

**HAPPY FOURTH
OF JULY!**



JULY GIVEAWAY

This month we will draw two caregivers at random who will each receive a \$50 Amazon gift card.



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We will announce the July winners in next month's newsletter!



CONGRATULATIONS TO JUNE WINNER

PAMELA WELLS

We hope you and your family enjoy the zoo!



Fireworks in Metro Detroit



Clarkston Fireworks 2023 – Independence Fest 2023 Fireworks

Saturday, July 1, 2023 at 10p

Clintonwood Park

6000 Clarkston Road, Clarkson, MI 48348

Fireworks close out night one of Independence Fest at Clintonwood Park. Independence Fest features a Veterans celebration, food, craft show, live entertainment and so much more. Rain Date is July 1. Hosted by [Independence Township](#)

New Boston Fireworks 2023 – Willow Metropark Fireworks

Saturday, July 1, 2023 at Dusk

Willow Metropark

23200 S Huron Rd, New Boston, MI 48164

Willow Metropark hosts its annual fireworks show. Display will begin at dusk. Plan to arrive early for these popular fireworks events. This is a FREE event. Enjoy the park trails, playground, and live entertainment provided by the Rick Lieder Trio prior to the fireworks. A Metro parks vehicle entry permit is required for these events. Vehicle permits are on sale NOW. You can pick one up at metroparks.com OR visit your local Metropark today. If you have questions, please call 734-697-9181.

Waterford Fireworks 2023 – Maceday Lake / Lotus Lake Fireworks

Saturday, July 1, 2023 at 10p

Maceday Lake Fireworks / Lotus Lake Fireworks / Big Bang Fireworks Residents around Maceday Lake and Lotus Lake in Waterford Twp can watch fireworks at dusk! This year's fireworks will be launched from Maceday Lake. For more info, Maceday.Lotus@gmail.com. For more info, www.mlla.us.

White Lake Twp Fireworks 2023 – White Lake Citizens League Fireworks

Saturday, July 1, 2023 at Dusk

White Lake

Annual Independence Day Celebration & Fireworks Display on White Lake. Fireworks will be launched from 2 barges located near the southern end of White Lake. Private Event. For more info, visit www.wlcl.org



9 Ways to Celebrate Independence Day



- 1. Read a book about American History.**
- 2. Make some red, white, and blue recipes.**
- 3. Spend a day at your local museum.**
- 4. Throw a backyard barbeque.**
- 5. Host an American-History themed trivia night.**
- 6. Wear patriotic gear.**
- 7. Play with water. (Water balloon fight, swimming, squirt guns, etc.)**
- 8. Visit a historical landmark.**
- 9. Check out a local fireworks show.**

Fireworks in Metro Detroit Continued

Kensington Metropark Fireworks

Sunday, July 2, 2023 at 10:10p

Kensington Metropark

4570 Huron River Parkway, Milford, MI 48380, 810-227-8910, [metroparks.com](https://www.metroparks.com)



The annual fireworks display will start at dusk. Tens of thousands of our neighbors gather together – over picnics and under the stars – to enjoy this celebration of our American Independence. A Metroparks vehicle pass is required to enter any Metropark. Vehicle permits are on sale NOW. You can pick one up at [metroparks.com](https://www.metroparks.com) OR visit your local Metropark today. For questions please call 810-227-8910.

Whitmore Lake Fireworks 2023

Sunday, July 2, 2023 at Dusk

Whitmore Lake (Main Street, Whitmore Lake, MI 48189)

Fireworks over Whitmore Lake. Dunk tank, games, food vendors start at 7p in field across from Post Office on main St. Fireworks @ 9:55p. Parking at Northfield Community Park. For more info, visit [wl4th.org](https://www.wl4th.org).

Ortonville Fireworks & Food Trucks 2023

Monday, July 3, 2023 at Dusk

Brandon High School (1025 S Ortonville Rd, Ortonville, MI 48462)

Enjoy food trucks at Brandon HS followed by fireworks at dusk. Event runs from 5p-10p. Hosted by the **Ortonville DDA**.



Sylvan Lake Fireworks / Oakland County Boat Club Fireworks

Monday, July 3, 2023 at Dusk

Sylvan Lake Community Center / Parking
2456 Pontiac Dr, Sylvan Lake, MI 48320



Displayed over Sylvan Lake. Best viewing spots along the lake closest to Downtown Sylvan Lake. Oakland County Boat Club Fireworks shot over Sylvan Lake. Fireworks start at dusk. There is no parking on the streets. Paid parking will be available at the Community Center. Buy a parking pass from City Hall starting in June. Hosted by the **City of Sylvan Lake** and the **Oakland County Boat Club**.

