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Saint Mary Magdalen 5th Grade Girls Softball Team Brings Home the Championship Trophy!



Congratulations to the Saint Mary Magdalen 5th Grade Girls who won the CYC City County Championship by the score of 11-0. The girls played at St. Ferdinand in North County against St. Justin the Martyr School in Crestwood. The girls had an amazing season and played as a team game after game with great pitching, hitting, and fielding. Saint Mary Magdalen is coached by Nicole Rohr, Dan Santacruz, & Edi Navalez.



Older Scouts and leaders from Troop 361 sponsored by St. Mary Magdalen in Brentwood left by AMTRAK to travel to Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron New Mexico to backpack for ten days into the Sangre de Cristo mountain range. Front l to r:

Dan O'Neal, Sam Williams, Jack Williams, John Peel, and Matt Cole In the back row are: Scott Buchanon, Ethan Musial, Andy Bacon, Alan Stallman, and JJ Peel. The crew will cover more than 60 miles with backpacks, peaking out as they summit Mt. Baldy (12,441 ft).

Troop 361 meets at St. Mary Magdalen. We welcome all boys ages 11-18. For more information call our Scoutmaster; Chris Musial at 314/225-6770.

Former Brentwood School Staff Gather for Luncheon



Brentwood school staff (teachers and administrators) got together for a luncheon on Thursday, June 13th, at Mike Duffy's in Kirkwood. Many readers may recognize their former teachers. The group is called the *Organization of Retired Eagles* and meets a few times a year for lunch and laughter.

Seated L to R: Louise Shore, Rosemarie Hughes, Mary Beth Powell, Jack Head, John Titus, Sue Lile

2nd row: Karen Smith, Janet Rook, Leslie Brann, Charlie Kapfer, Gini Hille, Mary Freund, Jim Taylor, Patricia Harris

3rd Row: Ed Wright, Casey Geisz, Guy Sachs, Rich Niemann, Bob Penn, Teresa Wheeler

West Community Credit Union Grand Opening Celebration

West Community Credit Union is excited to announce their Brentwood branch grand opening celebration festivities. They are celebrating the week of July 8 to July 11, 2019 with daily special offers and gifts from local Brentwood businesses. On Friday, July 12 they are co-hosting a Grand Opening Party in their parking lot with their new neighbor, American Family Care (AFC) Urgent Care. West Community Credit Union is located at 2345 S. Brentwood Blvd. on the corner of Brentwood and Litzinger Road.

"We want to thank Gene-Del Printing, Kolache Factory, Nothing Bundt Cakes and the [Re]Fresh Store for partnering with us to offer daily specials in our Brentwood branch all week." said Jason Peach, President/CEO. "We are excited to co-host Friday's party with our new neighbor, AFC Urgent Care." Friday's party is from 10:30 am to 3:00 pm and kicks off with FRED BIRD from 10:30 to 11:30. There will be hamburgers and hotdogs from OB' Clark's, face painting, a balloon artist, a DJ from Brentwood-based Millennium Productions and Kona Ice. There will also be a visit from Santa as part of the credit union's Christmas in July troops drive. Donations help H.E.R.O.E.S. Care and give back to our Troops and military families. West Community Credit Union welcomes community residents to attend and celebrate with them. For more information on West Community Credit Union, visit www.westcommunitycu.org.

About West Community Credit Union

West Community Credit Union is a full-service, not-for-profit financial cooperative serving more than 25,000 members and businesses in St. Louis County, St. Charles County and Boone County. The credit union has offices in O'Fallon, Brentwood, Kirkwood, Lake Saint Louis, Florissant and Columbia, MO. For more information on banking products and services, call (636) 720-2400 or visit www.westcommunitycu.org.

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

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Swimming at the Maplewood Pool

Rock Hill residents will again be able to swim at the Maplewood pool at resident rates this summer. All you need to do is bring two forms of ID verifying your residency and fill out a short form at city hall. Then its time to go swimming.

Rock Hill Coffee with the Mayor

The next coffee with the Mayor will be: Wednesday July 17th at 06:00pm

Remembering Our Friend, Theodore "Ted" Arvid Laurin August 17, 1938 - June 1, 2019



My favorite bartenders. Ted, Brenda and Richard. (and of course Andi Harris, when we were bowling). We used to have so much fun in Ted and Brenda's basement. He did have a hornets nest down there that always freaked me out though. As long as I live I will never forget his laugh and that little sparkle in his eyes that made me wish I could read his mind sometimes.

Joy Ringhofer

All I can say about Ted was that he was always kind and friendly.. always great time at the old Brentwood lanes .

Andi Harris

I could share many memories and stories of our friendship of 40-50 years but unless you were there you probably wouldn't believe them. So I will just say that everyone that knew Ted and for all that never had the pleasure of knowing him that Ted was one of the good ones. He loved his family and he loved his friends. He was always there for all of us and his family. He would make time to lend a helping hand whether he was donating his time with the Brentwood Optimist or only a phone call away if you needed his help when your AC, furnace or any other appliance went out no matter what time of the day or night he would be there.

I remember the last time I saw his wife Brenda was when Ted and Keri brought her up to the Brentwood Post 101 for a night of Karaoke. My wife and I had made sure to save them a front row seat. Ted said that Brenda had a great time and that was the only time she got out of the house aside from going to doctor's appointments. He was a dedicated Husband and Father and did everything he could to make sure that they had everything they needed.

We will miss you my friend, but we will never forget all of the great times we shared and the love you had for your family and friends.

We love you. Save us a seat until we meet again.

Dan and Jamie Miles

Our family all loved Ted. He was always quick with a joke and a twinkle of the eye. I always looked forward to bowling against him on Friday nights at Brentwood.

I was always interested in the stars and Ted told me had a telescope. The following Friday he brings this gigantic telescope to bowling. At least six foot long and over a foot in diameter with a camera mount and motors to follow the earth's rotation. Like at the Planetarium!

Ted was always quick to help with Optimist events and of course the repair of countless appliances along the way. He was a master repairman and a master at making friends.

Ted was a loving Husband, Father, Grandfather and friend to all.

Keith Dodel



Gary Ringhofer, Brenda Laurin and Ted Laurin



Andi Harris, Ted and Tina Sanchez



Brenda and Ted with Richard "Rock" Schmidt

I MISS YOU.
My *mind* knows
that you are in a better place
where there is no pain.
You are at peace.
I understand that, I just wish
I could explain it to my *heart*.
There is an empty space in it that nothing
will ever fill.
**I grieve, but I know my tears
are for me.**
We will be together again. Until then,
my love will always be with you.
Mountain Wisdom@facebook.com





INSIDE BASEBALL

By Rob Rains of
StLSportsPage.com

Changing landscape, competition forcing Cardinals international scouts to evaluate players as young as 13 years old

Matt Slater remembers his first international scouting trip, going to the Dominican Republic in the fall of 1999 when he was working for the Dodgers.

"I went with our assistant general manager for workouts, just as we do now," Slater said. "We worked out a player, Willy Aybar, who was a switch hitter with a good bat who we ended up signing and later traded to Tampa Bay."

Slater, now a special assistant to the Cardinals' general manager for player procurement who still makes several international scouting trips every year, brings up the story to illustrate a point about how much the international scouting world has changed in baseball in the last 20 years.

"At that workout, he asked if his younger brother could come hit in the cage for a little bit," Slater said. "We said sure, but we didn't even pay any attention to him."

At the time, Willy Aybar was 16. His younger brother, Erick, who would go on to have a long career in the majors, was 15.

"In today's world, we would have been scouting Erick," Slater said. "Willy would have already been off the market."

In the last couple of years, teams – including the Cardinals – have had to change their strategy when it comes to scouting international amateurs, especially in Latin America. Major league baseball allows teams to reach verbal agreements with players well in advance of turning 16, when they can sign a contract.

On July 2, the Cardinals and all other teams announced the signings of several 16-year-old players, making those verbal agreements official.

It's the price of doing business in that marketplace these days, no matter how much Slater and other scouting executives in the Cardinals' organization would like to see the implementation of a different system, such as an international draft.

Scouting is already inherently an inexact science and trying to evaluate players when they are 13 and 14 years old, and accurately project how they will grow and develop years into the future, is almost impossible.

It's very similar to college football and basketball coaches offering scholarships to players when they are in the seventh grade.

"I've scouted players that are 13 and maybe some that have yet to become teenagers," Slater said. "I've scouted players that young. That's what we have to do because other teams are pushing the envelope -- that's the way the system works."

"It's still scouting, but it's incredibly hard and the percentage of failure is much higher. You are projecting farther out into the future – 8 years and in some cases 10 years, trying to project what these kids are going to be."

Like Slater, Moises Rodriguez has been involved in international scouting for years. Now an assistant general manager with the Cardinals, he was the team's director of international operations from 2008 through 2017 and is still involved in scouting players in that changing marketplace.

"People are afraid of missing out on talent," Rodriguez said. "You don't want to miss out on the next big thing."

Not only are teams verbally agreeing to contracts with players at an earlier age, Rodriguez and Luis Morales, the current director of international operations for the Cardinals, have seen more and more teams become involved in scouting and trying to sign those players.

"There is more competition," Morales said. "It used to be that there were only 10 or 12 teams that were really competitive when it came to signing top international amateurs. Now you see everybody at events. Teams have become very aggressive compared to what it was like in the past."

That competition is what is driving the market to reach those verbal deals, and take the player off the market, at earlier and earlier ages. A year before the 2020 class is announced teams already have deals in place with those players and there likely are unknown deals with players who can't officially sign until 2021 as well.

None of the Cardinals executives interviewed for this story would offer specifics on the age of players they have reached verbal agreements with over the last couple of years, but it is known that the Cardinals have not been as aggressive in pursuing those early deals as some other teams.

"It's crazy, but if we don't evaluate them at 13 or 14 we are not going to get the players," Slater said. "It's the system that is in place now. ... Teams are agreeing with them as young as they can just to get the possible talent, whether they are 13, 14 or 15. Players are off the market one or two years before they are eligible. It's not right."

