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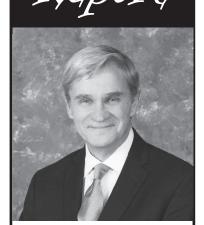
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Mayor's Report



Robert
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Mayor/Safety Director

With the continued rollout of the COVID-19 vaccines, we are encouraged that we may begin to return to normalcy over the summer. With the approaching warmer weather, we'd like to provide a few updates and reminders.

Yard waste pick-up began as of April 1st. Pick up will be the same day as your trash collection and yard waste needs to be in brown, 50lb kraft bags or a container marked "Yard Waste". Items such as branches can be bundled in 4-foot lengths but should not exceed 30lbs.

Also, with the beginning of our lawn maintenance season, please remember not to blow grass clippings into the street. These clipping can find their way into our storm sewers, possibly causing sewer backups. Those living near steep slopes, usually along the river, are asked not to throw clippings over the edges as this may cause erosion. Disposing of grass clippings along public rights-

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Willoughby Parks & Recreation: Upcoming Events

Osborne Park Pool Opens Memorial Day Weekend, Register for Upcoming Camps & Classes

Willoughby Pools

We are happy to announce that we will be opening one and possibly both Willoughby Pools this summer. On Memorial Day Weekend, we will be opening Osborne Park Pool for recreational swimming. Due to a current lack of lifeguards, we cannot open the Euclid Ave pool for recreation swimming at that time. However, we plan to use the Municipal Pool on Euclid Ave. as a training facility to train enough new staff to open Euclid Ave for recreational swimming by mid to late June.

Pool Staff Wanted

Lifeguards ages 15 and up are needed to work at Willoughby Pools. Also, Cashier/Slide Attendants are also needed and must be 16 years old or older. Go to willoughbyohio.com/employment/to download a seasonal application, complete and return it to Willoughby Parks and Recreation in City Hall.

Summer Day Camp

Day camp will be offered for children ages 6-12 from June 1 – August 13 Registration information

will be posted on the city's website under Parks and Recreation.

Mini Munchkin Camp

This camp is for children age 4-6 with weekly themed activities, including story time, arts and crafts, songs, and special surprise visits. Camp sessions run on Tuesdays and Thursdays from June 8 to July 29. Class times are 9:30 – 11:30 am or 12:30 – 2:30 pm. Registration information will be posted on the city's website under Parks and Recreation.

Earth Day Logo Contest

Show off your artistic abilities by creating a piece of art to celebrate Earth Day. Submissions / Artwork should be submitted on an 8 1/2 x 11" sheet of paper. The submission deadline is April 16 to the Willoughby Parks & Recreation office located in Willoughby City Hall. The contest is open to all ages.

Safe At Home

Safe at Home by Safe Sitter® is an introductory program to prepare students to care for themselves, assess and respond to injuries and illnesses when parents are away for short periods of time. The program is for Grades 4 through 6. Upcoming Class: 04/24/2021 | Sat 8:30am-10:00am

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Upcoming Programs:

-Willoughby Hoops (grades 1-2) and **Little Hoops** (ages 4-6):

Friday evenings 04/16/2021 to 05/21/2021: Instructional Basketball Program is held on the city's court in the Union Village Field House.

-Willoughby Hummingbird Soccer (ages 3-4 & 5-6): Thursday evenings 04/15/2021 to 05/20/2021: Instructional Soccer program will be held at Daniels Park.

To register for any of these programs, go to willoughbyohio. activityreg.com

Or call Willoughby Parks and Recreation at (440) 953-4200.

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The Market is Coming! The Market is Coming!

By Maureen Gregory

"April showers bring May flowers" is a favorite saying this time of year. It provides the anticipation of something wonderful to come. Well, something else wonderful is coming in May – the Willoughby Outdoor Market! I am happy to report that the Market will be open for business in 2021 on Saturday, May 1st from 8 a.m. until 12 noon.

The Market will be welcoming back many of your favorite vendors and some new vendors, as well. If you want fresh, local produce, baked goods, mushrooms, pickles, meat, coffee, honey and maple syrup, then join your neighbors and friends for a

community shopping experience. The Market also caters to customers looking for healthy pet treats, plants, hand-made greeting cards, seasonings, jewelry, crafts and self-care products. You never know what you will find at the Market each week.

