

A SERVICE OF THE TREMONT WEST DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR THE HISTORIC TREMONT NEIGHBORHOOD



# Experience Tremont

## Tremont West Creates Video Featuring the New Towpath Trail

The Towpath Trail has been a promise in our community for decades. Today, we have it as one of our most cherished assets. On a beautiful Wednesday in June, many community members gathered at the new Camp Cleveland Park to celebrate its completion in Tremont. The four partnering organizations that created the new trail include Canalway Partners, Cuyahoga County, the City of Cleveland, and Cleveland Metroparks. The board and staff at Tremont West can't thank them enough for seeing this through.

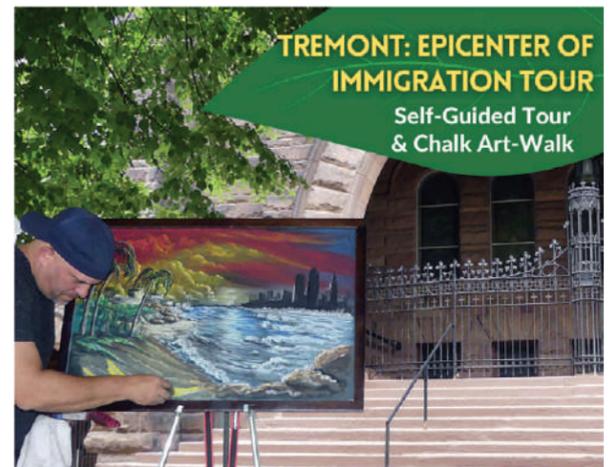
In 2020, Tremont West was fortunate to receive grant funding from Ohio and Erie Canalway to continue our work toward the completion of a plan we created called the Towpath Integration Plan. The Tremont West Board of Directors has an ad-hoc committee that works with Assistant Director, Michelle Davis. The Towpath Integration Committee is chaired by Ann Marie Riley and its members are Jill Lackey, Brad

Hauber, Dick Grey, Alexandra Dattilo, and Kate O'Neil. This group assisted in the formation of the Towpath Trail in Tremont programming that many are enjoying this summer as well as the creation of a new video that promotes the trail. Tremont West will use it to attract visitors to experience Tremont. Thank you to these committee members for their time and a special thank you to Kate O'Neil and her company Authentic Films for their expertise in creating this new promotion for our neighborhood.

Russell Lee is the star of the video as he rides the Towpath Trail south from The Cleveland Sign on Abbey Road to The Mounds and back. Russell is a photographer and avid cyclist living in Ohio City. You can access more of his photography at [www.russellleephoto.com](http://www.russellleephoto.com).

Throughout the video there are many recognizable Tremont faces! The catchy tune that is playing during the ride is "Honey" by Coastal Club, a band from Cincinnati. You can find more of their music on Spotify and at [wearecoastalclub.com](http://wearecoastalclub.com).

We urge you to take the virtual tour at [www.experiencetremont.com](http://www.experiencetremont.com).



Friday, July 9th | Lincoln Park - Tremont  
[CanalwayPartners.com](http://CanalwayPartners.com)

## Tremont: Epicenter of Immigration Self-Guided Tour & Chalk Art-Walk

The 90-minute self-guided tour highlights many of the churches and other institutions built by (and for) successive waves of immigrants from the mid-19th century to the mid-20th century. As you stroll through the neighborhood, you'll read fascinating facts and learn about the central role Tremont played in the Cleveland's story of immigration. Along the way, you'll encounter local artists creating chalk artworks inspired by Cleveland immigration stories.

Webpage - <https://canalwaypartners.com/events/tremont-epicenter-of-immigration/>



**SEE PAGE 5 FOR DETAILS.**

Walkabout Tremont returns Friday, July 9 from 5-9 p.m. Art, food, drinks, pop-up vendors, street performers.

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## Inside Tremont

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## Welcome, Madison Mercer, Tremont West AmeriCorps VISTA Member!

Hello! My name is Madison Mercer, and I am very excited to serve with Tremont West as an AmeriCorps VISTA member. I grew up in Ravenna, Ohio and then spent four years living in Cleveland while attending Cleveland State University. I graduated CSU in 2020 with a Bachelors of Nonprofit Administration. This past year I served as an AmeriCorps member in Palm Beach County, Florida as an elementary literacy tutor. In the fall, while serving with Tremont West I will also be attending graduate school at Cleveland State to earn my Masters of Nonprofit Administration and Leadership. I am thrilled to return home, excited to join the Tremont community, ready to learn as much as I can and excited to have the opportunity to serve the community.



## Lincoln Park Clean-Up and Tremont Gardeners Recruitment

Garbage bags and work gloves will be provided.  
3rd Wednesdays at 6:30 pm on 7/21, 8/18, & 9/15

For more information, contact Yvonne Bruce, Yvonne.bruce36@gmail.com.

Photo at June Clean-up: Denise Kadilak in front, Erin Matthies, Paul Triolo, Randi Zubin, Jim Naccarato, Kate O’Neil, Jack Ricchiuto, Marilyn Dubasek, and Yvonne Bruce.



## Tremont Tree Initiative Continues to Plant Trees in 2021

Tremont welcomed the addition of 17 new trees that were planted within the community and St. Augustine’s Church and adjoining properties. Part of the Reforest Our City initiative, the planting was organized by the Western Reserve Land Conservancy and was funded by Cleveland-Cliffs, Inc (formerly ArcelorMittal). Fifteen community members participated in the planting. The addition of the trees will not only improve the environment by enhancing the air quality and reducing water runoff but it will also add beauty to our community for years to come.

Tremont neighbors who are interested in learning more about getting involved in neighborhood tree plantings or receiving a tree for their yard can email trees@wrlandconservancy.

Top photo: Dan and Stacy Lotz and family Bottom photo: Dan and Patrick Leamon and Dick Gray

**Neighborhood Retail Assistance Program** The City of Cleveland’s Economic Development Department can assist small businesses with financial packages of both loans and grants to improve the interior and exterior of their storefronts. Please email Donna Grigonis-Bailey at dgrigonis@ohiocity.org.

**Commercial Space for Sale or Lease** Are you looking to lease, purchase or market commercial space in Tremont? Remember, if you are planning to open a business in Tremont, you must contact the City of Cleveland to see what variances or permits are required for your desired location. The Department of Building and Housing can be reached at 216-664-2282. There are some great loan reimbursement programs through the city and county for vacant building rehab, storefront renovations, signage and Brownfield clean-up. Please email Donna Grigonis-Bailey at dgrigonis@ohiocity.org.

**The Storefront Renovation Program** The City of Cleveland’s Storefront Renovation Program is an exterior rehabilitation program that combines financial incentives (rebate or loan) with free City design assistance. The City partners with neighborhood Community Development Corporations to implement the program in the neighborhood. Please email Donna Grigonis-Bailey at dgrigonis@ohiocity.org.

**Towpath Trail Construction** Road Closures associated with the work being performed at the West 10th Street and West 7th Street Intersection. We expect these closures to remain in place until the end of October 2020. Additional Road Closures will be installed as the project progresses thru new roadway installations and traffic patterns associated with the CUY-Towpath Trail Stage 4 project. Rob McAteer, Project Manager, 216-244-1059 cell.

