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**Twinsburg Township KidsFest on April 30<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM**  
*Event to Include Touch-A-Truck, Live Entertainment, Camp Info, and Much More*

**Twinsburg Township, Summit County, Ohio – April 8, 2011** – The Board of Twinsburg Township Trustees is pleased to announce that KidsFest 2011 will be held at the Township Service Department (7996 Darrow Road; northwest corner of Twinsburg and Darrow Roads) on Saturday, April 30, 2011, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. This year's event will capitalize and build upon last year's hugely successful touch-a-truck event, held in June at the same location. This year's event will include much more to see, hear, and do ... and all of it kid-focused.

Kids will enjoy touch-a-truck equipment from the Township Service Department (trucks, tractors, and more), Summit County Sheriff (command station, bomb squad, SWAT truck, DARE vehicle, and more), and Reminderville Fire Department (engine pumper), along with a recycling truck and youth recycling educator from the Township's own J&J Refuse.

Free entertainment at the event will include live music by RETRO, an amazing four-piece classic rock made up of 13-year-olds that play like vets, as well as a balloon maker, clowns, face painters, and costumed characters, all courtesy of Falls River Concerts, LLC, promoters of the highly acclaimed Rockin' on the River concert series in Cuyahoga Falls, celebrating its 25<sup>th</sup> year in 2011. Food and non-alcoholic beverage vendors will also be present at the event.

More reasons for kids (and their parents) to attend this event include the ability to register on-site for Safety Town(ship) and a wide variety of summer camps (Akron YMCA/Nordonia Hills in Macedonia, Ambassadors In Sport, Cleveland YMCA/Southeast in Solon, Hudson Community Education & Recreation, LifeCenter Plus of Hudson, and Pinnacle Sports of Twinsburg). In addition, the Summit County Sheriff has arranged for Guardians Against Sexual Predators (GASP) to provide on-site digital finger-printing services. These are only the confirmed attendees. Many, many more have been invited but are not yet confirmed.

Lastly, Pawsibilities, the Humane Society of Greater Akron, along with Hattie Larlham Executive Offices, Hattie Larlham Constant Companions, and Hattie Larlham Doggie Day Care & Boarding, are again inviting the community to see their exciting on-site homes right here at 7996 Darrow Road in Twinsburg Township. Guided tours will be available throughout the event, which will also coincide with a scheduled Pawsibilities “adoption day”.

### **About Twinsburg Township**

Twinsburg Township was founded in 1817, had a population of 2,828 in 2010, and will soon celebrate its bicentennial with great pride. The Township is home to an unparalleled combination of rich history, abundant natural resources, outstanding parks, well-planned neighborhoods, thriving businesses, and top-notch institutions. Whether you’re looking for a great place to live or do business, or just a spot to spend a quiet afternoon, you’ll find it all right here in Twinsburg Township. So stop by and see us sometime, and if you can’t make it in person, please check out [www.twinsburgtwp.com](http://www.twinsburgtwp.com) to get a glimpse of all that Twinsburg Township has to offer. For more information, contact Robert S. Kagler, Township Manager, via telephone at (330) 425-4497 or via e-mail at [rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com](mailto:rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com).

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