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Mayor's Report



Robert Fiala
Mayor/Safety Director

It is wonderful to welcome the summer weather and the ability to be with each other and outdoors. We still have several exciting weekend events planned this season, including ArtsFest on July 17th, Last Stop Willoughby on August 14th and the Rib Burn-Off on September 11th-12th.

These events are free and a great way to spend a Saturday afternoon in our community. While enjoying our many activities, we encourage you to shop at our local merchants and enjoy our great food and beverage establishments.

Our summer concert series starts on Wednesday, June 30th, with our first Sunset Concert at Osborne Park from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm. After that, the Downtown Willoughby Gazebo Concerts are on Thursdays from 7 pm – 9 pm from July 8th – August 26th. The final summer concert will be on Wednesday, September 1st, from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm at Osborne Park. You

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Willoughby Parks & Recreation: Upcoming Events

The Willoughby Euclid Ave. Pool will open for Recreational Swimming on Saturdays and Sundays Only starting Saturday, July 3, until Sunday, Aug. 15, 2021. Gates Open at 1:00 P.M. for all guests; Pass and Value card holders may enter at 12:30 P.M. Admission at the Gate is \$10 per person for all ages.

Red Cross Lifeguard Certification

Learn lifesaving techniques, gain leadership skills, and become qualified for a new job! Must be at least 15 years old and pass a swim test on the first day of class, and successfully complete written and practical tests to become certified.

Tuesday through Thursday, July 13-15, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Class Fee \$175 / Resident discount \$165

Safe Sitter

Worried about leaving your pre-teen child home alone for a couple of hours? Concerned about leaving younger siblings with their older brother or sister? Want to prepare your child for babysitting? Young teens will be trained in first aid, indoor and outdoor safety, and how to handle household emergencies so they are adequately prepared to stay home alone or watch younger siblings. Safe Sitters® is a nationally recognized, medically accurate program, taught by certified Safe Sitter instructors, and recognized for excellence by the American Academy of Pediatrics. Safe Sitter graduates show increased self-esteem, confidence, compassion, and responsibility.

Ages: 11-16

Participants should bring a packed lunch or snack with a beverage.

Tuesday, July 13 9am – 2pm

Wednesday, July 28 9am – 2pm

Classes will be held in the Lower Level of Willoughby City Hall

Class Fee \$70 / Resident discount \$65

American Sign Language (ASL)

Our American Sign Language (ASL) class will teach each student about ASL and the Deaf Culture. We will learn the manual alphabet, numbers, basic introductions, signs to use in the community, and other vocabulary. We will have activities to make it fun and help with retention. I will also share videos of the signed vocabulary used each week for home practice.

Upcoming Class: Tuesday & Thursday July 13 – August 5

Youth (ages 14 & Under) 11:30 – 12:15pm

Adult (ages 15+) 12:45 – 1:30pm
Class Fee \$130 / Resident discount \$120

Academy Basketball Clinic

These clinics are a great tune-up for all players regardless of skill level. Our coaches will divide the group by experience level and assess strengths, assist with areas of difficulty and teach fantastic drills

Backyard Barbecue Season is Here!

by Maureen Gregory

Are you suffering from grilling fever? Backyard barbecue season is upon us and it is time to enjoy all your seasonal favorites. You can keep your barbecue experience fresh, simple and sustainable by supporting local farmers. Produce like yellow squash, zucchini, eggplant, cabbage and corn are coming on strong and can be found at many of the booths at the Willoughby Outdoor Market. Any of these vegetables can be grilled to perfection in just a few minutes. And then, while your grill is still hot, you'll want to throw on some peak-season fruits. Thick melon slices, lightly drizzled with olive oil, can be grilled for about three minutes until edges start to caramelize. Peach halves can be done the same way. Served later over ice cream, grilled fruit makes a delicious end to your outdoor meal.