**City of Cleveland Trash/Bulk Pick-up** Bulk Pick-up on Friday, June 11th in Tremont. Questions? 216-664-3711 or cleveland-oh.gov

## Announcing The Tremont Brainery

Jack Ricchiuto and Keri November from Tremont Shot Finders are starting up a new volunteer project: The Tremont Brainery. This is a volunteer-hosted effort to provide free and low-charge classes taught by Tremont people to Tremont people. These can be any level classes in things like cooking, gardening, languages, technology, repairs, writing, speaking, leadership, startups, parenting, grandparenting, exercise, nutrition, sports, games, arts, crafts, and travel. If you have something you could teach, there are likely people who want to learn it; if you have something you’d want to learn, there are likely people who could teach it. To discover more and join, visit TremontBrainery.com.

If you’d like to join the team to help organize events, email Jack at tremontbrainery@gmail.com.



## Pilgrim Food Pantry Reopens July 1st

Pilgrim Church, at the southwest corner of West 14th and Starkweather, is reopening its neighborhood Food Pantry after a pandemic forced shutdown. The Pilgrim Food Pantry will reopen on July 1, 2021. The pantry hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 AM to noon.

Pilgrim operates a “choice” pantry. That means our clients choose the food items that best suit their family’s tastes and needs rather than being provided with pre-bagged items. Eligibility for becoming a food pantry client is based on household income. Income thresholds are established by The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP).

We serve people living in the Tremont area ZIP Codes of 44113 and 44109. When visiting the pantry, clients should bring their photo identification. The pantry is handicap accessible. The entrance to the pantry is on the south side of Starkweather just west of W 14th Street. Mask are required to enter the building. Clients can visit the pantry once a month.

Visit our website <https://pilgrimalive.org/mission-and-outreach/food-pantry/> or contact Dick Berlo at dber99@gmail.com.

## Take a Walk through Tremont's History this Summer

Please join us for a 'History Walk' each month this summer as Tremont History Project hosts a monthly walking tour as part of the 'Towpath Trail in Tremont' initiative. Starting at the gazebo of Lincoln Park, the walk will travel along a different route each month, accessing a different segment of the Towpath Trail on each tour. A general history of the Tremont area will be addressed for all tours, however as each month follows a different route, each tour will feature a closer look at the history and landmarks along that particular route. The monthly History Walk will be the 3rd Saturday of each month, meeting at 9:30 am in Lincoln Park.

July's History Walk will be Saturday, 7/17, and we will explore the South Tremont community. Please be prepared to cross the pedestrian bridges over I-490 & I-77, and walk approximately 2.5 miles in total distance. For any questions please contact towpath@tremontwest.org, or Dan at dlotz9@yahoo.com. Hope to see you soon!



### Tremont Running Club - Thursday, July 15th, 7:30 pm at The Cleveland Sign

Join Amanda Hudek from Tremont Athletic Club for the monthly Tremont Running Club. All skill levels welcome!

### Towpath Trail Tremont Bird Walks

**Event:** Towpath Trail Tremont Bird Walks

**Date & Time:** Saturday, July 24, 2021 at 9 am

**Location:** Go to the Tremont/Abbey Ave./ Innerbelt Bridge Parking Lot. Ohio & Erie CanalWay ( <https://canalwaypartners.com/four-places-to-park-to-access-the-northern-end-of-the-towpath-trail/> ) | Meet at Towpath Public Parking ( <https://goo.gl/maps/LUmBoepyQdzNvXKd8> )

**Leader:** Nancy Howell

**Target Species:** "Summer slows down but we have resident Cooper's Hawks, Kestrels, Chimney Swifts, Barn, Tree, Bank and Rough-winged Swallows. Clark Field hosts breeding Sora and Virginia Rails, Swamp Sparrows, Kestrels, Northern Mockingbird and more." ~ Chuck Slusarczyk Jr., Birder and Tremont resident.

Walks are free and open to the public. COVID Safety Guidelines: There are no restrictions after June 2. It is recommended that guests who are not fully vaccinated wear a face covering. For questions, contact info@wcaudubon.org.



- Announcement <https://www.wcaudubon.org/news-blog/towpath-trail-tremont-bird-walk-saturday-july-24-2021>
- Register <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/towpath-trail-tremont-bird-walk-saturday-july-2021-tickets-159543413645>
- Facebook Event Page <https://www.facebook.com/WCAudubon>

Photo: "Our resident male Lesser Scaup (Aythya affinis) whom I have taken to calling "Lester", shares his favorite log at Scranton Flats in Cleveland with a Spiny Softshell Turtle (Apalone spinifera) this afternoon." ~ Chuck Slusarczyk Jr., Birder and Tremont resident.

## CLEAN GARBAGE RECYCLING UPDATES - WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Clean Garbage Recycling (CGR) has 2 important things to let you know. First, we are switching paper recycling companies. The new company - River Valley Paper - provides a modest payment for the paper and cardboard collected, and Tremont West Development Corporation is the beneficiary! We will use the money for projects in the Tremont neighborhood. So please, BRING YOUR PAPER AND CARDBOARD TO THE ANNUNCIATION GREEK CHURCH, 2147 W. 14th (Fairfield and W. 14th). The paper retrievers are located in the corner of the lot behind Loop. Items accepted:

- Newspapers, magazines
- Phonebooks, catalogs
- Office and school paper
- Hard & soft bound books
- Mail
- Brown paper bags
- Flattened cardboard, tubes and cores
- Shredded paper (as long as it is in a bag, NOT loose)



Second announcement: CGR has received a small grant to collect scrap from the Tremont neighborhood. The CGR team will begin collection of scrap every other Saturday, beginning July 10th. Look for our trailer riding thru the neighborhood. You can flag us down or let us know in advance that you have items for pickup (just shoot a message to cleangarbagerecycling@gmail.com). We will be picking up any kind of metal scrap - small appliances, old grills, pipes, duct work, fencing, furniture bases, etc. Please think of us before you put any items like this out on the tree lawn for the landfill. We will make sure they are properly recycled and/or repurposed.

Please consider joining our Co-Op to recycle aluminum and clean steel/tin cans. We have collection bins located throughout Tremont and the near West-Side (we just added McNamara's Pub at W 86th and Lake Road). This is a FREE service. Bins are locked simply to prevent passersby from tossing in garbage. Or, if you prefer, for \$10 per month, we will do curbside pickup of your aluminum, steel/tin and paper/cardboard every other Wednesday. Just send us a message at cleangarbagerecycling@gmail.com to join the Co-Op and we will give you the code for the bins and/or sign you up for curbside.

THANK YOU AND RECYCLE ON TREMONT!! YOU ARE AMAZING!!



