

SPRING / SUMMER 2016

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The Williamsburg Township Salute to Leaders award for 2016 goes to Ken Wylie. Mr Wylie, graduated from Hammersville High School in 1970. He then started a career with Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company/Duke Energy from 1972 through 2007. Being one of the last few to be drafted, he took a short break from August 1972 through July 1974 to serve his country, in the Army, spending 19 months in Italy. Ken and his wife Becky, of 43 years, have 4 beautiful daughters, all graduates of Williamsburg High School. They also have 6 wonderful grandchildren.

When asked why he became involved in emergency services, he jokes that with a house full of women, he had to go to the firehouse to find some males to hang out with. The real reason he

serves is because his father taught him that we should always be willing to serve the community, our neighbors, and that he did! Ken's father was the most influential person in his life. Ken is proud to tell anyone that, "My father showed us how to live an exceptional life, living by the two greatest commandments; Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind, and to love your neighbor as yourself."

Mr. Wylie joined the Williamsburg Township Emergency Services in July of 1984 and served as the Chief of Williamsburg Emergency Services from 2010-2014. During that time he served Central Joint Fire & EMS for approximately 9 years and New Richmond Fire Department for approximately 7 years, as well. He also holds certifications from EMT-Basic to

Paramedic and Fire Fighter II.

It is obvious that he acted on his father's advice, not only serving a thankful nation, he served his community for a life time. Even after stepping down as the Chief of Williamsburg Township Emergency Services, he continues to volunteer, working weekends and holidays to make sure the community is well protected.

Mr. Ken Wylie, is a true servant, for stepping forward and sacrificing time from his Family to protect ours! Job well done!

Respectfully,

Guy Bainum Bari Henning

Gary Jordan

Williamsburg Township Trustees



News from your Emergency Services



Williamsburg Township Emergency Services would like to thank Dr. Khan for his service as Medical Director for the past 5 years and we would like to welcome Dr. Charlton as our new Medical Director. The Medical Director is instrumental in the departments EMS procedures and patient care. The department looks forward to this new partnership with Dr. Charlton.

The department would like to congratulate the following members on their hard work and dedication in furthering their education.

--Chris Wright has earned his Basic EMT certification.

--Joe Martin has earned his Advanced EMT certification.

If you are wanting to burn brush or debris Williamsburg Township does have open burn rules that need to be followed. If you have any questions on open burns please contact the Fire Department @ 513-724-7744.

I would like to thank the members and the community for their continued support.

I would also like to congratulate all of the graduating seniors, Best of Luck, Class of 2016!

Wishing everyone a safe and wonderful spring/summer!

Kevin Wiedemann
Fire Chief

Williamsburg Township Zoning Office

Article 3 Section 302 Zoning Certificates Required

A zoning certificate shall be required as set forth in 1 and 2 below, with application for the zoning certificate completed by the applicant on forms provided-by the Zoning Administrator.

Zoning Certificates shall be issued only in conformity with the provisions of this Resolution unless the Zoning Administrator receives a written order from the Board of Zoning Appeals deciding an appeal, conditional use, or variance.

1. For the construction and/or alteration of any permanent and/or temporary building, dwelling, or other structure in excess of 27 cubic feet. (equals to a 3'X3'X3' structure, about the size of normal dog house)
2. To establish or change the use of any land, building, dwelling or other structure.

To apply for a zoning certificate from Williamsburg Township you may find the information at:

www.williamsburgtownship.org or call 513-724-5529.

Williamsburg Township Road and Cemetery

Winter 2015 to 2016 the Township used between 75 and 100 tons of salt. We normally use between 125 and 150 tons of salt in a winter. We have also started to ditch Musgrove Road, Bass Road and then Hennings Mill Road. After Memorial Day we will be mowing all township roads. Please use caution when passing any equipment working on the roads.

Junk days are scheduled for June 9 and 10 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday June 11 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. **NO TIRES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ANY TIME.** We also do not accept anything with refrigerant in it and any type of liquid. If you have paint it has to be dried out. If your paint is in liquid form, remove the lid and let it dry out. Then you can dispose of it in your regular trash or you can bring it up for junk days.

NO TIRES ARE ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT TO JUNK DAYS FOR DISPOSAL.

Its spring time and the grass is growing. Remember any decoration placed on the grass will be removed and discarded except for Memorial Day and 5 business days after. If you need to purchase graves they are \$350 for a township resident and 800 for a non resident. Please call 513-724-1110 to make an appointment.

Harmony Hill



1878

FOSTER'S

1971

Foster's Dept. Store was founded in 1878 by T.G., Foster and Millard McNutt. Some years later, T.G. Foster bought McNutt's share of the store and went on to operate it successively himself. T.G. Foster was one of the early business pioneers in Williamsburg, being among those who started the Williamsburg Furniture Co. and The Farmers & Merchants Bank, and was quite active in the responsibilities of the building of the present First Presbyterian Church. He was also the mayor of Williamsburg at one time. He was married to the former Jennie Lytle, who was a descent of Gen. Wm. Lytle. They had six children, and one of the sons, John, bought the store from his father in 1917. After graduating from Williamsburg High School in 1950 his son Dick managed the store until it closed in the late (70's).

Today the store is owned by Tim and Amy Woods. Wrinkles antique's occupy the store in 2016.

HISTORY NOTES above are courtesy of the HARMONY HILL ASSOCIATION, INC.

MEMBERSHIP IN THE HARMONY HILL ASSOCIATION ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE. TO JOIN, SIMPLY FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION AND SEND TO: Harmony Hill Association, Inc., % Beth Barth, 3905 Elston Hockstock Rd., Batavia, Ohio 45103. We will send you a receipt for tax purposes. Checks should be made payable to Harmony Hill Association, Inc.

Check one:

☐ Lifetime Family Membership - \$100
 ☐ Annual Family Membership - \$24
 ☐ Annual Single Adult - \$12
☐ Annual Student (K-12) - \$3
 Corporate memberships or donations from individuals are also gladly accepted!

Name(s) _____ Phone _____

Street Address _____ Email _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____ Membership _____ Donation _____

Annual memberships are effective from January 1 – December 31.

Visit the Harmony Hill Museum and Clermont County Historical Society Museum the first Saturday of each month from 1 P.M. to 4 P.M. at 299 South Third Street, Williamsburg.

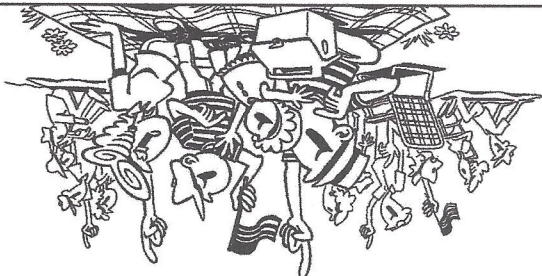
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www.williamsburgohio.org



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June 3rd-4th-5th, 2016

*June in Olde
Williamsburg*
The Old High School Grounds
in Williamsburg, Ohio
(513) 724-6107



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Dates
June 9th, 10th & 11th

**Williamsburg Township
Junk Days
Spring Clean-up**