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## City News

### 2013 Oakwood income tax returns are due April 15, 2014.

The City of Oakwood has a mandatory filing requirement for all residents. Every individual, 18 years of age or older, who resides in Oakwood, must file an Oakwood city income tax return, whether or not any tax is due. Retired residents who have income derived exclusively from non-taxable sources (interest, dividend, social security and/or pension income, etc.) must notify the tax office in writing in order to be exempt from the filing requirement. *(Continued on page 4)*

## School News

### 2014-2015 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION March 10-14

Parents who are considering Kindergarten for their children in the 2014-2015 school year should visit Lange School during the week of March 10 to March 14 to register. The registration form can be downloaded from the Lange School web site at <http://lks.oakwood.k12.oh.us>. Once registered, parents may sign up for a Kindergarten Screening date.

Children who will be five years old on or before September 30, 2014, may be registered for Kindergarten. Children who will be five years old between October 1, 2014 and January 1, 2014, may be considered for early entrance.

For information, please contact Lange School at (937) 299-8730 or email:

Mrs. Nanci Koepke, Lange Administrative Assistant, [koepke.nanci@oakwoodschoools.org](mailto:koepke.nanci@oakwoodschoools.org)  
Dr. Kimbe Lange, Principal, at [lange.kimbe@oakwoodschoools.org](mailto:lange.kimbe@oakwoodschoools.org)

### Important 2014-2015 Kindergarten Dates:

Kindergarten Parent Orientation: Wednesday, April 9, 2014, 7:00 p.m.

Kindergarten Screening: Week of April 14, 2014 by appointment only.

## Library News

### Meet the Author: Pete Mitas

On Sunday, March 9 at 2 p.m. local artist, author and poet Pete Mitas will read from his new book *Spirited Nonsense*. Inspired by the stories of O. Henry, the poems of Shel Silverstein, *Mad Magazine* and the *Onion*, Mitas has fun creating a new context for common words and phrases. The result is Nonsense that is sure to surprise and delight. The author will be available for a book signing afterwards.

## P2 MULCH PROGRAM

Citizens will have two options again this year for obtaining leaf mulch. For those who want mulch delivered, we offer 3 cy for \$85 and 6 cy for \$120.

## P7 SAM ANDREWS EDUCATIONAL HALL OF HONOR NOMINATIONS BEING ACCEPTED

The Oakwood City School District is accepting written nominations for the 2014 Sam Andrews Educational Hall of Honor.

## P8 HAPPY BIRTHDAY WRIGHT LIBRARY!

On Friday, February 14th Wright Library will celebrate its birthday with an extra special celebration you won't want to miss.



## Mulch Program

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On the same five Saturdays, residents can obtain free mulch from the public works center at 210 Shafor Blvd. between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., but must haul the material themselves and provide proof of residency. City personnel will assist in loading the mulch, but no commercial vehicles are permitted.

## Special Pickups

All Oakwood property owners are entitled to two special pickups per calendar year at no cost. Additional pickups will be charged at \$100 each. Special pickups are for large items only (e.g., furniture, appliances, etc.) and can be scheduled by calling 298-0777. If you are a tenant, you must coordinate your special pickups with the property owner. All items must be placed in an open area where the city bucket loader can safely access them (e.g., on driveways away from structures and fences). Special pickups are suspended from mid-October through the end of the year due to leaf collection operations.

## Dumpsters

As an alternative to special pickups, and for remodeling projects and piles of small debris, residents can request dumpsters. Dumpsters are for disposing of resident generated debris only (no contractor generated). There is a \$75 delivery and pickup charge for the dumpsters. The person requesting the dumpster will also be responsible for the costs incurred by the city for dumping the discarded materials.

