



THE OAKDALE TIMES

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OAK'TOBER FEST

Saturday, September 23rd

3:00pm—8:00pm

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Clem Rolin's 'German Music Band'

4:00pm

Karl Lukitsch & Autobahn

6:00pm

Alpen Shuhplatter Dancers

7:00pm

Pat Septak Accordion Player

Food, Entertainment and Fun for All Ages will be centered at the Borough Lot between The Rock and The Oakdale Inn. German and Bavarian-Style Refreshments will be available, to include the "Helicon Beer," courtesy of Chris Brunettti, Owner of Oakdale's very own Helicon Brewery! There will be Games and Activities, and The Oakdale Hose Company's Bounce House will be in operation. Above is Entertainment lined up and ready to make this another great Oakdale Borough Event!

August Council Meeting Update:

- ❑ Mr. Tom Potts made a motion to approve the 2016 Audited Financial Reports.
- ❑ Mr. Jonathan DeBor made a motion to table awarding the Garbage and Recycling Bids until the September Council Meeting.
- ❑ Mr. Bill Hartman, Jr. made a motion to approve payment request no. 1 for the First Street Waterline Replacement Project in the amount of \$119,232.95.
- ❑ Chief Lauria reported that there were 127 varied police calls in July.
- ❑ The Meeting Spot sign is up and the last space in the parking lot and the space across from it in the recycling lot have been designated for safe custody changes, on-line purchases, etc.
- ❑ Getting more parking complaints. Additional 'No Parking' signs being installed as needed.
- ❑ A Clinton Ave. resident voiced his concerns of speeding on Maple Ave and cars going the wrong way on a one way road. Council agreed to place speed bumps on Maple Ave. and paint SLOW on the road. The police will monitor the road during rush hour traffic.
- ❑ Mark Snatchko thanked everyone for their help and cooperation with the fair. They had over 200 cars show up for the car cruise The Hose Company applied for a grant and are waiting for an answer so they can order a new fire truck.



Oakdale Borough Military Banner Program

Oakdale Borough has always taken great pride in the men and women who have served our country in its time of need. Now we'd like to take this opportunity to invite you to help us honor you friends and family who have served our great county. The Military Banner Program salutes our brave men and women who are currently serving and those who have served in the military by creating and displaying a 24"X36" military banner to be exhibited for years to come, between Memorial Day and Veterans Day. This program includes: 1. Double-Sided 24"X36" Military Banner to be displayed by the Borough. 2. 12"X18" Military lawn Banner to be presented to the family for personal display. 3. Mounting hardware to hang the bracket on a telephone pole. For more information, please visit <http://www.troopbanners.com/oakdale>. The one-time cost to join is \$110.00.

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

We hear about new types of scams just about everyday, and they are only becoming more frequent and elaborate. Recently, credit and debit card skimming devices are being located on an almost daily basis. These devices are made from the same parts that are used in making the ATM machines, and easily blend in. Whenever your card passes through the reader, its saves the information from the magnetic strip to a microchip, and can later be duplicated onto another card. There are also pin pads, that are so thin, they are barely noticeable. Whenever you enter your PIN number, it uses the same microchip as the card reader to save your information, and because its so thin, the ATM pin pad is still activated, and everything works as normal. These scam artists often come at a time when they wont draw attention to themselves, and can places these devices on the machine in seconds. They will then come back a few days later to retrieve the devices, and download the information, and begin to clone your card. Although these devices blend in very well, there are still easy ways to protect yourself. By giving a small pull on the card reader or pin pad, you can see if it seems loose, or just falls off. The parts that are built into the machine should seem sturdy. If you ever notice something that doesn't seem right, stop, don't use the machine, and tell either the bank, or an employee where the machine is located so they can shut it down, and contact the police. Also, you should notify your bank, so they can check your account for suspicious activity.



Did you know the original name for Oakdale Borough was Mt. Helicon, a name from Greek mythology, the sacred home of the Muses. If you want to learn more fun facts about America's Home Town, you can purchase a History Book at The Borough Office.

Did you know?

