

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.**

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## **LOCAL EVENTS COMING NEXT WEEK**

- **ORNAMENTAL GRASSES PRESENTATION** (Tues., Feb. 28, 7PM) – Brecksville City Hall Community Room
- **LEGALLY ADDICTED** (Wed., Feb. 29, 6:30-9:30PM) – Cuyahoga Valley Career Center
- **ZENTANGLE FOR KIDS** (Sat., Mar. 3, 10AM) – Brecksville Library  
[Click HERE](#) for more information on these events.

## **RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP**

The Broadview Heights Engineering Department is hosting a Rain Barrel Workshop on Tuesday, April 3 from 6:30-8:00 in the Arts & Crafts Room of the Recreation Center. Learn to harvest rainwater for all your garden needs and to combat storm water pollution. Each workshop participant will construct a rain barrel to take home. A barrel, downspout diverter and all materials are included. To register, contact Rocky River Watershed Coordinator Jared Bartley at 216/524-6580 x14. The cost is \$60 per barrel.

## **BROADVIEW ROAD IMPROVEMENT REPORT**

You can obtain information about the status of the Broadview Road improvement project (north of Rt. 82 and south of Rt. 82) by visiting our website: [www.broadview-heights.org](http://www.broadview-heights.org). There is a link on the home page.

## **RECREATION NEWS**

- **AQUATICS:** The next session of Tuesday/Thursday swim lessons begin on February 28. Register NOW.
- **ADULT GOLF LESSONS:** The final session begins March 7 for beginners and March 9 for intermediates.

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

- **KIDZ ART:** Session II of Kidz Art will begin March 8 for children in grades K-4. Classes will feature exciting projects including prismacolor Markers, Oil Pastels, Watercolors, Charcoal, Foil Creations and more. Sessions will run for 10 weeks. Sign up today at [www.kidzartoh.com](http://www.kidzartoh.com) or call 440/899-7676.

## **NEW KNITTING PROGRAM AT SENIOR CENTER**

The Broadview Heights Senior Center is kicking off a new knitting group. Come March 22 at 11:30AM to be part of the creation and direction of this group of

experienced knitters. Help determine when and how often you meet and any goal-setting. Bring your own supplies to start enjoying the companionship of other knitters. This event follows the 10:00 Senior Meeting and 11:00 stuffed pork lunch. The first session will be led by Soft-n-Sassy owner, Cheryl Geschke.

## **NEW ADDITIONS TO THE CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- **SPANISH FUN WITH THE LANGUAGE LODGE** (Fri., Mar. 9, 10:30AM) – Brecksville Library
- **JUNGLE SAFARI PUPPET SHOW** (Sat., Mar. 10, 10:30AM) – Brecksville Library
- **THE MUSICAL PETTING ZOO** (Sat., Mar. 24, 2:30PM) – Brecksville Library
- **RHYTHM INSTRUMENTS OF THE WORLDS** (Wed., Mar. 28, 7PM) – Brecksville Library
- **ORNAMENTAL GRASSES** (Tues., Feb. 28, 7PM) – Brecksville City Hall Community Room
- **THE HISTORY OF GARDENS FROM THE JEFFERSONIAN** (Tues., Mar. 27, 7PM) – Brecksville City Hall Community Room
- **HYDRANGEA CARE** (Tues., Apr. 24, 7PM) – Brecksville City Hall Community Room
- **FESTIVAL OF ORCHESTRAS** (Thurs., Mar. 8, 7PM) – Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School Auditorium
- **CABARET SHOW “FRANK WILSON PRESENTS MARK TWAIN: LIFE STORIES & OTHER LIES”** (Fri./Sat., Mar. 9/10, 7PM) – Broadview Heights Spotlights Theater

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

## **CITY’S EXCELLENT BOND RATING AFFIRMED**

Last week Moody’s Investors Service affirmed the City’s Aa2 Bond Rating citing sound financial operations supported by healthy cash reserves along with our very modest debt burden.

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

**CITY MEETINGS AND AGENDA:** [www.broadview-heights.org/eventcity.html](http://www.broadview-heights.org/eventcity.html)

**RECREATION WEBSITE & BROCHURE:** [www.bhrec.org](http://www.bhrec.org)

**LOCAL EVENTS CALENDAR:** [www.broadview-heights.org/eventspecial.html](http://www.broadview-heights.org/eventspecial.html)

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