## St. Wendelin Parish

In Person Mass  
Saturday at 4:30pm  
Sunday at 10am  
Monday, Tuesday, and Friday at 11am

Watch mass online Sunday at 10am or on demand on YouTube, go to [stwendelinincleveland.org](http://stwendelinincleveland.org) and click online services or find us on Facebook

St. Wendelin Catholic Church | 2281 Columbus Road

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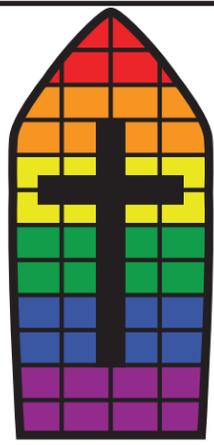
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**CONFESSIONS**

**Saturday:**  
3:30 - 4:00 PM

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**Welcome, Olympic Forest Products, to Tremont!**

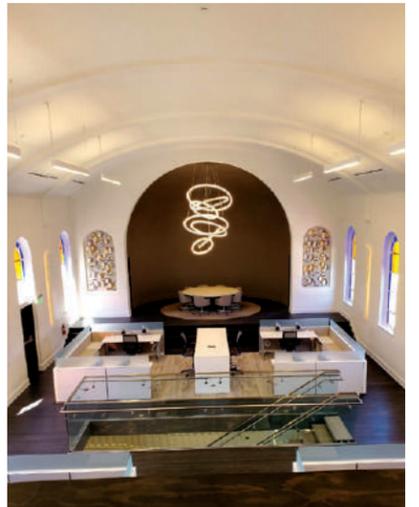
Dan Andrews, the president of Olympic Forest Products Co. was the recipient of this year's Historic Preservation Award at the Tremont West Annual Membership Meeting. Dan received the award for the renovation of the former St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, and later the Spanish Assembly of God Church, located at 2280 West 11th Street. The project includes additional office space allowing Olympic Forest Products Co. to expand from 30 employees to 40-45.

Olympic Forest Products Co. is a pallet manufacturing and management company which provides new and recycled pallets to multiple national and local companies. National clients include Sherwin Williams, DuPont, Dow, PPG Industries, Cargill, and Abbott Labs among others. Olympic also works with several local businesses such as Meyer Plow Parts, Sandridge Foods, North America Kitchen Solutions, and Shurtape. Olympic prides itself on its sustainability initiatives, with pallet recycling, retrieval and return programs, allowing them to not only reduce waste and benefit the environment, but also save money and be more competitive in the pallet industry.

Olympic Forest Products Co. moved from its former headquarters located at 2200 Carnegie Avenue, to the Tremont Neighborhood for a number of reasons. Dan Andrews, a native of Lakewood, and lifelong Clevelander, credited familiarity with the neighborhood as well as recent housing developments, the numerous restaurant options, proximity to Lincoln Park, Ohio City and Downtown as reasons for moving to the neighborhood. Dan credited Tremont as being "inviting, clean and safe" saying that Olympic "wants to be an energetic company" so he was especially attracted by the energy of the neighborhood.

The overall preservation of the church was an extensive 3-year-long project involving the collaboration between multiple different stake holders and organizations. Dan worked with the City of Cleveland's Vacancy Initiative, Oster Services, MCM Company, as well as historic preservation groups and Gibbon Architecture in order to ensure the move was possible, transform the building into office space and preserve the historic church building.

The St. Vladimir parish was founded in 1924, by immigrants from Western Ukraine. The property the church in Tremont stands on today was purchased in 1926 and the current church was dedicated in 1933. Due to the shifting of the Ukrainian population to the suburbs, the church was sold to the Spanish Assembly of God in 1952, which remained there until Olympic Forest Products Co. bought the property in 2018. The St. Vladimir parish moved to a new church located in Parma in 1952 and a new cathedral was built on State Road in Parma in 1967, where services are still held today. For more information on St. Vladimir and the Ukrainian population's history in Tremont, please visit the Ukrainian Museum Archives, located at 1202 Kenilworth Avenue, also in Tremont. We are excited to have Dan and the rest of Olympic Forest Products in the neighborhood!



**Home Repair Assistance**

HOME REPAIR ASSISTANCE  
Tremont West is here to help residents with home repair and maintenance needs. Some eligibility guidelines such as income restrictions may apply. If you are interested in receiving home repair assistance, please contact Community Engagement Specialist Julie Dahlhausen at 216-280-8411 or juliedahlhausen@tremontwest.org.

**Home Energy Efficiency Services**

CHN Housing Partners offers federal- & utility-funded programs to assist renters and homeowners with lowering energy use. Services can include: attic, wall and basement insulation; blower-door-guided air leakage reduction; heating system repairs or replacements; health and safety testing and inspections; LED bulb installation and Energy Star refrigeration replacement. All improvements are provided based on income qualifications and a home energy inspection. To learn more, please contact Community Engagement Specialist Julie Dahlhausen at 216-280-8411 or juliedahlhausen@tremontwest.org

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**How Does it Work?**

- CHN is the entry point to access rental assistance, a broad array of housing, financial counseling and referral resources. Depending on the nature of your financial hardship, you may be referred to EDEN for longer-term assistance, at which time you may be asked for additional information and documentation.
- If you qualify, your landlord may receive up to three months back rent.
- CHN will screen all applicants for utility assistance programs that may help make your electric, gas and water/sewer bills more affordable.

**Who Qualifies?**

- Residents of the City of Cleveland and Cuyahoga County who are having difficulty making rental payments due to the economic impact of the pandemic and who meet income eligibility requirements.
- If you qualify for rental assistance, you may be required to attend more in-depth financial counseling, provided by CHN, as a condition for payment of the rental assistance.
- Priority is given based on criteria such as eviction status, accurate information and complete documentation.

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**Inside Tremont Announces New Ad Rates Starting February 2021.**

Inside Tremont is a monthly newsletter published by Tremont West Development Corporation. We publish 11 issues per year with December and January being a combined issue. The newsletter provides information about neighborhood events, projects and programs. Inside Tremont reaches 2500 households via US Mail and over 1500 copies are distributed to 100+ Tremont businesses for personal pick-up. Discounts available! 15% off a 6 month contract and 25% off a 11 month contract. 3 month advance payment is required with signed

**Inside Tremont**

For more information on ads, payment arrangements or questions contact Michelle at 216-575-0920, ext. 103 or michelledavis@tremontwest.org.

# ARTS IN AUGUST 2021 IN TREMONT'S LINCOLN PARK



**Cleveland Public Theatre**  
STEP - Friday, August 6th @ 7pm

**Cleveland Shakespeare Festival**  
Sunday, August 8th @ 5pm

**Verb Ballets**  
Friday, August 13th @ 7pm

**Inlet Dance**  
Saturday, August 14th @ 7pm

**Independent Music**  
Curated by Village Bicycle  
Saturday, August 21st @ 7pm

**Erie Heights Brass Band**  
Friday, August 27th @ 7pm

**Papo Ruiz y Delzura de la Salsa**  
Saturday, August 28th @ 7pm

**Arts Renaissance Tremont presents Cavani & Amici String Quartets**  
Sunday, August 29th @ 7pm

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## Welcome, Fugees Academy, to Duck Island!

