

A NOTE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Residents of YHC Properties,

Your safety and well-being are, and have always been, the highest priority of both the Ypsilanti Housing Commission and me personally. Regrettably, there has been an upswing of violent crime this summer in the southern Ypsilanti area. The YHC and our property management and supportive service partners are doing all we can to ensure our community is a safe place to call home, but now more than ever, we need your help.

How we are responding to the elevated criminal activity occurring in and around our community:

Increased security: All YHC properties will continue to have a security presence, but we have changed security companies and have also increased the frequency of patrols.

Increased police presence

Additional security cameras

Zero tolerance for violent crime: We generally find that crimes that occur on our properties are committed by non-residents. However, if a resident, <u>or a guest of a resident</u>, is found to be responsible for bringing violent crime to our community, <u>we will not hesitate to terminate their lease.</u> Remember, all residents are responsible for the actions of their guests.

As residents, how can you help keep your community safe?

If you see something, say something: The most important thing you can do to help keep your community safe is to be the eyes and ears of your neighborhood. Broadmoor Security dispatch is available to all residents to report suspicious activity, noise complaints, loitering, or other criminal activity. However, please do not hesitate to call 911 if you feel unsafe and need an immediate response from the police.

Broadmoor Security Dispatch: 7pm-5am (517) 940-4417

File written complaints with management: The management offices are also available during business hours if you need to make a written complaint about any inappropriate activity taking place on the property. Any written complaints made by a resident will remain confidential, if requested.

Help the police solve crimes: I would like to thank all the community members, residents, City Councilpersons, and local law enforcement who attended the town hall meeting last week to address the recent crime spike. What the police need most from you is information, no matter how insignificant you may think it is. Many times, successful arrests are the result of many small tips that fill in a bigger picture. Remember, the police will also accept anonymous tips if you are not comfortable providing your name.

We didn't spend years redeveloping our communities just to let criminals take over. <u>Home is the one place everyone should feel safe.</u> Work with us and your neighbors to ensure that YHC communities remain a safe place everyone can be proud to call home.

Respectfully,

Zac Fosler, Executive Director & CEO

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RESIDENT HIGHLIGHTS

We would like to highlight Terri Wells at 834 Hilyard Robinson Way for her beautiful flower garden!

Do you have a resident highlight?
Please email Tarah Hearns hearnst@ypsilantihc.org
Or call (734) 482-4300





FROM THE SOCIAL WORKER'S DESK

Hello families of Deborah Strong Housing, Hamilton Crossing, and New Parkridge. I want to thank you all for opening up your hearts, and homes to me. I am leaving my position with FEP to pursue other adventures. My last day is July 31st. The last four years have been a roller coaster ride with all of the ups and downs that life can throw our way. If I had the chance to do it all over again, I would not change a thing. Take care of yourselves, and each other.

~Darlene

CONGRATS 2019 GRADUATES!

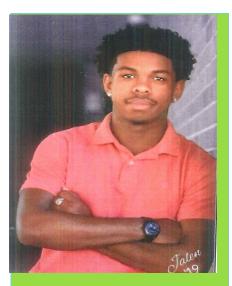
Jalen Aldridge- 2019 Graduate of YCS. Will attend Western Michigan University this fall to study computer engineering

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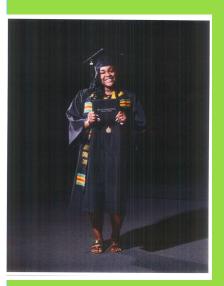
Eumira Lawrence-2019 Graduate of YCS. Plans to attend Washtenaw Community College in the Fall.

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Alicia Lucas-2019 Graduate of YCS. Will attend Washtenaw Community College this fall to become a Home Health Care Nurse.

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Dery'l Lucas-2019 Graduate of YCS. Will attend Sienna Heights College this fall.

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Not Pictured:

Jaylin Cooper-2019 Graduate of Ann Arbor Skyline High School.

