Orange Village Community News Summer 2019

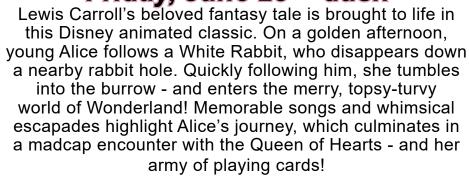


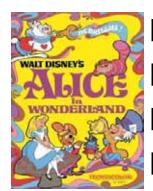














Spend an evening with family and friends.
Sit back and enjoy!
Parking is located off Pike Drive

In case of inclement weather the movie will be held in Council Chambers, 4600 Lander Road.

2nd ANNUAL COMMUNITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE JUNE 29 AND JUNE 30 - 9AM - 3PM



in the

PARK

Orange Village residents are invited to participate in the second annual Community-Wide Garage Sale. Residents will offer garage sales at their homes. Please register by June 26 with your address and sale items by completing the form on our website, www.orangevillage.com or by calling Village Hall at 440-498-4400. There is no fee. Orange Village will publicize the event and provide a participation list on our website which will include only your address and items for sale. Your home can also be

identified by placing balloons on your mailbox. Feel free to contact Village Hall with any questions.

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Council Meeting
1st & 2nd Wed of each month
7:30 pm
Finance Meeting

1st Wed of each month 7:00 pm Planning and Zoning

1st & 3rd Tues of each month

6:30 p.m.

FINANCE AND COUNCIL MEETING TIME CHANGE

Finance meetings will begin at 7:00 pm on the first Wednesday of the month. All Council work sessions and meetings will begin at 7:30 pm on the first and second Wednesday of the month. *Please update your calendar



Employee Spotlight

Kristine Mitchell
Clerk of Courts

Kristine Mitchell has been a proud member of the Orange Village Police Department for 11 years, serving as Clerk of Court. She is a certified member of the Ohio Association of Mayors' Court Clerks.

Kristine graduated from Cleveland Central Catholic High School and continued her education at Cuyahoga Community College. She then started working for the Cleveland Police Department as the Clerk for Community Policing.

Kristine brings 21 years of public service to our department. When you call the police department, Kristine will be the person that is there to assist you. She works very closely with all the officers and handles all the general office functions for the department. She also assists other departments as needed.

We added a new "Do Not Knock" program this year which will allow you to add your property to a "Do Not Knock Registry" in order to protect your home from unwanted solicitation. Please feel free to contact Kristine at 440-498-4401 to add your name to the registry or if you have any questions.

When not at work, Kristine enjoys spending time with her two daughters; Chelsea and Autumn and her two grandsons; Liam and Jayden.

"Petiquette"

To all dog owners in Orange Village, please know that there is legislation regarding removal of feces and barking or howling animals:

505.085 Removal of dog feces. No person being the owner or in charge or control of any dog, shall permit such dog to commit a nuisance on school grounds, Village grounds or other public property, or upon any private property other than the property of such owner or person without the permission of the owner of such property. The owner or person in charge or control of such dog shall immediately remove all feces deposited by such dog and dispose of the same in a sanitary manner.



505.09 Barking or howling dogs. No person shall keep or harbor any dog within the municipality which by frequent and habitual barking, howling or yelping, creates loud and disturbing noises of such a character, intensity and duration as to disturb the peace, quiet and good order of the municipality. **505.01 Dogs or other animals running at large.** No owner can allow a dog to run at large. All dogs must be on a leash when they are being walked.

Let's be very conscious of the law as responsible dog owners in order to enjoy our pets and provide a safe and healthy environment for everyone in Orange Village. Dear Neighbors,

Summer has arrived and there are many fun things to do in Orange Village. The front page of this newsletter highlight some of the events we have planned. Our community park has many recreational opportunities, from pickleball to ball fields, basketball, trails and more.

As the recreational trail project progresses throughout the main streets of the Village, more and more of us will be able to get to the park on foot safely and, eventually, even to Pinecrest. We are receiving very positive feedback about the recreational trails from residents. It has been wonderful seeing them so heavily utilized. Once the paths are completed, we will do plantings throughout the trail system.

