



Member Happenings

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To have your event in the **HighlandGriffith Chamber Member Happenings**, send a pdf of your flier or announcement to info@highlandgriffithchamber.com. If possible, send your file at least 2 weeks in advance. Include 'Member Happenings' in the subject line of your email. Member Happenings will go out weekly on Monday. **Due to file size limitations, only two weeks worth of events will be included.**

*This is a free service to HighlandGriffith Chamber Members only. The HighlandGriffith Chamber reserves the right to refuse or edit a digital file. The flier must advertise an event or Chamber Member benefit, not a sale or product. **For example:** Benefits, seminars and open houses, or events are acceptable. Advertising a product, listing sales advertisements, or fliers requesting sponsorship are not acceptable.*

The only exception is our Non-profit organizations may sell products that are for fundraising purposes, but may not use this for requesting sponsorships. Sponsorship requests are to be done in the Member to Member Networking group.

DECEMBER

*restaurant
crawl*

Dan's Pierogies*
til 7:30

Growlers

Jose's Family Restaurant

Langel's Pizza

Maria's Buena Cocina*

Sip Coffee House 2

Traditions

Sakura Bowl

Tuesday, December 29, 5-9 pm

*carry out only



MOBILE MARKET

BY **foodbank**
OF NORTHWEST INDIANA

As part of our initiative to make healthy food options more available to Northwest Indiana neighbors, Mobile Markets are DRIVE THRU ONLY and offer FREE fruits, vegetables, protein, and other nutritious items to help meet your family's needs. All are welcome. First come first serve while supplies last.

DECEMBER

WED, DEC 2 4pm-6pm	South Haven Christian Church 780 Juniper Rd, Valparaiso	TUES, DEC 15 1pm-3pm <small>sponsored by: Foundations of East Chicago</small>	East Chicago Central High School 1100 West Columbus Dr, East Chicago
FRI, DEC 4 4pm-6pm	Food Bank Northwest Indiana 6490 Broadway, Merrillville	WED, DEC 16 3pm-6pm <small>Hope For The Holidays</small>	Living Hope Church 9000 Taft, Merrillville
MON, DEC 7 1pm-3pm <small>sponsored by: Hasse Construction</small>	Harborside Apartments 83rd Lot 3583 Gurthrie St, East Chicago	THURS, DEC 17 4pm-6pm <small>sponsored by: Gelatka Family and G3</small>	Portage High School 6270 US Hwy 6, Portage
WED, DEC 9 4pm-6pm <small>sponsored by: Tauber Law</small>	Ultra Store Parking Lot 8501 Indianapolis Blvd, Highland	FRI, DEC 18 3pm-6pm <small>sponsored by: Gelatka Family and G3</small>	Food Bank of Northwest Indiana 6490 Broadway, Merrillville
THURS, DEC 10 3pm-5pm <small>sponsored by: Castle Mitsubishi</small>	Castle Mitsubishi 5020 US Highway 6, Portage	SAT, DEC 19 8am-10am <small>Hope For The Holidays</small>	St. Teresa of Avila 1604 East Lincolnway, Valparaiso
FRI, DEC 11 4pm-6pm	Food Bank of Northwest Indiana 6490 Broadway, Merrillville	TUES, DEC 22 3pm-5pm <small>sponsored by: Castle Subaru</small>	Castle Subaru 6100 US Highway 6, Portage
MON, DEC 14 1pm-3pm	Mascot Hall of Fame 1851 Front Street, Whiting	WED, DEC 23 4pm-6pm	Jubilee Worship Center 415 N. Hobart Road, Hobart

THIS SCHEDULE INCLUDES FULL MOBILE MARKET FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS. MINI AND POP-UP MOBILE MARKET FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS WILL BE UPDATED DAILY VIA FACEBOOK. TO SIGN UP FOR REMINDERS, TEXT "FOODBANKNW" TO 50155.



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We need organizations to sponsor blood drives to meet our hospital needs!

Sponsoring a blood drive is a FREE and EASY way to give back to your community.

Versiti Blood Centers needs your help in finding new sponsors for blood drives in 2021!

Versiti Blood Centers is in desperate need for blood drive sponsors. It's a time of year that presents challenges in recruiting groups to sponsor blood drives at their location – changing weather, busy schedules, seasonal illness and Holidays all play a factor, not to mention being in a pandemic. Yet, our need for blood doesn't decrease and winter weather can lead to more traumatic injuries on icy roads.

Each day, Versiti Blood Centers needs approximately 600 blood donors to meet the needs of patients at over 70 hospitals in the Chicagoland area. There has been a steady decline in blood drive sponsorships from our community businesses, churches, civic organizations and schools due to the pandemic. Yet, blood drives are deemed essential in our community.

Blood inventory drastically declines after the holidays due to lack of blood drive sponsorship support. We need your help to stop the anticipated decline of donations by sponsoring a blood drive. Versiti Blood Centers relies on generous organizations to hold blood drives to assist us with the consistent need for blood for patients in our community hospitals.

Sponsoring a blood drive is easy.

Listed below is detailed information about hosting a blood drive.

Hosting a blood drive:

We would work with you every step of the way while planning the drive to provide coordination and marketing support to assure the drive is seamless and successful! We just need a little support from your group to advertise



(with digital materials provided by Versiti), recruit, schedule donors and volunteers for the day of the drive.

Please consider sponsoring a blood drive. If you already sponsor a blood drive, THANK YOU and please consider sponsoring an additional drive in 2020 or 2021!! Also, please pass along this e-mail and my contact information to any organization that may be interested in receiving more information. We are here to answer any questions you may have. Versiti Blood Centers is grateful to those who are responding to the need of sponsoring a blood drive.

For more information and to fill out the interest form, visit:

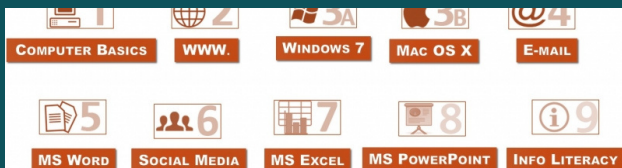
[versiti.org/hosting-a-drive](https://www.versiti.org/hosting-a-drive) [Click Here to go to website](#)

or contact me, Shelley Mitchell, at 312-515-8808 *call or text preferred*, email-
Smitchell@versiti.org

Goodwill Griffith Community Career Center

North Star Digital Literacy

OFFERED MONDAY- FRIDAY
9:00AM-4:00PM



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*Google IT
Python
&
Google IT Support
Professional Certificates*

**Monday- Friday
9:00am to 4:00pm**

**Scholarship opportunities are available for the
Google IT Python Professional Certificate.
Completion and demonstrated competency of a
progressive digital skills track is required to be
eligible. For more information visit or contact the
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Indeed Assessments

**WE'RE HERE TO ASSIST YOU IN FINDING
YOUR SKILL SET WITH INDEED ASSESSMENTS.
ASSESSMENTS WILL BE OFFERED IN
CRITICAL THINKING, ATTENTION TO DETAIL,
PROBLEM SOLVING, DATA ENTRY,
CUSTOMER FOCUS AND BOOKEEPING.**

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