



THE CONCORD TOWNSHIP

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Winter-Spring 2020

Concord Township Welcomes Two New Trustees: Amy L. Lucci and Morgan R. McIntosh

Concord Township is pleased to announce the appointment of Amy L. Lucci as the newest Township Trustee.



Mrs. Lucci replaces Paul R. Malchesky who recently resigned to take the position as Judge of Painesville Municipal Court. Mrs. Lucci was sworn in on December 27, 2019. Morgan McIntosh was elected as Township Trustee on November 5, 2019 and assumed office on January 1, 2020. Mr. McIntosh filled the seat that was held by Connie Luhta, who retired after 28 years as Trustee on December 31, 2019.

Amy Lucci is a 19 year resident of Concord Township. She attended Mentor High School. Amy graduated from Bowling Green State University with a BS in Nursing, Kaplan University with a Master's Degree in Nursing, and received her Doctorate of Nursing Practice from Chamberlain College of Nursing. She is a Program Manager with the Cleveland Clinic in clinical and surgical care along with being a nurse educator and conducting nursing research. Amy recently served on the Board of Directors of the American Society of Ophthalmic Registered Nurses and has volunteered in the community with Convoy of Hope and with the Cleveland Clinic Healing Services Team.

Morgan R. McIntosh is a 21 year resident of Concord Township. Morgan is the President of OmegaOne, a Willoughby based manufacturing company. He attended Minnesota State University, earning a BS in Law Enforcement. After five years in law enforcement, he began a business career as the Operations Manager of OmegaOne, becoming the President five years

later. Morgan was appointed to the Concord Painesville JEDD in October 2019 and served on the Concord Township Zoning Commission for 10 years until his election as Trustee. Morgan is a graduate of the Cleveland Leadership Institute and Cleveland Bridge Builders. Morgan also works for the Lake County Board of Elections as an Election Day Rover.



Amy and Morgan are joining Trustee Carl Dondorfer and we look forward to working with the new Board of Trustees.



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ZONING DEPARTMENT

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Route 608 and Ravenna Road*
Hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., M-F
354-7510
www.concordtwp.com

Fire Station #1

11600 Concord-Hambden Road
Located next to Town Hall
354-7504

Fire Station #2

10154 Prouty Road
Located just south of Route 84
354-7509

Community Center

7671 Auburn Road
Located west of State Route 44
Hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., M-F
639-4650

The Zoning Department often receives calls from residents asking about the rules for having chickens, horses and other agricultural uses within the township. The Ohio Revised Code Chapter 519 grants townships the authority to utilize zoning to regulate land uses, with some exceptions and limitations.

ZONING OFFICE HOURS
Monday through Friday
8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

While 519.21 (A) limits a township's authority to prohibit agricultural uses, section 519.21 (B) does permit a township to regulate agricultural uses in any platted subdivision¹ or in any

area consisting of fifteen or more contiguous lots approved under section 711.131. Since April 1, 2011 Concord Township has had regulations in place that apply to agricultural uses in all zoning districts.²

For lots one (1) acre or less and within a platted subdivision, only the raising of fruits, vegetables, or nursery stock for private use, consumption or incidental sale is permitted. An agricultural building may be permitted in conjunction with such use, however the size shall not exceed the maximum area permitted for an accessory building, and the building must meet the setback regulations for the zoning district the property is located. A zoning permit is required for any new building proposed.

For lots greater than one (1) acre, but less than five (5) acres, agricultural uses such as the raising of chickens, horses, and cows may be permitted with an approved zoning permit.

An accessory building, such as a barn or coop, must be provided on the property to shelter any animals that may be outside. The building cannot exceed the maximum square footage allowed for accessory buildings



within the district in which the lot is located. Additionally, the building must comply with the following minimum setback or clearance requirements: 70 feet from the street right-of-way; 25 feet from the side or rear property line; and 100 feet from any water well.

When the number of accessory buildings is limited due to lot size, one (1) agricultural building may be constructed in addition to one (1) non-agricultural accessory building, provided the combined area of the two (2) buildings does not exceed the maximum area allowed for the district.