COMMUNITY PARK

Our playground has been extremely popular and attracts a great deal of families daily. We understand that the current restroom facility (a port-a-potty) is not adequate for all the usage it receives. While we have added an additional cleaning day during the week, we are focused on providing a permanent facility (with running water, electricity, etc..) as a major new improvement. Our goal is to have a permanent restroom facility constructed in 2020. We have recently applied for a State of Ohio Nature Works grant to help with the cost.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

We continually meet with developers to hear their proposals for remaining vacant land in the Village. We have had some preliminary discussions about the residential portion of Pinecrest. There are 22+ acres north of SilverSpot and south of Chagrin (the old Walnut Hills street) where a residential development was approved by a referendum rezoning in 2013.

Chagrin Highlands South is beginning to take shape. The seven story Drury Hotel is currently under construction behind Cooper's Hawk. The national chain of BJ's Restaurant has submitted an application and will be going through all the usual review procedures to obtain a permit to build adjacent to Cooper's Hawk. This will be their fourth location in Northeast Ohio.

The 82+ acre parcel on the south side of Harvard, west of Brainard and east of Chagrin Highlands has been the subject of many conversations, suggestions and proposals over the years. Due to the abundance of high quality wetlands on much of the property, it would be difficult to develop it economically in a way that is compatible with our community vision as identified in our master plan. We began conversations aimed towards preserving as much of that acreage as possible as greenspace/park land and moving any future development to the farthest western edge of the property.

On Emery, west of Brainard and near the municipal boundary, a 50 unit subdivision has been approved as Phase 7 of the Lakes of Orange. New houses continue to be approved and constructed in the first 6 phases of this certified-green community.

Summer is such a great season to spend time outdoors. At this time of year, there is always a great deal of litter and repair work that needs to be tended to at each of our homes. Please read the Building Department's article on property maintenance on page 6 to better understand how we enforce our codes to maintain our property values and the esthetics of our neighborhoods. It takes all of us to keep our community in good shape.

Orange Village is a very desirable community and there is so much more to talk about; I welcome any and all comments or questions. Please visit me at an upcoming "Meet the Mayor" where we can chat or call me at your convenience. I look forward to the warmer days and to see everyone enjoying the outdoors. I have had the pleasure of attending many neighborhood parties in the past, feel free to contact me if you would like me to stop by your event.

It is a privilege and an honor to serve as your mayor and our entire staff of employees are dedicated and committed to the well-being of Orange Village and all of its residents.

Yours truly,

Kathy U. Mulcahy, Mayor

MEET THE MAYOR Wed. July 10 - 7:00 pm Tues. Aug 6 - 6:00 pm Wed. Sept 11- 7:00 pm

THEFT CAN RUIN YOUR SUMMER....IT CAN ALSO BE PREVENTED!

Theft is largely a crime of opportunity that can be prevented by taking a few simple steps to "Harden" the target, which is your home and auto.

- ☆ If you have an alarm system, USE IT (even at night)!
- ☆ Lock your doors and windows when home or away! (don't forget rear sliding doors)
- ★ LOCK VEHICLES PARKED IN YOUR DRIVEWAY!
- ☆ Close your garage doors.
- ☆ Remove keys form the ignition of your vehicles (cars in the garage too)!
- ☆ Use perimeter lighting (motion lights)!
- ☆ Be observant!
- ☆ Don't keep car keys, purses, wallets etc. in the kitchen or by exterior doors!
- ★ BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR AND CALL THE ORANGE POLICE DEPARTMENT EVERY TIME YOU SEE SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY!
- ☆ All suspicious activity should be reported via the 911 system!

With a little effort, observation, and team work, we can reduce the instances of successful burglaries and increase our chances of apprehension at the same time.

NO CALL IS A "BOTHER" TO YOUR POLICE DEPARTMENT!

Car Seat Safety Check Safety Town

July 31st - 11am to 1pm

Orange Village Police Department will provide their 18th annual Car Seat Safety Check on Wednesday, July 31st. Certified Officers will be available to install or check the installation of your child safety seat during this free event.

Please join Orange Village Police Officers from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm at Safety Town, Pepper Pike Learning Center Campus, 24195 Chagrin Boulevard.

Landowner Workshop Stream & Stormwater Management Monday, July 22,2019 - 7:00 pm Chagrin Falls Township Hall, 83 North Main Street

Are you experiencing yard flooding or streambank erosion issues on your property? Wondering what you can do to alleviate problems while not harming neighbors? Then this workshop is for you!