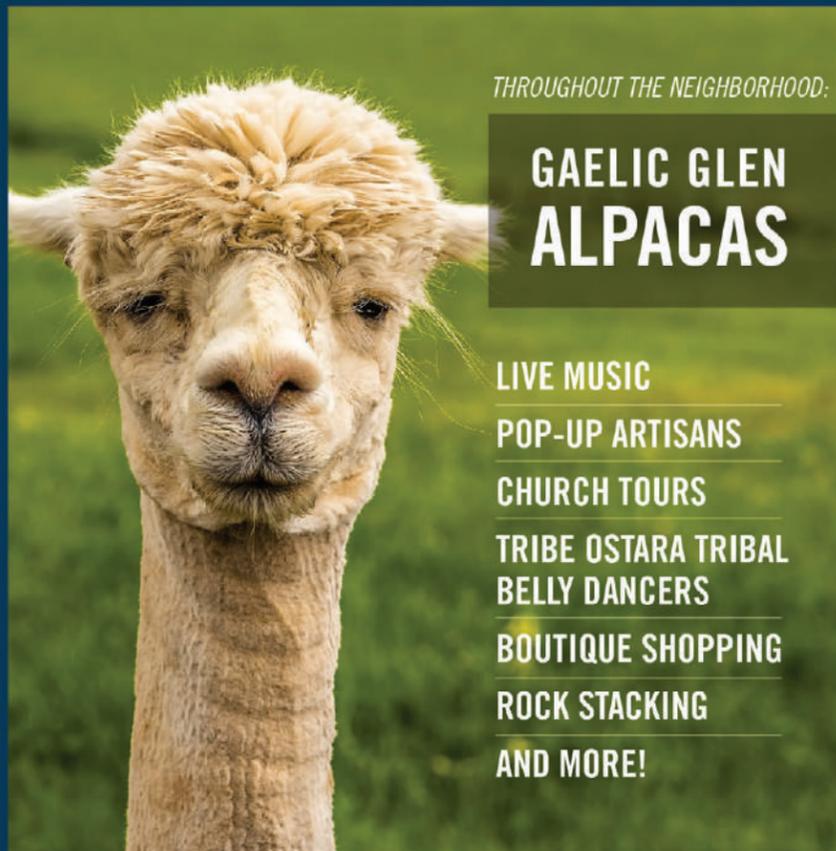
The Fugees Academy is coming to Duck Island! The Fugees Academy is part of the Fugees Family program and

is considered the most ambitious component of the program. The school was first opened outside of Atlanta, Georgia as a middle school for the sons of refugees to the area, designed to help older refugee children struggling with language comprehension. The academy has expanded to a school for both boys and girls grades 6-12. A successful school, the Fugees Academy boasts of its 100% high school graduation and college attendance rates.

The success of the school can be attributed to the commitment of the staff as well as the hard work of the students. The staff of the Fugees Academy is compiled of teachers with both public and private backgrounds who work with students to instill a deep understanding of the course material that goes past the basic understanding most schools rely on for standardized testing. The educational institution offers a year-round program including after school programs, summer camp, as well as comprehensive wrap-around services for both students and their families. The faculty are assigned several students to closely work with throughout the year to help them and their families navigate a new country. This is in part, completed through home visits where team members can update families on the students' achievements as well as helping the families with paperwork and any questions about the immigration process. Fugees Academy team members can also help families with other essential services such as food, housing, health and dental insurance, doctors' appointments, searching for jobs, and translation services. May 2016 saw the first graduating class of Fugees Academy with 100% of the graduates currently enrolled in college.

In 2018, the headquarters for the Fugees Academy relocated to Columbus, Ohio and recently the school has expanded to Cleveland. The newest location is next to the St. Wendelin Church building in Tremont. Located at 2281 Columbus Rd. We are excited for this new addition to the community and the services the Fugees Academy will provide Duck Island, Tremont, and the Cleveland area.

## WALKABOUT TREMONT IS BACK!



THROUGHOUT THE NEIGHBORHOOD:

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Walkabout Starts at 5:00pm

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## Third Annual Blazing Paddles Paddlefest Returns to Cleveland's Cuyahoga River

Saturday, July 24th Register Here:  
<https://raceroster.com/events/2021/48834/blazing-paddles-2021>



Featuring Artist:  
**Reginald Williams**

### PAINTING IN THE PARK FAMILY FUN DAY



Come out and enjoy our Christmas in July Edition and unleash your creativity with your family and friends. Also, shop and support our local artists and vendors.

July 17, 2021 12pm- 8pm  
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## Block Club Happenings

*“Block Club Happenings” is compiled by Tremont West staff with direct input from Block Clubs.*

### Auburn-Lincoln Park

The block club met via the Zoom platform – online and by phone – on Monday, June 21st. 2nd District Police Community Services Officer Sgt. Frank Woyma provided a safety update. Discussion included recent catalytic converter thefts and car break-ins in areas adjacent to Auburn-Lincoln Block Club. Donna Grigonis, Director of Neighborhood Development, a shared position between Ohio City Inc. and Tremont West Development Corp. joined our meeting with a brief introduction and overview of her role and responsibilities for Tremont West and Ohio City, Inc. She also introduced Architect Greydon Petznick of Cleveland Draw Design and Restoration Architecture, and Seana Rutherford, landowner of the lot at 2563 W 10th Street. Architect Petznick presented a proposal for a 2-story single family home with a detached garage at 2563 W. 10th for prospective resident Seana Rutherford and the need for a zoning variance. The plan includes a finished basement and as a result the proposal exceeds the maximum gross floor square feet of 50 percent of the lot size and requires a variance. The presentation was reviewed in detail; several questions and items were discussed as part of the proposal. The Block Club is supportive of the proposed development and members present voted unanimously in favor of the recommendation to the Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA) to approve the variance. In Memoriam: we remember our dear neighbor and long-time Tremont resident, Ted Tsevdos who passed away recently. We're grateful for Ted's service to the block club and to the wider Tremont neighborhood. Our thoughts are with his wife Donna, their doggies, and their family. ALP neighbors, Yvonne Bruce and Denise Kadliak, are seeking volunteers to maintain the pocket gardens in Lincoln Park and help with occasional park clean-up. Planned clean-up dates are scheduled for July 23rd, August 18th, and September 15th at 6:30 pm. Please help if you are able, and contact Yvonne and Denise for more information. Join us on the Towpath Trail! Watch the amazing video produced by our neighbor Kate O'Neil of Authentic Films. [Experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail](http://Experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail). Summer comes to Lincoln Park with special programming and other events, so watch for updates from Tremont West. Our next gathering will be on Monday, July 19th at 6:30pm for park clean-up followed by a picnic dinner, so mark your calendars! Our next business meeting will be on Monday, August 16th, 6:30pm. You can keep current on all of our activities and meeting dates by visiting the Auburn-Lincoln Park Block Club Facebook page [www.Facebook.com/auburnblockclub](http://www.Facebook.com/auburnblockclub). If you are interested in attending our monthly meeting or have questions for the block club please contact Block Club Co-chairs, Kate O'Neil ([auburnlincolnpark@gmail.com](mailto:auburnlincolnpark@gmail.com)) or Jonathan Petrea ([jpetrea@gmail.com](mailto:jpetrea@gmail.com)) and/or Community Involvement Manager Scott Rosenstein of Tremont West by e-mail at [scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org) – or by phone at 216.575.0920 ext. 106. **Please join us for our park clean-up and picnic dinner on Monday, July 19th, 2021 at 6:30 pm. Please watch for e-mail or postcards with more details!**

### Central Tremont

The Central Tremont Block Club held its June meeting on Monday, June 7, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. at Lincoln Park. Block club members met at the park for a social gathering and discussed future locations for meetings, as well as potential guest speakers to invite and current projects to get involved. **The next Central Tremont block club meeting will be held on Friday, July 23, 2021 at 6:45 p.m. at the Electric Gardens Apartments at 425 Literary Road for a campus tour.** For more information on the block club and its activities, please contact Co-chairs Jennifer Zellner ([zzzellnerj@gmail.com](mailto:zzzellnerj@gmail.com)) or Chris Zellner ([zzzellner@gmail.com](mailto:zzzellner@gmail.com)). Information can also be found on our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/CentralTremont](http://www.facebook.com/CentralTremont).

