

Village of Williamsburg

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August 2020 Newsletter

A Message from the Mayor...

Hello to all,

As we move forward into the continued unknowns of this pandemic, it continues to be our top priority to maintain the services the Village provides while making every effort to insure the health and safety of our public and our employees are considered.

While so many of the closures of public and private businesses were and are beyond our control we will continue our efforts to reach out and promote the positives that make Williamsburg a community ready for positive growth. As I have promoted many times the encouragement to “shop local” at some point we all must know that is what will keep us the viable, vibrant community that I truly believe is the heart of Williamsburg. The face of our community may change over time but the opportunities to invest and take ownership and pride in the place we call home needs to be an ongoing endeavor.

With the opening of a new medical facility, Health Source, at our local high school our community will have another medical option close to home. With our kids heading back to school, it is my hope that some sense of normalcy will return for our students and their families.

Under the current conditions, it is impossible to plan for events that may or may not happen through the end of this year so I will ask that you watch for notices on your utility bill for announcements. My prayer continues to be for the health and safety of our community and for the guidance and wisdom needed.

Till next time,

Mary Ann

Community Notes & Dates to Remember...

Village office: will be closed Sept 7th, Labor Day Holiday.

American Legion Car Show: August 23rd; rain date September 6th, 150 E Main.

Williamsburg Fire and EMS Blood Drive: August 28th from 1 pm– 7 pm.

Village Wide Yard Sale: September 12th & 13th

CANCELLED:
GENERAL WILLIAM LYTTLE
BIRTHDAY PARTY
was scheduled on Sunday
afternoon, September 13th has
been cancelled.

REMINDER: A Mask is required
when entering the Village Office.



School Events to Remember

* Virtual Open House August 19th & 20th

* First Day for Students August 24th

Please visit www.burgschool.org for further information or contact numbers.

News from the Village...

Compost Facility Use

The Compost Facility is available by appointment during business hours. This facility is located on McKeever Pike. The facility is available free of charge to all Village residents.

Williamsburg Township residents can use the facility at a cost of \$5 per use. Accepted items include grass clippings, leaves, and chipped brush during hours of operation.

Free Wood Chips

The compost lot has wood chips available to the public. If you have any questions, please contact the Street Department at (513) 658-6107.

Grass Cutting Season

The Village has a new high grass Ordinance 1167-20 which includes tall grass and weeds upon private



property and property contiguous to a street and/or sidewalk shall not exceed 12 inches.

Grass must be kept cut each month and all streetside/ ditches/curbs trimmed. Please keep your grass cut and your yard neat so you can enjoy the summer weather outside safely.

Visit www.williamsburgohio.org to review and download Ordinance 1167-20.

Village Brush Collection Schedule

The Village will follow the curbside brush collection schedule listed below.

*North Side—1st Monday of each Month
South Side—2nd Monday of each month
East Side—3rd Monday of each month
West Side—4th Monday of each month*

Please call (513) 724-6107 with any questions.

Health Source Williamsburg is OPEN!

The new medical facility offers family practice services, Monday - Friday from 8 am - 5 pm. You can find us at 500 S. 5th Street, Suite 2020 inside the **Williamsburg Middle/High School**. Call (513) 536-5005 to schedule an appointment.

From the Police Department

School is back in session, which means we need to pay special attention to School Buses, School Zones and Crosswalks to ensure that our young people make it to and from school safely. Please drive with extra caution.

Also, never leave a child of any age or a pet unattended in a vehicle in hot weather.

Respectfully,
Chief Mike Gregory



Zoning and Housing Code

Williamsburg has both a Zoning Code and a Housing Code that require certain levels of property maintenance. Some of the items that are required are as follows:

- Store all items inside your home or an outbuilding, not in the yard or on your porch.
- Vehicles must be road-worthy and licensed.
- All swimming pools must be enclosed by a fence with a locking gate
- Homes must be kept in general good repair (siding must be replaced, windows, gutters roofs repaired as needed, paint etc...)

Visit www.williamsburgohio.org for Zoning or call (513) 724-6107 for any questions.

Gay Street Phase I

The reconstruction project on Gay Street from Front Street to Fourth Street is on schedule. The sewer, water and stormwater lines have been replaced. Over the next few weeks, the concrete and paving work will begin. We appreciate your patience during this project.

How to report a Streetlight Outage?

Duke Energy has online tools to help you report streetlight outages for safety and security in public areas. If a streetlight is out in your area, visit www.dukeenergy.com/customer-service/request-light-repair to report the outage by entering the address closest to the streetlight, select the street-light on the map, complete the form and submit. A confirmation email will be sent to you about your request.

2020 IMP Mobile Food Pantries

Visit the drive through mobile food pantries on the fourth Wednesday for groceries at the Williamsburg Old High School located at 549 W Main Street. The next two opportunity are scheduled for August 26 and September 23 from 10am – 12 pm. Please clear the trunk of your care prior to the event. There is no registration or ID required.

These mobile pantries are made possible in part through a generous gift from the Greater Cincinnati Foundation/United Way of Greater Cincinnati COVID-19 Regional Response Fund.

2020 IPM Mobile Food Pantries for more information call: 513-561-3932

Williamsburg Community Food Pantry:

Location at Methodist Church
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday
10:00 am – 1:00 pm
513-724-6305- 513-724-0085