Lake Erie Metropark Fireworks 2023

Monday, July 3, 2023 at 10p

Lake Erie Metropark Fireworks

32481 W Jefferson, Brownstown, MI 48173

Lake Erie Metropark hosts its annual fireworks show at dusk. Plan to arrive early to claim your spot and to enjoy the park. Enjoy the park trails, playground, and live entertainment provided by the Rick Lieder Trio prior to the fireworks. A Metroparks vehicle pass is required to enter any Metropark. Vehicle permits are on sale NOW. You can pick one up at [metroparks.com](https://www.metroparks.com) OR visit your local Metropark today. For questions, please call 734-379-5020.

Tiki Night Fireworks

Monday, July 3, 2023 at Dusk

Wolverine Lake

near 425 Glengary, Wolverine Lake, MI 48390

Join the Wolverine Lake tradition at Tiki Night. For more info, visit www.wolverinelake.com



Fireworks in Metro Detroit Continued

THE VOLKSLÄUFE – THE PEOPLE'S RACE Fireworks

Monday, July 3, 2023 "around" 9:30p
Heritage Park
601 Weiss Street, Frankenmuth MI 48734

Enjoy a beautiful fireworks display over Frankenmuth to celebrate Independence Day Fireworks last 20 minutes. For more info, visit www.frankenmuth.org

Clawson 4th of July Fireworks

Tuesday, July 4, 2023 at 10p
City Park
W Elmwood north to Park, N. Washington west to N Bywood, Clawson, MI

Fireworks cap off a day of fun starting with the Firecracker Mile run, Independence Day parade, food trucks, and more. Fireworks start at dusk at Clawson City Park. For complete schedule of events, please visit Clawson4thofJuly.org.

Independence Day 4th of July Fireworks

Tuesday, July 4, 2023 at Dusk
Lakeside Memorial Park
315 S Broad St, Holly, MI, 48442

The Village of Holly will be having their fireworks show at 10p at Lakeside Memorial Park. For more info, visit www.mainstreetholly.com

Uncle Sam Jam Fireworks

Friday, July 7, 2023 at Dusk
Civic Center Park
23101 Hall Rd, Woodhaven, MI 48183

Uncle Sam Jam is a 4-day Downriver Festival featuring a carnival, concerts, and much more! Fireworks on Friday! Uncle Sam Jam [website](http://www.unclesamjamfest.com). Festival begins July 6 and runs through Sunday, July 9. For more info, visit unclesamjamfest.com.



Rackham Golf Course Fireworks

Tuesday, July 4, 2023 at 10:05p
Rackham Golf Course
10100 W 10 Mile Road, Huntington Woods, Michigan 48070



Families, bring your lawn chairs, blankets and friends to enjoy the fireworks. Please note, there is restricted parking along Ludlow and Scotia and surrounding streets. For more info, visit www.hwmi.org

Detroit Tigers Fireworks

Tuesday, July 4, 2023 After Detroit Tigers Baseball
Comerica Park

Fireworks to start immediately following the game against the Oakland A's. Tickets for Detroit Tigers Fireworks Nights can be purchased at http://mlb.mlb.com/ticketing/singlegame.jsp?c_id=det for these individual games.

Farmington Hills 50th Anniversary Celebration Fireworks

Thursday, July 6, 2023 at Dusk
Founders Sports Park
35500 8 Mile Rd, Farmington Hills, MI 48335

FREE family entertainment, activities for kids, prizes, and a fireworks show at dusk. More info coming soon. Hosted by the **Farmington Hills Special Services (Parks & Rec) Department**.

Oakland County Fair Fireworks 2023

Friday, July 7, 2023 at dusk
Springfield Oaks County Park
12451 Andersonville Road, Davisburg, MI

Oakland County Parks hosts fireworks at the Oakland County Fair following an 8p Figure 8 Race at the Fair's grandstand. Entry fees are \$15/vehicle or \$10/motorcycles and walk-ins. For more info, call 888-OCPARKS or visit the Fair [website](http://www.oaklandcountyfair.com).

