

NORTH OLMSTED

E-Newsletter

Brought to you by Mayor Kevin M. Kennedy



Fish Fries are back at Springvale!

The Springvale Fish Fries began on February 28th. They will be held every Friday during Lent from 4 PM - 8 PM in the Ballroom. Springvale will host a new volunteer organization each week to serve the fish fries! In return, all tips will be donated to their organization. Please come out to support Springvale and the volunteer organizations!

February 28th – I Wear Grey for Calvin

March 6th – NOHS Soccer

March 13th – St. Brendan Church

March 20th – NOHS After Prom

March 27th – MS Society

April 3rd – Bretton Ridge Women's Club

April 10th – Kiwanis

Make North Olmsted Count! 2020 Census

Did you know that the next census will take place in 2020? Every 10 years, the U.S. Census Bureau undertakes a mammoth task: counting all the people residing in the United States. Responding to the 2020 Census is our civic duty and affects the allocation of funding for our community's public resources, how we plan for the future, and our voice in government.

For the first time, in 2020 the U.S. Census Bureau will accept responses online. The process will be quick and secure. You can respond to the census in less time than it takes to finish your morning coffee. You'll still be able to respond by mail.

Together, we can ensure
that our community receives the
resources it needs.

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Learn more at 2020census.gov.

North Olmsted Signals Phase 2

Construction will begin on the second phase of the Citywide Signals Project on March 2, 2020 weather permitting. The work will take place during daytime hours from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. During construction hours traffic might be reduced by one lane using a temporary lane closure.

The scope of work for this project includes the replacement of the existing traffic signals and replacement of the pedestrian curb ramps on the streets listed below. The project is scheduled for completion in July of 2021. Please drive safely.

Brookpark Road
Butternut Ridge Road
Clague Road
Columbia Road
Country Club Boulevard
Great Northern Boulevard

Mailbox Durability

A common misconception about mailbox damage is that the plow on the truck comes into direct contact with the mailbox. Actually, most mailboxes are damaged by the heavy snow as it is pushed to the side of the road by the plow. The Service Department suggests that residents check to make sure that their mailbox is not deteriorating or in poor condition.



Mailboxes in poor condition will not be as durable in the harsh Ohio winters as mailboxes that are in good condition. The Service Department will only replace mailboxes if they are struck by our equipment, not ones that are knocked over by snow during our street cleaning duties.

Service Department

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Starting January 1, 2020, the ENTIRE City of North Olmsted will be going back to same day, once a month BULK collection. Information in the mail to follow from Republic Services. Bulk collection dates for 2020 are as follows:

January 9th	July 9th
February 6th	August 6th
March 5th	September 11th
April 9th	October 8th
May 7th	November 5th
June 4th	December 10th

Bulk Pick Up: March 5th for EVERYONE

REPUBLIC SERVICES YARD WASTE COLLECTION:

No current collection going on. Put in garbage can (not recycle) OR plastic bags ONLY December – March on Bulk collection day. April 2, 2020 will be the first collection of next year.

CITY CURBSIDE BRUSH CHIPPING:

The chipping schedule has changed for the 2020 year. We are starting the Spring/Summer/Fall schedule a week earlier and adding another rotation through the wards.

****We have also added a city-wide sweep once a month during October – March that will start the first Monday of every month.**** Same rules apply: Must be out by 7:00 AM. There will be text messages reminders sent on the Friday before the Monday the brush is due out.

The city website is updated with full details: <https://www.north-olmsted.com/curbside-brush-chipping/>

Watch for the 2020 Residential City Services mailer to keep for the year or go on our website for all updated 2020 information. Go to www.north-olmsted.com and click on Services

TIP: Help keep our City's water flowing. Keep your front ditch and catch basins free and clear of debris.

