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By Diane Gale Andreassi

A 26-year-old woman went to the free Downriver Community Clinic to refill a birth control prescription when she learned she had breast cancer, and while her story is more dramatic than most, she exemplifies the lives that are changed at the medical facility.

She was diagnosed and referred for treatment by Dr. David Wolf, who has volunteered at the clinic for 15 years.

Dr. Wolf, an OB/GYN, was racing a go-kart when it crashed, leaving him paralyzed from the waist down in 2001. The paralysis prevented him from traveling annually to Haiti on medical missionary trips. But when he heard Nancy Zack, Downriver Community Clinic's executive

director, talk about the clinic he knew it would fill his need to help others. Patients at the clinic gave him the same gratitude he felt in Haiti.

"They give back to you," he said. "There's a special feeling to doing something that you aren't being paid for."

Wolf is among the doctors, nurses and assistants who volunteer at the clinic, serving patients who are at least 18 and working or are a college student. All clients are uninsured or under-insured.

"God gave me a special gift and even though he took my legs away he has allowed me to take care of people less fortunate," he said. "I have an unbelievable team who are there, volunteering, helping patients. I'm thankful I'm able to do it."

The clinic opened in 2005 as a legacy project of Dr. Chris Bush, then medical staff president, and is currently located at 3333 Biddle in an office leased from

Henry Ford Wyandotte Hospital. About 300 new patients receive health care annually. The clinic has seen more than 20,000 patients since opening.

Even people who have insurance sometimes have to pay a copay they can't afford.

"Some of those people forego a doctor's visit and end up in the ER," Zack said. "We believe everyone deserves quality health care and our doctors believe it shouldn't depend on your insurance status. People should be able to get the care when they need it."

The clinic is open four or five times monthly and six to eight patients are seen per session. Pre-med and nursing students and residents, attended by a doctor, work with the patients. These future doctors are getting valuable hands-on experience.

"We're training future physicians and nurses," Zack said. "And patients feel they are getting extra attention from people who listen to their health needs. When we take care of a patient it has a ripple effect to their home, their work and the whole community."

Men and women receive annual health exams and screenings. Primary care visits include chronic disease management for diabetes,



hypertension, asthma and thyroid, as well as physicals and cancer screenings. Foot exams and care are also provided, as well as prescription assistance and nutrition counseling.

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Wyandotte is well known for its community events, beautiful historical museum, festivals, and our annual Wyandotte Street Art Fair. Our cultural and special events, combined with our appreciation for the arts, makes Wyandotte a dynamic city for both residents and visitors.

This publication is a combination of our events calendar, business and restaurant listings and descriptions, information on our city services and amenities and fun facts about our town.

I am proud to be mayor of Wyandotte and encourage you all to support our local businesses and enjoy the many services and activities that we have to offer. I am thrilled to welcome you to Wyandotte!



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WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT WYANDOTTE!

1. OUR HISTORIC DOWNTOWN

Incorporated in 1867, the city of Wyandotte is often described as the "Heart of Downriver." The site where Wyandotte sits today was, in the 1700s, a village for the Native American tribe known as the Wyandot, a part of the Huron Nation. A waterfront community, Wyandotte is rich in history and is known for its distinctive architecture, charming downtown district and variety of cultural offerings.

2. FIND ART IN WYANDOTTE!

Wyandotte is well known for its numerous community events, festivals, and our annual Wyandotte Street Art Fair. The event traces its history to 1961 when a handful of artists from the Acanthus Art Society exhibited their work in front of a local downtown business. From these humble beginnings, the Wyandotte Street Art Fair has grown to be one of the largest and best-attended fairs in the state. ART is one of the earliest creative images representing the fair. ART's likeness was rediscovered on an early Street Art Fair poster in the archival collections of the Wyandotte Museums. Originally a stylized line drawing, ART represents a true piece of Wyandotte history! When ART first made his debut in Wyandotte, it was 1964 and the Street Fair was only three years old. ART is fun, funky, and creative, encapsulating the spirit of our fair. Every year, ART gets

a new interpretation by a regional artist, so stay tuned for what he will look like this year!

3. SPLISH, SPLASH

Wyandotte is a waterfront community. Get out there and boat, kayak, or fish! Whatever you choose to do here in Wyandotte, make sure to have fun while doing it!

4. CITY OF FESTIVALS!

Wyandotte is known for our many events that take place throughout the year: The holiday parades, Tree Lighting and many activities hosted by businesses and non-profit groups and sponsored by the City and the Downtown Development Authority. Visit our downtown and have a fun and festive time!



CHAMBER SPOTLIGHT

The SMART Way to Go

Many Metro Detroit journeys are easier and cheaper

by bus By Diane Gale Andreassi

MART [KL1] launched a brand new service in March 2021, SMART Flex, taking riders from curb to curb. The Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation was created in 1967 as SEMTA. In 1989 SEMTA was renamed SMART, and today it serves 76 communities in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties.

Affordable rides

Last year SMART FLEX ran in Dearborn, Troy/Clawson, Auburn Hills/Pontiac, Hall Road and Farmington/Farmington Hills areas.

Request a ride seven days a week. Riders download the SMART Flex app at Ride SMART Flex, and a driver picks them up and drops them off at their destinations. The fee is from \$2 to \$8. More communities are expected to be added in 2024.

"The goal is to expand in more areas," said Bernard Parker III, vice president of external affairs. "SMART Flex rides stand as a testament to our commitment to accessible and affordable transportation. This service, akin to ridesharing but with a cap on cost, is a gamechanger for our community."

Meanwhile, the SMART Fixed Route program is the easiest, most affordable way to connect to destinations throughout Macomb County, portions of Oakland and Wayne County. Drivers pick up passengers at designated bus stops and times at major corridors, crosstown, limited stop and express routes.

Additionally, the SMART FAST program offers a limited-stop service that connects passengers to the suburbs and downtown quickly and easily. With this high-frequency





program, buses travel along three of Detroit's busiest corridors – Gratiot, Woodward, and Michigan avenues, giving access to jobs, retail, restaurants, stadiums, Detroit's Metro



Airport, and entertainment venues.

Another option is to transfer from SMART FAST to SMART Flex within Dearborn, Troy/Clawson, Auburn Hills, Pontiac, and portions of Hall Road. Passengers review options on the SMART website at smartmovesus.org.

In all, SMART has given access to 67,000 businesses and 60,000 jobs, Parker said, adding that more than 20,000 people are served daily. SMART, a governmental entity, is funded by state, federal and local contributions.

"SMART is pivotal in driving economic growth and transforming our region," said Dwight Ferrell, general manager. "I've seen how a robust public transportation system, like SMART, attracts businesses and jobs, enhancing the region's vibrancy. Our commitment to providing exceptional service has made SMART an integral part of the community's progress, reflecting the positive evolution of transit in serving and connecting our people."

SMART also operates four eco-friendly electric vehicles that operate on a zero-emissions platform and provide reduced air and noise pollution. These vehicles are also cheaper to operate.

"This latest step toward carbon-free mobility means that every time you choose SMART, you are investing in a better ride, a better community, a better future," the company website said. "It also reinforces our commitment to provide an economic advantage and environmentally safe transit to the 76 communities we serve."

Other offers

Customers with disabilities are given special services. Reduced rates are also provided to those who are at least 65, six to 18 years old, or a person with a disability.

"At SMART, we believe in building connections that extend beyond transit," Parker said. "Our focus on customer service and community engagement reflects our dedication to not just being a transit provider but a partner in the region's development."

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A BIT OF WYANDOTTE HISTORY...

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The first permanent non-native settler in the area was Major John Biddle. He was an officer in the U.S. Army during the War of 1812 and a mayor of the city of Detroit. His land was located in the area of Biddle and Vinewood Avenues. He named his farm "The Wyandotte" after his neighbors to the south. When other settlers came to the area they started to refer to the area as Wyandotte. It is from Biddle's farm that the city of Wyandotte derives its name.

December 12, 1854 marks the date of the founding of the Village of Wyandotte, which coincides with the founding of Wyandotte's first industry, Eureka Iron Works. On May 26, 1865, Eureka Iron Works was the first mill in the United States to produce steel using the Bessemer Process. This method was the foundation of the industrial revolution and the key to making high-quality steel in large quantities. Unfortunately, Eureka Iron Works suffered a boiler explosion and fire in 1888, from which it never recovered.

The Village of Wyandotte officially became the City of Wyandotte on April 8, 1867. A few years after that event, in 1871, the Wyandotte Shipyards started operation. The shipyards produced many hulls, including the famous and speedy passenger boat, the Tashmoo, and the Columbia, one of the Boblo boats. The Shipyard remained in operation until 1922.

In the early 1890s, a man named Captain J.B. Ford traveled to Wyandotte to investigate the reports of salt deposits found here. Captain Ford was interested in the salt to produce soda ash, a chemical necessary in the manufacture of plate glass. Having found salt in sufficient quality and quantity, Ford created the Michigan Alkali Company to process the chemicals he needed. In addition, he started the J.B. Ford Company to further process the soda ash into various soaps and cleansers sold commercially. These and other chemical plants have formed a lasting industry in Wyandotte that continues to this day. In 1969, the chemical giant BASF purchased the Michigan Alkali Company and the J.B. Ford Company (which merged in the 1930s) when they went public with their stock. BASF continues operations in Wyandotte to this day.

As the other communities of southern suburban Detroit have grown around it, Wyandotte's riverfront and other charms continually draw people from all over the world. Over the years, Wyandotte has mirrored the rest of the country with several waves of immigrant populations moving into the area seeking jobs and community. Much of the city's culture is influenced by the German, Irish, Italian, and Polish immigrants.

The city has several festivals during the year, including the Independence Day Parade, the Heritage Event Series (highlighting culture and history), the Wyandotte Street Art Fair (the second largest in the state), and Skip Clack's Fishing Derby. Also found in the city are many art studios, galleries and boutiques. There have been many local visual and performing arts groups in Wyandotte since its inception. Currently, the Acanthus Art Society is the oldest, having been established in 1932. The City also owns a cultural campus, which includes the Wyandotte Museums. The museums consist of three homes restored to a periodappropriate look.

Wyandotte, which is located 10 miles south of Detroit along the Detroit River, is a community of about 28,000 residents. With a municipally owned water and power plant, the City has the capacity to provide all needed services to businesses and residents.

