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How To Keep A Positive Business Attitude In The Time Of COVID-19

We need to accept that reality is changing, identify what works, and "push the corner" - meaning define new ways of working. COVID-19 is terrible, it's a tragedy, but it also opens up new business opportunities.

Tips on how to keep a positive business attitude during COVID

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Find up to date COVID-19 Resources and Information, including Governor Pritzker's newest E.O. and 5-part plan to phase reopening in Illinois.

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Local teachers and businesses are reading to kids on YouTube - including our very own Debbie Arell-Martinez

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Mark Cuban's advice on how to fight through the crisis

Shortly after it became apparent that this pandemic was going to do inexorable damage to the economy, Mark Cuban showed up on LinkedIn with an offer: Suffering small business owners could post their question and he'd give as much help as he could.

The response was overwhelming. His post garnered nearly 200,000 reactions and more than 10,000 comments from people who found their life's plans suddenly shattered. Restaurateurs, gym owners, freight movers, consultants, nonprofit managers, even an underground utility compliance evaluation entrepreneur explained their situations. Cuban doled out ideas — and LinkedIn members offered up their own advice.



Click the video above to read the article and/or click the graphic below to watch the interview.



More advice from Mark Cuban on our COVID-19 Info and Resources spread on page 10.

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THOUGHTS FROM THE CHAMBER PRESIDENT



Susan Holloway
HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital

As a child, my Great Aunt Helen and I would talk for hours (I loved her so much). Occasionally she would offer advice. I think one of the best pieces of advice she ever gave me was to “always be ready to adjust your chair.” When she gave that advice (I cannot remember for the life of me what the circumstances were), but I remember being upset about something that had changed in my life. I was so impressed with her wisdom and the advice has stuck with me throughout my life. This Corona virus has changed many of our lives, some for the better and some for the worse, but we have all learned to “adjust our chairs.” What is next we never know. Surely no one saw this virus coming, at least not to the extent it has impacted our lives. The gift that my Aunt Helen gave to me that day as a child, I offer you today, “Always be ready to adjust your chair.”



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(Bring Your Own Coffee)

Join us for our first ever virtual Business over Breakfast this Friday, May 8 at 9:00 a.m.

Click the flyer to RSVP - Registration is required!

We will also hold a virtual BOB on Friday May 29. Mark your calendars and Save the Date!



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Print copies are available in the Chamber office upon request.

MEMBER NEWS

Cancer Care Specialists of Illinois and HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital Open New Cancer Care Center of O'Fallon

Planning for future community open house, date to be determined



HSHS
St. Elizabeth's
Hospital

(O'FALLON, IL) – On Monday, April 20, HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital and Cancer Care Specialists of Illinois (CCSI) opened the doors and welcomed patients into the newly built Cancer Care Center of O'Fallon. It will offer comprehensive cancer services to patients in the metro east region.

The 31,000 square foot cancer care center, located at 321 Regency Park in O'Fallon, was constructed by Green Mount Enterprises, LLC, with space being leased to both St. Elizabeth's Hospital and Cancer Care Specialists of Illinois.

Services and features of the new center include:

- Radiation Oncology Services
- Medical Oncology and Hematology Services
- Research and Clinical Trials (affiliations with National Cancer Institute, University of Chicago, NSABP Foundation, pharmaceutical industry, and more)
- Diagnostic, Consultation & Follow Up Services
- Cancer Screenings, Cancer Prevention & Wellness Programs
- Education & Support
- Genetic Testing & Counseling
- Imaging (Bone Densitometry, CT, PET)
- Laboratory
- Chemotherapy, Infusion Therapy & Immunotherapy
- Radiation Linear Accelerator & CT-simulator
- Intensity Modulated Radiation Therapy (IMRT)
- Image Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT)
- Stereotactic Radiosurgery (SRS)
- Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy (SBRT)

St. Elizabeth's Hospital President and CEO Patti Fischer stated, "St. Elizabeth's is honored to partner with CCSI in bringing needed health care services to patients in our region. Our radiation oncology services are an extension of our Mission to deliver high-quality Franciscan health care. The facility will allow cancer patients the opportunity to receive innovative and advanced radiation and medical oncology treatments in a location that keeps them close to home where family and friends can support them during this difficult time in their lives."

"We of Cancer Care Specialists of Illinois are excited about the opening of the new Cancer Care Center of O'Fallon. We believe that this facility will improve access to the most up-to-date cancer treatments as well as enhance the availability of tomorrow's treatments through the availability of National Cancer Institute and industry funded cancer research," said Justin Floyd DO FACOI, President Cancer Care Specialists of Illinois. "Additionally, partnering with HSHS St. Elizabeth's has allowed us to facilitate this multidisciplinary care in a single location, further reducing barriers and burdens on cancer patients. This opening comes at a time of an unparalleled health crisis. In an attempt to promote patient

safety and reduce potential hospital cancer related admissions during the COVID-19 crisis, we are caring for our active cancer patients in the new center while implementing infection control screening procedures, actively using telemedicine, and reducing patient and non-patient traffic through the facility."

Fischer added, "We are excited to collaborate with Cancer Care Specialists to offer the area this new advanced, spacious and comfortable facility. The prevalence of the COVID-19 virus has caused the delay in our joint plans to conduct a grand opening for the community, but the safety of our patients, colleagues, providers and community is our No. 1 priority." She said a public event may be planned in the future so area residents can see what an asset this facility is for the region's health care.

St. Elizabeth's is the only American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer designated cancer program in the service area of southwestern Illinois. "This comprehensive and multidisciplinary patient-centered recognition, coupled with the advanced radiation oncology services offered in the new center, brings innovative treatment and experienced cancer specialists to the community," Fischer added.

