



Volunteer for the 11th Annual Ridgewood Park Cleanup on April 28!

With April comes the yearly Ridgewood Park Spring Cleanup. It's scheduled for April 28, the last day of Earth Week 2012. I'm happy to welcome Bryan Rhoads, Blendon Township Administrator, who joins me this year in planning the event. This year's cleanup will involve many of the yearly tasks we always perform but will also include some new ones. We'll be mulching the path as we've done since the beginning. The shelter will only need touch ups of paint as will the picnic tables. The flower beds will be groomed, and the playground will need to have the mulch spread around. We'll work on pulling more invasive honeysuckle, too.

We're planning other projects that have been identified throughout the Park and are open to suggestions for those projects not yet brought to our attention. Please forward any ideas for improvements or projects to Bryan at bryan.rhoads@blendontwp.org or to me at beautification@huber-ridge.org, and we'll look into them. The day will start with coffee and hot chocolate; then work will start around 9 a.m. The Huber Ridge Area Association and the Blendon Township Trustees will provide a picnic lunch. Work will continue into the afternoon. We invite everyone who appreciates Ridgewood Park to come participate any way you can. Scouts and Little Leaguers as well as residents and neighbors are welcome. We'll find a chore for you!

Dress for the weather and the tasks. Bring gardening supplies if you can. See the HRAA website (huberridge.org) for updates and more details including a list of needed supplies. If you are interested in donating food or supplies for any projects, please contact any of us listed at the bottom of this page. We look forward to another year of work and fun with all of you!

—Lori Mann, Beautification Coordinator

OAWC/Aqua Ohio, H.B. 379, Water/ Sewer Rate Increase

Confusing headline, three topics, one relationship: your water/sewer bill. The timing of this article (written on March 2) with these events is not the best as the next 30 to 60 days should determine many of the outcomes.

The first is pretty easy. Aqua Ohio and Ohio American Water Company (OAWC) have agreed to swap/purchase water/sewer plants in New York and Ohio. An agreement was reached for Aqua Ohio to purchase all OAWC plants in Ohio and for OAWC to purchase all Aqua plants in New York. All the agreement needed was the approval of the public utility commission in each state. On February 14, 2012, the PUCO approved the purchase of OAWC plants by Aqua Ohio. The press release and details can be viewed on the PUCO website under press releases February 14. Our website, huberridge.org, has a link to the PUCO website.

House Bill 379 ... well, there is a lot to talk about here; so I will try to keep it brief. State Representative Louis Blessing, Jr., introduced House Bill 379 that would expand upon a previous bill where the sunset clause would expire on December 31, 2013. The previous bill allowed for a system improvement charge (SIC) added to our monthly bill of no more than 3 percent and for no more than three consecutive implementations of the SIC.

House Bill 379 expanded upon these by allowing for a 5 percent SIC assessed for each water and sewer and no sunset date, to name a few key components.

The importance of House Bill 379 to Blendon Township OAWC customers is simple. OAWC continually applied for rate increases through the PUCO in rate case applications. On the other hand, Aqua Ohio uses the system improvement charge (SIC) to raise rates before applying for rate increases through an application with the PUCO. While Aqua's approach kept the cost of the increases down by not continually applying for full rate cases, House Bill 379 would allow for a bigger surcharge to our bills. With the pending purchase of OAWC by Aqua Ohio and now the recent

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approval of the purchase, this bill is of great significance.

Your Blendon Township trustees strongly opposed this bill and worked with other townships affected and with our state representatives to try to defeat the bill. We quickly realized that killing the bill was not an option and that negotiating would be the next best thing. Representatives from several Franklin County townships met and discussed options and points of negotiations and came up with a proposal. On February 14, 2012, representatives from Aqua Ohio, the Ohio Consumers' Counsel, the PUCO, several state representatives' offices, and affected townships met and ironed out a compromise/proposal for House Bill 379.

At the time of this article, the proposal has not been introduced; and we expect it to be introduced soon and voted on. The proposal key points are sunset date 2015, 4.25 percent SIC for water, 3 percent SIC for sewer with no more than 1 implementation in any 12-month period, and no more than 3 implementations.

Last but not least is OAWC's request to increase its rates. In July 2011, OAWC applied to the PUCO again to raise the rates of their water/sewer customers; and I have kept you up to date as this process progressed and encouraged you again to write letters of opposition. The approval of the purchase of OAWC by Aqua Ohio does not change the application nor the process. On January 31, the PUCO staff report was released. The staff report is just a report and recommendation by the staff of the PUCO after its investigation. The PUCO staff report is not set in stone, but it is usually followed by the Commission. As I read the report, it appears OAWC asked for a rate increase of 23 percent for water and 11 percent for sewer. The report recommends 11 percent for water and 11 percent for sewer. With the last increase, the Commission stated that OAWC needed to improve its business model and should not request an increase larger than the rate of inflation. The rate of inflation in Ohio has been 3.77 percent the last couple of years, and 11 percent exceeds the rate of inflation. Let's see what the Commission does now!

