

Weekly News

Student/Staff Basketball Game

Tremont High School Student Council will once again be hosting our popular student and staff basketball game on **Friday, March 15th at 6PM in the H.S. North Gym.** If you've never been to this event, it is an amazing, inspiring evening, which showcases HS students and staff (GS, MS, and HS) participating in a friendly basketball game with proceeds going to a worthy community supporter. The evening also features a raffle, pulled pork dinner, Minute to Win It competition, and more, including the new addition of kids' carnival games!

If you've never had the pleasure of meeting our high school wrestling coach, T.J. Williams, he is truly a one-of-a-kind person, who shows unprecedented dedication and support to our school district. This year, T.J. led the Tremont Turks wrestling team to the greatest season in Tremont history, as the wrestlers competed in State finals as a team last weekend. While T.J.'s coaching career has soared, his family has dealt with their own tribulations off the mat as T.J.'s son, Aidan, was diagnosed with pediatric cancer. Even with this diagnosis, T.J. and his family have continued to support our community with constant smiles on their faces and Aidan has become one of the unofficial mascots of this Turk wrestling season.

This year, we will be selling t-shirts, which can be worn at this event and any other Tremont event, which feature Aidan's warrior motto! **If you are interested in ordering a t-shirt, please print the order form at this link:** <u>**T-Shirt Order Form**</u>. Sizes and prices can also be found on this form.

If you have any questions regarding the event or t-shirt sales, please e-mail Cassy Wicks at <u>cassy.wicks@d702.org</u>.

Thank you in advance for your support. We hope to see you all on Friday, March 15th, at 6PM in the North Gym.

Tremont High School Student Council

Tremont Museum

Tremont Museum Update

Our volunteers and donors make things happen. Currently there are three major projects we are working on at the museum: Renovation of the old Water Works building, a new research room, and documenting Sampson Street businesses through the years. We need your help!

If you have any of the following items that you would be willing to donate or loan to the museum, or if you know anyone who does, please call Lori at 309-840-0094.

We are in need of a museum quality one-horse plow, vintage driving goggles, signs from any Tremont business, old Tremont agriculture-related photos and old Sampson Street photos or items.



Working on the Sampson Street project: Joyce Madsen, Marthajane Hillman, Clint Kehlert, Rick Otey



Volunteers: Joyce Madsen, Clint Kehlert and Maryann Otey

Library News

Register now for Coding Club!

Learn to Program with Micro:Bit (Grades 4-8) Saturdays, 9:30 -11:30AM: March 16, April 13, May 11

Learn how to design, build, and program using Micro:Bits! New projects every month. Space is limited, and registration is required for each session. Participants will need a laptop and a Gmail account* and should be comfortable with computers. Grades 4-8.

Sessions are free. Micro:Bits provided. Optional, one-time \$10 materials fee includes a Micro:Bit project kit to keep.

For more info or to register, call 925-5432, message us on FB, or email <u>tremontlibrary.childrens@gmail.com</u>

* To help our sessions start on time, we strongly suggest participants have their account username and password saved to the laptop they will use during Coding Club OR know it by heart (without adult help). If the child will need help logging in, please come early so they're ready to go at 9:30. Thanks!

Village Minutes

To view the most recent village board meeting minutes, please go to: http://www.tremontil.com/tremont-board-of-trustees.php

Summer Rec Baseball/Softball Registration

Registration is now open for summer recreation baseball and softball leagues. There are several ways to register:

- Register online at <u>http://tremontpark.org</u> (please note there is a 3% processing fee)
- Print the registration form off the website, attach a check, and mail to the park district office or, drop the registration form & check in the drop box located inside the entry of the main park

- district office (22522 IL Route 9 (inside the fitness center))
- Stop in during staffed hours to complete a form and make payment.

Tremont Gallery / Pearl Street Stamping

"Make It Take It" Friday, March 8 10:00AM to 5:00PM Stop in to Make a Free Greeting Card!

FFA Alumni/Supporters Dinner and Auction

The Tremont FFA Alumni and Supporters Group will hold a Dinner and Auction on Saturday, March 16th at Precision Planting. All are welcome to attend! Dinner and silent auction will be from 4:00-6:30PM. The live auction will begin at 7PM. All proceeds from the event will go towards the FFA program and scholarships for graduating seniors.

Tickets are \$15 and must be purchased in advance at Eli's Coffee Shop or Beecham's Market from Feb. 21st – March 7th. Visit the <u>Tremont FFA Alumni & Supporters Facebook Page</u> for more information.

Monday

MS 7th Grade VB Regional @ Riverton 7:00PM TBD

Tuesday

HS BB Sectionals @ Riverton 7:00PM TBD

Wednesday

MS 8th Grade VB @ EPG 4:15PM

MS 7th Grade Regional Championship @ Riverton 6:00PM TBD

Thursday

HS Scholastic Bowl @ Lexington for Varsity Conference Tournament 3:30PM

MS Scholastic Bowl @ Washington Middle School 4:15PM

Friday

HS BB Sectional Championship @ Riverton 7:00PM TBD

Saturday

MS WR Sectionals @ EP Central 9:00AM TBD

MS VB 8th Grade regionals @ Riverton vs Heyworth 10:00AM

HS Track @ Jacksonville Invite 10:00AM

Around Town



Please send us your news stories and they will be included in upcoming emails. Deadline to include information is Friday, 6:00PM for the following Monday.

We accept information from official Tremont, IL businesses, organizations, and advertisers. We will also post Public Auctions and Open Houses.

Thank you,

Haas IT Solutions, Inc. on behalf of Tremont Winning Communities

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