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>>> Upcoming Events <<<

Coffee with a Council Member

May 7th, 9 - 10 AM

Jack Moore Community Room
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Mix, Mingle & Manifest: New York Life

May 10th, 10 AM

Jack Moore Community Room
100 S. Holden Street
Warrensburg, MO

Emergency Responders Lunch

May 13th, 11:30 AM Rib Crib 111 Parsons Ave. Warrensburg, MO

Come Sip Shop

May 14th, 12- 4 PM Downtown Warrensburg, MO

Crisis Intervention Training

May 16th, 3 – 8 PM Downtown Warrensburg, MO

Ribbon Cutting: Swisher Factory Outlet

May 26th, 12 PM 520 N Enterprise Dr. Warrensburg, MO

Click here for more Chamber events

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Chamber Events & Info.





Mix, Mingle & Manifest

May 10th 10am - 11am

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The West Central Missouri Veterans Assistance League is offering different ways you can honor your favorite veteran this spring.

On Memorial Day Weekend, we will host our 2nd Day of Honor and Remembrance.

There are 3 levels of support. They are a light pole banner, a yard sign or a luminary.

Then on June 5, we will host our annual Scramble for Freedom Golf Tournament. Golf cart sponsorships are available for \$50.

This is a great way to honor anyone who has served or is currently serving.

It's a wonderful way to keep their presence forever on our minds and in our hearts.

For more information, contact Latisha Koetting. supervisor of volunteer services, at 660-429-4661 or Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps. mo.gov.







Air Force Capt. Tony Sahlfeld, who served in Vietnam. Thank you VFW Auxiliary 4195 in **Knob Noster for** supporting the Missouri Veterans Home.

In honor of





DATE: June 14th 2022

TIME: 9AM-200PM

Parking Lot Job Fair LOCATION: Thompson Hills Shopping Center 809 Thompson Blvd Sedailia, MO 65301

For more information Contact the Missouri Job Center at 660 530 5627

Anna Conroy at a.conroy@wcregion.org

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For \$225, sponsor a banner in honor or in memory of your favorite veteran or current service member. *A 24"wide by 48" tall banner includes the option of having a veteran on each side. (Total of 2 veterans) Banners will include a service photo, name and branch of service and will be placed on the light poles in front of our the Veterans Home. Photos need to be high resolution and good quality.

SILVER SPONSOR - DEADLINE OF MAY 10

For \$60, we have a mini-banner option available in the form of a yard sign. These will include name, branch of service and service photo. They will be displayed on Memorial Day and at our Scramble for Freedom Golf Tournament on June 5.

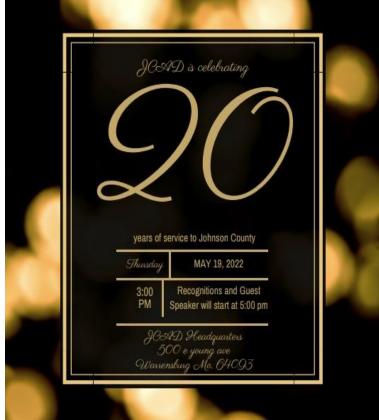
BRONZE SPONSOR - DEADLINE OF MAY 25

For \$25, individuals, groups, businesses or organizations can sponsor a luminary on behalf of their favorite veteran or current service member. These will include their name and branch of service.

On Memorial Day, they will all be lit up and we will host a luminary tour of all banners, signs and luminaries around our fire lane. It will be shown on our Facebook page as well.

Proceeds will go to quality of life programs that benefit the veterans who live at the Missouri Veterans Home in Warrensburg. Checks can be made payable to the Veterans Assistance League.

> Photos and service information may be emailed to Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov























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On a regular basis, the Community Job Skills Trainer will have in-person and remote contact with persons served, referral sources, employers, management and team members. The Community Job Skills Trainer will engage in part or all activities as assigned to support vocational outcomes.

The Community Job Skills Trainer supports general and specific assignments including, but not limited to, individuals in community placement, partnership client evaluations and observations, partnership client training and partnership client career fairs. The Community Job Skills Trainer may serve as a floater as needed for all branches within the Employment Services Department.

.The Community Job Skills Trainer will participate in professional development, staff trainings, as well as culture and team engagements and communications.





















