

## The Home's History

The original Medina County Home was built in 1854 to provide housing for indigent persons who were unable to care for themselves. A fire destroyed the original building and it was rebuilt in 1861. This main building is still in use today, and several additions have been constructed.

For many years, the County Home was a working farm. Proceeds from farming operations helped offset the cost of running the facility. In 1970 the Medina County Board of Commissioners decided to discontinue farming and raising livestock. The remaining acreage is currently leased for farming. Renovations, improvements and remodeling have continued throughout the years.

The Home today is situated on approximately 10 acres and is a 60 bed facility which provides primary custodial, rest-home-type care. It operates much like a licensed, private rest home, but is not Medicare/Medicaid funded. The Home maintains all requirements according to state fire and safety codes.

*A continuing commitment by the residents of Medina County is evident in the continual passing of a 0.2 mills levy to support the Home.*

**Adult Day Care Services** are also available. This service provides a comfortable setting and socialization for adults. This also allows caregivers "Time off" from care giving



## Friends of Medina County Home

### Mission:

Friends of Medina County Home is an organization whose purpose is to support and provide financial aid to the Home for items not available through the normal operating budget. Funds directly aid the residents of the Home.

We respond to requests from the staff of the Home for things such as Christmas and Birthday gifts for each resident, special events, & field trips. Our membership is open to any individual, family or organization interested in the goals and mission of the Medina County Home.

### Meetings:

Friends of Medina County Home meet at 6:30 PM on the third Wednesday of the months of March, June, Sept., October & November. Meetings are held in the **Activity Room** at the **Medina County Home**  
**6144 Wedgewood Road.**  
**Medina, OH 44256**

For current fund raising activities and meetings please visit us on-line at:

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

**Friends of Medina County Home will continue to support the residents with birthday gifts, Christmas gifts, Valentine's Day gifts, Coffee shop & Beauty Salon gift cards and special surprises throughout the year**

## Friends of Medina County Home Membership

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, St, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Dues** (New or Renewal) circle one

**\$10.00 Individual**

**\$15.00 Family**

**\$25.00 Organization/Corporate**

### **Additional Donation**

\$10.00  \$25.00  \$50.00  \$100.00  Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Donations are Tax Deductible; FOMCH is a 501c3 group**

**Please make payable to FOMCH to be tax-deductible**

### **Volunteer in the following ways**

**Volunteer to assist residents on field trips & special events**

**Purchase/donate wish list items: Kleenex, sugarless candy, stamps, variety greeting cards, books, word search, puzzles, hand lotions, body wash, playing cards, Large print books, toothpaste, nail clippers, emery boards**

**Help sell fundraising items**

Check payable to

**FRIENDS OF MEDINA COUNTY HOME**

**Mail to: FOMCH, P.O. Box 1997 Medina, OH 44258**