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North Ridgeville Says Farewell to Restaurant Legend

So long, Tom Barber. You were a restaurant legend and your legacy will live forever. "Food is Love," was Tom's mantra at the popular Nino's Italian Restaurant in North Ridgeville's Mills Creek Plaza (32652 Center Ridge Road).

No one had the knack of making customers feel at home like Tom. With a ready smile and a ready joke, Tom knew everyone by name and would take a few moments to sit with them whenever they visited.

Nino's celebrated 30 years in 2021, and Tom never strayed from the authentic Italian recipes he learned from his grandmother in "Nana's Kitchen."

When Tom turned the reins of his restaurant over to niece Lori and nephew Dustin when he retired last year, he made sure all the traditions stayed in the family. It was all old-school.

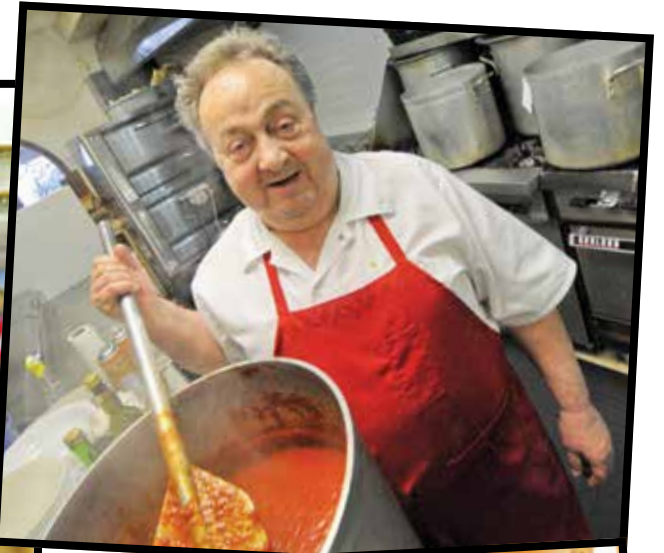
Or, as Tom liked to joke, 'I am old school, Lori is middle school and Dustin is new school.'

All jokes aside, Nino's has never strayed from the family recipes that have never changed over the years. Tom always came to work early to start the sauce, and Dustin, now head chef and owner, started at Tom's side when he was just 14.

Staples like Nino's famed Italian Wedding Soup and signature Spaghetti and Meatballs have stayed faithful to Nana's original recipes.

Tom also liked a fine wine, and was known for pairing his recipes with the best local distributors had to offer. He

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The many faces of Tom Barber

For many years Tom placed his "Old Man in the Kitchen" column in The Villager Newspaper including an "Old Wives Tale" along with one of his personal recipes. In Tom's honor we share some of his "Old Wives Tales" and along with one of his popular recipes:



Old Man in the Kitchen

- "There are good ships and there are bad ships, but the best ships are friendships."
- "The trouble with being a grouch is that you have to make new friends every few months."
- "The right angle for solving a difficult problem is the 'try-angle.'"
- "Good character, life good soup, is made at home."

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2022 State of North Ridgeville Address

North Ridgeville Chamber of Commerce in collaboration with the City and the Schools presents State of North Ridgeville Address on Friday, February 25, 2022 at 11:30 AM at the North Ridgeville Academic Center.

Join Mayor Corcoran and Superintendent Caserio for a lively, informative and interactive session on why North Ridgeville is the best place to live, learn, work and play. The cost to attend is \$25 and you can register online at www.nrchamber.com or call (440) 327-3737. Registration deadline is 3 PM on February 18.



FROM THE DESK OF POLICE CHIEF FREEMAN:

Police Chief Michael Freeman shared the story of Officers Vazquez and Julio along with K-9 Irie assisted Highway Patrol Officers track two suspects who fled on foot after vehicle chase. The officers and K-9 traversed a difficult and snow covered terrain tracking the suspects in frigid temperatures. Read Chief Freeman's statement below:

"I understand this is what we get paid for, but I want to share with you some body cam video that



made me so proud to be the Chief of Police in North Ridgeville. During this call, these two NRPD officers showed tenacity, grit and physical toughness in tracking two subjects who moments earlier were in a vehicle pursuit with Ohio State Highway Patrol, crashed and bailed on foot. Due to the terrain, water-soaked boots and pants, frigid temperatures, physical exertion and darkness, these officers could've given up, but they didn't. I realize this video is rather long, but the duration lends credence to their dogged determination in the capture of these suspected law breakers. With that being said, tip of my hat and gratitude goes to Officer Vazquez, Officer Julio, and his K-9 partner, Irie. This was a job well-done!"