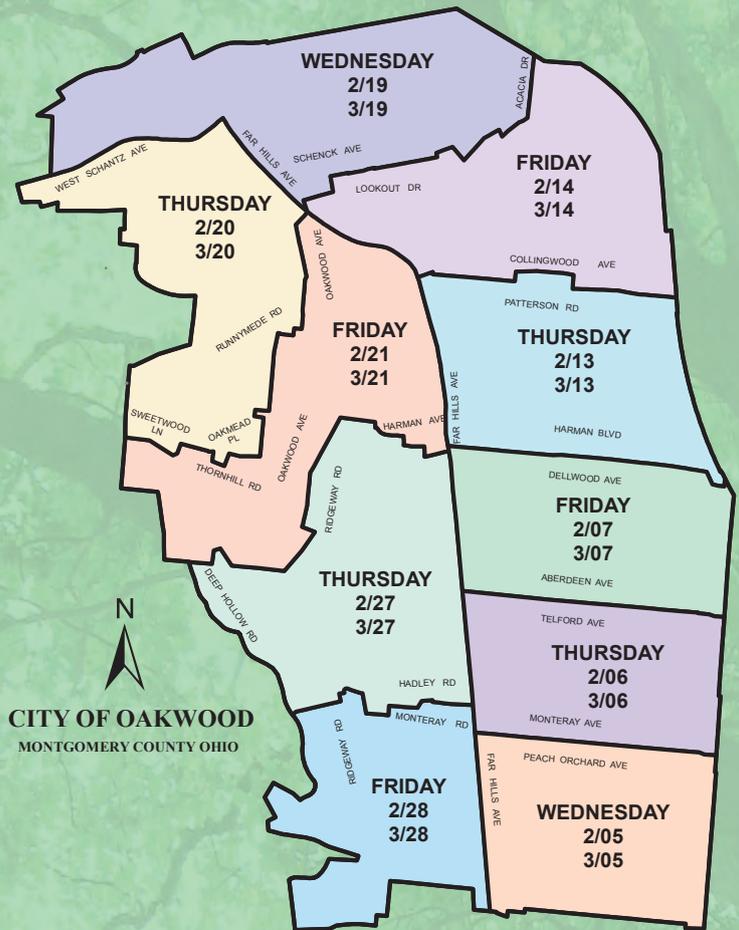
## Free Dumpsters for Yard Debris

If you have a large amount of yard debris and would like to use a dumpster for disposing of the material, rather than waiting for the regularly scheduled monthly pickup, please call 298-0777 to schedule the service. There is no charge when using dumpsters exclusively for yard debris disposal.

## Telephone Directory Recycling

Residents may recycle telephone directories by delivering them to the city's drop off location at the Creager Field parking lot on Shafor Boulevard near Irving Avenue. Directories should be placed in the co-mingled recyclables container. Alternatively, they can be placed with regular weekly recycling but please consider the weight of the books and the 60 pound can limit.

## Yard Debris February / March Pickup Schedule



FAR HILLS AVE. WILL BE PICKED UP ON: 2/27, 3/27  
SHROYER RD. WILL BE PICKED UP ON: 2/13, 3/13



## Yard Debris and Refuse Dropoff

The Foell Public Works Center at 210 Shafor Boulevard is open the first Saturday each month for residents to drop off yard debris. Residents may also drop off regular household waste and recycling, and large items such as furniture, appliances, (with freon removed). No construction debris will be accepted. Please use the dumpster program for homeowner construction project debris disposal. There are also containers available at the parking lot by the dog park to dispose of yard debris, cardboard and co-mingled recyclables. No bags or trash are allowed in these containers.

## Spring Yard and Garden Cleanup

The city collects yard debris monthly. Please refer to the enclosed map for your scheduled pickup days and plan your work accordingly. As you get ready to tackle the spring yard and garden projects, here are a few things to remember:

- Place larger piles of yard debris including brush and branches in to the tree lawn area just behind the curb. Remember that branches should be no longer than 6' and should be placed in manageable piles. Also, please do not place these piles around trees, fire hydrants, cable TV boxes or posts/poles.
- Under no circumstance should you place anything except yard debris in the tree lawn area.
- The city will not pick up contractor generated material.
- If you have a large amount of yard debris, please call for a free dumpster (no trash or bags).
- Do not stack loose debris around or on top of garbage cans.
- Please remember the 35 gallon and 60 pound limits on trash cans and that all cans must have lids.
- Grass clippings and soil are not accepted, either with regular trash or with curbside yard debris.



