

# The Village Voice



For Muirfield Village Residents Compliments of Muirfield Village Civic Association

GENERAL INTEREST: IN AND AROUND THE VILLAGE

## MUIRFIELD WOMAN HELPING OTHERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

At first glance, **Stacy Henry** is like many moms in Muirfield, happily raising two children along side her husband Byron, trying to keep the daily activities of family life in order. But a second glance reveals an energetic, caring and compassionate personality of someone who lives her life to the fullest by giving back to those most in need.

Stacy is a Co-Founder and Executive Director of Free to Smile Foundation (FTS), a humanitarian organization that provides free dental care and cleft lip/palate surgeries to poor and underprivileged children in some of the most impoverished nations of the world.



Stacy says, “the work she does on a daily basis with FTS is just a natural part of who she is”. Growing up on a farm in southern Ohio, Stacy was taught from an early age the importance of hard work and caring for others. After graduating from the Ohio State University, Stacy started a career in teaching where she was exposed to kids of different backgrounds and was constantly learning

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### CIVIC ACTION COMMITTEE

#### Lessons from Muirfield House Fires

In the past 2 years, at least three Muirfield homes have suffered fires, with enough damage that the residents had to move out for several months. Two were caused by lightning strikes, a third by a short in a vent fan. Here is a quick summary of advice these residents have for the rest of us.

#### BEFORE A FIRE:

- Install “rapid rise heat detectors” in your attic. This would have given one of the home owners awareness of the fire 30 minutes before smoke finally permeated living areas.
- Be certain your homeowner’s insurance includes a “code update endorsement,” so that you do not have to pay out of pocket for improvements now required by building code.
- Google the name of your insurance company with key words like “fire,” “claims,” and “lawsuits.” Two homeowners found that their insurance carrier had a history of low-balling and wearing down the consumer, while the third resident had no problems. Be a strong advocate for yourself.
- If you remodel or redecorate, keep receipts so you have proof of the costs of your carpet, cabinets, faucets, etc. This will help fight low-balling.

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### EVENT RECAP

## BLACK AND TAN GALA GIVES BACK

On April 19th, members of the Black and Tan Committee presented the Dublin Food Pantry Board Members with a check for \$15,000. The money raised at the March 3rd, Puttin’ On the Ritz event at The Country Club at Muirfield Village will be used by the Dublin Food Pantry in their search for additional space which will allow them

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Left to Right – Muirfield Residents: Stephanie Iacono, Corporate Sponsor Chair; Kelly Weigle, Black and Tan Treasurer; Chris Sanholtz, MVCA President; Jennifer Elliott, Bland and Tan Chair; and Dublin Food Pantry representatives: Amy Tibbals, DFP Board of Trustees Chair, and Nancy Johnson, Executive Director

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about diversity. Stacy taught for 9 years before having children with her husband, but while at home, she recognized a need to continue giving back. In staying true to her background, it was a natural progression for Stacy to team up with Byron, who was donating his time to humanitarian missions providing free dental care and cleft lip/palate surgeries.

Together, Byron and Stacy used their skills and passion of helping others to start Free to Smile. Their mission - to recruit other cleft surgeons, dentists, anesthesiologists, nurses and administrative volunteers who are willing to donate their time and money, travel with them to third world countries and help raise awareness. Their goal - to find sites, work with in-country non-profits, provide care to children in need, train local surgeons to do the dental work and surgeries and then move onto other sites.

In 2012, FTS was able to support dental and cleft palate missions to seven different regions of the world including Guatemala, Mali, Columbia, Cambodia and in the most recent months - Tibet and Niger. To make each mission successful Stacy spends between 20 to 70 hours a week volunteering her time. She says each mission can take up to a years worth of planning. In addition, Stacy manages the day-to-day operations of the foundation fielding inquiries, ensuring ongoing marketing and communication, managing donations, coordinating volunteers as well as being involved in planning upcoming fundraising initiatives.

