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Pittsburgh **CONNECTS**

Special November Events Free and Easy To Sign Up For

Voting Research Online

Monday November 7th 3:30-5:00

Let former campaign organizer and current AmeriCorps member Nick Pettet show you great resources for researching your candidates. Learn to use *smartvoter.org* and other internet resources in order to get to know the candidates and issues before you vote!

Excel Basics Training Class

Thursday November 10th 5:00-6:00

Learn all of the things that Microsoft Excel can do for you. Learn the basic steps to make interactive budgets, schedules, and other helpful tools; especially geared to excel beginners. No experience needed!

Internet Essentials Training Class

Thursday November 10th 6:00-7:00

Make your life easier by learning how to use the web. An Internet basics workshop will be provided to help families understand the power of the Internet and the ways it can help you. Leave knowing how the Internet works, and learn how to protect you and your family online. Parents and children are both welcome to attend!

iPhone Upgrade Help

Monday November 14th 6:00-7:00

Have an iPhone 3GS, 4, or new 4S? Heard about iCloud? Learn how to upgrade your phone, or iPad to the newest software and backup all of your data safely and wirelessly, without a computer. Also can offer some help to older iPhones.

Free Computer Repair/Help

Tuesday November 15th 12:00-1:00

Sign up now and reserve a spot to have us inspect your computer free of charge. Is your computer running slow or crashing? Our tech gurus will do all we can on the spot to fix your machine. If we can't help we'll help you find someone who can. Bring your laptop or computer tower in and let us clean it up!

Pharmacy Help Session Q&A

Wednesday November 16th 5:00-6:00

Learn how to research drug interactions, side effects and more using online resources. Student from Pitt School of Pharmacy will show you the best, most effective methods to prevent unwanted drug interactions and how to research drug types online.

Energy Payment Assistance

Thursday November 17th 6:00-7:00

Save money this winter by applying for heating assistance. Learn how to apply online for energy assistance, using great resources like Compass on the web. We'll show you the best ways to apply online!

Thanksgiving Recipes Online!

Monday November 21st 12:00

Experts from Whole Foods will be here to help you find great Thanksgiving recipes online. Learn great ways to tickle your taste buds with twists to holiday traditions. Select great recipes and print them off to take home and try.

Cyber Monday Holiday

Shopping Extravaganza

Monday November 28th 11:00 & 5:00

Save big this holiday season with online shopping. Just like Black Friday, Cyber Monday is one of the best days for deals of the year. Come use our laptops to get more bang for your buck this holiday!

Ask a Doctor: Hypertension Relief Workshop

Wednesday Nov 30th at 6:00-7:00

Do you have hypertension? Ask Pitt Medical students about how to get relief. Learn about websites that can help you choose the right plan, so you can lower your blood pressure. Track your progress on our computers and help find the right resources to feel better NOW. Get a FREE blood pressure screening!

Call Today To Sign Up!

(412) 362-8580

or leave a message:

(412) 465-0858

Weekly Events

Computer Classes with HandsOnTech & Pittsburgh Cares

Sunday 6:00-7:30

Sunday night computer & internet safety classes

Monday 1:00-2:00

Adult computer lessons suited for anyone looking to improve their skills.

Wednesday 6:00-7:30

Computer lessons and assistance for students, (middle-high school and college) offering resume help & job search assistance.

NeighborWorks

Budget/Credit Counseling

Call for Appt. Tuesday 9:00 - 4:30

Meet 1-on-1 with Eric from NeighborWorks for a free credit/budget consultation.

Unblurred

First Fridays on Penn Ave

STACKS

Friday Nov 4th at 6:00-10:00pm

Our first Unblurred event! The show is titled **STACKS**, showcasing the works of 7 artists, based on Romare Bearden's reflections on the influence the smokestacks of Pittsburgh have had on his work. Curated by Alisha Wormsley. Don't miss it!

Eastside Neighborhood Employment Center

Improve Your Life!

Eastside Neighborhood Employment Center is here to be your **FREE** career coach and help sort out all of your job questions, from resume writing, interviewing skills, applications, to advice on how to keep your job after you're hired!

- 20+ Available Computers
- Free To Anyone
- Unlimited Internet Use

Call To Reserve Your Seat!

24/7 Sign-Up: **(412) 465 – 0858**
ENEC: **(412) 362 – 8580**
BGC: **(412) 441 – 9833**

E-mail:

BGC.ENEC@gmail.com

Special Events

Veteran's Day with Baron Owes

Wednesday November 9th at 5:00

A VA vocational specialist will discuss the benefits and advantages of hiring American Veterans. There are various tax incentives for companies of any size, and the VA pre-trains veterans for various occupations - including housekeeping, foodservice, and landscaping. Baron will be on hand to answer any questions related to recruiting and hiring Vets.

3 Rivers Casino:

On-site Interview Day

Wednesday November 16th, 1:00-4:00

Three Rivers Casino is hiring in your neighborhood! Love working with people? Want to work in an exciting industry? Three Rivers Casino offers competitive salaries and benefits, as well as opportunities to grow. Positions include servers, attendants, cooks, cashiers and many others!

PNC Partnership Workshop

Every Tuesday at 10:00 am (Weekly)

Join ENEC to learn more about exciting career opportunities with PNC bank and how you can enroll in our partnership program. PNC Bank is looking for qualified and hard-working individuals who have an interest in building a career with for PNC bank. Join ENEC for our PNC Partnership to fast track you into a banking career! Attend two workshops with ENEC to gain the skills and improve your chances of getting the interview.

UPMC/Children's POWRR Workshops (Weekly)

Every Thursday at 10:00 am

Want to work with UPMC or Children's? Join the POWRR program and get fast tracked into your new job! Attend three workshops and we'll help you apply online.

Job Readiness Boot Camp

Monday & Tuesday November 21st and 22nd

ENEC wants you to get a job! Join us for our Job Readiness Boot Camp to gain the skills you need to get employed. This special 2 day intensive program will cover everything you need to know about resume writing, interview skills, and job applications. Other topics, such as financial literacy, computer skills, and communication, will be covered as well.

To register, please visit or call the ENEC to pick up an application and complete an interview. Registration is limited

East End Works Brainstorming Meeting

Wednesday November 30th at 5:00

East End Works is a collaborative movement of Pittsburgh employers and workforce-related organizations, dedicated to developing a common voice and vision for Pittsburgh economic development.

East End Works needs your help to drive Pittsburgh's economy to greatness and invites all interested employers, organizations, and individuals to a brainstorming meeting to build upon East End Works and develop concrete goals for the future.



To sign up for any of these events or classes, return the following to 5321 Penn Ave:

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ -- _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Event(s): _____ E-mail: _____