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MORE SPRING PLANTS

The Briarwood Beach Garden Club's annual plant sale will be on **Saturday, May 14, from 9 am - 2 pm** at the Chippewa Community Center - Community Garden (24 Circle Crest Dr). We will have locally grown perennials and annuals for sale. Stop by early for the best selections. Members will be on hand for your gardening questions. (This is not the Lion's club sale.)

CROSSPOINTE COMMUNITY MEAL

Finally...it's grillin' time!! The CrossPointe Community Church free community meal for May will be a favorite one off the grill! A heads up: **the meal will be available TAKE OUT only**. If you do NOT have transportation to come to CrossPointe to pick up a meal, you may call the church office at 330-975-4309 by Saturday, May 21st to request delivery to your home. This is a service provided by CrossPointe volunteers, so is available only if needed, and only in the Chippewa Lake/Gloria Glens area. The meal will be served on **Friday, May 27th, from 5PM to 6:00PM**. On the menu: hamburgers, baked beans, potato salad and for dessert...chocolate chip cookies! 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, May 27th 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. 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.

LIONS

The Chippewa Lake Lions Club Foundation thanks everyone who supported the Mother's Day Plant Sale. Funds will help them sponsor the July 4 Parade!

PRIDE EVENT SCHEDULES

PORCH CONCERT

Greg and Jill are having their garage concert the Thursday before Memorial Day, **May 26**, on Shorefield Dr. at 7:30. Bring a chair or a golf cart for some great music. All are welcome.

GOLF CART PARADE

Golf cart parade is Sunday of Memorial Day weekend, **May 29th**. Line up at the Village Inn at 6:30. Parade starts at 7:00 and will go down Beachside Dr and wind thru the village. Theme is a fun summer in Chippewa. Anything with wheels can participate **FREE** ice cream social to follow at Pt Park All residents and guests are welcome.

CHIPPEWA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

We are happy to announce resumption of our regular meetings beginning on **June 23** at 7 p.m. Please join us as we hear the true story of noted barnstormer Ralph Wensinger, who, while entertaining thousands of spectators at Chippewa Lake Park in September 1933, crashed his bi-plane into the lake, losing his life and that of his co-pilot Samuel Versaci.

Cleveland researcher Rosey Sanchez, accompanied by Wensinger's great-nephew, will offer the fascinating story following a brief business meeting, to be held at the Chippewa Lake Community Center, 24 Circle Crest Drive, Chippewa Lake. All our meetings are open to the public. The building is handicap accessible. Please join us.

Reminder – Membership dues are resuming and can be mailed to P.O. Box 106, Chippewa Lake, Ohio 44215. Checks can be made out to Chippewa Lake Ohio Historical Society. Dues are \$15 per year per person or \$100 lifetime membership per family. Dues can also be paid at regular meetings.

Mark your calendar – The annual Historical Society Car Show is scheduled for August 13 on the grounds of Chippewa Church at the Lake. In addition to some pretty amazing vehicles from vintage to today's, the event offers food, music, awards, trophies, 50/50 drawing, raffle baskets and more. The church has a small playground for children as well as a covered pavilion.

Got Stuff? – Please remember the Historical Society as you consider what to do with Chippewa Lake Park memorabilia you may have held through the years. We are a 501 © 3 non-profit organization and happily accept gifts, monetary as well as physical, to help keep the memory of the old amusement park alive for future generations. We currently have storage space with an eye to expand in the near future.

The Park – To that end we are happy to say we have a friendly relationship with the Medina County Parks System as they go forward with their plans for the property that once drew thousands of folks to summertime entertainment on the shores of our beloved lake.

By the way – That story is recorded in "*Chippewa Lake*" by local authors Amber Dalakas, Gayle Foster and Sharon Karhan, founders of Chippewa Lake Ohio Historical Society, and available for purchase at our meetings or by contacting Foster at 330-714-0350. With tax, the cost of the book is \$23.42.

Programming for upcoming meetings in August and October is yet to be finalized. Watch for announcements as that information becomes available.

Happy Summer!

Gayle Foster

President, Chippewa Lake Ohio Historical Society