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January - February 2016

Dear Neighbor,

Happy New Year. I'm looking forward to an exciting and productive 2016 as I begin my second term as Mayor of South Bend working to build on our momentum from the past four years.

Downtown will see the addition of over 300 new residential units, 300 new hotel rooms, and new commercial space this year. Among the highlights are plans for two of the City's most iconic buildings. The former Chase Tower will become an Aloft hotel and residences, and the former College Football Hall of Fame will become a Courtyard by Marriott.

New residents and new business are contributing to an increasingly vibrant atmosphere that just keeps getting better. Among the improvements to come in 2016 will be safer and more accessible roads.

We ask for everyone's patience as crews transform streets in the downtown area. As previous projects on Jefferson Boulevard, Lincoln Way West, and Western Avenue have shown, the results will be well worth it. South Bend's Smart Streets initiative has already been credited with improving safety and traffic flow while helping to draw tens of millions of dollars of private investment.

This year Main and Michigan/St. Joseph streets will be converted from one-way to two-way streets. The plan includes multiple lane and intersection closures from March to September to accommodate work from Chippewa Avenue to Bartlett Street, streetscape improvements, and the construction of three new roundabouts—at Michigan and Bartlett, Michigan and Marion, and Michigan and Chippewa.

Access to businesses and residences within the project area will be maintained throughout. The bulk of the work should be finished by the end of August, in time for the start of the new school year and the first Notre Dame home football game. In order to keep residents and business owners up-to-date on construction progress and traffic patterns, the City will maintain a special website, host live web cams, and hold regular public meetings throughout the year.

I am also pleased to introduce "News from the Office of the City Clerk" as a new addition to this letter. Each month, City Clerk Kareemah Fowler will report on ordinances and resolutions recently acted on by the Council.

With great excitement for the New Year, I wish you a very happy 2016.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pete".

Mayor Pete

From the Office of the City Clerk

There are new yard-waste rules for South Bend residents. According to the ammended ordinance (Sec. 16-8), yard waste for pickup must be placed in a city-furnished container. Bags will only be allowed once per month. Residents will be required to rent a container to receive automatic weekly yard-waste collection. A 48- or 96-gallon yard-waste container will be provided for \$2 per month, or a total of \$16 for the yard-waste season, which runs from April through November. The \$16 fee is typically charged once in April as part of residents' monthly water and sewer bill. Call 311 (574-233-0311), Monday through Friday between 7:30am and 5:30pm to sign up for a bin.

—Kareemah Fowler,
City Clerk

South Bend Civic Theatre
sbct.org
Box Office: 574-234-1112
403 N. Main St

Century Center
centurycenter.org
574-235-9711

Studebaker Museum
574-235-9714
studebakermuseum.org

The History Museum
historymuseum.org
547-235-9664

Kids First Story Time
Mondays 10:45am

Department of Parks and Recreation
sbpark.org
574-299-4765

Howard Park Recreation and Senior Center
604 E. Jefferson Blvd.
574-235-9428

The Near Northwest Neighborhood
nearnorthwest.org
574-232-9182

Mondays 4-5:15pm
Yoga - Gentle / Restorative Yoga

Wednesdays 5:15-6:30pm
Yoga - Developing Your Yoga Practice

La Casa de Amistad
lacasadeamistad.org
574-233-2120

Radio Sabor Latino
radiosaborlatino.com
574-232-3212

Memorial Brainworks
qualityoflife.org/brainworks
574-647-6628

St Joseph County Public Library
sjcpl.lib.in.us

LangLab South Bend
langlabsb.com
1302 High St

Wednesdays 7-9:30pm
Latin Wednesdays
Weekly Dance Social

Thursdays 7pm-11pm
LangLab Bar Open

Chiara Home 574-287-5435
chiarahome@att.net
Contact: Sr. Gretchen

GLBT Resource Center Groups
234-1411 michianaglbcenter.org

Women's Group
Monday, February 15, 6:30-9pm

Transgender Group
Wednesday, February 17, 7-9pm

Men's Group
Tuesday, February 2 & 16, 7-9pm

Poly Group
Thursday, February 4, 7-9:30pm

Female to Male Transgender
Saturday, February 6, 6-8pm

AIDS Assist of Northern Indiana
574-234-2870 aidsministries.org

1st Saturday of the Month
9am-12pm
Red Ribbon Rummage
201 S. William St.

Holy Cross College
574-239-8377 hcc-hd.edu

Real Services
574-233-8205 realservices.org

Downtown South Bend downtownsouthbend.com
574-282-1110

- *Game Night - South Bend Brew Works, Mondays, 5pm
- *Chess Club, Chicory Cafe, Mondays, 6pm
- *Fit Dance at The Music Village, Mondays, 6:30pm
- *Old Timey Music Session, Fiddler's Hearth, Tuesdays, 7pm
- *Trivia - South Bend Brew Works, Tuesdays, 7pm
- *Comedy Open Mic - The Drop Comedy Club, Tuesdays, 8pm
- *Trivia - Chicory Cafe, Wednesdays, 8pm
- *Live Music - Linden Grill, Thursdays, 10pm
- *Children's Story Hour - Idle Hours Bookshop, Fridays, 10:15am and 4pm
- *Ice Skating at Howard Park Ice Rink, Fridays, 3pm

