



Fruitland Township
White River Light Station Museum

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NESTROM PARK DISC GOLF COURSE

The Parks and Recreation Commission voted at a Special Meeting Thursday, April 19, to impose a temporary closure of the Disc Golf Course at Nestrom Road Park until June 4, 2018. During this time the Parks and Recreation Commission will assess the management of the course per DNR recommendations for oak wilt and determine best practices for protection and proactive tree management. The Commission will create a unified Resource Oversight Committee (ROC) to police injuries and course/park conditions on a weekly or bi-weekly basis to ensure best practices are in place and are being followed. The ROC will be comprised of four residents and a forestry expert. The Parks and Recreation Commission will determine the scope, schedule and expectations of the ROC, and will review the need of the ROC on a seasonal basis, primarily during the high risk season of April 15 through July 15.

The commissioners have taken the necessary steps to close the course by posting signage, posting to social media and other outlets and have covered the baskets.

Please refrain from using the course until it has been re-opened and do not remove the plastic coverings, baskets, or any other Township property or equipment.

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION VACANCY

The Parks and Recreation Commission has a vacancy. Interested candidates should contact Supervisor Marcia Jeske at (231) 766-3208 or email – supervisor@fruitlandtwp.org prior to the Township Board Work Session scheduled for May 14, 2018. Please include a statement of why you would like to serve on the Commission and attach a brief bio or resume. This is an elected position and the selected candidate will be required to run in the 2018 November Election.

SCENIC DRIVE DOCK

We have been advised that the dock at the end of Scenic Drive may be installed by the end of next week.

Best,

Marcia Jeske, Supervisor
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