



Summer is here and so are many great opportunities for YHC residents!

All YHC residents who are graduating from high school this summer are eligible to receive a gift card! Check out Page 2 for more info.

Community gardens are being installed at Sauk Trail Pointe and New Parkridge! Please contact T.C. Collings (734) 717-4849 if you'd like to participate. Gardens are also being installed at Hamilton Crossing! Contact the office for more info.

National Night Out is coming up on August 6. We had a blast last year, and if you're interested in joining the planning committee, please contact your property management office.

Newsletter Questions/Comments?
Please email Tarah Hearnst hearnst@ypsilantihc.org

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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE RECOGNITION

The Ypsilanti Housing Commission Board of Commissioners would like to recognize our 2019 high school graduates and provide them with a \$200 gift card at our July board meeting: **Tuesday, July 9, at 6pm!**

If you are a resident of any YHC housing (Deborah Strong Housing, New Parkridge, Hamilton Crossing) please stop into the office provide the following:

- Name/Address/Phone
- Copy of diploma (we are happy to make a copy of it for you)
- Picture
- Description of plans after graduation



This information can also be sent via email to hearnst@ypsilantihc.org.

Thank you and congratulations, Graduates!

COMMUNITY NEWS

The Family Empowerment Program has a new intern this summer!

Alex Horton: New Parkridge

G'day everyone! My name is Alex and I'll be interning with the Family Empowerment Program for the next three months! I'm studying a Masters of Social Work at the University of Melbourne in Australia and have been incredibly lucky to get the opportunity to come to Ypsilanti and work with the FEP team here and all of you as the fieldwork experience part of my degree. A bit about me - I'm living here with my partner, Maggy, who's a nurse and was born and raised in Minnesota. We like to travel when we can and have done a few road trips around Australia and the US. I grew up in Melbourne, Australia with my parents and two younger sisters but have also lived in Sydney, Canberra and spent 7 months in Spain. I love basketball and I'm a diehard Phoenix Suns fan (which is hard sometimes...) and I'm always happy to shoot hoops. I started studying social work because I love working with people and the diverse type of work the job lets you do. Back in Melbourne I volunteered as a crisis counsellor, worked with the homeless community, and helped facilitate a youth leadership camp. I'm really excited to get to know everyone and be a part of the community you guys have built here! I'll be based out of the office at New Parkridge 9am-5pm, Monday-Friday until the end of August so please come say hi and let me know if I can help out in any way!

COMMUNITY EVENTS

JUNE 7—Community Garden Kickoff (11am-1pm, Sauk Trail Pointe)

JUNE 8—Ypsilanti Fire & Police Open House (12pm-4pm)

JUNE 11—Grocery Shopping Trip (Call FEP to sign-up 734-756-5152)

YHC Board of Commissioners Meeting (6-8pm, New Parkridge)

JUNE 15—Growing Hope Open House (10am-3pm, 922 W. Michigan Ave.)

JUNE 19—Juneteenth Celebration (3:30-6pm, Hamilton Crossing)

JUNE 25—Grocery Shopping Trip (call FEP to sign-up 734-756-5152)

JUNE 26—Game night ADULTS ONLY (5:30-7pm, Hamilton Crossing)

JUNE 27— New Parkridge Family Game Night (6-7pm)



June 2019

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WILLOWRUNACRES.COM & YHC PRESENT:

SAUK TRAIL POINTE COMMUNITY YOUTH GARDEN SPOT

**Friday 6-7-2019
11:00am-1:00pm**

**SAUK TRAIL POINTE
928 W. MICHIGAN AVE, YPSILANTI MI 48197**

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: TC COLLINS @ 734-717-4849
WEBSITE:WILLOWRUNACRES.COM

Ypsilanti Fire and Police Open House

Sat Jun 8 from 12 noon to 4 pm

Come and see how your Police and Fire Department serve the community. Interact with Firefighters and Police Officers, see some exciting demonstrations and check out the vehicles and equipment that they use on the job.

Free food and beverages will be provided.



