

Copley Connection



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Copley Township **HERITAGE - COMMUNITY DAY** *August 2* **2008**

Dear Copley Residents,

The Copley Heritage - Community Day Committee would like to welcome all of you to this year's 2008 Celebration of Copley Township. In continuing to support our armed forces, this year our theme is "Remembering Our Stars and Stripes." Please note some changes to the venue this year.

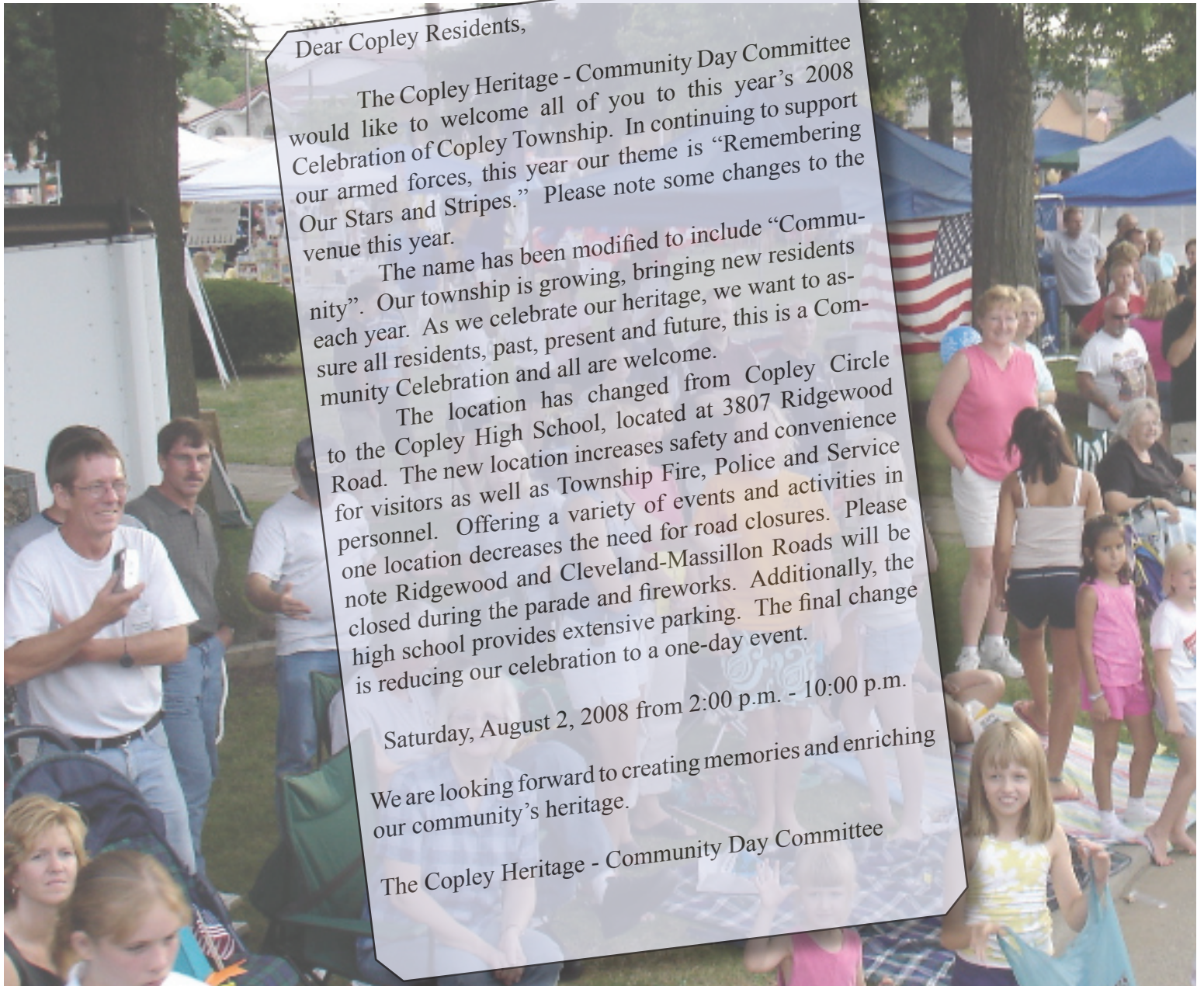
The name has been modified to include "Community". Our township is growing, bringing new residents each year. As we celebrate our heritage, we want to assure all residents, past, present and future, this is a Community Celebration and all are welcome.

