# Watch September 17, 2021 Autumn Update

#### THANKS!!!

There were so many fun activities this summer, sponsored by so many organizations. Let's remember to say thanks to all of them when we can. Village Council- water party for kids (and upcoming Autumn party) Ski Team- Ski Show and corn hole tournament Lions- Parade and community help (see below); flags PRIDE- Friday bocce, appreciation party, cardboard boat race, and after- party CrossPointe- monthly meals, and recovery help

#### COMMUNITY MEAL

On the last Friday of every month, CrossPointe serves a delicious, well-balanced dinner from 5:00 to 6:00PM...take out only. On the menu for Friday, September 24th: German Schnitzel, spaetzle, red cabbage sauerkraut and for dessert...apple crisp delights! We will NOT serve a beverage. If you would like to enjoy this wonderful meal, please observe these very important instructions: come to CrossPointe between 5 and 6PM on Friday, September 24<sup>th</sup> and follow the directions of the volunteer at the entrance to the parking lot. A CrossPointe volunteer will come to your car to ask how many meals you would like to have. Another volunteer will then bring the number of meals you need out to your car. This procedure is being enacted to ensure your safety as well as that of our volunteers during the corona virus outbreak.

CrossPointe is located at 7230 Lake Road, near the intersection of Chippewa and Lake Roads. If you need more information, please call the church office at 330-975-4309. This meal is sponsored in cooperation with the Chippewa Lake Lions Club.

#### FALL POT DECORATION

It is that time of the year again. If you would like to adopt a flower pot to decorate for fall, now is the time to let me know. We will **begin decorating Oct 1st.** You can use fresh or artificial materials. Be creative! Please let me know if you are interested. lakeflower@neo.rr.com . I will be sending more detailed instructions later. Thanks for keeping Chippewa so special and beautiful.

#### AUTUMN FUN FOR THE FAMILY AT POINT PARK

The fall festival will be held on September 25th starting at 2:00pm.

I have great news...we were able to book a live band for the fall festival!! I'm super excited to share that the Social Workers will be playing at Point Park. The band will start at 3:30 and play until 7:30. This is the same band who has played the past few summers out on the lake and they are a lot of fun!!

Also we will be serving pulled pork sandwiches, hotdogs and beverages for donations. Looking for access to a cotton candy machine , and would be looking for an individual who wouldn't mind volunteering their time to run it for me.

We will be doing 50/50 raffles and door prize raffles as well. We are still looking for door prize donations too. Any donations can be dropped off at Joanne Dodaro's house (106 Bass Bay) or Tamitha Sorgi's. ((446 Northvale Dr, Chippewa Lake OH) . Contact Tamitha for questions, tsorgi@neo.rr.com

Starting at 2:00pm we are going to be doing small hayrides for the kiddos!

We will also have a pumpkin decorating station and best decorated pumpkin contest for the kids too. There will be a best dressed pet costume contest for all the fur baby moms and dads.

We also have invited the gentleman who owns the hot air balloon we see on occasion flying over the lake. He plans on inflating the balloon to display---- weather and winds permitting. He may also let us raffle off a free balloon ride!!

# DON'T FORGET ----THE SKI TEAM PERFORMS AT BARBERTON MUM FEST ON SAT. AND SUN. SEPT 25 AND 26

## LIONS CLUB ANNOUNCES HOLIDAY WREATH SALE

Just a quick note that the Lions members will soon be selling those amazingly healthy and beautiful holiday wreaths. All Lions members will have order forms or check with the Village Inn or Joanne Dodaro, rdodaro@neo.rr.com.

## LIONS CLUB appreciation....

Many of you generously donated to the Lions Club fundraising efforts this year. The Lions Club thanks you! Although the July 4 parade is the most obvious display of the Lions Club presence, there are many donations given by Lions to support those in our community who are in need. Of course, the specifics of these donations remain confidential, but we want you to know that just in the last few months, Chippewa Lions have contributed to:

- a group home for intellectually disabled adults . The donation provided enrichmentmusic, art, field trip, and magic show

-a local woman who was losing her home and needed transitional help

- a Mom with an autistic child, needing housing and special schooling for her child

- a family with young children, whose Mom has stage 4 ovarian and colon cancer, and is undergoing aggressive treatment

- a single Mom with a badly flooded home

This is in addition to the year round cooperative effort with <u>The SOCIETY</u>, helping adults with disabilities (which provides 24 hour care in 9 group homes, day programs, and summer Camp Paradise ), and <u>CrossPointe Community Church</u> (which provides meals, counseling and ongoing support efforts in our community). Along with the Lions, these organizations participate in the major fund raising effort (Polar Bear) to provide the much needed resources to provide year round funds. By partnering, we can extend the reach of our charitable efforts.

We all just wanted you to know how important your help has been in this difficult year, and how many benefit from your support! THANKS!