Make your Voice Heard: Upcoming Voting Registration Events!

Volunteers will Help:
- Get you registered to vote
- Update your voting information
- Answer your questions
- Assist in every way to help YOU get your vote to the polls

Where & When:
- Reach Opportunity Center | Sept. 20, 2018 @ 2:00
- Joy Park | October 4, 2018 @ 2:00

To find out if you are registered to vote, visit:
https://voterlookup.sos.state.oh.us/voterlookup.aspx

**Coding for Change Event Offers Computers, Skills**

On Monday, August 20, kids aged 12-18 gathered at REACH opportunity Center to participate in "Coding for Change."

During the event, 25-30 children from AMHA received a free KANO computer kit and learned basic coding training to enhance their knowledge of computers. The kits and training were provided by Everyone On as a part of their Coding for Change program.
MEET TIARA

Tiara enrolled in the Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Program in February of 2014. At the time of her enrollment, she was working part-time as a Home Health Aide earning less than $8,000 per year.

In August, Tiara completed the FSS program earning triple her personal beginning income and an annual household earned income of almost five times more than beginning income. Tiara says she plans to put the “majority of her escrow earnings into purchasing her home.” She credits the FSS Program with “helping her stay on track with her credit and providing resource to becoming financially prepared and stable.”

Get Involved in A-CAN!

Community Action Network Meetings are Open to Eligible AMHA Residents

What is A-CAN?
- The AMHA Community Action Network (A-CAN) is a group of residents that meets monthly representing all AMHA residents. A-CAN's mission is to be the link for information and communication for all residents of AMHA, the staff, and the various resource groups in our community. A-CAN is committed to empowering all residents to realize their own dignity and potential, and to improving the image of public housing in Summit County.

How can I become an A-CAN Member?
- Attend a meeting! Any household member whose name is on the lease and is at least 18 years old is eligible to attend meetings.

Meetings are held at 10:30 every 2nd Friday of the month at AMHA Central Office: 100 West Cedar St.
Think Healthy Thoughts: Senior Health Fair Comes to Belcher

On Tuesday, August 28, residents of Belcher Senior Apartments attended a resident Health Fair to learn about helpful resources throughout the community. Representatives of Healthy Independence, Accudose Pharmacy, METRO, Guardian Medical Monitoring, Lincoln Heritage, and Simply EZ Meals presented attendees with information, gave them samples and goodies, and offered raffle prizes.

Belcher resident Wanda Davis attended the event and was excited to learn about the various services.

Wanda was especially excited about Metro RTA services. "I'm going to park my car for the winter-- I don't want to drive," said Davis.

Join us at our upcoming Health Fairs!
Sept. 10 | 1:30 pm | Allen Dickson
Sept. 25 | 1:30 pm | Alpeter

"I'm going to get some new meals [from Simply EZ]-- I'm going to call them tomorrow!" said Wanda Davis, Belcher Resident.

REACH Opportunity Center Open Computer Lab

Need computer access? Reminder: REACH Opportunity Center has open computer hours M-F from 9am-4pm.

Labs are open to the public during the day for personal use. All are welcome, services are designed for beginners to experts. Computers can be used for school work, searching for jobs, social media, and more. Staff is available to assist you!

REACH Opportunity Center is located at 390 West Crosier Street. For more information call: (330) 252-9271.
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**Find AMHA on Social Media!**

For more events, resources, and information, find AMHA and AMHA Resident Services on social media!

AMHA Facebook | Resident Services Facebook | Reach Opportunity Center Facebook
AMHA Linkedin | Early Childhood Initiative Twitter

**We're here for you!**

As the link between residents and community services, AMHA’s Resident Services brings more than just housing to our residents! We can help with programs, activities, referrals, and resources. For more info contact Resident Services at 330-376-9699

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