

CHAMBER FLASH



Creating opportunities that drive commerce and promote business.

August 7th, 2020

















Love What's Local

DOG DAYS OF SUMMER SALE

August 14 & 15

Participating Warrensburg Businesses

BUSINESSES - WANT TO PARTICIPATE?

Contact the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce at 660-747-3168 OR Warrensburg Main Street at 660-429-3988



The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce, Warrensburg Main Street, and the City of Warrensburg have partnered together to bring the Love What's Local Dog Days of Summer Sale to Warrensburg, previously known as Community Sidewalk Sale. This is the sixth year the three entities have worked together to enhance the local economy and provide a unique shopping experience to residents by organizing this fun weekend event. On Friday, August 14th and Saturday, August 15th a wide variety of businesses throughout the greater Warrensburg area will be participating in the event. Visit the Facebook Event for details!

Find the FLASH publication online at www.warrensburg.org/FLASH









>>> Upcoming Events <<<

** All events in Warrensburg unless otherwise stated

**Please practice social distancing and wear face

coverings at our events

Young Professionals Winery Social

Thursday, August 13th, 5:15 PM Arcadian Moon Winery 19203 Old Highway 40

Love What's Local Dog Days of Summer Sale

Friday, August 14 & Saturday, August 15

Virtual EnGAGE!

Mike Keith Insurance

Tuesday, September 1st, 9 AM Chamber Facebook Page

2020 Annual Awards

Thursday, September 6th, 6 PM Chamber Facebook Page

LWL Clean the Burg

Friday, September 11 & Saturday, September 12

Paint the Town Red

Deadline: 8 AM, Monday, September 14 Voting: 5 PM Monday—8 AM Friday

Ribbon Cutting

Meyer's Market—Warrensburg Location Tuesday, September 15th, 12 PM 202 N Holden Street

Chamber After Hours

Thursday, September 17th, 5:30 PM Location TBD

Chamber Golf Tournament

Friday, October 2nd, 7:30 AM Mules National Golf Club

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Upcoming Chamber Events









Business Owners—
Sign up for the Contest HERE!



Auditing Your

DRUG TREE WORKPLACE

Policy and Program

for Current Best Practices in Times of Change

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 9:00AM—12:00PM

https://mochamber.com/drug-free-workplace-chambers-only/



















EXOS Physical Therapy & Sports Medicine

The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony celebrating its member EXOS Physical Therapy on Wednesday, July 22nd. Guests arrived wearing face masks or were given a mask at the door. "EXOS Physical Therapy & Sports Medicine is formerly Boost Physical Therapy & Sports Performance. Exos has 10 clinics in the Kansas City area with Warrensburg being our first Exos clinic since the acquisition. We specialize in physical therapy and fitness/ wellness for all ages. Exos brings a new way to rehab to Warrensburg bridging the gap between injury and returning to sport and/or life's activities. With over 20 years of experience, we are excited about the opportunity to provide our services to Warrensburg and the surrounding communities."

Anchoring the ribbon in the photo above are Warrensburg Mayor Bryan Jacobs and Chamber Board of Directors Chair Dustin Fritsch as EXOS Director of Therapy Ryan Johnson prepares to cut the ribbon alongside Physical Therapist Tyler Wasmer and Office Administrator Christina Gensch. For more information on EXOS, visit their website at: www.teamexos.com.



Ribbon Cutting New Member



Black Water Barber Co, LLC

660-362-0392

www.blackwaterbarberco.com 111 N Holden Street, Warrensburg

"Blackwater Barber Co is located in the heart of downtown Warrensburg offering traditional haircut and shaving services in a modern atmosphere. A unique and unrivaled experience that will have men looking and feeling their absolute best.

Appointments suggested but walk ins are welcome. Book online today at www.blackwaterbarberco.com or call 660.362.0392."

Anniversaries



Happy FIRST YEAR in **Business to Central** Nutrition!



Happy FIRST YEAR in **Business to Aflac** District Office!

















COVID-19 Related Content



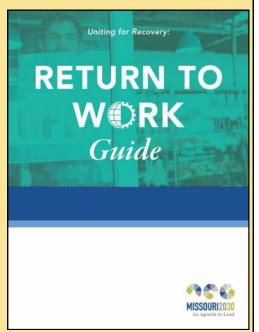
Johnson County Community Health Services large decals for your floor or wall are available at our office stop by and pick yours up!





Is your organization looking for some signage regarding COVID-19? Check out this page for FREE printable resources HERE.

