

# Voice of the VILLAGE

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FALL 1999

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## 1999 VILLAGE ROSTER

|                        |                   |          |                |          |
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|                        | Patsy Mills       | Ward 2   | Kenwood Drive  | 449-4922 |

\*Residents who wish to rent the Mayfield Village Community Room, Gazebo, or pavilion at Wiley Park should call Village Hall for additional information.

## RUBBISH REMINDER

BFI reports the only scheduled holidays in 1999 that will affect your rubbish collection are: Memorial Day and Labor Day. Rubbish will be picked up on the Tuesday following these holidays. If your rubbish is picked up on Tuesdays, your collection day will be on Wednesday. Remember that BFI will take large items (including appliances and furniture) at no charge. They must be put at the curb on your regular pick up day. If you have any questions about whether BFI will accept a particular item, please call Village Hall.

## UPDATED SEWER BROCHURES AVAILABLE

We have overhauled the 1995 Sewer Brochure, updating general information as well as that which is specific to the Worton Park and North County Truck sewer projects. Among new items are case samples of the actual costs involved in the transition from septic tanks to sewer lines, which we hope will assist current, pending and future users. Our aim is to provide you with a comprehensive resource guide. If you would like a copy of the brochure, please contact Village Hall, or stop in to pick one up.

## VOICE OF THE VILLAGE

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# Memo from the Mayor

by Mayor Bruce G. Rinker

As we bask in the still warm glow of this summer of a wonderful community accomplishment—the construction of Parkview Pool—we can look with pride upon the many resources we are utilizing to our advantage. If nothing else, we should begin to see how our common purpose can achieve still more.

I think it appropriate therefore, to reprint in this issue a portion of a publication from the “Center for Livable Communities.” It articulates certain forward-looking municipal planning principles which I believe offer an excellent framework for our future. These goals are thoughtful and very achievable. I hope they challenge us individually and collectively to craft a new map that will embody the best qualities of Mayfield Village.

Understanding that we are working on a different scale than a “city,” my goal is to implement these goals; many of which we have already applied. I wish to continue taking dreams and turning them into reality:

## THE AHWAHNEE PRINCIPLES

Many of our social, economical and environmental problems can be traced to land use practices adopted since World War II. In the late 1940’s we began to adopt a notion that life would be better and we would all have more freedom if we planned and built our communities around the automobile. Gradually, rather than increasing our freedom, auto-oriented land use planning has reduced our options. Now, it takes much more time than it used to carry out our daily activities. We must go everywhere by car—there is no other option. We must take a car to the store for a gallon of milk, drive the children to Little League practice, even spend part of the lunch hour driving to a place to eat. And as roads become increasingly clogged and services further from our home, we spend our time as anonymous individuals waiting for the traffic light to change rather than chatting with friends at the corner store or playing ball on the lawn with the neighborhood kids.

Rather than designing towns so that we could walk to work or to the store, we have separated uses into homogeneous, single-use enclaves, spreading out these uses on ever-increasing acres of land. Housing of similar types for similar income levels were grouped together. Retail stores were clustered into huge structures called malls, surrounded by endless acres of parking slots. Businesses imitated the mall—creating “business parks”, usually without a park in sight, and with people working in clusters of similar buildings and parking spaces. At the same time, public squares, the corner store, main street, and all the places where people could meet and a sense of community could happen were replaced by the abyss of asphalt.

Even people are segregated by age and income level. And those who cannot drive or who cannot afford a car face an enormous disadvantage. In the words of Pasadena’s Mayor Rick Cole, “there’s a loss of place, a loss of hope, and it’s killing our souls.”

The effects of single-use, sprawling development patterns are becoming increasingly clear. And, with that has evolved a realization that there is a better way. Towns of the type built earlier in this century—those compact, walkable communities where you could walk to the store and kids could walk to school, where there was a variety of housing types from

housing over stores to single-family units with front porches facing tree-lined, narrow streets—these towns provided a life style that now seems far preferable to today’s neighborhoods. Thus we have seen an increasing interest in a number of concepts that would bring us back to a more traditional style of development and a style of planning that would be more in tune with nature including “neotraditional planning,” “sustainable development,” “transit-oriented design,” the “new urbanism,” and the concept of “livable” communities.

In 1991, at the instigation of Local Government Commission staff-member Peter Katz, author of the New Urbanism, the commission brought together a group of architects who have been leaders in developing new notions of land use planning: Andres Duany and Elizabeth Plater-Zyberk, Stefanos Polyzoides and Elizabeth Moule, Peter Calthorpe, and Michael Corbett. These innovators were asked to come to agreement about what it is that the new planning ideas—from neotraditional planning to sustainable design—have in common and from there, to develop a set of community principles. They were then asked how each community should relate to the region, and to develop a set of regional principles. Finally, they were charged with defining how these ideas might be implemented by cities and counties. The architects’ ideas were drafted by attorney Steve Weissman into a form which would be useful to local elected officials and provide a vision for an alternative to urban sprawl. A preamble, topics of specific ideas, community principles, regional principles and implementation of the principles was presented in the fall of 1991 to about 100 local elected officials at a conference at the **Ahwahnee Hotel in Yosemite**. There they received both a highly enthusiastic response and their title—the Ahwahnee Principles.



### Preamble:

“Existing patterns of urban and suburban development seriously impair our quality of life. The symptoms are: more congestion and air pollution resulting from our increased dependence on automobiles, the loss of precious open space, the need for costly improvements to roads and public services, the inequitable distribution of economic resources, and the loss of a sense of community. By drawing upon the best from the past and the present, we can plan communities that will more successfully serve the needs of those who live and work within them. Such planning should adhere to certain fundamental principles.

### Community Principles:

1. All planning should be in the form of complete and integrated communities containing housing, shops, work places, schools, parks and civic facilities essential to the daily life of the residents.
2. Community size should be designed so that housing, jobs, daily needs and other activities are within easy walking distance of each other.
3. As many activities as possible should be located within easy walking distance of transit stops.
4. A community should contain a diversity of housing types to enable citizens from a wide range of economic levels and age groups to live within its boundaries.
5. Businesses within the community should provide a range of job types for the community’s residents.



## Council comments

### Carmen Ilacqua, At Large

Having just recently been sworn in at the June Council meeting as Mark Fixler's replacement as Council Member at Large, I would like to publicly thank Council for unanimously appointing me to this post. I will put forth my best effort towards fulfilling the obligations of being a member of Council and always maintain the mindset that the interests of our Village's residents must *always* come first. I am very excited to be a member of Council and consider it a civic duty and responsibility of the highest order. As well, I will be running for the position in this fall's coming elections and am already underway in getting my petitions filed.