If your taste buds have spoken and they are calling out for beef,

to 'up your game'. The session will end with a scrimmage. Ages: 6-14
Saturday, July 10

Ages 6-9: 10am – 11:30am

Age 10-14: 12:30pm – 2:30pm

Class Fee \$30 / Resident discount \$25

Dog Training with DAS

Did you just get a new puppy, rescue an older dog, or just want to reteach your furry friend some basic manners? Then bring them to school and get started off on the right paw to a well-behaved four-legged member of the family! We are offering a 6-week Basic Obedience Course taught by David Sacks, Owner of D.A.S. Dog Training. David will teach you to work with your dog to learn: Sit, Down, Stay, Come, Loose Leash Manners, Leave it, Drop it, Off (jumping on people or furniture), and Place.

David has been working with

the Willoughby Outdoor Market can handle that also. There are two vendors selling local farm-raised beef. Woodworth Farm located in Madison, Ohio has been a vendor at the Market for several years. The cattle roam green pastures on the family farm that was founded by Mark Woodworth's parents in 1956. You can take your pick of steaks, roasts, stew meat, ground beef and more. At the Market, look for the big yellow school bus and ask for Mark. He will be pleased to answer all your questions about his happy herd and the available products.

A new meat vendor at the Market for the 2021 season is Platinum Farms, operated in Chardon, Ohio by the Lucic family. In addition to farm-raised beef, they offer pork and lamb, as well as farm eggs. If you visit their booth at the Market, check their chalkboard to see what's available that day. Steven and Lynne would be happy to answer your questions and recommend the perfect steaks

dogs on his own, in shelters & with various rescue groups for 30 plus years. David is certified as a Dog Trainer through Animal Behavior College and Certified in Pet First Aid & CPR through The American Red Cross. Please note, No Dogs are allowed at the first class. Please bring a copy of your current vaccination records.

Ages: Dogs 6 months and up

Class is held in the David E Anderson Willoughby Senior Center 36939 Ridge Rd Willoughby, Oh 44094

Next Session: 8/18- 9/22 | Wednesdays 6 – 7 pm

Class Fee \$106 / Resident discount \$101

City of Willoughby Clambake

Mark your calendars for this fun family event.....enjoy the party atmosphere, but don't worry about the set-up or clean-up – we

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for your grilling needs.

The Willoughby Outdoor Market is brought to you by Heart of Willoughby ("HOW"), a non-profit group of volunteers with a mission of maintaining and improving the downtown Willoughby area since 1979. It is Lake County's longest running market and is held every Saturday morning from May through October (rain or shine) at 1 Public Square, more commonly known as City Hall parking lot. You can learn more about HOW on their website at heartofwilloughby.com and on Facebook at HeartofWilloughby and WilloughbyOutdoorMarket.

Join your neighbors and friends in the community at the Willoughby Outdoor Market. When you make a habit of shopping at the Market every week, you will reap the benefits of fresh, local and hand-made, as well as exercise, fresh air and conversation. And you will find everything you need to cure your grilling fever!

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Join the "Last Stop Willoughby Parade!"

Have you always wanted to be in a parade? Do you have a great idea for a parade float or decorated bicycle? Does your sports team,

business or neighbors want to spend a fun afternoon marching as a group?

If you answered YES to any of

Willoughby Commemorative Medallion

Soon the Willoughby Lions Club will be offering the purchase of a brass Limited Edition and unique Commemorative Medallion. The central feature of the collector's item will be the Gazebo at Point Park. For a nominal fee of \$15.00, the medallion will be available at various locations within Willoughby. The proceeds will be used for a community project

that will enhance the City of Willoughby.

Watch for more information as it becomes available.

Please go to our Willoughby Lions FB page for more updates and details on the various locations in Willoughby for availability.

FB page <https://www.facebook.com/willoughbylions>

2021 Shredding Event: August 21st

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Saturday - August 21

9:00 am - Noon

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- If you want to watch the shredding of your materials, you will be directed to a distanced safe area.

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Parks & Recreation

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will do all the work for you! Grab your friends and bring a group!

Saturday, October 16th at Lost Nation Municipal Golf Course from 5:00-8:00 pm (dinner served at 5:30 pm)

Full Bake - \$40 – includes dz. Clams, chicken and all the fixins'

Chicken Bake - \$31 – includes Chicken and all the fixins'

Extra dz. Clams - \$9

Cash Bar

Register at willoughbyohio.activityreg.com or call 440.953.4200

Osborne Park Outdoor Market

Want to sell your treasures.....join the Osborne Park Outdoor Market on Wednesdays from 4:00-8:00 pm. A 10' space is \$5 and pre-registration is a must. Don't have stuff to sell, enjoy visiting the vendors, including vendors from the Trendy Pop-up Shops. Looking forward to seeing you at Osborne Park!

