

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 who would like to be included, please reply with their name, street, and e-mail address. **If you would like to be removed from this list, please reply to this message and type "REMOVE" in the subject line.**

LOCAL EVENTS COMING NEXT WEEK

- **OPEN HOUSE FOR TOPS OH 2214 BRECKSVILLE (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)** (Wed., April 18, 4:30-8:30PM) - Simon's Restaurant, Brecksville
- **"VINTAGE HITCHCOCK: A Live Radio Show"** (Fri./Sat., Apr. 20/21 at 7:30PM; Sun., Apr. 22 at 3PM) – Broadview Heights Spotlights Theater
- **KofC POKER NIGHT & TEXAS HOLD-EM TOURNAMENT** (Fri., Apr. 20, 6PM) – Assumption Family Center
- **SPRING CHILDRENS SALE** (Sat., Apr. 21, 8AM-1PM) – North Royalton High School
- **RUSH-FOR-A-CAUSE 5K RUN/WALK AND 1 MILE WALK** (Sat., Apr. 21, registration 7AM) – Brecksville Towpath, 13513 Station Rd.
- **CHESS TOURNAMENT** (Sat., Apr. 21, 1PM) – Brecksville Library
- **FASHION SHOW LUNCHEON: SPRING INTO FASHION** (Sun., Apr. 22, 11AM-3PM) – St. Michael's Woodside

[Click HERE](#) for more information on these events.

HOME DAYS

The website home page now contains a link for Home Days. It will be updated regularly as new activities, sponsors, entertainment and booths are added. The page also contains a link to download the application for booth space. Stay tuned as our event evolves.

RECREATION NEWS

- **KIDS GARAGE SALE – Sat., May 5, Broadview Center Gym**
The Recreation Department is now accepting on-line registrations for the sale. Register at www.bhrec.org and click on "on-line registration" on the left side of the screen. Registration is limited. The deadline for table space is April 28.
- **FIELD CLEAN-UP DAY – Sat., Apr. 14 and Apr. 21, 9AM**
The Parks and Recreation Department will be hosting two clean-up days at "The Fields" located at 8938 Broadview Road. Help us beautify the area in preparation for the upcoming season. We are looking for coaches, sports teams, community groups, and individuals who want to help make a difference in Broadview Heights. We may be painting and working with dirt and mulch, so please come dressed appropriately. We could use additional shovels and rakes on the day of the event.

Stop in, call 440/838-4522, or visit the website for more information or to register. For ON-LINE registration, visit www.bhrec.org You can also find the Recreation Department on Facebook: **Broadview Heights Rec**

MAY IS “MULTIPLE CHEMICAL SENSITIVITY MONTH”

Council recently passed a resolution recognizing Multiple Chemical Sensitivity Disorder (MCS) as a chronic condition aggravated by exposure to toxic and other chemicals commonly found in perfumes, deoderants, paint, coatings on outdoor fences and furniture, chemicals applied to rugs and carpets, vehicle exhausts, and chemicals used in office equipment. Persons with this disability experience burning/stinging eyes, wheezing/shortness of breath, nausea, extreme fatigue, headache, poor memory/concentration, runny nose, rashes, sensitivity to light/noise, digestive upset, muscle/joint pain, rapid heartbeat, anxiety, and sleeping problems. While we cannot in the modern world eliminate potential triggers, through greater awareness we can reduce the number of environmental triggers in public areas and afford MCS suffers more understanding and respect.

NEW ADDITIONS TO THE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **CRIME FICTION ROCKS: MYSTERIOUS READS** (Wed., June 6, 7PM) – Brecksville Library

[Click HERE](#) for more information on these events.

MAYOR'S DROP-IN HOURS: Generally Wednesdays, 5:00-7:00PM – No appointment necessary.

CITY MEETINGS AND AGENDA: www.broadview-heights.org/eventcity.html

RECREATION WEBSITE & BROCHURE: www.bhrec.org

LOCAL EVENTS CALENDAR: www.broadview-heights.org/eventspecial.html

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