

11/02/23

# Lawrence Community Development Meeting

6:00 pm at Lawrence Village Hall

**Attendance:** Phil Glennie, Mary & Andrew Muday, Klass Maring, Darrold & Reyne Shriver,  
Andrew Muday, Dale Gribler

**Budget:** on hold until further notice. Discussion with Dale on DDA contributing for downtown events. Phil will represent Community Development at DDA meetings

**Halloween** Trunk or Treat success, next date 10/26/24 (Saturday)

## Christmas in The Village - Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 2023

8-11 am Breakfast at Legion (not group yet established to run it)  
9am to 4 pm Craft show at Lawrence Township Hall - all vendor fees to pay for advertising  
Noon Ice Sculptures start (Costs \$400-first block, \$230 ea additional block, \$100 trip fee)  
9-3 pm Mary Webster Honorary Chili Cookoff – Contestants meet at 9 am, Judging starts at 1 pm  
2-4 pm Santa at Library  
4-6 pm Music at Fruit Street Kitchen  
6:00 Parade -Need traffic control, no police at 2022  
6:30 Light up Christmas tree in Park with Santa  
7:00 no information yet on Drone show  
6:30 to 8:00 Hot Choc and cookies at Legion

**House Decoration Contests (Halloween, Xmas)** -Christmas & Halloween. Gift cards to winners by donations

**Music in Park** — suspended until revenue source is determined

**Open Mic** - 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month, October thru May

**Miss Lawrence** –no discussion

## OLD (tabled) BUSINESS:

- “**Taste of Lawrence**” no discussion
- **Community Dances** – no discussion
- **Local restaurant gift certificates** - no discussion
- **Artist Market** – no discussion
- **Safety Lecture Series** - No discussion
- **Recognition Day** – Mary Webster July 9 2-4pm at Pavilion
- **Welcome Wagon – Treat Street** Grand opening Dec 2
- **History Night** – Friends of Library hosted May 2023
- **Movie of the Month** - no discussion
- New Business – Have the DDA join the Paw Paw Chamber of Commerce – costs, advantages, etc

Adjourned 6:50 pm Respectively submitted - **PJG**