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Goudy Park

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Ride all day at the carnival by Schmidt Amusements. Wristbands are \$15 per day. Rides for all ages.

The Great Wheelfest Parade

sponsored by St. Mary CYO 11 a.m. Saturday, August 28. Line up will begin at 10 a.m. at Wayne Memorial High School. Applications are available at the Wayne Community Center or at www.ci.wayne.mi.us.

Wheelfest Idol 2010

Do you love to sing? Then be a part of Wheelfest 2010 sponsored by Talent Live Studios at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 28, on the Wayne Dispatch Stage. Junior and adult divisions. Registration forms and rules are available at the Wayne Community Center or www.ci.wayne.mi.us.

Cardboard Boat Race

will race down the Rouge River at 4 p.m. on Saturday. This contest is open to everyone who brings their own cardboard boat.

Duck Races

sponsored by the Wayne Rotary Club at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, August 29 on the Rouge River. Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

Pancake Breakfast

sponsored by the Wayne Memorial High School Cheerleading Boosters from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at the Wayne Activity and Banquet Center. All-you-can-eat pancakes, sausage, fruit, juice and coffee for just \$5 per person.

A Community comes together

Once again, the annual Wheelfest Festival is just around the corner. Although the name of the event was changed many years ago, the festival itself has been a mainstay of the community for over 100 years. It is a tradition that has deep roots and sets us apart from many other towns.

As Chairperson for the Wheelfest Commission, I am proud to say that even though the plug was almost pulled on the festival several years ago due to the financial situation that the City found itself in, the residents and businesses have come together to support the event. It's important for people to also understand that the festival is more than just a party. The festival offers businesses, civic groups and organizations an opportunity to show the public just what they are really about. It is also a great way to put a face on a business or organization as well as recruit new members or future customers.

There are many ways that the community has come together to support the festival. Throughout the past few years, many fundraisers have been held to raise monies to help offset our expenses. We, on the Festival Commission, were quick to learn that by teaming up with the Rotary or the Chamber of Commerce, we could put on some very entertaining and successful fundraisers and have a fun time doing it. If you ever attended any of the past Dueling Piano shows,

On the Bright Side

Hal Hultman



Pancake Breakfasts, Halloween parties or Mardi Gras events, I would personally like to thank you. Your support helps.

But fundraisers alone aren't enough to cover the expenses that are incurred. Another valuable source of revenue comes in the form of sponsorships. Although the fee to sponsor an event rarely covers the full cost of the actual event, the fee helps defray the costs and helps make the festival possible. In the past, these sponsorships were usually from area businesses. This year however, the Mayor and City Council as well as the Chamber of Commerce have also thrown in their support by each sponsoring a night of entertainment. Please make note of which businesses and organizations help support the festival and return the favor by supporting them throughout the year.

Those of us who live or work in Wayne have known for years that we are much more than a city, we are truly a community.

Hal@TheWayneDispatch.com

Wheelfest 2010 helpful hints

Location/hours- The festival will be August 27-29 in Goudy Park which is located behind the City of Wayne City Hall building at 3355 S. Wayne Road. Festival hours are 6-11 p.m. on Friday, 12-11 p.m. on Saturday and 12-9 p.m. on Sunday. The parade will begin at 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Information- The information tent will be located under the white tent just east of the Pumphouse. Wheelfest entertainment wristbands will be for sale and staff and Wheelfest commissioners will be available to answer any questions.

Alcohol- Beer and wine coolers will be for sale and may only be consumed in the designated area. No outside alcohol may be brought to the festival. No coolers will be allowed on the festival grounds.

Animals- We welcome all Pet Contest participants. But please leave all other animals in the comfort of your home while you come and enjoy Wheelfest. Your pet will be happy as will fellow festival goers.

Bikes- Bikes will not be allowed on festival grounds. Please leave your bike at home or park it in the bike rack located just behind the Pumphouse. You are responsible for locking your own bike.

Entertainment wristbands- Entertainment wristbands will be for sale for \$3 per day at the information tent. Entertainment wristbands are required to enter the amphitheater area for all concert goers ages 5 and up.

Parking- There is no parking available in the City Hall parking lot or the Wayne Banquet and Activity Center lot. Parking will be available in the City parking lots on Sims between Wayne Road and Second Street and on the southwest corner of Sims and Wayne Rd.

Restrooms- Portable restrooms will be provided in the Wayne Activity and Banquet Center parking lot and the north side of Goudy Park.

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Entertainment Schedule

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Friday, August 27

on the Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

Sponsored by Wayne Mayor and City Council

7:00- 8:30 p.m.