The clinic will benefit patients from across the region, especially those from smaller communities served by St. Elizabeth's sister hospitals of St. Joseph's in Highland, St. Joseph's in Breese and Holy Family in Greenville.

The President of Green Mount Enterprises, Mark Walshauer, M.D., FACP states, "The new Cancer Care Center of O'Fallon was built around the cancer patient's experience. The building is one-story, ground level high, so patients never have to transverse stairs. To further allow ease of use, direct entrances are available to both the radiation and chemotherapy treatment areas. With highway 64 access minutes from the Cancer Center, patients in surrounding communities now have better access to their doctors and treatment.

Being located adjacent to St. Elizabeth's Hospital, patients in need of extended services such as ultrasound and MRI have everything they need close by.



Homefield Energy Donates \$60,000 For COVID-19 Relief in Illinois



Collinsville, IL - April 29, 2020 – Homefield Energy today announced it is committing \$60,000 to support Illinois communities as they begin the process of economic recovery from COVID-19.

"As with so many states, COVID-19's impact on Illinois has been profound, and Homefield Energy and its employees are honored to do our part to help meet critical needs in the communities we serve," said Brad Watson, Homefield Energy's director of community affairs. "Our company is inspired by the organizations working on the frontlines of the coronavirus pandemic. We stand with you – now, more than ever before."

The \$60,000 donation will directly support communities and

individuals to meet their most pressing needs, including funding for food banks, community assistance funds, domestic violence prevention, and more.

\$25,000 will go to Peoria organizations, including the Community Foundation of Central Illinois and the Center for Prevention of Abuse; \$15,000 will go to St. Louis metro area organizations, including O'Fallon Community Food Pantry, Community Interfaith Food Pantry, and Collinsville Food Pantry; \$10,000 will go to Bloomington-Normal organizations, including the United Way of McLean County and The Midwest Food Bank of Illinois-Bloomington-Normal; Food banks and community assistance funds in Champaign-Urbana and Decatur will also receive donations

"We appreciate the support of Homefield Energy as The Community Foundation of Central Illinois partners with nonprofits, working to address essential needs in the community," said Mark Roberts, president and CEO of the Community Foundation of Central Illinois. "This donation enhances our ability to provide emergency food and basic supplies, interim housing and shelter, primary health care services, utility assistance, and support for children and vulnerable populations."

Homefield Energy's donation to communities in Illinois is part of a \$2 million commitment to non-profits and social service agencies across the country from Homefield Energy's parent company, Vistra. Serving nearly 5 million residential, commercial, and industrial retail customers with electricity and natural gas, Vistra is the largest competitive residential electricity provider and the largest competitive power generator in the U.S.

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Twenty-one nonprofits serving Illinois residents receive \$250,000 in emergency response funding



United Way of Greater St. Louis awards local grants earmarked from the Illinois COVID-19 Response Fund

ST. LOUIS (April 16, 2020) – United Way of Greater St. Louis today announced it has awarded 21 nonprofits who serve Illinois residents with emergency response grants totaling \$250,000. The funding was earmarked for agencies serving people in United way's 9-county service area: Calhoun, Clinton, Greene, Jersey, Macoupin, Madison, Monroe, Randolph and St. Clair Counties.

Funding through these grants will support the immediate needs of more than 10,000 Illinois individuals and families by providing emergency access to food, medicine and supplies including to-go lunches to children and weekend meals to low-income families and seniors; temporary rent, mortgage and utility assistance; childcare assistance; mental health support and counseling; and services for seniors, non-English speaking populations and individuals with disabilities.

Funds were awarded to the following organizations:

- Call for Help, Inc.
- Casa de Salud
- Catholic Urban Programs
- Community Care Center, Inc.
- Community Life Line
- Connections to Success
- Glen-Ed Pantry
- HealthVisions Midwest
- Hoyleton Youth and Family Services
- Illinois Center for Autism
- Main Street Community Center

- Operation Food Search
- Project Compassion, NFP
- Riverbend Family Ministries NFP
- Senior Services Plus
- Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Boniface Conference
- St. Louis Area Foodbank
- The Family Treehouse: TWIGS
- The Salvation Army
- The Sinai Family Life Center
- Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis, Inc.

United Way received the \$250,000 in funding from the Illinois COVID-19 Response Fund, which has raised more than \$28 million to support nonprofits and families throughout the state of Illinois.

"The need in our community is incredibly great; United Way 2-1-1 has received nearly 200 percent more calls for help in the past month over the same time period in 2019," said Michelle Tucker, president and CEO of United Way of Greater St. Louis. "With these emergency response grants, organizations can provide critical resources and services to our Illinois neighbors experiencing hardship in this challenging time."

Last week, United Way announced its first phase of emergency response grants to 11 area organizations totaling \$205,000. As additional funds are available, United Way will award grants through additional phases to organizations addressing the intermediate and long-term needs of the St. Louis region.

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Together Credit Union Donates 1,300 N95 Particulate Respirator Masks for Medical Professionals

Saint Louis, MO - Together Credit Union has delivered 1,200 N95 particulate respirator masks by 3M to the St. Louis Metropolitan Pandemic Taskforce and 100 additional masks to Abbott EMS. Healthcare workers at BJC HealthCare, SSM Health, and St. Luke's Hospital, and Abbott ambulance technicians will benefit from the donation.

"Our business continuity team discovered a surplus of N95 masks, which we knew immediately could be a great benefit for medical professionals fighting the COVID-19 virus on the front lines," said Pier Alsup, Chief Community Engagement & Social Responsibility Officer.

According to the mask's producer, 3M<https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/worker-health-safety-us/covid19/>, "Global demand for supplies used by our customers to treat and help protect people, such as respirators, is currently exceeding supply. 3M expects demand for respirators to outpace supply for the foreseeable future."

