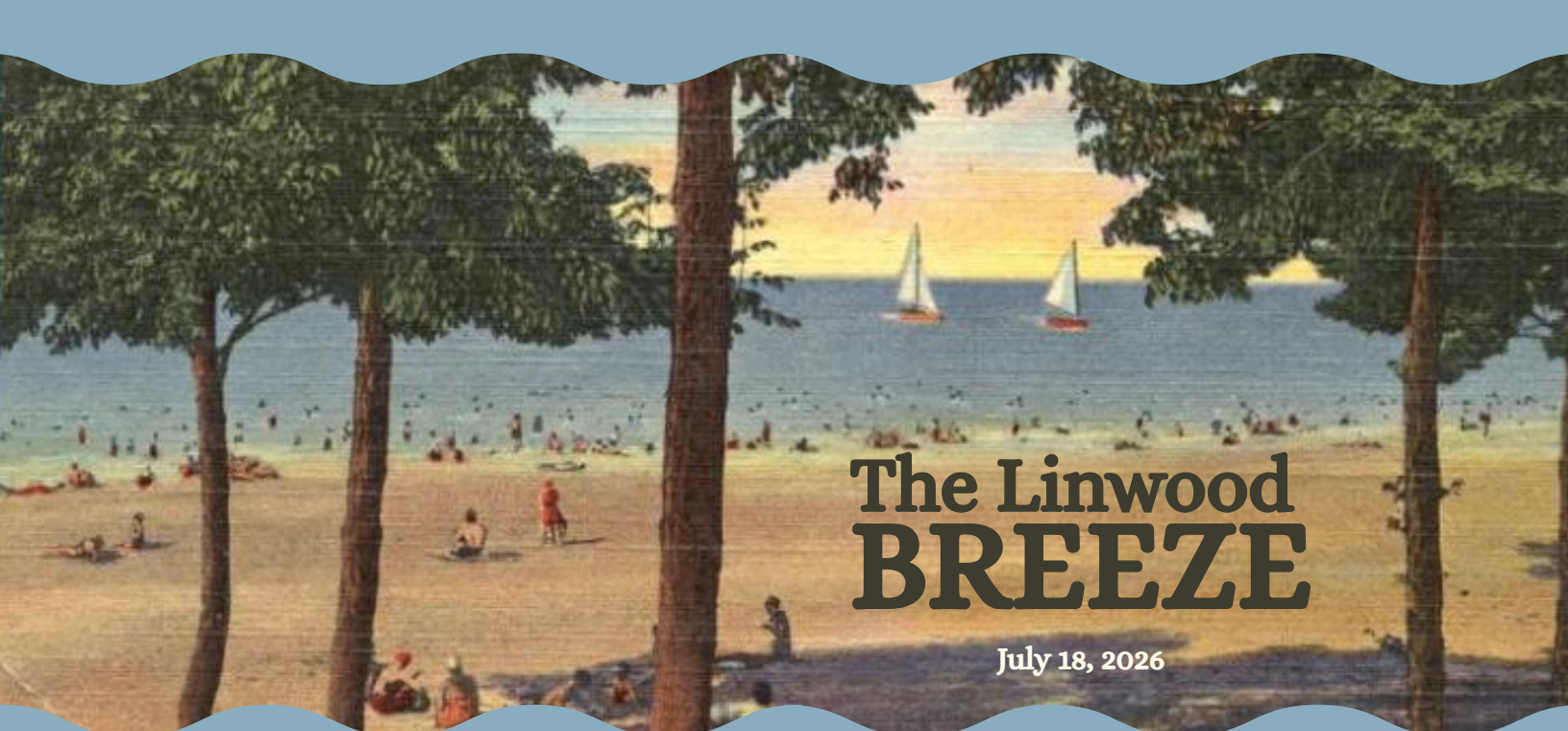




The Linwood BREEZE

July 18, 2026

Mark Your Calendar

Sunday School for All Ages

Tomorrow at 9:45 am

Sunday Worship Service

Sunday at 10:45 am in the Tabernacle

Pastor Paul Thwaite preaching

Tuesday Youth Groups

8 - 13 year olds - 7:00 pm

9th - 12th grade - 8:00 pm

Bible Study of the Book of Romans

Wednesday at 10:00 am in the Chapel

Kid's Corner also at 10:00 am

Sand Castle Contest

Thursday at 9:45 am

Tabernacle St. Beach steps

Family Movie Night

Thursday at 9:00 pm

The basketball court - Bring a chair!

For more info & other events, read on!