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MONTHLY SUPPORT GROUP



Held the second Tuesday of the month from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.



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View the Johnson County Community Health Services calendar by clicking <u>here</u>

















for Aging Service











Chamber Member Events



The American Legion Matthews-Crawford Post 131 733 E Young St Warrensburg, MO 64093 660 747-5957



May 2022 Schedule of Events



Bingo - Every Tuesday - 3 May, 10 May, 17 May, 24 May, 31 May Legion Bingo: Early Bird Play begins at 6:40 pm followed by the first of three sessions at 7 pm.



Thursday Night Dinners— 5 May, 12 May, 19 May, 26 May - Dinner at the Post featuring Home-Style Fried Chicken and another entree. Includes sides, salad, dessert, and drink for just \$12.00 per person, open to the public, carry-out available, served from 5 to 7 pm.

Saturday, 7 May - Higginsville Veterans Cemetery Cleanup, 9:00 am.

Wednesday, 11 May - Post 131 Directors Meeting, 6 pm.

Friday, 13 May - Veteran's Coffee and Donuts at 9 am. All veterans welcome

Saturday, 14 May - Scouts Breakfast for the low price of \$5.00, pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits/gravy, coffee and orange juice, 7:00—10:00 am - Public

Saturday, 14 May - C&W Dance with Sweetwater, \$10.00 7:00-11:00 pm - Public welcome

Wednesday, 18 May - Post 131 Executive Committee meeting, 5:30 pm.

Thursday, 19 May - Legion Riders Meeting 6:30 pm.

Wednesday, 25 May - Post 131 Membership Meeting, 6 p.m. Post Officers and Directors elections. All Veterans Invited. Dinner Served!

Saturday, 28 May - C&W Dance with ShoeStrang, \$10.00 7:00—11:00 pm - Public welcome

Monday, 30 May - Memorial Day Ceremony, Johnson County Courthouse, 10:00 am.

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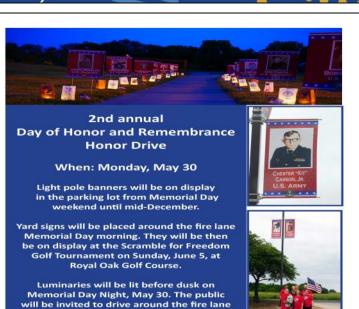
















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Military w/I.D. \$12, Student w/I.D. \$12, Kids Ages 6 to 12 \$6, Children 5 and under Free, Senior Citizens Ages 75 and Up Free





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to see all of the yard signs and luminaries

and remember veterans both present and past

















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2022 RACE

Business Articles

Tip:
After 15 minutes
your video call
could be in trouble.



Tip:
As a leader what should you be?



TIP: After 15 minutes your video call could be in trouble.

Tips about virtual meetings are omnipresent and perhaps we think we have mastered how to connect effectively in video meetings, but have we? You may be pleasantly surprised at the concrete suggestions in Mark Bowden's 12 Ways You Can Make the Most of Your Meetings from a Zoom blog post by Hannah Brozek.

Mark Bowden, a renowned body language and virtual communication expert, reminds us that: "After 15 to 20 minutes, engagement drops off. It's not because they're bored or don't like you, it's because their brain is always seeking something new. And if you're not giving them that difference, that texture to the meeting, presentation, or conversation you're having, they will go and seek it elsewhere... You need to create short moments, chunks of content that hold your audience's interest." Some of Bowden's best ideas:

Introduce: "A new voice, a new attitude, a new face and background — if only for a few moments — helps make something new and different happen."

Mix it up: Try to "change tonality slightly, change pitch slightly, refer to something physical that you can highlight in your environment" to create a sense of dialogue or a refreshing new piece in the conversation.

Be patient: "Don't fear the silence. It takes time for people to compute and come back with an answer."

TIP: As a leader what should you be? Nice or Kind?

One of these behaviors has a bigger impact on success.

Let's start with a definition of both from Mahfuz Ahmed, CEO of DISYS, a global services and staffing firm: "Kind leadership is defined by our research as creating a culture of taking concrete action to help others, addressing a person's need, regardless of tone, and giving permission for real success and failure. Niceness, by contrast, typically centers on pleasing others and being polite so as not to offend."

