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FROM THE SUPERVISOR'S DESK

Hello! This is going to be a bit of an awkward start to a newsletter article, but I promised the Town Clerk that I'd make an important announcement for all to read. All Town of Pendleton property owners will soon receive their combined tax bill for Niagara County and Town of Pendleton taxes, so please check closely the updated directions for payment. Payments are certainly welcome in person at the Town Hall, but **there is a change for payments sent by check or electronically.**

As the end of the year quickly approaches we will soon be saying goodbye to a couple of dedicated members of town government. We will be wishing Terry Pienta the best as she moves into retirement. I personally want to thank Terry for all she's done for the Town over the past twelve years. When I first took office in January 2016, Terry was very helpful with the transition and I was fortunate to have such a dedicated professional to work with. Everyone at the Town Hall will miss her as she has been not only a friendly member of the team, but a steady hand running the Town Clerk's Office.

We will also be saying goodbye to Aimee Jarvis and also wish her well as her term of office on the Town Board ends at the end of the year. Being in an elected position can at times be a thankless job, but certainly worth the effort. Aimee deserves our thanks and respect for stepping forward and doing her part to help the

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Town Board lead the town over the past four years. Thank you, Aimee, and best of luck with your future endeavors!

On January 1st we welcome two new faces to town government as Debbie Maurer takes over as Town Clerk and Justin Graham takes his place on the Town Board. Over the past two years

we have seen a lot of change at the Town Hall through retirements, but we've been fortunate in each situation to find new faces to fill each position with dedication and hard work. Welcome Debbie and Justin and we all look forward to working with both of you.

As the year quickly comes to an end I'm personally relieved to have finalized the Town's budget for 2018. The budget process is, at times, a very tiring endeavor through which the Town Board works to balance a myriad of expenditure requests with the limitations of what we can afford to commit to. As I've outlined in previous newsletter articles, the Town's budget covers a lot of areas over six major budget lines that include general, highway, fire, water, sewer, and refuse operations. In the end, the Town Board was able to craft a budget that includes a 0% change in the *tax levy*.

At this point I'd like to take a brief moment to make a distinction in terminology, though I know I risk putting you to sleep. The *tax levy* is the *total amount of taxes collected* from all property owners. This is different from the *tax rate* which is charged for each of the six budget lines that appear on your tax bill. As our town grows, working to maintain small to no changes in the tax levy means no increase in your tax bill and possibly a small decrease. The focus on the tax levy is important in that tax rates on the various budget lines go up and down each year depending upon priorities, which change from year-to-year.

Another important point to note is that the Town Board works hard to protect the Town's savings in the form of various budget reserve lines and general savings. Savings are accumulated for three main reasons: preparing for large future purchases, safeguarding against unforeseen expenses, and maintaining cash flow. One current example of this need for savings is the reconstruction of Fisk Road, which is currently in the design stage. In late 2016 we were fortunate to learn that the Town is receiving \$2.66 million for this project. However, this is a reimbursement project, so the Town needs to be

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in a position to spend up to this amount of money prior to reimbursement. We are fortunate to continue to be in a very good financial position moving forward.

In closing, I hope all have an enjoyable end to 2017 and an even better start to the New Year. As always, feel free to contact me with concerns, questions, or comments that you may have related to the various aspects of town government. Also, watch the Town's website as all pertinent information related the Town's operation is available there. Have a great day! Joel

BUSINESSES UPDATE

I would like to announce and welcome some of the new businesses that have moved into our town. Buffalo Bobcat is in the process of moving into Pendleton, we now have two Dollar Generals, Samoos Spotless Cleaning Services on Beach Ridge Rd, Sisti Gallery North on Campbell Blvd, Dulce Salon on Campbell Blvd, and Bogart Landscaping on Campbell Blvd. Please try to support these businesses and our existing ones, let's keep our taxes in Niagara County.

