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CITY NEWS

Athletic/Rec Master Plan Update

The City continues its work on developing an athletic and recreation facilities master plan. The plan will address Oakwood public athletic and recreation facilities and will provide a guide for operations, maintenance, and capital improvements over the next 5-10 years. The master plan will include a vision for the future, taking into consideration the existing facilities, as well as unmet athletic and recreation needs as identified by our citizens and city leaders.

As mentioned in previous articles, the success of this master planning endeavor is directly related to the level of public input and participation. To date we have held two community meetings at the Oakwood High School auditorium and have received

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SCHOOL NEWS

2010 National Merit Scholarship Program Recognition

Oakwood High School is pleased to announce the names of four seniors who have been named as ***National Merit Scholarship Semifinalists*** as well as seven seniors who qualified for the designation of ***Commended Scholars.***

Congratulations to **David Holdren, Jonathan Pearson, Andrew Berger** and **Audrey Maney** on being named ***National Merit Scholarship Semifinalists***. These students scored in the top one-half of 1% among college bound high school students on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test taken in October of their junior year. These students are eligible to become National Merit Finalists and possibly receive National Merit Scholarships.

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LIBRARY NEWS

On-the-Road at Starbucks Book Club

The library's book club meets on the first Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. at Starbucks, 2418 Far Hills Avenue , in Oakwood. Advance registration is not needed.

These titles will be discussed in December and January:
Tuesday, December 1—*The Trees* by Conrad Richter. Sayward Luckett and her family leave western Pennsylvania for the densely wooded Ohio frontier in the late 18th century. The hardships of survival in a lonely cabin bring out the best in Sayward as she valiantly attempts to hold her family together in the dark and lonely Ohio wilderness.

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feedback from several hundred citizens via a detailed survey questionnaire that was inserted in the last edition of this newsletter.

Additional public input opportunities are as follows:

Public Meetings: We will conduct another community meeting at 6:30 P.M. on Wednesday, December 16. The meeting will be held in the Great Room at the OCC. At the meeting we will: 1) discuss the work we have completed thus far; 2) provide a summary of the input and feedback we have received from Oakwood citizens; and 3) talk about where we are heading. We will likely conduct one more such meeting in February. Some time thereafter the final plan will be presented to City Council for review and approval.

Neighborhood Meetings: We will conduct a series of five neighborhood meetings throughout Oakwood. We will announce dates, times and locations through the media and OCC e-mail distribution list. We have about 1,500 e-mail addresses on the list. Please call 298-0775 if you wish to be added.

One-on One Interviews: We will conduct a series of one-on-one interviews with 10-15 selected citizens representing a varied demographic.

Final Written Survey: We plan to mail a written survey to all Oakwood property owners towards the latter part of the project. That survey will focus on getting reaction to our preliminary plans and possible design options.

Telephone Survey: We plan to conduct a telephone survey towards the end of the project to get a statistically valid read on where the community stands on the proposed master plan and possible project funding.

If you have any questions about the master plan project, please call Leisure Services Director Carol Collins at 298-0775, Assistant City Manager Jay A. Weiskircher at 298-0411, or me at 298-0600. Please mark your calendar for the December 16 meeting.

Norbert Klopsch, City Manager

Dog Licenses

Montgomery County dog licenses will be available at the Oakwood City Building from Tuesday, December 1, 2009 through Friday, January 29, 2010. All dogs in Montgomery County that are three months of age or older must be licensed. The cost of the license is $20. Payment for the license may be made by cash or check payable to the City of Oakwood.

Community Tree Lighting Ceremony At Shafor Park

The Annual Holiday of Lights Ceremony will be held at Shafor Park again this year. The event will take place at 6:30 P.M. on Sunday, December 13. All residents are invited and encouraged to hear the high school band and choir and other entertainment, enjoy hot chocolate and popcorn, and watch for a special red-suited visitor and his helpers from the North Pole.