Sterlingfest Fireworks at Dodge Park

Thursday, July 27, 2023 at 9:30p
Dodge Park
40620 Utica Rd, Sterling Heights, MI 48313

Fireworks close the first night of Sterlingfest, a 4 day Macomb County festival featuring concerts, food vendors, arts and crafts fair, carnival midway and more. For more info, visit sterling-heights.net.

Independence Fest Clarkston 2023

All events take place Saturday, July 1, 2023

- 11a – 9p – Kids Games & Inflatables – Inflatables and Carnival Games – Petting Farm & Pony Rides
- 11:30a – 3p – Veteran's Celebration – Ceremony at 11:30a, Lunch for Vets at noon, live entertainment at 12:15p. Call 248-625-8321 to reserve a lunch for a Veteran or active service member
- 11a – 8p – FREE Spraypark Admission
- noon-3p – Live Music – Leave Those Kids Alone
- 7p – Live Music – American Ages Band concert
- 10p – Independence Fest Clarkston 2023 Fireworks Show – A 30 minute show (weather permitting). A rain date for the fireworks is July 2. Glo items will be available to purchase by vendors. No personal fireworks permitted

Independence Fest 2023 Parking Shuttle Bus Info

Clintonwood Park

Very limited parking available at Clintonwood park. \$5/car until 2PM, \$10/car after 2PM.

Everest Academy

5935 Clarkston Rd, Village of Clarkston, MI 48348

FREE shuttle service available to Clintonwood Park. Accessible shuttle available ONLY from this location.

Clarkston High School (6093 Flemings Lake Rd, Village of Clarkston, MI 48346)

CHS Lot opens at 4p. FREE shuttle service to Clintonwood Park. Please note – Shuttles do not run during the fireworks. They will resume immediately following the firework finale.

For more Independence Fest 2023, check out the Independence Fest 2023 [website](#) or call 248-625-8223. For more information on the Fourth of July parade, please call 248-872-6600.

[Clintonwood Park Clarkston](#)

6000 Clarkston Road
Clarkson, MI 48348



If consumer fireworks are legal to buy where you live and you choose to use them, be sure to follow the following safety tips:

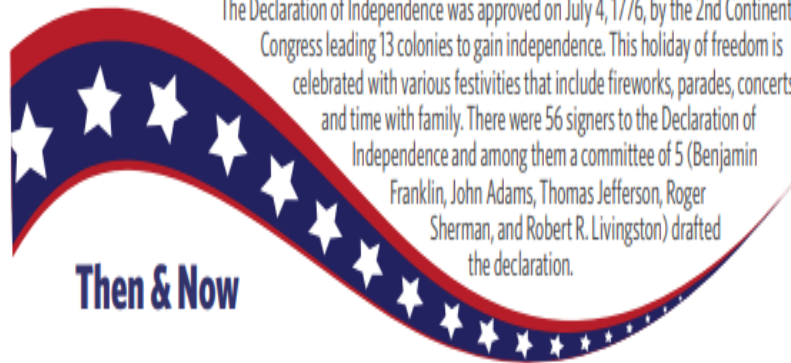
- * **Never allow young children to handle fireworks**
- * **Older children should use them only under close adult supervision**
- * **Never use fireworks while impaired by drugs or alcohol**
- * **Anyone using fireworks or standing nearby should wear protective eyewear**
- * **Never hold lighted fireworks in your hands**
- * **Never light fireworks indoors**
- * **Only use them away from people, houses and flammable material**
- * **Never point or throw fireworks at another person**
- * **Only light one device at a time and maintain a safe distance after lighting**
- * **Never ignite devices in a container**
- * **Do not try to re-light or handle malfunctioning fireworks**
- * **Soak both spent and unused fireworks in water for a few hours before discarding**
- * **Keep a bucket of water nearby to fully extinguish fireworks that don't go off or in case of fire**
- * **Never use illegal fireworks**

Please visit the National Safety Council for additional information using the following link:
<https://www.nsc.org/community-safety/safety-topics/seasonal-safety/summer-safety/fireworks>

Fun Facts: Fourth of July

The Beginning of Independence

The Declaration of Independence was approved on July 4, 1776, by the 2nd Continental Congress leading 13 colonies to gain independence. This holiday of freedom is celebrated with various festivities that include fireworks, parades, concerts, and time with family. There were 56 signers to the Declaration of Independence and among them a committee of 5 (Benjamin Franklin, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, Roger Sherman, and Robert R. Livingston) drafted the declaration.



