



2018

Issue 2

The President's Message

Hello Neighbors, and happy summer!

Our next big event is our Fourth of July Picnic. The Fourth of July is a special holiday for me for a couple of reasons. One, it is my birthday. As a young child, it always seemed that the fireworks I could watch from the front porch were just part of my birthday celebration. The other reason is that it celebrates a diverse group of people who came together to create something greater than themselves, and established an American tradition of communities coming together to accomplish their goals. The LVRA is an organization within this tradition.

To accomplish this, we need folks to volunteer their time. At this time, for instance, we will need help to both set up the picnic and clean up afterward. If you are willing to help, please send me an e-mail at asdormire@sbcglobal.net. Your help with the picnic would be the best birthday present you could give me. We also have other volunteer opportunities available, and you are welcome to write me or show up to our next meeting on July 2 at National Church Residences also known as the Lincoln Lodge. Thank you, and have a great summer,

Alan Dormire
President, LVRA

Upcoming Events

July 4th Cookout ~ Wednesday, July 4th
Summer Community Sales ~ September 7-9

Where We Live

EASTER EGG HUNT

Hello neighbors, and thank you for another successful Easter Egg Hunt! The weather cooperated and delivered a pleasant day for that event. The kids were great with following the bunny and managed to catch 1,954 eggs in 15 minutes! They had so much fun.

We want to deliver a big thank you to the following businesses who sent coupons as rewards for the Easter Egg hunt:

Carriage House of Flowers	Bob Evans
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Dairy Queen	PNC Bank
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State Farm Insurance—Galloway	Flyer's Pizza
Taco Bell	Giant Eagle
Village Flowers & Gifts	Kroger
Great Clips—Galloway	W.G. Grinders
Walgreens—Galloway	Wendy's

Our next event will be the July 4th cookout at 12pm in Carl Frye Park. We hope to see you there!

-Jim & Mary Meyer

*****Please Note*****

Thank you to those of you who have mailed your membership dues to LVRA. Let's make an effort to get \$3000.00 for the year. Just a reminder, we also accept dues from those of you who rent. These dues are used to help with the cost of the publication of the Railsplitter and activities we sponsor in Carl Frye Park. We would also like to start giving the \$500 scholarship again from LVRA to a deserving student who lives in Lincoln village and attends SWCS. We very much wish to continue these community events and appreciate your help. Please fill out the form below and send it in along with your payment as soon as possible, or visit www.LincolnVillage.com to pay from the comfort of your home.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Our annual membership drive is underway. You can mail the form below along with your annual dues of \$12.00 per household. (\$10.00 for Golden Buckeye members.) By joining the association you help support many activities in the Village. For example, it enables us to continue the publication of the Railsplitter, our Easter Egg Hunt, the July 4th celebration and several other events and contest throughout the year.

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Block Watch Summer 2018 will be the Biggest Yet

By David Donofrio, Co-Chair

The Greater Lincoln Village Area Block Watch is gearing up for an active summer, and we hope to see you out and about!

First, our membership drive is going very well. So far residents have committed to over half of the streets in our coverage area. Remember, all of Lincoln Village North, South, Garden Heights and National Pike Little Farms (New Rome) is within our boundaries! However, there are still plenty of streets to cover – and we need your help. Simply email lvblockwatch@gmail.com, or call the number on our logo here, and provide your address. We will give you a street and all the materials you need to talk to your neighbors. Even if you have never attended a meeting, you can still help – our kit makes it super easy. Just call or email us today!

At the end of June are 2 great events for us. Our next meeting on June 27 at 6pm is our first-ever field trip, and it will be great fun for the entire family. Meet at 2609 McKinley Road in the Grandview area, where the public pasture for horses that are used in law enforcement/mounted units are housed! Bring some carrots to feed them, and learn from deputies about how mounted law enforcement works. Then on Saturday, June 30, we will be featured in the WABA 4th of July Parade on West Broad Street in Lincoln Village. We'll be giving out candy and information about how to get involved in the organization – please come march with us, or keep an eye out for our logo!



Then on August 7 is National Night Out, and it is shaping up to be bigger and better than last year's. Service animals from the Franklin County Sheriff's Office, games for kids and adults, food and drinks, ability to sit in fire and police trucks and much, much more. A variety of community organizations will also be present, with a variety of giveaways and services. And to round it out, the entire event will feature live local music. You won't want to miss this – circle August 7 on your calendar! On North Murray Hill Road between Beacon Hill and Medfield.

See you out this summer in our community! Thanks for all you do to keep us safe.

TIPS for a safer neighborhood

- Keep the car doors LOCKED and keep valuable items in your house.
- Invest in motion sensor lighting or even a camera system for your home. There are now doorbells that can watch outside and alert you when someone is at your door.
- If you think you're seeing something suspicious, it probably is! Report any suspicious activity to the non emergency line at 614-525-3333. Do not post on Nextdoor first thing.
- Lastly, COMMUNICATE with your neighbors! Get to know them, and let them know if you are going out of town so they can help with keeping an eye out for intruders.

Want to Help?

We are always looking for people to help with this paper or LVRA in general. If you have suggestions for this paper, please email rladinal9@gmail.com If you want to participate with the LVRA, LVRA holds monthly meetings on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 pm at the National Church Residences on Eastham Way.

Like us on Facebook! Facebook is the quickest way we have to communicate with our residents, and we have lots of great information about the community that you can receive at your fingertips each day. Go to Facebook and type in "Lincoln Village Residents Association" today!