All of the zoning requirements for agricultural uses may be found in Section 6.01 (B) of the Concord Township Zoning Resolution, which may be viewed on the township website. For specific questions, please call Heather Freeman, Planning & Zoning Director at 440-354-7506 or email hfreeman@concordtwp.com.

¹Platted Subdivisions approved under section 711.05, 711.09 or 711.10 of the Revised Code.
²Agricultural uses are exempt from these regulations on lots five (5) acres or greater.



SERVICE DEPARTMENT



FRANK KRASKA, SERVICE DIRECTOR, 440-350-3226
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How about kicking off winter in the second week of November? That's exactly how we were introduced to the northern Ohio winter season; with winter coming earlier and spring coming later. Am I just that crossed up or wasn't it not long ago that most of the leaves were off trees by Halloween? At least that's the way it seemed in my youth. It just goes to show that we have to be prepared for the diversity of weather that accompanies us in this region. Crazy as it sounds, that's what makes northeast Ohio such an enviable place to live! The four seasons couldn't be more pronounced. The bounty of our country splendor overshadows the urban sprawl to our north, making Concord Township the centerpiece of Lake County.

Concord Township Service Department



When commuting to work, school, an event or a meeting are you prepared for the next day or what is around the next corner? Time is your most valuable asset when traveling and it can be influenced by the changing weather and road conditions that you will encounter as you commute.

You may say, "My vehicle has all wheel drive. No challenge is too big for me! I don't even have to slow down." Wow, not a very far-reaching assessment of what you are about to encounter.

Let us put that into perspective. We just finished plowing your road, you looked outside saw the snowplow go by and thought I can take my time now, great! What you did not expect was the snow squall, or should I say the wall of snow you ran into at the end of your road.

Now we are dealing with visibility issues and quickly diminishing road conditions that can become treacherous within minutes, other drivers that are unsure of themselves, or even distracted drivers talking or texting on their phone. Somehow, even with all of this going on, you feel you can still make it on time to your destination.

Slow down? Not me! I will drive on gut instinct. That is until you realize too late that cars traveling just ahead of you have spun out on the curve, and now you are going to complicate an already dangerous situation by piling on. Your mind will race thinking what is happening? Why is my car not stopping? I have all wheel drive! It's a simple answer. Tires are likely to have less control on ice for every mile per hour faster you travel. Now it is too

late. You should have allowed for more travel time so you could drive safely to your destination to not only protect you and your passengers, but also others that you might encounter.

How does this relate to the Service Department? Well, let me put it into perspective. I have personally operated snowplows for forty-five years during my public works career. You might say I have encountered just about anything you can imagine while plowing snow. Snow removal operations during the daytime and work commute hours can best be described as sweaty palm adventures.

Not only are we managing twenty-five ton plus vehicles with a snow plow that you could liken to a huge can opener, we also have to watch for other vehicles three hundred sixty degrees around us; residents shoveling snow or retrieving their mail and somehow inviting the challenge of how close can they get; and kids that might be playing on snow mounds near the road. Some of the encounters we have experienced while plowing include snow and snow shovels being thrown at our trucks. Some homeowners have even directed their snow blowers to throw snow directly at our truck windows, and that's no joke! Probably the most difficult procedure is backing up in less than desirable conditions, especially while trying to clean intersections. Visibility is difficult and we just don't know what the traffic is behind us.

Is this the day that your all-wheel drive will overcome the weather and get you there on time? The employees at Concord Service Department work very long hours, experience a great deal of stress yet remain composed and take great pride in accomplishing the task set before them during each snow event.

You should allow for an extended amount of time to commute to your work place, school or other activities. Adjusting your travel plans and keeping well informed of pending weather conditions can save you the aggravation and consequences that may further complicate your day and perhaps that of other motorists.