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 One Public Square, more commonly known as City Hall

parking lot. You can learn more about HOW on their web-site at heartofwilloughby.com and on Facebook at Heart of Willoughby and Willoughby Outdoor Market.

Due to COVID health guidelines, the Lake County Health Department requires anyone ten years or older to wear a mask while in public. Please maintain a six-foot distance between others and do not congregate in groups larger than ten people. As much as HOW appreciates your attendance and support, if you are not feeling well, please stay home for everyone's safety.

Start the Spring season off on the path to fresh and local, and come see what the Willoughby Outdoor Market has to offer! Event held at: Willoughby Service Garage 37400 N. Industrial Parkway

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Pick It Up Willoughby is a new city cleanup initiative created by The Bar Athletics in collaboration with The Heart of Willoughby, Willoughby Arts Collaborative, Willoughby Clean City and City of Willoughby.

Downtown Willoughby is a

beloved part of our community, and it needs our help to look its best!

The cleanup will kick off on Saturday, April 17th, at 10 am. Participants should meet in The Bar Athletics parking lot located at 38016 Euclid Ave.

From there, groups will head out

in teams to pick up trash and debris in the DTW area. When folks have worked up an appetite, they can grab a bite at Willoughby's own Fungry Food Truck which will be parked nearby.

Anyone who has some extra energy can join in an all-levels community workout hosted by The Bar (details TBA). Anyone who lives, works, or plays in the area is invited to take part in the event.

The Bar Athletics and their partners want to encourage people to take an active role in maintaining and improving our community and hope it inspires them to take this initiative into other local neighborhoods.

For more information, visit TheBarAthletics.com or collaborating organizations' Facebook pages and click on upcoming events.

Mayor

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of-ways or utility easements is also not permitted.

As we venture outside with our pets, please remember that dogs must be on a leash at all times, and don't forget to pick-up after

We are happy to announce the long-awaited repaving of Lakeshore Boulevard will begin in July and the repaving of Route 84 starts in early April. Both of these road improvements are ODOT sponsored, and please check our website for any traffic and project updates.



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The Downtown Farmers Market begins on May 1st and is held each Saturday from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm through October. This market is sponsored by The Heart of Willoughby. The Lakefront Market and Flea, sponsored by the Willoughby Lakefront Business Association, is scheduled to begin in June and is held each Wednesday from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm through September.

With the guidance provided by the State and the Lake County General Health District, we are planning our traditional summer events and activities. We are also making plans to open one and possibly both pools this summer. Over Memorial Day weekend, we will open Osborne Park Pool for recreational swimming. The Euclid Avenue Pool will not open to the public immediately due to the severe shortage of lifeguards.

We will use this pool as a training site for lifeguards with the hope to open the Euclid Avenue Pool by late June.

The city has a formal process for solicitor permits. The process includes an application and background check for anyone applying for a permit. It also requires a city-issued photo ID to be worn outside of his/her clothing and be visible at all times. A list of approved permits and details of the permit process is available on the city's website. We encourage our residents to notify the Willoughby Police Department to report anyone not wearing the city-issued identification.

Finally, we hope the better weather and continuing good news about the pandemic will bring us back together to enjoy the great summertime activities our city offers.



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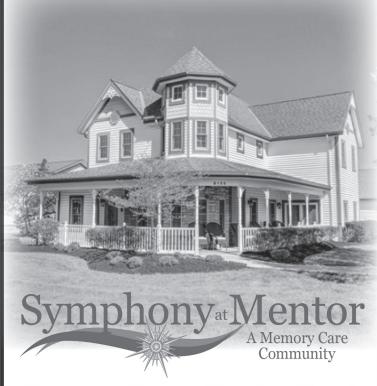
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Flexible class options attended Lakeland, whether it was last year or 10 years ago, they may contact the student service center at 440-525-7050 sscenter@lakelandcc.edu to see how to start back up in college where they left off.