Slater, Rodriguez and Morales all believe there is a growing opinion among other clubs that the system needs to be changed.

The best chance for that change will be when the next basic agreement is negotiated between the owners and players. The current agreement expires in December 2021.

"The process needs to be changed," Slater said. "There's no doubt it needs to be changed. It's unrealistic for us to properly evaluate 12 and 13-year-olds. The fact that they are not eligible to sign until they are 16 is really irrelevant because MLB has basically told clubs it is OK to agree with these players at any age."

It's a system that also is resulting in teams spending millions and millions of dollars on players at least two, and sometimes four, years younger than the youngest players selected in the amateur draft.

"It's challenging to grade tools on 14-year-old kids but that's where we are as an industry," Rodriguez said.

The Cardinals could not compete for the top international amateurs who signed in 2017 and 2018 as a penalty for exceeding their signing budget in 2016. They could not offer players more than a \$300,000 signing bonuses but still landed several intriguing prospects, including third baseman Malcom Nunez out of Cuba, already considered one of the top prospects in the organization.

Those signing restrictions are now gone, and the Cardinals have \$6.4 million to spend this year on international free agents.

Most of the players who signed on July 2 will go to the team's academy in the Dominican Republic. Some will play on one of their two teams in the Dominican Summer League, but most will just train for the rest of this summer and begin playing next season.

There are currently three 16-year-old players on the rosters of their two DSL teams who won't turn 17 until later this month or in August.

A change in the system, even to a draft, won't affect that part of the process but will keep teams from having to commit large sums of money to players at such a young age.

"It's challenging for you to get a handle on how they are going to grow, their mental maturity ... their personalities are still developing at that age," Rodriguez said. "If you are committing to a player when he is 14 or 15, you are doing so with even less scouting history. The quality of the competition always is a tricky dynamic."

Adds Slater, "Think of your own kids. I have 15-year-old twins. They change every day. ... We are signing the best players at that age, and hopefully they will turn out to be the best players when they are 16 and when they are 20, but that doesn't always turn out to be the case. It's the rules of acquisition we are playing under."

Morales points out that baseball competition in Latin America is far different than in the United States when it comes to organization. He is a native of Venezuela, and went to high school and college in that country, and while they have team sports, it is not at the level seen in the U.S.

Most of the time when scouts want to see international players they now are going to organized showcases, where agents and trainers put together a team to play several games against other teams. The value of competition in true tournaments, such as the Under 15 world games and the Pan-Am Games, is important in trying to evaluate players, Morales said.

"We get info almost daily about events that are going on," Morales said. "They are grouping players together at showcases; they are not conducting workouts, just games."

The players in those showcases keep getting younger and younger, because the scouts and trainers know those are the players the teams want to see.

Changing the system of how teams can acquire those players won't change the scouting process, but will allow teams to wait and see how those players develop before having to offer them six-figure, and in many cases, seven-figure signing bonuses.

"We've become more open to the draft concept, where you can't actually commit to a player until he is 16," Rodriguez said. "That's what I would like us to consider as an industry. We've spoken about it internally and we would support some sort of change in the system to a draft-type process."

Obviously, all of the details about how an international draft would be conducted remain to be worked out but Slater for one thinks the system will finally be changed.



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Sex: Neutered Male
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Weight: 19.00 lbs
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"I've changed my view since working for the Dodgers 20 years ago," Slater said. "I remember being at a meeting in 2001 and the topic came up and Sandy Alderson, who was running the meeting for the commissioner's office would not bring it up (going to an international draft) for a vote because he said, 'The train has already left the station. There's going to be an international draft."

"That was 18 years ago. It hasn't happened. But I think finally the train is going to leave the station."

"Any system that will prevent teams from having to make agreements with players of that age (13 to 15) would be better. A majority of clubs would welcome some sort of system that would allow us to come to a final evaluation at a later age."

Until that happens, however, at least for the next three years the Cardinals and other teams will try to make the best decisions they can when evaluating which players to sign. And they will have scouts traveling all over the world while doing it.

Slater and another scout already have two trips planned to Japan and Korea later this year, where they also will be looking at professional players who might become available. They have a scout at an amateur showcase this week outside London. They sent a scout to Spain last summer, and will have one at the Pan-Am Games in Lima, Peru later this summer. Slater also will be at an event in Colombia in August.

All those trips are in addition to all of the work the international scouts on the ground are doing throughout Latin America.

"You never know where you are going to find a player," Slater said.

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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 your 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.

CLEAN AIR PARTNERSHIP

Clean Air Partnership Reminds Area Residents to Reduce Transportation Footprint During Summer Travels

Memorial Day marked the unofficial start of summer vacation season with a record number of drivers hitting the roads for the long holiday weekend. Families across the U.S. are gearing up for another season of travel and nearly 100 million Americans are planning to take a vacation this summer, according to the latest AAA travel survey. Whether your summer plans include a tropical getaway or cross-country road trip, it is important to keep in mind that traveling can negatively impact the environment.

"Fortunately, there are a variety of ways that area residents can reduce their environmental impact by making a few small changes to the way that we travel," said Susannah Fuchs, Director, Clean Air for the American Lung Association in Missouri. "Each one of these choices makes a small difference in the big picture, but collectively, becoming more conscious about greening your travels can have a huge impact on the environment."

With that in mind, the Clean Air Partnership suggests just a few of the many ways you can reduce your transportation footprint this summer to help improve the region's air quality:

Travel Light – Greener travel starts before we even leave the house. The more weight trains, planes, and automobiles have to carry, the more fuel they use, and the more harmful greenhouse gases are emitted into the atmosphere. As a result, these emissions have a negative impact on the climate – including worsened air quality – that pose many threats to human health. Be conscious of how much you are packing to lighten the load and help keep the air quality in healthy ranges.

Turn Off and Unplug – While you may feel more comfortable leaving on a light or two in your absence, that doesn't mean that you have to leave computers, tablets and other electrical devices on that still use electricity when plugged in, even though they may be idle. Do a walk-through of your home before you leave to turn off and unplug any unnecessary electronics because energy production is a key source of air pollution. Doing so will help clean the air by reducing harmful emissions!

Choose to Travel by Bus or Train – If possible, consider traveling by bus or train to your destination. These are the greenest options and can offer a certain level of convenience, particularly if the weather and roads are bad along your travel route. If you must fly, check to see if you can get an affordable nonstop flight to help improve the air quality by cutting back on carbon emissions that come from takeoff and landing. Buses, trains, hybrid cars, and coach seats on narrow jets weigh in with the smallest carbon footprints.

Properly Maintain Your Vehicle – If you are traveling by your own personal vehicle, routine maintenance steps like checking engine performance, keeping tires properly inflated, replacing air filters and changing oil regularly are all ways to help reduce emissions and fuel consumption, saving money at the pump and cleaning the air. Following the speed limit also saves fuel and prevents unnecessary air pollution.

Make Your Stay a Greener One – If your travel plans include staying at a hotel, consider some simple practices to minimize energy use during your trip like taking short showers, turning off any lights or electronics before leaving the room, keeping the thermostat at a reasonable temperature, and reusing sheets and towels instead of having them washed and changed every day. Otherwise, plan on staying with friends or family to cut back on cost and reduce energy use.

A few small changes are all it takes to help ensure we all breathe easier during the busiest travel time of the year. For more tips, visit www.cleanair-stlouis.com, like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter at @gatewaycleanair.

About the Clean Air Partnership

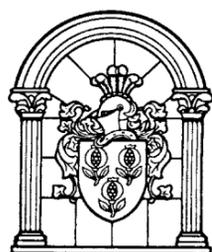
The Clean Air Partnership was formed in 1995, led by the American Lung Association, St. Louis Regional Chamber and Growth Association, East-West Gateway Council of Governments, Washington University and others, to increase awareness of regional air quality issues and to encourage activities to reduce air pollution emissions.

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Louis "Chip" Obert

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Missouri Wine Wobble to Hold Fall Run
Wobblers to run, walk and sip through the vineyards

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 choose 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>.




BRENTWOOD DAYS
September 20-21
BRENTWOOD PARK

Friday

- 5 pm Grounds Open
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- 5:30-8 pm Activities at Kids Tent
- 7-10 pm Live Music from Mixtapes

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- 12 pm Parade
- 1 pm Grounds Open
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- 2-4 pm Bingo
- 1-9 pm Activities at Kids Tent
- 6-9 pm Live Music from Dr. Zhivegas

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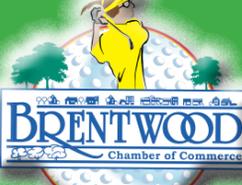


The St. Louis Regional Chamber and Psychological Associates will present their third Voices of the Region speaker series event titled "Make Your Brand Magnetic: How to Get Noticed, Booked and Paid What You're Worth." The program will be held Tues., Aug. 6 from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at the St. Louis Regional Chamber located at One Metropolitan Square.

Event speaker Lethia Owens is a branding expert, marketing domination strategist, and transformational keynote speaker known for her ability to educate and inspire. She is the founder of Next Level Branding & Marketing and is ranked #8 among the top 30 brand gurus in the world. Owens is the author of the best-selling book "Your Brand Influence: The Art and Science of Building an Influential Personal Brand."

The monthly series is hosted by the St. Louis Regional Chamber and Psychological Associates, a consulting company that applies behavioral science to business performance.

Tickets are \$30 per person, and reservations are required since space is limited. For more information, call (314) 231-5555 or visit <http://www.stlregional-chamber.com>.


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Brentwood Board of Aldermen Minutes

PARTIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN
 REGULAR MEETING
 Monday, May 20, 2019
 City Hall Council Chambers
 7:00 PM

Alderman Kramer called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

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

Absent: Mayor David Dimmitt, Alderman David Plufka

A quorum was present and Alderman Kramer presided.

