



Build Independence Jobs Plus Newsletter

Hocker Heights & Pleasant Heights Residents
330 North Hocker Avenue, Independence, MO 64050

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Unless stated otherwise, events are held in the Community Rooms of Hocker Heights and Pleasant Heights (8th Floor)

Every Tuesday

Onsite: Hocker Heights 11:15am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm

Job Club

GET ENROLLED TODAY!



JPEID – Remember to Complete Your Jobs Plus Assessment. **Earn income without a monthly rent increase. SAVE your money!** Set your financial goal and **SAVE your earned income!** Learn how to find employment, and participate in workforce development training programs.

Every Monday through Thursday

Onsite: Hocker Heights 9am to 4pm

Hocker Heights
COMPUTER CENTER



The Hocker Heights Computer Center is for Hocker and Pleasant Heights Residents ONLY

Starting Monday, September 23rd & Monday, September 30th
Offsite: See below.

HiSet/GED and Skill Builder
Enrollment



Students MUST ATTEND ALL FOUR DAYS, with NO LATE ARRIVALS! Thanks!

Literacy KC, 3036 Troost Ave, Kansas City, MO 64109 from September 23rd to September 26th at 9am to 12pm OR 5:30pm to 8:30pm.

Salvation Army, 14700 E. Truman Rd, Independence, MO 64050 from September 30th to October 3rd at 9am to 12pm.
Contact Joe Chavez at 816-835-9055 or Sandee Woods at 816-916-6995.

Tuesday, September 3rd, 2019

Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am, Pleasant Heights 12:30pm

US Census Bureau
Recruiting Event



Do you need extra income? Work in YOUR community, Weekly Pay, Flexible Hours, Paid Training! P/T, Seasonal, \$16/hr.

Tuesday, September 3rd, 2019

Onsite: Hocker Heights 11:15am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm

Salvation Army
PRESENTATION



Salvation Army presentation on community resources, children, youth, and adult programs.

Wednesday, September 4th, 2019 at 7pm

Offsite: North Branch, 317 West 24 Hwy, Independence, MO 64050

Mid-Continent Library
LEARN about your computer



Introduction class, "Getting to Know Your Computer." To register, call 816-252-0950.

Wednesdays From 6pm to 8pm on

September 11th, 18th, 25th and October 2nd, 9th, 16th

Offsite: Salvation Army, 14700 E. Truman Rd, Independence, MO 64050

ShowMe Healthy Relationships
FREE Relationship Classes
How to Pick a Partner



FREE CHILD CARE! GIFT CARDS FOR EVERYONE! SNACKS PROVIDED! **MUST REGISTER BY 9/6/2019 TO ATTEND.** For more information, call 1-855-778-5437 option 3 or familysupports@cornerstonesofcare.org

Tuesday, September 10th, 2019

Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm

Comprehensive Mental Health Services
PRESENTATION

Director of Residential Services Carl Anderson will present Adult Services information including Substance Abuse Programs. Get help now! Call 816-254-3652 for more information.



Friday, September 13th, 2019 at 9am to 2:30pm

Offsite: KC Public Library, 2nd Floor Auditorium, 625 Minnesota Ave, KCKS

Cornerstones of Care
Hiring Event



Join our team! Positions available from administrative roles to case managers and therapists. Prior to attending, complete application at <https://cornerstonesofcare.org/jobs> Questions? contact Katherin Griggs at 816-508-1707.

Monday, September 16th and Monday, October 28th Offsite: 920 Main, Ste 100, Kansas City, MO 64105	Women's Employment Network Signature Program
<p>It all starts with training, and it's all FREE! Professional Development Workshops, Entrepreneurial Exploration, Individual Assessments, Resume Development, Interview Strategies, Financial Coaching, and Job Search. Register today 816-822-8083. Or register in person Mondays, 1pm to 3pm, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9am to 11am. Parking will be validated. Free parking in secured parking garage.</p>	
Tuesday, September 17th, 2019 Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm	Innovation Center Presentation
Dreaming of owning your own business? Xander will present how to become an entrepreneur.	
Wednesday, September 18th, 2019 at 7pm Offsite: North Branch, 317 West 24 Hwy, Independence, MO 64050	Mid-Continent Library LEARN about the Internet
Internet for Beginners. Call 816-252-0950 for details.	
Friday, September 20th, 2019 Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm	Health is Wealth PRESENTATION
Come join us for an informational session with Celebrity fitness trainer Kristie!	
Tuesday, September 24th, 2019 Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm	Ches Inc. http://chesinc.org/
Learn to improve credit score. Financial and Credit Programs, Online Home Buyer Education, In-Person Home Buyer Education, Reverse Mortgage Counseling, Foreclosure Prevention, and More.	
Wednesday, September 25th, 2019 Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12:30pm, Pleasant Heights 1:30 - 3pm	University of MO Extension Six-week session "Eating Smart."
FREE program focusing on food preparation and meal planning. Pre-registration Required. Class size 12.	
Tuesday, October 1st, 2019 Onsite: Hocker Heights 11am – 12pm, Pleasant Heights 1 - 2pm	MO ABLE MO State Treasurer's Office
Saving and Investment solutions for people with disabilities. Learn how to get started with MO ABLE.	
Wednesday, October 2nd, 2019 at 11am to 2pm Offsite: Harris Park CC, 110 SW Blue Pkwy, Lee's Summit, MO 64063	KC Job Fair – Lee's Summit Step Up
Join us for a job fair in Lee's Summit at the Harris Park Community Center and enjoy a FREE LUNCH! Meet with dozens of local employers with hundreds of job openings! They're ready to hire now! Visit stepupjobfairs.com for more info.	
Tuesdays and Thursdays in September at 6:30pm Offsite: North Branch, 317 West 24 Hwy, Independence, MO 64050	Mid-Continent Library English Learning Classes
FREE English Learning classes. To Register or for More Information, call 816-252-0950 (North Branch) or 816-461-2050 (South Branch). Also to register, call 816-463-9286 or email ell360@mymcpl.org .	
Multiple Dates and Times (see description) Onsite: Hocker Heights Community Center	Success Link Outreach After School Childcare
After School child care program Monday through Friday 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Hocker Heights Community Center. Childcare for child(ren) ages 5- to 13. Must be a resident of Hocker Heights and Pleasant Heights. (Management will check lease agreement). Registration required. If your child(ren) receives free school lunch program – no hourly fees. Pro-rated fees for families! Applications at the Hocker Office. Any questions, please contact Mr. Hines 816-933-8891.	
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