Sign up for the VIP TEXT LIST | [Text T724 to 36000](https://www.north-olmsted.com)

Springvale



Springvale's new outdoor pavilion is the perfect backdrop for your next event. We still have 2019 availability for your next company picnic, family get-together, golf outing and more. Springvale's pavilion is available to rent with reasonable resident & non-resident pricing. The pavilion features an indoor bar, gas fireplace, customizable colored lighting, running water, gas grill and indoor restroom facilities.

As always the Springvale Golf Course is open to the public for residents and visitors to enjoy! We are now scheduling outings, leagues and tee times for the 2020 golf season. Please call 440-777-0678 for more details.

Planning a business meeting, networking luncheon, or your next corporate event? Springvale has the amenities of a private club and is available throughout the week to meet the needs of your next important event. Whether you're just looking for a place to meet, or if you'd like to combine business and pleasure and include a round of golf, Springvale has you covered. Call 440-777-0678 and our experienced planners will support you through planning your next business function.



YOGA+ GETTING SMART ABOUT FOOD WASTE WORKSHOP

Please join us

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

- 9:00 AM** **DOORS OPEN**
Explore a variety of natural products and services by select vendors
- 10:00 AM** **YOGA**
*Instruction by Kelly Patrick
Set to live music by Danielle Krimer*
- 10:45 AM** **FEATURED PRESENTATION**
By Jodi Mitchell, Perfectly Imperfect Produce

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NORTH OLMSTED COMMUNITY CABIN | 28114 LORAIN RD

North Olmsted Recreation Center Ice Rink Rehabilitation



The ice rink at the North Olmsted Recreation Center is getting an overhaul in 2020. The rink will be shut down after the Ice Show in May until Labor Day so construction work can take place. Our patrons will be excited with the upcoming changes! While the configuration of the ice will remain unchanged (main rink plus studio rink), many improvements are in store, which will improve the experience for our skaters and spectators alike.

- Replacement of the sand floor system, as well as the dasher boards at both rinks including the glass, doors and player boxes;
- Removal of existing bag insulation and installation of a new metal building insulation system and ceiling;
- Installation of a new fixed storefront glass wall system to separate the rink area from the warming area;
- Renovation of the warming area including replacement of the flooring system in the warming area and adjacent restrooms and team rooms along with complete repainting of the ice arena;
- Reconfiguration of the concession area with a new folding partition to allow separation into smaller spaces;
- Reconditioning of the existing dehumidification unit and installation of new HVAC units and ductwork; and
- Addressing the problematic issues on the roof by removing parapet fascia, making necessary repairs to remaining support structures and installing new flashing.

The total project cost is estimated at \$2,165,000. The city is borrowing these funds for repayment using our existing financial resources. No new taxes will be assessed to cover the cost of this investment in our rink.

We are working hard to update and upgrade our recreation facilities to preserve the ice skating legacy in North Olmsted. We look forward to unveiling our new and improved ice rink to the community this fall.



Recreation Center

Registration

Spring registration begins on March 16, 2020.

Fitness

Fitness Orientation

March 11th | 6:00 – 7:00 PM

March 19th | 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

March 25th | 6:00 – 7:00 PM

Free to all pass members. This class is an information session that will provide the basics of how to use the weight machines and cardio equipment. Registration is required. Sign up at the Recreation Center front desk or online.

Personal Training

Are you ready to take your personal training to the next level? Just want to start working out and learn the basics? Prescription Fitness has you covered no matter your fitness level. They offer a range of options, from one-on-one, private training to group exercise workouts. If you are ready to become the best you, head over to www.prescription-fitness.com or call 440-552-6729.

Exercise Punch Passes

Looking to try out a new group exercise class but do not want to commit to a monthly or annual membership? Purchase an Exercise Punch Pass that give you the flexibility you need without a deadline. Get 10 visits for \$60.