I was quickly indoctrinated as to how much can be accomplished between Council, the Mayor and others in our Village on July third. Parkview Pool's grand opening was the realization of many a citizen's dream in our community. As well, it was a shining and tangible example of vision, patience and persistence. All involved deserve the praise that has been heaped upon them. Much has been accomplished, yet we as a Village face many opportunities and challenges in the near future. I look forward to being a part of the group that will study and consider these issues at length.

My wife Nancy and I, along with our two children, Michael and Dana, have been residents of Mayfield Village since the fall of 1995. Nancy is a graduate of Mayfield High and I am a graduate of University School. We both attended Saint Clare School in Lyndhurst and were born and raised in Mayfield Heights and Lyndhurst respectively. Currently, we are Parishioners at Saint Paschal Baylon Church where our son will be enrolled this fall. As you see, we have deep roots in this area and plan on being members of this Village for many years to come. I look forward to serving the residents of this fine Village and welcome your input. I can be reached at my office located at home. The address is 6748 Wildwood Trail and the phone number is 646-2526. Please feel free to contact me anytime. I can also be spotted walking

our family pet, Bruno, a friendly yellow lab, every morning between 8:00-8:30 a.m. down Wildwood Trail or around Bramblewood.

### Patsy Mills Ward 2

The good old days of summertime will soon give way to the autumn colored leaves.

The swimming pool is now a reality. Hope all of the residents have taken the time to visit and enjoy this facility, the best in the area. Many thanks to everyone that made this project open on time.

Council has been meeting with URS Greiner in relation to the improvement of S.O.M. Center Road. This project will take considerable study. This roadway has been outdated for many years and its improvement is long overdue. The inconvenience of this project is of concern to all but the completed road project will be a benefit to all in the Village.

A request for a sidewalk on the north side of Wilson Mills Road from S.O.M. Center Road to Oakwood Drive has been made by the residents. A petition will be circulated for everyone's ideas.

### Dr. Stephan Parker Ward 3

Mayfield Village is bustling with summertime activity. Our wonderful community seems to come alive when the warm sunny weather arrives in Northern Ohio.

Summer Activities: This year's line-up of summer activities has been tremendous. Many of our residents have enjoyed a very successful 50s Night, a spectacular 4th of July celebration, swimming at the Parkview Pool, our new Recreational and Parks Programs, Mayville Summer Day Camp, and (of course) our perennial favorite- the Gazebo Concerts. Mayfield Village continues to be THE place to live, and we should be proud of what our community has to offer.

Wilson Mills Path: The newly paved walkway from Hanover to SOM

Center is still not complete. I have spoken with the Village engineer and requested that he speak with the contractors to see that the landscaping is completed. Hopefully this will be done soon. Many residents have taken advantage of the opportunity to walk to and from the center of our Village. The Village is looking into other areas that would benefit from walkways to connect our neighborhoods.

Northwest Quadrant: Progressive has begun construction of its third major building. Construction on the new Village pool is almost complete. Our staff worked very hard to make our July 3rd opening day deadline. It is truly a first class facility that all residents can enjoy and be proud of. The positive comments have been overwhelming. We will be complementing this facility with many park amenities (such as baseball fields, walking/biking trails, tennis courts, soccer fields). Work on soccer fields has already begun. Watch for the development of our Wetlands Park. If you would like to participate in this planning, please call Donna at Village Hall.

SOM Widening: Council continues to review various options for the inevitable widening of SOM Center Road between Wilson Mills and White Roads. We recently took a tour of the roadway between Wilson Mills and White Road to better understand the topography and potential impact of various roadway design options. Of utmost importance is maintaining the long-standing residential character of our Village. This will certainly have the most significant impact on those residents living on SOM and collateral streets. Council will certainly use its due diligence to determine the best plan possible and welcomes your input. Watch for some town meetings this fall.

Looking Back: It has been nearly four years since I asked for your support in running for Council. I feel that I have been an asset to this community and Ward 3. My presence and contributions on Council have been vital and important during these times of growth and change. I have worked hard to help ensure that our community will continue to be the best place to live in, raise our families, and grow into our golden years. I have tried to be respon-



sive to everyone who has brought questions or concerns before me. As we enter a new millennium, there are still many important decisions to be made that will have long-term effects on our Village. The knowledge, experience, and history I have developed over the past four years as Ward 3 councilman, and on the many committees I have been a member of, will certainly be an important asset to the decisions we will face. I am asking for your support again this November to complete what we have begun. Thank you.

Wishing all the residents of Mayfield Village a safe and fun summer and fall. Please remember to drive slowly through the neighborhoods, as children are playing outside. Parents, please encourage your children to ride their bikes safely and wear a helmet.

## Building department

by Bernie Samac,  
Building Commissioner



Property maintenance is an investment that pays for many years to come. Summer means more than barbecues and vacations. It is a time for you to examine the exterior of your property looking for any damage caused by the weather, or just normal maintenance that becomes easy to miss because of daily observations. A simple method is to take a walk around your property with a pen and pad in hand. Pay attention to sheds, trellises, fences, and tree limbs that could have been damaged or taken a beating from high winds.

While looking at the house, inspect the siding, roofs, gutters, areas around windows and the chimney for any signs of deterioration. Exposed surfaces will allow water damage to occur in an amazingly short period of time.

Simple measures such as these will result in inexpensive ways of protecting your property and will ensure a strong return on your investment.

## Fire department

by David Mohr,  
Fire Chief



### DISASTERS HAPPEN ANYTIME AND ANYWHERE

A disaster is something most people do not think about. The following is taken from the Federal Emergency Management Agency pamphlet on Home Disaster Planning. In Mayfield Village we are fortunate that we live in an area that is not susceptible to hurricanes and earthquakes. However, we are faced with severe thunderstorms or blizzard conditions. You may remember in 1994 areas of the Village were without electrical power for 4 days. There is always the potential of an evacuation due to an accident along Interstate 271. Your family would cope best by preparing for disaster before it strikes.

Disasters happen anytime and anywhere. And when disaster strikes, you may not have much time to respond. A highway spill or hazardous material could mean evacuation. A winter storm could confine your family at home. An earthquake, flood, tornado, or any other disaster could cut water, electricity, and telephones-for days.

After a disaster, local officials and relief workers will be on the scene, but they cannot reach everyone immediately. You could get help in hours, or it may take days. Would your family be prepared to cope with the emergency until help arrives?

Your family will cope best by preparing for disaster before it strikes. One way to prepare is by assembling a Disaster Supplies Kit. Once disaster hits, you won't have time to shop or search for supplies. But if you've gathered supplies in advance, your family can endure an evacuation or home confinement. Prepare Your Kit

• Review the checklist below.