As of April 13th, there have been 4,388 confirmed cases and 114 deaths from COVID-19 in Missouri, with St. Louis City and St. Louis County accounting for over half of each.*

"St. Louis is the most affected region in Missouri by the COVID-19 pandemic. Together Credit Union is committed to the important role we play in individuals' lives and the communities we serve, and we are proud to support and thank the medical professionals who risk exposure daily in their vital role caring for patients," added Alsup.

[Read More...](#)

Event Cancellations

SCOTT AFB 2020 AIR SHOW & OPEN HOUSE CANCELLED



SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE, Ill. – As a result of the uncertainty and disruptions caused by COVID-19, Scott Air Force Base officials announce they have decided to cancel its 2020 Air Show & Open House, which was set for May 30-31, featuring the U.S. Navy Blue Angels.

“We took our time to carefully consider all the impacts and this is the best decision in consideration of these uncertain times and our current focus on COVID-19 response efforts,” said Col. Joseph Meyer, 375th Air Mobility Wing vice commander. “The health and safety of our personnel and of the public is of the greatest importance. When operations return to normal we will definitely look for another opportunity in the future to host an air show.”

The Air Force suspended public outreach activities and support to community events in the United States and at its overseas locations through May 15, 2020, including on base and civilian-sponsored air shows. A future date for the Scott’s next Open House & Air Show is to be determined.

Due to COVID-19, the Memorial Day Ceremony at the O’Fallon Monument has been cancelled. The hope is to combine both ceremonies at the Veteran’s Day Event; more information will come as we get past the summer.



OTHS

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culminating in a live-streamed virtual ceremony on graduation day, Saturday, May 30, 2020.

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Please refer to the below timeline of graduation events, starting on May 6th and concluding on May 30th, 2020.

CURBSIDE DISTRIBUTION: ACADEMIC STOLES, NHS STOLES, & RUNNING START MEDALLIONS- May 6th, 2020

Academic stoles, NHS stoles and Running Start Medallions will be distributed to eligible seniors in a curbside event scheduled to take place on Wednesday, May 6th. Eligible seniors received an email detailing the curbside distribution and instructions for the return of stoles. For information pertaining to this event, email Mrs. Tracey Ritzel, Guidance Counselor, at ritzelt@oths.us.

OTHS HONORS & AWARDS CEREMONY- May 14th, 2020

On Thursday, May 14, 2020, the O’Fallon Township High School Guidance Department will present the Senior Honors and Awards Ceremony virtually at 7:00 p.m. in a live-stream on the OTHS Guidance Department YouTube Channel. A link to the virtual event will be published on the OTHS District 203 website and Facebook page.

The Virtual Honors and Awards Ceremony will recognize seniors in the Class of 2020 for outstanding academic achievement during the 2019-20 school year, including awards and scholarships earned. The event will be hosted by the Principal Rich Bickel and Director of Guidance, Mrs. Tiffany Luggie.

GRADUATE PHOTO OPPORTUNITY - May 18th-May 21st, 2020

During the week of May 18th, OTHS Senior students and two members of their immediate family (parents, guardians, grandparents) over the age of 18 who are staying at home together, are invited to the Smiley campus for a graduate photo opportunity. Students will be allowed to walk across the graduation stage in their cap and gown and have a photo taken. Those family members accompanying the senior will be allowed to hand the diploma cover to their graduate. OTHS will provide a photographer to take pictures documenting this special moment, free of charge. Photographs will be published for personal use, not to be used for the virtual commencement ceremony. To ensure social distancing guidelines, no other photography will be allowed.



Information and updates from St. Clair County:

As you might imagine the Grants Department is incredibly busy and like you, we are making the necessary adjustments to provide essential services.

Over the past several weeks approximately 600 disaster relief applications have been mailed out and hundreds more downloaded from the County website. These applications are for Community Services Block Grant and Home Energy Assistance programs designed to help households with basic needs including housing, transportation, food, and utilities. As I mentioned in my last edition of Friday Notes our eligibility requirements have been relaxed and our services have been expanded. The need is great, and we want to be able to help as many households as possible. Information and a list of available services can be found on the St. Clair County website www.co.st-clair.il.us along with other useful information to help navigate these trying times. On the homepage, reference the box titled COVID – 19 Information & Resources see Grants Department Accepting Relief Applications. If someone you know is in need and doesn't have the technology, please have them give us a call at 618-825-3200 and we will be happy to mail out an application along with a postage-paid return envelope.

Our Housing Resource Center Group, working with our Continuum of Care (CoC) partners, has received a grant to help with homelessness during the pandemic. The CoC is paying for a limited number of hotel rooms for up to a week for eligible individuals. During that time the agencies are working together to find permanent housing with deposits and up to six months of rent paid. Special thanks to Latosha Johnson our Housing Resource Center Coordinator, James Kellerman and Yolanda Griffin from Call for Help and Joe Hubbard and Pat Hogerbe of St. Vincent DePaul for putting this grant application together and administering it.

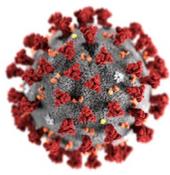
Our Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Group is keeping busy preparing next year's Public Facilities Grants. These grants primarily go to Townships and Municipalities to assist with infrastructure projects. CDBG has also received notification of a supplemental CARES Act allocation and is working with HUD to determine the allowable parameters. We are currently conducting a needs assessment as required by HUD. If you have a minute you can help us by completing the survey at <https://www.co.st-clair.il.us/departments/grants/development/Pages/default.aspx>. Once we receive guidance we will let you know our plans.

And although there are so many people out of work our Workforce Development Group remains busy working with employers that are still hiring and individuals that feel this might be a good time for a career change. Medical, logistics, and manufacturing are all in demand. The Workforce Development Group is also using this time to work with our State, Federal, and Education partners to develop and implement new apprenticeship and badging programs. Speaking of apprenticeships, look for some incredibly exciting news to be announced in conjunction with our regional partners at Madison County Employment and Training in the very near future.

