



Community Newsletter - City of New Haven - October, 2017



Terry McDonald, Mayor

Volunteers & Mentors Needed for Power House Youth Center



For the past 21 years of operation, The Power House Youth Center has welcomed over 5,400 teens to their programming. This organization is open to all teens regardless of faith. Their goal is to provide a safe place for students to grow, heal, and become well-grounded and well-rounded young adults. The Power House Youth Center focuses on 5 key components: (1) Showing the Love of Christ, (2) Sharing and Expressing Family Values, (3) Teaching about Healthy Lifestyles, (4) Promoting Abstinence & STD Awareness, (5) Providing Alcohol, Tobacco, and Drug Awareness and Prevention. The Center has seen many lives transformed through this program.

VOLUNTEERS & MENTORS NEEDED (How You Can Get Involved)

A vital part of the mission at The Power House is to give the youth of our community a safe, drug-free environment surrounded by caring Christian adults. There are many different ways you can get involved and volunteer:

Power Plant - This after school program runs Monday-Thursday from 3:00-6:00 p.m. It offers teens an opportunity to hang out, build relationships, learn life skills and enjoy free snacks and games. Homework help is also available to all members during this time. Adults can volunteer one afternoon a week or once every other week.

Fuse - The Center is open every Friday from 7:00-11:00 p.m. during the school year. It's a positive "club" type of environment where teens can go to have a great time with friends in a safe place. This program includes fun competitions, video games, pool tables, uplifting music and a lot of room to just hang out with friends. The Power House strives to have at least 10-14 volunteers each Friday night and they are looking for adults who can volunteer at least one Friday night a month.

GAP - This program runs Friday night from 5:00-6:45 p.m. A meal is provided for students who come to the Center. This provides an opportunity for program volunteers to sit down with students in a "family" style setting and share a meal together. GAP also offers a time of worship, teaching, and an opportunity for small break out groups so that volunteers can interact with students on a personal level.

Mentor - You can influence the life of a young man or young lady who desperately needs a role model by volunteering just one hour a week of your time to the program.

Provide Snacks - Students can come in for an afternoon snack daily from 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Be a Tutor - From time to time, students need additional help with homework. The students of the Power House love to have caring adults come in and spend time with them. Just think of the impact that you could have on the life of a young person. By giving back, your life will be impacted as well!

OPEN HOUSE FOR ADULT VOLUNTEERS

An **Open House for adult volunteers and mentors is scheduled for Thursday, November 9th from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at The Power House Youth Center located at 830 Main Street in New Haven.** Please attend this meeting, volunteer and become a mentor today.

CONTACT

For more information, or to become a volunteer and help mentor the young people in this youth program, please contact Bonnie Roth at (260)493-3880 or email Bonnie directly at bonnierothph@gmail.com. Check out The Power House program by visiting their website at www.powerhouseyouthcenters.com and get involved today.

CONTACT INFORMATION

City Court.....	748-7878
Clerk-Treasurer	748-7010
Code Enforcement.....	748-7060
Drug/Crime Tip Hotline.....	748-7099
Engineering.....	748-7030
EMS.....	749-1235
Fire.....	493-7500
Mayor's Office.....	748-7070
Parks.....	749-2212
Planning/Permits.....	748-7040
Police Non-Emergency.....	748-7080
Sewer/Water (24 Hr. Emergency).....	414-9097
Street Dept.....	748-7056
Utility Office.....	748-7050

ENGINEERING PROJECTS

Updates on current street resurfacing projects are available on our website at www.newhaven.in.gov



CITY HALL BUSINESS HOURS

	Mon. - Thurs.	Friday
City Court	7:30a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Clerk-Treas.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Engineering	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Mayor	7:30a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Utilities	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Street Dept.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Planning Dept.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p

UTILITY BILL - CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

To pay your utility bill by phone with a credit card, please contact (866) 670-3036.

**◆ Meetings at New Haven City Hall ◆
(Park Board Meets at the Community Center)**

November

11/06	Park Board	6:00 p.m.
11/07	Board of Works	9:30 a.m.
11/10	Veterans' Day	CLOSED
11/14	City Council	7:00 p.m.
11/16	Fire/EMS	7:00 p.m.
11/21	Board of Works	9:30 a.m.
11/21	Plan Commission	7:00 p.m.
11/22	BZA	7:00 p.m.
11/23	Thanksgiving Day	CLOSED
11/24	Thanksgiving Holiday	CLOSED
11/28	City Council	7:00 p.m.