- Gather the supplies that are listed. You may need them if your family is confined at home.
- Place the supplies you'd most likely need for an evacuation in an easy-to-carry container. These supplies are listed with an asterisk (\*).
- There are six basics you should stock for your home: water, food, first aid supplies, clothing and bedding, tools and emergency supplies, and special items. Keep the items that you would most likely need during an evacuation in an easy-to-carry container—suggested items are marked with an asterisk(\*).

### Possible Containers Include-

- A large, covered trash container,
- A camping backpack,
- A duffel bag.

### Water

- Store water in plastic containers such as soft drink bottles. Avoid using containers that will decompose or break, such as milk cartons or glass bottles. A normally active person needs to drink at least two quarts of water each day. Hot environments and intense physical activity can double that amount. Children, nursing mothers, and ill people will need more.
- Store one gallon of water per person per day.
- Keep at least a three-day supply of water per day (two quarts for drinking, two quarts for each person in your household for food preparation/sanitation).\*

### Food

- Store at least a three-day supply of non-perishable food. Select foods that require no refrigeration, preparation or cooking, and little or no water. If you must heat food, pack a can of sterno. Select food items that are compact and lightweight.
- \*Include a selection of the following foods in your Disaster Supplies Kit:
- Ready-to-eat canned meats, fruits, and vegetables

First Aid Kit Assemble a first aid kit for your home and one for each car. A first aid kit\* should include:

- Sterile adhesive bandages in assorted sizes
- Assorted sizes of safety pins
- Cleansing agent/soap
- Latex gloves (2 pairs)

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- Sunscreen
- 2-inch sterile gauze pads (4-6)
- 4-inch sterile gauze pads (4-6)
- Triangular bandages (3)
- Non-prescription drugs
- 2-inch sterile roller bandages (3 rolls)
- 3-inch sterile roller bandages (3 rolls)
- Scissors
- Tweezers
- Needle
- Moistened towelettes
- Antiseptic
- Thermometer
- Tongue blades (2)
- Tube of petroleum jelly or other lubricant

### Non-Prescription Drugs

- Aspirin or nonaspirin pain reliever
- Anti-diarrhea medication
- Antacid (for stomach upset)
- Syrup of Ipecac (use to induce vomiting if advised by the Poison Control Center)
- Laxative
- Activated charcoal (use if advised by the Poison Control Center)

### Tools and Supplies

- Mess kits, or paper cups, plates, and plastic utensils\*
- Emergency preparedness manual\*
- Battery-operated radio and extra batteries\*
- Flashlight and extra batteries\*
- Cash or traveler's checks, change\*
- Non-electric can opener, utility knife\*
- Fire extinguisher: small canister ABC type
- Tube tent
- Pliers
- Tape
- Compass
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Aluminum foil
- Plastic storage containers
- Signal flare
- Paper, pencil
- Needles, thread
- Medicine dropper
- Shut-off wrench, to turn off household gas and water
- Whistle
- Plastic sheeting
- Map of the area (for locating shelters)

### Sanitation

- Toilet paper, towelettes\*
- Soap, liquid detergent\*
- Feminine supplies\*
- Personal hygiene items\*
- Plastic garbage bags, ties (for personal sanitation uses)

- Plastic bucket with tight lid
- Disinfectant
- Household chlorine bleach

### Clothing and Bedding

- \*Include at least one complete change of clothing and footwear per person.
- Sturdy shoes or work boots\*
- Rain gear\*
- Blankets or sleeping bags\*
- Hat and gloves
- Thermal underwear
- Sunglasses

### Special Items

- Remember family members with special requirements, such as infants and elderly or disabled persons

### For Baby\*

- Formula
- Diapers
- Bottles
- Powdered milk
- Medications

### For Adults\*

- Heart and high blood pressure medication
- Insulin
- Prescription drugs
- Denture needs
- Contact lenses and supplies
- Extra eye glasses

### Entertainment

- Games and books

### Important Family Documents

- Keep these records in a waterproof, portable container:
- Will, insurance policies, contracts deeds, stocks and bonds
- Passports, social security cards, immunization records
- Bank account numbers
- Credit card account numbers and companies
- Inventory of valuable household goods, important telephone numbers
- Family records (birth, marriage, death certificates)
- Store your kit in a convenient place known to all family members. Keep a smaller version of the Disaster Supplies Kit in the trunk of your car.
- Keep items in airtight plastic bags. Change your stored water supply every six months so it stays fresh. Replace your stored food every six months. Re-think your kit and family needs at least once a year. Replace batteries, update clothes, etc.
- Ask your physician or pharmacist about storing prescription medications.

### C.P.R. Class

The Mayfield Fire Department will conduct a CPR "Heartsaver" course following the American Heart Association guidelines for adult and pediatric basic life support Saturday, November 6, 1999 from 8:30 - 12:30.

Location: the Mayfield Village Fire Station 770 S.O.M. Center Road

Contact: Lieutenant Mike Girbino (440) 461-1208 extension 154

Seating limited - the deadline will be October 8, 1999.

### Police department



by Police Chief Donald Stevens

### BACK TO SCHOOL SAFELY

It's hard to believe summer is almost over and school is starting! We thought this would be a good time to remind everyone of safety measures to take to ensure the children get to and from school safely.

If kids walk or ride their bikes to school, make sure they go with friends.

Stress to them the importance of taking the direct route as opposed to cutting through backyards, side streets, etc.

On cloudy or rainy days, try to have them wear bright colors or a reflective strip on their jacket so they can easily be seen.

If they ride the bus, remind them to wait patiently on the sidewalk and not run out into the street.

Prohibit rowdiness on the bus!

Establish a backup plan if you cannot pick your child up after school or be home when they get there. Contact a good friend or family member and of course instruct them to NEVER accept a



ride from strangers.

Younger children going to school for the first time should be able to recite their address and phone number to a trusted adult.

By keeping these basic rules in place, it should help make for a safe school year.

## PREVENT DROWSY DRIVING

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration estimates that each year 100,00 automobile crashes are caused by drowsy drivers. If you are driving while tired, your reaction time slows, your awareness decreases, and your judgement is impaired. It is very similar to driving while under the influence of alcohol. When you are driving and you fall asleep even for a few seconds, you have the potential to kill yourself or someone else.

Here are some warning signs to signal you that it's time to pull off the road.

You can't keep your eyes open or in focus

You keep yawning

Your thoughts wander

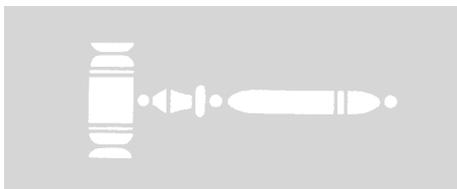
You can't hold your head up

To fight fatigue, keep your mind active; talk to your passenger if you have one, sing along with the radio, schedule breaks, get out of the car and walk around.



