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#### **RIBBON CUTTING & GRAND OPENING CONCERT OF BROADVIEW HTS COMMUNITY AMPHITHEATER**

Save the Date! The City of Broadview Hts proudly presents the Ribbon Cutting & Grand Opening Concert of the Community Amphitheater, Thursday, May 30, 7PM on Broadview Hts City Campus at 9453 Broadview Road! This event will feature the sounds of Brent Kirby & His Luck. Food & beverages will be available for purchase. All are welcome. View the invite here: [Amphitheater Ribbon Cutting Invitation](#)

#### **2019 FARMERS MARKET VENDOR OPEN CALL**

Interested in selling your produce or homemade goods at our 2019 Farmers Market? Consider joining us from this year's Farmers Market, which will run Saturdays, 9AM to 1PM, from June 29<sup>th</sup> through September 28<sup>th</sup>! For further information, please contact Kristina Sorensen at [ksorensen@broadview-heights.or](mailto:ksorensen@broadview-heights.or) or at 440-526-3873.

#### **ELECTION ON MAY 7<sup>TH</sup>**

- Effective with the election on May 7, there will be only two voting locations in Broadview Heights – The Broadview Heights Community Building and The Broadview Heights Baptist Church. In summary, those who voted at the Baptist Church will continue to vote there. All others will be voting at the Community Building. [View the official Ward Map here.](#)
- Early voting continues through May 6 at the Board of Elections: 2925 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland. Voters that plan to cast a ballot on Election Day should bring I.D. and confirm their polling locations as they have changed in Broadview Heights. Polls are open from 6:30AM to 7:30PM.
- Voters in Broadview Heights will cast ballots on a municipal zoning issue in the May 7, 2019 Election, known as **Issue 6**. Issue 6 is a proposed zoning amendment change in the City of Broadview Heights asking voters if they approve changing four (4) parcels from A1 Residential Family Zoning to Special Planning District Zone B zoning, which allows for denser housing. It reads: ***Shall the Zoning Map of the City of Broadview Heights be amended to change the zoning classification of PP#'s 584-08-004, 584-08-005, 584-08-006 and 584-08-007, located on the North side of Route 82 between Seneca Boulevard and Oakwood Trail, from their current A-1 (Single Family Dwelling) to Special Planning District Zone B?*** For more information, [read the Ordinance 1-2019](#) Rezoning Parcels located on the north side of Route 82 (PDF). To learn about the Special Planning District Zone B, [view the Ordinance 194-12](#) establishing the Town Center Special Planning District 1. You may [also view the Broadview Heights Zoning Map](#) as a guide.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS THIS WEEK** (Click on the link for more information)

- [“THE VELVETEEN RABBIT”](#) (May 4-12) – Broadview Heights Spotlights Theater
- [SUPERHERO ANIMATION WITH KRITA](#) (Sat., May 4, 11:00AM-12:30PM) – Brecksville Library
- [DEAR EVAN HANSEN: BEHIND THE MUSICAL](#) (Tues., May 7, 7:00-8:30PM) – Brecksville Library
- [TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHY](#) (Wed., May 8, 7:00-8:30PM) – Brecksville Library
- [“SUESSICAL THE MUSICAL” BY ASSUMPTION ACADEMY DRAMA CLUB](#) (May 10-11) – Assumption Academy
- [LETTER CARRIERS “STAMP OUT HUNGER” FOOD DRIVE](#) (Sat., May 11, 8AM-8PM) – Leave donations by mailbox or drop off at Fire Station
- [MAKE A GIFT FOR MOM](#) (Sat., May 11, 9:30-11:30AM) – Brecksville Library

## **SANITARY SEWER ISSUES**

Over the past few years we have experienced escalating issues in our sanitary sewer system caused by unsuitable materials being flushed down toilets. The increased use of “flushable” wipes has caused major clogging issues in the pump stations and, in some cases, house lateral lines. Even though the box states that they are flushable, they do not degrade quickly enough and accumulate to clog the pumps and pipes. **Please do not flush anything except toilet paper!** Thank you for your cooperation.

## **GUIDELINES FOR BLOCK PARTIES AND FOOD TRUCK VISITS**

Notify the Mayor’s office of plans to hold a Block Party or visit by a food truck. Include date, time, rain date (if applicable), location, and a sketch or map if blocking of a street is requested. Email to [cityhall@broadview-heights.org](mailto:cityhall@broadview-heights.org), or send a letter to the Mayor’s Office, City of Broadview Heights, 9543 Broadview Road, Broadview Heights, OH 44147. You will receive a response within 5 business days.

