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# SPRING 2006 Village of Manchester

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**Spring Clean up** will be on Monday May 8th and Tuesday May 9<sup>th</sup>. **We are asking you to make three separate piles. This is very important.** You risk not having your things picked up and being billed by a private contractor if not taken care of.

▶ **White goods and scrap metal.** Only stoves, water heaters or other metal objects that contain no freon. White goods are usually picked up separately at the end of the week. **We will not pick up propane tanks, refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, computers, or freon containing items.**

▶ **Garden & yard waste.** All garden and yard waste must be bagged and the bags contain only garden and yard waste (grass clippings, small twigs, leaves etc.). Please remember that these bags must be lifted up and over the side of the truck. If you cannot lift them up 5 feet, neither can our village crew. Please make the bags lighter and use biodegradable bags if possible. No loose leaves or debris should be in the street gutters to block the flow of water to the storm drains.

▶ **Large household waste.** This includes furniture, carpets, bedsprings, mattresses, TV's, etc.

**We cannot and will not pick up: tires, construction and demolition materials, computers, recyclables or any hazardous waste such as paint, gas cans or gas grill propane tanks. No refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers or other refrigerants.\***

The Town of Manchester (Corner of Route 96 & County Road 7) will take old tires for a charge of \$2.00 per tire. The hours to bring them are Monday & Wednesday 4-7pm and Saturday 9am-4pm. Tire coupons can be purchased at the Town office. \*Refrigerants will be accepted also. Note: Transfer Stations tickets are \$25.00 which includes 10 punches now instead 12. Any questions, call 289-3010, Ext. 101.

**The schedule for Spring pick up is as follows:**

**MONDAY, MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>:** Main Street, Merrick Avenue, Lehigh Avenue, Gilligan Drive, Bennett Avenue, Smith Place, Smith Terrace, Pratt Road, Howard Street, Wilson Street, Moses Road, Vanderwall Drive, Center Street, Clifton Street (West of Outlet), State Street.

**TUESDAY, MAY 9<sup>TH</sup>:** North Avenue, South Avenue, Clifton Street (East of Outlet), Newton Street, and Edgemere Drive.

This spring pick up is a service for **Village residents only**. Non-village residents using this service will be subject to prosecution.

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## PANCAKE BREAKFAST – MAY 13<sup>TH</sup>

The Shortsville First Presbyterian Church will be having their 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, May 13, 2006 from 8:30 am to 11:00 am. Menu will be pancakes, sausage, orange juice and coffee. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$5.00/person, children under 8 yrs old, \$2.50 and a family for \$15.00.

## **\*\*BRUSH SCHEDULE CHANGE\*\***

**BRUSH(YARD WASTE THAT CANNOT BE BAGGED) WILL BE PICKED UP ONLY ONCE PER MONTH ON THE THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH.** Bagged clippings will continue to be picked up weekly. You can transport your own brush to the village garage area on Vanderwall Drive, if needed. **NOTE: IF YOU HIRE SOMEONE TO CUT YOUR BRUSH/TREES, THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR REMOVAL OF THAT BRUSH.**

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## **MANCHESTER FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBEQUE**

**MAY 6<sup>TH</sup> FROM NOON TO 4:00 PM**

\$7.00 ½ Chicken, with Baked Beans, Roll and dessert; \$4.00 ½ Chicken only.

Eat in, Take out, Drive thru available.

Thank you for supporting the Fire Department.

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## **VILLAGE STRATEGIC PLAN**

The Village of Manchester adopted its Strategic Plan at the March Board meeting. It has gone to the printers and will be available to the public shortly.

The Village has applied for a Communities Development Block Grant from Governor George E. Pataki Small Cities program. If granted, it will help in revitalizing the village guided by the strategic plan. We should know in the fall if it is awarded to us.

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## **♪ SUMMER CONCERT IN THE PARK ♪**

The Music Makers Big Band will be performing in the Bandstand Park at the corner of Main Street and Clifton Street on Wednesday, July 19, 2006 from 7:00 – 8:30 P.M. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the concert. Local non-profits will sell refreshments. If it rains, the concert will be moved to the Fire Department down the hill.

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## **CHILDREN AT PLAY**

We have received many reports of children playing in the streets throughout the village, including the parking lot on Main Street. These are not acceptable areas to use for gathering to play. **IT IS HIGHLY DANGEROUS - FOR SAFETY REASONS WE ASK THAT YOU DON'T USE THESE AREAS TO PLAY.** Property owners, please notify your tenants of this notice.

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## **SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM**

We will run our advertisement for the Summer park program in *The Merchandiser* toward the end of June. The details of the program will be listed then. The dates for this year's program are Wednesday, July 5<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 25, 2006.

**REMINDER:** A **Building Permit** is required for swimming pools, hot tubs, decks, sheds, fences, and roofs (just to name a few). Please contact our Code Enforcement Officer, Steve DeHond, or Deputy Code Enforcement Officer, Don Eastman, before starting your Spring and Summer projects and they'll be able to assist you. Their number is 289-3010 Ext. 107.

**NEEDED: ALTERNATE PLANNING BOARD AND ZONING BOARD MEMBERS** – If anyone is interested, please contact the clerk's office at 289-4340.

**🗑️ BURNING YOUR GARBAGE IS ILLEGAL**

We have received complaints of residents burning their garbage in outdoor burning barrels. Much of it is localized to the western end of State Street, though it has been reported at various other locations as well. Your neighbors cannot open their windows or sit outdoors due to the smoke and offensive odor. Burning your garbage is in violation of the law. Continued burning will force us to begin legal action. Please discontinue outdoor burning for the protection and consideration of our neighbors and for our environment. Check the yellow pages in the phone book for rubbish removal if you don't already have garbage pick-up.

**If you are planning to replace your water line** please contact the Dept. of Public Works so that we can coincide the work at our end with the work that you are having done.

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**📦 DROP BOXES**

We now have drop boxes available at the front and rear entrances of the village hall. For your convenience you can put your water & sewer payments or any other correspondence into the locked strongbox. Just push the silver opening at the top and it will fall into the locked lower portion. The boxes are checked daily.

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