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WESTWOOD CIVIC
ASSOCIATION

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FELLOW WESTWOODIANS,

I hope everyone has enjoyed the start of summer!

Some happy personal news - My wife Jackie and I are now parents to 5 children. Baby Eloise was born on June 23rd and both Jackie and Eloise are happy and healthy. I somehow forgot about the no sleep thing, but Eloise is obviously worth waking up every 2 hours. We are thrilled to raise our family in Westwood.

Speaking of happy news, I am sure many of you have seen that a solid chunk of Town Hall grounds is open, including the playground! We have been there several times now and the kids love it. The park is already fulfilling its purpose of getting neighbors together. A simple introduction to a new neighbor goes a long way to creating the neighborhood we all want to call home.

The Westwood Strategic Plan is in need of updating. The Westwood Civic Association voted in May to allow Westwood Coalition to move forward with developing a steering committee of 10-12 people to begin the process of creating an updated plan. We have an application online to allow you to become part of the steering committee. Application is here: <https://forms.gle/oAhyQo1pqaTgZt7N8> - The application will be open until mid July. Please apply and help your neighborhood continuously improve.

On a serious note, Westwood Civic is working to have the Jubilee Market (corner of McHenry and Harrison) returned to City of Cincinnati ownership. Violent crime has decreased greatly since the original market was shut down. The original intentions of the City and Jubilee were outstanding. The Jubilee Market was the recipient of a forgivable loan by the City taxpayers to acquire the property. If they did A, B, C, D, and E the loan would be forgiven and they would be the sole owner of the property. They did not do A, B, C, D, or E and the City still forgave the loan. Mayor Cranley is furious over this lack of oversight on the part of the City and is working with us to right the wrong. Jubilee is attempting to sell the building for over \$200k which in my opinion is not theirs to sell, to begin with. With that said, Jubilee has stated that they want the building to be sold to a party who will create a positive impact in the area which is good news. Though, the fact remains that their obtaining ownership does not pass the smell test.

I hope everyone has a great 4th of July!

Henry Frondorf

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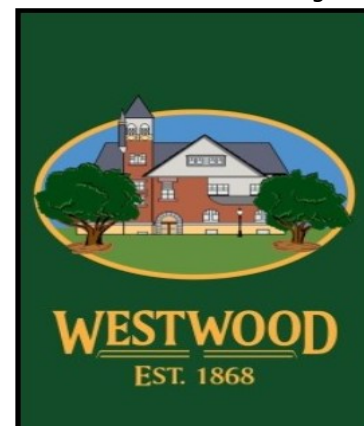
WESTWOOD CIVIC MEETINGS

- *Steering Committee Meetings* are held at Westwood Town Hall, **7:00pm**, on the second Tuesday of Jan, April, July, & October
- *General Membership Meetings* are held at Westwood Town Hall, **7:00pm**, on the **third Tuesday of each month**.
- ALL meetings are open to the public. **EVERYONE** is welcome!

Westwood Flags are Back!

\$30 Order yours today! [.org](http://www.org)

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Regarding Adopt-a-Pot. Now that the rain has ceased (for the time being, at least) be sure you visit with your 'plant children' and keep them fed and watered. Adopters were encouraged to partner with the nearest local business to ensure that the watering task did not become overwhelming. . . Did you talk with your partner lately? The coming dry spell will give you the opportunity to do so and build community! Need to replace something? I have cannas that want to GROW! Email me at: majones711@gmail.com



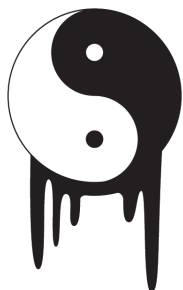
After a very successful Westwood Second Saturday event in June, we are coming back in July! Westwood Works will be conducting the next Second Saturday event on Saturday, July 13, from 5:00 to 10:00. Harrison Ave., between Montana and Epworth, will be closed for this event.

Event includes craft beer from West Side and Braxton, great live music, a great variety of food trucks and booths, and a wealth of games and activities for all ages.

This is a family and pet friendly event. Don't miss it!

Check out the new and improved Town Hall Playground! The work is progress along and looks to be quite the improvements to our beloved Town Hall.





CINCINNATI UNITED YOUTH COUNCIL

Cincinnati United Youth Council wishes to thank everyone who stopped by at June's Second Saturday and bought lemonade, water, or soda from them. We'll be at the July Second Saturday on July 13, as well as Jammin at the James on July 27th.

The leadership team meets the first and third Monday of the month at (at Town Hall and Third Presbyterian, respectively)

at 7pm, and plans activities for their peers as well as ways to positively contribute to the community. For more information, follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/cincyunitedyouthcouncil) or Instagram (@cincyunited), or email emilylynwca@gmail.com

WESTWOOD CIVIC ASSOCIATION 2018 MAY 2019 TREASURER'S REPORT			
	Deposits	Payments	Balance
May 1, 2018 Balance			\$15,488.34
Westwoods Advertisements	\$720.00		
Campaign Monitor (May))		\$60.18	
Community Gardens	\$300.00	\$13.41	
Gazebo Construction Supplies		\$195.35	
Annual Insurance Renewal		\$374.00	
Donation to MultiCultural Fest		\$400.00	
Miscellaneous	\$0.66		
Memberships	\$45.00		
Adopt a Pot Supplies		\$153.83	
Westwood Sign Electricity		\$15.08	
May Westwoods		\$339.50	
Youth Council	\$50.00	\$30.18	
June 1, 2018 Balance			\$15,024.49
CommunityGardens Balance			\$2,858.49
Eagle Scout Project Balance			\$441.54
Youth Council Balance			\$790.75
WCA Available Balance			\$10,933.71
SAVINGS			
5/1/2019 Balance			\$8,949.45
Interest			\$0.07
6/1/2019 Balance			\$8,949.52

Westwood Branch Library

by Aallyah Ivey



All library locations will be closed on Thursday, July 4th in observance of the Independence Day Holiday.

