A Message from Your Editor

By Marty Matunas

**MPCA President Change**

On February 25, the MPCA sadly accepted President Jenna McDevitt’s resignation. Jenna had served as secretary in 1998 and as president from 1999 to present. We thank her for willingly giving her time and abilities to the village. Our best to you, Jenna — you will be missed!

**Lynn Eisentrout** was appointed to complete Jenna’s term. Having served as president from 1989 to 1992, we are sure Lynn has a sense of deja vu. Some things have changed, and some have not ... we are still in need of volunteers for activities and chairpeople for committees.

I urge you to contact **Lynn Eisentrout, 891-0895**, if you are willing to volunteer in any capacity.

**Three Residents Honored**

At its annual banquet, the Northland Community Council honored three MP residents for their community service.

**Rolla Wagner**, MPCA Vice President, was the recipient of the NCC President’s Award, in appreciation of [his] service as treasurer and helping with the landscaping and beautification project on Route 161 and to help make Northland the best place to live in the City of Columbus.”

**Marilyn Herboltzheimer**, MPCA Membership & Dues Chairperson, retired as an Accounting Supervisor for the government after 37½ years of service. She has lived in the village since 1958 and, for the past 3 years, has managed the Membership Drive, increasing revenue each year.

**Sharon Bierman**, responsible for the annual Resident Directory and for layout, design, and advertising for the *Villager*, moved into the village in 1994 and stepped forward in 1997 to volunteer for these two important publications. She also posts the monthly *Villager* to her website for downloading by village residents.

These two ladies received citations from the Ohio State Senate and House of Representatives, and from the Columbus City Council, for their “dedication and unfailing commitment of public service.”

When you see these good neighbors around town, thank them for their service to our community!

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**This newsletter brought to you by** ...

You’ll note that we have more advertisers in this issue than usual. These commercial neighbors support the village in several ways, and we ask that you do the same for them.

Visit the **Farmer’s Market** at the old Iron Pony location. Learn special cakes & candy creation at **Cake Craft**. Refer a new resident to realtors **Bonnie Limes, McCorkle Realty, and Reiner Realty** ... get your prom & formal wear and wedding gowns at **Angie’s Tailoring** ... get your prom & formal wear and wedding gowns at **Angie’s Tailoring** ... order your flowers at **Reno’s**. Get home repairs at **Kresge Contracting**, **Able Roof**, and **Rosati Windows**.

Groom your hairstyle at **Emil’s Barber Shop & Camille’s Beauty Salon**, your dog at **Good Dog Grooming**, and your property at **Mulch & Topsoil Direct**. Stay in touch with a phone or pager from **Pagelink**, and rent equipment from **Shoemaker’s**.

Order soup & sandwich or a gift basket from the **Barada Cafe** and enjoy pizza from **Angela’s**, **Donato’s**, and **Dirko’s**.

Tell them you saw their ad in the Minerva Park newsletter!

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**APRIL DATES**

9 (8:00p) .......... Council Meeting
11 (7:30p) .......... MPCA Meeting
18 (5:00p) .......... Villager Deadline
21 (8:00a) .......... Lake Clean-Up
Editorial Policy

The Villager’s Editorial Policy was recently updated - its first revision since 1992! It is reprinted here for your information ...

PURPOSE
The Villager is the official monthly publication of the Minerva Park Community Association (MPCA) to keep residents informed of the activities of the MPCA, village government, and other entities officially recognized by the MPCA.

EDITORIAL/PUBLICATION POLICIES
1. The MPCA has established the following priorities, in order, for inclusion in the Villager, based on available space:
   - Paid advertisements
   - MPCA-related news items and announcements
   - Minerva Park government items, such as village council minutes
   - Police reports
   - Squad reports
   - Free classified ads (provided to village residents only)
   - Columns and news by village residents
   - Columns and news by non-village residents

2. A masthead will be printed in the same place each issue, containing the following information:
   - Staff name(s), phone, and address for submitting news items.
   - Advertising information and policies.
   - The following statement: “The Villager reserves the right to refuse publication of any item submitted. All items presented for publication must include the contributor’s signature and phone number.”

3. The Villager staff will obtain prior approval to incur additional unbudgeted costs, such as increasing the number of pages. Approval may be obtained from the MPCA president on a case-by-case basis, with more extensive or prolonged increases requiring full MPCA board approval.

