

# PREBLE COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWS

May 2024

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Stronger Together Concert

May 31st | Tickets start at \$25





**Yodel: Community Events** 

Calendar for Preble County events.yodel.today/preblecounty/

Preble County Pride

May 11th | Fort St. Clair



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#### **HOME IS THE FOUNDATION (H.I.T. FOUNDATION)**

111 West Somers Street, Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 472-0500 | hitfoundation.org | www.facebook.com/HITFoundation



H.I.T. Foundation is a 501c3 not-for-profit organization serving low-income residents of Preble County Ohio. Our three programs are Affordable Housing, Senior Home Repair, and Homeless Services.



#### **Senior Home Repair**

H.I.T. Foundation is committed to keeping senior adults in their own homes for as long as possible by providing major home repairs, yard cleanups, minor handyman services and accessibility modifications.

Preble County homeowners age 60 or over with qualifying income may be eligible for the services mentioned above. Contact our office for more info, or to get an application.

#### Affordable Housing

H.I.T. Foundation owns and manages 59 rental properties throughout Preble County. The goal of affordable housing is to serve low-income households that meet attainable earning qualifications.



Our rental rates are below fair market value and we maintain our commitment to quality property management and support services. Please contact our office if you would like an application.



#### **Homeless Services**

If you or someone you know is experiencing homelessness, please call (937)-472-0500 ext. 422

H.I.T. foundation operates Preble County's emergency homeless shelter, which is staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The shelter serves Preble County residents as a temporary housing facility for clients experiencing a housing crisis. Clients are served 3 meals per

day, and meet regularly with shelter staff and a case manager to work toward their housing goals. Clients are also expected to follow a daily schedule and must agree to adhere to shelter rules.

Homeless Services also operates the **Homeless Crisis Response Program (HCRP)**, which can provide assistance with rent payment and housing placement for those at risk of or experiencing homelessness. For more info on these services, contact the HCRP Case Manager at **(937)-472-0500 ext. 425** 



# What if YOU could own a home?!

The USDA Rural Development 502
Program assists low and very low income applicants to obtain decent, safe and sanitary housing by providing payment assistance to increase an applicant's repayment ability.

SET UP AN APPOINTMENT WITH EMILY TO LEARN MORE!

937-472-0500 ext 408 emily@hitfoundation.org

# LITTLE FREE PANTRY

Give what you can, take what you need.

Located inside the H.I.T. Foundation office 111 W. Somers St. Eaton, OH 45320 Mon. – Fri. | 8:30am – 4:30pm



Stop By the Downtown Eaton Saturdays, May through September

8 a.m.-1 p.m.

Seasonal Produce Artisanal Products

Plants

& More



To set up as vendor or with questions, call: 937-336-3171



#### LOCAL VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES





lindsay@hitfoundation.org
hitfoundation.org/volunteer-donate



contact **Amy Burger** at 937.293.1945 or amyb@homefull.org



www.sharedharvest.org/volunteer



<u>thefoodbankdayton.org/volunteer</u> or contact volunteer@thefoodbankdayton.org



prebleohiojuvenileprobate.org

or contact **Debbie Huff** at Debbie.Huff@prebcojpc.org | (937) 456-2885



prebleseniorcenter.org/support/volunteer/ or call us at 937.456.4947 or 1.800.238.5146

#### Why:

Nationally, 50% of foster families quit fostering within their first year. With a dedicated Care Community's support, 90% of foster families continue to foster well beyond the first year. Locally, in August of 2021, 73% of kids in paid placements were placed outside of Preble County. This causes additional trauma to the kids and places a cost burden on the County.

#### family unity is priority, remova is a last resort

#### What:

Care Communities are groups of 4-8 people within a FAM who wrap around a local foster or kinship family with weekly prayer, delivered meals, child care, and other services to help meet their needs.







For More Info Contact:

#### Mary Warrick

(937) 839-2333 maryewarrick@gmail.com

FAMs create Care Communities to support Preble County vulnerable children and families



## **Volunteer Drivers Needed!**

There are adults in your area who don't have access to reliable transportation for getting to medical appointments, running errands for essential items, or even getting to work. **You can help!** 

You can become a **RideConnect** volunteer if you have a good driving record, a reliable vehicle, a valid Ohio driver's license and proof of insurance. Once you complete our required screenings and training, you'll be ready to start providing rides based on your availability.

#### Become a superhero in your community!

Call 1-833-289-0227 ext. 1195 or email RideConnect@cssmv-sidney.org

RideConnect is funded by the Ohio Department of Transportation and provided through a partnership of Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley, Area Agency on Aging 3, and RTC Services

There are some great reasons for you to consider becoming a volunteer driver for **RideConnect**...

#### **FLEXIBILITY**

We know some days and times are busier than others for you. We'll work around your availability and the areas/ distance you're willing to drive.

#### REIMBURSEMENT

We're asking you to donate your time, not your money, so we provide mileage reimbursement for use of your personal vehicle.

#### PURPOSE

Every RideConnect trip you provide makes a real difference for the person you're helping. You can be someone's superhero!



## **LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES**

#### **Eaton**

#### **The Common Good**

113 S. Cherry St. Eaton | 937-456-6550 Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 2 – 4pm

#### **West Alexandria**

#### West Alexandria Food Bank St. John's UCC

20 E. South St. West Alexandria | 937-839-1615 Mondays & Wednesdays: 10am – 12pm 2<sup>nd</sup> & Last Wed. /month 6 – 7:30pm

#### Lewisburg

#### **Lewisburg Area Food Pantry**

106 W. Dayton St. Lewisburg | 937-414-4739 Mon. 1 – 4pm | Wed. 2 – 5:30pm 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday 10am – 1pm

#### **West Manchester**

# Monroe Township Food Pantry Ware's Chapel UMC

1060 Foos Rd. West Manchester | 937-248-5728 Wednesdays: 3 – 5pm (must live in Monroe Township)

#### Camden

#### **FISH Food Pantry**

230 N. Main St. Camden | 937-452-6226 Fridays: Hours varied, please call ahead

#### **New Paris**

#### New Paris Community Food Pantry St. Paul's UMC

301 E. Main St. New Paris | (937) 437-8484 (Please leave a message for: Lori Evans) Wednesdays: 2 – 5 pm

#### **Go Ministries Food Pantry**

5125 St. Rt. 40 New Paris | 937-456-6550 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month 6 – 8pm



#### **MOBILE FARMER'S MARKET - PREBLE COUNTY**



#### 2024 Schedule



1st Monday of each month: 10 – 11:30am @ the Preble County Fairgrounds (722 S. Franklin St., Eaton 45320)

\*\*January 23\*\* May 6 \*\*September 30\*\* February 5 June 3 October 7

<del>March 4</del> July 1 November 4 April 1

\*\*August 21\*\*

December 2

3rd Thursday of each month: 10 – 11:30am @ Lewisburg Community Center (265 Clay Street, Lewisburg)

<del>January 18</del> May 16 September 19 February 15 June 20 October 17 March 21 July 18 November 21 <del>April 18</del> August 15 December 1

\*\*Fall on dates outside regular schedule

Any questions regarding our mobile pantries can be directed to

Andy Macy at 937-461-0265 x24 or by email at amacy@thefoodbankdayton.org



The Dayton Foodbank (937) 461-0265 thefoodbankdayton.org

#### **SHARED HARVEST FOOD DISTRIBUTION - PREBLE COUNTY**



Next Distribution Date

Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>

10 am - 11:30 am



#### **Location:**

# National Trail Schools 6940 Oxford Gettysburg Rd, New Paris, OH 45347

#### **Need Food?**

- · No registration required.
- This is a drive-thru distribution, no need to exit your vehicle.
- Please bring your photo ID and a piece of mail.
- If you are picking up for someone else, please bring a copy of their ID &/or a proxy letter. (available on sharedharvest.org)

#### **Volunteers**

Register online: preble.sharedharvest.volunteerhub.com



Please arrive by 9:30 for setup.
 Thank you!

#### JACOB'S LADDER

201 E. Lexington Rd. | P.O. Box 626 | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | 937-839-2576 | jacobsladder.ohio@gmail.com



Jacob's Ladder is a nonprofit 501c3. Our mission is to eliminate hunger one child at a time. We provide easy to prepare foods that are sent home with students in need in all Preble County schools. We distribute about 1000 bags each month with the help of many volunteers. Our program generally runs the months of October through May. We also provide a Thanksgiving meal & an Easter meal to students & their families within the program.

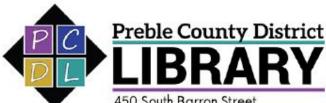
Check out website for ways to donate and other information about our organization. Follow us on Facebook.

www.jacobsladderohio.org 937-839-2576 jacobsladder.ohio@gmail.org



#### PREBLE COUNTY DISTRICT LIBRARY

450 South Barron Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937-456-4250) | www.preblelibrary.org



450 South Barron Street Eaton, Ohio 45320 (937)456-4250 Visit us online at preblelibrary.org

## **Enroll today**







delivered right to your front door each month!