Hopefully the information above conveys the pride I have in the Grants Department staff and the agency's mission. Each division has stepped up made the necessary adjustments and moved programs forward all while maintaining a safe environment. I appreciate each of them and the support and flexibility Chairman Kern has given us to adapt to the place we find ourselves today.

And finally, if you are not watching the St. Clair County Emergency Management Agency's daily briefing on Facebook at 3:30 p.m., you should. The information is current, local, and factual. Watch today at 3:30 p.m.

Richard Stubblefield
Executive Director - Intergovernmental Grants
[St. Clair County IL](http://www.co.st-clair.il.us)



COVID-19 INFO AND RESOURCES

COVID-19 Best Practices for Phased Reopening

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On May 1st, chamber member Sandberg Phoenix & von Gontard hosted a webinar discussing best practices for a phased reopening. Chock full of information for businesses regarding potential legal liabilities, guidance from the EEOC and recommendations. If you missed it, you can [download the PDF powerpoint](#) or watch the video.

Reopening Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfecting Public Spaces, Workplaces, Businesses, Schools, and Homes

GUIDANCE FOR CLEANING AND DISINFECTING PUBLIC SPACES, WORKPLACES, BUSINESSES, SCHOOLS, AND HOMES

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This guidance is intended for all Americans, whether you own a business, run a school, or want to ensure the cleanliness and safety of your home. Reopening America requires all of us to move forward together by practicing social distancing and other [daily habits](#) to reduce our risk of exposure to the virus that causes COVID-19. Reopening the country also strongly relies on public health strategies, including increased testing of people for the virus, social distancing, isolation, and keeping track of how someone infected might have infected other people. This plan is part of the larger [United States Government plan](#) and focuses on cleaning and disinfecting public spaces, workplaces, businesses, schools, and can also be applied to your home.

Cleaning and disinfecting public spaces including your workplace, school, home, and business will require you to:

- Develop your plan
- Implement your plan
- Maintain and revise your plan

Reducing the risk of exposure to COVID-19 by cleaning and disinfection is an important part of reopening public spaces that will require careful planning. Every American has been called upon to slow the spread of the virus through social distancing and prevention hygiene, such as frequently washing your hands and wearing face coverings. Everyone also has a role in making sure our communities are as safe as possible to reopen and remain open.

The virus that causes COVID-19 can be killed if you use the right products. EPA has compiled a list of disinfectant products that can be used against COVID-19, including ready-to-use sprays, concentrates, and wipes. Each product has been shown to be effective against viruses that are harder to kill than viruses like the one that causes COVID-19.

For more information, please visit [CORONAVIRUS.GOV](#)

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GUIDANCE FOR CLEANING & DISINFECTING PUBLIC SPACES, WORKPLACES, BUSINESSES, SCHOOLS, AND HOMES

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- 1 DEVELOP YOUR PLAN**
DETERMINE WHAT NEEDS TO BE CLEANED. Areas unoccupied for 7 or more days need only routine cleaning. Maintain existing cleaning practices for outdoor areas.
DETERMINE HOW AREAS WILL BE DISINFECTED. Consider the type of surface and how often the surface is touched. Prioritize disinfecting frequently touched surfaces.
CONSIDER THE RESOURCES AND EQUIPMENT NEEDED. Keep in mind the availability of cleaning products and personal protective equipment (PPE) appropriate for cleaners and disinfectants.
- 2 IMPLEMENT**
CLEAN VISIBLY DIRTY SURFACES WITH SOAP AND WATER prior to disinfection.
USE THE APPROPRIATE CLEANING OR DISINFECTANT PRODUCT. Use an EPA-approved disinfectant against COVID-19, and read the label to make sure it meets your needs.
ALWAYS FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS ON THE LABEL. The label will include safety information and application instructions. Keep disinfectants out of the reach of children.
- 3 MAINTAIN AND REVISE**
CONTINUE ROUTINE CLEANING AND DISINFECTION. Continue or revise your plan based upon appropriate disinfectant and PPE availability. Dirty surfaces should be cleaned with soap and water prior to disinfection. Routinely disinfect frequently touched surfaces at least daily.
MAINTAIN SAFE PRACTICES such as frequent handwashing, using cloth face coverings, and staying home if you are sick.
CONTINUE PRACTICES THAT REDUCE THE POTENTIAL FOR EXPOSURE. Maintain social distancing, staying six feet away from others. Reduce sharing of common spaces and frequently touched objects.

Follow guidance from state, tribal, local, and territorial authorities.

For more information, please visit [CORONAVIRUS.GOV](#)

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[More information on COVID-19 from the CDC](#)

The newest Executive Order from Governor Pritzker extends the Stay-at-Home mandate until May 30, 2020. However, some restrictions have been loosened and/or otherwise modified. Here's what you need to know.

Illinois Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity
 JB Pritzker, Governor

Essential Businesses & Operations Frequently Asked Questions

UPDATED 5/2/20

[Executive Order 2020-32](#) issued a new Stay at Home Order effective May 1.

Summary of New Order

Businesses and activities that may increase services and operations:

- Non-essential retail stores may reopen to fulfill telephone and online orders through pickup outside the store and delivery. Employees working in these stores must follow the Social Distancing Requirements and must wear a face covering when they are unable to keep six feet distance from another employee or a customer.
- Greenhouses, garden centers and nurseries may operate as essential businesses, following the distancing requirements for essential stores.
- Pet Groomers are essential businesses.
- Golf courses can reopen if these [guidelines](#) are followed.
- Fishing and boating in groups of two or less is permissible.

