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# "Uniquely Fredericktown"



## Photography Contest #11

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The Fredericktown Community Development Foundation is sponsoring a photography contest open to the public. The grand prize winner will be featured on the cover of the January 2022 edition of "43019" Magazine and will receive a 60-minute Individual or Family Session provided by TJB Inspired Photography. Session includes 3- 8x10 & 5-5x7 photographs.

Submissions should include a brief description (50 words or less) of what makes the photo "Uniquely Fredericktown."

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- Violators will be removed from the contest, stripped of any prize(s), and banned from entering future contests.
- Entries will not be accepted unless submitted via the official contest channel. Entries not submitted through the proper channel will be deleted.
- Entries will be judged by the Fredericktown Community Development Foundation. All decisions are final. The Organization reserves the right to disqualify any entry that is deemed inappropriate or does not conform to stated contest rules.

- By entering the contest, entrants agree that photos submitted can be used by the Fredericktown Community Development Foundation for advertising purposes.
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- The prize must be collected by the winner and is nontransferable.
- The winner will be contacted via the email address provided during entry. If no response is received after [three] business days, a new winner will be selected and the previous winner will forfeit all rights to the prize.
- The contest is void where prohibited or restricted by law.

**Fee for Entry:** \$5.00/photo

**Deadline for Entry:** 11/15/21

**Winner will be announced on 11/27/21**

**For more information or to enter, visit [www.fredericktown.org](http://www.fredericktown.org)**

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A birdwatchers paradise in Fredericktown.



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## Quilters Market Day

A Flea Market for Quilters  
\$5 Admission

Saturday, April 9, 2022

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# Community Calendar

## October

- 10/2 - Community Garage Sale
- 10/9 - Community Dumpster Day
- 10/21 - Third Thursday Trunk-or-Treat
- 10/23 - Fredericktown Harvest Festival
- 10/31 - Community Trick-or-Treat

## November

- 11/2 - Fredericktown Presbyterian Church Turkey Supper
- 11/18 - Community Mixer
- 11/20 - Fredericktown Holiday Bazaar
- 11/26 - Black Friday
- 11/27 - Shop Small Saturday



## December

- 12/4 - Fredericktown Christmas Walk



Watch for our 2022 Events



Please contact [events@fredericktown.org](mailto:events@fredericktown.org) to have your event added to our calendar.

## FEATURED EVENTS

### Fall Harvest Festival

10/23/21 from 12 PM - 4 PM

Petting Farm - Scavenger Hunt  
Pumpkin Painting - Chili Cookoff



Community Trick-or-Treat  
10/31/21 from 5:30PM - 7 PM



### Fredericktown Christmas Walk

Saturday, December 4, 2021 • Downtown Fredericktown  
3:00 - 7:00pm



Fredericktown Annual Christmas Walk and Auction

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# The Fredericktown Christmas Walk

By: Kiki McClelland - Christmas Walk Committee

It will be a Country Christmas this year to celebrate the 21st Annual Christmas Walk and Charity Auction on Saturday, December 4th from 3-7. Our commitment to raise funds to help support Fredericktown Interchurch, the Fredericktown Salvation Army and the Fredericktown Community Relief Fund has never changed. Plus it is a fun family oriented community event. We ask you to come out and support this event by your presence and donations as you are able.

The County Christmas theme this year will be represented by a traditional winter scene and featured on our annual ornament. Ornaments may be purchased in advance by contacting Joely Leply at TD Landscape and the day of the event at the craft/vendor exhibits at the Presbyterian Church.

Sign up for the annual 5K fun run or walk at the link found on our Facebook page. Gather at the Gazebo at 2:30 to begin and the run will end at the Gazebo for the official lighting of the Christmas tree. You can spend the rest of the day enjoying crafters and vendors at the Fredericktown Presbyterian Church, a great time to find early Christmas presents

and show you support for small business. There will be ice sculptures, the gingerbread house contest at the Masonic Lodge, crafts for kids at the Baptist church, and Santa at the Gazebo. Be sure to plan on taking a wagon ride to Sockman Park to view the lights. Plus Santa will be bringing his favorite reindeer for a visit. Local Businesses will be open along Main Street.

There is a new twist this year to our Annual Charity Auction. We will have 2 auctions for twice the fun and goodies. The live auction will be held in the newly renovated Council Chambers ( formerly Senior Citizen Building). This will be a scrumptious food auction. Donations can be dropped off between 12 and 3 the day of the walk at the Council Chambers.

Due to the success of the virtual auction on Facebook last year, it will be offered again this year. Your quality donations are needed to make this a success. Families, friends, neighbors, churches and organizations are encouraged to partner to create baskets, service offerings, and gift certificates to donate.

Please drop off your items at Fredericktown Interchurch between November 29th and December 1st. We cannot accept late submissions. The Facebook auction will be held from December 5th until 11:59PM on December 11th. Items and instructions on how to bid can be viewed in person during the walk at Fredericktown Interchurch, or on our Facebook page.

