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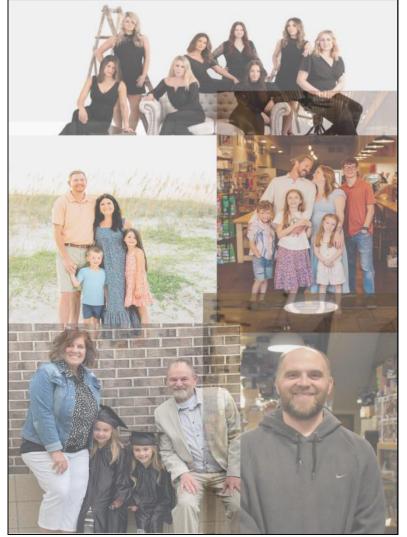
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NOVEMBER 4TH, 2022



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### >>> Upcoming Events <<

#### WIN Coffee

November 8, 7:30 AM WMMC Wishing Well 403 Burkarth, Warrensburg, MO

#### Mix, Mingle, & Manifest: YOUnica & U.S. Bank

November 8, 10 AM UCM Student Union Room 235 511 S Holden, Warrensburg, MO

#### Ribbon Cutting: RISE Racks

November 18, 10 AM RISE Racks 1125 N Simpson, Ste K, Warrensburg, MO

### **Shop Small Saturday**

November 26, All Day Participating Retailers

### 2022 Annual Holiday Parade

December 2, 6 PM Holden Street Parade Route

Click here for more Chamber events

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**UCM Athletic Department** 

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## Chamber Events & Info.

#### WIN COFFEE

"Resilient Leadership"

#### **Tuesday November 8th**

7:30-9:00 a.m.

It's a come and go! Western Missouri Medical Center **Auxiliary Wishing Well Gift Shop** 

403 Burkarth Road Front Entrance Come and enjoy some Christmas cheer and do your Christmas shopping at the best little gift shop in town.

Help to support the

Western Missouri Medical Center Auxiliary and their efforts to award health career scholarships and equipment purchases!

RSVP to the Chamber at 660-747-3168 or chamber@warrensburg.org.

Bring a new stuffed toy to share with WMMC **Emergency Room!** 





# You are Invited Mix, Mingle & Manifest Tuesday, November 8th 10 UCM Student Union Room 235 511 S. Holden Street in Warrensburg, MO



## CANDIDATE FORUM

OCTOBER 12

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DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

## **Business Birthdays**

Est. 2001 Collision Leaders, Casey Lund

Est. 2008 Johnson County Central **Dispatch** 

Est. 2009 Denise Hamlin DDS Family **Dentistry** 

Est. 2010 RevLocal

Est. 2014 Awesome Blossoms

Est. 2015 118 Cakery

Est. 2015 Jimmy John's Gourmet Sandwiches

Est. 2019 YOUnice, LLC

Est. 2021 Edward Jones, Jeff Tilley

Est. 2021 Lash & Dash Essentials with Red Aspen











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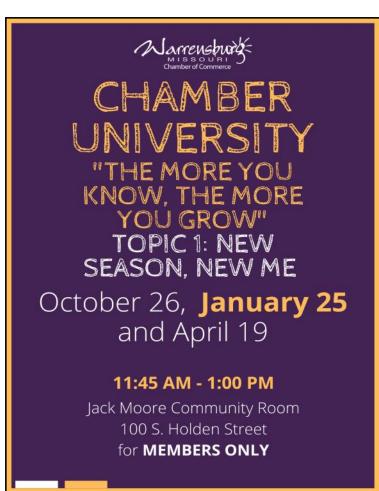
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Our Executive Director, Suzanne Taylor, celebrated her birthday on November, 3rd! Please wish her "Happy Birthday!"

























## **Shout Outs!**



### **Adison Bernier**

Recently appointed to Full-time Firefighter/EMT at the Warrensburg Fire Department. Congratulations!