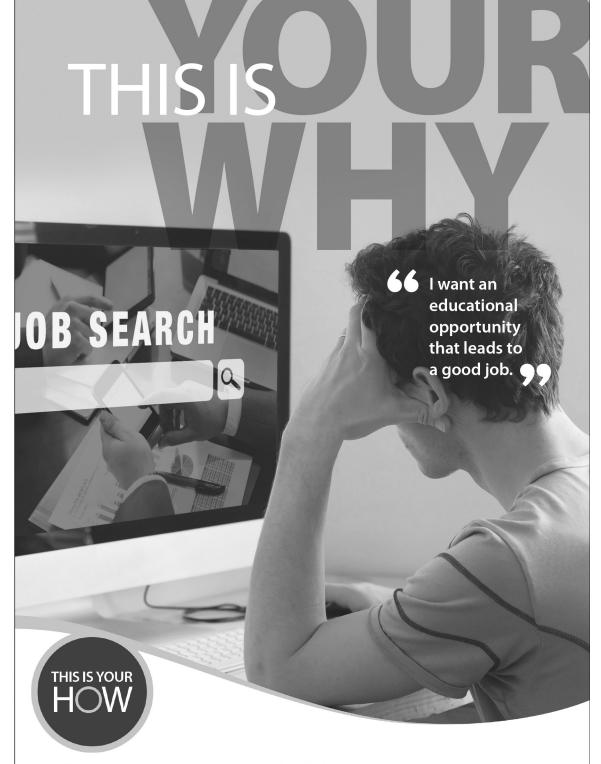
> Summer registration is now open. Applications are being accepted for both summer and fall, and for a limited time the application fee is being waived. Visit lakelandcc.edu/apply. The last day to apply for fall semester is Aug. 13.

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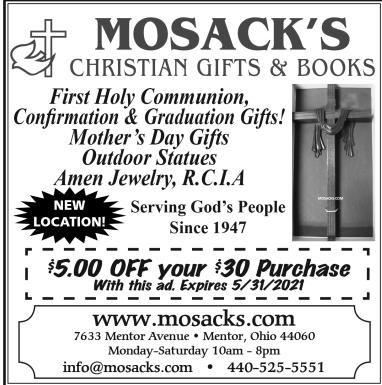
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Bankruptcy 10

Question: What is your credit score and why do the lenders make such a big deal about it? How will it affect me in these times?

Answer: Back in the 1950's a company called the Fair Isaac Corp. (FICO) developed a formula which was marketed as a way for lenders to realistically evaluate their risk with regard to lending to a specific person. FICO assigned mathematical quantities to patterns of behavior (like how often one pays late, whether they have unsatisfied legal judgments, etc.) and computes those quantities into a numerical risk factor which is known as our "credit rating."

You are Not Your Credit Score FICO sells people's credit ratings to lenders based on their FICO formula which is a trade secret and legally protected.

There are other companies like FICO which have come up with their own secret form of credit rating which they also sell to credit reporting agencies such as Equifax, Transunion, and TRW. In my mind, these companies' secrecy causes me to question their integrity and the efficacy of their formulas. FICO should willingly disclose the science their mathematical behind formula so it can be challenged and discussed. It only seems fair that a rating factor which affects so many people's lives, whether it be for getting credit, a job, security clearance or the trust of another person, should be

open to investigation. How do we really know its not complete voodoo?

There is a widely held belief that FICO and the entire individual credit rating system was developed by the elite to keep the middle class in their place. "Their place" is presumably in a constant state of fear over their financial rating willing to pay the banks any interest rate or penalty without question.

In our bankruptcy practice, we spend a large portion of our time helping people get back on financial track. I see people regularly who enter my office

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in a state of hopelessness and are healthy, happy, laughing and spirited six months down the line. Bankruptcy stays on your credit for ten years. But my response to that is "So what?" Anybody who really wants to get credit and buy another house can do it in three vears or better. Even with a very low credit rating. They will have to be creative nowadays. But that is a topic for a different day. So, the focus should not be on your credit rating, but on your ability to pay back a specific amount of a loan within a specific period of time. I tell our bankruptcy clients: "yes, try to get a loan you can afford as soon as possible and pay it back early.

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The sale will be held outdoors and masks are required.

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3. Stay Ahead of Changes in Water Quality

For people living in rural areas, where groundwater is pumped from a private well, it is important to understand that the quality of your water will change over time.

The water treatment solution installed several years ago may not be the right setup for what is in your water today. That is one reason why you need to have well water tested on a yearly basis.