As the City moves forward, it remains committed to preserving the past and celebrating the unique culture and history that make up the city of Wyandotte.

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WYANDOTTE SHORES

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LOCATION:

Along the Detroit River on Van Alstyne from Elm Street to Vinewood.

PARK HOURS AND RULES:

6:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m., year round. Pets, bikes, skateboards



and rollerblades are not permitted in the park. Alcohol is not permitted in the park. Fishing is permitted only on the pier during times noted.

BASF PARK

BASF Waterfront Park is located along the Detroit River, just south of Eureka Road. The 20-acre park is the largest in the city and features a romantic brick promenade, lookout decks, rowing launch, trails, sand volleyball courts and an amphitheater. BASF Waterfront Park hosts several entertainment events throughout the year. Notable events include the Hebda Cup and Wyandotte High School rowing regattas.

LOCATION: Along the Detroit River, just south of Eureka Road.

PARK HOURS AND RULES:

6:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m., year round. Pets, bikes, skateboards and rollerblades are not permitted in the park. Alcohol is not permitted in any city park.

BASF PARK PROMENADE/ GAZEBO RENTAL

BASF Waterfront Park Promenade/Gazebo Rental BASF Waterfront Park may be rented for weddings and other special events. For more information on rental, please contact the Recreation, Leisure & Culture Department at 734-324-7295 or recreation@

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Pulaski Park 12th Street & Oxford Court

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ALEXANDER'S CLEANERS: Family-owned, serving the community for decades

LEX Alexander was a student at the University of Michigan studying political science at one of the most prestigious universities in the country, but it was on the weekends where he received the best education he could ever ask for – and from the best teacher he could ask for.

"I used to work in the store every Saturday during high school and college and thank God I did," Alex said. "That's where I learned...everything."

"The store" was and still is Alexander's Dry Cleaners in Allen Park, and Alex's teacher was his father, Alex Alexander Sr., who founded the family-run business in 1946 in Detroit. He moved the business to its current location at 5741 Allen Road in 1975 and the Detroit location was eventually sold in the late 1980s.

"Alexander's Dry Cleaners began as an idea when my father was a soldier in the U.S. Air Force serving in the desert of North Africa in 1945," Alex Jr. said. "One of my dad's combat buddies received a letter from his parents and in that letter was a crisp \$100 bill. He asked his buddy what his parents did for a living to be able to send \$100, and his fellow Air Force buddy said, 'my mom and dad own a dry cleaners and laundry.'"

Alexander's Dry Cleaners is



now run out of a 4,000-square-foot facility that uses the latest technology, solutions and processes available, with a staff of eight employees led by an owner who not only kept his father's dream and vision alive but has expanded on it and taken it to the highest level – all the way to the National Football League.

"Yeah, we do all the dry cleaning for the Detroit Lions," Alexander said. "We take care of all the clothes the coaches wear and the game jerseys. We also do

all the dry cleaning for the Fisher Theatre and proudly clean and repair the uniforms for several high school ROTCs, band and choir programs."

"Pride" is an important part of what has kept Alexander's Dry Cleaners in business for almost eight decades.

"My dad taught me everything about the business and how to treat customers," Alexander said. "He taught me the importance of paying your bills on time and treating the customers like you would want to be treated."

Alex Sr. passed away in 1977, the same year Alex Jr. graduated from U-M.

"It wasn't my plan to take over the family business but I had no choice," he said. "My mom was only 46 and had five kids. We had bills to pay and I was lucky that I knew what I was doing when I took over. It became my life."

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The Gwen Frostic Sculpture sits in Frostic Field, located just behind the Copeland Center at 4th and Mulberry Streets. The sculpture was given to the city of Wyandotte by Western Michigan University and was dedicated on April 26, 2009. WMU has honored our city and memorialized Ms. Frostic with the gift of this fabulous sculpture, which melds Gwen's metal work with her delicate prints of Michigan's flora and fauna.

The Wyandots – A Family Tribute was dedicated to the city of Wyandotte in 2000. The sculpture sits in BASF Park, near Wyandotte Shores Golf Course. The sculpture was created by Michaele Duffy Kramer and is made of bronze. The sculpture is modeled after a Native American family, and depicts items that are essential to their survival: corn, beans, squash, as well as tobacco, sage, sweet grass and cedar.





The Wyandot Totem Pole was carved by Gordon Watkins and is constructed of cedar. It was donated by Wyandotte Savings Bank to commemorate the city's 100th anniversary in 1971. The totem pole sits at the southwest corner of Eureka and Biddle Avenues near the fountain. A large turtle sits atop the pole that represents Chief Walk-in-the-Water's family totem. Five other figures tell the story of the Wyandot that settled in this area: an Iroquois warrior, the crest of French explorer Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac, a beaver, a whitefish and the figure of a Wyandot clutching a canoe paddle.

Merrill Lynch Bull and Wyandotte Bear were both created by artist Keith Coleman in 2005 and 2006, respectively. The bull sits on the corner of Biddle Avenue and Oak Street. The bear stands on the corner of Eureka and Fifth Street, in front of Wyandotte Roosevelt High School. They were created from salvaged water heater cores, and have a weathered rust finish.



The World War I Memorial is located on Superior Boulevard just east of Biddle Avenue and was dedicated to the city in 1923. The boulder and bronze tablet lists the names of those who lost their lives in World War I. Two cannons also sit on the site of the memorial.



The Veterans Memorial is

constructed of black granite and flanked by flags. The Wyandotte Veterans Memorial Committee spearheaded the construction of the memorial, located on Superior Boulevard between Biddle and Van Alstyne. It was designed by Mike Miller, the winner of a design competition held for the project.

The Purple Heart Memorial was designed and sculpted by Isadore DeBiasi of River Rouge. It was originally dedicated by Michigan Governor Harry Kelly in 1943. The statue is a testament to the sacrifice of Michigan servicemen and women. Wyandotte has the distinguished honor of being the first city in the country to which the National Military Order of the Purple Heart commissioned and donated a monument of this type. The Wyandotte Beautification Commission and local veterans worked together from 2007-2010 to raise funds to bronze the statue.







Count Casimir Pulaski was cast in concrete and dedicated in 1938. It was shipped to the New York World's Fair in 1939, and remained there until the Detroit Institute of Arts acquired it. It was then given to Wyandotte to be placed in Pulaski Park, which is located on 12th Street south of Walnut. The statue was re-cast in bronze in 1991 and rededicated to the city.

The Wyandotte Vietnam Veterans Memorial is located at the east end of Superior Boulevard at Van Alstyne Street.



The Looking Forward Statue was donated as a sesquicentennial gift to the city of Wyandotte. The bronze, created by John Pappas of Ypsilanti, was installed in 2000. The sculpture is located in BASF Waterfront Park.



Wyandotte Street Art Fair point



The event's history traces back to 1961 with a handful of artists from the Acanthus Art Society who exhibited their work in front of local businesses.

The city of Wyandotte is known for many things, and one of them is the Wyandotte Street Art Fair. The Wyandotte Street Art Fair (WSAF) is located in downtown Wyandotte, the heart of the city, and reaches over 200,000 people during the four-day event. This year, the event will take place July 10 - 13, 2024.

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Wyandotte is the only downriver community that owns and operates a potable water filtration plant. The Wyandotte Municipal Water Plant can produce up to 15 million gallons of water per day. The community's water source is the Detroit River and the treatment process consists of:

- Screen or remove debris
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Our water distribution system consists of 110 miles of water mains ranging from 4 inches to 30 inches in diameter. Fire protection is provided by over 850 fire hydrants located throughout the community. The municipal water system has a 500,000 gallon elevated storage tank (water tower) and 4.5 million gallons of ground level storage for peak demand periods such as fighting fires or other emergencies.

OUR DEPARTMENT GOALS

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LIST OF INSURANCE PLANNING MISTAKES -AND HOW TO FIX THEM

By: Gerald M. Morello, Jr., Esq. MORELLO LAW GROUP, P.C.

While acknowledging David Letterman as the master of the Top Ten List, the following is my own Top Ten List of insurance planning mistakes and how to fix them:

• NAMING YOUR ESTATE AS BENEFICIARY

If you name your estate as the beneficiary, the probate court is involved, guaranteeing a time-consuming, public and expensive process. Consider establishing a Revocable Trust and naming the Trust as the primary beneficiary for probate avoidance, privacy, simplicity and potential tax savings.

• NAMING AN EX-SPOUSE AS BENEFICIARY

While an obvious mistake, old insurance policies often designate an ex-spouse or other person that no longer has a relationship with the policy owner. In order to rectify this, a review of your current beneficiary arrangement is important. Consider establishing a Trust and maintaining your Trust beneficiaries in a manner that reflects your current wishes.

• NAMING A MINOR CHILD AS BENEFICIARY

If you name a minor child (under age 18) as a beneficiary, the insurance company will require a conservator appointed to process the claim and receive the death benefit. A conservatorship is a probate court process that is public, costly and time consuming. There will be annual work (and expense) until your beneficiary attains age 18. Upon attaining age 18, your now adult beneficiary receives the money and is free to spend it as he sees fit. Consider a Trust to receive the death benefit and design appropriate payout provisions. Your Successor Trustee would supervise distributions of the insurance proceeds to your beneficiary for education and health needs and distribute the balance to your beneficiary at age 30 (for example).

• NAMING A "DISABLED PERSON" AS BENEFICIARY This error could jeopardize government benefits available for your beneficiary. Instead, provide the insurance proceeds to your Trust with appropriate provisions to maintain government benefits for your beneficiary.

• OWNING A POLICY ON AN ADULT CHILD

If you own a policy, and someone else is the insured, and you die first, the insurance policy must go through probate to have a new owner on the policy. Consider either transferring the ownership to the adult child, or in the alternative, transfer the ownership of the policy to your Trust.

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FOOD & BEVERAGE

TREATS & SWEETS

Nourish the Dotte

2919 1st Street, 734-407-7006 "Fast food for Healthy People". Shakes, smoothies and teas for every health and dietary need.

La Crème Patisserie

145 Maple Street, 734-258-8211 An exquisite and decadent French and European pastry shop offering delicious gourmet pastries and baked goods made with high quality ingredients.

