes along with the theme and then judge one another's dishes based on: aroma, appearance, consistency and taste. The scores will be tallied and prizes will be awarded at the end of each event. This month's event is *Appetizers*. Sign up to participate and bring in your best appetizer recipe. If you are looking for inspiration visit the library and check out an appetizer cookbook. Plan ahead for future events in July (Salads), September (Casseroles), and November (Desserts)!

There's more news to know! Like us on [Facebook](#) to keep up with upcoming events, new materials, pictures, and more. Contact the library to sign up for all events. Receive more information by calling or visiting the library.

Little Miami Local School District News

Final countdown: Last day of school June 5

This promises to be a very busy final week of school for Little Miami students. With final tests, award ceremonies and field days, students are keeping busy. The last day of school for the 2013-2014 school year is Thursday, June 5. The first day of school for the 2014-2015 school year will be Aug. 12.

BAC seeking parent input

The LM Business Advisory Council is surveying parents and community members about their feelings regarding the quality of a Little Miami education. Please take a moment to [complete the survey](#).

Athletic Boosters golf outing June 28

There's still time to register for the Little Miami Athletic Boosters golf outing on Saturday, June 28 at Majestic Springs Golf Club in Wilmington, beginning with a shotgun start at noon. Proceeds will benefit the Little Miami football program. See the [event flier](#).

'Bump up' days coming

Students who are rising 5th and 7th graders will have an opportunity to check out their new school before next year during "bump up" days this week. This year's fourth graders will visit Little Miami Intermediate School on June 3 during the day to take a look around the building and visit classrooms. Sixth graders will make a trek to the junior high on June 4 to tour the building, meet the staff and to eat in the junior high lunchroom. Teachers and administrators will answer any questions to help these students make the transition to a new phase of their academic careers. Transportation will be provided.

LMIS garden gets growing

The garden at Little Miami Intermediate School recently tripled in size, all thanks to the efforts of volunteers. See how the newly-expanded garden will be bringing fresh produce to the LMIS lunchroom in the fall [here](#).

Honor Society inducts 44

A new class of inductees to the National Honor Society were recently honored at Little Miami High School. Find out who was honored [here](#).

Still time to sign up for Camp invention!

Camp Invention offers students the chance to have fun exploring science, technology, engineering and math during summer break. The camp is staffed by Little Miami teachers and volunteers and will be held **June 23-27** at Little Miami High School. [Check out the flier](#) for more information, or contact camp director Deb Davidson at (513) 899-3449 or at debdauidson@yahoo.com for more information.

Catch us on social media!

Little Miami's Facebook and Twitter feeds have been lively this week, with photos and posts about field days, the 8th grade trip to Washington D.C., another LM athlete signing to play in college and more. If you haven't liked a page or followed us on Twitter, check out the [LM social media page](#) to join the conversation.

Important dates:

June 3-5: LMHS exams

June 4: 6th grade visits LMJH

June 5: Last day of school for students

Warren County Career Center News

Valued Business Partners Thanked

Warren County Career Center recognized three Valued Business Partners and a Valued Community Partner at a luncheon recently, with the meal prepared by WCCC Culinary students.

March honoree Hilltop OB/GYN was thanked for providing an externship site for many Adult Education Medical Assistant students. Students in the Medical Assistant program are required to complete a 220-hour unpaid externship as part of their 900-hour course, scheduled after all course work is completed. "We are so appreciative of our business partners who provide a valuable experience to our students as they practice their skills on a real job site," Coordinator Catherine Conaway said. "Hilltop consistently offers us a site for our students to interact and get hands-on experience in the field." Office manager Michele Proffitt said the partnership creates a "great channel for employment." The office has hired one of the Medical Assistant students so far, and would like to hire more, Ms. Proffitt said. "It has been a great experience and the students are prepared and have done really well," she said.

SiteWORX Construction, the April honoree, was recognized for its many contributions to the Heavy Equipment and Site Construction Technician program. President Matt Smith is an active member of the business advisory team. "Besides serving on the advisory team, Matt partners with us by providing our students with on-the-job experience through externships with his company," Adult Education Heavy Equipment and Site Construction Coordinator John Sullivan said. "For example, when the time came for our most recent students to begin their externships, Matt offered three of them opportunities to work with his operation for a three-week period. Matt understands the importance of this transitional period for our students and is always willing to offer assistance." Mr. Smith said his company has a great relationship with WCCC. "The students are prepared for what we need them to do for entry-level, and are head and shoulders above the potential employees who have not been through the training," he said.

Mr. Smith has also been quick to provide assistance with the needs of the program. "This was clearly demonstrated when we asked Matt to transport one of our wheel loaders to a repair facility, 25 miles from the school," Mr. Sullivan said. "The school does not have the means to move our heavier equipment off site. When asked if he would help us by transporting the machine to the shop, Matt didn't flinch. He only asked when and where. After repairs were complete, Matt again obliged us and had the machine brought back to the school—again at no cost to us."

Ohio Valley Electrical, and Brian Hines, who works in the Human Resource Department, have a special connection with WCCC. Hines was a graduate of the WCCC Electricity program in 1995. "Brian has several of my students that are currently working for the company," Secondary Instructor Rick Centers said. "He coordinated the OSHA training and the CAD welding for my students. He works well with the lab and the students on field trips when I need it, too." Steve Ortner, president, said his company has the "perfect partnership" with WCCC. "We couldn't do what we do without you," he said.

The WCCC Valued Community Partner for the 2013-14 school year is Steve Brady, who works for the Warren County Office of the College of Food, Agriculture, & Environmental Sciences for the Ohio State University Extension. Nominated by one of the many WCCC instructors he works with, Business Technology Instructor at Kings High School Rob Robison, Mr. Brady's office coordinates and facilitates the "Real Money Real World" education program.

