

PENDLETON

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HOME TOWN NEWS

FROM THE SUPERVISOR'S DESK



Jim Riester
625-8833

It seems like forever since the last newsletter. First and foremost, an update on the compressor issues....

Just yesterday National Fuel announced that they obtained an option to buy 20 acres of land from the Tonawanda Sportsman's Club. Not a good thing for our fight against the compressor.... A willing seller is key to moving ahead with this project. As you have seen in the paper and on TV we will continue to fight this battle on all fronts. The town has hired an environmental lawyer to help us with this project - his name is Gary Abraham and comes highly recommended to us; after doing a search of many and various recommendations we selected him. He will be exploring various options and looking at our ordinances for help in this

project. National Fuel will be holding an informational meeting in October at a place not yet selected. They have said they will be notifying all the residents *by mail* about this meeting. This will give you a chance to find out more about this project and hopefully voice your opinions. I hope this newsletter gets to you before the meeting; we'll try to make that happen. I have had a few people say to me " Well, I live on the other side of town, so it really doesn't really effect me". It does really affect all the people in Pendleton because what's bad for one part of Pendleton is bad publicity for the whole town. We need to support one another across the whole town!! The next crazy thing that comes along maybe in your part of town and you would hope the whole town would come out to support your problem. We need to be there for each other.

It seems lately it has been one thing after another. First we had the FEMA flood plain issues, then the sludge issue and now the Compressor. We seem to be a target for all these crazy things. I think I can speak for the whole town board that our first and foremost concern is the Health and well-being of the citizens of Pendleton. Watch the Pendleton sign at Town Hall for information about the Pendleton Action Team meetings at Wendelville. Please follow them on Facebook to keep up with their activities.

And on a different, but equally important topic, the planning board has been involved in a couple of new projects this year; some successful and some not so much. The first, we were approached by New York City Brewing as they were interested in a piece of property on Transit Road for their

business, which would have been great for us. They talked to the planning board representative about the land. He pointed out the obstacles with this property, which were only 60-foot frontage and being about 200 feet back before it opened up to a wider lot. It also had a high-pressure gas line going across it and advised of the associated easement. The property had wetlands on it too, so it severely limited what they could do. I imagine that were thankful that they talked to us before buying the property. So as you can see they ended up across the street in the town of Lockport. People are always interested in where the tax money from a project like this is distributed. Well, Niagara County will get it's part and Starpoint will get the tax revenue, again a good thing. The Town of Lockport will also receive tax dollars because it is located there.

The other big project that happened this quarter, the Hampton Inn was looking for a spot on Transit road and this one is being built in the Town of Pendleton just south of Mike Smith Buick! It is a 72-room facility, which is in a properly zoned area. The developer actually came up to me after with a word of thanks and congratulated me on the planning board and how great they were to work with!

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TOWN CLERK

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Terry Pienta
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PENDLETON VETERANS ASSOCIATION

It has been a busy summer for our association despite the suspension of our meetings during July and August. We maintained an information table at several local and regional attractions including, The Memorial Day wreath ceremony at Town Hall, 4th of July picnic at town park, The traveling Vietnam wall in Lockport, Pendleton Lions fish derby, Thunder of Niagara Air show, and The Wendelville Car show. All of which were well received and in line with increasing our membership and our mission to honor all Pendleton Veterans.

On that note, it is with great honor that I announce the completion and installation of the Memorial Board project with the list of veterans from our town that have been identified and verified TO DATE. The board is located on the west wall of the town hall lobby accessed from the rear entrance directly next to the town clerk's window. It will be maintained and updated regularly by this association. Look for the VETS bulletin board adjacent to the memorial board in the near future.

A big thank you goes out to Rod Neubauer, our secretary, for the construction of the board.

Congrats to the planning board! Now the interesting tax question, "Where does the tax revenue go?" Well, in this case, Niagara County gets tax money, the Town of Pendleton gets tax money (a good thing,) but Lockport City Schools get the school tax money because that part of Pendleton is in the Lockport City School district. It would have been nice to get both projects, but it is good to gain what we can! It would have been nicer to get them both in the Starpoint School district. Things aren't always as straightforward as you think they should be.

