

Memorial Day Remember and Honor

CITY OF
MORaine
COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Moraine, OH 45439
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The City will abide by the Governor's directives and executive orders regarding COVID-19. Please go to the City's website for updates/cancellations on hours, programs or events.

MESSENGER

May
2021

Progress Through Unity

Heidelberg Distributing generously donated cases of water and coffee drinks to the Fire and Police Divisions. Thank you for supporting the City's First Responders!



Big Hill Renamed After Former Winsupply Inc.'s CEO

On March 26, 2021, Big Hill Road was renamed after former Winsupply CEO and current Chairman of the Board Richard Schwartz. Rick is an ambassador to region and even more a champion for Moraine. Winsupply Inc., a nationwide distributor of construction and industrial equipment, broke ground for the Richard W. Schwartz Center for Innovation at the corner of Kettering Boulevard and Big Hill Road on September 23, 2020.



RESIDENTIAL LARGE TRASH PICK-UP

Please find listed below the guidelines for large trash pick-up, along with the dates that the Street Division will be in your neighborhood. Please note: several trucks from the Street Division will be picking up the disposal items separately. The Street Division is asking residents to assist in separating their disposal items. This service is not provided to businesses in the City.

Items Not Acceptable:

55 gallon drums, household garbage, asbestos material, swimming pool chemicals, pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, photographic chemicals, propane tanks, fuel, oil, gas or oxygen tanks, compressed cylinders

Acceptable Items and Guidelines:

- Tree trimmings and/or brush must be no longer than 8 feet in length. We ask that residents neatly stack all brush parallel to the curb. Please keep all brush separate from all other disposal items.
- Paint, batteries, motor oil, metals and appliances containing freon. Please keep all these disposal items separate.
- Tires should also be kept separate from all other disposal items. Only a total of eight truck and car tires will be accepted for disposal. Tractor tires will not be accepted.

Bulk Pickup: West Side of River May 3 - 7

Amelia, Angus, Beechgrove, Bessie, Blumen, Charles, Charlotte Mill, Clearview, Collins, Cottage, Cozy Camp, Dayton-Germantown, Dorf, Elrod, Elter, Farmersville-West Carrollton, Hemple, Herford, Infirmary, Johnson, Liberty-Ellerton, Loveland, Main, Miami Shores, Munich, Outdoor, Parallel, Paris, Payne, Pinnacle, Pinnacle Park, Schloss, Sellars, Shadyview, Shank, Shorelands, Soldiers Home Miamisburg, Soldiers Home West Carrollton, Swimming Hole, Trace, Trail On, Union, Vance, Venetian, Wienburg, Wiesen, Willowview

Bulk Pickup: East Side of River May 17 - 21

Blanchard, Bowman, Cadillac, Champion Oak, Dixie, Dryden, East River, Ellery, Fulton, Genoa, Gladstone, Holman, Hoylake, Janco, Jomar, Kreitzer, Lakehurst, Lamme, Lauderdale, Lehigh, Manistee, Marconi, Mays, Ned, Nyack, Oak, Old Sellars, Orange, Pensacola, Rand, Red Oak, Sibley, Southlawn, Springboro, Telhurst, Viking, White Oak, Willow Oak, Winwood

Please place all unwanted items at the curb on the weekend prior to the scheduled pick-up date. All large trash pick-up items must be placed next to the curb by Monday at 7am.

City of Dayton Bulk Waste Disposal Information and Guidelines

- Call (937) 333-4800, no later than the Wednesday before your normal bulk waste collection day (every other week), to schedule a bulk waste collection.
- Set items out by 7am the day of your scheduled bulk collection.
- Bundle, bag or containerize loose and small items. (Keep your neighborhood clean of loose debris).
- Separate metal items (stoves, refrigerators, etc.) from other bulk items. Remember to remove refrigerator doors.
- Tie brush, tree limbs, and carpet into bundles not heavier than 25 pounds, no larger than 4 feet in length, and no bigger than 18 inches in diameter.
- The City of Dayton cannot collect: sheet rock (drywall), concrete, rocks, bricks, blocks, sand, gravel, paint, construction materials, or hazardous waste. (Examples of hazardous waste are paint, oil, gas containers, etc.).