The Ohio State Highway Patrol offers a program entitled "The Coffee Break Program" on the Ohio Turnpike. If a vehicle is spotted weaving, and it is determined that the cause is drowsiness, the driver is given a warning ticket with a coupon to redeem at one of the turnpike's plaza centers for a free cup of coffee.

STRIVE TO ARRIVE ALIVE!



## Law Director

by Joseph W. Diemert, Jr.

As you are probably aware, the Village of Mayfield has opened the Parkview Pool for use by its residents and others for the warm summer months that we have been experiencing. Some residents have their own swimming pools, and are aware of certain building and use codes which are necessary to be followed not only by municipalities, but by citizens who use the pools, or have their own. The following is intended to give you some idea of what goes behind construction and safety of building and operating a municipal swimming pool, as well as a private one.

Chapter 1341 of the Codified Ordinances deals with swimming pools within the Village of Mayfield. Some of these sections apply to home pools as well as to municipal or commercial pools. Every homeowner who has their own swimming pool should be aware of this chapter. A home pool is defined as one which is intended solely for the persons of the premises of the homeowner. None of the provisions of the Codified Ordinance apply to a portable pool of plastic or rubber construction.

All swimming pools, whether municipal or personal, are required to have a fence which meets the requirements of Section 1341.12. Obviously, this is for the protection and safety of young children and pets who may be attracted to the pool when an adult is not present. Most homeowners are not aware that their pool must also be cleaned by an approved method of the Health Department of Cuyahoga County or the State of Ohio at least once every seven days, unless there is maintained an approved recirculating filtering device.

All residents should be aware that the Parkview Pool has been constructed with the most modern technical expertise available in order to assure its safety and healthful use. Detailed

construction drawings and plans had been approved by numerous departments of the Village, and every department head who would have any input to its construction. The pool is not only cleaned according to law but it has a sterilization process for dosing gaseous chlorine so that the water in the pool at all times will be safe for human use. There are available for inspection at all times operational and analytical records to determine the sanitary condition of the pool and there are posted at conspicuous places plaques stating such maintenance and control.

The Board of Health has records available as to the number of gallons in the swimming pool, and the number of bathers using the pool in order to establish correct cleaning and disinfecting of the pool at all times. This is the reason why every person is required to clean themselves thoroughly with soap and water immediately before entering any swimming pool and to use the shower baths provided in such a way that no soap or dirt shall be carried into the pool.

Our laws also require lifeguards to be present at all times while the public is using the pool and requiring that they are skilled in swimming and diving and administering First Aid to persons overcome in water.

Needless to say, your officials have done everything possible to assure a safe environment for you and your family while using Parkview Pool. Enjoy and stay cool.

## Service department

By Douglas Metzger,  
Service Director

Leaf season is scheduled to begin mid-October with the leaves being the deciding factor as to when we begin. We ask that residents rake their leaves as close to the street as possible in long narrow piles. Please do not mix sticks or grass with the leaves as they can not be picked up. Grass and limbs should be handled with your regular rubbish collection. Leaf collection will continue until December 10 weather



permitting. There is no spring leaf collection, so please do your best to bring the leaves out as early as possible this fall.

The Service Department in cooperation with the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District will conduct a fall round-up of old paint, pesticides and tires.

Collection of old tires will be September 11-18. Please bring your old tires to the Service Department, 610 S.O.M. Center Road, Sept. 13-17 (weekdays) from 7:00 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sept. 11 & 18 (Saturdays) from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Collection of old paint & pesticides will be October 30 - November 6. Please bring your paint and pesticides to the Service Department, 610 S.O.M. Center Road, November 1-5 (weekdays) from 7:00 a.m. - 4 p.m. and October 30 and November 6 (Saturdays) from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## Recreation Corner

by Bill Thomas,  
Director of Parks and Recreation

It's amazing how fast the Summer has gone by. Parkview Pool certainly made it an enjoyable and fun Summer for our Mayfield Village residents young and old.

Through August 7, Parkview Pool had over 13,110 pool users come through the front door in an abbreviated summer beginning with the Grand Opening on Saturday, July 3. Over 1175 pool passes from Mayfield Village residents were purchased. Over 135 participated in the first season of Learn-to-Swim and Aquatic Class offerings in an abbreviated season that began July 12.

The feedback from Village residents and others that used Parkview was outstanding. Thanks to everyone who made Parkview Pool a reality. Please let me know your suggestions for the 2000 pool season by filling out an evaluation form at the pool or just dropping a note to me. The pool staff looks forward to serving you for a full season in 2000.

Evaluation forms on our Summer camps and youth softball program will be mailed to 1999 participants. Please take the time to fill out and return so we can improve for Summer 2000.

By the time you receive your VOV, you should have received the Fall Parks & Recreation Brochure. There are many new special event youth and adult offerings in the brochure. Please take the time to read, then be sure to sign up!

Our annual Debbie Hudacko Memorial Scholarship Run and Walk had close to 200 runners and 40 walkers. A new 5 mile race route passed Parkview Pool and wandered through the North Chagrin Metroparks and back out to S.O.M. Center Road for a very scenic and enjoyable route for all.

Thanks to all our Village residents who donated time or helped with refreshments at the conclusion of the race. Thanks also to our major sponsors of Progressive, Willoughby Supply, Harris Family Chiropractic, Yours Truly, Pizzazz, Heinen's and Miceli's.

The top five male and female runners were:

|                      |       |
|----------------------|-------|
| 1. Nate Norris       | 25.37 |
| 2. Phil Kockik       | 26.20 |
| 3. David Sturgeon    | 26.45 |
| 4. Jay Harpp         | 27.49 |
| 5. David Blankenship | 27.51 |

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|-----------------------|-------|
| 1. Joan Ellis         | 31.12 |
| 2. Eileen Wisler      | 31.39 |
| 3. Nancy Tichy        | 33.05 |
| 4. Julie Cole-Everett | 33.17 |
| 5. Tish Rozewski      | 33.32 |

Proceeds from the Debbie Hudacko Memorial Run provide scholarships to local seniors. Congratulations to the following seniors who received scholarships this year:

Kevin Vincent  
Rachel Vesey  
Andy Stella  
Mat Mlinac  
Mariko Kobayashi  
Allison Catullo  
Tom Longville



(1)



(3)



(2)

(1) Minutes before start of race the runners and spectators/officials mingle under banner which served as start/finish line.

(2) Walkers in Two Mile Walk part of Race on course in Aintree Park Development in Mayfield Village.