Call for details on any of these programs. Willoughby Parks and Recreation

(440) 953-4200

www.willoughbyohio.com

these questions, then Last Stop Willoughby is looking for you. You can be part of the Last Stop Willoughby parade on Saturday, August 14, 2021. You might

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can find the full lineup of artists on our website.

We are still working on a few other surprises for the summer, and we ask you to check our Facebook page and website for updates on community events.

Both the Rte. 84 and Lakeshore Blvd. paving projects are underway and on schedule, and we recently awarded the city road repair program to Burton Scot Contractors for a contract value of \$758,475.10. This work is funded through our Road and Bridge Fund, which results from our road improvements levy. Work to

Upcoming Virtual Library Programs

During the month of July 2021, the following free programs will be offered VIRTUALLY (unless otherwise noted) at the Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library. Registration is required. For a complete schedule of events or to register for one of our upcoming programs, visit www.we247.org.

Programs are held via Zoom or YouTube. You must register to receive the link! Visit the Events

even win a trophy or cash prizes of \$300, \$200 and \$100 for the winning 1st, 2nd and 3rd place floats. Cash prizes of \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded for the winning 1st, 2nd and 3rd place decorated bicycles.

Visit "Last Stop Willoughby" on Facebook for details. Go to the website "heartofwilloughby.com/last-stop-willoughby-1" to register for the parade or to contact us with questions.

See you at the parade!

improve our stormwater systems is also continuing with the award of storm outfall improvements to Nerone & Sons in the total amount of \$352,396. Funding for this work comes from our Storm Water Capital Fund.

Summer is also a great time to consider a few "good-neighbor" behaviors. One is to remember to keep all dogs leashed when downtown. Some adults and many children are nervous around pets they don't know. Also, please be sure to clean up after your pets.

We also encourage our residents to follow city ordinances regarding the use of equipment and tools

during early morning hours, the disposal of grass clippings and yard waste and property maintenance in general. These ordinances are meant to enhance our property values and maintain the quality of life in our city.

Finally, we asked that all residents keep "eyes on the street". If you observe suspicious vehicles, people or activities, please report these to our Police Department. Our safety forces rely on community involvement, and we have a shared responsibility to look after our neighbors.

Have a safe and wonderful summer!

Calendar at www.we247.org or call your library to register.

Feathers, Furs and Scales

Come with us as we learn the tales behind the different animals and other species that live at the Lake Metroparks' facility.

Monday, July 5, 6:30 pm

Tammy's Rose Gardening Series

Looking for tips to help with your own garden? Tune into the library's YouTube channel "W-E Library" to

learn how.

Tuesday, July 6, 10 am: Rose Diseases and Pests

Sensory Family Storytime

Children of all ages & abilities are welcomed to this interactive, inclusive storytime specifically designed to support the developmental needs of those with sensory challenges.

Tuesday, July 6, 6:30 pm

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Willoughby Arts Collaborative

The Willoughby Arts Collaborative is a new, non-profit arts organization founded to bring public arts programming to the city. The first annual membership drive is going on now. Please consider becoming a member to support the arts in our community. To join and for more information please go to WilloughbyArtsCollaborative.org

Donors Support Lakeland Students to Keep Workforce Strong

Donor support is helping Lakeland Community College students stay on track to earn their credentials and fill a shortage of qualified workers in our community.

Economists project that most jobs in Ohio will require a

postsecondary credential by 2025. Lakeland is a critical provider of job training and education to prepare graduates with the skills local employers need for the jobs of the future. Ninety-seven percent of Lakeland graduates live or work in our community, providing

local employers with a pipeline of skilled workers who are ready for immediate employment.

To help more students complete their studies, the college has focused on creating a campus experience that increases student success. This includes providing

financial assistance, student support services, student engagement programs, and emergency needs funding to keep students on the path to earning their degrees or certificates.

In 2015, the college's philanthropic arm, The Lakeland Foundation, launched a \$10 million campaign for scholarships and programs to support Lakeland student success and future economic growth.