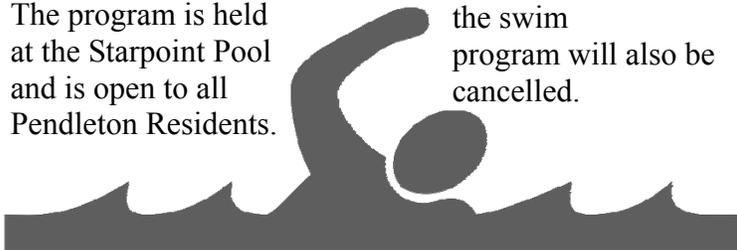
Next, I would like to wish Terry Pienta well on her retirement, she has done a great job as town clerk and has gone above and beyond the duties of her job, she was always there to help everyone, we thank you for your dedication. Good luck and Happy retirement. Have a safe and happy holidays! Councilman Leible

Happy New Year!

RECREATION NEWS - FAMILY SWIM

Come "burn off" those dreaded holiday calories and join us for an evening of fun in the water! Pendleton's Family Swim Program is "FREE" open pool time. The program is held at the Starpoint Pool and is open to all Pendleton Residents.

Be sure to mark your calendars as the program takes place from 7-9 pm on the following Friday's: **January 5, 12, 19 & 26, February 2, 9, 16 & 23.** All children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult! If the school is closed due to weather or any other emergency, the swim program will also be cancelled.



TAX COLLECTION

Tax bills will be mailed out by December 31st. We will NOT be using a Post Office Box this year. If you pay your bills through your banks on line program please allow enough time for me to receive your check. The envelopes sent out by your bank DO NOT have a US POSTMARK stamped by the Post Office and cannot be considered timely in the event it is received after the due date. (Real Property Tax Law §925) You can pay in person at the Town Hall Monday thru Friday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm or mail your payments to me at:

**Pendleton Town Hall
Tax Collector
6570 Campbell Blvd.
Lockport, NY 14094**

TOWN CLERK

As 2017 comes to an end, so does my final term as Town Clerk for the Town of Pendleton. I am excited about my impending retirement but I wanted to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the support that I have received from day one. I have truly enjoyed my 14 years as your Town Clerk. The Town of Pendleton is the most wonderful place to live and to raise a family. Since I will continue living in Pendleton I am sure I will see many of you around. I will also make myself available to help with the transition in the Town Clerk's Office but I have the utmost confidence in all of the employees at the Town Hall as well as the newly elected Town Clerk, Debbie Maurer. Everyone that works at the Town Hall and in Public Works are dedicated to serving the residents of the Town of Pendleton and I will miss them tremendously!

The 2018 Recycling & Trash Collection Calendar will be mailed to you from Modern Disposal Services by the end of December. The information will also be available on the Town's website www.pendletonny.us

TRASH COLLECTION

The trash collection will be delayed one day during the week of Christmas and New Year's.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE – TOWN HALL CLOSED

Christmas	December 25
New Year Holiday	January 1
Martin Luther King	January 15
President's Day	February 19
Good Friday	March 30

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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Hello, As we are winding down with another year, the excessive rain has shown us we have a lot of issues to work on. With past budget cuts we have neglected our drainage systems. Our roadside ditches in particular will need to be aggressively cleaned in the next few years. It has been over 5 years that we've not been able (manpower wise) to stay ahead of the ditches like my first 5 years. After bottoming out at 4 men and a mechanic we are heading back up but it will take years to catch back up. At this time I know the areas that are really in need and will do the best that we can. My theory is ditches need to be cleaned and re-cleaned every 3 to 5 years. As flat as Pendleton is, this needs to be a priority for us and the Town Boards of the future.

As of the writing of this newsletter article, late November, we are starting to put our stakes in the ground (mostly sub-divisions) to guide our plow trucks through winter. As always, this helps our trucks reduce lawn damage. Those of you that have driven a plow know it's impossible to prevent all damage. During the early Spring, if you have lawn damage, call and get on the list as we typically put topsoil and seed back in the areas. As far as much else we need the "Right of Way" open for us to remove snow from the roads and shoulders. Lawn sprinklers and landscaping are some of the things that you are at your own risk putting in the Right of Way. As far as mailboxes we put up a \$15-\$20 mailbox and in some cases use our sign posts to mount them. This is strictly a courtesy. The hint would be: if you insist on putting up an expensive mailbox in the Right of Way you are on your own to maintain it.