On February 13, 2012, the PUCO released its public hearing dates. In the past, Blendon Township has been on the schedule; and the PUCO held a public hearing here. The PUCO hearing dates include March 5 (Galloway), March 7 (Ashtabula), March 12 (Tiffin), March 19 (Groveport), March 21 (Marion), and March 26 (PUCO office). Your trustees wrote a letter of opposition respectfully requesting that a hearing be scheduled for this area. As of the time of this article, no official response has been received. Unofficially we were informed the PUCO has a formula that includes the number of letters written in opposition to the rate increase; and Blendon fell way short of the formula, so no hearing will be held here. We are nearing the end of the rate increase

application, and letters of opposition can still be submitted. Make a difference; let your voice be heard.

While nothing in this article is great news, differences have been made. Just as there is no magic pill for diseases or illnesses, there is no one action that can remedy the water/sewer prices and supplier issues here. I can assure you your local elected officials have this listed as a priority and continue to seek answers. Together your HRAA, the great residents of Blendon Township, and your trustees can open the doors and seek the answers needed for a final solution.

As always, updates can be viewed on our website, huberridge.org. Remain informed! Remain united! Stay the course!

—James Welch, Immediate Past President
and Blendon Township Trustee

What Is Township Government?

Township government existed for centuries in Europe and was brought to America by the Puritans. The "town" was organized by how the land was going to be used. Land for a school, church, and village green was held in common



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for all to use. Original townships contained farmland that was evenly divided among the residents. In Ohio, townships were a means for residents outside of cities and villages to govern themselves. Townships in Ohio are governed by a board of three trustees and a fiscal officer or township clerk—all elected by the people. Twenty-two states have a form of township government.

Township authority comes from the Ohio Revised Code (ORC). Ohio has 1,308 townships. The largest township, West Chester Township located in Butler County, has a population of 60,958. Currently Blendon Township has a population of 9,069. Township trustees have limited authority under the ORC, and most options open to townships usually require approval of the voters.

With the recent state budget cuts, it would be helpful when residents register their vehicles at the BMV if they would check the box that indicates they live in the township. Checking the box will send some of the registration fees back to the township to use for road improvements. If the box is not checked, the funds will go to the city of Westerville. When you register your vehicles, ask the registrar if you are not sure which box to check.

—Sharon Ricker, Neighbor

Community Efforts Needed to Clean Up Neighborhoods

Keeping your property clean helps improve the appearance of the neighborhood and helps increase the value of your property. We must all work together to keep Blendon Township a thriving community. Below are some common issues found around the Township.

IPMC 308.3/308.3.2 Uncovered or improperly stored solid waste (trash).

Uncovered trash cans attract rodents such as rats and mice and encourage other “visitors” such as raccoons and opossum. All solid waste needs to be in a proper container; that is, one that has a lid. Putting your trash at the street in just a trash bag does not meet code—even if you put it at the street on the day of pickup. Rats, raccoons, crows, skunks, and other hungry animals *will* be attracted to your yard even in the daylight.

Additionally, our regular trash pickup day is Friday. Trash should be placed at the curb no earlier than Thursday evening. A courtesy involved with trash pickup is removing your empty trash cans from the curb on the day of pickup. If you will be unable to do so, ask a neighbor to do it for you. Empty trash cans left at the curb beyond trash day make a neighborhood look uncared for. It may also be an unintentional signal for thieves that you are not home. Also, please keep your trash cans out of sight of the public throughout the week.

IPMC 304.3 Addresses need to be on your house (visible), 4 inches minimum, and of a contrasting color (for visibility).

Fire and police personnel need to be able to find your home in an emergency situation. Each home needs to place 4-inch numbering on the house.

IPMC 302.4 Grass and/or weeds must not exceed 8 inches.

High grass is one of the major issues in the summer months. Please do your best to cut your grass on a regular basis. If you see a location getting very high, please report it to the Code Enforcement Office as soon as possible. Also, if you find vacant homes with high grass, please inform us.

Please do not hesitate to call in (839-2013) and inform us of situations which may be breaking the property maintenance codes. We need to group together to achieve great results in Blendon Township, and we need your help!

—Bryan Rhoads, Blendon Township Administrator



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Why I Feel Block Watch Is Important

In the 60's, I grew up in a house with eight others and in a neighborhood in Dayton where the houses were no more than 10 feet apart. In that location, every kid knew almost everything about the families on the block—good or bad—it didn't matter. When we go back today, I still feel as if it is "my" neighborhood.

We don't live in a "hood" like that in Huber Ridge today, and besides things are different now. Some of us spend our days working in other areas around Central Ohio and then come to our castles surrounded by our invisible moats and unwind. Why is it that we then spend so much time reaching out to others on Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn?

In the 27 years we've lived here, I've seen neighbors stopping to help jump-start another's dead car battery, a sidewalk get mysteriously cleared (from the white stuff we have missed so far this year), and a phone call made when something wasn't "right." The distances are greater between houses, but I feel that there is a need deep down in most people's hearts to feel a sense of community.

Block Watch is not knowing everybody's "business" but rather just an acknowledgement that they exist and you're both neighbors. If my music is too loud or my dog is barking too much, don't let that fester until it becomes an issue; let me know. If I truly do care about being in a community, I'll listen. If we can't come to an agreement, then ask another neighbor or the Blendon Township Police to mediate. They are part of our neighborhood, also.

The last thing I want to mention is Block Watch training. It's been a while for some of you, and I'm still trying to see if I can get someone "interesting" for all that are in the "official" Block Watch program listed on page 4 in this issue of *The Herald*. I'm hoping to get that scheduled for after the HRAA meeting on April 5, so mark your calendars and look for the info on the HRAA website or call me with any questions.