PLEASE JOIN THE HAMILTON CROSSING
FEP FOR OUR

JUNETEENTH CELBRATION



Come Learn about the day that ended slavery in
the United States

ON JUNE 19TH AT THE HAMILTON CROSSING
COMMUNITY CENTER
3:30PM-6PM

Spiderman Into The Spider Verse movie screening at 4pm
will have Food and Crafts

THE HAMILTON CROSSING FEP PRESENTS



GAMES FUN PRIZES

June 26th at the Hamilton Crossing Community Room
FROM 5:30PM-7PM

Come out to get to know your community and neighbors
at a

game night event for the adults in Hamilton Crossing

ADULTS ONLY EVENT!!!

Will have bingo, UNO, and playing cards

Game Suggestions? Please contact Mark Hammond at

734-340-2411 / mhammon7@emich.edu

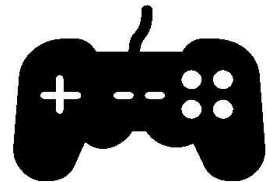


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New Parkridge Presents

FAMILY

Game Night



Thursday, June 27th
6:00pm-7:00pm



**Please stop into the office to sign-up to
participate.**

Sign-up begins June 1st

Thank You

SAT PREP SERIES

@ EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Calling all soon-to-be 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students!

The King-Chavez-Parks (KCP) College Day program at Eastern Michigan University will be offering a SAT Test Prep series this summer. The intensive workshop series is dedicated to preparing students to meet the challenges awaiting them on the SAT. Our program has partnered with test training professionals from Kaplan to deliver subject-specific curriculum that breaks the SAT down to its basic parts, revealing the skill sets needed to successfully navigate the exam, and reducing the anxiety associated with standardized test taking.

The KCP College Day SAT Test Prep series runs from July 2019 to August 2019. The series will take place on the campus of Eastern Michigan University.



July 20th, 23rd, 25th, 30th 2019
August 1st, 3rd, 6th, 8th 2019



Snacks will be provided to participants



\$50 will ensure your full participation and commitment to the program.



Participants who complete the SAT Test Prep workshop series will be given the opportunity to go on a **FREE** (3/4 day) college tour.

Visit our website for more information and to register: emich.edu/gearup

WHY PARTICIPATE?

- Proven Strategies that help raise test scores!
- More Practice-including in-class/online practice exams!
- Instruction from **EXPERT** teachers!
- Clear analysis report that helps you understand your strengths and areas for improvement!



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KAPLAN TEST PREP

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Growing Hope Community Open House

June 15 10:00am-3:00pm

922 W. Michigan Ave



GROWING
HOPE

Join us for a wonderful day on the farm!

This event is **FREE** and open to **ALL**
community members.

Gardening Workshops at
10:30, 11:30, 12:30 and 1:30

Urban Farm Tours at
11:00, 12:00, and 1:00

All Day:
Food
Face Painting
Arts and Crafts
Make and Take Seedlings

OUR COMMUNITIES

Hamilton Crossing (144 Units)
596 South Hamilton St.

Hollow Creek (24 Units)
A Deborah Strong Property
130 S. Grove

New Parkridge (86 Units)
831 Hilyard Robinson Way

Sauk Trail Pointe (36 Units)
A Deborah Strong Property
928 W. Michigan Ave.

Scattered Sites (29 Units)

Towner (23 Units)
A Deborah Strong Property
Towner St.

Ypsilanti Housing Commission
601 Armstrong Dr.
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
Phone: 734-482-4300

Family Empowerment Program
(734) 340-2411

Hamilton Crossing
596 S. Hamilton Street
(734)-484-1706

Hollow Creek
130 S. Grove
(734) 221-5499

New Parkridge
831 Hilyard Robinson Way
(734) 961-7453

Sauk Trail Pointe
928 W. Michigan Ave.
(734) 547-5117

Grocery Shopping Transportation

ARE YOU IN NEED OF?

- **Transportation to Grocery Stores and Food Pantries**
- **Coupon Assistance**
- **Shopping Aid**



Every other Tuesday starting in April
See back for dates and more information



Sign Up Dates

April 2nd May 28th
April 16th June 11th
April 30th June 25th
May 14th



To sign up or other questions
call Darlene at 734-756-5152

