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Aug 6
Advisory Plan Commission
7:00pm until end
Westfield City Hall - Assembly Room

Aug 7
Jake Laird Community Day
5:00pm - 8:00pm
Ameriana Bank - SR32 and Carey Rd

Aug 11
Heart and Soul Free Clinic
9:00am - 12:00pm
202 Penn Street

Aug 13
City Council Meeting
7:00pm until end
Westfield City Hall - Assembly Room

Sept 3
HOLIDAY CLOSING
City offices closed - all day

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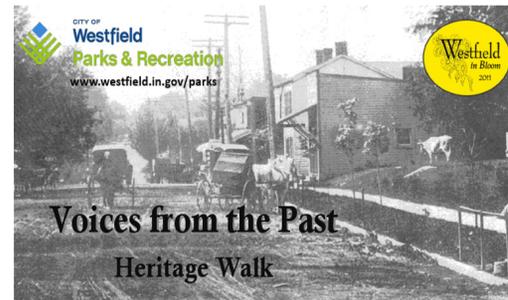
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AUG 2012

VOICES FROM THE PAST: LIVING HISTORY WALK

Voices from the Past is a unique way to learn about Westfield's history through the lives of former citizens. Attendees will be guided on a journey into the past through the Anti-Slavery Cemetery in Asa Bales Park and Old Friends Cemetery Park, where they will be met by Westfield Playhouse actors portraying locals with interesting stories to tell. See history come alive at this interactive and educational event. With the success of the event in its inaugural year, Voices from the Past will



be expanded to a two-day event in 2012. In a partnership with Westfield-Washington Schools, we are pleased to announce that we will be offering four tours on Friday, September 14th for families of Westfield-Washington School students. These tickets are just \$10 per family! Tours begin at 6:00pm, 6:10pm, 6:20pm, and 6:30pm. General public tours will be

offered on Saturday, September 15th, with guided tours leaving every 10 minutes starting at 1:00pm, and the last tour leaving at 3:30pm. All tours will begin at the east entrance to Asa Bales Park, located at 211 North Union Street, across from City Hall, lasting 1 hour and 30 minutes, with approximately 35 minutes of walking. Tickets for the Saturday, September 15th tours are \$10 for adults, \$5 for students, and children 12 & under are free. Advance tickets can be purchased at the Westfield in Bloom booth at the Farmers Market (Fridays 4:30pm - 7:30pm), or at the Customer Service Desk at the Westfield City Service Center (2728 East 171st Street, Mondays-Fridays 8am - 4:30pm).

CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES ON MONON BRIDGE



Hamilton County began their construction a few weeks ago on the Monon Trail pedestrian bridge spanning over 146th Street. The Hamilton County Highway Department has been the lead agency in designing and obtaining federal funding for a five-span, pre-engineered steel truss bridge to connect the Monon Trail from Carmel to Westfield over and across 146th Street. The bridge structure will span 428 feet and be a 12-foot wide path to provide safe crossing for users. Construction is expected to be completed by mid-November 2012, with landscaping in 2013.

The trail will be closed between the Greyhound Pass Trail Head in Westfield and the Rohrer Road Trail Head in Carmel. The detour route will follow Greyhound Pass west to Oak Ridge Road and then on the west side of Oak Ridge south to Howe Drive in Carmel, and finally east to Rohrer Road. A map of the detour route along with a rendering of the bridge can be found on the Westfield Parks Department's page at www.westfield.in.gov.

JAKE LAIRD COMMUNITY APPRECIATION DAY

The Officers of the Westfield Police Department are excited to invite the community to join them at the third annual "Jake Laird" Community Appreciation Day on Tuesday, August 7, 2012, from 5:00PM until 8:00PM in front of the Ameriana Bank located in the Westfield Marketplace at SR32 and Carey. The Westfield Police will be providing hotdogs, popcorn, and snow cones. Kids will be treated to various activities including bounce houses, games, and a K9 demonstration. The Officers will be on hand to showcase the Department's vehicles, equipment and programs.

SCULPTURE

Have you seen the new sculpture at the entrance to Asa Bales Park in downtown Westfield? The City's Grand Junction Task Group commissioned the work through Herron School of Art and Design's Basile Center for Art, Design and Public Life. Senior sculpture major Katey Bonar is the artist. The public is invited to a Meet the Artist Event on Friday, July 27 from 6pm to 8pm at the sculpture.

WATER CONSERVATION TIPS



While Westfield remains on a water usage restriction, here are some tips to help conserve water in your home:

- For cold drinks keep a pitcher of water in the refrigerator instead of running the tap.
- Collect the water you use for rinsing produce and reuse it to water houseplants.
- Time your shower to keep it under 5 minutes. You'll save up to 1000 gallons a month.
- Designate one glass for your drinking water each day. This will cut down on the number of times you run your dishwasher.
- Turn off the water while you brush your teeth and save 4 gallons a minute. That's 200 gallons a week for a family of four
- Run your washing machine and dishwasher only when they are full and you could save 1000 gallons a month.

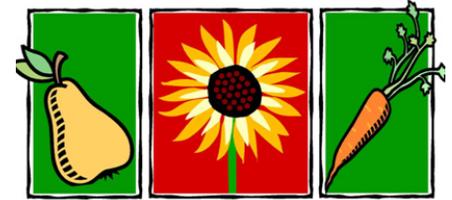
FIELD NOTES

CITY NEWS



LOOKING FOR A PLACE to cool off during these hot summer days? Look no further than the Quaker Park Splash Park! The water is recycled, so there's no worry about a water restriction. The park is located at 17501 Dartown Road.

BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS



Westfield Farmers Market

THE WESTFIELD FARMERS MARKET is in full swing. Stop by Friday nights from 4:30pm - 7:30pm at Westfield City Hall lawn. Each Friday features a different themed night!

NEIGHBORHOODS



MOSQUITOS carrying the West Nile Virus were recently found in Westfield. We urge all residents to be mindful of open water sources near their homes which can become a breeding ground for mosquitos.