



CHOICE NEIGHBORHOOD DAYTON

Choice Neighborhood Update

January 2018

New DeSoto Bass stop will be added to senior bus route

Starting on Friday, February 23, the RTA will be adding a new stop to Senior Route 64 AB, which runs on Fridays. The route has stops at Westtown Shopping Center, Walmart, Meijer, and Kroger. This route only runs on Fridays.

Riders are able to exit the route at any stop, but they get on at specific stops that serve seniors. While anyone can ride, please be respectful of seniors for whom it is intended.

Schedules for the route will be available on February 18 at: <http://www.i-riderta.org/schedules/schedule>.



Free Shuttle Available for ADA eligible residents living within 5 miles of the Siebenthaler Kroger. It runs on Tuesday and Thursday from 10 am - 2 pm. Call 937-425-8300 for more information.





EITC—Earned Income Tax Credit—Assistance

The EITC is a refundable tax credit for low- to moderate-income working individuals and couples, particularly those with children. You may qualify. If you need tax help, please reach out to your two neighborhood agencies. IRS-trained volunteers are available to help EITC eligible workers fill out their tax forms for free! Sites are open from January 16 through April 17. Call to make an appointment.

EITC Help Sites

The Job Center
1133 Edwin C. Moses Blvd., 45417
937-913-2000

The Wesley Community Center
3730 Delphos Avenue, 45417
937-263-3556

 <p>EITC up to \$6,318</p> <p>If you lived with three or more children in 2017 and your family earned less than \$48,340 (or less than \$53,930 for married workers), then you can get up to \$6,318.</p>	 <p>EITC up to \$5,616</p> <p>If you lived with two children in 2017 and your family earned less than \$45,007 (or less than \$50,597 for married workers), then you can get up to \$5,616.</p>
 <p>EITC up to \$3,400</p> <p>If you lived with one child in 2017 and your family earned less than \$39,617 (or less than \$45,207 for married workers), then you can get up to \$3,400.</p>	 <p>EITC up to \$510</p> <p>If you had no children living with you in 2017 and you earned less than \$15,010 (or less than \$20,600 for married workers), and you were between the ages 25 and 64, you can get up to \$510.</p>

Jobs Plus and Cabela's adopt families over the holidays

The Jobs Plus Dayton team and Cabela's #75 in Centerville adopted two families from Desoto Bass during the Christmas season. Both families received gifts including coats, books, and array of toys for the children.



Adopted families celebrating with Cabela's staff.

Jobs Plus Dayton is located in the Desoto Bass housing development and offers various supportive services for residents of both Hilltop and Desoto Bass. For more information about Jobs Plus, please call 937-875-1749.



Family adoption at the 904 Building.



Upcoming Events

The events below are open to DeSoto Bass and Hilltop residents only.

- *Making It Happen: Your Best Life* with Cheryl Scroggins: February 8 from 2-3:30 pm
- *Pathway to Home Ownership* with Habitat for Humanity: February 15 from 2-3:30 pm
- *Legal Assistance Made Easy* with Greater Dayton Volunteer Lawyers Project: February 22 from 1-2:30 pm
- *Public Health Mobile Testing Van*: February 23 from 11 am-3 pm

PARTNER HIGHLIGHT:

Boys and Girls Club of Dayton



The Boys & Girls Club of Dayton is committed to providing a quality Club experience for all. We strive to create a positive environment, to foster member development, and to promote positive interactions among our members, staff and volunteers.

Membership is currently open to children in grades K-12, and our hours of Club operation are from 2pm until 7PM Monday-Friday. ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS CURRENTLY RECEIVE FREE membership! Please call [937-262-8377](tel:937-262-8377) for more information on how to join!

PRIORITY BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

**Southwest
Priority Board**
When:
3rd Tuesday
5:30 p.m.
Where:
Call for
location at
937-333-7381

**Innerwest
Priority Board**
When:
1st Monday
6:30 p.m.
Where:
InnerWest Priority
Board Building
1024 W. Third

**Northwest
Priority Board**
When:
4th Wednesday
6:30 pm
Where:
Northwest
Rec Center
1600 Princeton

Choice Neighborhood Dayton's website is fully functional! Check out the process so far with links to maps, reports, and event articles or check out our community resources: <http://choiceneighborhooddayton.com/>

This newsletter was published by CityWide, who has been charged with community organizing and engaging public involvement for HUD Choice.

If you have any questions about the grant or are looking for ways to become more involved please contact Amy Clanton at 853.2537 or aclanton@citywidedev.com

