

Wagoner County
COUNTY CLERK



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FROM THE CLERK

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Special points of interest:

- Wellness Committee Meeting
- Household Pollutant Collection

Carolyn Kuster



A MESSAGE FROM DYAN MARRS AND KRISTI IRVIN

The Wagoner County Health and Wellness Committee will meet on **APRIL 20, 2012 at 9:00a.m. in Courtroom #3**. A representative from Blue Cross/BlueShield will be there to educate and answer questions regarding available insurance options.

It is very important that each office have a representative there to relay information to their co-workers.

Also, please make sure to have all the Wellness Surveys turned in to us at the meeting. We will be drawing for the prizes that day.

Thank you from the Human Resources Department!

A special “thank you” to Dyan and Kristi for coordinating the recent Stroke Prevention Screening! Many employees participated.



*Safety
Training

APRIL
11th*



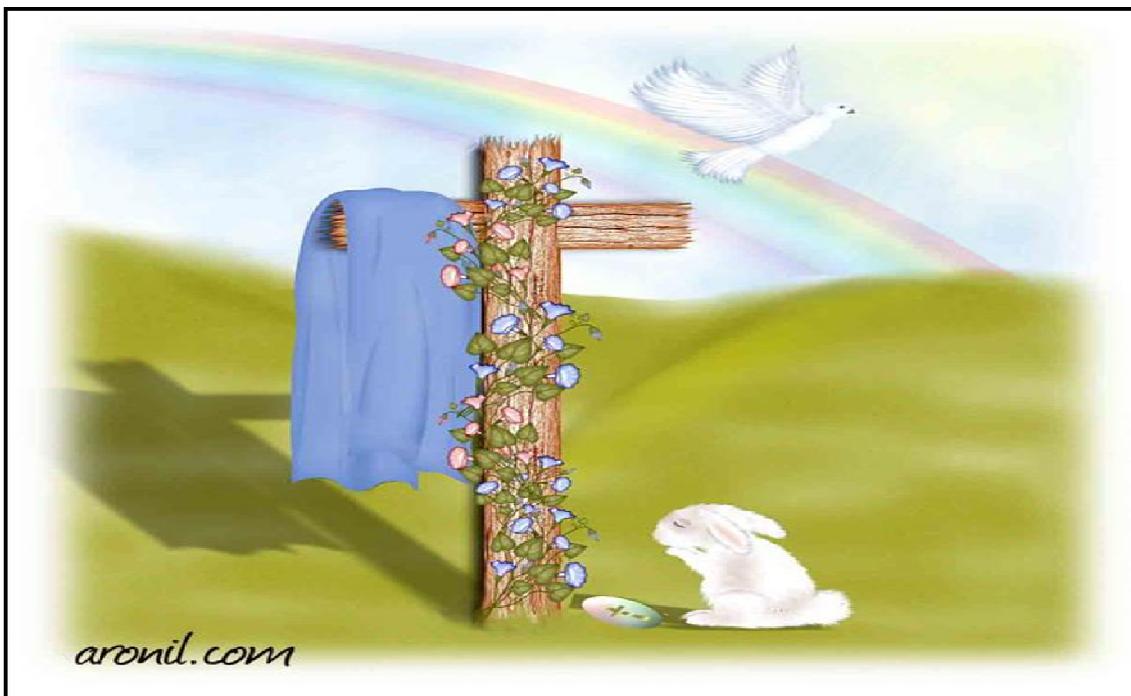
COUNTY CLERK SAFETY TRAINING

Just a reminder—The County Clerk administration of-fices and Land Records will be closed the first Wednesday of every month from 8:00am–9:00am.

The next scheduled training is Wednesday, April 11th.

Slips, Trips & Falls

**CONGRATULATIONS TO CAROLYN KUSLER ON HER
RECENT APPOINTMENT BY REPRESENTATIVE
WADE ROUSSELOT TO THE
LAW ENFORCEMENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH EMERGENCY
DISPATCH TASK FORCE!!!!**



HOUSEHOLD POLLUTANT COLLECTION

April 14th and 15th, 2012

10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

**TULSA FAIRGOUNDS
(15TH AND SANDUSKY)**

Wagoner County Residents are Welcome!

Visit the M.e.t. website for information on what is accepted at this event.

www.metrecycle.com

FREE DUMP DAY(Sat.4/21/12, 8am to 4pm) (918)486-8073

In conjunction with ODOT's Trash Off, residents in Wagoner County may take trash to the Wagoner County Fairgrounds on 30058 East 147th Street South. **NO HAZARDOUS WASTES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

EASTER

Resurrected Jesus and [Mary Magdalene](#), by [Antonio da Correggio](#), 1543



Remaining 2012 COUNTY HOLIDAYS

Good Friday	Friday	April 6th
Memorial Day	Monday	May 28 th
Independence Day	Wednesday	July 4 th
Labor Day	Monday	September 3 rd
Columbus Day	Monday	October 8 th
Veteran's Day	Monday	November 12 th
Thanksgiving	Thursday and Friday	November 22 nd and 23 rd
Christmas	Monday and Tuesday	December 24 th and 25 th
New Year's	Tuesday	January 1 st (2013)

APRIL TRIVIA

1. It was the second month in the Roman calendar and they called it Aprilis.
2. The American Revolutionary War began on April 19, 1775.
3. On April 3rd 1860 the Pony Express began.
4. On April 9th in the year 1865 General Robert E. Lee commander of the Confederate Army surrendered to U.S. Grant and the official end of the American Civil War took place.
5. On April 30th, television first publicly broadcast, from the Empire State Building, 1939.

Here are some interesting trivia facts about April:

- April 1969 saw the Concorde's maiden flight.
- April 15th, 1912 R.M.S. Titanic struck an iceberg and sank.
- April is national Poetry month in the United States.
- World Health Day is recognized on April 7th.
- Earth Day is celebrated on April 22nd.
- On April 14th 2002, Tiger Woods won his 3rd Masters Gold Tournament.

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CALENDAR



BOCC/EcoDev Joint Special Mtg. 04/10/12

APRIL 11	Safety Mtg	APRIL 10	Excise Board Mtg
APRIL 9	Comm Mtg	APRIL 24	Excise Board Mtg
APRIL 16	Comm Mtg	APRIL 24	Tax Roll Board Mtg
APRIL 23	Comm Mtg		
APRIL 30	Ccmm Mtg		

APRIL 20 WELLNESS COMMITTEE MEETING



*A MESSAGE FROM CHAR.....
PLEASE ENJOY THIS APRIL ISSUE! IF
YOU WOULD LIKE TO
CONTRIBUTE TO THE MAY ISSUE,
PLEASE LET ME
KNOW.....CHAR*

MISSION A MATTER OF RIGHT

"A popular Government, without popular information, or the means of acquiring it, is but a Prologue to a Farce or a Tragedy; or perhaps both. Knowledge will forever govern ignorance: And a people who mean to be their own Governors, must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives."

- James Madison