## President's Day Trash Pickup

Please note that trash pickup for all routes the week of February 17 will be picked up one day later than usual. Monday's route will be picked up Tuesday; Tuesday's route will be picked up on Wednesday; Wednesday's route will be picked up on Thursday and Thursday's route will be picked up Friday.

## 2014 Curb, Walk and Apron Project

The 2014 curb, sidewalk and apron repair project will take place in the area east of Far Hills from Aberdeen to the south corporation limit at East Drive. The purpose of the program is to maintain the concrete structures located within the city rights-of-way in good, safe condition. We have begun inspecting the areas and marking sections of concrete requiring repairs. Residents affected by the work will receive personal notification regarding their responsibilities. Please call Engineering Technician Bart Bornhorst at 298-0777 if you have any questions. For those who choose to do the repair work themselves, please remember to obtain a permit in advance at that all work must be completed and inspected by June 13.

## OAKWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER UPCOMING EVENTS/CLASSES

- JUNIOR HIGH DANCE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 9:30 TO 11 P.M. AND FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28 FROM 8:30 TO 10 P.M.
- ANNUAL JUNIOR HIGH SKI TRIP, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, LOCATION: PERFECT NORTH SLOPES
- PRE-SCHOOL BASKETBALL CLINIC, SATURDAY MORNINGS, MARCH 1 THROUGH 22.
- FAMILY 2 on 2 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT – SATURDAY, MARCH 8 AT SMITH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
- EGG COLORING AND PICTURE WITH THE EASTER BUNNY, THURSDAY, APRIL 17 FROM 6:30 TO 8 P.M.
- FRIENDS OF SMITH GARDENS PERENNIAL SALE, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 25 AND 26 AT THE OAKWOOD COMMUNITY CENTER. HOURS ARE 3 TO 8 P.M. ON FRIDAY AND 9 A.M. TO 3 P.M. ON SATURDAY.
- For more details and information about these events, please contact the Community Center at 298-0775.

## SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Applications for summer employment with the City of Oakwood are now available at the OCC, the city building and on the city's website at [www.oakwoodohio.gov](http://www.oakwoodohio.gov). Students 16 years of age and older are eligible for lifeguard and concession positions at Gardner Pool. Students interested in maintenance and landscaping positions must be at least 18 years of age at the time of employment. Equal Opportunity Employer.

## Oakwood City Schools and the Oakwood Public Safety Department seek substitute crossing guards

The Oakwood Schools and Public Safety Department are looking for adults to periodically substitute as crossing guards at three intersections. There are paid crossing guards to help our students cross Far Hills Ave. at Aberdeen, Patterson and Oakwood/Thruston (Five Points).

The guards are at their intersections on all school days in the morning, noon and after school. Coverage times are from 7:50 a.m. to 8:50 a.m.; 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; and 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Please contact the Oakwood Board of Education at 297-7802 if you wish to apply.



## 2013 Oakwood income tax returns are due April 15, 2014. *(Continued from Cover)*

Should you require an extension of time to file your return, a copy of your federal extension must be submitted to our office on or before April 15, 2014. Payment of your estimated tax liability must accompany the request as an extension of time to file is not an extension of time to pay the tax due. A penalty and interest charge will be assessed for all payments made after April 15. If no extension is filed, a late filing fee will apply.

through Friday. Extended hours will be provided on Monday and Tuesday, April 14 and 15, when the office will be open until 6:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding your City of Oakwood income tax return, please contact the Income Tax Department at 298-0531.

In an effort to reduce printing and mailing costs, the 2013 Oakwood income tax return is available on the City's web site at [www.oakwoodohio.gov](http://www.oakwoodohio.gov). If you do not have internet access, forms are available at the City administrative offices, Wright Brothers Branch of the U.S. Postal Service and Wright Memorial Public Library.