Little Pierogi and Crepe Kitchen

www.pierogicrepekitchen.com 125 Elm Street, 734-639-0877 Sweet! Savory! Succulent! This lovely little shop and masterful kitchen offers daily fresh, homemade pierogi, crepes and soups – and there's nothing little about the taste! Pierogi are sold hot on the spot or uncooked to-go for at-home preparation.

Simply Hot Dogs & Ice Cream

www.simplyhotdogsandicecream.com 3042 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-4800 The name says it all! Delicious hot dogs made to "dotte dog" standards with all the fixings, offering the historic Mehlhose Ice Cream Company.

Stroh's Ice Cream Parlour

www.strohsinwyandotte.com 3162 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-5480 Family-owned and operated since 1992, great service, wide variety, large portions, and a family-friendly atmosphere with an old-time diner feel. Many flavors are custom made in-house

Sweet Arrangements Candy & Dessert Shoppe

www.sweetarrangements.net 3203 Biddle Avenue, 734-246-8263 Your destination for anything sweet. Nostalgic candy, pastry baskets, cookies, homemade fudge and more. Invoking a warm, vibrant and pleasant atmosphere, it's impossible not to feel instant happiness when walking through the door.

Yogurt Co.

2958 Biddle Avenue, 734-720-1444 Serving the best yogurt around. Choose from 10+ flavors of frozen yogurt, add some of our 50 toppings, weigh it, and pay by the ounce. We offer only premium, handmade flavors of frozen yogurt that rotate monthly. All our yogurt is made with real, fresh ingredients from our very own Michigan farm.

COFFEE SHOPS & CAFES The Coffee Lounge

93 Oak Street, 734-556-3249 A quaint, cozy, local coffee shop offering delicious espressos, coffee, smoothies, cold brew, frozen coffees, iced coffee snacks and delicious baked goods.

Dunkin'

www.dunkindonuts.com 215 Eureka Road, 734-284-3084 *America's favorite coffee, espresso and donuts.*

Kekoa Brew Co.

www.kekoabrewco.com 3351 3rd Street, 734-556-3030 Expanding from Michigan's only fully organic mobile coffee shop into this downtown location. Voted best in organic and specialty foods, best tea and Top 5 best coffee in Metro Detroit by Channel 4. Great place to study or work and enjoy a seasonally inspired latte.

Tim Hortons

www.timhortons.com 215 Eureka Road, 734-284-3084 Canada's favorite coffee, espresso and donuts.

American Dining & Gastropubs

Bobcat Bonnie's www.bobcatbonnies.com

118 Sycamore Street, 734-530-1806 Your neighborhood spot offering creative and tasty brunches, lunches and dinners in a hip and eclectic aesthetic for an experience you will remember.

Joe's Hamburgers

www.joeshamburgers.net 3041 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-0420 All-American restaurant with an all-American menu offering sliders, hotdogs, fresh cut fries, milkshakes and malts in a comic book Detroit sports diner setting with pinball machines and arcade games.





Nanna's Kitchen

2962 Biddle Avenue, 734-281-9093 A well-established family diner of 30 years, menu boasts all homecooked meals, breakfast anytime and an awesome Mediterranean menu.





RP McMurphy's

www.rpmcmurphys.com 2922 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-4885 Established in 1979, family-owned and operated full-service restaurant, set in a turn of the 20th Century era German pub with walls adorned with period murals and rich mahogany, and a wide-ranging menu from hearty comfort foods to delicate seafood.

Whiskeys on the Water

www.whiskeysonthewater.com 2903 Biddle Avenue, 734-720-9738 American dining experience serving classic and modern fare, exceptional selection of rye, bourbon and scotch whiskeys, bustling nightlife, outstanding private event and party venue.

Asian

Coastal Thai

140 Sycamore Street, 734-282-3885 A local treasure serving traditional Thai cuisine with generous portions and impeccable service.

Lucky Dragon

www.luckydragonmi.com 430 Eureka Road, 734-282-3333 Authentic and delicious tasting Chinese cuisine with a variety of choices made from high-quality fresh ingredients, affordable prices and a very friendly atmosphere.

Sushi Bar & Japanese Cuisine

www.sushibarusa.com 130 Maple Street, 734-720-9717 *Excellence and brilliance, this Japanese* Sushi Restaurant delivers delicious and aesthetically pleasing sushi, sashimi, rolls, entrees, with traditional soups, salads and starters

PUBS, BARS & GRILLS Brickhouse

www.brickhousebrands.com 2935 Biddle Avenue, 734-720-9560 Great food and great fun, featuring multiple venues, cocktail lounge, craft beers, fine wines, dancing and special events, all co-located in a fresh new multi-story bar and restaurant.

Captain's

126 Oak Street, 734-246-5400 Classic bar and grill, delicious food for casual lunches, a great place to catch your favorite game and have an awesome night out on the town with friends.

Dotte Pub

116 Oak Street, 734-283-6883 A friendly neighborhood place open seven days a week with long history, great service and excellent selection of beer and spirits.

Firehouse Pub

www.firehousepubs.com/wyandotte 232 Maple Street, 734-309-7080 Located next to Wyandotte's Historic Central Fire Station, this pub and grill offers a great vibe and a great menu of affordable lunch, dinner and drink specials.

Gizzmo's Martini Bar

3225 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-3459 Gizzmo's has something for everyone. Offers 50 different varieties of martinis, and all the standard beer and liquor selections that pair well with their tasty appetizers and small-plate options.

Grand Dad's Bar

www.granddadsbar.com 132 Sycamore Street, 734-285-6104 Old-time hangout joint, outstanding quality, late night kitchen serving simple classics, pet-friendly patio open all-yearround, great vibes and good times for all.

J Bird Wine Bar

150 Maple

Self-service wine bar offering 48 kegged wines on taps. Experience the variety of flavors in a fun, laid-back atmosphere.

Modern Craft Winery

www.moderncraftwine.com 109 Maple Street, 734-486-6538 Get in the Mix with this different kind of wine, rooted in homemade, creative recipes spawned by free-thinking and free-wheeling mixologist. The Downtown Wyandotte tasting room is bright, vibrant and a perfect space for dates, parties and gatherings of all kinds.

The Oak Barrell

www.oakbarrelbar.com 166 Oak Street, Suite 200, 734-258-8407 Exquisite cocktail lounge offering an extra special experience, high-end cocktails and craft libations.

On The Rocks

www.ontherocks.me 134 Maple Street, 734-720-9731 Craft cocktails, live music and a lovely outdoor café for a true downtown dining experience.

Wyandotte Beer Company

www.wyandottebeercompany.com 3016 1st Street, 734-556-3231 Wyandotte's one and only brewery serving a complex variety of craft beers brewed inhouse straight to the taps, enjoy alongside tasty dishes handmade from scratch.

FINE DINING

Iron Gate

www.irongatebarwyandotte.com 3019 Biddle Avenue, 734-407-7043 A high-quality craft cocktail lounge combining traditional preparations with local ingredients for an affordable and elevated dining experience.

The Vault

www.thevaultonfirst.com 3058 1st Street, 734-888-2858 Anchored in a historic bank building, this principled fine dining establishment is built on honesty and integrity, and only serves wild-caught fish, prime meats, locally raised chicken, fresh produce, and craft cocktails filled with flavor and creativity.

ITALIAN

Gregorio's Italian Restaurant

www.gregoriositalian.com 2356 Biddle Avenue, 734-283-3354 Authentic, homemade Italian cuisine, family-owned and operated since 2003, in a welcoming dining room decorated with old-world Italy mixed with newworld flair.

Magdaleno's Ristorante

www.magdalenositalian.com 152 Elm Street, 734-283-8200 A veritable treasure trove of unique, fresh Italian food featuring superb dishes and handmade fresh pastas, breads, daily special entrees and steady Sicilian and Italian classics curated by renowned Chef Ernesto Magdaleno Guzman.

MEXICAN

Panchos II Mexican Restaurant

www.mypanchos.com 3860 Biddle Avenue, 734-283-8544 Providing high-quality foods made from scratch to a community hungry for a taste of old Mexico.

Taco Bros

www.thetacobros.com 128 Sycamore Street, 734-767-1720 *Two brothers joining together to make every day delicious, homemade Mexican street food, using recipes passed down through their family for generations.*

Tacos N' Tequila

www.tntwyandotte.com 166 Oak Street, Suite 100, 734-258-8406

Traditional Mexican favorites with a high-quality modern flair, superb ingredients and unique combinations, featuring a vast selection of tequilas and margaritas.

PIZZA

Frank's Family Pizzeria

www.frankspizza1952.com 3144 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-0512 A tradition that was started in 1952, a family-friendly pizzeria offering classic specialty pizzas from the traditional recipe and new Detroit-style pizzas, dine-in, carry-out, and catering.

Si's Bar

166 Oak Street, Suite 100 No fuss, no frills, a simple and enjoyable bar on Oak Street.

Sports Bar & Grill

www.sportsbar-grill.com 166 Maple Street, 734-285-5060 Serving Wyandotte for over 40 years, offering a killer variety of burgers, sandwiches, subs, dinner entrees and signature, hand-tossed pizzas. Also serving soups, homemade chili and just-right-bite appetizers.









SEAFOOD

H2O Seafood

www.h2oseafood.net 3233 Biddle Avenue, 734-556-3202 Wyandotte's premier seafood restaurant. Dining inspired by the Great Lakes, rivers and seven oceans, offering the freshest fish and finest ingredients curated by renowned Chef David Wood.

FAST CASUAL

Big Boy

www.bigboy.com

3366 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-8400 Celebrating 87 years, the iconic Big Boy is still serving delicious food, making memories and giving back to our community. Home to the original Big Boy burger, the Slim Jim, and the Classic Blockbuster breakfast.

Jimmy John's

www.jimmyjohns.com 3169 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-4520 The flavors of fresh veggies combined with hand-sliced meats and freshbaked bread is what makes a Jimmy John's sandwich The Sandwich of Sandwiches.

Lunch

www.lunchwyandotte.com 3050 Biddle Avenue, 734-407-7011 "Limited" menu serving classic Italian submarine sandwiches. Walk-up window, take out, deliver and catering, located in a historic tiny building in the center of downtown Wyandotte.

McDonald's

www.mcdonalds.com 3421 Biddle Avenue, 734-281-1105 One of America's most recognizable food brands, with more than 36,000 restaurants in more than 100 countries.

