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# **Charity Bazaar offers BIG Bargains**

It will be a shopper's dream at the Maplewood Salvation Army on Saturday September 21. Area businesses have provided fabulous gift cards and new merchandise for the Charity Bazaar.

Dozens of items will be sold at door-buster prices, to benefit charity. 100% of proceeds will support the ongoing humanitarian work of the Salvation Army ... doing the most good to meet human needs, without discrimination, in God's name.

Come get your Christmas shopping done early. This indoor event takes place from 8:00 am - 2:00 pm at 7701 Rannells Ave in Maplewood. Free admission.

And that's not all! You can even sell your own wares and keep the profits for a small \$20 table rental fee. Call Terry at 781-5434 for details.

# Room at the Inn Golf Tournament & News

Hi Everyone,

We are doing great and having a wonderful summer. Our clients are participating in programming with our new partner agency, Better Family Life. Children are going to different camps. Swimming begins soon for everyone!

Our annual golf tournament fundraiser is set for September 23, 2019 again at Lake Forest Country Club. Look for information in this issue of The Pulse.

Do you have time? We need volunteer Van drivers, office volunteers, and volunteers to read to our children. If you can help, please call Cindy Warren at 314 209 9181 or cwarren@Roomstl.org.

Feel free to contact me directly with any questions. dweber@roomstl. org 314 209 9181

Thanks so much and we will be in touch again soon.

# Brentwood Lions 2nd Annual Trivia Night – October 12th

The Brentwood Lions will be hosting an evening of trivia and fun on Saturday October 12th. It's going to have a MOVIE and TV theme and participants are encouraged to decorate their tables and come dressed as their favorite big screen or TV character.

It will be held upstairs at the Goff-Moll American Legion Post, 2721 Collier Ave, Brentwood, MO 63144. Doors will open at 6pm and Trivia will start at 7pm.

There will be tables of eight (8) for \$160. Individual tickets are \$20 and if you don't have a full table, let us know and we should be able to find others to match you up with. The \$20 admission will include beer, soda, water and popcorn. You will be able to bring you own snacks, but you will NOT be allowed to bring in outside drinks or alcohol. Mixed drinks, other beer and wine can be purchased from the cash bar during the event.

We are also looking for local businesses to be sponsors for each round. Your company's information will be shared and displayed throughout the evening.

All proceeds will go to help the Brentwood Lions service activities such as purchasing eyeglasses, diabetes programs, student exchange program and helping others through Leader Dogs for the Blind and KidSight.

If you are interested in reserving a table or to be a sponsor, please contact Lion Eugene Taylor at (314) 660-1337 or LionPinkFloyd@sbcglobal.net.

You can also visit our website at www.brentwoodlions.org or our Facebook page.



# IT'S BACK TO SCHOOL TIME!

St. Mary Magdalen School children are ready for the new school year

# Brentwood High School Plans 3rd Weekend in September at BHS Amidst Construction

BHS "Under Construction" But 3rd Weekend Reunion is Still On!

As you may recall, Brentwood voters passed a Prop B measure which will result in many improvements to the Middle and High School campuses, including new safety features, new science labs, new commons/library space, and more. Construction began on June 1 and is moving full steam ahead. While this is exciting news for the school district and community, it will have an impact on our traditional 3rd Weekend in September Friday afternoon and evening activities. The courtyard is not available for use this year, and so the Alumni Board has worked closely with Superintendent Dr. Brian Lane on an alternative location, but keeping it at the school. The main activities, starting at 4 pm on Friday September 20th, will be on the track at the north end of the football field. (In case you forgot your directions from Mr. Brown's Geography class, this is the area by Moritz Avenue.) Registration, decade tables, sales of alumni items, and other typical reunion activities will take place in this area from 4-7 pm.

The construction has restricted some parking at the front of the school, but we anticipate plenty of parking on White Avenue, Moritz Avenue, other side streets, and even McGrath Elementary School, which is only a block from the high school. You will be able to enter the track from White Avenue, the Middle School, the front of the high school, or Moritz Avenue. Handicap access should be available from Moritz Avenue and the front of the high school.

We think you will be excited to see what's happening at your old school and hope to have tours of the school, including a look at the work-in-progress, which will be led by District personnel. You may even get a hard hat to wear. Don't forget that the Eagles football team will be playing Orchard Farm that evening at 7 pm and you're invited to stay and watch and visit the Eagles Nest Concession Stand before you move on to other watering holes in the area. Don't let a little dust and gravel stop you from coming back to good old BHS this September. We'll see you on the track!

Ed Wright, Jr. '67

# See page 22....we have added more locations for you to pick up your Pulse!

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#### DOLLY

Age: 7 years old Color: White and Brown Sex: Spayed Female First Day at APAMO: Jul 28,

DOLLY IS A SWEET GIRL LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME. SHE IS FRIENDLY WITH MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN. SHE IS HOUSE-BROKEN. DOLLY WOULD

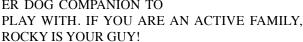


LOVE TO PLAY AND SNUGGLE WITH YOU!

# ROCKY

Age: 11 months old Color: Tricolor Sex: Neutered Male Weight: 38.60 lbs First Day at APAMO: Jul 29, 2019

ROCKY IS A HIGH ENER-GY PUP LOOKING FOR HIS NEW HOME! HE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE ANOTH-ER DOG COMPANION TO





Age: 2 years and 3 months old Color: Black and White Sex: Neutered Male Weight: 10.20 lbs First Day at APAMO: Apr 19, 2019

SPOT IS ACTIVE YOUNG BOY. HIS DREAM HOME WOULD BE FILLED WITH LOTS OF LOVE AND LOTS OF CAT TREES! HE WOULD



ALSO ENJOY A WARM LAP AND SOMEONE TO TALK TO.

# **PRUDENCE**

Age: 1 year and 3 months old Color: Calico Sex: Spayed Female Weight: 9.38 lbs First Day at APAMO: Apr 26, 2019

THIS GORGEOUS LADY IS A TALKER! SHE IS ALSO A LOVER. SHE LOVES TO BE PET AND SNUGGLE ON YOUR LAP.



# To Adopt

These animals and many others are available at the Animal Protective Association (APA) at 1705 S. Hanley (63144). Shelter adoption hours are 10am-5pm Monday-Saturday. The APA provides shelter and care for homeless pets, a low-cost veterinary clinic, lost-and-found assistance, humane education classes, and Domestic Violence Pet Assistance.

Research has shown that living with animals provides certain health benefits. The interaction can help lower blood pressure and lessen anxiety. Stroking a cat helps to relieve stress. Walking a dog is good exercise. Stay healthy...adopt a pet.

# **Angels in America: Parts One and Two** September 4 – October 6, 2019 at The Repertory Theatre



A towering epic that unveils new depths with each passing year, Tony Kushner's Tony- and Pulitzer Prize-winning masterpiece arrives on The Rep's stage for the first time. The AIDS epidemic is the flashpoint in Kushner's swirling tapestry of American culture, myths and spirituality. Navigating this maelstrom are Prior Walter, whose prophetic visions lead him toward an uncertain destiny, Joe Pitt, a devout and painfully closeted Mormon, and Roy Cohn, a lawyer whose AIDS diagnosis forces him to face a lifetime of misdeeds. These twin plays' vision of a wounded and chaotic nation struggling toward redemption is more urgent than ever.

Featuring Kushner's revised script that fueled acclaimed revivals on Broadway and London's West End, The Rep will present both parts of Angels in America in a rotating "rep" schedule throughout the run. That will include special marathon days with both parts performed back-to-back.

Headlining the cast are Meredith Baxter (Family Ties, All the President's Men) as Hannah, Barrett Foa (NCIS: Los Angeles) as Prior Walter and Peter Frechette (Thirtysomething) as Roy Cohn.

"Angels In America is one of the most iconic and revolutionary plays in the American Theatre," said Hana S. Sharif, The Rep's Augustin Family Artistic Director. "I am incredibly proud that this extraordinary group of artists has assembled to embark upon the epic journey into Tony Kushner's most brilliant and essential work of art."

Single tickets for the production will go on sale Monday, July 15. Season ticket packages are currently on sale at repstl. org or by calling The Rep's box office at 314-968-4925.

# **Centennial Old Time Baseball Game** Rescheduled for August 18th

Due to heavy rains during the week and wet grounds, the Centennial Old Time Baseball game scheduled for June 15th was postponed. It has been rescheduled for Sunday, August 18th, at Brentwood Park Diamond #1, also known as Jim Taylor Field at 7 pm.

Event coordinator, Ed Wright, Jr., said: "There was a conference among the team coaches and a meeting at the field among me and the Parks Department Director and fields supervisor. We really wanted to play, and the Parks Department staff worked hard to try and prepare the field. However, there was just too much water on the infield and ducks swimming in the outfield. I guess we could have held a swim meet."

The game in August will again feature players from St. Louis area vintage baseball teams who will play by 1919 rules in honor of Brentwood's 100th year. There will also be food trucks, free peanuts and crackerjack, plus giveaways (including authentic 1919 Cardinal jerseys). Centennial items, including t-shirts and commemorative coins, will be on sale. Residents may bring their own beverages, including alcoholic beverages to the park. They are also encouraged to bring lawn chairs.

"We heard from a lot of people that they were disappointed the game was postponed but plan to be there in August.", Wright said. "Our family is proud to sponsor the game and we hope to see a lot of our Brentwood friends there on the 18th."

The game is another Centennial event presented by the Brentwood Century Foundation. For information about other events, go to the website at Brentwood100.org.

# **Operation Clean Stream is** August 24th & 25th!

Sign up to volunteer today! Various locations in the Meramec Watershed



# Paddle for a Cause - Saturday September 7th

9:00am - 2:30pm

The Columbia Bottom Conservation Area

We hope you will join us for this fun-filled float on the Missouri River featuring Big Muddy Adventures Voyageur Canoes!

Ticket includes paddles, life jacket, and a delicious picnic lunch!

#### Connect with us!

Keep up with the latest happenings on our Facebook & Twitter and follow our blog for fun and informative content on conservation in our region!

Our office phone supports text messaging! Reach us with a phone call or text message at 314-835-9225.

# **Area Students Earn Spot on Spring** 2019 Semester Dean's List at UCM

The following local student(s) have earned a spot on the University of Central Missouri Dean's List. Each semester, the Dean's List is divided into two parts. The first list includes the names of students who have achieved a perfect 4.0 grade point average, and the second list includes the names of students who attained a grade point average of 3.50 to 3.99.

4.0 Dean's List **Brentwood** 

Sophia Marie Wilson Brentwood MO 63144-2306

Saint Louis

Wesley A Redstone Saint Louis MO 63119-3343

Benjamin Gray Berry Saint Louis MO 63126

Eliot James Hercules Saint Louis MO 63119-2617

Richard Lee Maddock Iii Saint Louis MO

3.5 to 3.99 Dean's List **Saint Louis** 

Britain Lee Bray Saint Louis MO 63122-4328

# Peat. Millie

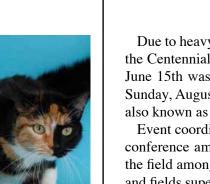
Mildred Mina Ralls Peat, died 30 July 2019 in Town and Country, Missouri, aged 98 years. Born 14 March 1921 in Portage Des Sioux to Byrd Augustus and Lola Edelen Ralls. Married to Charles John Peat for 67 years.

Survived by her children Barbara Jacobs of Salem,

and Robert (Cynthia Easterling) Peat of Brentwood. Millie leaves 9 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Also survived by beloved nieces Bette (Bill) Henderson of Kansas City, and Gail Jennings of Creve Coeur. Predeceased by her husband, son Charles, and sisters Thelma Ralls, Hilma Niehaus and Eunice Buchanan.

Millie's family is deeply indebted for the caring support of personal assistant Diana Pink, and to Millie's loving aides and friends during her residence at Mason Pointe.

Private services. Burial Mt. Lebanon Cemetery, St. Ann.