"Steve Brady has greatly impacted my students through a financial simulation called 'Real Money, Real World,'" Mr. Robison said. "In short, this simulation addresses different financial aspects that students will face beyond the walls of high school. There is a two-day lecture series followed up by a hands-on simulation that students either succeed or fail due to their financial decisions. It has been a hit with the students for the last five years and this could not happen without the support and direction of Steve. Not only is he on my advisory committee, but he is always there to offer assistance to the students if the need arises. Steve, and his assistant Linda Slone, conduct this program with many schools around Warren County and continue to grow and improve the simulation."

Telescope at Observatory Set, Project Nears Finish

Students in the Construction Academy programs are about to complete the Rachel A. Hutzel Observatory project at Camp Joy. The telescope, seen at right being carried in by Carpentry students, was set on the marble pedestal May 12. At that point, there was some trim work remaining. A formal acknowledgement of their work from the Warren County Astronomical Society and Area Progress Council was held May 19 at the site.

WCCC Announces Valedictorian, Salutatorian 2014

The 2014 Warren County Career Center Valedictorian is Alyssia Chambers, Little Miami, Health Science; and Salutatorian is Maria Koncsol, Lebanon, Health Science. Both ended the year with a 4.0 grade point average.

Alyssia will be attending Xavier University this fall to earn a bachelor degree in nursing. She plans to be a pediatric nurse, because she loves children. "I did my clinicals and observed in the neonatal unit, and decided I wanted to give children a chance (for good health), as much as I could," she said. "Then, in pediatrics, I got to hold a baby, and that was the best thing ever."

She understands that pediatrics also has difficult moments, but says, "As long as I know I did my best, I think I will be OK at the end of the day."

When she was a sophomore, Alyssia visited Culinary, Health Science, and Legal Office Technology. She had always wanted to be a chef, but when she saw the Health Science lab, nursing appealed to her. "My mom said I had a big heart, so I should try it," she said. "I decided the Career Center would help me sort out what I wanted to do. I chose health, and it is definitely what I want to do. I loved all my teachers; they are the ones that guided me to figure out my career path."

In the two-year program, she has taken anatomy, calculus, English and government dual credit classes, and has also earned her State-Tested Nursing Assistant certification, and an introductory phlebotomy completion certificate. Xavier University has offered her a \$68,000 Academic Merit scholarship for the four years.

Her mom and dad, Paula and Charles Chambers, are very proud of her. She was born in North Carolina, and moved to the area in fourth grade. She has worked at McDonalds in Landen for two years.

Maria is enrolled into the WCCC Adult Education Pharmacy Technician program for this summer. In August, she will be going to Eastern Kentucky University to earn a bachelor degree in nursing. She plans to do her Pharmacy Technician externship during her fall semester at EKU. She said the pharmaceutical knowledge will help with nursing. After the externship, she will take the national exam and continue to work through her college years in a pharmacy. She earned a Regents Scholarship EKU worth \$24,000 for all four years.

She has worked at Otterbein Lebanon in Matthews Hall for one year, and is now on early job placement the second semester of her senior year. Her work is with Alzheimer patients.

"I wasn't sure about a healthcare career," Maria said. "My mom is a Registered Nurse so I had thought about it. I got here, met the teachers, and found that they are very passionate about the medical profession. I did my clinicals, and found out it was definitely right for me."

While at WCCC, Maria has earned dual credit in English, government, calculus, and anatomy, plus medical terminology and earned her State-Tested Nursing Assistant certification.

Her father and mother, Tim Koncsol and Gina Koncsol, her older sister Gratiana Sebastian, and older brother Tim, are very proud of her. Tim completed the WCCC Electricity program in 2011.

"It was difficult for me to leave the high school and go to the career center, because I really liked high school, but I am very glad I did," she said. "It is very close knit here, and the faculty helps you a lot."

Project SEARCH Graduates Celebrate Together

The eight students who completed the Warren County Career Center Project SEARCH program in 2014 celebrated recently with their families as they received their Career Passports and their high school diplomas. The students delayed graduation by one year in order to gain employment skills and experience job rotations at Otterbein Lebanon Retirement Community.

Lauren Davis, Springboro; Joseph Garitson, Middletown; Austin Gilkison, Lebanon; Jacob Miller, Kings; Steven Muck, Springboro; Rachel Tepe, Springboro; Tia Wicklund, Lebanon; and Taylor Yacovazzi, Springboro; participated in the program, which has been a partnership with Otterbein and WCCC since 2006. All of the students are now prepared to enter the workforce and one, Rachel Tepe, already has a job at Wild Birds Unlimited in Springboro.

Steve Muterspaw, the father of Project SEARCH alumna Caroline, spoke to the graduates and their families about the significance of the program. "These are people who care about your kids and this team doesn't go off the clock after they graduate," he said. "My daughter graduated four years ago and I can still call them when I have a question." Caroline was hired at Otterbein after she completed the program and still works there in the grounds department. Mr. Muterspaw advised the graduates to remember that attitude, doing your best and showing concern and care for others are the most important qualities they can take with them into the workforce. He also talked about the Kenyan running team whose motto is "Run alone and you can run fast. Run together and you can run far."

Otterbein Vice President Jason Miller was unable to attend this year, but he made a short video so he could still take part in the ceremony. Mr. Miller talked about how the missions of Otterbein and WCCC mesh together and embody the spirit of the Project SEARCH program. "This program is part of our ministry and our mission," he said.

WCCC Superintendent Maggie Hess congratulated the graduates and talked to them about how she and the school staff have also learned from the students. "We have all learned from each other," she said. "And perhaps some of the most important things that have been learned and reinforced are that hard work pays off; learning differently requires that we do more listening; getting along with others makes every part of our life better and learning to do things on our own is difficult but also rewarding."

A video was shown for each student, made by staff members who congratulated them for their hard work and dedication. One by one, each was called forward to receive their Career Passports from program coordinator Sandy Hempel, which outline all of the skills they have acquired and also has their resume, and then their high school diploma from representatives of those districts. Springboro High School Principal Christine Daniel, Middletown Work Study Coordinator John Landers, Lebanon Special Education Supervisor Mary Conlon, and Kings High School Principal Ron Coradinni awarded the diplomas.

Otterbein Lebanon provided an array of appetizers and desserts for the occasion, and the graduates and their families enjoyed cake after the ceremony.