Staff: Parks and Recreation Director Eric Gruenfelder, Finance Director Karen Shaw, City Attorney Kevin O'Keefe, Deputy City Clerk Shelly Todd, Public Works Director Dan Gummersheimer, Communications Manager Janet Levy, Police Chief Joe Spiess



Mayor David Dimmitt



Municipal Judge Patrick Dignam

Ward 1



Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice



Alderman Andy Leahy

Ward 3



Alderman David Plufka



Alderman Steve Lochmoeller

Ward 2



Alderwoman Sunny Sims



Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill



Alderman Brandon Wegge



Alderman Tom Kramer

Ward 4

ANNOUNCEMENTS, APPOINTMENTS, PROCLAMATIONS & RECOGNITIONS

A. Report from Kerber, Eck & Braeckel LP - Independent Review of Expenditures of Proceeds of the 2018 Series Certificates of Participation

Finance Director Shaw discussed the findings listed on the auditor's report. KEB examined invoices to determine if City of Brentwood's policy and internal controls were followed. Our policy states anything over two thousand dollars (\$2000) is placed on a warrant list for Board approval and a check request form is completed. An exception was noted a check request form wasn't completed for the purchase of properties and payment was issued before approved on the warrant list. We don't complete a check request for Brentwood Bound land purchases because it's Board approved in closed session. In addition, there are timing constraints when a payment is necessary for an escrow payment or land purchase and doesn't make it on the warrant list prior disbursement.

B. Proclamation - National Public Works Week (May 19 - 25, 2019)

Alderman Kramer read the National Public Works Week proclamation and declared May 19-25, 2019 as National Public Works week.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

A. Citizen Comments

Karen Smith Harrison resident on Harrison commented on Bill No. 6241 which is to rezone property located at 8820 Lawn Avenue from be single-family residential to planned development. Realizes that the property has been largely used for non-residential purposes but disappointed when residential property is switched over from residential to developed areas especially when it's encroaching into our neighborhoods.

CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

A. Brentwood Bound Update

Craig Schluter, Navigate Building Solutions provided the project update. Investment costs include the purchase of TMD Property and total spent to date is \$3,603,543.50. Direct project costs include Deer Creek Flood Mitigation design and engineering and a property appraisal. The total spent to date is \$2,572,221.83. Recent indirect costs include project management services and total spent to date is \$1,287,711.52.

B. The Mid-County Veterans Memorial Committee invites you to the Memorial Day Ceremony

Parks and Recreation Director Gruenfelder stated the Mid-County Veterans Memorial Committee has invited everyone to the Memorial Day Ceremony, Thursday, May 23, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. at the Mid-County Veterans Memorial Gazebo on THE HEIGHTS grounds, 8001 Dale Avenue, Richmond Heights. The ceremony will honor local veterans from World War I, including those from Brentwood who served and those who made the ultimate sacrifice.

C. Special Meeting of the Board of Aldermen - Workshop - June 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

Alderman Kramer stated a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen is scheduled June 18th at 6:00 P.M. at the Recreation Center. The workshop will be about the Brentwood Bound Project and next steps following the vote by the residents regarding the funding.

CONSENT AGENDA

A. Standing Committees Reports

Motion to approve 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of April 15, 2019, 9C. Warrants Lists, 9D. Resolution No. 1147, 9E. Resolution No. 1148

Motion by Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

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

B. Minutes of April 15, 2019

Motion to approve 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of April 15, 2019, 9C. Warrants Lists, 9D. Resolution No. 1147, 9E. Resolution No. 1148
 Motion by Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

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

C. Warrant Lists - Operating Funds and 2019 Expenditures from the 2018 Series Certificates of Participation Proceeds (COP)

Motion to approve 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of April 15, 2019, 9C. Warrants Lists, 9D. Resolution No. 1147, 9E. Resolution No. 1148
 Motion by Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

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

D. Resolution No. 1147 - A Resolution Approving An Agreement with St. John Environmental for Hazardous Materials Testing and Air Monitoring Services

Motion to approve 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of April 15, 2019, 9C. Warrants Lists, 9D. Resolution No. 1147, 9E. Resolution No. 1148
 Motion by Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

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

E. Resolution No. 1148 - A Resolution Approving An Agreement with Terracon Consultants, Inc. for Pre-Demolition Asbestos Inspection Services with The City of Brentwood

Motion to approve 9A. Standing Committees Reports, 9B. Minutes of April 15, 2019, 9C. Warrants Lists, 9D. Resolution No. 1147, 9E. Resolution No. 1148
 Motion by Alderwoman Kathy O'Neill, second by Alderman Andy Leahy.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:

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

10. OLD BUSINESS

A. Bill No. 6240 - An Ordinance Providing For A Boundary Adjustment Between The Cities Of Brentwood, Missouri And Webster Groves, Missouri And Providing For The Effective Date Of This Ordinance - Second Reading

“Lock It or Lose It”
 The Brentwood Police Department reminds residents to lock their vehicles, even if nothing of value is in sight.



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City Attorney O’Keefe read Bill No. 6240 for the second reading, final passage.

Motion to perfect Bill No. 6240 into ordinance form.
 Motion by Alderman Andy Leahy, 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, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge
 Ordinance No. 4878

B. Bill No. 6241 - An Ordinance To Rezone Property Located At 8820 Lawn Avenue From “B” Single-Family Residential District To “Pd” Planned Development Overlay District And Approving A Site Plan In Association Therewith.
 Second Reading
 City Attorney O’Keefe read Bill No. 6241 for the second reading, final passage.

Alderwoman O’Neill expressed her parking concerns at OB Clark’s and the Milton Building.

Alderman Leahy stated he’s not opposed to this Bill and understands Milton Building’s need for additional parking however, agrees with the resident by doing this Bill and allowing it to happen we have not changed the encroachment into residential because the comprehensive plan established that depth and we’re still there but OB Clark’s has a parking problem. They do own a few residential homes that go north of their property. Afraid we’re setting the precedent that would allow them to do that encroachment on those properties and as much as I agree with the resident I do understand it’s needed to fix problems because of the popularity of being in Brentwood. Will vote in favor of the Bill but it is not without other considerations.

Motion to perfect Bill No. 6241 into ordinance form.
 Motion by Alderman Andy Leahy, second by Alderwoman Sunny Sims.
 Final Resolution: Motion Passed

Roll Call:
 Yea: Alderman Thomas Kramer, Alderman Andy Leahy, Alderwoman Kathy O’Neill, Alderwoman Nancy Parker Tice, Alderwoman Sunny Sims, Alderman Brandon Wegge
 Nay: Alderman Steve Lochmoeller
 Absent: Alderman David Plufka
 Ordinance No. 4879

11. NEW BUSINESS
 None.

12. CITIZEN COMMENTS
 A. Citizen Comments
 Karen Smith resident on Harrison stated regarding OB Clarks and the purchase of several residential properties that they own is the “MO” for a lot of the owners along Brentwood Boulevard. They buy the homes in the back of them and rent them out. West Community Credit Union ran into some people that brought drugs into our area that was not addressed. The rental properties can present problems to a neighborhood. Often times the renters are not participating members of our communities because they come and go. When you rent properties, there are times that it’s not maintained at the same level as other properties in the neighborhood. They want to expand and deeper back into our neighborhoods and encroachment is continued into our residential areas.

13. CLOSED MEETING

14. ADJOURNMENT
 A. Adjourn Meeting
 Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:24 PM.
 Motion by Alderman Andy Leahy, second by Alderwoman Sunny Sims.

Approved by acclamation. Motion passed.
 Yea: Alderman Kramer, Alderman Leahy, Alderman Lochmoeller, Alderwoman O’Neill, Alderwoman Parker Tice, Alderwoman Sims, Alderman Wegge.
 Absent: Alderman David Plufka

MOVING SALE!
 July 27-28, 8736 Pine Ave. in Brentwood, 63144. Tools, lawn furniture and more. Everything must go! 7 a.m. - ???

Attachment F

PUBLIC RELEASE

7/1/19

Brentwood School District announced its revised free and reduced price policy for school children unable to pay the full price of meals served in schools under the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program.

Local education officials have adopted the following family-size income criteria for determining eligibility:

Household Size	Maximum Household Income Eligible for Free Meals			Maximum Household Income Eligible for Reduced Price Meals		
	Annually	Monthly	Weekly	Annually	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$16,237	\$1,354	\$313	\$23,107	\$1,926	\$445
2	21,983	1,832	423	31,284	2607	602
3	27,729	2,311	534	39,461	3,289	759
4	33,475	2,790	644	47,638	3,970	917
5	39,221	3,269	755	55,815	4,652	1,074
6	44,967	3,748	865	63,992	5,333	1,231
7	50,713	4,227	976	72,169	6,015	1,388
8	56,459	4,705	1,086	80,346	6,696	1,546
Each add'l member	+ 5,746	+ 479	+ 111	+ 8,177	+ 682	+ 158

Children from families whose current income is at or below those shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals. Applications are available at the school office. To apply, fill out a Free and Reduced Price School Meals Family Application and return it to the school. The information provided on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year. A complete application is required as a condition of eligibility. A complete application includes: (1) household income from all sources or Food Stamp/TANF case number, (2) names of all household members, and (3) the signature and last four digits of social security number or indication of no social security number of adult household member signing the application. School officials may verify current income at any time during the school year.

Foster children may be eligible regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside.

If a family member becomes unemployed or if family size changes, the family should contact the school to file a new application. Such changes may make the children of the family eligible for these benefits.

Households will be notified of their children’s eligibility status for free or reduced price meals. If any children were not listed on the eligibility notice for families receiving SNAP, TANF or FDIPIR, the household should contact the school to have free meal benefits extended to those children.

If any child(ren) was not listed on the eligibility notice, the household should contact the LEA or school to have free meal benefits extended to that child(ren).

Under the provisions of the policy, the **Principal’s Secretary** will review the applications and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisfied with the ruling of the determining official, they may wish to discuss the decision with the hearing official on an informal basis or he/she may make a request either orally or in writing to the **Dr. Alex Tripamer at (314)962-4507, atripamer@brentwoodmoschools.org.**

Hearing procedures are outlined in the policy. A complete copy of the policy is on file in each school and in the central office where any interested party may review it.