Open to all kids in Preble County from birth through age 5.

#### www.OhioImaginationLibrary.org

OGIL is made possible in Preble County by the United Way of the Greater Dayton Area, Preble County District Library and The Dayton Foundation.

We also want to thank the generous support of many community businesses and individuals.





# OUTREACH & HOMEBOUND SERVICES

Preble County District Library offers **OUTREACH SERVICES** to senior citizens and to those who are visually impaired.

#### Services include:

- Delivery of library materials to Eaton area nursing homes and Preble County residents who are homebound
- Talking Book Program for the visually impaired

Our **HOMEBOUND SERVICES** provide home delivery of library materials to anyone who is eligible.

To qualify, you must be:

- Preble County resident
- 60 years of age or older
- Disabled
- Homebound
- Hesitant to drive during the winter months

If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about Outreach & Homebound services, please contact

> Danita Cook (937) 456-4376

# ATTEND THESE FREE WORKSHOPS

8 Things You Can Do To Improve Any Relationship

Wednesday, May 15

Improve Your Self-Identity
And Self Worth

Wednesday, June 19

Improve Your Communications

Wednesday, July 17

6:15 PM - 7:15 PM each time

**AT: Eaton Ohio Branch Library** 

WITH: Master Life Coach Mark Gardner, M.Ministry

Former Licensed Relationship & Mental Health Counselor

FREE – Casual Dress – NO Reservations Needed

A public service of New Chrisitan

Community, Eaton to improve relationships
and personal wellbeing

FOR INFORMATION TEXT/CALL 937-456-6817

#### PREBLE COUNTY ART ASSOCIATION

207 E. Main Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937)-456-3999 | www.preblearts.org



# R.I.S.E. Program



Our R.I.S.E. (Respect, Integrity, Spirit, Experience) program brings hope and growth to our community's youth. This transformative after-school initiative is dedicated to empowering at-risk teenagers. Through a blend of artistic expression, mentorship, field trips, and skill-building activities, R.I.S.E. provides a supportive space where young individuals can explore their potential, overcome challenges, and cultivate resilience. With a focus on building confidence, fostering creativity, and instilling valuable life skills, this program aims to uplift and inspire each participant to reach their fullest potential.

To join, a student must be referred by a school counselor, therapist, case worker, the court, or any other qualifying individual.

R.I.S.E. is supported by the Preble County Juvenile Court!

# S.T.A.R. Program

S.T.A.R. (Supporting and Transforming through Art and Resilience) is a nurturing after-school program designed to uplift and empower children ages 8-11. This vibrant program is a space where creativity thrives, friendships blossom, and young minds are inspired. Through hands-on art projects, engaging activities, and meaningful discussions, S.T.A.R. fosters resilience, builds confidence, and equips children with invaluable life skills. From exploring different art mediums to developing problem-solving abilities, this program offers a dynamic learning journey that encourages self-expression and personal growth.

To join, a parent/guardian must complete an application form and it must be accepted before attending.



#### PREBLE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

7693 Swartsel Rd. Eaton, Ohio 45320 | 937-787-4256 www.preblecountyhistoricalsociety.com

#### **EXHIBIT HOURS**

**TUESDAY 4:00-7:00PM** 

THURSDAY 10:00-2:00PM





#### MIAMI VALLEY CAREER TECHNOLOGY CENTER

(937) 837-7781 | 6800 Hoke Rd, Clayton, OH 45315





# **ADULT DIPLOMA PROGRAM**



Current Training Programs Offered:

- STNA
- Phlebotomy
- Welding
- Hospitality & Tourism
   Management
- Robotics

- The Adult Diploma
   Program provides a new pathway for adults, age 18+, to earn a state-issued high school diploma AND training for one of Ohio's in-demand career fields.
- Students do not need to pass the OGT/Proficiency test; however, they are required to pass ACT WorkKeys and industry credential tests.
- No high school credit requirement.

# Class is <u>free</u> for eligible students!

For more information or to register, visit mvctc.com/ae/programs/aspire-adp Contact Megan Baumgartner at mbaumgartner@mvctc.com or (937) 854-8488



Randy Gardner, Chancellor



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# Which Path is Right for You?

In Ohio, you have choices when it comes to earning your high school diploma as an adult. Choose from taking an Aspire prep class at one of our many locations or earn your diploma while training for an indemand career field in the Adult Diploma Program. Best of all, each of these options are totally FREE! Compare your options below and start your journey to a brighter future!

Visit www.mvctc.com/aspire or call the numbers below for more information.

#### **ASPIRE CLASSES**

16+ years old

Study to pass the GED or HiSET, high school equivalency exams.

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

WorkKeys Test Prep

Refresher courses in math, reading, writing, and computers for work readiness.

Assist with College Prep, Military Entrance Exam, and OGT/Proficiency test.

> Self-paced with multiple classroom locations.

Distance learning & virtual learning options.

Call (937) 223-5626 or email aspire@mvctc.com for more information.

#### ADULT DIPLOMA **PROGRAM**

18+ years old

State-issued high school diploma awarded.

Students do not have to pass the OGT/Proficiency test.

One year suggested time to complete program.

No minimum number of high school credits required.

Must pursue and complete trade certificate.

Best for adults seeking to enter in-demand job fields such as healthcare or skilled trades.

Call (937) 854-8488 or email mbaumgartner@mvctc.com for more information.

#### 22+ CREDIT **RECOVERY**

22+ years old

Locally-issued high school diploma awarded.

Students will work to meet graduation credit requirements from the time of their entry in 9th grade.

One year suggested time to complete program.

Suggested three credits or less for recovery.

Best for adults who only need a few credits and have all **OGT/Proficiency testing** passed. Transcripts will be reviewed to determine eligibility.

Call (937) 854-8488 or email mbaumgartner@mvctc.com for more information.



Department of **Higher Education** 

Mike DeWine, Governor Randy Gardner, Chancellor



#### **OHIO EBT CARD**



#### **EBT & Other Assistance Programs Additional Benefits**

An Ohio EBT card can do so much more than buy groceries and give you cash benefits. It can also be used for discounted admission, and so much more! Check out all the awesome and unadvertised Ohio EBT perks we've discovered! Follow the QR code for more information!

Amazon offers steep discounts on Amazon Prime membership for low-income customers!
 You'll need to verify that you receive assistance to receive these benefits.



Discounted Broadband, Internet, Cell Phone

LifeLine



EBBP Program



- The **YMCA** (Eaton) offers membership scholarships for low-income individuals and families. Pick up an application in the Eaton lobby!
- You can buy seeds and plants to start a garden with EBT

#### Get museum admission discounts with your EBT card!

It is important to remember that you cannot pay for admission with your EBT card. You will show the EBT card to receive the discount but you will need to pay the remaining admission price, if any, in cash or with a credit/debit card. While we do our best to ensure accurate information, please check the destination website for more up-to-date information.

#### **Destinations near Preble County:**

#### Cincinnati Zoo – general admission \$6/adult, \$3/child, \$1 for parking - \$40 memberships

You must have a valid SNAP card and photo ID to purchase tickets or apply for a membership. (Limit of 8 tickets purchased per visit with SNAP card.) Must be purchased in person at the Zoo. We have limited walk-up reservations available per half-hour time slot for in-person discounts. Walk-up reservations are first-come/first-served and not guaranteed.

#### Cincinnati Museum and Duke Energy Children's Museum - \$2 admission

Eligible recipients receive free parking and \$2/person Museum Admission tickets for up to 10 people when EBT, SNAP, or Medicare card and photo ID is presented at the box office. Eligible recipients can also receive \$2/person Holocaust & Humanity Center tickets.

#### Cincinnati: Taft Museum of Art - \$3 per person.

The Taft houses a small fine arts museum inside a National Historic Landmark built in 1820. Free admission for all on Sundays. Advance tickets REQUIRED.

#### Columbus: Center of Science and Industry (COSI) - \$49 per family, per year

If you have an Ohio Directions card, Medicaid card or WIC enrollment paperwork, you can save up to a lot of money on a COSI family membership! Instead of the full family membership rate, you'll pay just\$49 for a Family Access membership.

#### Columbus: Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens - FREE

Visitors who can show a photo ID and an Ohio Directions card can receive free admission on the first Sunday of the month between 10am and 5pm. A Medicaid card or WIC card can also be used instead of an Ohio Directions card. If you qualify for the free first Sundays, you also qualify for a discounted access membership. For just \$25, you can receive unlimited admission for a year for up to two adults and all children under age 18. This pass usually costs \$80!

#### **Dayton: National Museum of the US Air Force** – Free admission!

#### Dayton: Victoria Theatre Association - \$10 per seat

The Victoria Theatre Association offers \$10 seats through the Dayton Power & Light Company CHEAP SEATS program. This program provides balcony seats for select performances. This is not an EBT specific discount, so anyone can purchase them! Get the details on the Victoria Theatre website.

