

CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS
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Some of you may be receiving this message from our office for the first time. Messages will contain some general, as well as specific information that you may find helpful. If you know of anyone that would like to be included, please tell them to sign up through our website: <http://www.broadview-heights.org/>.

RECREATION NEWS

- **AOK! FITNESS** offers Zumba, Pilates, Barre and all new POUND classes at the Broadview Heights Recreation Center. These are great workouts in a fun and friendly environment.
- **SPINNING:** Classes are held 7 days a week, evenings and weekends. There is no easier way to burn up to 500 calories in one hour!
For more information on any class or event, please visit our website at www.bhrec.org or call (440) 838-4522. Find us on Facebook: Broadview Heights Rec

PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY

SAT., SEPT. 26, 10AM-2PM – BRECKSVILLE SQUARE

Operation Medicine Cabinet is in collaboration with the Drug Enforcement Bureau (DEA), as well as Broadview Heights and Brecksville Police Departments and CERT Teams. These collection programs protect our children, our water and our food supplies, and decrease prescription drug abuse by making it easier to properly dispose of unused or expired medication. This is a completely confidential program. No personal information will be collection. PLEASE REMOVE ALL PRESCRIPTION DRUG LABELS BEFORE ARRIVING.

UPCOMING EVENTS – THIS WEEK *(click the link for more info)*

- **[G2P: SMASHCON15: THE TOURNAMENT](#)** (Sat., Sept. 26, 2PM) – Brecksville Library

SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH

This month all Americans are encouraged to take steps to prepare for emergencies in their homes, businesses, schools, and communities. For more information, [CLICK HERE](#).

NEW ADDITIONS TO OUR CALENDAR OF EVENTS *(click the link for more info)*

- **[K of C POKER NIGHT](#)** (Sat., Oct. 10, 6PM-midnight) – Assumption Family Center

NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY

In recognition of National Voter Registration Day, the Cuyahoga County Board of Elections and Cleveland Votes have launched the “Register Now” campaign. The Board and its community partners have a goal of registering or updating the registrations of 10,000 voters by encouraging them to Register Now instead of putting it off until it may be too late to vote in the November 3rd General Election. Information is on the [Board’s website](#) as well as a link to the National Voter Registration Day site that allows individuals to look up voter registration drives in their area.

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...

- **TRICK OR TREAT IN BROADVIEW HEIGHTS**
For those who like to plan ahead ... Trick or Treat will be Saturday, October 31, 6:00-8:00 PM.
 - **COMMUNITY AND RECREATION CENTER LEVIES**
 - On November 4, voters in Broadview Heights will have the opportunity to vote on the expansion of the Broadview Heights Community & Recreation Center. Voters will see two issues regarding the expansion: a 0.4 mill 15-year operating levy and a 1.42 mill 25-year bond issue.
 - The 0.4 mill operating levy would cover the increased operational costs (staffing, utilities, etc.) of both the new and current facility. The operating levy will cost homeowners \$1.17/month per \$100,000 of their appraised home valuation.
 - The 1.42 mill bond issue would cover the costs of the construction for the expansion, including: Dedicated senior space and programming, 2 additional gyms, new fitness center with state-of-the-art equipment, indoor track, modern locker room facilities, and a new aquatic area with lap lanes, lazy river, activity pool, zero depth entry wading area with play features, water slides, sauna, steam room and whirlpool. The bond issue will cost homeowners \$4.16/month per \$100,000 of their appraised home valuation.
 - If both issues pass, the construction of the expansion will begin in 2016 and membership rates will remain the same for all Broadview Heights residents. Membership rates will increase for all non-residents.
 - If both issues fail, a new facility will not be constructed and there will be an increase in membership rates for Broadview Heights residents and non-residents at the existing facility to cover the annual increase in operating costs.
 - [CLICK HERE](#) to view the informational flyer on these issues. For more information regarding these issues, including what the proposed expansion would consist of, please visit www.bhrec.org.
 - **MAYOR’S OPEN HOURS**
Drop-in hours for Mayor Sam Alai are Wednesdays, 4:30-6:00PM. No appointment is necessary. Check the website for last-minute changes.
 - **NO OVERNIGHT PARKING ON CITY STREETS:** Please remember that Ordinance No. 452.05(c)(1) prohibits parking on city streets between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Signs are posted in various locations throughout the city.
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RECREATION WEBSITE & BROCHURE : www.bhrec.org

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