A water softener is meant remove hard minerals, specifically, calcium magnesium. However, there are other elements and contaminants dissolved in groundwater, which may require additional filtration or the application of specialized water treatment media.

For example, high iron can be a common water problem in rural homes, causing unsightly staining

for homeowners (also available and a metallic taste. Sulfur in your water may cause an unpleasant rotten egg smell. Both issues often require additional treatment beyond a basic water softener to improve the water's quality.

Some people take the <u>DIY</u> approach to installing water treatment. That could be a mistake because residential water treatment involves more than hooking up water lines. Every home's water quality is different and customized solutions are needed for the desired results.

Emerging Address **Contamination Concerns**

While not much about municipal water quality has changed over the years, people are starting to open their eyes to the ways in-home treatment can solve problems and give families peace of mind.

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The participating bars in Downtown Willoughby will be announced closer to the event date. In 2019, over a dozen bars participated and over 800 attendees joined LHS for this great event and helped raise over \$30,000 for the homeless animals in their care.

Admission is \$30 in advance and \$35 the day of the event at the door. Your admission includes a t-shirt, drink koozie, face mask, and various featured menus at participating bars. Only 800 tickets available. Must be 21+ to attend. All COVID-19 policies and procedures in place at the time of the event must be followed by all attendees.

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Laketran Offering Free Transportation to Get Vaccine at CSU Vaccination Site & Local Appointments

Laketran is providing free, accessible transportation to any resident in need of a ride to a COVID-19 vaccination appointment in Lake County or to the mass vaccination site at the Cleveland State University Wolstein Center that operates

through early May.

"Our job is to give residents access to what they need," shared Laketran CEO Ben Capelle. "Transit is a means to make sure there is equal access for everyone to be vaccinated, or really to get anywhere, and we're happy to

do our role in making sure all residents can get to a vaccination site."

Appointments in Lake County

Lake County residents can use Laketran's local route buses or door-to-door Dial-a-Ride service.

For Laketran's door-to-door Diala-Ride service, customers must schedule a reservation by calling 440-354-6100. Reservations for Dial-a-Ride can be made a minimum of one day in advance and up to 12 days prior to an appointment.

If a vaccination appointment is at a drive-thru site, Laketran customers will remain on the bus for the entire trip. Laketran will transport residents through the entire vaccine process and return them home safely.

Residents who prefer to take Laketran's Local Routes 1-9 can call Laketran Customer Service at 440-354-6100 and request four bus passes be added to their EZfare account or mailed to them.

Appointments at **CSU** Wolstein Center vaccination

Laketran is providing free transportation to Cleveland State University's Wolstein Center mass vaccination distribution Monday-Friday between 8:15 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. from Laketran's new Frank J. Polivka Transit Center at Lakeland Community College starting on Wednesday, March 17. The last daily shuttle departure to

Laketran Local Routes 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, and 9 can get you to the Laketran Transit Center at Lakeland Community College. From there, you can take our special Vaccination Shuttle service to Cleveland. Shuttle service will depart every 30 minutes from 8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Free parking is available at the Transit Center, located at 7601 Clocktower Drive, Kirtland, OH 44094.

Once you arrive in Cleveland, Laketran will layover at RTA's Stephanie Tubbs Jones Transit Center that is located next to the vaccination site. From the Transit Center, you will cross E.21st Street to the CSU Wolstein

A detailed Vaccination Shuttle schedule and map is available at Laketran's website.

Laketran plans to operate the special shuttle service throughout the duration of the eight-week vaccination program. This service is being provided free of charge, supported by the ODOT Rides for Community Immunity program and FEMA.

Lake County Genealogical Society Meeting - April 29th

The Lake County Genealogical the Zoom presentation. You can Society (LCGS) meeting will be held on April 29 from 10:00 am to noon. The LCGS has been meeting on Zoom due to Covid-19.

Please join us to hear our speaker Annette Lyttle talk about, "Our Quaker Ancestors: Their History and the Records They Left." Visit our web site at www.lcgsohio.org to find the email address so you can email us for an invitation to

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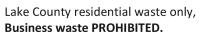
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APRIL 21 | 10 A.M. | MENTOR PARK-N-RIDE | 8650 MARKET ST.