#### ...And many more!

#### MIAMI VALLEY YOUTH FOR CHRIST

125 E. Main Street, Eaton | Jake Robinson: P.C. Ministry Director | 937.607.7374 | jake@yfcmiamivalley.org



jake@yfcmiamivalley.org or scan the QR code to the left.





937,498,4593 833.289.0227 cssmv.ora

Resources provided by our agency include:

- Long-term support services to help Older Adults (age 60+) remain safely in their homes
- Professional mental health Counseling with licensed professional counselors
- · Parenting support services to help with navigating family life
- · RideLink call center to connect you with transportation options in your area
- RideConnect volunteer driver program

Call us or visit our website to learn more!

It's a God Moment to be able to help someone with a ride that we all take for granted. This fills a real, serious need. I've met some great folks driving for Catholic Social



Services' RideConnect program.

Phillip Lahrmer RideConnect Volunteer Driver



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#### **PURPOSE**

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#### **GOOD NEIGHBOR HOUSE**



#### Agency Information CFC #74684

Address: 627 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Dayton, OH 45402

Phone: 937-224-3003 | Hours: [Vary by Service]

Web: www.goodneighborhouse.org

Need other resources? Call Help Link: 225-3000

#### Food Pantry: call 937-224-3003

- We provide food every 15 days, to ALL zip codes and ALL counties!
- Pantry Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- For first time visitors, please bring photo IDs for all family members. For minor children, a Social Security card, medical card, or birth certificate is acceptable.
- Please come to our parking lot during Pantry hours and call our main line 937-224-3003.
  - You will be instructed how to access your food.

Dental Clinic: call 937-224-3442 Ext: 2 (Services by appointment, contact us about urgent care situations)

- We accept non-insured, Ohio Medicaid, and all Medicaid managed care plans.
- Prices vary by procedure and income—we offer a sliding discount scale to self-pay patients based on income and family size. Sliding discounts range from 10-50%.
- Baby Frenectomy/Frenotomy (tongue/lip tied procedure) is offered once a month. CareSource is accepted for this or out of pocket \$350 per tie. Please call for appointment.

Medical/Other Clinical Services: call 937-224-3442 Ext: 1 (ALL by appointment ONLY)

(For those who do not have health or eye insurance)

- Medical appointments available for \$35
- <u>Pharmacy</u> for GNH patients, some non-narcotic prescriptions are offered in-house at <u>no cost</u>
- Eye exams at no cost with a voucher for free prescription eye glasses
- <u>Nutrition</u> / Special Dietary Needs Program (<u>no charge</u>)
- Foot Care Clinic (no charge)
- Physical Therapy (no charge)

#### **DONATIONS:**

- Financial donations
  - o Check, credit card or cash please send in envelope to:

**Good Neighbor House** 

ATTN: Finance Dept.

627 E 1st St.

Dayton, Ohio 45402

- o For on-line gifts please visit us www.goodneighborhouse.org and click 'Donate'
- Non-perishable food items are welcomed
- Time: For volunteer service hours, please call (937) 224-3003 Ext: 108
- "Like" us on Facebook for other exciting ways to get involved



## **Clothing Services**



#### **THE COMMON GOOD**

113 South Cherry Street, Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 456-6560

The Common Good is a nonprofit organization that helps supply essential needs for people in Preble County. Through donations, we provide support for individuals and families in our community. With your help, we can assist with rent payments, clothing and food just to name a few. When folks need it most, The Common Good steps in.

**Shopping Hours**: Monday thru Friday 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Food Pantry: Mon., Wed., Fri.: 2 – 4 p.m.





#### THE CLOTHES CLOSET

Eaton United Church of Christ 113 East Decatur Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 456-3810 \*Please use front basement door

#### FREE CLOTHES, SHOES, AND COATS FOR THOSE IN NEED. INFANT - ADULT SIZES

Gladly accepting donations

Emergency Food – Hot Meal – Infant Formula – Diapers--Birth Certificates--ID cards

Hours: Mondays 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

(Appointment can also be made by email pcco.30@gmail.com or message us through our Facebook

page – Preble County Community Outreach

A free meal is also served during regular Clothes Closet hours Community Resources information also available





## FREE CLOTHES AVAILABLE

#### **HOURS OF OPERATION:**

10AM - 12 NOON

**December – April**2nd Saturday of Each Month

**May – November** 2nd & 4th Saturday of Each Month

#### **LOCATION:**

FBCNP – House/Garage

6751 State Route 320 New Paris, Ohio 45347

## Always on call for appointments, year-round.

When you visit the clothing ministry, volunteers will be there to greet and assist you in finding your clothing needs.

Jesus said, "It is more blessed to give, than to receive."

Acts 20:35

For donations, we have a clothing drop box onsite, but for larger donations, please call 937-336-0625

#### **GIVING GRACE**

106 W. Dayton Street, Lewisburg, OH | www.1givinggrace.com | 1givinggrace@gmail.com



Welcome to Giving Grace- Free Store, we are located in Lewisburg, Ohio.

Our main goal is to serve our community with basic items, free of charge!

We are an official 501c3 organization - all donations are tax deductible.



Check Facebook for store hours

#### **PREBLE COUNTY VETERANS SERVICES**

1322 N. Barron St. Eaton, Ohio | 937-456-6111

#### **Emergency Financial Assistance**

- Provide timely emergency financial assistance to qualifying Veterans and their eligible dependents.
- Assist with necessities of life and must be able to demonstrate an emergency need.



#### **Dental Program**

- Promote good oral hygiene and overall health through connecting Veterans with local dentists in the community
- Income based program to assist those Veterans without dental insurance.

#### Transportation

- Ensure our Veterans are able to attend their VA medical appts. Transportation is provided through a contract entered into by us and local vendor.
- At least 24-hour notice is required for all appointments.

#### **Assistance with VA Claims**

Our Veterans are encouraged to reach out to us and make an appointment with our Veterans Service
 Officer. Our VSO is happy to sit down with each Veteran and inform them of a full range of benefits and information services they could be entitled to.

#### **JOB & FAMILY SERVICES**

1500 Park Ave. Eaton | 937-456-6205 | PrebleOMJ@jfs.ohio.gov



Preble County Job & Family Services (JFS) is a quadruple combined agency which consists of Income Maintenance, Adult and Child Protective Services, Child Support Enforcement Agency, and OhioMeansJobs Preble County.

The building is open Monday-Friday, 8:00am-4:00pm. The brown drop box, by the flags, may be used at any time for all agencies at JFS. This box is checked multiple times each business day.

See our Preble County Job & Family Services Facebook page for helpful information.

**Income Maintenance** – Determines eligibility for Cash, Food, and Medical Programs. You may also go to benefits.ohio.gov to manage or apply for Medicaid, childcare, food, and cash benefits. **Select Option 1 when calling.** 

**Work Activities** – Helps customers become self-sufficient by developing a plan for work experience, schooling, or employment. Customers receiving cash and food assistance are required to complete these activities to receive their assistance. **Select Option 1 when calling.** 

**Social Services** – Helps customers with emergency assistance, transportation to medical appointments, and determines eligibility for daycare services/providers. **Select Option 1 when calling.** 

**Child Support** – Establishes paternity, establishes and enforces child support and medical support orders, locates obligors to enforce or establish child support and modifies existing orders. **Select Option 3 when calling.** 

Adult and Child Protective Services – Investigates and protects children and senior adults from incidences of abuse or neglect. Can provide some supportive services to keep the children in the home and to stabilize senior adults in their own home. Select Option 4 when calling.

**Salvation Army Funds** – Funds limited to emergency needs of our community, which cannot be provided through other resources in the community. Must complete a Community Assistance Program Application, available at our front desk. Service priorities include one-time gas cards, medications, work related clothing, car repairs, furniture/appliances, and other services by approval of program supervisor. **Select Option 1 when calling.** 





Scan the QR code to download a copy of the current OhioMeansJobs Preble County Employment Opportunities and Resources newsletter.

The Job Center is available to anyone in the community for activities related to unemployment or job search. Computers are available to apply for unemployment, search for a job, or create a resume. We have fill-in-the-blank software

for creating a resume. In addition, there are helpful tutorials on OhioMeansJobs.com. Individuals have access to printing, copying, and faxing employment /unemployment documents. We also have a Jobs Board, copies of our monthly newsletter, employer applications, on-line application process information, and materials related to employment, education, and other county resources. ALL SERVICES RELATED TO JOB SEARCH AND UNEMPLOYMENT ARE FREE AND AVAILABLE TO ANYONE!

**Employers** can post positions on our Jobs Board and provide us with an application or on-line application process information. We can also promote your job opportunities in our monthly newsletter. You may send an e-mail to **preblejfs@jfs.ohio.gov** if you would like a position posted.

Call 937-456-6205 Option 2 to reach OhioMeansJobs Preble County.

See our OhioMeansJobs Preble County Facebook page for job search and employer information.



