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The Village News

November-December 2017



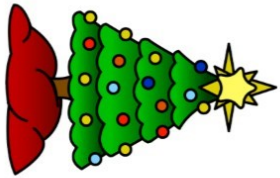
From the Village President, Bob Getz

I'm sure by now most of you have seen our DPW crew around town and installing your new water meters. We are approximately 85% complete, and hope to finish before the end of the year. The new meters are extremely accurate and will help to avoid any issues with bad reads!

How quickly time flies! The holidays are right around the corner once again and soon the snow will start to fly, which means winter and the holiday season!!

We will be having our food drive again this year. **We are currently taking donations. The drive will continue through Wednesday, December 13th.** If you are a family in need, or know someone that is, please contact Tina at the Village Office. See the flyer on inside the newsletter for more information on the food drive.

We hope you will come out and join us for our annual Christmas in the Village event on Sunday, December 3rd from 4-6:00 p.m. We always have a great time!



CHRISTMAS IN THE VILLAGE
Sunday, December 3, 2017
4:00 pm-6:00 pm
Baroda Township Hall in Downtown Baroda



Santa Claus



Light supper provided by
 The Baroda Village Council



Crafts for the kids provided by
 Honor Credit Union
 & Wendie Shafer



Lions International will be here
 to do vision screening for all
 the children



Hot Cocoa



Treats provided by Red Brick Café



Sleigh rides by Kniebes Farms
 (weather permitting) - sponsored by
 the Baroda Area Business Association



Christmas Carols



Face Painting sponsored by
 Chemical Bank in Baroda

If you would like to help out either with decorating, or at the event itself, please call the Village Office at 422-1779!
 We would love to have you be a part of this great community event!

Do you know someone that is going through some tough times this holiday season and could use our help? Please contact us and we will get them added to our list. The information you give is kept private or if you choose to remain anonymous, that is fine as well!



'TIS THE
Season
OF Giving

This year, your community, civic, and church organizations are joining efforts to help our local families in need.

Please join us in our effort:

Baroda Area Business Association
Baroda Bible Church
Baroda Lions Club
Baroda Township
Baroda Village
St. John's Church



100% of the proceeds from the
Round Barn Public House Thanksgiving Give Back
Dinner will go to help our efforts in helping our
local families in need this Christmas season!

Please bring your **non-perishable food items**
(or a **financial contribution**) to either:

The Baroda Municipal Building,
Baroda Bible Church, or St. John's Church

Collection will continue up until 4:00 p.m.
on **Wednesday, December 13th**

For more information, please contact the
Village Office at 422-1779 or
Township Office at 422-2300



Friendly Reminders

There continue to be many new and exciting things happening around the Village. As we grow, and continue to welcome new residents and businesses to the area, it is important for us to also take care and continue to beautify our existing neighborhoods and downtown area.

As you may or may not have noticed, there has been some clean up going on. We have been enforcing our ordinances in an effort to keep the Village looking nice for everyone.

Please keep in mind, you have an obligation as a home/business owner to keep your yard mowed and clean. Also, all exteriors of buildings need to be maintained; and if you are doing work on your home that requires a permit, those have time restrictions. If you are unsure about them, you can contact the office or the building inspector.

Please also remember that pets need to be kept in your yard or on a leash at all times. There are also restrictions on the kind and number of pets you have. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Village office.



We also want to remind you to be careful what you put down your toilets and drains. Tooth floss, baby wipes, string, things of this nature all wreak havoc on our water and sewer systems. Please do your part and let's keep our pipes, drains, and lift stations working well for many years to come!.

Baroda Happenings!

Fall Leaf Pick-Up

The Village Maintenance Department will pick up your leaves IF they are placed in a container that can be easily dumped or you may rake leaves to the edge of the street. Please separate your leaves and limbs into separate piles.

You may also use the green recycling bags to bag your leaves and set out for pick up with your Thursday trash. The bags are available for purchase at the Township Office for \$1 per bag. Please note that our Maintenance Department does not pick up the green recycling bags.

Remaining 2017 Baroda Events



Dec. 3 Christmas In The Village

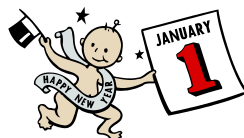
Be sure to check the Community Calendar on our website for updates of events.

Holiday Office Closings

The Village Office will be closed November 23 & 24 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday; December 25 and 26 in observance of the Christmas holiday and **will reopen on Wednesday, December 27.**

The office will also be closed on Monday, January 1 in observance of New Year's Day and **will reopen on Tuesday, January 2, 2017.**

Wishing you all a happy and joyous Christmas and New Year!



Snow Removal In The Village



Our Street Department does a great job of keeping the snow plowed during the winter months, but we need your help!

There is no parking on the Village Streets from 3:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. so that the plows can maneuver through the streets. They are often plowing by 4:00 a.m. The Village Ordinance states that your vehicle may be impounded and towed away if you do not have it moved out of the way.

Also, a reminder that you are responsible for snow removal on sidewalks in front of your home or business. Please do not push snow from your personal driveway into the streets.

Keep up the great work guys!