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Spring is here and so is “Orange Barrel Season!” Please drive cautiously and respect all construction zones. These zones are set up to protect the workers and drivers!

Pinnacle Ridge Final Paving

The final surface paving of all roadways within the Pinnacle Ridge subdivision will be completed this Summer.

2021 Concrete Program

The City will be replacing curb and curb ramps on South Dixie Drive. Curb ramps will also be installed in West Moraine Plat. All work is expected to be complete by Fall 2021. Concrete curb and sidewalk repairs in Moraine are not currently assessed to the property owners.

2021 Paving Program

The City will be resurfacing Hemple Road, Pinnacle Road (from Vance Road to Main Street), Soldiers Home Miamisburg Road and Soldiers Home West Carrollton Road (North of Shank Road). Additional permanent pavement patching will be completed in the western portion of the City, as budget allows.

Vance Road Resurfacing

Vance Road will be resurfaced from Main Street to the City’s northern boundary and is expected to be completed by October 2021. This project is partially funded by a federal grant through the Ohio Department of Transportation and Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission.

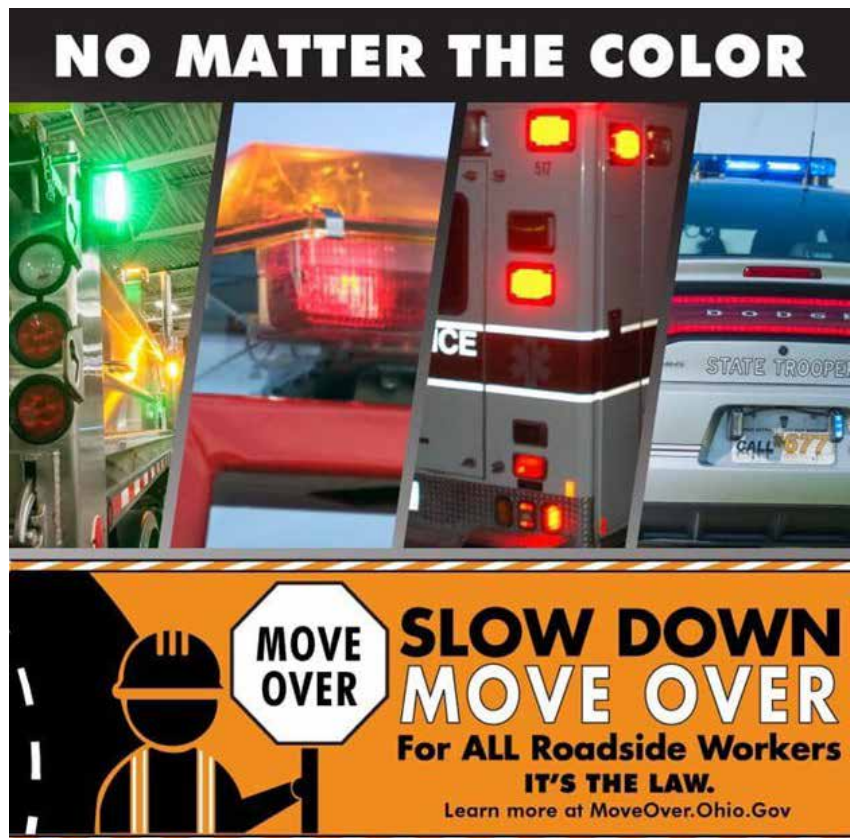
Haverstick South Improvements

Roadway resurfacing, curb replacement, and curb ramp installation will be completed on Lehigh Place, Pensacola Blvd, Lauderdale Drive, Nyack Lane, Jomar Avenue, Genoa Avenue, Butler Avenue and Mays Avenue. Construction is expected to begin this Spring and will be completed by October 2021. This project is partially funded by a Community Development Block Grant through Montgomery County.

