



City of Willoughby Hills

## **E-NEWSLETTER**

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**WELCOME TO OUR NEW E-NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIBERS!!!**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN THE CITY OF WILLOUGHBY HILLS. THIS WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER IS INTENDED TO PROVIDE UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION TO ITS READERS.

PLEASE ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO JOIN BY SENDING AN EMAIL REQUEST TO:

[NEWSLETTER@WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV](mailto:NEWSLETTER@WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV)

DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, THE CITY IS COMMITTED TO CONTINUE COMMUNICATIONS WITH OUR RESIDENTS WITH THE HELPFUL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS NEWSLETTER AND ON THE CITY WEBSITE:

<http://www.willoughbyhills-oh.gov/index.php>

### **SCHOOL NEWS:**

**WILLOUGHBY-EASTLAKE SCHOOLS CONTINUE VIRTUAL LEARNING:**

CLICK ON THE FOLLOWING LINK TO THE WILLOUGHBY-EASTLAKE SCHOOLS TO KEEP UP TO DATE ON VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON LEARNING

<https://www.weschools.org/protected/ArticleView.aspx?iid=6GUPUYY&dasi=2G2>



**“EDUCATION IS OUR PASSPORT TO THE FUTURE....FOR TOMORROW BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE WHO PREPARE FOR IT.”**

**MALCOLM X**

## UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

**MONDAY, MARCH 22, 2021 6:00 P.M.**

**COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE WHOLE AND RULES & LEGISLATION MEETING  
VIA ZOOM**

***Zoom ID# 874 4011 7582 ~ Zoom Password 537509***

**TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021 6:00 P.M.**

**COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING  
VIA ZOOM**

**TOPIC: 2021 BUDGET – INVITED GUESTS INCLUDE ROAD SUPERINTENDENT GRUBISS AND  
POLICE CHIEF NAEGELE**

***Zoom ID# 857 5403 5614 ~ Zoom Password 330911***

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2021 7:00 P.M.**

**CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION MEETING  
VIA ZOOM**

***Zoom ID# 833 5415 8833 ~ Zoom Password 140063***

**THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 2021 7:00 P.M.**

**COUNCIL MEETING VIA ZOOM**

***Zoom ID# 829 4876 5506 ~ Zoom Password 275078***

**FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 2021 3:00 P.M.**

**RECORDS COMMISSION MEETING  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – SOCIAL DISTANCING & MASKS REQUIRED**

**ACCESS LINKS MAY BE FOUND ON THE CITY WEBSITE FOR ALL OF THESE MEETINGS.**

**JUST A REMINDER THAT ALL COUNCIL ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS  
MAY BE FOUND ON THE CITY WEBSITE AT:**

**[http://www.willoughbyhills-oh.gov/government/city\\_council/records/prior\\_years.php](http://www.willoughbyhills-oh.gov/government/city_council/records/prior_years.php)**

**VOLUNTEER NEEDED.....**

COUNCIL IS LOOKING FOR A VOLUNTEER (PERHAPS A STUDENT MAJORING IN AUDIO VISUAL OR COMPUTER SCIENCE OR A RETIRED INDIVIDUAL LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND TALENT) TO: OPERATE THE CAMERA SYSTEM IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS DURING REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND BOARDS & COMMISSION MEETINGS

ONCE IN-PERSON MEETINGS RESUME IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS, WE WILL BE ABLE TO USE OUR NEWLY INSTALLED AUDIO VISUAL SYSTEM WHICH PROVIDES ENHANCEMENTS TO THE CAMERA SYSTEM IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO A BETTER CAMERA VIEW OF THE PERSON SPEAKING, AS WELL AS THE ABILITY TO REVIEW MAPS AND IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS ONSCREEN DURING THE MEETINGS.

IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW MAY BE INTERESTED IN OPERATING THIS SYSTEM DURING MEETINGS, PLEASE CONTACT COUNCIL PRESIDENT HALLUM AT 440-840-6710. THANK YOU.

## YARD WASTE NOTICE BEGINS APRIL 1ST:

Yard waste service in Willoughby Hills starts again on April 1st 2021

Grass clipping must be in a brown kraft bag or personal container marked YW.