Salute to the Superstars

Enjoy some of the best country music tributes with Don Thompson as Alan Jackson, R.J Gill as Waylon Jennings and Jeff Carr as Willie Nelson.



9:00- 11:00 p.m.

Annabelle Road

The premier country band from Southeast Michigan. Annabelle Road is a world class original and cover band with nationally released recordings. They have opened for Gretchen Wilson and appeared on FOX TV. This five piece young country band does it all from Johnny Cash to Journey.

Saturday, August 28

on the Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

1:00- 2:30 p.m.

Kids Concert featuring T.J. Craven

Come and meet Batman, Spiderman, Sponge Bob and Herbie the Love Bug

Sponsored by Wayne Chamber of Commerce, US-12 and Willie's Locksmith

7:00-8:30 p.m.

Steve King and the Dittilies

It's a name you know and the music you like. Local favorites Steve King and the Dittilies have been rockin' and rollin' since the 1970s. With hits songs that span every decade their show is fun for all.



9:30- 11:00 p.m.

Hotel California- Tribute to the Eagles

Hotel California's tribute to the Eagles draws crowds of all ages and musical taste. Country, classic rock and dance music fans will all enjoy hearing the hits like "Life in the Fast Lane," "Take it Easy," and "Desperado."

Sunday, August 29

on the Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

Sponsored by Harlow Tire

7:00- 9:00 p.m.

Salute to the Superstars

Featuring Allen as Tim McGraw, Art Reed as Rod Stewart, Dawnmarie as Stevie Nicks and Fred Wolfe as Elvis.





2010 Schedule of Events

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Friday, August 27

6:00- 6:30 p.m. Diamond of Community Winner sponsored by the Wayne Dairy Queen

6:00- 11:00 p.m. Food and drink vendors

6:00- 11:00 p.m. Carnival provided by Schmidt Amusements

6:30- 7:00 p.m. WheelFest Idol 2009 winners

7:00- 8:30 p.m. Salute to Superstars featuring tributes to Alan Jackson, Waylon Jennings and Willie Nelson sponsored by Wayne Mayor and City Council on Wayne Dispatch/ Oakwood Annapolis Stage

9:00- 11:00 p.m. Annabelle Road sponsored by Wayne City Council on Wayne Dispatch/ Oakwood Annapolis Stage

Dairy Queen



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Saturday, August 28

10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Wayne Masons Free Child ID kits at Wayne Activity and Banquet Center

10:45 a.m. Walk 'n for Wayne (along parade route)

11 a.m. Great WheelFest parade sponsored by St. Mary CYO

12:00- 11:00 p.m. Food and drink vendors

12:00- 11:00 p.m. Carnival by Schmidt Amusements

12:00-3:00 p.m. Golden Hour Bingo at WABC

1:00- 2:30 p.m. Kids concert featuring T.J. Craven sponsored on Wayne Dispatch/ Oakwood Annapolis Stage

2:30- 5:30 p.m. WheelFest Idol 2010

4:00 p.m. Cardboard Boat Races on the Rouge River

7-8:30 p.m. Steve King and the Dittilies sponsored by Wayne Chamber of Commerce, US 12 and Willie's Locksmith on Wayne Dispatch/ Oakwood Annapolis Stage

9:30-11 p.m. Hotel California- Tribute to the Eagles sponsored by Wayne Chamber of Commerce, US 12 and Willie's Locksmith on Wayne Dispatch/ Oakwood Annapolis Stage



St. Mary
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Sunday, August 29

9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Chevelle Club Car Show sponsored by EQ on Second Street

9 a.m.- 12 p.m. Pancake Breakfast

sponsored by Wayne Memorial High School cheerleaders WABC

10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Wayne Masons Free Child ID kits at WABC

12- 1:30 p.m. Pet Contest sponsored by Goody's Pet Store on Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

12:00- 9:00 p.m. Food and Drink Vendors

12:00- 9:00 p.m. Carnival by Schmidt Amusements

2:00- 3:00 p.m. KICKS Kwon Do

on Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

3:30- 4:00 p.m. Wayne Dance, Cheer and Gymnastics on Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

4-5:00 p.m. Axis Music Academy on Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