If you are a new resident to Concord Township, the Service Department only maintains side streets and subdivision within our community. The Ohio Department of Transportation maintains Concord Hambden Road, Painesville Warren Road and Johnnycake Ridge Road. Lake County Road Department is responsible for all connector roads, for example; Crile, Girdled, Ravenna, Prouty, Button, Hermitage, Pinecrest, Williams, Auburn and Morley Roads.

The Service Department bases its preparation and response to winter conditions on advance weather monitoring and data available through multiple resources. Sometimes lake effect events are unpredictable and arrive during off hours. The Lake County Sheriff's Department often alerts the Service Department to

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FIRE DEPARTMENT



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Preventing fires in our homes and businesses is a collaborative effort. Concord Township Fire Department Welcomes Inspectors Doug Rought and Brien Spangenberg as the newest members of Concord's Fire Prevention Team. They are both new to Concord Township but each brings a wealth of firefighting experience to our department.



Doug spent 39 years with the Perry Joint Fire District wearing many different hats. He also served with Painesville Twp Fire and Madison Fire. Doug has firefighting in his genes as his uncle and big brother were volunteer firefighters. Doug sees his role at Concord fire department as "fire prevention, as an inspector, investigator, and public educator. I am also an instructor at Auburn Career Center for all adult fire safety programs: EMT, Firefighting, Fire Safety Inspector, CPR, First Aid, and Stop The Bleed."



Doug Rought



Brien Spangenberg

Brien has been in the fire service for over 23 years, having worked in Madison, Willoughby Hills along with Burton. He too has a long family history in public service, ranging from the military, public safety and political seats. Brien initially attended the police academy, however changed course as he spent more time within the firefighting community with friends and family. Brien's role within the Township is "to ensure the safety of businesses and other occupancies throughout Concord with fire safety inspections and education."

Both Doug and Brien sincerely enjoy helping people, are active with their families and within their communities. When you see them out and about in Concord Township don't hesitate to reach out to them with questions or

concerns. They have a wealth of safety information and are more than willing to partner with Concord Township's commercial business owners and residents to rally behind proven fire safety and prevention initiatives and programs.

PARTNERSHIP WITH US - KEEP YOUR HYDRANT CLEAR

NEO snow accumulations can be fast and furious. Keeping hydrants visible and clear can be a partnership between our residents and the fire department. We have a detailed list of each hydrant's location within the Township. However, finding a hydrant and digging it out if needed takes time – valuable time if your home or business is on fire. Let's work together this winter and keep our community safe!



Along with keeping hydrants clear, having your house numbers visible from the street will allow firefighters to respond faster to your call for assistance. Reflective green address signs are available from Concord Firefighters Local 3329. Order forms are available on the fire education page of the Concord Township website. Cost is \$15.00.



Test your smoke alarms once a month.

A smoke alarm can save your life in a fire. Use the test button to make sure your smoke alarms are working.

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CEMETERY NEWS



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WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA (WAA)

We were honored to participate once again in this year's Wreaths Across America Ceremony on December 14, 2019 in the Concord Cemetery. Thank you to all of our sponsors. Each headstone had a wreath placed because of your generosity. We had many volunteers and ceremony participants. We were grateful to "Play a Part" to Remember, Honor and Teach and to represent the local heroes in our community.

CEMETERY EXPANSION

The cemetery expansion is underway and there will be a lot of activity in the 1965 section as well as the new addition.

FULL BURIAL LOTS

Sales of full burial lots are currently frozen to immediate need only until we complete the expansion in the cemetery. Cremation preplanning is still available to residents. We are still buying back unused and unneeded full burial lots, in some cases; for more money than the original price. Please contact the Cemetery Sexton if you have an interest in selling back full burial lots.

SPRING CLEAN OUT DECORATIONS

Please understand that if you are placing sentimental items on the graves, they may get lost, stolen or damaged; if it's something that's near and dear to your heart, we do not recommend that it be placed in the cemetery.