Antonio Foreman-2019 Graduate of YCS.

Calley Hall-2019 Graduate of YCS. Catera Richardson-Jonzille- 2019 Graduate of Ann Arbor Pioneer High School. Plans to attend Washtenaw Community College this fall.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

July 11—Black Girls Heal (New Parkridge, 6pm)

July 15—Sauk Trail Pointe National Night Out Planning (3-5pm)

July 16— New Parkridge, National Night Out Planning (3-4pm)

July 17—Sauk Trail Pointe National Night Out Planning (3-5pm)

Body Goals Boot Camp (New Parkridge, 5:30-6:30pm)

July 26—Jazz in the Parking Lot (Shadford Field Parking Lot, 7-9pm)



July 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			





BLACK GIRLS HEAL

Have you struggled with insecurity in your relationship?

Has social media impacted you or your partner?

Do you have trust issues that you can't seem to

get past?

Tired of being single but not willing to settle?

Has your current or past relationship changed how you see yourself or others?

Join us in talking about some of these issues and more, learn ways to cope and get back to being YOU!

Breaking the Cycle
Setting Boundaries
Rebuilding Trust

Loving Yourself First
Healing from the Inside Out
Anxiety & Depression

Thursdays 6:00pm @ New Parkridge

SAUK TRAIL POINTE

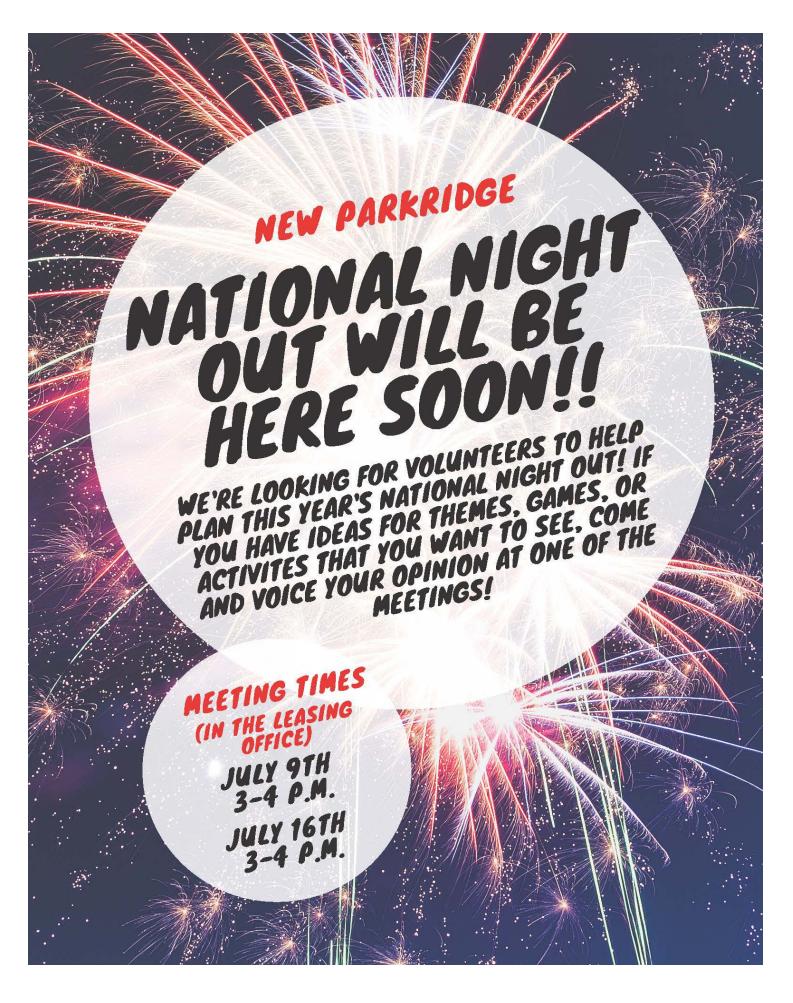
NATIONAL NIGHT OUT WILL BEHERE SOON!!