The water meter reader installation continues; they have installed about 350 so far. Keep up the good work! You can help with this project by making yourself available so they can get in your house to change the heads. The Water Department will call you to set up an appointment to have this done. It only takes a few minutes but the hardest part of this project is scheduling the work. Only 1200 to go!!

Our Veterans Committee has put up a board commemorating all the veterans that have lived in Pendleton. If you haven't seen it stop by the Town hall - it's very impressive!! It's right by the Town Clerk's area as you come in the door.

By the time you receive this newsletter we will be well into the budgeting process. It is always very difficult, because a lot of people have very worthwhile ideas but we only have so much money to go around. I'm sure we'll do the best we can; not everyone will be happy, but most will be not completely disappointed. Call with concerns....As ever, Jim

We are hosting a visit from State Senator Robert G Ort from our Sept 16, 2015 meeting. Any veteran from town is invited to attend the meeting and potentially join our association.

Now on to our next project which is a permanent exterior memorial to be located somewhere prominent within the town (suggestions welcomed). Donations for this memorial are already coming in with a huge thanks to the donors.

Our association sells American flags and are available thru a donated display at the Niagara Produce Market on Transit Road. Proceeds go to our association. All flags are made in America and of high commercial embroidered quality. Our association also accepts damaged and torn American flags for proper disposal.

As always, please let us know of any veterans from any era, living in our town not identified on the board, also if any corrections need to be made. Membership to the association is open to all veteran residents of the town. We meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month at 1pm at the historical bldg (Log Cabin) adjacent to town hall. Evening meetings will be scheduled in the near future.

Greg Metzger

TOWN HISTORIAN

Hello Residents! I was recently donated a typed excerpt of original town minutes from the years 1847 and 1848, so I thought I would share the more interesting information with you.

In 1847 there were twenty boys and twelve girls born, including one set of twins. Those twins were born on August 20, 1847 and named Julia and John and their parents were James and Julia Mitchell. Unfortunately, John died on September 15th of an unrecorded cause.

Of the thirty-two children born, only two died within their first year, and only one mother died a few months after giving birth. The cause of her death was recorded as 'thirst'.

In 1848 there were fifteen boys and twelve girls born in the town. Again, two children died and one mother perished a week after having her son.

The Kinglesmith last name kept reappearing in the documents and it was as though I got a glimpse into their life in just a few short pages. Andrew, age 20, and Dorothy Wertenberg, age 18, were married on April 1, 1848, had their son Andrew on July 26, 1848 and then had to witness the death of their son just five weeks later. Fortunately their name is the

PENDLETON SENIORS

Summer is almost gone and Fall is on the way. Soon school will be starting. The Pendleton Seniors meet just once a month now. We meet the third Wednesday of the month at the Pendleton Town Hall on Campbell Blvd. You must be a resident of the Town of Pendleton and 55 years of age or older. We eat at noon. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. On September 22nd we will have a trip to Erie PA to the Station Dinner Theatre. We will see the production of "Blame It on the Movies". We leave at 9:00 AM and return at 5:30 PM. Cost is \$39.00 a person. If you are a resident of the Town of Pendleton and are 55 years of age or older you are eligible to go on the Senior Trips. If you would like to go on a trip for more information call Beverly Richardson at 434-7609 or Carol Moeller at 625-8769.

only one like that, that I came across in this set of documents.

As this is Pendleton, it didn't surprise me to see that the majority of the occupations of the men in the community were farmers. The occupations that were listed for the women were simply 'housework', which was very typical of those times.

Causes of Death in these years were Inflammation of lungs, Scarlet Fever, Fits or Seizures (4 deaths), Thirst, Diarrhea, Chills, Typhus (3 deaths), Whooping Cough, Cholera, Fever, and Consumption (probably Tuberculosis) which had 2 deaths.

It was very interesting to look at the original handwritten records that Terry Pienta has preserved in the vault, and I look forward to delve further into the history of the town.

Again I invite you to send any questions or concerns or any information you have to me as I would love to hear some feedback or any other future ideas on articles or research and perhaps a little exhibit in the Town Hall. You can contact me at tpellish@gmail.com or leaving me a message at 716-628-4751.