APRIL 22 | 10 A.M. | CONCORD COMMUNITY CENTER | 7671 AUBURN RD.

APRIL 27 | 10 A.M. | LAKELAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE | 7700 CLOCKTOWER DR.

APRIL 29 | 10 A.M. | MENTOR PARK-N-RIDE | 8650 MARKET ST.

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Homecare Program for Lake County Seniors Seniors living in Lake County significantly improve a senior's Services Levy and is administered to address future needs as they

who need assistance with personal care, bathing, meal prep, light housecleaning, laundry and other essential tasks have an option for assistance if they meet eligibility requirements. The non-medical program, administered through the Lake County Council on Aging, currently has several openings available for seniors, 60 and over. Non-medical

ability to maintain independence and allow them to continue to live in the comfort and security of their own home. This program is designed to provide support to Lake County seniors who are not eligible for traditional Medicaid based programs but cannot afford to pay privately for the care they need. The program is funded through the Lake County Senior at no cost to eligible seniors.

"The collaboration between the social workers at the Council on Aging and the home care agencies offers a unique support system for seniors aging in place and their families," said Danielle Phillips, Program Manager. "It not only gives families peace of mind that immediate needs are being met, it also provides a system prepared

By 2030, one in three individuals residing in Lake County will be 60 years of age or older. This program is just one of several programs put in place by the Board of Lake County Commissioners in their continued effort to position the county to handle the increasing senior population.

Participants must meet income

verification guidelines and have an assessment completed by a social worker from the Council on Aging. The Council on Aging has contracted with three local home care agencies that provide handson care and support to seniors enrolled in the program. Eligible seniors are assigned to a home care agency promptly after the social work visit.

For more information on the program, eligibility requirements and program availability, please call the Lake County Council on Aging at (440) 205-8111.

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also looking for someone who is great with customers and knows enough about home remodeling to add to our Office Staff.

Monthly Upkeep received a surge throughout the pandemic and is growing 20% month over month. They need Willoughby's help and support to continue to service more customers in our community.

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is one of a series of steps that experts say could provide access to health plans for millions of uninsured Americans.

In addition, the recently passed coronavirus relief plan contains a number of provisions to make coverage more affordable. Most people who are insured through the ACA will receive additional premium subsidies under the new law. That is because Congress is changing the way subsidies are calculated and are lowering — across the board — how much consumers are expected to pay, based on their annual income. An example provided by a Kaiser Family Foundation analysis indicates premiums would drop by around 50% to 80% depending on the plan for a 60-year-old with a \$55,000 income. The people who will benefit the most are those who make just over the poverty level because their premium costs according to several estimates.

According to estimates by the Kaiser Family Foundation, approximately 2 to 3 million workers lost employee-based health plans between March and September 2020. Even before the pandemic, roughly 30 million Americans were without coverage. Unfortunately, many who could best use this type of insurance were not familiar with the enrollment process, did not know they qualified for subsidies, or missed the deadline in December to enroll. The additional Open Enrollment period gives them an opportunity to get health care coverage for themselves and their families.

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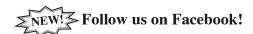
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Mentor Window Earns Yet Another Angie's List Super Service Award - 9 Years Straight!

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

"A Musical Montage" Presented by The Women's Committee of the Fine Arts Association

The Women's Committee of the Fine Arts Association will hold their May luncheon at the Kirtland Country Club, 39438 Kirtland Road, Willoughby on May 12.

The program will be "A Musical Montage" featuring Joe Fried on the clarinet and Nina Fried at the piano.

The menu is chicken, mushroom and spinach crepes; frosted grapes; fresh fruit; mixed greens salad; melba toast, dinner rolls, and sticky buns. Creme brulee and macaroons are the dessert.

Reservations are required no later than May 7 by email: anthonyjanem@yahoo.com or phone: 440-579-5020. The cost is \$40.00 per person payable at the door in cash or by check. Valet parking will begin at 11:00 a.m., lunch at 11:30 with program to follow.

Covid protocols will be adhered to (please wear a mask).

The Women's Committee is an independent auxiliary whose mission is to support and promote The Fine Arts Association in the appreciation of the creative arts of music, dance, art and drama

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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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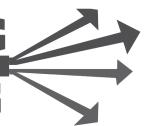
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Virtual Library Programs for Families Upcoming

During the month of April Zoom link for the next day. At 2021, the following free programs will be offered VIRTUALLY 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.