Subway

www.subway.com 410 Eureka Road, 734-324-2990 Freshly made, convenient, quality and affordable food, serving up a craveable menu with better-for-you options to millions of fans, every day.

Wendy's

www.wendys.com 3460 Biddle Avenue, 734-281-6842 Home of the square beef patties, made from fresh beef; chili, baked potatoes and iconic Frosty® desserts.



SHOPPING

CLOTHING & APPAREL

Ace of Clubs Golf Co.

www.aceofclubsgolfco.com 2959 Biddle Avenue, Suite 100, 800-505-2904

Founded by former PGA golf professional Daniel Pusilo, this is your destination for high-quality, personalized golf accessories. All products are handmade and fully customizable, offering a unique fusion of artistic leather craftsmanship and a passion for golf.

Cecilia Melody's

www.ceciliamelodys.com 2955 Biddle Avenue, 734-283-2955 Opened in 1933, this small-town familyowned boutique offers a great selection of baby and kids clothing and women's accessories, purses, lovely jewelry sets, wallets, scarves, and evening bags.

Chelsea Menswear & Tuxedos

www.chelseamenswear.com 2944 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-7755 *Family-owned, local and independent*

since 1943, a respected retailer of high-quality menswear brands offering off-the-rack suits for all budgets, custom fitting and onsite old-world tailoring, with loads of leisure wear, shoes, and accessories.

Gena Conti Custom Millinery

www.genaconti.com 2732 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-3417 Custom, handmade one at a time, truly unique and entirely original hats made from imported fabrics, trim, and materials from around the world.

Traffic Jam Boutique

2915 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-9029 *Trendy boutique clothing at affordable*

prices, elegant formal wear and over 2,000 dresses in stock ranging in all sizes, varying in fun, upbeat and unique styles for any special occasion, serviced by friendly, professional and expert staff.

White Magnolia Bridal Salon

144 Sycamore Street, 734-447-4284 You are the center of attention during a completely private bridal appointment in a luxurious salon. Sourcing thousands of dresses from around the world, you'll have no problem saying "Yes!" to the dress, whether for your most special day and wedding, or prom and homecoming.

Willow Tree

www.willowtreefashions.com 3000 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-8231 A beautiful and comfortable boutique with an eclectic, whimsical and unpretentious atmosphere that's always offering the newest, most fabulous, unique and exciting products, including stylish clothing, formal wear, sportswear, outerwear, pajamas and intimates, jewelry, handbags, accessories and gifts.

Wyandotte Tees

www.wyandottetees.com 540 Eureka Road, 734-246-1008 Roosevelt High School's marketing program customized clothing and apparel for your business or personal use.

GALLERIES, GIFTS & TOYS Abundant Living Gallery

www.abundantlivinggallery.com 3002 1st Street, 734-556-3033 A beautiful collection of art and fine, hand-crafted pieces and gifts for you, your home and your friends.

Cheryl Zemke Boutique

www.cherylzemke.webs.com 2934 Biddle Avenue, 734-740-1292 Cheryl Zemke Boutique creates a modern approach to a classic serviceoriented shopping experience by offering styling and alteration on site. The unique mixture of fashions, accessories, original art, and gift items are set in a gorgeous store.

Glow Fish Studios

www.glowfishstudios.com 2840 Biddle Avenue, 734-552-6323 Warm, inviting, eclectic retail boutique offering a fantastical collection of jewelry, books, crystals, toys, home decor, gifts, puzzles and more.





The Bling Thing

www.theblingthing.com 166 Oak Street, Suite 106, 734-707-7198

Downtown Wyandotte's newest retailer, a local business started by a personal shopper with an air for flair, offering affordable, fun items at great prices, women's clothing, shoes, jewelry and accessories







Little Dotte

www.littledottemi.com 3122 Biddle Avenue, 734-363-3351 Traditional, local toy store that's serious about play and stimulating imagination and creativity of all age groups, bringing fun, educational and unique toys to Wyandotte and the Downriver community.

Pottery Creations

www.potterycreations.com 105 Maple Street, 734-285-4260 *Come on in! Fun and easy pottery projects with no experience necessary! The studio is great for all ages and walk-ins are always welcome. Or bring the joy of painting to your home with to-go kits that are great for family night, birthday parties, and more.*

River's Edge Gallery

www.artattheedge.com 3024 Biddle Avenue, 734-246-9880 A modern art gallery established in 1980 that is committed to promoting local and regional artists on a global scale, featuring prominent well-known artists and emerging artists from Detroit and the region. Sporting a wide range of backgrounds from traditional artists to outsider innovators and everything in between.

UPNDOWN

3205 Biddle Avenue, 734-283-3900 Art gallery and retail boutique offering custom framing, prints, gifts and cards galore! Art shows and festive events promoting local artists and highlighting local talent occur on a regular basis.

GROCERY STORES Total Health Foods

www.thfdownriver.com 2948 Biddle Avenue, 734-246-1208 *Knowledgeable about the products, wellversed on lifestyle choices, this locally operated, full-service grocery store sports a deli, organic produce, well-stocked freezers and pantries, and a vast array of vitamins and supplements throughout the store, catering to all health, wellness and dietary needs.*

convenience stores

7-Eleven www.7-eleven.com 2822 Biddle Avenue, 734-283-8128

Dollar Depot

3353 3rd Street, 734-284-9196

Dollar General

www.dollargeneral.com 131 Elm Street, 734-250-9470

Family Dollar & Dollar Tree

www.familydollar.com 165 Maple Street, 734-258-1233

Johnny Mac's Market

3312 4th Street, 734-281-4755

FLORISTS

Brenda's Biddle Avenue Florist www.biddleflorist.net

2848 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-2444 The original and only Biddle Avenue florist, specializing in funeral work, weddings and your everyday floral needs. Also offering delivery for your convenience

FURNITURE

Love it Again Vintage Décor and More

2928 Biddle Avenue, 734-365-9609 Vintage treasures abound in this darling boutique. New and refurbished furniture, décor, clothing, and so much more. Stop in often as inventory is always changing.

Regina Andrew Detroit

www.reginaandrew.com 3113 Biddle Avenue, 734-250-8042 Everything should electrify the room. Custom-made products are globally inspired and designed with natural materials like the star. Alabaster, crystal and marble offer a timeless aesthetic while brass and mirrored finishes bring RAD's signature glamour to the forefront.

Dining

1 TACOS N' TEQUILA	19 LUNCH
2 THE OAK BARRELL	20 FIREHOUSE PUB
3 SI'S BAR	21 SPORTS BAR & GRILL
4 CAPTAIN'S	2 J BIRD
5 DOTTE PUB	23 DISTRICT 142
6 THE COFFEE LOUNGE	24 ON THE ROCKS
7 RP MCMURPHY'S	25 SUSHI BAR
8 WHISKEY'S ON THE WATER	25 THE VAULT
BRICK HOUSE	27 MODERN CRAFT WINERY
10 MAGDALENO'S RISTORANTE	28 FRANK'S PIZZA
1 YOGURT CO.	29 COASTAL THAI
12 NANNA'S KITCHEN	30 GRAND DAD'S
13 LITTLE PIEROGI & CREPE KITCHEN	31 TACO BROS
14 WYANDOTTE BEER CO.	32 BOBCAT BONNIES
15 BELICOSO CIGAR BAR	33 STROH'S ICE CREAM
18 IRON GATE	34 GIZZMO'S
SIMPLY HOT DOGS AND ICE	35 H20 SEAFOOD
CREAM	36 KEKOA BREW CO.

18 JOE'S HAMBURGERS

Shopping

A GLOWFISH STUDIOS

- BRENDA'S BIDDLE AVENUE FLORIST & GIFTS
- **C** THE BLING THING
- **D** LOVE IT AGAIN VINTAGE
- **E** TRAFFIC JAM BOUTIQUE
- **F** CHERYL ZEMKE BOUTIQUE
- G CHELSEA MENSWEAR & SHOES
- **H** TOTAL HEALTH FOODS
- CECILIA MELODY'S
- ABUNDANT LIVING
 GALLERY

- **K** WILLOW TREE
- RIVERS EDGE GALLERY
- **WHITE FURNITURE**
- N LA CREME PATISSERIE
- **O POTTERY CREATIONS**
- P REGINA ANDREW DESIGN
- **O** LITTLE DOTTE
- **R** MILKINS JEWELERS
- **S** WHITE MAGNOLIA BRIDAL
- SWEET ARRANGEMENTS CANDY
 AND DESSERT SHOPPE
- U UPNDOWN
- MOOZIE'S CAKE STUDIO





White Furniture

www.whitefurniture.com 3025 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-2155 Where you're pampered, not pressured. Showcasing four floors of furniture totaling about 20,000 square feet in operation since 1946. If they don't have exactly what you are looking for, they can special order, or customize it using 1,500 different fabrics, 200 different leathers and procure it from over 150 different vendors. Fine tune every room in your house working alongside their in-house interior designers.

JEWELRY

Milkins Jewelers

www.milkinsjewelers.com 3160 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-9044 Fourth generation, family-owned business operating since 1905. Offering engagement rings, wedding bands, custom pieces, ready to wear, and fashion jewelry that will meet everyone's taste and budget. We carry a large selection of diamond and gemstone jewelry that is available in platinum, white, yellow, and rose gold.

R & R Beauty Bar Permanent Jewelry

www.rrbeautybar.glossgenius.com 166 Oak Street, Suite 2 A unique and fun experience that can symbolize the bonds of love, friendship and commitment. Design your own necklace, bracelet or anklet and you'll never have to remember to put it on. The process is simple, quick, painless, and noninvasive.

TOBACCO

Belicoso Cafe: Martini & Cigar Bar

www.belicosocafe.com 3030 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-2244 *Comfortable, unique, warm cigar lounge offering a unique experience to cigar connoisseurs with fine cigars, top shelf brands, cordials, premium wines, and over 50 single malt scotches, cognacs, bourbons, cappuccino, espresso, and many other non-alcoholic beverages*

La Perle Hookah Lounge

121 Maple Street, 734-934-0655 Fun and relaxing hookah lounge that turns up with regular parties, DJs and great events.

Wyandotte Tobacco

326 Eureka Road, 734-407-7781 Retailer with a large selection of cigarettes, cigars, kratom, CBD and other tobacco products/accessories.