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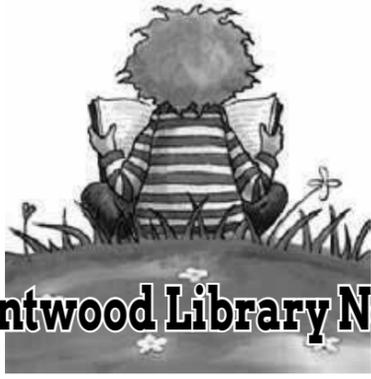
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Brentwood Library News

Brentwood Public Library
8765 Eulalie Ave., Brentwood, MO 63144, (314) 963-8630
www.brentwoodlibrarymo.org circulation@bplmo.org

July News

All Library events are free and open to the public. All dates subject 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.

Bubble Dance Party

Monday, July 15 at 10 am
An unstructured time to dance and play in bubbles in the library!

Story Time with Murphy the Dog

Wednesday, July 3 at 3:30 pm
Wednesday, August 7 at 3:30 pm
Murphy, a therapy dog from CHAMPS, will stop by the library for a special story time with you. Songs, rhymes, and stories—with a dog!

Toddler Yoga

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

Galaxy Glow Painting

Thursday, July 18 at 2 pm
Create a glowing work of art with UV paints and a black light. Dress to be messy.

Movie and Snacks

Wednesday, July 17 at 2 pm (How to Train Your Dragon: Hidden World)
Watch recently released family movies on the big screen. Snacks will be provided. Bring pillows and blankets to get comfortable!

Paws for Reading

Thursday, July 25 at 6 pm
Thursday, August 22 at 6 pm
Dogs make the best listeners! Read your favorite book to dogs from Support Dogs, Inc.

Toddler Art Class: Paint with Your Favorite Wheeled Toy

Monday, July 8 at 2:00 p.m.
Bring your favorite wheeled toy to paint with. Dress to be messy.

Meet the Firefighters

Wednesday, July 10 at 3 pm
Meet real firefighters, learn what their job is like, and take a tour of the firehouse. This event will be held at the Brentwood Fire Department, across the street from the library.

Galaxy in a Bottle

Thursday, July 11 at 2 pm
Make your own miniature galaxy in a jar at this fun craft event.

Miss Libby's Music Class

Friday, July 12 at 10 am
Miss Libby will get you dancing and singing at this hands-on music class! Recommended for ages 3-6 years.

Young Activist Boot Camp

Saturday, July 20 at 11 am
Look around at the name of your school, landmark buildings in our city, or streets around town: some of the names you see belong to civil rights heroes from right here! In this program, learn how you can be a young activist through fun, interactive activities and games. FREE, but registration is required. Ages 7 and up.

Galaxy Slime Craft

Monday, July 22 at 10 am
Thursday, July 25 at 2 pm
Make your own galaxy-inspired slime!

Star Party with St. Louis Astronomical Society

Friday, July 26 at 7 pm
Learn how to use a telescope and look at the night sky in this fun family night. Kids can make a galaxy-inspired craft. Food and drink will be served. This event will be held at the Brentwood Community Center.

Adult Programs:

Adult Craft: Painted Bangles

Wednesday, July 3 at 6 pm
Thursday, July 11 at 10 am
Join us in August to paint wooden bangle bracelets! Limit of 12 people to a craft. Registration required; call Gina at 963-8636 or email ggibbons@bplmo.org

Brentwood Book Club

Tuesday, July 9 at 6:30 pm
July's book will be Born a Crime by Trevor Noah. Ask for a copy at the desk. Newcomers are always welcome and no registration is required.

Resolutions Book Club (meets every other month)

Wednesday, July 17
6:30-7:30 pm
Together we share our goals for 2019 and cheer each other on. July's book will be Mindset: The New Psychology of Success by Carol S. Dweck. You are invited to chat between meetings about any progress or setbacks or simply to ask for and receive encouragement.

Walking Club

Thursdays at 9 am June-September and 12 pm October- May
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, July 10 at 6 pm
St. Louis Artists' Guild instructors will be leading hour-long beginners' drawing classes. You are welcome to bring your own materials, but we'll have the essentials on hand. RSVP to circulation@bplmo.org.

Just For Fun

Friday, July 19 at 6:30 pm
Graphic Novel July
Choose any book related to the monthly theme and come to the library after-hours 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, July 18
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.

Art Journaling 101

Every Monday in July (1, 8, 15, 22, 29) from 6-8 pm
Join artist Clare Etheridge for an art journaling workshop series. Registration for all five dates is required; please call (314) 963-8630 or e-mail circulation@bplmo.org.

Recycling 101

Wednesday, July 24, 6:30 pm
If you missed March's recycling overview, join us in July for a reprise! We'll review what goes in curbside recycling in Brentwood and where you can recycle other items locally.

Star Party with the Saint Louis Astronomical Society

Friday, July 26 at 7 pm
Learn how to use a telescope and look at the night sky! Food will be served. This event is for all ages and will be held at the Brentwood Community Center.

Adult Summer Reading Club Ice Cream Social

Sunday, August 4 from 2-4 pm
Join us for the wrap-up of Adult Summer Reading Club and beat the heat with free ice cream at the library! We'll be drawing for Summer Reading Club raffle prizes and discussing our summer reads. All adult Summer Reading Club participants are welcome.



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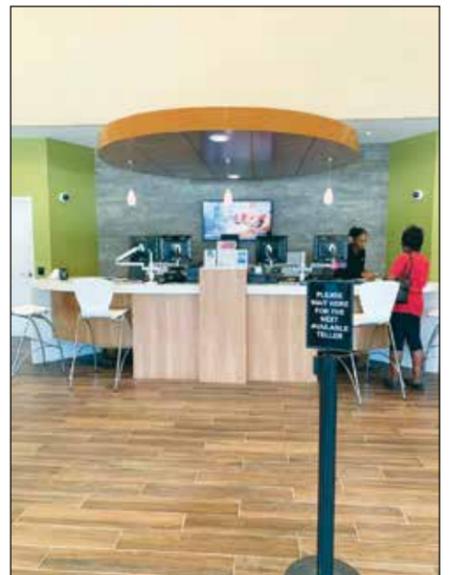
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West Community Credit Union Ribbon Cutting Event

Photos by Keith Dodel, Joyce Dodel-Locke and West Community Credit Union



URBAN CHESTNUT PARTNERS TO RELEASE THE FIRST OFFICIAL BEER FOR THE SAINT LOUIS ZOO

Grizzly Ridge Kölsch raises awareness and funds for the Saint Louis Zoo's conservation work and animal-care efforts

To raise awareness about the importance of animal welfare and conservation, the Saint Louis Zoo has teamed up with Urban Chestnut Brewing Company (UCBC) to create Grizzly Ridge Kölsch, the first official beer of the Saint Louis Zoo. The beer will be available at the Zoo as well as at grocery stores and beer retailers in St. Louis city, St. Louis and St. Charles counties and the Metro East area beginning June 22. For every case of Grizzly Ridge Kölsch sold at area retailers, Urban Chestnut will donate \$3 to the Saint Louis Zoo to support its animal care and conservation work. *

Grizzly Ridge Kölsch will make its debut June 21, 2019, at the Zoo's biennial creative black-tie party, ZOOFARI presented by Wells Fargo Advisors. Following the event, Grizzly Ridge Kölsch will be available in 4-packs of 16 oz. cans in St. Louis metro area stores where craft beer is sold.

"The Zoo's mission is to care for animals and conserve their habitats through animal management, research, recreation and educational programs to encourage support from and enrich the experience of the public," said Jeffrey P. Bonner, Ph.D., Dana Brown President and CEO, Saint Louis Zoo. "Our collaboration with Urban Chestnut provides an opportunity for adults to enjoy a refreshing and delicious craft beer while supporting the Zoo's conservation and animal-care efforts."

Grizzly Ridge Kölsch is named after the Zoo's newest habitat, Centene Grizzly Ridge. Future plans include the release of a new style of beer highlighting a different area of the Zoo in 2020.

Urban Chestnut collaborated with the Saint Louis Zoo on the beer style, name and label design. "Together, we ultimately decided to brew a Kölsch because it is a clean, crisp and well-balanced style that will appeal to a wide audience," said Florian Kuplent, UCBC co-founder and brewmaster.

"From day one, Urban Chestnut has been committed to supporting nonprofit organizations in the St. Louis community. When the opportunity arose to partner with such an important



and vital organization as the Saint Louis Zoo, we jumped at the chance," said David Wolfe, UCBC co-founder. "We are extremely honored to be selected as their partner to develop their first official beer."

*In partnership with Urban Chestnut's local wholesalers: Major Brands Distributing, Grey Eagle Distributors, Donnewald Distributing, and H.W. Herrell Distributing.



Summer Surprise Story Time June 25, 2109 Saint Mary Magdalen Catholic Church offered a summer surprise story time for ages 4-7 this past weekend. Father Jack Siefert, Pastor, enjoys building community in different ways and decided to invite our young parishioners to a fun story time event. Award winning Author & Executive Director of Virtue Works Media, Cathy Gilmore, entertained the children with her virtue based stories, games and singing. Cathy combines her love for stories into an energizing experience for children that focuses on the dignity and beauty of moral absolutes required for living well.

The Brentwood Century Foundation *presents:*

Community Sing Along and Movie Night

1919 songs by the Brentwood Youth Community Choir
plus 2 Charlie Chaplin shorts from 1919

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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.