Stacy says the most gratifying part of what she does is when she is working in the field fulfilling her team lead role. It's on these missions where she feels she is making a difference not just in the lives of the children who require dental and cleft care but also to FTS volunteers. "It's amazing to see our volunteers complete a mission with new perspective on what they have done, who they have helped and how their life has been impacted".

When asked how she balances the dedication that is required to make FTS a success along with her home life, she says her partnership with her husband is the key to success both in her personal and professional volunteer life. "Without Byron as my partner, I wouldn't be successful in what I do".

Stacy loves living in Muirfield because she really feels the strong sense of support and common values of her friends and neighbors, schools and churches, whom have helped raise funds for their foundation and increase awareness within the community. "We want to thank our volunteers from within our community who make a difference to our foundation. There are a million different ways to get involved and make a difference for so many others through-out the world."

As far as the future of FTS, both Byron and Stacy hope to see continued growth and success. They hope to have the continual means to visit their mission sites, treat patients, educate local surgeons as well as recruit volunteers who share their vision. Stacy's work with FTS has become part of her daily life and she has no plans to change that in the near future.

Stacy Henry is passionate about what she does in life and is truly making a difference.

To learn more about the great work of FTS or how to get involved and upcoming fundraisers, visit [www.freetosmile.org](http://www.freetosmile.org) or email them directly at [info@freetosmile.org](mailto:info@freetosmile.org). Tax deductible donations can be made to Free to Smile Foundation, 75 East Gay Street, Suite 300, Columbus, Ohio 43215.



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## THE LEITH LADIES

The Leith Ladies of Muirfield Village met March 20, 2012 at The Country Club at Muirfield Village for their monthly luncheon. The Leith ladies have had a tradition of meeting on a monthly basis for many years. The ladies share each other's company, support, friendship and good laughs. While they enjoy eating and sampling foods at local restaurants of their choice, they mostly enjoy catching up with good friends and sharing neighborhood news. All neighborhoods should be so lucky!



From Left to right: Jean Steele, Mary Ann Bowers, Sally Buckley, Lorri Molnar, Barb Siders, Jenny Miller, Janet Miller, Val Pittsenbarger, Peggy Whips, Evelyn Wilden, Diane Shingledecker, Joyce Elsass, Charlotte Cahill, Lisa Schirk, Regina Beatty, Phylliss McClatchie, Caroline Life – in attendance but not pictured – Dottie Doty.

## THE MUIRFIELD GARDEN CLUB

Muirfield Village Garden Club wins Horticultural/Environmental/Education Award from the Garden Club of Ohio.

One of the Muirfield Garden Club's major projects is assisting the State of Ohio Marysville Reformatory for Women with their Horticultural Program. For over five years, they have contributed money to the program to buy seeds, plants, containers, soil and other materials of need. Garden Club members have taught classes on flower arranging, and have given ongoing support to the program to promote the knowledge and love of gardening. We get as much reward back as we give.

As the year goes on, the upcoming outings for the Garden Club include a special visit to Schnormeier Gardens on June 7th in Gambier, Ohio. In July, the Garden Club will tour day lilies at a garden in Marble Cliff. In August, the club will have a tour of some of our members' gardens. And, in September, the club will venture to the Wilds in Cumberland, Ohio. Throughout the rest of the year the club will learn about trees, organic lawn care, holiday decorating and end the year with a holiday luncheon in December.

For more information about the Muirfield Garden club, call Membership Chairman **Gina Fathman** at 614 798-0031 or email at [ginafathman@yahoo.com](mailto:ginafathman@yahoo.com)



Garden Club Members receiving award from left to right: Barb Hilyard, Peggy Pace, Debbie Kelly, and Pam Ellinger

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to offer enhanced services to their clients.

