



MEDINA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' NEWSLETTER

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BICENTENNIAL LICENSE PLATE

Representatives Steve Hambley and Darrell Kick, along with Senator Larry Obhof, agreed to sponsor legislation that will enable the State to issue a bicentennial license plate for Medina County. The Medina County Bicentennial Committee sponsored a contest to design the license plate. Medina County Fair attendees voted on their favorite logo. Judy Barabas was the winner and was recognized at the September 12 Commissioners' meeting. Tom Hilberg represented the Medina County Historical Society. The additional funds raised through




(Left to right) Commissioners Adam Friedrick and Pat Geissman, Judy Barabas, and Tom Hilberg

the selling of the special license plate will be distributed to the Medina County Historical Society that will then share the revenue with the other Medina County historical societies. When it's time to purchase your license plate, please consider supporting the organizations that keep our local history alive.



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MEDINA COUNTY EMERGENCY ALERTS

Emergencies can happen any time, any where. Be prepared by signing up to receive local, county-wide, and NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration) emergency alerts. Receive alerts on your phone (work and home), by text on your cell phone, and by email. For text alerts only, text the first five letters of your city, township or village to 69310. The city, township, and village five letters are:



BRUNS	GLORI	HINCK	LIVER	RITTM	WADSW
CHATH	GRANG	HOMER	LODI	SEVIL	WESTF
CHIPP	GUILF	LAFAY	MEDIN	SHARON	YORK
CREST	HARRI	LITCH	MONTV	SPENC	

For full services (including voice, email, and weather alerts, go to www.medinacountyema.org. You'll get weather alerts, voice alerts, email alerts, text alerts, and street-specific alerts. For questions, contact Medina County Emergency Management Agency at 330-722-9240.

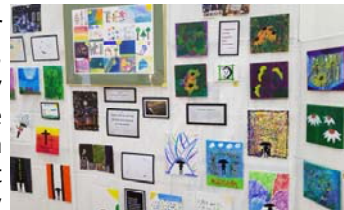


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JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER ART SHOW



The Medina County Juvenile Detention Center hosted its first art show on Thursday, September 28, to showcase pieces created by youth during their detainment. Some of the art pieces were available for the silent auction with proceeds going toward ongoing art therapy projects. The youth should be very proud of their talent and accomplishments.



MADE IN MEDINA COUNTY EXPO

On Friday, October 20, the Medina County Economic Development Corporation will host the Made in Medina County Expo at the Medina County Fairgrounds. This showcase helps the community learn about the value of manufacturing, the impact manufacturing has on our community, and what is made right here in Medina County. The Expo will be open to the public from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and admission is free. More information can be found at www.madeinmedinacounty.com.

Do you want to be removed from this mailing or know someone who wants to be added? Do you have suggestions for a newsletter article?

Please notify Clerk Peggy Folk, CAP-OM at 330-722-9210 or pfolk@medinaco.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEDINA WALKING GHOST TOURS

October 4, 11, 18, and 25

7:30-9:30 p.m.

Downtown Medina Gazebo

November 1

7:30-9:30 p.m.

The Wednesday evening walk tours are hosted by Sonya Horstman of Haunted Cleveland Tours. The easy 2-hour tour is enjoyed by hikers and paranormal lovers. Meet at the Medina Gazebo. Cameras are encouraged and reservations are recommended. The cost is \$20; 10 years old and older please!

The Friday dinner and ghost walks include dinner at the Main Street Café (17 Public Square). The cost is \$50.

Call Sonya Horstman at 440-775-1217 for information and reservations or by email at psychicsonya@oberlin.net.

BRASS BAND OF THE WESTERN RESERVE

October 7

7:00 p.m.

Medina Performing Arts Center (851 Weymouth Rd., Medina)

Featuring performance of Heritage—a concert march written by Philip Sparke for the Band's 20th Anniversary. Tickets at the door are \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors, and \$6 for students.

COMMUNITY SHRED DAY

October 14

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Achievement Center (4691 Windfall Rd., Medina)

Do you have piles of paperwork? Want a way to safely dispose of confidential information, such as medical records or legal documents? Bring your personal/confidential documents to be shredded with the free, on-site shredding truck. Limit of 4 boxes or bags per vehicle.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

October 14

8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Medina County Fairgrounds (710 W. Smith Rd.) (Enter near Fair Offices)

Brunswick Service Garage (1238 W. 130th St.) (behind Gale's Garden Center)

Household Materials Accepted

Latex & oil-based paint, sealers, primers, or coatings
 Paint-related materials
 Household killers
 Household cleaners
 Pool chemicals
 Gasoline
 Mercury
 Adhesives, roof tar, driveway sealer
 Kerosene and lighter fluid

Materials Not Accepted at This Event

Explosives, gun powder, ammunition, flares
 Medical waste, pharmaceuticals, medicine, sharps
 Radioactive waste
 Electronics, appliances, batteries, antifreeze, fluorescent/compact fluorescent bulbs, motor oil, tires (these can be dropped off year-round at 8700 Lake Road, Seville)
 Business or commercial waste

MEDINA COUNTY FALL FOLIAGE TOUR

October 14 & 15

Since 1968, the drive-it-yourself Medina County Fall Foliage Tour has educated the participating general public about agriculture, education, and history of Medina County. Each year, the tour highlights farms, agribusinesses, historical societies, and special events – among others. The tour is not intended to be a commercial, political, or retail event and, through the years, has been able to maintain its agricultural and educational integrity while growing into the major fall event in Medina County.

The tour area to be visited in a given year consists of one of four regions of the county. The 2017 tour will be held in Region 4 consisting of Guilford, Montville, Sharon, and Wadsworth.

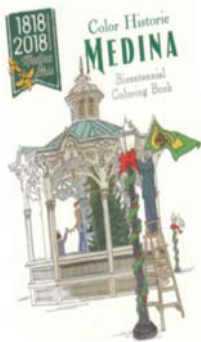
Click [HERE](#) for the 2017 Fall Foliage Tour Map .

Tour Hosts

Pioneers in the Park / Buckeye Woods Park	Geig's Orchard
Seville Library	Seville Historical Society
Maple Valley Farm	Sky Park Inc.
Wadsworth Historical Society	Stoney Ridge Stables
Blooming Acres, Inc.	

Points of Interest

Captain Bates Tomb
 SOS—Sign Our Streams
 Wadsworth Brewing Company
 Barn Talk Hops



MEDINA IS CELEBRATING 200 YEARS IN 2018!

You can help the celebration by purchasing a 32-page coloring book featuring drawings created by local artist Cindy Allman. This is a great book for coloring enthusiasts of all ages and for those that would like to save it for future generations. Pictures include art adapted from images of Historic Medina, as well as modern times. All proceeds benefit the Medina Bicentennial Celebration and will be used to support various events throughout the year-long celebration. The cost is only \$10. Books are available at:

Commissioners' Office
 Miss Molly's Tea Room
 Funtastic Toyz
 Medina School Board Office
 Chamber of Commerce at www.medinaohchamber.com.

Main Street Medina booth at every Farmer's Market
 The Book Store (109 W. Washington)
 Medina County Convention & Visitor's Bureau
 Medina Town Hall & Engine House Museum