Brentwood School District

July 2019 News

News Across the District

• As Brentwood prepares for another school year, our staff have been hard at work with their own summer learning. Professional Development for Brentwood staff has included:

- Foundations, a multisensory structured language program, Training at Churchill
- Wilson Reading Program Training
- Units of Study Phonics Institute at Columbia University
- Personalized Learning Summit in Atlanta, GA
- Tier One School Safety Training
- School Nurse Survival Training with Barnes Jewish College Goldfarb School of Nursing
- NWEA, a research-based assessment that measures growth and proficiency, Conference in St. Louis



BHS Debate Nationals

• Brentwood School District is pleased to announce the results of the 2019 National Speech and Debate (NSDA) National Tournament hosted in Dallas, TX. Brentwood qualified four students from the Eastern Missouri District. Brentwood students were part of a select group that represents only the top 3% of all speech and debate competi-



Tier Training

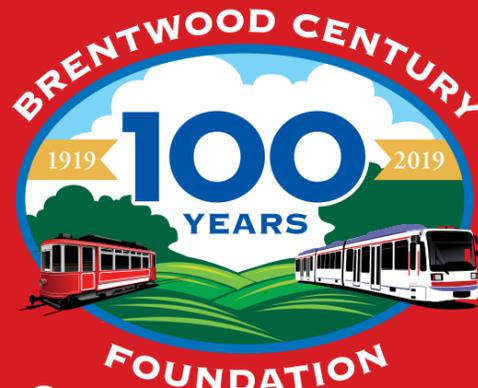
tors in the nation who make it to the national tournament. Here are the results for each student:

• **Madhumathi Vijayalingam** (Class of 2019) placed in the **top 30 in Informative Speaking** out of around 250 students and advanced twice to make it to the quarterfinals. Madhu was also a Missouri state finalist at the MSH-SAA state tournament in April.

• **Meghan Haug** (Class of 2019) advanced at the tournament into the **top 30 in Original Oratory** out of around 250 of the top orators in the nation. Meghan advanced twice to be placed in the top 30 overall. She was also the Missouri State Champion at the state tournament in April in Radio Speaking category.

• **Lindsey Trieu** (Class of 2019) was also a state finalist at the MSH-SAA state tournament in April. At the national tournament, she competed in an event known as Program Oral Interpretation with her top peers from around the country.

• **Ben Haug** (Class of 2020) placed **6th overall in the nation out of around 250 in Storytelling**. Originally, Ben prepared for the tournament with his main event of Humorous Interpretation. When he did not advance in that event, he entered a consolation event he had also prepared known as Storytelling. In the consolation bracket, you must be the top 2 in every preliminary round to advance. Ben made it through the steep competition and cut-off through four preliminary rounds and ended up in the final round of Storytelling. He was also a state finalist at the state tournament in April.



Brentwood Day at **Busch Stadium** Sunday, August 11th at 1:15 pm

See the Cards take on the Pirates for only **\$25**
Special Price includes a hot dog and soda

See our **Brentwood Youth Choir** sing on the field during the **7th inning stretch!**

For tickets, contact **Ed Wright** at wrikink@aol.com or go online to the Brentwood Century Foundation site at www.brentwood100.org
Tickets can also be purchased at **West Community Credit Union**

Another event to celebrate Brentwood's Centennial brought to you by the Brentwood Century Foundation



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Brentwood100.org



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Ellen L. Hill, Long Time Resident of Evans Place Neighborhood in Brentwood, Dies at 90

Ellen L. Hill, a former resident of the Evans Place neighborhood in Brentwood, passed away on June 14, 2019 at the age of 90. Services were held on June 20th at the Old Community Missionary Baptist Church in Webster Groves, with Rev. Eric Hayes presiding. Interment was in Memorial Park.

Ms. Hill was born February 2nd, 1929 in St. Louis to Beulah Shelton and Worthington Boyd. Due to her mother's early passing, Ellen was raised by her grandmother, Emma Shelton, and her father, both of whom preceded her in death. Two of her children, Steven and Robert Boyd, also preceded her in death.

Ellen attended high school in St. Louis and attended church with her father in Brentwood. She worked as a caregiver all of her life, providing love, guidance, and comfort, as well as being a mother to many. She opened her home to anyone that needed help and a place to stay. Known as "Big Mama" to many, Ellen was small but mighty.

Ms. Hill lived a full life and in her younger years, she loved a good time. For example, she socialized with legendary artists Albert King and Johnny Taylor, to name just two. She enjoyed cooking and feeding anyone that needed a good home cooked meal and was still cooking at the age of 90. Ellen also loved watching her TV shows and soaps, especially THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS.

Ellen leaves to cherish her memory: her children, Beverly Ingram, Antionette Jefferson, Daniel Foster, Aaron "Tank" Foster (Loretta Davis), Florita Foster, Emerson Foster, and Megan Gidlow. She also leaves to cherish 16 grandchildren and a host of great and great-great grandchildren whom she had the pleasure of spending time with during her life.

Evans Place and Brentwood lost a true treasure when Ms. Hill passed. We thank Elaine Reed for providing us with the information and program from the services.



Catching up with Brentwoods' "Sandy the Mailman"

Greetings!

After all these years of being retired (since 1989), I still haven't forgotten the Dodel family. I hope you are all doing well.

Delivering mail to you at Gene-Del Printing and The Pulse Newspaper was a wonderful part of my day.

In January I saw a picture of Fredbird on the front page of the Post newspaper and I thought of the time that Gene Dodel took a picture of Fredbird and me outside of your business. Since 1982, I have this picture hung on a wall in my home.

I've got great admiration for your parents. One time I went to a baseball writer's dinner with Gene and others at his invitation.

Another memory comes to mind when Gene took a picture of Peggy and I kissing under the mistletoe by your front door and you put it in the Pulse! I hoped my boss would not see it! hahaha

I'm 84 years old now! I can't believe it.

Best wishes to you all in 2019!
Sandy Buchheit
"Sandy the Mailman"



"Taken by Gene Dodel in early December, 1982 at the Brentwood Optimist Tree Lot. I have this picture hanging on a wall at my home after all these years".

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1m Walk Run

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Centennial Community Sing Along and Chaplin Movie Shorts in July

Brentwood's Centennial celebration continues in July with a Community Sing Along and Movie Night on Saturday, July 13th. The event is another in a series presented by the Brentwood Century Foundation. It is sponsored by the Brentwood High School Alumni Association and will take place at the Brentwood School District headquarters at 1201 Hanley Industrial Court. The entertainment begins at 7 pm.

The singalong will be led by Deb Stinson and the Brentwood Youth Choir, a group that has been rehearsing and performing for over a year and has some big events ahead of it. Choir director Stinson said:

"We have had fun introducing songs from 100 years ago to the young students in the Brentwood Youth Choir. They have enjoyed learning them and finding out how people expressed themselves through song back then. We are laughing and singing and having a wonderful time." (The Youth choir will be singing at Brentwood Day at Busch Stadium on Sunday, August 11th, if 300 tickets are sold. More on that later.)

Deb and the choir will be leading those in attendance in singing songs from 100 years ago, such as A BICYCLE BUILT FOR TWO and MEET ME IN ST. LOUIE, LOUIE.

Also, on the 13th, two short Charlie Chaplin movies from 1919 will be shown: SUNNYSIDE and A DAY'S PLEASURE. Chaplin's unique sense of humor and physicality come through in these fun movie shorts from 100 years ago. The movies are appropriate for all members of the family. Movie snacks will be provided by the sponsor, Brentwood Alumni Association.

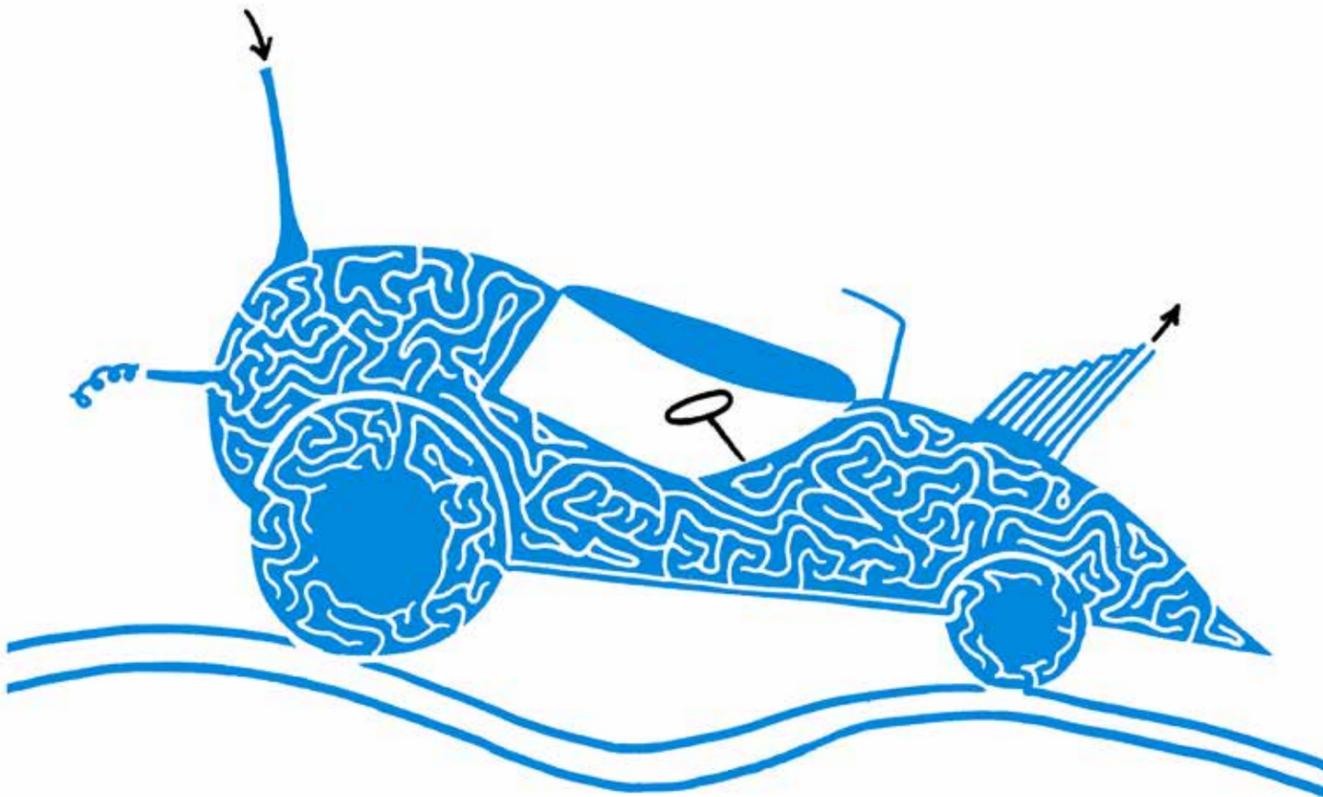
"We thought this fun evening would be a good way for Brentwood High School alumni to participate in the year's centennial events and give back to the Brentwood community," said BAA president, George Clements. "We look forward to presenting an enjoyable evening at the district center."