City Crack Sealing Program

The City will be conducting crack sealing operations on thoroughfares and main roads throughout the City in 2021. This will help prolong the life of our roadways. This is a rolling operation and moves very quickly. Please follow the directions of work crews and respect the construction vehicles. This project is expected to be complete by Fall 2021.

For questions about roadway construction, please contact Alisha Burcham, City Engineer, at 937-535-1031.



Get The Skinny Before Taking That Dip



With summer right around the corner many of us have thought about purchasing a swimming pool. Imagine relaxing on your raft as your cares float away, or listening to the kids splashing around instead of being "bored with nothing to do." Now before you go out and buy a pool take a look at Moraine's codes and how they may affect your new swimming pool.

1181.04 STANDARDS FOR ACCESSORY BUILDINGS AND USES IN RESIDENTIAL AND AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS.

g. Swimming Pools. No private swimming pool, exclusive of pools less than one and one-half (1 1/2) feet in depth and portable swimming pools with a diameter less than twelve (12) feet or with an area of less than 100 square feet, shall be allowed in any Residential District, except as an accessory use and located in the rear yard, and unless it complies with the following conditions and requirements.

1. The pool is intended and is to be used solely for the enjoyment of the occupants and guests of the principal use of the property on which it is located.
2. The pool may not be located closer than ten (10) feet to any property line, and such location shall be in accordance with all pertinent provisions of Section 1181.01 hereof and shall be measured from the water line. Accessory buildings shall maintain the minimum side yard required. Any walks or paved areas adjacent to the pools shall



be considered as patios for the purpose of this Zoning Code and shall conform to the provisions of subsection (e) hereof.

3. The swimming pool or the entire rear yard of the property on which it is located, shall be walled or fenced to prevent uncontrolled access by children from the street or from adjacent properties. Such fence or wall shall be six (6) feet in height and maintained in good condition with a gate and lock.

So will I have to spend another waterless summer in the heat or convincing my kids the bathtub is a swimming pool? No, you can get that pool, but if your pool is over 18" deep or over 100 sq. ft. (blowups included) you will need the following.

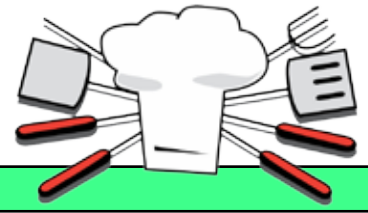
- A permit for the pool and a 6' fence (fence requires a separate permit), or
- An attached fence and locking steps (available on some pool models).

Sorry, at this time there is no code preventing the style of bathing suit your husband decides to wear. At this time we are just focused in on the safety of your pool. If you're not sure if your pool needs a permit or fence please contact Building and Zoning Administrator Tony Wenzler at 937-535-1038 or email to twenzler@moraineoh.org.

SAFETY TIPS FOR GRILLING

What would summer be without steaks, hamburgers, or hot dogs on the grill? – don't forget the marshmallows! To keep these summer days a pleasant memory, free from injury or loss, follow these safety procedures:

- Grills should be placed at least 15 feet from any structure.
- No fires of any kind are to be started on apartment/condominium balconies, or patios. Fires in approved containers shall be permitted, provided that such fires are not less than 15 feet from any structure.
- Use only substances designated for cooking fires (lighter fluids) to prime charcoal. Never use gasoline or other flammable liquids. Starter fluid should always be capped immediately and placed at a safe distance from the grill before lighting the fire or use a solid starter, which is safer.
- Never spray flammable or combustible liquids, including lighter fluid, onto burning fuel.
- Dispose of spent charcoal in metal containers – outside. Extinguish charcoal thoroughly with water. For gas or propane grills, turn off fuel source, double-checking that it has indeed shut off.
- Follow manufacturer's instructions on use and maintenance of propane tanks and grills. Visually inspect all flexible supply lines for cracks before connecting propane tanks.
- On all grills, make certain the burner ports are free of rust or dirt, and that the burner gas supply throat is clear of dust, dirt, or cobwebs.
- If you suspect a gas leak in your gas grill, turn off fuel supply, if possible. Check for leaks with soap and water mixture only by spreading the mixture on line and watching for bubble forming from gas moving through the soap.
- Always store propane cylinders upright and outdoors.
- For food/greasy fires on the grill: turn off fuel source, if possible, cover fire with lid, and use fire extinguisher with B rating.
- In case of fire, evacuate the area and call 911 from a safe location.



