

December 2014

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Township Calendar

Board of Trustees.....	Dec 1 – 7:00 p.m.
Planning Commission....	Dec 8 – 7:00 p.m.
DDA.....	Dec 9 – 7:00 p.m.
ZBA.....	Dec 15 – 7:30 p.m.
Parks and Rec Board....	Dec 18 – 7:00 p.m.
Planning Commission....	Dec 22 – 7:00 p.m.
Christmas Eve.....	Dec 24 – Twp Closed
Christmas Day.....	Dec 25 – Twp Closed
Day after Christmas	Dec 26 – Twp Closed
New Year's Eve	Dec 31 – Twp Closed

All meetings are held at:

**Lyon Township
58000 Grand River Avenue
New Hudson, MI 48165
Phone: 248-437-2240
Fax: 248-437-2336**

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Letters to Santa



Lyon Township is excited to be a new drop off point for letters to Santa! Children are invited to come in and drop off their letters. The mailbox is in the lobby of the Lyon Township Municipal Center and can be accessed during local business hours.

If your child would like to receive a response, please be sure to include your mailing address.

2015 Dog Licenses

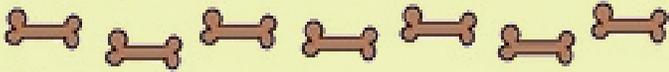


In accordance with Michigan Act 339 (The Dog Law), all dogs must be licensed at four months of age or older. Each Dog must be vaccinated by a certified veterinarian.

Oakland County dog licenses can be purchased at the Lyon Township Treasurer's Office, located at 58000 Grand River Avenue in New Hudson. You must bring proof of rabies vaccination. Please be advised that the Township

cannot accept credit or debit cards.

Dog licenses must be purchased by June 1st so that they are not considered delinquent for the year. The dog license rates through June 1st are as follows:

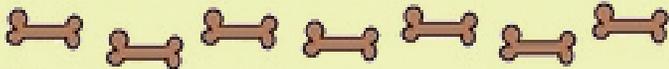


Spayed or neutered: \$7.50

Not spayed or neutered: \$15.00

Senior rate (65 and older) – spayed or neutered: \$6.75

Senior rate (65 and older) – not spayed or neutered: \$13.50



New for 2015!

Lyon Township is now able to sell three year dog licenses. The cost is three times the yearly rate, and your proof of rabies vaccination must be valid until a date during the year in which the license runs through.

If you have any questions about dog licenses, please call the Treasurer's Office at 248-437-2240.

Free Health Clinic



Capernaum is a coalition of local churches and volunteers to provide health care for those who, for whatever reason, currently find themselves without adequate coverage. Medical doctors, dental hygienists, and nurses will be available to provide care and assistance. In addition, there will be someone available to assist people with signing up for Medicaid expansion (Healthy Michigan Plan).

The location for the clinic in January will be at First United Methodist Church (640 South Lafayette, South Lyon). The dates and times are as follows:

Free Medical Care

January 8th, 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
January 9th, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (noon)

Walk-ins are welcome, but you may schedule an appointment by calling 248-225-4581.

Other services that may be available by appointment include: hearing tests, hearing aid cleanings, eye exams

Free Dental Care

January 5th – January 9th

By appointment only; no walk-ins.
Please call 248-225-4581 to schedule.

<http://capernaumhealthclinic.org>

Lyon Events Organization (LEO) Update



Lyon Events Organization (LEO) is a non-profit organization that is chartered to support the continued development of the Lyon Township Parks and Recreation programs. LEO will be holding a planning meeting in early January to start the ball rolling for the 2015 Lyon Township Kite Festival and begin initial planning for the 3rd annual Lyon Township Summerfest. The Kite Festival will be held the first weekend in June, and Summerfest will be in mid-July.