If you need assistance with the preparation of your Oakwood income tax return, please visit the Tax Department before March 28, 2014. Normal business hours for the tax office are from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday



## Oakwood City Schools Preschool

In an effort to provide appropriate services to preschool aged children with disabilities, the Oakwood City Schools operates an integrated preschool program, which operates four days per week with half-day sessions. Both preschool age children with disabilities, and typically developing children are enrolled in the program. The purpose of this program is to provide children with disabilities intervention services designed to meet their specific needs and the opportunity to interact with typically developing children in a positive learning environment.

### Process for Selecting Typically Developing Students

Typically developing preschool students are selected for the program through a lottery. To be eligible for the lottery, students must be age 3 or 4 by September 30, 2014; be residents of the district; and be typically developing. Cost of participation in the program for the 2014-2015 school year is \$1200 annually, payable quarterly. **Lottery applications for placement in the program for the 2014-2015 school year will be available January 15 and will be accepted through April 15.** The lottery will be conducted May 2nd. Phone calls will be made to those families selected and families not selected will receive letter notification. Families selected will be required to pay a \$300 non-refundable deposit by June 2nd, which will be applied to 1st quarter tuition. Proof of residency will also be required at time of payment. If the deposit is not received, another student will be selected. For additional information and an application, contact the Director of Educational Services or Cathie Newburg at the Oakwood Board of Education Office, at 297-7802.



## Children With Disabilities

Ohio School Districts are required to provide free appropriate educational services to all children in their attendance areas who are ages 3 through 21 and who are determined to have a disability. Disability, in this case, means such conditions as hearing impairments, visual impairments, speech or language impairments, specific learning disabilities, emotional disturbance, multiple disabilities, cognitive disabilities, physical impairments, other health impairments, autism and traumatic brain injury.

Schools are also required to provide evaluations to determine if a child has such a disability. If you have or know of a child who may have a disability, contact your local school district for more information. In Oakwood, please contact the Director of Educational Services, at the Oakwood Board of Education Office, at 297-7802.



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## Nominations Being Accepted For Fourth Annual Parker Love Of Teaching Award

Nominations are now being accepted for The Oakwood Schools Foundation's fourth annual Parker Love of Teaching and Lifelong Learning Award. The award, presented each spring, honors a current Oakwood teacher who uniquely inspires the full potential of each student with whom he or she works.

In 2010, The Parker Love of Teaching and Lifelong Learning Award was created by former longtime Oakwood teacher Beverly (Bev) Parker in memory of her late husband, Robert (Bob) Parker. Based on the belief that teachers in Oakwood are exceptional and give much of themselves for the betterment of the children in our community, the Parker Award honors teachers who go above and beyond what is expected of them.

Past honorees include OHS engineering teacher Tony Rainsberger (2013), Oakwood Junior High School social studies teacher Kathy Allan (2012), and Lange kindergarten teacher Janet Block (2011). The award consists of a \$1,200 prize, which is divided between the recipient and an academic department, grade or program of the recipient's choosing. Learn more about the award or download the 2013 award criteria and nomination form online at [www.oakwoodschooolsfoundation.org](http://www.oakwoodschooolsfoundation.org). For more information, contact Julie Halpern, OSF Director, by email at [osf@oakwoodschoools.org](mailto:osf@oakwoodschoools.org) or by phone at 297-5332.

## Parker Award Nomination Information

- Eligible teachers will have taught in the Oakwood District for at least five years
- Nominations or letters of support can be submitted by parents, students, alumni, community members, faculty and administrators
- Nominations and letters of support do not carry over from year to year
- Download the 2014 nomination form at [www.oakwoodschooolsfoundation.org](http://www.oakwoodschooolsfoundation.org)

## OSF Welcomes New Board Members and Staff

In this new year, The Oakwood Schools Foundation welcomes two new members to its Advisory Council and transitions to a new director.

**Jennifer Almoney** and **Lucy Baker** are the newest elected members of The Oakwood Schools Foundation's Advisory Council, and their three-year term began January 1.

**Dante Connell** has been hired as the next Director of The Oakwood Schools Foundation. In January, she began transitioning into the job, taking over from Julie Halpern, who will relocate to New York with her family this summer.