DECORATION REMOVALS

- Gravesites are to be cleaned of decorations starting April 1st; a sign will be posted on the exit signs two (2) weeks prior to clean up
- Please allow two (2) weeks to be sure removal has been completed before placing new decorations on your gravesite, this will protect your new decorations from being accidentally removed; items in an urn or on a monument will not be removed unless items pertain to a past holiday or they are unkempt; please contact the cemetery office if honoring a loved one seven (7) days prior the removal times listed above
- Placing live and artificial decorations for honoring "loved ones" special dates (birthdays / anniversaries / Mother's-Father's Day / major holidays such as Christmas, Independence Day, Halloween, Memorial Day, etc.) should be removed fourteen (14) days after the date or it will be removed by cemetery staff

APRIL 15TH - OCTOBER 31ST

- One (1) live decoration per occupied gravesite (pot / basket / urn) – April 15th - October 31st
- Any decoration must be placed at the side or front of the headstone, at the head of the grave if no headstone exists and may extend to a maximum of 12" from the monument on the owner's lot(s)
- One (1) steel rod hanger (shepherd's hook) is permitted per monument; hangers shall be placed flush at the side of the monument; all hangers should have a visible decoration on the hook at all times for the safety of those walking by the hanger

PLANTING IN THE CEMETERY

- No planting will be allowed in the 2004 in-ground cremation section; no trees shall be planted in the 2004 section
- All trees and shrubbery, type and location, must be approved by the Cemetery Sexton; in-ground plantings will not be allowed until the monument is placed and it shall not encroach on the neighboring graves
- Concord Township reserves the right to maintain plantings, which may include trimming or removal if deemed necessary by the Cemetery Sexton or Cemetery Superintendent and will not be replaced

HISTORY WANTED

We are currently looking for family history in our 1932 section of the Concord Cemetery and the Stickney Cemetery on Route 86. If you have any information we would love to hear from you.

For more specific details, the Rules and Regulations are available at the entrance of the cemetery, online at <http://concordtwp.com/departments/cemetery/> and in Town Hall. All persons are subject to the rules and regulations.

Please feel free to contact us should you have any questions or concerns.



30th Annual Concord Township PHOTO CONTEST

Enter the contest by February 28
Voting begins March 9 through March 20
Winners announced after March 23



Did you take an exquisite picture you would love to share? Enter your masterpiece in our annual photo contest! Photos will be displayed at the Concord Community Center from March 9th through March 20th for in-person voting, or vote online through Facebook or the website. Categories include:

People – Animals – Nature – Black & White – Humorous – Concord Proud!

The “People’s Choice” award goes to the photo that receives the most overall votes.

TO ENTER, follow contest rules on the application form available at concordtwp.com or at the Community Center and Town Hall. Submit the completed form to: Concord Community Center, 7671 Auburn Road, Concord, Ohio 44077.

TO VOTE, go online to concordtwp.com or on Facebook at *Concord Township, Lake County Ohio* or vote in-person at the Concord Community Center weekdays March 9-20. Stop by the community center March 23-27 to view the winning photos.

— Questions? Contact the Concord Township Recreation Department at 440-639-4650. —

Preserving Our Communities' History & Our Clients' Financial Future

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SERVICE DEPARTMENT *continued from page 3*

changing conditions so that we can respond effectively. Current department strategy calls for crews to plow the streets as needed and treat hills, curves and intersections with de-icers so always be prepared for changing conditions and exercise caution while travelling in adverse conditions. Concord Service department will continue to maintain a sensible salting program. This means of response to frequently changing conditions is less destructive to our infrastructure and local environment.



In order to achieve optimum results during snow removal, we ask residents and their contracted services to not plow or blow snow into the road right of way as it may create a hazard. Dispersing snow to either side your driveway is the appropriate method. Whenever possible remind your snow plow service to be courteous and not place snow onto other people’s property or leave it in the roadway. Ohio revised code 4511.74 clearly states that no person shall place any obstruction in or upon any road without proper authority.