### Duck Island

The block club met on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at Forest City Brewery. Sgt. Frank Woyma of the Second District Police Community Services Unit provided a safety update, including: the posting of new signs in Abbey Park for hours (6 am - 9 pm), increased efforts to reduce the number of illegal dirt bikes on the road and the gatherings under the I-90 / W 14th bridge, and the need to address car break-ins in the area. Residents reported a number of auto and church break-ins, stolen packages, and other unlawful activity with concern that police did not respond on at least one call. Residents were encouraged to call in any and all activities that occur and were again encouraged to join the Duck Island Crime/Community Watch Facebook group to both post and monitor neighborhood crime. Ward 3 Cleveland Councilman Kerry McCormack gave an update, reporting that W. 18th street has been given a grade of F, which moves it to the top of the list for repaving (est. mid to late summer). The addition of speed bumps is still on the agenda with multiple councilpersons, including Councilman McCormack. The city's landscape architect, Mr. Jim McKnight has been given the green light from the City to begin working on the Abbey Park renovation plans and residents noted that Mr. McKnight has already been seen spending time in the park, assessing current assets and conditions. However, Abbey Park is not currently on the City's capital budget and thus funds would need to be raised by residents to see these upgrades happen more quickly. The Friends of Abbey Park Committee will be exploring funding opportunities. Resident Dave LaSalvia gave an update on the ongoing concerns about traffic patterns in/out of the new Stoneleigh Development. An onsite meeting was held in July with Streets Commissioner Rob Mavec and City Planner Matt Moss to again discuss resident concerns with the conclusion of the traffic study and next steps residents can take. The remainder of the meeting was dedicated to presentations provided by Wes Harper of Horton Harper Architects for three new developments in Duck Island, two for review and input only (2 unit townhome at 1700 Lorain Avenue and a 15-unit single family home project on the block of W. 20th and Smith Court) and one needing a vote on requested variances (single family home, 2060 W. 20th Place). Discussion was lively but constructive, with residents asking many questions about parking, the impact on traffic, the overall design (i.e. are these considered “slot” houses?), displacement of residents in the four homes that will be taken down, and overall aesthetics (color, shape). **Our next business meeting will take place on Tuesday, August 3rd at 6:30 pm at Forest City Brewery** (in person meeting only). For more information on the block club and

its activities, please visit our Facebook page, or contact Chair Philip Major ([coach.philip.major@gmail.com](mailto:coach.philip.major@gmail.com)) and Co-Chairs, Ashley Major ([arparsell@gmail.com](mailto:arparsell@gmail.com)) and Elaine Borawski ([eabprchn@gmail.com](mailto:eabprchn@gmail.com)), or Scott at Tremont West ([scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org)) – 216.575.0920 ext. 106.

### Holmden-Buhrer-Rowley/Mentor-Castle-Clark

The HBR-MCC block club met on Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. The block club decided to host their monthly meeting on Zoom. Fourteen participants attended. No representatives from the 2nd District Community Services Unit attended the block club meeting and no updates have been provided. First, Ward 12 Councilman, Tony Brancatelli provided updates on the West 14th Resurfacing Project and the Gas City construction. Both projects are currently underway and the sewer line work by the Clark Bar has been completed. For more information on the resurfacing project, please contact the ODOT District 12 Public Information Office at (216) 584-2005 or [D12.Public.Information@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:D12.Public.Information@dot.ohio.gov). Next, Erich Hooper from Hooper Farm provided the block club with an update on its summer beautification projects along the Towpath Trail. The Steelyard Home Depot provided Hooper Farm with a \$4,000 community grant for summer programming. More information on summer project work days will be available in the near future. Next, Rich Weiss presented block club members with an exciting volunteer opportunity at The Tremonster. They are currently seeking a passionate, community-based Volunteer Beat Reporter for the HBR-MCC are to contribute content on a quarterly basis. Please feel free to contact Rich Weiss at [rich@thetremonster.com](mailto:rich@thetremonster.com) or (216) 712-3565 for more information. **The next block club meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 7th, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. through Zoom and/or in person. Zoom information will be sent out to block club members.** Block club may choose to meet next month at Pozo Studio (1193 Holmden Avenue). Please stay tuned for updates. To learn more about our block clubs and their activities, find us on Facebook or contact MCC Co-Chairs Josh Wright ([jwright.cle@gmail.com](mailto:jwright.cle@gmail.com)), Beverly Wurm ([wurm\\_beverly@yahoo.com](mailto:wurm_beverly@yahoo.com)), HBR Co-Chair Angelica Pozo ([earth.angelpozo@gmail.com](mailto:earth.angelpozo@gmail.com)) or Dharma Valentin, Community and Equity Organizer – [dharmavalentin@tremontwest.org](mailto:dharmavalentin@tremontwest.org) – 216.575.0920 ext. 102.

### Irishtown Bend

**As we meet quarterly, our next block club meeting will be on Wednesday, July 14th, 6:30pm.** For more information on the block club and our activities, check out our Facebook page, and contact Chairperson, Muriel Lederman at [lederman10@me.com](mailto:lederman10@me.com) – or contact Scott at Tremont West ([scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org)) – 216.575.0920 ext. 106.

### Lincoln Heights

The Lincoln Heights Block Club met on Monday evening June 7th at the Tremont Tap House. 24 members and 5 guests were in attendance for the monthly meeting. Sargent Frank Woyma from the Second District Community Services Unit attended the meeting. Discussions took place on random gunshots in the West 25th Bridge & Train Ave. Brevier Ave. residents asked for special attention on July 4th for excessive fireworks being shot off. Special attention was requested for people parking in striped-off areas of Scranton Rd. near intersections, this causes hazards for pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists sight lines exiting Auburn Ave. Josh Rosen from Sustainable Community Associates gave updates on the Lincoln building construction project. Two leases have been signed for the commercial space. The first unit will have a hair salon, the second unit will have a urban plant and garden store. The commercial footprint was downsized from 6000 to 3000 square foot. The building will have 84 underground parking spaces, and 34 surface off-street spaces for the commercial units. SCA presented a re-configured plan for the approved town-homes across the street from the Tappan Building. Five town-homes will be built on the NE corner of Scranton & Auburn with parking. SCA presented a new town-home project on West 17th St. across from the Fairmont Creamery. These parcels were going to be used as overflow parking for the commercial spaces in the Lincoln building, but the square footage was cut in half and will not be needed. 10 total new town-homes will be built, they will be converted to 20 apartments. 12 off-street parking spaces are proposed. SCA will work with City Planning and Traffic Engineering to create 26 new street spaces slotting in on West 17th and on Parafine. Permits will be pulled in the fall of this year, and construction will start spring of 2022. SCA has agreed to maintain the overpass areas on both Starkweather and Kenilworth. Landscapers twice a month will cut all the tree lawns, weed-whack accessible areas, pickup litter, and keep the areas clean. This will be done starting after Riversweep each year and go to November. We will still be requesting ODOT honor the neighborhood MOU and wash down the embankments and walk-able areas under each bridge. We will also make sure ODOT cuts the areas inside the right-of-way fencing in the front 3 to 5 foot behind the fence. ODOT will do this only once a year. Will now request the ODOT portion to be done at the end of June each year. We want to thank SCA for agreeing to do this, this is part of the community benefit package agreed to for the Tappan Building by the Block Club. Taps and Tails came to the Block Club and asked for support and signatures to allow Sunday liquor sales. Once 66 valid signatures have been attained, the local option for 3P will go on a ballot later this fall. The petition for 3P was distributed and 15 signatures were received. Lisa and Eric will need to canvas all of 3P to get additional signatures. A brief update was given on the meeting that Councilman McCormack held on Monday May 24th at the Tremont Taphouse. Councilman McCormack sent an email to Traffic Engineering. 1) Make the traffic signal at the Scranton and Starkweather intersection a staggered three way control. 2) Request a new crosswalk with ADA ramps on the southside of the Scranton & Starkweather intersection. 3) Request a automated lighted crosswalk indicator at the Scranton & Auburn intersection to protect pedestrian traffic. Discussion requested from TWDC regarding 2833-43 West 25th St. This is the old Torres Tax Service building. It was recently purchased two years ago by the Tremont Animal Clinic. TAC has run into City bureaucracy to be allowed to pull permits to demolish the building. This building is a eyesore to the entrance into our Block Club, and all of Tremont. Motion was made to contact the City of Cleveland, seconded, and unanimously supported by the members present to allow TAC to demolish the building asap without delay. Discussion was held regarding mail service in Lincoln Heights, since our route carrier Eric took the route as full time the mail delivery has stabilized in the

