

Orange Village Community News

Summer 2011



THE SOUNDS OF SUMMER IN ORANGE VILLAGE



Chamber Music...
in Council Chambers
Thursday, July 7th, 7:30 p.m.
Orange Village Hall
4600 Lander Road



von Weber's Lively Clarinet Quintet
and other sparkling chamber works

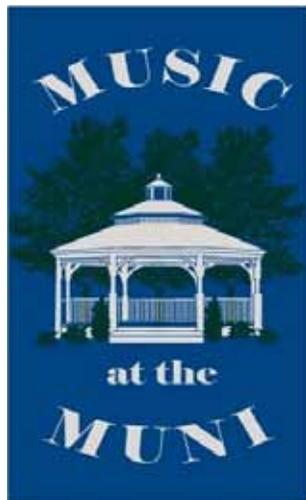
Featuring: **Stanislav Golovin**, clarinet, First Prize winner, 2010 Houston Symphony Concerto Competition and the **Nexus String Quartet** First Prize winner 2010 Plowman Chamber Music Competition, with guest cellist **Brian Thornton** of the Cleveland Orchestra
Zsolt Eder and **Kei Fukuda**, violins, and **Javier Gonzalez**, piano

Welcoming reception at 7:00. Meet the artists following the program.

Event is free of charge!

Reservations required • Call Anna: 440.287.5131 (seating is limited)

Program Organized by M.U.S.i.C • www.starsintheclassics.org



Lola's Gypsy Soul

Thursday, August 11th, 7:30 p.m.

Listen to the sounds of soul and rhythm and blues
with a Latin twist.

**Spend a spectacular evening with family and friends.
Bring a lawn chair, sit back and enjoy.**



In case of inclement weather, performance will be
moved to Council Chambers.

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Orange Village Recycles!

Since the inception of our recycling containers in September 2008, Orange Village residents have increased the amount of recycling dramatically and we thank you for your efforts. We have doubled our average recycling from 14% in 2008 to 28% of our waste stream in 2010/2011. You should be very proud of your accomplishment.

Recycling helps preserve our natural resources and also benefits Orange Village by diverting items from the waste stream. Last year Orange Village residents recycled 442 tons of materials (that is approximately 884,000 pounds of material that would have gone to a landfill). By diverting those materials from the waste stream, we decreased our disposal costs and saved over \$17,000 last year. We encourage you to keep up the great work!

As a next step in our efforts, we are asking that you look deeper into identifying recyclable materials that you can take out of the waste stream (see below) and, for those of you that have not started, we ask that you join the crowd and begin recycling and saving Orange Village money on our disposal costs. We also ask that you look into composting waste through a new program offered by the Cuyahoga Solid Waste District. If you are interested in composting, please contact Councilman Dan Brown, who can put you in touch with the Solid Waste District for more information.

Listed below is a reminder of items that can be recycled:

Please rinse all containers to remove residue

Paper

- Writing paper
- Computer paper
- Junk Mail/Flyers
- Catalogs/Magazines
- Newsprint
- Phone books*

Plastics

- All plastic containers
- number 1-7 on the bottom

Glass

- Brown
- Clear
- Green

Cardboard/Chip board

- Boxes: Cereal, Cardboard, Clothing, Toy, Tissue and Shoe
- Please remove all plastic
- Please flatten boxes

Cans

- Metal
- Aluminum



Please note that phone books can now be placed in your recycle container.



Council President, Mark Parks has been appointed to the Northeast Ohio Regional Advisory Board by Auditor of State, David Yost. The NEO Regional Advisory Board acts as a partnership with state and local officials and business leaders to ensure Ohio governments are efficient, effective and accountable. This organization meets bi-annually.

Congratulations, Mark on your new appointment!



Dear Orange Village Neighbor,

Summertime is a beautiful time of year, especially in Orange Village. There are so many enjoyable and fun things to do. There are many summer activities planned in Orange Village, which you can read about elsewhere in this newsletter. In addition, our wonderful Community Park is ready for your picnic, ball game, practice rounds of putting, gardening, walks on our trails and/or just plain relaxing.

Under the leadership of our department heads, Police Chief Christopher Kostura, Fire Chief Bruce White and Service Director Robert Zupan and with the support of the other administrative departments and all of our employees, Orange Village is well positioned to take on any challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.

First and foremost, Orange Village is in sound fiscal health. Over the past many years, we have been able to fund operations and accumulate a surplus, also known as "saving for a rainy day." These surplus funds have been enough to weather recent economic challenges and maintain our status quo, even during periods of high layoffs all around us. These surplus funds will sustain us as we forge ahead into a leaner, less-growth economic environment. We are virtually debt-free as a community. Other than one small interest free loan, we have no unfunded debt or debt without a dedicated revenue source to service the obligation.

