



Build Independence

Jobs Plus Newsletter

Hocker Heights & Pleasant Heights Residents



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SAVINGS GOALS

1ST TIME HOME BUYERS WORKSHOP



P.A. Tuckness & Company offers 1st Time Homebuyers assistance for Jobs Plus enrolled residents. Jobs Plus is proud to partner with Patricia A. Tuckness & Company, Arline Walker Real Estate, and Fairway Mortgage Corporation. Learn the home buying process and understand what is involved in a real estate transaction. Patricia A. Tuckness & Co. provides home buyers with the best services in lending programs and local real estate information. Contact: **Patricia A. Tuckness & Company 816-616-5297; Arline Walker Real Estate Company 816-517-9690; and Austin Gray Fairway Mortgage Corporation 816-396-8810.** Attend 1st Time Home Buyers workshop at Hocker Jobs Plus office on **June 22 11:00 a.m.** Contact Hocker Jobs Plus at 816-836-9200 ext. 348 for details.

JOB FAIR

Kansas City Job Fair held Thursday, September 21, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Arrowhead Stadium Kansas City, MO 64129. Meet top employers from various industries, hospitality, healthcare, finance and more. Connect with hiring managers and get your job offers! Bring copies of your resume and meet in-person with company recruiters. Free parking at the stadium and watch for signs at stadium entrance. Job seeker registration online: **JobNewsUSA.com** search for “Kansas City, Missouri” location.

NOW HIRING

Cheddars – Host/Hostess–full-time; **Cargo Largo** – part-time cart attendant hourly wage \$15.00; **Bass Pro/Cabela’s** experienced Customer Service Team Lead; **FedEx** Retail Customer Service hourly wage \$16.55; **Domino’s** Assistant Manager hourly wage \$21.00; **Walgreens** Customer Service hourly wage \$16.23; License Office Clerk **City of Independence** \$20.50; **PetSmart** Night Stocker hourly wage \$20-\$28.02; **Papa Pal** (caregiver) hourly wage \$16.00; **Chipotle** Team Member hourly wage \$18.00; **Home Depot** Customer Service/Sales; **CarMax** Inventory Associate; **Wing Stop** Cashier \$15.00. Job search and resume assistance contact: **Kevin Orange Case Manager/Job Developer 816-836-9200 ext. 347.**

COMMUNITY AMERICA CREDIT UNION

Community America Credit Union CACU will be onsite **Thursday, June 15. Hocker Heights 10:00 a.m.** outdoor event – (Jobs Plus office parking lot) and **1:00 p.m. Pleasant Heights Main Level.** Open a checking or savings account with \$1.00 deposit. Learn the difference between not-for-profit and for-profit banking services. CACU Independence Branch Management team will be providing information to help you start saving your earned income. Receive a monthly budget packet and CACU merchandise.

EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT

Express Employment is ready to place you with full-time employment in the Independence area. Hourly wages begin at \$17.00 and up with benefits. Warehouse, manufacturing and office employment opportunities available. Contact **Express Employment** for an in-person interview and complete online application. Express Employment is located at **3010 Rte. 291 Suite L, Independence, MO 64057.** On the bus route. **Office hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Questions call: (816) 229-5627.**

ONSITE EVENT - HOCKER & PLEASANT HEIGHTS

Thursday, June 15 - Community America Credit Union and Dedicated Senior Health Services event held at **Hocker Heights 10:00 a.m.** (Jobs Plus parking lot) and **1:00 p.m. Pleasant Heights Main Level.**

JOBS PLUS MILESTONES

Congratulations to JPEID residents at Hocker & Pleasant Heights for year 2023 employment success. Katie B. promoted from part-time sales to full-time management team; Frank B.; Andrea A.; and Willow K. part-time employment. Andrea A. enrolled in C.N.A. certified nursing assistant program. Jobs Plus is a once-in-a-lifetime program to assist employed residents. Enroll in **JPEID** today and save your earned income toward larger goals – buying a vehicle or a home for your family. Enroll today by contacting **Jobs Plus offices: Hocker 816-836-9200 ext. 348. Pleasant 816-836-9200 ext. 329.**

AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM - ACP

Xfinity/Comcast partnered with **Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP)** to provide services to low-income residents at Hocker & Pleasant Heights. Visit **InternetEssentials.com** or call **1-855-846-8376**. Enroll today for internet essentials which is a **FREE** program when you qualify for the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP). ACP provides eligible households a **monthly credit \$30.00** for internet services. Need a computer? **Xfinity/Comcast** offers notebook computer with a one-time cost of \$150.00. Enrollment information: **InternetEssentials.com** or call **1-855-846-8376**.

YOUTH PAID INTERNSHIP

Part-time or full-time internships for youth ages 16-24. Hourly wage \$15.00. Schedule appointment to register in-person at **816-251-5700. Missouri Career Center/FEC office location: 15301 East 23rd St. S. Independence, MO 64055**. Parent or legal guardian must attend in-person registration for ages 16-18. Photo ID, social security card, residency verification, birth certificate required for in-person registration. Complete in-person registration process and attend required six-hour career workshop.

HOPE HOUSE SERVICES

Hope House offers 24-hour hotline assistance at 816-416-4673. Hope House offers supportive services designed to provide emotional support and resources such as: court advocates, community support groups, counseling services, and safe shelter. Recognize types of abuse in a relationship: physical abuse, sexual abuse, emotional abuse, and/or financial abuse. Hope House assistance call: **(816) 461-4673** or visit website: www.hopehouse.net

ONIN STAFFING

Walk-in and receive job placement information at **ONIN Staffing 3609 S. Noland Road Independence, MO**. Photo ID and social security card required for employment verification. Now hiring for these Independence full-time positions: Picker/Packer 1st & 2nd shift \$18.00; General Laborer positions 1st shift only; Assembly 1st & 2nd shift-Monday through Friday; Manufacturing 1st shift \$15.00. Contact **ONIN Staffing: 816-272-3555. Visit website: <https://www.oninstaffing.com/>**

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Are you prepared to take shelter in your designated safe space during severe weather, tornado warnings, and flash flooding? Have an emergency plan in place so you and your family know how to respond. Your emergency plan should include flash lights, bottle water, food, and medicine for three days. Upload the free **KCTV5 weather app** on your mobile phone. Search “**KCTV5 Weather**” in the app store. Available on Google Play Store or Apple App Store.

DRIVE-THRU FOOD PANTRY

Harvester's drive-thru food pantry will be held **Saturday, June 17** at **East Side Baptist Church 19901 East 78 Highway, Independence, MO. 64057**. Telephone: 816-796-0955. Drive-thru food pantry held 3rd Saturday of each month at East Side Baptist Church from **7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.**

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