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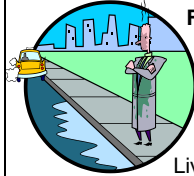
NEIGHBORHOOD pride!

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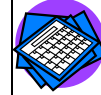
Far East Is Getting Some New Sidewalks!

New sidewalks along Livingston Avenue between Woodcrest and Lonsdale, and along Refugee Road between Hamilton and Big Walnut Creek are coming! Councilmember Hearcel F. Craig, Chair of Health, Housing, and Human Services Committee said, "Safe sidewalks are essential to healthy neighborhoods." <http://www.columbuscitycouncil.org/>.



FREE Work Readiness Workshop!

Goodwill of Columbus, in cooperation with **COWIC**, is hosting 15-hour Work Readiness Workshops at the Battelle Career Education Center, 1331 Edgehill Road. The sessions are Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to Noon. Call Kaiser at **583-0446** or Stephanie at **583-0237** to register or to get more information.



Save the Date(s)! Upcoming East Side Events You'll Want To Attend:

Ongoing, every Saturday, 5PM at Brookwood Presbyterian Church, Free "Supper Services." **235-3451**

Ongoing, every Monday, 9AM – Noon, **Goodwill's Work Readiness Workshop**, free 5-day (M-F) course, Battelle Career Education Center. <http://www.goodwillcolumbus.org>.

Feb. 23, 9 – 11AM, Mt. Carmel Health Van at Bishop Griffin Center. Details at <http://www.bishopgriffincenter.org>.

Feb. 23, 11AM – 1PM, Child Immunization Event. http://pub.lichealth.columbus.gov/uploadedfiles/public_health/content_administrators/press_room/announcements/iz%202011%20event_s.pdf.

Feb. 24, 10:30AM – 2PM, at Aladdin Shrine Center. <http://www.choicerecareerfaairs.com/columbus-jobs>. Bring your resume!

Mar. 1, 8, 15, 7-9 PM, **Father Factor** training for dads at First Church of God. <http://www.corpoi.org>, 231-9564, ext. 261.

Mar. 1-31, CNC open grants applications. **724-0104**

Mar. 2-Apr. 6, 6PM – 8:30PM, **Diabetes Self-Management Program**. Reservations required, call **884-4400**.

Mar. 11, 8AM – Noon, **Free HIV & STD Testing**, First Church of God Refugee Rd. You must be 13 years of age or older. <http://pub.lichealth.columbus.gov/sexual-health.aspx>.



Got Library Fines?

Did you know you can READ them off? You can get a \$2 credit for every 15 minutes you read to a child: <http://ebranch2prod.columbuslibrary.org/readyto readcorps/>.



The Father Factor Is For Dads, Tuesday Nights!

The **Father Factor** positive mentoring program is for good dads who want to be great dads. On Tuesday evenings, from 7:00 to 9:00 PM, dads can get the support they need to be a nurturing father and a positive role model for their kids. Sponsored by **City of Refuge Point of Impact**, four sessions will be held at First Church of God, 3480 Refugee Rd. For details, call Willie Wright at **231-9564, ext. 261**, or email him at wwright@corpoi.org.



From Officer Poole, Your Safety Liaison: CNC Grant Apps Open On March 1

There is money available to help your community, and if you don't apply for it, someone else will. The CNC Anti-Violence grants offer up to \$1,000 to neighborhood groups, and applications are open March 1-31. Cynthia, our grants person at the Pride Center, has the application materials and she can email them to you: cylois@columbus.gov, **724-0104**. Be safe!



FREE Diabetes Self-Management Program Wednesdays beginning March 2nd through April 6th, at 6:00 PM at Central Ohio Diabetes Association's offices, 1100 Dennison Ave. Details at: <http://www.dia.betesohio.org/EDUCATION/Resources/ClassDescriptions/tabid/134/Default.aspx>. The 6-week course is free, so call to reserve a spot: **884-4400**.



NCRC Announces Its National Neighbors Silver Initiative & PNC's Arts Alive Applications Now Available -- Hurry!

501(c)(3)'s and 501(c)(4)'s can now apply for **National Neighbors Silver** grants to support and empower older adults in their communities. Details are at <http://www.ncrc.org/media-center/press-releases/item/550-ncrc-announces-rfp-for-initiative-to-empower-older-adults>.

PNC's Arts Alive grant applications are now being accepted. Up to \$25K will be awarded visual and performing arts organizations throughout Central Ohio. But hurry! The short-form Phase One applications are due on February 28th: <http://www.pncartsalive.com/columbus/>.

Got News? Be sure to let us know!



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