"Our students face unique challenges which often prevent them from pursuing a college education or finishing once they have begun," said Greg Sanders, Lakeland vice president for institutional advancement and executive director of The Lakeland Foundation. "Thanks to donors to the Futures Rising campaign, we are creating a campus experience that improves students' success in college, careers and life."

Over the past five years, 1,342 donors contributed \$10.7 million to the Lakeland Foundation's Futures Rising Campaign, surpassing its goal. About \$4 million was raised for innovative programs to support student success and enhance the campus experience. Programs include diversity initiatives, arts and cultural experiences, leadership opportunities, and other co-curricular activities.

Studies show that the more actively engaged students are - with college faculty and staff, with other students, with the subject matter they are studying - the more likely they are to persist in their college studies and to achieve at higher levels.

Learning experiences, like the Lakeland Honors Program, provide opportunities for students to engage with other classmates and gain valuable skills. Designed to foster leadership development, the honors program offers opportunities for

service, travel and social activities while providing an excellent and challenging academic experience.

"I've learned more than just from the hard classes I take in the honors program," said Bradley Gartner, a traditional aged student pursuing his Associate of Science degree. "I've gained diverse perspectives and leadership and teamwork skills that I wouldn't have attained otherwise."

The campaign also raised more than \$2.5 million to provide scholarships for students who need help paying tuition to finish college and gain access to better jobs. While Lakeland's tuition is one of the lowest in the state, more than half of students receive some form of financial assistance.

Scholarships are awarded to students like Kristina Shapiro, a mother of three who worked part-time while studying at Lakeland to become a nurse. "The scholarship helped me to afford the last year of nursing school," said Shapiro, who earned her Associate of Applied Science degree this spring.

During the pandemic, when many students lost their jobs, The Lakeland Foundation focused its fundraising efforts on emergency funds and the Lakeland Cares Cupboard food pantry. Emergency funds provide support for students' most basic needs, such as food, transportation and child care. The Foundation's Immediate Needs Grant is available to students who encounter an unexpected financial hardship in paying for expenses that is preventing them from completing the semester.

Lakeland scholarship recipients went on camera recently to personally thank donors for the generous gifts made to the Futures Rising campaign. View the thank you video on Lakeland's YouTube channel at <https://youtu.be/KI9MKD4TUo4>.



Lakeland scholarship recipients thank you for your support.



Calvin Andringa



MaKayla Cooper



Bradley Gartner



Deanna Lowe



Janice Robinson



Grace Romig



Kristina Shapiro



Quantez Spears

Hear more from our students and faculty and see how you are impacting lives.

lakelandcc.edu/futuresrising



Lake County Genealogical Society Meeting via Zoom - July 29th

The Lake County Genealogical Society (LCGS) meeting will be held on July 29 from 10:00 am to approximately noon. The LCGS has been meeting on Zoom due to Covid-19. Please join us for our business meeting then a virtual picnic lunch from your home. For this virtual meeting we will also be playing ZOOM games. Visit our web site at www.lcgsohio.org to find the email address so you can email us for an invitation to our Zoom Meeting. You can also go to our web site to learn more about us. If you do not have a

computer, you can join the ZOOM meeting from your phone, so call Bonnie or Cynthia to get the phone number for the meeting.

If you have any questions you can call Bonnie at 440-428-3783 or Cynthia at 440-951-0914.

Please join us to learn how to research and organize your findings on your ancestors, find your "Roots," and create your own "Family Tree. You can also join our genealogy group and meet new people, and get help from other members besides from listening to the speakers.

Bankruptcy 101:

The two types of bankruptcy that most people hear about are chapter 7 and chapter 13. The word chapter refers to the chapter (like in a book) in the bankruptcy code. Chapter 7 is a liquidating bankruptcy and chapter 13 is a non-liquidating bankruptcy. Liquidating means they (the government) can take your stuff. Non-liquidating means they can't. However, there are exceptions to this. I will try to lay this out in a simplistic fashion:

In a chapter 7 you will be able to discharge all of your debts without paying anything back. However, if you have any equity in anything (your home, your car, your bank account, your boat-anything) you must surrender it to the bankruptcy trustee (the person who looks out for the creditors) so that it can be sold (liquidated) to pay back the creditors to the largest extent possible. Equity is what determines which chapter of bankruptcy you can file under. Fair Market Value minus Amount Owed equals Your Equity in anything.

