

HOPE Round Up

News from HOPE Services

Seeing Potential ~ Inspiring Opportunities

November 2022



HOOPS for Voices of HOPE

Hope News



HOOPS for Voices of HOPE was held Saturday October 22 at the Filling Home Gym. The participants collected donations and raised over \$1300 for the group. A HUGE thanks to all that participated. Also a big thanks to those that volunteered their time to make this a successful event.



The office will be closed on November 11th for veterans' day and on November 24th and November 25th for Thanksgiving. The office will reopen on November 28th.

BOARD MEETING

The next board meeting will be held November 16th at 4:00pm at COREE on West Riverview.

Voices of HOPE

ON NOVEMBER 18TH 5:30 to 7:30pm THE Voices Of HOPE WILL BE HAVING A GUEST SPEAKER to talk about budgeting and will be held the Filling Home Community Center. Hope to see everyone there this will be a fun activity. Any questions you may contact

Tiffany Swihart at 419 599-2892.

Listen to WNDH 103.1 every Thursday at 12:20 p.m. for more information about

We Are Celebrating

November Birthdays:

1st: Christopher Scarberry

2nd: Johnathon Ickes

3rd: Carrie Fuller

5th: Vanessa Lanzer

8th: Abbie Hinkleman

8th: Vincent Smith

8th: Jessica Harmon

9th: Kenny VanPelt

10th: Jacob Heath

16th: Jerimiah Ditch

21st: Cody Steen

22nd: Andrew Hoagland

26th: Robin Sinn

30th: Ed Baser

30th: Christian Parker



November anniversaries:

Jason Kiser—30 years at Chief

Sue Hartsworm - 28 years at HOPE Services

Heather Obermyer - 14 years at HOPE Services

Ryan Moore - 6 years at Burger King

Liberty Kern - 4 years at American Diner

Gabrielle Heckler - 3 years at Walmart

Jacob Parry - 2 years at Burger King

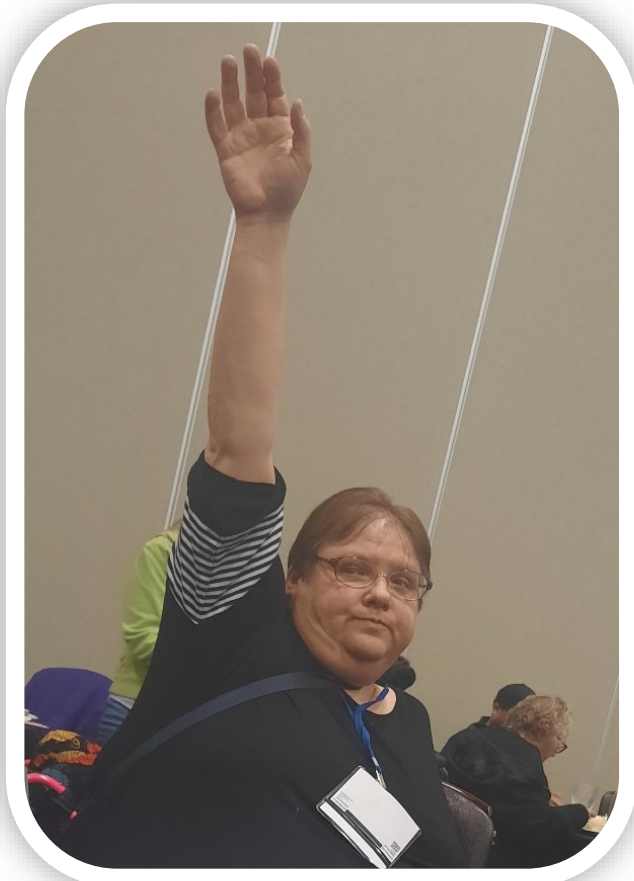
Chris Parker - 2 years at Napoleon Post Office

Lance Van Zandt - 1 year at Mama Roses





LaNae, Shannon and Christina traveled to Sandusky October 5-7 to attend the Synergy conference. They meet many people and even made a few new friends along with learning new things from some informative speakers and break out sessions. If you have the opportunity to attend this conference or would like some more information contact Tiffany Swihart or your SSA.



