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Community Happenings

Thanks to all who participated in the annual PRF Garage Sale. Thirty-two families participated in this year's garage sale, which is a good response. I hope it was successful to all who participated. People have asked, 'Where does the entrance fee go?' Basically, it goes to advertising costs—the Cincinnati Enquirer, Cincinnati.com, garage sale signs for the entrance and intersections in and around the Farms, flyers and printing costs for maps of garage sale locations. Flyers were posted at 1st Wok, Kroger, Subway, Midwest Cleaners, Skyline and March. Maps of the Farms with directions and descriptions of items were distributed at the pool.

Announcing the First Annual PRF Skirt Game!



This 4th of July, our men are declaring independence from...pants! Come join them as they play a good old game of old-fashioned softball in skirts! The game will take place at Clifford George immediately after the parade. All men 18 years and older who live in the Farms are invited to play. Everyone who lives in the Farms can come watch! For more information, contact Fred Hunt at 851-1902 or thehunts@fuse.net or Mike Purvis at 851-2871 or craftycp@yahoo.com.

Spotlight on your Carrier



This month...**Rebecca Hunt**.

Rebecca is the daughter of Fred and Lisa Hunt. Rebecca has just completed her Freshman year at Northwest High School. She is involved with the Student Senate, Tennis Team and does Tap and Jazz Dance. She has been a memo carrier for over 4 years. Rebecca covers Route 11 which covers Hazelhurst, Havilland and Hazelgrove between Forester and Hartwood. So if you see Rebecca delivering Memos, say hi. You can also support her as she performs in "Anything Goes" in July.

Calling All Paraders!!!

Don't forget the annual 4th of July Parade through the Farms! Our theme this year is "Honoring Our Heroes." The parade will start at John Wesley and end at Clifford George fields, where you can enjoy the Skirt Softball Game! We need Scout troops, street floats, family floats, best dressed pets, bikes, and anyone else who wants to take part. Prizes will be awarded for the best in each category—those who are most patriotic and best embody this year's theme. We need you! Please contact Jennifer Higgins at 825-3868 if you would like to participate or help out. The parade starts at 10 AM, we will begin lining up and judging at 9:00. See you there!!



Your New Board Members

We would like to welcome Dale Grigsby and Randy Scheib to the Civic Association Board. They are filling the roles of President and Vice President, respectively. Dale and Randy have some great ideas for improving the look and feel of our neighborhood. Look for more information in future Memos. Many thanks to these two gentlemen for stepping up and becoming involved! Are you next??



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**Memo Deadline for
Advertisements and Articles
Tuesday, June 24, 2008**

The next Memo Delivery will occur on the weekend of July 5, 2008. If you would like to **place an ad in** or **contribute to** the Memo, please contact Krista Hepp at 851-3644 or jhepp@cinci.rr.com. If you have any problems with **receiving** your Memo, please contact Susan Schieb at 931-3508.

The Memo and the PRF Civic Association reserve the right to refuse any content. Letters to the editor will be published only with the authors name. Any comments, suggestions, or new contributors are welcome.

**Pleasant Run
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Same Day Service-

In by 10:00 Out by 4:00

Shirt Laundry

FREE Minor Repairs

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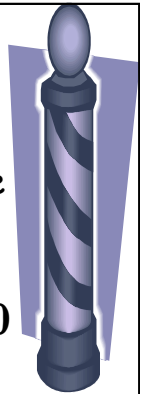
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Woodfox Center in Fairfield at Old Winton & Mack

PRFCA Membership Applications are available on the website listed below or by calling our Membership Chairperson listed above. Dues are \$30 a year.

Check out the website below for additional news and community information.

www.pleasantrunfarms.org

Be a Blessing for Life

There are many ways to count your blessings, perhaps the best way is to look for blessings in the very people around us.

Recently a fellow employee asks me why I smile all the time at work. She said I always brighten a room when I come in. Besides being a bit embarrassed, I told her I chose to be a blessing to people around me. I get paid just the same to be a blessing or a burden to others. Obviously that employee has not seen me having a bad day which we all have from time to time.

You may have heard it said that happiness is a choice, well so is being a blessing a choice.

So what is a Blessing? I believe "all that is good" comes from our Father in heaven and that He blesses us DAILY. Sometimes blessings are huge and easy to spot and sometimes they are so small we may be too busy to even notice them. Thankfully, whether we recognize those blessings or not they are there to protect us, teach us, encourage us, and help us grow to be the people we are supposed to be. And most often, He blesses us through other people, whether they are ever aware of it or not! This means...You Are a BLESSING to Someone!!!