Orange Village is in a perfect position to be a leader in "regionalism." The 2010 Baldwin Wallace study with Pepper Pike, Moreland Hills and Hunting Valley offered us a great body of knowledge to build upon and we are currently working with Cuyahoga County leaders to secure resources which will be dedicated to making further factual analysis of the estimated economic benefits of consolidation, cooperation, and/or merger.

I believe it is time for some solid quantitative analysis to determine if being part of a larger taxing district, cooperative operation or even municipal merger can get on the agenda for serious study and discussion. If it makes economic sense, and the political and public will exists, we should proceed. If analysis indicates it is not in the best interests of our residents and our region's economic climate, then we can stop touting "regionalism" as the absolute panacea for all that "ails" us and start looking towards other solutions. Stay tuned, as this may be an issue that will engage all of us.

On another note, it has been my hope that we could hold our 7th Annual 2011 Music at the Muni Series in our recently acquired amphitheater, but, as of this writing, we are not able to achieve that goal. We are still in the site planning and preliminary design stages for the entire new parcel of land (formerly, the St. Margaret of Hungary Church) and look forward to holding public meetings, later in the year, to share our progress and receive your feedback and input on this very exciting project.

I hope to see everyone at one of our summer activities. If your neighborhood has a block party or other get-together this summer, please let me know the date as I would love to attend. I hope everyone has an enjoyable and safe summer.

Yours truly,

Kathy U. Mulcahy
Mayor

Meet the Mayor
Wed. July 13th at 7:00pm
Wed. Aug. 10th at 7:00pm
Tuesday, Sept. 20 at
1:00pm

Congressional Desk
Anita Gray, our Congressional Liaison will be here to assist with information concerning federal agencies and programs.



July 12
August 9
Sept. 13

Orange Village Hall
10:30 - 11:30 am

CONGRATULATIONS!



On June 1st, Fire Chief Bruce White was sworn in as Orange Village's first full-time Fire Chief.



Robert Zupan was sworn in as Orange Village's Service Director on June 1st.

Medical Alert System

If you are living alone or with family members that are gone most of the day a medical alert system may be right for you. A medical alert system is a device that can be worn as a bracelet or pendant and is able to alert the Fire Department in case of an emergency. Orange Village Fire Department has had issues with several residents that have fallen and were unable to reach the phone. This is a life threatening event and could be resolved if the resident had a medical alert system. The system offers a button that the resident could push which would summon immediate help. Please contact Chief Bruce White for more information at 440-287-5070.

Summer Safety Tips

The Members of the Orange Village Fire Department would like to offer some suggestions for summertime fire safety.

As you and your family are out cleaning the yard and enjoying the weather, please take a moment to ensure that your address is prominently displayed on your mailbox. Though we have GPS mapping and traditional maps in the station, we also rely on this basic tool for "spotting" a home when it's dark and, of course, during inclement weather.



Two areas of concern for every fire department this time of the year are barbecue grills and firework safety. In general we recommend that you leave the fireworks to the professionals. However, we also understand that sparklers and other fireworks can be an attraction for children. Please stress to your children that even the most basic fireworks can cause severe burns. Unfortunately every summer in Cuyahoga County we see the horrific effects of these dangerous incendiary devices.

Summertime Fire Facts from NFPA (National Fire Protection Association).

- * Barbecue grills cause approximately 7700 home fires annually.
- * One quarter of all grill-related home fires begin on a balcony or unenclosed porch.
- * More U.S. fires are reported on the 4th of July than on any other day. Fireworks account for half of those fires.
- * In 2009, fireworks caused an estimated 18,000 reported fires including 1,300 structure fires (buildings including homes), 400 vehicle fires and 16,300 outside fires in the U.S.!
- * The tip of a sparkler burns at more than 1,200 degrees Fahrenheit - hot enough to cause third-degree burns.



Our hope is that you review the above safety tips with your family. The members of the Orange Village Fire Department wish you and your family a safe and happy summer!

KIWANIS CLUB OF LANDER CIRCLE 54TH ANNUAL SPECTACULAR SALE OF BARGAINS

July 14,15,16 and July 21,22,23
Location: Behind the tennis courts on Gail Allison Dr. on the Orange School Campus



Hours:
10 am to 2 pm - Thursdays,
Fridays and Saturdays
7 pm to 9 pm Thursdays

Recycling Opportunities

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

July 15th 7:00 am to 6:00 pm

September 16th - 7:00 am to 6:00 pm

Orange Village will accept unwanted oil-based paint, pesticides and other household hazardous wastes at the Service Department, 4160 Lander Road from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.



NO latex paint

Computer Collection

August 1st - 31st

During the month of August computer equipment will be accepted Monday through Friday from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Service Department, 4160 Lander Road.

Scrap Tire Collection

September 13th - 30th

Scrap tires that are removed from the rim may be dropped off at Orange Village Service Department, 4160 Lander Road from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm, September 13th through 30th.