Commissioners Secure Funding for Lorain County BOE Upgrades

The Lorain County Board of Elections is undergoing renovations. These renovations are focused on security and safety for the public and our staff.

The Lorain County Commissioners have been working closely with the Board of Elections to secure funding and to complete this important project.

The front desk, Voter Registration, and candidate and issue services were made adequately secure by constructing walls with glass windows. These areas are secured to ensure only staff have access to areas with sensitive voter information. Not only will these upgrades provide additional security, the partitions will also help prevent the spread of any

virus, or air-borne illness.

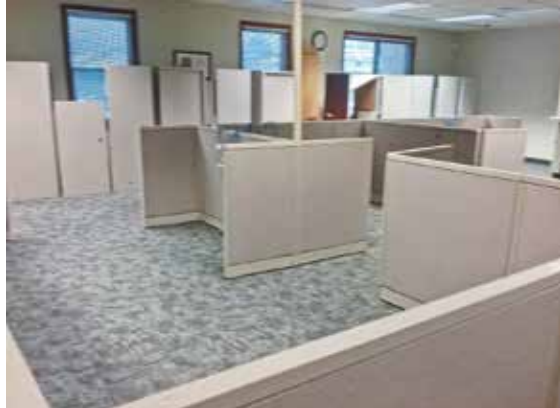
The whole building also received new flooring which updates the décor of the Board of Elections.

Director Adams, Deputy Director Kramer and all the members of the Board of Elections are very thankful to the Commissioners for their help and assistance in accomplishing this large project. These updates not only improve the appearance of the Board of Elections, but also streamline and improve voter service.

The Board of Elections is located at 1985 North Ridge Road E in Lorain. Phone

number is (440) 326-5900.

The BOE is always looking for poll workers. Learn about this important paid position by joining their Zoom meeting on Feb. 17 and 22 to learn about being a poll worker. Times are 6-7 p.m. Link to sign up is www.votelorain-countyohio.gov/copy-of-peo-application-form



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VFW Post 9871 Upcoming Events

Breakfast Buffet: Sunday, February 13, 9 am – 12 pm. All of your favorites at one event! All you can eat. \$9 adults; \$8 Seniors; \$5 Children. Next Breakfast Buffet – March 13

Super Bowl LVI Party: The Post will be open late on Sunday for the game. A Big Screen TV with the game will be in the Hall. Nacho's and Meatballs will be provided by the Post. Kitchen will be open with limited menu (Hot Dogs, Wings, Appetizers) Cash Bar... Hope to see you all there!!
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also hosted wine tasting, offering multi-course meals with a variety of wines for an evening of epicurean delight.

Tom also offered scrumptious and generous desserts, more than enough for customers to request take-home boxes. It was a Nino's tradition!

"Come hungry," Tom used to say. "Our portions are huge!"

Almost as huge as Tom's heart. Rest in peace, Tom Barber, you will be missed.

Testimonial - Even though I wasn't your blood relative you always told me I was family to you. I worked next to you in the



mornings for about 6 an half years and we always had fun in the kitchen. I had no clue what I was doing when you hired me as a cook. Your family taught me so much about cooking and I've realized it's my passion over the last couple years. This man loved his family/ninos family with all of his heart. Everyone always said Ninos was his baby. I'm very thankful to have met you Tom and none of us will ever forget you or your hilarious jokes you would always tell us. By far the most funniest old man I've ever met. This man is like a celebrity to the city of North Ridgeville. We all love you Tom. Rest In Paradise - Duane Blake (former employee) Facebook.



Old Man in the Kitchen

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• "Some people are making such thorough preparation for rainy days, that they aren't enjoying today's sunshine."

