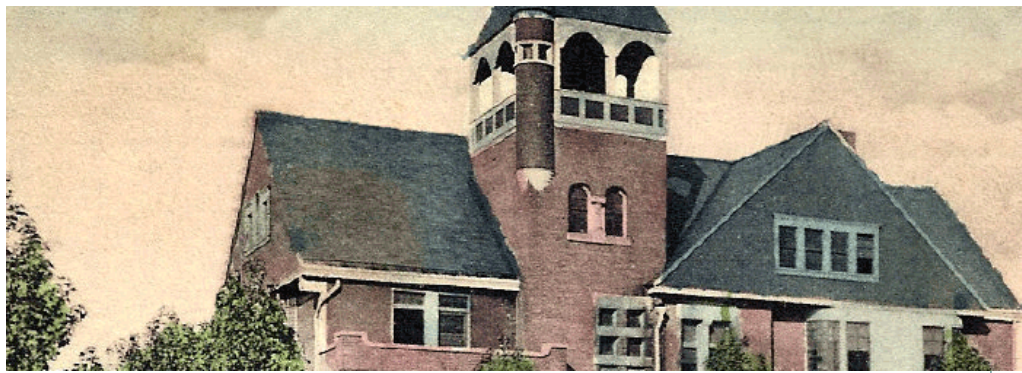




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WESTWORDS



A Message from the President

HELLO EVERYONE,

Westwood Civic Association is making strides this year to change to organization for the better. WCA conducted a special meeting Mon. March 12th, for business related to changing the organization from a 501(c) 4 to a 501(c)3. As a non profit organization WCA needs to be able to receive tax deductible donations from members and donors. Invest in Neighborhoods is working to provide a insurance policy for community councils in the city limits as well, but in order to qualify WCA would need to be a 501(c)3. The change is something that will benefit the organization and the community as it moves into the future.

Westwood Civic in partnership with Keep Cincinnati Beautiful and Cleanup Cincy will be hosting a cleanup on April 7th, from 9:30-12:30p at the gateways of Westwood and South Fairmont. One team will be meeting Harrison @ Fairmont, one team meets at the UDF, Queen City @ Wyoming. Citizens on Patrol will additionally be hosting a cleanup at Montana @ I-74 ramp up to Mustang. It's a day for clean-ups and we can use your help to make sure Westwood's gateways are looking good this summer!

Western Hills Viaduct Coalition is working establishing its next meeting date. At the first meeting Feb. 13th, many city reps, engineers, and local communities informed community members of the status and challenges the Viaduct project faced. Western Hills Viaduct Coalition will continue to look toward accessing where the project is and next steps for the group.

I will be stepping down as your President this year for personal reasons and I will be leaving the organizations leadership in Henry Frondorf's hands. It's been a great year and a half for WCA and I have enjoyed being your President. I'm not going far just changing hats!

Sincerely,

Shawntie Stallworth Schramm

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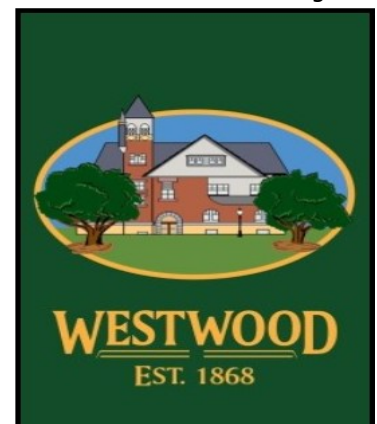
WESTWOOD CIVIC MEETINGS

- *Steering Committee Meetings* are held at Westwood Town Hall, **7:00pm**, on the second Tuesday of Jan, April, July, & October
- *General Membership Meetings* are held at Westwood Town Hall, **7:00pm**, on the **third Tuesday of each month.**
- ALL meetings are open to the public. **EVERYONE** is welcome!

Westwood Flags are Back!

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Gamble Montesorri Intersession Project at Westwood Community Gardens

WCG gardeners Joan Janson Smith, Sandra Matlow, and Stu Golder assisted instructor Jason Banks and 13 students with weeding and other spring garden tasks. The students accomplished a tremendous amount of work. This has been a mutli-year partnership and we are grateful for their volunteerism.

Due to the weather getting colder and wetter the students stopped at noon on Day One and returned later in the week to finish up the work. The weather was still chilly, but all were very pleased to see sunshine!

Many thanks to all involved for helping get WCG ready for planting. If you are interested in volunteering at WCG contact wcg.coordinator@gmail.com.

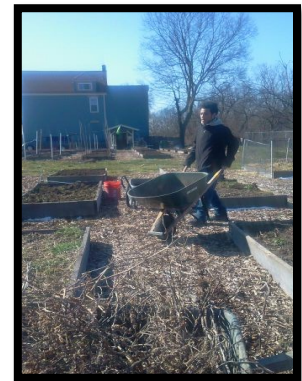
If you are interesting gardening at WCG the 2018 Application is available online at westwoodcivic.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/WCG-Application- Flyer2018.pdf



Students gearing up for the cold and damp morning of March 20 by constructing ponchos out of construction bags.



