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VILLAGE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Many things not only remind me but also continue to reinforce that Cleveland is a great place to live. Children playing in the parks, people walking, neighbors visiting and helping each other out are just a few of the many. We truly are fortunate to maintain the small town feel in our safe village. Thank you to the Cleveland Police Department for continually going over and above and their positive presence, community policing, getting to know and working with the residents.

I'm sure you have noticed we have two big building projects currently in the village. As I write this Cleveland Elementary School is nearing completion on a major remodel project including replacing portable classrooms, updating mechanicals and moving the office to the front of the building to improve security. Thank you to the Sheboygan Area School District for their continued dedication to our community

school. Also, Thank you to the taxpayers for passing the referendum as a large share of those funds are being invested here in our community. Schmitz Ready Mix is starting on an overhaul of the former pallet company site and replacement of the temporary plant they put in earlier this year. The project includes combining lots, removal of the old buildings on the site, building a new plant, office and berms with landscaping to beautify the area.

As fall approaches and we go into 2018 budget time I want to thank the staff and trustees for all they do to provide services while keeping to the limited budget. It isn't always easy in our own lives to try and do the best with what funds we have and it is no different for the board at budget time.

Kathy Stolzmann

Village President

Cleveland Clever Clovers 4-H Club



The Cleveland Clever Clovers is a local 4-H club in Cleveland. Our club meets the first Monday of every month at the Cleveland Fire Department. Our mission is to better the community in all sorts of ways. In June, our club took part in a brat-fry at Bonde's Quik Mart. We also helped clean up Camp Tapawingo, our local 4-H camp located in Mishicot. The members are getting ready for the Manitowoc County Fair, August 21- 27. Our club brings many different projects to the fair ranging from barn animals, food, wood and metal projects and many other fun things. If you are interested in joining or coming to a meeting contact Heidi Belitz at 920-693-3435.

Cleveland Cub Scouts



Another exciting year of Cub Scouts is starting! Kicking it off will be a fundraiser at Manitowoc Pizza Ranch September 11th from 4 until 7. Help support our local pack by coming out for a slice of pizza. We will be having a fall round up at Cleveland Elementary School on September 19th at 5:30 p.m. for anyone interested in joining our pack. Our first pack meeting of the year will be September 26th at 6 p.m. Keep an eye out for scouting for food bags in October and scouts coming around with wreath sale order forms.

VFW Post 8974 News



As I write this article for the summer Village Newsletter it has been warm and yes surprisingly dry for a few days. On behalf of our post members I do want to thank those that attended our Memorial Day Ceremony at the post house this last Memorial Day. There were several dozen attendees and veterans there to honor those who have paid the ultimate price for serving our nation. We enjoyed some ice cream, cake and coffee and juice. The scouts participated in our program and several that have passed hunter safety were able to help us fill our firing squad. Our topic this year was "What do wars really cost and who pays the price". As I write this we have our float ready for the parade and will be right with the scouts float as we move through town.

I will end this report by offering on behalf of our post and auxiliary our sympathy for the family of Diana Schuette who passed away just recently. Wayne, Diana's husband served many terms as our post commander and Diana served many terms as a leader in the ladies auxiliary.

Bryce Larson

Cleveland VFW Post 8974 Post Commander



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Police Department

May 2017 through July 2017, the Police Department responded to 197 calls for service: four 911 misdials, two accidents, 26 assists, one alarm, five animal complaints, one assault, one attempted burglary, 12 civil complaints (11 gas drive-offs), four drug-related incidents, one disorderly conduct, two family trouble, two fraud, three ordinance complaints, one parking complaint, two found-property incidents, one pursuit, two noise complaints, one trespassing, one security check, five suspicious person/vehicle complaints, two thefts, one warrant apprehension, one weapons violation and several different traffic violations.