Voices Of HOPE

The Voices of HOPE group participated in some First Aid/CPR training on October 14th. A HUGE thank you to Nurse Brandi for all the valuable information and for answering all our questions.



Some of the HARC Recreation activities held this month were: Blood Prison, Cleveland Guardians Game, Craft Night and Mystery Bingo. Everyone that participated had a great time!





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**HAVE FUN
AND**

JOIN US

November 13th 4:00pm-7:00pm

Filling Home Community Center

470 Independence Dr.

\$10 admission fee gets you 1 piece of
pizza, 1 drink and 1 Bingo card

Popcorn, nachos, cookies, pizza, drinks, and additional Bingo
cards will be \$1.00

Prizes for everyone

All proceeds go to HARC Inc.



HARC, Inc





HARC Recreation Events November/December



Contact Randy Barnes at 419-591-6798 or 419-599-2892 to sign up
ONE WEEK prior to the event

DATE	EVENT	TIME	COST	Sign up re-quired	LOCATION
Saturday, November 12, 2022	Craft Day	2:00-4:00pm	\$5.00	yes	Nap. Naz. Church
Sunday, November 13, 2022	Pizza BINGO	4:00-7:00pm	\$10.00	yes	Filling Home Community Center
Saturday, November 19, 2022	Out to Eat and Movie	11:00-5:00pm	\$25.00	yes	Fallen Timbers
Friday, November 25, 2022	Archbold Festival of Lights	5:30-9:30pm	\$5.00	yes	Archbold, OH
Saturday, November 26, 2022	OSU vs. Michigan Game	11:30-5:00pm	\$5.00	yes	Filling Home Community Center
Saturday, December 3, 2022	Miracle on 34th. Street	12:30-6:00pm	\$20.00	yes	Croswell Opera House Adrian, MI
Friday, December 9, 2022	Zoo Lights	5:00-9:30pm	\$20.00	yes	Toledo Zoo
Saturday, December 10, 2022	Craft Day	2:00 - 4:00pm	\$5.00	yes	Nap. Naz. Church
Wednesday, December 14, 2022	MIS Christmas Lights	4:00-10:00pm	\$5.00	yes	Michigan International Speedway
Saturday, December 17, 2022	Disney on Ice	1:30-7:00pm	\$46.00	yes	Huntington Center
Wednesday, December 21, 2022	Christmas BINGO	6:00-8:00pm	\$5.00	yes	Filling Home Community Center
Saturday, December 31, 2022	Happy New Year Party	6:00pm-12:00AM	\$5.00	YES	Filling Home Community Center

← All Event Fees need to be paid on sign up →



Special Olympic News

Happy November to all!

We finished off September with a bang. Some of our golf team went to State Golf Tournament in Cincinnati. Jacob Heath placed 2nd in his singles golf division, and Unified team of Nate Vogelsong and Joe Kuehner placed 2nd in their division. Way to go Cougars!

Special Olympic News



We are in full winter sports mode now. There are four basketball teams, a swim team, bowling, cheerleading, and powerlifting. Our powerlifting team has been working hard getting to know new equipment and strength training. We want to thank Anytime Fitness for their generosity of helping us with a place to train.



We have been having a lot of fun with our Young Athletes program. Young Athletes is a program for any child between the ages of 2-7 years old. We meet on Saturday mornings from 10 – 11 am at the Filling Home gym. This current session will be over November 19th. If you are interested in joining us, you



On November 5, you can see our Cougars out in the community again at the Napoleon Fall Festival. They will be playing games in the Kids area near Kurtz Hardware. They will be there 3-8 pm. Come out and see us. Henry C. Cougar will be making an appearance for pictures.

Fall is a wonderful time of year. The leaves are turning beautiful colors. Basketball is starting up. Games are just around the corner starting next month. Enjoy the last of the fall colors. Take a walk and enjoy. It will be cold before you know it.

There is still time to sign for our winter sports. Swimming, cheerleading, basketball, powerlifting, so much to choose from. Contact Zach or Renita with questions or to join a team.

Keep Living Your Best Life.

Coach Zach & Coach Renita



We have had a good time passing out treats and playing games with everyone that visited. Our team also was voted as having the Best Trunk display.