- **BLOCKED ROADS**
  - Blocking of the street is not permitted unless there is an alternate access to residences beyond the point of the gathering.
  - Items such as tables, games, grills, etc. are not permitted to be in the street. Blocked roads are only to protect people who may be walking through the area.
  - Blocked roads must be opened by dark.
- **FOOD TRUCKS**
  - Food trucks must be inspected and approved by the Fire Department per Ordinance 1650.08. Have the operator call 440-526-4493.
  - Parking is allowed only on the non-hydrant side of the street for one hour.

## **PLEDGE TO PLANT – FREE TREES**

Every year trees are given away and many of those don’t end up planted correctly or planted at all. The Cuyahoga County Soil & Water Conservation District is offering free trees in the Fall to anyone that will [sign this pledge](#). The trees come with information on how to plant and care for it. The link includes other helpful information for preserving the environment.

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

- [UPHILL DOWNHILL RUN - FOR MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS](#) (Sat., June 1, 8AM) – Brecksville Municipal Parking Lot

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT / BUSINESS EVENTS Economic Development

Winter Newsletter Available NOW! [Department Newsletter](#). (To receive the newsletter directly, [sign up here](#).)

- **CUYAHOGA VALLEY CAREER CENTER:** [View information](#) about its upcoming programs.

## RECREATION DEPARTMENT

- **SUMMER CAMP** begins June 3. Weekly and daily rates apply, sign up today. You can sign up for all programs online at [www.bhrec.org](http://www.bhrec.org) or at the Recreation Center front desk. For additional information and updates: Find us online at [www.bhrec.org](http://www.bhrec.org) or on Facebook @BVHREC

## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

- **MEALS ON WHEELS:** The Department of Human Services is the headquarters for the Brecksville and Broadview Heights Meals on Wheels Program. If you or any member of your family find it difficult to prepare your own meals due to recent surgery or incapacity, call 440-526-2499 to be guided through the process. The meals are provided Monday through Friday every day except holidays.
- **SOLICITING IN BROADVIEW HEIGHTS:** It's the time of year when solicitors begin their door-to-door sales. Section 828.04 of our Codified Ordinances limits the hours of solicitation from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Section 828.05 states that, "...no person engaged in business...shall call at any residence in the City which displays a **NO-SOLICITATION sign**. Section 828.06 reads: "Peddlers and solicitors shall use only residential sidewalks and driveways..." Section 828.07 reads: "...no person engaged in business...shall call upon...any residence...which is at that time on the 'Peddlers/Solicitors Do Not Call Registry.'" **If you do not want solicitors, please put a NO SOLICITING sign in a visible place on your door.** If a solicitor ignores your sign, call the police at that time. Note: Even if you are on the [DO NOT KNOCK LIST](#), you need to have a NO SOLICITING sign on your door.
- **BROADVIEW HEIGHTS COMMUNITY AMPHITHEATER:** The Broadview Heights Community Amphitheater will be ready for summer of 2019! The City plans to use this exciting new space to host all of the ongoing summer events in our community, such as the Memorial Day Parade, the "Nights in the Heights" summer concert series, Home Days Festival, the Mayor's 5K, Family Campout Movie Nights, Farmers Markets, and more! Watch this space for additional construction updates and new events as they unfold. Tell us what type of events you would like to see take place at the Community Amphitheater [by taking this quick survey](#) and providing feedback!
- **"CHRONIC DISEASE SELF-MANAGEMENT (CDSM)"** will be held on Wednesdays, 9:30AM-12:00PM, May 1-June 5, at the Broadview Heights Senior Center, 9543 Broadview Road. Free and open to anyone. [Click here to view the flyer](#). Call the Human Services Department if interested: 440-526-4685.
- **DETERRA BAGS AVAILABLE IN THE HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT:** Detera bags are a drug disposal pouch that provides an easy way for people to deactivate and dispose of unused, expired or unneeded medications in their own home. Each patented Detera pouch contains a water-soluble inner pod containing proprietary MAT12® activated carbon. Once the drugs are placed in the pouch, warm water is then added, which dissolves the inner pod releasing the activated carbon. Detera works on pills, patches, and liquids, allowing them to be absorbed by the carbon, rendering them inert and non-retrievable. To receive a pouch, please call 440-526-4074.