Further information on our Facebook page: Fredericktown Annual Christmas Walk and Auction or on Instagram@fredericktownchristmaswalk. As we get closer to the event, please check out the Facebook page for any changes or updates. 🍅



## Fredericktown Christmas Walk

Saturday, December 4, 2021 • Downtown Fredericktown  
3:00 - 7:00pm

Santa and Reindeer • Baked Goods Auction • Family Oriented • 5K Fun Run/Walk  
Craft Show • Ice Sculptures • Gingerbread Contest • Online Auction  
WNZR Radio Big Blue • Crafts for Kids • Wagon Ride to Christmas Lights  
Annual Christmas Ornament • Local Businesses Open • Lighting of the Christmas Tree

Proceeds stay in Fredericktown and benefit Fredericktown Interchurch,  
Fredericktown Salvation Army, and the Fredericktown Community Relief Fund



Fredericktown Annual  
Christmas Walk and Auction



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# FREDERICKTOWN SCHOOLS

By: Dr. Susan Hayward, Superintendent

## 2021-2022 New Certificated Staff Members

### **Karen Barta, Middle/High School Guidance Counselor**

Karen is a graduate of Beavercreek High School. She earned a bachelor of science in elementary education from Wright State University; a master's of education, curriculum and instruction, from Wright State and a master's of education, school counseling from the University of the Southwest. She previously taught Spanish at Marion City Schools.

### **Ashlee Blanton, Kindergarten Teacher**

A graduate of Mount Vernon High School, Ashlee received a bachelor of science, early childhood P-3, intervention specialist P-3, reading endorsement from Ashland University. She taught preschool at Knox County ESC.

### **Rachel Ehret, High School Intervention Specialist**

After graduating from Fredericktown High School, Rachel earned a bachelor of science

in education from Kent State University. She returns to us from Utica, where she was an intervention specialist.

### **Nicole Harvey, Kindergarten Teacher**

A graduate of Big Walnut High School, Nicole earned her bachelor's degree in elementary education from The Ohio State University.

### **Sarah Keller, Middle School English**

Sarah is a graduate of St. Mary's Memorial High School. She received her bachelor's degree in integrated language arts 7-12 from Mount Vernon Nazarene University and a master's in education from the University of Rio Grande. She served as an adjunct writing professor at Mount Vernon Nazarene University.

### **Ben McClay, Gifted Intervention Specialist**

A graduate of Fredericktown High School, Ben earned a bachelor of science in education, integrated science 7-12, then taught middle school science at Clear Fork Valley Local Schools.



### **Hannah Richardson, 5th Grade Teacher**

Hannah graduated from Westerville Central High School, then earned a bachelor of art in elementary education PK-5 from Marietta College.

### **Emma Saltsman, Middle School English Language Arts**

A graduate of Northmont High School, Emma received a bachelor's in education, young adult 7-12 integrated language arts from Heidelberg University.

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# Election Information

**Election Day: Tuesday, November 2, 2021**



## VILLAGE COUNCIL

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 4**

**Non Partisan Race**

**Mollie L. De Rojas**

**Rita Fenton**

**James W. Hobson**

**Richard J. Lanuzza**

**Ryan Scott Shoemaker**



## BERLIN TWP TRUSTEES

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 2**

**Non Partisan Race**

**Gary Dwight Alverson**

**Matthew Caputo**

**Joseph Craig Sellers**

**Tracie Jo Weller**



## MIDDLEBURY TWP TRUSTEES

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 2**

**Non Partisan Race**

**Brian Quenton Alexander**

**Mike Joseph Gearheart**

**Kim Lloyd Hathaway**

**Stewart B. Swihart**



## MORRIS TWP TRUSTEES

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 2**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Richard Earl Kershner**

**Randy Miller**

**Timothy J. Smith**



## PIKE TWP TRUSTEES

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 2**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Curtis Neil Bechtel**

**John Eugene Crunkilton**

**Daniel Ray Robinson**



## WAYNE TWP TRUSTEES

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 2**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Matt Ashcraft**

**James J. Braddock**

**Lewis Canter**

## KNOX COUNTY EDUCATIONAL SERVICE CENTER GOV. BOARD

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 3**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Vicki June Bechtel**

**Kenneth Ray Boeshart**

**Donald R. Rogers**

## KNOX COUNTY EDUCATIONAL SERVICE CENTER GOV. BOARD

**Term: 01/01/20 - 12/31/23**

**To Elect: 2**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Laurie Gallwitz**

**Richard Jackson McLarnan**

## FREDERICKTOWN SCHOOL BOARD

**Term: 01/01/22 - 12/31/25**

**To Elect: 3**

**Nonpartisan Race**

**Nathan Bellman**

**James Earl Blanchard**

**Jennifer Bostic**

**Donald Lee Falk**

**Stanley Francis Miller**

**Paul Napier**

**Charles P. Streby**

## ISSUES

**Fredericktown Park District** - Property Tax (Renewal - 1.5 mills, 3 years, Commencing 2022, first due 2023) for Parks and Recreational Purposes