# Re-ranking the Cardinals prospects: Dylan Carlson takes over the number one spot

Much has been said and written in the last week about the prospects the Cardinals have coming up through their minor-league system; about the ones they weren't willing to include in a deal to acquire a major-league pitcher before the trading deadline, and the others the Cardinals were willing to trade but were not able to move for the player they wanted.

Both realities lead to questions about how good are these prospects, and what is the overall state of the Cardinals' farm system?

The answer, at least from one viewpoint, is that the top two prospects are elite, top 30 talents. Beyond that, however, is another truth – the farm system does not have as many high-quality prospects as it has had in recent years – which is why it was so hard for the Cardinals to make a trade.

Two of the players who are included in the top five in the farm system were just drafted in June, making them ineligible to be traded until after this season.

Another reason for the lack of top-level prospects in the system, of course, is due to the fact that many of those players have graduated to the major leagues. Others have already been traded in the last few years. Others have not progressed as well as the people running the farm system or those in charge of the draft had hoped, sometimes because of injuries.

On the Cardinals' current 25-man major-league roster, nine players were drafted and developed in the Cardinals' system. One, Carlos Martinez, was signed as an international amateur free agent. Eight were obtained in trades. Four were signed as free agents – all ways to build a roster.

The preferred way, at least from the Cardinals' point of view, is to sign and develop their own players – which is why their prospects are so important to them.

Each year, following the July 31 trade deadline, we re-rank the best prospects in the organization.

For the first time in four years, a player other than Alex Reyes is at the top of this year's list. Dylan Carlson has had a monster season at Double A Springfield and takes over the top spot as Reyes moves off, finally passing rookie eligibility standards in the majors even though he has spent much of this season on the injured list at Triple A Memphis.

As has been the case in past years, anybody who currently is playing in the major leagues is ineligible for selection, which explains the absence of catcher Andrew Knizner, pitcher Ryan Helsley and outfielder Lane Thomas, all of whom would have been ranked among the top nine prospects in the organization. Knizner was ranked seventh in 2018, Helsley was ranked sixth and Thomas, in his first full season in the organization, was listed as "a player to watch" at Memphis. Tommy Edman was listed as the player to watch at Springfield and moved from that status almost directly to the major leagues, which is why he is not included on the list.

Dropping off the list from last year were Carson Kelly, who ranked third, after he was traded to Arizona; Adolis Garcia, who was ninth the last two years but has now exceeded the maximum age limit (25) to be considered for this list, and Justin Williams, 12th a year ago as he joined the organization in the trade that sent Tommy Pham to Tampa. Injuries and a disappointing season resulted in his being dropped from the list.

Also gone are pitchers Evan Kruczynski, ranked 13th a year ago, and Derian Gonzalez, ranked 17th in 2018. Kruczynski did not pitch as well this season as in 2018 and Gonzalez, who pitched only 33 innings last year, has missed all of this season because of injuries.

There are nine newcomers on the list, including four players selected by the Cardinals in this year's draft. Since this is 2019, the list is now 19 players deep – plus the traditional "one to watch" category for each of the Cardinals' seven U.S.-based minor league teams. All statistics are through Sunday's games.

Here is the 2019 STLSportsPage.com list of the top 19 prospects in the Cardinals' organization:

# Dylan Carlson. Last year's ranking: 5

In two years Carlson has climbed from being ranked 14th to become the top prospect in the Cardinals' organization. The 20-year-old switch-hitting outfielder leads the Double A Texas League in home runs and runs and is among the league leaders in numerous other offensive categories, achieving all of that while being one of the youngest players in the league. Carlson has also shown he is more than capable of playing center field, and runs well enough that he profiles as a 20-20 type player in the major leagues as his power will only

continue to develop as he gets older. Respected for his high baseball IQ developed at an early age as the son of a high school coach and his maturity, Carlson is comfortable being the youngest player on his team, which will continue to serve him well when he reaches the major leagues.

Major-league ETA: 2020

Nolan Gorman. Last year's ranking: 2

A year younger than Carlson at 19, the third baseman and No. 1 pick in the 2018 draft is similiar to Carlson in baseball IQ and maturity. The left-handed hitter has more natural power than Carlson and profiles as more of a middle of the order bat. Gorman began the year in Peoria and was promoted to Palm Beach, where he has been able to handle to tough adjustment of hitting in the Florida State League. He is on the same path as Carlson, which means he likely will be playing in Springfield next season, which should provide the same boost to his offensive numbers that it did for Carlson. Gorman's defense is still a work in progress, and he will have to show that he can stick at third base as he advances through the higher levels of the organization, but there is no doubt his bat will play.

Major-league ETA: 2021

Trejyn Fletcher. Last year's ranking: Not in the organization This ranking might be a little premature, but it reflects the potential of the 18-year-old outfielder, picked in the second round of this year's draft out of a high school in Maine. Fletcher was able to be drafted this year after reclassifying in the spring; if he had remained in next year's draft he already had been tabbed by one scouting service as the top prep player in the country and had been committed to Vanderbilt. A right-handed hitter, scouts project that Fletcher has the ability to develop into a five-tool player. He was promoted from the Gulf Coast League to Johnson City after just eight games and in his first 27 pro games had three homers and 20 RBIs despite being mostly used as the leadoff hitter. The grind of playing every day, after a very limited schedule of games in high school, is going to be an adjustment.

Major-league ETA: 2023

Elehuris Montero. Last year's ranking: 4

Montero's rise through the organization was stalled this year because of injuries that kept him out for much of the season. He missed three weeks in May and then was hurt again between late May and late July. When the third baseman was healthy, he showed the same offensive ability which made him the MVP in the Midwest League in 2018. Montero, who will turn 21 later this month, hit five homers and drove in 15 runs in 32 games at Springfield, although his average tailed off because of his prolonged absence. Like Carlson, he was one of the youngest players in the league. It will be interesting to see if the Cardinals try to place him in the Arizona Fall League so he could recoup some of the at-bats he lost this season because of the injuries.

Major-league ETA: 2021

Zack Thompson. Last year's ranking: Not in the organization

The left-handed starter was the Cardinals' top pick in this year's draft and was limited in his first pro season because of the heavy workload he carried this spring at the University of Kentucky. He logged just eight appearances in his first two months in the system, a total of eight innings, but did record 14 strikeouts. The Cardinals believe the 21-year-old could move quickly next season, probably splitting time between Palm Beach and Springfield, due in part to their lack of high-end left-handed starting prospects at the top level of the system.

Major-league ETA: September 2021

# Junior Fernandez. Last year's ranking: 14

It took overcoming injuries and a move to the bullpen, but Fernandez appears to finally be developing into the pitcher the Cardinals thought they signed as a17-year-old international free agent in 2014. Since his promotion from Springfield to Memphis in late June, Fernandez has been dominant, allowing three earned runs in 19 innings with 22 strikeouts. His control can sometimes still be an issue, but that and trying to find a spot on the 40-man roster is all that appears to be keeping him from being promoted to the major leagues. Fernandez was left unprotected in the Rule 5 draft last winter and went unclaimed, but that won't happen again this year.

Major-league ETA: September

#### Malcom Nunez. Last year's ranking: 18

The 18-year-old third baseman made a big jump in the prospect rankings after he moved from the Dominican Summer League, the lowest level in the system, to Johnson City. The Cardinals gave him a brief exposure at Peoria, but he struggled at that level. Since arriving in Johnson City, where he is still one of the youngest players in the league, Nunez has posted a .349 average in 16 games. The only concern about the 5-foot-11 right-handed hitter is his weight, now higher than his listed weight of 205 pounds. The native of Cuba will have to be able to control his weight gain if he wants to both remain a third baseman and advance through the system.

Major-league ETA: 2023

#### Randy Arozarena. Last year's ranking: 8

All that has kept Arozarena from being promoted from Memphis to the major leagues this season has been the lack of a spot on the 40-man roster and an opportunity for playing time in the crowded Cardinals outfield. It certainly has not been because of a lack of production. Once the 24-year-old recovered from a broken hand suffered when he was hit by a pitch in spring training he has not stopped hitting, producing a .381 average in 45 games at Memphis to go along with an OPS of 1.032. Including 28 games at Springfield, his combined totals so far this season include a .356 average, nine homers and 15 stolen bases. There does not appear to be much more he needs to do in Triple A before getting a chance in the majors.

Major-league ETA: September

#### Johan Oviedo. Last year: Not ranked

Oviedo, another of the players the Cardinals have signed out of Cuba like Arozarena and Nunez in recent years, was ranked 10th on this list two years ago but fell out of the rankings a year ago as he struggled. Still just 21, the 6-foot-6 right-hander has rebounded this season. He started out the season at Palm Beach, going 5-0 with a 1.60 ERA, earning a promotion to Springfield. He has not been as successful yet at that level, but the Cardinals are encouraged by his progress. He still walks too many hitters, but he also has continued to average more than a strikeout per inning.

Major-league ETA: 2022

#### Ivan Herrera. Last year: Not ranked

A native of Panama, Herrara was listed as the player to watch last season from the Gulf Coast League Cardinals, where the right-handed hitting catcher was one of the best hitters in the league. Despite being only 18 when the year began, he jumped all the way to Peoria and acquitted himself well, earning a mid-season promotion to Palm Beach. Herrara's bat is still ahead of his defense behind the plate, but he has thrown well and shown improved arm strength this year and the Cardinals are encouraged by his progress.

Major-league ETA: 2023

# Jake Woodford. Last year's ranking: 15

A first-round pick out of high school in Tampa in 2015, the right-handed Woodford has made steady progress as he climbed through the minor leagues and is now on the cusp of a promotion to the Cardinals. He has not been as consistent this season, his first full year in Triple A, as the organization would like. He has had three starts this season when he pitched seven scoreless innings, but the 22-year-old also has had five starts when he allowed five or more runs. Even though he has been a starter throughout his professional career, a move to the bullpen at some point is a possibility. He was used in relief in major-league spring training games and performed well.

Major-league ETA: September

# Julio Rodriguez. Last year's ranking: 16

Another catcher, who turned 22 in June, Rodriguez earned a promotion from Palm Beach to Springfield that coincided with Herrera's move up to Palm Beach. He was solid on both offense (7 homers in 71 games) and defense in the Florida State League and in his minor-league career has thrown out more than 50 percent of opposing basestealers. His defensive performance should not be affected by his move to Double A but the Cardinals want to see how he handles the necessary offensive adjustments.

Major-league ETA: 2022

# Genesis Cabrera. Last year's ranking: 11

The Cardinals were excited by Cabrera's performance in winter ball coming into spring training, but the left-hander has not pitched as well as they had hoped this season, including in his brief time in the major leagues. Obtained from Tampa in the trade for Tommy Pham last year, Cabrera still has two things going for him – the ability to throw a ball hard, and age, as he won't turn 23 until October. There still is a bit of

# Re-ranking the Cardinals prospects

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uncertainty about whether he profiles better as a starter or reliever; the team's need at the big-league level might be the determining factor for his future.

Major-league ETA: 2020

#### Griffin Roberts. Last year's ranking: 10

This has not been a good season for Roberts, the Cardinals' second pick in the 2018 draft. The right-hander from Wake Forest began the year serving a 50-game suspension after testing positive for marijuana and then has not pitched well after that in Palm Beach, where he was 0-6 in his first nine starts with a 5.82 ERA before finally earning his first pro win on Sunday with six shutout innings. As is the case with Cabrera, Roberts could become a reliever at some point in his career – he both started and relieved in college – but using him as a starter now gives him more experience and letshim log more innings. Perhaps starting out fresh and on time next spring will help his performance.