Tori Pellish
Town Historian



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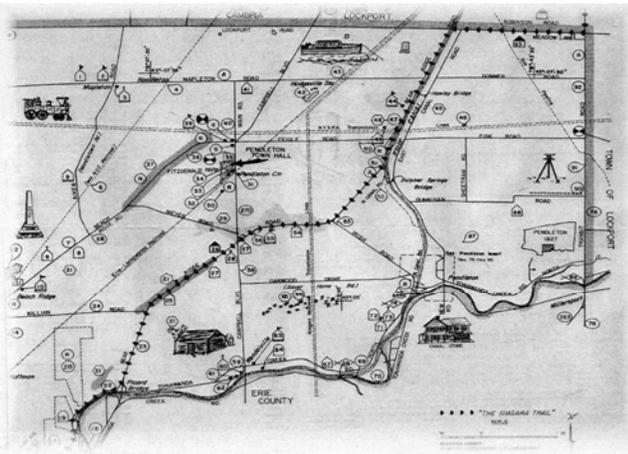

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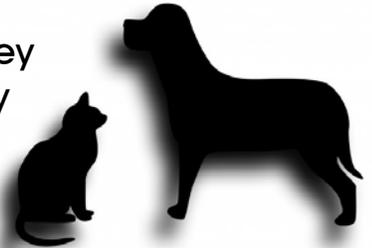
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For those of you who are not aware, we are currently in the process of changing electronic meter readers on your water meters. It is imperative that we get all of the homes in the town changed as soon as possible so that we can keep up with current water readings and billings. This is a very quick process and takes less than ten minutes to complete. Your water service is not interrupted. If you have not been scheduled yet, please call the office at 716.625.8033 as soon as possible to get on the calendar. We currently have changed approximately 450 readers out of the 1,500 that need completed. Your assistance in helping us to finalize this project as quickly as possible is greatly appreciated.

Also, please note that many residents have gone from land line telephones to cell phones and have not notified the town of this. It is very important that we have a phone number on file for all homeowners in case of an emergency or a situation as mentioned above where we need to be in touch with you to make sure that all residents remain safe and up to date. Please call the Town Hall at 716.625.8833 to update your telephone information as soon as possible.

Sincerely, James Argo
 Water and Sewer Superintendent
 Storm Water Officer



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Summer is almost over, Fall is on the way and the leaves will be changing soon. Our meeting is on the third Monday of the month at the cabin on Campbell Blvd. The Board of Directors meets at 7:00 PM and the regular meeting is at 7:30 PM. We are busy setting up displays in the cabin and also in the small garage to the side of the cabin. We want to thank everyone who helped us and also the Veterans helped us too. It was greatly appreciated. We also want to thank the people who helped at the cabin on the 4th of July. A big thank you to everyone. Our basket raffle was a great success. Our next event coming up is our homemade cookie sale which will be held on December 12, 2015. All donations of cookies will be appreciated. Time of cookie sale is from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. Our speaker for our September 21st meeting will be Anna Marie Linnaberry from the Niagara County Historical Society. Everyone is welcome. Looking forward to seeing you. For further information call Jane Walter at 693-6966 or Carol Moeller at 625-8769. Carol Moeller, President

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We turn no one away who is requesting assistance in providing food for their families and are available on an emergency basis.

The PENDLETON FOOD PANTRY relies on and appreciates any and all donations of cash, food items, personal care items, and volunteer service. If you would like to make a donation of any kind in person, see the FOOD PANTRY "in action" or volunteer, or if you find that you, your family, or someone you know in the community are in need of "food assistance," or have any questions, you are welcome to stop by the FOOD PANTRY on Thursday morning between 10:00 A.M. and noon or call 348-9574 and leave a message.