The event is held in conjunction with "Lighting Up" of Oakwood. In addition to the activities mentioned above, the city will once again offer carriage and wagon rides (free of charge) for citizens to view the lighted community. Rides depart from Shafor Park.

"Lighting Up" Oakwood Set For Sunday, December 13

The City, under leadership of the Environmental Committee, is "Lighting Up" Oakwood on December 13, beginning at 6:00 P.M. This event is an effort to brighten the entire community at the onset of the winter holiday season. Luminarias will line the boulevards on Far Hills and on Shafor as well as the city building, community center, Smith Gardens, Huffman Park and other public areas. The committee encourages neighborhood participation and hopes to see many citizens joining in the fun.

Luminaria kits will be sold at the OCC. They are sold by the dozen at a cost of $3.50 per dozen. The price includes the white bags, sand and 10-hour candles. Residents may purchase luminarias at the OCC during regular business hours. Residents interested in helping with this project should call Carol Collins at 298-0775.

December/January Council Meetings

City council will meet in work sessions at 5:00 P.M. on Monday, December 7 and Monday, January 25, and in regular sessions at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, December 14 and Monday, January 4. All meetings will take place at the city building, 30 Park Avenue. The regular sessions are preceded by an open work session beginning at 6:00 P.M. Citizens are invited to attend any of these meetings. The regular sessions are televised live on cable TV. Please check your cable guide or www.mvcc.net/ for broadcast times. Within a week or so after the regular sessions, meeting videos may be viewed on-line at the city's website www.mvcc.net/oakwood

Holiday Closings

City offices, the Community Center and the Public Works Center will be closed on Friday, December 25 for Christmas and Friday, January 1 for New Year's.

The City offices, Community Center and Public Works Center will also be closed on Monday, January 18 in recognition of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Please refer to the holiday refuse pickup article herein for refuse collection schedule.

Community Center News

Breakfast With Santa: This event is scheduled for Saturday, December 12 from 9:00-11:30 A.M. The event is open to children ages 10 and under. Everyone attending must have a ticket to be admitted. Tickets are available at the OCC.

Junior High Dances At The OCC: Dances for all Oakwood junior high students at the OCC during January will be held on Friday, January 8 and January 29. Dances will be from 8:30-10 P.M. Doors will open at 8:15 P.M. These dances are for Oakwood students only.

Saftety Department News

One of the biggest threats that our children face today is the alarming rise in the abuse of prescription drugs. Typically these drugs are narcotic based, but other drugs including over the counter medications can and are potentially abused. We all need to be aware of what our children are doing and potentially have access to. The family medicine cabinet can be as dangerous as a street corner drug dealer. Know what is in your home and medicine cabinet and properly dispose of any old or outdated medications, while keeping close tabs on all medications in your home. Encourage relatives and friends to do likewise.

Talk with your children about the significant dangers of all drugs, when they are misused. Today there is a growing trend among students to have "Pharm-ing Parties" or "Trail Mixing Parties". At these parties to be admitted you bring drugs, often from your home medicine cabinet and put them into a large bowl or dish. Party goers then consume drugs from the bowl during the party, unknown as to what they are consuming. This is a very dangerous practice and especially so if drugs are combined or taken with alcohol and create a synergistic effect on the body.

Prevention is the best medicine when it comes to keeping our children safe in today's world. Take a moment and talk with your children, it could save their lives.

Winter Weather Plowing Policy

In the event of a major snowfall, the city follows this policy to keep streets and alleys clear.

Salting: Major streets, hills and intersections take priority with residential streets following. In most situations, all streets are salted to some extent. However, due to cost and environmental concerns, we manage carefully the amount of salt distributed. Please always exercise caution when driving in snowy/icy weather, even when you see salt being used.

Plowing: During heavy snowfall, it may be necessary to clear streets of all parked vehicles. Please help us during any snowfall by not parking your vehicle on the streets. In emergency situations, temporary NO PARKING signs may be posted and cars parked in these locations may be towed.