The Black and Tan committee is already starting to plan for the 2013 event! Look for more information in future newsletters. If you are interested in joining the Black and Tan Committee, contact the 2013 Co-Chairs, **Jennifer Elliott & Stephanie Iacono** at [theblackandtan2011@gmail.com](mailto:theblackandtan2011@gmail.com)

### THE BLACK AND TAN WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS:

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## "House Fires" CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

- Forget installing lightning rods as there is no evidence they work. Some studies suggest they attract lightning that is too powerful for the rod to disburse.
- Keep a digital inventory of your home including pictures of each room including drawer contents. Your inventory should be kept on an external drive in a secure place away from your home. Save a list of website user names and passwords. Know where your wallet and purse are, as you will need credit cards in the days following your evacuation. Keep these essentials accessible at all times to "grab & go."

### AFTER A FIRE:

- When firemen arrive, they will ask if you have any flammables or explosives and where they are located. If you have a safe, tell them the location so that they can direct water at it, as they are not fire proof, just fire resistant.
- Have your insurance company stored in your contact list on your cell phone along with your policy number. Call your insurance company during the fire, so they can get tarpers on the scene if there are holes in your roof.
- Unless there is total destruction, you will be allowed back into your home once hot spots are checked and your home is declared safe. Think about what you wish to take to your temporary lodgings including personal items such as jewelry box, laptop or hard drive, basic clothing, etc.
- Be organized. You will need to record all the contents that are being discarded, even if they were not damaged by fire. You will likely have to get rid of plastics, including items like Corian countertops, kitchen storage containers, children's toys, and more. All mattresses and pillows will be discarded, due to soot damage.

- Start adding to your cell phone contacts, using the letter "F" before each fire-related name. E.g., "F contractor Scott". Interrupt anything you are doing to take calls from these folks. Put your contractor on speed-dial. Get a file box and folders, with labels like "legal," "receipts", "financials", etc.
- Immediately start a log, or diary, noting every in-person or phone contact, and matters discussed.
- Give each tradesperson working on the reconstruction a card with your name and cell phone number, encouraging them to call you with any questions and add them into your contact list. Be at the house daily - perhaps bring pizza or cookies for the workmen occasionally.
- Increase your minutes with your cell phone provider.
- Develop a good accounting system to track payments and moneys received. Separate the account files for contents and structure.
- Notify the County Auditor as you will get a small tax reduction while your home is uninhabitable.
- Remember to cancel your newspaper and forward your mail. Discuss with your cable company how to end your service but retain your e-mail address if it is linked. The firemen will cut your gas and electric. Formally notify the gas company to stop all billing. The gas company might need a few weeks before they can turn your gas back on. Keep track of those delays to help the builder be efficient and not waste days waiting for a utility turn-on.

Keep telling yourselves you will get through this, and your house will be renewed! It is an opportunity as well as a catastrophe.

## SINGLES SOCIAL CLUB

The Single's Social Club enjoyed a wonderful evening in the Short North for the May Gallery Hop! We started the night with a fabulous dinner at Haiku and finished with coffee and cheesecake at Marcella's. It was great to spend a relaxing evening with friends!

If you are interested in participating in future events (or if you know someone who might be), please contact **Ann Taylor** at [ataylor18992@yahoo.com](mailto:ataylor18992@yahoo.com) or **Gerry Craig** at [gac104@yahoo.com](mailto:gac104@yahoo.com). Your thoughts and suggestions are invited and welcome!

## EASTER EGG HUNT

The weather was beautiful and Holbrook Complex provided a great backdrop for this year's Easter Egg Hunt. Hundreds of children and parents gathered to hunt candy-filled eggs on Saturday, March 31st. The Easter Bunny was there to pose for pictures, too!



We especially want to thank Giant Eagle and Meijer for donating some of the candy for this event. Much gratitude to the many volunteers who helped stuff and/or scatter our eggs.