4. The Villager staff is bound by the above policies, placed in effect by the MPCA. Any questionable item(s) submitted for publication shall be referred by the Villager staff to the MPCA Board for consideration at its next regularly scheduled meeting. Readers who wish to discuss concerns about content should contact the editor or, if additional resolution is needed, the MPCA President.

MPCA News

Spring Calendar
Landscape Areas Clean-Up
April 7 & 28 - 9:00a
Lake Clean-Up (see page 5)
April 21 - 8:00a

If you can help on one or more of these dates, please meet at the Community Building. If you can help at other times, call Bob Gale at 882-8622 (e-mail at bgale@columbus.rr.com) and make arrangements to help!

Landscaping Plan
Bob Gale has been meeting with Oakland Nursery to develop a landscaping plan with the funds bequeathed by MinervaFlora writer, Mary Yost. Four sites are under consideration. The Village Council has agreed to pay the $500 for the cost of the plan, which will be reviewed by the MPCA and submitted to Council for approval.

MPCA Scholarships

The MPCA annually offers two $250 scholarships to eligible high school seniors who are graduating in the spring. The scholarship process entails filling out a 1-page application and writing a short 1- to 2-page essay. The deadline is May 1, and the scholarships will be awarded in June. For information or to receive an application, please contact Marie Takacs at 891-2532.
At Monday’s Council meeting, all members were present, except one lone golfer in Florida.

We have renewed the agreement with Blendon Township to provide emergency services. The township will donate $6,000 to be used for operating expenses and vehicle maintenance.

The Planning & Zoning Commission met on March 1 and considered 2 applications for business signs – for a Farmer’s Market (a new business on Westerville Rd., at the old Iron Pony location) and for a chiropractor’s office on Cleveland Ave. Let’s welcome these new businesses to our neighborhood.

We hope to complete our pot hole program in the next few weeks. We are constrained by the dates when the hot patch producers can start manufacturing the patching material.

We hope to have the street gutter-cleaning program in place soon, which should help to keep our storm drains from clogging. For those of you with storm drains at your properties, please be MP neighbor-friendly and help keep them unlogged for all of us!

Council approved the sewer-cleaning program and contracted with Four Seasons Environmental Company to clean the sewers throughout the village. The work will be done in four phases over a 4-year period. The lines will be videotaped to determine the condition of the pipe and the effectiveness of the cleaning. Large grease deposits downstream in the line, from Hawthorne School, caused the most recent clog. We will try to determine if the school has a grease trap at their cafeteria. If not, we will try to get them to install one. We estimate the cost of the cleaning will be about $6,000!

We are still working on getting LEADS equipment, so our police officers can obtain necessary information in a timely fashion. Some funds may be available from a federal grant program.

I read somewhere that middle age is the time of life when work begins to be a lot less fun and fun begins to be a lot more work.
Every county in Ohio has coyotes! Where the grey wolves used to pounce on mice and chase rabbits and howl at the dark moon, now his cousin the coyote does. If you’d like the rare chance of seeing one, go to Blendon Woods Metro Park or almost any of the Metro parks.

These canine cousins are larger than foxes and are usually 35 to 60 pounds - about the size of a small German Shepherd. They are often reddish brown with some black to dark grey. You may think you’re seeing a dog, until you notice the long ears for hearing mice 4” below the ground, or the long bushy tail tucked low between the hind legs.

One early spring morning when I was strolling along the Minerva Lake Golf Course, I saw a red fox. I later consulted my field guide, only to learn that the animal was really a coyote ... with its long bushy tail tucked low between the legs. A few months later, I saw a darker, grayer version, at the edge of the golf course woods near the pond.

Do not fear for your safety - they are very elusive and bolt at the site of humans most of the time. As I lead hikes through Blendon Woods where I am a naturalist, I say to never feed or approach a wild animal - especially an injured one.

Keep your binoculars handy so, the next time you think you are seeing a dog pouncing on rodents near a wood’s edge, you can look for the low, tucked, bushy tail and can maybe see your first urban coyote. To learn more about coyotes, visit the Internet at ...

http://www.britannica.com

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**Northland Community Council Accomplishments**

As a member of the NCC, we are proud of its accomplishments over the past two years. With the announcement that Lazarus and JC Penney are closing at Northland Mall, the NCC is more important than ever to the residents of Minerva Park ...