Oral Rabies Vaccination Area

Allegheny County will be doing oral rabies bait drops for raccoons during the months of August and September.



The baits are dropped from low-flying planes or helicopters or by local teams on foot or in vehicles. For more information please go to www.achd.net/raccoon.



Hard to Recycle Items

2017 Schedule of Hard to Recycle, Household Chemical and Pharmaceutical Collection Event

The Pennsylvania Resources Council is pleased to provide the 2017 schedule for Hard to Recycle, Household Chemical and Pharmaceutical Collection events. Whether it's electronics, old tires, hazardous waste, or other unwanted items you wish to dispose, the PRC has collection events throughout the county where you can safely dispose of these items. [Visit the PRC website, at http://www.prc.org](http://www.prc.org), for details and dates on various recycling programs as well as other green initiatives.






Reminder: Holiday Trash Schedule & Office Hours The Borough office will be closed on Monday, September 4th, for the Labor Day Holiday.

The office will reopen on Tuesday, September 5th at 8:30am. Trash Collection will take place on



Tuesday, September 5th and Recycling Collection will be Wednesday, September 6th. Yard waste will be collected separately on 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month. All trash materials must be placed out for collections by 6:00am.



A.M. ROCKS & After School Program

What : A.M. ROCKS

Monday thru Friday 6:30am—8:30am

Kindergarten through High School

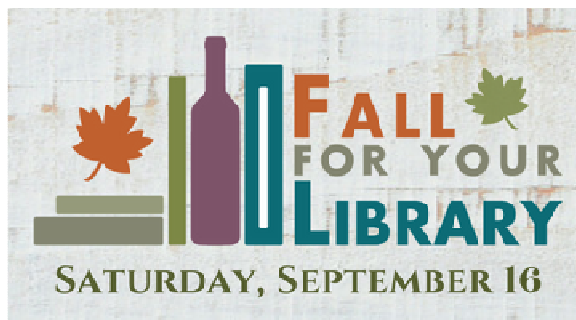
What: ROCK After –School Program

When: **Begins Tuesday, September 5th**

Monday thru Thursday 3:00—6:00pm

** Friday 3:00—5:00pm

For more information - Contact Leigh Deigan at 724-693-2777 or rockyouthfamilycenter@gmail.com



Saturday, September 16, 6:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Western Allegheny Community Library's annual fundraising event "Fall for Your Library" is the community's premiere food & wine tasting event and attracts over 300 adults from the library's service area and beyond. Guests enjoy food and wine pairings, music, games, and [auctions](#). As the Library's largest fundraiser, this event raises nearly \$35,000 annually to help grow programs and services for the community.

Pre-Sale discount and multi-pack tickets offered until September 1. A portion of ticket price is tax-deductible as a donation (ask for details). Fall for Your Library 2017 takes place at its new venue at the North Fayette Community Center, 580 Donaldson Road, Oakdale, PA 15071.

Individual Tickets

\$50 in advance | \$60 after September 1

Group Sales

6-Pack of Tickets: \$279

10-Pack of Tickets: \$420

Group Discount Ends September 1

Order tickets online at squareup.com/store/wacl. Tickets are also available at the library or by calling 724-695-8150.



Craft/Vendor Party

Saturday, September 23rd

9:00am - 2:00pm

St. Columbkille Church

103 Church Road
Imperial, PA, 15126

Come shop a variety of local crafters and home party vendors. Over 30 tables of gift items and products. Get your Christmas shopping done early! Admission is FREE. Food & Refreshments will be available. This event is sponsored by St. Columbkille Christian Mothers & Guild; proceeds will benefit Unbound (through which we sponsor a child in need) and Spiritual Pilgrimages.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2017 FIREMEN'S STREET FAIR RAFFLE WINNERS!



Monday July 24th

Nadene Hartman

Tuesday, July 25th

Al Pifer

Wednesday, July 26th

Mary McCoy

Thursday, July 27th

Ann Boocks

Friday, July 28th

Tim Curtin

Saturday, July 29th

Mr. Hickey

Congratulations and Thank You to
everybody who came out to support us