

Tree Town Log



A calendar listing of City of Ann Arbor monthly events

August 2010

Open Wednesdays and Saturdays

Ann Arbor Farmers Market, 315 Detroit St., 734.794.6255 / www.a2gov.org/market.

Sundays

1 p.m. Social Bridge — Ann Arbor Senior Center #.

All ages welcome. Doors open at 12:30 p.m.

After 4 p.m. Sunday Night Family Night —

Huron Hills Golf Course, 3465 E. Huron River Drive.

Any adult and child (under 17) can play a free nine-hole round of golf after 4 p.m. Sorry, no rain checks and only a 1:1 ratio. Details and to book your time:

www.a2golf.org / 734.794.6246.

Mondays @ Ann Arbor Senior Center#

11 a.m. Knitting/Sewing

12:45 p.m. Duplicate Bridge

1 p.m. Mah Jong

Monday – Wednesday, Aug. 2 – 4

6 – 9 p.m. Studio Class** — CTN, 2805 S.

Industrial, Suite 200. Learn lighting and set design, camera composition, audio set-up and studio camera operation; and other technical aspects of producing a studio shoot. Must attend all three evenings. Free. Plus: crew on live studio shoot, Thursday, Aug. 5 (crew call at 6:30 p.m.). Details: www.a2gov.org/ctn / 734.794.6150, ext. 0.

Tuesdays @ Ann Arbor Senior Center#

9:30 a.m. Bridge

10 a.m. Scrabble

2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Investing Basics with Edward Jones.

All are welcome.

Tuesdays, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24

10 – 11:30 a.m. River Kindergartners —

Gallup Canoe Livery, 3000 Fuller Road. Details:

734.794.6240 / www.a2gov.org/canoe. Discover the Huron River world of turtles, ducks, fish and bugs with boats, hikes, fishing poles, nets, stories, art and play. For kids ages 5 to 6 years old w/caregiver. Siblings' ages 1 to 4 years old are also welcome. Fee: \$64/\$52 for residents. Pre-registration.

Tuesday, Aug. 3

7 a.m. – 8 p.m. State Primary Election. All city polling places will be open for this citywide election

to nominate candidates for the mayor and Ann Arbor City Council. Other county, state and federal offices will also appear on this ballot. Details: www.a2gov.org/elections / 734.794.6140.

4 p.m. Land Acquisition Committee —

Cobblestone Farm, 2781 Packard Road.

5:30 p.m. Public Market Advisory Commission

— Ann Arbor District Library Downtown Branch, fourth floor board room, 343 S. Fifth Ave. *Replays on CTN 16: Thurs. 8/5 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/7 at 3 p.m.*

CANCELLED City Planning Commission (Business Meeting).

7:30 p.m. Downtown Citizens Advisory Council

— Fourth floor conference room, City Hall.

Wednesdays @ Ann Arbor Senior Center

12:45 – 4 p.m. ACBL Bridge. Fee: \$5.

Wednesdays

5:30 – 7 p.m. Downtown Design Guidelines

Task Force meetings — Sixth floor conference room, City Hall.

Wednesday, Aug. 4

CANCELLED: Ann Arbor Downtown Development Authority August Meeting.

6 – 8 p.m. Public Meeting to Review the Zoning Ordinance Reorganization Project (ZORO)

Diagnosis and Annotated Outline — Council chambers, second floor, City Hall. The ZORO Diagnosis and Annotated Outline provides an overview of concerns with 11 chapters of the City Code related to land use and development, and outlines how these code sections will be reorganized into a single Unified Development Code. Meeting attendees can review the document, ask questions and offer comment. Details: contact Alexis DiLeo, extension 734.794.6000, ext. 42610 / adileo@a2gov.org; or visit www.a2gov.org/zoro.

Thursdays @ Ann Arbor Senior Center#

9:30 a.m. Men's Club

Noon ACBL Bridge — Fee: \$5.

Thursdays

10 – 11:30 a.m. River Kids — Gallup Canoe Livery, 3000 Fuller Road. Experience river adventures with your little one by kayak, canoe or paddleboat

on Gallup Pond. Experience the thrill of catching fish off the docks and discovering river critters with stories, art and play. Fee: \$64/\$52 for residents, per child/month (sibling discount available); ages 2 to 4 years w/caregiver. Pre-registration required. Details: 734.794.6240 / www.a2gov.org/canoe.