**Monroe Township** - Property Tax (Renewal - 3 mills, 5 years, Commencing 2021, first due 2022) Providing Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services

**Pike Township** - Property Tax (Renewal - 2 mills, 5 years, Commencing 2022, first due 2023) Construction and Maintenance of Roads, Streets, and Bridges

**Knox County** - Property Tax (Renewal - 0.79 mills, 5 years, Commencing 2022, first due 2023) Providing Maintenance and Operation of Services and Facilities for Senior Citizens

**Knox County** - Gas Aggregation

**Knox County** - Electric Aggregation

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# ALMOST HEAVEN - THE RURAL EXPERIENCE

By: Margaret Zolman, Resident

**RURAL:** The definition of rural, according to the Merriam-Webster Dictionary, reads "of or relating to the country, country people or life, or agriculture." Those who have espoused this way of life, however, would likely prefer borrowing a phrase from the old John Denver classic "Country Roads." For them, country living is "almost heaven." And why not!!

While some who live in the country still work and play in the city, rural living can mean return to a back-to-basics way of life. A move to the country offers an abundance of space to stretch out and breathe the clean, fresh air. The absence of streetlights allows a glorious view of the star-studded night sky. The proverbial swimming hole cools the body and soothes the soul during a long, hot summer. A pantry full of home grown and naturally preserved fruits and vegetables means good eating till the next harvest. For many, the thought of rural America conjures up images of cornfields waving in the late summer breeze or herds of cattle peacefully grazing in pastures of green. They may think that living on a farm seems ideal. Working from home at your own pace.



Tilling the land. Harvesting the fruits of your labor. In reality, however, true farming is not for the faint of heart. It is very labor intensive, but also very satisfying. Running a farm is truly a way of life and every member of the family, even the children, have a role in its success. If this sounds attractive to you, spend a day in the country, talk to farmers at a local eatery, try to arrange a day at a farm. Get a first-hand view of how those corn fields and grazing herds really come to be before you make that leap of faith. In the end, you'll be glad you did.

If you decide that farming is not for you after all, moving to the country can still be a dream come true. From an acre or two to a small, five or ten acre "gentleman's" farm, there are still plenty of options for rural life. Country living enables a family to be a family.

Simple pleasures take on real meaning. A garden of spilling over with flowers or vegetables. A well-stocked pantry. Peace and quiet at the end of a busy day. The country also offers children a wealth of opportunity for adventure. Plenty of room for to run and play outdoors. Learning the invaluable lesson of responsibility through daily chores. Taking responsibility for the well-being of the family's pets. Raising a few chickens or even keeping a pony. Best of all, rural communities are close communities. Neighbors are truly neighbors. Celebrations or challenges, whatever the need, the whole community comes together to be there for one another.

While the benefits of a place in the country are many, the change from the hustle and bustle of the city can often leave the country newbie with a feeling of isolation. Just keep in mind that the culture shock you're feeling is temporary. Hang in there and you'll soon become a pro at rural life.

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# Once a Freddie, Always a Freddie

By: **Dr. Susan Hayward, Superintendent**

Positive energy is flowing as Fredericktown Local Schools begin the 2021-2022 school year. I love the start of each new year because it gives us an opportunity to renew our efforts to be the best we can be in educating our students. The commitment of our staff is incredible and the educational success of our district truly reflects the outstanding support we have from parents, guardians, and the entire Fredericktown community.

Our primary goal is academic success for all students in their journey from kindergarten to graduation. But we also seek to develop well-rounded students through involvement in extracurriculars and athletics.

An important part of our school culture is the Freddie Bird. The Freddie Bird unites our students, staff, alumni, and community with a common bond of PRIDE, spirit, loyalty, courage, resilience, and positive morale. Our Freddie Bird symbolizes belonging and gathers everyone under one name, making every student, staff, and community member feel included and connects all of us to each other and to the school district.



The Freddie Bird was one of the first mascots in the Knox county area. The Freddie Bird first appeared in the 1955 high school yearbook on the marching band bass drum.

It has evolved over time into many variations, such as the Freddie Bird reading a book on Taylor Street (1959).



In 1960, Morris James and some staff members changed the look of the Freddie Bird. The district hired a commercial artist to create a new look for the Freddie Bird "not an eagle, not a cardinal, but a tough looking bird" according to an article written by Judy Divelbiss. The 1960 version of the Freddie Bird was used for a long time.



Over time, other variations appeared, such as the Freddie Muscle Bird around 2001-2002. The Athletic Director at the time, Kirk Manns, was in charge of getting a new scoreboard. We believe the first time the Freddie Muscle Bird appeared was on that scoreboard.



Finally, our current Freddie Bird, is an updated 1960s-1970s version.

Along the way there have been many costume variations and presentational styles. We also have had several students over the years represent the district as the Freddie Bird mascot at various school and community events.



One thing is for sure- each time you see the Freddie Bird, whether on apparel, a coffee cup, or in print, a feeling of pride emerges.