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Centreville Settlement Hosts Educational Events

There were two historic learning events sponsored by Centreville Settlement Inc. (CSI) In May, the Sourdough Bread Making Workshop taught by Kathy Pearce was followed by Bread Baking Lessons led by Chris Kuehnel at the Klessig Bake Oven. August 19th featured Old Times Trades with Restoration Master Alan Pape teaching cedar shake shingle making, and CSI members sharing how to hew a timber, peel a log and make a mortice for timber frame construction. Nathan Chisholm coordinated a Pioneer Encampment and showcased immigrant skills and a fun filled day with tug of war.

Hands on stone masonry classes began on July 1st. The northwest corner area is 20 foot long, 6 foot high wall is current being built with field stones from area farms. All are welcome to come to learn, strengthen yourself and enjoy fellowship with this satisfying art form.

A historic building report is planned for the next expansion phase of Centreville Settlement...reflecting the 35 year history and the next decade plans.

Historic Garden Flourishes

Master Gardeners Niles and Barb Klaves have selected heirloom and saved seeds for the demonstration 1870's garden. The 2017 expanded area includes leeks, garlic, tomatoes, rhubarb, German strawberries-produce is available on Housebarn workdays for sale.

Work with the Team!

2017 Work Days continue at Lutze Housebarn. They are on Saturdays and start at 9:30 a.m. and run until 4:30 p.m., with potluck meal at 12:30 p.m. Wear old clothes, work boots, plus bring gloves, hat, and your toolbox!

September 9th and 23rd - October 7th and 21st - November 4th and 18th

Address: 13630 S. Union Rd. Newton, WI.

Centreville Settlement is a not for profit organization dedicated to preserving the rural German farming culture. Questions? Chris Kuehnel 920-693-3141. All are welcome to join in the work and fun with volunteers.

Other historic events the public is invited to be a part of:

September 9-10th Pinecrest Village Historic Days – Manitowoc

December 3rd Old Fashioned Historical Christmas Dinner – Kesslers Old World Haus-call Greg by November 20th for reservations 920-973-5872.

We would Love to see you at these events!

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Helping Improve and Protect Manitowoc County's Lands and Lakes

Lakeshore Natural Resource Partnership (LNRP) continues to be an active stakeholder in helping improve and protect the lakes and lands of Manitowoc County.

As part of an on-going, collaborative effort to control invasive plant species in Manitowoc County, LNRP has received a grant from the Wisconsin DNR to map and treat the highly invasive common reed grass or "invasive *Phragmites*" in the county's near-shore townships. Invasive *Phragmites* is a perennial wetland grass introduced from Europe that grows rapidly and forms dense stands that crowd out native vegetation, which in turn reduces plant species diversity and wildlife habitat quality. Invasive *Phragmites* is also a safety and fire hazard and will clog drainage ways rapidly.

With this WDNR grant, we hope to control populations of invasive *Phragmites* for up to three years. The private properties selected to participate in this project will have their invasive *Phragmites* thoroughly treated during the first year (2017) from August to October, with follow-up treatments as needed in subsequent years, depending on funding available.

Native beach grasses, which stabilize the shore, anchor the sand, and are good for Hika Bay, will be planted when the high lake levels become less challenging. We will revisit the work later this year and monitor our results.



Cleveland Lions Club News

"Lionism," an international organization celebrates its 100th anniversary (1917-2017) this year!



The 38th annual Dairyland Festival was blessed with very nice weather, which resulted in good crowds coming out to enjoy Saturday and Sunday's activities and making our annual fund raiser a success. The classic car show and craft sale again provided a boost in attendance.

The Cleveland Lions car show awards are as follows: Best in Show, Fred & Judy Westermeyer, 1956 Ford Crown Vic, Wayne Nysse, 1970 Dodge Cornet Super Bee, Paul & Melanie Kamman, 1930 Packard, Pete Heidenreiter, 1960 Chevy Impala. There were 91 cars registered and judged and 18 not judged for a total of 109 cars.

We extend a very sincere "**Thank You**" to the community for supporting this year's festival. We appreciate the support of the merchants who contributed to the raffle prizes, the many non-member volunteers who assisted us, the parade participants, and our members and spouses for their help. We also extend a special "**Thank You**" to the Cleveland Boy scouts for providing games and activities for the youngsters and to the East Wind Garden Club for their participation. Thank you to the Boy Scouts for clean-up on Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Our success is the communities' success, as it allows us to continue the little league baseball and soccer programs, the Secret Santa program, the Dare program, and other financial contributions to the community.