*Margaret Mallue and friend Gabby Weekes patiently wait for the MVCA Easter Egg Hunt to begin*

## Muirfield Village Homes Sold

Previous 90 Days

(Based on sold data provided by the Columbus Board Of REALTORS MLS)

	Address	Bedrooms	Total Baths	Style	List Price	Sales Price	Days On Market	Total Sq Feet	Closed Date
1	8727 Birgham Ct	4	4.1	2 STORY	\$650,000	\$560,000	449	5100	05/15/12
2	6080 Springburn Dr	3	2.1	2 STORY	\$290,000	\$278,000	189		05/11/12
3	8120 Holyrood Ct	4	3.1	2 STORY	\$462,000	\$465,000	6	4814	05/11/12
4	9178 Muirkirk Dr	2	2.0	1 STORY	\$227,900	\$220,000	20	1526	05/10/12
5	5824 Tarton Cir	5	4.1	3 STORY	\$310,000	\$304,500	99	3571	05/07/12
6	5315 Aryshire Dr	4	2.2	2 STORY	\$394,000	\$383,900	22	3370	05/04/12
7	9406 Avemore Ct	4	4.0	2 STORY	\$435,000	\$416,000	38	4675	05/04/12
8	8540 Cartney Ct	3	2.1	2 STORY	\$435,000	\$435,000	14	3456	05/04/12
9	8949 Saltcoats Ct	4	2.1	2 STORY	\$354,000	\$347,000	41	3172	05/03/12
10	8639 Craigston Ct	3	3.1	2 STORY	\$215,000	\$201,000	201	2311	05/01/12
11	5419 Lanark Ct	3	3.0	2 STORY	\$385,500	\$372,500	14	2989	05/01/12
12	8629 Craigston Ct	3	3.1	2 STORY	\$179,900	\$164,000	162	2359	04/30/12
13	8510 Gullane Ct	3	2.1	2 STORY	\$249,900	\$249,900	17	2416	04/27/12
14	8438 Tibbermore Ct	4	4.1	2 STORY	\$364,900	\$350,000	63	3437	04/27/12
15	8612 KIRKHILL CT	5	3.2	SPLIT - 5+ LEVEL	\$500,000	\$475,000	19	4794	04/16/12
16	8520 Gullane Ct	3	2.1	2 STORY	\$299,000	\$294,000	164	3164	04/03/12
17	6235 Inverurie Dr	4	2.1	2 STORY	\$344,900	\$340,000	3	2597	03/29/12
18	5312 Aryshire Dr	4	2.1	2 STORY	\$250,000	\$226,000	56	3208	03/27/12
19	6176 Haddo Way	4	3.2	2 STORY	\$522,500	\$492,500	204	4712	03/26/12
20	9214 Muirkirk Dr	2	2.0	1 STORY	\$229,900	\$225,000	24	1700	03/23/12
21	5531 Aryshire Ct	3	2.1	2 STORY	\$319,900	\$310,000	6	3450	03/22/12
22	5808 Tarton Cir	3	2.1	1 STORY	\$329,900	\$320,000	139	2999	03/16/12
23	5678 Duddingston Dr	4	3.1	2 STORY	\$344,900	\$342,000	78	3463	03/15/12
24	8566 Dunsinane Dr	7	6.2	2 STORY	\$1,799,900	\$1,450,000	177	11700	03/09/12
25	8475 Gullane Ct	3	2.1	CAPE COD	\$269,900	\$255,000	166	2548	03/05/12

## Getting the House Ready to Sell

### Disconnect Your Emotions

When conversing with real estate agents, you will often find that when they talk to you about buying real estate, they will refer to your purchase as a "home." Yet if you are selling property, they will often refer to it as a "house." There is a reason for this. Buying real estate is often an emotional decision, but when selling real estate you need to remove emotion from the equation.

You need to think of your house as a marketable commodity. Property. Real estate. Your goal is to get others to see it as *their* potential home, not *yours*. If you do not consciously make this decision, you can inadvertently create a situation where it takes longer to sell your property.