Learning Lab Preschool 'Graduates' Ready for Next Steps

The Learning Lab Preschoolers proudly accepted their accolades as parents and family members snapped photos and dabbed at tears at preschool graduation the evening of May 28. The WCCC Learning Lab Preschool recently was awarded a Five-Star Step Up To Quality Award from the state of Ohio. The preschool offers two sessions, four days per week and an inclusive and family-centered environment. WCCC students in many programs, including Early Childhood Education, Criminal Justice, Landscape, Culinary and Fire Science interact with the children through lessons in learning, safety, nature and cooking. At right, some of the children sing to entertain their families.

Project Excellence Banquet Held at WCCC

WCCC Culinary students prepared and served a banquet for approximately 200 at the annual Project Excellence Awards Banquet, put on by Area Progress Council of Warren County. Project Excellence, an arm of the Area Progress Council of Warren County, recognizes teachers in Warren County each year through a nomination and committee review process. The WCCC honoree was Career Assessment Coordinator Julie Green.

Community Day Draws a Crowd

WCCC's Community Day drew a bigger crowd than ever, and families enjoyed the day of fun. New this year was a craft sale featuring area artisans, expanded entertainment offerings, and log cabin kit-building for children. A special thanks goes out to Countryside YMCA, Atrium YMCA, Warren County 4-H and Kona Ice for participating and making the day even more fun for families. Next year's event will be held on the first Saturday in May, which is May 2, from 10 to 2.

Upcoming WCCC Events Include Adult Education Recognition, High Tech Career Camp

The Adult Education Recognition Ceremony will be held Thursday, June 5, 7 p.m. in the WCCC Commons. All students who have completed Adult Education programs in the past school year are recognized for their achievements. High Tech Career Camp for rising eighth-grade students will be held June 10-12. Students will explore career options and learn pathways to those careers.

Time to Nominate for WCCC Distinguished Alumni Award

Do you know someone who completed a high school or adult program at WCCC at least 10 years ago and has contributed significantly to the community and been successful in his or her career? He or she is eligible for nomination to be honored as a WCCC Distinguished Alumni. Those chosen are honored at the Business Advisory Kickoff in the fall. Click [HERE](#) for details!

WCCC Adult Education Recognition Ceremony – June 5

The end of the school year is upon us, and we will be honoring our students at the Adult Education Recognition Ceremony on **Thursday, June 5, 7 p.m.** at the Warren County Career Center Commons Area.

Auctioneer Course at Warren County Career Center

Online Registration now available for Fall class beginning **September 9, 2014**. [Click here for more info.](#) For more information please contact the program coordinator, Donna Cox, at 513-932-8145, ext. 4012.

Little Miami Athletic Boosters News

Use Your Kroger Rewards Points to Support the Little Miami Athletic Boosters

It is that time again! Kroger requires that you sign up yearly to enroll your Kroger Reward card to support the Little Miami Athletic Boosters.

Go to www.KrogerCommunityRewards.com

1. Select Cincinnati, Ohio as your location
2. Scroll down the page and select ENROLL NOW
3. If you already have an account you will sign in with your Email and Password
4. If you do have an account please make sure that all of your information is correct (name etc.) go to step 7
5. If you do not have an account. You must create an account by selecting the "Create An Account"
6. After you have created an account, return to step 1
7. Under Community Rewards select Little Miami Athletic Boosters or Organization No. 81640
8. Once you select Little Miami Athletic Boosters select SAVE CHANGES
9. When you look at your Account Summary you should see a box on the right hand side:
Community Rewards
Organization Name: Little Miami Athletic Boosters
Organization No.:81640
Enrollment Date: xx/xx/xxxx (your date of enrollment)

After 7-10 days, you will see "At your request, Kroger is donating to "Little Miami Athletic Boosters" at the bottom of your Kroger receipt.

Thank you for supporting the Little Miami Athletic Boosters.

Morrow Area Youth Sports News

Little Miami High School Baseball Program to Offer Summer Baseball Camp – June 11-13

Once again, Little Miami Youth Baseball is teaming up with the Little Miami High School Baseball Program to offer a summer baseball camp. The camp is put on by the players and coaches of the Varsity, Junior Varsity and Freshman Teams. This year the camp will be offered on June 11th, 12th and 13th. Camp begins at 9:00am

and ends at noon. The camp is offered to players from age 5 - 13. This is a great opportunity to come out and learn from the local High School Coaches and sharpen the skills to make your player grow in the sport they love! Additionally they will offer Pizza on the last day of camp and every player in attendance will receive a camp t-shirt and certificate. This year, players registering through Little Miami Youth Baseball will get a discounted rate for attending the camp! The fee for the camp is normally \$65, however, players with Little Miami Youth Baseball can register for \$55. Many of our players have already signed up and taken advantage of this great deal, so don't delay, sign up today. You can find and download the registration form by clicking [HERE](#) and clicking on the document titled "2014 Little Miami Youth Baseball Camp" or you can register and pay online by selecting here: [REGISTER NOW](#). If you have any questions, please reach out to us by clicking on the email address below for Ken Floss, or refer to the flyer found [HERE](#).

Warren County Arts Council News

2014 Youth & Teen Talent Show – June 16, 2014

Get your talented young people signed up for the 2014 Youth and Teen Talent Show presented by the Warren County Arts Council. The Talent Show will be held at the Warren County Career Center, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036, at 6:30 pm on **Monday, June 16, 2014**. The registration deadline is June 6, 2014. For more information, please visit <http://www.warrencountyarts.org/talent-show/>.

Humane Association of Warren County News

Become a Volunteer – Join Our Dog Walking Team

Volunteer a few hours a week to walk our dogs. To qualify, those interested, must be a minimum of 19 years of age and must attend one orientation session held from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at our shelter. We do not accept volunteers requiring high school community service credit or to fulfill court appointed hours. For more information, please contact the Humane Association of Warren County Animal Shelter & Adoption Center, 230 Cook Road, Lebanon, Ohio 45036, 513.695.2537 or www.homelesspets.org.

