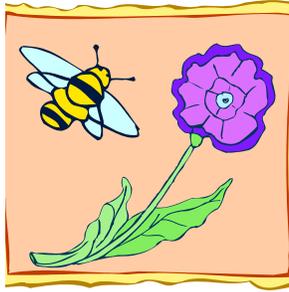


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# A NEWSLETTER FROM THE DANBURY TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES

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## TOWNSHIP CLEAN UP WEEK April 14 through 18

### BRUSH DROP-OFF OPENS APRIL 1

Follow the driveway and signs at 310 Bridge Road (SR 269 South) to drop off your branches and limbs. **DO NOT** bring stumps or grass clippings.

We are only able to process limbs and branches.

**This service is available during daylight hours and is only for residents.**

**Contractors are NOT permitted to use this service.**

### LEAF DROP-OFF FOR RESIDENTS WILL BE OPEN...

...only during April and May at the brush drop-off site. You must use biodegradable bags or bring loose leaves.

### CEMETERY CLEAN-UP BEGINS APRIL 1

If you want to save anything, please remove it from the gravesite prior to this date.

### DO YOU HAVE A GREEN THUMB?

We always need volunteers to help plant and prune our flowers and shrubs at our parks. If this is something you'd enjoy doing contact Deb Biro at (419) 734-6120 for details.



The BIG dumpsters will be at township hall for residents to dispose of household items, appliances, steel and metal. We will pay for Freon removal from appliances. Employees will be on hand from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday thru Thursday and on Friday from 7 a.m. until the end of clean-up at 11 a.m. They will assist you as you unload your vehicle.

**DO NOT** bring tires, brush, oil, paint, batteries, boats, vehicles or propane tanks. Scrapping for metal is **PROHIBITED** and will be enforced by the Danbury Township Police Department. Clean-up will also be held the weeks of July 21 and October 20.

### NEW ZONING REGULATIONS FOR ALL SIGNS

On December 26, 2013 new sign regulations went into effect in the Danbury Township Zoning Resolution. The Zoning Department will begin enforcing these new rules this spring in time for the summer season on the peninsula. Some of the changes include adding language for wall signage, directional signs, subdivision development signs, bench signs, directory signs, maritime navigational signs, electronic message centers and nonconforming signs. Changes have also been made to temporary signage including banners, flutter flags and sandwich board signs which were not previously listed as being allowed. Now they are permitted with some restrictions. Signs are not permitted in the road right-of-way which is generally the grassy area between the road pavement and the telephone & electric poles. One of the biggest changes to take place during the spring enforcement relates to portable, changeable copy signs. The new amendments are on the township website. Contact Zoning & Planning Administrator Kathryn Dale for questions or further information: (419) 734-6120 or zoning@danburytownship.com

**TRUSTEE MEETINGS**...The trustees meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday each month. Due to construction at the township hall building the trustees as well as the BZA and Zoning Commission are meeting at the Danbury Senior Center until further notice. Trustee meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

**NEED MULCH??** Come to the brush drop-off site at 310 Bridge Road (SR 269 South) and we'll load you up with free mulch on the following dates (**while supplies last!**): Mondays starting April 7 from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. until we run out of mulch and on the following Saturdays: April 12 and 26 and May 3 and 17 from 8 a.m. until noon.

No distribution on April 14 and May 26.

For questions or to check mulch availability call: (419) 734-4091.

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### OUR FIRST-EVER DOG SHOW!

On Sunday, May 18 we will be sponsoring a very fun fundraiser for the Humane Society of Ottawa County at our off-leash dog park. All dogs are welcome to enter and 9 Blue Ribbons will be awarded. All proceeds from entry fees & lunch will be donated to the Humane Society. Visit the home page of our website for details: [www.danburytownship.com](http://www.danburytownship.com)



**FOR RESIDENTS:** If you have interest or would like information about serving on one of our zoning boards...call Kathryn Dale at (419) 734-6120 to learn more. Danbury Township must be your residence of record for you to be appointed to a zoning board.

### HOW TO REACH US:

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### 'TIS THE SEASON FOR FENCES, POOLS, SHEDS AND DECKS TO "SPRING UP"

These items are now being advertised at home improvement stores. Just a reminder...a zoning permit is required for each of them. Call or visit the zoning office for information and forms needed for a zoning permit. Zoning & Planning Administrator Kathryn Dale can be reached at (419) 734-6120. The zoning office is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Wednesday from 9 till 11 a.m. and again from 4 till 6:30 p.m. **PLEASE NOTE:** The Zoning Office is temporarily located at 419 S. Bridge Road in the Police Department building until the construction at township hall is completed. There are signs to direct you from the parking lot to the zoning office.



**FREE....**Secure document shredding and disposal of unwanted prescription medications are two free services available at the Danbury Township Police Station located at 419 Bridge Road (SR 269 South). Call the station for details: **(419) 732-2549.**

#### POLICE INVESTIGATION TIP LINE

If you would like the police to know about a crime, drug activity or other sensitive information call the department at (419) 732-2549 or email: [policeinvestigations@danburytownship.com](mailto:policeinvestigations@danburytownship.com)  
*Your information will remain confidential.*