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**Mayor Kevin Coleman**



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## **This Week in Westland June 15, 2024 – June 23, 2024**

The Westland Parks and Recreation Department invites you to sign up for **Skyhawks Sports Academy** running throughout the summer! Ages 8 – 11 with Multi-sport options such as Basketball, Soccer, and Ultimate Games. For more information please email [kmcclain@skyhawks.com](mailto:kmcclain@skyhawks.com).

The Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Department will be hosting a **Pride Month Lunchtime Conversation** on June 18 starting at 11:30 a.m. and located at Westland City Hall (36300 Warren Rd.). The theme of the lunch is Common Grounds with guest speakers Ellen Patnaude Author, CEO Patnaude Coaching & Board Member, Detroit Regional LGBT Chamber of Commerce, Derek Davis Member, Westland DEI Commission, and Christina Ware Board Member, Detroit Regional LGBT Chamber of Commerce & Government Solutions Executive @ Teksystems. Lunch will be served at 11:15 a.m. Please RSVP by calling Faith Norwood at 734-713-3888 and choosing option 9 or emailing her at [fnorwood@cityofwestland.com](mailto:fnorwood@cityofwestland.com).

**Westland Farmers and Artisans Market** will be held on **Thursday, June 20th** from 3 p.m. – 7 p.m. at **Central City Park (1901 N. Carlson)**. Our mission is to provide a link between the healthy food grown by local farmers and the residents who want access to food from local growers. We believe that making access to healthy food and supporting local farmers should be fun, so we also invite local artisans and musicians to be part of the market as well. Cash, credit, and EBT are accepted forms of payment.

The Westland Parks and Recreation Department is hosting the **June Bloom Mixed Doubles Pickleball Tournament** on **June 22nd** at 10 a.m. located at **Corrado Park (8500 Flamingo Rd.)**. The tournament includes Mixed Doubles (1 Male and 1 Female). For more information please call 734-722-7620 or email [parks@cityofwestland.com](mailto:parks@cityofwestland.com)

**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 Meeting** will be held on **Monday, June 17th** at **7 p.m.** at City Hall (36300 Warren Road.) Please click [here](#) for the agenda.

The **William P. Faust Library (6123 Central City Pkwy)** hosts a variety of free

weekly events and activities:

- **The Westland Library will be closed on Wednesday, June 19th in observance of Juneteenth. They will return to normal business hours on Thursday, June 20th.**
- **Homebound Delivery Service:** The Westland Public Library offers a delivery service for Westland residents who are confined to their homes. After a personal interview, a librarian selects materials of interest to you, including books, DVDs, audiobooks, music CDs, and periodicals/magazines. Materials will be dropped off and picked up every other Wednesday by a homebound volunteer. For more info, click [here](#).
- **On Saturday, June 22nd at 11 a.m. the Library will be hosting STEM in the Garden!** Grab a blanket (or chair) and join us for Family STEM in the Garden! We'll be doing a hands-on activity involving Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. Program will be held indoors in the event of inclement weather. Grades K-6, parent participation required. Click [here](#) to register.
- **On Saturday, June 22nd from 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. join us for a panel discussion and expo presented by the Veteran Resource Network of Southeast Michigan.** Learn about local resources and services available to military veterans and their families. Participating organizations include health care services, residential services, and financial and legal services. Enjoy light refreshments and a chance to win raffle prizes! Click [here](#) to register.

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

- **Jefferson Barns Library:** Monday 12 p.m. – 4 p.m., Wednesday 3 p.m. – 6 p.m., Friday 12 p.m. – 4 p.m. Books for everyone – all ages, all subjects; reading assistance available
- **Jefferson Barns Learning Lab:** tutoring, robotics, coding. Monday – Tuesday – Wednesday, 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.; Register at: [jblnorwayne.com](http://jblnorwayne.com)
- **Pickleball:** Monday, 5 p.m. – 8 p.m., Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Saturday 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.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: [ezarzecki@cityofwestland.com](mailto:ezarzecki@cityofwestland.com) (734) 793-9390.

For more information, please contact (734) 718-3888

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