Brought to you by Linwood Christian Life

For more Linwood Landing updates, be sure to visit
www.thelinwoodlanding.com or follow @linwoodlanding on
Facebook or Instagram.



Summer Fun!

Linwood's very own Nancy Getter-Brown and Ron Campbell were spotted at the very new Linwood Landing. Nancy demonstrates how to take the best photo op at Linwood Landing, and Ron participated in the community band concert.

Thank you, Directors, for all you do for Linwood Park.

Hard copies of the Breeze are available at Sunday morning Worship Service and at The Stand. Make sure you get your copy!



Here's the Scoop!



LCCL Events This Week:

Tomorrow - 9:45 am - Sunday School for all ages:

- *Kids ages 3 through going into 4th grade* will meet in the back of the Tabernacle with their teacher, Mrs. Royek.
- *Kids going into 5th grade through going into 8th grade* will meet in the Library in the back of the Tabernacle with Ava Leslie.
- *High School kids (grades 9 - 12)* meet in The Stand with Matthew Phillips
- *Adults* meet in the Chapel. In this **Sunday's adult forum**, we will look at the attitudes and flaws of some of God's chosen servants and how He used them to accomplish His will, all through the lens of the most recent and exciting Biblical archaeological discoveries. **Join us-- you will be glad you did!**

Tomorrow - 10:45 am - Sunday Worship in the Tabernacle - Please join us for Worship. Sermon title is The Promise of Tribulation reflecting on I Peter 4: 12-19. Pastor Paul preaching. Marge Adler is back at the piano. Come for Sunday School and stay for Worship.

Youth Night - Tuesday at 7:00 pm - 8-13 year-olds can meet our Youth Leaders at the Stand for a fun evening of games and snacks!

High School Night - Tuesday at 8:00 pm - Grades 9 - 12 meet our Youth Leaders at the Stand for games and snacks.

Bible Study - Wednesday at 10:00 am in the Chapel - Pastor Paul is leading a lively Bible Study discussion from the Book of Romans. This is a discussion for both adults and teens. **Kids' Korner** (ages 3 - 8) takes place at the same time (10:00-11:00 am), and kids can be dropped off at the back of the Tabernacle for activities led by Joy Saffles.

Family Night - Movie Night - Thursday at 9:00 pm on the basketball court - Check the whiteboard and flyers for the announcements on what movie we're showing. Bring a chair! Additionally, check out last Family Night's Sidewalk Chalk winners and some pics later in this edition.

Have questions about our family and youth programming? Reach out to our youth leaders Ava (440-213-3639) or Matthew (925-878-2995), and they're happy to help!

COMING UP....

Trip to Ohio Star Theater

Join others on a day trip to Sugarcreek, Ohio to see Elijah: Prophet of Fire on Tuesday August 4th. We'll carpool to have lunch and then attend a 1 p.m. presentation of this powerful Old Testament story. Tickets are \$50 and **registration closes on July 21st.**

Sign up on the sheet at the back of the Tabernacle during worship or talk to Pastor Paul for more information!

From the Pen of Pastor Paul...

Greetings Linwood Park Friends,

It's a smoky Thursday here in Linwood as I sit down to write for the Breeze! First, it was the Canadian soldiers invading Linwood in June, and now the Canadian smoke is here in July. I wonder what our neighbors from the North are planning to send along in August? Hopefully by the time we gather for worship Sunday the skies will have cleared out and we'll all be breathing easier!

Week by week we have been exploring and reflecting on the Promises of God during our worship times together. As we have focused on the promises of the Messiah, of God's forgiveness and presence and provision and peace and guidance, we have been blessed to remember the steadfast love and faithfulness of our God to his children. God is faithful to all his promises and will never waver!

This week, however, we will focus on a promise - or perhaps we should say a declaration or affirmation —that we as believers will experience times of tribulation and struggle. The Apostle Paul declared that "everyone who wants to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted." (2 Timothy 3:12). Many believers today around the world experience terrible persecution for their faith. But even if we are sheltered from that experience, Jesus told his disciples "In the world you will have trouble." (John 16:33) Scripture and personal experience demonstrate that being a follower of Christ is not always an easy journey! Nor should it be - Jesus said if the world hated him, it would hate his disciples also. (John 15:18-19)

So Sunday we will explore this honest and important affirmation for us as believers and how we are called to respond to such experiences. I hope you will join others in worship as we enjoy all the blessings Linwood offers. After all, "Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows." (James 1:17)
Let's offer our faithful God the praise and adoration He deserves!

See you Sunday,
Pastor Paul

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Linwood Christian Life provides worship services, faith based programs, and community activities throughout the season at Linwood Park. All worship services and activities are open to everyone, and visitors are warmly welcomed and encouraged to participate.