1. What ways can you be a blessing to your family? Find something this month to praise every member of your family with.
2. What ways can you be a blessing to your neighbors? If they are going on vacation volunteer to take out their trash or pick up their mail.
3. What ways can you be a blessing to your friends? Invite them over for a cook out to celebrate their friendship.
4. What ways can you be a blessing to your employer? Find something that you can do beyond expectation and do it without recognition or money.
5. What ways can you be a blessing to your community? Step up to the plate and provide leadership and assistance in our community activities.
6. What ways can you be a blessing to your city? Volunteer at any non-profit agency.
7. What ways can you be a blessing to your country? VOTE! Make sure your voice is heard.

REMEMBER YOU ARE A BLESSING!

Rick Anderson - 312-6523

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santon@sibycline.com



Young People Lookin' For Work

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Need a hand from a young member of our neighborhood? The following people want you to know they are ready and willing to help. The Memo publishes these names and numbers for your convenience and offers no referrals or endorsements.

Babysitting:

Nicki Gustafson, Red Cross certified, age 15, 851-4209
Nicole Ntumba, Red Cross certified, age 14, 742-5302
Megan Reed, age 12, 825-2140
Alison Ulanski, Red Cross certified, age 16, 825-8558
Kearia Whiting, age 13, 851-5868
Emily DeBildt, Red Cross certified, age 17, 674-0703
Julie McKendry, Red Cross Certified, 13, 742-3087
Samantha Eddy, 12, 742-1961
Annie Kitchen, age 12, 851-9166

Sammie Gustafson, Red Cross certified, age 18, 851-4209
Katie Reed, age 14, 825-2140
Amber Schmidt, Red Cross certified, age 17, 742-4832
Sharde Dunn, age 16, 851-3061
Heather Lewellyn, Red Cross Certified, 15, 825-6460
Sarah Sterner, Safe Sitter certified, age 18, 742-4202
Becca Dean, Red Cross certified, age 12, 674-9455
Jessica Finnen, Red Cross certified, age 12, 825-3565

Amber Schmidt, SPCA trained, age 17, 742-4832
Sharde Dunn, age 16, 851-3061
Josh Hamester, 15, 825-5812
Jeremy Purvis, age 16, 851-2871

Animal Care:

Tanner Agin, age 14, 851-2627
Cleavon Clemons, age 14, 851-3061
Becca Dean, age 12, 674-9455
Bradley DeBildt, 13, 674-0703

Chris Murrell, age 15, 674-1318
Rakem Cobbins age 12 825-2082
Josh Hamester, 15, 825-5812

Lawn Care:

Rashad Cobbins age 12 825-2082
Cleavon Clemons, age 14, 851-3061
Jeremy Purvis, age 16, 851-2871

Housekeeping:

Cleavon Clemons, age 14, 851-3061

Household Chores/Odd Jobs

Chris Murrell, age 15, 674-1318

The Memo runs this list free of charge each month. Categories are not limited to only those listed above. If you would like to be added to this list **email Krista Hepp** at jhepp@cinci.rr.com.

John Wesley News for the Community

June 23-27 Vacation Bible School (pre-school starting at age 3 through grade 5) FREE 6:30-9:00 p.m.
Register now to avoid the long registration line on the first day of VBS. For the first time the program will begin in the addition in the back. (Wesley Hall)


July 26 from 4-8 p.m. Carnival, pig roast dinners, baking and cornhole contests. Enjoy the FREE entertainment in air conditioned Wesley Hall.

Taking Off Pounds Sensibly meets Saturdays www.tops.org

Mark Putnam officially starts as pastor of JWUMC on July 1. It was difficult to say farewell to the Kreps family but we can't wait to get to know the Putnams. Please help us welcome them to the Pleasant Run Farms community.

Weekday afternoon "Community Open Gym" for youth starts in July. Check the July *Memo* for details.

Call the church office at 825-0733 for details on all these exciting events..



John Wesley United Methodist Church
1927 West Kemper Road, Cincinnati, OH 45240
Phone: (513) 825-0733 WEB: www.jwumcnet

You are invited to worship with us:
9:00 or 10:15 (Traditional)
11:30 (Contemporary)

Reaching the individual, touching the community,
and serving the world.