Major-league ETA: 2021

#### Jhon Torres. Last year: Not ranked

One of three players at rookie league Johnson City to be ranked in the top 15, Torres is in his first full season in the organization after being one of two outfielders acquired from Cleveland at last year's deadline that sent Oscar Mercado to the Indians. A 6-foot-4 right-handed hitter, the 19-year-old Torres got a brief trial at Peoria, like Nunez, but has thrived since moving down to Johnson City with four homers and 11 RBI in his first 18 games. In less than three full seasons in the minors, 137 games combined between the Cleveland and Cardinals' organizations, Torres has 17 homers and 84 RBIs.

Major-league ETA: 2024

#### Angel Rondon. Last year: Not ranked

A right-handed pitcher, Rondon, 21, was signed as an international free agent out of the Dominican Republic in 2016. He has gone back and forth this season between Palm Beach and Springfield, compiling a combined record of 9-4 with a 2.63 ERA in 22 starts. He has averaged a strikeout per inning and limited opposing hitters to a .208 average. A strong finish to this season in Springfield could position Rondon for a chance to make the Memphis rotation next year.

Major-league ETA: 2021

#### Kodi Whitley. Last year: Not ranked

A 24-year-old right-handed reliever, Whitley might become the latest small-college, late-round find for the Cardinals. He was drafted in the 27th round in 2017 out of Mont Olive, N.C., and began this year in Palm Beach but already has reached Memphis because of his ability to throw strikes. In a combined 52 innings he has walked 16 while recording 61 strikeouts and posting a 1.73 ERA, converting eight of 10 save opportunities.

Major-league ETA: 2021

# Tony Locey. Last year: Not in the organization

The Cardinals' third-round pick in this year's draft out of the University of Georgia, the 21-year-old Locey was quickly moved to Peoria after just two games in the Gulf Coast League. As is the case with all of the college pitchers in their first year with the organization, the Cardinals are carefully monitoring his workload this season so he has had only a limited number of appearances, nine, covering 12 2/3 innings, but he has struck out 24 hitters. Five of the eight runs he has allowed came in one outing. The Cardinals will need to decide whether to develop him as a starter or a reliever.

Major-league ETA: 2022

# Logan Gragg. Last year: Not in the organization

Selected in the eighth round out of Oklahoma State, the right-handed Gragg is 6-foot-5 and will turn 21 this month. He began his pro career in State College but already has been promoted to Peoria, where he has made two starts. In a combined 21 innings he has struck out 25 hitters, walked only five and posted a 2.91 ERA. Depending on how he finishes this season, Gragg likely will either return to Peoria or move to Palm Beach to begin next season.

Major-league ETA: 2023

Here is the bonus list of one more "player to watch" for each of the Cardinals' U.S.-based affiliates:

**Memphis – Edmundo Sosa** has seemingly been listed as a prospect forever, but still is only 23 and in his first full season in Triple A. He has shown more power this year, hitting 12 homers, and profiles as a player who likely could succeed in the majors as at least a utility infielder if not as a starter.

**Springfield** – If nothing else, **Lars Nootbaar** deserves to be on a watch list for likely having the best name in the organization. The left-handed hitting outfielder has some ability to go along with his name, however, becoming the first position player from the 2018 draft to make it to the Double A level.

**Palm Beach** – Another player featured on this prospect list in the past who has earned his way back to at least become a player to watch is right-hander **Alvaro Seijas**. He is still only 20, and the native of Venezuela has a combined record of 5-6 with a 3.22 ERA this year as a starter in Peoria and Palm Beach.

**Peoria** – After struggling to get untracked in his first three pro seasons, **Brady Whalen** has hit much better this season, leading the Midwest League with 71 RBIs. He also ranks among the league leaders with 26 doubles. Drafted as third baseman out of a high school in Washington, Whalen has moved to first base and should be line for a promotion to Palm Beach and perhaps can reach Springfield next year.

State College – Another player who has progressed this year after two struggling

seasons, in part because of injuries, is outfielder **Terry Fuller**. The 15th-round pick in 2017 signed with the Cardinals out of a Georgia high school, turning down a chance to play college football at Auburn. Fuller was promoted to State College after starting the year at Johnson City. Only 20, he had a .288 average in his first 17 games with the Spikes.

**Johnson City - Mateo Gil** is the son of former major-league Benji Gil and was drafted in the third round last season, signing with the Cardinals instead of going to TCU. He turned 19 last month and has spent this season in Johnson City as the team's shortstop.

**Gulf Coast League** – Another shortstop to watch is **Franklin Soto**, also 19, who moved to the U.S. after playing two years for the Cardinals' Dominican Summer League team. He was one of nine members of the first high school graduating class from the Cardinals' academy in the Dominican Republic earlier this year.

Follow Rob Rains on Twitter @RobRains Photo by Mark Harrell/Springfield Cardinals

# Missouri's National Veterans Memorial More than a replica

It was a dreary 2018 autumn morning when the final touches of Missouri's Vietnam Wall replica were completed. Speak with anyone who was there, and the last thing they'll mention is the weather.

For us, this day marked the finalization of our first goal: Bring America's Wall to the heartland.

This awe-inspiring full-scale Wall offers veterans, civilians and those currently serving

a place to reflect on the sacrifices of all service men and women in the quiet, peaceful setting that Perryville offers – at no cost.

Our Memorial is located 1.5 hours from St. Louis, Mo., and approximately 3 miles off a major interstate at 1172 Veterans Memorial Pkwy, Perryville, MO 63775 making it easily accessible for visitors, especially those with limited capacity for travel.

Missouri's National Veterans Memorial is destined to grow. While we do not charge admission, we ask for a small donation of \$10 per person to continue our important work.



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The Missouri Wine Wobble will hold its fourth bi-annual run on Sat., Oct. 5 at Cedar Lake Cellars located at 11008 Schreckengast Rd. in Wright City, Mo. Doors open at 2 p.m. for those 21 years of age and older. Participants can chose to run a 5k race or take a 1k shortcut. The race starts at 4 p.m., and an after-race party will take place from 6 to 10 p.m.

The vineyard and trail run includes a liquid lineup of three tastings along the course and one at the finish line. All runners receive a race t-shirt and souvenir glass for future sipping.

The race is an untimed event. Prizes will be awarded for the best race costumes and best after-party dancers. Tickets range from \$25 to \$60. For more information, call (314) 569-3005 or visit http://www.missouri-winerun.com.





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5-9 pm - Free Carnival Rides

5:30-8 pm - Kids Tent

7-10 pm - Live music

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12 pm - Parade

Ipm - Crounds Open

1-7:30 pm - Free Carnival Rides

2-4 pm - Bingo

I-9 pm - Kids Tent

6-9 pm - Live music from

Dr. Zhivegas

9:00 - Firework Show!

# Free Shuttle Gervice on Saturday

Passengers will be picked up at both Brentwood City Hall and the Brentwood Recreation Complex.

Shuttle to Parade Route: IO am-I2 pm Shuttle to Brentwood Park: I-9:30 pm

# Boaters: Know Before You Go!

Captain Matt Walz, director of the Missouri State Highway Patrol's Water Patrol Division, is emphasizing the importance of boaters being informed about river and lake conditions before they put their vessels into the water. Recreational boaters are being discouraged from operating their vessels on flooded waterways where property will be negatively impacted by boat wakes, especially over the upcoming holiday weekend. Labor Day weekend is generally one of the busiest of the boating season: Use caution in selecting your destination. The high-water levels on many of the waterways around our state will impact property, including structures in some areas, and boat wakes will only increase the damage. By state law, boat operators are required to operate in a careful and prudent manner and exercise the highest degree of care.

Boaters are encouraged to use the old boating adage of know before you go and to research the river and lake conditions before operating a vessel in a flood-affected area. Many waterways, regardless of current water levels, will contain a significant amount of floating debris due to the recent heavy rains and high-water levels. Thus, boaters must maintain a proper lookout for potential hazards in the water and exercise caution. In addition, many of the boat access areas on waterways may be affected.

Wearing a life jacket is always a great idea. But, if you choose not to wear your life jacket, it must be readily accessible.

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# **Brentwood Board of Aldermen Minutes**

Ward 1

Ward 3

PARTIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN REGULAR MEETING

Monday, June 17, 2019, 7:00 PM

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Dimmitt.

2. ROLL CALL A. Roll Call

Present: Mayor David Dimmitt, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge



**David Dimmit** 

Municipal Judge

Patrick Dignam

Mayor



Alderman

Andy Leahy

Alderwoman Alderman Nancy Parker Tice David Plufka



Ward<sub>2</sub>

Ward 4

Alderwoman Sunny Sims



Alderman **Brandon Wegge** 



Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill



Alderman Tom Kramer

A quorum was present and Mayor Dimmitt presided

Staff: City Administrator Bola Akande, City Attorney Helmut Starr, Planning and Development Director Lisa Koerkenmeier, Parks and Recreation Director Eric Gruenenfelder, Finance Director Karen Shaw, Deputy City Clerk Shelly Todd, Public Works Director Dan Gummersheimer, Communications Manager Janet Levy, Police Chief Joe Spiess, Fire Chief Terry Kurten, Assistant Fire Chief Ronnie Cottrell

#### 5. PUBLIC HEARINGS

A. Case #19-11 - A Public Hearing to consider amendment of a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) and Site Plan Review to amend the CUP for a Brentwood Promenade to allow a second bank and office space for property zoned "PD" Planned Development Overlay District and located at 5 Brentwood Promenade Court

Mayor Dimmitt opened the public hearing for Case #19.11 at 7:02PM. There were no comments.

Mayor Dimmitt closed the public hearing at 7:03 PM.

#### 6. CITIZEN COMMENTS

A. Citizen Comments

Sherri Bilderbach resident at 8914 Lawn Avenue commended and thanked OB. Clark's, the City and the Police Department for allowing the St. Louis Blues celebration. It was a safe event and hope it happens again.

Stu Clark, resident on Sinclair Avenue stated OB. Clark's is a great sports bar and the police did a great job during the celebration.

# 7. MAYOR AND ALDERMEN REPORTS

A. Mayor Dimmitt

City Administrator Akande stated we have vacancies in the Architecture Review Board. Resumes of interest and applications are being accepted.

Planning & Development Director Koerkenmeier stated ARB is a very specialized committee. Our existing code requires a member to be a registered architect and a resident of Brentwood. The Board is composed of four (4) regular members and two (2) alternates. The department is considering expanding the code to other disciplines related to architecture. We will present to the Board at a future date.

Motion to approve the reappointment of Tom Shipley and Hart Nelson to the Planning and Zoning Commission and Carl Karlen on the Architecture Review Board.

Motion by Alderwoman Sunny Sims, second by Alderman Steve Lochmoeller.

Approved by voice vote. Motion passed.

Yea: Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

Motion to appoint Kathy Ryan to the Library Board.

Motion by Alderman Andy Leahy, second by Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice.

Approved by voice vote. Motion passed.

Yea: Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

E. Alderwoman O'Neill

Hillary Ganz has resigned from the library. She was responsible for programming that has been expanding the adult programs. The position will be posted.

#### 8. CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Alderman

Steve Lochmoeller

A. Brentwood Bound Update

Craig Schulter, Principal of Navigate Building Solutions stated recent investment costs include the acquisition of the West Properties that will be closing on June 20, 2019. The total spent to date is \$7,583,202.50. Direct project costs include Deer Creek Flood Mitigation Design and Engineering, Manchester Road Improvements' Design and Engineering, and a property appraisal. The total spent to date is \$2,798,316.54. Recent indirect costs include property acquisition legal fees, property acquisition commissioner fees, and project management services. The total spent to date is \$1,417,700.49.

#### 9. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Standing Committees Reports

Motion to approve the consent agenda 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of May 6, 2019, 9C. Minutes of May 20, 2019, 9D. Warrant Lists, 9E. 2019 Board of Directors Community Improvement District, 9F. Resolution No. 1149, 9G. Annual Liquor License Renewal, 9H. Resolution No. 1150

Motion by Alderman Brandon Wegge, second by Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

E. 8750 Manchester Road Community Improvement District - Approving 2019 Board of Directors Community Improvement District

Motion to approve the consent agenda 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of May 6, 2019, 9C. Minutes of May 20, 2019, 9D. Warrant Lists, 9E. 2019 Board of Directors Community Improvement District, 9F. Resolution No. 1149, 9G. Annual Liquor License Renewal, 9H. Resolution No. 1150

Motion by Alderman Brandon Wegge, second by Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

F. Resolution No. 1149 - A Resolution Authorizing An Agreement Between The City Of Brentwood And PGAV Planners LCC, Regarding Updating City Of Brentwood Existing Zoning Map Alderman Lochmoeller asked if zoning map scope of work will include the property acquired from Webster Groves.