When I entered the district as the new superintendent in August 2019, I was immediately drawn to the Freddie Bird spirit. Over the past two years, we have launched various positivity initiatives showcasing our Freddie Bird. This has included our positivity award given to staff, Freddie t-shirts for staff, and the launch of the Freddie Flocking.



The Freddie Flockings have generated excitement from our K-12 students, staff, parents, community members, and alumni. We have flocked the 2020-2021 seniors, staff, various students with academic and extra-curricular successes, student role models, volunteers, community members, and businesses. Currently, we are flocking every Kindergarten student. Additionally, the flockings are posted on the district FB page for all to enjoy.

In closing, many of our graduates have families and successful careers right here in our community. Others have achieved success throughout the country. Whether near or far, we all share a lifelong bond: Once a Freddie, Always a Freddie! 🍓

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**Margaret Sherman, Middle School Language Arts**

Margaret graduated from Mount Vernon High School, then attended The Ohio State University where she received her degree in middle childhood education, language arts and reading 4-9, social studies 4-9. She then earned a master's in education from Mount Vernon Nazarene University.

**Melissa White, Elementary Guidance Counselor**

A graduate of Howard High School in Maryland, Melissa earned a bachelor of arts in psychology from Cedarville University and a master's in school counseling from Indiana Wesleyan University.

**Brooke Wolfe, Intervention Specialist, Moderate/Intense**

Brooke graduated from Cloverleaf High School, then earned a bachelor of science in education, intervention specialist K-1.

**2021 - 2022 - Student Council**



**Macie Mondillo** is the Junior Class President. For her, Fredericktown is definitely a special place. The faculty has helped her and her family a lot over the past few years, and she will always appreciate it.

**Isis Chaffee** is the Junior Class Vice President. She plays volleyball at Fredericktown. In her free time, she likes to listen to music, hangout with my dogs, and go camping. What she likes most about Fredericktown High School are the science classes and the teachers. Some of the things Isis likes about the town are the Tomato Show and the local coffee shop. I love being on the student council and I'm looking forward to a great year!

**Bethany Winget** is a student council representative for the junior class at FHS. In her free time Bethany enjoys making art, walking my fish, listening to music, and learning French. Fredericktown brings her many joys such as fun football games, the Tomato Show, and having the feeling of a close community.

**Hannah LaFevre** is a senior student council representative. She enjoys hanging out with her dogs and playing softball in her free time. On top of her schooling, Hannah also works at the local Subway in Bellstores. One of the many things she enjoys about Fredericktown Local Schools is the inviting atmosphere the teachers and faculty members provide for all students.

**Sadie Sanders** is a senior class representative. She has been involved in track and cross country for all four years of high school. Sadie's favorite thing about Fredericktown is getting to be involved in the student section at football and basketball games.

**Lainy Partington** is the Vice President of the Senior Class. She is also involved in National Honor Society and plays volleyball and softball. Lainy's favorite thing about Fredericktown is the student sections during basketball.

**Katie Mull** is the Student Council President and a representative for the Senior Class Officers. She is the secretary of the National Honors Society and the Vice President of the Fredericktown FFA. Two things Katie loves about Fredericktown High School is that there are so many opportunities to get involved and that Fredericktown has its own little community, and every class in high school are friends.

**Kelsey Scott** is a sophomore class representative for the student council. Her favorite thing about Fredericktown is that it is a smaller school, which gives students more one-on-one learning time with teachers due to smaller classes. This also allows students to get to know your peers really well, which gives them a sense of family.

**Julia Partington** is the Sophomore Vice President. Her favorite thing about Fredericktown is the sports teams and student sections. Julia thinks our school always does a good job at supporting all student athletes.

**Katie Baker** is the Senior Class President. She runs cross country and track and is also a member of the National Honors Society. Katie enjoys painting, running, and hanging out with friends and family. One of her favorite things about Fredericktown schools are the teachers who are always willing to help and listen to their students.

**Audrey Bouton** is a senior class council representative. She is a member of the volleyball, basketball, and track teams as well as a National Honor Society member. One of her favorite parts about Fredericktown is how close knit everyone is. Everyone knows each other and generally has a positive attitude toward each other.

**Emily Rook** is a senior class representative for the student council at Fredericktown High School. Her favorite part about Fredericktown is going to the sport events with friends and cheering on the teams.

**Ana Kraus** is a junior class representative for the student council. She is in the marching band and on the bowling team. Ana's favorite thing about Fredericktown is the small town ties to everyone and the close community that comes with that.

**Shelby Oswalt** and is a representative for the junior class. She runs cross country and is a thrower and sprinter in track. Shelby also loves to do art. One thing she especially likes about Fredericktown is the Tomato Show and how close the community is.

**Annabelle Kershner** is the student council secretary. She is the in the National Honor Society, marching band, concert band, and a member of the yearbook.

