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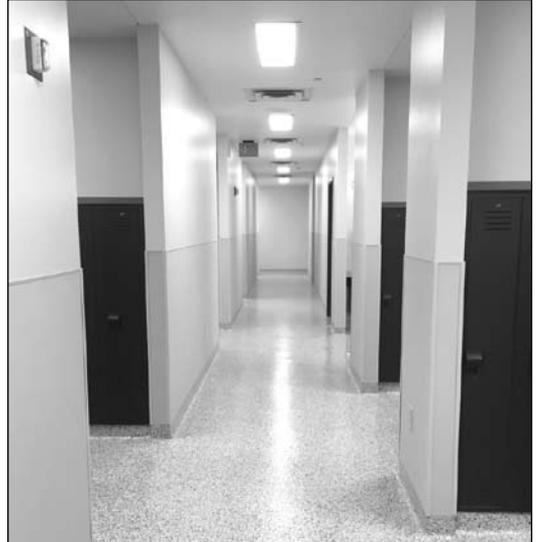
NEWS FROM PLAINFIELD, OCTOBER 2016

New Improvements at Recreation Center

During the closure of the Recreation and Aquatic Center in August, many tasks were accomplished and improvements made.

“Probably the biggest change was the renovation of the men’s and women’s locker rooms,” said Parks and Recreation Director Clay Chafin. “These included redoing the floors, installing new hand-dryers to eliminate paper and become more eco-friendly, adding new wallboards and decorative wall panels to improve aesthetics, and updating shower equipment and replacing shower curtains.” Chafin said they also did a deep cleaning of other areas in the locker rooms. “We’ve ordered new LED lights to replace most of the lights in the locker rooms, too,” he added. “We’ll be installing those when they come in.”

The indoor café was repurposed as well. “Requests for meetings spaces requiring a warming kitchen have increased,” Chafin said. “The café was not as financially successful as we would have liked so we



During the recent recreation center closure, the men’s and women’s locker rooms were renovated. Items updated included redoing the floors, installing new wallboards, and adding decorative wall panels.

converted the café to a warming kitchen for the Room 139 meeting space. We also updated the technology in the two large meeting rooms. We now have new screens and new sound systems. *(continued)*



The roof of the indoor aquatic center is being replaced. Here is look at the upper level before the new roof is installed.

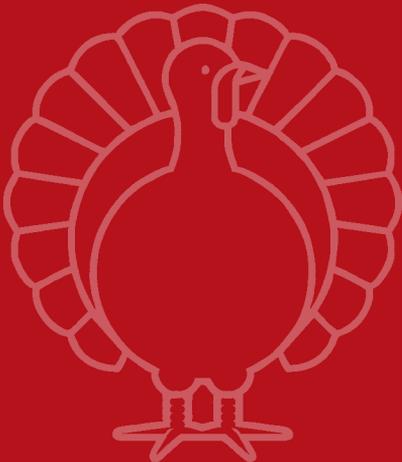


The scaffolding shows the area where the indoor aquatic center is under repair.

Thanksgiving in Plainfield!

- The Plainfield Community Thanksgiving Worship Service will be Thursday, November 26 at 9:30 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Plainfield (corner of Stafford and Simmons). The community is invited to attend this special worship service sponsored by the Plainfield Federation of Churches. A freewill offering will be taken for the Food Pantry.

- The annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner will be held at the Guilford Township Community Center at Hummel Park on Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 24), provided by the Community Thanksgiving Dinner Committee and Plainfield Christian Church. This meal features traditional Thanksgiving food and plenty of it. Open to everyone and completely free of charge. Feel free to dine at the Guilford Township Community Center, pick up a meal to take home, or order a meal in advance for delivery. (Local delivery available; orders must be placed by noon on Monday, November 23; call 317-839-2384 for details.) Those who dine in will be able to enjoy the company of others on this special day. Serving time will be from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



Patrons can more easily access their presentations, too.”

Chafin noted that replacing the indoor aquatic center roof, which was begun during the closure, continues in process until the end of the year. “It’s a maintenance issue that really needed to be addressed. We’re using the aquatic center’s slowest time of the year for accomplishing the task, but there’s never a perfect time to do something like this. We’re looking forward to getting it back open soon.”

Yard Waste Site to Close in November

The Hendricks County Solid Waste Management District’s Yard Waste Site in Plainfield will close at the end of November. The last day of operation will be Monday, November 28. The site, which is located at 7020 South CR 875 East, is open on Mondays, Fridays, and Saturdays through the 28th. Hours are 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Phone number is 317-838-9332.

Thanksgiving Trash Pickup:

Ray’s Trash Service picks up trash every day except Christmas and New Year’s Day. That means if Thursday is your regular trash day, you should put out your trash on Thanksgiving Day. It will be picked up. (But get it out early ... the guys at Ray’s are anxious to get home to be with their families, too.)

We’ll have the Christmas schedule in the next newsletter.