Trash/Recycle

Holiday Schedule

Independence Day - Monday, July 4th

Village Hall Closed

No Trash/Recycling Pick-up

Trash/Recycling Pick-up **will be**

Tuesday, July 5th

Labor Day - Monday, September 5th

Village Hall Closed

No Trash/Recycling Pick-up

Trash/Recycling Pick-up **will be**

Tuesday, September 6th



***To insure you receive quality service from the J&J Refuse collection crews please place your trash containers at the curb on one side of your driveway and recycling cart at the curb on the opposite side of your driveway.**

Branch Chipping

The Orange Village Service Department, will be collecting branches and brush on July 25th and September 12th. This service is to aid the residents in the management of tree prunings and limbs that have fallen from their trees.

- ⚠ DO NOT mix leaves, grass clipping or yard material
- ⚠ Limbs should be placed with cut ends toward the road, no more than 2 feet high and 3 feet wide
- ⚠ DO NOT make large piles
- ⚠ Limbs should be no larger than 6" in diameter
- ⚠ If you are removing or having a tree removed, please dispose of the material.

This service is not intended to chip complete trees.

Wood Chips

Orange Village delivers wood chips free of charge to residents. An approximate load size is 10 yards.

Requests are honored in the order they are received, while supplies last.

Place your order online at

www.orangevillage.com or call Village Hall at 440-498-4400.

Paper Shredding

August 19th, at Pepper Pike City Hall, 28000 Shaker Blvd.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Orange Village, in collaboration with Pepper Pike, will be providing residents with six opportunities to have their sensitive documents professionally shredded during 2011. The items will be shredded in your presence. If you are unable to attend the shredding date above, Pepper Pike will have secured containers for drop off of your materials on Thursday, August 18th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm at Pepper Pike City Hall. Please contact Orange Village Hall with any questions at 440-498-4400.



Seatbelt Law Change in Orange Village



Orange Village, understanding the importance of wearing seatbelts, has decided to amend section (d) of codified ordinance 337.27 which will make not wearing a seatbelt while operating or being a passenger in a motor vehicle a PRIMARY OFFENSE.

Q: What does this mean?

A: An Orange Village Police Officer may stop a motor vehicle if he or she observes a passenger or operator not wearing a seatbelt.

Q: Were the police able to do this in the past?

A: No. The officer needed a separate primary infraction such as, speeding or running a red light, etc. in order to stop and cite a motorist.

Q: Why did we change this?

A: There is overwhelming evidence that supports the fact that wearing seatbelts saves lives and reduces medical expenses.

Q: Was this change put into action as an attempt to increase revenue?

A: No. The change was made to promote and encourage compliance. We would be just as happy if we never issue a citation due to 100% compliance.

Q: Will the police department be overzealous with enforcement of the new law?

A: No. The Orange Village Police Department prides itself in fair and unbiased enforcement.

Orange Village would like all the people who come to our community to work, live or simply drive through, to do it safely and smartly. It is our sincere hope that, together, we can achieve this goal through compliance of this law change, not enforcement.



"Cited when Sighted"

Petiquette

The Orange Village Police Department has experienced an increase in dog complaints over the past several months. We would like to offer a friendly reminder on pet etiquette as well as Village laws. All dogs must be registered annually with the Cuyahoga County Fiscal Officer. Upon registering you will receive tags for your dog to wear in order to identify him/her in the unlikely event your dog gets loose. If you would like more information about dog licensing, please visit the Cuyahoga County Fiscal Officer's website at <http://fiscalofficer.cuyahogacounty.us>.

- 🐕 Please remember that all dogs must be confined to the owner's yard by using either a structural or electronic fence or a leash. All dogs will run off quickly if tempted no matter how well behaved or trained they are.
- 🐕 Don't assume that other dogs will be as friendly as yours.
- 🐕 Do not approach an unfamiliar dog.
- 🐕 Teach your children to ask the dog owner's permission before they pet an unfamiliar dog.
- 🐕 A dog that is kept outside for an extensive period of time should not be permitted to bark or howl frequently and habitually. This is not only disturbing to your neighbors but it is against the law.
- 🐕 When walking your dog, keep them on a leash and remember to remove any "business" your dog might conduct during the walk.



Owners of loose dogs will be cited. For more information, refer to Orange Village Ordinance 505.01

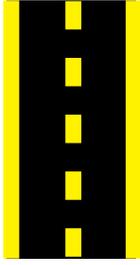
10th Annual Orange Village Police Department Car Seat Safety Check Free Car Seat Safety Check at Safety Town, Pepper Pike Learning Center Campus August 2nd from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm



As families hit the roads for summer break, we would like to remind parents that all children under 4 years old or under forty pounds must ride in an approved child safety seat. Children less than 8 years old, unless they are at least 4 feet, 9 inches tall must use a booster seat. The back seat is the safest. Children under 13 years old should ride in the back seat.

