

N-W vocalists selected to All-County Choirs



Congratulations to the following Niagara-Wheatfield students, in grades 6-9, who were selected to perform in the Niagara All-County Choirs for the 2021-22 school year. We are so proud of Virginia Aldrow, Avery Antonelli, Sophia Bastian, Noah Brooks, Alyssa Clemen, Ryson Cox, Jillian Davies, Juliette Giroux, Callie Hubert, Brynn Mondoux and Ethan Powell.

All the students had to perform a solo for a judge with the Niagara County Music Educators Association.

Chorus 1: Virginia Aldrow, Sophia Bastian, Juliette Giroux, Avery Antonelli and Ryson Cox.

Chorus 2: Ethan Powell, Noah Brooks, Callie Hubert, Alyssa Clemen, Brynn Mondoux and Jillian Davies.



IN THE NEWS

St. Patrick's Day DWI patrols

Sheriff Michael J. Filicetti announced Niagara County law enforcement agencies will participate in a special effort to bring awareness to the dangers of impaired driving this weekend.

In a combined effort to stop impaired driving, prevent injuries and save lives, law enforcement officers across New York will take to the roads. The statewide STOP-DWI high visibility engagement campaign

efforts started March 16 and will end March 20. The Niagara County Sheriff's Office, as well as law enforcement agencies across Niagara County, will be out in force in this coordinated effort to reduce the number of impaired driving-related injuries and death.

The STOP-DWI campaign is one of many statewide enforcement initiatives promoted by STOP-DWI New York and the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee. It also targets Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Halloween, Thanksgiving, holiday season, and Super Bowl weekend.

A press release said, "While STOP-DWI efforts across New York have led to significant reductions in the numbers of alcohol and drug-related fatalities, still too many lives are being lost because of crashes caused by drunk or impaired drivers. Highly visible, highly publicized efforts like the STOP-DWI high visibility engagement campaign aim to further reduce the incidence of drunk and impaired driving."

of Greater Niagara office, located at 6420 Inducon Drive W., Suite B2, throughout the duration of the drive.

Women United of Greater Niagara is a group of community-minded women who work with United Way of Greater Niagara to improve lives and build a better future for the Niagara community. At the same time, members work to inspire and bring value to women. Those interested in becoming a member can call the United Way office at 716-731-4580.

and that their practices are embracing of diversity.

Vendors at this year's WNY LGBTQ+ Health and Wellness Fair include: Alzheimer's Association of WNY, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, Cancer Services Program, Child Advocacy Center of Niagara (Safe Harbour), Eastern Niagara Hospital System, Elderwood Health Plan, Evergreen Health Services, Fidelis Care, GLYS, Horizon Health Services, Housing Opportunities Made Equal, Mental Health Association of Niagara County, MOCHA Buffalo, Niagara County Department of Health, Pinnacle Youth Services, Planned Parenthood of Central and WNY, Red Cross, Save the Michaels, Tobacco Free Roswell Park and WNY Transformation Counseling & Consulting - more than 30 vendors in total.

A press release noted, "Niagara Pride hopes that, by hosting health fairs like this and providing services such as their diversity and inclusion training for businesses and agencies, they can help raise awareness of LGBTQ+ health needs and disparities, as well as end stigma by having local providers offer accessible, affirming and inclusive health care services so that everyone can fully live their truth and a healthy life."

For more information on Niagara Pride, email info@niagarapride.org, call 716-298-7656 or visit www.niagarapride.org and Niagara Pride on Facebook.

Local Women United collecting goods for mothers & babies

Women United of Greater Niagara has begun another collection drive to benefit those in need in Niagara County. This follows its recent personal hygiene drive, which had success throughout the month of November. Keeping the momentum going, this drive will support local women and their babies.

Beneficiaries include Lockport CareNet Pregnancy Center and the P3 Center at Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center. Donations of baby bottles, bottle brushes, wipes, diapers, pacifiers, lotion, baby cereal, baby food, formula (Enfamil) and gently used baby clothes can be dropped off at the United Way

LGBTQ+ Health and Wellness Fair at NCCC

Niagara Pride's WNY LGBTQ+ Health and Wellness Fair is scheduled for 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 26, from inside the main gym at Niagara County Community College (3111 Saunders Settlement Road, Sanborn). Last year's event was postponed due to the pandemic.

The WNY LGBTQ+ Health and Wellness Fair coincides this year with national LGBTQ+ Health Awareness Week. Members of the LGBTQ+ community are encouraged to speak openly about their health needs with their providers and, in turn, medical, mental health and addiction community service providers are encouraged to examine their services to ensure their programs are LGBTQ+-affirming, that providers are educated on the unique health needs of LGBTQ+ patients and consumers,

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