Missouri businesses have played a critical role in the effort to stop the spread of COVID-19. As local and statewide restrictions were put into place, many employers drastically altered their operations with some closing their doors completely. As the response continues, many employers across the state are working to develop strategies to enable them to reopen when the threat subsides. Based on the best practices, the Missouri Chamber of



Commerce and Industry is providing the following guidelines and suggestions to assist businesses in their efforts to create safe workplaces for their employees and customers. Find the Guide HERE.



As the Missouri SBDC, we know the many challenges that small business owners, like you, are facing due to the impact of COVID-19. We have seen you rise up to these challenges and be resilient because you care for your business, your families, your employees, and your community.

We created this workbook as a way to provide helpful information as you reopen your business. There are posters you can print to hang in your business, as well as checklists to guide you along the way.

Find the Guide HERE.

















Drug Free Sport INTERNAT<u>IONAL</u>™



COVID-19 TESTING SERVICES

GETTING YOU BACK TO WORK

Drug Free Sport International (DFSI) is the premier provider of drug-use prevention services for athletic organizations, providing anti-doping solutions for the elite amateur and professional sports organizations across the country. With the emergence of the COVID-19 pandemic, DFSI is offering client services related to COVID-19 testing as an essential element in business plans to get employees back to work. DFSI partners with accredited laboratories that provide the latest testing technologies, including dried blood analysis for the three COVID antibodies and saliva testing for the active virus. DFSI also provides testing kits and specializes in coordinating sample collections on site. As an expert in third-party testing administration with a national collection network, DFSI is prepared to meet your COVID-19 testing needs.

TESTING OPTIONS

COVID-19 Antibody Test

A lab-developed dried blood spot (DBS) finger stick test for asymptomatic or symptomatic populations that is administered by DFSI collection personnel or your own staff and shipped to the lab for analysis. The lab analysis can identify all three antibodies (IgA, IgM and IgG). The DBS results will note the presence, or lack of, COVID-19 antibodies in the individual.

COVID-19 Viral Test

Saliva tests for asymptomatic or symptomatic populations that detect three gene transcripts specific to the COVID-19 virus. Presence of the virus is detectable within two days of infection and up to 28 days after infection.

All samples are processed by an accredited laboratory.

FOUR STEPS TO RESULTS





Drug Free Sport International is ISO 9001 Certified

Call for more information
R. Curtis Mullen, 816,719,0929



Drug Free Sport International encourages everyday preventive measures to help limit the spread of COVID-19. We have made modifications to all our collection processes, including the use of PPE where appropriate. Additionally, we recommend Sample Collection Personnel follow public health and safety guidance provided by local authorities, the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

















FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



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Kerri.lewis@lpha.mo.gov

Face Covering Order Amended and Extended

WARRENSBURG, Mo. (July 23, 2020) – To slow the spread of COVID-19, and slow the influx of cases Johnson County is seeing, the Johnson County Community Health Services Board of Trustees has extended the current Face Covering Order through 11:59 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 21, 2020. This order may be rescinded or extended based on the close monitoring of future cases.

In addition, the order has been amended to offer more clarification.

Under this order, everyone age five and older within Johnson County, are required to wear a face covering when in public spaces as is possible. This includes any outdoor activities when social distancing cannot be maintained.

School districts can determine the best alternatives when face coverings are not a viable option. This includes providing social distancing and opportunities for frequent hand washing. Best practice recommendations are that individuals should wear face coverings in public settings when around people outside of their household, especially when social distancing measures are difficult to maintain. Face coverings may help prevent individuals who have COVID-19 from spreading the virus to others, and are most likely to reduce the spread of COVID-19 when they are widely used by individuals in public settings. A face covering should not replace social distancing, but used as an additional layer of protection.

There are some exemptions for people who have a medical condition or disability that prevent them from wearing a mask. Exemptions are also made for anyone who is hearing impaired and when not wearing a face covering is essential to communication.

Additional clarification when masks are not required includes:

- While outdoors when able to maintain a distance of at least 6 feet from others.
- While exercising outdoors or when exercising indoors and able to maintain a 6-foot distance.
- When at home with only members of your household.
- When in your car/vehicle.
- When actively eating or drinking, or while seated and adequately spaced from others at a food establishment.
- When getting a service that requires the temporary removal of a mask, such as during a dental exam, facial, makeup application, etc. ...

