

November 2015

Dear Neighbors and Friends,

The Police Department has received several reports from residents who have received phone calls that they believed were irregular. Fortunately, the residents, wary of the suspicious nature of the calls, didn't fall prey to the scams and were prevented from any loss of money. Chief Korte has informed me that it is highly unlikely they could successful prosecute individuals who succeed in getting your money through any phone scams. Please educate yourselves on this matter, trust your good judgement, and reduce the risk of being a victim.

With the coming of cooler weather, the use of fireplaces and fire pits will increase. Fire Chief Hauck would like to remind you of several safety measures to keep you and your family safe: keep anything that can burn at least three feet away from your fireplace/fire pit, have your chimneys cleaned and inspected every year, make sure your fireplace/fire pit has a sturdy screen to stop sparks from flying, ashes should be cool before putting them in a metal container, test smoke alarms monthly, and install carbon monoxide detectors. The Fire Department sells both smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors at a discounted price. Stop by the Fire Department during normal working hours if you need any of these fire safety items.

The Service Department is preparing for the snow season and readying their snow plows. They have suspended their dump truck delivery service until April 1, 2016.

The Fire Department will again be collecting new unwrapped toys for Toys for Tots. Collection boxes will be placed in the Recreation Center and the Fire Department. You can contact the Fire Department at 563-2248 if you have any questions.

The Evendale Cultural Arts Commission is looking for residents who love and appreciate the arts to serve on this commission. Meetings are held once a month. Come share your appreciation of the arts and make a difference in the Evendale arts community!

For a better and better Evendale... Your Mayor, Don Apking

EVENDALE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER NEWS

563-1350 evendalearts.org



Evendale Cultural Arts Center's Wonderful Winter!!

We are excited to host the 2015 EVENDALE FINE ART EXHIBIT WINNER'S SHOW featuring the works of Cheryl Metzger, professional colored pencil artist November 20-22. Opening Reception is Friday, November 20 from 6-9 pm. Exhibit hours are 12-4 pm on November 21 & 22. We will host a special nouveau Wine Tasting on Saturday, November 21 at 5 pm. Must be 21 and older for the wine tasting. \$20 per person. Sign up at evendalearts.org

<u>SAVE THE DATE!!</u> On December 18-20, we are pleased to welcome the "Mission 31 Photography Exhibit featuring the works of Carrie Vonderhaar" here at the art center. Featured works include photography and film footage from this groundbreaking expedition featuring former resident Carrie Vonderhaar and Matt Ferraro, both of whom accompanied this amazing expedition.

MAYOR'S NEWSLETTER

SPECIAL EVENTS

FITNESS CENTER Open Houses

Wednesday November 4th from 6:00-8:00pm Saturday November 7th from 10 am- noon Healthy refreshments, giveaways, games, raffles and more!

TURKEY SHOOT

Friday, November 13 at 6:30pm

Teams: Two family members...one adult 18 or older and one from the division below. Parent/Grandparent may team up with more than one child but child may only enter once.

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Divisions: 3 - 5 6 - 8 9 - 11 12 - 14

15 - 18 (still in HS) Moms & Pops

FUN Competition: Everyone shoots three rounds of five shots. Basket heights and distances will be adjusted by age. Special baskets for 3-5 year olds will be used. All skills encouraged to sign up...three points for made basket, two points if you hit the rim, backboard or net and one point if you hit nothing at all!

Awards: One girl team and one boy team in youth divisions will receive a Turkey for Thanksgiving. (Families may only win in one division—beginning with the youngest group.) We will determine the girl winner in each category first. Family cannot win more than one prize/doorprize. Special door prizes will be awarded. Must be present to win.

Fee: \$1.00 per team by November 12

\$2.00 per team after until Nov. 13 @ 4:30 p.m. (No sign-ups after 5:30 p.m. on November 13th) ONE TEAM MEMBER MUST BE AN EVENDALE RESIDENT!