### Shawna Carlile (Belmont **Management Company)**

October Employee of the Month! Congrats! -Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce





### 20 Under 40

Congrats to our many members for making the 20 Under 40 List! We are excited to see what you do next!























# Community Information



### **November 1-15 Schedule**

- · Nov 1-Beyond the Circle @ Sterling
- Nov 3- Kindergarten Family Night @ Ridge View
- Nov 5- High School Math Contest @ WHS
- · Nov 11- Veteran's Assemblies at each building:

WMS-8:30 a.m.

Ridge View-9 a.m.

Maple Grove- 10 a.m.

WHS- 10:25 a.m.

Sterling- 2 p.m.

Martin Warren- 2:45 p.m.

- Nov 12-District Band/Jazz Auditions @WHS
- Nov 15- 2nd Grade Literacy Night @ Ridge View





NOVEMBER 1-30

REUSABLE BAGS WILL BENEFIT THE CAMPUS CUPBOARD!

QUESTIONS? MOVO@UCMO.EDU



#### **Attention Missouri students!**

Help educate drivers on the importance of why they need to STOP when the school bus stop arm is up. Accepted works include:



The contest is open to all K-12 students in Missouri. An individual student may produce the contest entry or students may



Audio

ENTRIES MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 11:59 PM ON DECEMBER 9, 2022. First, second and third place winners will be awarded prize money!

Visit www.mosba.org/ces/for guidelines, and more information.







### **Project** Community Connect

November 4, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

UCM's Student Recreation and Wellness Center lower level, south side

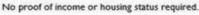
A day of service for ANYONE who needs service or connection to:

Birth/Death Certificates (MO residents only) Haircuts

Medical, Dental & Vision Services **Employment Assistance** 



Food ...and more!



No registration required. Everything is free and everyone is welcome!



#### **Event Parking:**

#### **UCM Multipurpose Building** (an Washington, west of the stadium)

Free shuttles will run between the Multi and the event from 7:30 am to 4:30 pm.











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#### Dear Supporter,

The 2022 Marine Corp Toys For Tots (TFT) Campaign has started! Our efforts will benefit children in need in several counties in the Missouri area during the Holiday

We request from you, through this letter, to be a part of our charity by donating New Toys, Gift Cards, Services, Campaign supporting products, and or Tax Deductible monetary amounts, that you deem convenient for this purpose. We assure you that the amounts will not be misused and will reach the needy. 100% of all toys or monies donated will stay local.

Services and Goods will be used to support the growth and success of the 2022 Toys for Tots Campaign and benefit needy children in our area.

Please Donate On-Line or make checks payable to "Toys For Tots" Contact local Coordinator if you wish to offer Services or Goods as needed.



#### Your donation will:



- 1. Help to fulfill Christmas holiday dreams of the regions neediest children.
- 2. Help less fortunate children become productive, responsible citizens.
- 3. Aligning with one our nation's flagship Christmas charitable causes.
- 4. Support a positive, uplifting cause during a joyous season. 5. Creates goodwill with customers.

#### ous Requested Donations include, but not limited to:

- Media & IT Support
- Office & Warehouse Materials
- Gift Cards
- TFT Delivery vehicle
- TFT Warehouse & Storage

We truly appreciate the consistent support Toys for Tots has received from past and future sponsors and supporters. It is comforting to know that we can rely on your benevolence for our program.

Thank you for your Time, Efforts, and Support.

Respectfully Submitted

#### Jerome Coleman USMC

Toys For Tots Region 4 Coordinator-Warrensburg, MO cell# (773) 683-4744 - 750 Arnold Ave WAFB, MO 65305 Unit 6022 warrensburg.mo@toysfortots.org



Semper Fi!



10/20/22, 9:31 AM

Employers Should Continue to Use Current Version of Form I-9 After Oct. 31, 2022 | Littler Mendelson P.C.