ENCOURAGE THESE SAFE GRILLING HABITS

BEFORE	DURING	AFTER
Always read the owner's manual before using a new barbecue grill	Never attempt to grill in an enclosed area	Make sure the coals are out before putting the barbecue grill away
The barbecue grill should not be used within five feet on any combustible material	Once the barbecue grill has been lit, never touch the charcoal or grill to see if it is hot	Never dump hot coals where someone may step on them or where they could start a fire
Never use a barbecue grill unless all parts of the unit are firmly in place and the grill is stable	Never add liquid starter to existing hot or even warm coals	Never dump hot coals near or at the base of a tree – they might kill the trees or cause a fire
Never line the bottom of a grill with aluminum foil	Heat resistant barbecue mitts should be worn when barbecuing	Be sure to clean barbecue areas to prevent attracting unwanted animals
Trim fat from meats to prevent flare-ups	Always use the proper long-handled tools when grilling	A thorough cleaning of the grill is recommended once a year
Barbecue grills are designed for outdoor use only	Never wear loose clothing around a hot grill	Check the owner's manual for any additional maintenance
	Never leave infants, children, or pets unattended near a hot barbecue grill	



Deputy Chief Neubauer, Sergeant Lloyd and Chief Richardson

Congratulations to Sergeant Ken Lloyd for his recent graduation from the Ohio Police Chiefs' Police Executive Leadership College (P.E.L.C). P.E.L.C. is an intensive learning experience focused on leadership skills vital to long term success of the supervisor and the organization. P.E.L.C. provides unique and innovative leadership education geared towards today's demands and tomorrow's needs. Great work Sergeant Lloyd.



Deputy Chief Neubauer, Sergeant Adams and Chief Richardson

Congratulations to Sergeant Liz Adams on her graduation from the Ohio Association of Police Chiefs S.T.E.P. training program. S.T.E.P. is a course specifically designed to help develop supervision and leadership skills for newly promoted supervisors in high performance organizations. Nice job Sergeant Adams !

Pinwheels for Prevention April 2021!

The City joined Pinwheels for Prevention- Prevent Child Abuse America, Dayton Children's Hospital, and the CARE HOUSE Child Advocacy Center in raising awareness for Child Abuse Prevention in the month of April. Pinwheels are used to help educate communities about the importance of supporting children and families.

The Police Division planted a pinwheel garden outside the Municipal Building to focus on community activities that support families and public policies that prioritize prevention right from the start to ensure that child abuse and neglect never occur.



Shining in the sun, the pinwheel is reflective of the bright future all children deserve and our belief that getting it right early is less costly than trying to fix it later. -Pinwheels for Prevention.



Deputy Clerk of Court Retires with 20 Years of Service!

The City would like to congratulate Bonnie Tagliaferri for her 20 years of service. Bonnie started her career with Moraine in December of 2000 as Deputy Clerk of Court and remained in that position for the entire 20 years.



Bonnie plans to spend most of her retirement outdoors, running, hiking with friends, traveling with her dog Rocky and her cat. She is looking forward to visiting her son TJ in Mexico where he is stationed at a military base and taking a trip to Japan with her son Bret.

The Clerk of Courts and City as a whole appreciates her dedication and service for the last 20 years. We wish her nothing but fun-filled adventures for well beyond the next 20 years!!!

Congratulations Bonnie! YOU MADE IT!!

Income Tax Deadline Extended to May 17

The Moraine income tax filing due date has been extended to May 17, 2021. This extension includes individual taxpayers. The 2020 City Income Tax Returns need to be filed and paid by May 17, 2021 to avoid penalties and interest. **The 1st quarter 2021 estimated payments are still due April 15th.**



All residents who live in the City for the entire year or partial year are required to file a City income tax return with the Tax Division on an annual basis, whether or not tax is due. If you are retired or do not have taxable income, you may file a Declaration of Exemption Return for the year or may qualify to file a permanent exemption.