Warren County Community Services News

Enjoy a Healthy Lunch at the Earl J. Maag Center

Are you tired of always eating alone? Is cooking becoming too much work? Are you looking for somewhere else to eat? Would you like to meet new friends and enjoy stimulating conversation? Are you finding it hard to make ends meet? If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions, then you may not be living as healthy as you can. Recent studies have shown that seniors who are live alone are at high risk for malnourishment and for dehydration. "Five days a week, fresh, nutritious meals are cooked in the WCCS 741 Center kitchen. Lunch is a special time of day and we try to make it even more so. Sometimes the WCCS lunch is that person's only full meal of the day. You can find a healthy, delicious meal at the Earl J. Maag Center, 124 Pamela Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152," says Mary Catherine Faller, MS, RD, LD, Manager of WCCS' Nutrition Services.

Lunch with two menu options is served at 12:00 pm (noon) every Monday-Friday. Find the daily menus online at www.wccsi.org. Suggested meal donation for anyone aged 60 or over (or the spouse or disabled child of someone aged 60 or over) is \$3.00. Meal cost for anyone under age 60 is \$6.00. To make a reservation, simply call the Earl J. Maag Center at 513.889.8886 by 1:00 pm the day before. WCCS is a local non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. Donations help fund the "Promote Healthy Living Among Older Adults" campaign. For more information about WCCS and its services, please visit the website at www.wccsi.org.

United Way of Warren County News

United Way of Warren County Offers Summer Internship Program

United Way of Warren County is again providing summer internships for college students. College students interested in this opportunity should send their resumes to Aaron Reid, Executive Director, at areid@wcuwl.org. Specific tasks can be tailored to the student's major.

Aaron Reid shared "We are excited to continue this intern program from last summer. It is wonderful to see college age students interested in gaining experience with a local nonprofit organization and sharing their talents to help people in need in Warren County."

United Way of Warren County is a local independent nonprofit serving all of Warren County. The organization currently supports 53 different non-profit programs advancing education, income stability and health. For more information, visit www.warrencountyunitedway.org.

Warren County Convention & Visitors Bureau News

Get Your Free 2014 Warren County Visitors Guide

Plan your getaway to Ohio's Largest Playground with your free 2014 Warren County Visitors Guide. Find information on lodging, dining, shopping, outdoor adventure and world-class attractions. Request your free Visitors Guide today by clicking the following link! [\[Get Your Free 2014 Visitors Guide Today \]](#)

Also, [Enter for your chance to win tickets to Lazer Kraze in Mason!](#)

Friends of the Little Miami State Park News

Trail Closures for Grant Projects

From Monday June 9th to end of day Friday June 13, crews from McDaniel's Construction will be doing work on the Little Miami State Park trail in the following 6 areas:

1. Milford Trailhead. We'll be paving over the existing trail from mile marker 50.8 to mile marker 49.5 -- 1.3 miles. In addition, because the resulting trail surface will be 1.5" higher, we will be "reberming" with soil and seed.

IMPACT: The section of trail from the Milford trailhead to Galbraith Road will be CLOSED from Monday June 9 to at least end of day Wednesday June 11 and possibly end of day June 12.

2. Camp Dennison. We'll be paving over the existing trail from mile marker 48.9 to mile marker 48.6 -- .3 miles. In addition, because the resulting trail surface will be 1.5" higher, we will be "reberming" with soil and seed.

IMPACT: This section of the trail from Lincoln to Cunningham will be closed on Wednesday June 11 and possibly to end of day June 12. Coming from the south, the detour around this .3 mile construction area is to turn left at Lincoln, right on Kilgour, right on Cunningham, and then left back onto the trail. Coming from the north, the detour around this .3 mile construction area is to turn right on Cunningham, left on Kilgour, left on Lincoln, and then right back onto the trail.

3. Morrow South. From Thursday June 12 thru end of day June 13, at mile marker 29.5 on the west side of the trail, we will be cutting out a 5' x 30' section of the trail, reinforcing the bank, and then replacing the pavement.

IMPACT: All trail users should be able to walk around the construction area to the east; cyclists should dismount.

4. Morrow North. From Thursday June 12 to end of day June 13, at mile marker 27.5, we'll pave over a depression in the trail that resulted from a new culvert in that location last year.
IMPACT: All trail users should be able to walk around the construction area to the east; cyclists should dismount.
5. Corwin South. From Thursday June 12 to end of day June 13, at mile marker 16.3, a 40' section of the trail will be milled out and replaced.
IMPACT: All trail users should be able to walk around the construction area to the west; cyclists should dismount.
6. Richland Road North. From Thursday June 12 to end of day June 13, at mile marker 5.5, a 30' section of the trail will be milled out and replaced.
IMPACT: All trail users should be able to walk around the construction area to the east; cyclists should dismount.

Be advised that weather may impact the above schedule. A heart-felt "thank you" is due the 211 donors who pledged \$37,000 in just 18 days last October so that we could qualify for this \$150,000 RTP grant. You can feel confident that the Friends of the Little Miami State Park will continue to identify sources of funding so that we can maintain and preserve this very important regional asset and can maintain our status as the "Best Bike Trail in the State of Ohio" (Ohio Magazine's 2014 Readers Ballot).

FLMSP Annual Meeting – June 29

The Friends of the Little Miami State Park has moved its Annual Meeting to **June 29**, 4:00 in [Hisey Park](#) in Waynesville. There will be no general meeting in May. Please mark your calendar for June 29 and plan on joining us for a fun get-together, picnic, and open meeting at Hisey Park. More details to come next month.

FLMSP is dedicated to the maintenance and improvement of the multipurpose trail and facilities of the Little Miami State Park. We're grateful for your support and dedication to the future of this Ohio State Park. For more information please visit the Friends of the Little Miami State Park website at littlemiamistatepark.org or www.flmsp.org. We post our meeting dates and upcoming events on our website.

Thank you for your interest in our organization and for your support. If you have any questions, concerns, or comments, please click [here](#) to share them.