ITEMS & SERVICES:

Cabinet Making: Furniture repair & refinishing. 825-4208

Sharpening Service: Chain saws, scissors, knives, hedge trimmers (electric & manual), mower blades, etc. Phone 825-4208.

Daycare: Experienced Childcare in my Christian Home. Excellent References! Pre-School activities. Lots of T.L.C. Any age welcome! Call at 513-825-4508

Professional Housecleaning: Weekly, bi-weekly, monthly, special projects. Thirty years experience, PRF resident for 37 years. Dependable, honest, thorough. 825-2557 (home) or 607-6059 (cell).

WANTED: EXPERIENCED SITTER for 1 and 3 yr old 1-2 days/week. Must be honest & reliable. Call LaVenja at 674-7361.

As I finish my last bit of paperwork to turn over the checkbook and keys for Athletics, I just wanted to say THANK YOU to some very special people who do and have done an unbelievable amount of work to make sure our children can play sports here at home.

-THANK YOU to all of you children who want to play sports here with PRF...

-THANK YOU to all of you parents who step up to register your children, bring them on time to practice, games and picture nights, and cheer for them in the heat, in the rain, in the cold, when you don't feel good, when you have 20 other places to be...

-THANK YOU to all of you parents who take that extra step up to serve as coaches, assistant coaches, bench moms, coaches' wives or husbands who get to carpool all of the other children...

-THANK YOU to all of you parents who take one more step up to serve as commissioners of a sport (or two), cut the grass, schedule the games, or coordinate the concession stand, uniforms, or facilities, so that the coaches can coach, the parents can cheer and the children can play...

I wish I could list you all by name, but we haven't the room! But, just know that you ARE ALL APPRECIATED, even when it doesn't feel like it. I THANK YOU.

Michelle Sager

2008 Athletic Board

Athletic Director *OPEN POSITION*	Treasurer Chris Rowland	Grass Cutting Stan Juergens
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Pool News

Memberships still available for the PRF Swim club

Summer is finally here! It is going to get hot and the pool is a great way to cool off. We have swim lessons and a swim team. Swim team begins June 2nd. Registration for swim lessons is now in progress. Don't forget to check the info board under the shelter for upcoming events.

Swim lessons at the PRF Swim Club

Swim lesson registration is now in progress.

Learn-to-Swim Red Cross Learn-to-Swim features six levels of instruction to help swimmers of all ages and abilities develop their skills.

Level 1 – Introduction to Water Skills

Level 2 – Fundamental Aquatic Skills

Level 3 – Stroke Development

Level 4 – Stroke Improvement

Level 5 – Stroke Refinement

Level 6 – Swimming and Skill Proficiency

There are 5 classes in a session and are 45 minutes long. Sessions run Monday through Friday from 11:15am to 12:00pm.

Call or stop by the snack bar at the pool to register. Cost is \$30.00 for PRF Civic Association members and \$45.00 for Non-members. 513.851.7109 Pleasant Run Farms Swim Club

CORN HOLE LEAGUE

League play begins at 6:30pm on Sunday, June 8th at the PRF Swim Club. Register at the Swim Club or call 513.851.7109. Each team must consist of one male and one female. Sessions are 5 weeks long. Prizes are awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Cost is \$30 for PRF Civic Association Members and \$40 for non-members. All skill levels welcome. Come and join the fun.

Do you feel like you are missing out on all the fun? You are if you don't check out all the cool things happening at the Swim Club. Upcoming Events include: Community Meet and Greet, Friday Night Float and Flick night, Corn Hole league play, pool parties and much more. Join the Swim Club and join in on the fun!

THE NEW EPHESUS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO COME AND GROW WITH US

New Ephesus Christian Fellowship is a Bible based Non-Denominational Christian fellowship. Our mission in God is to extend His love to those who are hurting spiritually or just plain seeking an atmosphere where they can systematically learn the truth of God's Word, while drawing nearer to Him through His Son Jesus Christ.

Come and join us for Sunday Morning Worship Services and Sunday School in the Welch Elementary School Cafeteria located at 12084 Deerhorn Dr.
(Parking in the front of the school)

COME WORSHIP GOD WITH US!



Min. James S. Johnson
Sis. Nichole M. Johnson

If you have any questions, you can contact us at

New Ephesus Christian Fellowship Inc.

1561 Forester Dr.

Cincinnati, OH 45240

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Sunday School

9:30 am till 10:25 am

Sunday Morning Worship

10:30 am till 11:30 am