5:00- 6:30 p.m. TBA

5:30 p.m. Duck Races on Rouge River

6:30 p.m. Awards on Wayne Dispatch / Oakwood Annapolis Stage

7:00-9:00p.m. Salute to the Superstars tributes to

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1 Food Court

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Dina's Fresh Cut Fries	Bayou Billy Old Fashioned Soda
Sno Cone Trailer	Top Dog Catering
Almond Nut Hut	Schultz's Backyard BBQ
Mr. G's Pizza	Maui Howie
Mr. G's Elephant Ear	Mr. Mike's Southwestern Grill
Shoo's Concessions	Mr. Deep Fried

2 Beer Truck

3 Information Tent

4 Vendor area

Beautiful Baby Contest
 Best Cellar Toledo Basement Systems
 Dawning Crystals
 Crazy About Tats
 Junior Prince and Princess Contest
 Lighthouse Ministry
 Oakwood Annapolis Hospital
 J&S Portrait America
 Sandy Candy
 Temporary Airbrush Tattoos
 Wayne Dispatch
 Wayne Lions Club
 Wayne Rotary Harley Davidson Raffle
 Wayne Westland Special Olympics
 Wayne Historical Museum- Saturday only
 Golden Hour Bake Sale- Saturday only

5 Carnival provided by Schmidt Amusements

6 Wayne Dispatch/Oakwood Annapolis Hospital Stage

7 Wayne Activity and Banquet Center

Free Child ID Kits 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday,
 Bingo 12-3 p.m. on Saturday, Pancake Breakfast 9 a.m.-
 12 p.m. Sunday

8 Chevelle Club Car Show

9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Sunday

9 Cardboard Boat Races Rouge River 4 p.m. Sat. Duck Races Rouge River 5:30 p.m. Sunday



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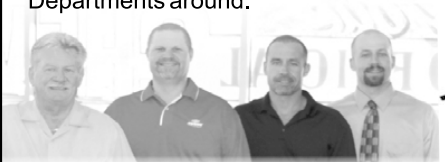
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Age is just a number

Statistics show that the United States is getting older, in terms of the number of citizens entering their senior years. It's not just the so-called "Baby Boomers," either—folks born in 1960 are turning 50 this year, which some classify as the magic age to be "officially" considered a senior. Hard to believe that someone born in the 1960s could be considered a senior!

This aging trend presents us with a number of challenges, but also opportunities.

You've heard people say that "30 is the new 40" or "50 is the new 60," right?

There's a lot of truth to that.

We may be getting older, but we're staying younger in mind. The adult children of today's seniors were largely born in the 1970s, and they're Internet-savvy and more conscious of the pitfalls of "growing old" mentally. They're also more likely to spend time with their parents, whether it's because of families consolidating their living quarters due to the economy, or a general desire to stay close to "mom and dad."

That attitude and approach that the seniors' kids are adopting is rubbing off on the seniors themselves.

The City of Wayne, which I'm proud to represent as part of my Wayne County Commission District 11, is one of many communities that's providing several services to its seniors, all designed to keep the mind, spirit, and body active.

I mentioned challenges and opportunities. The challenges are that, as the citizenry gets older, the more people there are that potentially could require assisted living or, at the very least, managed care in some form. This help might be beyond what their children are able to provide.

But the opportunities are exciting.

The chance to provide seniors with a dignified, fulfilling quality of life, while at the same time melding technological advances with traditional activities, is something that stirs me—and that's why I chose this topic as the second of my columns for the Wayne Dispatch.

The month of August brings the Sixth Annual Western Wayne County Senior Olympics, which will be held August 16-20 throughout Western

The Commish

Kevin McNamara



Wayne County.

Wayne County Senior Services Director Kevin Kelley says the Senior Olympics provide participants with "physical and mental exercises," and include everything from golf to euche to track events.

"Over 700 participants have registered in Western Wayne County so far," Kelley said in late-July. He added that persons interested in more information can call (734) 727-7373.

Back home in the City of Wayne, technology and seniors are joining forces in a very fun and exciting way. And, judging by the early reaction, it will be a very popular way, too.

The video game system Wii, which includes several inter-active games involving physical activity beyond just pressing buttons and moving joysticks, is now available to the City of Wayne's seniors at the Community Center.

The seniors in Wayne have been enjoying the Wii bowling game, in which the game player, while holding the system's controller, literally moves his or her arm and wrist in the motion of throwing a bowling ball, with the results shown on the TV screen.

I had the opportunity to witness this first hand, and I can tell you that this activity will be very well-received!

I encourage seniors to form and join a Wii bowling league in Wayne. Bowling from the comfort of a sofa or chair? Modern technology makes it possible.

Taking care of our seniors and keeping them active mentally as well as physically is an investment that brings bountiful returns.

To find out more about the senior services available in the City of Wayne, call (734) 721-7460.