The Mission Committee of Linwood Christian Life has the task of honoring requests for monies to be used for local, national, and worldwide needs that have a connection to Linwood Park. We will highlight recipients in the next few editions of The Breeze.

Maranatha Community Church was planted in Canal Winchester, Ohio, in October of 2022. Our small city has a growing population, but a declining Gospel witness. God gave us the opportunity to be sent into our neighborhoods to establish a church that seeks to change the future of our city through the work of Gospel preaching, teaching the Bible faithfully, and helping individuals and families walk as God designed. God has been gracious to us for the last 3 and a half years, providing through many means, to grow our church body and have the opportunity for ministry that reaches into our city. We pray for faithful Christian witness, salt and light, to be provided for this city through the work of planting this church.

God Bless!

David Appelt (grandson of Ron and Jayne Roehenbeck)



SANDCASTLE CONTEST



Thursday, July 23rd – 9:45 a.m. sign-in

Sign in at the Tabernacle Street beach steps/Bluff area.

Event Timeline

- 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.: Sand sculpture building period
- 11:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.: Final judging
- 11:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.: Judge review and scoring
- 11:45 a.m. - 12 p.m.: Winner announcements and prizes

Categories

- 8 years and under
- 9 years to 14 years
- 15 years and up
- Family/group

Judging Criteria

- Originality
- Detail
- Creative use of materials
- How well the design reflects the birthday party theme

RULES

1. **Your design must relate to a birthday party celebration.**
2. **Only water, sand, and natural materials found on the beach/within the park may be used.**
3. **Participants must stay off of the sand dunes.**

Musings from the Porch: Cottage Owners' Updates

Hi neighbors,

Thanks to all who provided feedback on this year's Fourth of July parade and ceremony. I appreciate hearing your perspectives. While the comments were overwhelmingly positive, the most common constructive feedback was related to the removal of Taps during the post-parade ceremony. The decision to remove Taps from the July 4th ceremony was made because, beginning in 2025, we added a special bell-ringing ceremony on Memorial Day in honor of those serving in the Armed Forces. This event is followed by Taps Across America on Memorial Day. This new tradition was repeated in 2026 and was widely embraced. We plan to continue this tradition at Linwood. Due to the Memorial Day event and given the celebratory nature of our July 4th holiday, we felt removing Taps from our July 4th celebration was worth trying. However, given your feedback, I will be discussing this with the LPCOA Board during a meeting next week. I will let you know what we decide to do for 2027.

Earlier this week, I sent an email to cottage owners asking for new volunteers to lead Linwood's Halloween (Chili-ween) celebration this year. Kate Mohr, who did a fantastic job establishing this as a Linwood tradition, is no longer able to organize this event. Thanks to Bronlynn Eberhardt, Val Cabell, and Deb Turner for volunteering to take on this event. If you would like to help those three ladies, let me or Bronlynn know of your interest.

Speaking of volunteering, in honor of America's 250th, we would like to create and bury a time capsule with artifacts from the 2020s that will be opened 25 years from now (2051). I need two people to assist me with determining the objects that will go in the capsule, buying or building the capsule, working with Matt and the Park Company to identify a location for the time capsule, and creating the details of the event for Labor Day weekend. If you would like to help with this event in any way, please let me know.

Thanks to everyone who is involved in making Linwood a special place year after year. To all of you who sponsor LPCOA or LCL events, THANK YOU. To all of you who had a hand in making Linwood Landing a reality, THANK YOU. To everyone involved in our religious services and events each week, THANK YOU. Thanks to your willingness to help, Linwood Park remains a place focused on faith, family, and fun.

Let's hope the wildfires are extinguished and the skies clear soon. See you soon at Linwood Park.

Chris Wolf
president@linwoodpark.org OR cwolf2725@gmail.com

TENNIS AND BASKETBALL COURTS

The Linwood Park Company is happy to provide tennis courts and a basketball court for the use of park residents and guests. We are pleased to see these in use in the park! While the routine maintenance costs are fairly minimal, the cost of major repairs, resurfacing, etc., can be quite prohibitive. We are interested in any comments you might have about either of these facilities, their availability, their condition, or any related matters. Tennis players, basketball players, pickleball players: speak up! Please send any comments to Ron Campbell at rcampbell@linwoodparkcompany.com. We value your input!

EVENT RESULTS - STONE SKIPPING, SHUFFLE BOARD, SIDEWALK CHALK

The Results of the Stone Skipping Tournament held recently.

