

14th Annual Golf Scramble



**Monday, June 23
tee-off 8 a.m.**

FORE GOLFERS! This year's Betsey Mills Benefit Women's Golf Scramble is set for Monday, June 23rd at The Marietta Country Club.

One of the largest fundraising events for The Betsey. This year's annual golf scramble will have 18 teams of lady golfers competing for bragging rights and an abundance of prizes.

Women golfers from around the area are invited to attend the event. The entry fee is \$75 per person and includes a continental breakfast, sit-down lunch, and prizes. Metal spikes are banned

on this course. The practice range opens and registration begins at 7 a.m. The shotgun start is at 8 a.m.

Golfers will be treated to a luncheon after the tournament. Ladies may also participate in raffles, 50/50 drawings, and door prizes will be given away.

Spaces are still available and interested teams are encouraged to visit the website for a registration form or call the main office at 740-373-4981.

The deadline to register is Friday, June 13. *Hope to see you swinging around!*

Upcoming Events

Rockin' Lock-In - Friday, May 30th, 7 p.m.
Merchant's & Artist's Walk - Friday, June 13th
14th Annual Golf Tournament - Monday, June 23rd

www.betseymills.org

A United Way Participating Agency



Spring is here and in FULL Bloom!!! POOL Parties in our INDOOR HEATED pool is a great way to celebrate Birthdays, Graduations, Champions, or just to have FUN! Rates start at \$50 per hour; pair it with the Gym for just \$80 total (we set-up tables and chairs). Call today to book your next party.

The Betsey Mills
300 Fourth Street
Marietta, Ohio 45750



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The Betsey Banner

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Notices

**Annual Meeting
Monday, June 16
4-7 p.m.
In the Parlor**

All members are invited to attend this Annual Meeting. We will reflect on the previous year and discuss new business. Your vote is needed for purposed changes within the Betsey Mills Corporation.

**Name Contest Winners
Announced!**

For details, see page 6

**Pool Opening at
New Time!**

For details, see the pool schedule on page 3.

Thank you for your
generosity!

For details, see story on page 6



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newsletter.



The Betsey is proud to be a participating United Way Agency.

Open Betsey's Newest Child Care Center: Betsey's Little Sprouts



The City of Marietta has been in great need of an infant and toddler child care center for many years. The Betsey Mills has answered the call for help.

The newest child care center has now opened. Our Open House was held on April 30th as an opportunity for everyone who helped shine the light on this endeavor to view their hospitality at work. Our members graciously donated money, time and materials to the Betsey that allowed us to open our doors to new families in the community.

Malone Renovations broke ground at the 316 Fourth Street property in January and has done an excellent job remodeling this building.

There have been many community leaders involved with removing wallpaper, painting walls and trim and completing the playground as a place for our "Little Sprouts" to bloom. Special thanks go to the Betsey Mills Staff for all their hard work during this project.

Betsey's Little Sprouts offers state certified child care to children ages 6 weeks to 3 years. Once the children are potty trained, they will join Betsey's Learning Tree in the main building until they are 5 years old.

For enrollment information, please contact Kathy Bartlett, ext. 2.



Meet Our Staff

Executive Director
Linda S. Lewis

Administrative Assistant
Ashby Seyler-Schmidt

Betsey's Learning Tree Director
Kathy Bartlett

Maintenance Supervisor
Harry Dye

Interim Aquatics Manger
Geoff Urbaniak

Betsey's Learning Tree Coordinators
Debbie Goodwill-Child Care
Sue McKnight-Preschool
Tallarie Stewart-Summer Camp
Melissa Theobald-Little Sprouts

Betsey's Learning Tree Staff
Dawn Jones Wendy Heddleston
Jennifer King

Betsey's Little Sprouts Staff
Sandra Plaugher Lisa Cobb
Tiffany Ferguson Chelsea Hammat
Sarah Offenberger

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Emily Dye Amanda Danielson

Pool Staff

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Kathy Mental Byron Leary
Lynne Sturtevant Brenan Molden
Laken Adams Daniel Perry

Maintenance Staff

Sandra Mount Joe Chamberlain
Terry Russell

Contact The Betsey

740-373-4981

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Director's Corner

MAKING A BETTER FUTURE FOR OUR CHILDREN

Excitement abounds as we have completed the first expansion of The Betsey Mills Club. With two-income families becoming the norm across the U.S., many parents rely on childcare centers. Parents of Washington and surrounding counties can be comforted by knowing they have access to quality childcare services.

