

THE VILLAGE VOICE



Port Huron Housing Commission Newsletter

May /June 2021

April showers brought May flowers

Coming soon

Construction will be starting soon at Huron Village, on Harmony Place playground. Port Huron Housing Commission was awarded a grant from the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation Kaboom grant for the construction of an interactive musical playscape.



A Note From The Director:

Dear PHHC Residents,

Great news PHHC was awarded a grant through the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. foundation for an interactive musical playscape. This playground will include interactive musical instruments as well as a performance stage. This will be a great addition to our community and I hope every one will enjoy it.

As COVID-19 is still a concern in our community, I ask that every one continues to follow CDC guidelines to help mitigate the spread of the virus.

PHHC staff appreciates your help in keeping the community safe.

Thank you,

James A. Dewey, Executive Director

Check Us Out!

website www.phhousing.org

Like us on Facebook at Port Huron Housing Commission

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Port Huron Housing Commission Offices

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Office hours: 7:30 am to 5:00 pm
Monday thru Thursday.

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PROPERTY MANAGER NEWS

To insure the safety of all residents and staff of PHHC

- ⇒ **Pools must be no more than 6 feet in diameter and 12 inches deep**
- ⇒ **Pools must be drained and put away on porch every night**
- ⇒ **Toys must be picked up and yards kept clean, so they do not get run over by the lawn mowers or thrown out**
- ⇒ **No fire works on PHHC property**
- ⇒ **All children must be supervised by an adult 18 years or older when playing on playground**
- ⇒ **Please no climbing or hanging from trees or non playground equipment**



If you need to contact your property manager please call or email them at:
(810) 984-3173

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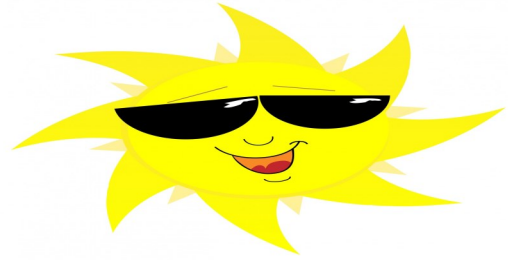
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PROPERTY MANAGER NEWS

Summer reminders

- ✿ Air conditioning units must have plexiglass installed in the remaining open space of the window and do not fasten A/C units with screws.
- ✿ No A/C units in upstairs windows at Dulhut, please only install on first floor
- ✿ Grills must be stored on back patio's and must NEVER be used under the covered porches.
- ✿ Recreational vehicles includes, but is not limited to, mopeds, mini-bikes, 4-wheelers, dirt bikes, miniature versions of any of these plus miniature versions of motorcycles are not allowed to be driven or stored on any Port Huron Housing Commission property.
- ✿ No visiting pets, Dogs must be 20 pounds or less and be registered with the Port Huron Housing Commission.
- ✿ No smoking allowed inside and please remember to dispose of cigarette butts in appropriate receptacles



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SENIOR VILLAGE NEWS

Pen Pals for A Purpose

Pens Pals for A Purpose

St. Clair County Community Mental Health (SCCCMH) is excited to start the Pen Pals for A Purpose program with the goal of creating multigenerational connections in the community. We hope our volunteers will be able to develop a relationship with someone they otherwise would not have been introduced to. The Pen Pals Program will help by providing children and adults an emotional outlet while simultaneously bypassing any issues technology may cause. Children and adults will be paired together as pen pals and each write six letters focused on different uplifting and positive topics. Letters will be sent to SCCCMMH to ensure that all confidential information will remain private and guarantee anonymity and safety for all participants.

Additional details and the program packets can be found at the links listed below. All individuals are welcome to participate. Adults interested in participating will need to sign an Attestation Form and complete and pass a Background Check at no cost to the participant. Children will need to have a signed Consent Form by a parent or guardian to begin the program.

If you have any questions or need envelopes and stamps, please email Karen Zultak at kzultak@scccmh.org or call (810) 985-8900.

Reminder:

Please do not leave anything on the benches in the hallways.



Over 60?

Residents that are at least 60 years old can receive **FREE Legal Aid** through Lakeshore Legal Aid.