READ MORE Official County Order



Missouri Department of Economic Development announces up to \$30 million in grant funds for small businesses

July 14, 2020 Jefferson City

The Missouri Department of Economic Development (DED) announced a new Small Business Grant Program that could provide up to \$30 million for Missouri small businesses. It was designed to provide relief to small businesses and family-owned farms for reimbursement of costs of business interruption caused by required closures due to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

"This virus isn't going away, and we have to protect both the lives and the livelihoods of Missouri workers, families and children," Department of Economic Development Director Rob Dixon said. "Thanks to today's action by the Governor we are not only reinvesting in our economy, but building up the success and safety of our state over the long term."

This program also factors in \$7.5 million for family-owned farms and family farm corporations. Those participating in the production of agricultural crops, livestock or livestock products, poultry or poultry products, dairy products, or horticulture products are eligible for this grant.

"We know that every segment of agriculture has felt the tremendous impact of COVID-19 and will for many years," Director of Agriculture Chris Chinn said. "We have continuously worked with Governor Parson and my colleagues across state government -- including DED and the General Assembly -- to provide support for the unmet needs of Missouri's family-owned farms and ranches."

Organizations eligible for this grant employ 50 or fewer employees, including the owner(s). Grant amounts are initially limited to \$50,000, and organizations applying must incur or have incurred costs due to COVID-19 between March 1, 2020 and November 15, 2020. Applications will consider industry, timely use of funds, and availability of funds.

DED will begin accepting applications for this grant on July 15, 2020. The department is focused on assisting the hardest hit industries including retail trade, accommodation, food service, and health care, in addition to family-owned farms. However, this grant is not limited to these industries.

For more information about this program and more, visit showmestrong.mo.gov.

















Community Info

Pawprints on our hearts

The story of Old Drum, man's best friend



Our favorite four-legged family member Old Drum is famous! We knew that already, but here's a friendly reminder! His story made the latest issue of Rural Missouri! VIEW HERE

Free Public WiFi
Expanded Outside
all Library Branches

WiFi name:
Trails Public







Looking for a rewarding yet challenging career? Child Safe of Central Missouri, Inc. is currently hiring for an Intake Coordinator / Internship & Volunteer Program Assistant. Under the supervision of the Executive Director and Program Manager, the Intake Coordinator is responsible for carrying out the purposes, policies, and programs of Child Safe of Central Missouri, Inc. as determined by the Board of Directors.

This position provides initial screening and coordination of all incoming referrals for services and will be the initial point of contact for families when they arrive at Child Safe for Forensic Services. In addition, this position will develop and maintain a strong internship and volunteer program to better ensure that the needs of the victims and their non-offending caregivers are being adequately met through Child Safe of Central Missouri services.

Child Safe of Central Missouri, Inc. is a child advocacy center serving 11 counties. This position requires a strong and caring person that can handle sensitive situations and maintain confidentiality and professionalism.

This position requires bachelor's in social services or related field. Salary is \$33,000-\$34,500. Benefits are offered and can be discussed. When applying for this position, you must include a Professional Cover Letter, Resume, and three references. This documentation must be included to be considered for this position. Please email all required documents to: masbury@childsafehouse.org

University of Central Missouri Job Openings:

Foundation Database Coordinator

Accountant II

Office Professional II























SKILL AND COMPASSION

Calling all community minded contractors interested in building ADA accessible wheelchair ramps.

We currently have 7 individuals needing access to their homes in Sedalia (2), Marshall (2), Calhoun, Leeton, and Deepwater.

CONTRACTORS MUST PROVIDE:

- A completed W9
- Proof of Insurance
 -\$ 1 million in
 liability
- -Workers' Comp or Affidavit of Exemption

RAMPS@W-ILS.ORG

Johnson County Household Hazardous Waste Collection

326 E North Street, Warrensburg

Look for the red building across from the Johnson County Road and Bridge Department.

2020 Collection Dates 9 a.m.—1 p.m.

. Saturday, April 18th

. Friday, May 15th



Friday, June 19th

- . Saturday, July 18th
- . Friday, August 14th
- . Friday, September 18th
- . Saturday, October 10th

Some Materials Not Accepted

Explosives, Ammunition, Tires, Latex Paint, Asbestos, Smoke Alarms, Radioactive Waste, Unlabeled Items, Medical Waste (human or animal).



For more information, please call 660-747-2666. For a detailed list of items accepted / not accepted, visit: www.jocoema.com/hhw

WE ARE COLLECTING face masks AND new thermometers FOR DISTRICT FAMILIES IN NEED OF THESE IMPORTANT ITEMS! IF YOU CAN DONATE, PLEASE DROP OFF AT THE

BRIGHT FUTURES BIN INSIDE F & C BANK, OR CONTACT

BRIGHT FUTURES AT:

(816) 345-0269

BRIGHTFUTURES@HOLDENSCHOOLS.ORG
AS ALWAYS, YOUR SUPPORT IS MUCH
APPRECIATED! THANK YOU!