SPRING PREPARATION

In advance of our next construction season, the Service Department has been actively evaluating current road conditions. Part of this process requires completing steps necessary to acquire grant funding to help support major road improvements and achieve long-range goals through competent objectives. In January and February, we will work closely with Lake County

Engineers office to prepare a bid packages for road improvements on Lancaster Court and the Cali Woods subdivision area.

Service Department crews will also plan and schedule a wide range of maintenance and construction repair throughout the community to best address areas in most need where extensive repair may be required.

MAILBOX SNOW BARRICADES

The Concord Service department will provide the labor to install snow barricades for residents living in Concord Township at no charge. The barricade consists of an aluminum board, two steel posts, reflective numbers and hardware. The materials must be purchased from Concord Township at the cost of \$40.00. Barricades absorb the impact of heavy snow being discharged by snowplows. Please keep in mind that this barricade is not a guarantee that your mailbox will not be damaged during the course of the winter season. If you are interested in having the Service Department install a snow barricade, please fill out the application and return it to Concord Town Hall. This will be a one-time installation. There will a \$ 15.00 charge for any reinstallation of barricades.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The service department is a good starting point to assist in your concerns regarding road conditions or other winter related questions. You may call 440-350-3225 during regular business hours Monday through Friday for assistance or email the Service Department at www.concordtwp.com. In the event you experience something that needs attention during off hours, you may contact the Lake County Sheriff’s Department at their non-emergency number 440-350-5531.

REMINDER:
 The deadline for leagues to submit
 Concord Township Sports Field
 Application Forms is **FEBRUARY 1st.**



MaryAnn's
FAMILY HEARING

*1701 Mentor Avenue, Suite 5
 Painesville Twp. OH 44077
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MaryAnn Bencin, M.A. Audiologist
Dr. Sally Rachek, Audiologist—New
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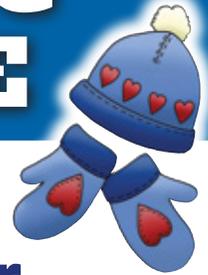
MaryAnn’s Family Hearing

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RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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WINTER / SPRING CLASS SCHEDULE



Classes at the Concord Community Center 7671 Auburn Road, Concord Twp.