The location has changed from Copley Circle to the Copley High School, located at 3807 Ridgewood Road. The new location increases safety and convenience for visitors as well as Township Fire, Police and Service personnel. Offering a variety of events and activities in one location decreases the need for road closures. Please note Ridgewood and Cleveland-Massillon Roads will be closed during the parade and fireworks. Additionally, the high school provides extensive parking. The final change is reducing our celebration to a one-day event.

Saturday, August 2, 2008 from 2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

We are looking forward to creating memories and enriching our community's heritage.

The Copley Heritage - Community Day Committee



HERITAGE DAY - COMMUNITY DAY EVENTS TIMELINE

Saturday, August 2 - Events Timeline

8:00 - 11:00 am Pancake Breakfast at Copley Fire Department, 1540 S Cleve-Mass. Rd. All you can eat pancakes and sausages. Adults \$5, Seniors \$4, Children 6 -12 \$3, children 5 and under are FREE.

9:00 am - 3 pm Extreme Garage Sale sponsored by Copley High School P.T.S.A. in the main gym. Items for sale include furniture, jewelry, sports equipment, electronics, C.D's, small appliances and many other items. Proceeds from the sale will be used to sponsor After-Prom 2009.

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Bake Off Items should be dropped off at the High School Commons. Categories are: Breads, Cookies, Cakes, Pies, and Candies. Questions call Stephanie Guedras, 330-666-5072 or email j23189@att.net.

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Bake Off Judging

Items will be on sale during Copley Heritage-Community Day

2:00 pm Flag Raising Ceremony

VFW/American Legion Honor Guard

National Anthem

Lois Eckart and the Copley High School Class of 1948

Invocation

Rev. Max McKenna, Crusade Baptist Church

2:00 - 6:00 pm Open Swim in the High School Pool. Entrance off student (West) parking lot. Swim suits required. No cut-offs.

2:00 - 9:00 pm Food and Craft Vendors, information booths located inside and outside of the school. Demonstrations going on throughout the day. **Kids area** will have inflatables, balloon artist, boomerang guy, kids games all day.



3:00 - 5:00 pm

University Hospital's Med-Evac Helicopter landing at the band practice field, weather permitting and availability.

3:30 pm Organ Grinder and Monkey in the kids area.

4:00 pm Hula Hoop Contest in the east driveway by kids area - Age groups 3-4 yr olds, 5-10 yr olds, 11-16 yr olds, 17 - adults. All participants get to keep their hula hoops.

5:00 pm

Watermelon Eating Contest

in the east driveway by kids area. Watermelons are provided by J. Parker & Sons. Age groups 8-10 yr olds, 11-13 yr olds, 14-16 yr olds, 17 - adults. How much and how fast can you eat?



5:00 - 8:30 pm Car Show located at Rohrer's & Associates directly across the street from the high school. It is sponsored by Copley F.O.P. and the Magic Cruisers Car Club.

5:00 - 9:30 pm "The New Flames" playing 50's & 60's music on the front lawn of the high school.

6:00 pm The Skydivers will be dropping in with a 40 x 60 foot American Flag. This will take place at the band practice field. DON'T MISS IT!

6:00 - 9:00 pm Teen Area: Hot dog & marshmallow roast, climbing wall, dunk tank, obstacle course, bungee run, guitar hero and soccer speed kick. Area is located by the Board of Education office on the east side of the school.