Text **"WCOC"** to **797979** to receive

Text Reminders for Warrensburg Chamber

of Commerce Events.











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Shout Out (1)





"Our July Optimist Club of Warrensburg teen of the month was Warrensburg high school now senior Allison Adlich. She is the daughter of Angela and Phil and is an amazing young woman. She has won numerous awards for volunteering at church, for the American Red Cross, as well as many school activities. She has been on the volleyball, basketball, track, tennis, soccer teams has been a Science Olympiad., and FBLA the marching band, The Drumline as well as the yearbook staff but if that wasn't enough her most important of words are those that she has received has been being in Girl Scouts. Not only has she sold a lot of cookies but she has also organized diaper drives, assisted with a 5k, donated supplies and time to build a little Library. And one the highest achievement within the Girl Scouts of the USA the Gold Award for organizing and holding a spaghetti dinner and silent auction to raise money towards the purpose of a bullex fire extinguisher training for the Warrensburg Fire Department.. no wonder she was named the Scout of the year in 2019. We want to wish her a wonderful senior season and all the best with her future plans to seek a nomination to attend at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs and pursue a degree in aviation. Way to Go Allison."

- The Optimist Club of Warrensburg





"Introducing Post 131's new commander, Pete Zwally." - Matthews-Crawfod Post 131 Inc. **American Legion**

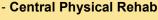


John Culp, '69 and '75, will receive the 2020 University of Central Missouri Distinguished Alumni Award for Service during Homecoming on Oct. 23. Coach Culp graduated from Central Missouri State College in 1969 with a teaching degree in physical education and a minor in health and driver's education. He was a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon and held several office positions. He then earned a master's in secondary administration in 1972 from CMSU. Culp taught and coached in many places including Pleasant Hill, Harrisonville, Raytown, Blue Springs and Warrensburg. He retired with 30 years of service to public education.

Learn more about our 2020 Distinguished Alumni and the upcoming awards dinner at https:// www.ucmfoundation.org/ucm-spirit-in-action/ucm-spirit-in -action awards



"Welcome our new therapist to the CPR team! Chris Lichte, DPT is now accepting patients and has a special interest in treating balance/vestibular disorders and concussions. He grew up in Warrensburg and is very excited to serve this community. #CPRfamily "























Respond to the 2020 Census today!

The 2020 Census has started, and it's your chance to shape the future for yourself, your family, and your community. Information collected in the census informs how billions of dollars in federal funding are distributed to states and communities each year.

You can respond online, by phone, or by mail. Regardless of how you choose to respond, your information will be kept confidential.

Visit 2020CENSUS.GOV to respond to the census today.

2020CENSUS.GOV

Shape your future START HERE >

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Census Takers will soon be visiting your home to collect your answers on the 2020 Census, if you have not already responded online. Did you lose your postcard with your PIN on it? Don't worry - you won't need that to fill out your Census online! Head to my2020census.gov to fill yours out today!

Most Recent Reports

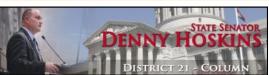


To view Congresswoman Vicky Hartzler's Congressional report, click HERE.

Latest Press Releases: **CLICK HERE**

More information from Vicky Hartzler:

CLICK HERE



To view State Senator Denny Hoskins's current capitol report, click HERE.

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To view State Representative Dan Houx's current capitol report, click HERE.



STATE REPRESENTATIVE **DEAN DOHRMAN** 51st District

To view State Representative Dean Dohrman's current capitol report, click HERE.



















Chamber Member Events





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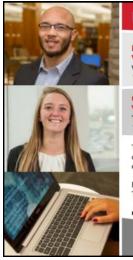
5th Annual Fundraising Gala

"HOW CAN I CONTRIBUTE?"

- Host a table with your friends & colleagues!
- Sponsor the event!
- · Buy an individual ticket!
- · Donate an item for our auction!

Contact us at mhackett@watchusrise.org for more info!





UCM FALL CAREER VIRTUAL EXPOS

Harmon College of Business & Professional Studies Virtual Career Expo

Wednesday, Sept. 09, 2020 1 - 4 p.m.

College of Health, Science & Technology Virtual Career Expo

Thursday, **Sept. 10, 2020** 1 - 4 p.m.