past 8 to 10 months. Motion was made, seconded, and unanimously supported to craft a letter to the Cleveland Postmaster General about Eric's great service. Other discussion took place about a few addressees not getting the weekly garbage picked up. The Chairperson will follow up with Division of Waste. David Ferrante will attend the July 12th meeting to give an overview of the Scranton Carriage project on Scranton & Kenilworth. Our next meeting will be on July 12th at 6PM at the Tremont Taphouse. Please look out for email communications and post cards via TWDC. If you have any questions contact Chairperson Henry Senyak at [HSenyak@aol.com](mailto:HSenyak@aol.com) or Dharma Valentin at TWDC 216-575-0920 (Ext. 102).

### Metro North

The Block Club met for its first in-person meeting since November, 2019 on Tuesday, June 22nd at the St. Michael Church – ground floor meeting room. Sgt. Frank Woyma of the Second District Police Community Services Unit shared in discussion of safety concerns with neighbors. Residents shared a variety of housing concerns around the neighborhood. Lincoln Park clean-ups will be held monthly during the Summer on the third Wednesday of the month, July – September, 6:30-7:30 pm. Garbage Bags & Gloves will be provided. Join us on the Towpath Trail in Tremont with special programming by the Cleveland MetroParks and Tremont West. Check out [Experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail](http://Experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail) for more information. The free music and dance performances of Art in August along with the Tremont Arts & Cultural Festival (September 18th & 19th) return to Lincoln Park this year! Remember the Tremont Farmers Market in Lincoln Park each Tuesday, 4-7 pm, thru early October. Residents are invited to participate in Coffee with Cleveland Ward 14 Councilwoman Jasmin Santana – 11 am – 1:00 pm, generally the first Friday of the month (except July), small in-person gatherings at the Ward 14 Fulton Road office. – July 9th (second Friday) and August 6th (first Friday). Ward 14 Community Meetings with Councilwoman Santana are held via Zoom (online and by telephone) on Thursdays, July 29th and August 26th, 6:00-7:00 pm – call 216.664.4238 for log-in and phone-in info. Remember Ward 14 Dumpster Days – Sat. July 10th – Clark-Fulton (Lincoln West Parking Lot) – and July 24th – W. 73rd/West Boulevard on the corner lot at W. 73rd and Neville Avenue - for details call 216.664.4238. For information about the block club or its' activities, please visit the block club's Facebook page, or contact Metro North Chair, Sue Krosel, or Scott of Tremont West by e-mail at [scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org) – or by phone 216.575.0920 ext. 106. **The next meeting of the block club is scheduled for Tuesday, July 27th, 6:30pm at the ground floor meeting room at St. Michael Church.** Please see postcards and e-mail for more details.

### North of Literary

The block club met via the Zoom platform – online and by phone About 20 residents met on a lovely summer evening, Tuesday, June 15th, at Camp Cleveland with a light, informal agenda. The Co-Chairs invited suggestions of a meeting place for when we resume in-person indoor meetings. They are trying to contact Post 1 to determine their openness to hosting the block club. Officers Steve Smily and Justin Thompson from the Cleveland Police Department discussed local concerns, primarily motorbike riding around the neighborhood and on the Towpath. We should continue to report any issues to the Metroparks (which is training officers specifically for Towpath concerns), to CPD non-emergency number, or to our Councilman, especially time, location and descriptions. We are urged not to engage with individual violators. The new bollards separating several streets from the Towpath seem to have helped. Cleveland Ward 3 Councilman Kerry McCormack also joined us and expressed his enjoyment of an in-person meeting on the Towpath, a place we are proud of and excited about. He updated on Clark Field, where a yearlong, \$2.7 Million accessibility project will provide play equipment for kids with different abilities and a grass dog park; discussed his priority of a camera installation on W 7 at 490; shared his idea about using the old city kennel as a recreation center since Ward 3 lacks one; and reported that Literary will be repaved this summer. He especially urged us to ask mayoral candidates tough questions as they campaign. Several other CPD officers stopped by for general conversation. Robberies/carjackings, which were county-wide and beyond, have abated. Several perpetrators were arrested, and a number of them are juveniles. There was discussion about consequences for violent offenses for juveniles, and what happens with weapons offenses for convicted felons. Residents were urged to ask mayoral candidates about their views. Rich Weiss of the Tremonster newspaper announced that the paper will resume printing and he is looking for volunteer “beat reporters” from each block club. The role would be to brainstorm and keep the editors in touch with good stories from each part of Tremont and produce one 500-750 word story per quarter. Taste of Tremont will not happen in July, but the free music and dance performances of Arts in August and the Tremont Arts and Cultural Festival on September 18th and 19th will proceed in Lincoln Park. We hope to hold our annual Summer Party in August at Eric & Brianna Ishida's. **The next NOL meeting will be on Tuesday, July 20th, 2021 at 6:30 PM. Location TBA. Please watch for e-mail with more details.**

### South of Jefferson

The South of Jefferson Block Club met Tuesday, June 8, 2021 via the Zoom conferencing service. Sgt. Frank Woyma (CPD) provided updates. Complaints continue regarding dirt bikes on the Towpath. The Community Services Unit has been assisting the Major Crimes Unit, so time and duties have been split. Ward 3 Cleveland Councilman Kerry McCormack joined the group and provided several neighborhood and ward updates. Members raised several concerns regarding enforcement of nuisance issues. The primary topic of conversation was about the electric scooters and issues the community deals with. He provided some information about what the City is able to pursue, and the options for escalating concerns. Option 1 is to report observed concerns for review; 2) invite a scooter company representative to attend a meeting; 3) establish geo-fencing. Additionally, scooter companies can refuse users access for bad behavior, Public Works can seize individual scooters if warranted, and the City can ultimately revoke a company's operating permit. For now, the suggestion is to document and report issues. Some brands have contact information on the scooter itself, and/or e-mail Councilman McCormack ([kmccormack@clevelandcitycouncil.org](mailto:kmccormack@clevelandcitycouncil.org)) with the following information as best possible –scooter brand/company, scooter ID number, date and time you see the issue, approximate location, the issue, and a photo if possible. This will help create a paper trail of issues and give the Councilman a better awareness of the issues being encountered, and he can forward those concerns to the respective company representative. Horton Harper Architects presented plans for a new construction, 3 story, two-family home at 2451 Thurman Ave, which is currently a vacant lot. The key variances are for an approximately 10 foot deep rear yard, and the north wall will be 4 feet from a neighboring structure (6 feet required). The existing home to the north is built on the property line, making it a tight fit. The south wall will be the required 3 feet from the property line and is adjacent to the neighbor's existing driveway. The primary question from several members regarded the depth of the new driveway (less than 13 feet) and the potential for vehicles to park and potentially block the sidewalk and street, as well as during