Event Halls & Office Rentals

The Biddle Hall

www.thebiddlehall.com 3239 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-5230 Downtown Wyandotte's premier wedding venue and banquet center serving families and parties for over 40 years. Extremely professional and personalized experience with no detail overlooked and offering unique catering and carryout food menus.

District 142

www.district142live.com 142 Maple Street, 734-283-5222 Downriver's premier live music venue. Located in a century-old building that offers a unique experience by mixing historic charm with modern amenities. Catch a show or inquire about renting the space for your own one-of-a-kind event

Grand Dad's Side Bar

www.granddadsbar.com 132 Sycamore Street, 734-285-6104 Located next to Grand Dad's Bar, this fun party spot focuses on adult events with full bar service and banquet rental.

Knights of Columbus 1802

www.kofc.org

3530 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-1530 Council 1802 has been active in Wyandotte since 1915. The Knights of Columbus is a fraternal benefit society, upholding its founding values of charity, unity and fraternity, with a great clubhouse and full bar available for rent.

The Offices in Wyandotte

www.theofficesin.com 100 Maple Street and 97 Oak Street, 734-506-0077, Ext. 1 Professional, flexible workspace without the burden of big overhead expenses and long-term leases, offering private and shared offices, conference rooms, beautifully updated work spaces and common areas.



Provisions

www.provisionswyandotte.com 110 Sycamore Street, 734-258-7955 A beautiful modern party hall in the middle of downtown Wyandotte available for daytime, evening, or fullday rentals, offering guests a preparation kitchen, wet bar and a lounge area with sofas, small bar and cable television.

Riverside Office Suites

www.riversideoffice-suites.com 440 Eureka Road, 734-284-4579 Offering a variety of private, secure workspace solutions to suit your needs, including private office spaces and conference rooms in a convenient location.

Silver Shores Banquet & Catering

www.silvershoreswaterfront.com 1 James DeSana Drive, 734-246-4800 This beautiful waterfront event center and venue offers rustic indoor ballroom and a serene outdoor pavilion to make your next event even more memorable.

Wyandotte Boat Club

www.wyandotteboatclub.com 1 Pine Street, 734-284-5560 Rowing since 1875. Private membership club offering superb rowing facilities and large lounge, with patios overlooking the Detroit River, meeting rooms and full bar available for special events.





salons & spas

Belle Reve Aesthetics www.bellereveaesthetics.com 115 Elm Street, 734-657-1777





Bliss Beauty www.teezerssalon.com 167 Oak Street, 734-283-3810

> **Cassandra J Beauty** www.cassandrajbeauty.com 3152 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-4430

> **Daybreak Salon & Spa** www.daybreaksalon.com 2959 Biddle Avenue, 734-561-3764

Deluxe Barber Shop www.deluxebarbershop.net 113 Maple Street, 313-701-4656

Goodfellas Barber Company 229 Eureka Road, 313-333-0283

The Hair Lounge 112 Oak Street, 313-386-0760

Haven Wellness www.havenwellness.co 121 Elm Street

HMC Beauty www.hmcbeauty.glossgenius.com 100 Maple Street, Suite 105

Lush Hair Lab 3357 3rd Street

LUXE Studios

www.luxestudioswyandotte.com 3138 Biddle Avenue, 734-258-8269

Mane Floor Salon 2955 Biddle Avenue, Suite 2, 734-285-4870

Patty's Barbershop II 537 Eureka Road, 734-749-5725

Poppy Brow and Lash Design www.poppybrowandlash.as.me 115 Elm Street, 313-598-5771

Ren Nail and Waxing Studio 3361 Third Street, 734-258-7080

Royal Strokes Brow & Lash Studio www.royalstrokesbls.com 3209 Biddle Avenue, 734-258-8321

Salon Mischa 3136 Biddle Avenue, 734-281-2263

The Strip Wax Bar www.thestripwaxbar.com 2909 Biddle Avenue, 734-775-9082

ZI Bloom Aesthetics www.zibloom.com 2932 Biddle Avenue, 810-522-4252

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EXERCISE & RECREATION

359 Yoga www.359yoga.com 3162 Biddle Avenue, Suite 200, 734-309-7060

Benjamin F. Yack Arena and Ice Rink www.wyandotte.net 3131 Third Street, 734-324-7290

Riverside Kayak Connection www.riversidekayak.com 4016 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-2925 Wyandotte Boat Club www.wyandotteboatclub.com 1 Pine Street, 734-284-5560

Wyandotte Marina www.wyandottemarina.com 3 James DeSana Drive, 734-519-5557

Wyandotte Shores Golf Course www.wyandotte.net 3625 Biddle Avenue, 734-324-7270

MASSAGE & PHYSICAL THERAPY

Alice Huang's Chinese Natural Therapies www.alicehuangs.com 2939 1st Street, 734-324-1168

Angie's Holistic Touch www.angiesholistictouch.abmp.com 2930 Biddle Avenue, 734-934-2076

Great Lakes Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, P.C. www.greatlakesrehab.net 3247 Biddle Avenue, 734-287-3000

Henry Ford Wyandotte Physical Therapy

www.henryfordwyandotte.com 3323 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-4499

Lunar Day Spa

www.lunardayspa.glossgenius.com 100 Maple Street, Suite 108

Wyandotte Massage

www.wyandottemassage.com 3505 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-0998

Wyandotte Physical Therapy Associates

www.wypta.com 470 Eureka Road, 734-284-9533

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Associated Psychotherapists 2514 Biddle Avenue, #1 Herman Daldin, PhD 734-246-4808 Mike Brock, MA 313-802-0863 Judith Broman, MA 313-680-2162 Margaret Lincoln, MSW 248-762-6550 Beatrice Menna, MSW 313-570-1261 Don Novak, MA 734-281-7030 Marge Polys, MSW 734-365-2417

Horizon Counseling Services

www.horizonhelpgroup.com 2955 Biddle Avenue, 248-470-6225

Michigan Modern Psychology

www.michiganmodernpsychology.com 2930 Biddle Avenue, Suite D, 313-561-9064

Pure Psychiatry of Michigan

www.purepsychmi.com 375 Eureka Road, Suite B, 734-258-8386

Rise Anew

www.riseanew.coach 3708 Third Street, 734-224-3884

Dr. Carole M. Rowland, PLLC.

Counseling Services 3505 Biddle Avenue, 734-324-0021

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Jeremy Bezzo, DDS www.bezzodental.com 45 Elm Street, 734-281-2710

OPTICAL

Byrd & Wyandotte Eye Clinic www.byrdeyeclinic.com 100 Oak Street, 734-284-2444

Wyandotte Optical www.wyandotteoptical.net 3101 Biddle Avenue, 734-282-5030

CLINICS & HEALTH CENTERS

Downriver Community Clinic Clinic for the Working Uninsured www.wyandotteclinic.org

3333 Biddle Avenue, 734-365-3560



Downriver Medical Associates

www.downrivermedicalassociates.com Clinic: 2300 Biddle Avenue, Suite 100, 734-246-5705 Urgent Care: 2300 Biddle Avenue, Suite 200, 734-759-3180

Henry Ford Medical Center - Templin

www.henryfordwyandotte.com 2070 Biddle Avenue, 734-225-9143

Henry Ford Wyandotte Hospital

www.henryfordwyandotte.com 2333 Biddle Avenue, 734-246-6000

Henry Ford Wyandotte Bariatric Surgery Center www.henryfordwyandotte.com 3333 Biddle Avenue, 734-285-7420

Millennium Medical Group South 3640 Biddle Avenue, 734-281-2650

human & social services

Wyandotte Soup Kitchen: Waynewright Community Meals 98 Superior Boulevard, 734-285-2568

Downriver Community Food Pantry 135 Superior Blvd., 734-281-6733

Social Security Administration www.ssa.gov 3450 Biddle Avenue, 800-772-1213

Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency www.waynemetro.org 2121 Biddle Avenue, 734-284-6999

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MARCH 16: ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY & DISTRICT PUB CRAWL WOW 360 Event Productions Downtown Wyandotte www.360eventproductions.com

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MARCH 29: NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY Superior & Van Alstyne - 6 pm www.wyandotte.net



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APRIL 13-14: LIONS CLUB FLEA MARKET Yack Arena, 3131 Third Street Phone: 734-324-7292 www.wyandotte.net APRIL 20-27: RESTAURANT & RETAIL WEEK Downtown Development Authority Downtown Wyandotte Phone: 734-324-4502 www.wyandotte.net

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JULY 10 - 13: THE WYANDOTTE STREET ART FAIR Special Events Office Downtown Wyandotte -10 - 9 pm Daily Phone: 734-324-4502 www.wyandotte.net

AUGUST 7: NATIONAL PURPLE HEART DAY Superior and Biddle Avenue - 6 pm www.wyandotte.net

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Initially the property of Major John Biddle, former Mayor of Detroit, and then the Eureka Iron Works, the building we see today was completed in 1896 in the rich, Victorian Queen Anne style. The 6,600-square-foot home, much of the interior being original, boasts 32 rooms, 11 closets and six fireplaces. Visitors will find leaded stained-glass windows, rich golden oak installations, speaking tube technology, and custom, rounded tower areas.

From 1896 through 1977, the grand home passed through many hands. The MacNichols were the original inhabitants, followed by the Drennans and finally the Lattas, before the City purchased the home and it opened as a museum in 1980.

Visitors can learn much more about the home, its former owners, and various other aspects and tidbits of Wyandotte and local history by dropping by for a guided tour. Tours are available Thursdays through Sundays from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., March to October, as well as in December, and admission is free!

The Wyandotte Museums also offers much more than just tours! In fact, each year, the Heritage Events Series takes place both on and off the campus. We offer the opportunity to peruse our archives. Whether a class project, genealogical study or interest in a particular subject, we can help.

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It may surprise many to know Wyandotte has its very own historic base ball team. Yes, you read that correctly: base ball. Back in 1867, when the original Wyandotte Star Club was formed, the spelling was a little different, as were many of the rules, as you can see in the title at the top of this page!

Today, a group of volunteers, young and old and from all walks of life, don similar vintage uniforms each weekend and play the game as it was played 150 years ago. They network and compete against other historic teams, interact and educate the public, and engage in various Museum events throughout the year – all in the name of fun.