### **Employers Should Continue to Use Current** Version of Form I-9 After Oct. 31, 2022

#### By Bruce Buchanan on October 17, 2022

On October 12, 2022, the USCIS announced that employers should continue to use the current Form I-9 after its expiration date of October 31, 2022, until further notice. It is anticipated that the Department of Homeland Security will publish a new one-page Form I-9 in the coming months. Thus, until the new version of the Form I-9 is published and effective, employers should continue to use the current version of the I-9 form.

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#### **Blood Drive**

#### University of Central Missouri

Union Ballrooms 236 & 238 511 S. Holden St. Warrensburg, MO 64093

Wednesday, November 9, 2022 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

All presenting donors will receive free pizza Appointments preferred walk-ins welcome!
Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: UCMO to schedule an appointment. OR call (660) 543-4007 or email kbrinkley@ucmo.edu







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# Welcome, New Members!

**Show Me Dust Bunnies** 



Concordia Bank

**ADT Security** 



Chloie Freeman, UCM Student

# **Event Recap!**





Thursday, October 27th the Warrensburg Train Depot celebrated it's 30-year renovation milestone. During the ceremony, Mayor Kushner along with City Council Members declared the date as William P. Bernier Day and encouraged all citizens to thank Bill for his service to our community. A ribbon cutting followed with Amtrak officials and members of the community.



















# Job Postings











Ryan Phillips Administrator Sign on Bonus!

**Open Positions:** RN, LPN, CMT, CNA, Housekeeping, Dietary,

Time: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Dates:

Nov. 16th, 2022

Location: 503 Regent Dr.

Warrensburg, MO 64903











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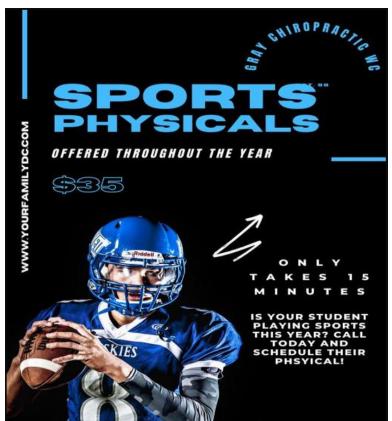








## Health Related Content



View the Johnson County Community Health Services calendar by clicking here



55+ | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Seniors and Those Who Love Them: Health, Wellness, and Emotional Wellbeing



Practical information for your daily role as a grandparent or relative raising a child.

Topics include: challenges and stressors, wellbeing of children, and ways to help yourself and your family.

All participants will receive a gift package. Kinship Caregiver Credits for kinship licensure available.

To register, call Tammy Wilkey at 660-438-3300 ext. 3 Lisa Lewis at 800-748-7826 or contact the library at (660) 747-9177.





TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 | 9:00-10:30 AM

Warrensburg Branch
432 N Holden | (660) 747-9177



## **Health Insurance Open Enrollment**



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## **Chamber Member Events**































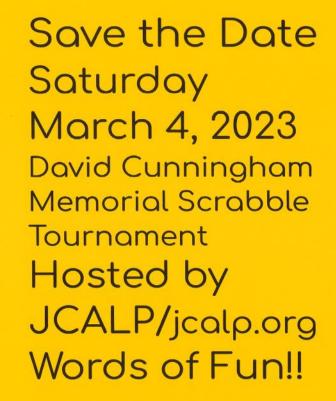




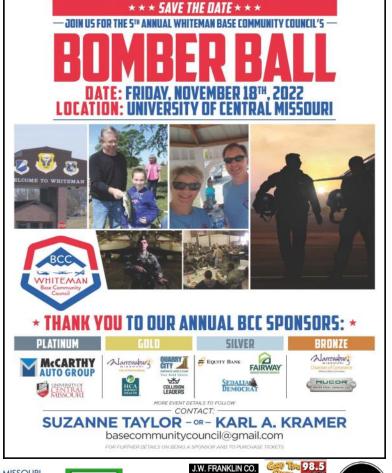








































## **Business Articles**



Tip:
Please don't throw the baby out with the bathwater.