- "Anger makes your mouth work faster than your mind."
- "Your life is like a coin, you can spend it any way you wish, but you can only spend it once!"
- "The only time to eat diet food, is while you're waiting for the pasta to cook."
- "Take some time and reach out to your friends and neighbors"

Hot and Sour Chicken Soup

2 Cups Water, 2 Cups Chicken Broth, One 10oz. Fully Cooked Chicken Breast cut into pieces, 1 Package (about 7 oz.) Chicken Flavored Rice and Vermicelli Mix, 1 Jalapeño Pepper minced (wear rubber gloves when cutting pepper), 1 Tbsp. Soy Sauce, 1 Tbsp. Lime Juice, 1 Tbsp. minced Fresh Cilantro, 2 Green Onions chopped

Combine water, broth, chicken, rice mix, pepper, green onions and soy sauce in large sauce pan. Bring to boil over high heat. Reduce heat to low, cover and simmer 20 minutes or until rice is tender. Stir in lime juice and sprinkle with cilantro. Makes 4 servings.

Take care everyone! Old Man in the Kitchen here, Tom.

As Tom was fond of saying, "Put a little Italian in you!"

North Ridgeville Parks and Recreation Daddy Daughter Dance

The North Ridgeville Parks and Recreation held their Daddy Daughter Dance on Saturday, February 5.

Dad's and daughters came out and enjoyed an evening all dressed up to have fun dancing and playing games.

Light refreshments were served with a DJ providing music and a photographer to capture the evening full of memories.

"We had so much fun this Saturday at our Daddy Daughter Dance! Huge thank you HomeLight for sponsoring this years dance!"

"We also want to thank our volunteers from North Ridgeville LEO Club for volunteering their time to make this such a great event!"



NORTH RIDGEVILLE SENIOR CENTER

Ladies Brunch Schedule

Ladies meet at 10:30 AM for friendly conversation and a program on Thursdays once a month. The Brunch is a hot entrée, fruit, juice and coffee for only \$3. Reservations by 10 AM Wednesday morning by calling (440) 353-0828.

February 17, 2022 - Entertainment TBD

Super Thursdays are Back!!

Thursday, February 24 at 10:30 a.m.

The Beatles In Cleveland. Display of memorabilia and FAB music 30 minutes before and after. 60's Day- wear your tie-dye or other fun 60's apparel. Relive the excitement of Beatlemania as John, Paul, George and Ringo visit Cleveland for two of the wildest, out of control concerts in Beatles - and rock 'n' roll - history. Author Dave Schwensen will take you behind the scenes and on stage with The Fab Four through insider stories, rare concert films, never-before published photos and memorabilia. Program highlights include films of The Beatles riotous con-

certs at Cleveland Public Hall in 1964 and Municipal Stadium in 1966. Lunch to follow-secure your reservation for both the program and lunch by February 21 at noon to 440-353-0828.

AARP Tax Prep Aide

The Senior Center will begin scheduling appointments for AARP Tax Preparation on January 3, 2022. The appointments will be held on Tuesdays beginning February 1 at 9 AM and the last appointment will be on Tuesday, April 5, 2022. Call the front desk at (440) 353-0828 to schedule.

Music Bingo

Music Bingo returns with fun and prizes for our February 23, 2022 after lunch entertainment! There will be hits for you to reminisce about and sing along! Reservations are a must. Please call the front desk (440) 353-0828 and bring a friend. If you are unable to join us for lunch please feel free to come for Music Bingo starting at 12:30 PM. Cards will

commence as usual after lunch.

Intergenerational Olympics

In the spirit of the 2022 Winter Olympics join us for Intergenerational Olympics on February 25, 2022 from 10 AM until Noon. For more information, see the flyer below.

Movies, Movies, Movies

Friday Matinee, February 11 - Miracle on Ice 2004, Sport/Drama 2 hr. 15 min. - When college coach Herb Brooks (Kurt Russell) is hired to helm the 1980 U.S. men's Olympic hockey team, he brings a unique and brash style to the ice. After assembling a team of hot-headed college all-stars, who are humiliated in an early match, Brooks unites his squad against a common foe, the heavily-favored Soviet team. As the U.S. squad tries to overcome insurmountable odds and win the gold medal, the team becomes a microcosm for American patriotism during the Cold War.

