

CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS

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SATURDAY, JUNE 19 - NORTH ROYALTON STADIUM FOUNDATION GOLF OUTING. Please see the [FLYER HERE](#) for more information on how to participate.

SPOTLIGHTS THEATER PRESENTS A VIRTUAL SUMMER YOUTH PRODUCTION: NOW STREAMING THROUGH JULY 18. *A Killer Party*: Is a hysterical Murder Mystery Musical that is now available for streaming through July 18. Originally written in 2020 during the height of the Covid-19 pandemic, this show features a toe-tapping musical score by Jason Howland, with lyrics by Nathan Tysen, and a book by Rachel Axler and Kait Kerrigan. Household streaming tickets cost \$22.50 and may be purchased at www.broadview-heights-spotlights.org.

SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY, JULY 2 – NIGHTS IN THE HEIGHTS CONCERT AND CRUISE IN FEATURING SUNSHINE DAYDREAM AT THE BROADVIEW HEIGHTS COMMUNITY AMPHITHEATER. Please join us for this free concert. Food

and adult beverages will be available for purchase. Please see the following [LINK TO OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#).

THURSDAY, JULY 8 – SUNDAY, JULY 11 HOME DAYS. For information and updates, please see the city website [HERE](#).

COMMUNITY NEWS

ILLUMINATING COMPANY UPGRADES If you haven't already, you will receive a notice from The Illuminating Company that someone will come to your house to replace your electric meter with a "Smart Meter." If you refuse it, you will have to pay a monthly fee of \$28.29 to refuse it and sign off that you are refusing it. About a month before your meter is exchanged you'll receive a brochure from the Illuminating Company explaining what a smart meter is and how the program works. **Anyone doing this work should be properly identified and all of this work is done on the outside of your home.**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR BROADVIEW HEIGHTS HOME DAYS PICK A PRIZE RAFFLE. Please help us sell tickets for our raffle. Must be over the age of 21. Volunteer times are 1-2 hour increments during the hours of Home Days. Please contact Human Services at 440-526-4074 to schedule your time.

CUYAHOGA COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS FOR JUNE Check out what the [BRECKSVILLE BRANCH](#) and [NORTH ROYALTON](#) Branch have to offer!

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS MEMBERS NEEDED The City of Broadview Heights is actively seeking residents to serve as members on the following Boards and Commissions: Board of Zoning Appeals and Records Retention. If you are interested in becoming involved, please submit your resume to cityhall@broadview-heights.org. For information and a description of each committee, please visit our website. <https://www.broadview-heights.org/127/Boards-Commissions>

COMMEMORATIVE TREE PROGRAM The City of Broadview Heights Commemorative Tree Program provides opportunities on City park properties for community members, organizations and businesses to remember loved ones or group by purchasing a commemorative tree. Please see the **FOLLOWING LINK** to be directed to our website for more information.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES There is a great need for volunteers including Volunteer Drivers, Donor Ambassadors and Disaster Action Team Members. Please contact melanie.collins4@redcross.org or call 330-204-6615 for more information.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS JOB OPENINGS The Cuyahoga County Board of Elections is hiring. Please see the following link for open job positions. [CUYAHOGA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS JOB OPPORTUNITIES](#)

FOOD TRUCKS Food trucks must be inspected and permitted by the Broadview Heights Fire Department. Please contact them at 440-526-4493 if you plan to have a food truck at a public or private event.

LEND-A-HAND-FOOD PANTRY Our local food pantry in Broadview Heights is here to serve you! Please call Lend-A-Hand at 440-526-0514 if you are in need of assistance.

IMPORTANT PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING COVID-19 FUNERAL ASSISTANCE The COVID-19 pandemic has brought overwhelming grief to many families. At FEMA, our mission is to help

people before, during and after disasters. We are dedicated to helping ease some of the financial stress and burden caused by the virus. Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, FEMA will provide financial assistance for COVID-19-related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020. **UP TO \$9000.00 CAN BE REFUNDED TO FAMILIES IF THEIR LOVED ONE'S DEATH WAS COVID-19 RELATED. PLEASE FOLLOW THIS LINK TO LEARN MORE:**

<https://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>

THE CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

FULL TIME POSITIONS

If interested in this position, please follow the link to our [website](#) to see job details and apply.

FULL TIME BUILDING INSPECTOR – Performs inspections of commercial property and residential dwelling to ensure compliance with approved plans and applicable codes.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

DROP-IN/GUESTS Beginning in July, We will offer online registration for guest passes/drop-ins. Everyone will have to create a household and must get a picture taken for your account.

MAYORS 5K Please join us on Sunday, July 11, for the Mayor's 5K at 8:30am. You can register online at www.hermescleveland.com or you can register in person the day of the race.

