

It is my pleasure to welcome spring and hopefully say good-bye to Old Man Winter. We have a lot happening in the Village this spring and in the months ahead as well.

First, I would like to announce that after 30 years of service to the Village, Adult Services Manager Patty Grist is retiring and we are having an open house reception for her on Monday, March 30th from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Adult Gathering Room. Everyone is welcome to join us and congratulate her on her retirement.

The Evendale Chamber of Commerce Scholarship deadline is April 2nd and is open to Evendale 2012 high school graduates planning on continuing their education in the fall. For more information contact Bob Luther at 374-7300.

As the year progresses you will see work on all the traffic signals in the Village. This work may cause temporary delays in traffic flow from time to time, and I ask for your patience during this project.

Good Morning Evendale!

Good Morning Evendale! The Village of Evendale is starting a daily telephone calling program for seniors, or any Evendale resident. The goal of our "Good Morning Evendale" program is to help seniors or those living alone to have a point of contact on a daily basis. For every resident that signs up for the program, each morning at 9:00 a.m. a call will be placed to the resident just to confirm that all is well. In the event that no one is reached, or help is requested, the Village will send Police or Fire personnel to make sure everything is o.k.

If you would like to receive a call each morning, or if you know someone who might appreciate a call, please let us know. The program is voluntary and there is no cost. The person receiving the call must sign themselves up to receive calls from "Good Morning Evendale".

I would like to thank our Fire Fighter Steve Hamm, Police Lt. Jeff McDaniel, and Adult Services Manager Patty Grist for identifying this need in our community and organizing the program. We are also looking for volunteers to assist with the morning calls and "Good Morning Evendale" is great way to get involved in the community and maybe help a neighbor or friend. If you are interested in receiving a call, or if you would be willing to help make phone calls, please call the Evendale Police Department at 563-2249 for more information.

For a better and better Evendale.

Your Mayor, Don Apking

MAYOR'S NEWSLETTER

NOW HIRING

Applications available at the Evendale Recreation Department, 10500 Reading Rd., Cincinnati, OH 45241 or www.evendaleohio.org.

Summer Camp Leaders - Seasonal

The Village of Evendale Recreation Department is seeking qualified individuals to help administer summer camp program, Fun in the Sun. Candidates must be energetic, creative and enjoy working with children ages 3 – 13. Must be 15 years of age or older by June 1st. Needed June - July. Starting Salary \$7.99 EOE Deadline to submit all applications is March 17.

Pool Concession Stand Assistant Managers – Seasonal

The Village of Evendale Recreation Department is seeking qualified individuals to work in the pool concession stand. Responsibilities include taking orders, preparing food, supervising Phi Lambda Pi volunteers, cleaning, and maintaining inventory. Excellent customer service skills required. Should be 18 years of age or older. Needed May -August/September. Starting Salary \$7.99 EOE

Deadline to submit an application is March 17.

SWIM TEAM NEWS

Though the swim team program registration won't begin until Monday, April 2nd, following is new information about the program. The early bird registration fee is \$20 per participant. The Parents' Meeting is scheduled on Monday, May 7, 7:00 pm at the Recreation Center. Starting May 8th, the registration fee will be \$30 per participant (except for any "new" members who may want to find out more information about the program at the Parents' Meeting). We have formed a "new" website, EvendaleEagles.org, through the on-line "TeamUnify" Team Management Platform. One of the neat things about this software is that parents can sign-up, on-line, to volunteer for the various swim meet positions throughout the NSSL season. More information about the website and volunteer registration procedures will be explained at the Parents' Meeting on May 7th. Go Eagles!

We are pleased to announce the hiring of the Evendale Eagles' new head coach, Debbie Walker. She is a resident of Sharonville who grew up swimming. After swimming for Princeton High School she continued her swimming career for the University of Cincinnati Bearcats. She gained her first coaching experience as an assistant coach for the Evendale Eagles back in 1988. After graduating from UC with a secondary teaching degree she began teaching math at Princeton High School. She was an assistant coach for Princeton's high school team. Currently she is teaching at Turpin High School where she was head swim coach for the first 5 years before until her youngest son was born. Debbie has her Master's Degree in Sports Administration from Xavier University. She is married to Rob, a fellow swimmer for

the Bearcats. They have 3 sons, ages 7, 10 and 14, who all began swimming in the 6 and under age group. Debbie is excited about returning to the Evendale Eagles. She is looking forward to working with the coaches, swimmers, and parents. Please welcome her as she gets acquainted with your swimmers for the 2012 swim season. Sign-ups for swim team will begin on April 1st. The swimsuit fitting and parents meeting will be held in early May.