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Celebrating Tremont's rich ethnic and cultural diversity and its vibrant arts and entertainment scene with over 100 artists and vendors

2021

# Tremont Arts & Cultural Festival

Cleveland, Ohio

**Saturday, September 18 - NOON to 7PM**  
**& Sunday, September 19 - NOON to 5PM**

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### Tremont Arts & Cultural Festival

The Festival committee is grateful to the visual and performing artists, community and cultural groups, vendors, volunteers and patrons that take part in the Festival. We are looking forward to the third weekend of September, 2021, when we can gather to celebrate the beauty of the arts, the joy of creativity and the spirit of community that is intrinsic to the Festival. The Tremont Arts & Cultural Festival will welcome you to Cleveland's Lincoln Park on Saturday and Sunday, September 18-19, 2021 for the 22nd Annual Tremont Arts & Cultural Festival. Applications for visual artists and other vendors are available in through our website <https://experiencetremont.com/featured-events/tremont-arts-cultural-festival/> - or e-mail Festival Manager, Scott Rosenstein at [scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org) to request an application.

**Continued from p. 6)** ingress/egress. By vote of the members present, the variances were supported unanimously. Paul Yu, owner of The Beauty Room, inquired about the possibility of seeking support for a possible rezoning to allow for Micro-Blade procedures. State Board requires zoning as a tattoo shop, which would require legislative action and be rather permanent. Members noted that a use-variance may be an alternative, similar to the tattoo shop on Kenilworth, if memories are correct. Members suggested he inquire with TWDC for assistance, and clarify the requirement with the State Board. The front parcel of Lucky Park is still listed for sale. Tremont West has submitted a purchase offer and is awaiting response. Fundraising will likely be needed to assist. Fingers and toes crossed for good luck! **Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 13th, 6:30pm, at Lucky Park** (rain location: Post 58 enclosed patio). For more information on the block club and its activities, visit our Facebook page or e-mail our Co-Chairs, Tim Harrison ([tim@timharrisonphoto.com](mailto:tim@timharrisonphoto.com)) and Stephen Bass ([bass.stephen@icloud.com](mailto:bass.stephen@icloud.com)) or Community Involvement Manager Scott Rosenstein ([scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org](mailto:scottrosenstein@tremontwest.org)) - 216.575.0920 ext. 106.

**POST 58** is open for business Monday-Thursday 4 pm to 1 am and Friday-Sunday Noon to close for your pleasure. Masks required. Enjoy one of Tremont's oldest historic buildings where Post 58 opened in 1945 to serve our neighborhood and support our churches. Hall available for meetings and small weddings. Position available for bar person. Post 58 2442 Professor Ave. 216-314-7654.

### Be a Part of Walkabout Tremont - Volunteers Needed

If you've participated in Walkabout Tremont, you know how much fun it is and how many people it brings to Tremont to support our local businesses and enjoy all that our neighborhood has to offer. We're looking for people to help to continue making Walkabout Tremont a success and who want to:

- Support local artists and Tremont businesses
- Be an ambassador for the neighborhood
- Use your creative and communication skills
- Have fun

Walkabout Tremont is looking for volunteers to help in several areas: monthly outreach to neighborhood businesses and art galleries, media relations, social media, setup the day of, and to be an ambassador the night of Walkabout (hand out even fliers, talk to visitors about the event and about Tremont). Walkabout Tremont happens the second Friday of each month.

Please contact Michelle Davis at [michelledavis@tremontwest.org](mailto:michelledavis@tremontwest.org) or 216-575-0920, ext. 103 if you'd like to be a part of Walkabout Tremont.

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- ★ Snack Stand with Movie Favorites (Available for purchase)
- ★ Raffles, Relays and Activities (Register when you arrive to be entered into raffles)
- ★ Teen 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament (Ages 11 to 19 year olds. Winning team gets a prize)
- ★ Cornhole and Other Outside Games

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**Ward 14 Councilwoman Jasmin Santana**

**2021 zoom Community Meetings FOR WARD 14**  
 "WORKING TOGETHER FOR OUR FAMILIES & CHILDREN"

**All Meetings are the last Thursday of the month from 6:00 - 7:00 pm.**

<b>APRIL 29</b>	<b>AUG 26</b>
<b>JUNE 24</b>	<b>SEPT 30</b>
<b>JULY 29</b>	<b>OCT 28</b>

**MEETINGS WILL BE VIA ZOOM UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**  
 Every month we will have a featured guest that will provide information and resources.

**TO JOIN MEETINGS VIA VIDEO:** Join Zoom Meeting: <https://bit.ly/3o1d1>  
 Meeting ID: 885 2626 6680 Passcode: 2021

**TO JOIN MEETINGS VIA PHONE:** Dial in to Zoom Meeting: +1 829 205 6089 US (New York)  
 Meeting ID: 885 2626 6680 Passcode: 2021

The Office of Councilwoman Jasmin Santana  
 OFFICE: 216-664-4238

**Grab a cup of coffee & join us!**

**Coffee with COUNCIL**

Councilwoman Jasmin Santana will host **small, in-person gatherings\*** with residents at the Ward 14 Fulton Rd office. Come share your concerns and ideas for the neighborhood!

**\*MEETINGS ARE SOCIALLY DISTANCED**

**When & Where**  
**11 am - 1 pm - First Friday of the Month (STARTING IN APRIL)**  
**The Ward 14 Office 3167 FULTON ROAD**

<b>APRIL 2</b>	<b>AUGUST 6</b>
<b>MAY 7</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 3</b>
<b>JUNE 4</b>	<b>OCTOBER 1</b>
<b>JULY 9*</b>	<b>(SECOND FRIDAY)</b>

Ward 14 Councilwoman Jasmin Santana  
 OFFICE: 216-664-4238

**HEAP Summer Crisis Program**

The HEAP Summer Crisis Program assists with electric utility bills, central air conditioning repairs, and purchases of an air conditioning unit and/or fan.

**Available July 1st to September 30th**

For more information, Contact Ursula Rossman at the Cleveland Department of Aging: 216-664-2239



# Join us on the Towpath Trail in Tremont!

We challenge you to get out on the Towpath Trail in Tremont! If you participate in 5 different activities by the end of September, we will reward you with a free incentive. (A gift card to a Tremont business of your choice.)

Group leaders will have Tremont Towpath Participation Cards and will initial to help you keep track. Please come masked and practice social distancing. Other ways to participate are to tag @tremontwest on social media and our partners of @OECanalway @WCAudubon @tremontathletic @clevevmetroparks or @clevelandpubliclibrary in a photo on the trail.