Planning & Development Director Koerkenmeier stated the updated map will be completed before those properties are rezoned.

Motion to approve the consent agenda 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of May 6, 2019, 9C. Minutes of May 20, 2019, 9D. Warrant Lists, 9E. 2019 Board of Directors Community Improvement District, 9F. Resolution No. 1149, 9G. Annual Liquor License Renewal, 9H. Resolution No. 1150

Motion by Alderman Brandon Wegge, second by Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

H. Resolution No. 1150- A Resolution Authorizing An Agreement Between The City Of Brentwood and Donelson Construction Company For Sealant Application On City Streets

Alderman Leahy asked for the 8750 Manchester Road Community Improvement District (CID) financial statement.

> Motion to approve the consent agenda 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of May 6, 2019, 9C. Minutes of May 20, 2019, 9D. Warrant Lists, 9E. 2019 Board of Directors Community Improvement District, 9F. Resolution No. 1149, 9G. Annual Liquor License Renewal, 9H. Resolution No. 1150

> Motion by Alderman Brandon Wegge, second by Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

# 11. NEW BUSINESS

A. Bill No. 6242 - An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 3528 And Granting A Conditional Use Permit For A Second Bank And Office Space And Amending The Approved Site Develop-

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The Brentwood Police Department reminds residents to lock their vehicles, even if nothing of value is in sight.



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ment Plan For The Brentwood Promenade (Formerly The Promenade At Brentwood) Development Specifically For Property Numbered 5 Brentwood Promenade Court.

Bill No. 6242 was read for the first time by City Attorney Starr by title only

.Planning & Development Director Koerkenmeier stated this parcel is in the Brentwood Promenade that includes an existing building. Received a proposal from Chase Bank to use the building for a bank. There would be some space that they would not need at this time that would be rented for office space. We reviewed the original conditional use permit that sets out the land uses for the Brentwood Promenade it called out that there was one bank that was permitted but that was to accommodate the existing UMB Bank. For a second bank, the CUP would have to be amended. The drive-up ATM didn't require changing the parking along the north property line. It's 90-degree angle would be switched to 45-degree angle in order to accommodate the ATM drive-thru. It went through Planning and Zoning Commission last week and they approved it to a vote for six (6) ayes and zero (0) nays. A traffic report concluded no issues. We didn't have anybody at the meeting come and speak in favor or opposition. The petitioner is asking for consideration for both first and second reading of the ordinance because they would like to start construction this summer if approved and the Board meetings are in the summer schedule. Alderman Lochmoeller asked if we could update the total

Planning and Development Koerkenmeier stated when they market the Brentwood Promenade, there's a map showing of all of the existing businesses and the square footages. If there would be any reason that we would need to look at the current ordinance for the development, we could look at that as well.

square footage that's there.

Alderwoman O'Neill stated there was a proposal for a walking path through the parking lot from one side of the Promenade to the other and it would illuminate people wandering through the cars. Asked if it's still in the works.

Planning and Development Koerkenmeier stated her recollection is they don't want to give up any parking because it's such a premium. The Department could revisit but it is private property. The property manager would have to support, and the owner would have to agree to. Mayor Dimmitt inquired about the signage.

Planning and Development Koerkenmeier stated the signage plan is permitted because there's a couple of frontages to work. The tenant space should be able to signage as well.

to work. The tenant space should be able to signage as well. If the tenant wanted additional signage or if it would be something that would not be allowed with the sign package for the Promenade, it would have to be reviewed by the Boards.

Bill No. 6242 was ready for the second time by City Attorney Starr by title only.

Bill No. 6242 becomes Ordinance No. 4880.

Motion for a second reading of Bill No. 6242 by title only. Motion by Alderman Brandon Wegge, second by Alderwoman Sunny Sims.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge

# 12. CITIZEN COMMENTS

A. Citizen Comments

Barry Williams, resident at 9001 Pine Avenue asked for the Board's support to rename Memorial Park after the Madden family who settled this community and founded it a long time ago. The family isn't recognized in the community. Asked for consideration to rename Memorial Park with Madden Park and recognize the family that made this community possible for us. It would be wonderful to do it in time for the Centennial this December.

Alderman Leahy stated there are two (2) streets in the city of Brentwood that are named for Thomas Madden and his wife's two daughters, Annalee and Madge.

Alderwoman O'Neill stated for several years I've been saying we need to replace Hanley Industrial Drive and with actual names. Maybe this is a time to do North Madden and South Madden or something of the sort.

Mayor Dimmitt stated the topic can be discussed at one of the committees.

# 14. ADJOURNMENT

A. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to exit executive session and adjourn the regular meeting at 9:05 PM.

Motion by Alderwoman Sunny Sims, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.

Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderman Steve Lochmoeller, Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderman David Plufka, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge



# Take Action For Cleaner Air During the Peak Summer Heat To Maintain Healthy Lungs

Breathing comes so naturally that we oftentimes give it little thought and take our lungs for granted. The reality is, every cell of our body counts on them and the oxygen they supply, which is why it is so important to prioritize lung health, especially during extreme weather conditions. While last week's record temperatures abated before the air quality conditions deteriorated, summer in St. Louis means more sunny days with 90°+ temperatures are on the horizon and, along with them, the potential for poor air quality conditions.

With the risks from airborne pollution so great, the Clean Air Partnership seeks to inform people who may be in danger during the hot summer months, including children and teens, anyone 65 and older, people who work or exercise outdoors, and people with existing lung diseases or cardiovascular disease. While cities all across the nation have made significant strides towards cleaning up the air, still, more than 141 million people live in counties with unhealthy levels of ozone or particle pollution—meaning the air we breathe could pose an increased risk of premature death, cause lung cancer or other harmful effects.

According to the findings of this year's "State of the Air" report from the American Lung Association, more than 75,200 people with lung cancer live in counties that received an "F" for at least one pollutant. Similarly, more than 8,600 people with lung cancer live in counties failing all three tests. In St. Louis County alone, nearly 85,000 adults suffer from lung cancer or cardiovascular disease.

"Fortunately, there are several things that individuals can do to preserve lung health and breathe easier this summer," said Susannah Fuchs, Director, Clean Air for the American Lung Association in Missouri. "Exercise helps to strengthen the lungs, however, it's important to workout indoors on poor air quality days as heat can trigger an asthma attack or cause symptoms of COPD to flare up. Practicing specific breathing exercises – like slowly inhaling and exhaling – is another great way to help keep your lungs in shape and improve their capacity."

The Clean Air Partnership helps play a significant role in raising awareness about all the ways people in the St. Louis region can reduce emissions to help keep the air quality in healthy ranges. As a driving force in the fight for cleaner air, The Partnership is best known for its daily air quality forecasting. St. Louisans can stay tuned all summer long by signing up at www.cleanair-stlouis.com to receive forecasts that utilize a color-coded system designed to keep individuals informed about ozone pollution levels in the region, and how those levels can affect their health.

# Brentwood Centennial Race to Recall Historic Run to the Courthouse

On Saturday, September 21st, the Brentwood Century Foundation will hold another Centennial event: "the race to the courthouse". Brentwood was incorporated as a city in 1919 when Brentwood citizens "raced" to the courthouse and filed incorporation papers before the citizens of neighboring Maplewood could annex the area. This gave birth to a Brentwood-Maplewood rivalry that continues to this day.

To commemorate this event, there will be a 5K race and 1M Race/walk starting at 7:30 am on the 21st. Runners/walkers will meet at Memorial Park on Strassner Drive in Brentwood (across from the Mid-County Y building). Early registration (before August 31st) is \$25 for the 5 K and \$15 for the 1 M. Starting September 1st and up to the day of the race, the registration fee goes up \$5.

"We hope to see a great turnout to celebrate Brentwood's centennial and a chance to see parts of our great city." said events coordinator, Keith Rabenberg. "We've held these races before and everybody has fun."

Participants will receive t shirts (listing the sponsoring companies), participation medals, treats and other giveaways donated by local sponsors. Top finishers will receive special medals. Sponsorships are still available. Contact the Brentwood Century Foundation at Brentwood 100.org.

To register for the race, go to the web site for Brentwood Century Foundation at Brentwood100.org<a href="http://Brentwood100.org">http://Brentwood100.org</a>. For more information, contact racetothecourthouse921@gmail.com<a href="mailto:racetothecourthouse921@gmail.com">mailto:racetothecourthouse921@gmail.com</a>. Keith Rabenberg can also be reached at (314) 954-2543.

# CANstruction® Raises More Than 25,000 Pounds of Food

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CANstruction®, a design/build charity competition, recently donated more than 25,000 pounds of non-perishable food to Operation Food Search (OFS) valued at over \$42,000. The collected cans represent enough for OFS to feed 6,305 people for one day.

Nine teams from St. Louis area architectural and engineering firms designed and built structures entirely out of cans that were then donated to OFS. The structures were built and displayed for one week at the Saint Louis Science Center around the theme "Pollinators". Hastings+Chivetta Architects hosted the build.

Founded in 1992, CANstruction is an international non-profit charity which distributes millions of pounds of food to local hunger relief organizations annually through its unique design/build competitions and special events. The events are held across North and South America, Europe, Australia, and Asia.

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Operation Food Search is located at 1644 Lotsie Blvd. For more information, call (314) 726-5355 or visit http://www.OperationFood-Search.org.

# LAURA PARK-LEACH TO LEAD THE ST. LOUIS SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED

The Board of Directors of the St. Louis Society for the Blind and Visually Impaired are pleased to announce that Laura Park-Leach will succeed David Ekin as their next President on July 31, 2019.

Park-Leach has an extensive background in assisting people with blindness and low vision. Since 2014, she has held the position of Senior Vice-President for the Metrolina Association for the Blind, Vision Rehabilitation Services, in Charlotte, NC and has been with the Association since 1990.

As Senior Vice President, Park-Leach supervised a team of optometrists, occupational therapists, low vision therapists, vision rehabilitation therapists, orientation and mobility specialists, social workers and support personnel who served over 1700 clients last year. She also managed the organization's contributed revenue and marketing efforts.

From 1990 until 2014, she was Vice-President of Personal Adjustment and Rehabilitation Services (later renamed Vision Rehabilitation Services (VRS)) and an Orientation and Mobility Specialist.

The Association has provided services since 1934 to people who are the blind and visually impaired. VRS provides therapeutic case management, counseling, vision rehabilitation therapy, orientation and mobility, low vision medical exams and therapy, and support services.

Prior to joining the Association, she was Program Director for New Beginnings Adult Day Care for the Disabled, Manitowoc, WI; Orientation and Mobility Specialist for Belchertown State School, Belchertown, MI; and Orientation and Mobility Specialist for the Montana School for the Deaf and Blind, Great Falls, MT.

Since 2014, Park-Leach has raised \$1,461,191, of which \$768,738 is attributed to Federal grants in the Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities Program and the New Freedom Program for Metrolina Association for the Blind client transportation.

She is currently a Pedestrian Committee Member of the Transportation Board of the National Academy of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, and an Environmental Access Committee Member of the Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired.

Among her many awards during her career, in 2018 she received the Cathy Holden Excellence in Managerial Leadership Award, VisionServe Alliance, and the Rachel Rawls Award from the NC Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired in 2013.