Social Distancing Requirements for Essential Stores
 Retail stores (including, but not limited to, stores that sell groceries and medicine, hardware stores, greenhouses, garden centers, and nurseries) designated as Essential Businesses and Operations under this Order shall to the greatest extent possible:

- provide face coverings to all employees who are not able to maintain a minimum six-foot social distance at all times;
- cap occupancy at 50 percent of store capacity, or alternatively, at the occupancy limits based on store square footage set by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity;
- If possible, set up store aisles to be one-way to maximize spacing between customers and identify the one-way aisles with conspicuous signage and/or floor markings. The exception to one-way aisles is for front, back, and middle aisles;
- communicate with customers through in-store signage, and public service announcements and advertisements, about the social distancing requirements and requirement to wear a face covering as set forth in this Order (Social Distancing Requirements); and
- discontinue use of reusable bags.

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Mark Cuban Talks COVID-19 and the American 2.0 Reset



Offer Bundled Services

One question came from the owner of a day spa who was looking to keep his business afloat. Cuban suggested packaging up the services into a bundle.

“You can offer a years’ worth of services so you have something to live off,” he said. He suggested coming up with a gift certificate program that comes with a discount and a prepayment.

It’s not only good for the business owner. They can keep some employees on hand with this system. Workers can make calls and try and sell the packages. He stressed this kind of program works in a variety of small businesses.

“Service companies need to be innovative, he said. “You can’t just sit back. You need to be aggressive and proactive.”

Think About the Opportunities

Cuban pointed out the pandemic would create new businesses.

“Five years from now were going to look back and point to 10 to 20 companies that were created during the pandemic of 2020,” he said. “We get to do America 2.0. We get to go through a unique reset.”

He listed some of these. For example, the first was a patent he hopes will prevent people from being identified as virus carriers in the future.

“We don’t want to start labeling people from a human rights perspective,” he said. “I applied for the patent to create identifiers. I want to put it into the public domain to prevent people from doing it.”

Stop Bad Actors

The idea is to stop bad actors from being able to abuse the technology.

He’s also working with the City of Dallas and The American Airlines Center to create a program that updates when things like park benches were last cleaned. The idea is a barcode or some kind of labeling system.

It has big implications.

“Imagine you’re in an arena on the escalator,” Cuban says. This new system could tell you the last time it had been cleaned.

Post COVID 19 Interns

The billionaire entrepreneur said interns become a good way to fill post virus employment gaps. Although he says he goes back and forth on the issue, there are some positives.

“When we get to the other side of this and business starts to pick up, it will be hard to find people and bring them back.”

Cuban said there will be holes in the workforce. But interns remain a fix. This becomes a good way for students with no experience to get some. Cuban said one way to go would be to change the rules and allow interns to work for free again. “Companies could get help and students get experience ” he said.

<https://smallbiztrends.com/2020/04/mark-cuban-coronavirus-advice.html>

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April 30, 2020

Practice Social Distancing

Pursuant to Executive Order 2020-32 (Stay at Home Order), your employer must comply, to the greatest extent feasible, with **social distancing requirements**. This means that your employer should:

- Make sure that you can maintain at least 6 feet of physical separation between yourself and others around you, including your co-workers and customers.
- Mark with **signage or tape** 6-foot spacing for employees and customers to maintain appropriate distance from one another.
- Provide **face coverings** to employees, especially when it is not possible to maintain at least 6 feet of space between you and another person.
- Provide **handwashing stations** with soap, clean water, and single use paper towels and **encourage frequent handwashing** for 20 seconds or longer.
- Provide **hand sanitizer (with at least 60% alcohol) & sanitizing products** for employees and customers.
- **Regularly clean** high-touch surfaces including doorknobs, light switches, shared equipment, toilet handles, sink faucets, and clock in/out areas.

Do Not Work if You Are Sick

You should not report to work if you are experiencing **symptoms of Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)**, including fever (100.4° or above), cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, chest tightness, extreme fatigue, loss of sense of taste or smell, diarrhea, muscle aches, or headaches.

If you are experiencing any of these symptoms, stay home and call your doctor.

Who You Can Contact if You Have Concerns About Social Distancing in Your Workplace

If you have concerns that your employer is not allowing for safe social distancing or that it is not maintaining a safe and sanitary work environment to minimize the risk of spread of COVID-19, please contact the Workplace Rights Bureau of the Illinois Attorney General's Office at 844-740-5076 or workplacerights@ats.state.il.us.

If you believe that two or more employees at your workplace have COVID-19, please notify your local public health department. A list of local health departments can be found here: http://www.idph.state.il.us/IDPHPrograms/V_LHD/Directory/Show-V-LHD/Directory-Public.aspx.

Pursuant to Section 25(b) of the Whistleblower Protection Act, 740 ILCS 174, businesses are prohibited from retaliating against an employee for disclosing information when the employee has reasonable cause to believe that the information discloses a violation of a state or federal law, rule, or regulation.

For more information about COVID-19, including ways to protect yourself and others, visit the Illinois Department of Public Health's COVID-19 website: <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/covid19>.

Essential businesses! - Pursuant to Section 1-5 of the Governor's Executive Order 2020-32 "All businesses that have employees physically reporting to a work-site must post the guidance from the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) and Office of the Illinois Attorney General regarding workplace safety during the COVID-19 emergency."