Email us at towpath@tremontwest.org with any questions about the program. In case of inclement weather, check [experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail](http://experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail) for up-to-date information.

Join Jill Hauger of the Cleveland Metroparks for a walk along the Cuyahoga River. We'll look at the nature in the city. We'll discuss some of the trails that connect the park to the city. This walk will take place on Sunday August 22nd and will meet at 10 am at the plaza next to Sokolowski's University Inn.

Towpath in Tremont Group	Date	Time	Location
Walking Club	Thurs., July 8th	6:30 pm	Clark Field Parking Lot
Family Group	Sat., July 10th	1:00 pm	Tremont Sideyard
Running Club	Thurs., July 15th	7:30 pm	Cleveland Sign
Tremont History Project	Sat., July 17th	9:30 am	Lincoln Park Gazebo
Tremont Bird Walk*	Sat., July 24th	9:00 am	Towpath Public Parking
Walking Club	Thurs., Aug. 12th	6:30 pm	Sokolowski's Plaza
Family Group	Sat., Aug. 14th	1:00 pm	Clark Field Trailhead
Running Club	Thurs., Aug. 19th	7:30 pm	Cleveland Sign
Tremont History Project	Sat., August 21st	9:30 am	Lincoln Park Gazebo
Cleveland Metroparks	Sun., August 22nd	10:00 am	Sokolowski's Plaza
Tremont Bird Walk*	Sat., August 28th	9:00 am	Towpath Public Parking
Walking Club	Thurs., September 9th	6:30 pm	Cleveland Sign
Family Group	Sat., September 11th	1:00 pm	Tremont Sideyard
Running Club	Thurs., September 16th	7:30 pm	Cleveland Sign
Tremont History Project	Sat., September 18th	9:30 am	Lincoln Park Gazebo
Tremont Bird Walk*	Sat., September 25th	9:00 am	Towpath Public Parking
Cleveland Metroparks	Sat., October 2nd	11:00 am	Merwin's Wharf

[experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail](http://experiencetremont.com/towpath-trail)

### Family Group

When: 2nd Sat. at 1pm (Alternating between the Clark Field Trailhead and Tremont Sideyard)  
Volunteer Leader: Cleveland Public Library's Jefferson and South Branches

### History Walks

When: 3rd Sat.'s at 9:30am  
Where: Lincoln Park Gazebo  
Volunteer Leader: Dan Lotz from Tremont History Project

### Walking Club

When: 2nd Thursday at 6:30pm  
Where: Locations listed above  
Volunteer Leader: Adrienne Gray  
All skill levels, children in strollers and leashed dogs are welcome!

### Running Club

When: 3rd Thursdays at 7:30pm  
Where: The Cleveland Sign  
Volunteer Leader: Amanda Hudock from Tremont Athletic Club

### Tremont Birders\*

When: 4th Saturdays at 9am  
Where: Towpath Parking Lot  
Volunteer Leader: Western Cuyahoga Audubon Society  
[www.wcaudubon.org](http://www.wcaudubon.org)  
\*Pre-registration Required

Towpath Trail in Tremont program is a partnership with Tremont West Development Corporation and the Ohio & Erie Canalway National Heritage Area with additional support from Cleveland-Cliffs



## Join Us for an Ice Cream Social at the Family Group in July!



**JULY 10, 1-3PM**

ICE CREAM SOCIAL IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING FAMILY GROUP

**TREMONT SIDEYARD**  
OFF ABBEY AVE



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### Block Club Meetings

Holmden-Buhrer-Rowley	7/7 at 6:30pm @ TBD
Mentor-Castle-Clark	7/7 at 6:30pm @ TBD
Lincoln Heights	7/12 at 6:00pm @ Tremont Taphouse
South of Jefferson	7/13 at 6:30pm @ Lucky Park
Irishtown Bend	7/14 at 6:30pm @ TBD
Auburn-Lincoln Park	7/19 at 6:30pm @ Lincoln Park
North of Literary	7/20 at 6:30pm @ TBD
Central Tremont	7/23 at 6:45pm @ Electric Gardens
Metro North	7/27 at 6:30pm @ St. Michael's
Duck Island	8/3 at 6:30pm @ Forest City Brewery

### Other Committee Meetings

Tremont West Economic Development Cmt.	7/1 6:30pm Virtually. Email Donna for details.
2nd District Police Community Relations	7/13 6pm Virtually. Email <a href="mailto:mmcdonald2@city.cleveland.oh.us">mmcdonald2@city.cleveland.oh.us</a>
Tremont West Safety Cmt.	7/14 6:30pm Virtually. Email <a href="mailto:safetremont@gmail.com">safetremont@gmail.com</a>
Tremont West Ad Hoc Arts Committee	TBD
Ward 3 Democratic Club	TBD
Ward 12 Democratic Club	TBD
Tremont West Board of Directors	7/15 6:30pm @ South Branch Library
Tremont History Project	No meeting in July. Join them for walk on 7/17.
Tremont West Ad Hoc Fundraising Cmt.	TBD.
Tremont West Nominating Committee	TBD.
Tremont West Finance Cmt.	TBD
Friends of Clark Field	TBD. Please call Bev at 310-6810.
Tremont West Governance Committee	TBD.
Tremont Gardeners	TBD
Friends of Tremont Montessori	TBD. Please call Cory, 216-575-0920, ext. 101

## Special Events

All Events & Meetings are Subject to Change:

- Tremont Farmers Market**  
Tuesdays, July 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th, 4 - 7 pm in Lincoln Park (See front page for details.)
- Towpath Trail in Tremont Programming**  
**Walking Club**, Thurs., July 8th, 6:30 pm at Clark Field Parking Lot  
**Family Group & Ice Cream Social**, Sat., July 10th; 1 pm at Tremont Sideyard Park  
**Running Club**, Thurs., July 15th, 7:30 pm at Cleveland Sign
- Tremont History Project**, Sat., July 17th, 9:30 am at Lincoln Park Gazebo  
**Tremont Bird Walk** - Must Pre-Register - Sat., July 24th, 9 am at Towpath Parking Lot
- Merrick House Activities**  
Open Gym on Mondays & Wednesdays from 3:30-5:30pm; City Connects Tuesdays from 5:30-7:30pm & Martial Arts 6-7pm
- Ward 14 Activities**  
Friday, July 9, 11am-1pm **Coffee with Council**  
Friday, July 16th, 7pm - **Summer Movie Nights**  
Thursday, July 29, 6pm **Community Meeting** (More info. on p. 4)
- Walkabout Tremont**  
Friday, July 9th, 5-9pm (See ad on page 5.)
- Tremont: Epicenter of Immigration Tour**  
Friday, July 9th in Lincoln Park (More info on front page.)
- Painting in the Park**  
Saturday, July 17th, 12-8pm in Lincoln Park (See ad on p. 5.)
- Blazing Paddles Paddlefest**  
Sat., July 24th, [sharetheriver.com/blazing-paddles/](http://sharetheriver.com/blazing-paddles/)
- Arts in August**  
8/6-CPT STEP; 8/7-Cleveland Shakespeare Festival; 8/13-Verb Ballets; 8/14-Inlet Dance; 8/21 Independent Music curated by Village Bicycle; 8/27 Erie Heights Brass Band; 8/28-Papo Ruiz y Delzura de la Salsa; 8/29-Arts Renaissance Tremont presents Cavani & Amici String Quartets (See p. 5 for details.)