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FILL THE TRUCK

November 23 – December 14

Evendale Recreation Department will be participating in the 6th Annual Fill the Truck, an Initiative of Frame USA. We will be collecting TOILETRIES, CLEANING SUP-PLIES and CANNED FOODS in the bins at the Recreation Center. Be a part of the greatest year-end charities in the Tri-State. Local charities benefitting from this campaign include The Healing Center in Springdale, Valley Interfaith in Lockland, Churches Active in Northside (CAIN) and The Children's Home in Northern Kentucky. Items will be collected at the Recreation Center through December 14th. For more information or to see a complete listing of other items needed. visit www.FillTheTruck.org. Thank you in advance!

Gingerbread House Making Wednesday, December 2nd

(Min 15 families, Max 25 families)

6:30 - 7:45 PM

Create your own gingerbread house with edible and nonedible items! All supplies are included in fee but you are certainly welcome to bring your own decorating items and/ or tools for your creation! Please bring a tray to transport your masterpiece home. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

MAKE SOME GREAT HOLIDAY MEMORIES WITH YOUR FAMILY!

Space is limited so sign up early! \$12 per Family by November 19th REGISTRATION ENDS November 19th

HOLIDAY LITE-UP Sunday, December 6th 5:30 PM

Celebrate the holidays with a community dinner and a short video highlighting village events from 2015. Everyone is encouraged to bring toiletries, cleaning supplies or canned goods to donate to the Fill the Truck initiative. We will be gathering outside following the event to sing carols and officially throw the switch on our village décor!

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Evendale Residents Free, but please register by December 1st.

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Snow Creation Contest *NOW* through January 18

E-mail photos to: <u>Nancy.Hagner@evendaleohio.org</u>.

Photos will be on display at the Snow Much Fun! Winter Family Fest' on Friday, January 22.

Build your best snowman, snow dragon or any snow creation! E-mail a picture to the Recreation Center by January 18 to be entered in the contest!

Be sure to include your name and address with the picture. All ages are welcome!

Be creative and let's hope for lots of snow this winter!

CHILDREN'S SPECIAL EVENTS

Tiny Tots Tennis on Thursdays

3 & 4 year olds

Instructed by Tony Teufel – Evendale Tennis Pro. Racquets are provided. Kids should wear gym shoes. Please and come ready for fun! All classes include warm-up and cool-down activities, skill review and practice, and team games that reinforce tennis skills and tactics.

Session 2: Nov. 5 – Dec. 3 (No session Nov. 26) 9:30-10:30am in the Recreation Center

Fee: \$10

Turkey Time Thursday, November 19th 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

4 – 6 year olds (Min 8, Max 15)

Kids will engage in crafts, snacks and games that celebrate this fall holiday.

\$3.00 per child

Letters to Santa

November 30th – December 12th

Mailbox located in the Lobby of the Recreation Center. Make sure your first and last name and address appear on the letter so that Santa can write you back!

Please drop off your letters by December 12th!

Visit with Santa
December 12th

Session A 9:00 – 10:00 A.M. Session B 10:45 – 11:45 A.M.

Each Session Limited to 50 Children and Infants.

1st grade & younger, accompanied by an adult. *No older siblings please.*

Everyone must pre-register and pay to attend, including babies in seats and strollers, parents, grandparents, and 1st graders and younger. *Seating is limited.*

Please bring a wrapped gift for <u>each child</u> and <u>infant</u> to the Recreation Center by December 7th. Remember to mark each package with child's first and last name. Pastries, Coffee, Tea, Orange Juice, Milk and a Photo with Santa Included!

\$3.00 per person

Deadline to register is December 7th!

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Jr. Holiday Bingo

Tuesday, December 15th

6:30 - 8:00 PM

2nd – 7th graders (Min 20)

Please bring a \$10 Gift Card (WRAPPED) to be used for bingo prizes.

Pizza and drinks provided.

\$3.00 per person

Deadline to register is December 14th!

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Bumper Bowling

Monday, January 18 *Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

1:15 - 3:00 pm

4 years old – 3rd grade (Min 6, Max 25) Meet at Crossgate Lanes, 4230 Hunt Road.

\$10 per child includes shoes, bowling & a soft drink. Sign-up by January 11.