Sidewalk Plowing: When there is an accumulation of 1" or more of snow, sidewalk plows are dispatched. Plows will make **one pass** through the city on all five-foot wide sidewalks. Please remember that while our city offers this unique service, under city ordinance **it is the property owner's responsibility to keep sidewalks at their frontage clear of snow and ice.**

Alley Plowing: Alleys are plowed after an accumulation of 4" or more of snow.

Driveway Plowing: If you are plowing your driveway, please make arrangements so that the snow is not pushed into or across the street. Also, please remember that it is the property owner's responsibility to make certain their own driveway is clear of snow and ice to allow the city refuse collection vehicles to enter into the areas in a safe and efficient manner.

Cardboard Recycling

If you wish to recycle large amounts of cardboard, you may drop it off in the containers located at the Creager field parking lot at Shafor and Irving. These containers are accessible 24 hours per day. Small amounts of flattened cardboard may be placed with your regular recycling items.

Brush and Branch Collection

Brush and branch material may be placed between the sidewalk and curb for automatic collection by the city according to the schedule below. Please do not place any brush and branch material in the streets or boulevards. Brush should be no longer than 6 feet in length and in a manageable pile that is away from trees, poles, fire hydrants and other obstructions.

Tax Season Approaches

Help direct your tax dollars to your community. Oakwood residents who work outside of Oakwood and incur business travel outside of their employment city can request a refund from their employment city. If you can provide a list of dates and work locations, along with vacation, holiday and sick days for which you were compensated during 2009, the Oakwood Tax Department will prepare the necessary tax returns in order to return the appropriate portion of your local tax dollars to the city of Oakwood.

For those individuals working outside the city of Oakwood, please review your pay stub to ensure proper withholding. You should be withheld for your city of employment, if applicable. If your employer also withholds a "courtesy tax", (calculated as the incremental difference between your work and residence city tax rates) please make sure that your resident city is the city of Oakwood. If you have any questions regarding Oakwood income tax and filing requirements, please contact the tax department at 298-0531.

Leaf Pickup

Autumn leaf pickup service is scheduled to conclude on December 18. Please remember that leaves should be raked to the curb or gutter, but must not be bagged. Also, no brush, branches or other yard debris should be included with the leaves. This other yard debris should be placed off the street behind the curb, or in containers with the regular trash if it is a small amount. Please be aware of the safety concerns of having leaves in the street and spread out large piles to avoid blocking entire lanes of roadways. The leaf pickup schedule is the same as the brush and branch schedule per the map below.

Holiday Tree Disposal

Holiday trees placed between the sidewalk and curb will be picked up according to the normal brush collection schedule (see map below). These items should be placed at the property frontage as close to the curb (on the property side) as possible and not in boulevard areas. Please remove plastic covers from trees. Evergreen wreaths and boughs, wires, ribbons, ornamental items, and wrapping paper should be placed with your regular refuse items.

Special Pickups

The city's special pickup program suspended during leaf season will begin again on January 6, 2009. You may schedule this service on or after January 4th by phoning Theresa Caldwell at the Public Works Center at 298-0777.

Holiday Refuse Pickups

The refuse collection schedule will be adjusted during holiday weeks as shown below:

Week of December 21 and 28

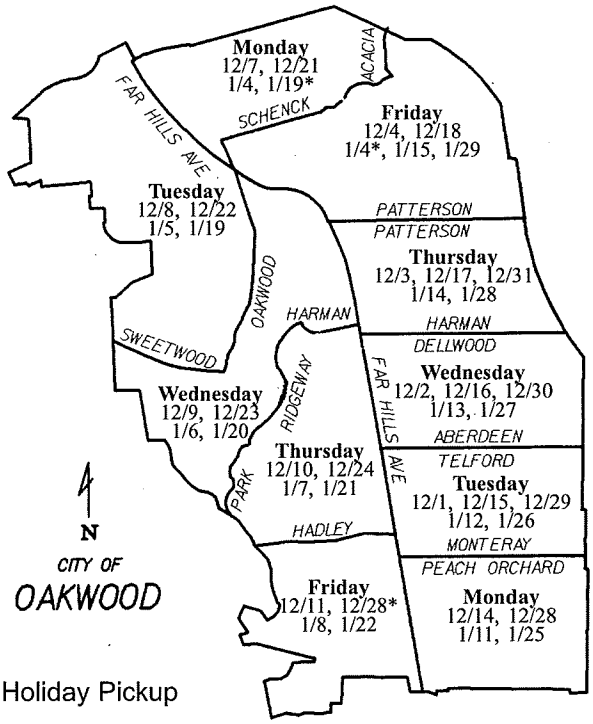
Regular Schedule	Holiday Schedule
Monday	Monday
Tuesday	Tuesday
Wednesday	Wednesday
Thursday	Thursday AM**

Week of January 18

Regular Schedule	Holiday Schedule
Monday	Tuesday
Tuesday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Thursday
Thursday	Friday

**Please note that on December 24th and 31st refuse collection will take place entirely in the morning, so please have all of your materials out by 7:30 A.M. with driveways clear of obstructions.

Curbside Yard Debris Collection Schedule



* Holiday Pickup

The following two roads are scheduled as follows:
Far Hills Avenue: 12/10, 12/24, 1/7, 1/21
Shroyer Road: 12/3, 12/17, 12/31, 1/14, 1/28

Library News (continued from page 1)

Tuesday, January 5—*Under a Wing* by Reeve Lindberg. The youngest child of Charles and Anne Morrow Lindbergh provides a rare look into her very private family. She poignantly reminisces about how she could never live up to her father's expectations, how her parents handled the murder of their first son, and how she herself coped with family tragedies.

Support Wright Library!

Did you know you can benefit the library just by shopping? When you visit Amazon or Powell's Books online by using the links on Wright Library's web site at www.WrightLibrary.org (click on "Support the Library"), a portion of the amount you spend will be donated to the library. The same is true of the online stores available at www.GoodSearch.com. Designate Wright Memorial Public Library as your charity and a percentage of your purchase price will be given to the library. You can also help by choosing the library to be your 2010 charity for the Dorothy Lane Market's Good Neighbor Program.

Book and AV Donations

Are you clearing up clutter before (or after) the holidays? The library welcomes book donations for the annual book sale. Donations can be dropped off all year long any time the library is open. Used CDs, videos, and DVDs are also accepted.

Volunteering at Wright Library

If you are interested in becoming a library volunteer, come to the library and fill out a Volunteer Application Form. A staff member will call you to confirm your interest, describe a job that needs doing, and work with you to find a schedule that meets the hours you have available. Some of the things that most need doing are not glamorous, but are essential. For example, help with shelving, filing, dusting shelves, and cleaning and mending materials is appreciated. The library always needs help with the annual book sale as well. If you have any questions please call the Administrative Services Coordinator, Linda Cosgrove, at 294-7171.

Wright Memorial Public Library Foundation

The Wright Memorial Public Library Foundation was established in 1997 under the umbrella of The Dayton Foundation. It exists to raise funds in support of the mission and goals of the library. Each year it makes grants to the library to help pay for special projects and programming.

The Foundation welcomes contributions through its Web site at www.WrightLibraryFoundation.org, or you may pick up a contribution form at the library.

Holiday Gift Book Ideas

For preschoolers and kindergartners: *The House in the Night* by Susan Marie Swenson, illustrated by Beth Krommes. A gentle bedtime tale with illustrations that irresistibly draw you into the story.

Grades 1-3: *A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever* by Marla Frazee. Engaging cartoon-style illustrations accompany a humorous story about two boys who are best friends.