Topics will include; characteristics of healthy streams and behaviors you can adopt to keep them that way, stormwater management practices like rain barrels, rain gardens & riparian buffers, selecting and installing native plants, managing invasive species and Ohio water law and permitting requirements.

To Register, contact Alicia Beattie @ abeattie@crwp.org or 440.975.3870 ext. 1003.

RESERVE A PAVILION, PICKLEBALL COURT OR BASEBALL FIELD

Enjoy a day at the playground with your family and friends, play sand volleyball, practice your golf skills or play pickleball.

Orange Village baseball diamonds, pickleball court, pavilions, and the indoor Wooddell Room can be reserved by Orange Village residents. A \$200 refundable deposit is required for rental of the pavilions and Wooddell room. Contact Village Hall to check availability and for more information.

Recycling Opportunities

Branch Chipping

The Orange Village Service Department will be collecting branches and brush on **July 22** and **September 16**.

- ▲ DO NOT mix leaves, grass clippings or yard material
- ▲ Limbs should be placed with cut ends toward the road, no more than 2 feet high and 3 feet wide
- ▲ DO NOT make large piles

This service is not intended to chip complete trees or for use by a commercial tree service provider.

Wood Chips

Orange Village delivers wood chips free of charge to residents. An approximate load size is 10 yards. Requests are honored in the order they are received, while supplies last.

Place your order online at www.orangevillage.com or call Village Hall at 440-498-4400.

Paper Shredding

Friday, August 9th 9:00am - noon
Pepper Pike Service Dept, 28000 Shaker Blvd
Friday, October 11th 9:00am - noon
Orange Service Dept, 4680 Lander Rd

This free service is for residential shredding ONLY. There is a 5 box/bag limit. We cannot

accept shredding from businesses.

Please contact Village Hall with any questions at 440-498-4400.



Scrap Tire Collection Sept. 3-20

The Service Department will collect tires that are removed from the rim. You may drop off your tires Monday through Friday from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm at 4680 Lander Road.

Computer Collection Month of August and First Friday of Every Month

Computer equipment including printers, modems, tablets, cables, cell phones and video games.

Collection First Friday of Every Month

Orange Village will accept unwanted oilbased paint, pesticides and other household hazardous waste.

Collections are located at Orange Village Service Department, 4680 Lander Road between 7am and 3 pm

NO LATEX PAINT OR FLUORESCENT BULBS.

CONTAINER RENTAL SERVICE OFFERED

Orange Village will drop off an 8, 10 or 12 yard container through November (weather permitting) to help dispose of brush, yard waste, construction debris or household debris. You cannot mix items in the container but you can choose from several different types of materials to dispose. Costs vary depending on the items that will be disposed of. Please visit our website at www.orangevillage.com for detailed information or contact us at 440-498-4403. Please remember this service is for residents only.



ROTARY CLUB DONATES THERMAL IMAGING CAMERAS

Ask any Chief. It takes a lot of planning and hard work to budget for the needs of a fire department. The 48 Orange Village firefighters require gear and equipment to serve a growing community of residential, commercial and retail occupancies. Recently, the Chagrin Highlands Rotary Club visited our department and presented a check to enable the purchase of three Seek personal thermal imaging cameras (TIC's). Members of the Orange Village Fire Department (OVFD) are extremely grateful for this improvement related to their personal safety. The device will enhance their ability



to search areas of zero visibility for victims trapped in fires. The benefit of this incredibly generous donation extends beyond the borders of Orange Village, as the department responds automatically to all fires in adjacent communities.



The Seek TIC's are much smaller than the traditional thermal imaging units stored on a firetruck; they are about the size of the average smartphone. At the OVFD, these three compact units will be accessorized by heavy duty lanyards that firefighters will wear as they change into their turnout gear enroute to a fire. Most fire departments share the use of one imager, which is usually held by the Lieutenant or Captain. From this point forward, all Orange Village Firefighters arriving on the scene will each have their own personal thermal imaging camera. These units not only will help to rapidly locate victims, but also locating the origin of the fire and a means for escape. All of

these benefits can be clearly seen on the unit in otherwise zero visibility conditions.

The members of OVFD extend their sincere gratitude to President Steve Werber (shown here shaking hands with Fire Chief Robert Wilson) and all of the members of the Chagrin Highlands Rotary Club. We are proud to serve our wonderful community and to also work under the umbrella of amazing organizations that are dedicated to helping the public through their philanthropic efforts.