Branches must be tied/bundled and no longer than 4ft. Please contact Republic Services at 216-441-6300 with any questions.



## EMPLOYEE NEWS:

BEST WISHES TO FIREFIGHTER PARAMEDIC TOM PANICHI WHO RESIGNED TO ACCEPT A FULL-TIME POSITION WITH EUCLID FIRE DEPARTMENT. WE WILL MISS YOU, BUT WISH YOU THE BEST! GOOD LUCK!

CONGRATULATIONS TO FIREFIGHTER JON (DAN) CLAYTON ON 27 YEARS OF SERVICE!

CONGRATULATIONS TO SGT SHANNON VACHET ON 20 YEARS OF SERVICE!

CONGRATULATIONS TO FIREFIGHTER PARAMEDIC NATE HOFFMAN ON 4 YEARS OF SERVICE!

KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!!!

## BUILDING & SERVICE DEPARTMENT NEWS:

Direct Line to the Service Department Clerk: 440-975-3550

If you get voicemail, please leave us your name, number, address and a message.

You may also email us at: [service@willoughbyhills-oh.gov](mailto:service@willoughbyhills-oh.gov)

### **SNOW PLOW DAMAGE:**

- If the City plow hits a mailbox, we will fix it. Please contact us right away. If the post is rotted & falls over from snow, we will not replace the mailbox or post. This will be determined by the Road Supervisor. It is the resident's responsibility to check their mailbox on an annual basis. Snow plow shields can be installed by the resident.  
**\*\*\*CALL US FIRST TO MAKE THE REPAIR/REPLACEMENT OF THE MAILBOX. WE WILL NOT REIMBURSE FOR ANY PURCHASES/REPAIRS THAT ARE DONE BY SOMEONE OTHER THAN THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT.**
- Should you have damage to your property from the City plows, please contact us. Some damage can be repaired immediately. Others may require us to put you on our "Spring Clean-up" List. Once topsoil is available, we can do the proper repairs to put your lawn back in place.

**MASTER PLAN SUBCOMMITTEE WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU!**

**WHAT IS YOUR VISION FOR THE CITY?**

**PUBLIC HEARINGS ARE PLANNED FOR:  
MONDAY, APRIL 12, 2021 AT 6:00 P.M. AND  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2021 AT 6:00 P.M.  
VIA ZOOM**

**PLAN TO ATTEND THE ZOOM MEETING (MEETING ACCESS  
INSTRUCTIONS ARE ON THE CITY WEBSITE) & LET THE  
COMMITTEE KNOW WHAT YOU WANT TO SEE  
IN WILLOUGHBY HILLS.**

**????SIDEWALKS  
????MORE SHOPPING OR DINING OPPORTUNITIES  
????PARK ACCESS  
????ZONING CHANGES**

**If you do not “Zoom” please send your written comments to:  
[PC-ABR@WilloughbyHills-OH.gov](mailto:PC-ABR@WilloughbyHills-OH.gov)  
Your voice counts!!!**



## **RESIDENT NEWS:**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO WILLOUGHBY SENIOR APARTMENT**

**“LEPRECHAUN WINNERS”:**

**CECELIA PASSALACQUA & BOB SULLIVAN**

**THESE TWO LUCKY SENIORS FOUND A LITTLE LEPRECHAUN IN THEIR SPECIAL COOKIE BOX FROM CITY HALL AND THEY WON A SPECIAL PRIZE FOR ST. PATRICK’S DAY! CONGRATULATIONS!**

**SPECIAL THANKS TO RESIDENT EVA PAWLAK FOR HER HELP WITH THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE COOKIE BOXES! SUCH A BIG HELP! THANKS, EVA!**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO RESIDENT AND FORMER COUNCILMAN KEVIN MALECEK WHO WAS NAMED LEADERSHIP LAKE COUNTY’S LEADER OF THE YEAR!**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING RESIDENTS WHO WERE APPOINTED TO THE CITY’S INCOME TAX BOARD OF REVIEW:**