WE'RELOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS TO HELP
PLANTHIS YEAR'S NATIONAL NIGHT OUT! IF
PLANTHIS YEAR'S NATIONAL NIGHT OUT! IF
YOU HAVE IDEAS FOR THEMES, GAMES, OR
ACTIVITES THAT YOU WANT TO SEE, COME
AND VOICE YOUR OPINION AT ONE OF THE
MEETINGS!

MEETING TIMES
(IN THE LEASING OFFICE)

JULY 15TH
3-5 P.M.

JULY 17TH
3-5 P.M.





07/17 5:30-6:30

Ashley Hardy of **Fitchick Motivation**

- Health Education
- Personal **Fitness Training**
- Healthy Eating

All experience levels are welcomed. All children must be accompanied by an adult. If you wish to participate please stop into the office to sign-up, space is limited

































MEETUP and EATUP

WHAT ARE YOUR KIDS DOING THIS SUMMER?

FRIENDS, FOOD, AND FUN!

KIDS EAT FREE ALL SUMMER LONG



Meals Served in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti

No Registration Required!

June 24 – August 23 Monday – Friday Breakfast, Lunch and Snack Served CALL Food Gatherers at (734) – 761 – 2796

Visit: <u>www.foodgatherers.org/summerfood</u>
This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

FOODGATHERERS, ORG / SUMMERFOOD FOR MORE INFORMATION



TAKE A STEP TOWARD TOTAL WELLNESS & JOIN THE FEP
TEAM ON FEEL GOOD FRIDAY'S.

WE WILL MEET AT CLUBHOUSE & SELECT A LOCAL PARK
TO GO WALKING!

PLEASE ARRIVE TO OFFICE BY 9:30AM ON FRIDAY'S IF
YOU'D LIKE TO PARTICIPATE

Hamilton Crossing

JOB CLUB

Recomended that you bring Resume

July 10th 2019

and every other Wednesday 10am-noon

Located at

Hamilton Crossing Community Room

Hosted by Wade Smith

Of the Ann Arbor Housing Commission

- Job club will have
- -Job searching
- -Application Assistance
- -Resume building
- -Available Job Leads

For Further inquirey please contact Mark Hammond



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596 S Hamilton St, Ypsilanti, MI 48197

U-M researchers are seeking families with children between the ages of 8-10 to participate in a study







This research study will explore eating habits within a family household through questionnaires and study tasks

Families will be compensated up to \$80 upon completion of the study

Who can participate?

Families that have a child or children between the ages of 8 and 10 years old.



What is involved?

The study team will come to your home for two 120-minute visits (one now and one in 12 mos.)

https://UMHealthResearch.org/#studies/HUM00135007

Pearl Xiao (734) 757-3681 family.food.study@umich.edu

OUR COMMUNITIES

Hamilton Crossing (144 Units) 596 South Hamilton St.

Hollow Creek (24 Units)

A Deborah Strong Property

130 S. Grove

New Parkridge (86 Units) 831 Hilyard Robinson Way

Sauk Trail Pointe (36 Units) A Deborah Strong Property 928 W. Michigan Ave.

Scattered Sites (29 Units)

Towner (23 Units)
A Deborah Strong Property
Towner St.

Ypsilanti Housing Commission 601 Armstrong Dr. Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-482-4300

Family Empowerment Program (734) 340-2411

Hamilton Crossing 596 S. Hamilton Street (734)-484-1706

> Hollow Creek 130 S. Grove (734) 221-5499

New Parkridge 831 Hilyard Robinson Way (734) 961-7453

Sauk Trail Pointe 928 W. Michigan Ave. (734) 547-5117

Teen Support Group

Teens will be able to come together and talk about issues they face

Where: Sauk Trail Pointe

Community Room

928 W. Michigan Avenue

When: Every Tuesday & Thursday

Time: 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.



For questions call BSW Intern Haneen at (734) 249-9181