Some tips for winter driving of course is to slow down. Move safely over when you see one of our plow trucks coming at you.

From past retirements we still have a relatively new crew in the Highway Department. With new sub-divisions being developed annually, our routes change a lot. It basically takes 3 hours to cover a route. The routes are based on districts (areas where we can put one plow for efficiency), most populated roads, and most amount of all around traffic on the road itself. Now, obviously we need to plow the main roads first which do also include some County roads. This year with the additional homes off the Campbell Blvd. "Meadows" sub-division and possibly the new sub-division off Beach Ridge, routes will

again need to be adjusted.

2018 roadwork (if all things go well) will include milling and paving in the "Ridgeview" sub-division at Killian and Bear Ridge Roads. I will reach out as Spring rolls along with updates to this and any other roadwork.

Great news is the Fisk Road reconstruction project is well on pace for 2019 work to be started and completed. Core samples have been taken in approximately 20 areas of the road and will be analyzed. I will be working with our engineer and the project engineer as the rest of 2017 and 2018 rolls along. Fisk Road residents will see some workers of all varieties (Town, surveyors, engineers, etc.) on your road and at your property as the decision stage has started. Be aware and ask for I.D. if approached. This project again is a government grant up to \$2.6 million and is a great relief for Pendleton taxpayers. I will also keep you posted on this project as time passes.

Speaking of taxes, think, we can all do a little without hurting our wallets, SHOP LOCAL. Even if it's once a week or once a month, think before you leave the Town of Pendleton or especially Niagara County to eat, shop, etc. Spending your daily, weekly, monthly, yearly money locally helps a lot. When you hear a lot at Budget time that "sales tax is down" it is important to think about it. Purchasing goods and services in our town and county helps a lot to keep our money local. We have many Town businesses for most of your needs. If we are all a little more conscious, our money will stay local. Check your Lions Club phone directory for some of the businesses in our area.

Please remember your Winter driving skills and have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! As always, feel free to contact me at 716-625-8033 or the email listed below.

Thanks, Jeff Stowell
Highway Superintendent
jstowell@pendletonny.us



**Strong people don't put
others down...
They lift them **UP****

- Michael P. Watson

Advice from a TREE

- Stand tall and proud
- Go out on a limb
- Remember your roots
- Drink plenty of water
- Be content with your natural beauty
- Enjoy the view



**"The Dream
has become a
Reality!"**

Mason's Mission
Every child deserves the right to play

Thanks to the support from our Town, County and State, we have accomplished our first goal, the construction and opening of Mason's Mission Playground at Pendleton Park. We will continue the fundraising effort for our one-of-a-kind Merry Go Round/Carousel coming hopefully this Spring. The foundation will then switch gears in 2018 to help confused and scared parents with disabled children and other communities reach their goal of total inclusion...with wheelchair accessibility county and state wide. Thank You so much for making this a reality for all our children!

Contact us at 716-200-7346

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Where the path may LEAD...
Go instead where there is no path
and leave a TRAIL.

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because those who mind don't matter,
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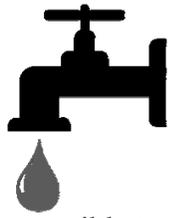
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If you are selling your home please contact the Water/Sewer Superintendent at 625-8033 as soon as possible to schedule a **mandatory water/sewer line** inspection. There is a \$25.00 fee for the inspection which will be added to your water/sewer bill. When you receive your actual closing date, please contact the billing clerk at 625-8833, ext. 111 to schedule a final read request.

You must have your water & sewer lines inspected before you close on your house!!!

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. 111 to make these arrangements.

Please visit our website at www.pendletonny.us for more detailed water billing information. When you get to the homepage click on Departments at the top of the page, scroll down and click on Water/Sewer, go to right side of page for Rates and Information.

You can also view previous Town Newsletters by clicking on Newsletters, located on the right hand side of the homepage.

