



RESOURCE ROUNDUP

COMMUNITY RESOURCES & EVENTS

8/14/25

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ONGOING / SELECTED DATES

- **FREE LUNCH** – The Lighthouse of Jesus Christ will provide free packed lunches from noon-2 p.m. **every Saturday during summer** at 273 E. Exchange St., across from McDonald's.
- **SUMMIT LAKE FARMERS MARKET** – **Every Tuesday** from 4-7 p.m. **through Sept. 23** behind Summit Lake Community Center, 390 W. Crosier St., Akron. Fresh produce, handmade crafts and more for sale. Cash, credit, debit and EBT accepted. EBT is matched up to \$25 via Produce Perks. Senior, TANF and WIC coupons accepted. Free canoe rides on the lake and cooking demonstrations.
- **OPEN M MINISTRY FOOD PANTRY** – Emergency food pantry, **Monday through Thursday** from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and **Fridays** from 9-11 a.m. Grab and go lunch, **last two weeks** of the month from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. All at 941 Princeton St., Akron.
- **HOT MEALS, FOOD & CLOTHING** – Hot meal, hot meal to-go, groceries and clothing pantry from 5-6:30 p.m. on the **third Thursday** and **fourth Tuesday** of the month at Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, 129 S. Union St., Akron. Contact: 330-434-0000.
- **H.U.G.S. FOR THE HOMELESS** – Essential clothing, such as socks and underwear, provided to unhoused neighbors **during the summer**, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Salvation Army in Akron (190 S. Maple St., Akron) and Barberton (560 W. Wooster Road).
- **UTILITY BILL HELP** – The Salvation Army of Summit County's Utility Assistance Program offers financial relief for eligible low-income households facing shut off. Help is available once every 12 months and is based on available funding. Call 330-762-8481 to apply.
- **FREE MUSEUM ADMISSION** – **Thursdays** from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. at Akron Art Museum, 1 S. High St., Akron.
- **CASE MANAGER AT THE LIBRARY** – Summit County Job and Family Services will provide assistance from 12-4 p.m. on the **first Tuesday** of the month at Highland Square Branch Library, 807 W. Market St., Akron.

AUGUST

- **TUBA CONCERT & ICE CREAM SOCIAL** – Bring a blanket or lawn chair to the free show at 6 p.m. **Aug. 21** on the lawn at Quirk Cultural Center, 1201 Grant Ave., Cuyahoga Falls.
- **POP-UP FOOD PANTRY** – Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank will host a food pantry from 2-4 p.m. **Aug. 21** at The Vincent House, 838 E. Exchange St., Akron.
- **FOOD DISTRIBUTION** – The Salvation Army-Barberton will have its Red Shield drive-through food distribution from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. **Aug. 22** at 560 W. Wooster Road.
- **AKRON PRIDE FEST & EQUITY MARCH** – Events to support and celebrate the LGBTQ+ community **Aug. 23**, equity march at 10 a.m. starting from Spaghetti Warehouse in downtown Akron. Other activities include entertainers, exhibitors, an interactive children's area, food trucks and more from 11 a.m.-10 p.m. in downtown Akron. Details at akronpridefestival.org.
- **REENTRY CLINIC** – The University of Akron Law School volunteers will host the clinic **Aug. 23** from 9 a.m.-noon at House of the Lord, 1650 Diagonal Road., Akron. Note: The clinic may end before noon if capacity is reached. Talk to a volunteer about expungement, certificates for employment or driver's license help. Call the clinic any time, including for assistance with your criminal record and/or your driver's license: 330-972-7751. Leave a message and your call will be returned.
- **FOOD PANTRY** – Peter Maurin Center will open the food pantry from 10 a.m.-noon **Aug. 23** at 1096 Old South Main St., Akron.
- **TEEJ CELEBRATION** – A Hindu festival hosted by the Greater Akron Women's Group featuring music, dance, culture and traditional food, 1-8 p.m. **Aug. 23** at 134 E. Tallmadge Ave., Akron. All are welcome to attend.
- **PET FOOD PANTRY** – Free pet food and supplies will be offered to Summit County residents in need during a drive-through event from 4:30-6:30 p.m. **Aug. 26** at Summit County Animal Control, 250 Opportunity Pkwy., Akron. All supplies are donated and offered first come, first served. Line up no earlier than 4:30 p.m. Take West Bartges Street to Pier Drive. Call 330-643-2845 to learn about other options for pet food and supplies.
- **CONCERT TRUCK PERFORMANCE** – The traveling music venue will make a stop at 4 p.m. **Aug. 26** at Summit Lake Farmers Market, 380 W. Crosier St., Akron. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **CONCERT TRUCK** – The specially transformed truck will stop for a show at 6 p.m. **Aug. 27** at the North Hill community hub at 915 N. Main St., Akron. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform. Musicians from the Himalayan Arts Language and Cultural Academy will join. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **SENIOR & CAREGIVER FAIR** – Vendors with community resources, light refreshments, blood pressure checks, raffle prizes and giveaways from 1:30-3:30 p.m. **Aug. 28** at Kenmore Community Center, 880 Kenmore Blvd., Akron.
- **PLATINUM CLUB FOR SENIORS** – Mason Park Community Center will host a social event for seniors with activities and guest speakers from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Aug. 28 at the community center, 700 E. Exchange St., Door 3, Akron. Bring a covered dish to share. To register, call 330-375-2821.