PROPERTY MAINTENANCE

Orange Village is fortunate to have many attractive homes and neighborhoods. It is thanks to you, our residents, that we remain such a picturesque village.

Property owners are responsible to maintain their yards, fences, driveways and buildings in good condition and repair. Maintaining lawns and plantings and keeping buildings painted and roofs, gutters, windows and doors well maintained is required by the Orange Village Property Maintenance Code.

The Orange Village Building Department annually inspects properties street by street in an ongoing effort to maintain our community. We can only inspect from the street for any violations. If we notice a code violation, we will leave a door tag identifying the issue in need of correction, or simply asking the resident to contact us. Failure to address a problem will lead to a formal order for repair. Ultimately, failure to address a maintenance violation results in an order to appear in Bedford Heights Municipal Court. Due to the ongoing efforts of most of our residents court action is rarely required.

The Orange Village Building Dept. will continue to inspect properties needing maintenance, but we appreciate hearing about any concerns that you may have, so that we can all work together to keep our Village beautiful.

RECREATIONAL TRAILS UPDATE

As outdoor activities increase this summer it has been great to see runners, walkers and cyclists using our newly installed recreational trails. As the construction of this amazing network of trails continues, we would like to take a moment to remind residents that these trails also create new safety concerns. Increased responsibilities include educating our children on safe usage and exercising increased caution as drivers.

Please take a moment to discuss the usage of our recreational trails with your family. Advise your children that every driveway should be considered an intersection and all who travel throughout the trails will need to focus on their own personal safety. All residents should be reminded to check each "intersection" as they approach every driveway in an effort to reduce the likelihood of being struck by a distracted driver. While this may seem obvious, a child on a bicycle traveling ahead of his or her parents may not remember to check for cars backing out of a driveway.

Educating our children is only half of the issue. As drivers we also need to alter the way we back out of our driveways. Many residents have lived in the village for 40 or 50 years and have never had to be aware of pedestrians at the end of the driveway. Backing out of one's driveway now comes with increased responsibility in order to ensure the trails are free and clear. The severity of this issue can increase in areas with visual obstructions such as hedges and large trees. If you feel that your area has a "blind spot" please contact village hall to voice your concern.

In the end, this amazing network of trails will connect our residents to parks, neighborhoods and the Pinecrest development. Paramount to this improved accessibility is the safety of you and your family. Please take a moment to review the above suggestions with your family members so that we can all share these wonderful trails with safety in mind.

UNUSED ITEMS FROM YOUR GARAGE SALE?

Donate your items to the Kiwanis for their 62nd annual Spectacular Sale of Bargains. Donations from the community have allowed them to hold the longest running and largest quality sale of collectibles, lightly used and new goods in the entire area. You can donate solid furniture, tables, chairs, bookcases, picture frames, lamps, light fixtures, electrical items, pots, pans, clothing, sheets, blankets and much more. They DO NOT accept televisions, mattresses, sofas or encyclopedias.

Drop off your items prior to the sale on Mondays from 7pm to 9pm or Saturdays from 10am to 1pm at the building behind the tennis courts on Gail Allison Drive on the Orange School Campus. Contact the Kiwanis at 216-410-1324 for more information.

KIWANIS CLUB OF LANDER CIRCLE 62nd ANNUAL SPECTACULAR SALE OF BARGAINS

July 11, 12, 13 & July 18, 19, 20 Location: Behind the tennis courts on Gail Allison Dr. on the Orange School Campus



Hours: Thursday 10am-3pm & 5pm-8pm Friday 5pm-8pm Saturday 10am-3pm

4600 Lander Road Orange Village, OH 44022

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Police Response (440) 247-7321 *After Hours*

Village Hall Phone: (440) 498-4400 Fax: (440) 498-4404

Service Department 4680 Lander Road Phone: (440) 498-4403

Website: www.orangevillage.com

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Salute to Orange Sept. 1st 5:00 pm

SALUTE TO ORANGE

4600 Lander Road

Entertainment:



Rick Smith. Jr. Magician



Orange High School Music Ensembles











FIREW

Petting Zoo, Inflatables. **Rocketship Car** Rides, Face **Painting and** More!



Smooth Rider A variety of healthy smoothies and ice blended coffees.



Bring your appetite!

Swensons Home of the award winning "Galley Boy".



The freshest wood-fired pizza you could ask for.



Holy Cannoli Sweet Treats! Vegan and gluten free.