—Doug Murphy, Block Watch Coordinator

Neighbor News

Congratulations to the following Huber Ridge Westerville Central Graduates:

Zach Brown, Elisabeth Clegg, Abbie Demas, Atticus Jordan, Rachel Kerr, Kayla Lowe, Rachel Malaby, Sage Marquardt, Blake Munn, Lucy Yoakum!

and to Huber Ridge Westerville South Graduate:

Jessica Shambaugh

and to Westerville Central Warhawks

Baseball Team Member: Thomas DeLauder

and to Local Author: Gregg Sapp.

Writer and Westerville (Huber Ridge) native Gregg Sapp has been invited to present at the 2012 Ohioana Library Association's annual Book Festival held at Fort Hayes Metropolitan Education Center, 546 Jack Gibbs Boulevard, Columbus, Ohio 43215 on May 12, 2012. It is free and open to the public. Also, Sapp's first novel, *Dollarapalooza or The Day Peace Broke Out in Columbus*, which was published by Switchgrass Books of Northern Illinois University Press, has been nominated for the Ohioana Library Association's Book Award in the fiction category for the year 2011.

Dollarapalooza is a sprawling, comedic satire centered around Vonn Carp, who returns to his hometown of Columbus, broke and out of work, and becomes involved in a business partnership with his father running a dollar store. Along with the store's eccentric staff, Vonn fashions an alternative business model aiming to make a difference in people's lives "one dollar at a time." For just one dollar, Vonn will answer anybody's question on any topic; and the citizens of Columbus come to him seeking his opinions on subjects like love, religion, celibacy, psychology, metaphysics, the Internet, whether the Buckeyes will win the national championship, and the true meaning of value.

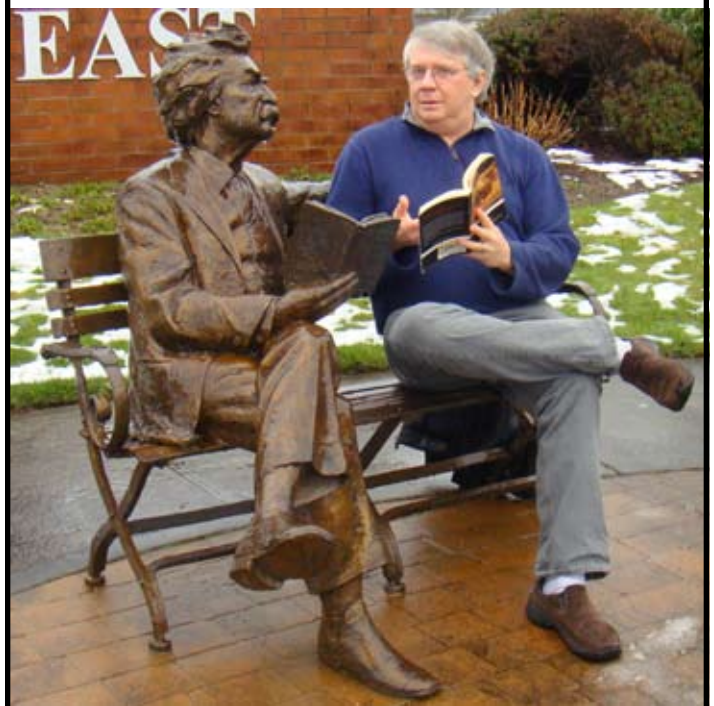
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Gregg Sapp reads to Mark Twain from *Dollarapalooza*!

Library Journal calls *Dollarapalooza* "...an outside-the-box tale too good to be missed," and *Booklist* promises that "[Readers] ... will find themselves thoroughly entertained by the wacky tale of a failed prodigal son who becomes the unsung alter ego of his family."

"This book is my fiftieth birthday present to myself," Sapp explains. "The people and places of Central Ohio are essential to the story. I was born and raised here," the author goes on. "There was no other place where the story could have taken place." Parts of the book's final chapter were even written in Columbus's literary destination, the Thurber House.

Additional prizes for which *Dollarapalooza* has been nominated include Midwest Books Award, The Society of Midland Authors Award, the Friends of American Writers Literary Award, and the Southern Illinois University Devil's Kitchen Reading Awards. For more information, go to dollarapalooza.com.

—Pam Clegg, Neighbor

Welcome, Claudia Carney!

After a one-year vacancy in the position of Secretary of the Huber Ridge Area Association, we are very happy to welcome Claudia Carney to the job! After her retirement last April, Claudia has made an effort to become more involved in the Huber Ridge community and began attending the HRAA monthly meetings. She has enjoyed volunteering at Ridge events such as the Silver Celebration and Halloween party and delivering *The Herald* newsletter. When asked to consider filling the open position for the HRAA Secretary, she accepted—reasoning that, after living in the Ridge for 15 years, it was "about time to become more involved." Claudia cares deeply about the issues facing our community and wants to be helpful.

As the Secretary, she will be responsible for recording the minutes at the meetings and gathering monthly reports from member officers and sending them to the HRAA Executive Committee. She also looks forward to helping with upcoming events such as Ridge-a-Palooza as well as planning for new projects in the future. Claudia says, "We are very fortunate to have two churches located in our community that both have a desire to support our neighborhood. Opportunities exist to develop programs in coordination with these great resources." This year our new secretary is happy to have the opportunity to learn more about Blendon Township regulations regarding property and traffic concerns and to become more familiar with the area. But, most of all, she is very excited about the chance to meet and get to know more about the great residents in this community. We are very fortunate that Claudia is willing to share her enthusiasm and time to benefit our association.