Tuesday Matinee, February 22 - Chariots of Fire 1981, Drama 2 hr. 3 min. - In the class-obsessed and religiously divided United Kingdom of the early 1920s, two determined young runners train for the 1924 Paris Olympics. Eric Liddell (Ian Charleston), a devout Christian born to Scottish missionaries in China, sees running as part of his worship of God's glory and refuses to train or compete on the Sabbath. Harold Abrahams (Ben Cross) overcomes anti-Semitism and class bias, but neglects his beloved sweetheart Sybil (Alice Krige) in his single-minded quest.

Taco and Trivia Tuesday!

Join us at 12 noon for a Mexican inspired lunch on February 15, 2022. Trivia will start at 12:30 PM and the cost per person is \$4.00. We will make it mild so if you want it spicy, bring your own hot sauce! Reservations are requested by calling (440) 353-0828.

O'Neill Healthcare North Ridgeville Resident of the Month

Meet our resident of the month- Maxine!

We are pleased to recognize Maxine as our resident of the month! Maxine is short term patient here for rehabilitation! She is a long time native of Cleveland, OH. She spent the early part of her career assisting with office work for a company called Bailey Meter then became a real estate agent later in life. Her hobbies include roller rink skating - her personal favorite and sailing with her family. Maxine was married to her husband Carl for 64 years, and together, they had 3 beautiful children, 4 grandchildren, and 1 great grandchild! Maxine is on the road to recovery and plans to be home by February!



Congrats Jodie!



Please help us congratulate Jodie, HR Director she was recently recognized for Employee of the Year!

Jodie has been here over 6.5 years! Anyone who knows jodie will agree; she wears her heart on her sleeve and has a true passion for the residents here. Jodie is known for having a contagious laugh and being very active and involved in all departments. Jodie is a busy mom to 4 kids and stays very busy with their sport schedule.

Congratulations Jodie! We are so proud of you!!

THANK YOU!!

Our Administrative team wanted to show their appreciation to our dedicated staff yesterday! They warmed up cars and scraped off snow and ice to help get them ready for staff to leave work safely.

We'd like to give a big THANK YOU to our amazing staff for their dedication these past two day!! You guys rock!!



North Ridgeville Historical Society Center Ridge Road History

This is looking east on Center Ridge in 1905. Looking at the intersection of Center Ridge and 83. The picture was taken from about in front of Bueschers. The first white building was the old hotel. Originally built as a log cabin in 1811 by Joel Terrell and his son Wyllis. It was opened as a tavern and was known as the Indian Tavern. The cabin was torn down and a frame building was constructed. On February 24th, 1889 the structure burned down. It was rebuilt on the same site. It later became Machovina's General store and the in 1945 Roy Spitzer moved his grocery store, the Volunteer Market in from across the street. It was torn down in the 60's.



The brick building was the Henery Luster General Store built-in 1889 on the corner of Center Ridged and Rt 83. The post office was in the store. The Knights of the Maccabees lodge was upstairs. Luster sold the business to Mr Bates. The building burnt down on September 11, 1912.

The white building after Luster's was the stagecoach hotel and tavern known as the Farmers Inn built by Joseph Humphery in 1830. It continued as a hotel until 1872 when it was sold and became a private residence. In 1946 it was sold and turned into the Old Bones hotel. In 1929 it was rented by a new owner that changed it to the Ridgeville Inn and restaurant. It was an apartment hotel. In 1927 it was sold and the downstairs was renovated and a drug store and jewelry store moved in and later the post office. The building was torn down in 1962.



This is a young couple standing on the north side of Center Ridge Road across from where the fire museum is now. The house to the left was incorporated into part of the Buescher's hardware store in the late 1940s. The house behind them was the Stacy house, later to become their hatchery. In the 1960's it became the police station. On the right is the west driveway of the old town hall. The townhall horse shed can be seen in the back.

(Courtesy North Ridgeville Historial Society)

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The love and dedication our team shows our residents makes our Hearts so full!

To show our appreciation we surprised them with lottery tickets!

Nurse Megan won \$10!!! Congrats! Thank you Team for always being so dedicated!



Our amazing Activity Crew celebrated with our Residents and Staff the Chinese New Year!