A chapter 13 is a non-liquidating bankruptcy. This means you get to keep everything, but you have to pay back a percentage of your equity. It is also used for people who are in foreclosure or

behind on their mortgage and in fear of foreclosure. A chapter 13 requires a payback plan from between three to five years. The payment is monthly. The amount is determined, again, by the amount of equity you have accumulated in your life. This is referred to as your bankruptcy estate. Obviously, everyone wants to do a chapter 7 because it is no pay back. However, since 2005 it has become much harder to file chapter 7. In 2005, legislation was passed which tightened up the income restrictions on people with regard to the Chapter 7 bankruptcy. The intended result was that more people must file under Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy code and pay back, at least, what the government thinks they can afford.

It is the bankruptcy attorney's job to advise you which is the best chapter to file under. It is also the attorney's job to make sure you keep your home, your car, and everything else you have accumulated throughout your life.

A good bankruptcy attorney will do those all of those things. He or She will also stop the creditors from harassing you, protect you from lawsuits, garnishments, put you back on your feet and give you a fresh start in life.

Annual Parade of Ponds - July 17th

Thinking about a pond? Want to expand a pond? Or just want to learn about a pond? Well don't miss this day in July.

The Parade of Ponds is a self guided tour for people to see ornamental ponds & water features. American Home & Energy Products hosts this yearly event and it all begins at their retail store in Painesville, across from the Lake County Fairgrounds.

Each year about 15 homeowners in Lake County open up their beautifully landscaped yards to share their water gardening projects. The tour is set up to give ideas for current and future projects, or just for the appreciation of water gardening. You will have a chance to see many relaxing atmospheres coordinated within homeowners' landscapes, such as custom built waterfalls & streams, schools of colorful fish, hardy native water plants, exotic tropical plants, pondless features and all the surrounding landscapes. You will be able to talk with most of the homeowners about their project and find out why water



Owner Chris Bedrick pictured by one of American Home display ponds

gardening has become America's #1 growing landscape trend.

All you have to do is stop in anytime on Saturday, July 17th and pick up a map and description handout of the various features and away you go. The event is free and runs from 9:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. Saturday only. We do ask that you call the week prior so we are sure to have enough maps on hand.

For more information contact: American Home & Energy Products 440-358-5858 at 1270 Mentor Ave. Painesville Twp (across from Lake County Fairgrounds.)

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Local Willoughby Handyman Company Saves the Day

Evan Pirc, a local savvy real estate investor and resident, recently sold a home in our community. Sidewalk block repair was required to complete the transaction.

"The fellow we hired to do the work had all kinds of wonderful ideas and even offered a price that should have saved me money, but his follow-through wasn't very good and ended up costing me more money in the long run." Pirc said. "He bailed on us without finishing everything he was supposed to do."

This left Pirc facing multiple closing delays and potentially losing the deal on the sale of his home. It also nearly left the buying family stranded with nowhere to go.

That's why Monthly Upkeep recently was called in for Pirc's job. Their crew bills themselves as "Monthly Upkeep, Willoughby's Get it Done Handyman," and they quickly completed the job the other contractor failed to finish.

Monthly Upkeep, on one days notice, was able to handle the job Pirc had been falsely promised by another contractor for weeks would be completed. Pirc said "Like many customers I tried to save a few bucks by going with another contractor and it ended up costing me big time in the long run."

Pirc and Monthly Upkeep successfully completed the required job and the new family was able to close. "Pirc said,

Monthly Upkeep is now my go to contractor."

A few things to watch out for are contractors who ask for upfront 100% payment should be a red flag. Busy established handyman companies like Monthly Upkeep usually require a small deposit to reserve your spot on their busy calendar. This is okay and gives customers peace of mind knowing they are scheduled.

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Library Programs

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Lake County League of Libraries Book Discussion

Please join us to discuss Jess Walter's book, *The Cold Millions*. This book was chosen as the Lake County Reads title for 2021 and the author will be speaking at a zoom event on August 5. Discussion will be online via Zoom.