#### TIP: Strategic networks explained really well.

We often refer to Herminia Ibarra's three categories of networks (operational, personal, and strategic). Ibarra, who is a Professor of Organizational Behaviour at London Business School, says that developing your strategic network is the most important one for your career but it's also the most challenging to build.

But what is a strategic network? Ibarra says internal or external it's "how you keep your finger on the pulse of what's happening". But she reinforces the point that to be strategic you must connect outside your organization and deliver that information and those ideas back to your organization.

Read More

### TIP: Please don't throw the baby out with the bathwater.

Are business cards another fallout from the pandemic? We are noticing that people are less interested in exchanging cards. "We don't use business cards anymore."

Our question is, "What are you using then?" Often the response is, "I get their telephone number and text them."

We have received some of these texts, and there's no company name, maybe just a first name, and sometimes that is OK, but if you expect a more professional exchange...that doesn't work.

Also, when someone says "let me put you in my phone" it's trickier.

**Read More** 

## FAST @MPANY

#### Expert advice on landing the salary you want

Here are 11 savvy takes on getting the increase you deserve.

How to find a job that energizes (rather than drains) you

If you have to work, it might as well be fulfilling.











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More information from Denny Hoskins:

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To view Senator Roy Blunt's latest press releases, click HERE.





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



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## **GIVEAWAY!!!**

### TO ENTER:

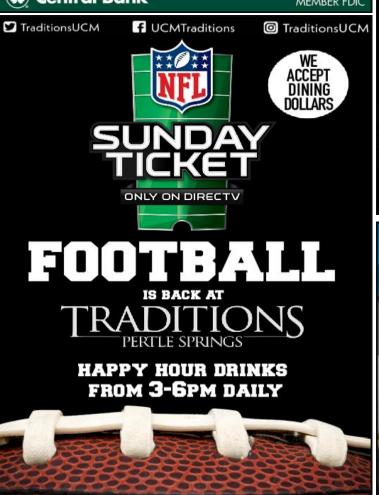
Use our Video Teller Machine at the Higginsville, Holden, Odessa, or Warrensburg branch to video chat with a teller during November.

### **PRIZES:**

- Two Igloo Daytripper coolers
  - Four \$25 aift cards
- Four Sporting Kansas City scarves



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Sedalia Democrat Wed., Nov. 9 and the Warrensburg Star-Journal on Tues., Nov. 8

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Fill out the form with your Veteran's information & submit it to our Newsroom. Don't forget to submit a photo.

111 W. 4th Street • Sedalia, MO 101 E. Market Street, Suite D • Warrensburg, MO or email to ncooke@sedaliademocrat.com Subject Line: Vet's Photo

Hurry! *Deadline* to submit your Veteran's information is Friday, October 21st, 2022

Please provide your Veteran information below: Veteran's Name: Branch of Military: Rank at time of discharge: Dates of Service: Wars served (if applicable): Phone number: \_ Current City: Photo is included (please circle one): Yes No







#### Facts About First-Time Homebuyers in 2022



**Marital status:** 

\$252,000

\$86.500

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9% single men 9% unmarried couple 18% single women 62% married couples

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#### TREE OF STARS BANNER PROGRAM



normal Tree of Stars program, for a limited time only, we are offering an additional option.

Individuals, businesses, organizations and families may sponsor a 24x48" banner in honor or in memory of their favorite veteran OR in honor of a staff member for \$225.



Banners are two-sided and may include a photo of the veteran or staff member. Photos need to be high resolution and good quality. 8x10's work the best.

This is a GREAT way to honor a special veteran in your life or honor your child, grandchild, parent or spouse who works at the Veterans Home.

THE DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY, NOV. 23, the day before Thanksgiving.

Please make your donation payable to the: Veterans Assistance League "Tree of Stars", and send it to: 1300 Veterans Road, Warrensburg, MO 64093.