It is the Lunar New Year, they Year of the Tiger. Our resident enjoyed looking at what their "Year" was from the year they were born! Our team and residents Enjoyed Egg Rolls and some Ginger ale! We even wore red today to ring the Chinese New Year in! Check out our Nurse Maryann whose Disney shirt is a Mickey Mouse Chinese New Year! This cold brutal winter weather won't keep us down!



National Milk Day

Did you know January 11 was National Milk Day? We treated our staff to some Milk and cookies for an afternoon snack today!

What type of Milk Fan are you? 2%, Almond, Oat or Soy?

We had some Almond Milk and Banana Milk to go around! We are excited to see what our New Activities Director Regina D has in store for us!

For now have a nice Snack with some Milk and cookies!

Who Loves Popcorn?

WE LOVE POPCORN and wanted to share our love for this tasty snack with our residents and families!

For a yummy treat to satisfy that sweet and salty taste, add some M&M's or Marshmallows makes for a great Movie night!



Baked Potato Bar

What is better on a cold snowy day than eating some baked potatoes??? Last month we showed our staff how much we appreciate them and the hard work they do by providing a baked potato bar! It sure was Yummy! Every department enjoyed a hot potato including our Dedicated therapy team! Team Northridge Thanks for all you do!



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Soup for the Spirit 2022

North Ridgeville Community Care's annual fundraiser is being held virtually again this year. Registration is FREE and allows you to bid on the amazing prizes and raffles we will have for the online event that will kick off on Tuesday, February 22 at 2:22pm.

For more information and to register, please go to: www.nrcommcare.org

Thank you to the many sponsors and donors who have already committed to helping us again this year. Contact North Ridgeville Community Care if you would like more information on how you can support their efforts!!

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Olde Towne Hall Theatre Takes 2022 Junior Theater Festival Awards

Area students from Olde Towne Hall Theatre recently captured national awards and other honors at the 2022 Junior Theater Festival in Atlanta.

The weekend competition, with a focus on to student-driven musical theater programs, was held online and in-person Jan. 14-16 in Atlanta, Ga.

Groups were permitted to perform 15 minutes of a Broadway Junior musical for judges.

Olde Towne Hall Theatre won the "Freddie G" award for Excellence in Dance and student Emerson Freas won a "Freddie G" award for Outstanding Student Direction and Choreography, the release said.

Olde Towne Hall Theatre is North Ridgeville's award-winning community theatre at 36119 Center Ridge Road.



The ensemble won the award for 'Excellence in Dance.' 'The talent of each and every one of these kids are immeasurable and the effort they put into every second they're on stage is incredible! Congratulations everyone!'

The theater company has won awards at past Junior Theater Festivals including 2018 and 2019, as well as individual recognition for students,

The Junior Theater Festivals are produced by iTheatrics and the Junior Theater Group.

Based in New York City, iTheatrics works with leading public and private companies around the world to make sure that young people everywhere have access to quality musical theatre programs.



Emerson Freas won an award for 'Outstanding Student Direction and Choreography.' 'We're all extremely proud of you and the hard work you always put into the shows!!'

February ROPE Winner



Join us in Congratulating Danbury North Ridgeville's most recent ROPE Award WINNER, Dawn!!

Dawn is one of our resident care companions! She has established such a great relationship with all of our residents and families, who give us consistent positive feedback. She is hard working and a team player!

Thank YOU Dawn for all you do for our staff and residents! It's people like you, that make working and living at Danbury, a remarkable experience.

ROPE (Recognition of Performance Excellence) recognizes an employee who exemplifies a true commitment to their career and exemplifies our Danbury community values.

Sound of Music

Sound of Music is just around the corner and the Von Trapp family, Maria, and the wacky ensemble cast would love to invite you to join them as they put on the beloved and classic musical.

Visit Olde Towne Theatre website, www.othtnr.com, and pick out the date, and seat that works best for you and be ready to be humming along as the hills are alive with the sound of music...

Show dates/times: Friday and Saturdays February 18 - March 12 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, March 6 at 2 p.m.

A tuneful, heartwarming story, it is based on the real life story of the Von Trapp Family singers, one of the world's best-known concert groups in the era immediately preceding World War II. Maria, the tomboyish postulant at an Austrian abbey who becomes a governess in the home of a widowed naval captain with seven children, and brings a new love of life and music into the home.

