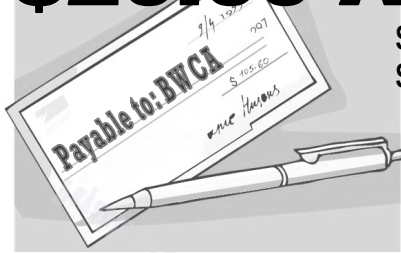


Website: www.neighborhoodlink.com/Blendon_Woods

Welcome

We would like to welcome all new residents to our community and encourage you to visit our website for important documents, and other information.

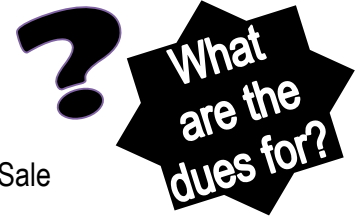
\$20.00 Annual Membership Dues



\$15.00 Goes to the SNOW REMOVAL FUND

\$5.00 Goes to the GENERAL FUND, which consists of:

- Northland Community Council Membership Dues
- Newsletters & Membership Drive
- Activities: Pumpkin Drop & Community Garage Sale
- Misc. expenses that may occur



NOTE: End Date of Membership Drive is **OCT. 27th!**

Turn in all dues collected before the end date!

The Pumpkin Drop will END the Membership Drive.



Mail Dues To: Colleen Krupp, BWCA
Membership Chair (*checks payable to BWCA*)
4328 Bear Tooth Ct , Columbus, OH 43230

HELP WANTED

We are in **need of volunteers** to help with the different committees and activities throughout the year. You may have noticed that some activities DID NOT happen, due to lack of volunteers. Ask a friend or neighbor to help you create some new ideas! If you would be willing to help on a committee, **please indicate how you can help in the comments area.**

Be Chairperson of committee, Co-Chair, or volunteer to serve on committee.

Below are positions in need of 2-4 persons on each. *More info on back* ➡

- ☐ Northland Com. Council Rep—Attend 1 mtg./mo. Need Alternates
- ☐ NCC Development Com.—Attend 1 mtg. /mo. / Need Alternates
- ☐ National Night Out Event—One time/yr.- Need Committee
- ☐ Membership Drive Committee—One time/yr. /Help with drive
- ☐ Social Committee—Arrange picnic or groups-clubs/VACANT

Volunteer to organize one of our Annual Community Events/Activities help with one of these annual activities. *More info on back* ➡

- ☐ Holiday Events—Ideas needed! /VACANT
- ☐ Community Garage Sale—Spring/Fall/VACANT
- ☐ Help deliver newsletters — when Area is not covered
- ☐ Area Representative — Deliver newsletters, etc.
- ☐ Welcome Committee — Create a welcome packet

Comments: _____

Please remit your **annual dues of \$20.00** and make your check payable to: ***Blendon Woods Civic Association.***

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # _____

E-Mail: _____

How can you help?

Chairperson and Committee person/s duties:

