



The Board Walk

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BITUMINOUS COAL SHOW

Greene County

52nd Pennsylvania King Coal Show will be held on Saturday, August 20th, thru Saturday, August 27th, Carmichaels, PA. This annual event proclaims the past and future of King Coal with a week-long celebration that includes the King Coal Parade, Coal Queen Pageant (with participants from 15 high schools), the State Mine Rescue Contest, a cheerleading competition with 500 participants, coal exhibits, a bike-a-thon, carnival and fireworks. There's also a car show, an antique car parade, children's pet parade, a bike parade, an array of ethnic foods and coal jewelry. For more information please call or write to: King Coal Association, Inc. PO Box 275 Carmichaels, PA 15320. 724-966-5461

FIREWORKS

Waynesburg Lions Club and Board of Commissioners

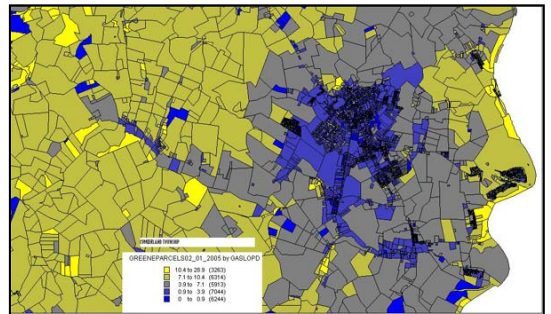
The Waynesburg Lions Club, due to circumstances beyond their control, has graciously coordinated with the Greene County Commissioners to display the Club's fireworks that did not take place on the 4th of July and has agreed to reschedule them for the last evening of the Greene County Fair, Saturday, August 13th, 2005, at 10:00 p.m. The Board of Commissioners contributes each year to the Lions Club for their fireworks display, for the use of the fairgrounds, and is pleased with this joint decision.



GIS COMMITTEE

Board of Commissioners

The GIS Committee is in the final stage of completion of their master address file. This file will be used as a base to connect with other data to create visual statistics through thematic maps.





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GREENE COUNTY OPEN

Board of Commissioners & Recreation

Labor Day Weekend, September 2-4, 2005. Sponsored by: the Greene County Commissioners and Greene County Department of Recreation Locations: Rohanna's Golf Course, Carmichaels Golf Course and Greene County Country Club Individual stroke play event / Four flights (will be setup according to handicap). RULES: Amateurs only Must have USGA Handicap Must be a Greene County resident USGA Rules will govern play Local Rules will override USGA Rules Entry Fee: \$60 per person (includes golf, cart & prizes). Checks should be made payable to and mailed to: Greene County Department of Recreation 107 Fairgrounds Road, Waynesburg, PA 15370. Entry Deadline: Friday, August 26th, 2005

GOOD SAMARITAN

Board of Commissioners

While attending the Povertyneck Hillbillies Concert on June 18th, 2005, a spectator lost their purse at the Greene County Fairgrounds. The purse was turned in to the Greene County Memorial Hospital staff with all personal items and money inside. This is one of the many reasons why we are **“Proud to be Greene County”**.

HOOPER PARK

Board of Commissioners

A new look for Hooper Park is in the process through a cooperative project with the Greene County Commissioners, Waynesburg Borough, Waynesburg Prosperous and Beautiful, and the Pennsylvania Conservancy. A fountain donated by Glenn Toothman III will be placed in the center commemorating “Rain Day”. The project is scheduled to be completed by Rain Day, July 29th, 2005.



GREENE COUNTY FAIR

Board of Commissioners

Ewe Ain't Seen Nothin' Yet! Is the theme for this year's Greene County Fair. Beginning on Saturday, August 5th, and running until Saturday, August 13th. Admission price for a ride all night pass is \$8.00. Senior Day: is Thursday, August 11, noon to 3:00p.m. (Seniors admitted free with ID). For more information please call Debbie Stephenson, Fair Board Secretary at 724-627-6963.





JACKTOWN FAIR

Greene County

The 140th Annual Jacktown Fair will begin with the opening parade on Tuesday, July 19th, and will run through Saturday, July 23rd. Admission is \$8.00 (Children under 3 are admitted free.) Activities include demolition derbies, tractor and horse pulls, stunt shows, entertainment and special activities for children. Food, farm produce, livestock, auction sales and carnival rides. The Jacktown Fair is the oldest continuing fair in the nation. The County of Greene Department of Recreation Summer Interns have been busy with ground maintenance in preparation for the big event. For more information please call Buck Burns at 724-428-3637 or 724-627-8473.



RAIN DAY 2005

Greene County

Get ready for the annual Rain Day event in downtown Waynesburg. The festival will include live entertainment, food crafts, games, hot dog eating contest, umbrella decoration contest and the Baby Rain Day Court. (The Miss Rain Day Pageant will take place on Sunday, July 24th, at 4 P.M. at Waynesburg Central High School. For info on the pageant call 724-627-5926). The Baby Rain Day contest is for newborns to age 3 years. Entry deadline is July 8th. For more information on the Baby Rain Day contest please call 724-627-8111.

COMMISSIONERS' PHOTOGRAPHS

Board of Commissioners

Photos of former Greene County Commissioners are being requested for a project that will scan the photos and place them on the first floor walls of the County Office Building. Photographs received will be scanned and returned to owner. Anyone having photos can contact the County at 724.852.5210 or by mail to Commissioners' Portraits, Third Floor, 93 East High Street, Waynesburg, PA., 15370.

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