Wednesday, July 7, 6:30 pm

Murder at the Hills Book Club

The Buried Book by D. M. Pulley

Thursday, July 8, 2 pm

Between the Lines Author Series: Edward McClelland

Set in the 1980s, *Running for Home* is the story of Kevin Ward, a track and cross-country star at a high school across the street from the auto plant where his father works. When the plant closes down, his father has to decide whether to take a transfer to Tennessee, and Kevin steps up his training in an attempt to win a scholarship to the state university.

Running for Home is a fictional sequel to McClelland's *Midnight in Vehicle City*, about the Flint Sit Down Strike, taking place a half-century later, when the prosperity created by the Sit Down Strike was ending.

Thursday, July 8, 6:30 pm

Take and Make Art Kits for Teens and Tweens at Willoughby Library

Each month we will have two different activity kits for you to pick up at the Willoughby Library and complete at home. Most of the supplies needed and instructions will be included in the kit. A limited number of Art kits will be available.

Pick up at the Willoughby Library Teen desk or curbside. Ages 11-18.

Monday, July 12, 10 am – Tie Dye Butterflies

Monday, July 26, 10 am – Yarn Art on Canvas

Teen Basement Writers

Come write with us at our creative writing group on Zoom. Bring your writing and ideas to share, all writing welcome. Positive feedback and fun environment provided. Grades 7-12 (Ages 13-18).

Monday, July 12, 7-8 pm

Next Chapter Book Club

The Next Chapter Book Club (NCBC) is a reading and discussion group that caters to adults with Down syndrome, autism, and other developmental disabilities. The group will continue reading passages from Shel Silverstein's *Where the Sidewalk Ends*.

Monday, July 12, 10-11 am

Wands at the Ready!

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Tuesday, July 13, 6:30 pm

Swaddle Society

Navigate the world of motherhood together in this group with a presenter for each meeting that focuses on Mommy resources and conversations. Meet virtually with other Moms and share ideas. Meetings will be held Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm on Zoom.

Wednesdays, July 14, 6:30 pm

Keeping your Pet Safe

Join John Gareis, Regional Manager of the Northern Ohio

Region of the Red Cross, for an informative talk about Pet Safety in the Summer and Disaster preparedness.

Wednesday, July 14, 6:30 pm

Parent and Teen Alcohol Ink Art (with FIRE!)

Enjoy some parent/teen time together while creating an original piece of artwork using alcohol inks. Bring your own frame with a GLASS pane or one can be provided (while supplies last). Aunts/Uncles with nieces/nephews are welcome, too! This program will be outside, socially distanced and scheduled in half-hour increments. Registration is mandatory. To register, call the Eastlake Library. Grades 6-12 (Ages 11-18). Masks are required.

Thursday, July 15, 7-8pm

Saturday, July 17, 3-4 pm

Zoom LEGO Club

Join us on Zoom to discuss the amazing LEGO creations you have been working on. The Wednesday before the program, Miss Sarah will send you a video about what the theme is and an example of something she has been working on, as well as the Zoom link for the next day. At 2 pm on Saturday, you'll be able to join a Zoom call and show off your amazing creation. Be sure

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silver plate, figurines, furniture, kitchenware, pottery, jewelry and more. Pictures are posted on estatesales.net and I will run an ad in the News Herald and on Craig's List and Marketplace as well. Call or email for more information.

The next event will be July 8th at 7560 Tyler Blvd. Warehouse in Mentor, Ohio 44060 either Unit B or Unit F (signs will be posted.) This sale will be retail sales as

well as an online auction with a buy it now option (on selected items) which will run for 1 week if someone doesn't buy it before that.

At the 7560 Tyler Blvd. Unit B warehouse (the 5050 Auctions LLC location) there is a brochure box with a list of sales and events including information about a new Estate Liquidation Antiques & Collectible Flea Market that

will open in August, 2021. I will be looking for vendors to fill the shop. Feel free to text me or call me at 440-382-6789 for other information or leave a detailed message on the office phone at 440-331-5200 (please speak plainly and clearly as many times

I can't understand the message or the voice is too soft.)

This is an exciting month and August will be even better with all the estates and events and the opening of a new store in August. Like I said before..."we do it all.... just make the call."

