

# Worthington Room Resources

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## Community resources

- [City of Worthington Annual Budget](#), 1961, 1977, 1979-1998, 2000-2008, 2014-2016. [977.156 WOR]
- [City of Worthington Annual Report](#), 1963, 1967-1968, 1970-1984, 1986, 1988-1994, 1996-2018, 2021-2022. [977.156 WOR]
- [Worthington Schools Alumni Directory](#), 2011. [371.8 WOR]
- [The Intelligencer](#), monthly newsletter of the Worthington Historical Society, 1971-present [977.156 WOR]

## Telephone directories

- [Columbus Ohio Suburban Directory](#), 1983-1986, 1988-1991, 1993-1994 [917.7156 POL]
- [A Directory of Worthington and Sharon Township](#), 1928, 1933. [977.156 DIR]
- [Franklin County, Ohio: Polk City Directory](#), 1997, 1999, 2002-2019 [917.7156 FRA]
- [Polk's Columbus City Directory](#), 1984-1989, 1991-1993 [917.7157 POL]

## High school yearbooks

- [The Cardinal](#) (Thomas Worthington High School) 1937-38, 1942, 1945-1970, 1972-present
- [The Oracle](#) (Worthington High School) 1922, 1923, 1926, 1928, 1929, 1930
- [The Sentinel](#) (Worthington Kilbourne High School) 1992-2006, 2008-present

Most of Worthington's high school yearbooks have been digitized and are also available online at [Worthington Memory](#).

## Newspapers on microfilm

In addition to the microfilmed titles below, [Worthington Memory](#) includes an index of articles published in a selection of these newspapers and houses abstracts of newspaper articles that visitors may search in order to access the full-text articles on microfilm.

Not all of the library's microfilmed newspapers have been indexed. Linked titles below have been partially or fully indexed; clicking on a linked title will take you to a search page for that title on [Worthington Memory](#). Visit Ohio Memory's [Worthington News Collection](#) to access digitized full text for the years 1925-1963.

- *Central Ohio Review* (1/14/1884 - 5/2/1885)
- *Citizen Journal* (1/1/1980 - 12/31/1985)
- *Columbus Dispatch* (1/1/1979 - 12/31/2014)
- *Delaware Gazette* (12/21/1855 - 12/25/1857)
- *Delaware Patron* (4/16/1823 - 4/15/1824; 4/22/1824 - 5/14/1824; 7/23/1829 - 5/6/1830)

- *Franklin Chronicle* [Worthington] (1/7/1820 - 9/24/1821)
- *Franklinton, Ohio Freeman's Chronicle* (9/19/1812 - 9/3/1813; 11/5 & 12/10/1813; 12/31/1813 - 9/23/1814)
- *Ohio Gazette* [Delaware] (8/23/1834 - 12/20/1834)
- *Ohio State Gazette* [Delaware] (5/13/1830 - 7/7/1831; 7/21/1832 - 8/16/1834)
- *Olentangy Gazette* [Delaware] (12/27/1834 - 10/6/1838; 1/4/1840 - 8/31/1844; 3/14/1851 - 12/14/1855)
- *Patron & Franklin Chronicle* [Delaware] (11/19/1821 - 4/9/1823)
- [This Week in Worthington](#) (2/8/1993 - 4/19/2012)
- [This Week Worthington News](#) (4/26/2012 - 1/26/2023)
- [Western Intelligencer](#) (1/1/1812 - 12/10/1814)
- [Westerville Public Opinion](#) (4/29/1887 - 9/14/1893; 6/27/1895 - 12/27/1906; 1/2/1908 - 12/23/1920; 2/10/1921 - 4/24/1930)
- *Westerville Review* (1/7/1880 - 12/29/1883; 1/12/1884 - 6/7/1884)
- [Worthington News](#) (3/12/1925 - 8/26/1992)
- [Worthington News \(SNP\)](#) (3/25/1998 - 4/19/2012)
- [Worthington News This Week](#) (9/14/1992 - 2/1/1993)
- *Worthington Spectator* (5/5/1971 - 3/6/1974)
- [Worthington Spotlight](#) (6/1/2020 - 12/31/2022)
- [Worthington Suburbia News](#) (1/6/1993 - 3/18/1998)

## Sayama book display

The Sayama Book display includes a collection of Japanese-language books donated to the Worthington Libraries by the Sayama Library in Sayama, Japan, a northern suburb of Tokyo. Since 1999, [Worthington has been sister cities with Sayama, Japan.](#)

## Local history and genealogy books

- [Abstracts from Miscellaneous Delaware County Newspapers](#), 1821-1857 by Mary V. Reed. 1992. [R 929.3 ABS]
- [Abstracts of Obituaries, Death Notices and Funeral Notices from the Delaware Gazette](#) by Marilyn Cryder. 1993. [R 929.3 CRY]
- [Around Worthington](#) by Robert McCormick. 1999. [977.156 MCC]
- [Early Ohio Tax Records](#) by Esther Weygandt Powell. 1993. [R 929.3 POW]
- [Histories of Structures in Worthington and Sharon Township](#) by Robert McCormick. 1992. [977.156 MCC]
- [A History of Law Enforcement in Worthington, Franklin County, Ohio 1803-2017](#) by Lieutenant Richard Tennant, Michael Mauer, Linda Roberts and Wina Waters Phelps. 2018. [363.2097 HIS]
- [Interstitial: Sixty years at Rush Creek Village](#) by Darren M. Kelly. 2017. [720.9771 KEL]
- [Linking Past to Present: an Historical Account of Flintridge Terrace & Its Surrounding Areas](#) by Sharon Flintridge Residents' Association. 2000. [977.156 LIN]
- [National Register of Historic Places, Worthington Sites and Buildings Compiled by Ohio Historical Society.](#) 2018. [977.156 NAT]
- [New Englanders on the Ohio Frontier](#) by Virginia McCormick. 1998. [977.156 MCC]

- [Ohio Cemetery Records Extracted from the "Old Northwest" Genealogical Quarterly](#). 1984. [R 929.3 OHI]
- [Ohio Divorces: The Early Years](#) by Carol Willsey Bell. 1994. [R 929.3 BEL]
- [Ohio Wills and Estates to 1850: An Index](#) by Carol Willsey Bell. 1981. [R 929.3 BEL]
- [Probing Worthington's Heritage](#) by Robert and Virginia McCormick.1990. [977.156 MCC]
- [Scioto Company Descendants](#) by Virginia McCormick. 2009. [R 977.156 MCC]
- [Style and Structures of Old Worthington: A Photographic Survey by the Worthington Historical Society](#). 1997. [720.9771]
- [Two Centuries of Educational History, Worthington, Ohio](#) by Virginia McCormick. 2008. [370.9771 MCC]
- [Walking Tour, Historic Worthington by the Worthington Historical Society](#). 2006. [977.156 WAL]
- [A Walking Tour of Old Worthington](#) by Frank Corbin. 1969. [977.156 COR]
- [Worthington Landmarks](#) by Robert McCormick. 1992. [977.156 MCC]
- [Worthington Neighborhoods](#) by Virginia McCormick. 2006. [977.156 MCC]

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