

VILLAGE OF LEETONIA NEWSLETTER



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Village Officials

Mayor Kevin Siembida 330-427-6721 24 hours
mayor@leetonia.org (TERM) 1/1/16 – 12/31/19

Village Council (TERM)
John "JR" Ferry, President 1/1/16 – 12/31/2019
Dave Keeler 1/1/16 – 12/31/2019
William Garlough 1/1/18 – 12/31/2021
Neal Bayless 1/1/18 – 12/31/2021
William Merdich 1/1/18 – 12/31/2021
James Pittman 1/1/18 – 12/31/2021

Village Administrator Gary E. Phillips 330-427-8090
administrator@leetonia.org

Village Fiscal Officer Randy Chismar 330-427-6721,
8:30am - 2:30pm fiscalofficer@leetonia.org

Village Solicitor Walter Newton 330-427-2720

Police
police@leetonia.org
330-427-6731 - *Emergency*
330-427-6711 - *Non-Emergency*

Fire Chief Larry Hephner, Jr fire@leetonia.org
EMS Coordinator Tom Farley
Asst. Coordinator Seth Randolph
ems@leetonia.org
330-427-6745 - *Emergency*
330-427-2310 – *Fire Hall, Non-Emergency*

Utilities Department
Butch Donnalley, Superintendent 330-427-8087 9am – 3pm
waterplant@leetonia.org
Alison Green, Water Clerk 330-427-6720
waterclerk@leetonia.org

Tax Department
Regional Income Tax Association
800 860-7482 or visit their website www.ritaohio.com.

Zoning Bill Pitts, 330-427-6721 ext 104
zoning@leetonia.org
Tuesdays & Saturdays 9-11am
Cell 330-420-8055

Shade Tree Commission 330-853-0568
Susan Simpson – Commissioner, shadetree@leetonia.org
Bill Merdich

Park Board
Michael Cope – President, Mayor Siembida.

Oakdale Cemetery

Meetings are being held at the Cemetery, the 3rd Monday of each month at 4:45 pm. Contact Susan Simpson at 330 853-0568 or oakdalecemetery@Leetonia.org.

Shade Tree Commission Meetings

The Shade Tree Commission meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at Village Hall. The meetings are open to all Village residents. The next meeting will be May 15th, 2017.

Cherry Valley Beehive Coke Oven Advisory Commission

Bill Merdich, Chairman 330-817-0088
leetoniacokeovens@gmail.com

Notification will be posted for meeting date and location.

Marquee Sign/Newsletter

Messages for the sign and newsletter must be for schools, non-profit organizations, churches and community events. Information must be provided at least 2 weeks in advance. If you would like a message on the Marquee email Dan Morelli, dmorelli80@yahoo.com.

The deadline for information to be included in the newsletter is 20th of the Month. Please email the information as you would like it to appear to Randy Chismar at fiscalofficer@leetonia.org

Council Meetings

Regular Meetings are the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7pm. Meetings are held in the Council Chambers at Village Hall.

The May Meetings are the 2nd and 16th.
Public attendance is welcome and encouraged!!

Leetonia Water Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday hours are 9 am to 2 pm, Wednesday's hours are 5 pm to 7 pm and Friday's hours from 9 am to noon.

After hours emergencies only can call 330 427-6721.

Recycling Bin

Please do not leave bags, boxes or loose objects outside of recycling bins.

Recyclables do not need to be sorted.
ONLY RECYCLABLES, NO TRASH!!!