Thursday, Aug. 5

7 p.m. City Council Meeting (Regular Session) —

Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Fri. 8/6 at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.*

Saturdays

2 – 3:30 p.m. Golf Clinics — Huron Hills Golf Course, 3465 E. Huron River Drive. Clinics include long game, short game, trouble shots and putting. Fees: \$18/clinic or \$60 for all four clinics. Details: 734.794.6246 / www.a2golf.org.

Saturday, Aug. 7

9 a.m. – noon Dolph Nature Area Workday* — Meet on east side of Wagner Road, between Liberty and Jackson.

Monday – Wednesday, Aug. 9 – 11

Herb Fowler Junior Golf Championship — Huron Hills Golf Course, 3465 E. Huron River Drive. Details: 734.794.6246 / www.a2golf.org.

Tuesday, Aug. 10

7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Steward's Circle — Bruegger's Bagels, 709 N. University Ave. Details: www.stewardshipnetwork.org.

1 p.m. Testing of the outdoor warning sirens

— Conducted by the City of Ann Arbor Office of Emergency Management, 734.794.6980.

4:30 p.m. Ann Arbor Public Art Commission — City Center Building, seventh floor conference room, 220 E. Huron St.

5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Ann Arbor Energy Commission — County Administration Building, County Board of Commission public meeting room, 220 N. Main St. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Wed. 8/11 at 10 a.m.; Sun. 8/15 at 2 p.m.*

7 p.m. City Planning Commission (Working Session) — Sixth floor conference room, City Hall.

Wednesday, Aug. 11

4:30 p.m. Greenbelt Advisory Committee — County Administration Building, County Board of

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Commission public meeting room, 220 N. Main St. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Thurs. 8/12 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/14 at 9 a.m.*

6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Geddes Avenue Sanitary Sewer Project Public Meeting — Ann Arbor Senior Center, 1320 Baldwin Ave. In 2011, the city plans to install sanitary sewer lines to serve properties along Geddes Avenue, and wants to gather input on the extent of construction activities, traffic control, and any other related issues or questions. Details: contact Elizabeth Rolla, City Project Management Unit: Erolla@a2gov.org / 734.794.6410, ext. 43636, or www.a2gov.org/GeddesAveProject.org.

7 p.m. Human Rights Commission — Large fourth floor conference room, City Hall.

Thursday, Aug. 12

7 p.m. Historic District Commission — Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Fri. 8/13 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/14 at noon.*

Sunday, Aug. 15

1–4 p.m. Grass ID Workshop — Leslie Science and Nature Center, 1831 Traver Road, 734.997.1553. Take a guided walk to gather grass specimens to bring back and identify. Fee: \$10 members/\$15 non-members. Register and details: www.StewardshipNetwork.org/ 734.996.3190.

Monday, Aug. 16

7 p.m. City Council Meeting (Regular Session) — Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Tues. 8/17 at 10 a.m.; Fri. 8/20 at 7:30 p.m.*

Tuesday, Aug. 17

4 p.m. Park Advisory Commission — County Administration Building, County Board of Commission public meeting room, 220 N. Main St. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Sat. 8/21 at 9 a.m.; Mon. 8/23 at 10 a.m.*

7 p.m. City Planning Commission (Regular Meeting) — Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Wed. 8/18 at 10 a.m. and Sun. 8/22 at 2 p.m.*

Wednesday, Aug. 18

3:15 p.m. Commission on Disability Issues — Community Television Network studio, 2805 S. Industrial, Suite 200. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Thurs. 8/19 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/21 at 3 p.m.*

6 p.m. Ann Arbor Housing Commission — AAHC Conference Room, 727 Miller Ave.

Friday, Aug. 20

10 a.m. Sylvan Avenue Ribbon-cutting Event — Intersection of Sylvan Avenue and White Street. Sylvan Avenue has been repaved with permeable asphalt pavement, a cutting-edge, environmentally friendly solution to ease its drainage issues. Included will be a permeability demonstration, the official ribbon-cutting, and Ann Arbor's electric car will take

the first ceremonial drive down permeable Sylvan Avenue. Rain or shine!

Saturday – Sunday, Aug. 21 - 22 Ann Arbor/Miles of Golf Championship Series: Senior Amateur — Leslie Park Golf Course, 2120 Traver Road. Details: 734.794.6245 / www.a2golf.org.

Saturday, Aug. 21

9 a.m. – noon Scarlett-Mitchell Woods Workday* — Meet at Scarlett Middle School.

10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Furstenberg Nature Area Workday* — Meet in Fuller Road parking lot, across from Huron High School.