Call us for free, personalized support, plus help navigating all the local and statewide resources available to you!



ohiokan.jfs.ohio.gov 1-844-OHIO-KAN











#### **UNITED WAY**

225 North Barron Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 456-7174 | www.dayton-unitedway.org



## HelpLink 2-1-1

Every day, people find themselves in need of human services — from finding quality childcare to finding care for an aging parent. But too many people go without these necessary and readily available services because they simply do not know where to start.

By calling HelpLink 2-1-1, you can **connect with a live person 24 hours a day** who will help you navigate our local nonprofit network. HelpLink 2-1-1 employees handle each phone call with personal care. These skilled workers listen to your needs, research all available service options, connect you with help, and follow-up as needed. They are specially trained to help with problem solving and crisis intervention.

Just dial 2-1-1 or call (937) 225-3000

#### **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – PREBLE COUNTY**

131 North Barron Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 472-0002 | www.habitat.org/oh/eaton/preble-county-hfh



Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit housing organization working in local communities across all 50 states and in more than 70 countries around the world. Habitat's vision is of a world where everyone has a decent place to live. Habitat works toward this vision by building and improving homes in partnership with individuals and families in need of a decent and affordable place to live.

#### Habitat for Humanity's work includes:

- Home construction
- Older adults' home repair
- Revitalizing communities
- Disaster response



#### **STORE HOURS:**

SUNDAY	CLOSED
MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY	10 AM-2 PM
WEDNESDAY	10 AM-6 PM
THURSDAY	10 AM-6 PM
FRIDAY	10 AM-6 PM
SATURDAY	10 AM-2 PM

Habitat for Humanity ReStores are nonprofit home improvement stores and donation centers that sell new and gently used furniture, appliances, home accessories, building materials and more to the public at a fraction of the retail price.

#### MIAMI VALLEY COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP (CAP)

308 Eaton Lewisburg Road, Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 456-2800 | miamivalleycap.org

**EHEAP/ Summer Crisis Program (SCP)** – Eligible individuals and families in emergencies may qualify to receive up to \$175.00 in payment assistance to help maintain, restore, or initiate their utility services. In addition, those with a 10-day or less supply of bulk fuel may qualify to receive up to \$900.00 in assistance. This program



runs July 1<sup>st</sup> through Sep. 30<sup>th</sup>, or until all funds are depleted, and is funded through the Emergency Home Energy Assistance Program (EHEAP) by the ODSA.

Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIPP) - Community Action Partnership will gladly enroll eligible households into the Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIPP) to help them manage their utility bills and maintain services. Through PIPP, customers are placed on a payment plan with their utility company according to their household income. This program is funded through the Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) by the Ohio Development Services Agency (ODSA.) Darke Rural and Butler Rural do not offer this program.

<u>Emergency Services</u> – Available to families in an emergency situation. The family income must be able to sustain the household. This program can assist with payments such as; rent to prevent eviction, utility payment to prevent disconnection or transfer services. Apply on the website, miamivalleycap.org.

<u>Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program</u> - This program provides continuing rental assistance to eligible families by way of a subsidy based on income. The Tenant selects a unit that is safe, sanitary and affordable. Funded by Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

<u>Transportation Services</u> - CAP Preble County contracts with Veteran Services, the Mental Health and Recovery Board, and Job & Family Services assist in transporting Veteran and seniors to medical appointments, and for work related transportation. Private transportation is available for a fee, by appointment.

<u>Camden Commons and Eagles Nest Apartments</u> - CAP Preble County manages the senior apartment complexes. These apartments are for people 55 years of age and older. Applications are available at the CAP office. All revenues and expenses for these programs are now internally generated and controlled.

<u>Home Weatherization Assistance Program</u> - This program is a free energy efficiency program designed to help incomeeligible families decrease costs and make their homes safer and more energy efficient. For weatherization services, please call 800-617-2673. There is currently no waiting list and there are a variety of programs available based on income and utility company. Call and speak with one of our HWAP Specialists today!

<u>Senior Commodity Program</u> is for seniors age 60 or above that are Preble County residents, and income eligible. Applications are available at CAP. Program is run by Shared Harvest Foodbank out of Fairfield. Distribution is the 1st Tuesday of Every Month, 1:00pm to 4:00pm. At CAP, 308 Eaton Lewisburg Rd, Eaton.

Tuesday Jan 2, 2024	Tuesday Feb 6, 2024	Tuesday Mar 5, 2024
Tuesday Apr 2, 2024	Tuesday May 7, 2024	Tuesday Jun 4, 2024
Tuesday Jul 2, 2024	Tuesday Aug 6, 2024	Tuesday Sep 3, 2024
Tuesday Oct 1, 2024	Tuesday Nov 5, 2024	Tuesday Dec 3, 2024

#### MY NEIGHBOR'S HOUSE RECOVERY CENTER

120 North Cherry Street Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-336-5052 | rshisler@thrive-therapeutics.org





We offer a range of educational activities, wellness programs, support groups, recovery groups and meetings, community outings, fellowship, and complimentary lunch daily.

Certified Peer Support Specialists are onsite every day and are available to support you on your recovery journey.

**Transportation is available Monday through Friday**, please call 937-336-5052 to schedule or with any questions you may have.

**Attitudes of Gratitude:** Dedicated time focusing on giving back to yourself, our internal and external community.

Morning Motivation: A start to your day that will give you access to motivation that will empower you to a new level mentally, physically, emotionally, and financially.

**Meditation**: A mind and body practice that has a long history of use for increasing calmness and physical relaxation, improving psychological balance, coping with illness, and enhancing overall health and well-being.

Mindfulness Matters: Mindfulness is the practice of bringing one's attention in the present moment without judgment. This group supports increased self-awareness to help you bring out the best in yourself.

**Physical Motivation:** Activities and discussions that focus on improving one's physical health.

**Healing through Art:** Activities and Outings that spark creativity, promote imagination, and encourage self-expression.

**Life Skills Support**: Discussions and workshops that empower individuals with the skills and tools to gain and improve independence.

**Self-Care:** Activities and discussions that promote and encourage individual self-care by exploring different self-care habits, activities, and topics.

**Guided Journaling:** Using the assigned meaningful writing prompt, this exercise encourages self-expression, reflective thinking and improves mental health.

**Healthy Cooking & Nutrition:** Activities and discussions that focus on learning and practicing healthy nutrition habits.

**Crew Meeting:** Become a part of the My Neighbor's House crew and get involved with the various tasks, planning and maintenance of the center.

Maintaining Mental Health: A self-help support group that offers a safe space where you can share, gain insight and find healing while helping others in the group as well.

Mending Minds League: Become involved with the planning and facilitation of this weekly group that focuses on improving one's mental health and explores ways to advocate for yourself and others.

**Precontemplation/ Early Recovery:** Geared for individuals in the early stages of their recovery journey.

Relapse Prevention Meeting: Discussions that help identify high risk behaviors and situations that could contribute to relapse and the tools, techniques, and methods to prevent relapse.

**Process Group:** Address aspects of your addiction in a safe space, designed to help individuals process their reasons for being addicted and to find new coping strategies that help them deal with life's struggles while remaining clean and sober.

**Depression & Anxiety Support Group:** For anyone experiencing depression and/or anxiety, this group provides a safe space to access support and resources.

**Recovery Goals Meeting:** Set and work through ways to meet individual goals that will aid in your recovery.

**Friends of the House:** A weekly AA group meeting that allows for discussion of various topics and participation levels.

We Do Recover: A 2x weekly NA group meeting that allows for discussion of various topics and participation levels.

It Works: How and Why Meeting: A work group study that takes a deeper dive into understanding and utilizing the 12-step approach.

**Recovery Tools Meeting:** Share, learn and discuss tools that have helped you or others begin and maintain recovery.



An initiative of Thrive Therapeutics | Funded in part by the Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board,
Ohio Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services and the Substance Abuse Mental Health Services
Administration





# MONDAY-FRIDAY 830-430 | NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY | TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE NEIGHBORS | HOUSE HOUSE Y NEIGHBOR'S HOUSE RECOVERY CENTER

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Thursday	2 10a: March for Mental Health 11: Guided Journaling 1p: Friends of the House (AA Meeting) 2p: Walmart	9 10a: Art in the Park 11a: Guided Journaling 1p: Friends of the House (AA Meeting) 2p: Fun & Games	16 10a: Art in the Park 11a: Guided Journaling 1p: Friends of the House (AA Meeting) 2p: Crew Meeting	10a:Preble County Farmers Market 11a: Guided Journaling 1p: Friends of the House (AA Meeting) 2p: Walmart outing	30 10a: Art in the Park 11a: Guided Journaling 1p: Friends of the House (AA Meeting) 2p: Mindfulness Matters
Wednesday	1 10a: Coffee Outing 11a: Healthy Connections with YWCA 1p: Depression & Anxiety Support Group 2p: Fun & Games	8 10a: Attitude of Gratttude 11a: Depression & Anxiety Support Group 1p: 3 YEAR CELEBRATION:	15 Closed for Inservice Training	10a: Attitudes of Gratitude 11a: Healthy Connections with the YWCA Ip: Depression & Anxiety Support Group 2p: Dollar Tree Shopping	29 10a: Attitude of Grattiude 11a: Self Care 1p: Depression & Anxiety Support Group 2p: Life Skills
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Monday		6 10a:Preble County Farmers Market 11a: Check In 1p: Healthy Living 2p: Goal Setting	13 10a: Check In 11a: Pickleball- YMCA 1p: Healthy Living 2p: Self Care	10a: Check In 11a: Healthy Living 1p: Movie Outing	CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY
SUN	Closed	Closed	12 Closed	Closed	26

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#### PREBLE COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH & RECOVERY BOARD

100 E. Somers St, Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-456-6827 | www.pcmhrb.org

The Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board supports our local agencies to ensure that quality mental health and addiction recovery services are available to all Preble County residents.



