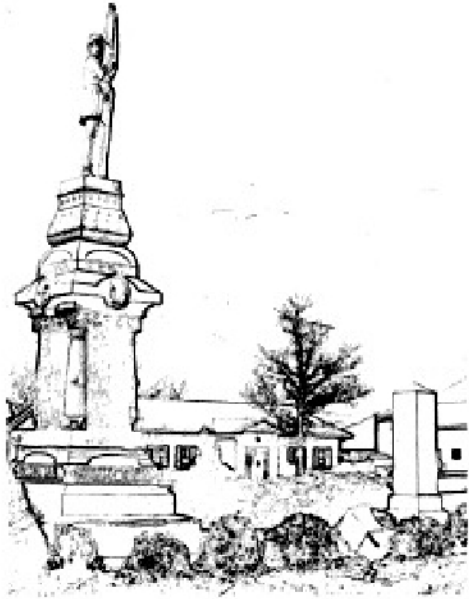
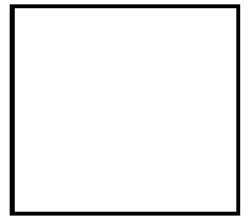


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TOWNSHIP HALL SUPERVISOR

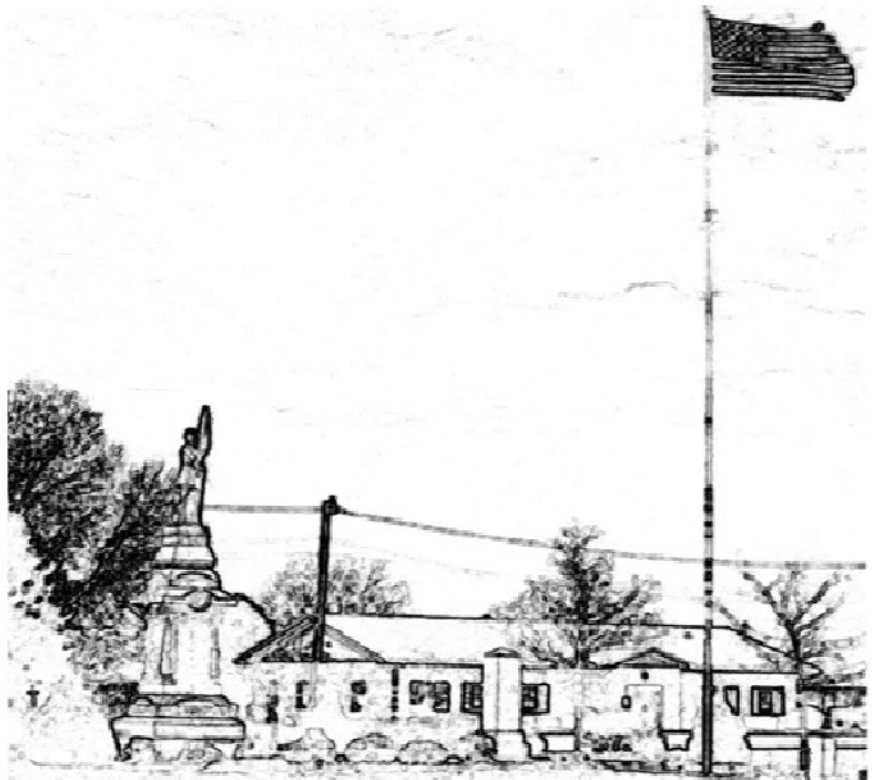
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CEMETERY SEXTON

Chris Jordan 440-336-1625

TOWNSHIP WEBSITE

<http://www.pittsfieldtp.us>



TOWNSHIP INFORMATION

Do you know where to find out about township news or information?

Attending an in-person meeting. The regular meetings of the Board of Trustees of Pittsfield Township are held on the 3rd Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are held at Pittsfield Town Hall.

Attending a meeting by Zoom. The regular meetings of the Board of Trustees can be viewed via zoom each month. Meetings have a two-way communication by text box and video capabilities. Information about attending the meeting by zoom can be found on the home page of the township website.

Township Website.

<https://www.pittsfieldtwp.us>

Facebook Page. Please join the Pittsfield Township, Ohio Public Announcement group on Facebook. The purpose of the page is to quickly get important information out to the citizens of Pittsfield Township. The group is not meant to be a discussion group, commenting is turned off.

Contacting a Trustee. Trustee contact information is located on the front page of the newsletter or on the township website.

We urge the community to attend the monthly trustee's meeting for the latest updates. We need your support! Your trustees are dedicated to preserving this township.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

Do you have any information you think should be shared in a future newsletter? Please let Becky McDonnell know by emailing her at ptwpnews@gmail.com.

PITTSFIELD HALL RENTAL

Pittsfield Township Hall is available for rent. Please see the website for available dates and rates or contact Elizabeth Zadorozny at (440) 707-6772.

DUMPSTER DAYS

**May 15, 16 & 17
New Pittsfield Garage**

The trustees are still doing three-day dumpsters. On Thursday and Friday, May 15 and 16, you can take your items to the garage between 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. and someone will be available to assist you. On Saturday, May 17, assistance will be provided from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Any other hours, you will be on your own.