- **HOME REPAIR LOAN INFORMATION:** The Neighborhood Housing Services (NHS) of Greater Cleveland offers a Home Repair Loan Program to residents of Cuyahoga County. Highlights of the program include loans from \$5,000-\$60,000 with flexible terms up to 30 years and rates of 4.99-6.5%. There are no minimum credit score requirements. Click here for [more information](#) or an [application](#).
- **COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE:** The City of Broadview Heights will be hosting this annual event around the City on **Saturday, June 8, 2019**, starting at 9AM. Those who live in a neighborhood where the H.O.A. does not allow garage sales, or those that do not wish to have the sale at their home may reserve space at the Broadview Center parking lot from 9AM-2PM. The event will be held rain or shine. **(NOTE: NO REGULAR GARAGE SALE PERMITS WILL BE ISSUED BY THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT FOR THAT WEEKEND.)** The registration fee will cover publicity, a 20'x20' space at the Rec Center ... OR...the permit for those who hold the sale at their home; inclusion on a listing of participants & summary of items. Register by June 1, on-line at [www.bhrec.org](http://www.bhrec.org) or stop at the front desk of the Community Building. **The cost to participate is \$10.00.**
- **THE BROADVIEW HEIGHTS HISTORICAL SOCIETY** will soon be opening its new home on the Broadview Center campus. Help preserve Broadview Heights' heritage by making a donation or buying a brick paver to help with repairs. [Click here](#) for more information.
- **HOUSING LOAN ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM:** To help assist residents with some of their housing needs the City of Broadview Heights participates in variety of housing loan programs, including the Housing Enhancement Loan Program (H.E.L.P.), assisted through Cuyahoga County Department of Development. For more information, call 216-443-2149 or [visit the Cuyahoga County Department of Development's website](#).
- **ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS:**
  - **Part-Time Seasonal Service Workers:** Applications are being accepted for P.T. seasonal jobs in the Service Department. Complete a Part-Time Employment Application and forward it to [ajavor@broadview-heights.org](mailto:ajavor@broadview-heights.org). [Download it here](#) or pick one up at the front desk. You can also [apply online](#).
  - **Part-Time Grounds Crew:** Now accepting applications for Part-Time Ground Keepers. This is a seasonal position within the Parks & Recreation Department. Primary functions include field preparation, general labor, general cleaning, general maintenance and landscaping. Must have ability to lift items over 50 lbs., operate a motor vehicle, and have a clean driving record. Previous experience and knowledge of athletic field maintenance preferred. Starting pay is typically \$9 per hour.
  - **Aquatic Positions:** To apply for Water Safety Instructor, Lifeguard, or Head Lifeguard, [email resume](#) to Aquatics Manager Amanda Hutcheson, or complete and return an application (available at the front desk). [Online Application / Job Descriptions](#)
  - **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](#).
- **NEW CITYWIDE NOTIFICATION SYSTEM:** We are proud to announce the launch of our new **CodeRED/ReadyNotify** community notification system to send important alerts and time-sensitive messages to residents. Registration for this notification service is

customized, allowing residents to choose which alerts they would like to sign up for and their preferred manner of receipt. As part of this implementation, we are **strongly recommending that all current City notification subscribers re-register for our updated system**. For more information and registration click [here](#).

- **INTERACTIVE MAP NOW AVAILABLE:** Check out the new interactive map on the city website, look up construction information, wards, and roadwork, etc. [Interactive Map](#)
- **ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ACCEPTED AT OUR HAZARDOUS WASTE SERVICE GARAGE DROP OFF LOCATIONS:**
  - **LATEX PAINT** is NOT hazardous waste. Please dry it out at home and put with the regular trash with the lid off so the drivers can see that it is dried out. You can mix the paint with kitty litter, sawdust, or a purchased drying agent available anywhere that paint is sold.
  - **MEDICAL WASTE:** Unused medications can be taken to the North Royalton, Seven Hills, or Brecksville police departments and placed in the drug disposal box in their respective lobbies.
  - **CFL LIGHT BULBS** (the curly ones) should be taken to *Lowes, Home Depot, or Batteries+* for recycling (15312 Pearl Road; phone 440-571-0002 or 440-571-0016)
  - **FLUORESCENT TUBE LIGHTS** should be taken to *Batteries+*.
  - **PROPANE TANKS** (20 lb. regular grill tanks) can be taken to any business that sells Blue Rhino propane. Write "RECYCLE" on the empty tank.
  - **TELEVISIONS AND MICROWAVES** are NOT accepted in the computer round-up drop-off location! Tube televisions under 32", flat screens under 50", and portable televisions can be taken to any Best Buy for recycling (please call Best Buy ahead, fees may be charged).
  - **SINGLE-USE ALKALINE BATTERIES** can be safely discarded in your regular trash. Additional information can be found at <http://cuyahogarecycles.org>
- **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
- **MINORS CURFEW:** Per [Chapter 648.10](#) of the Broadview Heights Code of Ordinances the curfew age & hours are as follows:

<b>Age</b>	<b>Hours</b>
Through 12	Darkness to 6:30 a.m.
13 through 15	10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
16 through 17	11:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m., Sunday through Thursday;
16 through 17	Midnight to 6:00 a.m., Friday and Saturday

- **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.)

**SAMUEL J. ALAI, MAYOR**  
 CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS  
 440-526-3651