GROUP EXERCISE Yoga, Zumba, Jazzercise and Cycling Classes are full go now and some classes will be offered outside, weather permitting. Please see our website for days and times at www.bhrec.org.

SPLASH PARK The Splash Park is open Mon-Fri 11:00AM - 8:00PM Sat & Sun 11:00AM - 6:00PM (weather permitting).

FITNESS LOCKER ROOM Fitness locker room showers are operational.

RENTALS We are now taking requests for pool parties, meetings, showers and all other rental requests. Please email Ryan Meyer at rmeyer@broadview-heights.org.

ROCK WALL AND BASKETBALL HOOPS They will be available for use beginning July 1.

CURRENT OPERATING HOURS

Monday through Friday 5:30AM – 10:00PM

Saturday and Sunday 7:30AM – 6:00PM

PROGRAMS: Please visit us at www.bhrec.org for information on current programs and activities!

MEMBERSHIPS: For information on joining or renewing your membership, please visit our website at www.bhrec.org or call 440-838-4522. Currently we are not taking drop-ins but will be adding that in the next month.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

2021 ROADWAY EVALUATION AND PAVING The City evaluates the streets on an annual basis and formulates a repaving program mainly based on the road conditions. The linked map, [CLICK HERE](#), shows the City's annual roadway evaluation. In the legend there is a rating scale A to F (A-best, F-failing). Below the legend, are maintenance related items the City plans on doing in 2021 (e.g. crack sealing) and the list of streets for paving this year.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING TRAFFIC LIGHTS ON SR 82 The second set of signal heads in each direction is optically programmed to avoid giving conflicting indications to SR 82 traffic and potentially cause a vehicle to run a red light. Generally, whenever the first set of signals for EB or WB 82 traffic turns green, the second set will turn green as well. At the end of the phase, the first set should go to yellow and then red, while the second optically programmed set will remain green and activate the left turn arrows so as to clear out any traffic remaining between Market Place East and Glenwood. The optically programmed heads should only be visible to those vehicles in between the intersections so that vehicles back at the first set of signals do not mistakenly see green indications and think that they are able to proceed forward. Similarly, in instances where there is only side street demand on either Market Place East or Glenwood (but not both), the respective side street will be given a green light along with the downstream optically programmed heads so that vehicles turning right out onto 82 will be able to continue on their way through the adjacent intersection. Again, 82 traffic is seeing red at this time at the first set of signals and we do not want them to be able to see the second set of optically programmed signals which will be displaying green as this could cause them to run their red light. The optically programmed heads are a safety measure that is necessary when you have a signalized offset intersection such as this.

POINT OF SALE INSPECTION OF SEPTIC SYSTEMS – Please see the ordinance regarding the Point of Sale Inspection for residents with septic systems. [1048.01 ORDINANCE POINT OF SALE INSEPTIONS OF SEPTIC SYSTEMS](#)

HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

FREE RTA BUS PASSES FOR REGISTERED COVID VACCINE APPOINTMENTS In addition to the transportation provided by the City of Broadview Heights Human Services Department, Cuyahoga County Department of Senior and Adult Services provided the City of Broadview Heights Human Services with a limited number of FREE RTA passes to be distributed to individuals who register for a vaccine appointment and need transportation. Please contact Human Services Department at 440-526-4074 if interested.

COVID-19 VACCINE Now that the vaccine is more widely accessible, there are many websites and locations where you can register to receive your vaccine. Please contact the Human Services Department if you need help with registering.

OSHIIP MEDICARE COUNSELING (Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program) is a program run by the Ohio Department of Insurance to help people understand Medicare. Jim Langan is a volunteer OSHIIP counselor in Broadview Heights and will continue to offer appointments for individual Medicare counseling in 2021. Jim can help people new to Medicare understand how Medicare works, what

benefits Medicare provides, and what options are available, as well as counsel people who are already on Medicare. To make an appointment call the Broadview Heights Senior Center at 440-526-4074.

ACTIVITIES ALERT All Broadview Heights Human Services programming are being offered in person. Please contact the office at 440-526-4074 for an updated list of virtual programming. Please check out the monthly newsletter which can be found on our website under [Human Services / Department Newsletter](#).

SERVICE DEPARTMENT

DISPOSAL OF FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND BOX SPRINGS These items are to be disposed of with your regular trash. Upholstered items, mattresses and box springs **MUST BE** wrapped up in plastic (Painter's Plastic works well) to be picked up by Rumpke. Please contact Rumpke to inform them of the large item pick up 24 hours in advance at 1-800-828-8171. Additional information can be reviewed on our website [HERE](#).

DISCARDING OF DISINFECTANT WIPES Please note, that disinfectant wipes (for example Clorox, Lysol...) are not to be flushed down toilets. These wipes are not made to breakdown. Please dispose of in your garbage. Thank you!

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