7:00 pm Parade - Remembering our Stars and Stripes

This year, the Parade Marshalls are The Copley High School Class of 1948, celebrating 60 years. The parade steps off from Commerce Drive heading north on Cleveland-Massillon Road to Ridgewood Road, then west down Ridgewood Road, ending in the student parking lot.



9:30 pm Fireworks

An awesome display of fireworks brings our fun filled day to its conclusion. Best seen on the band/soccer practice field at the east end of the school. Rain date for fireworks is Sunday, August 3rd.

TIMES AND EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.



COPLEY CONNECTION



HERITAGE DAY 2008



HERITAGE DAY - COMMUNITY DAY EVENTS

Friday, August 1, 2008

Join us at Copley United Methodist Church to hear Gene Boyer, Lt. Col. U.S. Army (retired). A member of the Copley High School Class of 1948, he will present a talk and slide show on his military career as a helicopter pilot. He was also a member of the Presidential Helicopter Corps.

Sunday, August 3, 2008

10:00 am Copley Lion's Club Family Fun Bike Ride

Starting at Copley Community Park. Ride through pleasant Copley neighborhoods. Cost is \$5.00 per person, rest stop, snacks, and lunch provided. For more information, contact Kathy Starkey, 330-697-4137 or email sublimepi@aol.com.

7:00 pm Copley Bandstand Phil and Sparky Show Band

This exciting new group, formerly Phil 'N the Blanks, is "Ohio's original six piece, two-man show band". Very energetic, always fun and lots of audience participation describes this group, and it all adds up to an evening you will long remember.

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MAGIC CRUISERS CAR CLUB

COPLEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

**COPS N' CRUISERS
CAR SHOW**

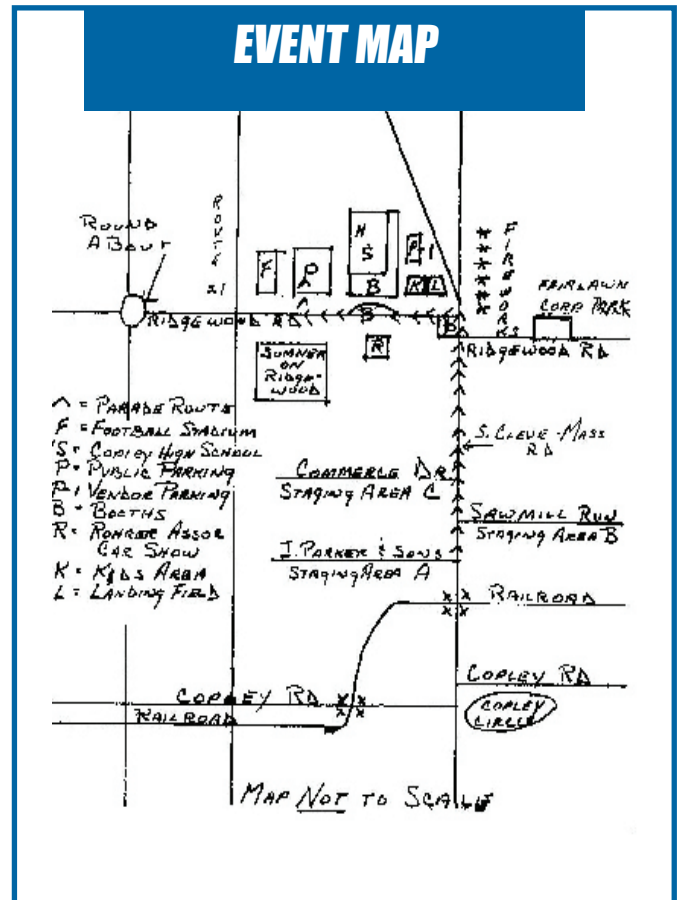
- 50 Trophy Plaques
- Random Drawing
- \$5.00 Registration
- 100 Dash Plaques

- Saturday, August 2nd
- Copley High School
- 5 - 8 p.m.
- Call Jim - 330-671-1501

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