She is a member of the Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired, is Certified as an Orientation & Mobility Specialist (COMS) through the Academy for Certification of Vision Rehabilitation and Education Professionals (ACVREP) and a member of the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

Her presentations include "What's That on the Sidewalk: Safety Issues, Mobility Benefits and Policy Issues of Emerging Transportation Devices" for the Transportation Research Board, Charlotte Area Transit Sensitivity Trainings for Paratransit and Transit Drivers employed by CATS, and the Charlotte Walks Pedestrian Plan for the Charlotte City Council.

Park-Leach received a B.S.W. at North Carolina State University and a Master of Education as an Orientation and Mobility Specialist from the University of Arkansas Little Rock. She also earned a Certificate in Non-Profit Management from Duke University.

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August and September News - Closed for Holidays on September 1 & 2 All Library events are free and open to the public. All dates subjec to change.

#### **Kids' Programs**

#### **Baby and Toddler Story Time**

Tuesdays, 9:30 am Please join us for stories, songs, and rhymes from 9:30-9:45 a.m. For children ages birth-3.

#### **Pre-K Story Time**

Tuesdays, 10:30 am Join us for stories, songs, and rhymes from 10:30-11 a.m. For children ages 3-5.

#### Tails & Tales with Murphy the Dog

Wednesday, September 4 at 3:30 pm CHAMPS therapy dog, Murphy, will stop by to hear you read your favorite stories. Come pet Murphy and read books!

#### Children's Yoga

Thursdays, 9:30 am Yoga session for children and their caregivers. Classes are led by Complete Harmony Yoga instructors. Please bring a yoga mat.

# Movie and Snacks

Saturday, September 28 at 10 am (Movie TBA)

Watch recently released family movies on the big screen. Snacks will be provided. Bring pillows and blankets to get comfortable!

# **Paws for Reading**

Thursday, August 22 at 6 pm Thursday, September 26 at 6pm Dogs make the best listeners! Read your favorite book to a dog from Support Dogs, Inc.

# Arts & Crafts Club

Every Tuesday starting in September | 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Arts & Crafts Club is a weekly opportunity for middle school age children to create in an unstructured, social setting. Have fun and make new things!

# Family Craft - Paint a Wooden Car

Friday, September 20 | 3:30 p.m. Paint on a wooden car and take it home! We will provide all supplies. Free and open to children and families.

# Adult Programs:

# Art Dahling

Thursday, August 22, 6-7:30 pm Gel Printing demonstration

We are starting a monthly art journal group. Each month we will demonstrate a new technique to try. You can create along with us or work on your own project amongst fellow artists.

# **Adult Craft**

Wednesday, September 4 at 6 pm Thursday, September 12 at 10 am Limit of 12 people to a craft. Registration required, call Gina at 963-8636 or email at ggibbons@bplmo.org.

#### **Brentwood Book Club**

Tuesday, August 13, and September 10 at 6:30 pm

In August we'll be reading The Story of Arthur Truluv by Elizabeth Berg. For September, pick up American By Day by Derek Miller. Ask for a copy at the desk. Newcomers are always welcome and no registration is required.

**Resolutions Book Club** (meets every other month)

Wednesday, September 18, 6:30-7:30 nm

Together we are sharing our personal goals for 2019 and cheering each other on. September's book will be The Motivation Myth by Jeff Haden. Most of the conversation is about how to create healthy habits to meet and sustain our goals.

#### Walking Club

Thursdays at 9 am June-September and 12 pm October- May

We have cancelled Walking Club for August. We will resume in September at 9 a.m. at the library.

Join us any Thursday for a 30-45 min walk through the neighborhood. We start from the library; please bring appropriate footwear and clothes. Weather dependent. Pups and strollers welcome.

# **Social Sketch**

Wednesday, August 14, 6 pm St. Louis Artist's Guild instructors will be leading hour-long beginners' drawing classes. If the guild is unable to provide an instructor, we will provide a web tutorial. You are welcome to bring your own materials, but we'll have the essentials on hand. RSVP at circulation@ bplmo.org or call 314-963-8630.

# Just For Fun

Friday, August 16 at 6:30 pm-Audio

Friday, September 13 at 6:30 pm-Steampunk September

Choose any book related to the monthly theme and come to the library afterhours for a mixer with other readers! We're partnering with local brewery Earthbound Beer; sign up for email updates at http://eepurl.com/z21VH or ask at the desk for more details and reading recommendations from our librarians. Valid ID required, please.

# Scrabble! Night

Thursday, August 15 Thursday, September 5 & 19 5:30 – 7:30 pm

The Scrabble Club meets on the first and third Thursday of the month. Games begin at 5:30 pm and generally conclude around 7 pm. All interested players are welcome to attend. No reservation required.



# St. Louis and rural southeastern Missouri veterans to receive much-needed oral healthcare services

A.T. Still University-Missouri School of Dentistry & Oral Health (ATSU-MOSDOH) has been awarded a \$25,769 Express Scripts Foundation grant in support of ATSU-MOSDOH's Veterans Project Phase 4. This phase of the project, from August 1, 2019, to July 31, 2020, will provide 45 underserved urban and rural veterans from St. Louis and rural southeastern Missouri with care in the form of free partial or full dentures and related oral healthcare services.

Since the project's beginning in August 2017 (Phases 1-3), ATSU-MOSDOH faculty, students, and generous partner organizations have delivered dentures and related services to 120 veterans as of July 22, 2019.

"Express Scripts is proud to champion better health for our veterans, and to partner with innovative institutions like ATSU to deliver quality dental care," said the Express Scripts spokesperson. "When we team up as a community to help veterans, we make an incredible difference in their lives and for their families."

The project's objectives and life-changing services align with ATSU's mission to assist underserved populations to have enhanced overall health and well-being, improved quality of life and social interaction, and increased workforce readiness among participating veterans. At the conclusion Phase 4, the Veterans Project will have provided 165 veterans with services valued at approximately \$849,750.

"ATSU-MOSDOH is committed to providing oral health-care services to uninsured and underserved populations, and this project embodies that commitment," said Herbert Silva, DMD, ATSU-MOSDOH comprehensive care unit director and assistant professor, who leads the veterans project.

Dr. Silva, who is a Marine Corps veteran himself, teaches third- and fourth-year dental students at ATSU-MOSDOH's clinical training site, the St. Louis Dental Center, a federally qualified health center operated in partnership with Affinia Healthcare. With an emphasis on public health and service to the community, ATSU-MOSDOH faculty and dental students volunteer to treat veterans participating in the project, and they collaborate with generous partner organizations and a dental lab to provide full and partial dentures at no cost to veterans. As of July 19, 2019, total project services are valued at approximately \$613,000.

For those interested in learning more about and/or providing support for ATSU-MOSDOH's veterans project, please contact Herbert P. Silva, DMD, at hsilva@atsu.edu or atsu.edu/support-mosdoh-vets.



Join us for the Sixth Annual

# **Golf Tournament**

Monday, September 23, 2019

Lake Forest Golf & Country Club 300 Yard Drive Lake St. Louis, MO 63367



\$750 Foursome \$200 Individual



Player fees include lunch, dinner in the clubhouse, awards and complimentary beverages on the course.

Registration 10 am

**Boxed Lunch and Shotgun Start 11 am** 

Room at the Inn helps clients identify and address the underlying causes of their homelessness, gain self-sufficiency and avoid future episodes of homelessness. One of only three emergency homeless shelters in St. Louis County.

All proceeds benefit the homeless women and families who find shelter at Room at the Inn!

Register online at www.roomstl.org/events, call or email David at (314) 209-9181 or dweber@roomstl.org



# LAURA PARK-LEACH TO LEAD THE ST. LOUIS SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED Continued from page 10

"David Ekin has had a distinguished career, not only in St. Louis, but nationally, and I am honored to be his successor," Park-Leach said. "I am looking forward to working with the Society staff and board to respond to the developing trends in service innovation that may be required to serve the organization's mission and growing client base."

She believes that technology is transforming vision rehabilitation services. It provides assistance in daily life, such as being able to access information on phones and computers in order to stay connected with friends, family and the community. There are hundreds of apps on cellular devices which help people to do such things as stay oriented to their surroundings as they travel, read labels on food products and serve as a money reader.

Park-Leach currently resides in Charlotte, NC with her husband, Mark, a former museum director and author. They have two children - Andrew, a front-end web developer, and Aryn, an industrial designer.

"We are very pleased to have Laura Park-Leach join the Society for the Blind and Visually Impaired as its new president," said Board Chair Mike McKinnis. "She is extremely well-qualified and has spent many years in an executive capacity serving the blind and visually impaired.

"We are confident that she will do a great job for the Society and look forward to working with her," he said.

"Also, we will miss David Ekin who served the Society well for more than 20 years as its president and is now retiring," McKinnis said. "We wish him all the best."

#### About Society for the Blind and Visually Impaired:

The Society enhances independence, empowers individuals and enriches the lives of people who are blind or visually impaired and their families. Caring, qualified staff provide specialized vision rehabilitation, adaptive education, assistive technology and support services. For further information, please visit the Society's website at www.slsbvi.org

# St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness (SLOCA) Night at the Ballpark

SLOCA has planned a fun-filled evening, as the Cardinals take on the Brewers at the 2019 Ovarian Cancer Awareness Night at the Ballpark, taking place at 7:15 pm on Friday, September 13th at Busch Stadium in St. Louis.

Tickets are \$35 each and include a free hot dog and soft drink (these tickets are a deal, with a face value of \$63 each!) Tickets may be purchased online at the SLOCA website - sloca.org/baseball.

Additional information about the upcoming National Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month events and activities, and the St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness organization, is available online at sloca.org or by calling 314-966-7562.

# CARE AND COUNSELING ANNOUNCES "BREAKFASTS WITH AMY" SERIES – FALL 2019

Care and Counseling, a nonprofit mental health provider serving the greater St. Louis area for more than 50 years, announces the Fall 2019 dates for their "Breakfasts with Amy" Discussion Series with Executive Director Amy Bertschausen.

These public discussion breakfasts – held on Friday mornings from 8:00 to 9:00 am at the Care and Counseling main office, 12141 Ladue Road, St. Louis, MO 63141 – will cover a variety of topics regarding mental health issues facing today's society:

#### August 16 - What to say when you don't know what to say

There are times when words fail us. What do you say to parents who have lost their child? To a friend entering the final stages of cancer? To your neighbor when she tells you she's getting a divorce because her husband has had a girlfriend for years? Words seem too trivial, so "not enough" at times. So, what do you say? Join the discussion.

# October 25 – The connection between spiritual and emotional well-being

It is human to have emotions. It is also human to wonder about the spiritual side of life and the world. Sometimes the emotional and spiritual in our lives are well balanced but sometimes we can't be sure. Join Amy as she explores the relationship of spirituality and emotion.

Amy Bertschausen is the Executive Director at Care and Counseling. She received a Master of Divinity degree from the University of Chicago Divinity School in Chicago, IL and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Bethany College in Bethany, WV. Prior to her work at Care and Counseling, Amy served

as Executive Director at Samaritan Center of the Fox Valley in Appleton, WI. She has served as a pastor in congregations, as well as a chaplain and consultant. Amy enjoys taking an active role in the communities in which she serves. Her extensive background in mental health allows her to create partnerships to bring mental health services to those in need and the underserved, as well as provide important mental health education through presentations, like the "Breakfasts with Amy" series.

Care and Counseling is a unique mental health provider in the region committed to ensuring that all who seek services can receive them. Care and Counseling addresses the barriers of stigma, lack of insurance, and inability to pay. Each year the agency gives back more than \$1.4 million in unreimbursed services to the greater St. Louis community, thanks to vital support from donations. Key community supporters include World Wide Technology, Steward Family Foundation, Centene, Episcopal Presbyterian Health Trust, Episcopal Diocese, Ladue Chapel, Garden View Care Centers, and many other corporations, organizations and private individuals

Breakfast is complimentary, but Care and Counseling requests your RSVP to reserve a seat – https://careandcounseling.org/event/breakfast-with-amy-8-16-19/ – or via telephone at 314-336-1082.