Please fill out the banner dog tag form with your message. Note the limited amount of characters.

For more information, call Latisha Koetting, Supervisor of Volunteer Services, at (660) 429-4661 or email Latisha. Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov.

### TREE OF STARS MAKES HOLIDAYS BRIGHTER

The "Tree of Stars" is an opportunity for individuals and groups to partner with the Veterans Assistance League (VAL) to make the holidays a little brighter for the Veterans who live at the Missouri Veter ans Home in Warrensburg.

As donations are received, personlized dog tags with different colored silencers will be placed on a Christmas tree in the Home's lobby. The silencers represent different levels of support and the tree will become a beautiful focal point that our Veterans will

Funds raised are then used to purchase a Christmas gift for each of the home's Veterans. Gifts are wrapped and hand delivered, along with a visit from Santa and songs by carolers. The gifts and merriment are especially important to the Veterans who might not receive anything at all otherwise. Veterans who are new to the Home and are especially appreciative of the holiday cheer.

We hope you will consider giving back to those who have given so much to preserve our nation and its freedoms. Our goal is \$10,000, which will provide one \$50 present for each of the Home's 200 Veterans.

Please make your donation payable to: Veterans Assistance League "Tree of Stars", and send to: 1300 Veterans Rd., Warrensburg, MO 64093. Please fill out the dog tag form with your Christmas message.

For more information, call Latisha Koetting, Supervisor of Volunteer Services, at (660) 429-4661 or email Latisha.Koetting@mvc.dps.mo.gov.



Levels of Sponsorship



Freedom Level \$200 or more



Liberty Level, \$100



Patriot Level, \$50



Justice Level, \$25







RISE is looking for feedback from Johnson County businesses to improve our services and community partnerships.

> Please take the opportunity to complete the survey linked to this post.

> > Completing the survey gets you entered into a drawing for a dozen cookies from RISE Café delivered to your office!

Click the link in the post to access the survey!





























# News & Knowledge

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For more information contact: Greg Frencken, WALC President (660) 238-2158 gvfrencken@gmail.com



#### Fastwyre's New Expansion Plan Will Supply Fiber-Optic Network to Nine U.S. **Communities**

SULPHUR, La., Oct. 31, 2022 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Fastwyre Broadband ("Fastwyre" or the "Company"), a premier broadband and internet service provider with the mission of delivering affordable, reliable, high-speed internet services to cities and towns across America, today announced an expansion plan that will supply a robust fiber-optic broadband network to nine new markets across the country.

The state-of-the-art fiber network, delivering up to 1 Gbps of high-speed internet, will serve residential and business customers in Louisiana, Missouri and Nebraska. In Louisiana, locations include: DeRidder; Leesville; Oakdale. In Missouri: Knob Noster; La Monte; Nevada; Sedalia; Warrensburg. In Nebraska: Bellevue.

"These projects highlight Fastwyre's growth trajectory and reinforce our commitment to expanding our fiber network and services to create greater access to high-quality internet service," said Chris Eldredge, Fastwyre CEO. "We are dedicated to a future of partnering with communities to provide affordable, accessible, fast and reliable internet in addition to best-in-class service to their residents and businesses."

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For more information contact: Jeff Murphy Assistant Director for Media Relations **Integrated Marketing and Communications** 660-543-4640 / jmurphy@ucmo.edu ucmo.edu/news/media-resources



#### **Native American Dancer, Inspirational Entertainer Supaman Brings One-of-a-Kind** Performance to UCM Stage Nov. 8

WARRENSBURG, MO (Oct. 24, 2022) -

Supaman, a performing artist who inspires others by merging into his live concerts Native American culture with comedy, dance and his unique blend of hip-hop music, will perform at the University of Central Missouri on Tuesday, Nov. 8. He takes the stage for this free, public event at 7:30 p.m. in Elliott Student Union 240, as part of the Ninth Annual Trading Moon Native American Arts Festival.