—Susan Dapo, Neighbor

Block Watch Is Alive and Well! Welcome, Doug Murphy!

For those who do not know, Huber Ridge really has a Block Watch program in place. It costs nothing to join and provides multiple benefits; Block Watch is a critical component of a peaceful community.

You may have noticed in the winter edition of *The Herald* that we have a new Block Watch Coordinator. As the former Block Watch Coordinator, I am pleased to pass the baton to a very qualified leader and long-time resident, Doug Murphy. Doug has already been hard at work keeping track of and reporting on Huber Ridge crimes, talking with Chief Belford, meeting with Principal Jonathan Langhals of Huber Ridge Elementary and the PTA, and planning for the annual Block Watch Training in April among the many other duties of the position.

Please join me in welcoming and supporting Doug. Once you meet him and read his bio, you will immediately appreciate his friendly style and sense of humor.

—Pam Clegg, Treasurer

Doug's Bio

My wife, Diane, and I and our two kids moved into our house (on Vienna) in October of 1985; and since we are still here, we call it home. Of course, the kids decided to get married and move out rather than stay here with us; and since they now have five kids of their own, it would have been a little crowded.

I was in the Navy for 6 years, and I did see a good part of the world; so they upheld their part of the recruitment bargain. I must have liked some part of working for the good ol' USA because I still work for them now.

My interest in the Block Watch program was a byproduct of our exposure to the events of 9/11/2001 in New York City. I was going to the World Trade Center that morning; but Diane asked me to have breakfast with her before she went to her training class, and I did. To be there and experience that is like being at Pearl Harbor on December 7. It adds motivation or, in my case, a change of direction in my life. Coming back home and taking classes at OSU in International Studies has heightened my understanding of other cultures and will help to reach across some of those divides that exist in our own neighborhood. The Block Watch program is a way to know your neighbors and for them to know you and maybe even foster new friendships. So here I am.

I hope to have more information about Block Watch with each *Herald*. But I (and your neighbors) need YOU to let me know if you are interested in being in the program. I promise to make it "fun?" and interesting, or your money will be happily refunded. Please let me know your wishes and ideas for the Watch, and I'll be sure to use both ears when I listen.

—Doug Murphy, Block Watch Coordinator

HRAA Family of the Quarter**Meet the Brown Family**

This is one of the most fascinating parts of my job as your membership coordinator: to meet with our neighbors who are members of the Association and are picked in a blind drawing during one of our HRAA meetings, then to be able to hear and share with you the uniqueness of at least part of their life stories. Often during these visits I am privileged to see the sparks of memories bring smiles to their faces, and this visit was certainly no different. You'll see.

I would like you to meet Jack and Janet Brown who live at 3582 Karikal Drive, a part of Glengary Heights in the Huber Ridge area.

Janet was raised in West Virginia, then moved to Washington, DC, after high school where she worked for the Federal Aviation Agency. Jack was raised in Millersburg, Ohio, then in his early years moved with his family to Riverdale, Maryland. He served 3 years in the US Navy, worked for the Coca-Cola company, and then worked for an equipment dealership as a mechanic repairing large equipment. So we have two young people from so very far apart in one city and Washington at that! They unexpectedly met at a club in DC in 1961. Janet and a friend were waiting at the end of a

long line with only a chance of getting into the club. Jack and his friend were in the same line but very near the entrance. When they saw these two nice-looking girls waiting so far back, they asked them to join them "up front." Jack and Janet dated for a couple of years, were married in 1963, and lived in Hyattsville, Maryland, where Kim was born.

In 1965, Jack was offered a job in Columbus with the Rish Equipment Company, which for years was the largest large-equipment dealership in the country. He accepted the job; but if you will notice the timing between the time he left, how soon his family was with him, and when they had their new home, you will see he did not let any grass grow under his feet! During the first month after arriving in Columbus, he searched for a home to buy; and although he looked elsewhere, he was drawn to the model homes on Dempsey. Huber Ridge had been in development a few years, and there were several home builders showing models in the area. He had his eye on one special one. When Janet and Kimberly followed Jack just a month later, they chose the model on Dempsey. With the promise that Karikal would not be a through street and having selected the model they wanted, they bought a lot—not just a lot but one with a 5-acre farm and ponies grazing behind them and no developed homes yet beside them! They definitely are "originals" on Karikal—if

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Save the Date!

Our 2012 Vacation Bible School will be held Sunday, July 8, to Thursday, July 12, from 6:30 to 8:40 PM for ages 3 to 5th grade.

you don't count the ponies! I asked Jack why he didn't consider the Huber homes that were available. He answered without hesitation, "We wanted a new home." New family, new home! Why did I ask? I'm ahead of the story. Although they were eager to move and excited about their new home, they had no idea how much fun the move to Columbus would actually be. They rented a U-Haul; and with the load somewhat off center, every bump rocked the whole truck. Not having had that experience before in her young life, Kim rocked, too, and giggled with each bump. Well, it didn't take long for the spirit to hit Jack and Janet; and all three were laughing unabashed all the way to Columbus! They still smile with that memory!