Strict standards have been adhered to as the project progressed. The inside of the new building has been designed to be a safe, comfortable space for children. Old walls were removed; new walls, flooring, carpet, plumbing, electric, child size commodes, sinks and tables were installed. Toys, games and puzzles were not randomly selected; everything was purchased to meet the developmental needs of the children. Children need to develop large and small motor skills, as well as emotional, intellectual and social skills. Activities are scheduled to stimulate development in all areas. We have arranged for safe

sleeping areas. Cribs are free of mobiles, bumpers and overly fluffy bedding. All safety precautions are in place.

Menus were approved by the Marietta Health Department to ensure safe and sanitary food prep methods, state guidelines are used to meet the nutritional needs of growing children.

Childcare training is essential and our staff members have been trained! CPR and first aid training insure that staff is able to handle any emergencies. Communicable disease, child abuse and the six part infant toddler training module have all been implemented. FBI background checks are completed on all staff. We are licensed by the State of Ohio Department of Job and Family Services.

We are here as a resource to the community, looking forward to a long partnership with the parents and grandparents of all the children.

Linda

Membership Rates

(Effective February 1, 2007)

Adult	\$45
Senior (62 and older)	\$35
Family	\$60
Student (18 and under)	\$25
Patron	\$55
Circle	\$100
Lifetime Individual	\$1,000

All membership privileges include the free bimonthly newsletter, discounts on classes and activities, discounts on pool usage, and discounts on room rentals for baby showers, birthday parties, reunions, and other personal events. Family and Circle memberships also receive discounts on the services offered at Betsey's Learning Tree and Betsey's Little Sprouts.

Women's Trustees: Barb Handschumacher, President; Virginia Mayle, Vice President; Amy Bays, Treasurer; Carol Chase, Secretary; Judy Piersall; Jane Spilatro; Sherry Adams; Susan Smith; Ann Mulvihill; Rita Stephan; Pamela Plaskett; Kathy Albright; Kathy Bartunek

Corporate Board: John Halliday, President; Vacant, Vice President; Donn Schafer, Treasurer; Suzy Walters, Secretary; David Hay; Greg Gentry; Nancy Hollister; Marian Kurner; Bill McFarland; Amy Bays; Chris Morrison; Karen Osborne; Jean Scott; Linda Steelman; John Wharff; Barb Handschumacher

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BLACKSMITH Bulletin



Blacksmith's Moma Rosa Opening Soon!

Who's in the Kitchen with **BlackSmith**? Mama Rosa! Who is Mama Rosa? Inspired by a character of our Pastas, Pistols and Passions murder mystery and many calls of "is all you have is barbecue?" Chef Kevin has dusted off his old Italian notebook, and Cathlene rolled up her sleeves to create a dual menu featuring the best of Blacksmith Barbecue's slow smoked southern barbecue and Old World Family style Italian.

Chef Kevin and Cathlene are excited to offer a diverse menu with the opening of **BlackSmith's Moma Rosa**. Our new menu will feature made to order pastas, Little Italy inspired sandwiches, and specialty baked goods. The carefully crafted sauces paired with locally sourced produce, meats and poultry are sure to delight. Come in and check out our new look and the new feel of BlackSmith Mama Rosa's Restaurant. With this new variety on the menu, they hope to please every taste pallet.

IS THAT A BLACKSMITH BARBECUE COMPETITION TRAILER?



That's right. Blacksmith Barbecue is back on the circuit for competitions again. Also, they will be traveling around to local businesses to cater your lunch (minimum orders apply). If you want Kevin to stop by a business near you, please call him at (740) 236-1561 to set up a scheduled stop. Current menu is available on line at www.blacksmithbarbecue.com.