On a personal note, I would like to wish Terry Pienta all of the best during her impending retirement. I have been her Deputy Clerk for 12 ½ years and the Town Hall will not be the same without her smiling face. It's hard to say goodbye to someone you've worked with for so long, as they become part of your extended family. So I will only say good luck, take care, stay in touch and I'm so glad that I don't have to listen to your daily count down any longer, LOL!

I wish you all a wonderful Christmas Holiday and all the best for a very happy, healthy and prosperous New Year.

Please remember ALL of the men and women in our Armed Forces, past and present. Without them we would not have the freedoms that we enjoy each and every day.

Rita Dispenza

Interesting Animal Facts...



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- The Blue Whale, largest animal to exist, is 96 feet long and weighs 125 tons...this is as much as 4 large dinosaurs, 23 elephants, 230 cows or 1,800 men
- The fastest bird is the Peregrine Falcon...it can fly at a speed of 168-217 miles an hour
- The Electric Eel can produce a shock of 600 volts...that's enough to knock a horse off its feet

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*
08/04/17	7086 Campbell Blvd	Rebecca Philleo	106,382	112,300	1,447	Cape Cod	1950	
08/04/17	4578 Killian Road	Daniel Kaufman	220,000	155,000	1,560	Cape Cod	1999	
08/04/17	4592 Killian Road	Konopczyński	265,000	193,900	1,952	Colonial	1996	
08/07/17	4079 Beach Ridge Road	Joyce Harris	179,900	168,000	2,192	Split Level	1952	
08/08/17	7048 Campbell Blvd	Barbara Jeffords	75,000	95,000	2,272	Old Style	1920	
08/17/17	5194 Oakwood Drive	Runk	180,000	115,000	1,120	Ranch	1962	5.00
08/22/17	6967 Hidden Oak Drive	Heckeler	254,900	215,000	1,970	Colonial	1994	
08/23/17	4231 Beach Ridge Road	Van Wart	155,000	105,000	936	Ranch	1965	
08/31/17	4334 Beach Ridge Road	Kennedy	150,000	88,200	816	Ranch	1953	1.10
09/05/17	7247 Townline Road	Richardson	155,000	90,000	856	Ranch	1962	
09/08/17	7277 Ridgeview Drive W	Swain Family Trust	385,000	270,400	2,591	Ranch	2002	
09/13/17	4945 Devonshire Lane	Losi	307,000	240,000	2,479	Colonial	2015	
09/15/17	6274 Main Road	Spenn	158,000	100,000	1,434	Ranch	1970	
09/19/17	4987 Fiegle Road	Moje	68,000	95,000	960	Ranch	1957	
09/21/17	4916 Devonshire Lane	Solazzo	325,000	255,000	2,560	Colonial	2013	
09/27/17	6110 Robinson Road	White	135,000	75,000	1,284	1 story Apt	1959	11.10
10/03/17	4242 Tonawanda Creek Rd	Nazarian	180,000	171,900	1,692	Split Level	1960	
10/11/17	5865 Tonawanda Creek Rd	Spoth	192,500	154,300	1,316	Ranch	1987	
10/11/17	5179 Tonawanda Creek Rd	Braun	283,150	195,000	2,013	Colonial	1997	
10/11/17	7288 Ridgeview Drive W	Collins	315,000	267,500	2,786	Colonial	1998	
10/16/17	4683 Beach Ridge Road	Anderson	209,000	190,000	2,064	Colonial	1985	22.50
10/26/17	5864 Tonawanda Creek Rd	Meinhold	282,500	177,700	2,166	Cape Cod	1955	2.90
10/27/17	5363 Oakwood Drive	Gerber	225,000	175,000	1,666	Ranch	1990	
10/27/17	4937 Devonshire Lane	Kantor	337,000	255,000	2,560	Colonial	2013	
10/27/17	5468 Irish Road	Emhardt	219,500	123,000	1,280	Ranch	1973	

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 2018 you may be eligible for the Enhanced Star. If you believe you might be eligible please call the assessor's office at 716-625-8833, ext. 116.

"I believe in process. I believe in four seasons. I believe Winter's tough, but Spring is coming. I believe there's a growing season. I believe if you realize that in life, you grow...you become a better person."