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Autumn is fast approaching and cooler weather. The Wendelville Seniors are looking forward to the holidays and the parties. We would like to thank Terry Pienta and her staff for their help during the year, also the men who set up our room for us. Our four trip directors have done a wonderful job of selecting trips for us. Thanks for all your hard work Carol Moeller, Beverly Richardson, Doreen Neilson and Dorothy Berlangier. To become a member you must be 55 years or older and a resident of Pendleton. We meet the second Monday of each month at the Pendleton Town Hall at 12:00 noon for a "pot luck" lunch. At 1:00 we have a short meeting and play Bingo. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. If you have any questions I can be reached at 625-9106. Please remember our Veterans and their service in the armed forces. Have a wonderful Holiday and keep safe and healthy.

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Hello, well what a nice summer we have had, especially on weekends, as far as weather goes. My crew knows that I joke and tell them that I have a “force field” over Pendleton during storms. Well, Friday night the 14th of August things did not go so well for some of us. I had been complaining that the south end of town where I live has not had much rain. Well, boy did that change that night. At 2:30 am I had the weather channel on and when the warning area said flash flood for Pendleton, Pendleton Center, Wendelville, Tonawanda Creek and North Amherst I knew it was not good.

After battling the water all night at my house, I toured the south section of town. I was happy to see much of the water had gone into the canal at sunrise and the rest was moving quickly. I did call our town engineer right away and he came and surveyed the area with me. As of now we are checking our design plans for future subdivision regulations. The preliminary report states that the roads are designed for a ten year storm and ponds for a twenty five year storm. The total for this storm was approximately 7.1 inches of rain which is near a 100 year storm. Hopefully we can “fix” the future subs yet to be developed. Within a few days after the storm, I worked my way through the entire drainage system of the worst area which was the Ridgeview subdivision. All of the water from the northwest pond has a 12” drain which goes south under Ridgeview and then picks up with the underground drain system that heads east into the southeast pond and then that drains into the Bear Ridge ditch which ultimately goes into the canal at Bear Ridge town ditch number two at the Tonawanda Creek area. Our engineer is looking into whether or not it’s possible to add an additional drain to possibly head southwest into town ditch number one.

Basically, the subs are designed to “hold” their own water and let it out into the main drainage system as to not impact the drains any different than when it was vacant land. For example, once a house is built it “captures” the water that normally would work into the ground or drains slowly and after a house is built it moves very quickly and sends it into the system more rapidly. Although, I believe the regulations need to be changed for a larger storm event (we get ten year storms almost annually these days). The bottom line is we can’t drastically change the reason the system is in place or the whole town will be impacted. I personally talked to enough of you that you know we will be working on it in the future.

As far as roadwork goes, we were able to seal cracks on approximately six roads and hope to do more this fall. We were able to micro-seal Townline between Loveland and Slusaric, Meadow lane, West Canal Road and Sheetram Road. As of the writing of this letter, it has not been determined what other road (s) will be worked on. As I said in the past, I do respect those of you that want “your” road done, but until you understand that it’s my job to represent all of Pendleton, I hope that you will respect that. I have totally bought into the “keep your good roads good” policy that was taught to me by Cornell University. There are all sorts of charts and graphs to show how much more it costs after you “lose” a road to bring it back up then it does to perform regular maintenance. Crack sealing, fog

sealing, oil and stone, slurry, micro-sealing are a lot of cost effective methods to keep our roads sealed from water and ice getting under them. Regular drainage work is also very important and that’s one of the biggest things that we can’t get done anymore with cutting our manpower from eight to five workers. Most of our open drainage ditches need to be cleared every three to five years and that is now impossible. Hopefully by the time you get this, the board and I will have made the right decisions for the town as a whole as to what roads will be done.

By the time you receive this, it will be leading into the fall to winter season in which we will be installing stakes to mark for our plow drivers to help guide them. Hopefully, we will be able to brush hog our roadside and off road ditches to drain storm water and snow melt to drain away quickly. We try to do as much as possible every fall.

Speaking of drainage, anyone with steel pipe in the ground, at some point, will need to change to plastic. All steel pipe in town is rotting and deteriorating. It is your expense to pay for new pipe and the town to replace it. This is also something that we can no longer do efficiently with cuts. One large area of concern is on Dunnigan Road. Home owners on the south side from Sheetram toward the curve in particular will need to be changed.