1. Helped create the Morse Road Design Study, finalized & received City Council approval, and began its implementation.
2. Helped create a quality development limitation text in the proposed zoning ordinance for the Nazarene Church site (one of the larger opportunity sites on Morse Road).
3. Involved in plans for Franklin Co. to widen Morse Rd. between Cleveland Ave. & Trindell Way.
4. Applied for & received $15,000 grant from Columbus Foundation’s Neighborhood Partnership Program for beautification efforts along Rt. 161.
5. Planted 100 new trees & cleaned up the 22 landscaping boxes along Rt. 161.
6. Helped create the “Keep Rt. 161 Beautiful” project.
8. Started planning for a special Improvement District along Rt. 161.
10. Completed the Revised Northland Plan & received Columbus City Council approval.
11. Started the process for the Northland II Plan.
13. Help create Northland, Inc. (the redevelopment company responsible for revitalizing the Northland area).
14. Admitted the Northland Area Business Association as a new member into NCC.
15. Admitted the Clinton Estates Civic Association as a new member into NCC.

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**Congratulations Graduates!**

**Stop by for your Formal Prom Wear**

**Brand Names at Lowest Prices**

Tue-Sat Noon-7p

**Angie’s Tailoring**

**Bridal & Formal Wear - Tuxedo Rentals**

Expert Alterations for Men & Women

**418-0171**

4662 Cleveland Ave.
What is Lake Clean-Up? A community event held in April and October, whose purpose is to clean up and improve areas around the lake, community building, entranceways, and community flower beds.

When is it? In the spring, it is always close to Earth Day. This year, it begins at 8:00a on April 21 at the Community Building.

Who should come? All residents are asked to come and help. It is a family event and a chance for new residents to meet some of the “old timers” in the park.

What should I wear? Clothes for gardening and boots for working in the muddy soil around the lake. Some cotton gloves may be provided, but you may want to bring your own pair if you have unusually large or small hands.

Are children welcome? Yes, but they must be supervised by their parents. Children are asked not to help in certain areas of the park, and these areas will be listed at the Community Building.

Should I bring my own tools? Yes, but some tools will be provided. You may bring your own rake, shovel, trowel, or spade. It is a good idea to put your name or initials on the tools, just in case they are separated from you during the day.

Who is in charge? Lake Clean-Up is sponsored by the Council’s Community Committee, assisted by the MPCA.

How are the activities scheduled? People start arriving at the Community Building at 8:00a, when coffee and donuts are served for the workers. Signs listing the various work areas will be posted, and individuals can choose in which areas to work.

How long are we supposed to work? Most people work until noon, when a hot lunch is provided at the Community Building for the workers. Many people stay on after lunch to finish picking up trash, cutting down tree limbs, or to do whatever other chores are still unfinished.

What do I get for participating? This year, the MinervaFlora Committee is providing every family that attends a “door prize” of a pansy plant. The plant is a small but tangible gift of thanks for your help in making our community a more beautiful place to live. Beyond that, you get the satisfaction of a job well done!

Without enough volunteers, we may have to start paying for clean-up services. Please help!

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Want a new tree(s) in your yard?

To replace our aging and lost trees, the MPCA is in the process of negotiating with landscaping contractors to plant trees on the private residences this fall. We hope to garner enough interest from enough residents that we can secure a good price — for pruning, tree removal, and new plantings. Look to future issues of the Villager for more information.

In the meantime, let’s get started with tree knowledge. The OSU Extension Service says to (1) make sure a tree is hardy to Zone 5, (2) consider how large it will eventually grow, (3) match it to your site conditions, (4) consider its purpose of shade, screen, or ornamentation, (5) choose a tree resistant to known pests and diseases, and (6) be aware of the amount of maintenance required.

And, of course, trees are addressed in our own Village Codes - wouldn’t ya know it! Appendix C to the Codes states that “along an individual street, uniform street tree plantings are desirable. However, overuse of a few species is inevitable without a conscious effort to vary plant species and families. Deviations from the recommended list are permitted with the approval of the Planning and Zoning Commission.”

The list of recommended trees is divided into 3 size categories: Group A - large (50’ or more), Group B - medium (30’-50’), and Group C - small (10’-30’).

Lawn sizes must be able to accommodate the tree size planted: Group A (greater than 7’), Group B (4’-7’), and Group C (3’-4’). Use under utility lines is limited to small trees, although medium trees may be planted as close at 10 lateral feet to utility lines.