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Upgraded Recycling Plant Celebration — Materials Recovery Facility, 4150 Platt Road. Tour the city's recycling plant, which has been upgraded to a single-stream system.

Walking tours, children's activities, hybrid truck demos, displays, refreshments, and a rededication ceremony takes place at 11 a.m. Free. On-site parking and free shuttle bus service provided. Details: www.a2gov.org/mrf.

1 – 4 p.m. Narrow Gauge Nature Area Workday* — Meet at Narrow Gauge Way and South Green Road, off Glazier Way.

2 – 4:30 p.m. Summer Splash Day — Buhr Park Pool, 2751 Packard Road. Join the afternoon of games, contests and prizes. All activities and prizes are included in the cost of admission. Details: 734.794.6234 / www.a2gov.org/buhr.

8 – 11 p.m. Full Moon Paddle on Gallup Pond — Gallup Canoe Livery, 3000 Fuller Road. Watch the wildlife settle in for the night as the moon rises to light the way up and down Gallup Pond. Fee: \$20/boat. Bring a flashlight. Pre registration not necessary. Fee: \$18/boat. Details: 734.794.6240 / www.a2gov.org/canoe.

Monday, Aug. 23

6–7 p.m. CTN Preview Session — Community Television Network, 2805 S. Industrial, suite 200; www.a2gov.org/ctn. This is the first step to taking CTN's free television production classes. Tour the studios and learn about CTN's history and services. Must be a resident of Ann Arbor or a representative of a not-for-profit based in Ann Arbor. Free. Sign up at 734.794.6150, ext. 0.

Tuesday, Aug. 24

7 p.m. Cable Communications Commission — Community Television Network studio, 2805 S. Industrial, Suite 200. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Wed. 8/25 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/28 at 9 a.m.*

Wednesday, Aug. 25

1:30 p.m. Zoning Board of Appeals — Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Thurs. 8/26 at 10 a.m.; Sat. 8/28 at 3 p.m.*

6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Women's Kayaking Club — Gallup Canoe Livery, 3000 Fuller Road. All experience levels can join this new program the fourth Wednesday of every month (through September) to explore the Huron River with food, literature, science and fun. Bring your own boat or rent from the livery. Pre-registration not required. Details: 734.794.6240 / www.a2gov.org/canoe.

Thursday, Aug. 26

7 p.m. Environmental Commission — Second floor, Council chambers, City Hall. *Live on CTN 16. Replays: Fri. 8/27 at 10 a.m.; Sun. 8/29 at 2 p.m.*

Friday, Aug. 27

9:30 p.m. Nite Lite Golf Event — Huron Hills Golf Course, 3465 E. Huron River Drive. Try this fun event if you enjoy night putting. Details: www.a2golf.org.

Saturday, Aug. 28

9 a.m. – noon Oakridge Nature Area Workday* — Meet us in U-M parking lot southeast corner, at Glazier Way and Huron Parkway.

1 – 4 p.m. Leslie Woods Nature Area Workday* — Meet at Upland Drive and Plymouth Road.

4 – 6 p.m. Buhr Nature Area Children's Wet Meadow Workday* — Meet in the parking lot next to tennis court at Cobblestone Farms, 2781 Packard Road

Monday – Wednesday, Aug. 30 – Sept. 1

6 – 9 p.m. Final Cut Express Edit Class** — CTN, 2805 S. Industrial, Suite 200; www.a2gov.org/ctn. Must attend all three evenings. Free. Details: www.a2gov.org/ctn / 734.794.6150, ext. 0.

Persons with disabilities are encouraged to participate in public meetings. Accommodations, including sign language interpreters, may be arranged by contacting the City Clerk's office at 734.794.6140 or by written request via e-mail to jbeaudry@a2gov.org, or mailed or delivered to the City Clerk's office, 100 N. Fifth Ave., Ann Arbor, MI 48104. Requests need to be received at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

** CTN workshop requirements: Must be a resident of Ann Arbor or a representative of a not-for-profit based in Ann Arbor; previous attendance at a CTN Preview Session (**see Aug. 23**).

* Nature area workdays: Minors must either be accompanied by a guardian or contact Natural Area Preservation in advance (1831 Traver Road) to obtain a release form. Please wear long pants and closed-toe shoes. Contact NAP for details at 734.794.6627.

#Ann Arbor Senior Center is located at 1320 Baldwin Ave., 734.794.6250.

Ann Arbor City Hall (Guy C. Larcom Jr. Municipal Building) is located at 100 N. Fifth Ave.

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