Also, regarding drainage and ditches, it is important that I remind homeowners who have easements on their property that give us access to clean up the ditches it is imperative that we not have any obstructions such as sheds, wood piles, swimming pools, etc. We need to have unlimited access to clean the areas so that the ditches can run freely.

Also, since the cuts we no longer can chip brush all year. We try to stop from July 4th to Labor Day. During the summer months I need my crew for road and drainage work. My crew also preps the parks, cemeteries and grounds until our summer help arrives. Typically, we have college “kids” after school is out to take care of these jobs. We had three summer interns this year. Thanks to Nicole Cyr, Justin LaMont and Alexandra Buchner for a job well done.

Now back to snow: please be advised that we are not responsible for items in the road right of way such as mailboxes, landscapes, and underground sprinklers and such. We are able, sometimes, to place a stake as long as it does not prevent us from moving the snow off the roads quickly. Also remember it is illegal to place your snow back out into the road or right away. Make sure when you hire a contractor that they know this. We had quite a problem in the new Bear Ridge Estates subdivision last year.

Also note that this summer I had a very short fuse with a contractor that dumped a load of landscape stone and topsoil in the road. This is absolutely illegal. Again, please let your contractor know that they will be held accountable for this.

In regard to the Feigle Road construction project, the county has had another delay and they anticipate that the work will be completed by the end of 2016.

As always, should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 716.625.8033 or jstowell@pendletonny.us.

Jeff Stowell
Highway Superintendent

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WENDELVILLE LADIES AUXILIARY

The Wendelville Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary are holding a Halloween party for the children of Pendleton on Sunday, October 25th from 2 pm to 4 pm. Please join us for an afternoon of games, treats and fun. For more information and to R.S.V.P call Nancy Christman at 625-8575.

Happy
HALLOWEEN!



FROM THE WATER/SEWER BILLING DEPARTMENT

Well, here it is the last week of August and the temperatures are already cooling down. I sure hope we are going to have a nice fall this year. Seems like over the past few years we have gone from summer to winter with no easing into the frigid temperatures.

This is going to be a very sad week for me as my youngest daughter Taylor is going to be moving into her dorm room to start a new phase in her life. As hard as it will be to say goodbye I am so proud of her accomplishments and know that she will be just fine out there on her own (I wonder if I will be...LOL!!) So hard to believe that both of my babies are grown up and on their own, time just goes by so fast.

Well I've been very busy with all of the new reader installs that the water & sewer department are installing. We are missing an awful lot of telephone numbers for the residents in town so if you receive a hang tag on your front door PLEASE CONTACT THE WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE so that we can schedule an appointment to change your reader.

October water bills should be relatively normal as we had quite a bit of rain in between those hot and muggy days (the consumption period for your October water bill reflects water used in July, August & September).

Remember that when you compare your water consumptions you must compare billing period to billing period (ex. Oct., 2014 with Oct., 2015 and so forth) not previous bill to current bill.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THE TOWN OF PENDLETON DOES NOT MAKE ADJUSTMENTS FOR SPRINKLER SYSTEMS OR THE FILLING OF SWIMMING POOLS.

- * Billing cycles occur in January, April, July and October.
- * Water bills are mailed out by the last Friday of the billing month.
- * If you do not receive a bill by the last day of the billing month please contact the billing department.
- * For your convenience there is a lockbox located in the foyer at the back entrance to the Town Hall.
- * Payments placed in the lockbox will be credited to your account on the **next business day**.
- * If you pay online please allow **10 business days** for mailing.

If you are selling your home please contact our office 5 business days prior to closing to schedule a final read and a mandatory water/sewer line inspection. **YOU MUST HAVE YOUR WATER & SEWER LINES INSPECTED BEFORE YOU CLOSE ON YOUR HOUSE!!!** There is a \$25.00 fee for the inspection. If any repairs need to be made, there may be additional fees involved. If you are purchasing a new home please contact our office ASAP to set up an account.

IF YOU ARE LEAVING THE AREA TEMPORARILY (i.e. Vacation) PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE POST OFFICE WILL NOT FORWARD WATER BILLS, EVEN IF YOU HAVE A FORWARDING REQUEST AT THE POST OFFICE.