Then & Now

Population of the 13 Colonies and Their Signers to the Declaration of Independence

	Signers	Estimated Population*
Pennsylvania	9	434,373
Virginia	7	747,610
Massachusetts	5	378,787
New Jersey	5	184,139
Connecticut	4	237,946
Maryland	4	319,728
New York	4	340,210
South Carolina	4	249,073
Delaware	3	59,094
Georgia	3	82,548
New Hampshire	3	141,885
North Carolina	3	393,751
Rhode Island	2	68,825



Population of the First 13 States and Their U.S. House of Representatives Seats

118th Congress	Estimated 2022 Population
17	12,972,008
11	8,683,619
9	6,981,974
12	9,261,699
5	3,626,205
8	6,164,660
26	19,677,151
7	5,282,634
1	1,018,396
14	10,912,876
2	1,395,231
14	10,698,973
2	1,093,734



A New Free Nation

2.5 Million

The number of people living in the new free nation in July 1776.



333 Million

The nation's estimated population as of July 2022.

Celebrating With a Bang!

- **Approximately \$596 million** — The value of fireworks imported into the United States in 2022.

Stars and Stripes



- **\$6.5 million** — The value of U.S. imports of American flags in 2022.
- **\$1 million** — The value of U.S. flags exported in 2022.

Backyard Barbecues



In the United States in 2021, there were...

- **180** businesses that make household appliances, including **barbecue grills**.
- **276** businesses who use paper and cardboard to make different products, such as **paper plates and cups**.
- **704** snack food manufacturers.



Note: These are for establishments with employees.

*The United States did not conduct its first official census until 1790—these estimates were cobbled together from a variety of sources.

Sources: Data on this page come from the U.S. Census Bureau's 2022 Population Estimates, 2022 International Trade Statistics, 1790 Census: Whole Numbers of Persons within the District of the U.S. report, Historical Statistics of the United States: 1789-1945 report, Fourth of July Facts for Features, My Congressional District, U.S. Population Clock, and 2021 County Business Patterns.



INSPIRE HOPE, EMPOWER PEOPLE, AND STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES

Minority Mental Health Month Event

WHEN: July 11th, 2023
9:00AM-12:30PM

WHERE: 5505 Corporate Drive
Troy, MI 48098

Hybrid option available upon registration!

Event Highlights:

- Faith-based panel
- Youth discussion
- Entertainment
- Networking opportunities
- Light lunch provided

[Click here or scan the QR code to register!](#)



5505 Corporate Drive
Troy, MI 48098



Developmental Disabilities - Mental Health - Substance Recovery

248-858-1210
www.oaklandchn.org



Be Smart, Just Drive

Studies show that driver distraction is a factor in more than **70%** of accidents.
That's more than **10,000** crashes every day in the U.S.

Don't be a statistic.

- Be familiar with your vehicle's controls.
- Adjust mirrors, seat and radio before you drive off.
- NEVER use electronic devices — except in an emergency.
- Don't engage in distracting conversations.
- Always wear your seatbelt.
- Don't pick up or reach for a dropped or loose object.
- Avoid distractions that impair your ability to operate a vehicle safely, such as eating, drinking and smoking.

Pay attention to the road ahead, stay focused and expect the unexpected.
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AccidentFund.com
1-866-205-5851



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DEFINING YOUR SPORTS MENTALITY

A COURAGEOUS CONVERSATION ON
STUDENT ATHLETES & MENTAL HEALTH

Wednesday, July 12, 2023 | 5pm-7pm

Pistons Performance Center
6201 2nd Ave, Detroit, MI 48202

Free Event | Refreshments Provided
Limited Spots Available!



Register Here!



Recipient Rights Corner



ExpertCare would like to first thank you for providing the highest quality care to your Recipient. ExpertCare wants to ensure the safety of our Recipients and continue to give you the tools to provide safe, quality care and wellbeing. Below are incidents that resulted in Recipient Rights violations. Please review the following Rights reminders to prevent further violations.

⇒ Caregivers will treat all Recipients and Recipients' family members with Dignity and Respect. Caregivers must treat Recipients and Recipient's family members with esteem, honor, politeness, consideration, and in a manner that is not condescending or demeaning. For example, Caregivers cannot call a Recipient's family, friend, or roommate and call the Recipient inappropriate names or speak poorly about the Recipient.