**GERALD WOLANIN BETTY HINES PAUL PAHORESKEY**

**WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS!!!**

**THE ANGEL ON MARCUM BLVD:**

**WHO IS THE ANGEL ON MARCUM BLVD. WHO PASSED OUT A BOUQUET OF FLOWERS TO ALL HER NEIGHBORS THIS WEEK?**

**IT WAS ANGELA ADAMS & SHE WANTED EVERYONE TO KNOW WE NEED TO SHOW KINDNESS TO OTHERS TO GET US ALL THRU THIS PANDEMIC. HOW SWEET WAS THAT!!!**

**SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF NANCY SUHY WHO PASSED AWAY THIS WEEK.**



**NEWS FROM MAYOR GARDNER'S OFFICE:**

WE CONTINUE TO STRIVE TO KEEP OUR RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES SAFE. PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING, WEAR YOUR MASKS AND ABIDE BY THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND CDC GUIDELINES.

HOPEFULLY, MANY OF OUR RESIDENTS HAVE RECEIVED THEIR VACCINE. IF NOT, PLEASE USE THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN OUR NEWSLETTER AND ON OUR WEBSITE TO FIND A LOCATION THAT WORKS FOR YOU.

AS ALWAYS, IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CALL MY OFFICE AT 440-946-6614. STAY SAFE!

A LITTLE HUMOR GETS US THRU.....

I JUST FOUND A DOCUMENT THAT SAYS ALL OF OUR RESTRICTIONS HAVE BEEN LIFTED, AND WE ARE ALL FREE...IT'S PRETTY OLD THOUGH...DATED 1776!



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING REGISTRATION FOR COVID VACCINE:

### How do I get an appointment?

On Friday mornings, vaccine appointments for the following week will be available in ArmorVax. Notice of available appointments will also be posted on the Lake County General Health District website ([www.lcghd.org](http://www.lcghd.org)) on LCGHD's Facebook and Twitter accounts, and announced via LCGHD's weekly Situation Report. Lake County residents who currently qualify to receive the COVID-19 vaccine should create an account with the ArmorVax scheduling system by visiting [www.armorvax.com](http://www.armorvax.com). Once an account is created, eligible users will be able to search for available vaccine appointments.

- [ArmorVax Instruction Guide](#)
- [ArmorVax FAQ](#)
- Important tips for creating an ArmorVax account include the following:
  - Use a unique email address for each person creating an account.
  - Be certain to select your eligible occupation and/or condition when creating account.
  - You must first answer the screening questions before you will be able to schedule an appointment time.
  - Do not attempt to create an ArmorVax account until your eligibility is announced – you will not be able to schedule an appointment.
  - Individual identification and proof of occupation is required for all vaccine appts.

Those without email addresses, and/or needing assistance with making appointments may call (440) 350-2684 on Mondays and Tuesdays, between from 8 am to 4:30 pm.

MANY OF OUR RESIDENTS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN GETTING APPOINTMENTS. WE HAVE ALSO BEEN ADVISED BY AN E-NEWSLETTER READER THAT VACCINE IS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE AT WALGREENS IN MENTOR ON THE LAKE AND DRUG MART ON VINE STREET IN EASTLAKE. ONCE YOUR AGE GROUP BECOMES ELIGIBLE, BE SURE TO SIGN UP AND YOU WILL BE SCHEDULED.

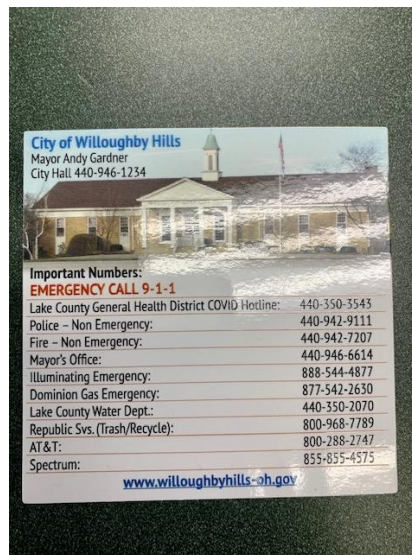


## **OOPS ON OUR MAGNET MAILING.....**

**SO SORRY THAT THE PHONE NUMBER FOR THE  
LAKE COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT WAS ERRONEOUSLY LISTED ON  
OUR MAGNET AS 440-350-3543!  
THE CORRECT NUMBER IS:**