Trick or Treat Hours in New Haven

Tuesday, October 31st

6:00-8:00 p.m.



The official Trick or Treat hours in New Haven are set for October 31st from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Additional police officers and other officials from the Fire Department will be on staff during this period to ensure the safety of everyone. Mayor McDonald is asking all motorists to exercise extra caution as children venture through neighborhoods and cross intersections and to remind parents who have children to visit only those houses with their lights on.

Other Halloween Events on October 31st

Trick or Treat Downtown on Broadway

(Broadway will be closed during this time)

Tuesday, October 31, 2017

4:00 - 6:00 pm

(All Children Must Be Accompanied By An Adult)



Halloween Carnival in Schnelker Park

Tuesday, October 31, 2017

4:00 - 6:00 pm

(Sponsored by Impact Community Church)

Trunk or Treat at Central Lutheran School

Friday, October 27, 2017

6:30 - 8:00 pm

(Admission: 1 canned food donation to benefit the Food Bank)



2018 Rate Change Notice Republic Services



The contracted rates for trash service increase each year during the term of the contract for the City of New Haven. The rate will change effective January 1, 2018 and resident will see an increase of .22 cents for basic garbage service. For any questions regarding your Republic Services invoice, please contact Republic Services directly at 1-800-876-9001.



Share the Warmth Coat Program in New Haven



The winter months are right around the corner and the New Haven Food Bank is sponsoring the "Share the Warmth Program" in New Haven. Program volunteers are reaching out to all residents for donations of gently used winter coats so they can be distributed to those in need. All winter coats will be offered again this year at no charge to food bank families who need assistance. Winter coats are sought from area donors each fall to replenish the supply in an effort to share the warmth in the community. Coats are now being collected through the end of winter.

Winter coats of all sizes are needed - from infant sizes to adult size 5x. The Food Bank is asking that all donated coats have working zippers, buttons, or snaps. Donations may be taken to the following locations:

- 3Rivers Credit Union
- Chase Bank (New Haven & Georgetown locations)
- Emanuel Lutheran Church
- IAB (New Haven branch)
- Martini Lutheran Church
- New Haven City Hall



This program was very successful last year as more than 200 winter coats were given to New Haven area residents through the New Haven Food Bank.

The Food Bank will allow residents to select one coat of their choice beginning November 1st. Coats will be available for distribution each Tuesday through the end of February from 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. at Emanuel Lutheran Church, located at 800 Green Street in New Haven.

For more information, please contact Emanuel Lutheran Church at 749-2163 or Food Bank Representative, Tom Kneller at 749-0895.



2017 Leaf Pick Up Schedule



Leaves should be ready on the first pick up day of the week that crews are scheduled to be in your part of the city. Leaves must be raked onto the park strip between the sidewalk and curb (**NOT IN THE STREET**), and away from street signs, poles, mailboxes and parked cars. Long rows are preferred over one big pile. All leaves will be picked up as close to the published schedule as possible.

East of Werling Road

October	23-27
November	6-9
November	20-22
November	27-30

West of Werling Road

Oct. - Nov	30-3
November	13-17
November	20-22
December	1-8

*Note: No leaf pick up on November 10, 23 & 24. City offices closed.

**Note: All subdivisions along Landin Rd follow the "WEST of Werling Rd" Schedule.



CPR & AED Class



October 29th

3:00 p.m.

**New Haven-Adams Twp. Fire Department
910 Hartzell Road**

If you witness a medical emergency, will you be able to respond? Be ready to deliver lifesaving care by signing up for CPR classes. The New Haven EMS will host American Heart Association Heartsaver CPR and AED classes. The final date for this class is October 29th at 3:00 p.m. at the New Haven-Adams Township Fire Department.

For more information, or to register for class, please contact Bob Atkinson or Krissy Barnett at the New Haven Adams Township EMS/Fire Department at (260) 749-1235.

The cost is \$30 per person. Take advantage of this discounted rate and register today.