"These women are all long-time Oakwood residents whose children are students in the District," said Pattie Edmonson, Chair of The Foundation's Advisory Council. "Each brings a

deep commitment to our community and to our schools to their respective new roles, and each will contribute greatly to The Foundation's ongoing efforts to enhance excellence in education for Oakwood students."



Jennifer Almoney



Lucy Baker



Dante Connell



## Sam Andrews Educational Hall of Honor Nominations being accepted

The Oakwood City School District is accepting written nominations for the 2014 Sam Andrews Educational Hall of Honor. Nominations must be submitted to the Superintendent, Dr. Kyle Ramey, 20 Rubicon Road, Dayton, OH 45409, by March 1, 2014.

To obtain a nomination form and additional information please visit [www.oakwood.k12.oh.us](http://www.oakwood.k12.oh.us), or contact Sandy Maresh at the Oakwood Board of Education, (937) 297-5332 or [maresh.sandy@oakwoodschoools.org](mailto:maresh.sandy@oakwoodschoools.org). Nominations for the Hall of Honor may be submitted at any time. To be eligible for the current year, nominations must be received by March 1.

## Community invited to Energy Fair

On Thursday, February 27th the Oakwood High School Energy Team will be hosting an Energy Fair, *Blue and Gold Go Green*, in the west gym at the high school from 6-8:00 p.m. The event is open to all Oakwood residents and is aimed at educating the community about ways to save energy and money in the home. There will be various stations with quick energy fixes for your home as well as experts from local businesses and energy providers to demonstrate energy conservation in the home.

While the adults are investigating energy savings for the home, the kids can take a spin on the energy bike or explore light and sound. Come join our family friendly event and be part of the *Blue and Gold Go Green* movement!

## OAKWOOD CITY SCHOOLS FEBRUARY/MARCH 2014

### February 2014

- 2/5 100th Day of Kindergarten at Lange
- 2/5 5-8:30 p.m. OHS Curriculum Fair
- 5:30 p.m. 8th Grade Parent Meeting
- 7-9 p.m. 6th Grade Parent Meeting
- 2/7 4 p.m. OJHS Play**  
**Law & Order: Fairy Tale Unit**  
9 p.m. OHS Techno Dance
- 2/8 **2 & 7 p.m. OJHS Play**  
**Law & Order: Fairy Tale Unit**
- 2/10 7 p.m. Board of Education Regular Meeting
- 2/13 10:30 a.m. Smith 3rd Grade Sharing Program
- 7 p.m. OJHS Winter Sports Recognition Night
- 2/14 Lange/Harman/Smith Valentine's Parties
- 2/17 6 p.m. Business Advisory Council Meeting
- 2/17 No School/Presidents' Day
- 2/18-21 No School/Winter Break
- 2/24 Classes Resume
- 2/26 7 p.m. OJHS/OHS Orchestra Concert**
- 2/27 6-8 p.m. OHS Community Energy Fair**

### March 2014

- 3/1 7 p.m. Smith PTO Movie Night
- 3/3 7 p.m. OHS College Admission Panel
- 3/4 Lange Class Picture Day
- 3/6 7 p.m. Author Carl Honore Presentation at OHS
- 3/7 No School/District PD Day
- 3/10 7 p.m. Board of Education Regular Meeting
- 3/10-14 Lange Kindergarten Registration
- 3/11 6 p.m. OHS Winter Sports Banquet
- 3/17 6 p.m. Business Advisory Council Meeting
- 3/18 7 p.m. Harman PTO Meeting/Speaker: Dr. Ellis
- 3/19-21 Harman 5th Grade to Camp Joy
- 3/20 **7 p.m. OHS Musical *The Wedding Singer***
- 3/21 **8 p.m. OHS Musical *The Wedding Singer***
- 3/22 **2 p.m. & 8 p.m. OHS Musical *The Wedding Singer***
- 3/26 7 p.m. Harman 6th Grade Musical
- 3/27 **7 p.m. Smith Celebration of the Arts**
- 3/31 No School/Spring Break

The Oakwood Schools master calendar can be viewed online at:

[www.oakwood.k12.oh.us/oakwood/Oakwood\\_Calendars.html](http://www.oakwood.k12.oh.us/oakwood/Oakwood_Calendars.html)



## WRIGHT LIBRARY

Visit us at 1776 Far Hills Avenue in Oakwood  
10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Monday-Friday  
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday  
1-5 p.m. Sunday

Online at [www.WrightLibrary.org](http://www.WrightLibrary.org) or on Facebook at  
[www.facebook.com/wrightlibrary](http://www.facebook.com/wrightlibrary).