When providing care to a Recipient there are many rules that need to be followed and at times these can be difficult to remember. If you have questions or concerns about your case or do not fully understand the IPOS, please call ExpertCare. We are here to help you better understand the Recipient's Rights before it becomes a violation. We appreciate your attention to this matter. If there are any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact ExpertCare at (248) 643-8900.

HHA eXchange



Have questions regarding the HHA app? Each month, ExpertCare will be holding open HHA training sessions. If you need any help navigating the app or have questions, please attend one of the sessions listed below.

July 12th at 11am

July 27th at 9am

Please call our office to get scheduled for a refresher course. If you are unable to attend any of the sessions listed, call the office and we will answer your questions or work to schedule a different time. Keep an eye out for the training sessions for August in next month's newsletter!



REGISTER



FREE

BBQ BASH

**RIVERSIDE
PARK**

3085 W JEFFERSON AVE. DETROIT, MI 48216

**GRAB YOUR
LAWN CHAIR
AND PULL UP!**



**JULY 22, 2023
12-4PM**

- BEAUTIFUL RIVERFRONT LOCATION
- BOUNCY OBSTACLE COURSE
- ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE KIDS
- FIELD GAMES
- GIVEAWAYS AND PRIZES
- MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES
- PHOTOBOOTH
- STORY HOUR

TO END STIGMA



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FOR KIDS
AGES 12-21



INTRODUCING KIDS TO SCIENCE

DETROIT CHEMpreneurIST

Register through your
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313-590-4376



DETROIT
CHEMpreneurIST

**JULY
18
12-3 PM**

CNS HEALTHCARE

2900 Conner Avenue
Detroit, MI 48213



A partnership with...





Detroit PAL's 4th Annual

GREAT Summer DAY CAMP

2023

July 10-21 & July 31-August 11

@ The Corner Ballpark | 1680 Michigan Ave. 48216

Boys & Girls Ages 6-12

Week 1: 7/10 - 7/14

Week 2: 7/17 - 7/21

Week 3: 7/31 - 8/4

Week 4: 8/7 - 8/11

Mondays-Thursdays

9am-4pm

Fridays

9am-2pm

8:30am daily drop off

Enjoy

Sports, Games, Breakfast

& Lunch, Officer

Engagement, & Field Trips



\$160 per week
(Payment plans available)

REGISTER TODAY:

<https://tingurl.com/GREATSummerCamp2023>



Employee Milestone Anniversaries

We would like to recognize and congratulate the employees below for reaching a milestone anniversary in June.



5 Years

Evelena Scott

(Evelena celebrated 5 years in May, we apologize for the oversight last month)

Olivia Loving

Dale Patten

Tia Rawlins

Thank you for demonstrating a continued commitment to ExpertCare and the clients we service. You make a difference!



Upcoming Teen Support Group Learning Martial Arts

6 Week Course from June 21st to July 26 on

Wednesdays @ 4-6 pm Ages 14-17 & 18-20

S.T.U.D.Y. PROGRAM

- STAND
- TALL
- UNDERSTAND
- DEFENDING
- YOURSELF

GOALS OF THE PROGRAM:

- SELF DEFENSE CONCEPTS
- MARTIAL ARTS AND FITNESS TRAINING
- PRACTICE AND DISCUSS LIFE SKILLS
- SELF-IMPROVEMENT



INSTRUCTOR: JAKE MARTIN

Continuous attendance **NOT** required
(586)217-5899

27700 Gratiot Ave, Roseville MI 48066

HOSTED BY: **RISE UP MARTIAL ARTS**



MCOSA
APRA GRANT

Live Rite Structured Recovery Corp. a non-profit organization under 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, Section 170

Scan to register or visit:
<https://liveritestructuredcorp.com/teens-in-recovery>



KIDS BOWL FREE

REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR A
SUMMER FUN
Bowling Pass

2 FREE GAMES OF BOWLING
A DAY THIS SUMMER!

TO REGISTER YOUR CHILDREN TO RECEIVE
2 FREE GAMES OF BOWLING A DAY THIS SUMMER,
GO TO **WWW.KIDSBOWLFREE.COM**



FOR DETROIT'S 8TH PRECINCT

PEACENIC 2023

A collective gathering of the community and law enforcement to share in food, fellowship, and fun in the name of peace.

