



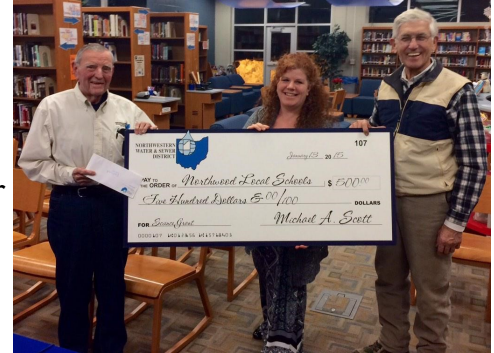
Water Works

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New school grant benefits several

As part of our continued effort to reach out to communities in our service area, we have introduced a new school grant program titled “WATER”: Water and Environment Teacher Education Resources. Select Wood County schools, grades 5-8, have already applied and received funding for the remainder of the 2014-15 school year. Our mission is to further water education on conservation, quality and safety. Pictured is Northwood 7th/8th grade science teacher Lara Fish, with trustees Lyle Schulte and William Hirzel.



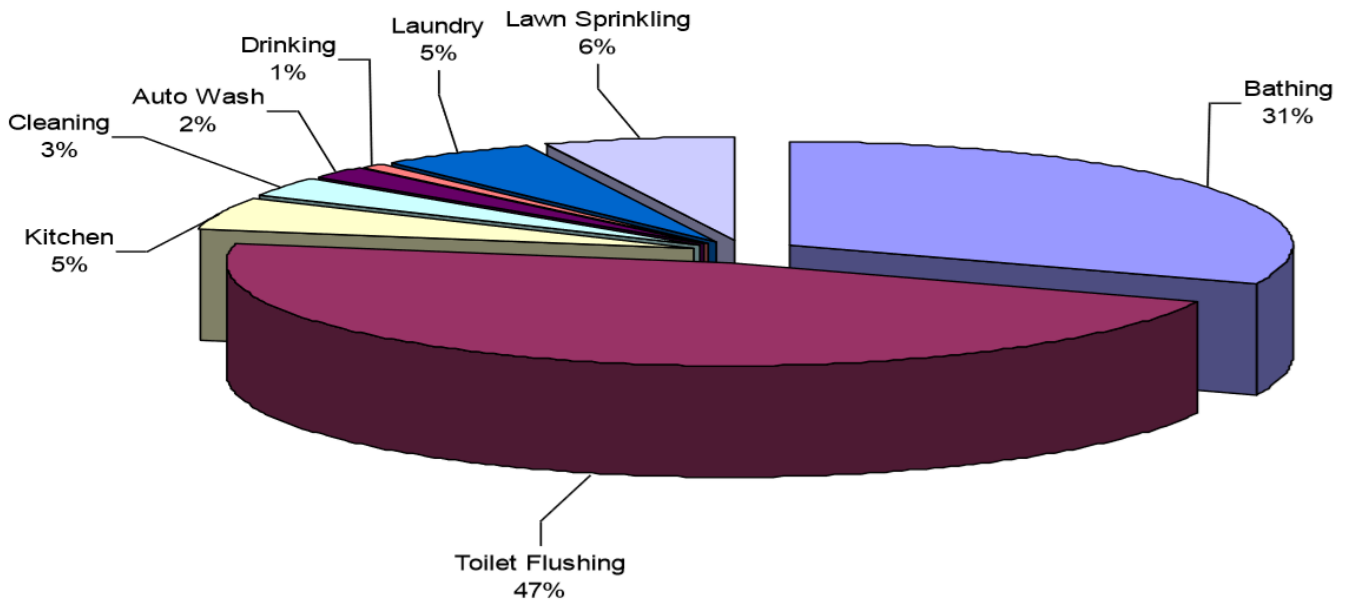
Employee recognition

Congratulations to the following individuals for their years of service with the District:

- Mark Davis—5 years
- Erik Blake—10 years
- Lyle Schulte—15 years (board mbr.)
- Jarred Myers—5 years
- Jason Bomeli—10 years
- Dan Wickard—25 years
- Chris Blake—10 years
- Patricia Gifford—10 years
- William Wachter—30 years

Look where that water is going

This pie chart outlines the general water use for most residential users. You will notice the large amount which is consumed from personal use such as flushing toilets and bathing. Any conservation that you are able to do in these areas would save you both water and sewer costs, and it also minimizes the impact on the environment.



Mark your calendars: open house set for Sunday, May 3

Make your plans now for NWWSD's annual customer open house, set for **Sunday, May 3, 2015** from **1-4 p.m.** This family-friendly event gets bigger and better each year, where you'll enjoy a free, delicious barbeque lunch for the entire family, inflatables for the kids, giveaways, door prizes, and much more. You'll also have a chance to meet and talk to the employees who keep our operation running so smoothly, and tour our facilities and grounds. Look for further information, including how to register, as the date nears. For now, make a note of it.



Water tower Wednesday

Our Twitter page's "Water Tower Wednesday" feature may be new, but it recently had a brush with fame. The Weather Channel's Jim Cantore retweeted our Jan. 7 Water Tower Wednesday post, which generated even more interest for our upstart, hashtagged campaign. Join in the fun and follow #WaterTowerWednesday at @NWWSD, and also our operational tweets, which may even help you with your daily commute, as affected road closures are sometimes shared: @EmilyPostsNWWSD. Social media is a great way to connect with us and others, and also to learn more about the District and better understand water and sewer issues.



Daylight saving time

Just a friendly reminder to set your clocks ahead one hour at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, Mar. 8.

WaterShed vending units

In the summer of 2005, the District opened its first coin-vending water unit that dispenses water for consumers by the gallon. Since then we have dispensed over \$700,000 in water sales! A seven-step treatment process featuring reverse-osmosis and ultraviolet light eliminates all traces, leaving a perfectly clean water for all uses. Stop by our office for a free container. We now have 7 locations to serve you:

- District parking lot at 12560 Middleton Pike (SR 582), Bowling Green, Ohio
- Northeast corner of Haskins and Poe Road in Bowling Green, Ohio (near the fairgrounds)
- Fostoria Plaza (Plaza Drive-US 23/SR 199, Fostoria, Ohio)
- Village of Custar (9110 Custar Road-across from the American Legion building)
- McClure, Ohio (2926 US Rt. 6, McClure, OH 43534)
- Stony Ridge, Ohio (Fremont Pike-Former Township Bldg. location)
- Bloomdale (located at the village's water tower)



Upcoming Earth Day

NWWSD will participate this year in the overall county effort to recognize "Earth Week," which is scheduled for April 19-25, 2015. This group of multiple private and public entities dedicated to protecting the environment, has set up a website at www.communityearthday.com, to highlight the week's activities. We hope you can attend some of these events!

How to Reach Us

- The District's office is located at 12560 Middleton Pike, Bowling Green, Ohio
- Our mailing address is P.O. Box 348, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.
- Our local phone number is (419) 354-9090, toll-free is (877) 354-9090, and fax is (419) 354-9344.
- The District's office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday.
- You can also e-mail the District at district@nwwsd.org.
- Follow us on Facebook and Twitter!

Sincerely, Jerry Greiner, President