**Laney Wenger** is a junior class representative. She plays the mellophone in marching band. Laney's favorite thing about Fredericktown is the teachers and how they all want every single student to succeed. 🍎

# FREDERICKTOWN VILLAGE REPORT

By: Bruce Snell - Village Administrator

Due to the onset of COVID-19 in 2020, the Fredericktown Senior Citizens Group was facing an unprecedented challenge in keeping up with the ongoing maintenance and repair costs associated with the Senior Citizens' Center, which is located adjacent to the Fredericktown Municipal Building, at 2 E. Sandusky Street. For the past several years, Council had been exploring opportunities in an effort to move Council meetings to a roomier and more inviting venue, where the public could sit comfortably and participate in their local government firsthand by attending their Council Meetings.

Since being elected in 2015, Mayor Day had worked out of a seemingly hidden office located at 11 1/2 E. Sandusky Street, directly behind both the Brickhouse Grind and the Fredericktown Historical Museum. Most residents had no idea the Mayor's Office even existed and it was an inconvenient and far out-of-the-way location for the Mayor and for those that wanted to visit with him. This spring, Mayor Day and Council agreed to sell the Mayor's



Office building and to use those proceeds toward converting the old Senior Citizen Center into a warm and inviting Council Chamber. They also saw the value of building a smaller Mayor's Office between the new Council Chamber and the Village Office, which is much more visible and accessible to the public.

The seniors will still have use of the new Council Chamber and they plan on continuing to use the facility for euchre games and other fun senior activities. The facility will also be used this year, as it is each year, for Tomato Show exhibits. 🍅

## Regular Council Meetings

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# Caramel Apple Cheesecake

By: Lisa Morman



**Total Time: Prep: 45 min. Bake: 50 min. + chilling**

## Ingredients

- 1-1/2 c. cinnamon graham cracker crumbs
- 3/4 c. sugar, divided
- 1/4 c. butter, melted
- 1 package (14 oz) caramels
- 2/3 c. evaporated milk
- 1/2 c. chopped pecans, divided
- 2 packages (8 oz) cream cheese, softened
- 2 tbsp all-purpose flour, divided
- 2 lg eggs, lightly beaten
- 1-1/2 c chopped peeled apples
- 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon

## Directions

1. Place a greased 9-in. springform pan on a double thickness of heavy-duty foil (about 18 in. square). Securely wrap foil around pan.
2. In a small bowl, combine the cracker crumbs, 1/4 cup sugar and butter. Press onto the bottom and 1 in. up the sides of prepared pan. Place on a baking sheet. Bake at 350° for 10 minutes or until lightly browned. Cool on a wire rack.
3. In a heavy saucepan over medium-low heat, cook and stir caramels and milk until melted and smooth. Pour 1 cup over crust; sprinkle with 1/4 cup pecans. Set remaining caramel mixture aside.
4. In a large bowl, beat the cream cheese, 1 tablespoon flour and remaining sugar until smooth. Add eggs; beat on low speed just until combined. Combine the apples, cinnamon and remaining flour; fold into cream cheese mixture. Pour into crust.
5. Place springform pan in a large baking pan; add 1 in. of hot water to larger pan. Bake for 40 minutes. Reheat reserved caramel mixture if necessary; gently spoon over cheesecake. Sprinkle with remaining pecans.
6. Bake 10-15 minutes longer or until center is just set. Remove pan from water bath. Cool on a wire rack for 10 minutes. Carefully run a knife around edge of pan to loosen; cool 1 hour longer. Refrigerate overnight. Remove sides of pan. 🍎

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# Village & Townships



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 Fiscal Officer

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Fredericktown 43019

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182 S Main St  
Fredericktown 43019

## GOVERNMENT OFFICES

### **VILLAGE OFFICE**

#### **MAYOR'S OFFICE:**

**740-694-9010**

#### **WATER/SEWER: 740-694-9010**

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Fredericktown 43019

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67 N Pleasant St  
Fredericktown 43019

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12 Mill St  
Fredericktown 43019

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Fredericktown 43019

## KNOX COUNTY MISC.

#### **BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES:**

740-392-5641

#### **DOG WARDEN: 740-393-6713**

#### **HEALTH DEPARTMENT:**

740-392-2200

#### **HUMANE SOCIETY:**

740-392-2287

#### **JOB & FAMILY SERVICES:**

740-397-7177

#### **OPPORTUNITY KNOX:**

740-392-9675

## ABUSE & ASSAULT

#### **ADVOCACY & PROTECTIVE SERVICES:**

740-397-3526

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740-397-7177

#### **NEW DIRECTIONS: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER & RAPE CRISIS CENTER:**

740-397-4357

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE

**The Freedom Center:** 740-397-2660

**New Vision:** 740-399-3893

**Pinnacle Treatment Services:** 740-844-3664

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**CHRISTIAN COUNSELING:** 740-504-4660

#### **MOUNDBUILDERS GUIDANCE CENTER:**

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#### **MT VERNON PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES:**

740-392-5416

#### **SOJOURNERS COUNSELING:** 740-393-6001

#### **TOUCHPOINTE MARRIAGE & FAMILY**

**RESOURCES:** 740-485-5804

## EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

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#### **INTERCHURCH SOCIAL SERVICES:**