Phone us at 937-294-7171.

Download our mobile app at [wright.boopsie.com](http://wright.boopsie.com)

### February 2014

- February 7 – Game Night, 6:30 p.m.
- February 9 – OAKWOOD READS Book Discussion, 2 p.m.
- February 10 – Device Users' Group, 7 p.m.
- February 11 – Wright Library On-the-Road  
Bookclub@Starbucks, 7 p.m.
- February 13 – Device Users' Group, 1:30 p.m.
- February 14 – Happy Birthday Wright Library!
- February 17 – Library Board Meeting, 6 p.m.
- February 18 – Wright Library Poets@Starbucks, 7 p.m.
- February 23 – Far Hills Speaker Series: Beyond the Flyer III -  
Dayton's Aviation Heritage, 2 p.m.
- February 27 – Device Users' Group, 1:30 p.m.

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- March 14 – 16 – Wright Library Book Sale
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The Classic Architecture of Oakwood, 2 p.m.
- March 24 – Device Users' Group, 7 p.m.
- March 27 – Device Users' Group, 1:30 p.m.

## Coming Soon

Look for Wright Library's newest digital services – **Hoopla** and **IndieFlix**. Stream and download movies, documentaries, television shows, music albums, and audiobooks from these easy to use services. Designed for mobile devices, Hoopla is available for Android and iOS devices, as well as being accessible through all major desktop web browsers. Hoopla will replace the library's current music download service, Freegal. IndieFlix offers unlimited access to thousands of the world's favorite shorts, documentaries and feature films.

## Game Night

It's Friday night GAME NIGHT & anyone can play!  
Bring your friends or just sit at a table and get a game going with other patrons. We'll be set-up for fun EVERY FRIDAY from 6:30 – 9 p.m. Get your game on, have a snack and then pick out a movie or book to take home for the weekend. Let's play!

## OAKWOOD READS

Wright Library will be hosting a book discussion on Sunday, February 9 at 2 p.m. in the Library Meeting Room. This discussion is part of **OAKWOOD READS**, a community-wide reading event presented by Wright Memorial Public Library & the Oakwood City Schools. The books to be discussed are *Under Pressure: Rescuing our Children from the Culture of Hyper-Parenting* by Carl Honore and *The Overachievers: The Secret Lives of Driven Kids* by Alexandra Robbins. This discussion is open to the public. No reservations are required

## Happy Birthday Wright Library!

On Friday, February 14 Wright Library will celebrate its birthday with an extra special celebration. February 14 marks the 75th anniversary of the library's opening at 1776 Far Hills Avenue. In addition to the anniversary, the library will be celebrating their recent listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

Look for more celebration details in the library, at [www.WrightLibrary.org](http://www.WrightLibrary.org) and on the library's Facebook page.



## Far Hills Speakers Series

Wright Library and the Oakwood Historical Society are pleased to introduce the Far Hills Speakers Series.

### Sunday, February 23, 2 p.m.

**Beyond the Flyer III - Dayton's Aviation Heritage** presented by Janet Bednarek This program will encompass the rich history and impact Dayton had on aviation throughout the years, and into the future.

### Sunday, March 23, 2 p.m.

**The Classic Architecture of Oakwood** presented by Mark Risley This program is designed to raise awareness and appreciation of Oakwood's architecture. Included in this program are some of Oakwood's well-preserved homes and public buildings representing the best of 20th century architecture in America and a brief history behind a few of those residences.