The concert at UCM is an opportunity for students, faculty, staff and community members to enjoy a one-of-a-kind experience that is not only entertaining but helps to educate the audience about Indigenous people and culture through innovative melodies and lyrics shared by an award -winning performer. Supaman's visit is sponsored by the university's Division of Music, Office of Student Experience and Engagement, and the Center for Multiculturalism and Inclusivity. It is made possible through a Missouri Arts Council grant, and supported by the National Endowment for the Arts.

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# News & Knowledge

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#### **Missouri Safety Center Collaborates** with Agencies on 'Take 1 for Zero' Initiative

The Missouri Safety Center at the University of Central Missouri is teaming up with the Missouri School Boards' Association and several other collaborating agencies for the "Take 1 for Zero" project, funded through the Missouri Department of Transportation Highway Safety and Traffic Division. This project involves several partners including: the Missouri State Highway Patrol, the Center for Education Safety, the Missouri Parent Teacher Association (Mo PTA), Missouri Association of Student Councils (MASC), Missouri Association of Pupil Transportation (MAPT), nationally recognized traffic safety specialist Cara Filler, and other traffic safety partners throughout the state.

The goal of the project is to make "1" major impact on roadway safety by focusing on school bus stop arm violations throughout Missouri. The act of illegally passing a stopped school bus with red lights flashing is commonly known as a "stop-arm violation". This is a major problem across the country, based on data from the National Association of State Directors of Pupil Transportation (NASDPTS) that show::

- 17 million motorists commit stop-arm violations each school year
- 95,494 illegal passes were recorded from a 2019 survey of 39 states conducted by NASDPTS
- 60% of motorists passed from the front of the bus and 97% passed on the left side of the bus (stoparm side), according to the NASDPTS survey.

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For more information contact: Dewayne Jackson Jaeger Tire djackson@iland.net 660-747-5822



#### **Local Business Owner Organizes Sixth Annual Holiday Parade**

WARRENSBURG, Mo. (October 25, 2021) Dewayne Jackson, the owner of Jaeger Tire in Warrensburg, is excited to announce the sixth annual holiday parade held on Friday, December 2, 2022, in Warrensburg, Missouri. Jackson is the primary coordinator and works with local organizations such as Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce, Warrensburg Main Street, City of Warrensburg, Johnson County Courthouse, Warrensburg Convention & Visitors Bureau, to host this free community event.

"We are especially looking forward to this year's event, which we hope will be the biggest yet! Each year the community activity has grown with more lights on the displays; this year, our committee hopes that the parade will be much larger with more participation from our community groups and with the hope of good weather," said Jackson.

The Holiday Parade is scheduled to start at 6:00 p.m. in the parking lot of UCM Multipurpose Building, 500 S. Washington Street. It will parade north on Holden Street, through the downtown area, and halt at Holden and Gay Street. There will be music playing on the courthouse lawn, and Santa will be arriving by sled after the parade! Children can bring their letters for Santa and drop them off in the special mailbox that evening. Letters with a return address will get a special note from the North Pole. They will also have an opportunity to write one following the parade.

**Read More** 





















# Learning Opportunities

ADULT & SENIOR Figure-It-Out Fridays Frustrated with technology? Get help with email, Facebook, tablets and more. Come to the Knob Noster branch and let's figure it out!

**EVERY FRIDAY | 2:00-4:00 PM** 

**Knob Noster** Branch 202 N Adams | (660) 563-2997



#### **Strategic Traffic Operations**

April 2021 Missouri began the Show Me Zero Initiative. While gun violence and disease lead headline news, Crashes continue to occur on Missouri roadways. Crashes are up, speed violations have increased, and fatal crashes are at an all time

STOPS was created to encourage law enforcement to engage in making vehicle stops for violations of the motor vehicle code.