He goes on to say, "Research shows a direct causal relationship between the height of a company's kindness quotient score and the degree to which it is able to foster an environment of innovation. In fact, an organization is five times more likely to be considered innovative if it is also considered kind."

Everyone has leadership capabilities—whether you are already in that role or developing that skill set. As a self-reflection ask yourself these questions:

- Do I take concrete action to help others?
- Do I take the time to understand and address a person's needs?
- Do I give others permission for success or, more importantly, failure?

FAST @MPANY

Mental health at work: It's (finally) time to talk about it

A roundtable of business leaders and advocates to discuss why the mental well-being of employees should be a top priority.

This is exactly how long your meetings should last

There is an ideal length for a meeting, suggests author Donna McGeorge.





















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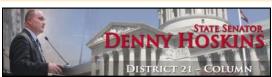


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Western Missouri Medical Center's Advanced Wound Center Recognized for Clinical Excellence Western Missouri Medical Center's physicians, leaders, and clinicians gathered today to recognize Advanced Wound Center, a recipient of the Center of Distinction award by Healogics®, the nation's largest provider of advanced wound care services. The Center achieved outstanding clinical outcomes for twelve consecutive months.

The Advanced Wound Center is a member of the Healogics network of over 600 Wound Care Centers® and offers highly specialized wound care to patients suffering from diabetic foot ulcers, pressure ulcers, infections, and other chronic wounds which have not healed in a reasonable amount of time. Advanced wound care modalities provided by our wound care experts include negative pressure wound therapy, total contact casting, bio-engineered tissues, biosynthetic dressings, and growth factor therapies. The Center also offers hyperbaric oxygen therapy.

"We are honored to win the Center of Distinction award for 2021," said Paula Carpenter, Program Director of WMMC's Advanced Wound Care. "We have a wonderful group of providers, clinicians, and staff that work diligently to provide our patients with exceptional wound care with excellent treatment and healing outcomes. I am so proud of the great work we do at the Advanced Wound Center."

Western Missouri Medical Center (WMMC) is a fully-accredited acute care county medical center located in Warrensburg, MO. WMMC prides itself in emergency care, obstetrics, orthopedic and general surgery, family healthcare, internal medicine, outpatient clinics, ambulatory care, rehabilitation services and more. Inpatient services include medical, surgical, intensive, obstetrical, orthopedic, pediatric and skilled nursing care, as well as a wide range of therapeutic and diagnostic outpatient services. This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer. Learn more at WMMC.com.

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JOHNSON COUNTY – The Missouri Department of Transportation will host a public hearing from 4 to 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 19, at Warrensburg Municipal Court, 200 S. Holden St.

The hearing will discuss road improvements on Highway 13 from Interstate 70 to Route 50.

Participants will be able to share concerns and opinions during the hearing.

People can make comments up to 10 days after the public hearing on the website: https://www.modot.org/missouri-ighway-13.

The environmental documentation prepared by the Mo-DOT will be available for public inspection. Copies are also available at the office of Chris Redline, District Engineer, Kansas City District MoDOT, 600 NE Colbern Road in Lee's Summit, Missouri.

For more information about MoDOT news, projects or events, please visit our website at www.modot.mo.gov/kansascity. For instant updates, follow MoDOT_KC on Twitter, or share posts and comments on our Facebook at www.facebook.com/MoDOT.KansasCity. MoDOT Kansas City maintains more than 7,000 miles of state roadway in nine counties. Sign up online for workzone updates or call 888-ASK-MODOT (275-6636).



















For Immediate Release



Contact: Lisa Lewis, Family Caregiver Coordinator, 1-800-748-7826 <u>Care Connection to present series to give 'peace of mind'</u> Care Connection for Aging Services will present a five-part online series titled "The Gift of Peace of Mind" to help senior adults plan for their later years.

The series, to be presented free on Zoom, will feature a variety of experts at 3 p.m. Tuesdays from April 26 through May 24. Registration, which is required, is available online at www.goaging.org/events or by calling 1-800-748-7826.

Topics include:

April 26: Preparing for Your Care -- in-home care, skilled nursing, and how to pay for them – featuring Lewis and Marilyn Gunter, Director of Care Management.

May 3: Advance Healthcare Planning -- durable power of attorney; living wills; "do-not-resuscitate" orders; and guardianship/ conservatorship – featuring a Legal Aid of Western Missouri attorney.