Kevin McNamara (D-Canton) is Wayne County Commissioner for the 11th District. He chairs the Commission's Committee on Public Services.



Tim Hortons' owners Moussa Zoarob and Mariejeanne Kouchoukian celebrate the grand opening of their new store on Michigan Avenue.

Tim Hortons now open

By Jenny Johnson

Tim Hortons on Michigan Avenue in Wayne had their grand opening celebration on July 16. They gave free travel mugs to the first 100 customers of the day and invited the City administration and Chamber of Commerce to join them in their ribbon cutting ceremony.

Owners Moussa Zoarob and Mariejeanne Kouchoukian want to welcome the community to stop by and try the variety of drinks, donuts, bagels, sandwiches and soups that are all fresh made every day.

Zoarob said business had been steady since they opened with the morning being their busiest time of the day. The Tim Hortons' drive thru

is one of the most popular places in town everyday from 7- 7:30 a.m.

Charles Chapman, Tim Hortons' marketing director said, "Breakfast is our bread and butter."

Whether you like Timbits, need a coffee fix, want a soup and sandwich or just want a quiet place to read or study Tim Hortons has it. They are open 24 hours a day and offer free Wi-Fi services.

"We appreciate you coming to the City of Wayne. We wish you the best. We hope you will be a positive addition to our city," said Mayor Al Haidous.

Zoarob and Kouchoukian also own the Tim Hortons on Wayne Road in Westland.

ABSTRACT

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL MEETING NO. 2010-25

August 3, 2010

Regular Meeting of the City Council was not held Tuesday, August 3, 2010 at 8:00 p.m., as it had previously been canceled due to the Primary Election.

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While the office and the owners may have changed, the great service has not. "It's pretty much the same. We strive to make a customer happy," said Pat Morski, Ray's son. He and his brother, Terry, run the day to day operation. They spent many years as children watching their dad work and hanging out in the junkyard.

"Summer vacations were spent here sitting in a Plymouth behind the steering wheel pretending to drive," Pat remembers. Ray still comes in a few days a week too.

Broome Auto Parts offers new and used auto parts. They offer free towing and pay cash for junk cars. Customers do not have to pull their own parts. Broomes provides this service. Pat said they want to give the

best service and prices they can to their customers.

What parts do they sell the most of? "Mirrors are the biggest thing," Pat said. Customers are also looking for crash parts- fenders, headlights and grills, too. Most of the inventory in the yard is cars that are 10-20 years old. Pat said this is what most of their customers need. But they do have a '56 Chevy "that has been in the yard since we got the place," Pat said.

Broome's has been the area's most popular salvage yard for more than 50 years. They have been a part of the Wayne community too. They were involved in the Chamber of Commerce when Donna McEachern was director. They have also supported Wheelfest and donated to the Wayne Eagles.

Broome Auto Parts is located at 36597 Annapolis, west of Wayne Road. They are open 9 a.m.- 6 p.m. Monday- Friday and 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. on Saturday. The phone number is 734- 722-5900.



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1960's in Wayne

The City is now 50 years old. In order to keep with the theme of our golden anniversary, I thought it would be interesting to, each month, do a "headline highlights" of the news worthy happenings in the City. At the Historical Musuem, there are many yearbooks with articles about "City" happenings. They are great fun to go through. This will be a brief snapshot of the many items going on in town.

A lot of development was happening. January 20, 1965 - a ground breaking was held for the new Wayne Bowl. There would be a 40 lane alley in 36,000 sq. ft. with a cocktail lounge, dining room and banquet rooms for 150 people. May 23, 1965 - Westwick Cooperative Town House gets approved. It was to contain 366 units, a community center and office. January 6, 1966 - the Glenwood Road Senior Housing apartments began. There eventually would be 66 units in the award winning design apartments. The architects for the project were Meathe, Kessier and Associates of Grosse Pointe. January 17, 1968 - a ground breaking was held for the Big Boy Restaurant at 33290 Michigan Avenue. The building was to contain two floors and 9,000 sq. ft. The project also had a covered drive-in with car service in the rear. November 22, 1967 - a ribbon cutting was held at the new Lent's Funeral Home. "One of the finest buildings built in the new downtown." January 17, 1968 - stated a ground breaking was held for the new doctor's office at Second Street and Michigan Avenue West. Dr. Gignac and Dr. Kominars built the building and it would house

Rearview Mirror

Matt Miller



their offices.

