Mayor's Message

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"Junk in the Trunk" Community Garage Sale to Take Place Saturday, July 15

Our 8th annual "Junk in the Trunk" Community Garage Sale will take place Saturday, July 15, at Greenwood Farm (264 Richmond Road, Richmond Heights) from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. At the sale, shoppers can find everything from tools and antiques to household items and jewelry. A $3 donation per shopper vehicle will gladly be accepted to benefit the Greenwood Farm property. In the event of a rainout, the event will be moved to Richmond Town Square.

"A Day in the Life of Euclid Creek" Slated for Saturday, July 15

"A Day in the Life of Euclid Creek" will be bigger than ever to celebrate Cleveland Metroparks’ 100th year anniversary and the Watershed Volunteer Program’s 5th year. The event is scheduled for Saturday, July 15, from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and begins at Acacia Reservation before continuing to Highland Heights Community Park and then later at Wildwood Park. Take a trip downstream to explore Euclid Creek and its aquatic life. Explore all or part of this family-friendly day to learn about water quality, aquatic invertebrates, fish, restoration efforts and more. Pre-registration is now closed, but registration is welcomed the day of the event. The full itinerary is available online.

Next Richmond Heights Centennial Summer Concert Series Event to be Held Wednesday, July 19

Join us on Wednesday, July 19, at the Richmond Heights Community Park Gazebo to
Office to two new officers as members of the City's police department and one new full-time firefighter. Read the full Sun Messenger article for more details.

**Summer Session in Effect**

Committees, Committee of the Whole and Council are all on a Summer Session schedule through August 22. Please check the City calendar for meeting times. Regularly scheduled meetings resume in September.

**Did You Know?**

The first plane to land in Richmond Heights landed in 1918 at the southwest corner of Richmond and Highland. This corner had been a sheep pasture for many years and was known in the early days of aviation as a good landing location.

Enjoy music by The 147 Band, then again for the final show in the Richmond Heights Centennial Summer Concert Series on Wednesday, July 26, which is when Backtraxx will perform. Start times are at 6:30 p.m. Also, mark your calendars for the Shout Band, which will perform from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Greenwood Farm on Saturday, September 16, as part of our Fall Fun Fest at the Farm and 5K Run/Walk.

**Euclid Creek East Branch Ravine Workshop is Tuesday, July 25**

Keeping ravines healthy can be a challenge. Without thoughtful action, ravines are vulnerable to erosion and slope failures that can literally wash away land and property value, and increase pollution to Lake Erie. Learn how to protect your Richmond Heights ravine by engaging in a free Ravine Workshop at the Kiwanis Lodge on Tuesday, July 25, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. A light dinner will be served. Registration must be completed by Wednesday, July 19.

**Kiwanis Club Car Show Scheduled for Saturday, July 29**

Approximately 100 cars will be on display on Saturday, July 29, from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Greenwood Farm as part of the annual Richmond Heights Kiwanis Club Car Show. Spectator admission is complimentary, and various food selections will be available for purchase. A live DJ will also be onsite to provide additional entertainment. Come join in the fun!

**Second Annual "National Night Out" Police-Community Awareness Event Slated for Tuesday, August 1**

Join members of our police department and auxiliary for the second annual "National Night Out" police-community awareness event. The evening kicks off at 5:30 p.m. at the Richmond Heights Community Park Gazebo, where youths and their families will be provided with fun materials to decorate their bikes before engaging in a Family & Friends Police Bike Ride. Participants of the bike ride should plan to complete a pre-registration form before the event, and a release on the day of attendance. Afterward, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. the official National Night Out festivities will take place at Richmond Heights City Hall (26789 Highland Road), with EMS/police vehicle demonstrations, food, giveaways, games and more.

**Senior Day at the Park to Take Place on Wednesday, August 9**

Attention seniors: Senior Day at the Park is coming soon! During this event, the City will host a pickleball tournament. In addition, attendees will be able to enjoy a live concert, and food will be available for purchase. Many other activities will also be occurring, so be sure to stop by for the fun! The event will span from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, August 9, at the Richmond Heights Community Park.

**UH Health & Safety Day is Saturday, August 12**

Visit University Hospitals Richmond Medical Center (27100 Chardon Road) on Saturday, August 12, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. to engage in free health screenings, education and demonstrations as part of the Center's annual UH Health & Safety Day. In addition, the Center will offer family-friendly activities featuring the UH Rainbow Babies & Children's Safety Squad, complimentary food, door giveaways, free chair massages and more. (Note: Certain health screenings require pre-registration.)