Blacksmith Barbecue - Always Fresh

We are your local barbecue restaurant providing our friends and neighbors with house smoke meats fresh daily. Our competition team travels around the country, striving to create award winning barbecue against world class competitors.

Maintaining our focus on Barbecue and trying to reach out to as many people as possible - We will begin a new hot shot deliver service with 24 hour notice to the local area for larger parties and some scheduled drops at other local businesses. Please contact us for more details.

Multiphasic Blood Screening

Tuesday, June 24 • 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. • Belpre Medical Campus, 125 Lee St. (Dr. Cook's office)

\$35.00 - Multiphasic; \$12.00 - Hemoglobin A1C; \$12.00 - Cholesterol Profile; and \$15.00 - PSA

12 hour fasting required. Sponsored by 55 PLUS. Call 740-374-1431 to register.

Coming this July! Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre



After a rave customer review. Pickle Productions and Blacksmith Barbecue present a story of love, betrayal and murder! Who will be the murderer this time? Come to find out as we present our next murder mystery dinner. Check the website for dates and details.

BLACKSMITH CATERING

Blacksmith Catering will still be operating from the Betsey kitchen, so remember to call for your next party. Party platters are available as well as booking your party here at the Betsey.

Special Note

Selene's had her puppies, they are eight weeks old Chow-Lab mix and Adorable. We are still seeking happy homes for two little boys - contact us in the restaurant at 740-236-1561.

BLACKSMITH BARBECUE COMPANY

NEW HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 11:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Friday 11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Saturday 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Gift Certificate special
Purchase any BlackSmith gift certificates totaling \$100 or more you will receive a \$15 complimentary gift certificate for yourself.
(The BlackSmith Barbecue Company)



MARIETTA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
55 PLUS

Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated!

The following people have donated time, materials, or money to help make the Infant Toddler Center open on time. We appreciate what you were able to give in our time of need.

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| Girls' Council | Pam Plaskett | Arthur & Jeanne Edwards | Keith Malone |
| Kittie Clark | Virginia Powell | Sara Dennis | Eagle Scouts |
| Ilene Barengo | Jennifer Powers | Linda Ward | People's Bank |
| Linda Dauber | Judy & Kenneth Smith | Antiques & Needful Things | Nancy & Jeff Hollister |
| Arlene Balfour | Suzanne Hammond Walters | Molly Varner | Kevin Black and Jim Black |
| Roger Anderson | Jack Alrutz | Ruth Vanlandingham | Hank Voelker |
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| Rosemary Bartlett | Charlotte Bacu | Nancy Murdock | Marietta College Community |
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| Janet Cranston | Mary Lou Atkinson | Margaret Forbes | Lisa Cobb |
| Tina Duff | Geneva Carpenter | Marilyn Kurtz | Tiffany Ferguson |
| David Baker | Tracy Stehly | Becky Young | Chelsea Hammat |
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| Mary & Scott LaBarre | Jane Eackle | Robert Wark | Melissa Theobold |



Name the Infant/Toddler Child Care Center Contest

AND THE WINNER IS...

Dorothy Corner
"Betsey's Little Sprouts"

Sophie Evans is our Runner-Up
"Betsey's Sprouts"

A Very Special Thank You for the Grants we received!

Judie Taylor put in many hours towards writing grants. Her services were invaluable to our cause for the community. Judie even put in time to help us during her vacation with her family.

We received funds from these foundations:

Sisters of St. Joseph
 Charitable Foundation

Marietta Community Foundation

AQUATIC PROGRAMS

****NOTICE****

Beginning June 2nd, 2008 the pool will no longer be opening at 6:00 a.m. For the past year we have kept the pool open at 6:00 a.m. to see if the number of morning swimmers would increase. The sign-in sheets show that very few people are swimming at that time. Compounding this problem is the fact that very few of

our lifeguards seem to be able to get to work at 6:00 a.m. Due to both of these issues I am changing the time we open to 7:00 a.m. We simply can not cover the cost of opening at 6:00 a.m. I know there are two people who are very dedicated to swimming at that time and I apologize for the inconvenience.