You are not alone. We can Help. Preble County 24/7 Crisis Line:

1-866-532-3097

Services funded through PCMHRB include mental health and substance use counseling and supports, housing, school-based mental health treatment and prevention programs, community partnerships to include S.A.F.E team, Substance Abuse Prevention Partnership, Suicide Coalition, Crisis Intervention Team, Success Program, parenting classes, and Mental Health First Aid trainings.

#### Gebhart Counseling Solutions, LLC 504 Hallmark Dr. Eaton, OH 45320

PH: (937) 456-2805

Gebhart Counseling provides school based mental health services and screenings as well as outpatient treatment for youth, adults, and families. Gebhart Counseling also is the lead to the HOPE squads' program in all five Preble County schools, who provide peer support focused on prevention and mental health education.

#### Samaritan Behavioral Health, Inc.

225 N. Barron St., Eaton, OH 45320

PH: (937) 456-1915

SBHI provides outpatient treatment for children, adolescents, adults & families in need of mental health treatment and/or psychiatric services.

#### My Neighbor's House – Thrive Therapeutics, LLC 120 N. Cherry St., Eaton, OH 45320

PH: (937) 336-5052

My Neighbor's House operated by Thrive Therapeutics, LLC, provides a supportive daily environment to those with mental health and substance use needs. Services include peer support, educational activities, support groups, community outings, and daily meals.

#### **Next Step Living**

5932 St. Rt. 40, Lewisburg, OH 45338

PH: (937) 718-7436

Next Step living provides safe, supportive housing to those in recovery from substance use, as well as assistance with employment, service coordination, and daily support for maintained sobriety.

#### Recovery & Wellness Centers of MW Ohio 228 North Barron St., Eaton, OH 45320

PH: (937) 456-7694

Recovery & Wellness is an outpatient provider for substance use & mental health needs, including therapy, case management, groups, and psychiatric services to individuals and families. RWC provides school-based prevention in all Preble County schools.

#### <u>Sojourner Recovery Services</u> 1881 US Rt 127 North, Eaton, OH 45320 PH: (937) 336-5414

Sojourner provides inpatient residential treatment center for individuals with substance use disorders. Services include assessments, individual and group sessions, family counseling, case management and perinatal services.



Find us online at www.pcmhrb.org

Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board | PH: (937) 456-6827 | 100 E. Somers St. Eaton, OH 45320 Preble County LOCAL 24/7 Crisis Line: 1-866-532-3097 | 24/7 Crisis Text Line – Text 4HOPE to 741741

# Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 8:30-4:30 100 E. Somers St. Eaton, Ohio 45320 (937) 456-6827 www.pcmhrb.org

# Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board Meetings

Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board holds regular Board meetings typically on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month at 6:30pm. Board meetings are open to the public and will be offered in person and virtually. Meeting information, minutes, and agendas can be found on our website. <a href="http://www.pcmhrb.org/board-meetings.html">http://www.pcmhrb.org/board-meetings.html</a>

The Preble County
Convention & Visitors Bureau
presents:



PCMHRB has joined Yodel! Click the link below to begin exploring all the upcoming events in Preble County!

https://events.yodel.today/preblecounty

#### SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION PARTNERSHIP



Meets typically on the first Tuesday of each quarter via Microsoft Teams.

Contact PCMHRB for meeting invite information – (937) 456-6827 or email autumn.cooper@pcmhrb.org

We are a grassroots community partnership working together to prevent substance abuse through education and prevention in Preble County. We include many local agencies, organizations, impassioned community leaders and concerned citizens.

If you want to help, please come to a meeting. The following agencies, pastoral members and many concerned residents support this initiative. It is led by the Preble County Sheriff's Office and Recovery & Wellness Centers of Midwest Ohio, our outpatient treatment center.

- Eaton Police Department
- Job & Family Services
- Mental Health & Recovery Board
- Preble County Commission
- Preble County Pastoral Council
- Preble County Job & Family Services
- Preble County Public Health
- Preble County Sheriff's Office
- Preble County TASC

- Preble County YMCA
- Prosecutor's Office
- Recovery & Wellness Centers of MW Ohio
- Samaritan Behavioral Health
- Sojourner Recovery Services
- Preble County Schools

# Preble County Community Resources

# **EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS**

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24/7 Crisis Services	1-866-532-3097
24/7 Crisis Text Line Text "4H	OPE" to 741741
National Crisis Line	
Birthright Call Center	1-800-550-4900
National Human Trafficking Resource Center	
Veterans Crisis Line Text to "838255"	800-273-8255
HIT Shelters—Homeless & Cold Shelters	937-472-0500
Domestic Violence Shelter	937-456-6891
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Children & Adult Protective Services	937-456-6205 937-456-9110
Children & Adult Protective Services Victim Witness Program	937-456-6205 937-456-9110
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Children & Adult Protective Services Victim Witness Program YWCA 24/7 Domestic Violence Hotline & Shelte	937-456-6205 937-456-9110 er937-456-6891

# Habitat for Humanity......937-472-0002 EMERGENCY/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

Community Action Partnership	937-456-2800
Job & Family Services	937-456-6205
United May	Call 2 1 1 at 027 225 2000

#### **CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS**

The Common Good	937-456-6560
Adorn (New Paris)	937-336-0625
Community Clothes Closet (Lewisburg)	937-962-2741
The Clothes Closet (Eaton)	937-456-3810

# **MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE USE SUPPORTS**

Recovery & Wellness	937-456-7694
Samaritan Behavioral Health	937-456-1915
Gebhart Counseling Solutions, LLC	937-456-2805
My Neighbor's House	937-336-5052
Next Step Living	937-718-7436
Preble County Adult TASC	937-456-3443
Sojourner Recovery Services	937-336-5414
Harmony Counseling Services	937-336-2271
Kathy Judy, LPCC	937-974-4951
Stamper-Moore Counseling	937-839-5800

## Dial 2-1-1 for a Complete Directory of Resources

24/ / Crisis Services	1-000-332-303
24/7 Crisis Text Line	Text "4HOPE" to 741741

# **FAMILY SUPPORTS**

4C for Children (Childcare referrals)	800-256-1296
Diversion/Mediation	937-456-2754
Early Head Start Home Base	866-627-4557
Help Me Grow	937-456-5891
Preble County Council on Aging	937-456-4947
S.A.F.E. (family preservation)	937-336-6494
Veteran Services	937-456-6111
Wraparound program	937-456-3443
YMCA various programs	

# **FOOD & NUTRITIONAL SERVICES**

The Common Good	.937-456-6560
Preble County Council on Aging (Seniors)	.937-456-4947
Emergency Food Pantry	.937-456-2800
First Southern Baptist (Camden & Gratis)	.937-452-7291
Go Ministries Food Pantry (West Manchester)	.937-670-8739
FISH Food Pantry (Camden)	.937-533-2015
Higher Heights (for Shawnee Dist.)	.937-452-3600
Jacob's Ladder	.937-839-2576
Job & Family Services	.937-456-6205
St. John Food Pantry (West Alex)	.937-839-1615
St. Paul Food Pantry (New Paris)	.937-437-8484
Trinity Lutheran (Lewisburg)	.937-962-2741
United Methodist Food Pantry (Shawnee Dist.)	.937-452-3328
United WayCall 2-1-1 or	
Ware's Chapel (Monroe, Eldorado & W. Manchester)	.937-678-4564
PCPH WIC	.937-472-0087

# INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENTAL SUPPORT

PC Board of Developmental Disabilities	937-456-5891
PCPH Children with Medical Handicaps	937-472-0087
L&M Products	937-456-7141
Pediatric OT, PT, ST Services	937-456-6505

## **HEALTH CARE & MEDICAL INSURANCE**

Bureau for Children with Medical Handicaps	614-466-1700
Job & Family Services	.937-456-6205
Ohio Medicaid Consumer Hotline	.800-324-8680
Preble Co. Public Health	.937-472-0087

## **SCHOOL-BASED SUPPORT**

Head Start937-452-109	C
Gebhart Counseling at National Trail, TC North, Preble Shawnee	
Preble Co. Success Liaisons available at each of our local schools	
Recovery & Wellness services available at TV South	
South Community available at Eaton Community Schools	