Additional information about the Care and Counseling organization is available online at www. careandcounseling.org or by calling (314) 878-4340.

# **About Care and Counseling**

Care and Counseling enhances emotional, relational and spiritual well-being through quality and affordable counseling, professional training and community education.

We are a professional counseling service organization, providing adult, child, couple and family counseling; mediation; support groups; community workshops; EAP services; professional training; residency program, and an internship program for professional development.



# **Brentwood School District** *August 2019 News*

**Meet Our Principals** 



Nancy Stoverink, Director of Early Childhood Education

**Brentwood Early Childhood Center** Where were you born? St. Louis, MO What was your high school mascot? Celts Who was your favorite grade/teacher in school? 8th Grade

Where did you go to college? Webster University (Bachelor of Early Childhood Education/ Administration and Master of Early Childhood Education)

How many years have you worked in education? 25 How many years have you been at Brentwood? 13

What are you most excited about for the school year? "I am most excited about expanding (once again) our early childhood program. We moved from the High School 10 years ago with one general education half day preschool classroom and one SSD inclusion half day preschool classroom with approximately 25 children. This year we will have 8 full time and half time classrooms with over 100 Brentwood resident children. We have inclusive programs for children of all abilities.

In addition, our Parents As Teachers Program remains strong and is an integral part of our BSD Early Childhood. Our PAT program not only provides, personal visits discussing child development to approximately 300 children and 200 Brentwood families but, they also provide yearly screenings, referrals for early intervention services and parenting group meetings. This program provides a tremendous support to BSD families in the crucial early years of parenting."



Dr. Cindy Neu, Principal **McGrath Elementary** 

Where were you born? Pacoima, CA What was your high school mascot? Incarnate Word Red Knights

Who was your favorite grade/teacher in school?

Sr. Anne. English Where did you go to college? Fontbonne

College (BFA in Sculpture); UMSL (Education post degree certificate); **SLU (Doctorate Ed Leadership)** How many years have you worked in

education? 23 How many years have you been at

Brentwood? 7

What are you most excited about for the school year? "Watching students grow/ new staff/passion projects from staff!"



Carolyn Eastabrook, Ed.S., Principal Mark Twain Elementary Where were you born? St. Louis, MO What was your high school mascot?

Chiefs

Who was your favorite subject in school? Communication Arts/Reading Where did you go to college? Missouri **Baptist University (Elementary Educa**tion/Early Childhood Education/Education Administration)

How many years have you worked in education? 19

How many years have you been at Brentwood? This is my first year! What are you most excited about for the school year? "I'm most excited about getting to know the amazing community

of students, parents, and staff!"



Dr. Andrew Loiterstein, Principal Brentwood Middle School Where were you born? St. Louis, MO What was your high school mascot?

Who was your favorite grade/teacher in school? Mrs. Sefrit, 1st Grade Where did you go to college? **University** of Missouri, Columbia (Secondary Social Studies Education); Lindenwood University (Masters in Education Administration); Maryville University (Doctorate in Education Administration)

How many years have you worked in education? 23

How many years have you been at Brentwood? 7

What are you most excited about for the school year? "I am most excited about

introducing great opportunities for middle school students to be leaders at school and in their communities, and of course, watching the new construction take shape!"



Dr. Stephen Ayotte, Assistant Principal/AD **Brentwood High School** 

Where were you born? Nashua, NH What was your high school mascot? St. Pius X

Who was your favorite grade/teacher in school? Mr. Navratil, Ancient History

Where did you go to college? Saint Louis University (Accounting): UMSL (Business Ed Teaching); Maryville (Masters and Doctorate in **Educational Leadership**)

How many years have you worked in education? 24 How many years have you been at Brentwood? 6 What are you most excited about for the school year? "I am most excited about the challenges of running a school during a major construction project. Chaos, but with such a great result in the end!"



Dr. Ed Johnson, Principal **Brentwood High School** 

Where were you born? St. Louis, MO What was your high school mascot? Rams Who was your favorite grade/teacher in school? Mrs. Brown (Champion Advisory and Teacher/ Student Advocate; Mother of Actor Sterling Brown "This is Us") Where did you go to college? Missouri Baptist

agement); Lindenwood University (Masters of Educational Leadership); our students grow and learn the skills they need to be Maryville University (Doctorate of Education Leadership)

How many years have you worked in education? 25 How many years have you been at Brentwood? 14

What are you most excited about for the school year? "I'm most exciting about welcoming new teachers and students. It's' always nice to pull the teaching staff together, creating a team that takes pride delivering high quality academic services and student support."

#### **News Across the District**

Of the schools in the greater St. Louis metropolitan area, the St. Louis Post Dispatch ranks the top ten elementary, middle, and high schools for their performance on each of the subjects of the Missouri Assessment Program (MAP) assessment given by the state.

This year, two Brentwood schools made the top ten lists: Mark Twain Elementary for English and Brentwood High School for English and Math. More, Brentwood High School was first in the region for math proficiency with 94.2% testing proficient or above. For comparison, the Missouri average for Mathematics was 42.1% proficient or above.

"MAP scores are just one way we monitor our students' academic progress and success," said Brentwood Superintendent Brian Lane. "We are incredibly proud of our schools for receiving top marks in the region, but we are equally proud of our students and staff University (Business Administration and Man- throughout the district for making sure that each year, successful."

# The Brentwood Century Foundation presents:

# Commemorative Coins



This beautiful centennial keepsake is blazoned with the Century Foundation logo on one side and the City of Brentwood logo on the other. Comes in a protective acrylic case.

Coins are available for purchase at the main desk at the Brentwood Rec. Center or order them online at www.Brentwood100.org and we'll ship to you.

\$10 per coin - \$5 for shipping & handling

For all centennial events and updates, to volunteer, donate or to sponsor an event, please visit:



Brentwood100.org







#BrentwoodMo100

# **Brentwood Residents Sing and Laugh at Centennial Event**







The Brentwood Century Foundation presents:

BASEBALL THE WAY IT USED TO BE...in 1919

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(Rain date: Sunday, August 25th)

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#Brentwood100 #BrentwoodMo100 Saturday, July 13th, was a hot summer night but that didn't keep scores of Brentwood residents from attending the Community Sing along and Movie Night at the Brentwood School District Conference Center.

The event was another Centennial celebration presented by the Brentwood Century Foundation. It was sponsored by the Brentwood Alumni Association and featured members of the Brentwood Community Youth Choir.

The evening began with the showing of SUNNYSIDE, a Charlie Chaplin short from 1919, the year of Brentwood's incorporation. Young, old, and in-between members of the audience appreciated the timeless humor of Chaplin. They also enjoyed free popcorn, candy, and lemonade provided by the Alumni association.

Next the Brentwood Community Youth Choir, under the direction of Deb Stinson, led the audience in an enthusiastic sing along session featuring songs from the 1919 time period. While some songs were new to the audience, others were perennial favorites. The selections included: A BICYCLE BUILT FOR TWO; JADA; SHINE ON HARVEST MOON; ALEXANDER'S RAGTIME BAND; I'M FOREVER BLOWING BUBBLES; and MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS, LOUIS.

"It was great to hear the blending of voices, young and not quite so young. "Stinson commented. "They really came on strong on MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS."

The final part of the program was a special surprise: the first showing of the Centennial documentary: BRENTWOOD: A 100 YEAR JOURNEY. It was produced by Brentwood resident, Dan Duffy, and is nearing final form. The crowd loved the 15 minute video that showed much of Brentwood's history and its current charm and attraction. Sponsored by the Brentwood Century Foundation, the video will be available for purchase later in the year.

"We were very happy with the response to the video and the enthusiasm of those who joined us at the event." said BCF and BAA representative Ed Wright Jr. "We look forward to seeing even more people out for our upcoming events such as Brentwood Day at Busch Stadium on August 11th and the Old Time Baseball game at 7 pm on August 18th at Brentwood Park."

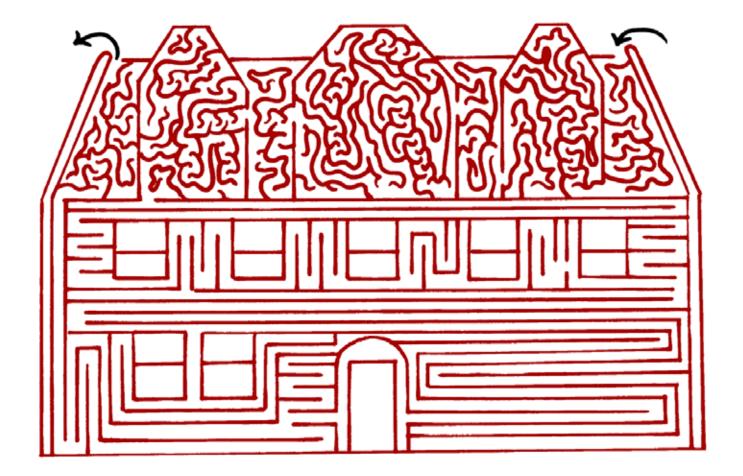
For more information about Centennial events, go to the Brentwood Century web site at www. Brentwood100.org.

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# Joey's Mazes by Joey Barzantny

mazesbyjoe.com

# Isaac H. Lionberger House Grandel Square, 1886



# St. Louis Comic Book Show

The St. Louis Comic Book Show is your opportunity to buy, sell and trade collectible comics, cards, toys and action figures. Meet other hobbyists and explore 40 tables of exciting collectibles. Fun for the family and refreshments are available.

Admission is \$2.00 on Sunday, August 25 from 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Shrewsbury American Legion Post, 7300 Lansdowne, 63119

Free parking. For more information, call 314-544-2812.

# Letter to the Editor

Dear Joyce,

What a wonderful surprise to find in my mail, the envelope with the latest Pulse newspaper in it and my picture and article beside it. Thanks so much for sending it to me. I enjoy memories and this one is one of them.

All the Dodel "kids" can be proud of being able to carry on the wonderful traditions of your parents. Thanks again for putting me in the Pulse and sending me a copy.

In my time in Brentwood, I delivered mail to almost one third of the community over the years including on Melvin Ave. where Gene-Del started.

- Sandy "The Mailman" Buchheit



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If you can't find them where you shop, ask them to carry Dad's Original Scotch Oatmeal Cookies™!



# Join the 2019 Brentwood **Days Parade – Cheers to** 100 Years of Brentwood!

Commemorate Brentwood's Centennial and join the 2019 Brentwood Days Parade on Saturday, Sept. 21. Interact with the Brentwood community while celebrating the parade theme, "Cheers to 100 Years of Brentwood!" Parade participation is free... and your parade entry may win a prize! Find the parade application at www.brentwoodmo. org/BrentwoodDays.

# **Brentwood Celebrates a Century with 100+ Events** in 2019

The City is celebrating its first century with more than 100 events throughout the year. Learn more at www.brentwoodmo.org/ centennial and www.brentwood100.org

# **Board of Aldermen and Committee Meetings** Available on YouTube

Watch Board of Aldermen and committee meetings on YouTube and subscribe to the City's YouTube channel. Click on the YouTube icon on the home page of www. brentwoodmo.org or search "brentwoodmo govtv" on YouTube.







# Responsible Recycling

Residents can help sustain single-stream recycling services in Brentwood by knowing what to put in the recycling bin and what to leave out of the recycling bin.

#### DO Add to the Recycling Bin:

Paper Flattened Cardboard Plastic Bottles and Containers Glass Bottles and Jars Metal Food and Beverage Cans Food and Beverage Cartons Keep these items loose (not bagged), clean and dry. Place these in your recycling container; do NOT place recyclable items in a trash bag or plastic bag.

