



HUNTINGTON CELEBRATES PRIDE MONTH

This month kicks-off a colorful celebration as June is nationally celebrated as Pride Month across the nation. Pride Month originally began to honor the 1969 Stonewall Uprising which took place in Manhattan, New York. The first Pride March was held a year later on June 28, 1970 to honor this anniversary.

The Library of Congress states, "In the United States the last Sunday in June was initially celebrated as 'Gay Pride Day,' but the actual day was flexible. In major cities across the nation the "day" soon grew to encompass a month-long series of events. Today, celebrations include pride parades, picnics, parties, workshops, symposia and concerts, and LGBTQ Pride Month events attract millions of participants around the world."

This yearly recognition is highlighted in promoting equal justice and equal opportunity along with promoting empowerment for the LGBTQ+ community. Huntington has several scheduled events across the area as well as hosting their second annual Pride Festival later this year, currently scheduled for Oct. 22, 2022.

HuntingtonPride.org details their events as over this past weekend, they hosted a Drag Me Brunch: Picnic Edition. Following their Picnic Style Drag Me Brunch is a Rainbow Formal, this LGBTQ+ Prom takes place at MU's Don Morris Room Saturday, June 11, starting at 6:30 p.m. A Queer Comedy Night is being held at the Cellar Door Wednesday, June 15. For a full lineup for events visit HuntingtonPride.org or follow them on Facebook @HuntingtonWVPride.

EMO JUNE NEWS

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JUNE IS:

- PRIDE Month
- National PTSD Awareness Month
- Oral Health Month
- Professional Wellness Month

PROGRAM NEWS & HIGHLIGHTS:

- Community Garden
- Unlimited Future Pop Up Market
- Pharmacy Kick-Off
- Self-Monitoring Blood Pressure Program

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TOGETHER WE GROW

On Saturday, May 21, EMO attended the first of summer long series of Community Pop-Up Market held at Unlimited Future Inc. located at 1650 8th Avenue in Huntington, West Virginia. Unlimited Future Inc. describes themselves as “a not-for-profit microenterprise development center and business incubator. Our vision is to see a thriving economy supported by successful, locally owned businesses. Our mission is to supply the tools, resources, and connections people need to improve their economic status.”

This improvement has been a reliant resource as Unlimited Future Inc. has partnered with EMO with the construction of their “Unity” Community Garden. At UFI’s Community Pop Up event in May, the public could see hard work sprout to life as EMO’s tomato, basil, and pepper plants were shown. Later on, these plants are scheduled to be moved and find their roots in EMO’s “Unity” Garden raised beds.

The next event is scheduled for Saturday, June 18. If you are interested in being a vendor, you can apply online at: <https://www.unlimitedfuture.org/community-market-vendor-application/>

EMO PROGRAM NEWS AND HIGHLIGHTS:

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AVAILABLE: EMO still has available Neighborhood Investment Credits available. These are available for West Virginia residents and are a dollar for dollar match for all donations over \$500. They are available on a first come, first service basis.

MARIE REDD

SENIOR FAIR: EMO is excited to attend

the Marie Redd Center's Senior Fair which is scheduled to take place Monday, June 13, starting at 1 p.m. The Marie Redd Center is located at 1750 9th Avenue in Huntington, WV.

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