Linda

****There are no sign-up commitments or age requirements and you can begin at any time!****



Our arthritis instructors have completed an approved training program.

Summer '08 Pool Schedule

EFFECTIVE JUNE 2, 2008

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:00-9:00	Open/Lap Swim	Open/Lap Swim	Open/Lap Swim	Open/Lap Swim	Open/Lap Swim		
9:00-10:00	Stretch and Tone	BLT	Stretch and Tone	BLT	Open Swim All Ages	Lessons Level I	
10:00-11:00	Arthritis Plus	Stretch and Tone	Arthritis Plus	Stretch and Tone	Arthritis Plus	Lessons Level II	
11:00-12:00	Deep Water Arthritis	Water Walking	Deep Water Arthritis	Water Walking	Arthritis Plus	Lessons Level III	
12:00-12:30	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Open Swim All Ages	Pool Available for Rental
12:30-1:00	Summer Camp		Summer Camp	Summer Camp	Summer Camp		
1:00-2:00	Summer Camp	Women Only	Summer Camp	Women Only	Summer Camp	Pool Available for Rental	Pool Available for Rental
2:00-3:00	Arthritis Exercise	Arthritis Exercise	Arthritis Exercise	Arthritis Exercise	Arthritis Exercise		
3:00-4:00	Open Swim All Ages	Open Swim All Ages	Open Swim All Ages	Open Swim All Ages	Open Swim All Ages	Pool Available for Rental	Pool Available for Rental
4:00-5:00		Stretch and Tone		Stretch and Tone			
5:00-6:00	Adult Lap Swim	Water Walking	Adult Lap Swim	Water Walking	Family Member Free Swim		
6:00-7:00	Family Swim	Arthritis Exercise	Family Swim	Arthritis Exercise			

*BLT - Children Enrolled in Betsey Learning Tree

BMC Member Discounted Pool Rate Chart

	Hourly Individual	10 Swim Flex Individual	3 Month Unlimited Individual	3 Month Unlimited Couple	12 Month Unlimited Individual	12 Month Unlimited Couple
Adult	\$3.50	\$30.00	\$110.00	\$190.00	\$400.00	\$700.00
Senior	\$3.00	\$25.00	\$90.00	\$150.00	\$330.00	\$550.00
Student	\$3.00	\$25.00	\$90.00	N/A	\$330.00	N/A

Non-Member Rates

	Hourly Individual
Adult	\$5.00
Senior	\$3.50
Student	\$3.50

Rockin' Lock-In

It is hard to imagine that Spring is right around the corner with all the snow coming down. The Betsey is planning an event for children ready to enjoy their Summer Break.

We are inviting Middle School students to attend a **Rockin' Lock-In** on Friday, May 30th from 7 p.m. - 7 a.m. The cost is \$10 per child. Tickets are available at the Betsey Mills prior to this event, not available at the

door.

There will be food, drinks, games, movies and a Midnight Madness Swim for all children to participate. Wear comfortable clothing and your tennis shoes. Bring your pajamas, sleeping bags, pillows, swim suits and a towel. This will be a fun night to remember.

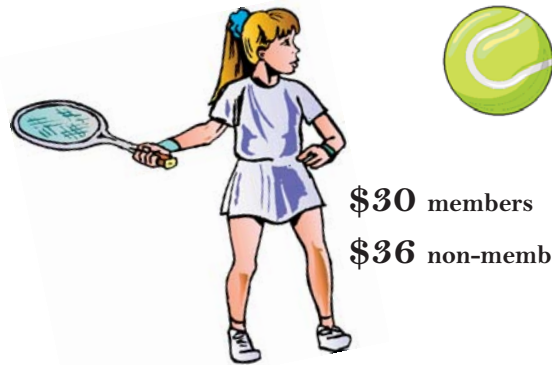
Hope to see you there!



May 30th
7 p.m.- 7 a.m.

Tennis Lessons!

Sponsored by the Betsey Mills Club.