Only Pittsfield Township residents may take items to the garage for disposal.

Tires, hazardous liquids, oils or appliances with freon are NOT accepted.

Oil and Auto Batteries can be recycled at Pier 58 Marine.

If these dates do not work for you, please contact Rumpke at least 48 hours before your regularly scheduled collection to request a large item pick-up or excessive amounts of trash. Please call 800-828-8171 for more details.

TOWNSHIP SHRED EVENT

**Saturday, May 17
8:00 a.m. to 12 Noon**

The township trustees have secured the shred truck from the Lorain County Collection Center to be held along with dumpster days on Saturday for free.

Pittsfield township residents can bring documents that will be placed in a locked container for shredding to the Pittsfield garage. There is no limit to how much you can bring.

Please make sure that binders, binder clips, paper clips, plastic binding or rubber bands have been removed.

CEMETERY NEWS

Spring Clean Up will be April 15th.

Please have all decorations that will interfere with the operation of lawn mowing and weed trimming removed and disposed of by this date. The township is asking for your cooperation in removing decorations. Containers are provided at each cemetery for decoration disposal.

The township cemetery sexton and the maintenance workers have the right to remove and dispose of any grave decorations.

If you have any questions, please contact Chris Jordan, Cemetery Sextan, at (440) 336-1625.

SPLASH ZONE

The Pittsfield Township Trustees renewed the Splash Zone membership for residents this year again. Residents can get reduced membership passes for Splash Zone in Oberlin, located at 95 West Hamilton Rd.

Splash Zone is an aquatic and fitness center that provides numerous recreational opportunities year-round including aquatics, fitness, youth activities and even an outdoor water park to cool off in the summer months. Splash Zone also offers many fitness programs.

If you have any questions about membership fees or the facility, please contact Splash Zone at 440-774-5059.

FREE MONTHLY MEAL

The Pittsfield Community Church holds a free community meal on the first Saturday of each Month at noon. The church is located at the southwest corner of State Rt. 58 and 303. They also welcome anyone to attend a Sunday service starting at 10:30 A.M.

WELLINGTON FIRE DISTRICT IS ASKING FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Please Vote YES on Issue 21 for the Wellington Fire District on May 6, 2025.

The current levy of 2.75 mills is set to expire at the end of this year. To continue funding operations, the Wellington Fire District is asking residents for their support on May 6th. This levy is the district's only source of revenue for all operations, including apparatus, equipment and facilities maintenance.

After reviewing budget increases and Capital needs for the next five years, the Fire District has decided to **REDUCE the Levy Millage by .25 mills, thus lowering the total millage to 2.5 mills.** This reduction is being offered in recognition of rising property values and their financial impact on the taxpayers.

Issue 21 will cost property owners \$88.00 a year, or just \$7.33 per month, for every \$100,000 of property valuation.

Chief Wetherbee is available to answer any questions or hear concerns at wetherbee@wellingtonfiredistrict.com or by calling 440-647-2245.

ZONING BOARD

Dates for the 2025 Pittsfield Township Zoning Board Meetings to be held at 7:00 p.m., at the Pittsfield Township Hall are as follows:

April 14, July 14, October 13, & December 8

2025 Zoning Board Members

Chris Jordan
Charles Copp IV
William Forthofer
David Mull
Gene Mullins
Jeff Ewell

CAR SEAT SAFETY



60TH ANNIVERSARY OF 1965 PALM SUNDAY TORNADO

Pittsfield Township and LaGrange Historical Societies will jointly host a 60th Anniversary Event of the 1965 Palm Sunday Tornado that roared through Pittsfield and LaGrange. The program will be held on Saturday, April 26th at the Pittsfield Maintenance Garage from 12pm to 4pm.

The event will include discussions with survivors and families, including others who helped during and after the event with the cleanup. Author, Roger Pickenpaugh will talk about his book "The Night of the Wicked Winds" and share his memories of interviewing local survivors.

The tornado didn't just devastate Pittsfield, where nine lives were lost, and many were injured. It went on to hit just north of LaGrange killing five more, devastating farms and injuring many more.

Pictures and newspaper articles will be available for viewing and light refreshments will be provided. We hope you will be able to join the Pittsfield Township Historical Society at this interesting event.



Do you struggle with installing your infant or toddler car seat or booster seat?

Wellington Fire Department does have a car seat technician on staff that can show you how to install your car seat.

Please call the Wellington Fire Station at (440) 647-2245 and they will collect your name and phone number, and the firefighter will call you back to set up an appointment for installation.



The Wellington Fire District supports the ROTH ID TAG Emergency Identification System.

The ROTH ID TAG Identification System is an information tag that can be affixed to any product used by an infant, young child or person under the care of a parent or guardian.

An emergency is not the time to be scrambling for important, life-saving information. In the event of an accident, being able to contact the correct person, or knowing immediately of a medical condition or allergy, can be the difference between life and death. Include a ROTH ID TAG on your child's car seat so that in case of an emergency the first responders can quickly identify the child, and their emergency contacts can be reached.

To learn more about this program, please go to www.RothIDTag.com or ask about the program at the Wellington Fire Department.