PRITZKER UNVEILS RESTORE ILLINOIS- A PHASED REOPENING PLAN

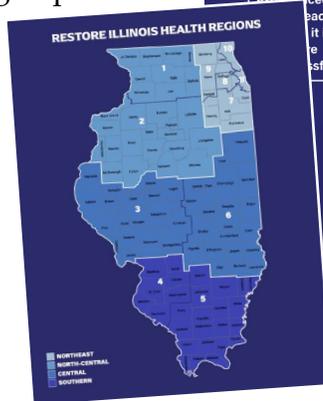
RESTORE ILLINOIS

A Public Health Approach To Safely Reopen Our State

Phase 1 Rapid Spread	Phase 2 Flattening	Phase 3 Recovery	Phase 4 Revitalization	Phase 5 Illinois Restored
Strict stay at home and social distancing guidelines are put in place, and only essential businesses remain open. Every region has announced this phase ready and could begin if mitigation is successful.	Non-essential retail stores reopen for curb-side pickup and delivery. Illinoisans are directed to wear a face covering when outside the home and can begin enjoying additional outdoor activities like golf, boating & fishing while practicing social distancing.	Manufacturing, offices, retail, barbershops and salons can reopen to the public with capacity and other limits and safety precautions. Gatherings of 10 people or fewer are allowed. Face coverings and social distancing are the norm.	Gatherings of 50 people or fewer are allowed, restaurants and bars reopen, travel resumes, child care and schools reopen under guidance from the Illinois Department of Public Health. Face coverings and social distancing are the norm.	The economy fully reopens with safety precautions continuing. Conventions, festivals and large events are permitted, and all businesses, schools and places of recreation can open with new safety guidance and procedures.

The plan, dubbed "Restore Illinois" will operate on a "region-by-region basis" and can be updated as the situation across the state develops, Pritzker said.

According to Pritzker, Illinois began phase two of its reopening plan on May 1, when a modified order took effect allowing some businesses to reopen. The earliest any location can begin entering phase three will be May 29.



New case growth slows Surge hospital capacity 10,000 tests per day statewide Testing for any symptomatic health care workers and first responders	Case positivity rate and hospital capacity benchmarks met Testing for patients, health care workers and at-risk residents Begin contact tracing and monitoring within 24 hours of diagnosis	Case positivity rate and hospital capacity benchmarks met Testing available in region regardless of symptoms or risk factors Contact tracing within 24 hours of diagnosis for more than 90% of cases	Post-pandemic: Vaccine, effective and widely available treatment, or the elimination of new cases over a sustained period of time through herd immunity or other factors
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Attention Local Businesses!

Join our listing of open/operational businesses to let people know you are available. You don't have to be a *chamber member! We want ALL local businesses to sign up so that our community can support you!



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- publish a book 
- make slime
- blow bubbles
- make a fort out of pillows and blankets
- go on a nature hunt
- decorate a window with art 
- try a new recipe
- make greeting cards
- make your own flashcards
- see what you can make from a cardboard box 
- draw comics
- write a letter to a friend 
- create chalk drawings
- paint with water
- fingerpaint
- read a book out loud to your pet
- make playdoh
- practice yoga and do stretches 
- create a fairy garden
- perform a puppet show
- put your costumes together + make a new character
- make your own popsicles
- make a journal and write in it daily 
- paint rocks
- do a puzzle 
- plant seeds 
- make shadow puppets with a flashlight
- invent a new game
- set up a pretend store in your room- what will you 'sell'?

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Stay positive



Forefront Dermatology provided lunch to health care workers at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Scott Carrizales said "Thanks to everyone who helped provide a couple hundred meals to the front-line healthcare workers at HSHS St. Elizabeth's Hospital. As a medical provider in this great community, we wanted to show our appreciation for their heroism and sacrifice!"

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9 Tips for Working Remotely

SPACE

Designate a space for work & work only. Minimize interruptions from family & roommates there.

DOOR

Close the door to your workspace. This reminds others you are busy while minimizing noise.

HEADSET

Use headsets, not speakerphones. Most speakerphones have technical limitations.

PAUSE

On conference calls, pause often. You cannot see body language & this allows more feedback.

VIDEO

Use video as much as possible. A major portion of our communication is non-verbal.

EYE CONTACT

On video calls, look into the camera, not at the other person. Participants perceive this as making eye contact.

ONLINE

Use online tools to access your work from any computer, whether at home or the office.

BACK UP

Remember to connect to your office network or manually make backup copies of work.

FOCUS

The human brain does not multitask. When working, focus on work. When with your family, be fully with them.



Working Together

to Keep Our Community Safe

As we work together to reduce the spread of COVID-19, we are all facing new challenges with work, school, and our social lives, while trying to stay healthy both physically and mentally. The Memorial Network is always here to meet your healthcare needs. We are all doing our part to look out for one another and strengthen our community during trying times. *Stay safe!*

BUSINESS TRACK

How To Keep A Positive Business Attitude In The Time Of COVID-19

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/hodfleishman/2020/03/18/how-to-keep-a-positive-business-attitude-in-the-time-of-covid-19/#60c717c4287c>

Written by Hod Fleishman/ contributor



Our entire design class was sat in front of a room full of mockups, sketches, and prototypes. A nervous student took the stand and started walking everybody through her work: How she solved the problem, the insights from her ethnographic research, the design aspects of the product she'd built. The ritual at the end of the presentation was known and dreaded; The school professors would start poking holes in her process, decision-making, and outcomes. Everything wrong was highlighted and served with a deep dive of examples of what she should have done differently. This was not a fun process to go through. But there was one silver lining to this cloud: one person in the room that chose to see things differently.

Yaakov Kaufman was one of my favorite design teachers, an incredible, unique, and productive designer. This man possessed a bottomless well of optimism as well as an original way of viewing the world. This was quite possibly what led to his many innovative designs, from lamps to chairs to artwork.

After the grilling and the beating, Yaakov addressed the class: "Friends, it is easy to identify what is wrong. But what can we learn from it? To not do it again? This is not the way of the creative mind. It is much better to identify what our friend here did right, what worked, and next time, try to do more of 'what works,' instead of avoiding the things that did not."