- **CONCERT TRUCK** – The traveling music venue will stop for a performance at 12:30 p.m. **Aug. 28** at Akron Urban League, 440 Vernon Odom Blvd., Akron. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **MINDFULNESS WALK** – From 8-9 a.m. **Aug. 29** at Hardesty Park, 1615 W. Market St., Akron. Retired orthopedic surgeon Dr. Joe Blanda will lead the walk around the park, focusing on the senses. The walk will be less than a mile long. Details: <https://www.conservancyforcvnp.org/event/nature-rx-mindfulness-walk-in-akron>.
- **CONCERT TRUCK** – The box truck-turned-concert-venue will make a stop at 7 p.m. **Aug. 29** at Barder House in Highland Square, 1041 W. Market St., Akron. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform along with young pianist Luca Roza, a member of Tuesday Musical's Brahms Allegro Junior Music Club. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL** – More than 20 food trucks will offer food for purchase daily **Aug. 29-31** at Hardesty Park, 67 Wallhaven Dr., Akron. Hours are 5-10 p.m. Aug. 29, noon-10 p.m. Aug. 30 and noon-4 p.m. Aug. 31.
- **CONCERT TRUCK** – The traveling music venue will stop for a performance at noon **Aug. 29** at Mustill Store Museum, 57 W. North St., Akron. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform with young pianist Saya Uejima, a member of Tuesday Musical's Brahms Allegro Junior Music Club. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **AKRON PIZZA FEST** – Pizza will be for sale from local pizza shops. The event also features live music, cornhole games and more. Hours: 5-10 p.m. **Aug. 29** and 2-10 p.m. **Aug. 30** at Lock 3 in downtown Akron (200 S. Main St.). Details at www.akronpizzafest.com.
- **BASKETS OF LOVE FOOD GIVEAWAY** – Akron Bible Church will have its Baskets of Love food distribution at 9 a.m. **Aug. 30** at the Agape Storehouse, 340 E. South St., Akron. Contact: 330-376-5673, akronbiblechurch.net.
- **CONCERT & FIREWORKS** – Concert by Big in Japan from 7-9 p.m., with fireworks to follow, **Aug. 30** at Lake Anna Park gazebo, 615 W. Park Ave., Barberton.
- **CONCERT TRUCK** – The traveling music venue will stop for a performance at 5 p.m. **Aug. 30** at Lake Anna Park in downtown Barberton, 615 W. Park Ave. Pianists Susan Zhang and Maxim Lando will perform. For more information and show dates/times, visit www.tuesdaymusical.org/theconcerttruck.
- **OVERDOSE AWARENESS DAY EVENT** – Summit Recovery Hub will host the event from noon-3 p.m. **Aug. 31** at 572 W. Market St., Akron. Attendees are encouraged to wear purple.
- **AKRON CITY FESTIVAL** – From 12-6 p.m. **Aug. 31** in downtown Akron. The festival will have a family-friendly atmosphere and celebrate Akron's young adults as they start a new school year. The parade will kick off at 1 p.m. from Spaghetti Warehouse (510 S. Main St., Akron). Details at <https://tinyurl.com/5ab7umxf>.

SEPTEMBER

- **EAST AKRON LABOR DAY PARADE** – The parade on **Sept. 1** will step off at 10 a.m. from Seventh Avenue and Arlington Street in East Akron.
- **DINNER & BONFIRE** – Louisville Baptist Temple will host the event from 6-8 p.m. **Sept. 5** at Tyler's Redemption Place, 2684 Sanitarium Road, Akron.
- **KENMORE FIRST FRIDAY** – Live music, food trucks, kids' activities and vendors line Kenmore Boulevard (from 13th to 16th streets) from 6-9 p.m. **Sept. 5**. Music by Run Thomas Run from 6-6:45 p.m. and Benjamin Payne & Yankee Bravo from 7:15-8:45 p.m. Details at www.betterkenmore.org/events.