

VILLAGE OF
ARCANUM
 A Message from the Mayor's Office

May Greetings & Happy Mothers Day!

The arrival of May always sets the mood for spring cleaning and you can find yards, flower beds and property exteriors getting spruced up. With Serve Arcanum Day on May 12th, Ivester Park will be getting beautified with the pool bridge receiving a fresh coat of paint, the Boy Scout building having new siding installed, and the Garden Club ladies will be decorating and planting flowers on all the bridges in town, as well as, planting flowers on the corners of Main Street. Spring has sprung and summer is fast approaching.

As mentioned in April's newsletter, Service and Leisure Committee is busy performing their annual assessments of sidewalks, driveway approaches and general overall property maintenance. Violation letters will be forthcoming. As a reminder, if anyone is planning on doing any improvements in these areas or have plans of any type of construction to buildings, pools, fences, or concrete work, a permit must be obtained prior to beginning your project. Additionally, prior to painting any exterior (dwelling, outbuilding, shutters, etc.) a paint swatch is required for approval by the Village.

As we approach the camping and boating season, please remember that there is a three (3) day maximum parking of boats and trailers (camping or otherwise) in driveways for loading and unloading purposes. Please be neighborly and stay within the allowed time frame.

The Water and Sewer Department's long-time employee, Shawn Smith, will be retiring from the Village effective June 1st with his last day of work to be May 31st. If you should see him in the next month, please show him appreciation and congratulate him on 32 years of working for the Village and a much-deserved Happy Retirement! The Village would like to thank Shawn for all his hard work and years of service and wishes him the best in the next endeavors he pursues.

Our new park expansion has been named with 47% of the voters choosing Arcanum Nature Preserve at Ivester Park. Thanks to all those that participated.

Recently, there has been some vandalism taking place in Ivester Park. Last week a group vandalized the restrooms requiring hours of clean up and repairs. Chief of Police Marcus Ballinger, is asking for the communities help by notifying the Police Department immediately of any suspicious behavior in the park, especially when groups of individuals are seen hanging around the restrooms. Parents are asked to remind their youth that vandalism is a punishable offense.

The AABA's Culpepper and Merriweather Circus is fast approaching on May 3rd! Remember to get your tickets early to save on the cost! This mid-week event will be a nice way for families to spend some quality time together.

Happy Mother's Day! Do not forget to treat your mother on her special day this month. Celebrate Memorial Day by thanking all Veterans past and present for their services. Local cemeteries memorial services are listed over on the right. The Kentucky Derby is a fan favorite taking place on May 6th, even though I may never understand all the hoopla surrounding this 2-minute event, I guess as they say it is, "the most exciting two minutes in sports".

Have a wonderful May!



Mayor Bonnie Millard may be reached by calling 692-8500 or by email: Mayor@villageofarcanum.com

Local Memorial Day Services

Van Buren Township

May 21 at 1:00pm
 Abbottsville Cemetery

Twin Township

May 21 at 2:00pm
 Ithaca Cemetery

Monroe Township

June 5 at 2:00pm
 Mote Cemetery

THANK YOU!!!

The Village would like to give a huge thank you to the Give Thanks Foundation for their generous donation of \$5,000 towards the renovations at the tennis courts. Pickleball courts will be in Arcanum this summer!!!



2023 Swimming Pool Announcements

Summer is almost here!!!! The Village is selling pool passes and accepting pool party rentals. Membership sales, swim lesson registration and pool party rentals are available at the Administration Building until June 2nd at 4:30pm. Beginning June 5th all passes, swim lessons and pool parties will be taken at the pool. The pool staff is looking forward to a fun and safe summer and our excited for the new changes to the concession items! Administration Office Phone: 692-8500 Pool Phone (Beginning June 5th): 692-8230

Operations:

Opening Day: June 5, 2023
Closing Day: August 17, 2023

Hours:

June 5-July 31:
M-F: 12pm-7pm / Sat: 12-5pm / Sun: 1-6pm
July 3 & 4: 12pm-4pm
August 1-August 13: 1pm-6pm
August 14-17: 12pm-4pm

