



Centerville Noon Optimist Club

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Noon Optimist Club of Centerville and Centerville Police combine to Promote Youth Bicycle Safety

Centerville, Ohio – The Noon Optimist Club of Centerville in combination with the Centerville Police Department and Bike Centerville would like to assure that the children of the community are a little safer this year by sponsoring their Safety on Wheels Bike Rodeo.

The annual event is scheduled for Sunday May 15, 2022 commencing at 1:00 pm and ending at 4 pm at the Miami Valley Hospital South near the corner of Clyo Road at Wilmington Pike. There is no charge for this event.

Children of all ages are encouraged to attend and bring their bicycles. In cooperation with the Centerville Police Department and Miami Valley Hospital South, bikes will be given a pre-safety check before kids attempt to test ride the “obstacle course” in the parking lot. Bicycle helmet fittings will be available.

“In many ways it takes an entire community to make sure that our children grow up in a safe environment,” stated club President Gary Hansen. “With programs like this, Optimists hope to do our part in assuring that children enjoy safe cycling.”

The Centerville Noon Optimist Club has been supporting the youth of Centerville and Washington Township since it’s founding in 1968. Programs and service projects that the club supports include the Fishing Derby, 4th of July Americana 5K Run, Avenue of Flags and the 30th Annual Tee Off for Youth Golf Outing on July 18.

Optimist International is one of the world’s largest service club organizations with 100,000 adult and youth members in 3,000 clubs in the United States, Canada, the Caribbean and Mexico and throughout the world. Carrying the motto “Friend of Youth,” Optimists conduct positive service projects that reach more than six million young people each year.

The Centerville Noon Optimist Club has been chosen at the Optimist Club of the Year twice in the last five years. To learn more about Centerville Noon Optimists please call 937-221-6720, visit our website at www.centervillenooptimist.com. Or be our guest for lunch on Tuesdays at Yankee Trace.