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The primary purpose of life and health insurance is to provide a financial safety net. But what kind of insurance will be best for you?

Health Insurance

Even before the effects of the covid emergency, 3 million Americans were without health care coverage. The situation was worsened when according to estimates by the Kaiser Family Foundation, approximately 2 to 3 million workers lost employee-based health plans between March and September 2020.

The good news is the recently passed Coronavirus Relief Plan contains provisions to make Affordable Care Act (ACA) coverage much more affordable. Now, 9 out of 10 people enrolled

in Marketplace coverage qualify for financial help, and 75% of people found plans for \$50 or less/month after financial assistance. This, combined with the Special Enrollment Period that re-opened the ACA marketplace through August 15 gives those without coverage an opportunity to enroll in a budget-friendly plan now.

Life Insurance

Life insurance provides a financial safety net that your spouse, children, or others can depend on if you die. It is not a one-size-fits-all purchase. You will need to decide on the type, length,

and amount of coverage you need. While there are many types of Life Insurance, two basic types are Term and Whole Life Insurance.

Term Life Insurance is an affordable way to provide basic protection. Term Life Insurance lasts a certain number of years, then ends. If the insured dies during the period specified in the policy and the policy is active, or in force, a death benefit will be paid. Unlike most types of permanent insurance, term insurance has no cash value.

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Lake County Humane Society Partners with Council on Aging to Provide Pet Food to Meals on Wheels Homebound Seniors

Lake Humane Society is excited to announce a new partnership with the Lake County Council on Aging Meals on Wheels program. Lake Humane Society will provide supplemental pet food to homebound seniors on a monthly basis. This special partnership is part of Auggie's Pet Food Pantry, a program of Lake Humane Society.

Lori Caszatt, Director of Marketing and Community Partnerships at Lake Humane Society said "This is an exciting partnership that will help us reach more Lake County seniors and their pets. We understand the companionship and love those pets bring to people and never want a senior to feel they have to give up their pet because they cannot afford to feed them."

Auggie's Pet Food Pantry was launched in the fall of 2020 to help Lake County residents in need feed their pets. To date, more than 7,000 lbs. of food has been distributed

to those who are having a difficult time feeding their pets. In addition to Auggie's Pet Food Pantry, a low-cost wellness clinic has also opened by appointment to serve the community.

Linda Llewellyn, Director of Community Services at the Lake County Council on Aging said "Many of our Meals on Wheels clients have pets that are well-loved and contribute to a greater quality of life. We are excited to partner with Lake Humane Society to provide not only nutritional food through Meals on Wheels but nutritional food to our clients' pets, as well. Additionally, our clients will be receiving an extra visit each month from a Meals on Wheels volunteer. This partnership is a win-win for everybody."

There are approximately 50 Meals on Wheels clients registered to receive pet food and that number is expected to grow. Volunteers at Lake Humane Society will pack a

bag of food for each client based on the number of pets they have, up to 5 pets. The first delivery will occur at the end of this week. Once the food is delivered to the Lake County Council on Aging, Meals on Wheels volunteers will pick-up and distribute to clients and their pets. Current Meals on Wheels clients will have the opportunity to sign-up for this program through the Lake County Council on Aging. For more information on the Meals on Wheels program, please visit lcco.org or call 440-205-8111 Ext. 241.

Auggie's Pet Food Pantry runs solely on monetary donations and donations of pet food. Donations can be brought to Lake Humane Society and left in the donation bin outside the front door. The shelter is located at 7564 Tyler Blvd. in Mentor, OH. For more information on Auggie's Pet Food Pantry and other Lake Humane Society programs, please visit lakehumane.org or email marketing@lakehumane.org.

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Teens Yoga

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Monday, July 19, 6:30-7:30 pm

Soothing Yourself Without Food

Join our Lake Health Integrative Medicine team to learn practical techniques to overcome emotional eating and build a healthier foundation for coping with challenges.

Self Care: We'll start this session with a demo of various poses that can aid in dealing with difficult emotions. Health and wellness coach Lydia Skiljan will share the importance of self-care and give practical tips to help reduce your body's response to stress.

