

Camp Springs News

"Delivering News to the Camp Springs Community"



Camp Springs Initiative

September—October—November 2015

9th Annual Camp Springs Herbst Tour

The mere mention of Camp Springs and its Herbst Tour attracts returning tourists and first-time guests and families to the rural and historical valley of picturesque Camp Springs, Kentucky. The 9th Annual Herbst (*Autumn*) Tour on Sunday, October 18 from noon to 6 p.m. is a free self-guided auto tour. Starting the tour is as easy as picking up the complimentary Herbst Tour brochure and map at the Camp Springs Fire House at 6844 Four Mile Road (State Route 547 off the AA Highway). The brochure includes a short description of each of the stops and lists the many local advertisers whose support makes this free tour possible.

You can visit active agricultural farms and gardens, horse farms and an array of local business establishments that are part of this tranquil community. For extra convenience, food, refreshments and restrooms are available at many tour stops. The Herbst Tour would not be complete without experiencing Camp Springs' noted group of historical stone houses (one of the largest collections within the Midwest Region). These Camp Springs dwellings were constructed during the mid 1800's by German immigrants and vintners, who viewed this pristine valley as their newly-discovered American home.

Area historians also note Camp Springs' prominence during the early days of its establishment for its achievements in wine making and the distribution of its wines throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the entire country. Present owners of the area's wineries, vineyards and stone houses continue to capture the significance of Camp Springs' unique historical contribution to the region.

You can also experience the unique southern hospitality and artistic treasures of the historic churches that have served the faith communities of Camp Springs for over 170 years.

To contact one of the tour organizers prior to or during your visit, please call Sharon Ramler at (859) 760-3500 or Rose Chalk at (859) 240-4010. For more information visit www.campsprings.com and like us on Facebook at Camp Springs Herbst Tour.

Adopt-A-Highway With Us September 26, 2015

In order to have our community looking its best for the 9th Annual Herbst Tour, CSI will be sponsoring a road clean-up on September 26. We invite you to join us at 10 a.m. at the Camp Springs Bed and Breakfast on Four Mile Road that day. We plan to spend about two hours picking up trash from the roadside. Safety vests, trash bags and grabbers will be provided at the site. All you need to bring is a desire to improve the appearance of the community where you live.

Camp Springs Day 2015: Fun, Food and Friends

Over forty community members gathered for a very pleasant afternoon at the Camp Springs Winery on Sunday, July 12, 2015. Camp Springs Initiative's tenth annual Camp Springs Day was once again graciously hosted by the Linus Enzweiler family at their winery on Four Mile Road.

For many, the bake-off was the high point of the day, and judges Kevin and Lonnie Enzweiler, led by culinary graduate Carlye Enzweiler took their task very seriously. The winners were

1st prize: Mary Ann Studer (Coconut Cream Pie)

2nd prize: Pat Phillips (Key Lime Pie)

3rd prize: Harriet Arrasmith (Hummingbird Cake)

This year CSI collected canned goods and money at Camp Springs Day for the Bread of Life Food Pantry at St. John Lutheran Church. A thank you letter from the Rev. Phillip Garber reads in part: "We are grateful for your support and truly appreciate your generosity. The Bread of Life Food Pantry serves approximately 125 households in Campbell County. The pantry is able to make a difference in the lives of so many local people because of your support. Again, thank you and God's blessing to you and your families."

Did You Know . . .?

"OKTOBERFISH" will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 6833 Four Mile Road, Camp Springs on Friday, October 2, 2015 and Friday, October 9, 2015 from 4:00 - 7:30 p.m. featuring fried fish, baked fish, fried catfish, salmon, deep fried shrimp, crab cakes and a Sampler Platter. Set-ups start at \$8.50 and sandwiches are \$6.50 each. Eat in or carry-out. For more information call 635-5652.

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CSI Update

CSI Board Members

Bill Allender
Carolyn Allender
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If you are interested in serving on the board,
Please contact Nancy Enzweiler at 635-2925.

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CSI Meetings

7 p.m. at Camp Springs Winery

September 21
November 16

Camp Springs News Looking for Sponsors

The *Camp Springs News* is looking for local business or personal sponsors. This is a great way to advertise your business and show your support for the community.

The cost is \$50 per issue.

Call Nancy Enzweiler at 635-2925 for more information.

Upcoming Events

September

- September 13** — Heritage Sunday Service (10 a.m.) and Annual Church Picnic, St. John Lutheran, 11:30 a.m.
September 19 — Oakland Women's Fall Retreat, Oakland United Methodist Church, call 859-588-3111
September 21 — Camp Springs Initiative, Camp Springs Winery, 7 p.m.
September 26 — Adopt-A-Highway Cleanup, Camp Springs Bed and Breakfast, 10 a.m.

October

- October 2** — Oktoberfish, St. Joseph Catholic, 4 - 7:30 p.m.
October 4 — Cemetery Visitation, St. Joseph Catholic, 2 p.m.
October 9 — Oktoberfish, St. Joseph Catholic, 4 - 7:30 p.m.
October 18 — 9th Annual Herbst Tour, 12 - 6 p.m., see article, p. 1

November

- November 1** — Daylight Savings ends
November 13 — Deadline for calendar submissions for *Camp Springs News*
November 16 — Camp Springs Initiative, Camp Springs Winery, 7 p.m.

Thanks to Sharon Ramler for her contribution to this issue of the *Camp Springs News*.

Deadline

Calendar submissions for the next issue are due to the editor at 635-2925 by November 13, 2015.

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