(3) Start of 5 Mile Race—Runners heading north on S.O.M. from Mayfield Village Fire Department to North Chagrin Reservation and past new swimming pool.



## Softball Season

by Elliot Ross,  
Coordinator

The Youth Softball Program will end another successful season. As of this writing, the winning teams are Migelito's - Girls 10-14 and Euclid and Mentor Family Practice - Boys 10-14. We would like to thank Dr. Steve Parker for donating mouth guards to the participants in three of our leagues. On July 28, 1999, Mayor Rinker presented Butch Woodie and his wife, Jean, a proclamation for his dedication to the Mayfield Village Recreation Softball Program. His sponsorship, coaching, and support for more than 10 years was most appreciated.



The Summer Adult League will end in September. We are trying to start softball leagues for Men's, Coed, and Women's in the Fall during the week. The first meeting for all Fall adult softball leagues will be held on September 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the Community Room. The Men's Over 35 Fall Softball League will continue to be held Sunday mornings.

The Debbie Hudacko Memorial Race attracted more runners and walkers than ever. The new exciting route was praised by all. The money raised provides scholarships at Mayfield High School and St. Francis of Assisi. Winners were Kevin Vincent, Rachel Vesey, Andy Stella, Matt Mlinac, Marinko Kobayashi, Allison Catullo and Tom Longville at St. Francis.

Mayfield Village has, without a doubt, the best pool in the area as well as an outstanding day camp. We should be proud of these two activities for they reflect the dedication and foresight of our community leaders.

## Commission on Aging/ Human Services

by Eunice Kalina,  
Human Services Director

Mayfield Village will once again join forces with the Cuyahoga County Board of Health to bring the annual Flu Shot immunization program to our residents who are at least 60 years of age and/or those with chronic health problems such as diabetes or heart disease. The inoculations will be administered in the Community Room Monday, October 18 from 9 to 11 a.m.

Pre-registration sessions for the flu shots will be in the Training Room of the Mayfield Village Fire Department Wednesday, September 22 from 9 to 11 a.m. and Friday, September 24 from 1 to 3 p.m. Parking is available in the rear of the building only, away from the doors used by emergency vehicles. Medicare Part B recipients and Qual Choice subscribers need to bring Medicare Cards or Qual Choice membership cards at the time of registration. The fee for all other individuals is ten dollars.

## FALL FOLIAGE TOUR

Our annual Fall Foliage Tour this year takes us to Dresden, Ohio where we will tour the Longaberger Basket Company, have lunch, shop, and then drive through The Wilds in Cambridge, Ohio. The Wilds is a large, unusual nature preserve set aside for the protection and preservation of endangered animals. Our trip will occur at

the height of the leaves' colors, Thursday, October 14. Our departure will be from Wiley Park at 7:30 a.m. where we will return at 6:30 p.m. The cost for this excursion is \$41. Non-residents' reservations will be processed after September 17.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS TOUR

Start the holiday season off by joining the Senior Gentry trip Wednesday, December 1 to Oglebay State Park in West Virginia for their unusual and spectacular Christmas lights' display. We will also view the lights of Wheeling, West Virginia and visit Creegan's unique animations in Steubenville. A luncheon buffet in the White Palace is included in the \$40 charge. We will leave from Wiley Park at 9 a.m. and return at 10 p.m. Non-residents' reservations will be processed after October 13. There will be one morning and one evening Dutch Treat snack/rest stop.

## HOLIDAY PARTY

Following closely on the heels of our Christmas Lights' Tour will be our annual Holiday Party to which all Mayfield Village residents who are at least 60 years young are invited. This festive event is Saturday, December 11 from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Community Room. Luncheon will be served, and there will be entertainment and door prizes. There is no charge for this event, but a reservation by December 3 is required.



Senior Gentry  
June Picnic



# GRAND O



by *Bill Thomas and Donna Roman*

Parkview Pool Open House and Preview party kicked off a weekend of many festivities for the Fourth of July weekend.

The Open House was an opportunity for individuals and families who serve on the many Mayfield Village Boards and Commissions, Mayors and Councils from Mayfield Village, Mayfield Heights, Highland Heights and Gates Mills, the School Board and Superintendent of Mayfield City Schools, Administrative Staff from Progressive and the many individuals who were responsible for its completion, to have a firsthand look at this outstanding facility.

Over 400 attended with 90° temperatures. Everyone was tempted to jump in but no one had bathing suits. Only the children were brave enough to wade with clothes on in the 0-42" depth play active area.

Everyone who attended was truly impressed and had a great time socializing with friends. Pictured below were just a few of the many individuals who attended the Parkview Pool Preview Party.



*(Left to Right) Back Row: Council President Bill Marquardt, Recreation Board Chairman Ralph Vitale, Mayor Bruce Rinker, Recreation Steering Committee member Mike Dodson, and Director of Real Estate for Progressive Insurance Dan Trudgen. Front Row: Director of Parks & Recreation Bill Thomas, Councilman Bill Buckholtz, CEO - Investments for Progressive Insurance Chuck Chokel, Councilwoman Joanne Cinco, Architect Bernie Zofcin, Finance Director Phil Brett and Recreation Coordinator Elliot Ross.*



It was a perfect day for the grand opening of Mayfield Village's premier outdoor pool and the traditional Fourth of July celebration—the sun was shining and the temperature was hot, hot, hot!

Things started heating up at 12:00 noon at Parkview Pool with the formal grand opening ceremonies. Mayor Rinker, members of Council, Parks & Recreation Director Bill Thomas, Village officials, Boy Scouts from Troop 705 and members of many Village committees and organizations were among the crowd assembled at the entrance of the pool for the dedication. Mayor Rinker recognized all who had a hand in making a dream a reality—from those who participated in the initial planning stage to those who worked hands-on to meet the challenging opening date of July 3rd and to Progressive Insurance for its significant contribution.

Everyone moved inside the pool for the ribbon-cutting which took place next to the giant corkscrew slide. Mayor Rinker, Councilmen Bill Buckholtz and Carmen Ilacqua and Finance Director Philip Brett were among the first to ride the slide into the pristine cool water below. Then, the pool was open to all! Children and adults wasted no time





# OPENING

# Play



getting into the water—some jumped or dove right in, many went down the slide while others went into the kiddie area and let one of the cascades of water cool them off!

The afternoon continued to sparkle as more and more people arrived at the pool. The sound of steel drums and beach music (by a local D.J.) welcomed people to the water. Those who came out of the pool were able to enjoy concessions, have their caricatures drawn by a talented artist, marvel at the performances of a magician, mime, clown and juggler—play in the sea of balls or pretend to ride the surf. It was the consensus of many that this pool is as great as they have seen at amusement parks and resorts. We are proud of our new facility and hope you had a chance to visit this season.



