#### **FAIRFAX FORUM**

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# THANK YOU TO OUR RESIDENTS, VENDORS AND THE RED HOT DANCING QUEENS FOR

#### MAKING LIGHT UP FAIRFAX 2018 A FUN TIME FOR ALL!!



# Fairfax Forum

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Infrastructure Meeting -Jan. 14th, 6:15pm ECC Meeting -Jan. 14th, 7pm Finance Meeting -Jan. 22nd, 6:30pm Council Meeting -Jan. 22nd, 7pm

\*R.G. Cribbet Recreation Hall rental, Community Room rental, Ziegler Park Picnic Shelter reservations, Ziegler Park soccer field use permits.

Call Chandra Buswell, Rec. Dept. Supervisor :

568-4820 or email at chandrabuswell@yahoo.com.

We hope you enjoy this issue of the Fairfax Forum which is published by the Village of Fairfax monthly for the residents and businesses in our village.

Please contact Chandra Buswell for submissions. While this newsletter welcomes submissions for evaluation, it is not an open forum. Submissions will be evaluated for consistency with the informational purpose of the newsletter. The editorial staff may reject any submission or edit submissions for both content and space. Photos will not be returned.

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Next deadline - 1/20/19

On behalf of the Mayor,
Events Committee and Council,
the Village of Fairfax would like to extend a big
THANK YOU

to the Fairfax Civic Association for providing luminaries along the carriage route at the Light Up Fairfax event held on December 9, 2018.

Happy holidays to everyone!

# THANK YOU FOR A SUCCESSFUL TOY DRIVE!

The Fairfax Police Department and Little Miami Joint Fire District would extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to everyone who generously donated a new toy or money to needy children of the community. Many toys were collected at the event at Walmart on Sunday December 9, 2018 and a total of \$1,262 in cash was collected to make many children's holiday a good one!



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#### VILLAGE CONTACTS

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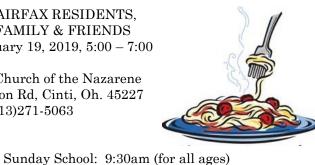
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#### FREE SPAGHETTI DINNER

FOR ALL FAIRFAX RESIDENTS. CHURCH FAMILY & FRIENDS Saturday, January 19, 2019, 5:00 – 7:00

The Fairfax Church of the Nazarene 3802 Watterson Rd, Cinti, Oh. 45227 (513)271-5063



Sunday Church Services: 10:30am & 6:00pm Children's Church: 10:30am Wednesday prayer service: 7:00pm \*Christmas Program: Sunday, December 16, 10:30am If your kids would like to participate in the Christmas program please have them attend church for practice on Sunday mornings at 10:30am

#### FROM THE MAINTENANCE **DEPARTMENT**

NEW POLICY FOR LARGE LOAD BRUSH PICK-UP: Fairfax must make a change in our program where residents can request a truck be dropped off at their home so that larger amounts of brush can be loaded by the resident and then hauled away by the Maintenance Department. A fee of \$15 will now be charged to remove a truckload of brush, due to that cost now being charged to the Village. A resident must come to the municipal building and make payment ahead of time. Once payment is made, a resident may contact the Village Maintenance Department at 527-6508 to arrange for the truck to be dropped off.

Residents may still place smaller amounts of brush, tied in twine, and cut into 4 foot lengths on the curb for free pick up. Small branch, twig and brush pick up at the curb occurs every Monday morning.

The Village will provide the FREE service of delivering bulk mulch, gravel or limestone to residents if they make arrangements and payment with Hafner & Sons or Evans Landscaping ahead of time. We can also pick up larger trees at a nursery and have it delivered to your home. Again, contact 527-6508 for more information or to make this arrangement.

A general reminder for the winter months: turn off the valve for any outside water faucets. Remove your hose from the hose bib to prevent any remaining water in the hose from freezing around the bib.



#### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

**Solicitation Permits:** Anyone going door to door in the Village must register with the Police Department. If you are unsure about anyone coming to your door, please contact the police department at 271-7250.

Communicator: All residents and businesses can be added to the automated communicator system for emergency notifications and community announcements. Please contact the police department at 271-7250 to register.

Rumpke missed pick-ups 513-742-2900

Report Street Light or Traffic Light Out

Jill Kessler, Fairfax P.D. 513-272-9941

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# **Best Decorated House Contest Winner!**

3719 Camden The Pam Martin Family

Congratulations! A big THANK YOU to everyone who decorated their home and made Fairfax so festive this holiday season.