2018 Events Calendar

- July 4th~ Noon
- Summer Community Sale: September 7-9
- Halloween in the Park: October 20~1-3 pm
- Santa in the Park: December 8~ 1-2 pm

Please pay your membership dues for 2018 to help support these events. These dates have been selected but are subject to change in case of bad weather. The community sales will not be changed. We would also like you to consider supporting the local businesses that donate items for our events.

ATTENTION HOMEOWNERS

- If your neighbor doesn't keep their grass mowed, as well as having trash and debris on the property, call the Township Hall at 614-878-3317. Listen to the prompts and push 4 for zoning, then leave a message.
- If you have furniture that you don't need anymore, please call the Furniture Bank of Central Ohio. They will come and pick up your furniture; there is no need to leave furniture on the curb. Some people can certainly use these items!
- For your street lights that burn out, you can also call the township number above and push 2 for the road department and leave a message so that they can notify AEP. You will need to provide the address.

What's "in" for summer 2018

- A new spice is starting to make a scene. Timut peppers are from Nepal, and they actually taste like a spicy grapefruit. Neat!
- Four smaller meals instead of 3 meals can help boost your metabolism and may help with you feeling fuller throughout the day!
- Ladies, and even gents, be bold with your hair. Adding subtle hints of bold colors, like purple or red, brings a pop of personality.

PRAIRIE TOWNSHIP FARMER'S MARKET

If it's healthy, locally produced fruits, veggies, herbs, pork, beef, chicken, flowers, and eggs you're looking for, the Prairie Township Farmer's Market has it all! We invite you to join us every Monday, June-September, where you can find a variety of delicious produce, sold to you directly from local farmers. Our market also offers a variety of specialty vendors including jams, jellies, sauces, bratwursts, chocolates and more. Food trucks and sweet trucks will also be available at most market dates. Don't miss our special event dates on July 9 and August 13. The OSU Extension Office will be hosting cooking demos and nutrition education on these dates along with Bring the Farm to You on July 9 and Matt the Balloon Guy on August 13.

The Prairie Township Farmer's Market is a part of SNAP (formerly known as Food Stamps) and we are excited to announce the launch of the Produce Perks program, which provides a dollar for dollar match up to \$20 to SNAP customers to spend on fruits and vegetables. Buy a little and get a lot! It's the healthy way to stretch your SNAP dollars. All you need to get started is to bring your EBT card to the market.

The Prairie Township Farmer's Market runs from June-September. The market is available Monday evenings from 4-7 pm. It is located at the Prairie Township Community Center on 5955 West Broad Street. Contact us at 614-907-7995 for any questions. Additional information can be found on our website at prairietownship.org.



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Franklin County Sheriff:
614-525-3333

Lincoln Village Block Watch:
614-500-9497

**Prairie Township Community
Center:**
614-907-7990

Official Website:
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"Lincoln Village Residents
Association"

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1-800-772-1213

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614-308-1384

Animal Control
614-525-4385

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614-228-1776

Franklin County Dept of Aging
614-525-5230



Get Ready for Red, White & Blue: 4th of July in the Park

By Ryan Ladina

LVRA is pleased to announce that the 4th of July Cookout will be better than ever! Here are some listed itinerary items:

- Food will be available such as hamburgers, hot dogs. Chips, pop, tea, and water will also be available.
- A Euchre tournament will be happening!
- Cornhole, kickball, and volleyball are in the works.
- A cotton candy machine will be available for the kids!

Please keep in mind that this is a potluck, so bring side items that you would normally bring to a cookout.

The cookout will be at Carl Frye Park, which can be accessed from Old Village Road and Darbyhurst Road, and will start at 12 pm. Plenty of seating and shade will be available.



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The Prairie Township Firefighter's Association 69th Annual Fish Fry & Cruise-In

Courtesy of the Prairie Township Fire Association

Friday, June 29th and Saturday, June 30th 2018, at 106 Norton Road from 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day. There will be plenty of good food. The firefighters fry approximately 2,000 pounds of ocean perch. We also serve hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs, baked beans, coleslaw, french fries, pies, cakes and soft drinks. We are always proud to offer live entertainment provided by local talent, including:

Friday, June 29

6:00-10:00pm - Tim Castle & The Southern Rock Band

The ultimate culmination of Southern hospitality mixed with years of talent, determination and an unwavering passion for music. The band's collaboration of Country, Southern Rock and Classic Rock N' Roll always delivers an electrically invigorating and extremely entertaining performance that captivates audiences and leaves them wanting more!

Saturday, June 30

11:00am-2:00pm - 23 Southbound

23 Southbound is Columbus Ohio's premier top 100 country cover band. When they got together in 2013, 23 Southbound wanted to bring Columbus a band that brings the top 100 country songs with a little classic country mixed in to the table. Features our own Kevin Reynolds on drums!

6:00-10:00pm - Black Water Road

Black Water Road is a Classic Rock, Southern Rock, and Country band that is playing Older Rock, Southern Rock, Country tunes that are guaranteed to entertain the crowd. The band is based out of Hilliard, OH.



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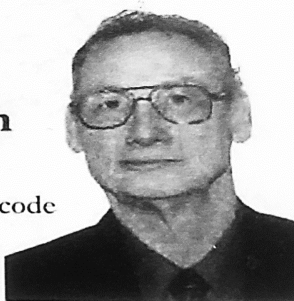
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