JULY 8, 2023/ 3 PM TO 7 PM

O'HAIR PARK

20253 STAHELIN AVE, DETROIT, MI 48219

FEATURING GAMES AND CONTESTS, FOOD,
CAREER SERVICES AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES, SUPPORT
SERVICES FOR DETROIT RESIDENTS, EXPUNGEMENT
ASSISTANCE, READING PROGRAMS, AND MORE

**ONE
DETROIT**

VIOLENCE REDUCTION PARTNERSHIP



IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, CITY OF
DETROIT, DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT, FBI, ATF,
AND WAYNE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE



FOR DETROIT'S 9TH PRECINCT

PEACENIC 2023

A collective gathering of the community and law enforcement to share in food, fellowship, and fun in the name of peace.

JULY 15, 2023/ 3 PM TO 7 PM

HEILMANN COMMUNITY CENTER

19601 BROCK AVE, DETROIT, MI 48205

FEATURING GAMES AND CONTESTS, FOOD,
CAREER SERVICES AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES, SUPPORT
SERVICES FOR DETROIT RESIDENTS, EXPUNGEMENT
ASSISTANCE, READING PROGRAMS, AND MORE

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AND WAYNE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE



What To Do If You're Behind On Mortgage Payments

**An Informative Webinar
July 26, 2023 9-10:30 AM**

Join OLHSA's HUD Certified Housing Counselors for this informational Zoom webinar to discuss what you can do if you are unable to pay your mortgage.

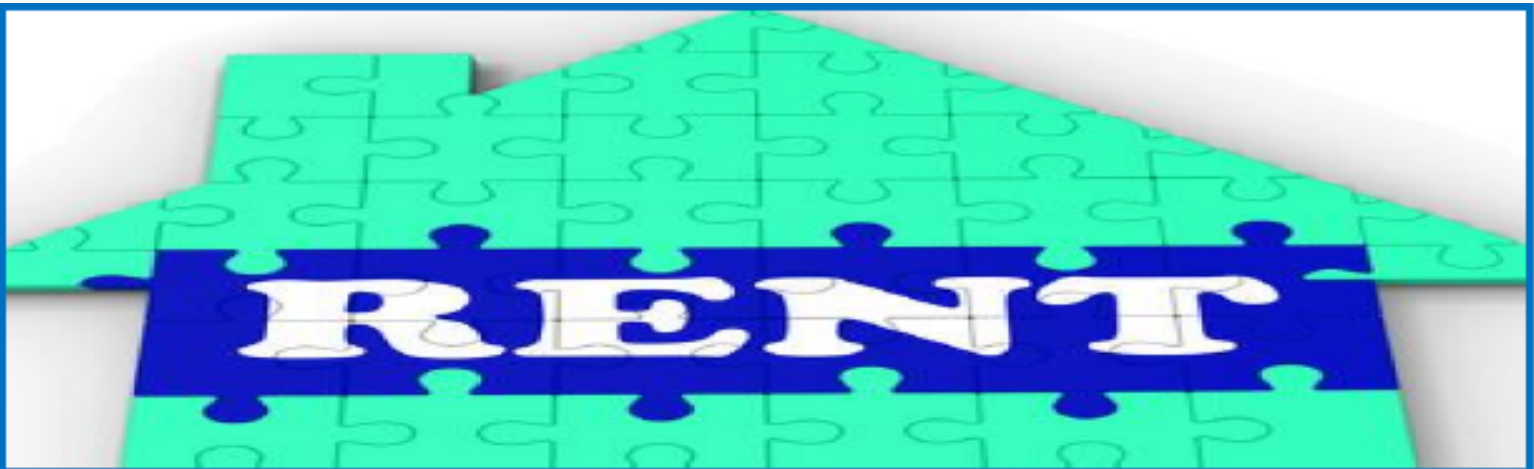
Topics include:

- Homeowners Rights & Responsibilities
- MIHAF Program
- Common Options Available to Bring Loan Current & Prevent Foreclosure
- MI Foreclosure Timeline
- Ways to Avoid Scams

Once you register you will receive an email with additional details. Class limited to Oakland and Livingston County Residents.

**To register for this class, please visit <https://www.olhsa.org/events>
Or email housingcounseling@olhsa.org or call 248-860-7845**





How to be a Reliable Renter

An Informative Workshop / Zoom Webinar

July 12, 2023 • 1:00 PM

Are you a first time renter? Would you like to know how to be a tenant that gets along with their landlord? Would you just like to know what makes a reliable renter? Join us for our How To Be A Reliable Renter class and learn all the things that can make you one. Oakland and Livingston County residents ONLY.

