

Village Voice

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The next regular council session will begin promptly at 7:00 pm
Monday, January 4th, 2010
The meeting will be held in the Council Chambers, located at 212 W Main Street, Centreville.

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Happy New Year!

Are you sick of breaking your New Year's resolutions? Why not make a resolution you can stick to this year? For 2010, make that New Year's resolution to become more involved in your community! You can do so by becoming a member of the Village Council, Downtown Development Authority, or Planning and Zoning Commission.

The Village Council meets once a month for regularly scheduled meetings and will have a work session or separate committee meeting one other evening a month.

Downtown Development Authority meets once a month for a regularly scheduled meeting.

The Planning and Zoning Commission also meets once a month.

As with any other committee or organization, you will need to take some time each month to familiarize yourself with materials for the monthly meetings with emphasis on projects, events and legalities of each item at hand.

If you sincerely feel like you have the time and dedication to help move this village forward, please submit a letter of interest to the Village Office.

With your help, 2010 could be another great year in the Village!

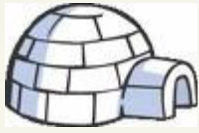


Village of Centreville Holiday Closures
The Village Offices will be closed:
December 24 - 25

December 31-January 1

As always, payments will still be accepted through our front door drop box located at 221 W Main Street.

Thank you!



Fun Winter Break Activities!



Some of the best winter break activities are fairly traditional, like making snowmen in colder climates when weather permits. But how about taking that outdoor fun to a new level by creating different kinds of snow creatures, from snowdogs to snowmonsters?

On a frosty day, stay inside and do some baking or cooking (with adult's supervision). Put together some kid-friendly recipes and have children involved in every step of the process, starting with making a grocery list and grocery shopping. Seeing the start to finish may bring a new appreciation to the work that goes into making those goodies!



For a simpler take on baking, buy refrigerated cookie dough and let the kids of all ages have a chance to shape, bake, and decorate those holiday favorites.

For some after-Christmas activities, have your children make personalized cards to thank others for their kindness and generosity during the holiday season.

Above all, try to enjoy these moments with your family. These are the days to make memories and traditions with those that you love the most. Have a very happy holiday season and restful winter break!



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Randy Baker, Superintendent
269-467-6409 - Regular Office Hours M-F 7:00 am - 3:30 pm
Email: rbaker@centrevillemi.com



WINTER! Winter is officially here. DPW staff is again hard at work keeping snow cleared from the roads. Please pitch in by keeping your cars in your driveways and not parked in the streets, to keep snowplowing running smoothly. Also remember, snow removal and salting of sidewalks is the responsibility of the homeowner. By keeping a clear sidewalk, you are helping out the entire community, especially the children who walk to and from school.



Upcoming Events at the Nottawa Township Library

Bonnie Heflin, Director
685 E Main Street - 269-467-6289 - www.nottawatownshiplibrary.com



Stop by the Nottawa Township Library website to use the new online library catalog, here you can find current inventory of the library, see what new arrivals have hit the shelves, utilize online resources and even reserve titles online! This awesome new feature can really save you some time and money!

PLEASE NOTE: When Centreville Schools are closed due to inclement weather, the library will be closed also. Thank you!

Start the new year off right by returning any overdue books !

Library Hours
Monday, Wednesday,
Thursday & Friday: 9 - 5
Tuesday 11 - 7
Saturday 9 - 12 noon
Closed Sunday

Lend a Helping Hand!

If you notice a neighbor in need this season, please lend a helping hand to them. Whether it is shoveling a sidewalk, clearing a driveway, or pushing cars out of ditches; remember that the little favors do add up and someday, someone will repay you.



QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"If you haven't any charity in your heart, you have the worst kind of heart trouble."

~ Bob Hope