## **TRANSPORTATION**

Preble County Transit	937-634-9060
Community Action Partnership	937-456-2800
Job & Family Services	937-456-6205
Preble County Council on Aging	937-456-4947

# **EMPLOYMENT SUPPORTS**

Easter Seals (55 & older)	.937-528-6330
OhioMeansJobs/Preble County	.937-456-6205
Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities	.937-331-5000

# Crisis Hotlines

# Preble County LOCAL 24/7 Crisis Line:

1-866-532-3097

National Crisis Line: 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

Suicide Prevention Line: 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

Youth Crisis Line: 1-800-442-HOPE (4673)

Veteran's Crisis Line: 1-800-273-8255 (Press #1)

Runaway Safeline: 1-800-RUNAWAY (786-2929)

24/7 Domestic Violence Hotline: (937)456-6891



24/7 Crisis Text Line: Text 4HOPE to 741741



www.pcmhrb.org

937.456.6827

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Preble County 24/7 Crisis Line:

<u>1-866-532-3097</u>



Mental Health & Substance Use Outpatient Services (937) 456-7694



Residential Treatment Center (937) 336-5414



Mental Health & Substance Use Day Services (937) 336-5052



Substance Use Recovery Housing (937) 718-7436



Mental Health & In School Services (937) 456-2805



Mental Health Services (937) 456-1915



CRISIS TEXT LINE

24/7 Crisis Text Line: Text 4HOPE to 741741

www.pcmhrb.org

937.456.6827

Updated June 2021

We have 2-sided Updated Resource Cards available for you at PCMHRB office.

# PREBLE COUNTY RECOVERY MEETINGS

Recovery Meeting list provided by: Next Step Living - PH: (937) 718-7436

# **Recovery Meetings**

#### Sunday

A Better Life, Breanna's Hope: <a href="https://www.ablbh.org/">https://www.ablbh.org/</a>

Christian Missionary Alliance Church- 6 PM 306 Devor Street Greenville, OH 45331 Contact: Mike (937) 517-8443 or Misty (937) 572-7539

# **Monday**

Next Step Living Men's NA Meeting -7:30 PM 5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338 Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email nextstepliving2017@gmail.com

#### **Tuesday**

Next Step Living: Women's NA Meeting -7 PM 5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338 Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email nextstepliving2017@gmail.com

My Neighbor's House: We Do Recover NA Meeting-1 PM 120 N Cherry Street Eaton, OH 45320

Contact: (937) 336-5052

#### Wednesday

Next Step Living
Clean Down on the Farm NA Meeting- 8PM
5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338
Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email
nextstepliving2017@gmail.com

AA Meeting- 7PM The Dover 100 S Lafayette Street Camden, OH 45311 Contact: Brad Stowe (937) 733-2884

# **Thursday**

Next Step Living Recovery Bible Study-7:30 PM 5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338 Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email nextstepliving2017@gmail.com

My Neighbor's House Friends of the House AA Meeting- 1 PM 120 N Cherry Street Eaton, OH 45320 Contact: (937) 336-5052

# <u>Friday</u>

Next Step Living
Open NA Meeting -7 PM
5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338
Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email
nextstepliving2017@gmail.com

# Saturday

Next Step Living
NSL Bonfire AA Meeting-7:30 PM
5932 US Route 40 Lewisburg, OH 45338
Contact: (937) 718-7436 or email
nextstepliving2017@gmail.com



Do you have a question about mental health or recovery resources that are available in Preble County?

Connect virtually for free using the link below to talk with a staff member at the Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board.

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

Click here to join the meeting

Meeting ID: 291 429 093 882 Passcode: D3Gmxf

Preble County Mental Health & Recovery Board | PH: (937)456-6827 | 100 E. Somers St. Eaton, OH 45320 Preble County LOCAL 24/7 Crisis Line: 1-866-532-3097 | 24/7 Crisis Text Line – Text 4HOPE to 741741

# PREBLE COUNTY PRIDE

P.O. Box 271 West Alexandria, OH 45381 | (937) 522-1398 | www.preblepride.org | Facebook



Bringing diversity and LGBTQIA+ visibility, awareness, and acceptance to Preble County, Ohio and surrounding areas

# Find resources like these on the Preble County Pride website:



Not sure how to start the process of coming out?
Are you afraid of what might happen? We have some tips to help you into the next chapter of your life.

Honoring your boundaries and other people's is critical to a healthy relationship. View our Consent & Boundaries brochure to learn about how to give consent, what it means, and more.

Emotional abuse can come from a parent, a friend, an intimate partner, a teacher, no matter how distant or close. Read our Domestic & Emotional Abuse guide to learn more and how to protect yourself.







Are you or a friend experiencing a mental health, domestic abuse-related, or another kind of crisis? View our curated list of crisis hotlines.

As a parent, you can't protect your child from opposition, rejection, marginalization, & bullying, but you can give them a soft place to land. Learn how to support your child with our quide.

As members of the LGBTQ+ community, you are entitled to be treated fairly when finding housing, education, and in the workplace.



# SOJOURNER RECOVERY SERVICE

1881 US Route 127 North Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-336-5414 | www.sojournerrecovery.org



1881 US Route 127 North (Eaton)

937-336-5414 | www.sojournerrecovery.org

- · Residential Treatment Center for Women, Pregnant Women, & Women with Young Children
- An inpatient treatment center offering substance abuse and mental health treatment services to female clients.
- Services include assessments, individual and group sessions, family counseling and case management.

## **NO REFERRAL NEEDED**

937-336-5414 Press 1 after the prompt

# **Sojourner Perinatal Services**

- Prenatal clinics, area OB/GYN offices
- Schools
- Home visits
- Community events
- Hospitals
- Substance abuse treatment sites
- Emergency shelters

## For Perinatal Services contact:

Katelyn Ratliff RN, BSN
Perinatal Registered Nurse
513-805-5371
kratliff@communityhealthalliance.com

Matima Community Teatt I amarice.com

# YWCA – PREBLE COUNTY OFFICE

225 North Barron Street Eaton, OH 45320 | Hotline: 937-456-6891 | Business Office: 937-336-5859

Domestic Violence Emergency Shelter - Provides emergency short-term shelter and aid for women and their children fleeing domestic violence. Offers a wide variety of programming to help women and children improve personal safety, encourage self-sufficiency and enable women to survive, cope and re-enter the community safely. Services include: emergency shelter, 24/7 crisis hotline (937-456-6891), crisis intervention, safety planning, intense case management, legal advocacy and support to file charges and obtain legal protections, outreach, support and educational groups, goal planning, individual advocacy, food, clothing and personal care items, transportation support and follow-up case management and referrals.

Sexual Assault Program – Provides anonymous, 24/7 hotline (937-456-6891) response to anyone impacted by sexual violence, including friends and loved ones of survivors. We provide a holistic approach within our services through short-term case management and advocacy to empower the individual to move forward, and work with community-based partners for on-going support. We provide in shelter and community-based support groups for survivors to have a place to speak safely regarding their experiences. We provide sexual assault education through community-based presentations, workshops, and psychosocial educational programs for partners looking for curriculum-building courses taught over time. We also provide professional consultation and guidance to anyone seeking help and support on how to make their workplaces, schools, or other organizations more aware of the effects of violence on all aspects of our lives.



<u>Girls LEAD!</u> – Girls LEAD! helps girls between the ages of 11-18 explore and celebrate their strengths, their voices, who they are today, and who they will become through the Girls LEAD! Experience. In our Girls LEAD! Summer Camps girls get to have fun and make new friends while discovering new talents and life skills and thriving in a developmentally-appropriate, all-girl environment with strong female staff and mentors.

<u>Business Office</u> – Provides information on YWCA Preble County programs which includes the Domestic Violence Shelter, Sexual Assault services and the Girls LEAD! Camps. You may call or walk-in. Our Rural Advocate provides outreach case management and advocacy for Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Dating Violence and Stalking survivors/victims that would like services but do not need shelter. Our Rural Prevention Educator provides trainings for schools, agencies, first responders and community members centered around Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Dating Violence and Stalking. For more questions on our services, please call our business office (937-336-5859).

# PREBLE COUNTY VICTIM WITNESS PROGRAM

125 South Cherry Street | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 456-9110

The role of the Victim Advocate includes, but may not be limited to: 24/7 on-call response to victims and/or their families, responding to the police station or hospital, assisting with protection order applications, providing court advocacy for victims, acting as a liaison between victims of crime, their families, and the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney, making service referrals such as counseling and public services, and notifying victims of court hearings and other court related appearances. The office is open to the public, but we encourage individuals to make an appointment to ensure someone is readily available. Our office is open 8am-4pm Monday-Friday.

# PREBLE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

615 Hillcrest Drive | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | (937) 472-0087 | www.preblecountyhealth.org

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**2024 COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT** 

# We Need Your Help!

Help us understand how best to meet the healthcare needs of individuals and families in the Greater Dayton Area.





