

# Events

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## OCC Scarecrow Contest deadline Oct. 8

Put on your thinking caps..the Seventh Annual Scarecrow Building Contest is right around the corner! The contest will be held on Sunday, Oct. 11. Registration packets are available at the OCC and must be

submitted by Thursday, Oct. 8. Get your family, neighbors, group or organization together and build a masterpiece! All registered scarecrows will be given a site on Shafor Boulevard so the whole community

can enjoy them! Entries will be judged on creativity and originality and prizes will be awarded to First, Second and Third place.

For more information, please call the OCC at 298-0775.

## Family Photos at Smith Gardens

There are two time slots left for the Final Family Photos at Smith

Gardens on Saturday, October 10th. This will be a treasured fam-

ily keepsake. Stop by the OCC today!

## Oakwood amateur photo contest seeks entries

Photographers, nature lovers and those looking for a way to enjoy the great outdoors are invited to participate in the Oakwood's Amateur Photo Contest.

Using the spectacular scenery within Oakwood, participants may submit photographs taken in the city limits, in any or all of the four subject areas, nature/wildlife, landscapes/architecture, people/pets,

and Smith Gardens.

This contest is open to residents in the following age categories: 12 and under, 13-17, and 18 and older. There will be one winner in each category, along with best in show, people choice, and Mayor's award.

Rules and entry forms are available at the Oakwood Community Center. Entries will be accepted Saturday, Aug. 1- Wednesday, Nov.

4, 2009. Photos must have been taken within the 2009 calendar year. Photographs will be on display Saturday, Nov. 7, 2-4:30 p.m. and the public is encouraged to attend.

For further information, please call Daniel Ruble or Carol Collins at 298-0775 or stop by the Oakwood Community Center, 105 Patterson Rd.

## Oakwood singles club picnic Oct. 10

A picnic will be hosted by POSSSIE: Professional Oakwood Singles in Service, Socialization and Self Improvement at Shafor

Park on Saturday, Oct. 10, 3 p.m. to dark.

Come meet and have fun with your single Oakwood neighbors!

Men, don't be shy! We'd like more men to join us! Bring a covered dish to share. RSVP required. For more information call Kathy at 974-4951.

## Oakwood GOP meeting Oct. 8

Republican candidates from Oakwood and Kettering will be guests of the Republican Council of Oakwood when they meet Thursday, Oct. 8, 1 p.m. at the home of Nancy Campbell. Issues on the Nov. 3 ballot also will be

discussed.

Any Republican woman of voting age residing within Montgomery County may become a member by payment of yearly dues. For more information, call 296-1194.

## Family Fall Festival slated Oct. 11

Oakwood's fourth annual Family Fall Festival, sponsored by the Department of Leisure Services will be held on Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009 at Shafor Park. The hours are from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. The afternoon will be filled with old fashioned activities and games for the whole family including a costume parade, diaper derby, pumpkin painting, three legged races, donut dive, wheelbarrow races, face painting, pumpkin bowling, potato golf, ring toss, skee-ball and much, much more. And, don't forget there will be hay rides for the whole family going along Scarecrow Row. You can see the new 2009 scarecrows along Shafor Boulevard. Also, included in the day's activities are musical groups including the Oakwood High School Pep Band. Enjoy an afternoon full of fun

games, food and entertainment for the whole family.

The Costume Parade for children, ages 10 and under, will begin at 2:30 p.m. Children are encouraged to wear their Halloween best and participate in the parade. Be creative and imaginative in creating your costume. At 2:45 p.m. the Pumpkin Princess and Prince will be crowned.

At 3 P.M. a Diaper Derby for crawling toddlers in diapers will be held. What fun this will be seeing young children crawling to the finish line.

Games and activities will be continuous throughout the day. Near the end of the day's activities the winners of the 2009 Scarecrow Contest will be announced at approximately 4:45 p.m. In case of rain, the event will be held inside the community center.



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