For information about this and other Centennial events, visit the Brentwood Century Foundation site at Brentwood100.org.

Joey's Mazes by Joey Barzantny

mazesbyjoe.com

Can You Go Far... Inside This Car?



Operation Food Search to Host 26th Annual Golf Tournament

Operation Food Search (OFS), a non-profit hunger relief organization, will host its 26th annual golf tournament on Mon., Oct. 7 with registration beginning at 11 a.m. and a shotgun start at noon. The tournament will be held at WingHaven Country Club, St. Louis' only Nicklaus-designed course, located at 7777 Winghaven Blvd. in O'Fallon, Mo.

Tickets – which are \$300 per golfer or \$1,200 per team of four golfers – include 18 holes with golf cart, golf goodie bag, lunch and dinner. A live and silent auction will be held during the barbecue dinner starting at 5 p.m. Proceeds will go toward ending childhood hunger and family food insecurity in the St. Louis bi-state region.

Founded in 1981, Operation Food Search (OFS) is a hunger relief organization that provides food and nutrition education. With a strategic focus aimed at ending childhood hunger, OFS empowers families with a range of programs and services proven to reduce food insecurity and increase access to healthy and affordable food. The agency helps feed more than 200,000 individuals on a monthly basis – one-third of which are children – through a network of 330 community partners in 31 Missouri and Illinois counties.

For ticket details or to become a sponsor, call (314) 726-5355 or visit <http://www.OperationFoodSearch.org>.



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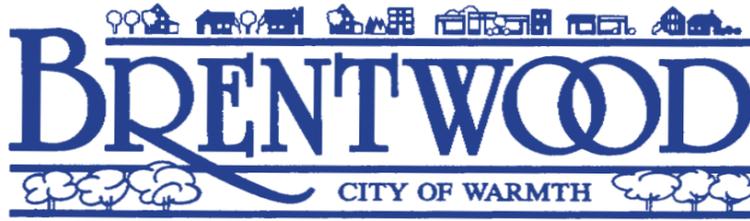
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Brentwood Celebrates a Century with 100+ Events in 2019

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

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.

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

Responsible Recycling Tip from Republic Services: The Poke Test

Most of the time, plastic is a great candidate for recycling. However, there are times when it should not be placed in the recycling bin. One of the easiest ways to determine whether plastic belongs in the recycling container or trash can is by using something we like to call the “Poke Test.” If you can push your finger through it, then the plastic is too soft to be recycled. Flimsy plastic gets tangled in the sorting machinery, causing expensive damage and extensive delays. So even if it says it’s recyclable, things like water bottle wraps, grocery bags and bubble wrap all require special handling. You can take these items to the grocery store to be recycled.

Essentially all plastic bottles, jugs and containers are eligible for curbside recycling, as long as you follow the rule of empty, clean, and dry. Be sure to rinse off any residual food and shake off the water before you place these items in your recycling container. If you want to recycle lids, make sure they’re attached, as they’re too small to get recycled alone.

By taking these easy steps, you help ensure that the plastic you put in your recycling container sees new life!

[source: <https://recyclingsimplified.com/tip/the-poke-test/>]



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MOST NEEDED ITEMS THIS MONTH

- Small Kitchen Tables
- Twin, Full, and Queen Metal Bed Frames
- Twin, Full, and Queen Box Frames (good condition)

Visit
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to learn how to donate.



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
jlevy@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: _____

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TRAVEL

by Sue McCarthy

Weekend in Portland, OR



We attended a travel conference in southern California then headed north to spend a couple days in our 49th state. That would be Oregon. We knew Portland offered many things to do and unfortunately we didn't have much time to spend there. Of course, that means we will have to go back to do some more things. We took the Amtrak to Portland and used taxi cabs to get around town. One thing that surprised us when we got off the train was the number of homeless camped out around Union Station. This is not unusual and it is due to the policies Portland has for the homeless.



We wanted to experience two different hotels that had been referred to us, so we stayed the first night at a new hotel downtown, the Woodlark Hotel. It is also called "the house of welcome." It is Portland's newest hotel. When people say they want a cup of good coffee they are also talking about an upcoming brand called "Good Coffee."

The second night we stayed in the elegant five star Heathman Hotel. We knew this would be a special hotel before we got there, since our friend that recommended it and couldn't say enough nice things about the hotel. We were amazed at our executive suite, the beds and pillow selections were just what we wanted after spending the week walking the floor at the travel conference. We are coffee drinkers in the morning and were pleased to see two French Press coffee makers in our suite. The Heathman was originally built in 1927 and is a member of Historic Hotels of America. It was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1984. The architectural style is Jacobean Revival. The hotel is surrounded by a performing arts center is now called The Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. One of my favorite parts of the hotel is the library, which is floor-to-ceiling with autographed books and beautiful artwork. If you glance up there is a 100-year-old crystal chandelier. The Heathman's motto is "Where Service Is Still an Art." You'll be greeted upon arrival by doormen dressed in a Beefeater costume.



Heathman artwork



Pittock Kitchen

We toured the Pittock Mansion, a French Renaissance-style chateau, built in 1914. The 46-room estate was built on 46 acres and is now owned by Portland's Bureau of Parks and Recreation and is open for touring. The mansion has a panoramic view that includes snow-capped Mt. Hood framed by roses. Pittock Mansion is surrounded by formal gardens that reflect Georgiana Pittock's passion for gardening. The City of Portland purchased the estate in 1964 for \$225,000. The mansion has appeared in several movies. This location was used as the finish line for the 13th season of "The Amazing Race."



Pittock Shower

Another must see in Portland is the Japanese Gardens. The gardens are considered to be the most authentic Japanese Garden outside of Japan. The gardens have a Koi pond, and a Bonsai Terrace and is situated on 12 acres. It has a shuttle to take you up the hill and is not wheelchair accessible, but strollers are accepted. The International Rose Test Gardens are next door.

There is a lot to see in Portland and when we return to Portland we will have to allow more time to enjoy our visit.



Japanese Garden

IF YOU GO - Portland, OR

The Heathman Hotel
1001 SW Broadway
Portland, OR
503-241-4100

Woodlark Hotel
813 SW Alder
Portland, OR
503-548-2559

Japanese Garden
611 SW Kingston Ave.
Portland, OR
503-223-1321

Pittock Mansion
3229 NW Pittock Dr.
Portland, OR
503-823-3623



Fleet Week



Library at Heathman



Ferry Edmonds



Mt. Hood



Pittock Mansion



Portland



Portland Roses

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@brm.com or visit www.moonlightramble.com.

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RESTAURANT REVIEWS

Dining in Portland



Our travel radio show recently took us to the West Coast; Anaheim, Seattle, and Portland. Two and one half days in Portland gave us the opportunity to live like a local when it comes to dining.

We stayed at the Woodlark Hotel on our first night and started the next morning with coffee and kolache's at Good Coffee, in the lobby. I will agree that the name is fitting, it was very good coffee and much more reasonably priced than most West Coast coffee shops. They offered sweet and savory kolache's that were delicious.

We found Jake's Grill just one block from our hotel. It looked good, so we gave it a try for lunch. Jake's Grill is located in the historic Sentinel Hotel. It is a classic American Grill traditional dining experience. The décor includes lots of dark hardwood paneling, booths with a window view, and velvet curtains for privacy, and white linen tables.

We later found out that Jake's is one of Portland's "go to" places for dining out. I saw a beautiful cheeseburger at a nearby table, so that was my choice. Sue had fish and chips for lunch and we were both surprised by the large size of the portions.

The bar area is reminiscent of an old hunt club with antlers etc. hanging on the wall. Their promise of hand mixed cocktails was appealing.

Our second night was spent at the Heathman Hotel where we had a light supper from room service. Sue had a tomato bisque and I had a bowl of delicious clam chowder. Our meal was very tasty and reasonably priced as well.

The next morning we ate at their Headwaters restaurant. Again, large portions and very tasty. Sue had a large omelet with home fries and I decided to go a bit healthy, oatmeal with golden raisins and cinnamon. We both chose from a large selection of hot tea. The Headwaters also has Russian Tea Service that we missed out on.

Portland is also known for its large number of food trucks. You will see an entire square block of food trucks parked side by side with the narrow ends facing the street. Each truck has a different style of food from all over the world. It is an amazing sight to see. We did not try these because I am not inclined to stand in line to order and then stand on the sidewalk to eat, but they sure did smell good.

