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Bedford Newsletter

June 2018



Important Dates

-  **Rotary Rib Fest**
June 1-June 3
-  **Chalk Art Day**
June 2
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
-  **Council Meeting**
June 4
8:00 p.m.
-  **Strawberry Festival**
June 8 - 10
-  **Municipal Pool Opens**
June 9
-  **American Red Cross Blood Drive**
June 11
2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
-  **Cleveland Shakespeare Festival**
June 17
-  **Council Meeting**
July 2
8:00 p.m.

Chalk Art Day



Chalk Art Day will take place on Saturday, June 2, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Broadway Avenue in the downtown business district. All ages are welcome.

Exterior Residential Permit Fees Waived!

During the month of June, the City's Building Department will be waiving the residential building permit fees associated with exterior improvements for owner occupied single family dwellings! Those wishing to tackle some much needed exterior home improvements will still need to obtain the required approvals and associated permits during this opportunity. The contractors must still be registered with the City.

Should you have any questions, contact the Building Department at 440-735-6530.

Chipper Service

Chipper service will be the weeks of June 4, July 2, August 6, September 3 and October 1, 2018. All items need to be on the curb and called into the Service Department, 440-735-6583, before the start of brush pick up for that month. We will not add addresses once pick up has begun for that month. Place branches on tree lawn with cut end facing the street.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

American Red Cross will be hosting a blood drive at Ellenwood Center, 124 Ellenwood Bedford, OH 44146 on June 11, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

Schedule your blood donation appointment today www.redcrossblood.org or 1-800-RED-CROSS.



2017 Water Quality Report

The City of Bedford is proud to present this 2017 Water Quality Report to you, our customer, on the quality of our drinking water. You can find the 2017 Water Quality Report on our website, www.bedfordoh.gov under the Water Department page. Included with this report is general health information, water quality test results, how to participate in decisions concerning your drinking water, and water system contacts.

If you are interested in learning more about the quality of your water, contact the Water Department Superintendent at 440-735-6588.

Independence Day Parade

The annual Independence Day Parade is Wednesday, July 4th beginning at 10:00 a.m. The parade starts at Columbus and Washington Street, proceeds east on Columbus Road to Perkins Road, disbanding at Bedford Heights City Hall.

If your group or organization is interested in being a part of the parade, please call City Hall at 440-232-1600 or obtain an application from www.bedfordoh.gov.



June Parties in the Park

June & July 7:00-9:00 p.m.

- June 6.....Ralph Szubski-Polka/Variety
- June 13.....Even Keel- Cover/Variety
- June 20...The Culkar Band - Polka/Dance Music
- June 27.....Images-Cover/Variety



Power Outage Contact Information

If you experience a power outage please call The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (888) 544-4877. Please DO NOT CALL the Police dispatch center for outages. Dispatch needs to be available for emergency calls.



Friendly Reminder:

Please place rubbish out for pickup, no later than 7:00 a.m. the day of collection.



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Sports Camp

Kids ages 10 to 14 will have a blast playing basketball, soccer, Ultimate Frisbee and traditional camp games such as capture the flag, dodgeball, and kickball.

Kids will play and learn about sports in a fun, well-supervised environment while learning sportsmanship and understanding the importance of recreational game play and the benefits of physical activity.

We will utilize innovative drills, competitions, and games to teach and make sports fun. Participants bring packed lunch daily, except Friday (pizza provided).

Monday, June 25 - Friday, June 29
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Fees

Bedford Resident - \$60 per person.

Non-Bedford Resident - \$70 per person.
Minimum Enrollment 10/Maximum enrollment 16

Pool Opens Saturday June 9

Open Swim Hours

Monday—Friday
1:00-5:30 p.m.
7:00-8:00 p.m.

Saturday—Sunday
1:00-8:00 p.m.

Adult Swim Hours

Monday—Friday
11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Saturday—Sunday
11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.



Family Swim Hours

Monday—Friday
8:00-9:00 p.m.

Saturday—Sunday
8:00-9:00 p.m.

Season Pass Fees

Individual \$40 Senior \$20

Household (2 adults and 2 children; or 1 adult and 3 children) \$100

Each additional person \$15

Drop-in Fees

Resident \$5

Guest \$10 (Must be accompanied by a Bedford resident)

Summer Swim Team

Bedford Parks and Recreation Department offers a summer swim team for children ages 5-18. The team practices at Bedford Municipal Pool Monday through Friday 8:45-10:00 a.m. Swim meets are held in various communities throughout the season, which runs June 11 through July 28.

Learn-to-Swim

Bedford Parks and Recreation Department offers the American Red Cross (ARC) Learn-to-Swim program for children ages 5 and up, as well as Tiny Tot preparation classes for children ages 2-4 accompanied by a parent. There are two, three week sessions with classes meeting Monday through Friday as follows.

Resident \$40 (\$90 for 3 or more) Non-Resident \$60 (\$140 for 3 or more)



Session I

June 11 through June 29

10:45 a.m. -11:25 a.m.
Tiny Tots*

10:45 a.m. -11:25 a.m.
ARC Levels 1-6

6:00 p.m. - 6:40 p.m.
ARC Levels 1-6

*Exception - Tiny Tots meet Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

Session 2

July 9 through July 27

10:45 a.m.-11:25 a.m.
ARC Levels 1-6

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Aquasize

Get your heart rate up with fun water exercise classes. Class meets Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Resident \$40, Non-Resident \$60

Purchase a Pool Pass

You can register or purchase a pool pass in person at Bedford City Hall, 165 Center Road Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. or at the Bedford Municipal Pool (on or after June 9). Cash and checks accepted. **Dates, times, and fees are subject to change.**