COMMUNITY CALENDER

Leetonia Community Public Library

330-427-6635 / www.leetonialibrary.org

Hours: M/Tu/Th 9:30a-7p & W/F/Sat 9:30a-4p

Calendar of May Events

- May 1 **Crochet for Charity** - 11a-1p
Teen Tuesday - 3p-4p
- May 2 **AM Bookends** - @10a - Discussing *The Last Girls* by Lee Smith. Pick up a copy of our June discussion book *The Baker's Secret*, by Stephen Kiernan, at the circulation desk.
Toddler Playgroup - 10a-11a
- May 3 **Exercise** - 11:15a-12:15p
Crochet - 4p-6p
Kids' Club - 4:30p-5:30p
- May 5 **Poetry Reading and Book-Signing** - @1pm - Meet with local author and poet Betsy Theodore to discuss her book *Dance with Your Journey: Poetry*.
- May 8 **Crochet for Charity** - 11a-1p
Teen Tuesday - 3p-4p
YA for Adults @6p - Discuss your favorite YA books
- May 9 **Toddler Playgroup** - 10a-11a
- May 10 **Exercise** - 11:15a-12:15p
Crochet - 4p-6p
Kids' Club - 4:30p-5:30p
- May 12 **Saturday Toddler Playtime** - 10a-11a - Children ages 2-4 listen to music and play together.
- May 15 **Crochet for Charity** - 11a-1p
Teen Tuesday - 3p-4p
Library Board of Trustees Meeting @5:30p
- May 16 **MercyHealth Mobile Dental Van** - 9a-12p
Toddler Playgroup - 10a-11a
Friends of the Library Meeting - @ 5:30p at the Iron Rails Cafe in Leetonia. New members welcome!
- May 19 **Friends of the Library Book Sale** - 9a-3p - Costs are \$1 for hardback books, \$.50 for paperback books. Adult and children's book baskets being raffled.
- May 17 **Exercise** - 11:15a-12:15p
Crochet - 4p-6p
Kids' Club - 4:30p-5:30p
- May 22 **Crochet for Charity** - 11a-1p
Teen Tuesday - 3p-4p
- May 23 **Toddler Playgroup** - 10a-11a
- May 24 **Exercise** - 11:15a-12:15p
Crochet - 4p-6p
Kids' Club - 4:30p-5:30p
- May 26 **Saturday Toddler Playtime** - 10a-11a - Children ages 2-4 listen to music and play together.
- May 29 **Crochet for Charity** - 11a-1p
Teen Tuesday - 3p-4p
- May 30 **Toddler Playgroup** - 10a-11a
- May 31 **Exercise** - 11:15a-12:15p
Crochet - 4p-6p
Kids' Club - 4:30p-5:30p
Pawz for Reading - 5:30p-7p - Kids of all ages read with therapy dogs from the Pawz for People therapy dog organization. Call or stop in to register.

Other Upcoming Events

June 5 - **Friends of the Library Fashion Show** - 6p-8p - With clothing provided by Moondance Boutique. More details to come!

June 12 - **Summer Reading Kickoff** - 1p-2p - Sign up for the Summer Reading Program and start your Reading Logs at our first "Libraries Rock" program of the summer. Summer Reading continues from June 12 to July 31 with the Ending Carnival for all participants on July 31. Participants must turn in Reading Logs by July 21 to be eligible for a t-shirt.

Leetonia ITAM Burger Night

The ITAM is holding its Burger Night on Thursdays, 5:00pm to 8:00pm. Menu includes Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, French Fries, etc. Dine in or carry out. It is open to the public. Call (330) 427-9900 for more info.

Community Clean-Up Event

There will be a Clean-Up on May 4th and 5th, from 10am to 4pm behind Village Hall. Tires (no rims please), large, freon free appliances and large household items (furniture, mattresses, etc) will be accepted. ONLY ITEMS FROM VILLAGE RESIDENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED, PLEASE BRING YOUR ID.

The Village of Leetonia Park Board

Thank you Columbiana Co. Parks for leading our 1st bird watching event from the Leetonia Trail parking lot. Stay tuned for our 2nd this summer for a date and location.

Thank you volunteers and Josiah Haas from BSA Salem Troop 6 for an Earth Day conservation cleanup on our Coke Ovens Nature Trail April 22. We will be holding more pop up work days throughout the summer. Please join us!

The swings are up in Wick Park! Get out and enjoy them.

Coke Oven Program

Anyone interested in learning more about our environment, the Little Beaver Creek Greenway Trail and the history of the Beehive Coke Ovens will enjoy coming to the Library on Thursday May 10th, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. We have a great lineup of speakers who will provide listeners with information related to the topics above. The program is titled "From the Carboniferous Period to the Anthropocene." The cost of the program is \$40.00 per person and includes a continental breakfast and lunch, and afternoon tours of the Coke Oven Park. Please contact Bill Merdich at 330 817-0088 for registration by May 3rd.

Mother's Day is May 13th.

Memorial Day is May 28th.