

Weekly News

Village Minutes

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

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten Registration is Tuesday, February 11th from 9:00AM-5:00PM at Tremont Grade School.

Please contact the Grade School with any questions at 309-925-4841.

Quilt of Valor

Quilters in the Tremont community will be making a Quilt of Valor for a Tremont veteran. Come help quilt anytime 10AM-3PM on any of the days. All levels of experience are welcome!

When: February 13, 14, and 15, 2020 Where: Tremont Community Center



The last Quilt of Valor

Tremont Gallery/Pearl Street Stamping

Friday, February 14th 10:00AM to 5:00PM

Stop in to Make a Free Greeting Card

Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser – St. Jude

Come support the Tremont St. Jude Run!

When: Friday, February 21st Where: THS Cafetorium Time: 4:30 – 7:00PM Price: Adults- \$7 Kids (under 8)- \$5

Spaghetti, bread, salad, drink and dessert included

This event will take place before Senior Night for the high school boys basketball game. To view the flyer for the supper, go to: https://www.tremontil.com/Tremont-news/2020/SpaghettiSupper.pdf

Did you know...?

January 27, 1905 Peoria Herald Transcript

"The City Hotel, which is located in the new brick building on Sampson Street, charges \$1.50 per day. Myrtle Devore, now living in Delavan, worked part-time in the kitchen of the City Hotel at that time was paid \$.25 a week." The building stood on the northeast corner of S. Sampson and Walnut Streets.

In approximately 1910, it became "The New City Hotel." Meals were \$.25 and \$.35. It then became McQueen's Furniture, selling wallpaper and paint, as well.

The building later became Sharp's Store. Frank and Lester Sharp started Sharp Bros. Grocery. John Sanders took over Sharp Bros. in 1945. Many still remember Sharps, a grocery and dry goods store in business from approximately 1923–1964.

The building was torn down in 1965 to make way for The First National Bank of Tremont, today standing at that northeast corner of S. Sampson and Walnut Streets.

- Information is from archived articles and notes. If you have more information on this building, please contact Lori at 309-840-0094.
- ~ Tremont Museum and Historical Society



Tremont Library Events

Learning to Swim in a Sea of Information: Information Literacy 101

Choose a date:

Tuesday, March 3rd, 6 PM Thursday, April 30th, 10:30 AM

What is "fake news," and how do I spot it? Where can I find the library's collection of e-books? How can I find age-appropriate online resources and/or books for my child? Explore these questions and more with Library Director Maria Ford. No registration required.

Bored? Games!

1st Wednesdays, 3:00-5:00 PM March 4, April 1, & May 6 Ages 5 and up.

Drop by the library after school for board and card games. Bring your favorite game or try one of ours! Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Families are welcome!

For more information about this program, call the library at 925-5432, or email tremontlibrary.childrens@gmail.com

Gallery 215

2nd and 4th Mondays, February 10-May 11, 3:15-5:30PM Grades 5-12

A twice-monthly "open-studio" time for young artists. Learn new techniques and materials, or just work on your own project in the company of other artists. No registration required.

For more information about this program, call the library at 925-5432, or email tremontlibrary.childrens@gmail.com

Tremont Commerce Association Meeting

The Tremont Commerce Association monthly meeting is Thursday, February 20th at the Community Center, 12:00 noon.

Our Speaker will be John Beintema, Business Outreach Manager for the Ameren Illinois Energy Efficiency Program. This program provides cash incentives to Ameren Illinois customers to help them make energy efficient equipment upgrades in their businesses, non-profit, private schools and public buildings. The main focus of the presentation will be on available incentives, how to apply and other resources that Ameren Illinois offers to help make buildings more energy efficient.

Option for Lunch with an RSVP by Monday February 17th to tremontcommerceassociation@gmail.com.

Robotics Open House

Team 2481 Roboteers, your local FIRST Robotics Team, would like to invite you to attend their Open House on February 29, 2020 from 8:30-11:00AM at Tremont High School.

This is a chance for you to view what the robotics team does and how they are progressing on their current robot for Infinite Recharge. Come for breakfast and see robot demonstrations, shop tours, and test your skills driving a robot. Additionally, they will have team presentations at 9:00AM and 10:00AM in the main gym.



Monday

MS Volleyball @ Beverly Manor - 4:15PM

HS Girls Basketball Regional @ Bloomington Central Catholic vs Dee-Mack - 6:00PM

Tuesday

Kindergarten & Turk Center Registration – 9AM-5PM @ Tremont Grade School

MS Scholastic Bowl @ Broadmoor - 3:30PM

MS Volleyball home vs MWC - 4:15PM

MS Wrestling @ Washington (Washington HS) - 5:00PM

HS Girls Basketball Regional @ Bloomington Central Catholic vs Knoxville - 6:00PM (if they win on Feb 10)

HS Boys Basketball @ Hartem (Hartsburg) - 6:00PM

Thursday

HS Scholastic Bowl home vs Flanagan Cornell and Fieldcrest - 4:30PM

MS Wrestling home vs Chiddix, Dee-Mack - 5:30PM

HS Girls Basketball Regional Championship game @ Bloomington Central Catholic - 7:00PM (TBD)

Friday

Make It, Take It - 10:00AM-5:00PM Tremont Gallery/Pearl Street Stamping

HS Wrestling Individual Sectionals @ Olympia - 4:30PM

HS Boys Basketball @ MWC (Manito) - 6:00PM

Saturday

Speech Sectionals @ Washington (Determined by Regionals on Feb 8)

MS Boys Basketball 8th Grade State @ Tolona TBD

MS Wrestling @ Chatham Invitational - 9:00AM

HS Wrestling Individual Sectionals @ Olympia - 9:00AM

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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