



## Holland Charter Township E-News

March - April 2021

### Spring/Summer Recreation Programs



**Girls 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball Clinic**  
**Middle School Spring Dance Program**  
**Elementary School Spring Dance Program**  
**Girls Middle School Softball**  
**Girls 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Lacrosse Program**  
**Girls 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Lacrosse Program**  
**Boys Little League Baseball – Minor Lower**  
**Boys Little League Baseball – Minor Upper**  
**Boys Little League Baseball – Majors**  
**Boys Little League Baseball – Juniors**  
**Girls Little League Softball – Minors**  
**Girls Little League Softball – Majors**  
**Boys & Girls T-ball**  
**Boys 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Coach Pitch Baseball**  
**Girls 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Coach Pitch Softball**  
**Girls 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Coach Pitch Softball**

Visit the Township Recreation [website](#) to review specific program information, special events, virtual programming details and online registration. If you have questions, please call (616) 395-0178 or [recdept@hct.holland.mi.us](mailto:recdept@hct.holland.mi.us).

### March & April Township Meetings

**Board of Trustees (7:00 pm)**  
March 4 | March 18 | April 1 | April 15

**Planning Commission (7:00 pm)**  
March 2 | March 16 (Special Meeting) | April 13

For agendas and meeting minutes, click [here](#).

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## 2021 Clean Up Days

Take your unwanted items to our Clean Up Days!

**April 17 | May 15 | June 19 | July 17 | September 18**

**Time:** 7:00 am - Noon

**Location:**

Black River Recycling

[11531 Lakewood Boulevard](#), between 120th and 112th Avenues (first driveway east of Action Supply at 11560 Lakewood Boulevard).

**Materials that will NOT be accepted:**

Paints, drain oils, solvents and other petroleum products; fuel tanks; sealed containers. Household garbage; loose roofing materials (must be boxed or bagged); boats larger than 12 feet long.

Lawn and yard waste, branches and tree stumps will not be accepted.

**Accepted Materials for Recycling**

**Accepted materials for disposal include:**

Furniture, appliances; batteries; automobile tires (limit of 4 per household). Electronic equipment including computers, printers, TV's, monitors, audio equipment and electronic power tools. Accepted materials for recycling include: Household recyclables: paper, plastics, tin cans, etc. Find information on the disposal of hazardous waste on Ottawa County's Environmental Health [website](#).

**Proof of residency is required.** The Township reserves the right to refuse any items that are deemed too large or too difficult to handle.

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## 2021 Leaf & Yard Waste Recycling

**Guidelines for Recycling Services:**

- Materials accepted are grass clippings, leaves, brush, branches, and limbs (up to 12" diameter).
- Brush must be separated from grass clippings and leaves.
- No plastic, contaminants, treated lumber or stumps accepted.
- Customer is responsible for unloading and separating recycling materials.
- No commercial vehicles for these recycling services.
- These leaf and yard waste recycling services are open to Holland Charter Township residents without a drop off fee during the dates specified. Proof of residency may be requested.

**Location:**

Chips Groundcover, LLC

[13057 Quincy Street](#) (West of US-31)

**Times/Dates:**

**8:00 am - 5:00 pm**

Friday, April 16  
Friday, May 7

**9:00 am - 2:00 pm**

Saturday, April 17  
Saturday, May 8

Friday, September 17  
Friday, October 29  
Friday, November 5  
Friday, November 12  
Friday, November 19

Saturday, September 18  
Saturday, October 30  
Saturday, November 6  
Saturday, November 13  
Saturday, November 20

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## Burn Permits Being Issued

Open burning permits are issued between September - April. Please call Community Development for more information at (616) 395-0196.

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## Special Election on Tuesday, May 4

The only election currently scheduled in 2021 is the Special Election on **Tuesday, May 4**.

### Register to Vote

You can register to vote at the [Clerk's office](#), [County Clerk's office](#), or [Secretary of State branch office](#).

### Absentee Ballots

Your request for an absent voter ballot must be in writing and can be submitted to the Township Clerk. You must request an absent voter ballot by submitting the application, a letter, a postcard, or a pre-printed application form obtained from the Clerk's office. Requests may be returned by hand, via postal mail, fax, or e-mail, as long as a signature is visible.

The last day an absentee ballot may be mailed to you is **Friday, April 30**. You may request an absentee ballot **until 4:00 p.m. on Monday, May 3**, however, you must vote the ballot in the office. All absentee ballots must be returned by 8:00 p.m. on election day in order to count.

If you have any questions, please call the Clerk's office at (616) 396-2345 #7.

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## Parks Department Seasonal Opportunities

The Holland Township Parks Department is hiring seasonal staff for the upcoming 2021 Spring and Summer season. They are looking for hardworking and responsible individuals that want to work outside. Job duties include general parks maintenance and labor, athletic field maintenance and prep, light janitorial duties and more. They have a variety of positions available. Hours are typically Monday through Friday; 7:00 am to 3:30 pm with the opportunity for some weekend work and hours as well. Pay will be based on experience. Must be 18+ years old to apply, have a good driving record and be willing to submit to a background check.

Please e-mail a completed [job application](#) to Dan Zwick (Parks Supervisor) at [danzhct@gmail.com](mailto:danzhct@gmail.com).

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## Frequent Ordinance & Code Violations

The Township's [Code Enforcement webpage](#) now lists the most frequent ordinance and code enforcement violations right on the page. The page includes the ordinance for such things as parking, inoperable vehicles, landscaping and more. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Code Enforcement at (616) 395-0151.

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# Daylight Savings Time

Remember to push your clocks forward one hour on **Sunday, March 14** for Daylight Savings Time.

**WAIT** >> **WE'RE OPEN** <<

>> **BUT** <<  
There Are Other Ways We Can Serve You!

- PHONE** (616) 396-2345
- WEBSITE** [www.hct.holland.mi.us](http://www.hct.holland.mi.us)
- EMAIL** [info@hct.holland.mi.us](mailto:info@hct.holland.mi.us)
- DRIVE UP DROP BOX** Oval Driveway North of Building
- MAIL** 353 N 120th Ave • Holland 49424

## Community News

### HDL North Branch Now Open

Herrick District Library's newly renovated and expanded North Branch is now open. The \$4 million expansion offers twice the square footage, a multi-purpose meeting room, study rooms, an early literacy play area, comfortable seating, and more workspace. HDL is currently in a "grab and go" phase due to Covid-19 conditions. Seating, meeting rooms, and in-person programming are not yet available. A video tour is available at <https://bit.ly/2ZbV1Ba>.

### Report Those Potholes

The Ottawa County Road Commission is responsible for maintaining the roads. With the Spring weather upon us, you may fill out this [online form](#) to let them know about a pothole that needs to be fixed.



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## Mission Statement

It is the mission of the officials and staff of the Charter Township of Holland to serve its citizens with courtesy, integrity, and efficiency, and to provide quality municipal services that will help to maintain and improve the overall manner in which our citizens live, work, and play.

## Contact Us

Monday - Friday  
8 am - 5 pm

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