*see additional photos on page 17*



## MENORAH PARK HOMESHARING PROGRAM

Menorah Park Center for the Aging in Beachwood has introduced Homesharing to the area. This is a program which brings together two or more adults at least one of whom is 60 or more years of age. These individuals share a home in exchange for a modest rent payment and/or light housekeeping or other household responsibilities such as shopping or cooking or a combination of both.

Menorah Park Homesharing professionals serve as the screening and matching service for the individuals involved and help the participants to work out the details of the customized daily living arrangements.

For more information on this program, call Heather Moseman, Director of Menorah Park Homesharing at (216) 831-6500, extension 161. If there is sufficient interest in this program we can arrange for an informational session in our Community Room. If you would participate in such a session, complete the following form and return it to the Village Suggestion Box by September 15.

## CARDS



Our Card Group meets each Tuesday in the Community Room from 1 to 4 p.m. Games played include pinochle, bridge, hand and foot, and UNO. Admission is 25 cents. Blood pressures are checked by members of our Fire Department on the third Tuesday of each month at approximately 1:30 p.m. Please note that because of the election Tuesday, November 2, Cards will be played that week on Thursday, November 4.

## BOCCE



Our small but faithful Bocce Group meets each Thursday at Wiley Park. Currently we meet from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. When cooler temperatures prevail we will return to our 1 p.m. starting time. Beginners are welcome.

Bocce will not be played October 14 and 21 and November 4. Traditionally our last session of the year has been the Thursday before Thanksgiving.

Reservation Forms - Return to Village Suggestion Box. Checks should be made payable to Mayfield Village Commission on Aging.

## Mayfield Regional Library

### Art Shows and Displays

The Library will present the works of Karen Hopwood throughout September. For further information concerning opening and reception, call the Library at 440-473-0350.

The Cleveland Embroider's Guild will exhibit samples of their work and information on their organization through September.

National Tole Painting Month will be celebrated through the month of October with the work of Barbara Musi.

The MARC (Mayfield Area Recreation Council) will hold their annual exhibit during October. This is a juried show with prizes being awarded. Call the Library for reception times and further details.

The Hilltop Quilters will present an exhibit of their members' work in the gallery during the first three weeks of November. The public is invited.

### Film Series

The Library continues its 1999 Fall Film Series on Thursday, Sept. 9th at 6:45 p.m. with a spectacular Busby Berkely musical starring Dick Powell, including some of the most memorable precision dance numbers ever filmed. Monday, October 4th at 6:45 p.m. will be Humphrey Bogart and a nineteen year old Lauren Bacall, together for the first time, starring in this drama set in World War II France. Monday, Nov. 1st at 6:45 p.m. will be Danny Kaye and Basil Rathbone starring in a wonderful comedy about a servant who becomes the leader of a peasant rebellion. Free Popcorn! Free Admission! For all film series listed above.

## MENORAH PARK HOMESHARING

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
would be interested in learning more about Menorah Park Homesharing.

## FALL FOLIAGE TOUR

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
would like to participate in the trip to Dresden and The Wilds October 14. If space is available

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
would like to join us.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS TOUR

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
would like to participate in the trip to Oglebay etc. December 1. If space is available

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
would like to join us.

## HOLIDAY PARTY - Reservation Deadline 12/3/99

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Name(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
will attend the holiday party December 12.



### The Evening Book Discussion Group

The group will meet on Monday, September 13th from 7:30-8:30 p.m.. Mrs. Dalloway by Virginia Woolf will be discussed. On Monday, October 18th The Hours by Michael Cunningham will be discussed and on Monday, November 15th The Optimist's Daughter by Eudora Welty will be discussed. All are welcome!

### The Book Lovers' Book Discussion Group

The group will meet on Tuesday, September 28th at 2:00 p.m. Last Orders by Graham Swift will be discussed. Tuesday, October 26th at 2:00 p.m. Memoirs of a Geisha by Arthur Golden will be discussed and Tuesday, November 23rd at 2:00 p.m. Washington Square by Henry James will be discussed. All are welcome!

### Fall Library Learning

A five week Library Learning series will be held on Tuesday evenings this fall beginning on September 14th and continuing on September 21st, September 28th, October 5th, and October 12th. The classes will be held from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Library. The classes cover instruction in all facets of library use, including Mayfield's in-depth collection of fine arts material, both book and electronic resources, and the Internet. Classes will feature library staff members and will include hands-on practice and homework! Come prepared to learn how you can better use and enjoy today's library. Classes fill up quickly so register soon by stopping by the Library or calling 440-473-0350.

## Mayfield City School District Community Relations

By Laurie Uhler

### It's Back to School time

The new school year is right around the corner for Mayfield Schools' 4,100-plus students and our team of teachers and staff. Welcome back to each of you. It's going to be another great year in our district. Remember: The possibilities are endless!

### Drivers use caution.

School bus routes throughout the area begin on Thursday, August 26th, along with children walking to and from school. Drivers are asked to please use caution in and around school zones.

### Two administrators join the Mayfield team

Eva Jo Mihnovets and Debra Barrickman join the Mayfield City School District's administrative team this year.



Local President, John Panzero with Ariana at their collection tent.

### 1999 State of Ohio Jr. Goodwill Ambassador for MDA (Muscular Dystrophy)

By John Panzero, Firefighter

The 1999 State of Ohio Jr. Goodwill Ambassador for MDA was Ariana Petroff. She was Mayfield Village Fire Department's Local 2619 guest for Cruise Night. She was given a special cruise ride.



Ariana with her mother Awilda (Willy) in a cruise car.



The Mayfield Village Fire Department Muscular Dystrophy tent where they were "filling the boot" with collections for MD.



Ms. Mihnovets was appointed the Technical Director/Assistant Principal at Mayfield High School. She comes to Mayfield from the Maplewood Area Joint Vocational School in Ravenna where she served as the Vocational Supervisor. In 1996, she was selected as an OVELI Fellow, a program to develop administrative and leadership skills in vocational education. She lives in Hudson.

Ms. Barrickman will lead the district as the Coordinator of the Academic Enrichment Program. She comes to our district from the Cuyahoga County Gifted Education Program where she served as a Supervisor. She is the author of two books and various articles. She also has received several grants for the program and has led numerous workshops at the local, state and regional level. Ms. Barrickman lives in Ashtabula.

### Know someone special?

The Mayfield City School District will induct its 13th class of outstanding graduates into the Alumni Hall of Fame in 2000. Nominations are now being accepted. If you know of a well qualified and deserving MHS alumnus who graduated in the Class of 1990 or before, call (440) 605-9824 for a nomination form.