Their home was finished in July of 1966; and within 5 years, it had grown by 4 feet. Mark was born in 1968; and Karen, in 1971. After the children were born, Janet worked a while at DCSC and then was able to become a stay-at-home mom until the children were in high school. They all attended Huber Ridge Elementary—going on to Westerville South, graduating, and on their various ways. Janet then went to work as Office Manager for a student exchange program until it went out of business in 1992.

Now Janet and Jack have wonderful grandchildren. Kim's daughter, Paige, is 19 and attends Ohio Northern University in its renowned pharmaceutical program. Karen's boys are Tanner, who is 12 years old and attends Genoa Middle School, and Taylor, who is 10 years old and in his last year at Alcott Elementary. Mark's step-daughter, Christina, is married and living in Vail, CO.

Janet is now the Administrative Assistant to the Franklin County Treasurer. Personal networking landed her this last job, not through the usual avenues but through a friend with Avon!

Jack retired in 2001 and moved on into "retirement" to work for Weller, a manufacturer of truck parts, delivering—you guessed it—large equipment and driving for Northern Enterprise. When I asked him when he was going to retire, he said he couldn't since he didn't have a rocking chair!

During my visit, I noticed several beautifully decorated Longaberger baskets and learned that Janet is a collector as well as having many Avon collectibles from earlier days of selling Avon. Jack obviously enjoys "working" as well as deer hunting. It seems he does quite well since the comment was made that he didn't get one this year. I asked where his trophy horns were. He asked if I wanted to see them. Although I thought he might have just been testing me, I'm glad I declined. It seems he does have two mounted in the basement family room.

When asked about some fun times with their children, there were no special memories but simply how much they enjoyed the hours participating and attending their activities

including softball and baseball—then the fond reminder that Jack coached them in their earlier years. Now, much later, the Browns are still sitting on the bleachers and lawn chairs attending the grandchildren's games and "loving every minute of it."

We hope you will come to the Huber Ridge Area Association meeting on April 5 to meet Janet and Jack and let them know how much you appreciated the time they took to bring their story to you.

—Joya Neff, Membership Coordinator

Sunbury Auto and Pet Wash

How's this for a unique business idea: go to a car wash and get your car cleaned inside and out and at the same time wash your pet! Now that's what I call one-stop shopping. Well, this idea was the inspiration of owner Cory Best about five years ago and is called Sunbury Auto and Pet Wash. Who would ever have thought of combining a car wash with a pet wash? I asked Cory how he came up with this idea. He said it just made sense to combine car washing with pet washing because of all the pet owners in Central Ohio. This would give his customers an extra added value when they came to his facility. Cory inquired about adding a pet wash to his car-wash facility at an international car wash association and followed up with a year-long research. After all the preparation, his idea became a reality; and a new business was born in January 2007.

I wondered if this pet wash was only for dogs. Cory said customers can wash any kind of pet. So far, the most unique pet he saw get washed was a rabbit! Here's how it works. When you arrive, you can wash your car first or your pet first. If you start with your car, there are self-serve bays so you can wash your car yourself or automatic bays to have your car washed for you. After your car is washed, pull over to the designated pet wash area and bring your pet to one of the three individual pet wash rooms. These are self-service rooms that have a convenient pet tub with everything you need to wash and blow dry your pet. This way to wash your pet will save you a ton of time because you don't have to deal with all the mess of cleaning up!

The auto wash is open 24 hours a day 365 days a year; the pet wash is open from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. The self-serve auto wash is \$2 to start, and the automatic car wash is \$6 to \$12 depending on what service you get. The automatic car wash comes with a blow dry at the end. Both the self-serve wash and the automatic wash offer triple foam wax and clearcoat protectant. You can pay with cash, coin, or credit card for both the self-serve and automatic car wash. The pet wash is self-serve and costs \$7 and includes drying your pet. Right now, you can pay for the pet wash with cash or coin; but the option of paying with credit card will be added later this year.

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The car wash also offers a self-serve vacuum service where you pay one price to be able to vacuum, shampoo, and add fragrance to the inside of your car—one price for all three services. Cory also leases out a detailing service at his location called Westerville Auto Detailing if you need inside and outside detailing of your car.

I asked Cory what makes his car wash better than other car wash places. Cory said his automatic bays use a state-of-the-art touchless cleaning process. They take pride in the quality of their service to make sure that the water temperature is just right and that the best cleaning chemicals are used to disperse correctly with accurate pressure. What Cory likes best about his business is being able to provide great quality service at affordable prices for a variety of services, making it a one-stop shop. His company slogan is “Your Dirt is Our Business.”

So, if you want to take care of your car and pet to keep them both clean and looking great, then visit Sunbury Auto and Pet Wash located at the corner of Sunbury and 161 next to Goodyear/McDonald's. The phone number is 818-4669.

—Doug Dapo, Neighbor

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Thank You, ...

Herald deliverers, for your continued time and effort in getting our newsletter to the residents despite the holidays and the weather conditions.

We wish to recognize our new captains and deliverers:

Area A

Tom Wiebell, Captain; Faith Covenant Youth Group; Emily Patterson

Area B

Diane Lobdell

Area D

George Carney

Area F

Claudia Carney, Captain; Jean Welch, Additional Street

Area G

Doug Murphy, Jonathan and Megan Howard, Christie Walker, Duff Kelley

We can always use more help to accommodate those going on vacation; illnesses; or other last-minute, unforeseen circumstances.