Young skippers 10 and under: Amy Lane

Junior Tossers 11 - 15: SJ Lane and Vance Gregory

Adult Skippers 16- 59: Mallory Lane, Matthew Phillips, Kate Lane, Ryan Gregory, and Karman Gregory.

Judges' choice award went to Karman Gregory!



Shuffleboard Tournament Results

The Eberhardt Family made a clean sweep and ended up in the finals! Bronlynn and Colbie competing against Kyle and Logan - eventually Kyle and Logan prevailed and won the tournament. Congrats to the Eberhardt family!!



The Results of the Sidewalk Chalk Contest

Stand/Eva's Choice - Emily

Most Biblical - Alana and Alexa

Most Unique - Remy and Luke

Most Patriotic - Camden and Connor

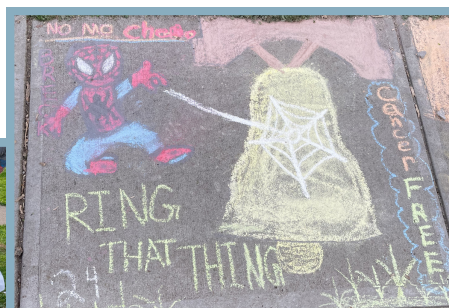
Judge's Choice - Brynn

Most Linwood - Maddie M.

Judge's Choice - Luke and SJ

Overall Winner - Mallory

Most Detailed - Tessie





Kudos Korner



This corner of The Breeze is used for thanks. We are fortunate to have these talented people in our community.

This week's KUDOS go out to Matthew and Ava. We are thankful that they are leading our youth and making the summer so special and fun! Leading Sunday School! Bonfires! Games! Late-night "man hunt" in the Park! If you haven't hung out with them yet...be sure to join in one of the events! These kids are connecting hearts, fostering friendships between Linwood kids and bringing Jesus into all of it.

If you have someone in our community you want to give a star, email secretary@linwoodchristianlife.org

NOW AT THE STORE: HATS (\$25) AND T-SHIRTS (\$20)



CHECK OUT OUR WONDERFUL STORE!!

Sunday: after Tabernacle Services for about an hour

Monday: 11:00-1:00 pm

Tuesday: 7:00-9:00 pm

Friday: 7:00-9:00 pm

Saturday: 7:00-9:00 pm

Specialized openings can be requested. Please call or text Janet Waggoner (614-406-1691) or Jen Williams (937-321-5015).

Something for everyone - from doll clothes to earrings to pottery. Come and browse!



These driftwood trees would make a wonderful Christmas gift! Think cooler weather!

RED, WOOF & BLUE PAW-TRITIC RAFFLE!

WIN A PAW-TRITIC, ALL-AMERICAN PUP THEMED BASKET FROM THE LPCOA!

\$1 = 1 TICKET
\$5 = 6 TICKETS
\$10 = 15 TICKETS

DRAWING WILL BE HELD
LABOR DAY WEEKEND!

LOVE DOGS?!?

PART OF THE PROCEEDS WILL BE GIVEN TO "SAFE HARBOR ANIMAL RESCUE" LOCATED RIGHT HERE IN VERMILION, TO SUPPORT THEIR WONDERFUL EFFORTS IN HELPING SPECIAL NEEDS AND PUPPY MILL RESCUES.

AND ...

PART OF THE PROCEEDS WILL HELP START A FUND TO PURCHASE A BENCH FOR THE LPC DOG RUN AREA.

PLEASE CONTACT KATE MOHR TO ENTER OR TO MAKE A DONATION!

216-224-2929
 KTD1DS037@GMAIL.COM





GRILLING

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO GRILL AT THE STAND ON SUNDAYS 11:30 A.M. TO 1:30 P.M. FOR THE FOLLOWING SHIFTS (TWO PEOPLE FOR EACH SHIFT):

- JULY 19TH
- JULY 26TH (NEED ONE MORE PERSON TO HELP INSIDE AT THE COUNTER)
- AUGUST 23RD
- AUGUST 30TH

THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HAS ALREADY SIGNED UP!



SAVE the DATE!

Spice up your plans!

10★24★26
2 PM
 AT THE
PAVILION

CHILI COOKOFF

GOOD PEOPLE
 ★★ HOT CHILI ★★
 COLD LAKE ERIE




THE STAND

2026 SUMMER SEASON HOURS

MON - FRI
12P to 9P

SAT & SUN
11A to 9P

"LINWOOD GRILL"
Burgers, Hot Dogs & Brats!

SUNDAYS
11:30A to 1:30P

* Subject to change
 UPDATED 6-2-2026





Have a blessed week in Linwood!