Class	Instructor	Days	Dates	Time	Concord Rate	Non - Resident
Martial Arts Junior Program	Ciro Grandini	Tues & Th	Every Tue / Th	6 - 6:45pm	\$70	\$75
Martial Arts Adult Program	Ciro Grandini	Tues & Th	Every Tue / Th	7 - 8:30pm	\$70	\$75
Martial Arts Black Belt Program	Ciro Grandini	Tues & Th	Every Tue / Th	7 - 8:30pm	\$50	\$50
FIRST MONTH OF MARTIAL ARTS PROGRAM IS FREE – NEW STUDENTS ONLY						
POUND!	Katy Michalski	Mon	Jan 20 - Feb 24	6 - 6:45pm	\$35	\$40
POUND!	Katy Michalski	Mon	Mar 9 - Apr 20	6 - 6:45pm	\$35	\$40
(no class Apr 13)						
Beginning Yoga	Colleen Stone	Mon	Jan 13 - Mar 2	5:30 - 6:30pm	\$60	\$65
Beginning Yoga	Colleen Stone	Mon	Mar 16 - May 4	5:30 - 6:30pm	\$60	\$65
Pilates Yoga Fusion	Colleen Stone	Wed	Jan 15 - Mar 11	5:30 - 6:30pm	\$60	\$65
(no class Mar 4)						
Pilates Yoga Fusion	Colleen Stone	Wed	Mar 18 - May 6	5:30 - 6:30pm	\$60	\$65
Tai Chi	Denise Molesch	Wed	Apr 1 - May 6	5:30 - 6:30pm	\$35	\$40
Sit and Stay Fit	Karen Rocco	Thurs	Jan 16 - Feb 20	1 - 1:45pm	\$35	\$40
Sit and Stay Fit	Karen Rocco	Thurs	Feb 27 - Apr 2	1 - 1:45pm	\$35	\$40
Sit and Stay Fit	Karen Rocco	Thurs	Apr 9 - May 14	1 - 1:45pm	\$35	\$40
Move and Groove (Ages 2 - 3)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Jan 15 - Feb 5	5:30 - 6pm	\$38	\$43
Move and Groove (Ages 2 - 3)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Feb 12 - Mar 11	5:30 - 6pm	\$38	\$43
(no class Mar 4)						
Move and Groove (Ages 2 - 3)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Mar 18 - Apr 8	5:30 - 6pm	\$38	\$43
Princess Ballet (Ages 3 - 5)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Jan 15 - Feb 5	6 - 6:30pm	\$38	\$43
Princess Ballet (Ages 3 - 5)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Feb 12 - Mar 11	6 - 6:30pm	\$38	\$43
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Princess Ballet (Ages 3 - 5)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Mar 18 - Apr 8	6 - 6:30pm	\$38	\$43
Hip Hop & Tumble (ages 4 - 6)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Jan 15 - Feb 5	6:30 - 7pm	\$38	\$43
Hip Hop & Tumble (ages 4 - 6)	Stephanie Mazza	Wed	Feb 12 - Mar 11	6:30 - 7pm	\$38	\$43
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Prime Time Health: Make Health Your Hobby	You have an IRA, now start your IRAH (individual retirement account for health)	Monday	Mar 2	11am - 12:30pm	\$30	\$35
Prime Time Health: Live without Pain and Inflammation	Learn the primary causes of inflammation and natural ways to help reduce it.	Monday	Mar 9	11am - 12:30pm	\$30	\$35
Prime Time Health: Make Your Own Medicine	Learn ways to help your body improve simple health conditions.	Monday	Mar 16	11am - 12:30pm	\$30	\$35
Prime Time Health: Move Waste from Your Waist	Learn ways to reduce health harming chemicals produced by excess fat.	Monday	Mar 23	11am - 12:30pm	\$30	\$35
Prime Time Health Series	Take the entire four-part series (as described above).	Mondays	Mar 2 - Mar 23	11am - 12:30pm	\$100	\$105
L.E.A.N. Start Series For families!	Learn how to be LEAN = Lifestyle, Exercise, Attitude and Nutrition and create a healthier lifestyle for your family!	Mondays	Mar 2 - Mar 16	6-8pm	\$80	\$85
Kids, Canvas & Fun: Valentine's Masterpiece	Heidi Toot	Tues	Feb 4	6:30 - 8pm	\$30	\$35
Kids, Canvas & Fun: St. Patrick's Day Masterpiece	Heidi Toot	Tues	Mar 10	6:30 - 8pm	\$30	\$35
Kids, Canvas & Fun: Spring Masterpiece	Heidi Toot	Tues	Apr 7	6:30 - 8pm	\$30	\$35
AARP Driver Safety Program	Carla Kramer	Thurs	Mar 12	10am - 2pm	\$15	\$20
Retirement - Are You Ready?	Bob Patterson	Tues	Jan 14	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
Retirement - Are You Ready?	Bob Patterson	Tues	Feb 11	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
Retirement - Are You Ready?	Bob Patterson	Tues	Mar 10	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
Retirement - Are You Ready?	Bob Patterson	Tues	Apr 14	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
Retirement - Are You Ready?	<i>Prices for above dates are for individuals. Couples pay \$15 Resident / \$20 Non-Resident</i>					
Stained Glass Heart Sun - Catcher	Vicki Vesel	Tues	Jan 14 - Jan 28	6:30 - 9pm	\$75	\$80
Stained Glass Photo Frame	Vicki Vesel	Tues	Feb 11 - Mar 17 (no class Mar 10)	6:30 - 9pm	\$75	\$80
Photography from A to Z	Jim Sedlecek	Thurs	Jan 21 - Feb 11	7 - 9pm	\$70	\$75
Photoshop Elements	Jim Sedlecek	Thurs	Jan 23 - Feb 13	7 - 9pm	\$70	\$75
Learning Lightroom	Jim Sedlecek	Wed	Jan 29 - Feb 19	7 - 9pm	\$70	\$75
Windows 10 for Adults	Jim Sedlecek	Tues	Jan 21 - Feb 4	1 - 3pm	\$50	\$55
Getting Started with Medicare	Laura Mutsko	Wed	Jan 15	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
Getting Started with Medicare	Laura Mutsko	Wed	Mar 18	6:30 - 8:30pm	\$10	\$15
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Mixed Media Art	Sandy Patterson	Tues	Feb 4 - Mar 24	9:30 - 11pm	\$55	\$60
American Mah Jongg	Laura Goodban	Thurs	Apr 2 - May 7	1 - 3pm	\$30 \$9 Material Fee	\$35