Upcoming Book Signings

Lyon Township's book *Images of America – Lyon Township* was released in September and is still generating a lot of buzz and excitement. We appreciate the people who have stopped by the Township Hall to purchase a copy. There have also been many people who have attended book signings and presentations. Due to the, we're pleased to announce the following events:

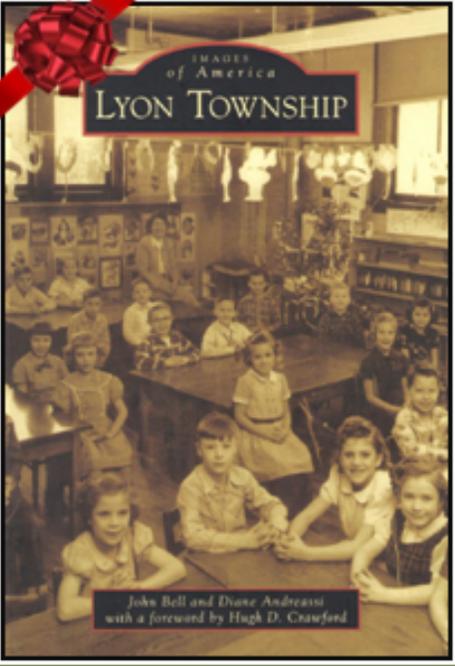
Book Signing
Thursday, December 18, 2014
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Walgreens Pharmacy
22318 Pontiac Trail
South Lyon, MI 48178

Book Signing and Historical Presentation
Saturday, January 31, 2015
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Salem-South Lyon District Library
9800 Pontiac Trail
South Lyon, MI 48178

This historical book and photographs capture the faces, buildings, and landscape of the Township in days gone by. Learn about the determination of the pioneers, everyday people, the movers and shakers, and the institutions that were the backbone of the community. The reader will travel through the past to modern day Lyon Township, which is the fastest growing community in Oakland County, Michigan.

One of the authors, John Bell will provide additional images and share personal anecdotal comments during the book signings.

If you can't make it to a signing but would like a book, they are available for purchase at the Lyon Township Hall (58000 Grand River Avenue, New Hudson). The price is \$20 per book, or \$18 per book when buying two or more.



Makes a great stocking stuffer!

The Holidays are just around the corner. Consider giving your loved ones the gift of history; your community history!

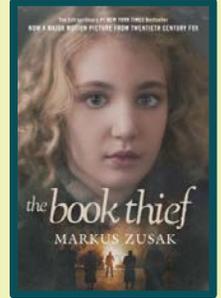
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Copies of *Images of America- Lyon Township* are available for sale at Lyon Township Hall - 58000 Grand River. The price is \$20 per book or \$18 each for two or more copies. Enjoy a pictorial history with over 200 photos. Profits from the book supports additional historic projects.

Lyon Township Public Library Events

Adults

- **Tai Chi – Wednesdays, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**
Join us every Wednesday! Forty years old and up. Please bring your own mat. Call the library to register.
- **Book Club – Tuesday, December 9th at 7:00 p.m.**
This month's selection is *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak. Pick up your copy at the circulation desk today!



Kids

- **Story Time – Wednesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.**
All are welcome, even babies!
- **Holiday Cookie Decorating and Craft – Saturday, December 6th, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.**
Join Miss Mary for a holiday craft and decorate your own sugar cookie!



Genealogy

- **Genealogy Book Club - Thursday, November 13th at 2:00 p.m.**
Our current pick is *Gone with the Wind* by Margaret Mitchell. Pick up your copy today. All are welcome!
- **Genealogy Christmas Tea – Tuesday, December 16th at 1:00 p.m.**
Enjoy tea and refreshments with fellow genealogists and friends.



Please visit <http://www.lyon.lib.mi.us> for additional programs and details on the above programs, or call 248-437-8800. The library is located at: 27005 Milford Road, South Lyon, MI 48178.

Holiday Office Closures

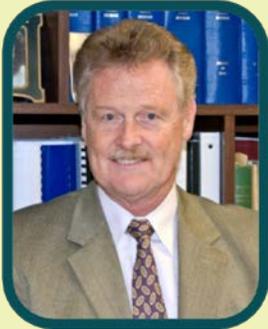
The Lyon Township Municipal Center will be closed on the following upcoming holidays:



- * Wednesday, December 24, 2014 (Christmas Eve)
- * Thursday, December 25, 2014 (Christmas Day)
- * Friday, December 26, 2014 (day after Christmas)
- * Wednesday, December 31, 2014 (New Year's Eve)
- * Thursday, January 1, 2015 (New Year's Day)
- * Friday, January 2, 2015 (Day after New Year's Day)



Lyon Township Board of Trustees



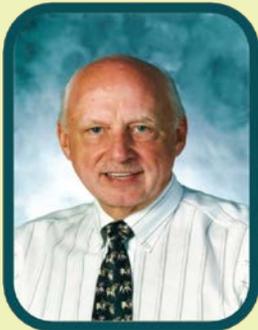
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Happy
Holidays!