Must be a resident of the Greater Dayton Area to participate.

# GOODWILL EASTERSEALS - MIAMI VALLEY

937-528-6330 | www.gesmv.org



At Goodwill Easterseals Miami Valley our mission is to empower people with disabilities and other disadvantages to achieve independence and improve their quality of life.

- **Job Readiness** At Goodwill Easterseals Miami Valley, we offer many different job readiness programs designed to meet the needs of our participants, whatever ability or skill set they bring.
- **Behavioral Health** Individuals with mental illness or addiction challenges need support and guidance in order to manage their lives effectively. Our programs focus on recovery and skills-training to provide a foundation for success and self-sufficiency.
- **Children & Youth** We want to help children in our community, particularly those with a disability, get a good start in life. No matter the age we can play an important role in helping them achieve independence.
- **Senior Services** Senior services provide solutions to the growing needs of older adults. Senior services offer employment programs, support and outreach to ensure our seniors are thriving.
- **Developmental Disabilities** Goodwill Easterseals Miami Valley is the area leader in services for adults with special needs and developmental disabilities. Choose from our flexible scheduling and programming with Door-To-Door Transportation, Personal Care Service and Community-Focused Activities.
- **Specialty Services Medical Equipment Loan, Radio Reading Services, Vision Services**; These services help make everyday tasks easier for someone with a disability or other barrier and enable people to do things for themselves instead of relying on others for assistance.

# **PRO SENIORS**

(513) 345-4160 | Info@proseniors.org | proseniors.org



Founded in 1975, Pro Seniors' mission is to enhance the independence and quality of life of older adults by empowering them, by protecting their interests and by facilitating their access to resources.

# **Legal Services**

Pro Seniors Free Legal Helpline for Ohio residents provides free legal information, advice, and referral for residents of Ohio age 60 and over, regardless of income or resources. Call (513) 345-4160 or 800-488-6070 to set up an appointment. We have a Legal Helpline for Ohio seniors, age 60 and over, to speak with an attorney free of charge. In addition, for seniors living in Southwest Ohio (Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Hamilton, & Warren counties), we have in-house attorneys who can assist.

# **Long-Term Care Ombudsman**

Our ombudsmen are advocates for the rights of people in nursing home services and other long-term care, and ensure that they are being treated with respect in their long-term care situation. They help protect your rights and can connect seniors to needed services or agencies. The ombudsmen can also help seniors and their families with the process of selecting a long-term care provider.

# **Ohio SMP (Senior Medicare Patrol)**

The Ohio Senior Medicare Patrol helps empower and assist Medicare beneficiaries, their families, and caregivers to prevent, detect, and report health care fraud, errors, and abuse. Using a team of volunteers, Ohio SMP teaches Ohioans how to avoid Medicare fraud, scams and identity theft.

For Medicare concern assistance or to schedule a presentation, please call 800-293-4767

# ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

800-272-3900 | www.alz.org | 937.291.3332

# ALZHEIMER'S SASSOCIATION®

The Alzheimer's Association, Miami Valley Chapter's mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health. Chapter programs are provided free of charge and our service area includes Preble and surrounding counties to the north and east.

The Association offers family and community services including a 24/7 Helpline (available in more than 200 languages), a telephone assistance service that provides information, support and referrals to resources and programs, care consultations for family education and planning, early stage planning and social engagement and other education and support services.

# For more information call 937.291.3332 or visit our website at alz.org/dayton

In addition information about clinical trials (TrialMatch), MedicalAlert & Safe Return programs, and Community Resources can also be found online at <u>alz.org</u> or by calling 800-272-3900. Want to volunteer with the Association?

Let us know by filling out an application or call to learn more! alz.org/dayton or 800-272-3900

# Bring the Alzheimer's Association to your group, church, school, or community organization!

Our speaker's bureau is available to provide presentations about Alzheimer's and dementia. For more information, contact Ashley Thurston at 937.610.7012 or althurston@alz.org

The Alzheimer's Association Miami Valley Chapter now has a Zoom Caregiver Support Group.

This will be the 3rd Saturday of the Month @ 10:00 a.m.

Please contact Carrie Lawhorn at 937.381.9095

# **Alzheimer's Association Miami Valley Chapter**

Visit alz.org/dayton to find other educational offerings in the Miami Valley Chapter area.

# PREBLE COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

200 Eaton-Lewisburg Rd. Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-456-5891 | info@prebledd.org



# **Services Provided:**

- Early Intervention for ages 0-3
- Service Coordination for all ages
- Advocacy Training & Family Education
- Recreational Activities
- Special Olympics programs

# We Coordinate and Fund:

- Job Training & Support
- Adult Day Services
- In-Home Care
- Transportation



We are primarily supported through local levy funds, in addition to some state and federal funding sources.

To learn more about our services, or to explore jobs and volunteer opportunities, visit <u>prebledd.org</u>.



# PREBLE COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES



# Local agencies with Transportation Services

for non-emergency medical appointments

Job & Family Services – Preble County 937-456-6205

Preble County Council on Aging 937-456-4947

**Community Action Partnership – Preble County** 937-456-2800

Preble County Veterans Services 937-456-6111



# (937) 456-4947

#### Mission Statement:

To coordinate the transportation efforts among partner agencies in order to provide mobility solutions to residents of Preble County in the most efficient and effective means possible.

Preble Co. Transit, Through the **Preble County Council on Aging**, is an Ohio DOT grant funded service to help the residents of Preble County learn of, and find Transportation options. These services are free to all residents. Although it does not provide actual Transportation, this service will help you find options. The Mobility Manager will also listen to your suggestions on how to improve Preble County Transportation services. The Quarterly Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting is open to all residents to discuss Transportation improvements.

You can learn of future events and Transportation improvements at the Preble County Transit Facebook page.

(937) 456-4947



# PREBLE COUNTY COUNCIL ON AGING

800 East St. Clair Street Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-456-4947 | prebleseniorcenter.org www.facebook.com/preblecountycouncilonaging



Our Mission: We will partner with our community in assuring the best quality of life for our seniors now and into the future.

**Preble County Senior Center** – Social, Physical, Intellectual, Emotional, Environmental, and Spiritual. Our activities satisfy the six dimensions of wellness that are open and available to all ages. We have additional resources that are available for senior's ages 60 or better. Stay up to date with all our activities and resources by becoming a member. You will receive our bi-monthly newsletter and other perks. Membership is \$10.00 per person each year.

**Decade's Diner** – "Fab 50's" décor including a large screen TV!! We are open for lunch Monday – Friday 11:00am to 1:00 pm. There is a daily special, a daily combo, and a regular menu to choose from, plus incredible desserts for your sweet tooth. Dine-in or carry-out. Open to the public, all ages welcome.

Thursday Night Weekly Dance: I Dance My Way – The weekly dance is every Thursday from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. Live music by the local band, The Silvertones, dollar food menu, door prizes, 50/50 drawing, and lots of dancing. Admission \$3 single/\$5 couple. Adults of all ages welcome.

**Homemaker Services** - Available to individuals age 60+ who are frail and have acute or chronic conditions. Services include light housekeeping, grocery shopping, respite, light meal preparation, and more. Call for more information and eligibility requirements.

**Service Navigation/ Information & Referral** – Come to Preble County's 'one stop shop' for information about programs and services available for persons aged 60+. In depth, on-going information referral and case management options. OSHIPP Certified Counselor available for Medicare and other insurance questions. Notary services available upon request.

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**Home Delivered Meals** – Meals are delivered to older adults at home. All meals provide at least one-third of the government's daily recommended dietary allowance. Meal deliverers check on the welfare of the client and are trained to report any health or other problems noticed during visit. Meals are delivered between 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except holidays. Call for eligibility requirements.

**Congregate Meals** – Individuals age 60+ can eat a Congregate Meal between 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. in the Decade's Diner at the Preble County Senior Center for a suggested donation of \$3.00. All meals are Mondays through Friday. The purpose of a congregate meal is to promote health, reduce the risk of malnutrition, improve nutritional status, reduce social isolation, and link older adults to community services.

**Transportation** – Seniors age 60 years or better within a 50 mile radius of Eaton are able to use our transportation. Wheelchair transportation is available, and one escort may ride with each participant. If under 60 years and receive Medicaid, call Job & Family Services for eligibility.

**Senior Companionship Program** – This program helps community seniors stay in their homes and live independently by providing assistance with tasks of daily living and offering friendship and emotional support. Services provided include an in-home companion and/or a daily telephone reassurance call. Call for more information on these available services, or if you are interested in becoming a volunteer for this program or other programs.

**Community Care Closet** – Persons aged 60 and better who live in Preble County, and have an income at or below 200% Federal Poverty Guidelines may be eligible for items in the Community Care Closet. Medicine/Pill Dispensers for one week, 2x per day – Pill Cutters – Throw Blankets – Light Bulbs – Batteries – Flashlights – Fans – Portable Heaters – Liquid Measuring Spoons – CO2 Alarms – Non-Skid Tape – Radios – Whistles – Depends – Night Lights.