If you file your return after the due date, you must attach a copy of your Federal extension with your City Income Tax Return. The Federal extension form is only extending your filing deadline and not for payment of tax due. A late filing penalty of \$25 per month will be charged not to exceed \$150. A late payment penalty of 15% and late payment interest of 5% for late or non-filed tax returns also applies.

For additional information on filing, income tax forms or payments please go to our website www.ci.moraine.oh.us; call the Income Tax Office at 937-535-1026; or email incometax@moraineoh.org.

Thumbprint Art Painted Flower Pots

By: momalwaysfindsout.com

Supplies

- Terra cotta pots
- Acrylic paints
- Black Paint Marker
- Miscellaneous: Paper Plates, Wet Wipes

How to Make a Thumbprint Butterfly:

1. Use a black paint marker to draw the butterfly body on the outside of the pot.
2. Squeeze a dime-sized amount of desired paint color out on a paper plate. Dip thumb in desired paint color.
3. Press painted thumb onto pot four times to create butterfly wings. Repeat these steps to paint colorful butterflies all the way around the outside of the pot. Allow paint to dry completely.

How to Make a Thumbprint Bumblebee:

1. Squeeze a dime-sized amount of yellow paint out on a paper plate.
2. Dip thumb in yellow paint and press onto the outside of the pot. Each thumbprint is a bee's body.
3. Allow yellow paint to dry completely.
4. Use a black paint marker to add eyes (dots), antennae, and stripes on the bee's body.

How to Make a Thumbprint Ladybug:

1. Squeeze a dime-sized amount of red paint out on a paper plate.
2. Dip thumb in red paint and press onto the outside of the pot.
3. Each thumbprint is a ladybug's body.
4. Allow red paint to dry completely.
5. Use a black paint marker to color the ladybug's head, draw a line on the body for wings, add antennae and wing dots.



Were You Spotted at the Easter Egg Hunt?



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THIS
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June & July



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BASKETBALL

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4:00 - 7:00p • PRC • 535-1060



SPECIAL EVENTS

LET'S PLAY SCAVENGER HUNT

Location: Miami Valley
Date: Starting May 24th
Age: All Ages
Cost: FREE



Get outside and enjoy the fresh air while celebrating National Scavenger Hunt Day on May 24th. The Miami Valley Recreation Activities Council is hosting the Let's Play Scavenger Hunt! Eight area agencies are hiding clues in their community and it's up to you to find them. Check out <https://www.facebook.com/MiamiValleyRecreationActivitiesCouncilmvrac> for more information on how to get started. For all those finding all eight clues and completing the challenge, you will be entered into a drawing for a cash prize.

First Place: \$250
Second Place: \$100
Third Place: \$50

PROGRAMS

The City will abide by the Governor's directives and executive orders regarding COVID-19. Please go to the City's website for updates/cancellations on hours, programs or events.

REGISTER IN ADVANCE!

All classes require a minimum number of participants. If a class minimum is not met by the deadline date, the activity is subject to cancellation. We kindly request that you register at least five days prior to the activity or class.

REGISTER ONLINE OR AT THE PRC.

All programs will follow the Parks and Recreation COVID-19 Guidelines.



PICKLEBALL

Location: PRC Gym
Date: Wednesdays, May 5, 12, 19 & 26
Time: 4pm – 6pm
Age: Adults (18-54) & Seniors (55+)
Cost: \$3 per session, Free for PRC Members

Pickleball is a paddleball sport (similar to a racquet sport) that combines elements of badminton, table tennis, and tennis. Two or four players use solid paddles made of wood or composite materials to hit a perforated polymer ball, much like a wiffle ball with 26-40 round holes, over a net. This is a great way to get exercise and have some fun with your friends. Pre-registration is required and space is limited. Min. 2 / Max. 10

Gerhardt Civic Center (GCC)