#### DO NOT Add to the Recycling Bin:

Plastic Bags and Film

Styrofoam

Sharps and Needles Food Waste

One-Time-Use Disposables (such as plastic straws and utensils)

**Batteries** 

Household Hazardous Waste

#### **Yard Waste**

Recycling does not go in plastic bags, and plastic bags do not belong with recycling. In Brentwood, this includes "recycling bags" the recycling facility we use does not accept plastic bags of any kind. Plastic bags can get caught in the recycling facility's machinery, causing delays and damage to the equipment. Bundled recyclables can't be sorted at the facility, so all of it ends up in a landfill.

Place recycling items loose (not bagged), clean and dry in your recycle bin.

Learn more: http://brentwoodmo.org/ recycle

# **Brentwood Police Lieutenant Elmer Phelps** Retires



Brentwood Police Lieutenant Elmer Phelps retired July 31 after serving nearly 30 years with the City of Brentwood. His departure marks an end to a nearly 40-year career in law enforcement that began with the City of Berkeley in 1981. After serving the citizens of Berkeley for five years, Lt. Phelps joined the St. Charles County Sheriff's Department. He began his career with the Brentwood Police

# **Brentwood Police Department Welcomes** Three New Officers

Three officers joined the Brentwood Police Department in July: Vince Mullen, Jamie Clark and Amber Hayes (pictured with Mayor Dimmitt). They were ceremonially sworn in at the Board of Aldermen meeting on July 15. Welcome to Brentwood!





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# BRENTWOOD 1919-2019 100 YEARS

# **Brentwood Days Parade 2019 Entry Application** Saturday, September 21, 2019

The City of Brentwood is celebrating its Centennial in 2019! The Centennial - Cheers to 100 years of

Brentwood! – is our theme for the 2019 Brentwood Days Parade. Entries will be judged on creativity, enthusiasm, and interpretation of the Centennial theme.
Organization:
Contact Person:
Address:
Mobile phone: Business phone:
Email address:
Type of Entry: (i.e., car, trailer, float, marching band, truck, walking group, bike, horse, etc.)
Theme of Entry:Approximate # of participants:
Overall length of entry in feet: (i.e., walkers – 10 rows of 5 across, float length, vehicle + trailer length, etc.)
Overall height of entry in feet:
Specify any special requests:
Please check one:
Yes, please include me in the parade contest!
No, I do not want my entry to be judged in the contest.
Parade participants will receive a map, instructions, and a line-up number approximately one week before the parade. Questions? Contact Janet Levy or Karen Shaw at Brentwood City Hall, 314.962.4800.
Return application by September 9 to: City of Brentwood

Attn: Janet Levy

2348 South Brentwood Boulevard

Brentwood, MO 63144 ilevv@brentwoodmo.org fax: 314.962.0819

The undersigned does hereby agree to hold harmless the City of Brentwood, its successors, employees, administration and/or agents from any claims resulting from injuries, damages or losses either personal or property as a consequence of participating in Brentwood Days Celebration.

Applicant's Signature:	Date:
Name (please print):	



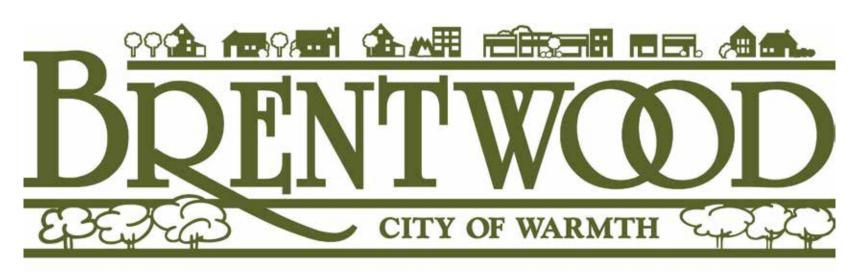
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brentwoodmo.org/centennial

# **BRENTWOOD** Parks & Recreation



#### August 23:

Relax, unwind and watch the St. Louis skyline come to life. This evening features music, dinner buffet, and some of St. Louis' best downtown views. The two-hour Skyline Dinner Cruise is a perfect way to enjoy a memorable night out.

6:15 - 9:45pm | \$56/person



#### August 29:

Join us for coffee, pastries, and eight games of BINGO. 9 - 10:30am | \$8/person

#### Music on the Menu - Midnight Piano Band

We put a wrap on the summer concert series with Midnight Piano Band! When they're not opening for Foreigner, Midnight Piano Band is making sure you are dancing the night away. The Midnight Piano Band is all about the live, musical performance. What you see is what you hear, and what you hear is awesome. The band loves playing classic piano rock hits from the 70s and 80s by artists such as Elton John, Billy Joel, Paul McCartney, Stevie Wonder, Journey, and Bill Withers. The band also plays a variety of other hits that you know and love by artists like Earth



Wind & Fire, Hall & Oates, Rihanna, Justin Timberlake, Frankie Valli & the Four Seasons, Garth Brooks, Sublime, Whitney Houston, Lady Gaga, Bruno Mars, Usher, and so so many more! Craft Beer Cellar will be there serving adult beverages. UKRAFT food truck will provide the dinner and we'll have some sweet desserts too!

Friday, August 16, Brentwood Park, 6:00 - 9:00pm, FREE EVENT



Additional information or questions call the Chamber Office: 314-963-9007 or director@brentwoodmochamber.com

**Contact: Amy Dwyer** 

# **Brentwood Songwriter Signs Music Contract**

Brentwood songwriter/ singer, Irene Leland has signed a music contract with major multi award winning record producer, Doc Holiday and his Dream Machine Productions. She recently returned from Nashville where she recorded her original song,



"Cracks in the Sidewalk" on July 5th at the famed Sony Studio in the heart of Music Row. The recording will be released and distributed to over 300 FM, AM and internet radio stations worldwide as well as to all the major digital download web sites worldwide, including I-tunes, Amazon, etc.

Pictured above is Irene Leland with record producer Doc Holiday.

# **Epworth Welcomes New President** and CEO Dr. Michael Panicola



Epworth Children & Family Services' Governance Board recently announced that Dr. Michael Panicola has been selected to lead the \$12 million nonprofit. After an extensive search, the Board unanimously selected Panicola as the next President and CEO of the organization that has been serving children, youth and families for more than 150 years.

"Mike is an engaging and outstanding leader, intelligent and passionate about the community we serve. Mike is excited to bring his deep background in healthcare and non-profit experience to the table to further our mission, which is to help children, youth and families move toward self-sufficiency by focusing on health, housing, education and employment. During the search process, it became clear that Mike's knowledge of the communities Epworth serves, of the growing intersection of Epworth's services with healthcare, and his leadership qualities made him the best choice for the position. Mike will challenge us all with his knowledge, intellect, and passion, and we are looking forward to working closely with him," said Bryan LeMoine, Chair of the Board of Directors for Epworth.

Panicola said that: "I have long admired Epworth and the impact it has had on the lives of children, youth and families throughout the St. Louis community for more than 150 years. I feel a deep calling to Epworth and can't imagine a more fitting place for me at this point in my career. I've spent a lot of time in healthcare and believe that Epworth is positioned to grow in new ways and impact increasingly more lives every day. I am excited for this opportunity and look forward to collaborating with my Epworth colleagues and the St. Louis community in driving even better results from our services and helping those we serve achieve self-sufficiency, health and wholeness."

Panicola joins Epworth after serving for nearly two decades as a senior executive at SSM Health in St. Louis, Missouri, and more recently as a consultant to mission-driven non-profit organizations. Panicola received his PhD in Health Care Ethics from St. Louis University, his Master's in Systematic Theology from St. John's University in Collegeville, Minnesota, and a Bachelor's in Accounting from St. Mary's University of Minnesota. After college, Panicola first served as a youth minister for at-risk children and adolescents, deciding against a career with a large accounting firm. He wanted to give back to the community as others had given back to him. He then found his way to St. Louis for his PhD and was recruited by SSM Health in 1998 while completing his studies.

Panicola has been a Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award Examiner and has written numerous publications in his exemplary career. He has also served on various national and local boards, including the Catholic Health Association of the United States, the St. Louis Sports Commission and the Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis.

About Epworth Children & Family Services - Headquartered in St. Louis, MO Epworth Children & Family Services is a multi-service agency that helps children, youth and families move toward self-sufficiency by focusing on health, housing, education and employment. Epworth offers emergency shelter, residential and intensive treatment, in-home family therapy, transitional housing, psychological evaluation and testing, foster care services, prevention services and a 24-hour help line. For more information about Epworth Children & Family Services, call (314) 961-5718.



# by Sue McCarthy

# Free Rides Around The Neighborhood (FRAN)



Anaheim has found an inexpensive way to provide transportation for the residents to get around the city in an Orange and Black all-electric, six-passenger vehicle named FRAN (and a friendly knowledgeable driver.) If you just need a ride back to your car or dropped off at a local museum, download the app and visit it for more information.

There is a lot to do in southern California. On a recent visit we got to attend Knott's Berry Farm, one of the world's best theme parks. Be sure to visit Camp Snoopy and interact with the cast of characters walking around. If you are a coaster buff you will not be disappointed. Knott's Soak City will cool you off with 23 water slides, a wave pool, lazy river and an interactive beach house for the kids. This is California's first theme park and they are celebrating their 100th anniversary.

For a little retail therapy visit the South Coast Plaza for international shopping destination with the highest concentration of luxury brands in the U.S. I always say I like to contribute to the local economy when we are traveling.

Walt Disney modeled his disney downtown after his hometown in Missouri. They have had over 18 million visitors annually. We were invited to a special performance by singer Natasha Bedingfield before going to Disneyland to visit the new theme park "Star Wars: Galaxy's Edge." Helm the infamous starship during the Millennium Falcon: Smuggler's Run. You can get your picture taken with Chewbacca and the Storm Troopers. This new Black Spire Outpost on the Planet Batuu just opened May 31.

It is home to smugglers, rogue traders, exotic creatures and more. Stop in the Oga's Cantina for Jedi Mind Trick Cocktails, Bad Motivator IPA or Toniray wine. End your day with Disneyland's Park fireworks.

If you have time during your stay head over to Newport Beach Harbor where you can spend a relaxing day on the water; maybe even go out on an electric Duffy Boat.

We stayed near the Convention Center at the beautiful Hyatt Regency and found it easy to get around without having a car.







San Diego Mealworm









# IF YOU GO - Anaheim, CA

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Hyatt Regency Hotel



# Should You Get a Veteran ID Card?



The VA is offering a free Military ID Card as a way to give all honorably discharged veterans proof of service regardless of era or time in service as ordered by Congress.

A valid ID card is proof of service that may be required to receive special benefits from private firms as a "Thank you for your service". Perks like free meals, parking spots and discounts at many retailers. Accept a bit of gratitude when it's offered as it's nice getting respect for your service to your country. It's easy to apply, log on to VETS.GOV and create an account. Then scan and upload your DD-214 form and your photograph. It's that easy and you've earned it.

# 6 Things That Should Be Part of Your Retirement Plan

By: West Community Credit Union

It takes more than a commitment to your 401(k) to build a financially solid retirement. Along with how much you save, you need to be strategic about the what, when and where of saving. In order to minimize the risks associated with the unknown, you need to make sure your retirement plan includes these six basic building blocks:

#### 1. Guaranteed Income

Guaranteed lifetime income can come from three sources: a pension, Social Security and an income annuity. When you have a foundation built on one or more of these sources of guaranteed income, you'll sleep better at night knowing these will keep paying no matter how long you live.

#### 2. Investments for Growth

Be sure to have a mix of assets—fixed income and equities—in an allocation based on your own personal risk tolerance. With a diversified portfolio, you can reduce your risk of losing everything if a particular type of investment does poorly.

#### 3. Taxable and Non-Taxable Accounts

Having both types of accounts is important for two reasons. First, you don't know what the tax rate will be by the time you retire, so it may be in your best interest to pay taxes today on at least some of your retirement savings by contributing to a Roth IRA, for example, in addition to your pretax 401(k) contributions. Second, depending on how far away you are from retirement, you don't know what your income or your tax bracket will be once you get there. By having different types of accounts, you can make withdrawals in retirement in a way that maximizes tax efficiency.