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Bumper Bowling

Monday, February 15 *President's Day

1:15 - 3:00 pm

4 years old – 3rd grade (Min 6, Max 25)

Meet at Crossgate Lanes, 4230 Hunt Road.

\$10 per child includes shoes, bowling & a soft drink. Sign-up by February 8.

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WINTER CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

January 11 – March 18

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.

Children should remain in the same age class for the entire "school year." \$10 per class by January 7 \$15 per class after January 7

OPEN GYM

No Fee – drop in activity.

Wednesdays, Time TBA

All ages welcome, accompanied by an adult.

Parents must provide supervision at all times.

Pizza lunch the last Wednesday of each month!

MOSTLY MOTHER GOOSE

Mondays 9:45 – 10:45 am (Min 8, Max 15)

18 months – 36 months, accompanied by a caregiver. *No siblings in class, please.* Child care available.

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Join us each week as we discover Mother Goose nursery rhymes and more through songs, finger plays, simple art projects and other activities.

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(Class will <u>NOT</u> meet on Martin Luther King Jr. Day (1/18), and Presidents' Day 2/15.)

READY – SET – GO! (choice of 2 times)

Wednesdays 9:45 - 10:45 am or 11am-12pm

(Min 8, Max 12 each time slot)

18 months – 36 months, accompanied by a caregiver. *No siblings in class, please.* Child care available.

This class features large muscle activities such as tumbling, parachute, hula hoops and scooters, as well as simple songs and finger plays.

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WIGGLE, GIGGLE & SHAKE

Fridays 9:45 – 10:45 am (Min 8, Max 15)

3 – 5 year olds. MUST BE POTTY TRAINED.

Come each week to "shake your sillies out!" We'll start with a brief time of free play, and then we'll wiggle, giggle, shake, dance, move and sing as we learn to share and cooperate in a fun setting. GYM SHOES REQUIRED.

PHI LAMBDA PI

Evendale Residents in 8th – 12th grades are eligible to join Phi Lambda Pi for Open House! Any interested resident can join anytime. The group meets every Wednesday night from 7:00- 9:00 P.M. at the Recreation Center for Open Houses. Trips, service projects and fundraisers are held throughout the year. A monthly calendar is posted on www.evendaleohio.org, the Phi bulletin board at the Rec, and is mailed out to members. adam.knight@evendaleohio.org for more info.

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Election Day Bake Sale Tuesday, November 3rd

Donations of baked goods are needed for Phi Lambda Pi's Annual Election Day Bake Sale! Can you help? Donations may be dropped off on Monday evening, November 2nd at the Recreation Center. Thank you in advance from Phi Lambda Pi!

Rake-n-Run

Evendale seniors needing a little extra help raking their leaves may call Adam Knight, 563-2247 by November 2nd and have their names placed on our list. Every effort will be made to rake leaves during the month of November. Residents will be notified 24 hours in advance of our arrival. Please note that we may not be able to fulfill all requests. Those residents who normally utilize a lawn service are asked not to sign up for this service project. Residents must provide leaf bags.

ADULT PROGRAMS

(18 & Up)

Please e-mail <u>Kim.Pielage@evendaleohio.org</u> with any adult program suggestions.

MONDAY NIGHT CARDS & GAMES

November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (*Holiday Music Bingo from 6:00 - 7:00 PM on 11/30)

December 7, 21, 28 (*Holiday Party on 12/14) 6:00 – 9:00 PM

Bring a snack or appetizer to share and join us for Euchre, Hand Foot, Mexican Train Dominos and more! Soft drinks, water and cards provided.

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Everyone is welcome!

No fee. No sign-ups!

CINCINNATI MEMORIES from the Cincinnati Preservation Association Wednesday, November 4 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Join us at the Recreation Center for a virtual tour of downtown Cincinnati showing old and current pictures of historic and memorable landmarks. Step back in time to visit Fountain Square, the Carew Tower Complex, the Dixie Terminal Building, City Hall, Findlay Market and Union Terminal to name a few. The virtual tour uses a "memories" theme showing both "old" and current pictures of historic and memorable Cincinnati landmarks as well as a narrative that highlights the history and current use of the site.

