

VILLAGE OF RAVENNA NEWS

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Office Hours: M-F 8AM - 3PM Village Council Meetings: 1st Tuesday of each month at Village Hall

Memorial Day Parade

On **May 31st** at **10am** we will be having a Memorial Day Parade honoring those who paid the ultimate sacrifice defending our freedom and honoring all in our community who have served in all our armed forces. There will be road closures throughout the village during that time.

The Road Closures will be:

Conklin St, Stafford St, and Main St

Senior Class Parade

on **May 15th** starting at **7:30pm** we will be having the Ravenna High School senior class parade. Followed by Fireworks at the high school football stadium. There will be road closures throughout the village during that time.

The Road Closures will be:

Blackmer Rd, Crockery Creek Dr, Conklin St, Stafford St, Main St and Mortimer St

Kubasiak 5K

On **May 15, 2021** we will have the Kubasiak 5k Run and walk in the morning starting at **9am and going till 11 am**. There will be road closures throughout the village during that time.

The Road Closures will be:

Blackmer Rd, Mortimer St., Thomas St, Heights-Ravenna Rd, Thomas St, Stafford St, and Conklin St

Frank Coletta Day!

On May 1st the Village of Ravenna will be acknowledging Frank Coletta Day! Our village Council has passed a resolution showing our thanks for everything Frank has done for our community. Especially in the creation and supporting our local sports through little league, running the scoreboard at Ravenna football games, and serving our community on the Village board and also the School Board. May 1st is the start of Ravenna Little League and Frank will have the honor of throwing out the first pitch! Please join us in celebrating Frank and thanking him for all his service to our community!

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New Village Treasurer

Welcome Holly Nerli!

Teresa Wingard , who was our Village Treasurer, left the Village on March 12th because she was offered another job. We wish her well in her new endeavor. We want to introduce and welcome our new Village Treasurer Holly Nerli! Holly started training and working on April 12th. We are excited to have her and look forward to continue having excellent service for all our residents!

Vacancies on the Planning Commission

The Ravenna Village Planning Commission currently has multiple vacancies on it. This is an important commission that you can serve our community. The planning commission meets one time a month on the Second Tuesday of every month at 7pm. If you are interested please call the village office or email vrvclerk@gmail.com. We look forward to your help and supporting our community in this way!

Spring Notes

Spring Clean Up Day!

Spring Clean Up day will be on **May 6th!** To take advantage of the Village Spring Clean-up event, set out items at the edge of the roadside before 6 am on Thursday, **May 6th**. **Hazardous items such as tires, batteries, paint, and pesticides will not be accepted.**

Leaf and grass burning is prohibited in the Village of Ravenna. Curbside yard waste pick up is available for Village residents April through November. Bundles must be no longer than 4ft and able to be picked up. Yard waste may be placed in cans marked as yard waste or in biodegradable bags. Yard waste may also be dropped off at the Village's Adams Road property.

Meter Readings

The Village DPW will be starting doing water meter readings soon and we ask that you keep your water meters free from vegetation and overgrowth!

Animal Control/Pets

Ordinance 91 defines several requirements "for all persons who keep animals" in section 2.

Some of the common violations of this ordinance include:

Having more than 2 dogs and 2 cats

Not controlling a dog or cat or not confining it to the premise of its owner

Having an animal not on a leash in a public park or on public property

Not cleaning up the excrement from the animal on other people's or public property

Please don't let you dog or cat roam and please use a leash when in public. If you see a dog or cat loose Or you or your pet is attacked please call the Muskegon County Sherriff's Department for an animal control officer to investigate.