



## Weekly News

### Tremont Museum Nativities

From intricate miniatures to impressive large figures, from all over the world to those painted locally, the Tremont Museum has a collection of nativities on display to celebrate the season.

"Telling the Story...Through Nativities" will be open Saturday, Dec. 7, 4-7 PM to the public as well as part of the Tremont Holiday Home Tour that evening, and also on Sunday, Dec. 8, 2-4 PM. Free admission.



*Nativity made out of recycled soda cans, from Haiti*

### Holiday Home Tour

Just a short week and a half until you get to meet the four houses on this year's tour! Here's a first look at the exteriors so you recognize them next Saturday night. We highly encourage buying your tickets in advance at Eli's in Tremont or Tremont Community Bank. See the event page for all the details!

<https://www.facebook.com/events/425775991649385/>





## **Tremont Gallery/Pearl Street Stamping**

### **"Holiday Fun Friday"**

Friday, December 6, 13 and 20  
10:00AM to 5:00PM

Door Prizes and Free Gift with Purchase.

## **Beecham's Market: Just in Time for the Holidays**

Beecham's Market in Tremont is a respected local business that sells homemade ingredients. The business has stayed local for decades, and the owner is trying his best to set the store apart from the big box stores.

Dave Hughs, owner of Beecham's Market, shares information that makes his store unique.

"We have not run any other businesses, but we are 4th generation Beecham's business owners, so you could say 'it's in our blood,'" Hughs said.

Part of the business strategy at Beecham's is to find the best ingredients and meats, plus to always put their customers first.

"We love our customers and our customers love us. Our customers are like our second family," Hughs said.

Beecham's grinds and cuts their meat at their popular meat counter. The locals like to return for more, such as Fitzpatrick's family. They enjoy the bratwurst recipes and the local convenience.

"I like to go there because they have great customer service." Elizabeth Fitzpatrick said.

At Beecham's, everyone is welcomed with a kind heart.

"We have a wonderful crew of employees who all work hard and take care of our customers who are again #1!" Hughs shared.

One can turn to this local spot as the winter holidays are drawing near. Visit Beecham's meat counter for specialty meats. Hughs recommends to call or visit ahead of time in order to get the right amount in time for the holidays.

Venture down another aisle to view locally made natural goat soaps and lotions, novelty candies, and shirts as advertised on Beecham's website. Gift cards can also be purchased for friends and family so that anyone can shop at Beecham's for that unique taste.

Visit their site for more information: [Beecham's Market](#)

~Aidan M. Seward/THS Mass Communications

## **New Grade School Playground**

The Tremont PTO is hosting a fundraiser to raise money for new and safe playground equipment at the Grade School. To help support the PTO's goal of reaching \$190,000, you can purchase an engraved brick personalized for your family or business. These bricks will be placed on the Grade School grounds, and all proceeds will go towards purchasing the new playground equipment. Businesses can also sponsor a specific piece of playground equipment.

For details on supporting the fundraiser with a **personal donation**, go to:  
[https://www.tremontil.com/Tremont-news/2019/PTO\\_Pave\\_Path\\_to\\_Play.pdf](https://www.tremontil.com/Tremont-news/2019/PTO_Pave_Path_to_Play.pdf)

For details on supporting the fundraiser with a **business donation**, go to:  
[https://www.tremontil.com/Tremont-news/2019/PTO\\_Pave\\_Path\\_to\\_Play\\_Businesses.pdf](https://www.tremontil.com/Tremont-news/2019/PTO_Pave_Path_to_Play_Businesses.pdf)

# Tremont Elementary



## Tremont Library Events

### Gallery 215

2nd and 4th Mondays, now through December 9  
3:15-5:30PM  
Grades 5-12

A twice-monthly gathering of creative people. Learn new techniques and materials, or just work on your own project in the company of other artists. Guided workshops on 2nd Mondays and open "studio time" on 4th Mondays. No registration required.

For more information about this program, call the library at 925-5432, or email [tremontlibrary.childrens@gmail.com](mailto:tremontlibrary.childrens@gmail.com)

### Monday

HS Christmas Concert - 7:00PM  
HS Cafetorium

HS Boys Basketball @ Broadmoor - 4:30PM

### Tuesday

HS Boys Basketball home vs Farmington - 5:30PM

MS Boys Basketball home vs Hartem - 5:30PM

HS Girls Basketball @ Roanoke - 6:30PM

MS Girls Basketball 8th grade regionals begin @ Lincoln JHS TBD

## Thursday

MS Boys Basketball @ Georgetowne - 4:30PM

HS Girls Basketball home vs IVC - 5:30PM

HS Wrestling home vs Auburn, Mt. Zion - 5:30PM

## Friday

Holiday Fun Friday - 10:00AM-5:00PM  
Tremont Gallery/Pearl Street Stamping

## Saturday

Santa Breakfast & Workshop - 9:00AM-12:00PM

HS Girls Basketball @ Havana - 11:00AM

Holiday Home Tour - 4:00-7:00PM

HS Boys Basketball home vs Roanoke Benson - 5:30PM

HS Speech @ Bloomington

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### Around Town



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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.

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