The Sky Is Falling

Things are not going well. COVID-19 has hit us from all directions at once. The sad reality is that as things stand, there is still no vaccine, and in countries in which this menace gets out of control, there aren't enough hospital staff or equipment to handle the sick. COVID-19 is like those old design school professors that poked holes in our design work; it exposes everything which is broken in our health systems, our supply chains, our mode of operations, our trust in our governments. The list grows on and on, but what of it? What if this list does have a thousand items in it - can we learn something from it? I instead suggest we take Yaakov Kaufman's advice, forget about what is broken, and focus on the things that do work. Let's do more of those. As always, in such situations, we have two broad options: fight or flight. There will be those who run to the bunker and wait for this lousy cloud to pass. But there will also be those who choose to innovate, to identify new opportunities, to define new ways of working. There will be those who want to fight. Which one are you?

The Glass Is The Wrong Size

You know that old-time joke about the pessimist that says the glass is half empty, and the optimist that says the glass is half full. There is an addition to this joke: The engineer that says the glass was built twice the required size. Jokes aside, this last option means: Accept reality. It is what it is. Deal with it. It's time to agree that COVID-19 is pushing all of us into a corner. To share one more of Yaakov Kaufman pearls of wisdom: "When

someone pushes you to the corner, push the corner away". We need to accept that reality is changing, identify what works, and "push the corner" - meaning define new ways of working. COVID-19 is terrible, it's a tragedy, but it also opens up new business opportunities.

The Good In The Bad

1. **Work-Life Balance:** What is that thing we are always complaining about? The friction that wears down our employees? One of the main reasons people give up and switch to another job? It's the known challenge of work-life balance. Spend too much time at work, your family and downtime take a hit. Spend too much time with your family - work doesn't get done. We lose a ton of time traveling to and back from work, flying to clients, and attending useless meetings. But now we are forced to work remotely. We spend more time at home with our families. We need to be more proactive about how we plan our day. From helping our kids with their remote studies as they can not go to school to which conference calls we should attend. COVID-19 is an opportunity to gain control of our work-life balance and define a new way of living.

2. **Reducing The Cost Of Doing Business:** The reality that we are used to is that doing business means going to an office. Either "my" office to do work, or "your" office to meet. Meeting face to face is the preferred way of doing business. Now, as a result of COVID, we are all forced to consider how we work remotely. Working remotely is more than just having your team join a video phone conference. It is about sustaining, and even growing your business while working remotely. It is a massive challenge, but, if done right, it will define a new and more cost-effective way of doing business. If we figure out remote working, do we still need all that fancy and expensive office space? Are all of those flights a must? Does everybody need to spend two hours a day traveling to and back to work? Must we get ten people in the same room to make a decision? We are learning fast that there are different and more cost-effective ways of doing business.

3. **Destruction and Reconstruction:** COVID-19 is a massive disruption to our lives. Finally-tuned ways of living, working, studying, manufacturing... all are now being destroyed. But with significant disruption comes great opportunities. This is our golden opportunity to reconstruct and redefine how we do business. How we study. How we provide services. Instead of waiting for COVID-19 to go away, realize that we are facing a new reality and that this reality holds within it great business opportunities. The need to reconstruct how we operate is an opportunity for creating new business value.

4. **Take Climate For Example** Until very recently, "Climate" was our biggest challenge. Experts taught us that the reason we can't stop the onset of our climate-related problems is that it requires a complete shift in human behaviors. People will have to stop demanding so many products, driving around everywhere, flying to destinations around the world, consuming and disposing of products on a massive scale. Who would volunteer to give up on all of these benefits? All of a sudden, we are learning that there is an alternative way of living. If we take one thing away from this COVID outbreak, it should, at the least, be the realization that there are alternative ways to live more responsibly.

5. **What About Talent?** Companies are now concerned about what to do with their employees. Deciding who goes and who stays is a terrible and challenging decision to make. I am not playing down this difficulty - but as business leaders we need to commit to finding the good and the opportunities in the dire situation we are facing. And the upside is that some great talents that were locked in one organization will now look for work.

6. **Coming Together:** any third-grade politician will let you know that the best way to unite, is to find a common enemy. Well, now we have one. If we ever needed to be reminded that we are all created equal, COVID-19 is the reminder. Having a common enemy is an opportunity for businesses to come together and to collaborate. Consider this as "Co-Opetition," with a greater emphasis on how we work together than compete. Who out there that until yesterday posed a threat, can be converted to an ally and a partner?

Realities can be easy or harsh. The beauty of the human mind is that we can decide what we think of these realities. We can choose to think it's a tragedy or a comedy. We can choose to think the sky is falling down, or that it is an opportunity to redefine how we live, how we conduct our business, how we operate, what products, offerings or services we bring to market. The only way forward is for us to identify those bits and pieces of what "works" and to do more of those.

HEALTH & WELLNESS



Every May, the Administration for Community Living leads our nation's observance of Older Americans Month. This year's theme is Make Your Mark! This theme was selected to encourage and celebrate countless contributions that older adults make to our communities. Their time, experience, and talents benefit families, peers, and neighbors every day. Communities, organizations, and individuals of all ages are also making their marks. This year's theme highlights the difference everyone can make – in the lives of older adults, in support of caregivers, and to strengthen communities.

Research has found that friendship brings numerous health benefits, from boosting the immune system to decreasing the risk of heart disease, even reducing cortisol levels in the blood to increasing mental health. Strong social support networks increase immunity, making you more resilient to things like infectious disease. People with stronger social bonds have a 50% greater chance of survival over those who don't. Isolated individuals are 3 times as likely to die from heart disease, 5 years earlier than those who had strong relationships in their life. As we turn our focus on the senior population, we see that friendships become even more important. Good relationships keep us not only happy, but healthy.