Grades 4-7: *Savvy* by Ingrid Law. Imagine discovering on your 13th birthday that you have a supernatural power!

Teens: *A Brief History of Montmaray* by Michele Cooper. Historical fiction with plenty of adventure and suspense.

For Anglophiles: *Wolf Hall* by Hilary Mantel. A nice, long book for winter evenings and a Man Booker prizewinner, as well. The plot revolves around the lives of Henry VIII and Thomas Cromwell.

For Nature Lovers: *Extreme Birds* by Dominic Couzens. Truly amazing photographs and facts about superlatives in the bird world.

For Cooks: *The Art and Soul of Baking* by Cindy Mushet. A baking guide by a veteran pastry chef. Includes breads and both savory and sweet baked goods.

For Readers of Thrillers: *The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo* and *The Girl Who Played with Fire* by Stieg Larsson. Both titles will keep you turning pages as you follow the adventures of computer hacker and investigator Lisbeth Salander.

For Sports Fans: *The Yankee Years* by Joe Torre and Tom Verducci. A study of a baseball dynasty and one of 2009's best-selling sports titles.

For Mystery Lovers: *Missing* by Karin Alvtegan. Why did homeless Sybilla leave her family and who committed the murders of which she is accused?

General Fiction: *Half Broke Horses* by Jeannette Walls. The author of *The Glass Castle* returns with a fictionalized memoir of her grandmother who is an unforgettable blend of schoolteacher and bronco buster.

General Nonfiction: *Lords of Finance: the Bankers Who Broke the World* by Liaquat Ahamed. A history of the bankers behind the economic collapse of the 1920s that offers lessons for today.

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2010 National Merit Scholarship Program Recognition

We are also pleased to recognize **Caroline Clarke, Channon Conner, Dillon Corrigan, Tyler Dillon, Sarah Oda, Ben Roess** and **Colin Ward** on being named ***National Merit Commended Scholars***. Although these students do not continue in the competition for National Merit Scholarships, their scores on the PSAT were among the top 5% of college-bound high school students.

Sam Andrews Educational Hall of Honor Nominations

The Oakwood City School District is accepting written nominations for the Sam Andrews Educational Hall of Honor. Nominations must be submitted to the Superintendent, Dr. Mary Jo Scalzo, 20 Rubicon Road, Dayton, OH 45409, by March 1, 2010. Information is available on the district home page at www.oakwood.k12.oh.us by calling Sandy Maresh at the Board of Education at 297-5332, or email at maresh.sandy@oakwood.k12.oh.us.

Current Nominee: Year one nomination – Judy A. Hennessey, Ph.D., Superintendent from 1998 to 2004.

Letters of support for nominees will be accepted through May 14, 2010. Nominees will be selected in June and the induction ceremony will be held in September 2010.

Neighborhood Meetings with the Superintendent

Please join Mary Jo Scalzo, Superintendent of Oakwood City Schools, for a *Neighborhood Meeting* during the 2009-2010 school year. These informal meetings are an opportunity for parents, community members and members of the Oakwood City Schools to talk about school issues.

If you would like to attend a host or attend a meeting please call or email Sandy at the Board Office at 297-5332 or maresh.sandy@oakwood.k12.oh.us.

Oakwood City Schools Winter Weather Preparedness

How the decision to delay or close school is made.

Safe passage to our schools and respect for the importance of the work that occurs in our classrooms guide weather-related decisions.

It is not uncommon for winter weather to cause interruptions to the schedules of surrounding school districts. Most districts make their delay or closure decisions based on the ability to safely provide bus transportation. In our community, however, most students live within a 20-minute walk or a 5-minute drive to school. Therefore, conditions that may delay or close our schools may be different than those of other districts.