More downtown events in January at
downtownsouthbend.com/things-to-do/calendar/2016-01

Interested in becoming a homeowner?
574-288-6967
habitat-for-humanity.org




Men's Basketball
Feb 6, 7pm vs North Carolina
Feb 13, 9pm vs Louisville

Women's Basketball
Feb 4, 7pm vs North Carolina State
Feb 14, 1pm vs Miami
Feb 25, 7pm vs Clemson
Feb 27, 1pm vs Boston College

Ice Hockey
Feb 12, 6:35pm vs Maine
Feb 13, 7:05pm vs Maine
Feb 26, 7:35pm vs Boston University
Feb 27, 7:05pm vs Boston University

More athletic events at
und.com/calendar/events



Men's Basketball
Feb 3, 7:30pm vs Trinity Christian College
Feb 13, 3pm vs Olivet Nazarene University
Feb 20, 3pm vs University of Saint Francis

Women's Basketball
Feb 3, 5:30pm vs Trinity Christian College
Feb 13, 1pm vs Olivet Nazarene University
Feb 20, 1pm vs University of Saint Francis

More athletic events at
iusb.edu/portal/events.php

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
svdpsb.org 574-234-6000

Sign up for assistance, volunteer, donate,
or visit our retail stores.

Snite Museum of Art at Notre Dame
sniteartmuseum.nd.edu 574-631-5466

In Dialogue: Henry Mosler, Forging the Cross
through March 13
Recent Photography Acquisitions through March 13
African American Voices through March 13

Neighborhood Resources Connection

For information on monthly neighborhood association meetings throughout the city: 574-287-0425 or nrc4neighborhoods.org

South Bend Animal Care & Control
574-235-9303
521 Eclipse Place



Adoption Hours
Monday - Friday 10am - 6pm
Closed Saturday and Sunday

the MUSIC VILLAGE
DOWNTOWN SOUTH BEND

Schedule for music classes,
jam sessions, and
other events at
themusicvillage.org
574-245-SONG (7664)

More events at morriscenter.org/schedule

Saturday, February 6, 8pm
South Bend Symphony Orchestra -
Pines of Rome

Saturday, February 13, 8pm - South Bend Symphony Orchestra -
Wicked Divas

Sunday, February 14, 7:30pm - Musiq Soulchild and Keke Wyatt



Century Center
centurycenter.org 574-235-9711

Saturday, February 13, 9am - 6pm and Sunday, February 14, 10am - 5pm, Shipshewana on the Road



Basketball:
Feb 3, 7:30pm vs Trine
Feb 10, 7:30pm vs Adrian
Feb 13, 3pm vs Kalamazoo

More event information at
spev.saintmarys.edu/MasterCalendar

Holy Cross College
hcc-nd.edu 574-239-8377

Men's Basketball
Feb 6, 3pm vs Purdue University -
North Central
Feb 10, 7:30pm vs Trinity Christian College
Feb 20, 3pm vs Olivet Nazarene University

Women's Basketball
Feb 10, 5:30pm vs Trinity Christian College
Feb 20, 1pm vs Olivet Nazarene University

Studebaker National Museum
studebakermuseum.org 574-235-9714

Studebaker Super Service Center - Ongoing exhibition for children ages 3-10

The Presidential Carriage Collections - Ongoing exhibition of the Grant, Harrison, Lincoln, and McKinley Carriages

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center at Notre Dame

Friday, February 5, 7pm and Saturday, February 6, 2pm & 7:30pm, Trinity Irish Dance Company

Saturday, February 13, 7:30pm, Arturo O'Farrill Octet

Friday, February 19, 7pm and Saturday, February 20, 7:30pm, Moon for Misbegotten

Saturday, February 27, 7:30pm Axiom Brass

Sunday, February 28, 2:30pm & 5pm, Kola Owolabi

For more information or to book tickets,
574-631-2800 performingarts.nd.edu

Offering educational opportunities
including classes for first-time
homebuyers



South Bend Heritage
574-289-1066 sbheritage.org



574-315-4361
theunitygardens.org

SBM art
South Bend Museum of Art
southbendart.org 574-235-9102

Family Day: Discover
Sunday, February 14, 2pm-4pm

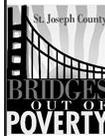


Dismas House of South Bend
dismassb.org

Apply for residency,
volunteer, or donate

574-233-8522
dismassb@dismas.org

St. Joseph County Bridges
Out of Poverty Initiative
117 N. Lafayette
(behind The Episcopal Cathedral
of St. James)



574-246-0533
sjcbridges.org

IVY TECH
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Enrollment Hours
Monday - Friday,
8am - 5pm

574-289-7001 or
ivytech.edu/northcentral

WorkOne
Northern Indiana

851 S. Marietta Street
(Monroe Industrial Park)

574-237-9675 Ext 1175
gotoworkone.com

Offering Job Skill Training
WorkKeys Session - Wednesdays 8am
Job Link Club meeting, Thursdays
10am

Questions or comments
regarding this newsletter?
Please contact 574-235-7596