

#### Celebrating 100 years 1924 - 2024



#### **Tour the Township**

- Kouw Park 5599 Lakeshore Avenue
- Windsnest Park 7905 Margaret Avenue, west of Lakeshore and south of Polk
- Sheldon Landing Crab Drive, north of Pigeon River and east of Lakeshore
- Zwemer Park along Stanton Rd, between Lakeshore and Lake Michigan 3.2 acres
- Pickleball and Playground at the Township Offices
- Miles of Bike Paths
- Port Sheldon Natural Areas
- Hemlock Crossing
- Holly Landing where Holly Drive ends into Pigeon Creek
- Olive Shores 8555 Olive Shore Avenue
- Sheldon Woods Elementary School 15050 Blair St.
- Van Buren Street Dunes 16780 Van Buren Street
- Pine Bend Park 15400 Polk Street



Scan for more park details



Guess: How many miles of bike paths are in the township?

What movie was partially filmed at which park in our township?

Where did Kouw Park get its name?

Where did Zwemer Park get its name?

Who was the first person to carry mail (by foot) between Grand Haven, Grandville, Grand Rapids, and Port Sheldon?

## Our coming EVENTS

May 18th, 10:00 a.m.: Ribbon-cutting at new township playground.

May 28-June 3 during business hours: Historical Exhibit, Art Show, & Veterans Display at Township Hall.

May 31st 5-8 p.m. Car & Tractor Show at Township buildings with music by DuneGrass & The Crave Food Truck

June 1st 11am-3 p.m: Centennial Celebration picnic with music by Dave & ConnieD, balloon animals, face paint, bounce house, and games.

### Caplore MORE

- Meet the township officials.
- · Visit the temporary history museum.
- Find the name of an honored local veteran.
- Count ALL of the stair steps in parks located within the township.
- Dip your toes in Lake Michigan.
- · Dip your toes in Pigeon Lake.
- Watch a sunset.
- Visit the lending library for a free book from the township office.

# Scavenger Hunt

Instructions for your scavenger hunt which tours the township: Some locations will include a quick find and a challenge find. No items will need to be collected except information or pictures. Enjoy this beautiful township tour! Collect as many facts as you are able.

- Kouw Park
  - How many stair steps down to the beach?
  - How many steps up the tall slide?
- Olive Shores
  - How many feet above sea level is the park?
  - On the sign for the famous movie filmed at this location, what is the 5th word on the 6th line of the center box?
- Windsnest
  - Whose name is on the Sunset Vista sign?
- Port Sheldon Natural Area
  - What is the name of the creek?
- Hemlock Crossing
  - What types of activities are encouraged at this park?
  - Find the bench on trail 9, what is the quote?
- Van Buren Street Dunes
  - What color are the trail arrows?
  - What is the distance in miles of the entire length of trails?

- Township Offices, Courts & Playground
  - How many holds are on the largest climbing wall all together?
  - Find the tree with the dedication plaque.
  - How many tennis courts are there?
- Sheldon Landing
  - Find the sign with the fish. What color is the fish and how long?
- Sheldon Woods Elementary School
  - What is posted on the sign on the front of the building to the left of the door?
- Historic Pheasant Release Marker
  - o In what year was the release?
- Pine Bend Park
  - What is the last name of the family who created a dance hall at this property?
  - This park is part of which Greenway project?
- Zwemer
  - Did you find it? That is the challenge;)
- Holly Landing
  - What is the name on the side of the kayak picture?

In which park is the night sky observatory?

Tell us how many places you visited.