There is no one-size-fits-all formula for deciding to close or delay school. Many variables come into play:

- The timing of the storm in relation to the start of school;
- The amount of snow and ice;
- The temperature and wind chill factor;
- The extended forecast prediction;
- The ability of the road crews to make headway in clearing crosswalks and the ability of homeowners in clearing their sidewalks;
- The ability of homeowners to make headway in clearing the sidewalks;
- The conditions at the school buildings, i.e. Are the boilers working?
- The advice of the Safety Department and our Groundskeeper.

Before finalizing this decision, the Superintendent typically walks and drives in different parts of the community and checks-in with the Safety Department. Because Oakwood is a 'walking community,' students are reminded to dress appropriately for the winter weather conditions.

How the decision to delay or close school is communicated.

In the event that winter weather conditions cause school to be delayed or closed, we will:

- use The One Call Now system to contact parents. To ensure you are called in an emergency, parents can go to the Oakwood Schools' home page at www.oakwood.k12.oh.us and click the link to One Call Now. Parents may add cell, work or other phone numbers to which you would like emergency messages directed. Parents can update phone numbers at any time.
- announce on TV and radio by 6:30 a.m. the status of school that day.
- publish the status of school that day on our district website at www.oakwood.k12.oh.us.

***If school is closed*:** All classes and programs are cancelled. This includes the preschool program and South Connection.

Special Note for Lange School Programs:

For any delay, parents should refer to the Lange calamity day schedule.

▪ One Hour Delay:	AM Preschool and Kindergarten	- 9:50 A.M.-11:20 A.M.
	PM Preschool and Kindergarten	- Usual Schedule
	South Connection Start Time	- 8:00 A.M.
▪ Two Hour Delay	Plan B Schedule	
	AM Preschool and Kindergarten	- 10:50 A.M.-12:20 P.M.
	PM Preschool and Kindergarten	- 1:25 P.M.-2:55 P.M.
	South Connection Start Time	- 9:00 A.M.

- When Kettering Schools are closed and Oakwood Schools are open there will be **no** bus transportation for Kindergarten. Parents will need to transport their children to Lange.

Area Businesses Continue to Support Oakwood Schools Education Foundation's Annual Golf Outing

A spectacular October day greeted golfers supporting the Oakwood Schools Education Foundation's Fifth Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser. Honorary Chair, Bill Butt, hosted the classic scramble at NCR Country Club's famed South Course.

Over $26,000 was raised to directly benefit the students of the Oakwood Schools. ***Special thanks to the generous sponsors: Gold sponsor – Butt Construction Company, and Blue sponsors – Danis Building Construction, Henny Penny Corporation, Fites Family Foundation, and Susan Kettering.*** Foundation member and event chair Pat Koons commented that "our sponsors, including those providing additional support as hole sponsors and contributors of auction items are the backbone of this event and we appreciate their continuing support."

Thanks to proceeds from the 2008 Golf Outing, the Oakwood Schools are again offering the Academic Decathlon class. Slated to be cancelled due to the State budget reductions, the Oakwood Schools Education Foundation stepped in to provide the funds to keep the class in the 2009-2010 curriculum. Oakwood teams have placed first in the State every year in which they have competed. Four members of this year's Academic Decathlon team specifically thanked the sponsors, players and contributors and explained the importance of this program in their lives.

The Oakwood Schools Education Foundation exists to provide students with diverse and distinctive opportunities that go above and beyond the reach of the District's public funding budget by funding grants, scholarships and special initiatives. During the past 17 years the Foundation has funded over $423,000 in teacher and administrative grants, directly benefiting our students. The net proceeds from the golf outing will be used to fund a special initiative.

Thanks to our golfers and all sponsors who support the Oakwood Schools Education Foundation's events and fundraising efforts. You truly make a difference in the lives of Oakwood students. Please join us next year for our 6th Annual Golf Outing! For more information about the Oakwood Schools Education Foundation, please visit our website: www.oakwood.k12.oh.us/osef or contact Karen Gillingham, Director, at 297-5332.