With appreciation,

—Almina and Tom Wiebell, Newsletter Coordinators

Upcoming Meeting Speakers

The HRAA has arranged for the following speakers to attend upcoming general meetings:

April 5, 2012—A representative from the Franklin County Auditor's office will be speaking on home valuation.

May 3, 2012—Barbara Crawford, realtor from Coldwell Banker King Thompson will be sharing ideas on curb appeal based on her experience in the industry.

June 7, 2012—When this newsletter went to press, we had not received confirmation from our speaker; so watch for updates on huberridge.org and our Facebook page, Huber Ridge Area Association.

General HRAA meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Blendon Senior Center, 6330 Hempstead Road.

—Eric Cordray, Vice President

Blendon Senior Center Garage Sale on April 12 to 14

The Blendon Senior Center at 6330 Hempstead Road will host a garage sale on Thursday, April 12, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; on Friday, April 13, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and on Saturday, April 14, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A bake sale will be held at the same time, and lunch will be sold on all three days.

For more information, call 882-1260.

—Donna Jordan, Blendon Senior Center Director

It's Time to Clean Your Garage

Save the date; the HRAA will once again be sponsoring a community garage sale. It is scheduled for Saturday, June 23. We will once again advertise in local papers, websites, and online calendars and will publish maps of the neighborhood with registered sales for shoppers the day of our event. Registration is FREE and open to any resident. If you'd like to register, please email Eric Cordray at vp@huberridge.org or phone 882-1310. Include your name, address, phone number, email address, and one or two featured items that you would like included in your listing to draw shoppers to your sale.

—Eric Cordray, Vice President

Huber Ridge Blooms Again!

Spring is just around the corner, and it brings beauty to life for many yards in Huber Ridge. This is a heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all the gardeners who have spent their time, energy, and money to beautify their yards. You are doing a GREAT job. It is also to encourage gardeners to consider being a part of this year's Huber Ridge Blooms. The spring edition of *The Herald* is pre-Blooms planning, and the summer edition will arrive at homes just weeks prior to the event. So, if you want to stay informed of the event rules, prizes, and participants, here is how: go to huberridge.org or "Like" Huber Ridge Blooms on Facebook. These two sites will be updated soon.

If computers are not your thing, you may call Pam Clegg, 891-9176, or Sharon Ricker, 891-1881, for information or to register. This year we are asking those who were a part of last year's tour to wait two years before entering again so that others may have the opportunity to be part of the tour. But we encourage you to GO on the tour!

Ever since Huber Ridge Blooms started four summers ago, it seems more are doing an excellent job of beautifying. We commend and appreciate you.

—Pam Clegg and Sharon Ricker, Blooms Coordinators

Ridge-A-Palooza Plans Under Way

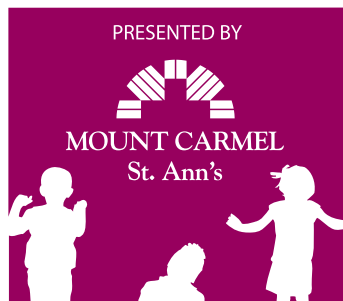
Planning for this year's Ridge-a-Palooza has already begun. This event is scheduled for Saturday, August 4, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.; so mark your calendars and plan to attend. Once again it will be held on the grounds of Faith Covenant Church at 3607 Dempsey Road. Popular activities such as giant inflatable games, a picnic-style buffet, face painting, a raffle, a marketplace, and a movie shown at dusk will once again be a part of the event. A few new and exciting activities are being discussed as well!

We are currently accepting vendors for the marketplace. If you are interested or would like to suggest a vendor, please contact Carolyn Cordray at president@huberridge.org.

Volunteering for this event is a lot of fun, and we need you this year! Join in and sign up to help out a little or a lot ... and plan to have fun, too!

—Carolyn Cordray, President

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**W.A.R.M. Project Coordinator: Deb Wallace
(614) 899-0196, x 219 (office)**

2011 Holiday Lights and Decorations Contest

The HRAA held its fourth annual Holiday Lights and Decorations Contest in December. Third place was given to the Roeth residence of Paris Boulevard. Second place was given to the Aeh family of Makassar Drive. First place was awarded to the Eisennacher residence of Carthage Court. Prize winners received a cash award and a holiday basket from the Association. Sgt. Eric Moynihan of the Blendon Township Police Department participated in meeting the winners and giving out the prizes. All local residents who decorate their houses are automatically entered in the contest.

—Sharon Ricker

Holiday Lights and Decorations Contest Coordinator



Sgt. Moynihan poses with Mr. Eisennacher (top), the Aeh family (middle), and Mr. Roeth (bottom).

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Ridge Holiday Spirit Benefits Local Family

The Huber Ridge Area Association joined Blendon Township staff to sponsor a local family this past holiday season as part of the Miracle on Hempstead program. A Blendon Township family was identified through W.A.R.M., and the Township staff began collecting donations to fill many of the family's holiday wishes and needs. The HRAA presented a combined donation of \$230 to the project, which included \$100 from the Association and \$130 in private donations.

—Carolyn Cordray, President

Errata

I would like to apologize to Judy, George, and Kim Carey for putting the wrong street name for them in the "HRAA Family of the Quarter" article that appeared in the winter issue of *The Herald*. Their beautiful home is on Manila, not Madrid. THEN I gave GRACE Fellowship Church the name "GRACE Community Church." I guess I was just thinking they **are** in our community. I am sorry for that name error.