### Set your name in stone

Mayfield School's first-ever Buy-A-Brick program is underway, but it's still not too late to place your order. Personalized bricks will be placed at the north-end walkway of Mayfield High's new science wing. All money raised will be returned to the district for science and technology support. Brick sizes and costs are: a 4 x 8 inch individual brick with three lines for \$40; an 8 x 8 inch family brick with six lines for \$100; and an 8 x 8 inch corporate brick with six lines for \$250. To receive an order form, call (440) 605-9824.

### Millennium Party

The Mayfield School District and its communities want to know what you're doing Dec. 31, 2000.

Surveys have been circulating through the area to determine if local residents are interested in a Family Fun Millen-

nium Party to be held Dec. 31, 2000 at the MHS Fieldhouse and Pool. Festivities would include movies at the pool, dancing, children's games, music and entertainment, refreshments and casino games. We need your input. Please submit a survey form so a successful event can be planned. To receive a survey form, call (440) 605-9824.

## Mayfield Township Historical Society

by Jeff Eadie, President



September 8, 1999 at 6:30 p.m. begins our fall schedule with the Annual Ice Cream Social & Open House at the Bennett-VanCuren House. We will have our Quilt Raffle drawing, "Hearts in Bloom", too. Everyone is welcome. Tickets are available through members. As ever, we would appreciate cookie donations for the event. Please call Pat Negrelli at 440-423-4527 if you can donate goodies.

Our house has a squeaky clean, new coat of paint and looks much younger than its 153 years. New outside lamps will be installed and we gratefully appreciate these gifts and their donors.

Work is progressing on our Log Cabin and the One Room School House. We hope to have them ready soon. We are also planning a program in conjunction with the Ohio State Historical Society for the year 2003 Bicentennial celebration.

Our 1999 Fall schedule program is as follows:

### 1999 Fall Schedule

September 8 at 6:30 p.m. - Open House & Ice Cream Social & Quilt Raffle at the Pavilion behind the Historic House - \$3.00 per person.

October 13 at 8:00 p.m. - Stated meeting at the Mayfield Village Community Room - "A portrayal of President Franklin Pierce" by William Schermer (Featured in the Plain Dealer Sunday Magazine).

November 10 at 8:00 p.m. - Stated meeting at the Mayfield Village Community Room Speaker - Barbara Eady on "Tell it Again". - Election of Officers.

November 20 at 7:00 p.m. - At the Mayfield Village Community Room - annual Turkey Raffle - Tickets available through members.

December 8 at 6:30 p.m. - At the Mayfield Village Community Room - Holiday Pot Luck - Bring a Casserole-Salad-Veggies or Dessert-enough for 6 - Brief meeting - Installation of Officers.

*Get the Holidays off to a Happy Start!*

## Mayfield Village Garden Club

by Jeanne Wilson

What a summer we have had! I think we are all ready to say goodbye to those dry 90+ degree days. Our gardens have certainly suffered and the water bills are skyrocketing. The garden club has had a difficult time keeping the Historical House and Union Cemetery gardens watered, (thank you Nancy Rozell and Dot Buzek). But you all know that come January we will look back to these days with fond memories.

Our club continued with activities during the summer: Out-to-Lunches, garden maintenance, workshops and planning meetings. Our club is changing from a September - August to a January - December calendar. As a result I will not be able to give you a complete listing of our activities as we go to print.

The programs for Fall begin on September 22 with a speaker, Larry Giblock from the Cleveland Botanical Gardens. His talk will be on perennials and ornamental grasses.



Our October 27th meeting will be a workshop in preparation for the November craft show.

The November 17th program is "to be announced".

December 1st will be our Holiday Dinner, catered at the Mayfield Village Community Room.

All regular meetings are held the fourth Wednesday of the month, unless otherwise noted, in the Community Room at 7:30 p.m. Guests are always welcome.

Our most important event of the year takes place in November:

**The Annual Craft Show**

Where: The John D. Relic Service Center

When: Saturday, November 27.  
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Admission Donation: \$1.00

Craft space is still available at \$30.00 per table. Call Patsy Mills at 449-4922 for more information.

The Garden Club sponsors this annual event, proceeds going for scholarships to students in the Mayfield School District Horticulture Program.

The Garden Club will, of course, be selling beautiful evergreen arrangements and wreaths for the holidays. They are always very popular. We hope to see you all there to start your Christmas shopping.

If you would like any information about our club, please call our president, Elsa Simek at 440-473-1179. Until our next article, "Happy Gardening!"



**HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW**

**November 27, 1999**

9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Service Building

610 SOM Center Road

**Kenwood Home Owners' Association**

by Phil Cronmiller, President

The board members of Kenwood Home Owner's Association hope you and your family are enjoying the summer. This year as in the past, we can admire our flags flying from all the common posts and geranium baskets to brighten the scenery. KHOA employed Frank Krupa this year to maintain the flower baskets and he is doing a wonderful job.

The picnic this year will be at Wiley Park on September 11th with a rain day of the 12th (if necessary). The picnic last year was a huge success, the weather was not cooperating at first but it turned around and we had a good showing and a pleasant afternoon. We thank all the people who are getting involved this year in the preparation and want to help with the activities of the day. We have a wonderful event planned for everyone this year also. Erv May wants to organize a golf outing early on the day of the picnic, for those interested, please contact Erv at 646-1975. The picnic will run from 4:00 to 7:30 and will include bicycle decorating and a parade for kids of all ages, games, time to sit back, relax and converse with our neighbors and then dinner. The cost per person (adults or kids), is the same as last year only \$1, bring your family and you may invite friends. Mark your calendar, watch for our KHOA flyers with details and we'll see you there.

Please contact one of the street representatives if you would like to attend the board meeting, we welcome your input.

Your street representatives are:

- Phil Cronmiller - President
- Ruth Schaeffer - Secretary
- Don Erickson - Treasurer
- Ralph Newman - VP
- Jean Britton -
- Penny May -
- Thornapple
- Sandalwood
- Oakwood
- Walnut
- Kenwood

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL & QUILT RAFFLE**

September 8, 1999

6:30 p.m.

Wiley Park

610 SOM Center Rd.

\$3.00 a person

**Hanover Woods Home Owners' Association**

by Edward J. Sullivan, President

On behalf of your board I want to take this opportunity to say that we hope you all had an enjoyable summer so far-despite the heat. If you haven't yet visited the Village's new Swimming Pool, you should do so soon! You've really missed a great experience. They have something for every age.

Our annual Clambake will be held on Saturday September 25th at Joe and Barbara Aveni's backyard lodge. Vicki Pamela is our Chief Clambaker this year. Helping her to plan another great party are; Toni Alaimo, Janet Marvaldi, Kay Phillips, and Laura Smith. It's going to be a very enjoyable evening. Last year we had 60 residents and guests. Let's see if we can't beat that this year! So, set aside the date and watch for the sign-up sheets!