Free! No registration required.

HONORING OUR VETERANS, A VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, November 11

A celebration to honor America's veterans for their patriotism, love of country, and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.

5:30 PM Hors d'oeuvres and Socializing

5:45 PM Veteran's Recognition

6:15 PM Dinner

7:00 PM Greater Cincinnati's Veterans'

Memorials Program presented by the Cincinnati Museum Center

Please sign-up by November 6th.

Evendale Veterans

Free, but please register by November 6.

*Indicate branch of military at sign-up.

Evendale Residents \$10.00 Non-Residents \$15.00

Wii BOWLING LEAGUE

Join us on Fridays nights starting January 15th for our Wii Bowling League! The league plays until April/May, every other Friday evening at the Recreation Center.

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Please register by December 15.

Please indicate at registration if you have a teammate you plan to bowl with.

Evendale Residents \$5.00

Guest of Resident Fee \$10.00

(one guest to one resident ratio)

Wii BOWLING LEAGUE PRE-SEASON MEETING Wednesday, November 18 5:30 PM

Come learn more about our Wii Bowling Program! New bowlers welcome. Past participants will have the opportunity to provide suggestions and feedback from last season to improve the upcoming 2016 league. Pizza and soft drinks provided. Please call, 563-2247 or stop by the Front Desk to sign-up.

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FREE, but we need a head-count to order pizzas!

JOY TOUR & TRAVEL 2016 TRIP PREVIEW NIGHT Wednesday, November 18 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Come for coffee & dessert and to learn about Joy Tour & Travel's day trips and extended trips for 2016. Evendale residents enjoy \$25 off advertised pricing on day trips and \$50 off extended trips. When you think travel, think Joy Tour & Travel! See their web-site for program details, www.joytours.com.

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HOLIDAY MUSIC BINGO – new!

Monday, November 30

6:00 - 7:00 PM (*Cards and game night follows) Instead of calling numbers, DJ Dale Bley will play holiday songs by popular artists that you will know and enjoy! Prizes awarded.

Free! No registration required. Adults only.

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HOLIDAY PARTY Monday, December 14

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Join us for hearty appetizers, desserts and drinks as we celebrate the holidays with friends. Ricky Nye will be playing holiday classics, jazz, spirituals and ballads for your holiday enjoyment!

Please sign-up by December 10th.

Evendale Residents \$3.00

Guest of Resident Fee

(one guest to one resident ratio)

CHAIR VOLLEYBALL - 2016 LEAGUE

Chair Volleyball is for older adults of all activity levels regularly active to wheelchair bound. Through the chair volleyball league, hundreds of players participate in matches at over a dozen sites countywide. Players hail from senior, community, recreation and assisted living centers, churches and retirement communities. Teams practice weekly throughout the year, and league play takes place from March until October. Evendale teams practice every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:45 AM at the Recreation Center. New players welcome!

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2016 League Fees Due December 15th. \$5.00 per person; includes t-shirt for new players.

Contact: Abby Moonitz, 563-2247

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CARD MAKING

Enjoy an abundance of creative supplies needed to make cards! The group meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 1:00 at the Recreation Center. Come test out your creative side!

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Contact: Karen Martens, 554-1634

CHAPTER ONE BOOK CLUB

Join other book enthusiast in Evendale's monthly book club which meets the

fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Evendale Room. Everyone is welcome. Come for a cup of coffee or tea and see what the group is reading this month!

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Contact: Kay Bostrom, 733-0559

ROMEOS (a.k.a Retired Old Men Eating Out!)

This group meets the 2nd Wednesday each month at 11:30 AM at the Recreation Center and heads out to enjoy lunch together at a designated restaurant. If you enjoy eating out amongst friends at local establishments, this group is for YOU!

Contact: Larry Gilland, 563-2318

JULIET's (a.k.a. Just Us Ladies in Eateries Tasting Sam-

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The group meets the 2nd Wednesday each month at a designated restaurant. Join these ladies for lunch on your own; enjoyable conversation awaits you!