Warren County Office of Economic Development News

Warren County Incumbent Training Announced!

The number one issue heard when visiting companies within Warren County is workforce development. Workforce development topics range from soft/employability skills to those of a specific nature for your incumbent workforce.

In response to this need, our office created Workforce Investment & Innovation Network and; a program that bundles like-minded training needs within Warren County businesses. Once bundled, WIIN interfaces with area educational partners to secure the best curriculum and rate to meet training needs.

WIIN's first training offering involves businesses in the manufacturing space, and a first cohort of employees is currently needed. Once the appropriate number of employees are gathered, training will begin.

Flexible Training

The training program will cover 16 needed skills that have been expressed by the private sector. These skills cover a broad range of electric and mechanical needs from programming to blueprint reading.

To allow maximum flexibility, each skill is taught in a separate module, and can be taken individually or in combination with other training. For specific details of each module, and to participate, please [e-mail](#) Matt Schnipke.

Partnering Organizations

This effort would not be possible without collaboration from multiple sources. With the help of these participating organizations, WIIN hopes to deliver a quality training opportunity at a reduced cost to employers.

Warren County Chamber Alliance · Warren County Port Authority · Ohio Means Jobs
Sinclair Community College · Warren County Career Center

Warren County Small Business Development Alliance News

Free Seminar, "Steps to Starting Your Own Business"

The Warren County Small Business Development Center is sponsoring a FREE SEMINAR "Steps to Starting Your New Business" on **Wednesday, July 9, 2014**, from 2:30PM – 4:30PM. The seminar will be held at the City of Franklin Community Room, 45 East Fourth Street, Franklin, Ohio 45005. Topics to be discussed: Business Plans, The Business Name, Professional Service Providers, Taxes, Licenses, Permits, Legal Issues, Record Keeping, Business Loans and Alternative Financing and much more... Anyone considering starting up a business or anyone who recently started a business should attend. You have three ways to register for the event:

- Register on line at <http://clients.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov/events.aspx>
- Call Angela Steffen at 513-695-2090,
- Email Angela.Steffen@co.warren.oh.us

Free Seminar: "Introduction to QuickBooks"

The Warren County Small Business Development Center is sponsoring a free seminar "Introduction to QuickBooks" on **Tuesday, July 15, 2014**, from 8:30 am – 10:30 am. The seminar will be held at Warren County Career Center, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036.

Topics to be discussed: Selecting a Version of QuickBooks for your business, Why is QuickBooks important to be set up correctly, Navigation around the different functions of QuickBooks, How to get Additional Training one-on-one or online, and much more... Anyone using QuickBooks, or thinking about using QuickBooks in the future for your business, should attend this session. You have three ways to register for the event:

- Register on line at <http://clients.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov/events.aspx>
- Call Angela Steffen at 513-695-2090,
- Email Angela.Steffen@co.warren.oh.us

Future Warren County Small Business Development Alliance Seminars

"Starting Your Own Business:" **August 20th, October 1st, November 19th and January 7, 2015**

"Changes in the Tax Law for 2014:" **October 15th**

Most sessions last 2 hours.

U. S. Small Business Administration News

Are you looking for stores to carry your product?

You've been through sketches, patterns, prototypes, samples, and finally, the finished product. Now you need to get your product to consumers. One of the easiest ways to do that is by partnering with local retailers who will carry your product in their stores.

Tuesday, June 10, 2014, 5:30 pm -7:00 pm

Product to Market Panel: The WBC and Panelists Lynn Stan (Celebrate Local Co-Owner) Mary B. Relotto (Founder, Dames Bond LLC) and Steven Sauer (Industrial Designer, Bigger Tuna LLC) host an in-depth conversation on bringing your retail product to market. This class is open to all and free to attend.

Please register in advance [here](#) or call The Women's Business Center at 614-732-0981 for more details.

Webinar: Financing Your Business & SBA Programs and Services

The Small Business Administration Columbus District Office will present a FREE webinar for small business owners and entrepreneurs through ATT Connect. This webinar will provide information about financing options for your business; SBA loans, programs and services; how to apply for a loan; and, what to include in your business plan. The webinar should last about 40 minutes with a Q&A at the end. ATT Connect is a call-in and web site login conferencing system which provides an audio presentation over the phone and a video presentation over the internet. All that is needed to participate is a computer with internet access and a phone to call a toll-free number. This webinar will be offered in 2014 on the following dates and times:

- Thursday **June 5, 2014** 11:00 am
- Tuesday **July 15, 2014** 2:00 pm
- Thursday **August 14, 2014** 11:00 am
- Tuesday **September 9, 2014** 2:00 pm
- Thursday **October 9, 2014** 11:00 am
- Tuesday **November 4, 2014** 2:00 pm
- Thursday **December 4, 2014** 11:00 am

The Webinar is FREE, but registration is required so that you may receive instructions and the access code needed to participate. You may register by contacting Robin Wotring at (614) 469-6860 x282 or robin.wotring@sba.gov. **Please indicate which webinar session you wish to attend.**

Source: SBA.gov

News You Can Use

History, Heroes and Treasures: Kids' Sleepover at the National Archives!

If you live in the Washington, DC area, or your family will be visiting in the DC area on August 2, you might want to sign your kids up for a [sleepover at the National Archives](#). This event is open to children 8-12 years old, with an accompanying adult. The theme for this summer's sleepover is "Explorers Night." It will feature hands-on activities to help young explorers investigate – through music, chats with historical figures, games, and more – some of the greatest adventures of all time. Campers will journey to the Arctic, visit Outer Space, and discover the American West as they explore the National Archives Museum's treasured records. Guests also will be treated to movies in the museum's theater and in the morning they will enjoy breakfast – including pancakes flipped by Archivist of the United States David S. Ferriero – and more activities the next morning.

Source: KIDS.gov

Executors Beware: You Could be Held Personally Liable...

If you should be named the Executor of an estate, you need to be aware that you could be held personally liable for any unpaid taxes of the deceased.