-Steve Southerland





We Serve

PENDLETON LIONS

The Pendleton Lions have been busy this quarter! We participated in The Pendleton Farm and Home Days and tried to give away bicycles. Hopefully, we have

better luck next year.

Lion Tom Valentine ran a very successful Directory Fundraiser for the club. Lion Dave Bratek and his committee put together a very successful Golf Tournament at Tan Tara in September. He is already working on expanding this event for next year.



(Lion Jeff Ott with Sam Smith, John Daigler and Craig Beiter, the winning team)

All funds raised support our projects throughout the Pendleton Community and Starpoint School district. A HUGE Thank You to everyone who donates to the Pendleton Lions.

Lions International was started as an organization to support the blind. This past October we were able to help a young lady to get her eyes examined and a pair of glasses. She had been wearing reading glasses from the Dollar Store.



(Lions Joe Biondo and Rich Neizgoda, Principal Bryer, Art teacher Amanda Alvarez, winners Makaela Day, Megan Myhalenko and Drew Beiter)

Lion Joe Biondo runs our Peace Poster Contest at Starpoint. This year the three winners are 1st Makaela Day, 2nd Drew Beiter and 3rd Megan Myhalenko. Makaela donated her prize to Wendelville Fire

Department. Fireman Bruce Culligan accepted the donation. He told how he was one of the firemen that came to Makaela's aid in an emergency and how nice it was that she was giving her prize to Wendelville Volunteer Fire Company.

Another thing Lion Joe (Biondo) does is help out at the Pendleton Food Pantry with fellow Lions Rich Neizgoda and Bob Kramer. The Pendleton Lions donated \$1000 to the Pantry to buy Turkeys for Thanksgiving and Hams for Christmas.



(Lion Joe Biondo, Pastor Ann Quinn, Shirley Edbauer, Doreen Neilson, Joan Wright, Lion Bob Kramer and Dave Fraas)

Dec. 1st we held our annual Christmas Party at Tan Tara. A great time was had by all. Dec. 12th we will be holding our Toy Wrap at Wendelville Fire Hall. This year our Santa Claus, played by Lion Steve Lorenzo, will be giving gifts to about 150 children at North Tonawanda Learning Center and Royalton Learning Center. Children from our service area go to both schools depending upon their needs.

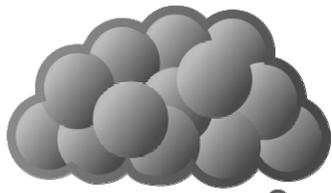
In September we received the call to repair and update a ramp we built 10 years ago and is still in use. In the same week we also got a request to build a ramp for a resident on Bear Ridge. Our Ramp Team has been extremely busy this year.

We have had three Pendleton residents join this past month. They are new Pendleton Town Clerk Deborah Maurer, Ken Jonmaire, and most recent Donald Tiburzi. We keep growing!

Some final notes: Please check out our new Pendleton Lions website, Lions@PNYLC.org. If you have glasses to donate there is a box at Pendleton Town Hall. AND the Pendleton Senior Dinner is April 29th, 2018...put it on your calendar.

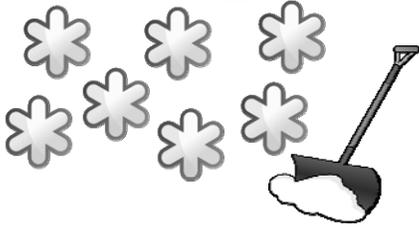
These are just a few of things we can accomplish with everyone's assistance. Thank you.

Lion Secretary
Cheryl A. Smith



“The pine stays green in Winter,
wisdom in hardship.”

-Norman Douglas



“While I relish our warm months,
winter forms our character and
brings out our best.”

-Tom Allen



“We cannot stop the winter or
summer from coming. We
cannot stop the spring or fall or
make them other than they are.
They are gifts from the universe
that we cannot refuse. But we
can choose what we will
contribute to life when each
arrives.”