**440-350-2543**

**PLEASE CORRECT THAT ON YOUR MAGNET SO YOU DIAL THE RIGHT  
NUMBER IF YOU NEED COVID-19 UPDATES OR LAKE COUNTY GENERAL  
HEALTH INFORMATION. WE APOLOGIZE FOR THE INCONVENIENCE!**



**PLEASE CONTACT MAYOR GARDNER'S OFFICE IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL MAGNETS OR  
WANT TO SHARE WITH OTHERS!**

## **CAMPBELL PARK NEWS...**

**LOOKING FORWARD TO OPENING THE PARK SOON...WE WILL  
LET YOU KNOW WHEN CAMPBELL PARK BOOKINGS RESUME!**



## BASEBALL & SOFTBALL SIGNUPS:

BASEBALL & SOFTBALL SIGNUPS HAVE BEGUN:  
CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW TO GET THE APPLICATIONS:

<http://cms2.revize.com/revize/willoughbyhills/departments/services/recreation/index.php>



## RECREATION:

CITY OF WILLOUGHBY HILLS COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE DAY – SPRING CLEAN UP!  
SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 2021.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR AN ADDITIONAL WILLOUGHBY HILL COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE DAY (WE WILL STILL BE HAVING OUR AUGUST SALE)! WE WILL HELP PROMOTE YOUR SALE THROUGHT THE COMMUNITY CHANNEL, WEBSITE, FACEBOOK, FLYERS AND RADIO. GET EVERYTHING TURNED IN BEFORE THE DEADLINE SO YOUR GARAGE SALE CAN BE PROMOTED AS PART OF THIS SPECIAL DAY!

HURRY.....REGISTRATION ENDS APRIL 16, 2021.

VISIT THE CITY WEBSITE AT [WWW.WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV](http://WWW.WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV) FOR A FILLABLE APPLICATION, OR CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW:

<http://www.willoughbyhills-oh.gov/departments/services/recreation/index.php>



## LIBRARY NEWS:

WICKLIFFE PUBLIC LIBRARY WILL BE HOSTING "LEAGUE PARK: A VISUAL HISTORY VIRTUAL PROGRAM" AT 6:30 P.M. ON THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 2021.

KEN KRSOLOVIC WILL PROVIDE A TIMELINE AND VISUAL HISTORY OF THE CLEVELAND INDIANS' FIRST HOME BALLPARK THROUGH PHOTOS, CLIPS, STORIES AND ANECDOTES. MORE THAN JUST BASEBALL HISTORY, THE STORY TIES TO URBAN GEOGRAPHY, CITY POLITICS, AND MORE!

TO REGISTER, CALL THE LIBRARY AT 440-944-6010. REGISTRANTS WILL BE SENT A ZOOM LINK ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE EVENT. REGISTRATION CLOSING AT 5:00 P.M. ON APRIL 7<sup>TH</sup>!



## THE MIND CHALLENGE IS COMING TO WILLOUGHBY HILLS!

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR RESIDENTS OVER AGE 50....

INTERESTED IN TRIVIA?

THE CITY IS PUTTING TOGETHER TEAMS FOR "THE MIND CHALLENGE" WHICH BEGINS WITH TEAM FORMATION ROUNDS ON JULY 12 AND JULY 19.

EACH TEAM CONSISTS OF 4 TO 6 MEMBERS.

TEAMS FROM LAKE AND CUYAHOGA COUNTIES COMPETE FOR PRIZES.

START THINKING ABOUT THIS FUN ACTIVITY...MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW IN FUTURE NEWSLETTERS!



STAY SAFE!!! CALL CITY HALL IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS

AT 440-946-1234

OR VISIT

OUR WEBSITE AT:

[WWW.WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV](http://WWW.WILLOUGHBYHILLS-OH.GOV)