



Newsletter

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**Camp Washington Community Council meeting is
Monday, August at 7:00 p.m.
at WUCC, 2950 Sidney**

Wave Pool Pool Party! Saturday, August 13, 2016 3:00pm 7:00pm

Mark your calendars for Wave Pool's annual fundraiser, the Wave Pool Pool Party! Come in your swim trunks and be ready for an art-filled summer swim party. We'll be dancing and eating our way through the end of summer to both celebrate and support the place where art meets community.

An **art auction** takes place from August 1 - 13, with works going to the highest bidder at the end of the night. Includes works by Tony Behr, Scottie Bellissemo, Nina Caporale, Amanda Checco, Greg Clem, Skip Cullen, Cal Cullen, Mark DeJong, Marc Governanti, Mark Harris, Pablo Helguera, Pam Kravetz, Andy Marko, Chase Melendez, Sean Oswald, Future Retrieval, Emil Robinson, Brett Scheiszer, Christian Schmit, Michael Stillion, Amber Stucke, RIAS Studio, Brian Sweet, Aaron Walker and others.



Additionally enjoy music by local artists, a dunk tank, a pool installation by Working Girls, and more! Food provided by Eli's BBQ and drinks by Rhinegeist!

P.S. If you want to contribute music, food, art, strange talents, or you just want to help sling drinks that day, please contact us at wavepoolgallery@gmail.org. We need your help!



Your Input About the Future of Camp Needed at the Aug. 8th Community Council Meeting

JOE GORMAN • COMMUNITY ORGANIZER

Please join us at the council meeting Monday night at 7 p.m. at Washington United Church at 2950 Sidney Avenue. We need your ideas about what the future of Camp Washington can be. What do you like about Camp? What don't you like? What kinds of store, new businesses would you want along Colerain Avenue? What kind of new housing would make Camp even more attractive?

Please provide your comments about the Plan to Joe Gorman, Community Organizer, at jtgorman1@gmail.com

2016 Hopple Street Gateway and Housing Study
Access the PDF of the study by cutting & pasting this link below to your URL:
<http://www.camp-washington.org/wp-content/uploads/2016-Hopple-Street-Gateway-and-Housing-Study-Camp-Washington.pdf>

Camp Washington Urban Farm Harvesting Fresh Produce

JOE GORMAN • URBAN FARM DIRECTOR

Thanks to Crop Manager Kevin Graef and the dedicated volunteers who have planted and who are now harvesting crops to benefit folks who live in a food desert.

Tomatoes, peppers, broccoli, onions, brussel sprouts, carrots, watermelons, squash, garlic, are only a few healthy veggies we are growing. A big pumpkin patch should yield plenty of pumpkins for Halloween!

Kevin leads work details about every weekday night and on most Saturdays. He and his dog, Lu, are often there late into dark. Lu is the champion groundhog catcher, with three caught last month.

We need more volunteers from the community to help. You can get free veggies for your effort!

Call Joe 542-1637 for info.

Note of thanks to Tony Maier and Denny Meyer from United-Maier Signs for providing signs and a banner for the urban farm!

GED Class Offers More

ANNE SKOVE • INSTRUCTOR

Studying for the GED isn't all we do at Camp Washington Community School. In addition to our small, often one-on-one instruction, you can also:

- Get weekly job search updates sent to your inbox
- Set up an email address
- Learn to type
- Receive weekly study materials via email
- Use our computers
- Obtain bus passes from Everybody Rides Metro
- Visit our free library (outside the building, weather permitting, on the cart)
- Find community and job resources on our bulletin boards
- Enjoy the A/C!
- Work on your resume or job application

Even if you aren't taking the GED, you are welcome to join us. Stop by Tuesday or Thursday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays. Classes are free. 542-1637.

Here is a list of available jobs provided by the school:

Barista/counter server wanted for evening and weekend shifts in a Mt. Adams restaurant. Must be 21 to cover evening shifts.

Cleaning positions, Blue Ash and Mason, various shifts, part time. Call Phil at 513-933-8161 ext. 102 to set up an interview. Must pass background check and drug screen.

Electrician helper needed in Newtown. Part time, but sounds like a great training opportunity if you know anything about electricity.

J. Gumbo's (various locations). Download the application, fill it out, and bring it to the location where you would like to work.

Playhouse in the Park is hiring parking attendants and many other positions. Located in Eden Park.

Remodeler/Handyman position. Must have drivers license and own transportation. Drywall, painting, etc. experience required. Must pass background check and drug screen.

Senior Star is hiring a dining room server. Previous food service experience helpful.

Shur-Fine grocery store in St. Bernard is hiring. I have applications here in the classroom, or pick one up at the store (Vine and Ross, in St. Bernard).

Voice of Your Customer is always hiring focus group participants. Fill out the form and they will contact you if an opportunity arises. They pay cash, and they usually provide food during the meeting as well. They also have a list of felon-friendly companies.

Zimmer Chrysler Dodge in Florence is looking for a full time lot attendant. Must be 18, have clean driving record, be able to drive manual/stick shift, and some experience with cars (cleaning, lot attendant, etc.). Benefits included.

CAMP Cart Brings Fresh Produce to You

JOSEPH GORMAN • COMMUNITY ORGANIZER

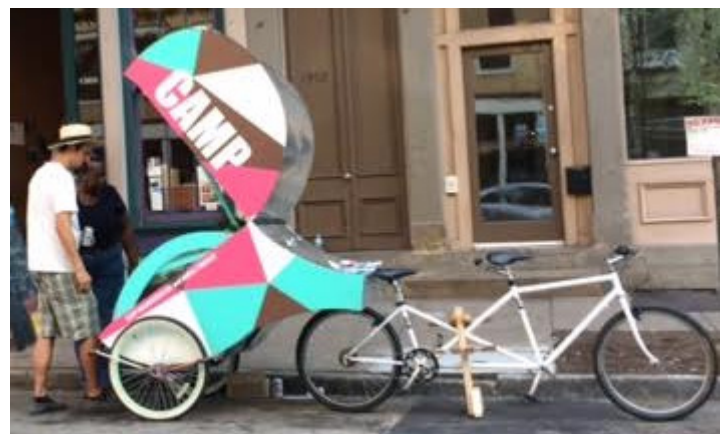


Thanks to the initial support of an Engage Cincy grant from the City of Cincinnati, the Camp Washington Art & Mobile Produce (CAMP) project is off and rolling through out Camp Washington. The Camp Pool is a good stop, usually on Saturdays, from 1 - 4 p.m. The CAMP cart is loaded up with Urban Farm goodies, and then ridden to the pool.

We are still tweaking the design and functionality of the cart and bicycle pairing. Skip Cullen has taken the lead in designing the cart and every person who bites into one of our juicy tomatoes, or tangy onions, or carrots or Kale, should thank Skip for his hard work and dedication to this project.

Art projects around the cart is another cool thing for the kids in the community. Cal Cullen and Amber Stucke are leading the art activities portion of the CAMP. Kids and parents learn about veggies by coloring and drawing vegetables, and sharing recipes.

Dr. Alan Wight from U.C. is our Food Mapping guru. He has led the mapping of Camp and we have copies of the map also available on the CAMP cart.



Alan Wight with customer at the cart on Main Street in OTR, for Final Friday. Skip and Cal were there, too. It was a busy night!

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Topics: Safety report by District 5 Police; Master Plan; Urban Farm; Community Garden; NSP

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