## Save the Date - Book Sale

**Friday, March 14, 4 - 9 p.m. - Preview Sale**

**Saturday, March 15, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

**Sunday, March 16, 1 - 5 p.m. - \$3 Bag Sale**

A **Preview Sale** will be held Friday, March 14 from 4 - 9 p.m. Special Preview Sale pricing is: Adult hardback books \$2, all other items including children's books \$1. Saturday's pricing is: Adult hardback books \$1, other items 50 cents. Sunday will feature a **\$3 Bag Sale**, all the books that fit into our bag for \$3. The sale will take place in the Library Meeting Room.

For additional information contact Wright Library at 937/294.7171 or visit [www.WrightLibrary.org](http://www.WrightLibrary.org).

## NEW! YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS Family Literacy Night

Plan to join Mrs. G for Family Literacy Night every Thursday from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in story-centric activities the whole family can enjoy. Books will come alive with extended art, music and games. There will be singing, playing, talking, reading, and writing. Family read time will be provided after the large group activities.

Recommended for ages 6 and under. All children should be accompanied by a parent/caregiver.

## The 20th Century Is History

A decade-by-decade look at the 20th Century especially for homeschool families. Each month the group will look at a decade, add to their group timeline, and have some hands-on and literary activities. There will also be some time for the kids to share what they've learned about the decade. Join Mrs. Bengson, who homeschooled her own three children, in this fun learning experience. For grades K-8.

## Youth Services Calendar

### February 2014

February 3 - Tween Attack, 3:30 p.m.  
February 4 - Terrific Tales on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.  
February 5 - Crafternoon, 3:30 p.m.  
February 6 - Family Literacy Night, 6:30 p.m.  
February 7 - Books & Blocks, 10:30 a.m.  
February 10 - Teen Writing Club, 6:30 p.m.  
February 25 - The 20th Century is History, 1 p.m.  
February 26 - Super Science, 3:30 p.m.  
February 27 - Tween Writing Group, 3:45 p.m.  
February 28 - Last Friday Teen Café: Dr. Who?, 6:30 p.m.

### March 2014

March 4 - Terrific Tales on Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.  
March 5 - Crafternoon, 3:30 p.m.  
March 6 - Family Literacy Night, 6:30 p.m.  
March 7 - Books & Blocks, 10:30 a.m.  
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March 26 - Super Science, 3:30 p.m.  
March 27 - Tween Writing Group, 3:45 p.m.  
March 28 - Last Friday Teen Café:  
Insurgent vs. Hunger Games, 6:30 p.m.

## Super Science

Explore stupendous science concepts for ages 5-10 at this hands-on program. Play clothes are strongly encouraged, as our student scientists will often be getting messy.

No registration required. Parents/caregivers encouraged to attend with their children.





## City of Oakwood

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### Asset Builder Profile



The Rev. Deborah Woolsey joined St. Paul's Episcopal Church as Rector in January 2013, leading the church's commitment to the Oakwood and greater Dayton communities. Mother Deborah has a passion for helping people of all ages grow spiritually.

She enjoys youth mission trips, storytelling at vacation Bible school, assisting people navigate transition in times of grief, change, or marriage, encouraging parents through the St. Paul's Parent Wellness program, and facilitating theological

discussions that are open to all. You can find her greeting Harman children on their first day of school or working with the students at Grace Learning Academy preschool. Committed to supporting Oakwood community groups, St. Paul's opens its facilities to others who need a meeting place, including Boy Scouts Troop 101 and the Spanish Immersion program, and welcomes others to use the facilities.

She has written an interactive journal that helps teenagers live a healthy, balanced life. This journal is available by calling the church office, or through Living Compass, a ministry of the Episcopal Church ([www.livingcompass.org](http://www.livingcompass.org)).

### Rev. Deborah Woolsey is an **Asset Builder!**

*Assets: 3 Other Adult Relationships, 4 Caring Neighborhood, 7 Community Values Youth, 19 Religious Community*

40  
assets  
building blocks for healthy  
development of young people

Our community endeavors to intentionally and strategically construct building blocks to help our young people grow up healthy, caring, and responsible.

Visit the Oakwood community's 40 Asset website at <http://www2.oakwood.k12.oh.us/~fortyassets> for information, news, events and more.