Library Tuesdays

ALL LIBRARY TUESDAY PROGRAMS LISTED HERE ARE HELD AT THE CONCORD COMMUNITY CENTER BUT HOSTED BY LIBRARY STAFF.

MORLEY LIBRARY

Class	Instructor	Days	Dates	Time	Concord Rate	Non-Resident
Lava Bead Bracelets 101	Mentor Library	Tues	Feb 4	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Reader's Café w / refreshments	Mentor Library	Tues	Feb 11	10-11:30am	Free	Free
History Lecture - Battle of Midway	Mentor Library	Tues	Feb 18	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Musical Bingo	Mentor Library	Tues	Feb 25	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Milliner Makings	Morley Library	Tues	Mar 17	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Bubble Painting	Morley Library	Tues	Mar 24	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Crafting with Cailey: T-shirt Totes	Mentor Library	Tues	Apr 7	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Craft & Talk: Macrame Key Chain	Mentor Library	Tues	Apr 14	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Getting to Know Your Instant Pot	Mentor Library	Tues	Apr 21	10-11:30am	Free	Free
Armchair Tour of National Parks	Mentor Library	Tues	Apr 28	10-11:30am	Free	Free

Classes at the Old Stone School

7125 Ravenna Road, Concord Twp.

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Life Skills for Teens: Basic Employment and Workplace Skills	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Jan 28 & 30	7-8:30pm	\$70	\$75
Life Skills for Teens: Basic Money Sills	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Feb 4 & 6	7-8:30pm	\$70	\$75
Life Skills for Teens: Basic Interpersonal Skills	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Feb 11 & 13	7-8:30pm	\$70	\$75

WINTER / SPRING 2020 CLASS SCHEDULE

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Life Skills for Teens: Basic Personal Care	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Feb 18 & 20	7-8:30pm	\$70	\$75
Life Skills for Teens: Basic Home Skills (Living on your own)	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Feb 25 & 27	7-8:30pm	\$70	\$75
Life Skills for Teens: All Five Sessions	Steve Leskovec, MSN, RN	Tues / Th	Jan 28-Feb 27	7-8:30pm	\$300	\$310
Winter Hike & Brown Bag Lunch	Dan Maxson	Tues	Feb 18	Noon-1:30pm	Free	Free
Easter Egg Scavenger Hunt	Dan Maxson	Fri	Apr 10	10-11:30pm	\$5	\$10
Mosaic Flower Pot	Marie Kozan	Thurs	Apr 16	6:30-8:30pm	\$25	\$30
Driftwood Centerpiece	Marie Kozan	Thurs	May 7	6:30-8pm	\$20	\$25
Old Stone School Open House	Dan Maxson	Mon	May 25	3:30-5pm	Free	Free
Private Tours of the Old Stone School	Dan Maxson	Varies	Varies	Varies	Free	Free

55+ SENIOR SOCIALS at the Concord Community Center 7671 Auburn Road, Concord Twp.