\$30 members

\$36 non-members

Wednesdays at Lookout Point Park on Harmar Hill

June 4–July 9 6 weeks	10:00–11:30 a.m. age 9-12 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. age 13-15
July 16–Aug. 20 6 weeks	10:00–11:30 a.m. age 9-12 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. age 13-15

Summer 2008

Swim Lessons at The Betsey

All lessons have 6 classes.

Prices: \$40 members **Private Lessons: \$50 non-members** **\$20 per hour**

	<u>Weekend Lessons</u>	<u>Weekly Lessons</u>
INFANT & PRE-LEVEL 1 BASIC WATER SKILLS (ages 2-3)	Call for Details	Monday & Wednesday 12-12:30 p.m. Start Dates: June 2
LEVEL 1: INTRO TO WATER SKILLS	Sat. 9 a.m. Start Dates: June 7	Tuesday & Thursday 12-1 p.m. Start Dates: June 3
LEVEL 2: FUNDAMENTAL AQUATIC SKILLS	Sat. 10 a.m. Start Dates: June 7	Call for Details
ADVANCED LEVEL: STROKE DEVELOPMENT	Sat. 11 a.m. Start Dates: June 7	Call for Details

Private lessons are also a great way for youngsters to get acclimated to the water and prepare for entry level swimming. Adults are also encouraged to take Private Lessons. *It's never too late to learn to swim!!!* Please call the main office at 740-373-4981 ext 200 in order to get more information.



Betsey's Learning Tree



Providing quality childcare since 1949

Magical Make Believe Mini-Camps 2008!

Modified summer day camps for children 3 to 5 years old will be available starting in June. Four one week camps will feature an exciting theme with music, songs, snacks, art, stories and gym time. These activities will open their imaginations and creativity. Campers will also be able to design their very own t-shirt. *Spaces are limited, so register today!*

Monday - Friday 2 - 4 p.m.	
<i>Dora The Explorer's Adventures</i> June 23-27	<i>Dinosaur Dig</i> July 28-August 1
July 14-18	<i>Clifford's Adventures</i> August 11-15

Enrollment for members is \$42 and \$47 for non-members. Registration is required.

For current enrollment information contact the front office, at 373-4981 ext 1. *Ask about our discounted rates with a Betsey Family membership!*

Thank you to all those who participated in our Spaghetti Dinner. This was a great fundraiser!

We want to give a special thank you to the following companies and people for their donations:

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| Marietta Brewing Company | Mark Bartlett |
| Wal-Mart | Darrel Goodwill |
| Betsey Mills Club | Giant Eagle |
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Accepting registration for Our Little Sprouts 2008!

With the opening of our newest childcare, we are currently accepting registration for children 6 weeks to 3 years old. We are offering member discounts for enrollment; please check the website for times and pricing information (www.betseymills.org).

Monday - Friday 7:15 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
For current enrollment information, contact Kathy Bartlett, BLT Director, or Melissa Theobald, Little Sprouts Coordinator at 373-4981 ext 2. *Ask about our discounted rates with a Betsey Family membership!*

Accepting enrollment for Child care and Preschool 2008!

Our center offers a childcare and preschool programs for children 3 to 5 years of age. Class sizes are limited. Full and part time schedules are available with daily and weekly rates.

The Preschool Curriculum offers art, music, science, math, language, computer skills and physical education (indoor/outdoor play). All children are provided daily snacks. Swimming in our warm water indoor pool is an added bonus. We also provide circletime and field trips.

All curriculum meets Ohio Department of Education Early Learning Content Standards.

Two Day, Three Day and Five Day Preschool Available

T/Th a.m. Preschool:	8:45 - 11:15 a.m. 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.
M/W/F a.m. Preschool:	8:45 - 11:15 a.m. 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.
T/Th p.m. Preschool:	12:00 - 2:30 p.m.
M/W/F p.m. Preschool:	12:30 - 3:00 p.m.
Monday - Friday Preschool:	12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Preschool classes for 3-5 year olds run September through May.

Monday - Friday Childcare

Childcare hours: 7:30 a.m.-5:45 p.m.

For current enrollment information, contact Kathy Bartlett, BLT Director, at 373-4981 ext 2.

Ask about our discounted rates with a Betsey Family membership!