In Person: East County Complex, near DHHS and the Health Department
2300 E Grand River, Howell 48843
Conference Room B

Virtual: The Zoom link will be sent after you register.

To register for this class, please visit <https://www.olhsa.org/events>

Or email housingcounseling@olhsa.org or call 248-860-7845





DEBT

Get Out of Debt Financial Education Webinar Via Zoom

Tuesday, July 25, 2023 • 6PM

Do you have collections or large, unaffordable debt you want to pay off, but do not know where to start? Join us for this informative webinar where we will discuss strategies to negotiate collections and other debts to help you afford your payments and improve your credit.

Topics Include:

- Identify strategies to address debts in collection
- Identify strategies to address high interest debt or unaffordable credit card debt
- Understand financial implications of Debt Forgiveness

Once you register you will receive a confirmation email. You will be sent the Zoom link 2 business days prior to the class.

**To register for this class please visit
www.olhsa.org/events**

Questions: contact housingcounseling@olhsa.org or call 248-860-7845



A Community Action Agency





**HUD APPROVED
HOMEBUYER EDUCATION WEBINAR**
Monday & Tuesday, July 10 & 11, 2023 • 6-9 PM

Be introduced to professionals from the industry and build your team for success! Presented by OLHSA's HUD Certified Housing Counselors, a local mortgage loan officer, and a Realtor. You will learn about the entire home-buying process - including credit, budgeting, down payment assistance, and mortgage approval & closing.

MSHDA certificate provided at end of class for all who attend the entire 6 hours. Class limited to current Oakland & Livingston County residents.

Once you register you will receive a confirmation email. You will be sent the Zoom link 2 business days prior to the class.

To register for this class please visit
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GETTING TO KNOW THE EXPERTCARE OFFICE STAFF

We thought it would be nice to introduce ourselves and tell you a little bit about each of our office staff. Each month we will feature a new interview with someone from our office.

MEET MARISA SULLIVAN



ECare: What is your job title and role at ExpertCare?

Marisa: I am a Recruiting Team Manager. I help the Recruiters find Caregivers to help the Recipients.

ECare: How do you enjoy spending your time outside of work?

Marisa: I enjoy spending my time with my family, shopping, and binging true crime.

ECare: Would you rather be a tiny elephant or giant hamster and why?

Marisa: I would rather be a tiny elephant since elephants are one of my favorite animals. Everyone loves them!

ECare: If you could choose a superpower what would it be?

Marisa: If I had any superpower it would be teleportation. I love to travel and if I could avoid the airport, that would be magical.

ECare: Share with us something new that you have learned in the last year.

Marisa: I learned that I am pregnant and I have been adjusting to a whole new body.

ECare: What's an accomplishment that you're most proud of?

Marisa: The accomplishment I am most proud of at work would have to be when we switched from paper timesheets to using HHA. It was amazing to watch us make a difference by using less paper & to watch all our field staff get the hang of it.

ECare: What's the best advice you have received?

Marisa: If someone is asking you a question about a story, they already know the truth. Don't lie, just be honest.

ECare: Share with us any hidden talents that you have.

Marisa: Hidden talents? I don't think I am cool enough to have any.

“The simple act of
caring is heroic.”

EDWARD ALBERT

Thank You

for being such a
dedicated caregiver.



June Caregiver of the Month Larry Redmond

Larry has been a valuable asset to Expert-Care for the past 5 1/2 years. Throughout his time with the company, he has consistently demonstrated exceptional qualities that make him a great caregiver.

One of Larry's notable strengths is his ability to motivate and encourage the individuals he works with to pursue and achieve their goals, ultimately helping them lead more independent lives. Another commendable attribute of Larry is his remarkable patience when working with his recipients. He understands that everyone has their own unique challenges and needs, and he approaches his role with empathy and understanding.

Larry's patience fosters an environment of trust, making it easier for his recipients to open up and work toward their goals. One of the recipients he works with shared that Larry is always flexible with his schedule to accommodate his needs and said he appreciates how patient he is when coaching him.

ExpertCare truly appreciates everything he does and is very proud to have him represent ExpertCare in the field. Thank you both for your hard work and dedication in changing the lives of others.

Thank you for demonstrating ExpertCare's core values of:

Helping People Succeed

Passion for Success

Can Do Attitude