The Stars practice and play home games at Memorial Field at Pennsylvania Avenue and 23rd Street. All matches start at 1:00 p.m.. Yearly game schedules are available by contacting or stopping by the Museum office, starting in early spring. The Stars also play their Annual Home Classic, which is a festival held in late August. All are invited to see the Stars play for free – no tickets necessary!

Join our corps of Volunteers!

The benefits of volunteering one's personal time or resources to the betterment of a community is well-documented and immeasurable. Volunteering offers one the ability to create fruitful connections with others and network and gain valuable skills. Not to mention, it fulfills an intrinsic desire many have to make a difference or simply bask in their own interests.

The Wyandotte Museums offers a host of volunteer opportunities. These range from acting as a museum docent and giving tours, to helping with collections and their care, campus landscaping and cleaning, aiding with events and more. Have a school requirement you need to fulfill? We may be able to help!

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A MESSAGE FROM WYANDOTTE PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT

James Anderson

Hello Wyandotte Community Members,

I want to start by extending my sincere gratitude to Wyandotte Today for allowing me to showcase all the great things that take place here in Wyandotte Public Schools. This is the first of many regular updates where I will share just a small part of what makes WPS so great!

With the first half of the school year now behind us, we have a lot to celebrate. I am in buildings each week and I see so many wonderful things taking place. For example, this past fall the Roosevelt girls' swimming team repeated as league champions. The Wilson Middle School robotics team won their qualifying match and went on to compete at the state competition. Representatives from our United Sound Program traveled to Chicago to perform with the "President's Own" Marine Band at the Midwest Clinic.

In our classrooms we are piloting new curricular programs while constantly improving instruction in all academic areas.

In addition to the work, we have a lot of fun with events in all our buildings. Members of our community came together to develop a strategic plan that outlines goals for the next three to five years.

It truly is an exciting time to be a part of Wyandotte Public Schools!

Looking ahead we are developing and strengthening relationships with several local businesses and organizations to better serve our students. We are looking at career opportunities right here in Wyandotte for our future graduates as well as pathways beyond our tight-knit community. Our goal is to open the door to as many



opportunities as possible for our students, no matter what they wish to pursue!

Stay tuned for the next edition to hear more great things about Wyandotte Public Schools! In the meantime follow me on Facebook at Dr. Anderson Wandering Wyandotte, where I share my travels through the district.

Sincerely,

James Anderson Superintendent



Local Sports

Basketballer cites brothers as inspiration, hopes to continue in college By Terry Jacoby

ONAH Sadler found something he loves to do and he isn't ready to give it up.

A senior basketball player at Wyandotte, Sadler is a four-year varsity player and a three-year starter for the Bears. He is playing his final high school season with one eye on helping his team win games and the other eye focusing on doing what he needs to do to play at the next level. The good news is that both things go together.

"I hope to play basketball after high school, it's my favorite thing to do, it's in my blood," Sadler said. "I haven't picked a college yet, but whatever college wants me to play basketball is where I'll go. All I want is an opportunity and I feel like I am good enough. I just hope I can get a chance to make my family and friends proud."

He has already made his teammates and coach proud.

"Jonah is a quiet kid but plays very hard," said Wyandotte Coach Ron Adkins. "He is our leading scorer and speaking captain. He is a great kid, very respected by his peers and very respected by our coaching staff. When he gets hot he is as good as any shooter in our conference."

Sadler, a guard, was All-League and All News-Herald Boys First-Team last year as a junior after averaging 14 points per game. The Bears won only seven games last season.

This year's team is much different, despite a slow 2-7 start out of the gate, and despite Sadler dropping 41 points in a season-opening win over Grosse IIe and 30 in a close loss to Huron.

"This year's group is the closest group I've been a part of," said

Sadler, who hopes to top 1,000 points in his high school career. "I've been playing with these guys since middle school and we've created an unbreakable bond. We all have the same goals and vision, including holding up the district trophy at the end of the season. That's what makes our team strong – we all know what we want and we go to war together for it."

Jonah, 18, is the son of Tammy and Jimmie Sadler and dribbles to a 3.7 GPA in the classroom.

He started playing basketball because "basketball was a cycle in my family".

"I have four older brothers who all played basketball, but my two brothers Jobe and John are the reason I started playing," Sadler said. "Watching my brothers blossom into the sport they loved playing gave me inspiration to be just like them. I play for them. I want to prove to my family that I won't quit and that I will succeed."

Sadler has some advice to pass along to younger players who are discovering a love of basketball.

"Young kids starting out playing basketball should watch the game," he said. "Every kid should spend some time watching basketball games, whether it's high school, college or the NBA. To learn the game, you have to watch and study.



It's an important aspect in starting out. I've watched basketball my whole life and it's an important learning tool but also an inspiration tool. Watching those big guys play you end up telling yourself, 'I wanna be just like them.'"

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

THESE ARE ONLY A FEW OF THE MANY QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON OUR WEBSITE: WYANDOTTE.NET. PLEASE REVIEW THE WEBSITE'S FRONT DESK TAB FOR MORE INFO ABOUT EACH DEPARTMENT LISTED.

GENERAL CITY HALL INFORMATION

Q: Where is City Hall?

A: City Hall is located at 3200 Biddle Avenue and open from 8 am to 5 pm.

Q: When is City Hall open?

A: City offices are open 8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday, with the exception of holidays.

Q: What offices are location in City Hall? First Floor:

Municipal Services Customer Assistance: From making sure you have all your utilities, Electric and Water, turned on when moving into a new residence, to assisting you in signing up for Internet, Television, Phone and Trash services. Our Customer Assistance representatives are here to assist you with all the services provided by the City and Municipal Services.

Clerk's Office: The Clerk's Office manages city records, birth and death records (in the City of Wyandotte only), voter registration, elections, freedom of information requests and is the liaison and secretary to City Council. In addition, the clerk's office manages business and rental registrations, peddler and solicitor licenses, and animal licenses.

Second Floor:

Engineering and Building Department: The Engineering and Building Department provides support for City ordinances regarding the sale of all buildings, rental of buildings and five (5) year renewal of residential units. Administration of CDBG Program. Design, inspection, contract administration, and calculation of special assessments for projects approved by City Council. Assessor's Office: The assessor's office analyzes that type of data to establish the market value for each property. The Assessor's Office keeps records on all properties, both land and buildings located in the City of Wyandotte. Special Events Office: Noteworthy events and projects handled by the Special Events Coordinator: The Wyandotte Street Art Fair, The Holiday Parades, Skip Clacks Fishing Derby, Tree Lighting, creation of city marketing material, information pages for the Wyandotte Today Magazines and Restaurant and Retail Week Downtown.

Municipal Services General Manager Office Municipal Service Cable Superintendent Office Information Technology Offices

Third Floor:

Mayor's and City Council Members Office

Finance and Administration Offices: The Finance and Administration Department serves as a multi-purpose department within the city. Budgeting, accounting, financial analysis, payroll, accounts payable, accounts receivable, risk management, and policy analysis are all performed by this department. The annual financial statement audit for the City of Wyandotte is also managed by the Finance and Administration Department.

Human Resources Department

Treasurer's Office: The Treasurer's Department is responsible for all monetary collections on behalf of the City of Wyandotte, the collection and distribution of real and personal property taxes, and investing City money into investments that secure the principal and provide adequate rates of return. The Treasury Department is also responsible for collection of Special Assessment payments.

Downtown Development Authority Office: The Wyandotte Downtown Development Authority shall initiate and coordinate downtown development through design, business recruitment, promotion and the effective use of private and public space for an attractive, festive downtown atmosphere.

Wyandotte Cable Offices and Studio

ANIMAL CONTROL

Q: What do I do if I find or have lost a cat or dog?

A: Downriver Central Animal Control is the intake shelter and picks up all lost domestic animals. They are located at 14300 Reaume Pkwy., Southgate, MI, 48195, two blocks west of the Southgate post office off Dix between Northline and Eureka. Domesticated animals will be picked up by our department or can be dropped off. You may call us at 734-246-1328*9 Requests after 5 p.m. may be directed to the Wyandotte Police Department's nonemergency number at 734-324-4438. The Wyandotte Adoption Center, 1170 Grove, has been turned into the adoption center for the DCAC. They do not accept stray animals. You may also visit our Facebook page. www. facebook.com/dcacashelter and post a picture of your dog. Pictures of incoming animals are posted there also.

Q: What do I do if a squirrel, opossum, raccoon, or other animal gets into my home?

A: Traps are available to capture non-domesticated animals that are causing property damage. Please contact the Downriver Central Animal Control at 734-246-1328 or 734-324-4438 (after 5 p.m.) to obtain a trap. Most traps will need to be picked up at the office. Once the animal is successfully trapped, you must contact Animal Control for pick up. Traps are rented out Mon-Wed. There is a \$20 deposit with a \$5 rental fee in which you will receive your deposit back within 5 days, \$1 a day after 5 days. Animal Control will not pick up cages that are privately owned.

ASSESSORS OFFICE

Q: Property values in my neighborhood have been decreasing, will my property valuation be decreasing as well?

A: Unfortunately, there isn't a yes or no answer to that question. If you've owned your property for a significant amount of time, more than likely your State Equalized Value (SEV) far exceeds your Taxable Value. If this is the case, a decrease in valuation, caused by a slow real estate market, will be reflected in the SEV. The taxable value is required by the Michigan Constitution to increase each year by the rate of inflation or 5 percent, whichever is lower. In the case of a longtime property owner, the SEV could decrease, while the Taxable Value will continue to increase.

Q: If the SEV decreases, will I pay more or less in property taxes?

A: Your property taxes are based on the taxable value rather than the SEV. So, in the previous scenario you would pay more in taxes even though your SEV decreased.

Q: Why isn't my new assessment 50 percent of my purchase price?

The simple answer is that it is against the law. MCL 211.27 states that the purchase price is no longer the presumptive True Cash Value of a property. The assessment may be close to 50 percent of the purchase price but it is determined by investigating the other sales in the area and all of the SEVs are set using that sales study.

Q: Can I appeal my assessment, and when?

After you receive the Change of Assessment notice you may file a petition to make an appointment. Please see Board of Reviews FAQs and Common Assessment Terms on our website for more information.

CLERKS OFFICE

Q: How can I obtain a birth, death or marriage certificate?