**Volunteers** - PCCOA is always looking for volunteers to help with our senior populations. There are multiple ways you can give your time such as, delivering meals on wheels, companionship program (telephone or in person), dishwashing, leading a support group, and many more. Let us know what you would like to do and we can help make it happen.

# WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN PROGRAM (WIC)

Preble County Public Health Building | 615 Hillcrest Dr. Eaton, OH 45320 | 937-456-5457

# **Preble County WIC**



WIC provides nutritious foods and education to promote good health for pregnant women, women who just had a baby, breastfeeding moms, infants and children up to age 5. Foods we provide are electronically placed on a WIC Nutrition Card, and then purchased at local grocery stores.

We have registered dietitians who provide nutrition education. Our lactation consultant and breastfeeding peer helper provide breastfeeding education and support.

Pregnant women, postpartum women, infants and children under age 5 who have Ohio Medicaid qualify for WIC. If you do not have Medicaid, use the guidelines below to determine if you are eligible.

We are located in the Preble County Public Health Building at 615 Hillcrest Drive, Eaton. We are open Monday through Friday 8:00am to 4:30pm, with later hours 9:30am to 6:00pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month. Mondays are walk-in days from 8:30-11am and 1:30-3pm. All other days, appointments are scheduled by calling 937-456-5457.

Economic Unit	Annually	Monthly	Twice Monthly	Biweekly	Weekly
1	\$26,973	\$2,248	\$1,124	\$1,038	\$519
2	36,482	3,041	1,521	1,404	702
3	45,991	3,833	1,917	1,769	885
4	55,500	4,625	2,313	2,135	1,068
5	65,009	5,418	2,709	2,501	1,251
6	74,518	6,210	3,105	2,867	1,434
7	84,027	7,003	3,502	3,232	1,616
8	93,536	7,795	3,898	3,598	1,799

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# **BIRTHRIGHT OF EATON**

212 E. High St. Eaton, OH 45320 937-472-0241 | www.birthrightofeaton.org

# Community



# Are you expecting?

Do you plan to nurse your baby? We have a lactation counselor at Birthright. Call or email to schedule an appointment.

472-0241 or Eaton@birthright.org

# Get Your Party Hats

We would love to have a pizza party for your youth group and share our ministry with them. It is likely that your kids attend school with the clients we hope to reach. Your student could be the bridge that connects an expectant teen mom with the compassion and acceptance she needs.

Let's get together. Call us at 472-0241 to schedule or email Cathy at Eaton@birthright.org

Do you want to spread the word about Birthright? I'm available to speak at your church or community gathering.

Contact Cathy at Eaton@birthright.org and let's set a date.

# We provide the following items:

- Diapers (newborn to size 6)
- Maternity clothes (gently used or new, all sizes)
- Gently used baby clothing (up to 24 months)
- Crib sheets
- Towels (hooded if possible)
- Baby wash, Lotion, Wipes, Powder, Q-tips
- Pacifiers
- Spoon and fork
- Outlet covers
- Cabinet safety locks (plastic that keep busy hands out of dangerous products)
- Sippy cups (preferably those that do not leak)
- Newborn tovs
- Any items for a newborn, as we give new mothers a layette
- As the weather turns colder, coats and sleepers are useful

We welcome donations of the above items.

# Freedom Ministries

Freedom Ministries is a safe place for women to share with others who have experienced the trauma of abortion. This group is strictly for women who have experienced an abortion.

The group leader, Tamara Webb, been where you are and listens without judging.

We meet by appointment at 212 East High Street.

#### Volunteer

We would love to recruit **more volunteers**, so our office could be open and available for longer, more regular hours. Contact us for details.

#### Hours

Please visit us at 212 East High Street, Eaton during the following hours.

Monday 9:00-3:00 Tuesday 5:00-7:00; 12:00-3:00 Wednesday 9:00-12:00 Thursday 9:00-12:00; 5:00-7:00 Friday 12:00-3:00

We are closed on national holidays and when Eaton Schools are closed for inclement weather.

## Breast Friends

**Breast Friends** meets Thursday evenings, 6:30 - 8:00pm. See their page in the *Community Resource* News for details.

# Donate

Donate to Birthright of Eaton! Log into your account at <u>Kroger.com</u>, search for Birthright of Eaton or use account number SB908. You can also designate us at Smile.Amazon.com.

It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth and the right of every child to be born.

# **HELP ME GROW**

200 Eaton-Lewisburg Road | Eaton, Ohio 45320 | info@helpmegrow.org | 1-800-755-GROW



Help Me Grow is a system of supports for pregnant women, caregivers with new babies, and families with young children with developmental delays and disabilities.

Services and supports are provided through Home Visiting and Early Intervention.

**Home Visiting** is a voluntary, home-based service offered at no cost to the family. Trained professionals offer information and support during pregnancy and empower parents with skills, tools, and confidence to nurture the healthy growth of their child throughout the child's earliest years.

**Early Intervention** supports families of young children birth to age three with developmental delays and disabilities. These services are typically provided in the home or other places the family spends time and builds on their ability to enhance the child's learning and development.

# PREBLE COUNTY HEAD START

8263 US Route 127 | Camden, Ohio 45311

Butler County Educational Service Center Head Start is a federally-funded preschool program for children ages 3-5. With centers located in communities throughout Butler and Preble counties, our child and family-focused Head Start Program has the overall goal of increasing the school readiness and social competence of young children.

Our Head Start Program is built upon the understanding that the development of young children is deeply influenced by their family, their community, and their early educational experiences. We are dedicated to preparing preschoolers to take on the challenges of kindergarten.



Call 937-452-1090 or on line to enroll!



#### **Program Highlights:**

Children grow Socially/Emotionally
Children are Prepared for Kindergarten
Families are supported

#### **Program Details:**

No Cost for families that qualify Full Day option available Locations: Twin Valley South, National Trail, Lewisburg, Eaton and Camden

# 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR!



# Head Start/Preschoo

Sign up for **Head Start/Preschool Program** so your child is ready for kindergarten!

# YOUR CHILD WILL:

- Learn how to be COMFORTABLE in a classroom with a group of children while listening and sharing;
- Gain SKILLS for pre-reading, thelp skills they writing, and math;
- 🥁 Gain many selfwill need to be INDEPENDENT in kindergarten.



We can enroll children who are 3 to 5 years old!



# QR CODE.

Scan using your phone and start your online application here! We will then follow up with you.

Call today to schedule an appointment at (513) 785-6850!





**Butler County Educational Service Center** 

400 North Erie Blvd., Suite A • Hamilton, OH 45011 • (513) 887-3710 • www.bcesc.org

# Now Enrolling Early Head Start Home Base

To apply, visit
www.corsp.org
select APPLY NOW or
Scan the QR code





# Teaching children & engaging parents for school success

- enrolling children birth to 3 years old and pregnant women
- · individualized weekly home visits with child and parent
- · learning environments that are safe and friendly
- school-readiness goals based on whole-child development
- periodic group socialization opportunities

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# PREBLE COUNTY SUCCESS TEAM



The Success Program was created with the goal to remove non-cognitive barriers to learning (i.e. lack of food, shelter, medical care, personal hygiene etc.) so that children would be better able to achieve in their educational setting. The mission of the Success Program is to remove these barriers to promote school success, as it is recognized that education is the key to success for many children and a way for them to escape poverty. Another goal of the program is to assist parents with navigating and accessing resources, both resources to meet basic needs and resources to promote self-

sufficiency (education, employment, etc.). The core strategy of the program is placing liaisons in the school districts to help build relationships with low-income families, connecting them with community partners, and encouraging parents to become more invested in their children's education.

# **Eaton Community Schools**

Hollingsworth East Elementary School (K-2) and William Bruce Elementary School (3-5)

Community School Liaison and Preble County Success Program Supervisor - Allie Shafer

Email - ashafer@eaton.k12.oh.us

Phone - (937) 902-0766 Fax - (937) 456-4656

Eaton Middle School and Eaton High School

Community School Liaison - Heather Ludy

Email - hludy@eaton.k12.oh.us

Phone - (937) 757-1040 Fax - (937) 456-1143

## **Preble Shawnee Local Schools**

Community School Liaison - Jen Vonder Meulen

Email - vondermeulenj@psarrows.com

Phone - (317) 696-3539 Fax - (937) 787-3664

# **National Trail Local School District**

Community School Liaison – Aubrey Dunn

Email - adunn@nationaltrail.us

Phone - 937.437.3333 Fax - 937.437.8270

# **Tri County North School District**

**Community School Liaison - April Gross** 

Email - april.gross@tcnschools.org

Phone - (513) 571-6478 Fax - (937) 833-4860

# **Twin Valley Community Schools**

Community School Liaison - Jackie Deichert

Email - jdeichert@tvs.k12.oh.us

Phone - (937) 286-0493

Fax - (937) 839-4898