1. Keep in contact with board members and newsletter editor, with the dates and times of events and activities being planned.
 2. Keep list of residents emails, and phone numbers that may be interested in helping with events, groups or activities.
 3. Keep a folder with information about committee, what was done to organize event; your contacts, supplies, prizes, refreshments needed, etc.
 4. Keep receipts of items purchased for events or activities. Contact treasurer for reimbursement of any expenses.
- **NCC Representative** - Northland Com. Council representative attends one meeting/month to keep our membership in the Council for voting rights of area news from City of Columbus. 1st Tuesday of each month an alternate is needed to take turns attending meetings. The mission of the NCC is to represent and communicate the interests of the residents and member organizations to government officials, councils and boards.
 - **NCC Development Committee Representative** - Northland Com. Council Development Committee Representative attends one meeting/ month to keep our membership in the council and for voting rights for issues in our area. Need 2 representatives to take turns attending meetings on the last Wednesday of each month.
 - **Board Members** — President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer — NEW LEADERS NEEDED - we can show you how!
 - **Area Representative** — Deliver newsletters for area, distribute membership forms & collect dues, keep in contact with board members, such as Welcome Committee, Blockwatch, and attend general BWCA meetings.
 - **Beautification Committee** — (1-4 persons) Organize clean-up events, landscape awards, contests, entrance sign up-keep.
 - **Garage Sale** — (1-2 persons) Collect information of participants in garage sale. Provide balloons for mailboxes. Place ad in local papers or on-line. Put up and take down signs for the event. Provide event dates to Newsletter Editor to give residents a deadline to participate and who to contact.
 - **Membership Drive** — (1-2 persons) Help with Membership Drive by canvassing neighborhood for final collection at End Date.
 - **Welcoming** — (1-2 persons) Put together a list of area information to give to new residents. (Include: coupons, discounts, business cards or menus for area restaurants, etc.) Make an Information Packet with these items that you have collected. Update and organize information each year to put in the Welcome Information Packet. Keep in contact with Area Reps to Welcome new residents. Or create a crafty idea to give to new residents!
 - **Social Committee** — (1-2 persons) Contact residents who are interested in starting clubs and groups, and help arrange meetings and get-togethers for groups. Keep list of group contact person, and report info to newsletter editor with meeting dates, etc. Organize an annual community picnic or party. Help with organizing Holiday events, like 4th of July parade, Caroling, Breakfast With Santa, etc.
 - **National Night Out Event** — (1-2 persons) Volunteers needed to arrange a fun event in our neighborhood, held the first Tuesday of August. The event is meant to increase awareness about police programs in communities, such as drug prevention, neighborhood watch, and other anti-crime efforts. www.nationalnightout.org
 - **Block Watch** — Organize & meet with group of neighborhood residents who will watch for criminal & suspicious behavior. Work with CPD Community Liaison Officers about speaking at our Block-Watch, Community Civic Association, groups/organizations regarding crime issues. *Block watches are a proven means of reducing burglary and other crimes. Use these on-line resources:* www.crimereports.com; <http://www.ncpc.org>; <https://www.columbus.gov/police/> ; communitycrimemap.com

About Our "Civic Association"

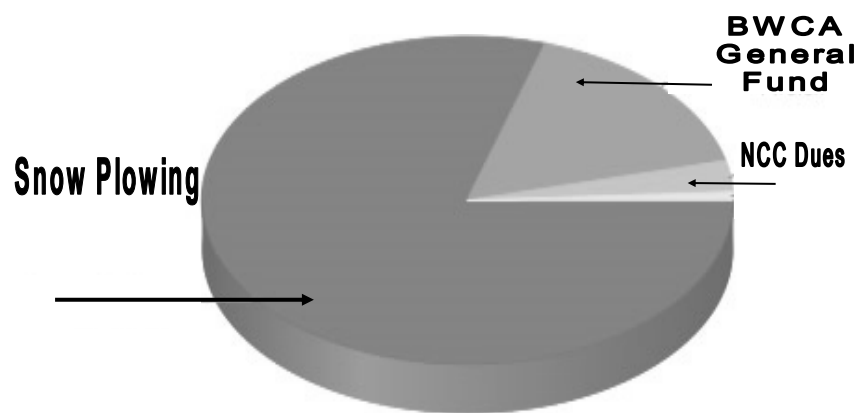
The BWCA, is a **voluntary** membership organization that fosters neighborhood spirit and strengthens the social, political, zoning, and crime prevention issues that affect the quality of life in our community. With the help of volunteer residents from our community, we sponsor events and activities to strengthen our neighborhood. You are an important part of the neighborhood because we need volunteers like you to be a part of the process of the exchange of ideas, help to prioritize projects, and propose solutions by attending meetings and sharing your concerns! There are many neighborhoods throughout Columbus, but being in a civic association helps us make our voices heard in the Columbus City Council. We belong to a very large group of civic associations called, **Northland Community Council**. They help nearly 100,000 residents in the Northland area.

The NCC has been a strong voice in the City of Columbus for over 40 years. Part of your annual membership dues goes to our membership dues to the **NCC** so that we can participate in City Council decisions involving zoning and development issues.

**Thank You
For Supporting
the BWCA!**

Thank you for supporting the BWCA with your annual membership dues of \$20.00. Please enclose your check made payable to BWCA in the enclosed envelope and give to your Area Representative or add a stamp and mail to the address on the envelope.

BWCA Membership Dues



"The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members." ~ Coretta Scott King