

HEALTH STUDY NOTIFICATION

SEEKING CHEMICAL WORKERS & FAMILIES

You are invited to attend a
PBB Community Discussion

Come and learn about health findings related to PBB exposure, including effects found in sons and daughters born after the contamination event. Health risks related to other chemicals produced by Michigan Chemical/Velsicol will also be discussed. Importantly, the research team will listen to community concerns regarding chemical exposures. This input will help guide future research.

Saturday, December 14
10 am - noon
Blood draw from 9 am - 5 pm

Sunday, December 15
2 pm - 4 pm
Blood draw from noon - 5 pm

St. Louis City Council Chambers
108 W. Saginaw Street, St. Louis, MI 48880

If you would like to know your current PBB level, phlebotomists from the Mid-Michigan Health Department will be available to draw your blood.

HISTORY: In 1973, large quantities of polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) produced by Velsicol contaminated the state food chain. Following this event, many chemical workers, affected farmers, and their families participated in the Michigan Long-Term PBB Health Study conducted by the state. However, in the early 1990s, chemical workers and their families were no longer followed as part of the study.

WHO: The community meeting is open to all. The health research focuses on former workers of Michigan Chemical/Velsicol and their family members that were original participants in the Michigan Long-Term PBB Health Study.

WHY: **Pine River Superfund Citizen Task Force** has been seeking a health study for our community since 1998. Recently, we partnered with **Emory University** and the **Mid-Michigan Health Department** to request this additional funding to expand the research to include chemical workers and their family members.

MORE INFORMATION: Visit www.pbbregistry.emory.edu or contact the research team directly by calling 1-888-892-0074 or emailing PBBregistry@emory.edu.



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Veterans Day Activities



Each year the St. Louis VFW Post #3055 and American Legion sponsor an event on Veterans Day.

Monday, November 11, 2013

Ceremony at the War Monument

At the point of M-46, Michigan Avenue and North Mill Street

11:00 a.m.

Please stop by and show your support for our past and current Veterans!

Christmas Activities



Thursday, December 5, 2013

Lighted Christmas Parade
6:00 p.m.—Downtown St. Louis
Contact: Phil Hansen at 681-3017

Visit with Santa & Mrs. Claus

6:30 p.m. in the GEM Theater
205 North Mill Street
Christmas Music, Toys for Tots!

Community Reception

Jesus Coffee House-201 North Mill Street
Pulled pork, soup, cookies, hot chocolate—Free!

Saturday, December 7, 2013

Library Open House

10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
312 Michigan Avenue
Make-it, Take-it Christmas Decorations for all ages
681-5141
Hot beverages and assorted Christmas cookies

Please remember to Shop & Eat in Downtown St. Louis this Holiday Season!

www.downtownstlouismi.com

Apple Pie Sale

St. Louis Sports Booster Apple Pie Day
Saturday, November 9, 2013 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
St. Louis TSN Middle School 312 North Union.

10:00 a.m.



2:00 p.m.

Contact Maria Roberson for more information at
(989) 620-5951

Daylight Savings

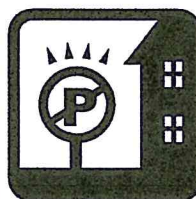


Sunday, November 3, 2013,
Daylight Savings Time ends
at 2:00 a.m.

Remember to turn your clocks back one hour.

This is also a good reminder to test your smoke detectors, and replace batteries if you haven't done so in the last six months.

No Parking on City Streets



There is no parking on City Streets
from 2:00 a.m.—6:00 a.m.

November 1, 2013 to May 1, 2013

It is also a violation to park in any manner which creates a hazard or impedes snow removal.

City Office Closings



Thursday, November 28th &

Friday, November 29th

Have a Happy Thanksgiving