#### 4. Cash Reserves

To help avoid having to take a loss should there be a downturn in the market, make sure you have cash available—which could include a savings account or life insurance cash value—to cover an emergency or to make planned purchases.

# 5. A Plan for Long-Term Care

Because these costs are not typically covered by Medicare or health insurance, a chronic illness or disabling injury can have a devastating impact on retirement income. By proactively planning for the possibility of long-term care, you'll have time to explore the options for preserving your quality of life and your assets.

# **6.** An Intentional Strategy to Leave a Legacy

Many people feel guilty about spending money in retirement because they want to make sure there's something to leave behind to their family. As a result, they never quite give themselves permission to enjoy themselves. By making legacy planning an intentional part of your financial strategy, you can be absolved of that guilt and live the lifestyle you envisioned in retirement.

With increasingly complex financial markets and longer life expectancy, working with an investment professional is more important than ever. Take the burden out of financial planning and schedule a consultation with the credit union's Investment Services. Call 636.720.2400 or visit westcommunitycu.org to get started today!



CITY OF BRENTWOOD, MISSOURI

PRELIMINARY COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

FUNDS REVENUES		<u>GENERAL</u>	LIBRARY	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	STORM WATER AND PARK IMPROVEMENTS	SEWER IMPROVEMENTS
Taxes		\$ 4,926,941		\$ 1,348,917	\$ 1,566,021	ė
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Licenses and Permits		1,647,957	2 242	-	22.705	-
Intergovernmental		53,482	3,212	-	22,795	-
Charges for Services		134,092	5,403	-	532,808	-
Fines and Forfeitures		57,340	-	-		-
Investment Income		8,502	737	6,522	3,400	-
Assessments		-	-	-	-	47,352
Miscellaneous		37,188	(34)		6,930	-
TOTAL REVENUES		6,865,502	9,317	1,355,439	2,131,954	47,352
EXPENDITURES Current:		407.070				
Administration		407,978	-	-	-	-
Police		1,701,995	-	-	-	-
Fire		1,220,324	-	-	-	-
Street		688,031	-	-	-	-
Sanitation		270,176	-	-		-
Planning & Development		170,291	-	-	-	-
Storm Water, Parks and Recreation		-		-	1,104,505	-
Community Services		45,784	-	-	-	-
Legislative		56,953	-	-	-	-
Judicial		88,643		-		-
Municipal Operations		690,114	-	-	-	-
Library		-	267,898			-
Sewer Lateral		-	· -			61,262
Capital Outlay		-		316,453	9,700,488	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		5,340,290	267,898	316,453	10,804,992	61,262
Transfer in (out) Debt Service:						
Principal retirement		-		120,206	160,024	
Interest and fiscal charges		_	2,484	81,814	-	
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE			2,484	202,020	160,024	
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES		5,340,290	270,382	518,473	10,965,016	61,262
EXCESS REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPE OTHER FINANCINF SOURCES(USES)	NSES	1,525,212	(261,064)	836,966	(8,833,063)	(13,910)
FUND BALANCES JANUARY 1, 2019		5,171,055	1,416,023	3,517,175	40,352,230	3,091
FUND BALANCES JUNE 30, 2019		\$ 6,696,267	\$ 1,154,959	\$ 4,354,141	\$ 31,519,167	\$ (10,819)
			F CHANGES IN GENERAL ON DEBT PAYABLE			
				PARKS & REC C.O.P.	FIRE LEASE PURCHASE	
ISSUE	2017 C.O.P. ADVANCED 2009 REFUNDING	2018 C.O.P.  MANCHESTER RENEWAL  PROJECT	CITY HALL/LIBRARY C.O.P. 2014 REFUNDING	2014	2013	IT LEASE PURCHASE 2014
ISSUE INTEREST RATES		MANCHESTER RENEWAL	·			
INTEREST RATES	2009 REFUNDING 2.00-3.50%	MANCHESTER RENEWAL PROJECT 3.00-4.00%	2014 REFUNDING 2.00-3.50%	<b>2014</b> 2.00-3.50%	<b>2013</b> 2.53%	<b>2014</b> 3.77%
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# BRENTWOOD DAYS SEPTEMBER 20-21, 2019 BRENTWOOD PARK

I, Karen Shaw, Finance Director, City of Brentwood, Missouri certify the above statements are true

and in agreement with records on file, June 30. 2019

Karen Shaw, Finance Director

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**Optimist Park** 

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# **GIVE A LIFELINE...**

# Donate Your Old Cell Phone

# Cell Phones for Safe Homes program raises funds through phones

Drop off your used cell phones at one of five locations to be recycled through Lydia's House new Cell Phones for Safe Homes fundraiser.

For each phone collected, our recycling partner will make a cash donation of up to \$100 to Lydia's House.

If you'd like to donate your phone, stop by any of these locations:

- Gene-Del Printing (9019 Manchester Rd.)
- West County Center T-Moblie
- University City T-Mobile (6662 Delmar Boulevard)
- Saint Ann Wireless Toyz (3594 North Lindbergh Boulevard

More locations to come. If you are interested in collecting phones for Lydia's House through a drive at your business, faith community or school, please contact Lisa Weingarth at (314) 771-4411 ext. 101 or lweingarth@lydiashouse.org.

# About Lydia's House

Lydia's House works in faith to end domestic violence by being a place of healing and a voice of hope for abused women and their children. Our program provides up to two years of transitional housing and critical support services to survivors of domestic violence.

Web: www.lydiashouse.org Email: info@lydiashouse. org Connect: Find us on Facebook, Follow us on Twitter

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# **Brentwood Optimist Club**

2nd & 4th Monday, 6:00 p.m. Goff-Moll Post 101, 2721 Collier Mary Meers, President

# **Goff-Moll Post 101**

3rd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. The American Legion, 2721 Collier Ave. Brentwood, MO 63144, 961-3263 Halls for Rent

# **Maplewood Lions Club**

1st & 3rd Tues., 7:00 p.m. Meeting Meet at Branch Outreach Resource Center 2150 Yale Ave., Maplewood MO 63143 Lion Judy Yingling, President Phone: 314-550-0093

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Telephone No. 314 962-9966
Sunday Services – 11:00 a.m.
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Bopp Chapel, Laurie's Shoes.

# MOONLIGHT RAMBLE RETURNS TO DOWNTOWN



Organizers of the Moonlight Ramble bike ride are excited to announce that the race will return to Downtown St. Louis this summer on Saturday, August 17 for its 55th edition. The Moonlight Ramble is the longest running nighttime bike ride in the US and a great source of pride for St. Louis. The ride that began with one rider has grown into an annual tradition with thousands of riders taking to the streets of St. Louis at night under the light of the moon.

In partnership with Hubbard Radio and KSHE 95, St. Louis-based Big River Race Management is taking over race operations moving forward.

"Hubbard Radio was committed to finding a capable partner that could continue this signature St. Louis event for years to come, with a priority of keeping the event downtown. We are thrilled that Matt Helbig and his team at Big River Race Management will take over this event and ensure its future growth and success," said Hubbard's Director of Integrated Marketing and Events, Brad Buehlhorn.

"The Moonlight Ramble is an iconic event for the City of St. Louis and we are absolutely delighted to continue on its storied tradition!" said Matt Helbig, co-owner of Big River Race Management. "St. Louis has a vibrant and diverse cycling community and we look forward to bringing that community together for an unforgettable experience on the car-free, moonlit streets of St. Louis. The Moonlight Ramble is a unique, family friendly experience I want to enjoy with my children, and in the future, them with their children."

Big River is proud to name St. Louis Bicycle Works as this year's charity partner. "We're excited to learn that Big River has taken over the reins of the Moonlight Ramble," said Patrick Van Der Tuin, executive director, BWorks. "And we're honored that Big River picked BWorks as the charity partner to benefit from this long-standing cycling tradition in the St. Louis region; especially as BWorks is celebrating our 30th anniversary. At BWorks, part of our mission is to inspire youth to explore new possibilities — we do this by working with them through our cycling, computer and book programs. Being involved with Moonlight Ramble is a perfect fit to help us further our goals."

For questions or more information on Moonlight Ramble, please contact Big River Race Management at (636) 527-9700, via email at events@brrm.com or visit www.moonlightramble.com.

# JAMMIN' AT THE ZOO PRESENTED BY MACY'S

August 28 at the Saint Louis Zoo

The Saint Louis Zoo Young Professionals (ZYP) invite you to their summer 21-and-up event, Jammin' at the Zoo presented by Macy's. From 6 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday, August 28, enjoy the "Zoo Uncorked" with live music and wine and beer tastings, featuring over 75 selections from which to sample. Proceeds from both parties benefit the Saint Louis Zoo and its conservation efforts both at the Zoo and around the world.

The music for August 28 is Fat Pocket, Johnny Henry, and DJ Micro.

Admission includes wine and beer sampling from 6 to 8 p.m., while supplies last. Wine, beer, soda and specialty drinks also will be available for purchase. Food will be available for purchase at a variety of food trucks and Zoo venues. Outside alcoholic beverages, coolers, picnic tables and blankets will not be permitted at the event.

Stingrays at Caribbean Cove presented by SSM Health, and the Mary Ann Lee Conservation Carousel will be open until 8 p.m., and the Emerson Zooline Railroad will run until 8:30 p.m. Admission to these attractions is included with event admission.

Admission to Jammin' at the Zoo is \$12.95 for Zoo members and \$22.95 for non-members. Buy your tickets at the door or online at stlzoo.org/jammin. Free parking is available on both Zoo parking lots.

Jammin' at the Zoo is a 21-and-up only event and held rain or shine, except for severe storms.



# Peel and Eat!

We recently joined my niece and her fiancee for lunch at the Peel Wood Fired Pizza and Brewery in O'fallon, Illinois for lunch. They also have locations in Ewardsville and Clayton.

This restaurant/brewery group was founded byBrandon Case and Patrick Thirion. Brandon spent ten years of military service cooking for soldiers. He had the opportunity to discover the local tastes of many cultures, learning culinary techniques. His passion is in baking and pastry making.

Patrick has a degree in Baking and Pastry from Sullivan University in Louisville, Kentucky. He has worked in luxury hotels, country clubs and fine restaurants. His passion is Thai, Southern French and Italian cuisine. Many of Peel's menu items are inspired by these European and Asian flavors.

This pairing leads to some very interesting, and very tasty items on the menu. With more than twenty different pizzas on the menu as well as the option to "build your own" there is truly something for everyone.

Some of the offerings include a Grecian, maple bourbon pork, bacon potato, balsamic chicken, and BBQ flank steak pizzas. Very creative and very delicious!

Each pizza is more than enough for a single person. Prices range from \$12 to \$15.

We started with an order of prosciutto involtini, fresh bread filled with prosciutto, Parmesan, mozzarella and basil served with marinara, Parmesan cream and roasted garlic balsamic olive oil. Do not pass this up. It is amazing. We also had an order of garlic cheese ciabatta bread.

My niece had a jerk chicken pizza with wood fired chicken, mozzarella, black bean, mango BBQ glaze, mango and fresh cilantro. Her fiancee had a chicken and jalapeno pizza. Sue had a pepperoni and mushroom pizza. All were perfectly baked and delicious.

I started with a homemade mushroom soup and then decided to try the sweet balsamic chicken wings, served with an aged balsamic reduction, and fresh basil. Along with a fresh brewed pale ale, it was a fantastic lunch.

Peel also has a number of salads, ribs, soups grilled tacos and more.

Our server was new, but very good. He showed us a beautiful dessert tray but we were too full to do anything but admire the presentation.

Peel Wood Fired Pizza and Brewery has an admirable combination of unique menu items, great beer and good service. We will be going back to the Clayton location very soon, only because it is closer to where we live.

I highly recommend Peel Wood Fired Pizza and Brewery as a location for great casual dining.

The Clayton location is 208 S. Meramec Ave. Clayton, MO 63105 Tel: 314-696-2515











