



FAIRFAX

WHERE OPPORTUNITY BEGINS

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Ward 6 Community Meeting

Held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 6 p.m. at Morning Star Baptist Church, 10250 Shaker Boulevard and on Zoom.

Ward 6 will not hold a Community Meeting on August 8. The next meeting will be September 12.

Details: 216-664-4234

3rd District Community Safety Meeting

3rd Tuesday of every month at 6 p.m.
3rd District Community Room
4501 Chester Avenue

Join by WebEx:
meeting number: 2308 015 4867
password: V87Hd6bavD2
join by phone: 415-655-0003
access code: 230 801 54867



KARAMU
A JOYFUL GATHERING PLACE

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

General Admission | Young Professionals | Sponsorship Packages

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 2023 | 5:30PM-10PM
Lake View Cemetery • 12316 Euclid Ave, Cleveland, Ohio

SECOND LINE PARADE
SNEAKER BALL

KARAMU HOUSE


karamuhouse.org | Karamu Box Office: 216.795.7077
DRESS CODE: ALL WHITE ATTIRE AND SNEAKERS

SPECIAL ELECTION DATES

August 1 • 8:30 p.m.
Absentee Ballot Application Deadline

August 7
Absentee Ballot U.S. Postmark Deadline

August 8 • 6:30 a.m.–7:30 p.m.
Special Election



VOTE CUYAHOGA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

2925 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44115
216-443-VOTE (8683)

FRDC RESOURCES

Computer Courses with Fairfax

The lab is available for residents to browse the internet, send emails, and also for answering any questions you may have about using your devices, including smartphones and laptops. The lab is open Wednesdays from 10 a.m.–Noon and 2–4 p.m.

In-person: **Intro to Computers Class** is every Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m.–Noon. Registration: Contact Teresa at 216-361-8400 or tavery@fairfaxdev.org.

Fairfax Community Block Clubs

Current Block Clubs with regular meetings include the East 89th Street Club, meeting every 3rd Thursday at 7 p.m. and the East 95th Street Club, meeting every 3rd Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. More information: Alisha at 216-361-8400



ELECTION DAY WORKERS NEEDED

August 8th
Special Election
Earn up to \$250
216-443-3277
electionofficials@cuyahogacounty.gov

FREE FOOD, HOT MEALS & CLOTHING

Antioch Baptist Church

8869 Cedar Avenue
Loaves & Fishes
Free Hot Meals Program
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
11 a.m.–Noon

Bolton Elementary School

9803 Quebec Avenue
Drive-Thru Produce
2nd Friday of the month
3–5 p.m.

Cleveland Delta Foundation Food Pantry

11955 Shaker Boulevard
Mobile Food Pantry
August 19 & September 16
11 a.m.–2 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church

7901 Quincy Avenue
Hot Meal Program
4th Wednesday of the month
Carry Out Service Only
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Liberty Hill Baptist Church

8206 Euclid Avenue
Fresh Produce Distribution
1st Wednesday of the month
10:30 a.m.–1 p.m.
Free Meal
3rd Saturday of the month
11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Manna Church

8019 Cedar Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Saturday of the month
Walk-up
2–4 p.m.

Mt Zion Congregational Church, UCC Women's Fellowship

10723 Magnolia Drive
Drive-thru Produce
1st Thursday of the month through
October
4 p.m.

New Life At Calvary

2020 East 79th Street
Free Hot Meal
4th Tuesday and 4th &
5th Friday of the month
5 p.m.
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Saturday of the month
8 a.m. until bags are gone.

Olivet Institutional Baptist Church

8712 Quincy Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Saturday of the month
10 a.m.–Noon
A Photo ID is needed

Open Door Missionary Baptist Church The Hunger Center

8215 Woodland Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
August 25
7:30–11 a.m.



St. James AME Church

8401 Cedar Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Friday of the month
Both Drive-thru & Walk-up
Noon–2:30

True Holiness Temple

7710 Euclid Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
4th Tuesday of the month
4:30–6:00 p.m.

The United House of Prayer

8700 Cedar Avenue
New, clean and used clothing
July 8, August 12 and September 2
Noon–3 p.m.
Donations also accepted

PNC FAIRFAX CONNECTION WORKSHOPS

Workshops are in person unless noted as 'virtual'.

Call (216) 391-4677 or visit www.pncfairfaxconnection.com to register.

Sustainable Art August 8 & 22 | 3–4:30 p.m.

Join local multi-media artist Ron Shelton to discover how plastic bags can be transformed from litter into beautiful visual art! Participants will work together to create a sustainable art piece that will be exhibited at the PNC Fairfax Connection. All ages are welcome.

Financial Empowerment for Young Adults August 11 | 2–3 p.m. August 29 | Noon–1 p.m.

This is a workshop where students will learn to explore personal financial choices, make informed financial decisions, and consider what it means to be financially responsible. This month's theme is Using Credit Responsibly.

Book Club August 15 & 29 | 5–6:30 p.m.

One of the pleasures of reading a good book is having a discussion to rave about it or a lively debate about participants' reactions to what they've read. Join us for your Connection to the literary world as we discuss our shared experiences of our selected book.

Working With Difficult People August 24 | Noon–1:30 p.m.