Monday, July 19, 6:30 pm

Raptor Encounters

Using the power of live Ohio hawks, owls, falcons and vultures, this program engages the audience into the lives of raptors. Attendees learn the natural history of these birds and their survival stories. They are engaged in connecting with conservation issues and become empowered to act and give back through personal stewardship.

Wednesday, July 21, 6 pm

Momma's "Me Time" Book

Club

This book club encourages Moms to seek out "me-time" to read and discuss the book, *The Sanatorium* by Sarah Pearse with other Moms. Meetings will be once a month on Wednesday nights on Zoom.

Wednesday, July 21, 6:30 pm

Children's Ocean Animal Story & Craft via Zoom

Enjoy Thursday afternoons listening to a story about an ocean animal and then making a craft about that animal! This is being held

weekly for four weeks on Zoom!

Thursdays, July 22-August 12

3 pm

Goldilocks: Choose-Your-Own Adventure

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Mentor Window Earns Yet Another Angie's List Super Service Award - 9 Years Straight!

Mentor Window has earned the home improvement industry's coveted Angie's List Super Service Award for the 9th year in a row. This award reflects exemplary years of service provided to customers throughout Northeast Ohio, along with honest, fair prices.

Headlands BeachFest Returns!

After a 2-year hiatus, Headlands BeachFest returns to Headlands Beach State Park on Saturday, July 17, 2021 from 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM. The "ultimate beach party" features all-day entertainment, hands-on activities, food trucks, arts and crafts vendors, and is highlighted by the Ohio Master Sand Sculpting Competition.

First held in 2014, BeachFest attracts upwards of 15,000 visitors annually from across Northeast Ohio as well as surrounding states. The event was canceled in 2019 as a result of historically high Lake Erie water levels and in 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

This year's Ohio Master Sand Sculpting Competition will feature three world champion sand sculptors who will build their larger-than-life creations over three days. Work will begin on Thursday, July 15th and will be completed sometime during the afternoon of the event when BeachFest attendees will have the opportunity to vote for and crown the winner of this year's competition.

And, kids of all ages will also have plenty of opportunity to get their hands dirty as well by competing in the Family Sandcastle Building Contest.

Music will be provided by DJ Stray. Other entertainment includes the Jasmine Dragons acrobatic show and Bubble Magic.

Nearly a dozen food trucks will be on hand offering everything from wood-fired pizza to kettle corn. Arts and crafts vendors will be selling a variety of beach-themed items.

Headlands BeachFest is presented by LakeHealth and sponsored by Meijer, Mutsko Insurance, CT Consultants, Mimi Vanderhaven, and Remarkable Lake County.

Headlands Beach State Park is located at 9601 Headlands Road. Admission and parking to this event are free.

Learn more at www.headlandsbeachfest.com.

Steve Douglas the owner of Mentor Window was asked about how they continue having such success in the home improvement industry. "We have crews that have been with us for decades, and we are very particular about the installers we hire. We won't just hire anyone to catch up if we are backed up a bit, quality is at the top of our list when it comes to workmanship. When it comes to pricing, we are straight forward with people, they don't want to hear any buy 1 get 1 free nonsense. They want a fair,

honest price up front without all the gimmicks you see out there in advertising. We treat each and every one of our customers like family."

"Only about 5% of the Home Improvement companies in Northeast Ohio have performed consistently well enough to earn our Super Service Award," said Angie (founder of Angie's List.) "It's a really high standard."

Angie's List Super Service Award 2020 winners have met strict eligibility requirements, which include an "A" rating in

overall grade, recent grade, and review grade period; the company must be in good standing with Angie's List, pass a background check and abide by Angie's List operational guidelines.

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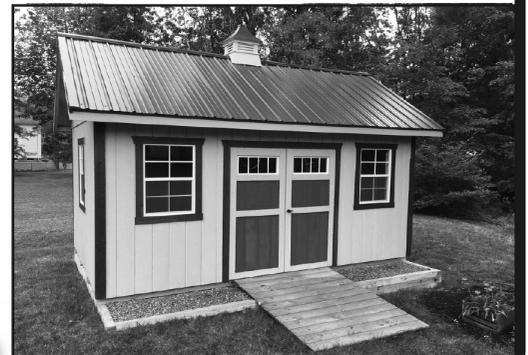
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