These events are for organizations seeking full-time and internship candidates. Graduate schools and other professional schools are also encouraged to attend.

Please register through your Handshake account.
To establish a new account, go to: ucmo.joinhandshake.com

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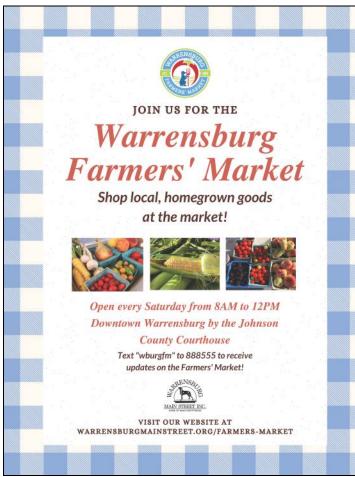














First Christian Church

101 E GAY Street , Warrensburg MO.

Invites You to Join Us for Outdoor V.B.S.

A Journey Through Faith

August 7th, 5-7 p.m.

& August 8th, 9-11 a.m.



FACE Masks

NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

PARENTAL SUPERVISION REQUIRED FOR CHILDREN UNDER AGE 12



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We will be practicing Safe Social Distancing!



































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MEDICAL CENTER
Warrensburg.org







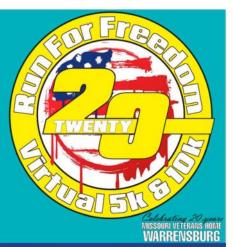
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To register, call (660)747-7178 or online at warrensburg-mo.com

The
Veterans
Assistance
League will
host its first
Virtual 5K
and 10K
Run for
Freedom
this fall to
benefit the
Missouri
Veterans
Home.



Enhance the lives of our Veterans by being a sponsor

*Gold Sponsorship: \$1,000 and above

- *Silver Sponsorship: \$500 to \$999
- *Bronze Sponsorship \$150 to \$499

Due to COVID-19, we have decided to host a Virtual 5K and 10K Run for Freedom. This means runners can participate in this event from their own community or state. We will not host the actual run on our campus.

Each runner will receive a t-shirt and a military bracelet. Your sponsorship will allow our Assistance League to purchase t-shirts for all of our veterans and continue to provide quality of life programs that are so vital to our veterans and their morale right now like bingo, happy hour, soft-served ice cream, special meals and more.

Gold Level Sponsorship of \$1,000 and above

- •Named as "Gold" Sponsor in press releases and advertising.
- •Name and LOGO in bold at the top of T-shirts given to participants.
 - •Named as "Gold" Sponsor on social media.

Silver Level Sponsorship of \$500 - \$999

- Named as "Silver" Sponsor in press releases and advertising.
- \bullet Name in bold near the top of T-shirts given to participants.
 - •Named as "Silver" Sponsor on social media.

Bronze Level Sponsorship of \$150 - \$499

- •Named as "Bronze" Sponsor in press releases and advertising.
 - •Name listed on T-shirts given to participants.
 - •Named as "Bronze" Sponsor on social media.

The deadline for sponsorship is Tuesday, Sept. 8. For more information, email Latisha. Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov or call 660-429-4661.

Warrensburg, MO 64093.

Checks may be made

payable to VAL and

sent Run for Freedom,

1300 Veterans Road,



to RUN for our Veterans

We invite YOU

Due to COVID-19, we are having to change things up and host our FIRST Virtual Run for Freedom 5K and 10K.

Register by Sept. 11 to receive a t-shirt, military bracelet and dog tag. https://register.chronotrack.com/r/58767

Record your time between Sept. 26 and Oct. 31 and send us pictures of you running or preparing for your race.

Our VETERANS will host a Virtual Awards ceremony on our Facebook page on Veterans Day.

Join us for Virtual Tai Chi classes

Ancient Chinese meditation exercise

Features slow, precise movements

Improves balance, mobility, strength and flexibility

Decreases pain

Helps prevent falls

Beginning a new session August 10, 2020

9 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
Virtual via Zoom
Classes are offered free

Contact Shery Fogle or Stacey Gilkeson at 800-748-7826 or register online at www.goaging.org

























Sign up today for Living a Healthy Life

9:30 a.m.-Noon

9/23/2020 through

Session Zero 9/23/2020

Online

Via

Zoom

Contact Shery Fogle or Stacey

by phone at 1-800-748-7826

9/23/2020 to receive workshop

Must attend Session Zero

www.goaging.org to register online

Wednesday

11/04/2020

To register:

Gilkeson

Living with a chronic condition such as diabetes, arthritis, heart disease, pain or anxiety can be a daily challenge. But it doesn't have to be. Sign up today!