The need is great, but support is weak for stopping violators in vehicles and making headway to ending this silent killer. To encourage support from the law-abiding citizens of Missouri, STOPS encourages the DDACTS model to combat apathy of the citizens. To support law enforcement making vehicle stops and arrests for impaired drivers, going beyond the stop and intercepting drug and human traffickers.

STOPS teaches a constitutionally sound. professional method of conducting a roadside interview.

Stops concludes with managing the law enforcement roadside work zone

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- Acceptable Death in America
- Need to engage with traffic law violators
- Data Driven Approach to Crime and Traffic Safety
- Seven Step violator interview
- Managing the roadside work zone

Sedalia Police Department 300 West 3rd Street, Sedalia MO **Training room** November 17, 2022 9:00 AM-11:30AM

> Please Register by contacting Michael Stapp
> Missouri Highway Salety Office
> (573)751-0599
> michael.stapp@modot.mo.gov

#### Community Health Worker (CHW) Online Course



Tara Weber, MSN, RN Instructor

Questions? Contact: Sandra Stroburg 660-596-7236

This 16-week course will provide students education on the role of the community health worker. Students will leave the course with a better understanding of certain medical conditions and become more aware of environmental situations that are barriers to clients' health. A CHW conducts outreach services for healthcare organizations to implement programs within the community that promotes individual and community health.

- Provide ongoing follow-up, basic motivational and goal setting with patients/families.
- Assist patients with completing applications and registration forms.
- Conduct eligibility determination, enrollment and follow-up with uninsured patie
- Help patients connect with transportation resources.
- Be knowledgeable about community resources appropriate to needs of
- Work closely with medical providers to help ensure that patients have comprehensive

Join us Online January 22, 2023 - May 17, 2023

\*As part of this course, students must complete 60 hours of outreach and service hours. Some exceptions may apply

Course books will be provided to enrolled students.

Students who do not complete this course may be ineligible to be readmitted in the future

This program is 100% funded by the Community Health Worker \$27,100 grant from the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. The product was created by the grantee and does not necessarily reflect the efficied position of the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. The Department Health and Senior Services unders no guarantees, warranties or assurances of any kind, express or implied, with respect to such information, including any information on fished sites and including, but not limited to, accuracy of the information or its completeness, timeliness, usefulness, adoptives, conductes, continued availability, or neurorhip



#### Who should register?

- Any student interested in the field of Community Health Work
- Credentialed Medical Assistants Service Coordinators
- Agency staff members serving clients accessing individual and community healthcare programs

#### Dates:

Jan. 22, 2023 through May 17, 2023

Students MUST be over 18 years of age

Space is limited.



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**GALEN E. GRITTS** 

Mr. Gritts, a member of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma, will be delivering a presentation on Indigenous traditions and customs focusing on the Cherokee.



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## Chamber Membership Benefits



### **Membership Benefits and** Services



Mission: Our mission is to be a diverse organization dedicated to fostering connections, stimulating business, and cultivating community.

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**Dedicated Strategist** 



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Our Approach

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Shaun Frecska, Director of Strategic Partnerships (740) 536-0008 | sfrecska@revlocal.com



















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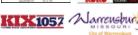














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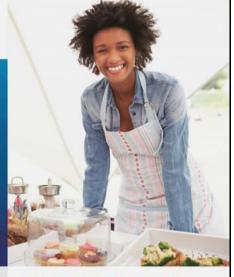
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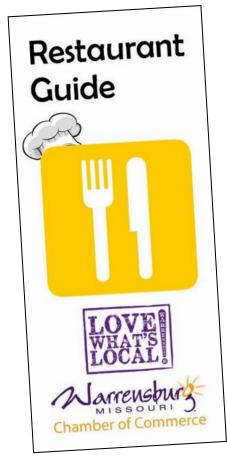








## Chamber of Commerce



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!





## **Chamber Gift Certificate Program**

Chamber Businesses—if you would like to participate in our 2023 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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### 'he 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.

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The Chamber Flash is compiled and written by Communications Coordinator, Rebekah Mauschbaugh.

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