May 10: Estate Planning -- Trusts, probate court, and titling accounts/property - featuring an elder care attorney.

May 17: Who Gets Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate? -- decision-making obstacles when passing on personal possessions; practical suggestions and proven strategies – featuring Shannon Poskocil, Coordinator of Public Information for Care Connection.

May 24: End of Life Planning -- what to do when someone dies -- canceling services; sending a will to court, etc. – featuring a funeral planner.

Each session addresses frequently asked questions by clients of Care Connection, Family Caregiver Coordinator Lisa Lewis said.

"We get a lot of calls and questions about these things," Lewis said. "To get the best results, you need a plan for it before anything happens. We want to cover the whole gamut of planning for the elder years."

At the conclusion, participants should have the "education and knowledge to go out and make these decisions," Lewis said. While attending all five sessions would be best, participants may attend one or all of them.

"Things happen. It's part of living. We want to try to address people before they have a crisis. It puts the person in control when you plan for these things," Lewis said. "This is hard. It's not a fun topic, but it's important."

Care Connection for Aging Services is an area agency on aging serving 21 locations in 13 West Central Missouri counties: Bates, Benton, Carroll, Cedar, Chariton, Henry, Hickory, Johnson, Lafayette, Pettis, Saline, St. Clair, and Vernon. The mission is to provide opportunities to create positive aging experiences. For more information, call 1-800 -748-7826 or visit www.goaging.org.

For more information contact: Jeff Murphy

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UCM Alumnus Executive Produces Marvel Studios' Six-Part 'Moon Knight' Series

WARRENSBURG, MO (April 29, 2022) – While Moon Knight first appeared in a comic book in 1975, this character may not be on the tip of the tongue in comparison to superheroes like Captain America, Spider-Man and many others who went from the printed page to the big screen. With help from a production team that includes University of Central Missouri graduate Grant Curtis, a new spotlight is shining on this unique character in the Marvel Cinematic Universe (MCU).

Curtis, who earned a master's degree in mass communication from UCM in 1997, serves as one of the executive producers for Marvel Studios' new six-part "Moon Knight" series. He worked with individuals such as prominent Egyptian filmmaker Mohamed Diab, who is making his U.S. directorial debut, and a cast that includes Golden Globe® winner Oscar Isaac in the title role, Ethan Hawke as Arthur Harrow and May Calamawy as Layka El-Faouly. The series was introduced March 30 exclusively on the Disney+ streaming service.

While residing in LA, a friend who lived next door told him famous director Sam Raimi was searching for an assistant. Curtis believed his opportunity to work with Raimi was a stretch, but the great director saw something in him. Curtis went from being an assistant to Raimi to much tougher decision-making roles on films such as the "Spider-Man" trilogy, "The Gift" and others. He built within five years after earning his graduate degree the kind of resume that gets noticed, leading to his selection in 20002 as a UCM Outstanding Recent Alumnus.

Adding "Moon Knight" to his lengthy film resume is a great source of pride for Curtis. He spoke enthusiastically about his role as an executive producer on the project and the opportunity to bring the main character to the forefront for the first time in many people's entertainment experience.

"From 1975 until now, there's been a lot of Moon Knight stories told by great artists and writers, and we think we reflected that in the Disney+/Marvel streaming episodes," Curtis said. "We think we also brought a new thread to this tale."





















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by: Cheryl Harness

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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!





Chamber Gift Certificate Program

Chamber Businesses—if you would like to participate in our 2021 Gift Certificate Program, contact Member Relations Coordinator Rhonda Mosley at rmosley@warrensburg.org. This members-only program offers great shopping flexibility for our residents and is a fantastic way for local companies and organizations to provide employee gifts, rewards, and incentives. You can find more information on the Gift Certificate Agreement, or give us a call at (660) 747-3168. View the Current Participants HERE



















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The Chamber Flash

is a twice-monthly email publication, out on the FIRST and THIRD Fridays of each month. It's a great way for Chamber members to share information about their businesses! It also keeps members up to date with member benefits, networking events and other activities.

Space in the Chamber Flash is an included member benefit for Chamber members only. E-mail your print ready ad in JPG format to chamber@warrensburg.org by **COB Tuesday** for Friday publication.

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The Chamber Flash is compiled and written by Communications Coordinator Rachel Schultz.

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