A recent court case highlighted a pair of Executors who discovered the deceased had not filed tax returns for several years. They had the tax returns prepared reporting the taxes due and submitted them to the IRS. The IRS then assessed additional penalties and interest.

Knowing this tax debt existed for the estate, this pair of Executors made distributions in excess of \$470,000. These distributions left the estate without sufficient assets to pay the income tax and penalties.

The U. S. District Court for the District of Maryland ruled (in part): “the court cited 31 U.S.C. 3713(b), which provides that a representative of a person or estate... paying any part of a debt before paying a claim of the Government is liable to the extent of the payment for unpaid claims of the Government. “

The court went on to say: “since distributions took place after the Executors knew of the outstanding tax liability....the Executors were held personally liable of the claim of the United States.”

While it may be an honor to be named the Executor of an estate, you should not take your duties lightly. After finding an attorney to help carry out your duties, give us a call to help with your tax planning.

For more information, please contact us at either of our offices in Centerville at 937.436.3133 and in Xenia at 937.372.3504, or visit our website at www.bradstreetcpas.com.

Source: Bradstreet & Co. CPA's Tax Tip of the Week | May 28, 2014 | No. 252

Explore Nature with Your Students and Let It Inspire Them

Whether it is climbing the cliff dwellings in Mesa Verde National Park or hiking along a local stream, nature provides awe inspiring moments at every turn. June is [Great Outdoors Month](#). It is a great time to take your classroom outdoors. Or, if you are a parent, why not pack up a picnic and take your family on an outdoor adventure to explore your corner of our beautiful planet? Use the resources below, to get you started:

- [Get Outdoors](#)
- [Let's Go Outside!](#)
- [Why Take Your Students Outside?](#)
- [Discover the Forest \(also in Spanish\)](#)
- Activities: [Junior Explorer](#)
- Activity: [Neighborhood Explorers](#)

Lesson Plans: [Teaching With Historic Places](#)

Source: KIDS.gov

Live Webcast: Climate Change Past and Present – June 5

On June 5th at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. EDT, during the live webcast “[Paleobotany: Climate Change Past and Present](#),” Dr. Scott Wing, a paleobotanist from the National Museum of Natural History will show students what he found in the Big Horn Basin of Wyoming during his eleven years of searching. He will help students interpret the climate record from fossilized leaves and other clues. He will explain how plant communities have changed in response to global climate changes. After the webcast, have your students try out “[Prehistoric Climate Change and Why it Matters Today](#)” an online, interactive math and science simulation.

Please Note: You can use the "Join Us" link to test your connection in advance with a previous webcast. "Paleobotany: Climate Change Past and Present" won't run until the date and times listed above. If you have problems with your connection, check the [Webcasts Technical Requirements and Troubleshooting Guide](#) for assistance.

Source: KIDS.gov

Calendar of Events

- June 4: 1:00 pm **Wednesday Afternoon Bingo at Earl J. Maag Center**
Earl J. Maag Retirement Community, 124 Pamela Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Earl J. Maag Retirement Community at 513.582.7231
- June 5: **Last Day of School for Little Miami Local Schools**
- June 5: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm **"It's Just Wine, Beer & Music" at Valley Vineyards**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 5: 7:00 pm **Warren County Career Center Adult Education Recognition Ceremony**
Warren County Career Center Commons, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please visit <http://www.mywccc.org/protected/EventView.aspx?id=73G22BGY>
- June 6-7: **Valley Vineyards' Wine & Beer Festival: A Taste of Warren County**
Friday, June 6, 2014 • 5-11 pm
Saturday, June 7, 2014 • 11 am to 11 pm
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 7: **Walk/Run through the Vineyards...with your family!**
9:00 am – At-the-door Registration • 10:00 am Walk/Run Begins
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 7: **Warren County Historical Society Special Reception for General & Mrs. Grant**
Glendower Historic Mansion, 105 Cincinnati Avenue, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please visit www.wchsmuseum.org
- June 7: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com

- June 7-8: **Fort Ancient 24th Annual Celebration: A Gathering of Four Directions**
Fort Ancient, 6123 Ohio 350, Oregonia, Ohio 45054
For more information, please call 513.932.4421 or visit www.FortAncient.org
- June 8: **Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church Book Sale**
Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdoch-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit, <http://www.morrowumc.com>
- June 8: **12:00 pm Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- June 8: **3:00 pm – 7:00 pm Kirk Ramsey Pig Roast**
8588 Debold-Koebel Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152
- June 11: **1:00 pm – 2:30 pm Morrow United Methodist Church Care-Givers' Ministry Series**
Morrow United Methodist Church, 510 Welch Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call Morrow UMC at 513.899.3096 or visit their website at <http://www.morrowumc.com>
- June 11: **1:00 pm Wednesday Afternoon Bingo at Earl J. Maag Center**
Earl J. Maag Retirement Community, 124 Pamela Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Earl J. Maag Retirement Community at 513.582.7231
- June 12-14: **40th Annual Little Miami Railroad Days Festival**
Main Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call Donna at 513.899.3738
- June 12: **4:00 pm – 6:00 pm Salem Twp. Public Library Writers' Circle Group Meetings**
Salem Township Public Library, 535 West Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please email Dylan at: mccrackendy@saalem-township.lib.oh.us
- June 12: **5:30 pm Twilight Canoe & Dinner for Two**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 12: **6:00 pm – 10:00 pm "It's Just Wine, Beer & Music" at Valley Vineyards**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 14: **3:00 pm – 7:00 pm Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church June Ice Cream Social with Little Miami Chorale Performance**
Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdock-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>