To avoid late fees to your account you can pre-pay your bill (s), or have your bill sent to the temporary address. Please contact the billing clerk at 625-8833 ext. 11 to make these arrangements.

Please remember ALL of the men and women in our Armed Forces, past and present. Hope everyone has a wonderful fall!

Rita Dispenza

RECREATION NEWS

I'd like to thank all of the children and parents as well as our hard working directors, counselors, lifeguards and chaperones who helped to produce another successful Pendleton Summer Recreation program at Starpoint School. Each of you is an important part of the program and your cooperation and efforts are greatly appreciated. Work has already begun on the 2016 edition.

We plan to hold the Pendleton Family Swim Program again on Friday evenings in January and February of 2016. Check our webpage and the next newsletter for specific dates. Children must be accompanied by an adult. If school closes on Friday due to weather or emergency, the swim program will be cancelled for that evening.

Charlie Langlois
Recreation Director

Life is a blank canvass...and you need to throw all the paint on it that you can!

- Danny Kaye

ASSESSMENT NEWS

This continuing section of our newsletter shows the Arm's Length sales for the previous quarter. Not included in Arm's Length sales are construction sales, estate sales, foreclosures and sales between relatives. * Land sizes under one acre are not listed. Because sales will eventually affect what your home is assessed, it is important for property owners to see what is sold in town, and the sales prices.

DATE	ADDRESS	SELLER	SALE PRICE	ASSESSED VALUE	SQ. FT. L.A.	STYLE	YEAR BUILT	LAND*
03/20/15	6649 Sheetram Road	Pautler	255,000	230,000	2465	Colonial	2000	19.6
03/25/15	5263 Terri Lane	Kenney	285,000	265,000	2998	Colonial	1996	
03/31/15	4623 Kriston Lane	Winter	265,000	263,800	2717	Colonial	1987	
05/01/15	7176 Pendale Circle	Scott	257,000	223,000	2192	Colonial	1997	
05/08/15	5272 Terri Lane	Geraci	297,000	232,400	2224	Colonial	1996	
05/19/15	7244 Creekbend Drive	Majestic	478,000	328,600	2859	Colonial	2013	
06/03/15	6557 Sheetram Road	LPS Home	365,000	270,000	2497	Ranch	2014	1.90
06/03/15	5292 Fiegle Road	Clyde	148,000	143,700	1472	Ranch	1957	2.50
06/03/15	4729 Tonawanda Creek Road	Daigler	165,000	140,000	1520	Old	1928	1.50
06/15/15	5396 Irish Road	Kluczynski	174,000	150,000	1884	Split	1965	
06/19/15	7146 Pendale Circle	Saraceno	336,000	272,000	2666	Colonial	1995	
06/22/15	7163 Pendale Circle	Molloy	334,500	235,000	2253	Colonial	1998	
06/25/15	4575 Ridge View South	Lewandowski	240,000	289,300	3105	Colonial	1996	
06/25/15	4457 Beach Ridge Road	Burger	187,000	160,000	1816	Raised	1986	1.50
06/26/15	7200 Bear Ridge Road	Frankino	255,000	183,100	2106	Old	1880	9.90
06/26/15	6573 Aiken Road	Preisigke	155,000	135,000	1524	Old	1855	10.70
07/02/15	5265 Tonawanda Creek Road	Bonn	160,000	130,000	1372	Split	1990	
07/14/15	6076 Campbell Blvd	Dawson	195,000	161,100	1684	Cape	1948	20.30
07/17/15	5865 Dunnigan Road	Case	163,000	150,000	1308	Ranch	1996	
07/20/15	6277 Townline Road	Bowerman	115,000	100,000	1058	Ranch	1960	.83
07/27/15	7268 Lakeview Court	Ranck	288,500	255,300	2513	Colonial	1997	
07/29/15	7266 Ridge View West	Reineck	271,920	205,000	2510	Colonial	1998	
07/31/15	6579 Aiken Road	Pawlukovich	337,500	266,700	2749	Colonial	1991	2.50
07/31/15	7336 Bear Ridge Road	Pellish	125,000	105,000	1080	Ranch	1949	
07/31/15	7329 Paddock Road	Faustin	396,000	290,000	2766	Colonial	2011	.80
07/31/15	4188 Tonawanda Creek Road	Sepanski	240,000	138,000	1355	Ranch	1955	1.60

REMINDER

If you move from your primary residence in Pendleton it is your obligation to notify the Assessor's office. Each residence that is receiving the Star Exemption signed the Star application acknowledging that they would notify the Assessor of their change in residency.