All programs are via Zoom or YouTube. You must register to receive the link! Visit the Events Calendar at www.we247.org or call your library to register.

Take and Make Art Club **Kits for Teens and Adults**

Willoughby Library will have a variety of Take and Make crafts for teens and adults available during the month of April. Call the Library at 440-942-3200 to find out what we've got and schedule a pickup!

Avoiding Landscape **Mistakes**

This master gardener class will give you many conditions to consider, including analyzing soil, location, light and purpose. How to start, garden fads, water and mulching will be discussed. Tuesday, April 6, 6:30 pm

"Bee"-tween the Lines: Bee People and the Bugs they Love, with Frank Mortimer

Frank Mortimer will read from and discuss his new book Bee People and the Bugs they Love!

Frank is an adjunct instructor at the Cornell University Master Beekeeping Program, President of the New Jersey State Beekeepers Association, and a Certified Master Beekeeper. In addition to Bee People and the Bugs They Love, Frank has written multiple articles featured in the widely circulated Bee Culture Magazine. As president of the Northeast NJ Beekeepers Association—a position he has held since 2011—he has: significantly grown his club's membership, aligned the Northeast NJ Beekeepers with Ramapo College, and founded the "Honey Cup," an annual honey tasting competition.

Thursday, April 8, 6:30 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 vou a video about what the theme is and an example of something she has been working on, as well as the

2 pm on Saturday, you'll be able to join a Zoom call and show off your amazing creation. Be sure to have a name for the creation and a little story that explains it. Saturday, April 10, 2 pm

Tammy's Rose Gardening

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

Monday, April 12: Spring Rose Garden Cleanup

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, April 13, 6:30 pm

Miss Sam & Sarah's S.T.E.A.M. Spotlight

Follow along with Miss Sam & Miss Sarah as they take you through the steps of a fun activity highlighting concepts from Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math! (Registrants will be informed of necessary supplies in advance of this LIVE demonstration).

Wednesday, April 14 3:30 pm

Clean, Protect, & Speed Up **Your Mac Computer**

Mac expert Chris Woodman will showcase how to use the app CleanMyMac. You will learn how to clean gigabytes of junk, protect from malicious software, and increase the performance of your Mac.

Wednesday, April 14 6:30-7:30 pm

Make a Macrame Hanging (Teens)

Macrame a small wall hanging. We will supply the macramé cord and wood dowel. Please pick up all supplies at Willoughby Hills Library. Limit 6 per class.

Thursday, April 15 5:30-7:30 pm

Between the Lines Author **Series: Lisa Scottoline**

Lisa Scottoline will visit the library as part of our Between the Lines author series to discuss her new novel ETERNAL! Over the course of her stellar and prolific career, #1 bestselling author Lisa Scottoline has sold over 30 million copies of her pageturning thrillers and beloved humorous essays. Her novels have always explored themes of family, justice and love and her masterpiece, ETERNAL is the culmination of a lifetime of work: a sweeping historical epic fueled by devastating true events. Named for Rome, the Eternal City, this moving novel lifted from the pages of history is the book that Scottoline was born to write. It will be forever etched in the hearts and minds of readers, as will the powerful truth it asserts-what war destroys, only love can heal.

Thursday, April 15, 6:30-8 pm

Dryer Lint Art (Zoom Family Program)

Save your dryer lint and join us in creating unique, Earthfriendly works of art!

Tuesday, April 20 6:30 pm

Homeschool Travelers

Take a trip around the world without leaving your house! Each month features a different location, complete with facts & fun activities!

Wednesday, April 21, 2 pm

Take a Minute to Save the Planet: Quick and Easy Solutions for First World **Problems with Tips for Living** Life Aware.

Join Annie Warmke, a pioneer in the sustainability movement, to learn how she has created a life filled with taking a minute to save the planet. She started by building an Earthship, a home made from re-used, and recycled materials. Annie is also a goat herder, cheese maker and writer. Her body of work includes founding rural battered women's shelters, Blue Rock Station Green Living Center, Women Grow Ohio and Buffalo Gals Voices. Annie currently serves as a consultant to Women in Farming and Agriculture Network, Simply Living and is a mentor for Farm Animal Concern Trust. When the Biomass Hits the Wind Turbine is a weekly podcast she co-hosts with her husband Jay.

information For more www.bluerockstation. visit com or @bluerockstation or #bluerockstation

Thursday, April 22, 7 pm

Virtual Cooking Class for Kids!