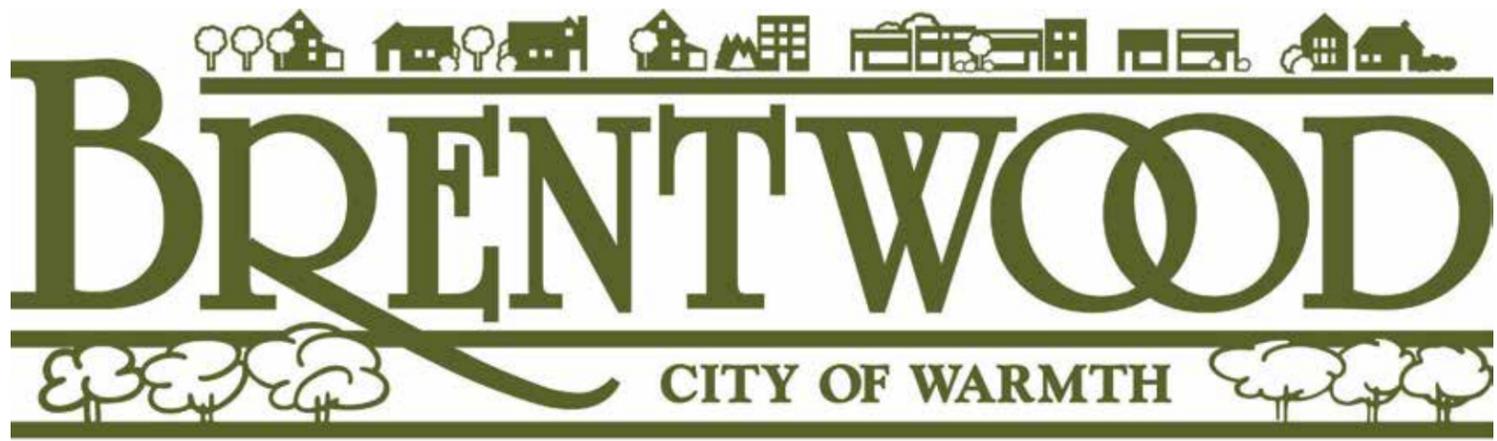
We had an early flight the next day, so we stayed at a hotel near the airport that I found on the internet for less than \$100/night. The Portlander was an incredible surprise! It is actually a one-off, family owned, truck stop with a comfortable, clean hotel, two movie theaters, deli, market, business supply store, laundry, casino, lounge and restaurant.

The restaurant was incredible! It was very clean, we had excellent, friendly service, and we all know that truckers like to eat, so the portions were huge. They were also delicious. Sue had a cheeseburger and fries, and I had a bowl of homemade split peas soup. Mom could not have done better! There was no grilled cheese sandwich on the menu, but they brought me perfect one in a matter of minutes. We splurged for dessert with an incredible apple crisp with ice cream, WOW!

The next morning it was biscuits and gravy, after all, it was a truck stop! Just perfection!

Portland has many dining venues that serve great food at a reasonable prices. It was an exceptional dining experience.





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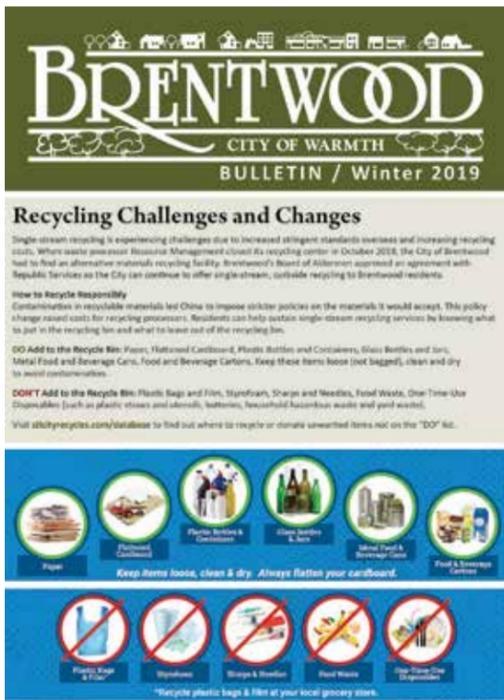
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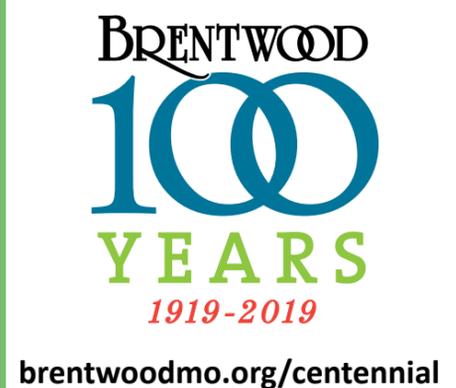
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It's Not Too Late to Get Back on Track With Your Money Goals for the Year

By: West Community Credit Union

You started the year gung-ho and resolved to spend less, save more, pad that nest egg and finally build your emergency savings to six months. So now that we're reaching mid year, how are those goals coming along? If you're tempted to raise your hands in surrender and just hope for a clean slate next year, don't give up yet! It's not too late to get back on track.

Step 1: Figure Out How Off Track You Are

Start taking stock of your financial data. For example, if your goal was to increase your net worth, then calculate your net worth by adding up all the money you have in your checking, savings, investment and retirement accounts and subtracting all your debts. If your goal was to pay off loans or credit cards, check to see where your balances stand. The key is to get a handle on the numbers.

Step 2: Assess Why You Got Off Track

People often aren't specific with their goals like, 'I want to save more money,' but don't have any idea how they'll accomplish that. If you did come up with a plan, perhaps the issue was that it wasn't sustainable for the long run. For instance, to cut down on eating costs, perhaps you resolved to start bringing lunch to work every day. The problem? We need to address what comes next in our plan. Without that next level of thinking, you might get so sick of packing the same salad every day that you end up binging on pricey lunches out for a week straight. The bottom line: If you know what your previous pain points were, you can try to work around them in your next plan of attack.

Step 3: Hit the Reset Button

Depending on how far off base you are, it may be worth it to simply revise your financial goals in a way that makes them more reasonable and achievable. If your New Year's resolution was "I want to save more money," you could refine it this way: "I want to save \$200 for the next three months so that I'll have \$600 to put toward the holidays."

Step 4: Set Weekly Milestones

Oftentimes, people get derailed because they don't track their progress frequently enough. To help prevent those moments where you realize you didn't hit your target until the end of the month — after it's too late to do anything about it — start breaking down your goals by the week. Think about it: Most of us don't say, "I'm going to the gym for 15 hours over 30 days." It's probably better to say, "I'm going to go to the gym three times a week."

Step 5: Automate What You Can

We could all use a little extra help when it comes to inching toward a goal, so evaluate where you can automate things to make your financial life easier. For instance, you could set up automatic payments toward a credit card that you're trying to pay off by the end of the year or even beef up your retirement fund through direct contributions that come out of your paycheck. The more you can make your goal progress a no-brainer, the better.

Step 6: Ask for Help

Sometimes it can be helpful to get a new pair of eyes on a problem to reach any kind of solution. Contact Member Services at 636.720.2400 or visit us online at westcommunitycu.org to see what options are available for you to reach your goals. We'll listen to your story and do everything we can to help you get back on track.

Ultimately, the end game for goal resetting is to instill financial habits in yourself that will eventually become second nature — perhaps to the point where you may not even have to make them into special resolutions anymore. What you're trying to do is have these habits in place by the New Year, rather than start over.



SafeWise is happy to release our 5th annual Safest Cities report. Congratulations to Rock Hill and Glendale for making the top 20!

The Show-Me State could show the rest of the country a lot about keeping violent crime low. Statewide, there was fewer than one violent crime incident per 1,000 people. That's nearly four fewer incidents than the national violent crime rate of 4.49. And each city that made our list did better than that. In fact, the top two cities (Portageville and California) reported zero incidents of violent crime in 2017.

But Missouri has some work to do when it comes to property crime—the state experienced 10 more incidents per 1,000 people than the national average. Among the safest cities, only two exceeded the national property crime rate of 27.11 incidents per 1,000 people.

Find out if your city is one of Missouri's safest—and get the details on every city that made the top 20 at <https://www.safewise.com/blog/safest-cities-missouri/>

#4
Rock Hill
New ▲

👤 Population	🔪 Violent Crime Rate
4,616	(per 1,000)
💰 Median Income	0.21
\$66,311	🏠 Property Crime Rate
	(per 1,000)
	9.10

#17
Glendale
-8 ▼

👤 Population	🔪 Violent Crime Rate
5,889	(per 1,000)
💰 Median Income	0.50
\$131,250	🏠 Property Crime Rate
	(per 1,000)
	8.32

CITY OF ROCK HILL

RECYCLING EVENT

(DOCUMENTS & ELECTRONICS)

Saturday, July 20, 2019

9a-12p

Givens Elementary School (707 N Rock Hill Rd)

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Business Card Size	2 x 3-1/2	\$50.00

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Member, Brentwood, Richmond Heights &
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WARNING

Readers are advised that some "work-at-home" ads or ads offering informing on jobs, government homes, or vehicles may require an initial investment. We urge you to investigate the company's claims thoroughly before sending any money and proceed at your own risk.

MARY'S PET SITTING

Loving professional pet care in your home. Bonded and insured. 314-918-8629.

MOVING SALE!

July 27-28, 8736 Pine Ave. in Brentwood, 63144. Tools, lawn furniture and more. Everything must go! 7 a.m. - ???

20 WORDS FOR \$3.00!

Deadline for
next issue is
August 5

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pulse
314.962.4750

WRITE IN YOUR OWN CLASSIFIED AD

Mail Check or Money Order.

Ads must be received by
first monday of the month.

20 WORDS FOR \$3.00!
Each additional word or
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Telephone number equals two words.
Address equals two to three words.
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

Customer Information
(will not be included in ad)

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone No. _____

Mail to:
PULSE NEWSPAPER
9019 Manchester
Brentwood, MO 63144

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-Mobile
- 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

Civic & Church Organizations

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

Brentwood Congregational United Church of Christ

2400 South Brentwood Blvd.
Telephone No. 314 962-9966
Sunday Services – 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study – 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School – 10:30 a.m.
www.brentwood-congregational.org

Brentwood Lions Club

2nd & 4th Tues., 6:30 meeting
Goff-Moll Post 101, 2721 Collier
Lion President Kimberly Taylor
314-560-8383 or lionkimberly@sbeglobal.net

LIST YOUR ORGANIZATION OR CHURCH - \$100 FOR 12 MONTHS

A Few Pulse Distribution Centers...