By the mid 1960's the main theme is that of Urban Renewal. Every week the Eagle, Dispatch and even the Detroit New and Free Press had articles giving the most current information to the public. May 25, 1966 - "Urban development planning continues." The article gave an update of the transportation plan, which recommended a boulevard for Wayne Road. This was ruled out of the plan by the City Council. What were they thinking?? It also stated that Ford Motor Company was scouting the area on the west side of town for a Ford dealership. The early beginnings of the Jack Demmer location. Through out the 1960's so many changes were happening in downtown that it boggles the mind. One article from August 3, 1966 titled "66 more on list - raze 150 buildings in Downtown area" that brought the total to 216 buildings demolished. A real shame. What I am glad about is that many of the articles listed people who went before the City Council and objected to the plans. One article is titled "Wayne Citizens Speak on Downtown - heap criticisms on City leaders" and it had people lined up to speak at the City Council. At least they didn't take it lying down.

One of the biggest upsets to the



The famous snowstorm on Feb. 28, 1965 dumped more than 20 inches of snow in Wayne. The storm closed schools and most of Wayne for two days while people dug out. Photos provided courtesy of the Wayne Historical Museum

town was that Chum's Donuts was going to close because the Urban Renewal Department bought the property. After a petition from 500 long standing customers titled "You Can't Stop Making Donuts" The Stockwells decided to open at their new location on Glenwood across from Wayne High.

Here is something to take your mind off our hot weather; in February 1965 a huge snow storm happened in town and all of southeast Michigan. The storm had a lot of snow and 50 mph winds creating eight foot high drifts. Operation "dig out" took two days, most of the businesses and schools were closed. 300 cars were abandoned on the City streets. Even the DPW had trouble getting through, one of the plow trucks got stuck and had to be pulled out.

In December 1968, the Wayne Dispatch wrote that Wayne Centen-

nial Committee selected the new City Seal and Motto. Sharon Steinhauer scribed the motto "People Pride & Progress" and Charles Guernsey designed the seal. There were more than 200 entries and their combined efforts are still used today. Now that is leaving your mark!!

This short article barely touches the surface. If you want to read more stop at the Historical Museum and look through the yearbooks - it is a lot of fun.

The museum is open each Friday and Saturday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. You can also join the Wayne Historical Society.

The Historical Society has interesting programs about history. Contact Gloria Rowland, President of the Wayne Historical Society at (734) 729-1277 for more information. You can also contact me at mmiller@ci.wayne.mi.us with any questions or comments.

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Golden couple

Mayor Pro Tem Donna McEachern was surprised at the last City Council meeting. She and her husband, Barry were presented with a resolution honoring their 50th wedding anniversary. Mayor Al Haidous presented the couple with the resolution and cake.

The McEacherns were married on July 8, 1960. They first met at Dearborn High School. They have lived in Wayne since 1961 and have two children, Barry Douglas II and Donna Colleen, and three grandchildren. Barry worked for Ford Motor Company for 32 years and Donna was the Director of the Chamber of Commerce for 28 years. She has served on the City Council since 1987.

Wayne family celebrates five generations

Wayne resident Ruth Maxine Webb (Pierson) celebrated her 90th birthday on July 27 with five generations of her family. She has seven children, 15 grandkids, 15 great grandkids and 1 great great granddaughter.

Ruth and Robert Webb were married from 1950 until 1989 when Robert passed. He served in the U.S Army during World War II, landing in Normandy on D-Day. He fought in Germany, France and at the Battle of the Bulge. Ruth is a Rosie the Riveter who worked at Willow Run bomber plant during the war. She'll be awarded for her service, along with other Rosies, during a USO show at the Grosse Ile airport on Sept. 10.



Left to Right: Cay-Cay, great granddaughter; Felicity, great great granddaughter; Ruth M. Webb; Carla, granddaughter; and Brenda, daughter.

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ABSTRACT

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL MEETING NO. 2010-24 August 2, 2010