-Gary Zukav

**“When all the world appears to be in
a tumult, and nature itself is feeling
the assault of climate change...the
seasons retain their essential
rhythm. Yes, fall gives us a
premonition of winter, but then,
winter will be forced to relent, once
again, to the new beginnings of soft
greens, longer light, and the sweet
air of spring.”**

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PENDLETON VETERANS ASSOCIATION

Well, here we are winter time already. Our Association has been busy this quarter with involvement in several Veteran related initiatives. The most important of which is the ongoing negotiations with the Town Supervisor and Board members for a definitive location, on the Town Hall campus, for our permanent Veterans Memorial. We have total support of the Town Board and expect to finalize the location before year's end or very soon afterwards. As I write this the verbal agreement and notes are in the hands of the town attorney to write the final agreement.

On a different initiative we (P.V.A.) has sent written support for House Bill H.R.4325 to our Representative in Congress, Mr. Chris Collins. H.R. 4325 is also known as "Access to Military Service Records Act of 2017" H.R. 4325 would essentially reduce or eliminate current fees charged to obtain military records by a Veteran or next of kin.

Other activities and initiatives our Association has been involved in during the last quarter are:

- Veterans information table and flag sale Pendleton Community Fair & Expo 9/30/2017.
- Ongoing damaged U.S. Flag retirement efforts and collection (collection bin at Historical Society Log Cabin).
- Ongoing membership recruitment efforts.
- P.V. A. Honor Guard attendance at several Pendleton Veterans funerals.
- Ongoing fund raising for Permanent Memorial construction. Donations greatly appreciated. Receipts gladly provided.
- Recent update of our Honor Wall in Town Hall vestibule. This wall honors all town residents past and present. (Please contact us for inclusions missed and corrections).
- Don't forget to read Veterans "ONLY" bulletin board in Town Hall for important Vet issues updates.

November 1st was our fall evening meeting. Keep an eye out on the Town Hall electronic bulletin Board, local radio and local newspapers for future meeting dates. (First Wednesday of every month, 1:00 pm, Historical building except announced evening meeting.)

In closing a big thank you to Public Television channel 17 for airing the Ken Burns documentary "The Vietnam War". Keep a eye out for future viewings throughout the year, purchase the DVD or stream it to your computer .

Hope y'all have a great holiday season! Greg Metzger, Board Member

**May we think of freedom,
not as the right to do as
we please...but as the
opportunity to do what is
right. - Peter Marshall**

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Welcome Winter

WENDELVILLE SENIORS

The holidays will soon be over and fondly remembered. Now another year begins. The Senior trips will begin in March. Four trip directors will begin to line up new trips for 2018. The Wendelville Seniors meet on the second Monday of each month for a pot luck luncheon at 12:00 noon. If you would like to join us you must be 55 years or older and a resident of Pendleton. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. We have a 50/50 raffle and play Bingo afterward on occasions. If you have any questions I can be reached at 625-9106. Please remember our Veterans and those serving in the armed forces. Keep well, warm and enjoy the winter months. Loraine Gately, President



PENDLETON SENIORS

Winter is on the way and Christmas is coming soon. The Pendleton Seniors meet the third Wednesday of the month at the Pendleton Town Hall. We have a pot luck luncheon at noon. Everyone is asked to bring a dish to pass and your own table service. If you do not bring a dish to pass we ask that you give a donation of \$5.00. You must be a resident of Pendleton to join and 55 years of age or older. Anyone who is a resident of the Town of Pendleton is able to go on our trips. Our trip directors are working on the trips for next year. More information to follow. If you have any questions please call Jane Walter at 693-6966. Jane Walter, President

PENDLETON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Pendleton Historical Society meet the third Monday of the month at the cabin on Campbell Blvd. at 7:30 PM. December 18, 2017 will be our annual Christmas Dinner. It is Potluck and bring your own table service. We will eat at 6:30 PM. Our speaker for the evening will be Ann Marie Linnaberry and will speak on a Victorian Christmas. In January, our speaker will be Janet Karnes. In February, Ann Marie Linnaberry will be back and speak on the Irish and the Erie Canal. If you would like more information call Carol Moeller at 625-8769 or Jane Walter at 693-6966.

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