

The Heart of Wine Country

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The Village News

September/October 2016

From the Village President, Bob Getz

The Village is currently in the process of upgrading our Master Land Use Plan, Parks and Recreation Plan, Capital Improvement Plan and Water Reliability Study.

We thought this was the perfect opportunity to work with Baroda Township to develop a community Master Plan. To that end, we are holding a combined public workshop with Baroda Village Council & Planning Commission, Baroda Township Board and Planning Commission, and Baroda Area Business Association on Wednesday, September 14th at 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building.

This will be a brainstorming session to gather information and input from the various councils/ boards. After the workshop, the plans will be updated and a Public Hearing will be scheduled for some time in December for a public review.

I hope you all had a great summer! Hard to believe it's back to school time, and fall is just around the corner. Hopefully you were able to come out and enjoy some of the summer festivities in the Village!







HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

As Halloween is not far away, it's time to remember some of the safety issues concerning Halloween. Parents should review these safety tips with their children:



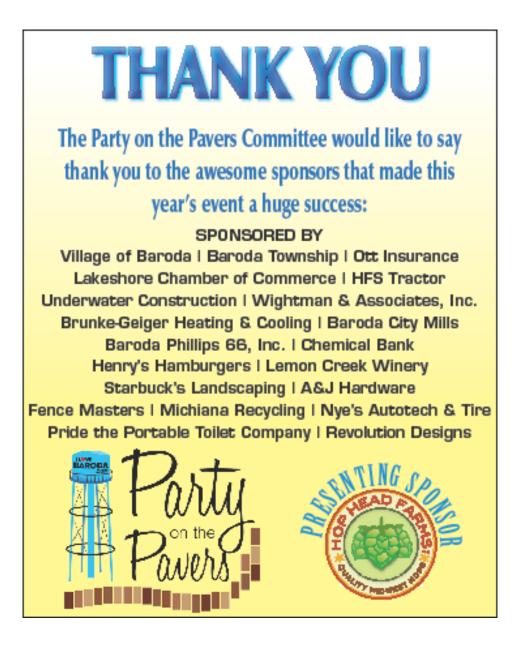
- Make sure small children are accompanied by an adult.
- Trick or treaters should never carry pumpkins or other objects with a real flame or fire in them. Use artificial lighting.
- Costumes should be reflective, should not obscure the vision of the wearer, and not cause the wearer to trip and fall. Children should never carry sharp or unsafe props. Use fake props.
- Children should carry flashlights and have flashing lights or glow sticks attached to their costumes.
- Trick or treaters should obey all traffic rules, such as not walking in the street, walking against the flow of traffic and crossing the street at intersections, if possible.
- Do not accept candy or other food objects that do not have a protective covering or wrapper. *All* treats should be checked, regardless, before being consumed.
- Homeowners: If you wish to participate in Halloween, please have the front of your house well lighted. Remove any obstacles that someone could fall over.
- Trick or treaters: respect the property of others. Do not damage or vandalize someone's 'property.



The 3rd Annual Party on the Pavers was another great event! Thanks to all that came out and shared the great music, food and drinks! Pictures can be found on the BABA Facebook page!

Many thanks to the Party on the Pavers Committee and the awesome volunteers for all their hard work and dedication!

A special thank you also to our amazing Village Maintenance Crew! We couldn't have done it without you!



Baroda Happenings!

Fall Leaf Pick-Up

The Village Maintenance Department will pick up your leaves <u>IF</u> 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.

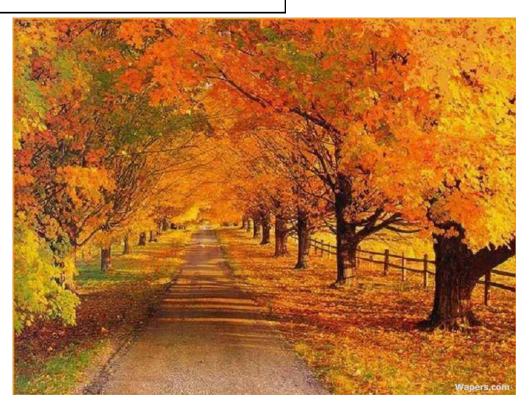
You may also use the green recycling bags to bag your leaves and set out for pick up with your Thursday trash. The bags are available for purchase at the Township Office for \$1 per bag. Please note that our Maintenance Department does not pick up the green recycling bags.

Remaining 2016 Baroda Events



Oct. 13Large Trash Pick UpOct. 15-20Cemetery Clean upOct. 31Trick or TreatingDec. 4Christmas In The Village

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



Christmas in the Village!

Mark your calendars now for Christmas in the Village! We will be holding our 7th Annual Christmas celebration at the Fire Station Hall on Sunday, December 4 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.



For more information, check out the website at www.barodavillage.org!