"HOLIDAY NUT SALE" - The Lions will again sponsor the Holiday "Nut Sale". We will have the same great quality pecans, cashews, and mixed nuts available in early November. They will be available for purchase from any Lion member or at the Cleveland State Bank. We thank the Cleveland State Bank for the continuing support extended to the Lions and to the entire community.

If you have an interest in joining Lions and making a difference, contact any Lion or specifically Lion Tom Fiedler at 920-693-8553 or Lion Denise Fritz at 920-726-4250. We would welcome your participation.



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Hello, Gardeners!

The EWGC would like to thank everyone who purchased items from our booth at the craft fair and those who participated in our Expo at the Dairyland Festival.

The winners of the floral competition are as follows:

Color & Composition, 1st Eileen Belitz, 2nd Gayle Pfeifer, Whimsical, 1st Eileen Belitz, 2nd Barbara Kissinger, Succulents Container, 1st Eileen Belitz, 2nd Nanette Wittmus; Miniature, 1st Eileen Belitz, 2nd Lana Prigge, Flower Arrangement Centerpiece display, 1st Ellen Van De Loo, 2nd Ellen Van De Loo, Living herb, Christel, Home Grown Vegetable display, 1st Barbara Klaves, 2nd Gary Van De Loo.

Winners of the raffle prizes are:

Painted Quilt, Ken Schnell, Collapsible Garden Cart, Bob Fink, Garden Art Skunk and more, Phyllis Hickmann, Wooden Wheel Barrow, Julie Weber, Money Flower Basket, Phyllis Hickmann, Stained Glass Dish, Mike Holzem, Wooden Garden Frame, Lynn Fiedler, Hand Painted Silk Scarf, Julie Weber, Two Pruning Shears, Jamie Fink, Garden Stepping Stone, Dave Fischer, Handbook Wisconsin Gardeners and more, Char Abney, Wisconsin Garden Books and more, Lois Mason, Faerie Garden, JoAnn Huhn.

Happy Gardening!

Lynn Fiedler for the East Wind Garden Club



Bonde's Quik Mart

So, summer is now over and school is back in action. We had a successful Brat Fry at Bonde's in June and were able to present the Cleveland Clever Clovers and the Boy Scouts a check for \$300.00 each. We thank them and their leaders for service to our community. These young community members learn from their leaders exactly what it takes to help make the world they live in a happy, clean place to live. They learn respect for the people they meet and the places they visit.

By now, you may have noticed that we have installed a "Spirit Pump" to help raise funds for the PTO at Cleveland Elementary School. For every gallon of fuel purchased at this Spirit Pump, Bonde's Quik Mart will donate three cents to the school. The Cleveland community can start "fueling good" immediately and continue to do so until October 19, 2017. The "Spirit Pump" is another way the CITGO Corporation is helping Bonde's Quik Mart fuel education locally. Throughout the past four years, the CITGO Fueling Education program has contributed new school supplies and funds to hundreds of teachers across the country. For more information, visit www.fuelingeducation.com.

★ Oct 24-31 will be our week long **35th Anniversary Sale-A-Bration** ★

We plan to offer special pricing referencing that milestone by lowering select retail pricing. We also plan to have samples of products made in our own Country Deli and samples from local vendors as well.

**WHAT'S
NEW**

Bonde's Country Deli and Bakery has a new Bacon & Cheddar Beer Bread that is baked each Friday. If you haven't already tried it, please do. It's great simply toasted and buttered, but adding fresh garlic adds another taste choice. Also, if you haven't had the opportunity yet, you may want to try the Dippin' Dots we now offer. You can find them beside the movie rentals.

We hope you enjoyed the fresh summer produce. You can plan to enjoy fresh fruits and vegetables well into the fall. Stop in to say "hi" and don't forget to check-in to your CITGO app store.