Contact: Donna Dick, 923-2027

RED HAT SOCIETY

This group meets the 2nd Thursday each month at a designated restaurant.

"A playgroup for women created to connect like-minded women, make new friends and enrich lives through the power of fun and friendship!"

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Contact: Marge Gassert, 563-2658

ADULT SPORTS

OPEN GYM PICKLE-BALL NIGHTS!!!

No Experience Needed. Come out and try it! Great exercise & fun!

Pickle-ball is...

Kinda like tennis (but not really.)

Kinda like ping pong (except you're standing on the table.) Kinda like badminton (except no strings or birdies.)

Pickle-ball is simply fun! Residents FREE—Guests-\$2.

FRIDAY NIGHTS 6-8 p.m.

Nov. 6 – South Gym

Nov. 13 & 27

Bring the family, bring your friends, challenge your neighbors, just give it a try!

Evendale North Gym - 3 courts available. For questions...call Kristen at 563-2247 or

kristen.maiden@evendaleohio.org

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NYC Trip to US OPEN TENNIS Tournament 2016

September 1-5, 2016 Tour Number G39237 5 Days – 4 Nights – 4 Meals

Day One: Plan to depart this morning for the "Big Apple." Rest and lunch breaks will be made en-route. Check in at our New Jersey area hotel for the next four nights.

Day Two: Enjoy breakfast before departing for New York. Meet your tour guide for a city highlights tour. Enjoy lunch on your own as well as shopping and exploring. Admission will be included to the US Open evening session. **B**

Day Three: Breakfast is included this morning before departing for the US Open morning and afternoon sessions. Enjoy the evening on your own in NYC. **B**

Day Four: Breakfast in included this morning before departing for New York. Enjoy the day on your own in the city. B

Day Five: Breakfast is included before departing for home. Rest and lunch breaks will be made en-route. B

Tour Package Includes:

Roundtrip Transportation via Croswell's Deluxe VIP Motorcoach, Four (4) nights' accommodations, Four (4) breakfasts, Guided city tour of New York, US Open tickets, Shopping and exploring on your own, All luggage handling

Tour Cost Per Person:

\$999.00 Double Occupancy \$899.00 Triple Occupancy \$1349.00 Single Occupancy

OPTION: If you would like to visit Liberty Island, Ellis Island and the 9/11 Museum on Day 4, add \$50 per person to the tour cost.

For more information or to make a reservation please contact:

Kristen Maiden 513-563-2247 Kristen.maiden@evendaleohio.org

NOTE: A \$300 deposit per person is due by March 1, 2016. Full payment is due July 1, 2016

NEED 30 BY MARCH 1st for the trip to go!!

Complete the reservation form and the waiver forms today!!...don't wait until February, 26th!

Checks are made payable to the VIILLAGE OF EVENDALE

(Please Note: Tour Cost is based on 30 paying passengers. Without 30 paying passengers, the price may increase or trip may be cancelled. The maximum number of passengers is 52.)

<u>Cancellation Protection</u> is available to you for <u>\$75.00</u> per person for Double and Triple occupancy. The cancellation protection is <u>\$85.00</u> per person for single occupancy. Cancellations with <u>Cancellation Protection</u> will be guaranteed a full refund up to the day before the tour departure. Cancellation Protection allows a refund on any unused portion of a tour due to illness or emergency while on the tour.

A waiver is required to be completed when you register.

Residents...Know of a tennis person who would be interest in the trip? Please share the information! If we have not reached 30 residents and friends of residents by January 15th, we will advertise to non-residents to increase the chance of reaching 30 by March 1st.



FITNESS CENTER Open Houses:

Wednesday November 4th from 6:00-8:00pm Saturday November 7th from 10 am- noon Healthy refreshments, giveaways, games, raffles and more!