FUN IN THE SUN CHILDREN'S SUMMER PROGRAM

Books Needed!

Donations of books needed for 1st – 8th graders. Please drop off your books to the Recreation Center Front Desk by April 30th. Thank you!

Volunteers Wanted!

Do you have a talent you could share?

The Evendale Recreation Department is seeking Residents to volunteer with our summer Fun in The Sun Program! Volunteers are needed to teach afternoon workshops for 1st - 8th graders (ages divided.) We are looking for individuals with special talents in scrapbooking, sewing, wood working, art, photography, dance, basketball/ sports, jewelry making, etc. Ideas welcome!

Please contact Kim Pielage, kim.pielage@evendaleohio.org, for an application to submit your proposed class. All volunteers will be subject to background checks. Deadline to submit proposal is March 31st.

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FAMILY SPECIAL EVENTS

Pot O' Luck Family Bingo 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Friday, March 16

\$3 per person by March 14.

*Families MUST be registered by 3/14; No sign-ups after 3/14. Includes Bingo, Prizes, Popcorn & Soft Drinks for the Whole Family! Be sure to wear something GREEN!

Egg-Stravaganza 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Sunday, March 25

Kids must be signed-up by March 22 at 9:00 PM; no sign-ups after

\$2 per Child (no fee for adults) \$4 per Eligible Family Resident 3rd Grade & Younger – 2:00 PM Egg Hunt; Meet outside by the patio.

festival afterwards in the gym. Meet the Bunny, Dye an Egg, Decorate a Cookie & More! Bring a bag or basket for the egg hunt.

4th - 7th Graders - Meet in the Flex Room at 2:00 PM for an Egg Hunt and then Bingo. Bring a bag or basket for the egg hunt.

Fantastic Family Friday Friday, April 13th

Make an Ice Cream Sundae & Enjoy the Magic of Tom Bemmes! \$4 per person after 4/8 \$2 per person by 4/8 No sign-ups after 4/10.



PHI LAMBDA PI

53rd Annual Phi Lambda Pi Awards Night

April 21st

7:00 PM, Evendale Recreation Center

Invitation mailed to members and their parents.

Free for members to attend. Parents, Siblings & Guests, \$10. Welcome to Hollywood! Dinner and awards ceremony; all members are encouraged to attend!

Overnight follows for Phi Lambda Pi members for an additional \$10.

SPRING CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

April 10 – May 25 *no classes on April 9th

(Min 8, Max 15 for each class) **MAX OF TWO CLASSES PER CHILD** Request your child to be added to the wait list if you are interested in more than two classes.

Please adhere to age guidelines when signing up. \$10 per class by April 2 \$15 per class after April 2

MOSTLY MOTHER GOOSE Mondays 9:45 – 10:45 am 18 months – 36 months, accompanied by a caregiver *No siblings in class please.* Child care available.

Let's discover the world of nursery rhymes. Songs, simple crafts and snacks will bring Mother Goose to life. Join us for all the fun! (Class will NOT meet on April 9th.)

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AROUND THE WORLD Mondays 1:15 – 2:15 pm 3 – 6 year olds. MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

We will continue our trip around the world as we visit six new countries. We'll learn about their history, customs, crafts, ways of life, and even sample some traditional foods. (Class will NOT meet on Apr.9th.)

CRAFTS AND MORE Tuesdays 9:45 – 10:45 am 4 - 6 year olds.

Join us each week for something fun and new! We will make various craft projects and incorporate games, food and other activities into our schedule.

READY – SET – GO! Wednesdays 10:00 – 11:00 am 18 months – 36 months, accompanied by a caregiver *No siblings in class please.* Child care available.

Are you READY to play? Are you SET to start moving? Then let's GO! Our gross motor program introduces toddlers and their caregivers to the world of movement and socialization with new friends.

WIGGLE, GIGGLE & SHAKE Fridays 9:45 – 10:45 am 3 – 4 year olds. MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Large motor skills and coordination will be developed with the use of indoor play equipment, parachute, scooters and balls. Music, stories and crafts will be included in our hour of wiggling, giggling and shaking. GYM SHOES REQUIRED. (Class will NOT meet on Apr.6th.)