740-694-8110

#### **KNOX CO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT:**

740-393-6772

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740-393-3545

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740-397-8787

#### **SALVATION ARMY:** 740-392-8716

#### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:**

740-392-4711

#### **UNITED WAY OF KNOX COUNTY:**

740-397-5721

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**SHELTER:** 740-392-9277



## UTILITIES

#### **AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER:**

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#### **CONSOLIDATED COOPERATIVE:**

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#### **OHIO EDISON:** 800-633-4766

#### **COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO INC:**

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#### **CENTRAL OHIO FARMER'S CO-OP**

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#### **FERRELL GAS:** 740-397-1300

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#### **SUBURBAN PROPANE:** 740-392-6986

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#### **SPECTRUM:** 800-892-4357

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#### **MID-STATE WASTE:** 740-694-8070

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# BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Shaded listings denote FCDF members

To have your business included, please contact [president@fredericktown.org](mailto:president@fredericktown.org)

## Accommodations

**Fredericktown Community Park**  
10 Ankneytown Rd  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-1900

**Kokosing Lake Campground**  
18352 Waterford Rd  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-1900  
[www.KokosingCampground.com](http://www.KokosingCampground.com)

**The Hoot Owl Cabins**  
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Fredericktown 43019  
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## Accounting

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Fredericktown 43019  
740-398-5726  
[www.smallbusinessaccounting.service.net](http://www.smallbusinessaccounting.service.net)

## MidWest CPA LLC

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Fredericktown 43019  
740-983-7222  
[www.MidwestCPA.com](http://www.MidwestCPA.com)

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**Farmer's Market**  
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Thursdays - 4 PM - 7PM  
June - September

## Ag Info Tech LLC

19325 Zolman Rd  
Fredericktown, OH 43019  
740-507-2503  
[www.aginfotech.net](http://www.aginfotech.net)  
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156 Columbus Rd  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-5926  
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## Apartments

**Pleasant View Apartments**  
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[www.pleasantview-apartments.com](http://www.pleasantview-apartments.com)  
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Mount Vernon 43050  
740-397-4040  
[www.CCJ.com](http://www.CCJ.com)

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Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-8366  
[www.FredericktownParks.org](http://www.FredericktownParks.org)

## Trio Lanes

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740-694-2921  
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Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-1326

## Fredericktown Car Wash

90 S. Main St  
Fredericktown 43019

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7600 CR 14  
Fredericktown 43019  
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[www.knoxmarine-ltd.com](http://www.knoxmarine-ltd.com)

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14280 Upper Fredericktown Rd  
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## Banking/Financial

### FC Bank

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740-694-2010  
[www.FCBank.bank](http://www.FCBank.bank)

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137 N. Main St  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-2035  
[www.ParkNationalBank.com](http://www.ParkNationalBank.com)

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Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-6680

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Fredericktown 43019

**Forest Cemetery**  
Sandusky St  
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15598 McClelland Rd  
Fredericktown 43019

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Fredericktown 43019

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Fredericktown 43019

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## Knox County Head Start

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[www.knoxheadstart.org](http://www.knoxheadstart.org)

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7974 Yankee St  
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740-507-9017

### Berlin Church

17900 Knox Lake Rd  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-1234  
[www.ParkNationalBank.com](http://www.ParkNationalBank.com)

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15598 McClelland Rd  
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740-694-2329  
[www.ctk.today](http://www.ctk.today)

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20 S. Chestnut St  
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740-694-5931  
[www.nazarene.org](http://www.nazarene.org)

### First Baptist Church

22 E. Sandusky St  
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740-694-2856  
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81 Mount Vernon Ave  
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18883 Pinkley Rd  
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### Fredericktown Freewill Baptist Church

102 Columbus Rd  
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740-501-0148  
[www.fredericktownbaptist.com](http://www.fredericktownbaptist.com)

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81-93 Mount Vernon Ave  
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**Fredericktown Presbyterian Church**

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740-694-4751  
www.firstfredpres.com

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123 Columbus Rd  
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9955 Mt Gilead Rd  
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740-694-5433  
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www.fredericktownsda.com

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16400 Village Parkway  
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Fredericktown 43019  
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#### Primary Care

16361 Village Parkway  
Fredericktown 43019  
740-399-3863  
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168 Salem Ave  
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740-392-0364  
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### Fredericktown Alumni Association

www.fredericktownalumni.org

### Fredericktown Community Development Foundation

P.O. Box 140  
Fredericktown 43019  
www.fredericktown.org

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#### Thrift Shop/Food Pantry/Financial Aid

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Fredericktown 43019  
740-694-8110  
www.interchurchknox.org

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101 E Gambier St  
Mount Vernon 43050  
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www.knoxcf.org

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16402 Village Parkway  
Fredericktown 43019  
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www.percheronhorse.org

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www.crystalsnell.e-merge.com

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www.greenmachineshingle recycling.com

### Mid-State Waste

740-694-8070  
www.midstaterwaste.com

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### The Hoot Owl Rentals

Fredericktown 43019

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### The Brickhouse Grind

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**Berlin Township.** Established on June 4, 1822. It was named after Berlin, Connecticut. Before becoming its own township Berlin was a part of Wanye township. Henry Markley was part of the first settlers there in 1808 from Bedford County, Pennsylvania. In 1809 just a year after the first settlers Amos Royce, a veteran of the war of 1812, was appointed as the first Justice of the Peace. Amos Royce assisted in the building of the Block house in Mansfield. Two rather important towns were once located in Berlin Township. The towns were Palmyra in 1835 and Ankenytown in 1844. Palmyra was a bustling town which is known for being a coach stop between Fredericktown and Mansfield. Palmyra was the perfect coach stop due to its location just south of the Knox-Richland County line.

