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**This Week in Westland October 30, 2021 – November 7, 2021**

**Westland, MI–**

**Afternoon Matinee Movie** – The William P. Faust Library will be hosting a Saturday afternoon movie, on **Saturday October 30, 2021**. This event will take place at 6123 Central City Parkway in meeting rooms A and B. The doors open at 1:45 p.m. and the movie begins at 2:00 p.m. Free popcorn and drinks are provided. The movie is to be determined but will geared towards adults and contain adult themes, most are rated PG-13 and R.

**Halloween Decorating Contest** – The City of Westland is holding this contest which will run **through October 31, 2021**. Residents or businesses can visit the City of Westland's website to nominate themselves, a friend or a business in one or all of the three categories: Best Autumn Display, Best Spooky Display and Most Over the Top Display. Nominees will be asked to enter a picture along with the submission. Winners will be announced at the council meeting on Monday, November 15, 2021.

**Scheduled Upcoming Civic Meetings** – residents are invited to attend the upcoming City Meetings. Below is a list of the meetings with their date, time and location.

- **The Westland City Council** will hold their meeting on Monday, November 1, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. This meeting will be held at Westland City Hall located at 36300 Warren Road. Please click [here](#) to see the agenda.
- **Westland Planning Commission Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. This meeting will be held at Westland City Hall located at 36300 Warren Road. Please click [here](#) for the agenda.

**Election Day** – **City Offices will be closed on Tuesday, November 2, 2021.** This is an important day when we have the chance to cast our vote in the Election. All city offices will be closed, including the 18th District Court, The Recycling Center and The William P. Faust Library. Trash pick up will not be affected. If you are unsure of your voting precinct or would like to view your ballot prior to going to the polls, you can do so at [www.cityofwestland.com](http://www.cityofwestland.com) Your vote is your voice, so be sure to make yourself heard.

**Fall Street Sweeping** – is in process and has been delayed from the original schedule due to the weather. We will begin Thursday's garbage route on Monday, November 1, Tuesday's garbage route on Friday, November 5th. Each route takes approximately 3 days to complete and is dependent upon the weather. Any changes will be updated through City of Westland website. Remember to watch for sweeping signs and move cars off of the street in order for the city to sweep

the curb lane. Also, leave room for the sweeper to move. Signs will be placed ahead of sweepers and picked up upon completion of the section. Please visit [www.cityofwestland.com](http://www.cityofwestland.com) for more information.

**Mike Modano Ice Arena Classes** – located at 6210 N. Wildwood is now offering Hockey 101 Learn to Play classes. There will be two eight week sessions for children ages 6 through 12. **Session one is from October 22, 2021 through December 17, 2021, on Fridays from 7:00 p.m. – 7:50 p.m. Session two is from January 7, 2022 through March 4, 2022, on Fridays from 7:00 p.m. – 7:50 p.m.** Learn power skating: edges, forward stride, turning, stopping, backwards skating, stick handling, passing, shooting, scoring. The cost is \$90.00 per session or \$160.00 for both. Full equipment is required to participate. If interested please email [jburtan@cityofwestland.com](mailto:jburtan@cityofwestland.com) or call 734-751-0597.

**Westland Library's 25th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, November 6, 2021** located at 6123 Central City Parkway. The William P. Faust Library turns 25 this year and is celebrating with an Open House, storytimes and refreshments. This event takes place from 10:00 a.m. through 2:00 p.m. To see the schedule of events please visit [westlandlibrary.org](http://westlandlibrary.org)

**Park Clean up and Decoration Day** – The Westland Historic Village Park, located at 857 N. Wayne Road will be hosting a Park Clean Up Day and Decoration Day on Saturday, November 6 from 10:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m. For more information visit [whvp66.weebly.com](http://whvp66.weebly.com)

**8th Annual Veteran's & Active Military Holiday Meal Program** – Veterans and Active Military it is time to register for a free Holiday Meal to be picked up on **November 20, 2021 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** Recipients will receive a 12-16 pound turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, cranberry sauce and heat and serve rolls. Applications must be submitted no later than noon on Wednesday, November 17, 2021. You can register using one of the following methods: Contact Mayor Wild's office at 734-467-3200; Contact Mayor Rhaesa's office at 734-722-2000; Pickup up a Registration form from the greeter at Westland City Hall or use the following link to register online <https://www.cityofwestland.com/vetmeals>

**Jefferson Barns Community Vitality Center located at 32150 Dorsey Road offers no cost programs:**

- Jefferson Barns Library: Monday 12pm – 5pm, Wednesday 4pm – 7 pm, Friday 12pm – 4pm.

Books for everyone – all ages, all subjects; reading assistance available.

- Jefferson Barns Learning Lab: Monday – Thursday, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.; tutoring, robotics, coding. Register at: [jblnorwayne.com](http://jblnorwayne.com)

- Pickleball: Monday, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., Wednesday & Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

- Norwayne Community Gardens: looking for volunteers and Community Sponsors to assist the Norwayne Community Gardens at JBCVC, Newago Court and West Side.

For more information on JBCVC programs, contact: [ljackson@cityofwestland.com](mailto:ljackson@cityofwestland.com) or 734-793-9390.

For more information, please call (734) 467-3200.

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Westland has been recognized as one of 24/7 Wall Street's America's Best 50 Cities to Live, offering residents and visitors an ideal blend of single – family affordable homes, apartments and condominiums, great schools, and access to numerous outdoor activities. Public safety is delivered by full-service, professional law enforcement and firefighting personnel.

Westland is well known as a premier destination for shopping and dining in Wayne County with hundreds of shops and restaurants anchored by the Westland shopping Center, one of the country's original four regional malls.

The City is served by two public school districts. Wayne-Westland Community Schools serving 12,000 youth was recently named one of the best schools in Michigan by WXYZ-TV and is the proud recipient of 14 Golden Apple and two Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School Awards. Livonia Public Schools, educating nearly 15,000 students, is proud of their MEAP/MME scores that exceed State averages and the district has also earned Golden Apple and Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School awards.

The City provides competitive incentives for those who are interested in investing in Westland, making it one of the hottest investment markets in the region. Westland's Fast-Track to Business Team, which consists of key decision makers who work diligently to “cut the red tape” and expedite the approval process for new business development.