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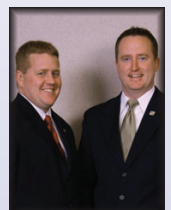
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# Nester Nuggets

## HISTORIC DUBLIN TOUR

After lunching at “Biddie’s Coach House,” built nearly two centuries ago in 1834, the Muirfield Empty Nesters were led on a walking tour of Historic Dublin by Fred Jones, President of the Dublin Historical Society. Herb, who has lived just south of the bridge on Riverview Street for many decades, entertained and informed the group with tales such as Dublin’s early settlers housing escaped slaves using the Underground Railroad, and a tornado that led three early churches to merge into one after two of the churches were destroyed. The nearly three hour tour led past the place where horses and wagons used to ford the Scioto River and the spring, where residents obtained water before putting in a pump that stood right in the middle of the intersection of Bridge and High Streets. Herb knew the history of who built each house, and which homes were used as taverns, a hat shop, the first post office, a milliner, the early doctor’s homes and much more.



Herb and Leona Jones lunching at Biddie’s, with Dave and Carolyn Dyer, Charlotte Coomer, Peggy Pace, Kathy Beyl and Gina Fathman



Being reminded once again that “Freedom is not free,” are (left to right): Helen Haupt, Barbara Hilyard, Jackie Miller, Peggy Pace, Bob and Gina Fathman, Sharon Custer, Rita Johansen, Dwayne Hays, John League, Judy Hays, Vern Pace, and Warren Motts displaying his famous waxed mustache. Next is Roland Kolman, Ken Johansen, Kevin Hilyard, Mike Custer, Frank Haupt and, finally, Carl Miller. After the tour, the group met at the Milestone 229 Restaurant for lunch. All agreed that it was a great way to spend a Saturday morning.

## EMPTY NESTER GROUP VISIT THE MOTTS MUSEUM

Despite his heavy schedule, Warren Motts, founder and curator of the Motts Military Museum in Groveport, took the time to give a personal tour to eighteen Empty Nesters. Mr. Motts’ knowledge and enthusiasm inspired the group as they traveled in history from early American wars until the present. The Nesters even got a sneak preview of Motts’ most recent acquisition—artifacts from the 9/11 disaster not yet on display; recently written about in the Columbus Dispatch.

## EMPTY NESTER KEGLERS

The Empty Nesters showed that they know how to score when they gathered at Plain City Lanes for a bowling and pizza party. Congratulations to **Becky Mares** for being the highest scoring lady, to **Mike Custer** for being the highest scoring gentleman and to **Gina Fathman** for most enthusiastic bowling.



Empty Nester Keglers A.C. and Karen Strip, Bob and Gina Fathman, Mike and Sharon Custer, Ken and Rita Johansen, Don and Becky Mares.

## IN AND AROUND THE VILLAGE

Muirfield Residents Greg, Charlotte & Caitlyn Laycock enjoy an evening of fishing at the Bass Master Classic. A special bi-annual event hosted by the Country Club at Muirfield Village. This event opens up their ponds for an evening of fishing to all their members. Also Pictured below are Muirfield Residents and Country Club members, Mike and Dillon Mullady.

While the Country Club ponds are not normally used for fishing, don’t forget that our community has twelve other lakes that are fully stocked with crappie, catfish, large-mouth bass, and blue gill. Residents are welcome to fish these lakes and are not required to hold an Ohio fishing license.



# MVCA Membership Registration

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SUMMER 12

## President's Corner

### SPRING INTO SUMMER

Now that summer is in full swing, I hope you are enjoying all of the wonderful things that our neighborhood has to offer! I know many of you travel over of the summer but with all of our amenities, why not enjoy a stay-cation? I read about these in AAA magazine. And, Muirfield is the perfect place to do it!

We have bike paths, tennis courts, two beautiful pools, ponds to fish in, pitch and putt golf, TGIF parties, Movies Under The Stars – the list goes on. Engage yourself in one of our clubs such as the gardening club, empty nesters group or singles social club! If you haven't already done so, go out and cheer on the Muirfins and the Marlins at one of their weekly swim meets or upcoming championships, sign up for tennis lessons or cardio tennis and don't forget about swimming lessons. Hopefully each one of you is taking advantage of the great neighborhood we live in!

