



Rocky Ripple Community Association

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RRCA CALENDAR

Sat., Feb. 13th

BINGO

Proceeds go to the Community Association. Food available.

7:00 pm Town Hall

Tues., Feb 9th

Rocky Ripple Town Board Meeting

7:30 pm Town Hall

Tues., Feb. 16th

Rocky Ripple Community Association Meeting

7:30 pm Town Hall

Wed. Mar. 1st

Deadline for Advertising Submissions/Updates for 2010 Rocky Ripple Directory

Send updates to the directory coordinator at:

rcommassoc@aol.com.

Visit

www.rockyripple.org

for details.

Tues., Mar. 9th

Rocky Ripple Town Board Meeting

7:30 pm Town Hall

Second BINGO Night of the Season – Saturday, Feb. 13th! 7:00 pm Town Hall



Bring your sweetheart to Bingo for a bargain night of entertainment on February 13th! The first BINGO night of the season raised approximately \$150 for the community association.

Try your luck at this next Bingo session on **Saturday evening February 13th** at 7:00 pm for a family friendly fun filled evening, with meatball sandwiches, chips and drinks available for purchase.

Bingo cards are 25 cents each per round. The pot from each round played will be split between the Community Association and the round winner. This month's proceeds go toward funding of Community Association activities, such as the annual Easter Egg Hunt and the town wide garage sale.

The Veterans Association will be working the March BINGO night on **March 13th** and proceeds will go toward Veterans Association projects. Past BINGO fundraisers, sponsored by the Veterans Association, have paid for the construction and maintenance of the Veterans Memorial in Peace Park, including assisting the town with payment of the utility fees for the nighttime lighting of the memorial.

DON'T FORGET. We've gone GREEN! Saving paper. Saving \$\$.

Beginning with the last issue of the Rocky Ripple Community Association (RRCA) newsletter, we are distributing information electronically. This contributes toward doing our part for the environment, as well as saves costs. Printing of the newsletters for Rocky Ripple households costs approximately \$50 per issue. This is money that the RRCA can use for other community initiatives and events.

If you know of someone that wants to be added, please have them send an email to rcommassoc@aol.com and request being added to the RRCA E-News distribution list. We promise not to use your email addresses for purposes other than communicating information regarding our community and will not share the email distribution list with others. We will also post a hard copy of each issue at the town hall bulletin board for those that do not have access to email and/or the web.

Let us know what you think of the new format and any suggestions you may have for things you would like to have included. Contact the RRCA newsletter editor at rcommassoc@aol.com.

Sat., Mar. 13th

BINGO

Proceeds go to the
Veterans Association.
7:00 pm Town Hall

Tues., Mar. 16th

Rocky Ripple Community Association Meeting

7:30 pm Town Hall

Sat., April 3rd

Annual Easter Egg Hunt and Cake Walk

12:00 noon Town Hall

Rocky Ripple Community Association

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2010 Rocky Ripple Festival To Be Held on Sat. September 25, 2010! – thanks to those that volunteered to take on key roles for the event



It has been decided!! There will be a 2010 Rocky Ripple Festival. It will be held on Saturday, September 25, 2010 from 11 am to 6 pm in Hohlt Park. This will be the festival's 11th year.

Dhyana Raynor, who has done a great job in coordinating artists and the artist area at past festivals has graciously volunteered to serve as co-chairman for the 2010 festival. Assisting Dhyana will be Rocky Ripple resident **Lade Akande**, who brings a wealth of event planning experience to her festival coordinator role. Other 2010 festival committee heads include the following:

Music: Steve Hurt
Artists: Megan Wright/Lade Akanke
Food/Drinks: Karen Stone
Publicity/Advertising: Lade Akande
Endowment/Fundraising: open
Signage: Ann Wickham
Corporate Sponsorship: Lade Akande
Raffle: open
Children's Area: Kate Bullis
Trash/Recycling: open
Set-up Coordinator: open
Tear-down Coordinator: open

To volunteer for any open committee head position, or to volunteer in any capacity for the 2010 Rocky Ripple festival, contact one the following individuals:

Dhyana Raynor	dhyana@sbcbglobal.net	414-5018
Lade Akande	Lade@Knollfest.com	409-1116
Megan Wright	mwright2@indy.rr.com	259-4352
Karen Stone	klstonerrca@yahoo.com	252-5786

Come to the next Rocky Ripple Community Association meeting on February 16th at 7:30 pm to learn about the festival and opportunities to get involved. Visit the community association website for a description of the position duties at:

www.rockyripple.org.

2009 Rocky Ripple Festival Results

With money raised at the 2009 Rocky Ripple Festival, we deposited \$5000 into the Rocky Ripple Parks Endowment fund. The fund, which is managed by the Central Indiana Community Foundation, now has close to \$40,000. Funds are used to maintain parks and greenspaces within Rocky Ripple. Tax-deductible donations to the Endowment fund can be made through the Rocky Ripple Community Association. Contact Treasurer Mandy Redmond at 259-7512 for additional information.

[Click here](#) to view 2009 festival pictures, courtesy of local photographer Joshua Leberz.

RRCA Newsletter:

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Editor: Mandy Redmond



Knitting (and Crocheting) for Charity

The Rocky Ripple 4H Club invites you to participate in a service project. In January several club members and parents learned how to knit. The club will be making knitted blankets for babies and children to donate to the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. The club members need help from those in the community who can knit or donate worsted wool yarn in any color. Community members are invited to knit or crochet 8 inch by 8 inch squares which will be pieced together to make a blanket.

The club will be making small knitted baby blankets to donate to the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. The club members need help from those in the community who can teach this skill. This project will be on going as the club hopes to accumulate several blankets for those in need. For more information about the Pine Ridge Project, contact Nancy Barton at 255-7628 or at sandertales@aol.com.

Rocky Ripple 2010 Directory

Final preparation of the 2010 Rocky Ripple directory is in progress and the directory is expected to be printed and distributed in March, 2010. If you have not yet submitted your directory listing information, submit the information to the RRCA directory editor at rcommassoc@aol.com no later than 03/01/2010. Requests for business ads need to be received by 03/01/2010 as well. More information about business ad sizing and prices can be found at the Rocky Ripple Community Association website: www.rockyripple.org.



Recycling Reminder

Don't forget to recycle your newspapers, magazines and other paper at the Abitibi newspaper recycling bin located next to the Town Hall garage. Proceeds from the recycling effort go to offset the cost of the Port-o-Let in Hohlt Park. The more paper we recycle in the bin, the more money that goes to this effort.

[Click here](#) to find out more about the program and what types of paper can be placed in the container.