- June 14: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or
ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- June 15: **Happy Father's Day!**
- June 15: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- June 16: 6:30 pm **2014 Youth & Teen Talent Show presented by the Warren County Arts Council**
Warren County Career Center, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please visit <http://www.warrencountyarts.org/talent-show/>
- June 18: 11:30 am – 1:00 pm **WCHS Lunch & Learn: *Exploring Historic Warren County***
Warren County History Center, 105 South Broadway, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please call 513.932.1817
- June 18: 1:00 pm **Wednesday Afternoon Bingo at Earl J. Maag Center**
Earl J. Maag Retirement Community, 124 Pamela Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Earl J. Maag Retirement Community at 513.582.7231
- June 19-21: **Fire Hydrant Flushing throughout Morrow Water Service Area**
If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821
- June 19: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm **"It's Just Wine, Beer & Music" at Valley Vineyards**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit
<http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 21: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or
ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- June 22: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- June 25: 1:00 pm **Wednesday Afternoon Bingo at Earl J. Maag Center**
Earl J. Maag Retirement Community, 124 Pamela Drive, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Earl J. Maag Retirement Community at 513.582.7231
- June 26-28: **SpiritSong Festival 2014**
Kings Island, 6300 Kings Island Drive, Mason, Ohio 45040
For more information, please visit <http://www.spiritsongfest.com/>

- June 26: 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Salem Twp. Public Library Writers' Circle Group Meetings**
Salem Township Public Library, 535 West Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please email Dylan at: mccrackendy@salem-township.lib.oh.us
- June 26: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm **"It's Just Wine, Beer & Music" at Valley Vineyards**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>
- June 28: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Cruise-In on Main Street**
Main Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
- June 28: 12:00 pm **Bluegrass on the Village Green at Caesar Creek Pioneer Village**
Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068
For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>
- June 28: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- June 28: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Movie in the Park**
Phegley Park, Main Street & Center Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
- June 29: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- June 29: **Friends of the Little Miami State Park Annual Meeting**
Hisey Park, Waynesville, Ohio 45068
- July 4: **Independence Day – Village of Morrow Offices Closed**
- July 5: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- July 6: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526

- July 7-11: **SpringHill Day Camp**
The Park Church, 5788 Zoar Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call The Park Church at 513.675.0570 or visit <http://springhillcamps.com/go/DayCamp/OH/morrow.aspx>.
- July 8: 9:00 am – 10:00 am **Congressman Steve Chabot's Office Hours at Morrow Municipal Building**
Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Congressman Chabot's Lebanon Office at 513.421.8704
- July 9: 2:30 pm – 4:30 pm **Warren County SBDC Free Seminar "Steps to Starting Your New Business"**
City of Franklin Community Room, 45 East Fourth Street, Franklin, Ohio 45005
For more information and to register, please contact Angela Steffen at 513-695-2090 or Angela.Steffen@co.warren.oh.us, or register online at <http://clients.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov/events.aspx>
- July 10: 5:30 pm **Twilight Canoe & Dinner for Two**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
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Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdock-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>
- July 12: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- July 13: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- July 14-19: **2014 Warren County Fair**
Warren County Fairgrounds, 665 North Broadway, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please visit <http://www.warrencountyfairohio.org/>
- July 15: 8:30 am – 10:30 am **Free Seminar: "Introduction to QuickBooks"**
Warren County Career Center, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information or to register, please contact Angela Steffen at 513.695.2090 or Angela.Steffen@co.warren.oh.us or register on line at <http://clients.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov/events.aspx>
- July 19-20: **Travel through Time at Caesar Creek Pioneer Village**
10:00 am – 5:00 pm Saturday & 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Sunday
Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068
For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>

- July 19: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or
ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- July 20: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- July 26: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm **2nd Annual Morrow Parks & Recreation NFL Punt, Pass & Kick Competition**
Thornton Park, 5136 Morrow-Blackhawk Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
To register your son or daughter, please visit <http://www.nflppk.com/competitions/register/index/18095>
- July 26: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or
ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- July 26: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Movie in the Park**
Phegley Park, Main Street & Center Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at
Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
- July 27: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- August 2: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or
ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- August 3: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- August 5: 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm **2nd Annual Morrow Police Department National Night Out Event**
Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2821
- August 6: 6:00 pm **Salem-Morrow Fire Department CPR and First Aid Class**
Salem-Morrow Fire Department, 5270 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Salem-Morrow Fire Department at 513.899.2222 or visit
their website at <http://sarjunkies.com/community/cpr-classes/>

- August 9: 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm **Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church August Ice Cream Social, Craft Show w/ Men of Montgomery Performance**
Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdock-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>
- August 9: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- August 10: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- August 16: 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm **Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce Cardboard Boat Regatta**
Oeder's Lake, 1369 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please visit www.LMAChamber.com
- August 16: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- August 17: 7:30 am **Little Miami Half Marathon & 10K**
Phegley Park, 300 Main Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information on or to register for the Little Miami Half Marathon & 10K, please visit <http://ohiorunning.com/LittleMiamiHalf/>
- August 17: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- August 23-24: **Caesar Creek Pioneer Village Native American Gathering**
10:00 am – 5:00 pm Saturday & 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Sunday
Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068
For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>
- August 23: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm **Hamilton Township Business Expo Group Touch-A-Truck Event**
Shoppes of Grandin, 5936-5996 South State Route 48, Maineville, Ohio 45039
- August 23: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com

- August 23: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Movie in the Park**
Phegley Park, Main Street & Center Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
- August 24: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- August 30: 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Chuck Wagon Dinner Ride at Bonnybrook Farms**
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- August 31: 12:00 pm **Open Jam at Plain Folk Café**
Plain Folk Cafe - Music and Coffee House, 10177 State Route 132, Pleasant Plain, Ohio 45162
For more information, please visit www.plainfolkcafe.com or call 513.877.2526
- September 11-14: **30th Annual Fort Ancient Restored Machinery Club “Old Machinery Days”**
Oeder’s Lake, 1369 U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please visit www.TheFarmClub.org
- September 13: 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm **Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church September Ice Cream Social**
Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdock-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church’s website at <http://www.thebmpc.org/>
- September 13: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Catfish Fishing Tournament**
The Point – Todd’s Fork Creek & Little Miami River, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us
- September 20 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Bonnybrook Farms' Fall Farm Days**
- October 26: Saturdays & Sundays, September 20 – October 26, 2014
Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113
For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com
- September 20 10:00 am – 6:00 pm **Blooms & Berries Fall on the Farm**
- October 31: Hayrides, corn maze, and pumpkin patch!
Blooms & Berries, 9669 State Route 48, Loveland, Ohio 45140
For more information, please visit www.BloomsAndBerries.com