Special Meeting of the City Council held Monday, August 2, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at Wayne City Hall, 3355 S. Wayne Rd. Members Present: Haidous, McEachern, Damitio, Rowe, Mulholland, Henley. Members Absent: Dobrowolski, (excused). Received Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in financial Reporting from Government Finance Officers Association. APPROVED: Minutes of Regular Meeting of July 20, 2010; bid awards for vending services at Community Center & Phase I of Stormwater Drainage & Street Improvements in Avondale Sub. No. 6; second readings & adoption of amendment to Ord. No. 886.06: Permits & Transfer of Ownership & new Chapter 1283: Renewable Solar Energy; appointment of thelma Dasho, 35334 Brush St. to Recreation Foundation; Weed List No. 2010-07; emergency declaration of 3438 Pershing St., 4547 Gloria St. & 34441 Harroun St. as hazard/nuisances; payment for emergency repairs to the City Hall Air Conditioning System; one-year Professional Services Agreement with McKenna Heating & Cooling for Recreation Dept. Bldgs.; Intergovernmental Agreement with Wayne County for a 2010 Justice Assistance Grant (JAG); buyback of cemetery lot; Professional Services Agreement to waterproof the 29th District Court elevator pit; formation of Survey Review Committee consisting of Mayor Pro Tem McEachern, Councilman Damitio & Councilman Henley. Received & filed Communications & Reports & Consent Calendar. Adjourned at 8:01 p.m.

Publish: August 5, 2010

Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

Wayne Masons help kids

By Erica Perdue

The Wayne Masonic Lodge #112 will be helping children and parents at Wheelfest this August. They will be providing a free child identification program. The program will be open to the public from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. on August 28-29, at the Wayne Activity and Banquet Center.

The child ID program only takes about 10 minutes per child. There will be a series of stations set up to make the process simple. Each "Child ID Kit" includes a photo ID card for parents to carry, a color

photo, digital fingerprints, a recorded interview, a dental impression, DNA from cheek cells, dog scents and an Amber alert profile.

This program is considered one of the most comprehensive of its kind by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Having all of the items included in the kit can be helpful for police if the dreaded time comes to search for a missing child.

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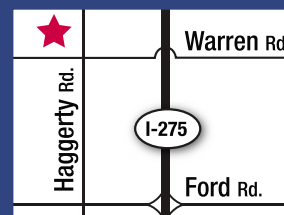


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ORDINANCE NO. 2010-09

AN ABSTRACT OF AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WAYNE
THE CITY OF WAYNE ORDAINS:

Section 1. THAT THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WAYNE BE AMENDED BY THE ADDITION TO PART TWELVE, PLANNING & ZONING, CHAPTER 1283, RENEWABLE SOLAR ENERGY

Property owners are attempting to offset the increasing cost of electricity and heat supplied by fossil-fuels with the use of alternative forms of energy. Due to the close proximity of buildings within a city, it is necessary to permit certain types of alternative energy devices to be placed on properties and to have restrictions on these devices for safety and security purposes. The purpose of this ordinance is to provide consistent regulations for alternative energy devices to protect the general health, safety and welfare; to insure that the city's property values, appearance, and character are preserved and respected; and to minimize potential off-site impacts from permitted devices and uses.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall be published as required by law.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall become effective ten days after enactment and upon publication thereof.

Adopted: August 2, 2010

Published: August 5, 2010

Effective: August 12, 2010

Mary E. Carney

City Clerk

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The staff at In Focus Eye Care is ready to help. From (L-R) Cindy Gutowski, Traci Gutowski, Dr. Warmuskerken and Bunty Klaft.

Business community has many 50 year veterans

By Jenny Johnson

In a continued celebration of the City of Wayne's 50th anniversary the Wayne Dispatch will continue to highlight some of the businesses who are at least 50 years old too.

Many people remember Kerwin Vision and Dr. Pat Kerwin. He bought the eye practice in 1969 from Harvey Firestone who began an eye practice in Wayne in 1946. At the time it was located in a house. In 1969 Kerwin Vision moved to a building on Second Street and West-bound Michigan Avenue. In 1984 Dr. Michael Warmuskerken joined the practice and worked with Dr. Kerwin. "Dr. Kerwin is a colorful person," he said. Warmuskerken said Dr. Kerwin splits his time between Florida and Michigan. He comes into the office about once a year to get his prescription checked.

In 1991 Warmuskerken purchased the practice but continued with the name Kerwin Vision until they made the move to their current location in 2001.

"When we made the move, we changed the name," Warmuskerken said. Today In Focus Eyecare is located on Wayne Road just south of

Michigan Avenue.

Warmuskerken said he sees about 1500- 2000 patients a year but "we're always looking for new patients." In Focus is a primary care optometry office and offers eye health exams for glaucoma, cataracts, macular degeneration, diabetic eye exams and visual therapy in addition to glasses and contact prescription exams. They see patients from children through senior citizens.