Summer Adventure began June 1st!
Stop by any location to receive your passport.

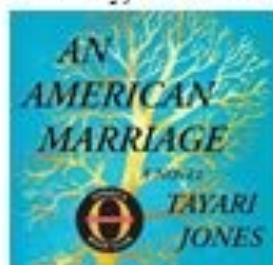


Come & Join us for...

- o **My Plate**— Thursday, July 11th @ 2PM— Children
 - o Learn healthy habits with Chef Bon Appetit as he teaches rambunctious Chip the importance of eating right, and humdrum Tofutti the value of creative exercise. This interactive workshop is presented by The Children's Theatre, TCT on Tour. For children ages 4-10. Registration is not required.
- o **Taste of Korean Food**— Thursday, July 25th @ 2PM— All Ages Children
 - o Explore the flavors of Korea! Join us to learn and sample Korean food and culture. Registration required.
- o **Zoo on the Move**— Monday, July 29th @ 2PM— All Ages Children
 - o Join us and the Cincinnati Zoo for a fun and interactive program highlighting the amazing adaptations and survival stories of 3 Zoo animal ambassadors. Learn about the important role each species plays and ways we can all become involved in protecting wildlife and wild places. During this program participants will have the opportunity to touch and/or interact with animals. Presented by the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden. Ages 5-12. Registration required.

Adult Book Club

Thursday, June 25th at 7PM



An American Marriage by Tayari Jones
Newlyweds Celestial and Roy are the embodiment of both the American Dream and the New South. He is a young executive, and she is an artist on the brink of an exciting career. But as they settle into the routine of their life together, they are ripped apart by circumstances neither could have imagined. In this deft exploration of love, loyalty, race, justice, and both Black masculinity and Black womanhood in 21st century America, Jones achieves that most-elusive of all literary goals: the Great American Novel.

Join us at the Westwood Branch Library for these exciting programs!
For information on any of our programs, please contact us at 369-4474.

Programs made possible by the Friends of the Public Library and the Kersten Fund.

Westwood Branch Library

Hours of Operation:

3345 Epworth Avenue

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday: 12-8

513-369-4474

Wednesday/ Friday/ Saturday: 10-6

www.cincinnatiilibrary.org



Do Pigs Fly? The Story of Porkopolis

Wednesday, July 10, 7:00 pm

Westwood First Presbyterian Church

(3011 Harrison Avenue, entrance and parking off of Koenig Avenue)

Cincinnati was once known by the nickname of "Porkopolis," the largest meat packing center in the world. Visitors to the city often had to walk down streets crowded with pigs being herded to city slaughter houses. Pigs from Cincinnati fed our country, and the meat packers' methods also helped to revolutionize the country's industries. From pig pens to the dinner plate, learn how pigs helped build Cincinnati. All are welcome!

Westwood-Opoly!

Games are still available now at a discount! Games are \$20 through Westwood Historical Society, Henke Wine, Wooden Hill and at various community events.

"On the Right Track"

This book on historical Cincinnati intraurban railroads by John H. White was published by the Cincinnati Railroad Club. One chapter is devoted to the Cincinnati & Westwood Railroad and the cover image depicts a picture of the railroad. Westwood Historical Society has a number of the books available at a reduced price.

Check out www.WestwoodHistorical.org

Events

Art Start: Theater & Creative Play: July 20 from 11:00am-12:00pm

Geared towards families with preschool aged children, but all siblings are welcome. Register your whole family for only \$1.

Available Camps

Advanced Madcamp: Ages 10-13, July 8-12 from 1-3:30pm

Jewelry Making Camp: Ages 10-13, July 8-12 from 9-11:30am

CYPT Prep: Musical Theater: Ages 10-13, July 15-19 from 9am-3pm

Magic Camp: Ages 8-12, July 22-26 from 1-3:30pm

Performing Arts Sampler: Ages 4-8, July 22-26 from 1-3:30pm

Drawing and Illustration: Ages 9-12, July 29- August 2 from 9-11:30am

Available Courses

"Pay What You Can" Yoga: Saturdays, June 8- August 10 at 9:00am

Beginning Ballet for Adults: Saturdays, June 3- August 10 at 11:00am

Werk It Cardio for Adults: Saturdays, June 3- August 10 at 12:00pm

Yoga Flow: Saturdays, June 3- August 10 at 12:30pm

Intro to Tap for Adults: Tuesdays, June 4- August 6 at 6:30pm

Story Time Yoga: Saturdays, June 3- August 10 at 11:00am, Ages 3-9

Classes start at only \$5!

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