Please remember all exemptions are due by March 1st. If you will be turning 65 in 2016 you may be eligible for the Enhanced Star. If you believe you might be eligible please call the Assessor's office 625-8833 ext.16



We Serve

PENDLETON LIONS CLUB

By now all residents should have received the annual Lions club directory which went out to Pendleton homes recently. If any resident in the town did not receive their directory please feel free to contact me at 625-6006 and I will make arrangements to get your directory to you, also let me know about any corrections that need to be made to your information. We would like to thank Lion Dan Wendt, Lion Chris King, Lion Tom Valentine and all Lions who helped deliver the directories. Also, a special 'Thank you' to the Lions involved for their work putting the directory together and getting new advertisers. We hope this directory is an even more useful tool for you to keep on the kitchen counter. We also hope you continue to support those faithful advertisers who support this directory and allow us to present it to you. Thanks to the many residents who have sent in donations to the club shortly after it was delivered. It is your support that helps us continue the many local and international projects that Pendleton Lions do support. For those who may have forgotten your donation, but are planning to send one in, we will accept anything at anytime during the year. A very heartfelt thank you goes out to all residents for their kind support.

Also, this September we will be kicking off our Peace Poster contest involving our middle school children. The contest is open to all students who will be 11, 12 or 13 years of age on November 15th, 2015. "Share Peace" is the theme of the 2015/2016 Peace Poster Contest. We will have 3 winners with the first prize winner advancing to compete in our Lions District contest held at the 3rd cabinet meeting on November 7th, 2015.

Calling all incoming Starpoint Seniors graduating this June 2016, remember all incoming seniors you are eligible as residents of Pendleton to compete for the 6-\$500.00 scholarships the Lions club presents at senior award breakfast. See your guidance counselors early on to find out what the requirements are. We would like to see more students in the town take advantage of this scholarship program, especially if you are applying for a two year college degree.

Finally, just a quick note to all residents of our great town, we wanted to let everyone know that our membership continues to grow and we are still looking for new members. Our first membership meeting to be held this September 08th.

Great things are happening in the club so if there is an interest from anyone please contact our membership chairman Lion Ken Smith at 625-6186 or membership committee member & past president Rich Niezgoda at 689-9226 for information and applications.

Lion Secretary, Joe Biondo



**Alanna Nitto, Dana Daigler, 4-H Leader
Rhonda Daigler, Kasey Stover and County
Legislator Tony Nemi**

PENDLETON CHURCH MICE 4-H CLUB

Niagara County Legislator Tony Nemi congratulates all Pendleton Church Mice 4H'ers for their hard work and dedication for all their Fair exhibits. The Church Mice and Pups are comprised of youth ranging in age from 5 to 17 years. The group displayed 80 project entries in the Training Center as well as entries in the Rabbit & Cavy, Dairy Goat and Pack Goat Programs. Lukas Lombardo was a top competitor in the Agricultural entries, he has two photographs headed for State Fair. Ella Colbus was a top competitor in the Home Environment entries. Both received awards for their categories at the Closing Ceremonies. Dana Daigler was 4-H Royalty for the 2015 year, she had her figure skating dress, watercolor painting, and photograph chosen for State Fair as well as a second photograph receiving a Sponsor's Award. Dana also had the privilege of participating in Master Showmanship on Sunday after winning the Grand Champion Showmanship award for Dairy Goats. Wyatt Maerten participated in the Tractor Games and came away with two prizes and Justin Daigler received a \$25 award with his Antique Tractor. The group drove in a 4-H decorated wagon at the end of the Antique Tractor Parade and tossed candy to the crowd, they took many shifts in the pie kitchen and helped out in the milk bar as well. Overall, the group was outstanding and extremely busy! Fun was had by all! Congratulations!

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