The perks of going to a private practice is the personal service and continuity of care you will get. Warmuskerken said. You will see the same doctor, who spends quality time with patients, every time you visit In Focus. They offer quality materials at affordable prices. The staff is also able to answer all insurance, prescription and exam questions. While it's not quite a family business, Warmuskerken's team includes Cindy and Traci Gutowski who are mother and daughter and Bunty Klaft who is Cindy's sister. They say they have adopted Warmuskerken. In Focus is located at 35119 East Michigan Avenue. You can contact them at 734-721-5442.



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July 5 1970, Judge John Seiler swears in City Clerk Geneva Ford and Assistant City Manager Pat Cullen he became City Manager in 1973. Photo Courtesy of The Wayne Historical Museum

City mourns former leader

By Jenny Johnson

Honesty and integrity is how former Wayne City Manager Patrick J. Cullen will be remembered. Cullen, 84, passed away on July 20, 2010. He was born on April 28, 1926. He is survived by his wife, Joyce, his children, Timothy, Thomas, Michael, Susan, Anne and Bridget, 14 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Cullen was a lifelong Wayne resident. He attended St. Mary's Catholic School and graduated from Wayne Memorial High School. He was in the Navy after high school and attended University of Detroit, Eastern Michigan and Wayne State University.

He began his career with the City of Wayne in June 1949 as a meter reader. He also served as supervisor to the water department, city clerk and assistant city manager before being promoted to city manager in July 1973. He retired in July 1981.

Ray Locorno first met Pat Cullen in the mid 1950s when he applied for the position of police officer and Cullen was personnel director. In 1973 Locorno was a lieutenant with the police department when Cullen became city manager and asked him to be the assistant city manager and personnel director.

"I felt honored and privileged to work for and with Pat Cullen. He was one of the best bosses I worked for," Locorno said. Cullen's management decisions were based on using the taxpayers' dollars wisely, he said.

"I can't emphasize his honesty and credibility. I enjoyed going to work every day and working with Mr. Cullen," Locorno said.

In 1975 Cullen asked Locorno to become the director of public safety. Cullen then appointed Tom Daly as the assistant city manager.

"Pat was a good manager and was a mentor. Probably everything I learned about city government I learned it from Pat. He was very professional," said Tom Daly.

"He was very good at what he did. He thought things out fully before he made a decision. We got along real good together," Daly said.

Daly said the parking garage was just being completed as was the Wayne Road bridge over Rouge River when Cullen and Daly served the city together.

"Ford Motor always had some kind of development," he said.

Daly said in addition to Cullen being involved in the city's development, he was also involved in the community. He belonged to St. Mary Catholic Church, Kiwanis and Jaycees.

Pat Cullen hired current City Manager John Zech in 1979. "He brought me over from Plymouth," Zech said.

"I have met a lot of city managers in my life. The thing about Pat Cullen is here is a guy who started at the bottom and in 24 years he rose through the ranks to city manager," Zech said. "His heart and soul was in the City of Wayne," said Daly.

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A hot time in the old town

Sure it was hot! But many of our old friends and some new ones were at the Historical Museum. It was July 6. The Time Capsule was buried, celebrating the Golden Anniversary of Wayne as a city. Matt Miller, Linda and Richard Story, along with John Zech and the Historical Commission, put together an impressive variety of articles in the capsule. Third graders at Roosevelt School wrote a letter to Wayne children in 2060, when the capsule will be opened. The Rev. Thomas Healey gave the invocation, but other members of the religious community were also on hand -- Father David Durgard from St. Mary's, and Father Francisco Radecki of St. Joseph's. Speeches by City Manager John Zech and Mayor Al Haidous were warm and welcoming, as were the memories of Ted D'Pulos.

So many names: Kathy Beeny, the Rediske family, Jerry Heyer, Bev Blankertz, Clare Maloney, Mary Ann Ellis, Paulette Medvecky, Simone Lada, Miriam and Bert Shurlow, the Tom Daly's, Ed McMurray, Pete McInerney, and most of the City Council members. After the cere-

Footprints of Wayne

Dee Ryan



mony, we enjoyed ice cream and cake, thanks to Nelda Doletsky and her merry band of volunteers: Bev Woodard, Gloria Rowland, Kathy Koveleski, Jim Doletsky, Emma and Henry Timmerman (Emma cut all the cakes) Jerry Poplin, Caryn Parm and her dad, Foster Crawl, Art Carpenter, and Phyllis Stein.

