



Fruitland Township
White River Light Station Museum

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E-News

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SENIOR MILLAGE GRANT

Fruitland Township has received its allocation of the 2021-2022 Senior Millage Grant funds. The Township Board voted in March 2021 to use the funding to support our senior residents by supporting the White Lake Senior Center, partnering with AgeWell Services of West Michigan and by providing vouchers for our Ecology Station, Muskegon and Montague Farmer's Markets, and Barry's Greenhouse.

All persons 60 years of age or older shall be eligible for all of the services mentioned. **We will begin offering vouchers the week of August 2nd, 2021 using the following system:**

Only one person per family may order in a month, and only one of each voucher at a time may be ordered. The Maximum Family Allowance is \$150; or up to \$75 per individual for the following vouchers:

- Farmers Markets – Muskegon or Montague - \$5 or \$10
- Ecology Station - \$20 punch card
- Barry's Greenhouse - \$20 voucher

Identification with your birthdate is required. Due to the overwhelming response to these services, we are asking that for all vouchers:

Call the Township Hall Monday – Wednesday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm to make your requests

Pick up your requests on Thursday from 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm or Friday 8:00 am – 12:00 pm. The vouchers are limited and are issued on a first come, first serve basis.

In partnership with AgeWell Services of West Michigan, we are also offering "Stretch 'N More – Health Class" on Thursday afternoons (date, time, and location TBD). In this class you will learn a combination of health tips (arthritis and other), relaxation techniques, and a majority of stretching exercises. Participants will work at their own pace to increase flexibility and reduce levels on pain and stiffness.

This class can be done sitting in a chair or standing and is endorsed by the Arthritis Foundation.

Pre-registration is required for this class as space is limited.

PLEASE CALL KAYTIE (231) 354-2215 OR RENEE (231) 733-8641 TO REGISTER FOR THIS CLASS.

AgeWell's Safe Seniors program will also be offer 2 seminars later this summer at the Fruitland Township Hall. Times and dates as well as topics will be announced via E-News as soon as the information is available.

WHITE RIVER LIGHT STATION EVENTS

If you are looking for something to do the rest of the summer and the White River Light Station popped into your head, see the information below and make plans to attend with family and friends.

July 30th Concert 7pm Feature "Joe Irlan."

Come and enjoy the mellow sounds of local guitarist Joe Irlan as he plays popular cover songs and some originals as well. Well known in the area for his many performances at the Fetch Brewery.

August 6th Concert 7 pm Featuring "Chris Kennedy and Eric Michael"

In the acoustic tradition, Eric and Chris perform a diverse repertoire of pop, folk, and country tunes. Whether singing in harmony or playing instrumentally, Eric and Chris are an engaging and dynamic duo.

August 13th Concert with Music and Beer from 6pm to 8pm Featuring "Catfish and the Man"

Come enjoy your favorite Fetch Beer and the music of Catfish and the Man on the grounds of the White River Light Station. This family friendly event is a fund raiser for the Sable Points Lighthouse Keepers, caretakers of the lighthouse. Beer and Wine as well as water will be available for purchase (cash only). Proceeds will continue to help support the mission to preserve, promote and educate the public and to make our lighthouses accessible.

<https://www.facebook.com/catfishandtheman>

The rain location for all of the music events is the Fruitland Township Hall.

Concerts start at 7 pm and go until 8:30pm: Free

Tower is open for climbing during the music events.

Admission is only for the tower concerts are free.

White River Light Station's Regular Summer Hours Are:

Monday through Sunday 10 am to 5 pm

Tower & Museum Tours - Adults: \$8.00, Students 17 & Under: \$5.00