Both the OSU Extension Service and our Village Codes list trees suitable for our area and trees not suitable for the home landscape. The charts include characteristics such as mature height & spread, habit, insect & disease tolerance, pollution, dry soil vs. damp soil conditions, advantages & limitations, and comments.

Even though a tree may be suitable for our area, the Village has additional restrictions because of maintenance ... some trees are unsuitable for planting within 15’ of a sidewalk or bikeway, and some trees are unacceptable for planting near a street — including Box Elder, Silver Maple, Buckeye, Horse Chestnut, Tree of Heaven, Paper Birch, European White Birch, Northern Catalpa, female Ginko, Osage-Orange, Apple, Mulberry, Poplar, Bradford Pear, Upright English Oak, Black Locust, Willow, European Mountain Ash, Moline American Elm, and Siberian Elm. In addition to these, the OSU Extension Service does not recommend the following for the home landscape: Russian Olive (highly susceptible to wilt & other diseases & pests, thorny branches), Hedge Apple (large fruit creating extreme litter problems, thorny branches), American Sycamore (susceptible to disease, constantly dropping leaves, twigs, bark, & fruit), Cottonwood (poor ornamental value, constant litter, highly susceptible to diseases & pests, vigorous roots causing problems with tiles & sewers), and Purpleleaf & Cherry Plums (susceptible to many pests & diseases, short-lived, overused).

If you are interested in joining our “tree brigade” or would like copies of these charts, please stop by the mailbox area inside the Community Building front door or call Sharon Bierman at 899-3755.

If you have a particular question or issue that you would like to see addressed in this column, please leave your request in the Villager mail box inside the Community Building.
It's time to clean out your closets and start digging through your basement and garage in preparation for the annual Minerva Park Community Association Garage Sale on Saturday, May 19. This event always attracts a large number of buyers, so don't miss out!

As in the past, the $5 registration fee covers the cost of prominent advertising in local newspapers, balloons to mark your mailbox, and maps for distribution. There is also a $5 late registration fee, so please be prompt.

This is one of the MPCA's biggest annual fund-raisers, so please do not cheat your community of improvements and event money by having an unregistered sale the same day. The Community Association is attempting to fund several projects to enhance the village, and we need your help. We will be watching for unregistered sales and will ask you for your fair contribution. Those folks who have unregistered sales and do not pay their 10% contribution will not be eligible to participate in the 2002 garage sale.

To register, send the attached form and a check for $5 to "Minerva Park Community Association" at the Community Building, 2829 Minerva Lake Road, or to the event coordinator, Lynn Eisentrout, 2753 Wildwood Rd., 891-0895.

Registration packets will be distributed this year on May 18. Late registrations can be made that evening, but you will not be on the map. Volunteers will be coming personally to collect your 10% proceeds between 3:30 and 4:00 the day of the sale, as opposed to your mailing your proceeds to us.

As always, we need volunteers to help make this sale a success. Please contact Lynn Eisentrout at 891-0895 if you can help with packet creation and distribution, advertising, or collecting money.

MPCA Garage Sale FUND-RAISER
Saturday, May 19
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Registration deadline: May 12
Cost: $5 plus 10% of your proceeds
$5 Late Registration Fee by May 15 (you will not be on the map)
Contact: Lynn Eisentrout, 891-0895

Registration
MPCA Garage Sale FUND-RAISER - May 19, 2001

Name
Phone
Address

Enclosed is my check for $5, payable to “Minerva Park Community Association,” for participation in the MPCA 2001 annual garage sale FUND-RAISER. Additionally, I will submit 10% of my proceeds.
February 2001

In February, Medic 119 made 30 runs - 9 into Blendon Township (exclusive of MP) and 1 into Minerva Park; 14 patients were transported to the hospital.

Members volunteered a total of 643 hours for the month, bringing the total for the year-to-date to 1,341.

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Ken & Debbie Howard, 2621 Woodley Rd. (they have a relative in Minerva Park), 901-3304

If you learn of any new residents, please advise the Newcomers Committee
Jim Kehl, 794-0047

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2-5 ...... 3:26p, 2800 blk Minerva Lake Rd., telephone harassment
2-15 ..... 9:45a, 2600 blk Minerva Lake Rd., missing person
2-15 ..... 12:53p, 5000 blk Maplewood Dr., missing person
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