A: The City of Wyandotte only maintains records of births and deaths that occurred in the city. More information and forms are available at the City Clerk's webpage. The City of Wyandotte does not maintain records of marriages. Marriage certificates must be obtained from the County Clerk's office in which the marriage was performed. For marriages that took

place in Wayne County, you may visit the Wayne County website for more information on how to obtain a marriage license.

Q: When are City Council meetings?

A: Council Meetings are to be held at least two (2) times each month at 7 p.m. A listing of meetings can be found on our website under the City Council Agenda & Minutes page.

Q: Where are City Council meetings?

A: City Council meetings take place in Council Chambers on the third floor of Wyandotte City Hall, 3200 Biddle Avenue, Wyandotte, Michigan 48192.

Q: Am I allowed to address the Mayor and Council without being placed on the agenda?

A: All citizens are permitted to address the Mayor and Council during the public comments portion of the meeting. Please be advised that when you approach the podium you will be asked to state your name and address for public record.

Q: How do I get an item placed on the agenda for the City Council meeting?

A: You must submit a request in writing to the clerk's office to be placed on the agenda. Your request must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. the Wednesday prior to the Monday meeting. Requests and all supporting documentation must be submitted along with the request to the Office of the City Clerk. Printed copies of the City Council Meeting Agenda are available in the Information Center located on the first floor of City Hall. City Council Agendas and agenda item submission dates may also be found online.

Q: How do I register to vote?

A: Voter registration information may be found by visiting the City Clerk's webpage or by calling the City Clerk's Office.

Q: What are the requirements to register to vote?

A: The requirements are as follows: 1. You must be a citizen of the United States. 2. You must be a resident of the State of Michigan and will be at least a 30-day resident of the City by Election Day. 3. You must be at least 18 years of age by Election Day.

Q: How do I obtain an absentee ballot to vote?

A: Absentee ballot information may be found by visiting

the City Clerk's webpage. The City of Wyandotte maintains an automatic application list that allows voters to permanently receive applications for absentee ballots in upcoming elections. Please call the Clerk's Office for more information.

Q: Where can I vote?

A: The Precinct Map & Polling Location addresses may be found by visiting the City Clerk's webpage.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE Q: How do I sign up for garbage service?

A: The City contracts with Waste Management for all curbside residential service within the city limits. When you sign up for water & sewer service, you are automatically scheduled to receive this service.

Q: What types of items will sanitation workers collect curbside?

A: You may refer to the Department of Public Works webpage for information regarding the types of items that will or will not be collected curbside.

Q: I would like to subscribe to curbside recycling. How can I get a recycle bin?

A: You may subscribe to curbside recycling by contacting Waste Management directly at 866-797-9018.

Q: How do I dispose of unused medication?

A: The Wayne County Land Resource Management Division also has information on disposal of prescription medication. Visit their website for more information.

Q: How do I dispose of electronics and computers?

A: The Wayne County Land Resource Management Division also has information on disposal of electronics and computers. Visit their website for more information.

Q: How do I dispose of used syringes?

A: You may dispose of used syringes in your trash, provided they are sealed in a puncture-proof container. For the safety of our sanitation users, please do not use milk jugs or water bottles. We recommend that you use plastic laundry soap bottles instead.

Q: Due to the recent storm, I have a lot of storm damage from my trees. Will the city pick up this storm damage?

A: The City of Wyandotte Public Services Department does pick up tree branches and tree debris after a storm. It is recommended that residents contact The Department of Public Services at 734-324-4580 to have their address placed on our storm damage listing. City crews will only pick up storm damage that is placed at the curb. Crews will not enter upon private property to collect materials. Typically, storm damage is collected within 2-3 days after a storm or high wind has occurred. However, collection will occur as time permits.

Q. How can I report a pothole or street repair issue?

A. Citizens can report large potholes or street repair issues on city or county roads by calling 1-888-ROAD CREW.

Q: Why hasn't my street been plowed yet?

A: The Department of Public Service's goal is to provide a bare pavement quality recognized by many other Snow Belt cities. The order in which the roads are plowed is: 1. Police and fire facilities, bridges, hills and curves. 2. Major road networks and emergency routes. 3. The balance of the local roads.

Q: My home does not have a driveway. Where can I park during a Snow Emergency?

A: The City of Wyandotte has numerous Snow Emergency parking lots available for use during a snow emergency. Locations of these parking lots can be found on our website.

Q: I was parked on the street during a snow emergency and my car was towed. How do I get it back?

A: Police towing is performed by Groat Brothers Towing, 1466 Eureka, Wyandotte. In order to release your car, you must first pay the fine. You may contact Groat Brothers Towing at 734-284-6232

ENGINEERING AND BUILDING

Q: What codes does the City of Wyandotte enforce?

A: Copies of the code books are available for purchase on the State of Michigan website. The City of Wyandotte has also adopted a Property Maintenance Code Ordinance #1094, which may be found by visiting our website.

Q: When do I need to pull a permit?

A: If you are doing any structural changes or building a new building a permit is required. If you are doing any electrical, plumbing or mechanical upgrades; replacing City sidewalks, driveway or driveway apron; installing a pool a permit is required. For more information about the types of permits and fees associated with them, you may visit the Engineering and Building Department website.

Q: Does a Building Permit also include electrical, mechanical or plumbing work?

A: No, separate permits are required for electrical, mechanical and plumbing. For more information about the types of permits and fees associated with them, you may visit the Engineering and Building Department web page.

Q: How long does it take for a permit to be issued?

A: In most cases, electrical, mechanical and plumbing permits can be issued right away. Building and Concrete Permits require additional time for processing and are typically issued within 24 to 48 hours.

Q: Is a permit required for a new fence?

A: No, a permit is not required. However, fences must be installed in accordance with the Zoning Ordinance Section 2406 Fences, which may be found online on our website.

Q: Can I start work without a permit?

A: No. A permit must be secured before work can begin. Work started without a permit is subject to a fine in the amount of \$125.

Q: As a homeowner, can I pull my own permit?

A: As the owner and occupant of a single-family dwelling, you can secure homeowners permits as long as you are doing the work. If the property is a multiple family or rental dwelling a licensed contractor is required for electrical, mechanical and plumbing permits. The owner may secure the building permit only.

Q: Is an inspection required if I am selling my home?

A: Yes, an inspection is required for the sale of any dwelling in the city of Wyandotte. Inspections for sale are done on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 – 11 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Applications and fees associated with this may be found at the Engineering and Building Department web page.

Q: Is an inspection required if I want to rent my home?

A: Yes, an inspection is required. Also, you are required to register the home as a rental with the City Clerk's Office. Inspections for rental properties are done on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 – 11 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Applications and fees associated with this may be found at the Engineering and Building Department web page.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE

Q: How can I get a street light repaired?

A: You may call the Department of Municipal Services at 734-324-7190.

Q: My cable, phone or internet isn't working, who can I call to fix it?

A: If your issue involves only internet and/or phone service, you may contact our 24/7 Technical Support Team at 1-888-855-9997 or visit our website at wyan.org for assistance.

Q: What do I do in the event of a downed power line?

A: If you see a downed power line: Stay away from the lines, and keep children and pets inside. Assume that all downed power lines are energized and stay away. Report the downed lines to 734-324-7190. If you think the downed lines pose an immediate hazard to anyone, call 911.

TREASURY

Q: When is my tax bill due?

A: Summer tax bills are mailed on or about August 1 and are payable through September 26 without penalty. Winter tax bills are mailed on or about December 1 and are payable through February 26 without penalty.

Q: Where can I pay my tax bill?

A: A return-addressed envelope is provided with your property tax bill. Please utilize this return envelope when paying your current property taxes to ensure accurate and expedient delivery. Other payment options include the following:

- Drive thru window at City Hall
- City Hall: 3200 Biddle Avenue/City Hall has an after hours payment box located near the drive-thru window
- Michigan Legacy Credit Union (Members Only): 269 Oak Street
- Community Choice Credit Union (Members Only): 3099 Biddle Avenue

Q: Can I pay my tax bill with a credit card?

A: Yes, credit and debit card payments are only accepted at City Hall, 3200 Biddle Avenue. There is a convenience fee to customers for payments made by credit or debit card. The fee is collected and paid to the service provider, not to the City of Wyandotte. Other acceptable forms of payment include cash, check or money order.

Q: Can I pay my tax bill online?

A: No. This service is currently not available.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Q: How do I contact the Wyandotte Police Department?

A: For emergencies, dial 911. Contact information for the Wyandotte Police Department is found by calling 734-324-4405.

FAQs continued on page 96

Q: How do I contact the Wyandotte Fire Department?

A: For emergencies, dial 911. Contact information for the Wyandotte Fire Department is found by calling 734-324-4406.

Q: How do I contact the 27th District Courthouse?

A: Contact information for the 27th District Court is found by calling 734-324-4475.

Q: What is the Community Alert Telephone System?

A: The City of Wyandotte has an emergency telephone notification system, which notifies residents in the event of a community emergency situation. The Community Alert Telephone System uses local telephone number databases for listed phone numbers. If your home phone number is already listed, no further action is necessary. For unlisted numbers, contact the Mayor's Office.

RENTALS

In addition to our special events, the city of Wyandotte offers a variety of amenities and services for our residents and visitors. Whether it's renting a dumpster to clean out the basement or renting a historic home for your special day, being a resident of the city of Wyandotte definitely has its perks! *DETAILS AND APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE WWW.WYANDOTTE.NET.*

Basf Park Promenade/Gazebo Rental: Rent the beautiful BASF Park Gazebo for your next outdoor event. For more information, please visit the Recreation webpage. Ford-MacNichol House (The Wyandotte Museum) Or Historic Marx House: Rent these historic homes for your wedding or special event. More information may be found on the Wyandotte Museums website, wyandotte. net.

Old Timer's Log Cabin: Rent this rustic log cabin for your next event. More information may be found on the Wyandotte Museums website.

Wyandotte Community Garden Plot Rental: The Wyandotte Community Garden has been relocated to the Grove Street Green Belt Park at Grove Street and Biddle Avenue. A new application must be submitted every year by the application deadline. • Use of the Community Garden is restricted to residents, organizations, and businesses of Wyandotte only. • Only ONE (1) community garden bed is available per household, organization, or business. • On-time applications will be speedily processed. You will be notified of your garden bed assignment, and when planting can begin. Applications can be found on our website.