Kids ages 5 and up can join

us for a virtual cooking class with Jennifer Thornton of Buttercream and Olive Oil. Jennifer will walk us through baking a Chocolate Cream Pie. Ingredient's list will be sent a week before the program. Feel free to bake along!

Saturday, April 24 2:30 pm

Craft Along: String Art (Adult)

We will make a delightful summer themed String Art decoration. We will go explore the techniques of String Art on Zoom. Kits may be picked up at the Eastlake Library the week before the program. String, nails, plaque, and template provided. Participants will need to provide their own hammer.

Monday April 26 6:30 pm

Delicious Discussions Book Club

Order takeout or delivery from your favorite downtown Willoughby restaurant, fire up your laptop or smartphone, and join us for good eats, great reads, and friendly conversation. Call Willoughby Library at 440-942-3200 to pick up this month's book ahead of the meeting.

Monday, April 26 7 pm

Bedtime Storytime

Put on your PJs, grab a blanket and snuggle with your family as we prepare for bed. We will read stories, sing songs and unwind through simple calming activities.

Thursday, April 29, 7 pm



The Osborne Park Market & Flea Returns Each Wednesday from June - September

By: Kathie Pinkerman

The Osborne Park Market & Flea will be at Osborne Park in Willoughby again this year, rain or shine.

We look forward to another great year. The "Trendy" Pop-up Shop vendors will be joining us along with a variety of vendors and local produce who will have something for everyone.

The Market & Flea runs June through September, every Wednesday from 4 -8pm. There are some new changes that will take place

this year. You can download an application from our Facebook page, Willoughby Lakefront Business Association.

If you are interested in selling at the market, you will need the following:

1. An application must be

www.embersinc.com

filled out (completely) before entering the market.

- 2. There will be a donation of \$5.00 payable at the gate per week (with the exception of the classic cars.)
- 3. Set up times start at 2pmno earlier, no exceptions.
- 4. All vendors must have tables.
- 5. If you are a direct sales, please check with the market administrator before the event, only one of each will be allowed. You can contact Deb or Monica at trendypopupshop@ gmail.com to make sure of no duplicates.
- 6. We ask that you have a tent, (not mandatory for this year, but will be for the future market.)
- 7. There will be no cars allowed to enter after the market starts at 4pm.
- 8. All vendors must stay until the end of the market at 8pm.
- 9. You must have a mask and hand sanitizer at your table.
- 10. All vehicles will be assigned a spot when entering. 11. You must leave your spot

clean of litter. We look forward to the return

of DJ STRAY from All About You Entertainment Inc., who supplies us with music.

There will be a variety of food vendors to satisfy your hunger cravings.

We are always looking for artists, crafters, bakers and food trucks, and this year we would like to add classic cars to the event.

If you have a classic car you would like to show off, please contact Kathie at (216) 224-0925 for more information.

Last year we had whopping 96 vendors!! We also want you to know that Osborne Park is a Dog Park, Willoughby's Recreation and Service Department has done an incredible job at making the city's parks an outstanding experience for everyone to enjoy.

Please remember to keep your dog on a leash and under control at all times. The Willoughby Lakefront Business Association will have a table with dog cookies, poop bags, and a water dish for our 4-legged friends.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the Market & Flea! Remember to shop and buy

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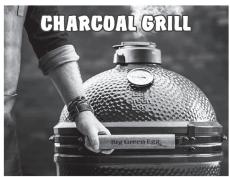
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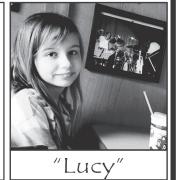
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Visit www.lcghd.org/WIC to see

if you qualify. The WIC application is available under "WIC" on the Ohio Department of Health website, www.odh.ohio.gov.

Lake-Geauga WIC are following all COVID-19 guidelines per the Ohio Department of Health. WIC has five locations in Lake and Geauga counties.

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