Unfortunately, we don't live in a perfect world, and inevitably we often have the displeasure of interacting with difficult people in our everyday lives. In this workshop, you will learn to recognize behavior that is unbecoming and destructive, and receive the tools required to respond appropriately.

IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

Model Block Program

Need help with minor exterior repairs, such as power washing, gutter cleaning, and paint touchups? More Information: Alisha @ 216-361-8400



MC Chatman Center for Humanitarian Annual Health & Finance Fitness Expo

Saturday, August 26
11 a.m.

Cleveland Clinic's Langston Hughes Community Health and Education Center

2390 East 79th Street
Cleveland, OH 44104

Panel Discussion:

Financial Education
Insurance Resources
Heart Attack and Stroke Awareness
Diabetes and Cancer Awareness
Nutrition and Exercise

Zumba, door prizes and more

More information:
Michelle Hardnick
216-276-8921

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fairfax Neighborhood Reunion

Saturday, August 19
1–5 p.m.

2335 East 82nd Street
Cleveland OH 44104

Antioch Baptist Church Summer Block Party

Saturday, August 26
1–6 p.m.

8869 Cedar Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44106
(parking lot)

Enjoy free food, face painting, balloon art live farm animals, line dancing and big band sound with the Townsmen.

Celebrating 130 years of ministry and service!



Afterschool Program at Bolton

Tuesday & Thursday
Starting September 2023
4–5:30 p.m.

SIGN UP NOW!

Email: sos4sustainability@gmail.com

Call/Text: 216-965-7943

NEW! Emmanuel Baptist Church

7901 Quincy Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44104
216-432-2212

- Tutoring and Homework
- Youth and Family Activities

REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

www.strengtheningourstudents.com



Langston Hughes Fitness Center Open Now!

Monday through Thursday
10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Cleveland Clinic's Langston Hughes Community Health and Education Center
2390 East 79th Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44104

Parking Lot on Quincy Avenue

FREE for caregivers, patients, and community members. Waivers must be signed to participate in fitness classes or utilize gym.

More information: Brad Heiss @
216-570-5504 or heissb@ccf.org

The United House of Prayer Free Vacation Bible School

August 14–August 20
6–7:30 p.m.

8700 Cedar Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44106

Food, activities and fun!

Stokes West Public Art University Circle, Inc.

Share your memories of and future hopes for Cedar Avenue to inspire new public art coming to Stokes and Cedar. Join us at one of the two meetings below or share your thoughts on our project webpage at universitycircle.org/stokeswest.

Free Marketing In A Digital World Workshop
Thursday, August 3
5–6:30 p.m.

Chase and Famicos Foundation
1325 Ansel Road
Cleveland, OH 44106

More Information: 216-721-5595
RSVP by August 2

JOBS BOARD >>>

FRDC is looking for a **Neighborhood Services Coordinator** to plan, organize, and manage volunteers, community service programs and events. Applicant must have the ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with a variety of community organizations, including public and private agencies, health, volunteer and social services organizations, area schools, churches, and residents. Coordinator will also manage special projects and assist with grant writing activities.

To apply, email your resume to gpowell@fairfaxdev.org or leave your resume with Gail Powell at 8111 Quincy Avenue, Suite 100, Cleveland, OH 44104.

TOWNE PARK @ CLEVELAND CLINIC IN-PERSON HIRING EVENT

**Thursday, August 10
10 a.m.–1:30 p.m.**

Hiring for valet attendant, parking concierge, porter, shuttle driver, call center, traffic controller and entry-level supervisor.

Starting Wage: \$15 Hourly

Required!

Proof of COVID-19 Vaccine (both doses) must be presented at the time of interview.

Pending conditional job offer, all candidates must undergo the following on-site:

- MVR (Motor Vehicle/Background)
- Criminal Background Check
- Drug Test
- TB Test

To apply: Visit 8111 Quincy Avenue Multi-Purpose Room 261 Cleveland, OH 44104 or email workforce@fairfaxdev.org.

Walk-ins Are Welcome!



**Ohio
MEANS
Jobs®**

EMPLOYMENT AND RESOURCE SUCCESS FAIR

**Friday, August 4
11 a.m.–4 p.m.**

Cleveland Huntington Convention Center
300 Lakeside Avenue East
Cleveland, OH 44113

- Expungement Workshop
- Onsite Interviews
- Second Chance Employers

WOW!

WADE OVAL WEDNESDAYS

PROUDLY SPONSORED BY PNC

Aug 2 **Raquel & The WildFlowers**

Aug 9 **Son Gitano**

Aug 16 **The Michael Weber Show**

Aug 23 **Carlos Jones (+)**



UniversityCircle.org/WOW

EDUCATION AND HEALTH RESOURCE FAIR

**Saturday, August 19
Noon–3 p.m.**

New Life At Calvary
2020 East 79th Street
Cleveland, OH 44104

Information provided about school programs, afterschool activities and healthcare services in our community.

FRDC Office 2023 Closings

New Year's Day
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
President's Day
Good Friday
Memorial Day
Juneteenth
Independence Day
Labor Day
Thanksgiving Day
Thanksgiving Day-After
Christmas Eve
Christmas Day
New Year's Eve

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