

HELPFUL LINKS

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 - [Broadview Heights Website Home Page](#)
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LEO H. BENDER COMMUNITY CENTER - REDEDICATION CEREMONY MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2018 – 7PM

In 1994, Broadview Heights Mayor Leo Bender petitioned the State of Ohio to purchase the Broadview Developmental Center for the City campus. In 1995 the General Assembly voted to sell the property to the City. It became official in 1996 when the City purchased the 68-acre property for \$750,000. In 1998 the Recreation and Human Services Departments moved into the Thorin Building at the newly-renamed "Broadview Center". The Thorin Building underwent extensive renovation, and in 1999 City Hall moved into what is now called "The Community Building". In 2016 the voters of Broadview Heights voted to build a new recreation center... and the rest is history! [Click here](#) for more information about the early History of the Broadview Center.

HEAVY RAINS THIS WEEKEND

Leaves, grass and debris by the catch basins can cause flooding of the street and nearby yards. You can help us prevent flooding by clearing the catch basin in the street near your yard. Simply rake the debris away from the catch basin and put in the trash (biodegradable bag). Also, keep in mind that wet leaves are slippery; use care when walking and driving on wet leaves.

UPCOMING EVENTS NEXT WEEK (Click on the link for more information)

- [CHARITY POKER NIGHT](#) (Sat., Nov. 3, doors open 6PM) – Assumption Family Center
- [ART OFF THE PAGE](#) (Sat., Nov. 3, 10:30AM) – Brecksville Library
- [YIDDISHE CUP KLEZMER BAND](#) (Sun., Nov. 4, 4PM) – Brecksville United Church of Christ
- [THE MUSICAL "MAN OF LA MANCHA"](#) (Nov. 2-17) – Broadview Heights Spotlights Theater
- [DARE TO BE BETTER](#) (Tues., Nov. 6, 11AM-Noon) – Brecksville Human Services Center
- [BOY SCOUTS ANNUAL RIGATONI & MEATBALL DINNER](#) (Wed., Nov. 7, 4-7PM) – Assumption Family Center
- [PHOTOSHOP 1](#) (Fri., Nov. 9, 10AM-Noon) – Brecksville Library
- [ILLUSTRATOR 1](#) (Fri., Nov. 9, 1-3PM) – Brecksville Library
- [CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW](#) (Sat., Nov. 10, 9AM-3PM) – Cuyahoga Valley Career Center
- [PHANTOM OF THE OPERA ESCAPE ROOM](#) (Sat., Nov. 10, 2PM) – Brecksville Library

HUMAN SERVICES

The Broadview Heights Police Association will be **STUFFING THE BUS** at the Broadview Heights Giant Eagle on **Saturday, November 3, 2018** between 8AM & 5PM. They will be collecting nonperishable food items for the BROADVIEW HEIGHTS HUMAN SERVICES FOOD BANK. Some of the items needed are: canned fruit; meals in a can (stew, chili, and soups); pasta sauce; canned meat (tuna/chicken); boxed potatoes; peanut butter and jelly; oatmeal; fruit juices;

canned vegetables; toilet tissue; and hygiene products. Canned items with pull top lids are preferred. Please avoid donating items packed in glass. Giant Eagle gift cards are also welcome.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

- **INDOOR KIDS GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, November 10, 9AM-noon. Free admission!
- **BROADVIEW HEIGHTS COMMUNITY AND RECREATION CENTER UPDATE:** An Open House event was held on Saturday, October 27, and it was a big success. Thousands of people toured the new facilities! The looks on the children's faces as they walked into the new natatorium were priceless and there was a lot of excitement in the air! The new fitness center, the gymnasiums and the track are now open! The Seven Hills Recreation Department has extended the option for our members to utilize their pool while we continue to complete our new natatorium. The remaining facilities will be opening soon!
- **POSITIONS AVAILABLE AT NEW REC CENTER:** (If interested, [email resume](#) to Aquatics Manager Amanda Hutcheson, or complete and return an application (available at the front desk). [Online Application / Job Descriptions](#)
 - Water Safety Instructor
 - Water Exercise Instructor
 - Lifeguard

For additional information and updates: Find us online at www.bhrec.org or on Facebook @BVHREC

LEAF COLLECTION BEGINS IN AREA "C"

Leaf collection begins the week of November 5 for Avery Road; streets south of West Wallings & west of Avery; streets south of Royalton Road; Summerwood subdivision; and Broadview Road south of Wallings. [Click here to view the map/schedule](#) (The map also appeared in the October issue of the BroadView Journal.) Rake all leaves to the curb. DO NOT put leaves in the street! Leaf piles should be free of twigs, rocks, and grass clippings. As an alternative, leaves may be put in brown biodegradable bags and placed with the trash. Note: As in the past, if the crews finish the scheduled route early, they will move ahead to the next area. (If that happens, they will start the route over as scheduled.)

NEW ADDITIONS TO OUR CALENDAR OF EVENTS (Click on the link for more information)

- [MEANINGFUL LIFE AND WORK AFTER RETIREMENT](#) (Wed., Dec. 5, 2-4PM) – Brecksville Library
- [HARRY POTTER ORIGAMI](#) (Sat., Dec. 1, 2-3PM) – Brecksville Library
- [LOOK WHO'S TALKING](#) (Tues., Dec. 4, 10-11AM) – Brecksville Library

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT / BUSINESS EVENTS (Click on links for more information.)