Don't forget about all the wonderful events and places to visit that are just steps from our doors such as Memorial Golf Tournament, Zoofari, the Columbus Zoo, Zoombezi Bay, all the wonderful neighborhood golf courses, Red White and Boom, Dublin Irish Festival and more.

Maybe you and your neighbors are interested in a block party? The City of Dublin can help. If you need more information, contact me.

Just remember, summer goes by quickly, so get out there and take advantage of our beautiful neighborhood.

Chris Saneholtz  
MVCA President

## Welcome New Members

Welcome to the new members who have joined the MVCA in recent months. Thank you for your participation and support!

Edith & Kwabena Adusci-Poku	Tom Mulligan
Louis & Jan Chorich	Katrina Sherrer
Luke Costello	Nicole & Scott Swecker
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Thanks to all residents who have renewed your support for another year. The MVCA has nearly 400 Muirfield households as supporting members. If you are not a Civic Association member, please consider supporting the MVCA by filling out and returning the registration form printed in this newsletter. (If we've misspelled your name or omitted your spouse, our apologies. Please contact Dwayne Elliot at [dje1107@aol.com](mailto:dje1107@aol.com), and your record will be updated.)

## MVCA Website

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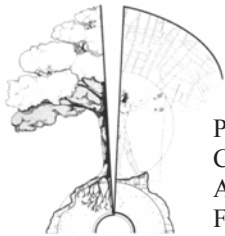
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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## Empty Nesters Activities

Detailed information will be emailed before each event. All in-home events follow the same format: BYOB with an appetizer or dessert unless otherwise specified.

**SATURDAY, JULY 7**

### ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION AUTO SHOW AT METRO PLACE

Entertainment by Phil Dirt & The Dozers.

RSVP to Sharon Custer at [scuster@columbus.rr.com](mailto:scuster@columbus.rr.com) by June 30

### EVENTS COMING THIS FALL

**Country Boil** hosted by Barb and Kevin Hilyard.  
Email announcement with details to follow.

We're always planning new fun events. If you have any suggestions send them to Mike and Sharon Custer, [scuster@columbus.rr.com](mailto:scuster@columbus.rr.com). We may even have a cruise this fall without leaving Muirfield.

**COUPLES EUCHRE GROUP** meets the second Friday of the month. If interested, contact **Judy Hays** at 766-7047 or [jhdiva@aol.com](mailto:jhdiva@aol.com).

**LADIES EVENING MAH JONGG GROUP** meets the second Thursday of the month. Ladies Daytime Mah Jongg Group meets the third Thursday afternoon of the month. If interested in being a sub, contact **Peggy Pace** at 791-0340 or [peggy43017@aol.com](mailto:peggy43017@aol.com).

**MEN'S LUNCH BUNCH** meets the first Friday of every month. If interested, contact **Vern Pace** at 791-0340 or [vernpac@columbus.rr.com](mailto:vernpac@columbus.rr.com)

**LADIES LUNCH BUNCH** meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. If interested, contact **Mary Ann Smith** at [muirfieldoh@aol.com](mailto:muirfieldoh@aol.com) or 798-0450.

**IMPULSE DINNER GROUP:** Informal, last minute get-togethers for dining out. All participants will be on an e-mail list and can contact the list to arrange an impromptu get together. If interested in being part of the group, contact **Mike Custer** at [scuster@columbus.rr.com](mailto:scuster@columbus.rr.com).

## Save The Date

### LEARN TO KAYAK

Calling all Muirfield kids who are interested in learning to kayak. TAASC, The Adaptive Adventure Sports Coalition, is hosting 2 kids kayaking days this summer for kids with and without disabilities ages 8 to 15. These events will be held Saturday July 28th and Saturday August 18th and will offer kayaking

on the beautiful twin lakes area located on either side of Dublin Road, just north of Glick Road.