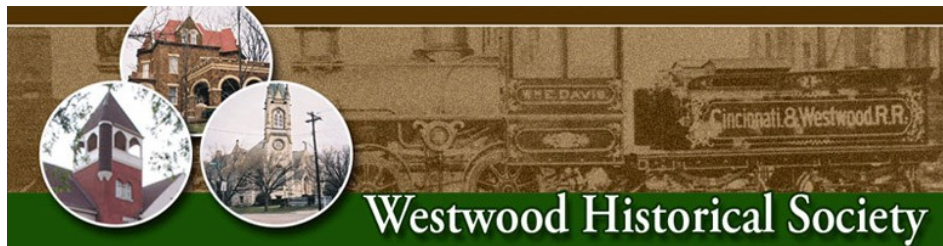
Moving soil to top up beds.



Teamwork: Students work together to fill the raised beds with soil.

Join us on Saturday, April 14, for another super fun trivia night, a fundraising event in support of Westwood Works! This event will take place at Avocado's in Cheviot from 5pm to 9pm. From 5pm to 7pm, folks can mingle, grab a bite or grab a drink. 7pm to 9pm is trivia time - time to show off that brain full of knowledge. Price is \$10 per person and you can pay at the door or in advance via Eventbrite - link can be found on Westwood Works' Facebook page or website. Team size will be 4 to 6. You can either form a team ahead of time or come and join/form a team on April 14th. Format is 6 rounds of 4 questions each. Prize baskets are being put together with donations from local merchants.





Check out www.WestwoodHistorical.org!

Find interesting Links (Westwood related old maps, recollections and diaries, photos, etc.)

Designing Women: Cincinnati Dressmakers

Wednesday, April 11, 7:00 pm

Westwood First Presbyterian Church

3011 Harrison Avenue (enter from Koenig Ave)

Learn about women's fashions during the late 19th and early 20th century and about some of the Cincinnati designers who made them happen. Explore the trends in styles and the movement from tailored to ready-to-wear. What were factors that played into the change?

Get a feel for how the ladies of Westwood might have looked for those special events around the time that in Westwood. You might even see styles similar to those worn by the previous residents of your house if your house was around in that era. The program will be presented by a member of the Cincinnati Art Museum Speakers Bureau.

Coming Soon!

Westwood-Opoly

Proofs are in. Production soon to follow.

Watch for the game to be available hopefully by the Westwood Home Tour!

2018 Cincinnati Preservation Association / Westwood Historical Society

Westwood Home Tour

Featuring 7 homes and the Westwood United Methodist Church.

Saturday, May 12, 1:00 – 5:00 pm

\$20 purchased ahead (online at CincinnatiPreservation.org or at Henke Wine through May 11)

\$25 day of tour at Westwood United Methodist Church

Info? www.WestwoodHistorical.org OR www.CincinnatiPreservation.org OR 513-721-4506

Interested in volunteering? Contact info@westwoodhistorical.org or 513-662-1156.

Move Westwood! We Challenge You! Saturday, April 21

Westwood wouldn't be the same without the Town Hall, home to Cincinnati Recreation Commission. As they say...use it or lose it! Show support for their programming by taking part in their annual **Westwood Moves! 5K Fun Run/Walk & Spinning** fundraiser

(and learn a little history along the route).

8:30 am Spinning OR 9:15 am Walk/Run (\$15 register ahead/\$20 day of)

Do both! (\$20 register ahead/\$30 day of)

Check it out at the Town Hall or go online to GetMeRegistered.com

Westwood Branch Library

by Sierra McKenzie and Travis Castleberry

Interested in...

Gaming?

- o Game On!—Thursday, April 5 @ 6:00 PM—Teens
 - o Video and tabletop games!
- o We're Gamers!—Monday, April 9 @ 3:00PM—Ages 8-12
 - o Video and board games!
- o Bingo for Kids—Monday, April 16 @ 3:00PM—Ages 6-12
 - o Play Bingo at the library for a chance to win a prize!

Movies?

- o Movie Night at the Westwood Library—Monday, April 16 @ 6:00 PM—Adults
 - o Join us for a movie at the library. Feel free to bring any food and beverages (non-alcoholic) of your choice.
- o Movie Matinee—Wednesday, April 18 @ 3:00 PM
 - o Enjoy our feature presentation!

Creating?

- o Craft Work—Wednesday, April 4 @ 3:00 PM—Ages 8-18
 - o What you create is up to you!
- o Buttons and Beads—Thursday, April 19 @ 5:00 PM—Teens
 - o Making buttons and crafting with ~~beads~~ beads
- o Jewelry Making with M&M—Thursday, April 19 @ 6:30 PM—Adults
 - o Staff members Michelle and Morgan as they teach you how to make jewelry.
- o LEGO Time @ Westwood—Monday, April 23 @ 3:00 PM—Children
 - o Build your own LEGO creations!

Bookclubs?

- o Between the Pages—Tuesdays @ 3:00 PM—Children, Teens
 - o Weekly tween and teen story hour!

Adult Book Club Thursday, April 22 7-8 pm

The Alice Network by Kate Quinn

In an enthralling new historical novel from national bestselling author Kate Quinn, two women—a female spy recruited to the real-life Alice Network in France during World War I and an unconventional American socialite searching for her cousin in 1947—are brought together in a mesmerizing story of courage and redemption.



Join us at the Westwood Branch Library for these exciting programs!
For information on any of our programs, please contact us at 369-4474.

Programs made possible by the Friends of the Public Library and the Kersten Fund.

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3345 Epworth Avenue
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www.cincinnatiilibrary.org

Hours of Operation:
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Westwood Gala & Auction Benefiting Westwood Civic

*Four to Nine O'clock on the evening of
May 19th, 2018*

*EP Manor
2552 Montana, Cincinnati, Oh 45211*

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NAME(S): _____

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ZIP CODE _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

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