January | 2024

IT'S HAPPENING

CITY EVENTS





LEOMINSTER'S INAUGURATION

Tuesday, January 2 • 6pm

Tata Auditorium, City Hall Join us for the swearing in of our elected officials and a special celebration of Mayor Mazzarella's 30 years in office.

INDOOR FARMERS MARKET Thursday, January 18 • 4-6pm Tata Auditorium, City Hall

COFFEE CRAWL

Sunday, January 21- Saturday, January 27

During the week-long event, you'll be able to purchase ONE \$1 cup of coffee at each participating business. A coffee card must be purchased at the Mayors Office. After, vote for your favorite and you could win a gift card!

GARDENMANIA

Monday, January 29 • 6-8pm

Tata Auditorium, City Hall Visit with local businesses and organizations, purchase items for your garden and learn more about local resources.

UPCOMING EVENTS

GROUNDHOG DAY WITH FEATHERSTONE

Friday, February 2 • 8am

If Featherstone the Pink Flamingo sees his shadow, it means we can expect an early spring!

LEOMINSTER RESTAURANT WEEK February 19-25

Support our local restaurants with special menus at discounted prices.

Keep updated on all city events and news! leominster-ma.gov • facebook.com/cityofleominsterma facebook.com/leominstercommunitydevelopment

PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS



CHILDREN, TWEENS & TEENS

- STORY TIMES MUSIC CRAFTS
- LEGOS PERLER BEADS VIDEO GAME NIGHT
- FAMILY FUN NIGHT (January 17)
- SCIENCE EXPLORERS (January 24)
- READ TO PENNY THE COCKAPOO (January 30)

ADULTS

- MEDITATION GENEALOGY HELP SESSIONS
- BOOK GROUP / CLUB FILM NIGHT
- SIP & PAINT (January 14)
- A PERKY PAIRING: COFFEE & CHOCOLATE W/KIM LARKIN (January 17)

Registration is required for most programs. For more information, visit leominsterlibrary.org.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS

PRESCHOOL SCIENCE & SENSORY January 9 - February 13 (6 weeks)

PRESCHOOL ZUMBINI January 12 - February 16 (6 weeks)

FROSTY FUN YOUTH ART PROGRAM January 10 - February 14 (6 weeks)

AFTER SCHOOL STEAM PROGRAM January 12 - March 1 (6 weeks)

YOUTH INDOOR VOLLEYBALL & PICKLEBALL January 13 - February 17 (6 weeks)

CRAFTS & ICE SKATING Wednesday, January 24

YOGA WITH LINDA SNAY January 8 - February 26, 2024

FUN FITNESS WITH KATHI TEW Session I: Jan. 9 - Feb. 15, 2024 (12 Classes)

ADULT PICKLEBALL January 8 - February 26 (6 Weeks)

ADULT INDOOR PICK-UP BADMINTON GAMES January 13 - February 17

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT Wednesday, January 24

HIKING SERIES

FULL MOON HIKE NORTH MONOOSNOC OVERLOOK Saturday, January 6 • 6pm Meet at Leominster High School parking lot, carpool to Granite Street Trailhead. 2-miles, moderate hike. Bring your hiking stick and a headlamp or flashlight. Wear hiking boots, bring water to drink, a snack, and wear long-sleeved shirt and pants. Dress in layers.

WINTER WALK AT BARRETT PARK

Saturday, January 20 • 9:30am Come explore the winter landscape as we look for animal tracks, leaf buds, winter mushrooms, and other wild things hiding in the snow. Register by calling Nick Kremp at 978-502-2577.

To register for these programs, scan the QR code or visit leominsterma.myrec.com.



HEALTH DEPARTMENT NEWS



CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Christmas trees will be collected curbside during the month of January. Please put them out whole. Do not cut them in half or put it in a plastic bag.

VENDORS NEEDED FOR HEALTH & WELLNESS RESOURCE FAIR

Vendors can now register for the 2nd Annual Health & Wellness Fair. The fair will take place on March 28 at Leominster City Hall from 6-8pm. Vendor set-up begins at 5pm.

The goal of this health and wellness fair is to bring resources from around Leominster and the surrounding community to the Leominster community to learn about being healthy and staying healthy. This year's theme is SELF-CARE. To register, scan the QR code or visit bit.ly/LUKLeominsterHealthFair2024 For more information contact prevention@luk.org with the subject VENDOR or call 800-579-0000.

This event is sponsored by the Health Department, Leominster Community Action Team, and LUK, Inc.



HEALTH DEPARTMENT TEMPORARILY RELOCATED TO PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Health Department has temporarily relocated to the Library at 30 West St. Director and Public Health Nurse: Small Historical Conference Room, 2nd Floor Administration and Inspectional Services: Friends Room, 3rd Floor. All calls: 978-962-3558

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FIRST AID CLASSES

First Tuesday of each month • 6-6:30pm Emergency Management, 37 Carter St.

Each month is a new First Aid topic taught by nurses and EMT's. You are not required to register for these classes, but you can call 978-534-7980 to let us know that you are attending, Please note: Classes are for the knowledge and not for certification – we don't issue certification cards or documents.



THE CITY OF LEOMINSTER IS HIRING!

MAYOR'S OFFICE

Compliance/Code Enforcement Officer

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

- Heavy MEO Equipment Mechanic
- Laborers FT

For job descriptions and how to apply, visit leominster-ma.gov/Jobs.aspx

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHTS

BELLA DONNA CONSIGNMENT



Bella Donna Consignment is a consignment store offering a wide selection of quality, affordable name brand clothing and accessories for men and women. You can also find many seasonal items.

The inventory is always changing, so visit often – you never know what you will find. Bella Donna supports small businesses and offers space for vendors to sell their items.

If you are interested in consigning, please call to make an appointment.



Owner: Donna Fortunato

7 Park Street

Tues-Thurs: 10:30am-5:30pm Fri: 10:30am-5pm Sat: 10:30am-4pm

978-874-0900 www.facebook.com/ BellaDonnaConsignmentBoutique



DAPHY DRAGONFLY

Leominster Plaza 285 Central Street, Suite 113

Wed-Sun: 9am-5pm

Dragonflyden22@yahoo.com www.facebook.com/carlosandmary

Daphy Dragonfly was formed from a partnership between the Daphy Hobby Shop and the Dragonfly Den. The two businesses were previously housed in the Tilton Cook building.

Here you can find home goods, furniture, toys, tools, sneakers, jewelry, books, Hot Wheels, Barbies, Gl Joe, Super Hero figures Disney memorabilia and much more.