Cleveland Athletic Club

As another baseball and softball season has come to a close at Veterans Park for the year, a special Thank You goes out to all the little league coaches and parents who volunteered their time and talents: Instructional Baseball – John Sundee – Cleveland Lions, his son, grandson, high school students and several parent helpers; Grade School Girls Modified Softball – Amanda Schulz, Jennifer Dabel, Brian Smith, Tina Kieckhafer and several parent helpers; Cleveland Lions Colts – Matt Kramer, Chris McGeary, Roy Annelin and Jason Skrepenski; Cleveland Lions PeeWee – Jacob Henschel, Adam Hemb and additional coaches; Cleveland Lions Peanuts – Antonio Branham, Joe Krause, Brian Smith, Jamie Jurss and Matt Jurss. Also, Thank You to all game umpires, Carson Kramer for preparing and grooming the fields each week for little league and adult ball games and T & L Services Lawn Care & Landscaping for cutting the lawn in the park and keeping the ballfield outfields looking great! Lastly, Thank You to all village and surrounding area residents and businesses for their support this past summer at the Veterans Park concession stands and for the support of the annual little league pizza and frozen foods fundraiser. All proceeds from these sales stay in the village and are used for uniforms, equipment purchases, tournament entry fees, Veterans Park improvements and other little league and adult league related items.

On Sunday, August 20th, the Cleveland Wildcats adult baseball team hosted Mt. Calvary to end the regular season and after the game, the ever popular “Let’s Make A Deal” game was played by several fans in attendance. Also, the Wildcats won the first half of the East Shore League season for the 2nd consecutive year so watch for information around the village to see when and what team(s) they will be playing in the postseason.

As a service organization to village residents we are always looking for new members to join our club to offer their suggestions and ideas to our club. The next two meetings will be held on September 5th and October 3rd at 7:00 p.m. Inquiries can call 920-693-8408.

Cleveland Fish and Game News

I would like to thank everyone who came out and supported us during our fundraising events this past year. Especially everyone who volunteered their time! Our fishing derby, and poultry shoot were both a success. The fish boil was a great new addition to the derby and is already booked for next year!

We have also just finished up 16 weeks of our summer trap league with 14 teams participating. Our 6 week winter trap league will start in January.

Looking to get ready for bow season? The Fish and Game is offering an outdoor bow league, every Tuesday night (must be a member). Please come and check it out! Or if you have question please contact Jason at 920-207-5296.

If you’re interested in seeing what our club is about or would like to become a member, come join us for our club meetings which are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.



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~ *Happy Holidays* ~

Public Works

SUMMER SEWER RATES: From the May 25 - September 27 water meter readings (July 1 - October 1 water/sewer bills), the Sewer Utility will charge only for the average amount of water consumed December 1 through the May meter reading. This adjustment reflects the increased use of water for summer activities, such as gardening and pools, where the water does not enter the treatment system. The Water Utility will charge for all water used.

YARD WASTE SITE HOURS: CLOSED MONDAYS - Tuesday through Sunday, 7:30am – 8pm. Availability is weather dependent, and the site may close on occasion for maintenance. Call Public Works, 920-693-8236, and leave a message with your contact information if you have an extensive yard project outside of regular hours. With sufficient notice, we can coordinate access for you or your contractor.

GRASS CLIPPINGS: Do not mow grass into the street. Grass clippings and yard waste plug storm sewers, leading to water backups and flooding. Please rake material out of the grate to drain the water if plugged. If that doesn't work, call Village Hall at 920-693-8181.

BUILDING PERMITS: Building permits are generally required for building improvements, adding permanent or temporary structures or fencing, and completing repairs. Due to the volume of requests, it is recommended you allow a minimum of TEN business days from the time a building permit application is dropped off until approval. Applicants for projects involving new buildings or expansions, or changes in use, should meet with Village staff early in the planning process. Contact Village Hall at 920-693-8181 to make an appointment. The application form is available on the Village website, www.clevelandwi.gov, and can be left in the Village Hall drop box. Remember, fees double if work is started without a permit.

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