Attend an "Intro to Online Programs" session, followed by a FREE 6-week online workshop and discover how to:



Make healthy food choices.



Increase physical activity and exercise safely.



Cope with pain and fatigue.



Communicate effectively with your health team.



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Develop action plans to improve your health and well-being.

Also great for caregivers!





This project was funded in part by an eward to the Missouri Association of Area Agencies on Aging (MA4 through prevention and Public Health Fund grant no. 30C555002 01:00 by the US Department of Neothsh and Human Services, Administration for Community Living 1



Johnson County United Way Fundraiser

Saturday, August 22nd, 9:30 AM—11:30 AM

There will be a Hurts Donut sale during the Youth United Chalk Walk. Go online and place your order! **Orders must be in by August 7th.** Cash payment at time of pickup.

Youth United Chalk Walk

Saturday, August 22nd, 9:30 AM—1 PM Hawthorne Plaza Shopping Center Get out of the house and have some fun! Bring the family artist(s) and draw a design in one of the chalk boxes in the parking lot of Hawthorne Plaza.

https://jocouw.org/upcoming-events/



Walk With Ease®

a program for better living

Want to take control of your health?

Sign up for the virtual Walk With Ease Program via Zoom.

If you have an interest in improving your overall health, this is the program for YOU!

The Program Offers:

- · Stretching and strengthening exercises
- Tips for walking safely and comfortably
- · Health education information
- Personalized walking routines

Proven to Help People:

- · Build confidence to be physically active
- · Improve flexibility, strength and stamina
- · Reduce pain

Walking can help you gain all the benefits of exercise, from weight loss to stress control.

Best of all, it's FREE to participate!

September 21, 2020-October 28, 2020

Mondays and Wednesdays

8:30a.m.-9:30a.m.



Fun & Easy 6-Week Walking Program

Includes

Certified Walking Leader

Free Walking Guidebook



Program co-sponsored by the Kaineas City Regional Arthurias Center a
Saint Luke's Hospital, 4401 Wornall Road, M4
Kaineas City, MO 64111
Oreise Pressit, Program Coondinator
Phone: 816-932-2381
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Johnson County Community Health Services

723 PCA RD Warrensburg, MO 64093 Phone: 660-747-6121
Fax 660-747-1294 for Administration, Public Health, Environmental, & WIC
Fax 660-747-6087 for Home Health

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Blood Pressure screenings available by Public Health Nursing staff by appointment Monday through Friday 8am-5pm

American Heart Association BLS and HS CPR/FA: E-Learning "Skills Sessions" now available. Call 660-747-6121 Ext. 281 to schedule a time or for more information.

Car Seat Checks: Call Johnson County WIC at 660-747-2012 or 660-747-6121 to make an appointment.

<u>Pregnancy testing:</u> If eligibility requirements are met a Temporary Medicaid card for pregnant women may be issued. Please call for an appointment at 660-747-6121.

STD/HIV testing: Please call for an appointment at 660-747-6121

Immunization Clinics: Monday-Friday Adults and Children from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. A fee will be assessed for the uninsured/underinsured based on immunization needs. Cash, check, debit or credit card is now accepted. Medicaid will be billed if child's coverage is active and card is presented.

Enhanced Immunization Program Through a partnership with VaxCare, Inc. we are now offering insured adults and children a wide variety of vaccines. Most insurance is accepted.

WIC available in Warrensburg Monday - Thursday by appointment only and please call 660-747-2012 to schedule an appointment.

August 2020

August 5 WIC Satellite Clinic in Holden from 8:45 am to 3:30 pm at the Holden Community Activity Center. For more information call 660-747-2012. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

<u>August 6 WIC Satellite Clinic in Knob Noster</u>: at the Jubilation Center of United Methodist Church from **8:45** am to **3:30** pm. For more information call 660-747-2012. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

CPR/First Aid Class from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Pre-registration required, call 660-747-6121 Ext. 281 to enroll.

August 11 SERVSAFE® FOOD SAFETY TRAINING COURSE 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. JCCHS is offering the "ServSafe® Food Protection Manager Certification Course & Examination". The 8-hour course will cover food microbiology; foodborne illness; proper receiving and storage of food; food preparation; HACCP principals; pest control; and related topics. For fees and registration, please call Tiffany at (660) 747-6121 Ext. 258.