3050 Kreitzer Road 937-535-1095
Open for scheduled programs and rentals only)

Payne Recreation Center (PRC)

3800 Main Street 937-535-1060
Monday - Friday 7am - 11am & 3pm - 7pm
Saturday 9am - 1pm
Sunday Closed

Ora Everetts Park

3050 Kreitzer Road

Wax Park

3800 Main Street

COFFEE AND CRAFTING

Location: GCC Commons
Date: Mondays, May 3 & 17
Time: 12pm – 1pm
Age: Seniors (55+)
Cost: FREE

Come enjoy a relaxing afternoon drinking coffee and making a craft. We have all the supplies you need to create a masterpiece of your own. Pre-registration is required and space is limited. You may register online or at the PRC.

May 3 – Beach Scene Painting
May 17 – Flower Pot Painting

BINGO

Location: GCC Commons
Date: Mondays, May 10 & 24
Time: 12pm – 1pm
Age: Seniors (55+)
Cost: FREE

Join us for an exciting game of B-I-N-G-O. Bingo games begin at 12:00pm sharp. Enjoy the fun as we play as many games as we can. Prizes awarded for game winners. Pre-registration is required and space is limited.

PASSPORT FOR WELLNESS

Location: GCC
Date: Thursdays, May 6, 13, 20, & 27
Time: 11am-11:30am
Age: Adults (18-54) and Seniors (55+)
Cost: FREE

Passport for Wellness is a video exercise and activity program designed to meet the needs of America's active aging population and for anyone

looking for a new way to get active. Each weekly video features entertaining story lines and experiences from around the world. Exercises are done at your own pace/ability and can be done standing or sitting down. Pre-registration is required and space is limited.

SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAM

Location: GCC
Date: Mondays, May 3, 10, 17 & 24
Time: 11:30am – 12:30pm
Age: Seniors (60+)
Cost: FREE – Donation appreciated.
Are you over the age of 60 and interested in receiving frozen meals? Meals are distributed by curbside pickup on Mondays. The meals are provided by the Senior Resource Connection. You must pre-register for meals at least one week in advance. To find out more information or how to register, please call 937-535-1097.

SHUFFLEBOARD

Location: GCC
Date: Tuesdays, May 4, 11, 18 & 25
Time: 10am – 12pm
Age: Seniors (55+)
Cost: FREE
Shuffle on over to play a game of indoor Shuffleboard. This will be a non-competitive game to enjoy while having fun.

Appleseed Park

3000 Dorf Drive

George Taylor Park

4709 E. Venetian Way

Pinnacle Park

3060 Charlotte Mill Drive

Deer Meadow Park

4321 Pinnacle Road

German Village Park

370 Blumen Lane

Pinnacle Park Tot Lot

3300 Charlotte Mill Drive

DP&L Park

2916 Cadillac Street

Lehigh Park

2607 Lehigh Place

Riverview Park

3021 Lakehurst Court

CEREMONY

This years ceremony will not be held in front of the Municipal Building. Instead, a Tribute Memorial Day Video will be published on the City's social media sites to honor the newly engraved bricks recently added to the pathway as well as honoring our veterans who have served our country during war and in peacetime.



Offices Closed

City offices close in observance of the following holidays: New Year's Eve Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve Day and Christmas Day.



MAYOR'S COURT

Monday-Friday
Hours 8a-4p

937-535-1010

COUNCIL

Monday-Friday
Hours 8a-5p

937-535-1005

TAXES

Monday-Friday
Hours 8a-5p

937-535-1026

NON EMERGENCY

Police & Fire
937-535-1166

POLICE RECORDS

Monday-Friday
Hours 9a-3p
937-535-1163

TRASH/BULK PICK-UP

City of Dayton
937-333-4800

WATER

Montgomery County
937-781-2500

Any other inquiries **937-535-1000**



ELAINE ALLISON
Mayor



ORA ALLEN
At-Large



DONALD BURCHETT
At-Large



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TERI MURPHY
Deputy Mayor
Ward 2



SHIRLEY WHITT
Ward 3



JEANETTE MARCUS
Ward 4