Palmyra started to lose its popularity due to the arrival of the C&O/ B&O railroad in Ankenytown. Ankenytown finally developed itself into a village once the C&O/ B&O railroad built one of its many stations there. Home to several churches, stores, houses, and even a post office, Ankenytown was an ideal place to stay. Ankenytown today still has a church, grange hall, and many of its original homes. In 1815 the first church was built near Ankenytown and near that time the first school was built in the Fredericktown area. Berlin Township's main attractions are its several ancient mound works (Ellis Willit Farm) and also known for being the boundary of the "Greenville Treaty Line."



**Middlebury Township.** Established on December 3, 1823 and named after Middlebury, Vermont, this township is the youngest of the townships in Fredericktown. William Farquar, who later became a judge in Knox County, was among the first settlers from Frederick, Maryland. The first justice of the peace was James Johnson in 1824. Another notable settler was Thomas Townsend. Thomas lived in Middlebury in 1808 and kept an underground railroad at one point. Like Berlin, Middlebury had two important towns. The first town was Waterford. Waterford was established on November 25, 1841. The first settler was Josiah Fawcett.

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# ACKERMAN NATURE PRESERVE

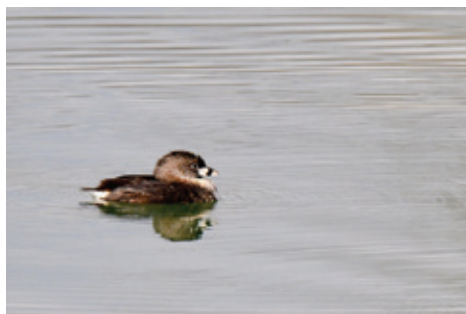
Fredericktown's Most Popular (Yet Unknown) Tourist Attraction



If you park on Salem Avenue Extension, next to the Ackerman Nature Preserve, it would be unlikely to find a local friend, but highly likely that you would see a license plate from another county or even other state. Why would someone be at the Ackerman Nature Preserve?

During the recent pandemic, the observation of birds, commonly known as birding, became a very popular activity around the nation. Birding was an activity that allowed for exploration, excitement, and was a way to practice social distancing. Birding became a perfect hobby for those who enjoy nature, the joy of discovery, travel and exploring unique locations.

Birders enjoy not only seeing birds, but studying their interactions and habits. Birds are constantly on the move from location to location and from region to region. Many birders enjoy observing birds through binoculars or scopes. Others enjoy capturing birds through the lens of a camera.



Birders often document their finds from their backyards and beyond, and categorize them as a first (ever) observation, known in the birding community as a lifer, or by the number of birds that are found in a year or even a lifetime. Birders that compare their sightings in a year often run the totals into the hundreds. In 2011, Steve Martin gave birding a greater awareness through the movie, "The Big Year."

Birding is very popular among the Amish community, who regularly enjoy contests, not only on how many birds are viewed or heard during a period, but by the means of transportation used to get to the location. The transportation varies from horse and buggy, bicycle, ebike or vehicle.

Birders communicate their finds on the internet through Facebook postings. A popular site followed by most birders around the world is eBird, found at [www.ebird.org](http://www.ebird.org).

The Ackerman Nature Preserve's eBird site can be found at <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L3536376?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>, with eBirders logging 154 species at that location. Cornell University, the creator of eBird, also maintains a Knox County eBird page at <https://ebird.org/region/US-OH-083?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec> which includes 59 hotspots.



Sightings are posted on the various eBird locations to let other birders know what was located at a particular location. Birds are sometimes in a particular location for a short period of time, maybe less than a day. Birders sometimes travel at a moment's notice to see a particular species. Seeing and documenting a "lifer" is an exhilarating experience.

Returning to Fredericktown's own aviary jewel, on June 26, 2021 one local birder posted 24 species of birds at the Ackerman Nature Preserve. His findings included the beautiful three season wood duck, the stoic great blue heron and the long-necked great white egret. For most Fredericktown residents, driving by the Ackerman Nature Preserve that day, nothing would have been noticed. Local residents may want to do a regular check of the eBird website to see what is at Ackerman, and to understand why there are so many visitors in the community.

Once the interest in birding has been discovered, an Ackerman Nature Preserve visit will likely be followed by a visit to Knox Lake, Mohican State Park, as well as the Funk Bottoms Wildlife Area and the wetlands near Wilderness Road in Wayne County. These hotspots, along with 4011 others, are among the popular birding spots in Ohio.