August 12 WIC Satellite Clinic in Holden from 8:45 am to 3:30 pm at the Holden Community Activity Center. For more information call 660-747-2012. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

August 13

Food Safety Training Class: Class is from 10 am to 12 noon. This is a 2-hour introductory course that covers the basics of Safe Food Handling, Dangers of Foodborne Illness and Personal Hygiene. This course is recommended for all food service facility employees (wait staff, bartenders, cooks, deli workers and dishwashers). There are no fees associated with this course. To register, please call Tiffany at 660-747-6121 Ext. 258. Location: 723 PCA Road, Upper Level Classroom (Enter East door on front of building.)

August 19 WIC Satellite Clinic in Holden from 8:45 am to 3:30 pm at the Holden Community Activity Center. For more information call 660-747-2012. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

August 20

JCCHS on KOKO 1450 AM Radio at 8:30 am. A new topic of information is discussed each month.

WIC Satellite Clinic in Knob Noster: at the Jubilation Center of United Methodist Church from 8:45 am to 3:30 pm. For more information call 660-747-2012. This institution is an equal opportunity provider

August 25

Food Safety Training Class: Class is from 2-4 pm. This is a 2-hour introductory course that covers the basics of Safe Food Handling, Dangers of Foodborne Illness and Personal Hygiene. This course is recommended for all food service facility employees (wait staff, bartenders, cooks, deli workers and dishwashers). There are no fees associated with this course. To register, please call Tiffany at 660-747-6121 Ext. 258. Location: 723 PCA Road, Upper Level Classroom (Enter East door on front of building.)

CCHC Training for Child Care Providers. 6:30-8:30 P.M Call 660-747-6121 Ext 281. PCA Road, Upper Level Classroom (Enter East door on front of building.) Call 660-747-6121 ext 281 for more information.

August 27 Board of Trustees Meeting 10:00 AM

















Press Releases



NEWS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For more information contact:
Jeff Murphy
Assistant Director for Media Relations
Integrated Marketing and Communications
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Grant Helps Missouri Safety Center Explore New Measures to Counter Increase in Impaired Drivers

WARRENSBURG, MO (July 21, 2020) - While the number of impaired drivers is escalating, the Missouri Safety Center at the University of Central Missouri has a new opportunity to help address this national and state issue. It is receiving grant funding that paves the way for research into new tools to help keep high-risk drivers from getting behind the wheel. Financial support comes to Missouri Safety Center through the Governors Highway Safety Association (GHSA) and the Foundation for Advancing Alcohol Responsibility (Responsibility.org), which are awarding a total of \$245,000 in grants to seven states to help keep the nation safe from the most impaired drivers. Goals of this initiative include expanding the nearly 2,000 officers trained in drug-impaired driving detection through the first five years of this partnership, and to support enhanced identification and assessment of alcohol and drug-impaired drivers. Of the total amount, at least \$35,000 in grant funds provided by GHSA will be used to educate state highway safety offices and law enforcement agencies throughout the nation about state oral fluid test programs. READ MORE HERE

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Care Connection, Legal Aid offer online information sessions

Care Connection for Aging Services has teamed up with Legal Aid of Western Missouri to present a series of online sessions to provide older adults with answers to some of the most-often asked questions when it comes civil law.

Attorney Jeffiner Thompson, of Legal Aid of Western Missouri, will present four sessions beginning 10 a.m. on Mondays online via Zoom. Attendance is free and open to the public, but registration is required. READ MORE HERE



July 20, 2020

Trails Regional Library is excited to announce its first Virtual Book Club at Trails Regional Library. Thanks to input from a survey of patrons, the first meeting has been for Monday, August 24 at 5:00pm. The monthly schedule for future meetings may alter based on additional patron feedback.

The first book discussion will be the novel **Brooklyn** by **Colm Tóibín**, an award-wining historical fiction about an Irish immigrant in New York City. Print copies are available in our <u>Missouri Evergreen catalog</u> or as an <u>audiobook on Overdrive</u>.

The first 30 minutes of the virtual meeting will be reserved for general discussion and getting to know everyone. Anyone is welcome to join online in GoTo Meeting or call in on a phone.

To register, email register@trailslibrary.org or call your local branch. You will be given the meeting link to login and a phone number to call if you do not have internet access.

Virtual Book Club Meeting Mon, Aug 24, 2020 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM Book: *Brooklyn* by Colm Tóibín

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UCM to Benefit From Largest Gift Commitment in University History

WARRENSBURG, MO (July 23, 2020) — The University of Central Missouri Alumni Foundation is pleased to announce that Frank "Chip" Deel, an alumnus from the graduating class of 1973, has made a sizable trust estate gift currently valued at \$15 million. This gift commitment is the largest on record in the university's history.