Program	Presenter	Description	Dates	Time	Cost
Soup & Crackers	Comedian Mike Gersh	Soup and Comedians	Jan 15	1pm	Free
BINGO!	Recreation Staff	Sponsored by United Healthcare; light lunch afterwards	Jan 22	11am	Free
Valentine's Antique Roadshow	Bill Smiley of Valentine Auctions	Bring your family treasures and learn its value!	Feb 5	1pm	Free
Funny Presidential Trivia	Susan Cannavino	Laugh and be amazed at some very interesting facts!	Feb 19	1pm	Free
BINGO!	Recreation Staff	Sponsored by Mapleview Country Villas; light lunch afterwards	Feb 26	11am	Free
A Stroll Down Broadway	Willoughby Fine Arts	Meet at the Community Center at 12:30pm for transportation via Laketran for 1pm performance	Mar 4	12:30pm	\$12
India in Pictures	Jim Sedlacek	Take an armchair tour of India!	Mar 18	1pm	Free

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BINGO!	Recreation Staff	Sponsored by Brookdale Home Health; light lunch afterwards	Mar 25	11am	Free
Windchimes Workshop	Jane Gainard	All materials are supplied – just bring yourself!	Apr 1	1pm	Free
Life of a Trapper	Lake Metroparks	Meet at the Community Center at 1pm for transportation via Laketrans to Penitentiary Glen for 1:30pm lecture	Apr 15	1pm	Free
BINGO!	Recreation Staff	Sponsored by Heartland of Mentor; light lunch afterwards	Apr 22	11am	Free

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CONFIRMATIONS

If you register online or provide an email, a confirmation email will be sent to you following your registration, otherwise no confirmation will be sent.

INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

During inclement weather, please call the Concord Community Center at 440-639-4650 to check if classes have been cancelled.

COURSE REFUNDS

Please choose your classes carefully. Refunds are made only if we cancel the class or if you notify the Concord Township Recreation Department twenty-four (24) hours prior to the start of class that you are cancelling. For multiple classes, please contact the Recreation Department at 440-639-4650. A full refund will be issued to enrollees if we cancel a class. All refunds are provided in the form of a check, regardless of how the original payment was made. If payment was made by check for one class, we may return your original check. If payment was made by check for multiple classes, please contact the Department for refund options. For classes with multiple sessions, no refunds will be made after the first class is held.

CANCELLATIONS

If a class is cancelled by the Concord Twp. Recreation Dept., you will be notified by phone. We welcome you to transfer to another class or receive a full refund. It takes two to three weeks to process refund checks. All refunds will be in the form of a check regardless of how payment was made. A class may be cancelled or combined due to low enrollment. Missed classes are not refundable.

PHOTO POLICY

The Recreation Department, on occasion, may take photographs of participants in programs or events. These photos may be used in publications, brochures, flyers or video productions. If you attend an event and do not want your image published, please contact the Concord Township Recreation Department at 440-639-4650.

PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

We encourage people with disabilities to participate in our programs. Please notify the Recreation Dept. if special arrangements need to be made in order to participate.

CONCORD RESIDENTS

Concord Twp. residents receive priority in registration. Residency is determined by street address including zip code.

RETURNED CHECKS

There will be a \$35 fee for a returned check.

By registering for a class, you agree to the release and waiver of liability, refund, privacy and photo policies of Concord Township, found at <http://www.concordtwp.com/community/activities/classes-camps/>

Concord Garden Club Celebrated 58 Years



Last year we celebrated fifty-eight years of gardening in Concord Township. From humble beginnings in the meeting room at the fire station to the comfortable and spacious quarters in the Concord Township Community Center, we continue to meet once a month for a business meeting to review accomplishments and plan ahead for various community beautification projects; all the while welcoming new members along the way. We are very proud of the way our florals speak to the community from both

township cemeteries, the town hall; and especially the replicated gardens at the Old Stone Schoolhouse a.k.a. Concord's History Center.

Of special interest this spring is our upcoming Plant Sale to be held at the Hope Ridge United Methodist Church on Saturday, May 9, from 9:00 until 11:00 a.m. Also, available at this annual sale will be home baked goods. We welcome our friends from the community to make selections from our home grown and regional plants. The monies we earn from this sale are our only fundraiser and are reinvested in our community.



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