View the most recent Quarterly Economic [Department Newsletter](#). Get to know Sher Smiles, learn relevant tips on commercial training incentives and potential building utility savings, marketing opportunities and community updates. (To receive the newsletter directly, [sign up here](#).)

- Creative Movement Center of Broadview Heights is hosting a **"DANCE MARATHON PAJAMA PARTY"** on Saturday, December 1, 5:30-10:00PM. This event is to raise funds to "adopt" a 5th grade classroom within the Cleveland Metropolitan School District to

receive the 10-week social development program “Dancing Classrooms. [View the flier here](#).

- The Broadview Heights Chamber of Commerce will be hosting its first annual **“CONSIDER THIS” Talk** on Monday, December 3, 2018 (6:30PM) at Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School. The topic will be “Are Our Students Prepared for the Future?” [Click here](#) for more information about guest speakers and their discussion topics.

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

- **AARP TAX AIDE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** The Human Services Department is hosting the AARP Foundation Tax Aide program again this year. Volunteers are needed for the continued success of this program. They are looking for leaders, tax return preparers, and greeters. [Click here](#) for more information.
- **SNOW PLOW PERMITS REQUIRED:** Ordinance 840.01 states that “..Any person who contracts or performs snow removal services in the City, on other than his or her own personal property, and for compensation, shall make application to the Mayor's office for a snow removal permit for each snow removal vehicle used by such applicant in the City...” [Download the application and ordinances](#) pertaining to snow plowing here. If you hire a contractor, please make sure they are licensed in Broadview Heights.
- **CURBSIDE RECYCLING IS IN TROUBLE:** Local recycling processors report that more and more recycling is contaminated with garbage (up to 25% garbage). Contamination happens when residents put unacceptable or non-recyclable items into their recycling bag. Also, recycling markets are shrinking because of China’s decision to restrict imports. Simply stated, they no longer want to be the global end-market for the world’s recyclables because, for decades, they have been accepting recyclables contaminated with trash and hazardous waste, leaving them with a spoiled environment that they are now working to clean up. These two facts – huge contamination rates and China’s restriction of imported recycling – have created a perfect storm for recycling here. Everyone’s help is needed to do a better job of recycling to keep the program viable. [Click here to view](#) the recycling guidelines.
- **ENGINEERING CO-OP** (for credit only): The Engineering Department is looking for a Co-Op to provide assistance on the survey crew, perform inspections, perform drafting tasks relating to City map updating, information gathering for pavement management program, and other duties as assigned. If interested, please review and apply [online](#).
- **SIGN UP TO GET NOTIFICATIONS ON JOB POSTINGS, COUNCIL MEETINGS, PLANNING COMMISSION AND ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETINGS, RECREATION DEPARTMENT UPDATES, LOCAL EVENTS, ETC.:** Click on NOTIFY ME on the home page of our website ... or [CLICK HERE](#) to go there now.

CITY RULES & REGULATIONS

- **BUILDING DEPARTMENT REMINDERS:** All contractors performing work in the City must be registered. The majority of projects that require hiring a contractor also require a permit. Permits cards must be displayed on the property in a place visible from the street. Projects requiring contractor registration and permits also require inspections by the Building Department. Specific to roofers, an “ice guard” inspection is required prior to installing shingles. Contact the Building Department with any questions. 440-526-6864
- **CURBSIDE RECYCLING GUIDELINES:** **Simply put, listed are the items that are recyclable:** Plastic Bottles & Jugs, Glass Bottles & Jars, Cartons, Metal Cans, and Paper & Cardboard.

Throw away the lids in regular trash unless they are still on the original container (tightly). **When in doubt throw it out (in the garbage that is).** Click on this link for tips on recycling the right way [Cuyahoga Recycles](#). For large and miscellaneous trash items, click on the downloadable, printable guidelines. [City Special Trash Guidelines](#).

- **NOISE ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT:** No person shall use engine or motor- powered garden, lawn or maintenance tools intended for repetitive use in landscaping in residential areas, typically capable of being used by homeowners, including garden tools, riding tractors, walking tractors and power mowers, between the hours of 8PM of any day and 8:00AM of the following day. **Note: Hours vary for construction and roadwork.**
- **TRIMMING OF TREE LAWN TREES:** Please help us be a “walkable” community by pruning the trees on your tree lawn. The Shade Tree Commission recommends a minimum height of 6’6”. This will help keep our pedestrians and bike-riders safe.
- **ALL GARBAGE IS TO BE PUT OUT BY 7AM:** Due to weather conditions, holidays, call-offs, etc. the normal pick up times will vary. Do NOT rely on the time that trash has been picked up in the past.
- **SOLICITING IN BROADVIEW HEIGHTS:** There are several ordinances that pertain to [soliciting in Broadview Heights](#). All ordinances are located on our [website](#).
- **NO OVERNIGHT PARKING ON CITY STREETS:** [Codified Ordinance](#) section 452.05(c) (1) prohibits parking on city streets between the hours of 3AM and 6AM. Per Codified Ordinance section 452.20 (a), signs are posted at city limits.

MAYOR’S OPEN HOURS: Drop in on Wednesdays, 4:30-6:00PM (Please check the website or call City Hall prior to coming in case of a last-minute change.)

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