### **EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS** AND WEATHER ALERTS NOW AVAILABLE

Smart 911, a web-based alert system that can provide critical emergency and medical information to 911 dispatchers—even when calling from a cell phone is now available to all Fairfax residents and businesses.

Smart 911 allows you to set up a safety profile so that 911 operators can view your address, medical information, emergency contacts and other critical information about your household or business. It is up to you how much information you would like to

provide. You can also receive notifications on your cell phone about severe weather, traffic issues and other emergencies in your area.

For more information and to sign up for this service, please go to www.alerthc.org.



#### **LEGION OLYMPICS**

Think you have what it takes to take home the gold?

When: January 5, 2019

Where: Fairfax Rec Center Time: 7-10 pm (21 and over)

Minute to Win It based games \$10.00 entry fee Split the pot and Raffles

#### Benefits the St Joseph Orphanage

Bring your "A" game, and may the best Olympian win.

Sign ups at the American Legion Post 554 3712 Southern Ave

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#### Rec Chess & Game Night

\*\*\*New information!\*\*\*

We have expanded our chess night to include board games!

Please join us at 6:30-8pm on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month for some old-school fun!

Held in the Fairfax Village Municipal Building. 5903 Hawthorne Ave, Fairfax, OH 45227. Just come on downstairs, we will be in the Scout Room.

Of course, we still have chess for those who want to play, just have added a few other fun board game favorites.

If you have games you'd like to donate, please don't hesitate to contact us at fairfaxchess@yahoo.com to arrange pick-up.

If you'd like to bring in something to play that night, that's great too!

This is a very casual format and we'd love for you to come! Young children are welcome, but remember that we are not responsible for them!

Any questions, or to sign up to mentor, please email facilitators Anita Hunt and Sarah Maier at fairfaxchess@yahoo.com.

#### **ATTENTION:**

Home Owners...
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plumbing problem,
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So You Don't Waste Time"

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and receive \$10 off the

\$39 service call fee.

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# Ninth Annual Family Bowling Day

February 3rd ~ 1:30pm to 3:30pm

#### @ Madison Bowl

4761 Madison, Cincinnati, OH 45227

To sign up for the two games of the day email: chandrabuswell@yahoo.com or jkaminer@fairfaxoh.org

\$8 per person.

This is a family friendly event that is intended for all bowling skill levels.

There will be trophies and split the pot.

\*Lanes of 4-5 players. Small numbers may be put together.



Join this fun group each month at 7:30pm in the Fairfax Rec Center.

5903 Hawthorne Ave.

Books are reserved at the Mariemont library at least a month before each discussion date.

Feel free to bring a beverage and a snack.

January 15th - "The Four Ms. Bradwells" by Meg Waite Clayton

February 19th - "Double Identity" by Margaret Peterson Haddix

March 19th - "I Feel Bad About My Neck" by Nora Ephron

#### FAIRFAX CIVIC ASSOCIATION

Join us at the next Fairfax Civic Association meeting on Tuesday, January 15th, at 7:30pm at the municipal building. In new business we will be discussing the reintroduction of Welcome Baskets for new residents. Whether you are a new resident or someone that's lived in the village for many years, we would love to hear your ideas on what should be included in a welcome basket. You may email us at <a href="mailto:fairfaxcivic@gmail.com">fairfaxcivic@gmail.com</a> or join us at the meeting.



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# REC. Arts

Hands on projects for kids in kindergarten to 6th grade. Class sizes vary and are limited to child/adult ratio. Waiting lists may occur.

Held in the Fairfax Rec Center.

#### **Schedule:**

January 12th - Watercolor Masterpieces

February 15th - Hand Decorated Sports Gear

March 9th - Multi-crayon St. Patrick Engravings

April 19th - Metal Embossing

May 11th - Wind Chimes

Classes are only \$10 per child.

To sign up, email recartsfairfax@gmail.com to receive an enrollment form. Enrollment forms must be returned with payment to guarantee space in the program.

Questions can also be sent to the above email address.

## Preschool Playgroup

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Children 0-6 years and their parents or caregivers.

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Wonderful opportunity to let the kids play and socialize.

Carpeted room with toys.

Fairfax Rec Center on

Thursday mornings from 9:30am - 11:00am.

R.G. Cribbet Center

5903 Hawthorne Ave.

3505 Hawmonie Ave.

Hosted by the Village of Fairfax and the Mariemont Preschool Parents Group.

No RSVP necessary, just come on in. Questions?

Email villageoffairfax@gmail.com

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