As for new friends; it was nice to meet Gordon Jones and Janice Germann, owners of American Jetway, a new business in Wayne. Located on Myrtle St, they produce Aerosol and Liquid packaging. Both Janice and Gordon are enthusiastic about their Wayne business and were happy to tell me about their new building on Venoy. Stockdale's on the Ave. has to be re-named "Hollywood East." Did you know the opening scenes of a major movie were shot there? "Ma-



A's go 21-0 and capture City championship. The Wayne Baseball Association team won the championship with a score of 7-2. Back Row: Coaches Tony Hammons, Kerry Johnson and Dan Napier. Middle Row: Justin Johnson, Claire Hammons, Shane Karls, Brock Harding and James Greenshields. Bottom Row: Brandon Browzowski, Ross Wysong, Tyler Napier, Shane Hammons and Josh Greenshields.

chine Gun Preacher" is the true story of a bad dude, Sam Childers, who drank, did drugs, and wound up in prison. He found religion, changed his life, and went to Africa, where he saved young boys from the violent youth army. It's a story of redemption, with the preacher played by Gerard Butler.

The back entrance of Stockdale's was repainted to depict an inner city pawn shop; the bar patrons got autographs from the gracious Mr. Butler, and credit goes to Mr. Mike Stockdale for bringing movie making to Wayne.

Pat Suyak, one of the hard working gals at St. Mary's Outreach Center, tells us about her son, Craig. Craig has opened 3 restaurants and is planning to open 2 more. Two of the restaurants are in Portage; "East Egg" for breakfast and lunch, and "Craftsman Cobb" for a more upscale dining experience. If you're in Richland, Craig's "Mission Point" restaurant would be a very good choice. Battle Creek and Mattawan will be the locations for the next two restaurants. As she should be, Mama Pat is proud of her son's accomplishments.

Did you cruise? Did you take your cherished 'classic car' out Michigan Avenue and show it off? Lots of folks did. The cities east of our town were quite empty, but Wayne was where it was happening. So many cars; so many people. If this keeps up we'll be giving Royal Oak a run for their money.

The "Athletics", better known as the "A's", is an unbeaten ball team of 8 to 10 year old players. Part of the Wayne Baseball Association, they have won all their games this year, and have just one more to go before acquiring the right to be called "Champs." Their coach of 7 years is Kerry Johnson, who in addition to taking the team to an undefeated season, teaches them sportsmanship, respect, and how to overcome their fears. Coach Johnson is assisted by Dan Napier and Tony Hammons. Members of this well coached team are: Brandon Brozowski, Claire Hammons, Justin Johnson, Shane Karls, Tyler Napier, James Greenshields, Josh Greenshields, Shane Hammons, Brock Harding and Ross Wysong.

One more game! Go "A's."

Have to give a shout out to Helen Maloney, who's recovering from some serious health problems. Helen, your friends in Garden Club, Friends of the Library, and many other places in Wayne miss you, and can't wait 'till you and your wonderful sense of humor are back with us.

We all mourn the passing of Bob Plagens. Plagens' Market was a staple in our neighborhood for many years. 'Wild Bill' Copland, Bob Plagens every morning coffee buddy, remembers him fondly as "a gentle giant." Our condolences go out to his wife Athie, his daughter, Sue, and son, Mike.

Dee@TheWayne Dispatch.com

Motion by Rowe, seconded by McEachern and unanimously carried, it was resolved to adopt Ordinance 2010-08, an ordinance to amend the codified ordinances of the City of Wayne, as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 2010-08

AN ABSTRACT OF AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WAYNE THE CITY OF WAYNE ORDAINS:

Section 1. THAT THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WAYNE BE AMENDED BY AN AMENDMENT TO PART EIGHT, BUSINESS REGULATION & TAXATION, CHAPTER 886, LIQUOR LICENSE MANAGEMENT; 886.06, PERMITS AND TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

Amendments to this ordinance are in regards to temporary daily entertainment permits, which are limited to monologues and dialogues performed by fully clothed entertainers.

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall be published as required by law.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall become effective ten days after enactment and upon publication thereof.

Adopted: August 2, 2010
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Adults \$8⁹⁵
Kids (0-3) FREE!
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BBQ RIB Dinner

FOR TWO

2 Cole Slaws, 2 Potatoes, Basket of Homemade Garlic Bread Sticks w/purchase of 2 Beverages.

\$12⁷⁵

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Dinner Theater

SATURDAYS ONLY
SEPTEMBER 11 THROUGH DECEMBER 18, 2010

STAR ON THE DOOR
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6:00 PM COCKTAILS (CASH BAR) 7:00 PM DINNER

TOTAL PRICE \$31⁹⁵

** Includes dinner with choice of entree, soup, salad & dessert with Live Show, Taxes & Gratuity
Show Immediately following Dinner
Payment Due at time of Reservation

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