Ice Rink

Learn to Skate USA

Learn to Skate USA is the official beginning skating program for US Figure Skating, USA Hockey and US Speed Skating. This program offers innovative instruction that is both informative and motivational with lots of extras including free public skates, skate rentals, extended lesson time, achievement patches, an end of session party and more. [Learn more!](#)

Aquatics

Learn to Swim

North Olmsted Parks and Recreation offers a program suited for beginners to more advanced skilled swimmers. Our program is committed to providing lessons that build confidence, teach water safety skills, and encourages growth within a safe environment. [Learn more!](#)

Gymnastics

Recreation

North Olmsted Gymnastics offers a variety of gymnastics classes including preschool age, recreational, bar skills and camps. Please check our full listing of available classes and camps. [Learn more!](#)

Sports

Adult and Youth Programming

North Olmsted Parks and Recreation offers a wide range of programming that serves both children and adults within our community. Our adult and youth programming supports the learning, participations and growth through memorable courses. [Learn more!](#)

SENIOR CENTER

THURSDAY ENTERTAINMENT IN MARCH | 12:00 PM

5th — JUST THE TWO OF US

Welcome back Ron Stark and Jim Udovich while they entertain us with their piano standards and current pop tunes.

12th — ANGER PRESENTATION

Speaker Aaron Baker will present on the World's most destructive emotion —Anger! Learn how you can be free of all anger and fear through understanding why people can be mean, how not to argue, and secrets for good relationships.

19th — DEBBIE DARLING

Welcome back Debbie Darling and enjoy her musical / informational performance depicting "Black Women in Jazz" commemorating the 100 Year Anniversary of Jazz.

24th — Speaker | MARTY GITLIN (Please note this program is on a Tuesday)

Speaker Marty Gitlin covered the Indians for nearly two decades as an award-winning sports journalist. This fun, enlightening program covers the most interesting and greatest teams, players and events in Cleveland Indians history. Marty will also talk about some of his experiences covering the team, including their glory years in the 1990s and early 2000s. The program will include Indians trivia and exciting game highlights. Special dessert provided by Rocky River Gardens! Presentation begins at 12:15 PM.

Lunch & Learn - Fall Prevention - Wednesday, March 11th at 12:00 PM | Community Cabin.

Fadia Nader, Director of Rehabilitation at O'Neill Healthcare will discuss fall risk factors, home safety & fall prevention, and tips for living life to the fullest while remaining in your home as you age. A light lunch will be provided. Please sign up by March 6th.

FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON - Wednesday, March 25th at 12:00 PM | Community Cabin.

Symphony of the Falls will sponsor this breakfast for lunch consisting of pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, pastry and fruit. Monetary donations are suggested and all proceeds benefit the senior center. Join us for a delicious meal and friendship while supporting our center. Sign up by March 20th.

MUSIC TRIVIA AT WESTLAKE SENIOR CENTER - Wednesday, April 1st from 1:30 -3:30 PM | Westlake Senior Center | 29694 Center Ridge Rd. Join us for this year's first Music Trivia competition. Sign up alone or with a team of up to six people by March 27th. Light snacks will be provided.

NORTH OLMSTED SITES STUDENT | SENIOR² TRIVIA - Wednesday, April 8th from 1:00 - 3:00 PM | N.O. Middle School Cafeteria | 5755 Burns. Register before April 1st to participate in this fun collaborative event with students from North Olmsted High Schools graduating class of 2020. Enjoy delicious desserts baked by the students and join in a fun filled afternoon of intergenerational Trivia.

SAVE THE DATE:

July 27th - through August 7th

Westshore Senior Centers present the first collaborative Senior Center Olympics. Register to participate or cheer for your favorite team. Each city will host events on specific days at their centers to compete for Gold, Silver and Bronze medals. *Additional information and registration will be in upcoming newsletters.*

TRIP SCHEDULE:

"Ain't Misbehavin" The Hanna Theatre - Wednesday, May 13th. The package will include motor coach transportation and tour guide, luncheon at Guarino's in Little Italy and floor seat tickets to the 1:30 pm performance of "Ain't Misbehavin". Cost \$93.00 for transportation | cash or check payable to: great day tours. Lunch at Guarino's in little Italy. Check in to 9:30 am | return 6:00 pm. Sign up by Friday, April 10th.