

FRANKLINTON NEWSLETTER

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Introduction

Happy June! What's the BUZZ around Franklinton? Read on to find out where to BEE!

As always, check [Franklinton.org](http://franklinton.org) for updated information. Future issues can be found online at <http://franklinton.org/newsletter/>.

Franklinton Area Commission Elections

The Franklinton Area Commission meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 6PM at the Mount Carmel Healthy Living Center (777 W. State St, 43222). The goal is to connect with neighborhood residents, groups, businesses, organizations, property owners, developers, and city officials. Commissioners have monthly meetings to attend as volunteers. This is your neighborhood connection to the City of Columbus government. Commissioners are elected by neighbors, and each commission has its own bylaws and regulations. When necessary, city council looks to commission votes to inform decisions that go to a council vote, but the votes of the commission are only advisory, never binding.

If the idea of advocating on behalf of your community and working with the City sounds like something you'd like to do, then run for a Franklinton Area Commission seat! **Citywide Area Commission elections will be held on August 26th from 10AM-2PM.** Candidate Petition Packets are available online at www.cbuseareacommissions.org. More info to come about elections in future issues!



Franklinton National Night Out 2023

SAVE THE DATE for National Night Out in Franklinton on **Tuesday, August 1st from 5:30-8PM at Avondale Schoolyard** (141 Hawkes Ave). Celebrate community! We will have free food, raffle prizes, community resources, kid activities, a backpack giveaway, and more!

Stay updated with our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/ftonnationalnightout.

Financial Life-skills Program at Healthy Living Center

Franklinton Development Association in collaboration with the Mount Carmel Healthy Living Center is offering the Financial Life-skills Program **beginning in late-June. Registration is REQUIRED & space is limited.** Before enrolling, please make sure you are available for all 6 classes, and participants must live in Franklin County to be in the program due to funding. To register, please visit <https://mountcarmelhealth.com/hlc>.

The 12-hour program is broken up into 6 classes:

1. Your Relationship with Money
2. Budgeting
3. Banks & Credit
4. Loan & Debt management
5. Job-training & Entrepreneurship
6. Taxes & Risk Management



Upon completion, you will receive a financial incentive of \$252 and a graduation certificate. While in the program, we will connect you with other organizations and resources through guest speakers and materials.

If you are interested in participating in the program, but cannot make this timeframe or the class is full, please register online for future classes: <https://franklintondevelopment.org/flsp>.

Get Covered Ohio

Need help with your health insurance coverage? All Medicaid members will have to renew their health coverage. If you receive a notice that you are no longer eligible for Medicaid and need help finding new coverage, request local help or schedule an appointment today. Call 833-628-4467 (Monday-Friday from 8AM-5PM) or visit www.getcoveredohio.org.

Need to speak with someone in-person? Southeast Healthcare's federally certified health insurance navigators provide free and unbiased, in-person education and enrollment assistance for Medicaid & A.C.A. Marketplace health insurance at the **Hilltop Library on the first and third Thursdays from 2-5PM**. Drop-in's welcome, or call 614-547-9004 to schedule an appointment.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Franklinton Garden Tour

Join neighbors and friends for the Franklinton Garden Tour on **Sunday, June 25th from 1-5PM**. From personal gardens to urban farms, there is so much beauty to see!

Pick up maps at these locations:

- Hibernia Herbal Learning Garden – 141 N. Princeton Ave
- Magic House Farms – 120 N. Yale Ave
- Franklinton Farms – 867 W Town St, Suite A

Free Yoga Flow at Lower Lights Health Center

Join Lower Lights Health Center for FREE yoga classes on the **second and fourth Thursdays from 5:30-6:15PM** at the Lower Lights Health Event Space (1160 W. Broad St, 43222), which is the former Jubilee Market.

Free Library Days at Vets Memorial

As a community partner of the Columbus Metropolitan Library, the National Veterans Memorial and Museum is offering free admission to the Museum when you show your library card on **June 22-24; July 13-15; August 4-6 from 10AM-5PM**.

All visitors are encouraged to:

- Touch and try on military gear and artifacts
- Listen to featured Veterans share their stories
- Write letters to Veterans and active-duty service members
- Ask questions
- See the beautiful watercolor paintings created by a U.S. Navy Veteran
- Reflect on the stories heard and connect to your own experience

Franklinton Wellness Walks



Enjoy walking with others at a comfortable pace on **Tuesday, June 6th and Tuesday, 20th**. Each week they will start at the Mount Carmel Healthy Living Center with different themes or topics. Wear walking shoes and dress for the weather.

Space is limited and registration is required. To register:
<http://mountcarmelhealth.com/hlc>.

FrankaLOO Community Festival






Save the date for FrankaLOO, a free community festival by Franklinton Farms on **Saturday, July 8th from 3-5PM at the Patrick Kaufman Learning Garden** (154 Hawkes Ave). There will be pizza and food from the food truck, activities for kids and adults, live music and more! The rain date is July 9th 3-5pm.



Calendar of Events: June

To see more details on the events listed visit:

<https://franklinton.org/resources/events/>.

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			1 Produce Giveaway @ 3-5PM, Sullivant Gardens Rec Center	2 	3 Community Ride @ 10AM-Noon, Franklinton Cycle Works	4
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5	6 FAC Zoning Committee @ 6PM, Mount Carmel HLC	7 	8 Produce Giveaway @ 3-5PM, Dodge Rec Center Free Yoga @ 5:30-6:15PM, LLCHC	9	10 Franklinton Fridays	11
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12	13 Franklinton Area Commission @ 6PM, Mount Carmel HLC	14	15	16 Hygiene Help @ 10AM-5PM, Dodge Rec Center	17	18 
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19 	20	21	22 Free Library Days @ 10AM-5PM, NVMM Free Yoga @ 5:30-6:15PM, LLCHC	23	24	25 Franklinton Garden Tour @ 1-5PM
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26	27 FAC Housing & Development Committee @ 5:30PM, Mount Carmel HLC	28	29	30 		

Questions? Comments? Call us at 614-636-3644, or send us an email at info@franklinton.org.