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For the migrating bird, Ackerman Nature Preserve is a popular spot to rest and refuel, and sometimes to take up residence. Ackerman is remote, appears safe from animal predators, and contains an ample food supply for the aviary short-stay visitors and the year long residents.

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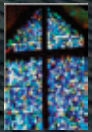
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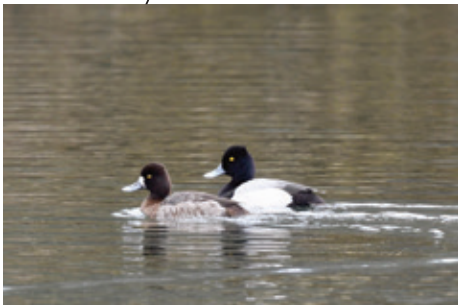


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During the fall and spring migration seasons, the preserve provides an opportunity to see many different species of birds, often changing daily. Birders from throughout Ohio, and beyond, will be at the site on most days to add to their birding lists. Visitors to the area most certainly will have an impact on the local economy as purchases are made in the community.



While the Ackerman Preserve, in its natural state, is an excellent birding location, it has the ability to be an attraction to visitors across the nation and even the world. For the wildlife, adding an aeration system would keep the water from freezing in the winter, with open water being necessary for birds to maintain a healthy metabolism. This feature would also enhance the attractiveness of the preserve. For the human observers, adding cover through strategically-located and accessible bird blinds would enhance the ability to observe wildlife without interruption and thus increase the desirability of the location. The addition of a parking lot would enhance the visitor experience.



Take some time to check out eBird and then grab the binoculars and visit the Ackerman Nature Preserve. Look to the rear (south side) of the preserve as this is where birds typically find shelter. If lucky, you may see a species of waterfowl closer to the shore. Make sure you have a bird identification book by your side, or use an app on your phone, and check off your observations. You will be amazed at the waterfowl guests that find Fredericktown a great place to visit, along with birders from all over Ohio and beyond. You will be amazed at what you have been missing! 🍎




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**Morris Township.** Laid out in March of 1812. Morris township was first settled in 1804 by William Douglas and was named after Morris County, New Jersey. In 1807 in a community called Clinton the first store was opened. Later on James Loveridge came to clear some land for an orchard and hired Johnny Applesseed to plant the trees. The township was well known for its Whiskey making and made it an ideal place to buy and trade. The Whiskey maker who started it all was named Simon Carpenter. In 1812 during the famous war the township started its first school, and their first teacher was named Ichabod Marshall. During 1812 the first justice of the Peace was elected and that was John Trimble, Benjamin Barney, & Joseph Coleman.

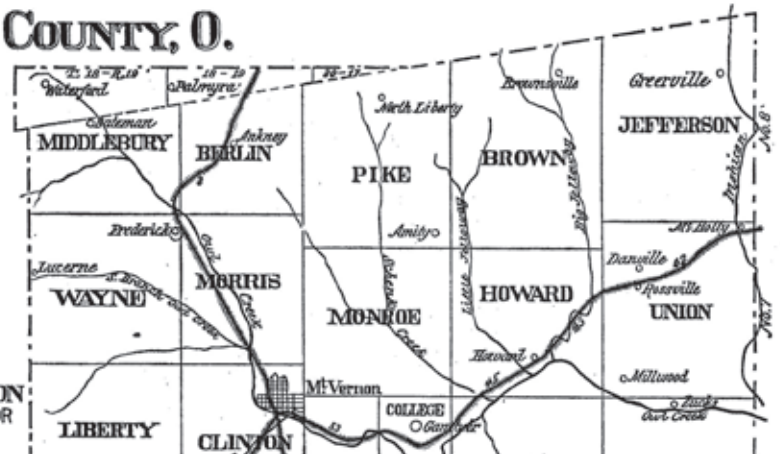
**Wayne Township.** The final and oldest of the townships is Wayne Township. The area's first inhabitants were the Moundbuilders, then the "Red Indians" and then the Delaware, Wyandot, Greentown and Jerometown Indians. Nathaniel Young was the first settler to the area. He came to the area in 1805. It was noted that he lived with the Indians and was a self made blacksmith - known by the Indians as "Axe Maker." Mr. Young lived in an area called "Jersey Settlement" - later known as "Lucerne." John Kerr opened the first mill in 1807. Wayne Township was formally established in 1808 and named after "Mad Anthony Wayne, a Stoney Point and Fallen Timbers hero.

The first road between Mt. Vernon and Fredericktown was opened in the area in 1809. William, John & Elihaet Lewis started the "Wayne Baptist Church" in 1810. This was the first church to open outside of Fredericktown. The church met in a home and in 1815 erected it's first building. The church held no Sunday School service because the Lewises did not like the idea. Once heavily populated by Indians, the area tribes left following the War of 1812. A second church was established in the area in 1830 called the "Salem Methodist Church." No mention was made of a school in Wayne Townships during this time.

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