Yack Arena Rental: The Yack Arena is also a versatile public recreation center, which hosts several different events from March through August. The building offers 25,440 square feet of floor space, two conference rooms, two kitchens, locker rooms, first aid room, restrooms and

showers. The area seats a total of 3,800 persons. For more information, please contact the Recreation Office at 734-324-7295 or email recreation@wyandottemi.gov. **Fort Street Sign Rental:** The Fort Street Electronic Sign is located at the corner of Eureka Road and Fort Street. The sign scrolls messages at 3-5 second intervals, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Cultural events, services and other promotions are permitted to be listed on this sign provided they benefit charity or promote culture or education. The fee for this service is \$10, and the application along with the payment should be submitted to City of Wyandotte, Customer Service, 3200 Biddle, Wyandotte, Michigan 48192. For more information, you may contact Julie Sadlowski at 734-324-4544 or jsadlowski@wyandottemi.gov.

WYANDOTTE DUMP & WYANDOTTE RECYCLING CENTER

Wyandotte Dump & Wyandotte Recycling Center: Available for use by Wyandotte residents or business owners. The DPS Dumping Facility is located at 4201 13th Street, Wyandotte. The hours for the city dump are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. The Wyandotte Recycling Center is located at 1170 Grove Street, between 11th & 13th Streets in Wyandotte. Phone: 734-324-4589. Email: dps1@wyandottemi.gov.

Hours for Recycling Center: Summer Hours (April 1-September 30), Monday-Friday: 8 a.m. – 7:30 p.m., Saturday: 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Sunday: 12 noon – 4 p.m. Winter Hours (October 1-March 31), Monday-Friday: 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Saturday: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Sunday: 12 noon - 4 p.m. Extended hours during the month of November ONLY: Monday-Friday: 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Saturday: 8 a.m. – 6 p.m., Sunday: 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. The Recycling Center is closed on federal and city holidays. The Wyandotte Recycling Center accepts the following items: newspaper; office paper; phone books; glass bottles and jars; clearonly, plastic bottles (#1-7). No PLASTIC BAGS. Steel and aluminum can, jar lids and empty aerosol cans, magazines, catalogs, corrugated cardboard, brown paper bags and box board. No styrofoam, auto and household batteries. used motor oil and antifreeze. Yard Waste: (in bold) Grass clippings and leaves cannot be put out with regular trash. *City Hall no longer accepts household batteries. Please place them in the marked receptacle located directly adjacent the corridor to the Engineering and Building Department at 3200 Biddle Avenue, Suite 200. Please place the items in the containers as marked at the Recycling Center. If you have questions as to whether or not an item is accepted by our recycling center, please consult our onsite staff or contact us.

ELECTION Workers Wanted!

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REQUIREMENTS

Election Inspectors MUST:

- Be a U.S. Citizen and Registered to Vote in Michigan
- High School students 16 and older are eligible to work
- Have moderate computer knowledge
- Attend a paid training session prior to working an election
- List a party affiliation on your application
- Not be convicted of a felony of election fraud
- Not be a candidate, challenger, or member of the Board of Canvassers

HOW

- Complete an application
- Return it to the City Clerk at City Hall OR...
- Email it to elections@wyandottemi.gov

WHEN

Elections in the City of Wyandotte will be on:

- February 27th (Early voting February 17-25)
- August 6th (Early voting July 27-August 4)
- November 5th (Early voting October 26– November 3)

We will need inspectors from:

- 7AM-5PM for Early Voting Days
- 6AM-approx. 9-10PM on Election Days

elections@wyandottemi.gov

734-324-4560

Scan the QR Code to download an application!



State of Michigan Election Inspector Application (Complete in your own handwriting and return to your local City/Township Clerk - find your local Clerk at mi.gov/vote)

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Date of Birth / /		
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County of		
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* A "known active advocate" of another political party is another party; 2) is affiliated with another party throu statements specifically supporting by name another party person will serve as an inspector. "Documented public with a clear and unambiguous attribution to the applic	gh an elected or appointed governr plitical party or its candidates in the c statements" means statements re	ment position or; 3) has made documented public same calendar year as the election at which the
ANY FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON	THIS APPLICATION WI	LL DISQUALIFY THE APPLICANT.

Approved by State Director of Elections (August 2017)

ELECTION UPDATE 2024

ELECTION DATES

February 27 August 6 November 5

EARLY VOTING

Early Voting Dates: Feb. 17 - Feb. 25 July 27 - Aug. 4 Oct. 26. - Nov. 3 Voters are able to vote early at the Copeland Center at 2306 4th street from 8 am to 4 pm!

** Please Note: Your Election DAY precinct remains unchanged **

DROP BOXES AND POSTAGE

SAVE YOUR STAMPS!

Return postage is already paid. Or if you prefer, our drop boxes are available 24/7 for the 40 days prior to each election.

PERMANENT BALLOT LIST

If you would like to receive a ballot for all future elections, join the Permanent Ballot List by scanning the QR code or visiting www.mi.gov/vote.



QUESTIONS? EMAIL US AT ELECTIONS@WYANDOTTEMI.GOV

Here's What's Happening!

FIRST QUARTER 2024 AT YOUR LIBRARY

Story Times

Please register in person, online at baconlibrary.org, or by phone at (734) 246-8357. We are sorry for the inconvenience but you will need to register each week.

Babytime/Toddler

- Tuesday, February 6, 13, 20 @ 10:00 a.m.
- Tuesday, March 5, 12, 19 @ 10:00 a.m.

Family Storytime

- Tuesday, February 6, 13, 20 @ 11:00 a.m.
- Tuesday, March 5, 12, 19 @ 11:00 a.m.

Make Time for Plav

- Tuesday, February 27 from 10:30-11:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, March 26 from 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Kids Programs

Lego Wednesday is February 7 and March 6

Did you know Bacon Library has a huge stash of Legos? Stop in these weeks and make something extraordinary!

Snow Moon Celebration Kit grab and go is Monday, February 12-Saturday, February 17

Worm Moon Celebration Kit grab and go is Monday, March 11-Saturday, March 16

Visit the library the second week of each month to learn about the new moon. You will receive an origin story, a calendar and crafts. Registration is not required. Grab a kit to go or complete the activities in the makerspace. Kits available while supplies last.

Leap into Science!

LIGHT Family Workshop is Monday, February 19-Saturday, February 24 Families will experiment with light colors, reflecting and bouncing light, and changing shadows.

WIND Family Workshop

is Monday, March 18, 2024-Saturday, March 23 Visit a series of activity stations to investigate the properties of wind and air as they explore its effects on other objects.

Robots and Coding for Early Childhood is Tuesday, February 20 and Tuesday, March 19 at 4:00 p.m.

Through social-emotional stories and play, children will learn the basics of coding to control Tiny the Robot's movements and emotions. Each session begins with an adventure story followed by a hands-on coding lesson. Each session runs for 30 minutes. Preschool-Kindergarten. **Registration Reguired.**

Robotics Club Jr. is Tuesday, February 27 and Tuesday, March 26 at 4:00 p.m.

The Robotics Club Jr. is geared toward lower elementary children (1-3). Each session begins with a story about Roo the Robot, a word of the day and a fun challenge or game that is completed to recreate the story. Participants will work in aroups of two to code their robots. An afterschool snack will be provided. Registration Required.

Chocolate Playdough is February 28

Bring your imagination and your nosel

Makedo Cardboard **Construction System is** Wednesday, March 27, 2024 We will provide cardboard and construction tools to make your dreams come to life. The Makedo kit includes saws, screwdrivers, screws, and fold rollers to mold the cardboard.

All Ages

- Inspired By Art: Pablo Picasso Discover who Pablo Picasso was and create a cubist-style snowman. Art supplies will be available throughout February.
- Winter Reading Kit pick up begins February 17 Age 8-Adult

High School/Adults

- Craft Bags to Go will be available Monday, February 12 and February 26, and Monday, March 11 and March 25
- Board Game Night is Monday, February 12 from 6:00-7:30 p.m., and Monday, March 11 from 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- Friends of the Library Meeting is February 26 at 4:30 p.m. and Monday, March 25, 2024 at 4:30 p.m.
- Author Talk: Dan Grajek is Wednesday, March 13, 2024 @ 6:00 p.m.

"The Last Hobo Meets the Moon People, A True Story" by Dan Grajek. Most remember the Kool-Aiddrinking Jim



Jones cult, but few recall the Moonies, the original "doomsday cult." Eight months after over 900 people perished in Jonestown, Ted Granger – then an idealistic U of M Dearborn student – joined the Moonies in San Francisco. Naturally, his parents back home feared the worst. For more information visit http://www.dan-grajek.com.



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Office Hours: Tues - Thurs 10am-2pm Sunday Service: 10:30am Worship/Sunday School

Talk with God 1st and 3rd Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Java with Jesus Last Sunday of each month.

Book Club 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m.



RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 8am - 1pm **Closed Wednesday**

WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday at 5:00 pm Sunday at 9:00 am (Polish), 11:00 am Holy Days as Announced

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday at 7:00 pm Friday Mass at 12:00 Noon, except on first Friday of the month at 7:00 pm No Mass on Wednesday

> **CONFESSIONS:** Saturday at 3:00 pm

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2024 Parish Events

Holy Week Schedule

February 14 - Ash Wednesday Mass at 12 Noon and 7PM Fish Fry 1PM - 6PM (or until sold out) - Parish Hall

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Every Friday in Lent including Good Friday

March 8, 9, 10

March 10 - Closing of 40 hours at 4pm

March 28 Holy Thursday Mass at 7PM

Good Friday Services from 12PM-3PM Fish Fry 3pm - 7pm Tenebrae at 6:30PM

March 30

Holy Saturday Blessing of Baskets 1pm, 2pm, 3pm Easter Vigil Mass at 7PM

March 31

Easter Sunday 8:30am Mass - Polish/English 11am Mass

Planning Events but Subject to Change!

EASTER BASKET SALE - \$10

Almsgiving-Sponsor a Child/Children in need. \$10 per Basket. Baskets will be available at all Fish Fry Carry Outs in the parish hall. *To sponsor a child/children online, go to our Online Giving link at www.* ourladyofthescapular.org or call the parish office at 734-284-9135 All sponsored Baskets are given to Mimi's Mission who strives to help those in need in the Downriver area.



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Fish Fry 3pm - 7pm (or until sold out)

Stations of the Cross at 7pm **Forty Hours Devotion**

March 29

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