CHILDREN'S SPECIAL EVENTS

MOTHER'S DAY PIZZA BUFFET Thursday, May 10

11:30 – 1:30 PM Pizza, Salad, Dessert & Drinks! Please sign-up by
May 8. \$5.00 per Mom \$2.00 per Child

Supervised gym for the kids . . . no cooking for mom!

TENNIS

Tennis Spring & Summer details online

Youth Team Tennis NEW PROGRAM!!! USTA Program

This program will provide a play-based program similar to Little League Baseball.

Dates: 6/12/12 - 7/31/12 Tuesdays

Fee: \$65

Entering Grades 1-3 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Entering Grades 4-6 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Registration begins 3/1/12. **USTA DEADLINE: 5/18/12**

Evendale Tennis Members Only

ADULT SPORTS

2012 Evendale Golf Outings SAVE THE DATE

Couples Outing - Sunday, June 3 at Blue Ash Golf Course

Men's Outing – Wednesday, Sept. 12 at Fairfield Greens

Adult Glow Sports Night Friday, April 27 7-10 p.m. Join Evendale adults for a JUST FOR FUN sports night- no athletic ability necessary! Glow volleyball, glow cornhole, glow dodgeball, and a few fun games with a glowing twist! Sign up today! \$8/person. Tell your neighbors...tell your friends---seriously, just want to listen to music and hang out...sign up!

FITNESS CLASSES

<u>with Independent Providers</u> (details online at www.EvendaleOhio.org)

CARDIO & STRENGTH

with Lisa Feb. 27 - April 18 Mon, Wed 9:30-11: 00am

1 day \$64.00 2 days \$128.00

Non-Residents add \$2 Walk-In \$9/class

EVENING YOGA Feb. 27 - April 16 Mondays 6:30-8:00pm with Roger \$56 residents \$72 non-residents Walk-in \$10

SATURDAY YOGA Monthly Saturdays 8:15-9:15am

with Roger \$40 per month Min. 4

TAE KWON DO
with MikeMonthly
1 person \$25/personTues. & Thurs.6:15-7:30pm
2 or more in the family \$20 each

GROUP FITNESS CLASSES

thru Lifestyle Essentials using your Fitflex Pass *(class details online)* January 2 through March 31st, 2012 (13 weeks)

Resident FITFLEX FEES:
6 Classes= \$33

NON-Resident FITFLEX FEES:
6 Classes= \$40

6 Classes= \$33 6 Classes= \$40 13 Classes= \$67 13 Classes= \$80 26 Classes= \$128 26 Classes= \$154

New! GOLD PASS- 5 class pass for \$35 - Does NOT expire until December 31.

Walk-ins= \$10 Must be paid to instructor <u>prior</u> to class starting.

ADULT SERVICES

Monday, March. 5th @ 5:30 pm Meet & Greet Every Monday @ 1:00pm Mah Jong **Card Making** 2nd and 4th Tuesdays @ 1:00 pm **Chapter One Book Club** 4th Tuesday @ 7:00 pm **ROMEO** 2nd Wednesday Time & Destination Varies 3rd Wednesdays, 7:00pm **Civil War Series** Wii Bowling play 2nd and 4th Fridays **Coffee House** Saturday, March 24th, 7:00pm Reservations Required

This is Patty's last month with us, please stop by and wish her a wonderful retirement. She has been with the village for 30 years.

Municipal Office Numbers

Village Hall	563-2244	Recreation Hotline	956-2667
Building Department	956-2665	Village Clerk	563-2244
Fire Department	563-2248	Tax Department	563-2671
Police Department	563-2249	Service Department	563-4338
Recreation Department	563-2247	others	
Pool	563-2246	Chamber of Com.	563-9996
Shelter House	956-2668	Historical Commission	733-4688

VISIT OUR WEBSITE: www.EvendaleOhio.org

Gorman Heritage Farm News

Regular hours resume March 1st 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday 12 noon to 5 p.m. Sunday

Summer Camp Registration Open
Visit gormanfarm.org/camp.shtml for all the camp information and to register online.

Community Bake Day

Saturday, March 3rd from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Prepare it at home and come to the Farm to bake it in the earth oven.

Biointensive Gardening

Saturday, March 10 from 10 a.m.-12 noon GHF Head Gardener, John Hemmerle will lead a hands on session of chemical free ways to get a better yield out of your garden. Cost is \$10

Ulster Cooking

Foodways of the Scots Irish in America Saturday, March 31 from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Join culinary historians, Chris and Susan Gordy on an overland adventure in new foods. Cost is \$50 per student.