HOLLAND HAPPENINGS NOV./DEC. 2016

FALL LEAF COLLECTION

It seems that leaves just do not want to fall this year! Maintenance crews will continue to follow the normal collection routes and collect leaves as needed. Collection is scheduled to end the first Monday in December.

Please keep leaves out of the roadway and be sure that only leaves are placed out for collection. Leaf piles containing yard waste such as brush, grass clippings and other plant materials will not be collected. These materials may be taken to Clean Wood Recycling on W. Bancroft at no cost as long as you have the yard waste card issued by the Village. Cards may be obtained at the offices on Clarion.

The Stormwater Coalition, a committee of the Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Governments recommends using leaves as you would mulch around your plant beds and trees to provide free fertilizer as the leaves decompose.

McCord Road Underpass

The long awaited opening of the underpass is scheduled for Friday Nov. 4 2016! Please use care while everyone adjusts to the road being opened and navigating the new roundabout.

Election Day—November 8

No Village offices are up for election this year, levies for Springfield Fire and other issues and candidates are on the ballot. Please Vote.

Veterans Day—November 11 Thank You!

Village offices will be closed on Thursday Nov. 24 & Friday Nov. 25 2016. Be sure to pick up any excess stickers you may need for extra refuse bags. Stickers are $1 each and available at the Village offices. Refuse and recycling collection will be as normal on Nov. 29 & 30 2016.

Did you know? Most people consume 4,500 calories on Thanksgiving Day, this equals 1.3 pounds. To burn off this many calories, a 160 pound person would need to walk 45 miles.

Over the River and Through the Snow….

If you plan on traveling over the upcoming holidays or leaving for warmer climates this winter, be sure to let the Holland Police Department know. The PD provides free house watch services for those extended periods when you are away from your home. Call the PD at 419-865-7105 Monday thru Friday between 10am & 2pm or complete a house

Reminders as Winter Weather Approaches

Sidewalks must be cleared of any snow and ice within 24 hours after a winter storm.

No parking on streets when 2 or more inches of snow is predicted. Vehicles parked on the streets are subject to citation or towing.

Mailboxes damaged on Angola and McCord Roads are the responsibility of Lucas County. 419-213-2892. Mailboxes damaged on Village streets should be reported to the offices at 419-865-7104.

Keep in mind that items in the right of way other than mailboxes, such as sprinklers, plant beds or decorative items are not the responsibility of the Village to repair or replace.

9th Annual Tree Lighting

Lighting of the tree, the arrival of Santa & cookies and hot chocolate in the Lodge at Strawberry Acres begin the holiday season in the Village. Come out to the Lodge on Thursday Dec. 1 2016 beginning at 6:45pm and enjoy the festivities.

Sponsored by the Village in conjunction with the Holland Springfield Journal and with assistance from many of Santa's Elves in the community, the event is enjoyed by all.

Village offices will be closed Monday December 26 2016. Refuse and recycling will be collected as normal on Dec. 27 & 28 2016.