Port Huron
803 10th Avenue, #C
Port Huron, MI 48060
P: (810) 985-5107

**If the washer or dryer at Desmond or Peru is in need of re-
pair please call :**

(877) 264-6622

**Please have the machine
number that is located
on the front of machine**



SENIOR VILLAGE NEWS

Erin the EDSC will be hosting Lets talk Tuesdays May 11th in the community room

Desmond: 9am to 11am

Peru: 2pm to 4pm

Learn about all the services that are available

Volunteers

Needed

Peru Village is in need of a volunteer for the Senior Green Card registration days. Its once a month please contact Erin if interested.

Peru & Desmond 2021

Tenants will no longer be charged for air conditioning usage. Each tenant will have a furnace filter change and furnace switched over to air condition.

Senior Green
Card food Pro-
gram

May 20th 10am

Erin Goodman EDSC

810-984-3173

Ext- 437

Where do
cows go on
Friday
nights ?

Answer can be found
some where in this news
letter

COVID-19

Port Huron Housing Commission is dedicated to ensuring the health and safety of all residents and staff members. Therefore, if a member of your household is feeling ill with symptoms of COVID-19 or has tested positive please notify your Property Manager. Port Huron Housing Commission will keep all health related communication confidential as per the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

- Port Huron Housing Commission continues to provide residents the following guidelines:
- Visitors should be limited to those who are necessary for life sustainability
- Face masks should be worn by everyone when they are outside of their apartment or when maintenance is in their apartment
- Social distance by staying 6 feet apart will help keep you and your neighbors healthy and safe
- Washing hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Port Huron Housing Commission staff cleans and disinfects frequently touched areas that are open to the community throughout your village.

**Health Department:****Main Line (810) 987-5300****St. Clair County Health
Department COVID-19
Informational Hotline:
(810) 966-4163****MDHHS Hotline:
(888) 535-6136****Non-Emergent Help**

For non-emergent Mental health screenings call the **Access Center** during regular business hours, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.

- (888) 225-4447 (toll free)
- TTY: (888) 225-1973 (toll free)

Mental Health Crisis Help

For mental health crisis help call the Mobile Crisis Unit 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

- (888) 225-4447 (toll free)
- Direct line: (810) 966-2575

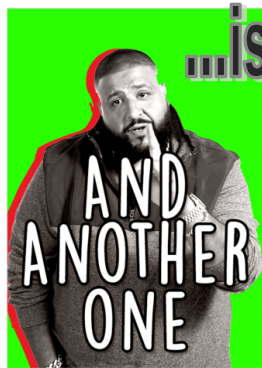
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ROSS GRANT NEWS

The Key to Success...

Community Foundation of St. Clair County "Complete Your Degree Program" provides full ride scholarships. Visit stclairfoundation.org for more details.

Your R.O.S.S. Service Coordinators will be happy to help you get through the application process.



...is to talk to your ROSS Service Coordinators!

Your R.O.S.S. Service Coordinators can help you get the things you need to succeed!

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HEALTHCARE

HIGH SCHOOL/

PHS Free WIFI Hotspot Locations

Port Huron Schools is providing free, high-speed Wi-Fi access to local students, faculty, and staff who may not have internet connectivity due to COVID-related school closures.

The hotspots are set up in PHS school parking lots, so users can follow social distancing guidelines while accessing the internet from their cars.

Students and staff can connect to the network using their school credentials (school-issued email and password).

Choose the "Community Education Network" to connect to the wireless network.

MARK LUNDHOLM

UPLIFTING THE LOCKDOWN
RECOVERY COMEDY TOUR

JOIN US FOR THIS LIVE
OUTDOOR EVENT
AT BWROC

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2021 AT 6 PM EDT

Recovery Comedy Show

Free · Blue Water Recovery & Outreach Center

Port Huron Community Calendar

IMPACT SESSIONS



May 25, and 26, 2021

June 29 and 30, 2021

July 27 and 28, 2021

August 24 and 25, 2021

September 28 and 29, 2021

October 26, and 27, 2021

November 23 and 24, 2021

December 14, and 15, 2021

Tuesday 9 AM - Noon we serve people whose last names begin with A-E

Tuesday 2 PM - 4 PM last names beginning with F-L

Tuesday 6 PM - 8 PM anyone who works Day Shift

Wednesday 9 AM - Noon for names beginning with M-R

Wednesday 2 PM - 4 PM last names beginning with S-Z

ROOMS WILL BE RESTOCKED BETWEEN SESSIONS.



Pop Up Mobile Food Pantry

May 12th

Port Huron Lanes 10am

May 20th

St. Paul Lutheran Church 11am



June 4th is National Cheese Day



The Indian EXPRESS