

Ray Township THE GE

"The Jewel Of Macomb County"



SUMMER 2017

Welcome to 'The Gem', our new Township newsletter! Your source for upcoming events in Ray Township.

As the weather warms up, please keep in mind of your spring clean-up in your yards. Accumulation of junk, trash and refuse of any kind needs to be disposed of properly as to not create a nuisance. All motor vehicles should be properly licensed.

Also, keep in mind of drainage issues on your property. It is important to keep the water ways clear of debris. We are stewards of our own land.

There are many summer events being planned for all ages. Hope to see you at these events! ~Joe Jarzyna, Township Supervisor

RAY DAY!!! SUNDAY JUNE 25, 2017, from 12PM - 4:00PM

Come and join us at our biggest community event of the year! We will have raffles (bicycles, game tickets, gift baskets, etc.), music, inflatables, crafts and games, pizza eating contest, watermelon eating contest, hot dog eating contest, sack races, library presentation, vendor raffles, car show, Ray Township Lions food truck (\$), firetruck visit, pet adoption stations, dance demo, cheer demo, martial arts demo, photo prop station, crazy hair station, bead station, mascots, bubbles, water gun fights, hula hoops, decorate our RAY DAY art canvas, scavenger hunt, make s'mores, and many more. Tents, tables, and chairs will be provided, but feel free to bring a lawn chair to enjoy our various games and activities.

Location: Ray Township Park, 64255 Wolcott Road, Ray Township, MI 48096.



CONCERTS IN THE PARK

Bring your chairs and blankets and come enjoy an evening in the park. Music will start at 7pm so come early to get a good spot. Concessions and a bug spray station will be available

Concerts start at 7PM

Thursday, July 13, with Wayward Wind (Classic rock)

Thursday, August 10 with Headnodics (Rock, oldies)

MOVIES IN THE PARK

Thursday, July 27: Moana. Bring your chairs and blankets and come enjoy a family movie under the stars. The movie is scheduled to start at 9pm, but the fun starts at 8pm with a bounce house, games, concessions, water, popcorn, glow sticks, as well as a bug spray station. Location: Ray Township Park.

Friday, August 25: Lego Batman Movie. Bring your chairs and blankets and come enjoy a family movie under the stars. The movie is scheduled to start at 8:15pm, but the fun starts at 7pm with cotton candy, games, concessions, water, popcorn, glow sticks, as well as a bug spray station. Location: Ray Township Park.

Christmas card drive: bring in your old, written on, or new cards to the office for a recycling project that will be used this December



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Ray Township Recycling 1st Saturday Of each month.



\$6 ADVANCE TICKET \$10 AT THE GATE

Come be part of the fun at the Ray Township Senior Center!!

Welcome Summer!

I am so happy to see the days getting longer and our days are getting warmer! I hope you all take the opportunity to enjoy the activities that have been planned. Please contact me with program ideas, travel suggestions and craft ideas.

Hope to see you soon!!

~Sarah Parr, Director

Special thank you to Rudich Farms for donating beautiful flowers for the Township grounds!

Don't forget!

Simply the Finest Fest

is Sunday September 17th! 12-4 p.m.

<u>Senior Exercise</u>

Tuesday and Thursday 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Join a lively group of men and women for a free exercise program. Most exercises can be done from a standing or sitting position and are suitable for most seniors.

LIBRARY UPDATES

Stop in to see the renovations that have been made at the Library!! We are hoping to reopen on June 8th!

We are partnering with the Ray Twp Recreation department for a fun filled RAY DAY which will include our *official ribbon cutting* to celebrate our newly renovated library!

Along with the FRLHS, the ribbon cutting will be at 12:30 p.m. which will introduce the new library to the community. There will be a Walt Whitman presentation, a book sale and bake sale and kids can enjoy the Kona Ice Truck(\$)!

Summer Reading Program is June 19th through July 27th. For more info check out:

raylibrarymi@gmail.com or www.raylibrary.org



"Be safe, don't play with matches!" ~ Chief Dimaria

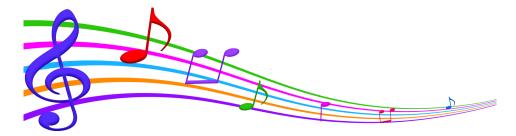
NEW SUMMER HOURS!! MONDAY—THURSDAY 8:30 A.M.— 4:30 P.M. (MEMORIAL DAY— LABOR DAY)



Ray Township Officers

Joe Jarzyna Supervisor
Lori Lascoe Clerk
Doug Stier Treasurer
Charles Bohm Trustee
Betty Grader Trustee

Dates and Times for ALL Ray Township Board and Planning Commission Meetings are listed on our website, along with agendas and meeting minutes.



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