Kids who are interested are encouraged

to come out and give it a try as it will give all kids an opportunity to try out kayaking while receiving a kayaking lesson and water safety information by ACA Certified Instructors. If interested arrival times are available every 30 minutes from 9:30 am to 11:00 am. Don't forget to bring a brown bag lunch and enjoy 4 hours of fun! The cost is only \$20 per child and no charge for supervising adults. In addition to kayaking on July 28th TAASC will be hosting COSI. COSI will be featuring an outdoor classroom exploring water! And on August 18th TAASC will also be featuring Exploring Nature and Fishing!

Register individually or with your scout or youth group by visiting [www.taascoho.org](http://www.taascoho.org).

All children must be accompanied and supervised by an adult in a 1:5 ratio or as needed for safety.

Children with disabilities who have not kayaked before should contact [info@taasc.org](mailto:info@taasc.org) to arrange for an equipment evaluation and special instruction.

TAASC is a non-profit organization offering individuals with disabilities opportunities to participate in adventure sports. For more information, visit <http://www.taasc.org/>.



## 2012 Pool Hours

### REGULAR SUMMER HOURS

(May 29 thru August 26th)  
12:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
– both pools.

### BACK-TO-SCHOOL HOURS

(August 27, 28, 29, 30, 31)  
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
– Holbrook pool only.

### HOLIDAY HOURS

**July 4th holiday** – 10:00 am thru 8:00 pm – both pools.  
**Labor Day weekend** (September 1st, 2nd, 3rd) – 10:00 am thru 8:00 pm. Holbrook Pool only

Glick Road Pool closes for the season on August 26.



## MOVIES UNDER THE STARS

MVCA is please to bring back the popular Movies Under the Stars for the 8th consecutive summer.

Gather up your friends and neighbors for this fun-filled night at the pool. Bring a towel, raft and your pool pass. We will provide a glow necklace for each child. The snack bar will be open as well.

This year we will be presenting "E.T." on Friday, July 13th. Come see a long time family favorite. "E.T." tells the story of Elliott, a lonely boy who befriends an extraterrestrial being, dubbed "E.T.", who is stranded on earth. "E.T." is rated PG.

The Glick Road pool entry starts at 9 p.m. with the movies starting at 9:30. Cost is \$1 for MVCA members and \$5 for non-members. Guests are welcome with a guest pass and cost is \$5. Check pool kiosks for more information.

## SUMMER TGIF PARTIES ARE BACK!

The MVCA is proud to be bringing back TGIF parties to a home near you. Some of you may have already enjoyed our first TGIF party hosted by Dave and Jenny Monte. It was a great turnout and a wonderful evening. If you missed the first party, don't worry you can attend one of the upcoming TGIF parties to be held on the third Friday of both July and August from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Enjoy getting your weekend started by visiting with your friend and neighbors. These cocktail parties are open to everyone living in Muirfield and are a great place to connect with old and new friends. Come to one TGIF or come to all three! The final two TGIF parties of the summer will be held:

Friday, July 20th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 at the home of Ted and Chris Saneholtz @ 5626 Loch Broom Cr./ berry5775@columbus.rr.com.

Friday, August 17th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at the home of Tim and Diane Bond @ 8228 Davington Drive/ dianebond75@yahoo.com.

All TGIF parties will follow the same format of bring your own beverage and appetizer to share.

Muirfield Residents enjoying the splash pad and pool opening weekend at the Muirfield Pool.



Amelia on Mothers Day this year with two of her children at the Golf Club.

## RESIDENT PROFILE

### AMELIA WINCHESTER

Not too many residents can say they have lived in Muirfield Village since near inception. But one such person is 92 year-old Amelia Winchester, a Muirfield resident of 30 years. Amelia and her husband Gene, co-founder of Quikrete International, settled into the Columbus area in 1954. In 1982, with six grown children, the empty nesters decided a move to Muirfield Village would be the perfect place to bridge into retirement with the offering of two golf courses.