The Orange Village Police Department has Officers certified to install or check the installation of your child safety seat. Officers will be hosting a free child car seat safety check Tuesday, August 2nd from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at Safety Town, Pepper Pike Learning Center Campus, 24195 Chagrin Boulevard.

Road Work Projects for the 2011 Construction Season



Concrete Road Repair Program

The concrete road repair program on Lander Road should be completed by the beginning of July. Some detouring of traffic will be necessary for very short periods of time to allow for the larger areas to be placed and cured.

Asphalt Road Work

A chip seal program is scheduled for the entire Woodcrest and Fairview Area and Hidden Valley Drive. The project is scheduled to be bid in July and completed in late August or early September. Traffic will be maintained on the streets. Updates to the project timeline and traffic maintenance will be posted on the Village website as the project draws nearer.

2012 Brainard Road / Harvard Road Water Main

The Cleveland Water Department is currently working on plans for a 16" water main on Brainard Road (Miles Road to Harvard Road) and on Harvard Road (Brainard Road to Orangewood Drive). This project will likely be constructed in the 2012 construction season. Residents will be allowed to tap into the water main if they wish. A tap-in fee will be required for the resident share of the cost if they wish to receive a service connection. The Village will be assisting the Cleveland Water Department in distributing information and the required forms for residents that are interested in applying. A public meeting will also be scheduled for residents. Additional information will be posted on the Village website, www.orangevillage.com, when available.

Storm Water and Concrete Don't Mix

In Orange Village the sanitary sewer system and the storm water systems (drains, inlets, and catch basins) are separate piping systems that are not connected. Sanitary sewer water gets treated at the wastewater treatment plant, but everything that washes into the storm sewers and accompanying storm water system (i.e. gutters, footer drains and yard inlets) flows untreated directly into our streams, rivers, and ultimately Lake Erie. This can lead to elevated levels of pollution in our streams, rivers and may contribute to local beach closures along the Lake Erie shoreline. Whether at home, work, or play there are ways that residents and businesses can prevent pollutants from reaching our streams, rivers and Lake Erie.

Because the storm sewers from Orange Village streets and gutters direct the water and pollutants directly to our streams, it is important to limit what we dump down these drains. One common source of pollution from 'do it yourself' or general contracting projects such as driveway, sidewalk or foundation repair work is concrete wash water. Concrete trucks should never be rinsed, cleaned or washed out into the street or down the storm sewer drain. Concrete is full of cement, sand, gravel and chemical additives that pollute our streams.

Remember The 3 Cs:

- ❖ Control - The best line of defense is to prevent materials and debris from entering the storm drain via procedural methods or "good housekeeping."
- ❖ Contain - Isolate your work area to prevent discharges from leaving the site. Construct or dig a pit to contain concrete wash water and make sure it does not have the potential to discharge into the street. Allow the water to soak into the ground and then clean up and throw away the concrete residue, once it hardens, in the trash.
- ❖ Capture - Clean up the work area by sweeping or vacuuming up any residual pollutants that have the potential to flow into the storm drains, and properly dispose of the residue, and check with the manufacturer for disposal requirements. Rinse truck chutes on the lot away from streams, ditches, storm drains, or any other water conveyance.

Contact Orange Village if you have any questions on how to implement these recommendations. And always check with the Building Department to make sure you have all the appropriate permits before beginning a project.

-Chagrin River Watershed Partners (Modified from San Diego Think Blue campaign)

Sign up for E-mail

Sign up for Orange Village e-mail at www.orangevillage.com. Bi-monthly newsletters provide a great way to stay up to date with everything happening in our community. Reminders will be sent about the many great activities



we have scheduled for 2011 and reminders such as; holiday trash collection, construction updates, Music at the Muni and other Village information. You'll be glad you did!

A Community for all Generations...



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POLICE NON-EMERGENCY (440) 498-4401

FIRE NON-EMERGENCY (440) 498-4402

Police Response
(440) 247-7321
After Hours

Meet the Mayor
July 13th at 7:00 pm
August 10th at 7:00 pm
Sept. 20th at 1:00 pm

Village Hall
Phone: (440) 498-4400
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Council Meetings
1st & 2nd
Wed of each month
8:00 p.m.

Service Department
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Planning and Zoning
1st & 3rd
Tues of each month
7:30 p.m.

Website:
www.orangevillage.com



SALUTE TO ORANGE

"A Community Celebration"

Entertainment by:



Teen

This teen ensemble will showcase musical numbers complete with upbeat choreography.

Adult

Have you been keeping up with the drama and adventures of GLEE. Enjoy watching and singing along with family and friends as the Stageworks Glee Choir keeps you rockin' at the Salute to Orange.

and

Orange High School Music Department