A native of Jefferson City, Deel majored in economics at what was then Central Missouri State University and started his own business, Superior Trailer Sales, 35 years ago. He credits his CMSU professors, in particular World War II Army veteran Joseph Dolecki, for teaching him how to run a successful business. Deel sold the company in spring 2018, about a month before Dolecki, who devoted 28 years to teaching economics at the university, passed away at the age of 100. READ MORE















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The webinar will be presented on August 18, 2020 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am Central.

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6 secrets to getting hired during an economic downturn

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Uncharted waters for most of us.

TIP: Four microhabits to avoid work-from -home burnout.

In a McKinsey article "The toughest leadership test" authors Homayoun Hatami, Pal Erik Sjatil, and Kevin Sneader point out that the "COVID-19 crisis is a once-in-a-century event, and no training or experience in previous downturns has prepared CEOs for it." But it's not just CEOs, the pandemic is also uncharted waters for managers and employees and it can be overwhelming.

The research by McKinsey showed four good microhabits of CEOs to avoid burnout which we can all apply in our work day.

- 1. "when you'll especially need an energy booster...set up a regular early-afternoon call with someone you like."
- 2. "If you know you have some stressful calls ahead, take a walk."
- 3. "To manage their time better, some are capping the length of internal meetings to 20 minutes or 45 minutes rather than an hour."
- 4. CEOs "are also more inclined to pick up the phone. In the current climate of physical distancing, 'a quick call can be more effective and more human' than email." For business success and personal well-being create your own "set of thoughtful, tested, and far-sighted microhabits" and share with colleagues.

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3 ways to make sure your next employer shares your values

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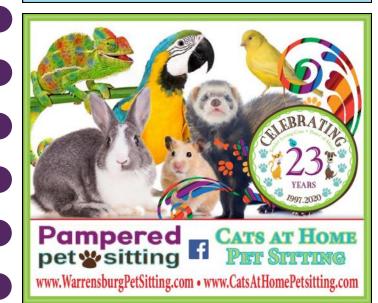
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Restaurant Week

Restaurant Week is a promotion designed to encourage community members to Love What's Local by trying a new restaurant or menu item, or visiting an old favorite. Restaurant Week is not about getting a super deal on your meal, but provides a structured opportunity to let guests be more comfortable trying new things. A \$10 Lunch and \$25 Dinner is offered by participating restaurants.





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The Dog Days of Summer Sale is a two day event held in August. Businesses may have merchandise outside their store, or offer a sale inside their store. Participating businesses will have a Love What's Local flag in front of their business and will also be listed on the Love What's Local Facebook page.

Clean the Burg

This two day event is to encourage community volunteerism and to beautify our town. Residents, families, community groups, businesses, churches and teenagers who need to perform service hours can come up with a projects and implement them during the event. Those who participate are encouraged to share their photos on social media with the hashtag #CleanTheBurg.





Holiday Open Houses

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UPDATE YOUR BUSINESS HOURS



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- Click Info from the menu.
- Next to "Add hours" or your current business hours, click Hours.
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- Next to each day of the week that your business is open, click Opens at, and then select the opening time.
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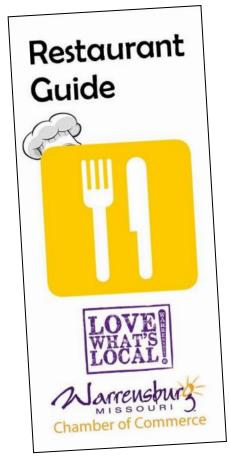








Chamber of Commerce



The Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce's mission is to create opportunities that drive commerce and promote business. One way we help do that is to direct newcomers or visitors to Warrensburg to our local businesses! These publications are handed out at community events, given away in our Welcome Bags that go out to Whiteman Air Force Base and various other locations, housed in our office and posted on our website.

The **Restaurant Guide** contains a list of restaurants, coffee shops, wineries, etc. in Warrensburg, as well as our Chamber members in Knob Noster. Our Chamber members are listed in bold in this publication.

Our **Relocation Information** brochure lists essential businesses and organizations to contact upon arrival to Warrensburg. This brochure only contains our Chamber members' information.

If you know someone who has recently moved to the area, or if you know someone interested in moving to Warrensburg, please refer them to our website at www.warrensburg.org to find these resources!





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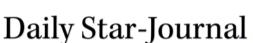






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