—Joya Neff, Membership Coordinator

HRAA Tradition Continues

The new year brought some exciting changes to the Huber Ridge Area Association and also preserved some popular traditions many residents enjoy. Acting on the Nominating Committee's full slate of officers for 2012, the candidates accepted positions on the Executive Committee to lead the HRAA.

Having been Vice President for the past two years and Welcome/Activities Coordinator for four years prior to that, I am honored to accept the position of President this year and very much look forward to leading this wonderful organization in 2012.

I'd like to take this opportunity to briefly introduce the other volunteers who round out the Executive Committee this year:

- ♦ First, in the Vice President position is my husband, Eric. For the past four years he has been the HRAA Treasurer. Already he has been very hard at work securing interesting speakers for our monthly meetings and coordinating the Community Garage Sale scheduled for June 23.

- ♦ For the first time since the formation of the HRAA, we have a Past President. Of course, that role is filled by Jim Welch. His name is synonymous with the HRAA, and he has devoted much time and energy to the community—so much so that the voters of Blendon Township elected him as Trustee in the last election. Jim is very devoted to the Ridge and continues to be very involved in various HRAA initiatives.
- ♦ Claudia Carney has taken on the duties of Secretary for the HRAA and has been doing a wonderful job for all of us. Having retired recently, Claudia found she had some time to devote to the neighborhood; and we're so lucky to have her.
- ♦ I am pleased to welcome Pam Clegg back to the Executive Committee as Treasurer. Previously, Pam was the Coordinator of the Block Watch program from the start-up of the HRAA in 2006 until the spring of 2010. Additionally, Pam helps to coordinate the annual Huber Ridge Blooms contest and garden show.
- ♦ Rounding out the elected officers is the very talented Marje Obrist, who has been the Editor of *The Herald* since the first issue was published in the winter of 2006. Marje does an outstanding job of not only putting

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together the newsletter copy but also securing advertising to cover the cost of printing *The Herald*.

- ◆ Lori Mann continues as the Beautification Coordinator. She is currently very busy pulling together her 11th annual Ridgewood Park Cleanup. The improvements to the Park as a result of her leadership are amazing as evidenced by the increased usage of the Park over these past ten years. Lori has also been the designer of the signs posted in the kiosks throughout the neighborhood and has worked with Sharon Ricker, who posts the signs.
- ◆ Long-time Ridge resident Almina Smock-Wiebell wears two hats as the Newsletter Distribution Coordinator and the HRAA Historian. Actually, Almina shares the Newsletter Distribution Coordinator position with her husband, Tom. Active in the previous neighborhood associations in various leadership roles, Almina and Tom continue their fine tradition of service with the current association lending their considerable talents to many initiatives.
- ◆ Also a long-time resident, Joya Neff is once again coordinating the membership efforts. This year she has enlisted the help of Thom Conley to assist with keeping the membership rolls up to date. Additionally, Joy's boundless energy allows her to coordinate the

Silver Celebration each year and—new to her list of accomplishments—Ridge-a-Palooza coordination.

- ◆ Finally, we welcome Doug Murphy as Block Watch Coordinator. Doug's professional background has prepared him to take on the challenge of this role. Currently Doug is working on pulling together the annual Block Watch training, which will be open to all; so be sure to watch for that and plan to attend. This training is always useful and informational whether you are a Block Watch representative or not.

Clearly, I am in good company with other neighborhood volunteers who make up the HRAA Executive Committee. We always welcome others interested in helping a little or a lot—we have room for you! As we begin to plan for this year's activities, we'll see the return of some popular events such as the Community Garage Sale, the Spring Park Cleanup, the Plant Swap, Ridge-a-Palooza, the Silver Celebration, Huber Ridge Blooms, Block Watch Training, Halloween in the Park, and the Holiday Lights and Decorations Contest. But this isn't all ... we are talking about new, exciting events for the Ridge this year. Be sure to stay up to date with happenings in the Ridge by attending monthly meetings (the first Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. at the Blendon Senior Center), keeping tabs on our website (huberridge.org) and Facebook page (Huber Ridge Area Association), and deciding where you can volunteer. We're ALL volunteers, so come join us and invest with us in our neighborhood. Let's see how your ideas can help to make our events even better. These's a lot to be excited about when living in the Ridge!

—Carolyn Cordray, President

Westerville Area Kids Lunch Club Comes Back to Ridgewood Park

Stressing the importance of offering nutritious meals to children during the summer months, the Westerville Area Resource Ministry (W.A.R.M.) sponsored the Westerville Area Kids Lunch Club for the first time last summer with the generous support of Mount Carmel St. Ann's Hospital.

Over the summer, W.A.R.M. served 3,818 free lunches to Westerville children who needed them. The lunches were prepared by the Westerville School System kitchens and transported and served by W.A.R.M. and the Kids Lunch Club volunteers (who gave over 2,300 hours of service).

The children enjoyed reading and the weekly enrichment guest visitors from the Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District and the Westerville Fire Department among others. Active sports and games were part of the programming every day. Average daily attendance at the Kids Lunch Club last year was 82; there were no significant discipline incidents.