September 26 7:30 pm – 10:30 pm **Bonnybrook Farms' Lantern Light Nights**

- October 25: Fridays & Saturdays, September 26 – October 25, 2014

Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113

For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or

ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com

September 27: **Morrow Parks & Recreation Art Fair**

For more information, please call the Village of Morrow at 513.899.2821 or email at

Parks@vil.morrow.oh.us

September 27-28: **Caesar Creek Pioneer Village Civil War Encampment**

10:00 am – 5:00 pm Saturday & 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Sunday

Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068

For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>

September 29: **Second Annual Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing**

Bel-Wood Country Club, 5873 Ludlum Road, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information, please visit <http://www.littlemiamiareachamber.com>

October 11: 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Hamilton Township Business Expo Group Treat & Greet Event**

Shoppes of Grandin, 5936-5996 South State Route 48, Maineville, Ohio 45039

October 16: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Caesar Creek Pioneer Village Ghost Walk**

Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068

For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>

October 18: 4:00 pm – 6:30 pm **Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church Sweetest Day Dinner**

Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church, 9602 Murdock-Goshen Road, Loveland, Ohio 45140

For more information, please visit Bethel Murdoch Presbyterian Church's website at

<http://www.thebmpc.org/>

October 23: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Caesar Creek Pioneer Village Ghost Walk**

Caesar Creek Pioneer Village, 3999 Pioneer Village Road, Waynesville, Ohio 45068

For more information, please visit <http://www.caesarscreekpioneervillage.org/>

October 26: **The Great Pumpkin 5k & 10k Trail Runs at Bonnybrook Farms**

Bonnybrook Farms, 3779 State Route 132, Clarksville, Ohio 45113

For more information, please contact Bonnybrook Farms at 937.289.2500 or

ContactUs@BonnybrookFarms.com

November 7-8: **Southern Ohio Indoor Music Festival**

Roberts Convention Centre, 123 Gano Road, Wilmington, Ohio 45177

For more information, please visit <http://somusicf.ipower.com/index.html>

November 8: 9:00 am **Salem-Morrow Fire Department CPR and First Aid Class**
Salem-Morrow Fire Department, 5270 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call the Salem-Morrow Fire Department at 513.899.2222 or visit their website at <http://sarjunkies.com/community/cpr-classes/>

November 29: 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm **2nd Annual Morrow Parks & Recreation Christmas on Main**
Main Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please email parks@vil.morrow.oh.us

December 3: **Light Up the Valley at Valley Vineyards**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please contact Valley Vineyards at 513.899.2485 or visit <http://www.valleyvineyards.com/>

December 11: **Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Christmas Dinner**
Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please visit <http://www.littlemiamiareachamber.com>

If your business, church or organization is planning an event, please be sure to let us know and we'll gladly include it in our Calendar of Events. Please email or fax the details of your event to Rod Smith, Village Administrator, at rod.smith@vil.morrow.oh.us or 513.899.3170.

Business & Government Meetings

Morrow Village Council

Meets regularly on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152.
For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit www.vil.morrow.oh.us.

Morrow Mayor's Court

Meets regularly on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at 5:00 pm at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/departments/mayor-s-court/>

Morrow Neighborhood Watch

Meets regularly on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/neighborhood-watch/>

Morrow Parks & Recreation Board

Meets regularly on the third Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/parks-recreation-board/>

Morrow Tree Board

Meets regularly on the third Thursday of each month at 10:00 am at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/tree-board/>

Morrow Citizens Housing Committee

Meets regularly on the second Monday of each month at 6:30 pm, as necessary, at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/citizens-housing-committee/>

Morrow Planning Commission

Meets regularly on the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm, as necessary, at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/planning-commission/>

Morrow Zoning Board of Appeals

Meets regularly on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm, as necessary, at the Morrow Municipal Building, 150 East Pike Street, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information, please call 513.899.2821 Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm or visit <http://www.vil.morrow.oh.us/boards-commissions/zoning-board-of-appeals/>

Hamilton Township Trustees

Meets regularly on first and third Wednesdays of each month at 6:00 pm at the Hamilton Township Administration Building, 7780 South State Route 48, Maineville, Ohio 45039

For more information, please call 513.683.8520 or visit <http://hamilton-township.org>

Little Miami Area Chamber of Commerce

Meets regularly on the first Thursday of each month at 11:45 am at

Valley Vineyards, 2276 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152

Please RSVP to Peoples First Savings Bank at 513.899.2040, by 5:00 pm on Tuesday prior to the meeting

For more information, please visit <http://www.littlemiamiareachamber.com>

Little Miami Local Schools Board of Education

Meets regularly on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the

Little Miami High School Auditorium, 3001 U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152

For more information please call 513.899.2264 or visit <http://www.littlemiamischools.com/districtBoardEd.aspx>

Little Miami Local Schools Business Advisory Council

Meets regularly on the second Monday of each month at 6:00 pm at the

Little Miami Intermediate School, 7247 Zoar Road, Maineville, Ohio 45039

For more information, please visit http://www.littlemiamischools.com/content_page.aspx?cid=572

Salem Township Trustees

Meets regularly on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Salem-Morrow Fire Department, 5270 East U. S. Route 22 & State Route 3, Morrow, Ohio 45152
For more information, please call 513.899.2222 or visit www.salemtownship-warrencounty.com

Warren County Career Center Board of Education

Meets regularly on the third Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Warren County Career Center, Admin. Bldg. Board Room, 3525 North State Route 48, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please visit <http://www.mywccc.org/BoardOfEducation.aspx>

Warren County Board of Commissioners

Meets regularly on Tuesdays at 9:00 am at the Warren County Administration Building, The Board is also scheduled to meet on the first and third Thursday of each month at 5:00 p.m., as needed
For more information, please call 513.695.1250 or visit <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/commissioners/>

Warren County Park District Board of Commissioners

Meets regularly on the third Wednesday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Warren County Park District, 1267 North State Route 741, Lebanon, Ohio 45036
For more information, please call 513.695.1109 or visit <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/parks/index.htm>

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