Mayor Corcoran Hosts Monthly Coffee & Conversation

The City of North Ridgeville is pleased to announce monthly Coffee & Conversation with Mayor Kevin Corcoran. Stop in to enjoy a cup of coffee and casual conversation in Council Chambers at City Hall from 8:30-9:30 AM. What a great way to get your questions answered or to learn more about current and upcoming projects.



Here is the schedule for 2022: Tuesday, February 15 (with special guest NRCS Superintendent Roxann Ramsey-Caserio) • Wednesday, March 23 • Thursday, April 21 • Friday, May 20 • Monday, June 20 • Tuesday, July 19 • Wednesday, August 24 • Thursday, September 22 • Monday, October 24 • Friday, November 18 • Wednesday, December 14

Indoor Walking LCCC University Partnership Ridge Campus & Liberty Elementary

Every Thursday from 6-7:30 PM from now through March 24, 2022, put your walking shoes on and participate in the indoor walking at LCCC UPRC located at 32121 Lorain Road in North Ridgeville. Every Tuesday and Thursday from 6-7:30 PM starting January 4 through March 22, indoor walking at Liberty Elementary, 5700 Jaycox Road in North Ridgeville. Face masks are required and there is no cost to attend. For more information, email North Ridgeville Heart and Sole at NRheartandsole@gmail.com.

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NRCS Future Fair

We are hosting a "Future Fair" at the high school on February 24, from 5-8 p.m. This event provides students the opportunity to explore their options to become an entrepreneur, enlist, enroll, or become employed after graduation and make the best decision for their future; as well as have the opportunity to complete mock interviews. The event is open to students, adults, and their families. Can't wait to see you there!

Intergenerational Olympics

On Friday, February 25 (no school) North Ridgeville Parks and Recreation is partnering with the North Ridgeville Senior Center to offer a morning of friendly competition and fun. Youth and older adults will be working together on teams to participate in various games and events, competing for the gold! To register visit <https://northridgeville.recdesk.com/Community/Program>

Mayor Corcoran Visits RHTA

The North Ridgeville City Schools and Ranger High-Tech Academy appreciate Mayor Kevin Corcoran visiting Ms. Samoson and Ms. Simon's third-grade class! Mayor Corcoran spoke about his role in the city and general information about North Ridgeville!



K9 Officers Visit RHTA

Third-grade students at RHTA in Ms. Samoson and Ms. Simon's class were educated by K9 officers, police officers, and detectives who work in the North Ridgeville community! Students learned about safety and laws to include in their travel brochures! (Photos: Ms. Simon and Ms. Samoson.)



Ranger High-Tech Academy Application Now Available

The application for Ranger High-Tech Academy for students entering grades 2-8 next year is now available. Visit www.smores.com/6tky1 to access the application and to learn more about RHTA.

Kindergarten Registration Begins February 15

Online registration for the kindergarten program at the Early Childhood Learning Community for the 2022-2023 school year opens on the district website on Monday, February 14 at 6 a.m. If you are interested in registering your student in the ECLC kindergarten program see flyer for details.

NRCS Virtual Job Fair

The North Ridgeville City Schools are hosting a virtual job fair that will take place on Wednesday, March 2, from 3-7 p.m. You must complete a registration form to attend. Visit www.nrsc.net to register.

2022 NRCS Dodgeball Tournament

After a two-year hiatus, the North Ridgeville City Schools Dodgeball Tournament is back. The tournament is on Friday, March 11 at 6 p.m. in the North Ridgeville Academic Center gym. Visit <https://bit.ly/3GYS4sf> for more details on how to order tickets and tournament t-shirts.

Nerf Battle

Come out to Shady Dr. batting cages on February 25 for a Nerf gun battle! Children ages 6-12 are welcome to participate and will be broken into age-appropriate groups. Each team will compete in three different games. Children must bring their own Nerf gun, but all other supplies will be provided. To sign up visit <https://northridgeville.recdesk.com/Community/Program>.

Life Size Chess

Students in the 7 Purple studio played life-sized chess to introduce feudalism and the Middle Ages! Students used critical thinking, teamwork, communication, and reasoning! (Photos: Brittany Marino and Donna O'Donnell)



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