Ryan's Restaurant Review



My name is Ryan Moore and one of my favorite things to do during my weekends is to try new restaurants. Every month I'm going to share a restaurant review for readers of the Hope newsletter. I'm going to rate the restaurant with a five star rating scale, with five stars being the best.

Last weekend I took a trip to Whitehouse, Ohio and ate dinner at Local Thyme restaurant. Local Thyme is an awesome local restaurant with great service and food! It is definitely a go-to place for delicious food when you are

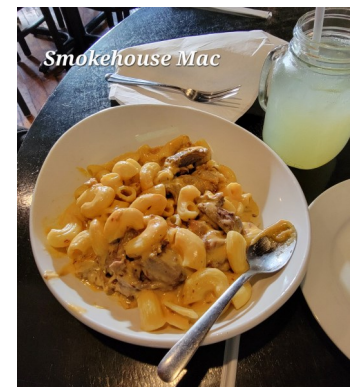
in Whitehouse. Local Thyme has a huge variety of great food to choose from including appetizers, salads, soups, wings, sandwiches, burgers, and pastas.

I went to Local Thyme on Friday night with my parents. We got started with spinach artichoke dip. It was a delicious blend of spinach and artichokes in a garlic cream cheese dip. I like that it comes with both fried pita and tortilla chips. For my dinner, I chose Smokehouse Mac and cheese. It is made with big elbow noodles, house smoked brisket and pulled pork with cheese sauce. It was a comforting dish of creamy pasta, with tender bites of smokey brisket and pork. I really enjoyed the Smokehouse mac, and I would order it again. I enjoyed a glass of refreshing lemonade with my pasta. My parents enjoyed the Friday night steak special because it was prime rib. It was a very popular special and sold out right after my parents ordered their meals.

Local Thyme has specials on weeknights. Tuesdays are Italian night, Wednesdays are Mexican night, and Thursdays are burger night. I hope I can get there on a Tuesday to try the Italian specials.

Local Thyme restaurant is located at 6719 Providence Street in Whitehouse,

Ohio. My rating for this restaurant visit is five stars. I hope you go there to enjoy it for yourself!



Early Intervention Suggests Some Great Gift Ideas

With gift giving season quickly approaching us here are some gift ideas for the little ones in your life to help foster their communication, growth, and development.



Tabor and Theodore having fun playing with some of their favorite toys

Toys that “do nothing” are highly recommended. They will foster more communication and language with others because the child will interact with the toy and a communication partner rather than the toy doing all the work, making sounds, and/or lighting up for them. Toys that do nothing allow the child to create, be active, and pretend. Avoid toys that need batteries. This will allow the child to be the one playing, interacting, and engaging rather than the other way around. Happy Shopping!

Books

Blocks (or other building materials like magnetic tiles)

Puzzles * Arts and crafts

Baby dolls

Baby doll accessories (bottle, food, blanket, bed, etc.)

Shopping cart

Play Kitchen with food and dishes

Dress up clothes * Tools

Barn and farm animals

Cars/Vehicles and parking garage

Trains and tracks

Shape sorter

Bubbles

Musical Instruments

Playdough * Kinetic Sand

Tunnels * Tents

Nesting Cups

Mr./Mrs. Potato Head

Simple Family Games (Jumping Jack, Lucky Ducks, Pop the Pirate, Sneaky Snacky Squirrel)

Experience Gifts (A trip to the Zoo, COSI, Imagination Station, Children’s Museum, Water park, Build a Bear, etc..)



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Youth Services



This Photo by Un-



Students from the work transition class at Four County Career Center recently toured programs offered by COREe. They were able to see a residential home, the World of Work (WOW) program, A-Team/Senior program, Mya's Sweet Treats, and Top Dog. Students spent time at each location to learn about the program and services offered. They were able to ask questions and talk to individuals that currently participate in the programs. It was a long day, but very informational. Thank you, Amanda



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HARC Recreation	419-591-6798
Volunteer Opportunities	419-599-2892

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Our Mission

HOPE Services is committed to creatively working in partnership with eligible individuals and their families to discover, pursue and achieve what is important to them.

HOPE Services does not discriminate in provision of services or employment because of disability, race, color, creed, national origin, sex or age.

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