WELLNESS CLASSES

Call 513-563-2247 to register; space is limited to the first 20 people. FREE

Tues. Nov. 10th 7pm Hidden Sugars Good Health doesn't have to be difficult- Are you ready to start your before and now journey? Learn about whole food eating, hidden sugars in our daily diet and other steps to improve your overall health and lead to big lifestyle improvements. Presented by: Kassi Eckert

Thurs. Dec. 3rd 7pm **Eat This, Not That**... Do you realize that making a simple, healthier choice can and will make a big difference in your daily fat, carbohydrate and overall caloric intake? Little changes made often, add up in the long run!! Learn healthy alternatives to current foods, drinks and condiments you currently consume. Presented by: Amy Ash

FITNESS CLASSES

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Classes With Independent Providers through the Recreation Dept.: (details online at www.EvendaleOhio.org)

CARDIO & STRENGTH With Lisa

Nov. 11 - Dec. 30 Mon. Wed 9:30-11am \$135 for residents \$137 for non-res. Walk-In \$9/class

EVENING YOGA With Roger

Oct. 5- Nov. 9 (session follows) next session Nov. 9 - Dec 21 Mondays 6:30-8:00pm Res. \$42.00 Non-Res. \$54.00

Walk-in \$10

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MAJOR BOOTCAMP Monthly sessions

With Douglas Tues., Thurs. 5:05-6:05am, Saturdays 8:05-9:05am

Resident:

4 classes = \$32 6 classes = \$48 8 classes = \$64

Non-Res.:

4 classes = \$40 6 classes = \$60 8 classes = \$80

TAE KWON DO Monthly

With Mike Tues., Thurs 6:15-7:30pm

1 person \$25

2 or more in the family \$20 ea.

If you haven't given this class a try...now's the time!

1st class is FREE!

TAI CHI Nov. 12 - Dec.17 With Ralph THURSDAYS, 11-12 pm Beginner—Interm. Class Beginners Welcome Max 25. Cost \$80 resident/\$90 non-resident. No drop-ins as each class builds on the previous one.

Lifestyle Essentials Group Fitness Classes

With use of your Fit-Flex Pass (class details online) Fall Session Sept 8 - Dec. 19, 2015

Mondays

Spin 7:00-7:45am Alice Yoga 9:30-10:15am Monica Pilates 8:05-8:55pm Sindy

Tuesday

Simply Fit 9:15-10:15am Jane Fitness Fusion 9:30-10:30am Stephanie B.

Strictly Muscle 5:30-6:15pm Amy **TBA** Spin-Core 6:30-7:30pm

Wednesday

Spin 8:00-8:45am Alice Kickboxing 6:30-7:30pm Ericka

Thursday

Barre 9:30-10:30am Bethany

Strictly Muscle 5:30-6:30pm Amy

Friday

Spin 7:00-7:45am Alice

Fitness Fusion 9:30-10:30am Stephanie

Saturday

Spin 8:30-9:15am Amv Strictly Muscle 9:30-10:30am Amy

Resident FITFLEX FEES: NON-Resident FEES:

5 Classes= \$33 5 Classes= \$37 10 Classes= \$65 10 Classes= \$72 15 Classes= \$95 15 Classes= \$105 20 Classes= \$119 20 Classes= \$135

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

If a class has fewer than five participants for three weeks, the class will be cancelled. LE classes only

Municipal Office Numbers

| Village Hall | 563-2244 |
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| Building Department | 956-2665 |
| Cultural Arts Center | 563-1350 |
| Fire Department | 563-2248 |
| Police Department | 563-2249 |
| Pool | 563-2246 |
| Recreation Department | 563-2247 |
| Recreation Weather Hotline | 956-2667 |
| Service Department | 563-4338 |
| Tax Department | 563-2671 |
| Village Clerk | 563-2244 |
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VISIT OUR WEBSITE: www.EvendaleOhio.org

Others

563-9996

733-4688

Chamber of Commerce

Historical Commission

VILLAGE OF EVENDALE TOWN MEETING

Please join the Mayor, Council and your neighbors at the 2015 Town Meeting.

| Date | Sunday, November 8th | |
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Time 5:00 PM

Place Evendale Recreation Center

RSVP 563-2247

The Mayor and the members of Council will provide financial and operational reports on current and future projects in the Village. There will be a short question and answer period after their presentations.

A meal, catered by Raffels, will be provided after the business meeting.

An "Evendale Through the Years" slide show will be shown.