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Besides Ridgewood Park, additional locations are planned for this coming summer for children ages 1 through 18 years as well as for persons over 18 years of age who are determined by a state or local public educational agency to be mentally or physically disabled and who participate in a non-profit school program during the regular school year.

For 2012, in addition to adult and youth volunteers, there is a significant need for additional coolers and tables, a food service tent, sports equipment, art supplies, and monetary donations.

For more information, call Deb Wallace at 899-0196, Extension 219.

—Deb Wallace, W.A.R.M. Project Coordinator

January and February Were “Hot” Months on huberridge.org

The Huber Ridge Area Association's website, huberridge.org, had over 8,000 hits in January and February, 2012. Here are the statistics for the last five months: October: 7,642; November: 6,671; December: 6,942; January: 8,507; and February: 8,013. You can also find us on Facebook under Huber Ridge Area Association where our current membership includes over 100 people.

—Marje Obrist, Newsletter Editor



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- § **Specialist Katie Christy**, service in the U.S. Army Reserve attached to the 377th MP Military Police Company based in Cincinnati; one tour of duty in Italy; recently returned from tour of duty in Afghanistan.
- § **Sgt. John K. Harris**, service with the 37 IBCT Army National Guard in Kuwait from January 5, 2008, to December 7, 2008.
- § **Gerald E. Shaner**, over 33 years of service in the Army in World War II, Korea, and Vietnam.
- § **Lt. John Shinaberry**, service as a C-130 pilot in the US Air Force stationed at Little Rock AFB.
- § **Captain John Paul Smock**, U. S. Army, Military Intelligence, presently stationed in South Korea, has completed two tours of duty in Iraq.
- § **Specialist Mark Smock**, service in the Army Reserve attached to the 342nd Military Police Company based at Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio, with tours of duty at Fort Dix, New Jersey, California, Indiana, Italy, and El Salvador.
- § **Sgt. Benjamin K. Spears** from 1978-1986 Duty Station 1/81 FA 56th BRG, Germany; 25th INF Division, Hawaii; and 101st ABN Division., Ft. Campbell, Kentucky.

If you are serving or have served in our Armed Forces or have a family member in the service, please let us know by calling 882-8959 or emailing jimwelch@netzero.net today!

—James Welch, Immediate Past President

Editorial Guidelines for the Publication of THE HERALD

Purpose

The Herald is published quarterly by the Huber Ridge Area Association (HRAA) for the purpose of informing the members and potential members of the Huber Ridge Area Association of the activities, concerns, and achievements of the HRAA. The HRAA Executive Committee is responsible for reviewing and approving the content of this newsletter.

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If you are interested in advertising in the summer issue of *The Herald*, please contact Marje Obrist at 891-6944 or at editor@huberridge.org.

Welcome to Our Newest Association Members and Our Newest Ridge Residents!

Let's extend a welcome to the following families who have become members of the Huber Ridge Area Association. We are glad they want to have closer ties to the Ridge and become more involved in the "goings on" in their community.

- ♦ Jim and Lois Coffield, 3596 Manila Drive
- ♦ Roger and Sherry Fleegle, 6317 Saddle Lane, East
- ♦ Roger, Jr., and Darlene Hambel, 3374 Dempsey Road
- ♦ Thomas and Janice Heichel, 5576 Santiago
- ♦ Ben and Dianne Kauffman, 3318 Reno Road
- ♦ Douglas and Krista Stauffer, 3590 Karikal Court

That boosts our membership to 219 households.

Then we should also welcome the following new

residents who, according to our source of information, have purchased homes in the Ridge since the first of the year:

- ♦ Michael J. Austin, 3717 Paris
- ♦ Corey D. Baker, 3594 Madrid
- ♦ Michael and Paul Creager, 6606 Dakar
- ♦ Andres and Ximena Esquerro, 5556 Madrid
- ♦ David A., Jr., and Laurel J. Fitch, 3419 Paris
- ♦ Phillip and Victoria Griffin, 3723 Paris
- ♦ John and Rebekah Marette, 3535 Panama
- ♦ Shawn McKay, 5910 Cairo
- ♦ Melissa Taylor, 3700 Caracas

—Joya Neff, Membership Coordinator

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Phone number(s) _____

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Here's What's Happening in the Ridge!

Put these dates on your calendar!

Note:
HRAA
meetings
will begin at
7:00 p.m.



- April 5..... HRAA Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- April 11..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- April 12-14..... Large Indoor Garage Sale at the Blendon Senior Center from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on the 12th and 13th and from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on the 14th
- April 19..... HRAA Executive Committee Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- April 25..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- April 28..... Spring Cleanup in Ridgewood Park beginning at 9:00 a.m.
- May 3..... HRAA Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- May 9..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- May 12..... 7th Annual HRAA Plant Swap in Ridgewood Park from 10:00 a.m. to noon
- May 17..... HRAA Executive Committee Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- May 23..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- May 28..... Memorial Day Ceremony and Picnic at Blendon Central Cemetery at 11:00 a.m.
- June 6..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- June 7..... HRAA Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- June 20..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- June 21..... HRAA Executive Committee Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- June 23..... Community Garage Sale in Huber Ridge from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- July 3..... Blendon Township Trustees Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
- July 5..... HRAA Meeting at the Blendon Senior Center at 7:00 p.m.
- July 15..... Huber Ridge Blooms Show in Huber Ridge from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- August 4..... Ridge-a-Palooza All Huber Block Party at Faith Covenant Church at 5:00 p.m.