BRENTWOOD

Brentwood City Hall, O.B. Clarks, West Community Credit Union, Brentwood Community Center, Gene-Del Printing, Sideline Bar, American Legion Post 101, Brentwood Library, Dobb's Tire, Brentwood Shoe Stop, Brentwood Family Chiropractic, Speedway Automotive, Carl's Drive-In, Mt. Calvary Church, UPS Store, Brentwood Forest, White Building, Double D Lounge, Brentwood Police Dept., All State Insurance, Drury Inn, Mid-County YMCA, Altair Travel, 1st Church of Christ Scientist, Dickey's BBQ, Enterprise Bank, Refind Room, Steger Automotive.

MAPLEWOOD

Citizen's Bank, Maplewood City Hall, V.F.W. Big Bend, Cousin Hugo's, Schlafly Bottle Work.

ROCK HILL:

Farotto's, Rock Hill City Hall & Library, Hacienda, Trainwreck Saloon, CiCi's Pizza, St. Louis Wings, Traintown, St. Louis Custard, Auto Spa ETC Rock Hill, West Community Mortgage.

RICHMOND HEIGHTS

Richmond Heights City Hall, Telle Tire, Richmond Living Place.

GLENDALE

Bopp Chapel, Laurie's Shoes.

BRENTWOOD

Parks & Recreation



July 10:

Come find out what all the excitement is about as we check out our local Ikea Ware-house. We will have lunch in the Ikea Bistro, where they serve their famous meatballs.
10:00am - 1:00pm | \$6/person

Johnny Cash Tribute - Music on the Menu

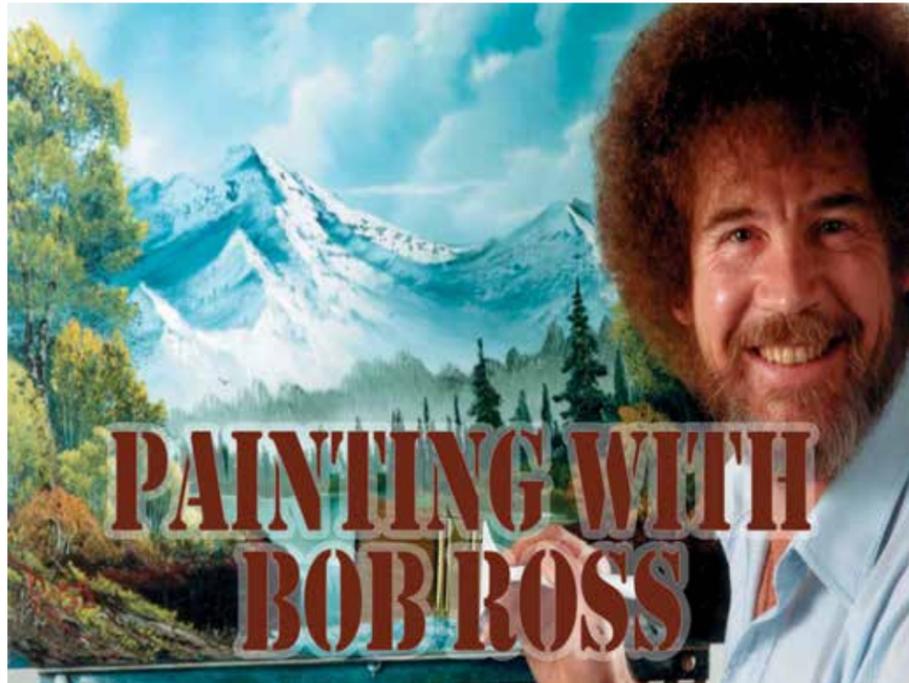
Celebrating the life and music of one of the most influential musicians of our time, Bill Forness has mastered the essence of a real Johnny Cash performance. With a deep baritone voice and a theatrical stage presence, Bill Forness & One More Round has become the most sought after Johnny Cash Tribute act anywhere!

Bill Forness & One More Round perform a theatrical tribute to the 'Man In Black' with an authentic stage presence Johnny Cash fans deserve! The show delivers hits from the 1950s onward. Most notably "Ring of Fire", "Folsom Prison Blues", "I Walk The Line", "Boy Named Sue", and the Grammy winning "Jackson" which includes band member Sharon Newell as June Carter.

Craft Beer Cellar will be there serving adult beverages. New York Tom's food truck provides the dinner and we'll have dessert on hand as well!



Friday, July 19
Brentwood Park
6:00 - 9:00pm
FREE EVENT



July 12:

Discover the Joy of Painting as we create happy little trees and mighty mountain landscapes! You will get to take your canvas painting home with you that day! Snacks and supplies provided.
10:00 - 11:30am | \$15/person



July 16:

Take a trip to Fairmount Park to place your bet on your favorite horses. Enjoy a spectacular view from window seating while dining on a delicious lunch at the Black Stallion Buffet.
11am - 4:30pm | \$25/person

Trivia
A delightful game involving obscure facts (which, oddly enough, is in itself an obscure fact.)
August 10, 2019

Brought to you by the friendly folks at Webster Groves & Maplewood LIONS
American Legion Post 111
7300 Lansdowne
Shrewsbury, MO

Doors Open @ 6:30
Trivia @ 7:00

Here's the fun part you're looking for:
Cash Bar
Raffle Items
Silent Auction
\$25 at the door
\$20 /person in advance.
Beer and Soda provided
B-Y-O-S (snacks) (No Alcohol)
Make checks to:
Webster Groves LIONS

For more information -
Sandy Halama - (314)-795-7456
Sue Templaton - (314)-644-1915

SAINT LOUIS ZOO CELEBRATES SHARK WEEK JULY 14-20

Take a bite out of summer and celebrate Shark Week presented by Swedish Fish at the Saint Louis Zoo on Sunday, July 14 through Saturday, July 20, 2019.

The week kicks off with Shark Awareness Day on July 14. The Zoo is partnering with the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) SAFE (Saving Animals from Extinction) to inspire individuals to take positive conservation actions to protect the oceans. AZA institutions are working with conservation partners and stakeholders to save sharks and rays around the world.

Land sharks are welcome to join in the fun! Come to the Zoo dressed as a shark during Shark Week and get into Stingrays at Caribbean Cove presented by SSM Health for free. Visitors over the age of 13 must comply with the Zoo's adult costume policy as posted on the Zoo's website.

In addition to the stingrays, guests will have the chance to see and learn about bonnethead, white-spotted, and brown-banded bamboo sharks, all native to the Caribbean. Interpreters and Zoo educators will enlighten guests about sharks and spin tales about their toothy friends.

Paying customers to the exhibit will be awarded a coupon, which will earn them 10 percent off at Ray's Snack Shack and all Zoo gift shops on the day of their visit.

From 12 to 3 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, July 19 and 20, feel the warm, soothing beat of the steel drum as you listen to the ethereal blend of calypso, reggae, bossa, Soca and live Caribbean music by Mango Jay. Kids can join in shark-themed games and activities. Swedish Fish Brand Ambassadors will be on-site handing out candy on Friday and Saturday, while supplies last.

From 5 to 8 p.m. on Friday, July 19, flit your fins with the Zydeco Crawdaddys at Jungle Boogie presented by Mid America Chevy Dealers.

Make a pit stop at Ray's Snack Shack for Dole Whip and other treats! Adults 21 and older can enjoy Dole Whip blended with some island spirits. Ray's Snack Shack, located next to Stingrays at Caribbean Cove, now offers a variety of allergy-friendly menu items.



GRAND OPENING!

JULY 8TH – 12TH

WE'RE CELEBRATING ALL WEEK! MONDAY TO THURSDAY, STOP INTO THE NEW WEST COMMUNITY BRANCH FOR SPECIAL OFFERS AND GIFTS FROM LOCAL BRENTWOOD BUSINESSES – AND ON FRIDAY, JOIN US AT OUR GRAND OPENING PARTY!



<p>MON., JULY 8TH</p> <p>THIS IS NOT A COUPON</p> <p>\$5.00 OFF*</p> <p>Coupon available at the West Community Credit Union Brentwood branch on 7/8/2019*</p> 	<p>TUES., JULY 9TH</p> <p>THIS IS NOT A COUPON</p> <p>FREE BUNDTLET*</p> <p>Coupon available at the West Community Credit Union Brentwood branch on 7/9/2019*</p> 	<p>WED., JULY 10TH</p> <p>THIS IS NOT A COUPON</p>  <p>Free packet of Thank You notes available at the West Community Credit Union Brentwood branch on 7/10/2019*</p> <p>PRINTING BY gene del INCORPORATED</p>	<p>THUR., JULY 11TH</p> <p>THIS IS NOT A COUPON</p> <p>Coupon available at the West Community Credit Union Brentwood branch on 7/11/2019*</p> <p>\$10.00 OFF*</p> 
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FRIDAY, JULY 12TH GRAND OPENING PARTY!

10:30 AM- 3:00PM | 2345 S. BRENTWOOD BLVD.

CO-HOSTED BY:

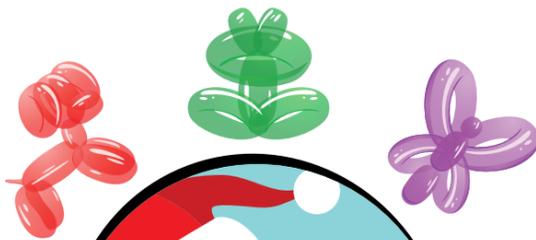
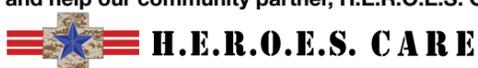


IN OUR SHARED PARKING LOT AT THE CORNER OF BRENTWOOD BLVD. AND LITZINGER RD.



**JOIN US JULY 12TH
10:30 AM – 3:00 PM
FOR AN EXCITING DAY!**

- **FREDBIRD 10:30-11:30 AM**
- **Kona Ice**
- **Catering by O.B. Clark's**
- **Face Painting**
- **Balloon Artist**
- **Visit from Santa** (Santa is taking a little time out of his summer break to be a part of our CHRISTMAS IN JULY drive to help our troops! It's a great day to bring your donations and help our community partner, H.E.R.O.E.S. Care.)



*Limit one coupon/gift per person while supplies last. Coupon/gift only available on the day specified. Can not be redeemed for cash.