Calendar Of Events

December 2009

1 OJHS Parent/Principal Advisory 12:00 P.M.
1 OHS Orchestra Concert 7:30 P.M.
1 Library Book Discussion at Starbucks 7 P.M.
2 Planning Commission 4:30 P.M.
1-4 Smith PTO Scholastic Book Fair
2 Orchestra Concert 7:30 P.M.
2 Ath Boosters Holiday Sale 8:30 a.m.-7:30 P.M.
3 Smith Student Council Skateworld 3:45-4:45 P.M.
5 OHS Orchestra Poinsettia Delivery
7 OHS Band Parent Meeting 6:30 P.M.
7 City Council Work Session 5 P.M.
9 Smith Holiday Concert 10:30 A.M.
10 Board of Zoning 4:30 P.M.
10 Harman Grade 6 Science Fair 7 P.M.
10 OJHS/OHS PTO Meeting 11:45 A.M.
10 OHS Band Benefit Holiday Concert 7:30 P.M.
11 Neighborhood Meeting with Superintendent 10 A.M.
11 Harman Winter Holiday Assembly
11 OHS Ring Delivery Day
12 OHS Band Fruit Sale Delivery
13 OHS Choir Holiday Concert 2 P.M.
13 Holiday of Lights at Shafor Park 6:30 P.M.
14 Board of Education Meeting 7:30 P.M.
14 Board of Education Work Session 5 P.M.
14 City Council 7:30 P.M.
16-18 Exams at OJHS/OHS
17 Lange Holiday Parties
21 Library Board Meeting 6 P.M.
21-25 No School/Holiday Break (12/21/09-1/1/10)
24 Library Closed - Christmas Eve
25 City Offices and Library Closed - Christmas
28-31 No School/Holiday Break
31 Library Closed - New Year's Eve

January 2010

1 No School/Holiday Break
1 City Offices and Library Closed - New Year's Day
4 Schools Open - Classes Resume
4 OHS Band Parent Meeting 6:30 P.M.
4 City Council 7:30 P.M.
5 Library Book Discussion at Starbucks 7 P.M.
6 Planning Commission 4:30 P.M.
8 Boonshoft at Harman Grade 4
11 Board of Education Meeting 7:30 P.M.
12 Board of Education Work Session 5 P.M.
12 Smith PTO Meeting 7 P.M.
14 COSI Visits Harman
14 OJHS/OHS PTO Meeting 11:45 A.M.
14 Board of Zoning 4:30 P.M.
14-15 Smith DARE Graduation
18 No School - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
18 City Offices and Library Closed - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
20 OHS Marketing Showcase 6:30 P.M.
22 OJHS Dance 7 P.M.
24 OHS Festival Hispano 4 P.M.
25 City Council Work Session 5 P.M.
25 Library Board Meeting 6 P.M.
25-29 Harman No Name Calling Week
26 Smith Student Council Skateworld 3:45-5:45 P.M.
26-27 Lange Boonshoft Presentations
27 Neighborhood Meeting with Superintendent 7 P.M.
29 Neighborhood Meeting with Superintendent 10 A.M.
29 District Spelling Bee at Harman 1 P.M.

Staying in Touch: Neighborhood Meeting and Luncheon with Residents

Friday, March 26, 2010
10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Smith School Library

Oakwood residents ***who do not have children in school*** are invited to attend a Neighborhood Meeting with the Superintendent on Friday, March 26, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. with lunch following at 11:30 A.M. This meeting is designed to provide residents with an opportunity to talk with the Superintendent and representatives of the Board of Education about school matters, including:

- District News
- Advice for Us – Topics About Which We Are Seeking Participant Input
- Questions for Us – Topics Participants Would Like To Discuss

If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to Sandy at the Oakwood Board of Education Office at 297-5332, or maresh.sandy@oakwood.k12.oh.us by March 19th.

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