Original residents of Pitlochry Ct, their dream was to own a home on the tournament course. When they heard some land off of Carnoustie Dr. was being developed, they jumped at the chance to own one. It was not long before they settled into their new home on Lea Ct. on the 10th hole and later became founding members of the Muirfield Village Golf Club as well as becoming active members of The Country Club of Muirfield Village. Over the years, they enjoyed their golf memberships as well as many other social opportunities and amenities Muirfield Village offered.

Amelia says, "its so unusual to have such an integrated community, that they couldn't resist an opportunity to build a home here." Most of all she has loved the peacefulness of this community as well as her wonderful neighbors. Over the years, Amelia has enjoyed being an active member of St. Brigid of Kildare, Dublin Woman's Club, the Garden Club, bridge club as well as her memberships to the golf clubs that have afforded her many great golf games and friendships.

A self-proclaimed golf fan one of Amelia's favorite times of the year is the Memorial Golf Tournament. Every spring for the past 30 years, she has enjoyed opening her home to entertain family, friends, business colleagues as well as the occasional professional golf player.

Amelia and Gene Winchester had the opportunity of living in many cities through out the US before settling down in Columbus. They, like many of us, realized the unique qualities Muirfield had to offer and chose to remain in this special community.



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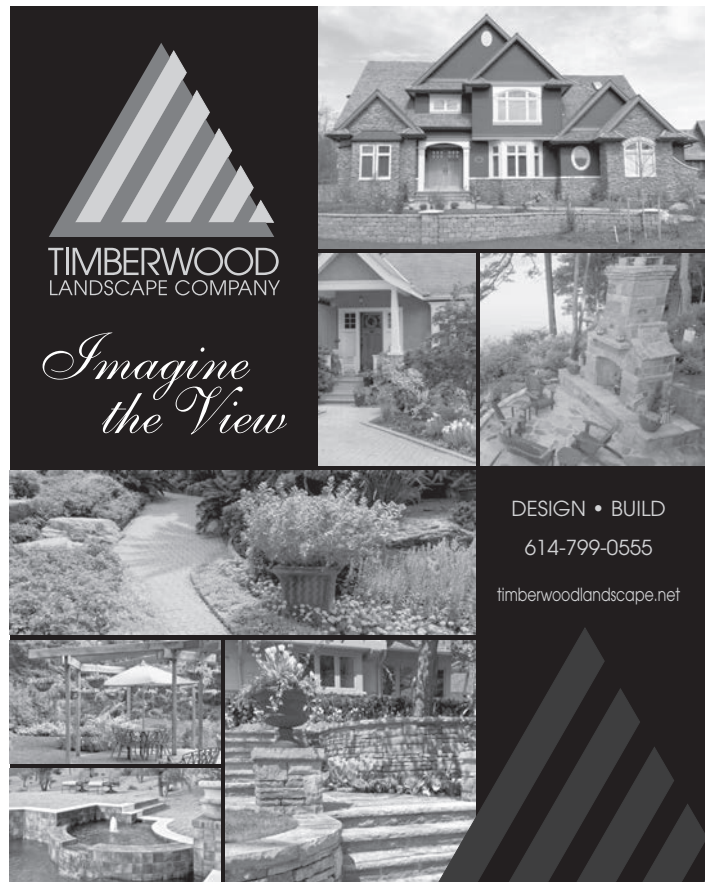
## Nominate Our Next

### Muirfield Shining Star!

Is there a great person in your life who needs to be recognized? The Village Voice wants you to nominate our next Shining Star! If he or she is chosen, they will be profiled in the next edition of the Village Voice. This may be any person who is involved a wonderful initiative, someone who may have been recognized for an exceptional achievement including, but not limited to:

- Being awarded for a sporting/non-sporting activity
- Won a scholarship/leadership award;
- Championed and/or lead a group for a specific cause;
- Opened a New Business
- Volunteers/Works for a special organization and is making a difference in our community;

These are just a few examples and we want to hear about them all. Please forward nominations to Lesley Neave at [lesleyneave@mac.com](mailto:lesleyneave@mac.com).



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