The Senior Companion Program seeks to improve lives, strengthens communities and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering exclusively as caregivers for other older adults. In particular, the Senior Companion Program has been recognized as an important program that helps to "bridge the gaps of geriatric care," by meeting the nonmedical needs of older adults through assistance provided by other older adult volunteers. This program has been designed to help older adults maintain independence and prevent feelings of loneliness and social isolation, through instrumental activities of daily living, companionship, and caregiver respite.

Companions are carefully screened and receive on-going training to assure quality service and a rewarding volunteer experience. Each Senior Companion volunteer provides 15–40 hours of service each week and they typically serve two to four clients. The scheduled time spent with clients allows for one-on-one care while building strong, stabilizing bonds of friendship creating the opportunity for reciprocal benefits. Clients receive in-home friendly visits with planned daily activities including: emotional support, engaging in mental and physical stimulation (e.g., doing puzzles, arm chair exercises), meal preparation, light housekeeping, and escort to doctors' appointments. Caregivers receive Senior Companion respite care providing time to run errands, take care of personal needs while aiding their frail loved one to age in place.

We invite you to celebrate Older Americans Month and make your mark in May by reaching out to a senior who needs a friend. Share the news about the Senior Companion Program to those who are homebound and socially isolated. Call the SWIC Senior Companion Office at (618) 234-4410 and see what difference a friend can make.



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Senior Companion Program Director
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May is National Physical Fitness & Sports Month

Move In May is the slogan for the month. Many of us have been locked in our homes, without work, stressing over our finances, in a state of depression, gaining weight all because of this deadly virus. Let's move past what we can not control and move towards a brighter future. Physical fitness is important for our wellbeing and it helps improve our overall health. Use this month to reclaim your life and enjoy it again. Take a walk with or without the dog. Chase your children around the house or have them chase you. Challenge the family to play ball or do something competitive against each other. Throw a frisbee and play fetch with the dog. Transform the stairs in your home into your own personal stairclimber. The opportunities are endless and the changes will be worth the improvement in your mental, physical, spiritual, emotional, financial and social health. Use this month to start and continue a lifestyle of Physical Fitness and better health.



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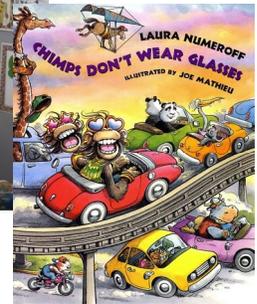


Story Time on YouTube from District 90 teachers and local businesses

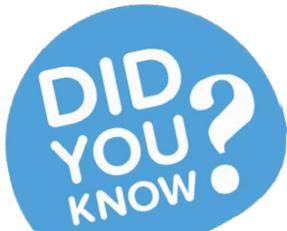


Visit O'Fallon School District 90's YouTube channel for your child's favorite books read aloud by local teachers and businesses including our very own Debbie-Arell Martinez, Executive Director of the O'Fallon-Shiloh Chamber of Commerce.

New titles are being added every couple of days so be sure to check back often!



Go to www.youtube.com and search for "O'Fallon School District 90"



The O'Fallon Police Department puts out a monthly newsletter with great community information.

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O'Fallon Police
Neighborhood Watch Newsletter – May 2020

COVID-19
Illinois Stay-At-Home Order

The O'Fallon Police Department realizes the Stay at Home Order and its frequent updates are inconvenient and sometimes confusing. This page attempts to break down the most recent order (as of 4/30/20) issued by the Governor of Illinois in a way that is easy to understand. For more information regarding what businesses can open, call (800)252-2923 or email CEO.support@illinois.gov

On 04-30-20 the Governor issued a Disaster Proclamation until 05-30-20. The newest Executive Order extends the Shelter in Place Order until 05-30-20 with modifications and new restrictions:

- Face coverings are required to be worn by all individuals, when medically tolerable, who are in public places and unable to maintain adequate social distancing of six feet, except for children under age two and when with members of the same household. Face coverings will be required in indoor public places such as stores. *The last three pages of this newsletter contain more information on face coverings, including how to make your own.*
- All essential businesses may remain open consistent with the original executive order. Essential retail stores shall reduce their occupancy capacity (DCEO) based on store square footage, Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) based on store square footage, provide face coverings to all employees who cannot maintain social distancing of six feet at all times, set up store aisles to be one-way, communicate these requirements to customers through signage and public service announcements and discontinue use of reusable bags.
- Non-essential retail stores may reopen to take orders online or over the phone for either pickup outside the store or delivery. Employees must maintain social distancing of six feet or wear a face covering when that is not possible.
- All businesses that have employees physically reporting to a worksite must post IDPH's guidance regarding workplace safety during the COVID-19 emergency. <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/>
- Fishing and boating in groups of no more than two per watercraft will be permitted.
- Golf courses will be permitted to open only when following strict guidelines provided by DCEO <https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/Documents/Scpts20Whw%20Restrictions.pdf>
- Some state parks will be reopened. The list of state parks that will reopen is available via this link: <https://www.illinois.gov/files/dm20ev=18779>
- Pet grooming services will be allowed to reopen.
- Educational institutions may allow and establish procedures for pick-up of necessary supplies or student belongings and dormitory move-out. These procedures must be in a manner consistent with public health guidelines and social distancing requirements

COVID-19 Information - Face Coverings
The following three pages are courtesy of the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention <https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2020/s0420-covid-19-protect-face-coverings.html>

Use of Cloth Face Coverings to Help Slow the Spread of COVID-19

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MONTHLY CALENDAR

May 2020

Most May events have been cancelled. Most committee meetings will be held virtually. Please check our [online calendar](#) to confirm, and watch E-news for updates on virtual events.

We will host a virtual BOB on May 8th and on May 29th.

Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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7	8 <i>Virtual Business Over Breakfast</i>	9
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	22	23
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27	28	29 Virtual Business Over Breakfast - Stay tuned for details!
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