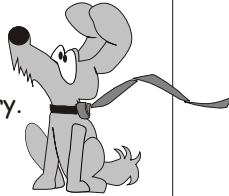


## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

For a good number of years it has been my practice to visit Oakwood at least weekly to walk for exercise and to enjoy the natural beauty. There is always something new to see and appreciate, such as the view at the bluff any time of day.

The most distressing part of the experience has been my encounters with unleashed dogs. I could not count the times I have been menaced by a dog the owner would not or could not control. My response is always to stand still and tell the owner to "Call your dog!" Still, the experience of a dog charging at you is very unsettling. In addition, I have witnessed several vicious dog fights between unleashed dogs as the owners looked on helplessly.

Therefore I welcome Oakwood's policy that all dogs be leashed at all times within the cemetery. It has made the cemetery safer for walkers, runners, visitors, dog owners and their dogs.



*D. Brady*

**VOLUNTEERS** are always welcomed. Please call the office [518-272-7520] during business hours and ask what you can do for Oakwood. We always need ground caretakers, event workers, and office help - maybe we can put **your** expertise to good use!

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## OUR MOST UNUSUAL VISITOR

One day during the summer of 2007, our men saw something extraordinarily strange. So they got in our truck and went after it. This is what they found. The Oscar Meyer Weinermobile wanted to visit Uncle Sam's Gravesite. And they did. Oakwood took their picture, because no one would believe it unless we had a photo!



## OAKWOOD GATE HOURS

MAIN GATE (Oakwood Ave)

**OPEN**

9 AM - 4:30 pm

7 days a week

365 days a year

NORTH GATE (114th Street)

**OPEN**

April 15 - October 31

M-F 9 AM - 1 PM

Sat. 9 AM - Noon

Sun. 9 AM - 4:15 PM

**CLOSED:** November 1 - April 15