"Special Friends"

(Patrons with Special Needs)
1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7-8pm

Membership Rates:

Single \$65
Senior \$45
Family \$115

Daily Admission:

Ages 4+ \$5 before 4pm
\$3 after 4pm
Seniors \$3
Wednesdays \$3
3-Hour Pool Party Rental \$225

Swim Lessons - \$50 per session:

There will be two sessions with morning and evening class options.
Session 1: June 13, 15, 20, 22 & 27
Session 2: July 18, 20, 25, 27; August 1

Session Times:

10:30am - 11:30am - OR - 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Aqua Aerobics Classes:

Daily Rate or Season Pass
Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays
11:00-11:45am
Monday Evening 7:00-8:00pm

****New Community Pool Polices for 2023 are able to be viewed on the Village Website & Facebook Page****

May

May 3
AABA C&M Circus - Ball Diamonds
w/shows @ 5&7:30pm

May 6
AJBS Sports Parade

May 9
Village Council Meeting, 7pm

May 11
Limb Pickup

May 14
Happy Mother's Day

May 25
Limb Pickup

May 27
Arcanum High School Class of
2023 Graduation Ceremony

May 29
Memorial Day
Village Offices Closed



May 30
Village Council Meeting, 7pm



MAY 3RD! Arcanum Ball Diamonds!!

Circus Day Schedule

9:30 a.m - Tent Raising & Tour

Everyone is invited to watch the Big Top rise! You'll also get a chance to tour the grounds and get a behind-the-scenes look at our show! Learn about life on the road and the care our animals receive.

4:00 p.m. - Midway Opens

Pony Rides, Moon Bounce, Giant Slide, Face Painting, Concession Stand and Box Office open up for some extra fun!

5:00 & 7:30 - Circus Performance

Get ready for an amazing show the whole family will love! Each show lasts about 90 minutes.

Contact AABA Facebook for tickets

AWTHS News!

May 11th, @7:00 p.m.

Local Natural Gas Wells and Arcanum Gas Company

The Historical Society is "drilling" for information about the natural gas wells in and around Arcanum to add to our business history records. There were several gas companies over the years, with the last company being owned by Ira Dull. Is there a capped gas well in your yard or somewhere on your property? If you know about the gas wells or know of someone who can provide information please join us to share information. Or come to learn more about Arcanum.

Farmers Market is planned at Veterans Park, George St. each Saturday June -Sept, 9-noon. There is no fee or pre-registration needed. Sell what you have when you have it! Contact - 937-692-5128 For more information.

4TH OF JULY CHILDREN'S PARADE
JULY 4TH, 1:00PM IN IVESTER PARK
REGISTRATION STARTS AT 12:00PM, LINE UP AT 12:45PM

DECORATE YOUR TRIKES, BIKES, WAGONS, SCOOTERS, UNICYCLES, WHEELBARROWS OR STROLLERS... PRETTY MUCH ANYTHING WITH WHEELS* AND JOIN THE FUN! NO WHEELS? NO PROBLEM! WALKERS CAN JOIN THE PARADE TOO. SO START THINKING OF WAYS TO DECORATE YOU AND YOUR WHEELS. WE LOVE TO SEE YOUR CREATIVITY!

PATRIOTIC THEME. OPEN TO CHILDREN AGES 12 AND UNDER. REGISTRATION REQUIRED. *NO GAS OR BATTERY MOTORIZED VEHICLES.

TO REGISTER OR FOR QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL
ARCANUMPRESERVATIONSOCIETY@GMAIL.COM
OR CALL 937-450-1157

Troutwine Chevrolet Presents

DOWNTOWN Saturday Night on the Streets

Concours d'LeMons bring your wildest craziest, piece of junk (must drive, no leaks). \$10 entry fee Includes a chance on TU Giveaway!

Downtown Arcanum, Ohio
TU GIVEAWAY | 50/50 Raffle | Door Prize | Music
Food by Huston's Restaurant
Saturday, June 24th 4-9 PM
For Info call Dan 937.417.6605 or Drew at 937.459.9388