

## **Mayor Kurtz's SwiftReach for September 2, 2022 FINAL**

HELLO. IT IS SEPTEMBER 2nd. PLEASE STAND BY FOR A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR. IT WILL REPEAT ONCE.

GOOD **FRIDAY** EVENING, NEIGHBORS. THIS IS YOUR MAYOR GREG KURTZ.

I HAVE A FEW UPDATES AS WE HEAD INTO THE LONG LABOR DAY WEEKEND.

THE OUTDOOR POOL WILL BE **OPEN** ON SATURDAY, SUNDAY, **AND MONDAY** FROM NOON TO 8 PM, *WEATHER PERMITTING*.

ALSO, THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT WILL BE OPEN REGULAR HOURS ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY.

ON **MONDAY**, CITY HALL, THE CIVIC CENTER, AND **CITY DEPARTMENTS** WILL BE CLOSED IN FOR THE LABOR DAY HOLIDAY.

**NEXT WEEKEND**, INDEPENDENCE BOY SCOUT TROOP 8-11 WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL COMMUNITY COLLECTION DAY AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH ON BRECKSVILLE ROAD ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH.

THEY WILL BE COLLECTING CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE TROOP, WHICH INCLUDES BOYS **AND GIRLS**.

**ALSO, NEXT SATURDAY**, THE ANNUAL DOG SWIM WILL TAKE PLACE **AT THE OUTDOOR POOL** FROM 10 AM TO 2 PM. AFTER THAT, THE POOL WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE SEASON.

**THEN ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**, KIWANIS WILL BE HOLDING THEIR ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBEQUE AT THE PAVILION.

TO FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN PURCHASE TICKETS FOR THE KIWANIS BARBEQUE AND MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMMUNITY COLLECTION DAY, CHECK OUT MY WEEKLY UPDATE ON THE WEBSITE.

I WANT TO THANK ALL TO THE DEDICATED **CITY EMPLOYEES** WHO WORK SO HARD TO SERVE OUR RESIDENTS AND MAINTAIN THE QUALITY OF LIFE WE ENJOY IN INDEPENDENCE.

REGARDLESS IF YOU WORK FROM HOME, PART-TIME, FULL-TIME OR SOMETHING IN BETWEEN, I WANT TO WISH YOU AND YOURS A SAFE AND RESTFUL HOLIDAY WEEKEND.

BE WELL, EAT SOME ICE CREAM, AND AS ALWAYS GOD BLESS.