By the time you read this our sign should be repaired and back in place. I'm told that the work is progressing as expected.

Our annual meeting will be held in October at the Mayfield Village Community Room. We'll get to you with the date, time and agenda. Meanwhile, if you have any comments or suggestions don't hesitate to contact me or any of the other trustees. We want your input.

**TURKEY RAFFLE**  
**Saturday, November 20**

7:00 P.M.

Mayfield Village  
Community Room

Tickets: 3 -\$1.00



## CARS OF YESTERYEAR

by Donna J. Roman,  
Executive Assistant

The year is 1999 but many of us still have a yearning for the nostalgia of the '50s. This is evident by the vast number of people who come from several counties and states to attend the Fabulous '50s Cruise Night each year. It's the classic cars, some dating back to the 1930s, that draw people to this event. Great music and fabulous food are pleasant surprises.

People line the sidewalk, take seats on lawns or stand curbside to watch the cars parade around the closed section of Wilson Mills. Those who wish to get a closer look at the classics stroll the parking lots of the Mayfield United Methodist Church, Yours Truly, Migelito's, Aladdin's, Austin's and Heinen's (Pizzazz's outdoor dining area.) The cars that actually cruise (only those 1974 and older may participate) receive dash plates. This past June, we handed out nearly 800! Thank you to all the classic car owners who brought these cars out for us to enjoy. You made our night special.

We also appreciate the participation of our Village restaurants. They contribute toward the bands in their parking lots and bring food outside to add to the festival atmosphere. Each restaurant area resonated with fabulous '50s music. Some people stayed in the same area all evening while others wandered to other areas to sample different foods and see different bands.

If you were unable to attend Fabulous '50s Night this summer, we hope you'll mark your calendar for next year—June 10, 2000.

## Memo from the Mayor, *continued*

6. The location and character of the community should be consistent with a larger transit network.
7. The community should have a center focus that combines commercial, civic, cultural and recreational uses.
8. The community should contain an ample supply of specialized open space in the form of squares, greens and parks whose frequent use is encouraged through placement and design.
9. Public spaces should be designed to encourage the attention and presence of people at all hours of the day and night.
10. Each community or cluster of communities should have a well-defined edge, such as agricultural greenbelts or wildlife corridors, permanently protected from development.
11. Streets, pedestrian paths and bike paths should contribute to a system of fully-connected and interesting routes to all destinations. Their design should encourage pedestrian and bicycle use by being small and spatially defined by buildings, trees and lighting; and by discouraging high speed traffic.
12. Wherever possible, the natural terrain, drainage and vegetation of the community should be preserved with superior examples contained within parks or greenbelts.
13. The community design should help conserve resources and minimize waste.
14. Communities should provide for the efficient use of water through the use of natural drainage, drought tolerant landscaping and recycling.
15. The street orientation, the placement of buildings and the use of shading should contribute to the energy efficiency of the community.

3. Regional institutions and services (government, stadiums, museums, etc.) should be located in the urban core.
4. Materials and methods of construction should be specific to the region, exhibiting a continuity of history and culture and compatibility with the climate to encourage the development of local character and community identity.

### Implementation Principles:

1. The general plan should be updated to incorporate the above principles.
2. Rather than allowing developer-initiated, piecemeal development, local governments should take charge of the planning process. General plans should designate where new growth, infill or redevelopment will be allowed to occur.
3. Prior to any development, a specific plan should be prepared based on these planning principles.
4. Plans should be developed through an open process and participants in the process should be provided visual models of all planning proposals.

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The widening of S.O.M. Center Road serves as a crucial test of these principles. My hope is to see S.O.M. become a veritable linear park: a well-landscaped, handsome boulevard capable of handling vehicular, pedestrian and other non-combustible forms of transportation that actually enhances the residences situated on its sides. We have a golden opportunity to design it as a truly enjoyable, useful space; something far superior to a motor vehicle valley.

### Regional Principles:

1. The regional land-use planning structure should be integrated within a larger transportation network built around transit rather than freeways.
2. Regions should be bounded by and provide a continuous system of greenbelt/wildlife corridors to be determined by natural conditions.



### REQUIREMENTS!

No Sunday Sales-One Sale Per Year

(Three Consecutive Days)

SALE HOURS: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

SIGNS: - Two (2) (Not to exceed 4.5 sq. ft.)

TRAFFIC: To be controlled.

PERMIT: \$5.00



# 4th of July



Traditional Fourth of July festivities began at 4 p.m. at Wiley Park. This year's entertainment included: a show about live bats; a program about tales, times & tunes of the past; information about the care and rescue of exotic animals (and a chance to pet them); magic; bingo; and live music.

The patriotic concert at the Gazebo began at 7 p.m. as the Four Lads took the stage. The evening concluded at dark with fireworks. It was truly a grand day!

# **HAPPY HALLOWEEN!**

## **PRESCHOOL HALLOWEEN PARTY**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1999  
1:00 - 2:30 P.M.**

**MAYFIELD VILLAGE COMMUNITY ROOM**

**COST: \$2.00**

**AGES: NEWBORN TO 5 YEARS**

**ENJOY GAMES, HAYRIDE, SPECIAL EVENTS,  
REFRESHMENTS, AND THE POPULAR  
HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARADE!**

## **YOUTH HALLOWEEN PARTY**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1999  
1:00 - 2:30 P.M.**

**MAYFIELD VILLAGE  
COMMUNITY ROOM**

**COST: \$2.00**

**AGES: KINDERGARTEN - 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

**ENJOY A HAYRIDE, SPECIAL EVENTS,  
REFRESHMENTS AND THE  
HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARADE!**

## **HALLOWEEN PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST!!**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1999**

**Drop off your completed  
pumpkin at 1:00 p.m.  
and pick it up at 2:30 p.m.  
at the Mayfield Village  
Community Room.  
Judging will take place  
from 1:30 - 2:00 p.m.**

**Awards given in 3 Categories:**

- 1. Most Gory**
- 2. Best Carved and Decorated**
- 3. Scariest**

## **HALLOWEEN WINDOW PAINTING CONTEST**

**FOR  
STUDENTS IN  
6<sup>TH</sup> - 7<sup>TH</sup> - 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADES  
LIVING IN THE MAYFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**LOCAL MERCHANTS WILL DONATE THEIR OUTSIDE  
STORE WINDOWS TO DISPLAY THE STUDENT'S FESTIVE  
HALLOWEEN DESIGNS AND SCENES IN WATER  
SOLUBLE PAINT.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL VILLAGE HALL AT  
440-461-2210**